

OBITUARIES

LEE R. DOUGLAS
Lee Ray Douglas, 91, Athens-Bonessboro Road, Lexington, died at the St. Joseph Hospital Monday, March 1, 1971. He was born in Fayette County, the son of Mrs. Rogers Douglas. He was a retired farmer.
He is survived by 10 daughters, Mrs. Dore Clark, Ohio, Mrs. Howard Brammel, Carlisle, Mrs. H. L. Whittaker, Texas, Mrs. Jane Hearns, California, Mrs. W. L. Scott, New Albany, Ind., Mrs. Floyd Burris, Mrs. Bill Christian, Mrs. Manford Crawley, Mrs. Geneva Moore, all of Lexington, and Mrs. George Dupuy, Miami, Fla.; one son, Frank Douglas, Washington State; 32 grandchildren; several great-grandchildren.

Virginia Wagoner Cronin, two daughters, Linda and Tammy, both at home.
Services will be conducted at 10 a.m. Thursday (today) at the Shrine of Our Lady by Rev. Herman Kamlage, burial in the Carlisle Cemetery. Bearers will be Mike Berry, Litch, Farrah, Harold and Clyde Clark.

Agree or Not

I Say What I Think

by S. C. VanCuren

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order of the years 1947, 1951, 1955, 1959, 1963 and 1967:
Harlan County, 2,567-3,438-2,461-6,660-6,291-4,296
Floyd County, 5,820-5,198-9,742-13,140-12,296-9,263
Letcher County, 1,573-2,199-4,957-4,059-2,811
Perry County, 2,649-2,851-4,360-4,412-4,020-3,210
Pike County, 5,814-7,100-10,315-10,941-11,516-9,356

There are two factors that may have effected the increased number of voters in these years when the population was leaving the area. One is that the 18 years were given the vote during Chandler's last term, and the second came when Combs was governor because this was when voting machines were installed.

These figures also indicate that a lot of persons old enough to vote either didn't bother to qualify by registering or did not turn out to vote.

While the November voters in these same gubernatorial years are no criteria for primary election, yet they may prove of value to judge the voting pattern.

Here they are for the same years by county.

Harlan County, 11,895-13,615-6,076-13,374-11,782-11,756
Floyd County, 9,191-9,030-9,963-14,553-13,152-12,650
Letcher County, 6,027-7,761-7,114-7,529-6,398-7,004
Perry County, 7,662-8,920-8,341-9,540-9,511-8,565
Pike County, 15,149-19,240-19,679-19,105-19,462-20,114

Note that Pike's highest vote came in 1967 when Num beat Ward, and Num carried the county.

71 Feed Grain

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County ASC Committee. The signup period for the feed grain and wheat programs in March 1 through April 9, 1971 and all intentions to participate must be signed during this period.

"Get-aside in an important new concept," Mr. Wagoner said. "Under the set-aside programs for feed grain and wheat, a participating farmer will set aside a certain percentage of his base or allotment and put this acreage in a conserving use. On his remaining cropland he will be free to plant whatever he chooses, except that he cannot grow crops which are under marketing quotas—rice, tobacco, extra long staple cotton, and sugarcane, unless he has farm allotment for these."

Producers interested in participating in the 1971 programs are urged to stop at the ASCS office at their convenience during the signup period.

Dying Is Easy



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(A Public Service Announcement, Kentucky State Police)
Second of a Series

200th Birthday Being Planned

A new commission officially began the task of planning celebrations of the 200th anniversary of the founding of Fort Harrod and the 100th running of the Kentucky Derby in 1974.

The Kentucky Historical Events Celebration Commission, created by the 1970 legislature, also will plan Kentucky's celebration of the 200th anniversary of the U. S.

Declaration of Independence in 1976.

At the commission's organization meeting at the Capitol last week, Governor Num said the 1974 and 1976 observances "must create new origins and patterns of visitation and spending that will create and for all, establish Kentucky as the cultural and recreational heartland of mid-America."

Declaring the issue to moot on technicalities, the high court declined to go into it unless a question of "substantial public interest" is at stake—which it decided is not the case.

Win Assessment Fight

More than 1,800 McCracken County residents won their long fight against farm property assessment increases ordered by the state Revenue Department.

The McCracken County Board of Supervisors annulled the boosts in 1968 and lengthy litigation followed.

Eventually, the circuit court dismissed the state's suit and the current case was on the state's docket.

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\$3,694 Franchise

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This compares with the previous annual franchise payment by KUI of \$3,392 and the increase reflects the new and increased uses the people of Carlisle are making of their electric service, according to Morris Whitely, KUI manager.

Company managers are delivering checks for franchise payments totaling \$915,125 to 153 Kentucky cities where KUI has franchisees to supply electric service. Last year the total was \$821,004.

These payments are in addition to KUI's local property taxes and other taxes.

M.S.U. Offers Nursing Degree

MOREHEAD, Ky.—It's official, Morehead State University has a new college degree nursing program.

Creation of an associate degree in nursing at MSU has been approved by the Kentucky Board of Nursing Education and Nurse Registration.

The University will begin accepting applications immediately for the first class starting in August, according to Mrs. Doris Schmidt, head of MSU's Department of Nursing and Allied Health. The two-year coeducational program will require 67 semester hours of course work and clinical training. The clinical experience will occur at St. Claire Medical Center in Morehead and Hayswood Hospital in Maysville.

New classroom, laboratory and office facilities for the nursing department will be provided in MSU's \$3 million Appalachian Technical Institute which goes under construction shortly.

"Our nursing degree is aimed at helping reduce the critical shortage of registered nurses in Appalachia and Eastern Kentucky," said MSU president Adron DeVan. "We are confident of establishing one of the best two-year programs in the nation."

Notice

The Stockholders of the Nicholas Co. Building & Loan Assn. will meet at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, March 4, 1971 at the office of the Assn. for the election of officers. All Stockholders are urged to attend or be represented by proxy which can be filled out at the office.

John W. Allison
Secretary

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