Jones claims governor's race

By Hank Bond
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ACROSS KENTUCKY — With most of Kentucky's precincts reporting Democrat Brereton Jones took a mandate win over U.S. Representative Larry Hopkins for the office of Governor of Kentucky.

Jones, Kentucky's Lt. Governor, defeated the Lexington Republican with about 64 percent of the total vote.

Jones was born in Ohio, in June 1939. The 52 year old now Governor - elect moved to West Virginia.

As young man he was a republican and elected to the West Virginia House of Representatives where he served as minority leader.

When he met and married his wife, Libby, he moved to Kentucky and switched his party affiliation to democrat. Obviously a move which did not hurt his quest for office.

Jones defeated a large slate of democrats in the primary four years ago for the Lt. Governor's nod from the democratic party and took the office.

He had the same kind of statewide support in his quest for the state's top job.

Jones swept the vote in Nicholas County, just as he did in most Kentucky counties.

Standing in front of a sign saying Governor Jones at the Galt House East in Louisville, the newly elected Governor of Kentucky, Brereton Jones spoke to his supporters and a vast television and radio audience.

Taking off his Jacket and rolling up his sleeves, a trademark he adopted during this campaign, he was basking in the glory of the moment of the victory.

On the podium with Jones, along with leaders in his campaign were his wife Libby, son Brent and daughter Lucy.

Brereton Jones

During the campaign Jones refused to be on the rod Sunday to spend time with his family.

"Unbelievable. Look at this room. The best people in the work are here tonight," Jones said to a packed house.

"Absolutely there's no way I can adequately express the way I feel tonight.

"I would simply like to say thank you to the finest people in America.

Jones, speaking to his ailing father in a West Virginia Hospital said, "Dad, if you're listening or watching, this one's for you!

"This victory is not a victory for Brereton Jones, Paul Patton or the others of this grat ticket: It is a victory for the people of Kentucky.

"We are sending a message that politics is an honorable profession and that if you want to win you can't assassinate another person's character."

Jones said there were more individual contributors to his campaign and more volunteers than in any campaign in history.

"This is a victory for the people that believe quality education must become a true reality for the every Kentucky child. Also, it's a victory for the working people of Kentucky who should be able to get benefits and quality healthcare, and fair shake for all of their hard work.

"It was unbelievable amount of money that had to raised and spent in this campaign. It is my hope that this amount of money will never again have to be raised again. And we will lead this fight.

"The one thing about not making very many campaign promises is it is so easy to keep them.

"I want you to know that in the next four years you're going to have a governor you can be proud of. The campaign is over and I don't have to say anything relative to votes.

"We're going to bring this state together and every single person is going to get fair and equal treatment from their government.

"We have a team. I don't know a finer person that Paul Patton. We battled in the primary and came away the best of friends. We're going to work together like a governor and lt. governor out to for the next four years.

"This entire team is a not just a team for the campaign, but we're a team for the next four years.

"The next four years will be the most progressive the people of Kentucky have ever seen."

Hopkins conceded at 8:15 p.m., form his headquarters in Lexington's Radisen Hotel, before about 1000 supporters.

"Let me say that we can only have one governor at a time," Hopkins said.

"Carolyn joins me in congratulation Governor Jones, his family those who supported him.

"I want the governor elect to know he has our sincere support, because its going to a tough time for our next governor and Kenfucky," Hopkins added.

Hopkins did confirm he would seek re-election to the congress form Kentucky's sixth district.

Only Laural and Rockcastle counties in Kentucky supported Hopkins in his quest for the state's top office.

"I want all of you to know that we stand behind the governor we're not here to second guess at anytime in any way and we ought to all help our new governor."

Hopkins said he appreciated the opportunity to travel across Kentucky and meet many people of the Commonwealth.

Sitting Governor Wallace Wilkinson, following Hopkin's concession, said every citizen ought to feel good about this election.

"It is a clear mandate that the people accept what we have done and it has given a clear approval of what has been done in this Commonwealth.

"People have said the state is on the right track," Wilkinson said.

"Governor Jones has said that and he will add new program to what we have done."

"I don't believe the other side had much to offer this time," Wilkinson added.

Wiping out any doubts about the Jones administration, "I don't believe Governor Jones will go back to the old ways of government at all.

"I've had long talks with Brereton about the many things and the issues that will affect the people of the Commonwealth. Governor Jones will move ahead. I am very comfortable with this. W haven't lost a major economic development program in the last three and half years, unless you want to count Untied and we pulled out of that.

"The people of Kentucky understood we were on the right track and those things will continue with this progressive governor," concluded Wilkinson.

"I talked to Governor Jones about four o'clock today,a dn it was the same kind of day we had about four years ago. I called him and told him people will look to you like no other person in Kentucky.

"I'm a democrat and I believe in the democrats we have a new, bold, innovative governor and there are great things ahead for Kentucky.

"This is the greatest office in the world. I would rather be governor of Kentucky than hold nay other office in universe."

New Lt. Governor Paul Patton has high hopes for his four years in office.

"We look to a future bring for the state of Kentucky.

"We appreciate your support and help."

In other state races all democrats earned the seats.

Bob Babbage will be secretary of state; Ghris Gorman, attorney general; Ben Chandler, auditor of public accounts; Francis Jones Mills, state treasurer; John Stephenson, superintendent of Public Instruction, and Ed Logsdon as Commission of Agriculture.

√ Portions of this report were taken form the Kentucky Radio Network.

Lester unseats Faulconer

By Pam Bowles
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CARLISLE — The voters of Carlisle had only one local choice in the election and that was for city council. Nine candidates were vying for six positions.

The only change in the current -council members was Cartmell Lester returning to the council after two years. Lester ran for Carlisle Mayor two years ago and gave up his seat on the council.

Lester unseated current councilperson Sharon Faulconer.

Incumbents Betty Barton, Tommy Vaughn, Charlie Fay, Doug Garrett, and Ronnie Clark returned to their council seats.

Lester was the top vote getter with 396 followed closely by Barton with 389.Vaughn finished with 352, Clark with 347, and Garrett added 340.√

Fay took the last seat on the council by nosing out first time candidate Libby Earlywine by 12 votes.

Jimmy Shaw finished the race with 222.

Lester said, "It was good to win and the people were really nice to me.

"After running for mayor two years ago it is great to be back on the council.

"I really worked hard and it says a lot to get the most votes and not be a member of the council at the present time."

Lester had served on the council for eight years and has recently been on the industrial board for two years.

Barton finished the race in second place. She has been a member of the council for seven years.

Barton said, "I glad the race is all over.

"It was a very good race and I'm sorry some people have to lose because they all did a fine job."

"It is very difficult to campaign each two years for the seat on the council, but I enjoyed talking to all the people," said Barton.

Garrett was elected to his second term on the council after being appointed the first after a vacancy on the council.

Garrett said, "It was a good race and I'm glad it is over.

"There was not very much negatives during the election and a lot of good people rnn for the council seats."

Fay has been on the Carlisle City Council for 16 years and the fire department for 12 years.

Fay said, "This will show people they are going to have get more involved in the local and state elections.

"The voter turn out was very low and people are not making any decisions on who is to be put in office, so they do not have the right to complain if they don't vote."

Clark won his second term on the council.

Clark said, "I very glad this is behind me.

"I'm happy people thought enough of me to put me back in office.

"I will do the best for the people of Carlisle that I can."

Vaughn returned to his seat he has occupied for the last 12 years.

Vaughn said, he appreciates the voter support he received.

"I'm very happy for Carty, I have served on the council with him before and he will do a great job," said Vaughn.

In other races in the county Nicholas County Clerk Doug Fryman, along with Charles Lester and Wilfrid Schroder on the Judicial Court of Appeals and Circuit Judge Robert McGinnis were all unopposed.

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
1	Precinct	Total	Gov.	Gov.	Lt. Gov.	Lt. Gov.	Sec. of State	Sec. of State	Att. Gen.	Att. Gen.	Aud of Pub. Acc	Aud. Pub. Acc
2	By	Votes	Rep.	Dem.	Rep.	Dem.	Rep.	Dem.	Rep.	Dem.	Rep.	Dem.
3	Precinct	Cast	Hopkins	Jones	Goss	Patton	Wright	Babbage	Handy	Gorman	Holmes	Chandler
4	Headquarters	137	57	76	41	77	26	87	49	57	24	85
5	Barterville	143	52	83	28	82	23	85	28	71	28	76
6	Rafferty	127	39	85	22	85	16	85	27	73	20	84
7	Myers	80	25	53	14	51	11	41	11	40	11	45
8	Moorefield	210	73	133	38	147	25	135	43	113	26	128
9	East Union	79	30	48	17	50	10	55	18	42	13	51
10	Mayor's Office	297	111	169	61	167	35	172	66	127	49	155
11	Engine House	413	149	246	80	237	49	236	74	192	59	219
12	Mathias	187	65	110	39	102	31	85	45	67	30	89
13	City Building	183	69	110	46	108	29	115	47	90	37	107
14	Absentees	32	9	22	4	25		27	6	17	5	24
15	Total	1886	679	1135	390	1131	255	1123	414	889	302	1063

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2	Rep.	Dem.	Rep.	Dem.	Rep.	Dem.	Rep.	Dem.	Dem.	Non. Part.	Non. Part.	Non. Part.
3	Bell	Mills	Shedd	Stephenson	Beasley	Logsdon	McGuire	Combs	Fryman	Lester	Schroder	McGinnis
4	56	56	32	64	35	75	28	63	80	21	17	34
5	34	71	30	66	29	77	24	69	84	20	15	26
6	24	75	27	62	24	79	21	67	82	15	18	31
7	15	37	12	36	9	44	12	37	51	5	5	16
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9	19	38	11	44	15	50	10	45	58	7	10	14
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15	484	814	346	814	353	980	296	841	1130	216	185	382

	X	Y	Z	AA	AB	AC	AD	AE	AF	AG	AH
1		City Council									Write In
2		Vote for six									Gates
3		Faulconer	Clark	Barton	Earlywine	Lester	Shaw	Vaughn	Fay	Garrett	
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11		118	131	164	119	148	93	127	124	138	
12		49	55	74	56	71	37	68	63	51	
13		23	38	34	19	43	28	35	24	39	
14		6	8	12	6	8	5	9	4	7	
15		285	347	389	302	396	222	352	314	340	1

Nicholas County Unofficial Election Results

Ritchie gives tourism bicentennial quilt

By Josh Shepherd
Of The Carlisle Mercury Staff

CARLISLE — Ms. Ella Gates Ritchie sat in a small metal folding chair near the entrance door to display floor of the National Guard Armory quietly and modestly as a small handful of browsers looked over the bright variety of handmade quilts on display.

Carefully, she looks over her own handmade quilts. One is a special quilt she had painstakingly hand stitched and worked and re-worked since late spring especially for Tourism Inc.'s celebration of Kentucky's bicentennial.

The other is a colorful explosion of diamond shapes in the traditional pattern of the Bethlehem Star. It is a surprise award winner. At least, it is a surprise for her.

"I never entered any of my quilts into a competition before. I'm a member of the homemakers and I've entered a few things for ribbons, but I've never won anything. And then suddenly I find this blue ribbon on a quilt I make for Cecil Shrout. I didn't think it would do that," Ritchie said.

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Julie Metzger, Ella Ritchie and Gladys Shrout are pictured in front of the quilt Ritchie gave the Carlisle-Nicholas Inc. Tourism for the bicentennial celebration.

Ritchie picked up the pattern for the Bethlehem Star from a book of suggested patterns she found at Foodtown and was, at first, a bit apprehensive about attempting such an intricate design.

It required a consistent pattern of shapes, the deviation of a single piece would have upset the balance of the entire quilt. But for Ritchie, as it is for anyone who has spent a great deal of time piecing together shards of cloth and hand stitching each piece with quickly and efficiently, she has her secrets.

Her years are aged, but her hands who have so carefully and automatically stitched these pieces together are as limber as a teens.

But at this show, unfortunately,/Ritchie does not display her style. Her work is not a performance. It is work, and work she prefers to do alone.

"I can concentrate when I'm by myself. But out in public ...well ... I just don't do a good job," Ritchie said in her own quiet, humble voice.

The quilt she has stitched together for Tourism Inc. encompasses more than the bicentennial of Kentucky. It includes symbols for America, a complex collection of red stripes and a blue background affectionately labeled "Old Glory". She even knows the story behind who coined the term "Old Glory" first.

"A sea Captain was given a hand sewn replica of the flag by his family to sail above his ship. He called the flag "Old Glory" and the name has stuck," she swears.

In another section of the barn window pattern she wove for tfe quilt are the images of a boy and girl and in light blue are the stitched names Jack and Jill.

"These children represent the children of the future and the hope they bring," she says as a matter-of-fact.

In the upper right hand corner is the symbol of the organization to which she has bound herself and to which she has received such admiration for her work.

"The homemaker's insignia was the tetchiest piece I had to work with. So many words to work into such a small space. Why, .I was sewing and undoing and sewing again so much I think my fingers went numb. But I think it has come out so nicely," she said.

In the center of the patch are two dates. They are not quite the dates Tourism Inc. was looking for. In fact they are about a hundred years off. But they have interesting significance when seen from her standpoint.

The year '92 is so very important to the United States, to America as a country, and to Kentucky in particular, she explains.

It all starts with the wayward Portugal sailor Christopher Columbus, who landed somewhere in the West Indies in 1492. In 1992, it will be the 500th anniversary of his "discovery".

In 1792, Kentucky was brought into the United States as a commonwealth to the union, and in 1892, the immortal Pledge of Allegiance was first penned and set in motion the chant of millions of grade school voices.

Although the symbols of her quilt is at times compellingly complex, it is not this quilt which has brought her the recognition as quilter she deserved.

The Bethlehem Star, hung next to the bicentennial quilt, shines out as the work of a master quilter. It immediately captures the eye and, if the viewer is not careful, can be lost in the design.

It has already won first place out of nine Homemaker's chapters in the region. So too has it earned the viewer's choice award at the Tourism Inc. quilting display last Sunday.

It may soon be on display for national recognition.

But for Ella G. Ritchie, it is merely an excellent example of her work.

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The thirty-six people who traveled to Louisville for the certified city luchenon project in front of the charter bus. The following are a list of the riders to Louisville not in order: Kathy Howard, Spud Marshall, Debbie Bowles, Sue Barker, Doug Garrett, Joredda Garrett, Carolyn Dotson, Jim Orr, Frankie Hughes, Marilyn Hughes, Ronnie Clark, Tommy Crawford, Betty Barton, Mary Tapp, Gayle Vanlandingham, Carty Lester, Shirley Wilson, Tim Moreland, Pam Bowles, Josh Shepherd, Ester Myers, G.C. Myers, Rose Brady, Tracey Million, Bill Million, Gladys Shrout, Roy Gaunce, Brenda Gaunce, Charles Fay, Betty Fay, C.H. Enix, Cebert Gilbert, Sam Reynolds, Jerry Galbrieth, Dan Miller, and Tom Ockerman.

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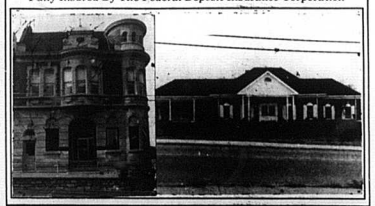

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