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## PREFACE

The information contained in this volume of the Legislative Hand Book and Manual and Official Register has undergone careful revision and the following new material has been added:

The 1930 primary election returns, together with the 1930 voting registration by counties;

A list of the officers and unit organizations of the American Legion, Sons of the American Revolution, United Spanish War Veterans and Disabled American Veterans of the World War;

The 1930 population of the state, each county, municipality, congressional, senatorial and magisterial district in the state and of its principal cities by wards, from reports compiled by the Bureau of the Census;

Descriptive articles and half-tones of the state's educational, charitable and correctional institutions, hospitals and sanitariums.

The editor is under obligations to the heads of the state institutions and departments and assistants, Captain Calvert L. Estill, Secretary to the Governor, County Clerks, Mayors and others for assistance rendered in securing the material contained in this volume.

M. S. HODGES.

*Charleston, October 25, 1930.*

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### WEST VIRGINIA STATE FLAG

Because the state flag adopted in 1925 was impractical of manufacture and the cost of same was prohibitive, the legislature of 1929, Senate Joint Resolution No. 18, adopted a new state flag of the following design and proportions, as set out in said resolution :

The proportions of the flag of the state of West Virginia shall be the same as those of the United States ensign; the field shall be pure white, upon the center of which shall be emblazoned in proper colors, the coat-of-arms of the state of West Virginia, upon which shall appear the date of the admission of the state into the Union, and the motto "Montani Sempet Liberi" (Mountaineers Always Freemen). Above the coat-of-arms of the state of West Virginia there shall be a ribbon lettered, "State of West Virginia," and arranged appropriately around the lower part of the coat-of-arms of the state of West Virginia a wreath of rhododendron maximum in proper colors. The field of pure white shall be bordered by a strip of blue on four sides. The flag of the state of West Virginia when used for parade purposes shall be trimmed with gold colored fringe on three sides and when used on ceremonial occasions with the United States ensign, shall be trimmed and mounted in similar fashion to the United States flag as regards fringe, cord, tassels and mounting.

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REGISTER OF OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES  
OF THE  
STATE GOVERNMENT

As of November 1, 1930.

With places of residence of those living in the City of Charleston and  
post office addresses of those residing elsewhere.

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ELECTIVE OFFICERS

Governor

WILLIAM G. CONLEY, Kanawha County.....Executive Mansion, Kanawha Street

Secretary of State

GEORGE W. SHARP, Pocahontas County.....1513 Jackson Street

Superintendent of Free Schools

WILLIAM CASSIUS COOK, McDowell County.....1118 Virginia Street

Auditor

EDGAR C. LAWSON, Kanawha County.....2504 Kanawha Street

Treasurer

W. S. JOHNSON, Fayette County.....1521 Lee Street

Attorney General

H. B. LEE, Mercer County.....1412 Jackson Street

Commissioner of Agriculture

JOHN W. SMITH, Lewis County.....1424 Washington Street

Judges of the Supreme Court

FRANK LIVELY, President, Kanawha County.....1420 Lee Street

M. O. LITZ, McDowell County.....1536 Quarrier Street

HOMER B. WOODS, Ritchie County.....Charleston

JOHN H. HATCHER, Raleigh County.....714 Orange Street

HAYMOND MAXWELL, Harrison County.....1511 Lee Street

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APPOINTIVE OFFICERS

State Tax Commissioner

THOMAS C. TOWNSEND, Kanawha County.....1539 Quarrier Street

State Prohibition Commissioner

W. G. BROWN, Nicholas County.....Charleston

**State Board of Control**

H. N. BRADLEY, President, Jefferson County.....Ruffner Hotel  
 JAMES S. LAKIN, Member, Preston County.....1575 Virginia Street  
 F. W. McCULLOUGH, Treasurer, Cabell County.....1570 Quarrier Street

**Public Service Commission**

I. WADE COFFMAN, Chairman, Harrison County.....1415 Virginia Street  
 C. E. NETHKEN, Commissioner, Mineral County.....1210 Virginia Street  
 ALEX M. MAHOOD, Commissioner, Mercer County.....Richmond Apartments

**Compensation Commissioner**

LEE OTT, Mineral County.....Ray Apartments

**Adjutant General**

CARLTON C. PIERCE, Preston County.....No. 2 Stephenson Court

**Commissioner of Banking**

L. R. CHARTER, Jr., Doddridge County.....Hotel Ruffner

**Chief of the Department of Mines**

R. M. LAMBIE, Fayette County.....319 Michigan Avenue

**Commissioner of Labor**

HOWARD S. JARRETT, Kanawha County.....505 Hall Street

**Health Commissioner**

DR. W. T. HENSHAW, Berkeley County.....17 Curry St., So. Charleston

**State Veterans Service Officer**

CAPT. C. M. JONES, Summers County.....Dunbar

**State Historian and Archivist**

CLIFFORD R. MYERS, Mason County.....708 Main Street

**State Geologist**

JAMES D. SISLER.....Morgantown

**State Road Commission**

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 FLOYD E. CUNNYNGHAM, Mercer, McDowell County.....2508 Kanawha Street  
 C. E. McCOY, Member, Putnam County.....1515 Lee Street

**Department of Public Safety—West Virginia State Police**

HARRY L. BROOKS, Superintendent, Brooke County.....1552 Virginia Street

**State Librarian**

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**Director Bureau Negro Welfare and Statistics**

GURNETT E. FERGUSON, Kanawha County.....Kleewan Bldg.

**Superintendent of Buildings and Grounds**

CHARLES BOYLES.....109 California Avenue

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**Office of the Governor, Capitol Building, Unit No. 1**

Governor—William Gustavus Conley, Preston County; term expires  
 March 4, 1933.....Executive Mansion  
 Private Secretary to the Governor—Vincent Legg, Fayette County  
 .....1565 Virginia Street  
 Secretary to the Governor—Calvert L. Estill, Greenbrier County  
 .....105 Michigan Avenue  
 Pardon Attorney—A. G. Jenkins, Barbour County.....413 Beauregard Street  
 Stenographer—Mrs. Ida Fink Morgan, Kanawha County.....La Salle Apts.

**OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE**

**Capitol Office Building, Unit No. 1**

Secretary of State—George W. Sharp, Pocahontas County; term expires  
 March 4, 1933.....1513 Jackson Street  
 Chief Clerk—Frances P. Key, Kanawha County.....1111 Lee Street  
 Corporation Clerk—Martha May Harmison, Morgan County.....S California Apts.  
 Recording Clerk—J. C. Gilmer, Kanawha County.....512 Morris Street  
 Certificate Clerk—Wanda Patton, Wood County.....406 Duffy Street  
 Clerk Board of Public Works—Thomas J. Honaker, Raleigh County  
 .....1724 McClung Street  
 Stenographer—Flora B. Bowen, Fayette County.....904 Columbia Boulevard  
 Clerk—Leone Groves, Nicholas County.....2510 Kanawha Street  
 Mail Clerk—S. E. Childress, Kanawha County.....S12 Main Street  
 Messenger—Thomas Jennings, Kanawha County.....309 Elizabeth Street

**DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**

**Capitol Office Building, Unit No. 1**

State Superintendent—William C. Cook, McDowell County; term  
 expires March 4, 1933.....1118 Virginia Street  
 Asst. Superintendent—T. P. Hill, Tyler County.....1600 Piedmont Road  
 Chief Clerk—Jno. W. Cooke, Kanawha County.....1009 Second Avenue  
 State Aid Clerk—Mary Anne Williamson, McDowell County.....1423 Lee Street  
 Supply Clerk—John L. Javins, Kanawha County.....922 Central Avenue

**Research Division**

Director—L. V. Cavins, Monongalia County.....1539 Lee Street  
 Statistical Clerk—E. L. Bowman, Kanawha County.....309 Joseph Street

**Division of High Schools**

Supervisor—Dan H. Perdue, McDowell County.....Charleston

**Division of Rural Schools**

Supervisor—L. T. Tustin, Mercer County.....907 Thompson Street  
 Asst. Supervisor—E. A. Hunt, Barbour County.....Park Hotel  
 Asst. Supervisor—Myra M. Nefflen, Mineral County.....1710 Virginia Street

**Division of Physical Education**

Director—Arthur V. G. Upton, Harrison County.....Charleston

**Division of Teacher Training**

Asst. Supervisor—Lillian Carver, Kanawha County.....2314 Kanawha Street

**Division of Negro Schools**

Supervisor—Wm. W. Sanders, Kanawha County.....1034 Bridge Avenue

**Clerks and Stenographers**

Mrs. J. H. Charnock, Kanawha County.....1311 Quarrier Street  
 Dorothy C. Byers, Kanawha County.....1007 Second Avenue  
 Lena Kinzel, Kanawha County.....25 California Apartments  
 Frances Lee Coleman, Kanawha County.....2410 Washington Street  
 Lucy S. Hamilton, Kanawha County.....406 Duffy Street  
 Lizzie Spencer, Kanawha County.....209 Fayette Street  
 Lucinda Y. Sanders, Kanawha County.....1034 Bridge Avenue

**State Board of Education**

William C. Cook, State Superintendent, member *ex-officio*, *President*  
 .....1118 Virginia Street  
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 O. J. Fleming, Member, Taylor County.....Grafton  
 J. B. McLaughlin, Member, Kanawha County.....Charleston  
 J. O. Henson, Member, Berkeley County.....Martinsburg  
 Mrs. Lenna Lowe Yost, Member, Cabell County.....Huntington  
 Bernard McLaugherty, Member, Mercer County.....Bluefield  
 R. Moore Dodrill, Secretary, McDowell County.....204 Oney Street

**Divisions under the control of the State Board of Education**

**Division of Rehabilitation**

Field Agent—O. A. Watson, Upshur County.....Buckhannon  
 Field Agent—John C. Shaw, Ohio County.....Wheeling

**Division of Vocational Education**

State Supervisor Vocational Agriculture and Asst. Director in Charge  
 of Vocational Education—J. V. Ankency, Kanawha.....1107 Bridge Street  
 Supervisor of Home Economics—Lena M. Charter, Jackson....1210 Virginia Street  
 Stenographer—Caroline Buchanan, Kanawha County.....4 Ruffner Road

**Trades Education**

Supervisor—Edward S. Maclin, Monongalia County.....Morgantown

**Advisory Council to State Board of Education**

Wm. W. Sanders, Supervisor Negro Schools, Member, Kanawha.....Charleston  
 J. Rupert Jefferson, Member, Wood County.....Parkersburg  
 Mrs. Irene E. Moats, Member, Harrison County.....Clarksburg

**OFFICE OF AUDITOR**

**Capitol Office Building, Unit No. 1**

Auditor—Edgar C. Lawson, Randolph County, term expires March 4, 1933  
 .....2504 Kanawha Street  
 Chief Clerk—L. O. Curtis, Roane County.....2210 Washington Street  
 Secretary—Velma V. Capps, Fayette County.....112 Morris Street  
 Signature Clerk—J. R. Whetsell, Preston County.....1556½ Virginia Street  
 Messenger—Zack Hopkins, McDowell County....1317 Washington Street



**Accounting Department**

Chief Bookkeeper—Ada Diehl, Ohio County.....1551 Virginia Street  
 Assistant Bookkeeper—Helen Flesher, Wyoming County.....1560 Dixie Street  
 Assistant Bookkeeper—Esther Eynitz, Kanawha County.....1904 McClung Street  
 Cashier—C. A. Bays, Fayette County.....1594 Piedmont Road

**Claims Department**

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 Clerk—Hattie Skidmore, Jackson County.....7 Park Drive  
 Clerk—Pauline V. Gress, Kanawha County.....2 Arlington Court  
 Clerk—F. R. Clark, Cabell County.....8 Delaware Avenue  
 Clerk—F. W. Smith, Lincoln County.....109 Monongalla Street

**Criminal Claims Department**

Clerk—Noel E. Smith, Greenbrier County.....1810 Darst Street

**Corporation Department**

Corporation Clerk—C. H. Musgrave, Wood County.....618 Columbia Boulevard  
 Stenographer—Lottie Dorsey, Nicholas County.....4 Hubbard Court

**Taxation Department**

Chief—Frank W. Pritt, Tucker County.....1508 Piedmont Road  
 Clerk—Paul H. Goshorn, Mineral County.....2511½ Washington Street  
 Stenographer, Lucile Kuhn, Kanawha County.....Kanawha City

**Land Department**

Chief—G. B. Nicholson, Kanawha County.....423 Beaugard Street  
 Stenographer—Sue Daniels, Fayette County.....1606½ Franklin Avenue  
 Clerk—R. W. Tompkins, Marion County.....707 Virginia Street  
 Clerk—Myrtle Petty, Roane County.....1636½ Franklin Avenue  
 Clerk—I. B. Foster, Boone County.....109 Monongalla Street  
 Clerk—Paul H. Bond, Kanawha County.....317 Michigan Avenue  
 Clerk—C. J. Spaulding, Mingo County.....1713 Quarrier Street  
 Clerk—J. C. Smith, Upshur County.....429 Carolina Street  
 Typist—Opal Bender, Braxton County.....1724 McClung Street  
 Clerk—F. M. Blake, Lewis County.....1 Maple Terrace  
 Deposit Clerk—Bettie Hanna, Kanawha County.....612 Randolph Street  
 Typist—Albert Patterson, Kanawha County.....1604 McClung Street  
 Typist—Jessie Williams, Kanawha County.....1718 Darst Street

**Securities Department**

Deputy—W. F. Boggess, Jackson County.....518 Main Street  
 Stenographer—Velma V. Capps, Fayette County.....112 Morris Street  
 Field Representative—J. G. Hunter, Logan County.....Logan

**Insurance Department**

Deputy—Wm. E. White, Wood County.....825 Myrtle Avenue  
 License Clerk—Orum E. Price, Kanawha County.....405 Russell Street  
 Stenographer—Nora Costello, Harrison County.....1541 Washington Street  
 Field Representative and Actuary—O. H. Spencer, Kanawha County..620 Md. Ave.  
 Clerk—Eva Martin, Summers County.....6 Silverstein Apts.

**Fire Marshal Department**

Fire Marshal—Carl O. Stahlman, Mercer County.....1806 McClung Street  
 Assistant Fire Marshal—P. C. Horan, Nicholas County...1539 Washington Street  
 Assistant Fire Marshal—E. K. Hovermale, Morgan County.....Berkeley Springs  
 Assistant Fire Marshal—W. H. Kelm, Randolph County.....Wilkins

Assistant Fire Marshal—E. J. Ritz, Ohio County.....Wheeling  
 Assistant Fire Marshal—Hl Maynard, Mingo County.....Williamson  
 Assistant Fire Marshal—Jean Dunlap, Wetzel County.....1607 Quarrier Street  
 Assistant Fire Marshal—G. R. Martin, Summers County.....Hinton  
 Assistant Fire Marshal—C. A. Raper, Ohio County.....Apt. B, 200 Broad Street  
 Assistant Fire Marshal—Golden Adkins, Cabell County.....Huntington  
 Stenographer—Mae Grass, Kanawha County.....156 Court Street  
 Publicity—B. Jett Smith, Monongalia County.....Morgantown

OFFICE OF TREASURER

Capitol Office Building, Unit No. 2

Treasurer—W. S. Johnson, Fayette County, term expires March 4,  
 1933.....1521 Lee Street  
 Assistant Treasurer—Hal F. Morris, Upshur County.....506 Broad Street  
 Chief Accountant—H. W. Claypool, Fayette County.....217 Monongalia Street  
 Bookkeeper—James A. Beheler, Kanawha County.....1326 Seventh Avenue  
 Assistant Bookkeeper—G. D. Rice, Morgan County.....310 Michigan Avenue  
 Deposit Clerk—Bernard T. Beasley, McDowell County.....5 Stephenson Apts.  
 Stenographer and File Clerk—Laura Chambers, Marshall County....1430 Lee Street  
 Check Clerk—Ruth Young, Kanawha County.....1604 Washington Street  
 Assistant Check & Receipt Clerk—Ethel Bullman, Wood County..19 Arlington Court  
 Messenger—J. P. Monroe, Fayette County.....1625 Third Avenue

Joint Custodians of State Securities

F. W. Edele, Ohio County.....S28 Edgewood Drive  
 J. Fred Woods, Wood County.....1010½ Quarrier Street

OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL

Capitol Grounds, 110 Duffy Street

Attorney General—H. B. Lee, Mercer County: term expires March 4,  
 1933.....1621 Quarrier Street  
 Assistants—R. Dennis Steed, Lincoln County.....1113 Oakmont Avenue  
 R. A. Blessing, Mason County.....910 Charleston Street  
 W. Elliott Nefflen, Mineral County..Parsons Apt. Lewis & Thompson Streets  
 Chief Clerk—Mrs. Beth McLean, Kanawha County.....1712 Virginia Street  
 Printing Clerk—John R. Foster, Kanawha County.....1800 Darst Street  
 Reading Clerk—Mrs. Elsie Spurlock, Kanawha County.....504 Washington Street  
 Stenographer—Monica Sovine, Putnam County.....1517 Jackson Street  
 Stenographer—Mrs. Mary Pruitt, Cabell County.....1587 Lee Street

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE

Capitol Office Building, Unit No. 2

Commissioner—John W. Smith, Lewis County: term expires March 4,  
 1933.....1424 Washington Street  
 Assistant—\*Charles H. Hartley, Jackson County.....Charleston  
 Editor—Ross B. Johnson, Taylor County.....Charleston  
 Horticulturist—Arthur A. Gold, Mason County.....Charleston  
 Entomologist—†W. E. Rumsey.....Morgantown

xviii OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES STATE GOVERNMENT

Plant Pathologist—	E. C. Sherwood.....	Morgantown
Seed Analyst—†	H. K. Rowley, Jackson County.....	Morgantown
Chemist—†	T. B. Leith.....	Morgantown
Asst. Plant Pathologist and Entomologist—	F. Waldo Craig, Preston County.....	Charleston
Asst. Entomologist—	A. D. Strader.....	Parsons
Inspector—	C. I. Powell, Kanawha County.....	Charleston
Marketing—	Hubert B. Davis, Lewis County.....	Charleston
	Martyn Rogers, Greenbrier County.....	Charleston
Federal Veterinarian in charge of Cooperative Bovine Tuberculosis Eradication and State Veterinarian in charge of Control of Contagious and Infectious Diseases—	Dr. H. M. Newton.....	Charleston
Veterinarians Assisting in Tuberculosis Eradication—		
	Dr. C. E. John.....	Weston
	Dr. Frank N. Rowan.....	Charleston
	Dr. F. E. Johnson.....	Charleston
	Dr. A. A. Johnson.....	Martinsburg
	Dr. S. R. White.....	St. Marys
	Dr. H. B. Woofter.....	Coxs Mills
	Dr. O. R. Taylor.....	Toll Gate
	Dr. A. C. Thrash.....	Lost Creek
	Dr. Clarence E. Barb.....	Clarksburg
	Dr. G. W. Hambrick.....	Princeton
Agricultural Statistician—	T. F. McDonough.....	Charleston
Stenographers and Clerks—		
	Bertie Gary, Putnam County.....	Charleston
	Alice Horan, Nicholas County.....	Charleston
	Mildred Summers Hoard, Monongalia County.....	Morgantown
	Mary Johnson, Kanawha County.....	Charleston
	Thelma Zinn Craig, Lewis County.....	Charleston
Mailing Clerks—		
	Roy R. Epner, Kanawha County.....	Charleston
	J. L. Dawson, Preston County.....	Charleston
Messenger—	Edward Spurlock, Kanawha County.....	Charleston

- \*—Also Assistant Director Agriculture Extension Division, Morgantown.
- !—In cooperation with the West Virginia Agricultural Extension Division.
- †—In cooperation with the West Virginia Agricultural Experiment Station.
- ||—In cooperation with the United States Department of Agriculture.

## THE SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS

Capitol Office Building, Unit No. 2

### Judges

Frank Lively, President, Charleston, Kanawha County; term expires December 31, 1932.....	1420 Lee Street
M. O. Litz, Welch, McDowell County; term expires December 31, 1936.....	1586 Quarrier Street
Homer B. Woods, Harrisville, Ritchie County; term expires December 31, 1936.....	Charleston
Joha H. Hatcher, Beckley, Raleigh County; term expires December 31, 1940.....	714 Orange Street
Haymond Maxwell, Clarksburg, Harrison County; term expires Decem- ber 31, 1940.....	1511 Lee Street*

**Clerks and Assistants**

Wm. B. Mathews, Clerk, Kanawha County.....1501 Quarrier Street  
 J. V. Brennan, Deputy Clerk, Kanawha County.....880 Chester Road  
 S. C. Butler, Assistant Clerk, Kanawha County.....843 Anaconda Avenue

**Court Crier**  
 (Vacancy)

**Law Clerks**

To Judge Lively—M. E. Bolarsky, Kanawha County.....6 Richmond Apartments  
 To Judge Litz—I. Mann Litz, Mercer County.....1424 Quarrier Street  
 To Judge Hatcher—John H. Hatcher, Jr., Raleigh County.....714 Orange Street  
 To Judge Woods—Ralph D. Woods, Ritchie County.....Fort Hill, Charleston  
 To Judge Maxwell—L. Steele Trotter, Monongalia County.....1636 Kanawha Street

**Stenographers**

Virginia Tallmadge, Kanawha County.....302 West Avenue  
 Leroy G. Young, Putnam County.....529½ Charleston Street

**State Law Library**

J. A. Jackson, State Law Librarian, Kanawha County.....302 Ellizabeth Street  
 Elbert C. Campbell, Assistant Librarian, Kanawha County..411½ Bradford Street

**State Board of Law Examiners**

R. S. Spilman, President, Kanawha County.....South Hills, Charleston  
 J. O. Henson, Berkeley County.....Martinsburg  
 James W. Vandervort, Wood County.....Parkersburg  
 D. J. F. Strother, McDowell County.....Welch  
 Jos. R. Curl, Ohio County.....Wheeling  
 Wm. B. Mathews, Secretary, Kanawha County.....Charleston

**STATE BOARD OF CONTROL**

**Capitol Office Building, First Floor, Unit No. 1**

President—Henry N. Bradley, Jefferson County; term expires June 30.  
 1935.....Ruffner Hotel  
 Treasurer—F. W. McCullough, Cabell County; term expires June 30.  
 1932.....1570 Quarrier Street  
 Member—James S. Lakin, Preston County; term expires June 30.  
 1933.....1575 Virginia Street  
 Secretary—Herman G. Johnson, Randolph County.....2515 Kanawha Avenue  
 Purchasing Agent—John A. Wade, Monongalia County.....Orange Street  
 Assistant Purchasing Agent—Mrs. Mamie L. McRa, Hampshire County  
 .....1615-C Franklin Avenue  
 Chief Clerk, Printing Department—E. E. Hood, Mineral County  
 .....1718 Darst Street  
 Mechanical Engineer—P. J. Goodwin, Kanawha County....2312 Kanawha Street  
 Director of Building Construction—A. Soupard, Monongalia County  
 .....Morgantown  
 Construction Clerk—Minnie E. Rinard, Preston County.....104 Park Avenue  
 Chief Auditing Clerk—C. M. Haddox, Kanawha County.....1708 Franklin Avenue  
 Clerk, Auditing Department—Daisy Arnold, Marshall County..629 Greenbrier Street  
 Clerk, Auditing Department—Ethel Arnold, Marshall County..629 Greenbrier Street  
 Clerk, Auditing Department—Elizabeth Reed, Monongalia County  
 .....4 Washington Terrace  
 Clerk, Auditing Department—Mrs. Scott Camp.....606 Grant Street

Commodity Clerk—Clyde Davis, Kanawha County.....	1000 Sixth Street
Clerk—Glenn Jeffers, Kanawha County.....	1522 Lee Street
Bookkeeper—W. H. Hover, Kanawha County.....	821 Main Street
Land Contract Clerk—Edith K. Phillips, Kanawha County.....	.....
.....	1419 Washington Street
Estimate Clerk—Eula C. Hockman, Hardy County!.....	1408 Virginia Street
Secretary to the President—Ella Chambers, Kanawha County.....	1430 Lee Street
Stenographer—Ruth Carver, Kanawha County.....	2314 Kanawha Street
Stenographer—Glenna Mullins, Kanawha County.....	1208 Lewis Street
Stenographer—Florence Pike, Kanawha County.....	..... St. Albans
Stenographer—Lottie Lopin, Kanawha County.....	1568 Lee Street
Requisition Clerk—Lillian Coleman, Kanawha County.....	233 Fifth Ave., S. Charleston
Requisition Clerk—Mrs. Florence Ryan Hinckley, Kanawha County.....	107 Moris Street
Order Clerk—Virginia Gilardi, Kanawha County.....	1918 Washington Street
File Clerk—Amelia Young, Kanawha County.....	847 Anaconda Avenue
Messenger—Harvey Mickens.....	7 Cart Street
Messenger for Printing Department—Cecll R. H. Scott.....	405 Shrewsbury Street

## OFFICE OF STATE TAX COMMISSIONER

Capitol Office Building, Third Floor, Unit No. 1

### Commissioner's Office

Tax Commissioner—T. C. Townsend, Kanawha County; term expires May 14, 1935.....	1539 Quarrier Street
Chief Assistant—Dorothy I. Pushkin, Kanawha County.....	111 Clendenin Street
Private Secretary—Robert G. Murphy, Kanawha County.....	701 Sixth Street
Mail Clerk and Messenger—William Blizzard, Kanawha County.....	St. Albans

### Legal Department

Law Assistant—John T. Simms, Fayette County.....	1411 Quarrier Street
Stenographer—Lillian R. Shore, Kanawha County.....	224 Goshorn Street

### Inheritance Tax Bureau

Chief Clerk—T. L. Burdette, Fayette County.....	5 Forrest Drive
Stenographer—Mrs. Margaret Hudlin, Mason County.....	1910 Piedmont Road

### Assessment and Levy Department

Chief Clerk—Walter S. Buxton, Mason County.....	7 Maple Terrace
N. E. Cummings—Cabell County.....	Y. M. C. A., Charleston
F. R. Hickman—Tyler County.....	4 Hubbard Court
Stanley E. Nease—Kanawha County.....	South Charleston
Roy E. Wiseman—Mineral County.....	Keyser
W. B. Barnett—Mason County.....	Point Pleasant
Stenographer—Effie Harris, Kanawha County.....	1126½ Lee Street
Stenographer—Mrs. Mary E. Case, Kanawha County.....	505 Greenbrier Street

### Field Agents, License Bureau

Virgil F. Frizzell, Kanawha County.....	1556 Jackson Street
C. F. Rathbone, Wood County.....	Parkersburg
Shelby J. Christian, Cabell County.....	Huntington
John D. White, Wyoming County.....	Herndon
Robert C. Lilly, Mercer County.....	Bluefield

### Business, Gross Sales and Gasoline Tax Department

Chief Clerk—W. B. Calder, Fayette County.....	Loudon Heights
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L. D. Bailey, Raleigh County.....	1205	Frame Street
W. H. Brand, Marion County.....		Fairmont
H. C. Crago, Ohio County.....		Wheeling
Frank C. Malone, Cabell County.....		Huntington
Ira D. Maynor, Kanawha County.....		South Charleston
V. H. Knopp, Kanawha County.....	1532	Quarrier Street
L. J. Heslop, Mason County.....	1205	Lee Street
Fred Graham, Randolph County.....		1573 Lee Street
W. R. Pool, Kanawha County.....	1712-A	Quarrier Street
W. P. H. Leavitt, Kanawha County.....		Dunbar
C. A. Hawley, Raleigh County.....	509	Ruffner Avenue
Stenographer—Mrs. Marguerite Clark, Kanawha County.....	314	Jefferson Avenue
Stenographer—Mary L. Tracy, Tyler County.....	409	Broad Street
Stenographer—Carrie Dell White, Mercer County.....	1595	Lee Street
Filing Clerk—Lillith L. Garner, Kanawha County.....		Owens
Clerk—Mary L. Gleason, Kanawha County.....	1329	Lee Street
Clerk—Willam Mottesheard, Kanawha County.....	1535	Quarrier Street

**Accounting Department**

Chief Accountant—E. A. Dover, Kanawha County.....		Virginia Apartments
Stenographer and Clerk—Hazel Martin, Kanawha County.....	1705	Piedmont Road
Examiners:		
C. A. Wood, Kanawha County.....	2406	Washington Street
W. E. Whiteman, Ohio County.....	1505	Highland Drive
H. C. Paxton, Jackson County.....	910	Price Street
W. B. Surber, Monroe County.....	1806	Piedmont Road
Russell R. Bell, Gilmer County.....	1526	Virginia Street
W. E. McKnight, Wetzel County.....	308	Ruffner Avenue
E. E. Ballard, Monroe County.....		Peterstown
I. E. Brammer, Pleasants County.....		St. Marys
M. B. Cobun, Marion County.....		Fairmont
Hunter Graham, Summers County.....		Hinton
Aaron H. Gumm, Braxton County.....		Frametown
Everett Hughes, Jackson County.....		Ravenswood
Charles E. Jolliffe, Monongalia County.....		Morgantown
Mark C. Kyle, Clay County.....	1037	Valley Road
N. D. Marsh, Ritchie County.....		Cairo
J. H. Otto, Ohio County.....		Wheeling
Elmer Price, Marion County.....		Fairmont
John L. Ramsey, Kanawha County.....		Elk View
C. T. Robison, Cabell County.....		Huntington
E. O. Harrab, Kanawha County.....	1522	Virginia Street

**STATE PROHIBITION DEPARTMENT**

**Office, Capitol Grounds, 1802 Quarrier Street**

State Commissioner of Prohibition—W. G. Brown, Nicholas County;		
term expires September 30, 1933.....		Charleston
Secretary to Commissioner—Luttrell Robson, Kanawha County....	6	Straughan Ct.
Permit Clerk—D. E. Young, Kanawha County.....		Owens
Stenographer—Letha Lively, Fayette County.....		Charleston
Record Clerk—Clela Bonham, Kanawha County.....		R. F. D. 3, Charleston

**Deputy Commissioners**

Alonzo Price, Ohio County.....		Wheeling
W. H. Chrisley, Raleigh County.....		Elkins

Ell Watkins, Mercer County.....	Bluefield
A. B. Dyche, Morgan County.....	Berkeley Springs
Garfield Maynard, Wayne County.....	Huntington
O. E. Summers, Wood County.....	Parkersburg
E. L. Hawkins, Marlton County.....	Fairmont
C. A. Duckworth, Harrison County.....	Clarksburg
D. J. Harless, Raleigh County.....	Williamson

OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Capitol Office Building, Unit No. 2

Chairman—I. Wade Coffman, Harrison County; term expires May 31, 1933.....	1415 Virginia Street
Commissioner—C. E. Nethken, Mineral County; term expires May 31, 1931.....	1210 Virginia Street
Commissioner—Alexander M. Mahood, Mercer County; Term expires May 31, 1935.....	Richmond Apartments
Secretary—R. B. Bernheim, McDowell County.....	1429 Quarrier Street
Clerk—Joseph G. Conley, Marion County.....	1613½ Virginia Street
Attorney—F. M. Livezey, Cabell County.....	Huntington
Statistician—E. V. Williamson, Taylor County.....	2440 Kanawha Street
Assistant Statistician—H. V. Wyckoff, Ohio County.....	1714 McClung Street
Railroad Inspector—E. E. Winters, Cabell County.....	Huntington
Railroad Rate Clerk—Harry M. Baker, Wood County.....	30 Columbia Boulevard
Chief Engineer—James Inboden, Kanawha County.....	Edgewood Drive
Assistant Engineer—W. Baker Hall, Jefferson County.....	1424 Kanawha Street
Reporter—L. W. Stanard, Kanawha County.....	20 Columbia Boulevard
Reporter—Boyd E. Cain, Kanawha County.....	18 California Apartments
Janitor—Floyd Riley, Ohio County.....	307 Elizabeth Street

Stenographers

Helen Coffman, Harrison County.....	1415 Virginia Street
Barbara E. Haid, Kanawha County.....	5 Capitol View Apt.
H. Reid Holt, Nicholas County.....	California Apartments
Thomas Archibald, Kanawha County.....	14 Dunbar Street
Hannah Massing, Kanawha County.....	412 Ruffner Avenue
Agnes Morris, Kanawha County.....	1610 Franklin Avenue
Ada B. Oates, Mineral County.....	10 Arlington Court
Mrs. Kirkwood Otey, Cabell County.....	1707 Washington Street
Laura E. Richardson, Kanawha County.....	1542 Quarrier Street

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION DEPARTMENT

Capitol Office Building, Unit No. 1

Commissioner—Lee Ott, Tucker County; term expires June 1, 1935.....	Ray Apartments, Quarrier Street
Assistant to Commissioner—John T. Moore, Ohio County.....	South Hills
Secretary—Chas. D. Smith, Tucker County.....	P. O. Box 287, Charleston
Assistant Secretary—W. J. Beckett, Ohio County.....	Ruffner Hotel
Actuary—J. W. Smiley, Fayette County.....	1529 Lee Street
Law Clerk—J. E. Brown, Mercer County.....	Scott Building, Capitol Street
Medical Examiner—Dr. Russel Kessel, Jackson County.....	711 Hall Street
Chief Accounting Department—Lloyd Knapp, Putnam County.....	1307 Watts Street
Statistician—Lewis J. Frey, Morgan County.....	1625 McClung Street

**OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES STATE GOVERNMENT    xxiii**

Chief Disbursing Department—H. G. Morgan, Kanawha County.....202 Elm Street  
 Chief Claim Department—O. R. Graham, Summers County..1920 Washington Street

**Stenographers**

Dora Kantor, Kanawha County.....215 Goshorn Street  
 Joe S. Felix, Greenbrier County.....307 Brooks Street  
 Ethel Poling Smith, Randolph County.....829 Bigley Avenue  
 Mrs. Cora C. Lewis, Boone County.....309 Joseph Street  
 Freda Gibbs, Mason County.....1624 Kanawha Street  
 Bertha Bolt, Summers County.....1537 Lee Street  
 Belva Logan, Jackson County.....2032 Piedmont Road

**Machine and Punch Operators**

Mary Pacilio, Marlon County.....1564 Dixie Street  
 Victoria Biagi, Cabell County.....215 Bradford Street  
 W. M. Pearson, Tucker County.....508½ Capitol Street  
 Frances Vandine, Kanawha County.....1587 Lee Street  
 Alpha Cain, Kanawha County.....1809¼ McClung Street  
 Rose M. Epner, Kanawha County.....1404½ Washington Street

**Typists**

Clara M. Shinn, Harrison County.....1718½ Virginia Street  
 Lucy C. Warner, Putnam County.....920 Grant Street  
 Margaret Mankin, Kanawha County.....10 Pinchurst Drive  
 Mae Honaker, Mercer County.....1625 McClung Street  
 Mildred Heizer, Kanawha County.....620 Main Street  
 Dorothy Wriston, Fayette County.....1724 McClung Street  
 Elizabeth Roberts, Marshall County.....525 Nancy Street  
 Beulah Kueeshaw, Kanawha County.....1710 Washington Street  
 Mattie Cooke, Raleigh County.....1700 Washington Street

**Clerks**

Mrs. Etta Smith, Morgan County.....8 California Apartments  
 C. F. Harden, Kanawha County.....1206 Quarrier Street  
 G. H. Child, Jefferson County.....1637 Franklin Street  
 J. F. Lilly, Raleigh County.....1700 Washington Street  
 Lester Clark, Summers County.....4 Harding Apartments  
 Wm. H. Hutchinson, Roane County.....203 Greenbrier Street  
 F. A. Gillespie, Kanawha County.....310 Roane Street  
 W. Kate Davis, Marlon County.....1412½ Kanawha Street  
 Mary Wolfe, Kanawha County.....2511½ Washington Street  
 D. C. Meadows, Jr., Raleigh County.....1422 Lewis Street  
 Lela Devine, Wetzel County.....406 Duffy Street  
 Hoyt H. Thornton, Lincoln County.....1424 Washington Street  
 Mary E. Eastwood, Kanawha County.....1211 Lewis Street  
 Gladie Pauley, Lincoln County.....237 4th Avenue, So. Charleston  
 Audra McGhee, Putnam County.....225 Berkeley Street  
 Webster D. M. Smith, Kanawha County.....1529 Quarrier Street  
 Wilma Chandler, Kanawha County.....811 Main Street  
 L. M. Gates, Raleigh County.....1700 Washington Street  
 Jno. W. Crist, Kanawha County.....1411 Third Avenue  
 Grace Moran, Kanawha County.....207 Oney Street  
 Leland Throckmorton, Kanawha County.....1324 Lee Street  
 H. D. Mathews, Kanawha County.....1204 Washington Street  
 Alpha Raynes, Putnam County.....1536 Lee Street  
 W. H. Hinzman, Jackson County.....4 Marceline Street  
 D. E. Rollyson, Braxton County.....2307 Washington Street  
 N. C. Allen, Kanawha County.....916 Grant Street



Morris Stover, Raleigh County.....505 Pennsylvania Avenue  
 R. A. Hinckley, Summers County.....107 Morris Street  
 Mrs. Sue H. Crow, Mason County.....223 Monongalia Street  
 Thos. Cairns, Kanawha County.....503 Grant Street  
 Glenn Sutphin, Raleigh County.....1107 Quarrier Street  
 H. H. Morrison, Kanawha County.....1201 Virginia Street  
 John H. Hall, Kanawha County.....Dunbar  
 Leah Buff, Kanawha County.....1527 Jackson Street

**Claim Auditor**

Ralph L. Ostrander, Kanawha County.....Box 3, Sta. B.  
 J. E. Jividen, Kanawha County.....1009 Third Avenue

**Claim Recorder**

W. K. Hicks, Putnam County.....507 Ruffner Avenue

**General Bookkeeper**

W. R. Godfrey, Mercer County.....Box 1034, Charleston

**Payroll Auditor**

G. S. Seal, Mercer County.....1658 McClung Street  
 R. Marsh Dean, Mineral County.....Elk Garden

**Cashier**

Jas. C. Darrah, Lincoln County.....1424 Lee Street

**Assistant Chief, Claim Department**

W. R. Mendenhall, Morgan County.....1111 Park Avenue

**Inspectors**

Z. T. McBee, Monongalia County.....844 Indiana Avenue  
 W. G. Meadows, Harrison County.....276 Magnolia Avenue, Clarksburg  
 W. L. West, Marion County.....809 Broadway Street, Fairmont  
 J. H. Reynolds, Mercer County.....Box 292, Princeton  
 J. S. Edmundson, Raleigh County.....16 Croft Street, Beckley  
 M. T. Miller, Boone County.....Madison  
 Paul L. Neutzling, Ohio County.....10 Mt. Wood Road, Wheeling

**Messenger**

Ezra Hubbard, Kanawha County.....1005 Neal Avenue, S. S.

**Janitor and Janitress**

Clarence Nowling, McDowell County.....Riverside  
 Emma Livesay, Kanawha County.....Ruffner Hollow

**OFFICE OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL**

**City Library Building**

Adjutant General—Carleton C. Pierce; Preston County; term expires  
 March 4, 1933.....2 Stephenson Court  
 Bookkeeper—Miss Bess F. Hall.....Blue Creek  
 Stenographer—Miss Florence Cecelia Griffin.....301 Montrose Drive  
 Clerk War Records—Miss Helen Maier.....207½ Duffy Street  
 Storekeeper—Sergeant H. B. Slack.....12th and McCorkle Avenue  
 Janitor and Messenger—Harvey B. Hysell.....409½ Capitol Street

In addition to the above, Major Harrison McAlpine and Sergeant Roy D. Osborne of the Regular Army are attached to this department for duty.

### DEPARTMENT OF BANKING

#### Capitol Office Building, Unit No. 1

- Commissloner—L. R. Cbarter, Jr., Doddridge County; term expires March 31, 1931.....Hotel Ruffner  
 Deputy Commissioner—Helen S. Barringer, Kanawha County...505 Brooks Street  
 Secretary—Alta Wagner, Taylor County.....P. O. Box 1206 Charleston  
 Stenographer—Bessie Smith, Kanawha County.....1413 Washington Street  
 Examiners:  
     W. R. Seal, Cabell County.....Huntington  
     O. S. Summers, Kanawha County.....Clendenin  
     M. Workman, Mineral County.....Keyser  
     Claude F. Smith, Doddridge County.....West Union  
     John J. Nash, Cabell County.....Huntington  
     K. S. Coleman, Kanawha County.....109 Glenwood Avenue  
     F. O. Lamb, Mercer County.....Bluefield  
 Receivership Division:  
     C. E. Lawhead, Mason County.....Pt. Pleasant  
     L. D. Griffin, Harrison County.....Clarksburg  
     E. L. Morrison, Kanawha County.....604 Ruffner Avenue

### HEALTH DEPARTMENT

#### Capitol Office Building, Unit No. 1

**Public Health Council:**

- B. O. Robinson, M. D., President, Wood County; term expires June 30, 1933.....Parkersburg  
 W. T. Henshaw, M. D., ex-officio Secretary; term expires May 31, 1931.  
 R. H. Walker, M. D., Kanawha County; ter mexpires May 31, 1934..Charleston  
 H. A. Barbee, M. D., Mason County; term expires June 30, 1933...Pt. Pleasant  
 W. S. Fulton, M. D., Ohio County; term expires June 30, 1934.....Wheeling  
 A. H. Hoge, M. D., Mercer County, term expires May 31, 1934.....Bluefield  
 W. E. Neal, M. D., Cabell County; term expires June 30, 1933...Huntington  
 Health Commissioner—W. T. Henshaw, M. D., Berkeley County;  
     term expires May 1931.....17 Curry Street, So. Charleston  
 Secretary—Dorcas McGraw, Kanawha County.....S54 Chester Road  
 Secretary—Helen Gluenskamp, Kanawha County.....1625 Quarrier Street  
 Division of Sanitary Engineering:  
     E. S. Tisdale, Director.....5 Curry Street, So. Charleston  
     John B. Harrington, Assistant Engineer..24 Washington Street, So. Charleston  
     Harry K. Gidley, Assistant Engineer. Monongalia County...1537 Dixie Street  
     Stenographer—Nina V. Whitehurst, Kanawha County.....1551 Dixie Street  
 Division of Vital Statistics:  
     Carl F. Raver, M. D., Director.....1107 Lee Street  
     Stenographer—Mollie B. Jenkins, Kanawha County.....10 Park Drive  
     Typists—Fay Lewis, Kanawha County.....1131 Neal Avenue  
     Ruth Adkins, Kanawha County.....806 Maple Road, Edgewood  
     Sadye Cohen, Kanawha County.....1619 Washington Street  
     Pearl Goldberg, Kanawha County.....1422 Lewis Street  
     Virginia Hawkins, Kanawha County.....1565 Lee Street  
     Phyllis Mankin, Kanawha County.....10 Pinehurst Drive

Helen Trammell, Kanawha County.....	34 Rhodes Avenue, So. Charleston
Bureau of Veneral Diseases:	
David Littlejohn, M. D., Acting Director, Mercer County..	2404 Washington St.
Ada C. McDermott, Associate Director, Boone County.....	Ruffner Hotel
Stenographer—Eugenia W. Boud, Kanawha County.....	1326 Quarrier Street
Division of Preventable Diseases:	
W. T. Henshaw, M. D., Acting Director, Berkeley	
County.....	17 Curry Street, So. Charleston
Division of Rural Sanitation:	
David Littlejohn, M. D., Director, Mercer County.....	2404 Washington Street
Stenographer—Mary Deane Krebs, Kanawha County.....	Glenwood Heights
Division of Child Hygiene:	
R. H. Paden, M. D., Director, Wood County.....	1505 Virginia Street
Field Advisory Nurses—Edna M. Hardsaw, R. N., Kanawha	
County.....	309-B Duffy Street
Alice M. Britton, Kanawha County.....	924 Garden Street
Stenographers—Daisy G. Michaelson, Kanawha County....	612 Ruffner Avenue
Anette King, Kanawha County.....	1634 Franklin Avenue
Bureau of Public Health Education:	
Dorothea Campbell, Director, Morgan County... Kanawha Two Mile, Charleston	
Stenographer—Katherine Kauffelt, Greenbrier County.....	1536 Lee Street
State Hygienic Laboratory:	
Director—Elizabeth I. Parsons.....	1411 Virginia Street
Laboratory Technicians—	
M. C. Harp.....	1700 Washington Street
J. Roy Monroe.....	1581 Quarrier Street
Margaret K. Riffe, Summers County.....	2114 Kanawha Street
Stenographer—Emily Wegmann, Kanawha County....	1611 Washington Street
Laboratory Helper—Roxie Taylor.....	504 Bradford Street
Chiropractic Licensing Board:	
Composed of members of the Public Health Council and—	
T. I. Morgan, D. C., Cabell County, term expires June 30, 1933, Charleston.	
Hector Lamont, D. C., Ohio County, term expires June 30, 1931, Wheeling.	

## DEPARTMENT OF MINES

### Capitol Office Building, Unit No. 1

Chief of Department—R. M. Lamble, Fayette County; term expires	
December 31, 1933.....	319 Michigan Avenue
Chief Clerk—James L. Heizer, Kanawha County.....	620 Main Street
Clerk—Effie Carter Lacy, Kanawha County.....	So. Charleston
Stenographers—Blanche M. Smith, Raleigh County.....	Charleston
Elizabeth M. Wright, Kanawha County.....	Charleston
Marle Griffith, Monongalia County.....	Charleston
Catherine Porter, Fayette County.....	Charleston

### Inspectors-at-Large

A. B. Spencer.....	Morgantown
C. E. Foster.....	St. Albans
W. D. Lee.....	Welch

### Oil and Gas Division

L. W. Brown.....	Charleston
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### Inspection Districts

First District—Composed of the counties of Grant, Mineral, Randolph (part), Preston (part) and Tucker; Thomas Jarrett, Inspector, Thomas.

Second District—Composed of the counties of Barbour (part), Harrison (part), Marion (part), Preston (part) and Taylor; John E. Hamilton, Inspector, Grafton.

Third District—Composed of the counties of Barbour (part), Braxton, Gilmer, Greenbrier (part), Harrison (part), Lewis, Nicholas (part), Randolph (part), Upshur and Webster; C. D. M. Kramer, Inspector, Weston.

Fourth District—Composed of the counties of Harrison (part) and Marion (part); Evan L. Griffiths, Inspector, Clarksburg.

Fifth District—Composed of the counties of Harrison (part) and Marion (part); W. B. Riggleman, Inspector, Fairmont.

Sixth District—Composed of the counties of Marion (part) and Monongalia (part); J. Ross Johns, Inspector, Kingwood.

Seventh District—Composed of the counties of Monongalia (part) and Preston (part); James F. Crockett, Inspector, Morgantown.

Eighth District—Composed of the counties of Marshall and Ohio; A. E. Lafferty, Inspector, Moundsville.

Ninth District—Composed of the counties of Brooke and Hancock; John T. McMahon, Inspector, Wellsburg.

Tenth District—Composed of the counties of Clay, Kanawha (part), Mason and Putnam; Henry Jenkins, Inspector, Charleston.

Eleventh District—Composed of the counties of Fayette (part), Kanawha (part); Ell J. Mason, Inspector, Charleston.

Twelfth District—Composed of the counties of Boone (part), Kanawha (part) and Raleigh (part); Robert E. Mitchell, Inspector, Cabin Creek.

Thirteenth District—Composed of the counties of Fayette (part) and Kanawha (part); Zach Evans, Inspector, Handley.

Fourteenth District—Composed of the counties of Fayette (part) and Nicholas (part); D. R. Sullivan, Inspector, Oak Hill.

Fifteenth District—Composed of the counties of Raleigh (part), Fayette (part), Greenbrier (part) and Summers; W. H. Thomas, Inspector, Rainelle.

Sixteenth District—Composed of the counties of Fayette (part) and Raleigh (part); Robert Lilly, Inspector, Mount Hope.

Seventeenth District—Composed of the county of Raleigh (part); Frank H. Wilson, Inspector, Beckley.

Eighteenth District—Composed of the counties of Mercer (part), Raleigh (part) and Wyoming (part); Everett Stover, Inspector, Mullins.

Nineteenth District—Composed of the counties of McDowell (part); Mercer (part) and Wyoming (part); Thomas Stockdale, Inspector, Bramwell.

Twentieth District—Composed of the county of McDowell (part); Frank P. Kerr, Inspector, Welch.

Twenty-first District—Composed of the county of McDowell (part); W. H. Prentice, Inspector, War.

Twenty-second District—Composed of the counties of Mingo (part) and Wayne; W. M. Copley, Inspector, Matewan.

Twenty-third District—Composed of the county of Logan (part); W. B. Lepage, Inspector, Earling.

Twenty-fourth District—Composed of the counties of Lincoln (part), Logan (part) and Mingo (part); J. F. White, Inspector, Logan.

Twenty-fifth District—Composed of the counties of Boone (part), Kanawha (part), Lincoln (part) and Logan (part); H. I. Conner, Inspector, Madison.

### Mine Rescue Stations

Rescue Stations are located at Morgantown, Monongalia County; Wheeling, Ohio County; Elkins, Randolph County; Fairmont, Marion County; Charleston, Kanawha County; Kilsythe, Fayette County; Logan, Logan County; Williamson, Mingo County; Welch, McDowell County; Matoaka, Mercer County; Cannelton, Fayette County; Grafton, Taylor County; and Rainelle, Greenbrier County.

**Directors of Safety and Rescue Work**

- C. O. Morris, Charleston, Kanawha County.  
(Charleston and Mt. Hope Districts.)
- L. S. McGee, Meadowbrook, Harrison County.  
(Fairmont and Morgantown Districts.)
- John A. Simms, Wheeling, Ohio County.  
(Elkins and Wheeling Districts.)
- W. R. Perfater, Welch, McDowell County.  
(Welch and Matoaka Districts.)
- H. P. Farley, Logan, Logan County.  
(Logan and Williamson Districts.)

**Inspector of Sand Mines**

C. B. Bishoff, Shepherdstown, Jefferson County, Inspector of sand mines, clay pits, quarries and cement works.

**BUREAU OF LABOR**

**Second Floor, Public Library Building**

- Commissioner—Howard S. Jarrett, Kanawha County; term expires  
February 28, 1933.....505 Hall Street
- Chief Clerk—Gordon R. Blizzard, Fayette County.....219 Spring Street
- Stenographer—Ruth Dunn, Monroe County.....1410 Jackson Street
- Factory Inspectors—Robert C. Logan, Ohio County.....Wheeling
- P. C. Hoblitzell, Wood County.....Parkersburg
- D. O. Kimmell, Harrison County.....58 Coleman Ave., Clarksburg
- A. C. Minear, Tucker County.....Parsons
- Jack Smith, Cabell County.....Huntington
- Boyd E. Chambers, Mercer County.....Princeton
- Mary Dille Emory, Monongalia County.....Morgantown

**Weights and Measures**

- Commissioner—Howard S. Jarrett, *ex-officio*.
- Chief Clerk—Gordon R. Blizzard.
- Stenographer—Ruth Dunn.

**State Inspectors**

- P. T. Sullivan, Marshall County.....Moundsville
- P. R. Elder, Raleigh County.....317 Laidley Street

**Federal-State Employment Bureau**

Howard S. Jarrett, Federal-State Director U. S. Employment Service.

**DEPARTMENT OF ARCHIVES AND HISTORY**

**Capitol Office Building, Unit No. 2**

- State Historian and Archivist—Clifford R. Myers, Mason County; term  
expires October 1, 1933.....708 Main Street
- Librarian—Florence Schum, Kanawha County.....1591 Jackson Street
- Cataloguer—E. Maude Lewis, Cabell County.....202 Greenbrier Street
- Stenographer—Opal C. Nuckols, Kanawha County.....635 Central Avenue
- Janitor—Percy Harris, Kanawha County.....813 Walnut Ave. South Hills

STATE VETERANS SERVICE OFFICER

Second Floor, City Library Building

State Service Officer—C. M. Jones, Summers County.....Dunbar  
 Stenographer—Sophie E. Schwendeman, Preston County.....208 Broad Street

STATE ROAD COMMISSION

Capitol Office Building, Unit No. 2

Chairman—C. P. Fortney, Harrison County; term expires May 31,  
 1933.....208 Bradford Street  
 Commissioner—Floyd E. Cunyngnam, McDowell County; term  
 expires May 31, 1935.....2508 Kanawha Street  
 Commissioner—C. E. McCoy, Putnam County; term expires  
 May 31, 1931.....1515 Lee Street

Secretary's Office

Secretary—Geo. E. White, Lewis County.....1548 Jackson Street  
 Stenographer and Index Clerk—Thelma C. Hill, Kanawha County..1304 Third Ave.  
 Stenographer—Irene Hess, Monongalia County.....Daniel Boone Hotel  
 Messenger and Janitor—Irving Madison, Kanawha County.....1218 Truslow Street

Office of Chief Engineer—1340 Wilson Street, Charleston, W. Va.

Chief Engineer—H. J. Spelman, Cabell County.....306 Park Avenue  
 Engineer of Construction—B. G. Etchison, Kanawha County.....799 Grant Street  
 Engineer of Maintenance—E. G. Middleton, Cabell County.....602 Ruffner Avenue  
 Office Engineer—George H. Hill, Kanawha County.....Holley Avenue, South Hills  
 Assistant Office Engineer—D. D. Teets, Jr., Kanawha County..1658 Franklin Ave.  
 Engineer of Prison Labor—P. J. Walsh, Kanawha County.....South Side  
 Statistician—A. J. Mills, Ohio County.....1328 Lee Street  
 Estimate Clerk—C. R. Sevy, Kanawha County.....2228 Washington Street  
 Engineering Clerk—Davis M. Walker, Fayette County.....619 A Street  
 Blueprint Clerk—Harry U. Crumit, Jr., Harrison County.....1548 Jackson Street  
 File Clerk—Anna Neff, Kanawha County.....1430 Lee Street  
 Engineer of Plans & Surveys—C. R. Duncan, Monongalia County.....Charleston  
 Senior Assistant Engineer—Raymond Colton, Kanawha County.....So. Charleston

District Offices

District Engineer, District No. 1—G. H. Davis.....Charleston  
 District Engineer, District No. 2—A. W. Paine.....Huntington  
 District Engineer, District No. 3—J. M. McKinney.....Parkersburg  
 District Engineer, District No. 4—W. K. Knauff.....Clarksburg  
 District Engineer, District No. 5—J. R. McDermott.....Keyser  
 Consulting Bridge Engineer—R. P. Davis, Monongalia County.....Morgantown  
 Bridge Engineer—L. L. Jemison, Tyler County.....21 Curry Street, So. Charleston  
 Assistant Bridge Engineer—C. L. Lewis, Clay County.....515 Columbia Avenue  
 Bridge Designer—T. H. Meek, Ohio County.....27 Rhodes Ave., So. Charleston  
 Designer and Draftsman—W. F. Tormey, Kanawha County.....1422 Lewis Street  
 Designer and Draftsman—R. S. Hyde, Kanawha County.....704 Bowen Street  
 Draftsman—J. E. Murphy, Kanawha County.....Parsons Apartments  
 Draftsman—D. I. Thomas, Kanawha County.....Riverside Drive, So. Charleston  
 Project Clerk—Gertrude Dotson, Clay County.....Bownemont

Accounting Department

Chief Clerk—B. F. Jackson, Roane County.....1812 Bigley Avenue  
 Clerk—Grace Gist Kyle, Mason County.....1531 Dixie Street  
 Bond Clerk—C. F. Roberts, Marshall County.....1705 Virginia Street

Bond Clerk—Pluma Jenkins, Marshall County.....1634 Franklin Avenue  
 Maintenance Clerk—Anna Margaret Cartledge, Kanawha County....1593 Lee Street  
 Equipment Clerk—D. G. Lilly, Kanawha County.....2226 Washington Street  
 Auditor—W. T. Maynor, Kanawha County.....South Charleston  
 Invoice Clerk—Josephine Hudkins Roy, Kanawha County.....1535½ Dixie Street  
 Invoice Clerk—R. B. Morris, Upshur County.....506 Broad Street  
 Stenographer—Roxalena Garcelon Jones, Kanawha County.....1712 O'Dell Avenue

#### Purchasing Division

Albert S. Winter, Purchasing Agent, Preston County.....307 Park Avenue  
 A. A. Conley, Assistant Purchasing Agent, Preston County.....1430 Lee Street  
 Fred A. McNinch, Assistant Purchasing Agent for Prison Labor, Marshall  
 County.....1430 Lee Street  
 Geo. H. Wolfes, Quotation Clerk, Berkeley County.....1900 McClung Street  
 Jessie A. Campbell, Stenographer, Barbour County.....315 Jefferson Street  
 Grey B. Culverson, Clerk, Raleigh County.....516 Kanawha Street

#### Automobile Bureau

Registrar of Motor Vehicles—S. P. Smith, Kanawha County....1701 Virginia Street  
 Secretary—Emma Rose Smith, Nicholas County.....1539 Washington Street  
 Checking Supervisor—Alfred A. Lilly, Mercer County.....1335 Frame Street  
 Checking Clerks—Hubert Parrish, Taylor County.....415 Greenbrier Street  
 S. M. Arnold, Clay County.....420 State Street  
 Melvin Founds, Wetzel County.....308 Ruffner Avenue  
 Gertrude McDermott, Upshur County.....208 Broad Street  
 Galena Throckmorton, Kanawha County.....1324 Lee Street  
 Ray A. McBee, Monongalia County.....844 Indiana Avenue  
 Howard Parkins, Putnam County.....622 Stockton Street  
 Hazel Lundquist, Upshur County.....308 Maryland Avenue  
 Currency Clerk—H. G. Bell, Monroe County.....420 State Street  
 Look Up Clerk—Neil Taylor, Roane County.....1563 Washington Street  
 Correspondence Clerk—Mona Reece, Mercer County.....1806 McClung Street  
 Stenographer—Virginia King, Cabell County.....604 Ruffner Avenue  
 Information and License Clerk—G. A. Goshorn, Kanawha Co...1018 Kanawha Street  
 Title Clerk—Gay Rosenbaum, Fayette County.....308 Ruffner Avenue  
 Operator File Clerk—Ruth Fleming, Marion County.....1521 Lee Street  
 Chauffeur File Clerk—Ernie Kiser, Jackson County.....312 Glenn Street  
 Duplicate Clerk—Jean Hughes, Wood County.....1719½ Quarrier Street  
 Lien Clerk—L. S. Rodgers, Greenbrier County.....1551 Washington Street  
 Graphotype Operators—Retta D. Walker, Mingo County....103 Beaugard Street  
 Grace Martin, Cabell County.....107 Wyoming Street  
 Katherine Anclon, Harrison County.....1518 Washington Street  
 Hattie B. Hanger, Clay County.....1209 Homer Street  
 Addressograph Operators—Verna C. Kerr, Monongalia County...315 Bibby Street  
 Gertrude Pauley, Boone County.....14 Sherwood Apartment  
 Edna Rice, Wood County.....209 Maryland Avenue  
 Window Supervisors—L. Roy Caldwell, Jackson County.....Carpenter  
 Daisy Cokeley, Ritchie County.....1627 McClung Street  
 R. C. Matthews, Kanawha County.....230 10th Street, So. Charleston  
 Chauffeur and Operator Stenographer—Irene Sloan, Cabell County...1106 Lee Ct  
 Office Numbering Clerk—Juanita Epling, Raleigh County..1422 Washington Street  
 Office Numbering Clerk—Amizetta Noel, Kanawha County....406 B. Morris Street  
 Numbering Clerk—W. A. Mahan, Kanawha County.....1704 Quarrier Street  
 Numbering Clerk—George E. Newland, Fayette County.....Montgomery  
 Mail Clerk—W. W. Graham, Kanawha County.....Woodland Avenue  
 Transfer File Clerk—Lena Barnes, Jackson County.....920 Central Avenue  
 Title File Clerk—Grace M. Hughart, Marshall County.....1701 Darst Street  
 Stenographer and Refund Clerk—Edith Crawford.....17 Stephenson Court

Plate File Clerk—Palta Blake, Cabell County.....	1106 Lee Street
Plate File Clerk—Lillian Graham, Putnam County.....	1202 Baines Street
Transfer Clerk—Dora C. Harris, Ohio County.....	4 Sherwood Apartments
Supply Clerk—E. L. Morrison, Kanawha County.....	Poffenbarger Apartments
Title Index Clerks—Winnie T. Wills, Fayette County.....	603½ Randolph Street
Ida B. Dunbar, Cabell County.....	1013 Lee Street
Edyth Crawford, Wyoming County.....	17 Stephenson Court
License Index Clerks—Birdie Amos, Kanawha County.....	S48 Greendale Drive
Sylvia Petry, Boone County.....	10 Straughan Court
Ruth Hershberger, Clay County.....	1037 Valley Road
Myrtle McDowell, Kanawha County.....	Dana
Bookkeepers—Hannah Pearse, Kanawha County.....	1908 Washington Street
Myrtle Cook, Raleigh County.....	102 Veasey Street
Pansy Saxton, Kanawha County.....	22 Monongalia Street
Tag Clerk—Fred West, Roane County.....	Bownemont
Truck Driver—Charley Hancock, Kanawha County.....	Riverview

**Transportation Department**

Supervisor of Transportation—F. O. Sanders, Cabell County..	204 Beauregard Street
Bus Inspector—I. C. Trout, Roane County.....	1022 Lee Street
Stenographer—Ruth Couch, Kanawha County.....	1548 Jackson Street
Stenographer—O. M. Mendenhall, Mason County.....	1111 Park Avenue

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY**

(West Virginia State Police)

1810 Kanawha Street

**Board of Commissioners**

Harold A. Ritz, Kanawha County; term expires June 30, 1931.....	Charleston
John L. Hatfield, Monongalia County; term expires June 30, 1931.....	Morgantown

**Superintendent's Office**

Superintendent—Harry L. Brooks, Hancock County; term expires December 31, 1932.....	1552 Virginia Street
Headquarters Captain—Harry A. Cooper, Brooke County.....	Chamberlain Court
Traffic Supervisor—Captain H. E. Wilson.....	1810 Kanawha Street
Bookkeeper—H. E. Strom, Kanawha County.....	South Ruffner
Secretary—Pearle G. Kyle, Jefferson County.....	1809½ McClung Street
Supply Sergeant—George Harvey Skeen.....	1810 Kanawha Street

**Company "A"**

Headquarters—Shinnston

Captain—Hobart A. Brown	Lieutenant—H. N. Rexroad
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**Company "B"**

Headquarters—Williamson

Captain—Thomas Barton	Lieutenant—R. E. Brooks
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**Company "C"**

Headquarters—Beckley

Captain—Thomas W. Norton	Lieutenant—Frank Gibson
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**Company "D"**

Headquarters—Parkersburg

Captain—James R. Brockus	Lieutenant—Albert M. Long
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## Sub-Patrol Stations

Alderson	Gassaway	Madison	Rainelle
Ansted	Gilbert	Mannington	Richwood
Barboursville	Glen Rogers	Martinsburg	Ripley
Beckley	Gilbert	Marlinton	Romney
Berkeley Springs	Glenville	Matewan	Shinnston
Buckhannon	Grafton	Morgantown	St. Mary's
Cannelton	Hamlin	Mullens	Terra Alta
Chapmanville	Handley	Nellis	Thomas
Charleston	Hopemont	Nitro	Ward
Charles Town	Huntington	Oak Hill	Wayne
Clendenin	Kenova	Paden City	Welch
Clothier	Keyser	Parkersburg	Weston
Dry Branch	Kingwood	Petersburg	West Union
Elkins	Leewood	Philippi	Whitesville
Elm Grove	Lewisburg	Princeton	Westmoreland
Fairmont	Lico	Pt. Pleasant	Williamson
Flemington	Logan	Putney	

## BUREAU OF NEGRO WELFARE AND STATISTICS

## Offices, Kleeman Building

Director—G. E. Ferguson, Kanawha County; term expires June 30, 1933	Charleston
Secretary—Maurice Jones, Kanawha County	Institute

## GAME, FISH AND FORESTRY COMMISSION

## Capitol Office Building, Unit No. 1

## Executive Department

Chairman—Vernon E. Johnson, Morgan County; term expires June 30, 1931	Berkeley Springs
Member—Edward Cooper, Jr., Mercer County; term expires June 30, 1932	Bramwell
Member—G. Andrew Northcott, Cabell County; term expires June 30, 1933	Lesage
Executive Secretary—Leo G. Smith, Kanawha County	Charleston
Chief Clerk—Mrs. Maym D. Beers, Kanawha County	Charleston
Stenographer—Mrs. Margaret Ford Hall, Kanawha County	Dunbar

## Division—Game and Fish

Chief Game Protector—H. B. Cornwell, Kanawha County	Charleston
State Fish Culturist—Theodore C. Fearnow, Morgan County	Charleston
Superintendent State Game Farm, W. E. Marlanl, Kanawha County	French Creek
District Game Protectors—Districts:	
No. 1 J. H. Elbert, Ohio County	Wheeling
No. 2 Otto B. Clem, Preston County	Terra Alta
No. 3 Alvin V. Shreve, Pendleton County	Upper Tract
No. 4 W. S. Johnson, Nicholas County	Richwood
No. 5 Theodore Moore, Pocahontas County	Marlinton
No. 6 R. L. Massey, Kanawha County	Big Chimney
No. 7 J. H. Mandeville, Mercer County	Princeton
No. 8 W. W. Myers, Tucker County	Parsons
No. 9 Chas. E. Fogle, Pleasants County	St. Marys
No. 10 S. E. Sims, Summers County	Talcott
No. 11 Charles Beard, Berkeley County	Martinsburg

State Trapper—E. J. Miles, Upshur County.....Buckhannon  
 Educational Agent—G. A. Bolden, Preston County.....Charleston

**Division—Forestry**

Chief Forester—Harold S. Newins, Kanawha County.....Charleston  
 Chief Forest Fire Warden, C. L. Topping, Kanawha County.....Charleston  
 District Foresters:  
     Pocahontas District, C. H. Tracy, Mercer County.....Bluefield  
     Kanawha District, W. E. Hope, Kanawha County.....Hudnall  
     Greenbrier District, O. O. Nutter, Greenbrier.....White Sulphur Springs  
     Potomac District, G. C. Hamilton, Grant County.....Petersburg  
     Eastern District, W. F. Lipscomb, Tucker County.....Parsons  
 Forest and Educational Lecturer—E. N. Wriston, Fayette County.....Kingston

**STATE SINKING FUND COMMISSION**

Capitol Grounds, 1804 Quarrier Street

Chairman—T. C. Townsend, Tax Commissioner.  
 Secretary—George W. Sharp, Secretary of State  
 W. S. Johnson, State Treasurer  
 Edgar C. Lawson, State Auditor  
 Assistant Secretary—Mrs. Hazel Dunlap Richardson, Wetzel County,  
     .....412 D Street, South Charleston  
 Accountant—Weldon Walker, Clay County.....110 Glenwood Avenue  
 Bookkeeper—A. W. Daubenspeck, Kanawha County..15 Ninth Ave., South Charleston  
 Assistant Bookkeeper—James W. Patton, Greenbrier County,.....  
     .....104 La Salle Apts., McClung Street  
 Stenographer—Esther M. Barnette, Mason County.....1536 Lee Street

**STATE BOARDS—GENERAL**

(Information as to boards and commissions largely furnished by Capt. Calvert L. Estill, secretary to the governor.)

Under the revised code, 1930, all boards, unless otherwise mentioned, are governed by the following general rules:

Each board is required to adopt an official seal, make such rules and regulations, not inconsistent with law, as it deems best, and hold at least two meetings each year.

Each board is given power to compel the attendance of witnesses, and its officers have power to administer oaths.

Every applicant for license or registration must transmit with his application an examination fee of twenty dollars, unless a different fee is especially provided by law. Each board is allowed to charge five dollars for each license or certificate issued and the same sum for every duplicate thereof.

All licenses or certificates of registration are required to be numbered serially and to be signed by a majority of the members of the board.

Each board has power to revoke, for cause, the certificates it issues.

An applicant who has been refused a license, or a licensee whose certificate has been revoked, has the right of appeal from the action of the board to the Circuit Court of the county in which he resides.

Members of all boards, unless otherwise specified, are allowed ten (\$10.00) dollars per day for each day actually spent in attending sessions of the board or of its committees and in necessary travel, and are entitled to reimbursement for all actual and necessary expenses in carrying out their official duties.

Each board is required to make a report annually to the Governor on or before the first day of January.

The secretary of each board is required to prepare and maintain a complete roster of all persons licensed or registered by it.

(References are to the new code.)

### BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF ACCOUNTANTS

Created 1911; non-partisan; composed of three certified public accountants who have been in active practice in West Virginia for at least five years; appointed by the governor with the consent of the senate; term, three years; elects own officers; members eligible for reappointment; duties, to conduct examinations of applicants for certificates as certified public accountants; self-sustaining from examination fees. (Code 30-9.)

#### Members

W. H. Rardin, Raleigh County; term expires May 15, 1931.....Beckley  
Okey K. Hayslip, Cabell County; term expires May 15, 1931.....Huntington  
W. O. Dickoy, Cabell County; term expires May 15, 1932.....Huntington

### BOARD OF EXAMINERS AND REGISTRATION OF ARCHITECTS

Consists of five members, appointed by the governor, with the consent of the senate, for a term of five years; must be architects of not fewer than ten years active practice in West Virginia; all members eligible for reappointment; non-partisan. This board examines all applicants for the practice of architecture in the state and registers successful applicants. (Code, 30-12.)

#### Members

Martin J. Garry, Mercer County; term expires Sept. 30, 1932.....Bluefield  
M. F. Giesey, Ohio County; term expires Sept. 30, 1933.....Wheeling  
Theodore T. Sansbury, Wood County; term expires Sept. 30, 1931.....Parkersburg  
Chas. L. Hickman, Harrison County; term expires Sept. 30, 1934.....Clarksburg  
R. Rus Warne, Kanawha County; term expires Sept. 30, 1935.....Charleston

### STATE BOARD OF CHILDREN'S GUARDIANS

Bi-partisan; not salaried; sustained by appropriation; composed of three citizens of West Virginia, one of whom must be a woman; appointed by the Governor, with the consent of the senate; length of term six years; vacancy filled by appointment by the Governor for the unexpired term; offices located at the State Capitol by statute; authorized to receive into its custody dependent and neglected children, and children declared public wards, to be placed in an orphan's asylum or suitable home; financial transactions supervised by State Board of Control; elects own officers biennially. (Code, 40-3).

#### Members

##### State Headquarters, Public Library Building

President—Hervey F. Carter, Ohio County; term expires June 30, 1931....Wheeling  
Member—Miss Sue A. Staunton, Kanawha County; term expires June  
30, 1933.....Charleston  
Member—Harry L. Snyder, Jefferson County; term expires June 30,  
1935.....Shepherdstown

#### Executives and District Agents

Executive Secretary—Mary L. Yeager, Ohio County.....Charleston  
Chief Clerk—Ursula C. Mudd, Kanawha County.....Charleston  
Office Assistant—Mary Fenton Hardway, Kanawha County.....Charleston  
Colored Supervisor—Mrs. Nannie C. Huskins, Kanawha County.....Charleston  
First District—Edna Dodson and Jean Winters.....Charleston

Second District—Camille Harper.....	Huntington
Third District—Lena B. Smith.....	Lewisburg
Fourth District—Mary N. Waugh.....	Buckhannon
Fifth District—Stella Parker.....	Parkersburg
Sixth District—Margaret E. McKinney.....	Fairmont
Seventh District—Florence Charter.....	Clarksburg
Eighth District—Mary K. Babb.....	Keyser

### STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

Bi-partisan; salaried; sustained by appropriation; composed of the State Superintendent of Schools, *ex-officio*, and six members appointed by the Governor with the consent of the senate; length of term six years; vacancy filled by appointment by the Governor for unexpired term; offices located at the State Capital by statute; has general control and management of educational affairs of all State educational institutions except West Virginia University; State Superintendent is chief executive officer of Board; elects own officers. (Code, 18-2).

#### Members

President—W. C. Cook. <i>ex-officio</i> ; term expires March 4, 1933.....	Charleston
Mrs. Lenna Lowe Yost, Cabell County; term expires June 30, 1933.....	Huntington
J. B. McLaughlin, Kanawha County; term expires June 30, 1931.....	Charleston
J. O. Henson, Berkeley County; term expires June 30, 1932.....	Martinsburg
J. H. Gorby, Wetzel County; term expires June 30, 1935.....	New Martinsville
Bernard McClaugherty, Mercer County; term expires June 30, 1934.....	Bluefield
O. Jay Fleming, Taylor County; term expires June 30, 1936.....	Grafton

### ADVISORY COUNCIL TO STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

Non-partisan; salaried; sustained by appropriation; composed of the State Supervisor of Colored Schools, *ex-officio*, and two members of the Negro race appointed by the Governor with the consent of the senate; length of term four years; vacancy filled by appointment by the Governor for unexpired term; has charge of all matters with reference to colored schools, subject to approval by the State Board of Education. (Code, 18-2).

#### Members

W. W. Sanders, State Supervisor of Negro Schools, <i>ex-officio</i> , Kanawha County.....	Charleston
J. Rupert Jefferson, Wood County; term expires June 30, 1931.....	Parkersburg
Mrs. Irene E. Moats, Harrison County; term expires June 30, 1933.....	Clarksburg

### STATE BOARD OF EMBALMERS

Non-partisan; not salaried; self-sustaining; composed of one embalmer from each Congressional district of the state of five years residence practice; appointed by the Governor with the consent of the senate; length of term three years; vacancy filled by appointment by the Governor for unexpired term; location of offices not fixed by statute; authorized to examine applicants and license as embalmers those found qualified, and to revoke licenses according to law; elects own officers. (Code, 30-6.)

#### Members

Mrs. Julia A. Ogden, Wood County; term expires March 31, 1931....	Parkersburg
L. C. Stevens, Barbour County; term expires September 15, 1931.....	Philippi
P. D. Bratton, Mercer County; term expires June 30, 1931.....	Bluefield
R. F. Poling, Upshur County; term expires March 1, 1932.....	Buckhannon

P. A. Simpson, Kanawha County ; term expires September 15, 1931.....Charleston  
 Clarence Bertschey, Ohio County ; term expires April 30, 1932.....Wheeling

### STATE BOARD OF REGISTRATION FOR ENGINEERS

Non-partisan ; not salaried ; self sustaining ; composed of five registered engineers of least ten years experience, members of a recognized society of engineers ; appointed by the Governor, with the consent of the senate ; length of term five years ; vacancy filled by appointment by the governor for unexpired term ; authorized to examine applicants and to register and license those found qualified ; elects own officers. (Code, 30-13).

#### Members

Conrad M. Ross, Kanawha County ; term expires June 30, 1931.....Charleston  
 George E. Taylor, Doddridge County ; term expires June 30, 1932.....West Union  
 Laurence Meharg, Ohio County ; term expires June 30, 1933.....Wheeling  
 Nathan H. Manakee, Mercer County ; term expires June 30, 1934.....Bluefield  
 Owen M. Jones, Fayette County ; term expires June 30, 1934.....Glen Ferris

### STATE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS

Non-partisan ; not salaried ; self-sustaining ; composed of five dentists, graduates of reputable schools, in practice in this state for at least five years and not connected with any dental college or dental supply business ; appointed by the governor, with the consent of the senate ; length of term five years ; vacancy filled by appointment by the governor for unexpired term ; members eligible to reappointment for one additional term ; elects own officers. (Code, 30-4).

#### Members

Dr. L. E. Lawson, Mingo County ; term expires June 30, 1932.....Williamson  
 Dr. F. M. Farnsworth, Upshur County ; term expires June 30, 1935.....Buckhannon  
 Dr. H. J. Scott, Harrison County ; term expires June 30, 1931.....Clarksburg  
 Dr. C. M. Jividen, Kanawha County ; term expires June 30, 1931.....Charleston  
 Dr. Floyd S. Taylor, Cabell County ; term expires June 30, 1935.....Huntington

### STATE BOARD OF FINANCE

Created 1925 ; consists of the governor, as chairman ; auditor, as secretary, and state treasurer ; duties, to determine the proportion of all state funds that shall be treated as active funds and to determine the basis of distribution of inactive state funds among state depositories. (Code, 12-1).

#### Members Ex-Officio

William G. Conley, the Governor, Chairman.  
 Edgar C. Lawson, Auditor, Secretary.  
 William S. Johnson, Treasurer.

### BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY

Created 1927 ; composed of seven members, appointed by the Governor, with the consent of the senate ; one from each Congressional district and one at large, three to be graduates of the University of West Virginia ; not more than four from same political party ; four-year term ; no compensation, except for necessary expenses ;

has entire control of the educational affairs of the university, including the employment of all officers, teachers and other employees. (Code, 18-11).

#### Members

Edward Grandison Smith, President, Harrison County; term expires  
May 31, 1934.....Clarksburg  
Arthur B. Koontz, Kanawha County; term expires May 31, 1932.....Charleston  
Frank H. Babb, Mineral County; term expires May 31, 1932.....Keyser  
Hugh Ike Shott, Jr., Mercer County; term expires May 31, 1933.....Bluefield  
Miss Gertrude Roberts, Cabell County; term expires May 31, 1933.....Huntington  
Cleveland M. Seibert, Berkeley County; term expires May 31, 1933.....Martinsburg  
D. A. Burt, Ohio County; term expires May 31, 1934.....Wheeling

### BOARD OF EXAMINERS IN OPTOMETRY

Non-partisan; not salaried; self-sustaining; composed of five registered resident optometrists engaged in practice in this state for three years; appointed by the Governor with the consent of the senate; length of term, three years; vacancy filled by appointment by the Governor for the unexpired term; location of offices not fixed by statute; authorized to examine applicants and register those qualified and to revoke, in accordance to law, such certificates for cause; elects own officers. (Code, 30-8).

#### Members

Dr. W. T. Eisensmith, Kanawha County; term expires June 30, 1932.....Charleston  
Dr. D. L. Gallaher, Wood County; term expires June 30, 1931.....Parkersburg  
Dr. Will H. Hays, Ohio County; term expires June 30, 1932.....Wheeling  
Dr. Charles C. Wilson, Harrison County; term expires June 30, 1932.....Clarksburg  
Dr. Fred L. Morris, Marion County; term expires June 30, 1933.....Fairmont

### BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR NURSES

Non-partisan; not salaried; self-sustaining; composed of three graduate nurses from different schools and two registered physicians appointed by the Governor with the consent of the senate; length of term, three years; vacancy filled by appointment by the Governor for unexpired term; location of offices not fixed by statute; authorized to examine applications and register those qualified, to accredit training schools for nurses and to revoke license by unanimous vote for cause; elects own officers. (Code, 30-7.)

#### Members

Miss Vesta Reld, Cabell County; term expires June 30, 1931.....Huntington  
Miss Mabel Fuller, Kanawha County; term expires June 30, 1932.....Charleston  
Mrs. Nellie McIntosh Noel, Mercer County; term expires June 30, 1933.....Princeton  
Dr. Harry M. Hall, Ohio County; term expires June 30, 1931.....Wheeling  
Dr. B. I. Golden, Randolph County; term expires June 30, 1933.....Elkins  
Secretary—Mrs. Andrew Wilson, Ohio County.....1300 Byron St., Wheeling

### STATE BOARD OF OSTEOPATHY

Non-partisan; not salaried; self-sustaining; composed of three licensed osteopathic physicians of at least five years practice; appointed by the Governor on recommendation of State Osteopathic Association; length of term, three years; vacancy filled by appointment by the Governor for the unexpired term; location of offices not fixed by statute; authorized to examine applicants and issue licenses to those qualified and to revoke licenses, according to law, for cause; elects own officers. (Code, 30-14.)

### Members

Dr. J. H. Robinett, Cabell County; term expires July 31, 1931.....Huntington  
 Dr. G. E. Morris, Harrison County, term expires July 31, 1931.....Clarksburg  
 (One vacancy in the membership of this board.)

### PAROLE BOARD WEST VIRGINIA PENITENTIARY

Non-partisan; not salaried; expenses paid from the governor's civil contingent fund; consists of warden and two members appointed by the governor, to serve during his will and pleasure; authorized by the Governor to investigate applications for parole and recommend action upon them to the chief executive.

### Members

The Warden, A. C. Scroggins, Marshall County; term expires May 31, '31. Moundsville  
 Mrs. Wm. B. Snyder, Jefferson County.....Shepherdstown  
 Walter R. Reitz, Tyler County.....Sistersville

### STATE BOARD OF PHARMACY

Non-partisan; not salaried; self-sustaining; composed of five licensed pharmacists, citizens of West Virginia; appointed by the Governor, with the consent of the senate; term, five years; vacancy filled by appointment by the Governor for the unexpired term; location of offices not fixed by statute; authorized to examine applicants and license those qualified to practice pharmacy; board has power to revoke license of any pharmacist twice convicted for violating public health laws and revocation is mandatory in certain instances specified in the statutes; elects own officers. (Code, 30-5.)

### Members

Dr. S. M. Scott, Jr., Preston County; term expires June 30, 1934.....Terra Alta  
 Mrs. Marion H. Judy, Grant County; term expires June 30, 1933.....Petersburg  
 Dr. Roy B. Cook, Kanawha County; term expires June 30, 1935.....Charleston  
 Dr. Alfred Walker, Braxton County; term expires June 30, 1931.....Sutton  
 Dr. Frank B. Haymaker, Harrison County; term expires June 30, 1932.... Clarksburg

### BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS

Created 1863; consists of the Governor, Secretary of State, Auditor, Superintendent of Free Schools, Treasurer, Attorney General and Commissioner of Agriculture; originally created to protect the interests of the state in all works of internal improvement in the state, principally toll roads; the duties of the board are now more important and more varied and include, among others, the duties of making up the state budget and presenting it to the legislature, investing the workmen's compensation fund and assessing the values of public service utilities. (Code 5-4 and 23-3.)

### Members Ex-Officio

William G. Conley, the Governor, Chairman.  
 George W. Sharp, Secretary of State, Secretary.  
 Edgar C. Lawson, Auditor.  
 W. C. Cook, Superintendent of Free Schools.  
 W. S. Johnson, State Treasurer.  
 Howard B. Lee, Attorney General. . .  
 John W. Smith, Commissioner of Agriculture.

### BOARD OF THE SCHOOL FUND

Created 1925; consists of the Governor, State Superintendent of Free Schools, Auditor and Treasurer; a body corporate; has management, control and investment of the school fund provided by section 4, article 12 of the state constitution. (Code, 18-9.)

#### Members Ex-Officio

William G. Conley, the Governor, Chairman.  
Edgar C. Lawson, Auditor, Secretary.  
William S. Johnson, State Treasurer.

### VETERINARY EXAMINING BOARD

Bi-partisan; not salaried; self-sustaining; composed of three competent veterinarians, graduate of at least two different colleges, in active practice in this state for at least five years preceding appointment; appointed by the Governor, with the consent of the senate; length of term, six years; authorized to examine applicants and issue licenses to those qualified; elects own officers. (Code, 30-10.)

#### Members

Dr. Ernest M. Layne, Cabell County; term expires June 30, 1933.....Huntington  
Dr. George Stephens, Monongalia County; term expires May 31, 1935....Blacksville  
Dr. W. M. Stanley, Jefferson County; term expires May 1, 1931.....Charles Town

### STATE CAPITOL COMMISSION

Non-partisan; not salaried; sustained by appropriation; composed of the Governor and ten members appointed by the Governor; authorized to take full charge and control of building of the state capitol at Charleston. The secretary is selected by the commission. (Ch. 1, Acts 1927, first ex. sess.)

#### Members

William G. Conley, Governor, Chairman.....Charleston  
M. Z. White, Mingo County.....Williamson  
J. William Cummins, Ohio County.....Wheeling  
Boyd Jarrell, Cabell County.....Huntington  
C. W. Dillon, Fayette County.....Fayetteville  
Gohen C. Arnold, Upshur County.....Buckhannon  
Herbert Fitzpatrick, Cabell County.....Huntington  
Edwin M. Keatley, Kanawha County.....Charleston  
George A. Laughlin, Ohio County.....Wheeling  
Mrs. J. T. Peadro, Wood County.....Parkersburg  
C. K. Payne, Kanawha County.....Charleston  
Bonner Hill, Secretary, Kanawha County.....Charleston

### STATE BRIDGE COMMISSION

Created 1929; body corporate; bi-partisan; consists of three members appointed by the Governor, with the consent of the senate; length of term six years; Governor appoints chairman; selects own officers; commissioners each to execute bond in the penalty of ten thousand dollars; self-sustaining from bridge revenues; compensation, one thousand dollars per annum; authorized to purchase or build bridges with proceeds of bridge bonds; no part to be paid from the state treasury. (Code, 17-18.)



**Members**

- Julian G. Hearne, Chairman, Ohio County; term ending April 25, 1935  
.....P. O. Box 177, Wheeling
- H. C. Brooks, Commissioner Berkeley County; term ending April 25,  
1933 .....Martinsburg
- H. E. Shadle, Commissioner, Mason County; term ending April 25, 1931  
.....Beech Hill
- A. C. Kimpel, Secretary-Treasurer, Ohio County.....607 Ruffner Ave., Charleston

**BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF  
PUBLIC SAFETY**

Appointed by the Governor, with the consent of the Senate; term, two years; bi-partisan; compensation, ten dollars for each day actually employed in duties as a member of the board; duties, to hear appeals from decisions of superintendent of department of public safety on charges against or dismissal or suspension of any member of the department and to hear and determine charges for specified causes against the superintendent, deputy or any officer or member of the department. (Code, 15-2, Sec. 20.)

**Members**

- Harold A. Ritz, Kanawha County; term expires June 30, 1931.....Charleston
- John L. Hatfield, Monongalia County; term expires June 30, 1931.....Morgantown

**STATE CRIPPLED CHILDREN'S COUNCIL**

Created 1925; consists of a member of state board of control designated by the Governor, the State Commissioner of Health, the State Superintendent of Free Schools, the Executive Secretary of the State Board of Children's Guardians and three members of the West Virginia Society of Crippled Children, appointed by the Governor for a term of four years, from nominations made by the society; no compensation, except necessary expenses of the three non *ex-officio* members; duties deal with the care, cure and education of physically handicapped children. (Code, 49-11.)

**Members**

- H. N. Bradley, State Board of Control.....Charleston
- Dr. W. T. Henshaw, State Commissioner of Health, *ex-officio*.....Charleston
- W. C. Cook, State Superintendent of Free Schools, *ex-officio*.....Charleston
- Mary L. Yager, Executive Secretary Board of Children's Guardians,  
*ex-officio* .....Charleston
- Dr. J. E. Rader, Cabell County; term expires October 22, 1931.....Huntington
- Dr. A. T. Post, Harrison County; term expires October 22, 1931.....Clarksburg
- Mrs. S. W. Price, Fayette County; term expires October 22, 1931.....Scarbro
- Mrs. Jean T. Dillon, Secretary, Kanawha County.....Hubbard Court, Charleston

**STATE COMMISSIONS**

**DROOP MOUNTAIN BATTLEFIELD COMMISSION**

Non-partisan; not salaried; composed of five members appointed by the Governor, three from the House of Delegates and two from the Senate, Legislature of 1927; length of term indefinite; authorized to make state park of Droop Mountain battlefield, and mark battle lines. (H. J. R. 8, Acts 1927.)

## Members

John D. Sutton, Braxton County.....	Sutton
Norman F. Kendall, Taylor County.....	Grafton
A. L. Helmick, Tucker County.....	Thomas
M. M. Harrison, Putnam County.....	Confidence

## STATE FOREST AND PARK COMMISSION

Created 1927; consists of the Governor, Commissioner of Agriculture, Director of Agriculture Extension, State Geologist and Chairman of Game, Fish and Forestry Commission; to investigate and report to the legislature on the availability for state forests and parks of lands owned by the state and other designated places and areas. (Ch. 4, Acts 1927.)

## Members Ex-Officio

The Governor, Wm. G. Conley.....	Charleston
Commissioner of Agriculture, John W. Smith.....	Charleston
The Director of Agriculture Extension, Nat T. Frame.....	Morgantown
State Geologist, Jas. D. Sisler.....	Morgantown
Chairman of the Game, Fish and Forestry Commission, Vernon E. Johnson.....	Berkeley Springs

## GEOLOGICAL AND ECONOMIC SURVEY COMMISSION

Created 1897; composed of the Governor, President of the State University, Commissioner of Agriculture, and Director of the West Virginia Agricultural Experiment Station; has general charge of survey and of all employees; objects of survey, to ascertain quantities and locations of construction materials such as ores, clays, building stones; to classify soils, examine timber lands with reference to utilization, examine physical features with reference to their bearing upon the development of the state; to prepare special geological and economic maps and to ascertain best methods of utilization of natural resources in prevention of waste. (Code, 29-2, Sec. 4-5.)

Wm. G. Conley, Governor, <i>ex-officio</i> .....	Charleston
Wm. S. Johnson, Treasurer, <i>ex-officio</i> .....	Charleston
John R. Turner, President West Virginia University, <i>ex-officio</i> .....	Morgantown
F. D. Fromme, Director West Virginia State Experiment Station, <i>ex-officio</i> .....	Morgantown
State Geologist—Jas. D. Sisler.....	Morgantown
Co-Relating Officer—F. B. Plummer.....	Morgantown
Assistant Geologist—R. C. Tucker.....	Morgantown
Assistant Geologist—Paul H. Price.....	Morgantown
Paleontologist—John L. Tilton.....	Morgantown
Field Assistant—Lee M. Morris.....	Morgantown
Chemist—B. B. Kaplan.....	Morgantown
Assistant Chemist—Harry J. Sigwart.....	Morgantown
Chief Clerk—Edgar Williams.....	Morgantown
Stenographer—Marie Stenger Azure.....	Morgantown
Stenographer—Inez White Gilsau.....	Morgantown

## WEST VIRGINIA LIBRARY COMMISSION

Non-partisan; not salaried; self sustaining; composed of five members; at least two of whom must be women; appointed by the Governor, with the consent of the senate; length of term, four years; vacancy filled by appointment by the Governor

for the unexpired term; location of offices not fixed by statute; authorized to advise and assist school, free and public libraries in administration and in selecting books, and to receive books or other property and donations of money; elects own officers. (Code, 10-1, Sec. 12.)

#### Members

L. D. Arnett, Monongalia County; term expires June 30, 1933.....Morgantown  
Miss Jessie Tresham, Ritchie County; term expires June 30, 1932.....Harrisville  
Lawrence R. Lynch, Harrison County; term expires June 30, 1932.....Clarksburg  
Miss Etta M. Roberts, Ohio County; term expires June 30, 1931.....Wheeling  
Herbert R. De Bussey, Wood County; term expires June 30, 1933.....Parkersburg

### THE NANCY HANKS COMMISSION

Non-partisan; not salaried; self-sustaining; composed of five citizens of West Virginia appointed by the Governor; length of term, indefinite; authorized to investigate the reputed birthplace of Nancy Hanks in Mineral County and recommend, if advisable, a suitable memorial. (H. C. R. 13, Acts 1929.)

#### Members

John M. Crawford, Wood County.....Parkersburg  
Mrs. A. A. Pickering, Preston County.....Rowlesburg  
W. H. Barger, Mineral County.....Keyser  
Phil M. Conley, Kanawha County.....Charleston  
(One vacancy on this commission.)

### PHILIPPI BATTLEFIELD COMMISSION

Created 1927; consists of three members of the House of Delegates and two members of the Senate, to be appointed by the Governor; non-partisan; not salaried; duties, to consider advisability of the state placing a memorial on the battlefield at Philippi, in Barbour County, to commemorate the first land engagement of the Civil War. (H. J. R. 15, Acts 1927.)

#### Members

Troy E. Hardman, Randolph County.....240 Boundry Avenue, Elkins  
Dr. C. P. Crawford, Randolph County.....7 Central Street, Elkins  
B. H. Hiner, Pendleton County.....Franklin  
W. A. Street, Barbour County.....Belington  
Dr. George F. Hull, Pocahontas County.....Durbin

### POINT PLEASANT BATTLE MONUMENT COMMISSION

Non-partisan; not salaried; self-sustaining; composed of three commissioners appointed by the Governor; length of term, indefinite; vacancies filled by appointment by the Governor; location of offices not fixed by statute; authorized to have general charge of and supervision over the lands at Point Pleasant belonging to the commission. (J. R. 24, Acts 1875.)

#### Members

Mrs. Livia Simpson Poffenbarger, Kanawha County.....1124 Lee Street  
Charles C. Bowyer, Mason County.....Point Pleasant  
C. O. Welssenburger, Mason County.....Point Pleasant

### THE PRICKETTS FORT STATE PARK COMMISSION

Non-partisan; not salaried; sustained by legislative appropriation; composed of three members appointed by the Governor; length of term, four years; vacancy filled

by appointment by Governor for the unexpired term; authorized to procure by purchase not exceeding ten acres to include the site of Prickett's Fort, Marion County, when funds are available. (Ch. 48, Acts 1927.)

#### Members

Thomas W. Fleming, Marion County; term expires June 30, 1931.....Fairmont  
 Ellsworth Morgan, Marion County; term expires June 30, 1931.....Fairmont  
 Marshall W. Harris, Marlon County; term expires June 30, 1931.....Fairmont

### PUBLIC HEALTH COUNCIL

Non-partisan; non-political; self-sustaining; composed of the Commissioner of Health, *ex-officio*, and six physicians, graduates of a reputable medical school and with five years active practice; appointed by the Governor, with the consent of the senate; length of term, four years; vacancy filled by appointment by the Governor for the unexpired term; offices located at State Capital, with Commissioner of Health as secretary; authorized to make rules and regulations, approve plans and appointments of qualified local health authorities; promulgate regulations under public health law; examine all applicants; license those qualified to practice medicine and surgery; authorized to refuse or revoke certificates for cause; two chiropractors are associated with the council for the examination of applicants to practice chiropractic; elects own officers, except secretary. (Code, 16-1 and 30-16.)

#### Members

Dr. W. T. Henshaw, *ex-officio* Secretary, Berkeley County; term ending  
 May 31, 1931.....17 Curry Street, So. Charleston  
 Dr. W. E. Neal, Cabell County; term ending June 30, 1933.....Huntington  
 Dr. H. A. Barbee, Mason County; term ending June 30, 1933.....Point Pleasant  
 Dr. B. O. Robinson, Wood County; term ending June 30, 1933.....Parkersburg  
 Dr. W. S. Fulton, Ohio County; term ending June 30, 1934.....Wheeling  
 Dr. R. H. Walker, Kanawha County; term ending June 30, 1934.....Charleston  
 Dr. Albert H. Hoge, Mercer County; term ending June 30, 1934.....Bluefield  
 Dr. T. I. Morgan, Chiropractor; Cabell County; term ending June 30,  
 1933 .....Huntington  
 Dr. Hector Lamont, Chiropractor; Ohio County; term ending June 30,  
 1931 .....Wheeling

### UNION SOLDIERS AND SAILORS MEMORIAL COMMISSION

Non-partisan; not salaried; sustained by appropriation; composed of the Governor, *ex-officio*, and four veterans of the Civil War appointed by the Governor; authorized to erect a memorial to the Union soldiers, sailors and marines of West Virginia on the grounds of the State Capitol. (Ch. 54, Acts 1927.)

#### Members

The Governor, Wm. G. Conley, *ex-officio*.....Charleston  
 H. S. White, Mingo County.....Matewan  
 S. R. Hanen, Marshall County.....Moundsville  
 W. N. Edgell, Harrison County.....Clarksburg  
 Thomas Carter, Wood County.....Parkersburg

### STATE WATER COMMISSION

Created 1929; consists of the state commissioner of health and chairman of the public service commission and the chairman of the game, fish and forestry com-

mission; no compensation; selects own officers; duties, to prevent the pollution of the waters of the state, including rivers, streams, water courses, ponds and lakes. (Code, 16-11.)

#### Members Ex-Officio

Dr. W. T. Henshaw, Commissioner of Health.....Charleston  
I. Wade Coffman, Chairman, Public Service Commission.....Charleston  
Vernon E. Johnson, Chairman, Game, Fish and Forestry Commission.....Berkeley Springs

### WEST VIRGINIA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Non-partisan; not salaried; self-sustaining; composed of one person in each county identified in the preservation of history; appointed by the Governor for an indefinite term; vacancy filled by appointment by the Governor; location of offices not fixed by statute; authorized to receive and hold funds and real estate, not exceeding one million dollars in value, and to publish and preserve a written history of the State; elects own officers. (Ch. 67, Acts 1925.)

### CONSTITUTIONAL COMMISSION

The appointment of this commission by the Governor was directed by House Joint Resolution No. 5, adopted by the legislature of 1920 on March 9. Its purpose is to study the constitution and the needs of the state and to make a report of its findings to the Governor for transmittal to the 1931 session of the legislature. At least one member must be appointed from each congressional district and agriculture, public utilities, labor, coal, manufacturing, oil and gas and the legal profession were to be represented in its personnel. Under the terms of the resolution, Governor Conley made the following appointments:

#### Members

Frank Lively, member Supreme Court of Appeals.....Charleston  
C. W. Dillon, lawyer.....Fayetteville  
George M. Alexander, representing utilities.....Fairmont  
J. G. Bradley, representing coal.....Dundon  
Edward W. Knight, lawyer.....Charleston  
Kemble White, representing oil and gas.....Fairmont  
John B. Easton, representing labor.....Williamstown  
E. S. Humphreys, representing agriculture.....Belleville  
Emory Tyler, lawyer.....Keyser  
D. J. F. Strother, lawyer.....Welch  
Wright Hugus, representing manufacturers.....Wheeling

### STATE EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS

West Virginia University, Morgantown—John R. Turner, President; Salary	\$ 15,000
Marshall College, Huntington—Morris P. Sbowkey, President; Salary....	7,000
Fairmont State Normal School, Fairmont—Joseph Rosier, President; Salary	6,250
Glenville State Normal School, Glenville—E. G. Rohrbough, President; Salary .....	5,250
West Liberty Normal School, West Liberty—John S. Bonar, President; Salary.....	4,500
Shepherd College State Normal School, Shepherdstown—W. H. S. White, President; Salary.....	4,750

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Concord State Normal School, Athens—J. Frank Marsh, President; Salary	6,000
Potomac State School, Keyser—Joseph W. Stayman, President; Salary....	4,750
New River State School, Montgomery—C. H. Martin, President; Salary....	4,750
West Virginia State College, Institute—John W. Davls, President; Salary	5,250
Bluefield Colored Institute, Bluefield—R. P. Sims, President; Salary.....	4,200
West Virginia Schools for the Deaf and Blind, Romney—Parley DeBerry, Superintendent; Salary.....	3,600
State Schools for Colored Deaf and Blind, Institute—James L. Hill, Super- intendent; Salary.....	2,400

STATE HOSPITALS AND SANITARIUMS

Weston State Hospital, Weston—Cecil Denham, Superintendent; Salary.. \$	6,000
Spencer State Hospital, Spencer, D. D. Chapman, Superintendent; Salary..	6,000
State Hospital for Colored Insane, Lakin—C. C. Barnett, Superintendent; Salary.....	3,000
Huntington State Hospital, Huntington—W. D. McClung, Superintendent; Salary .....	7,000
Welch Hospital No. 1, Welch—A. G. Rutherford, Superintendent; Salary...	6,000
McKendree Hospital No. 2, McKendree—M. V. Godbey, Superintendent; Salary .....	4,800
Fairmont Hospital No. 3, Fairmont—William A. Welton, Superintendent; Salary .....	4,200
State Tuberculosis Sanitarium, Hopemont—Geo. F. Evans, Acting Superin- tendent; Salary.....	4,200
State Colored Tuberculosis Sanitarium, Denmar—B. A. Crichtlow, Superin- tendent; Salary.....	4,000
Rutherford State Sanitarium, Beckley—Geo. F. Grissinger, Superintendent; Salary .....	4,000

STATE CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS

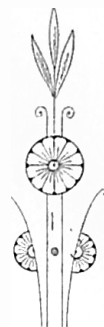
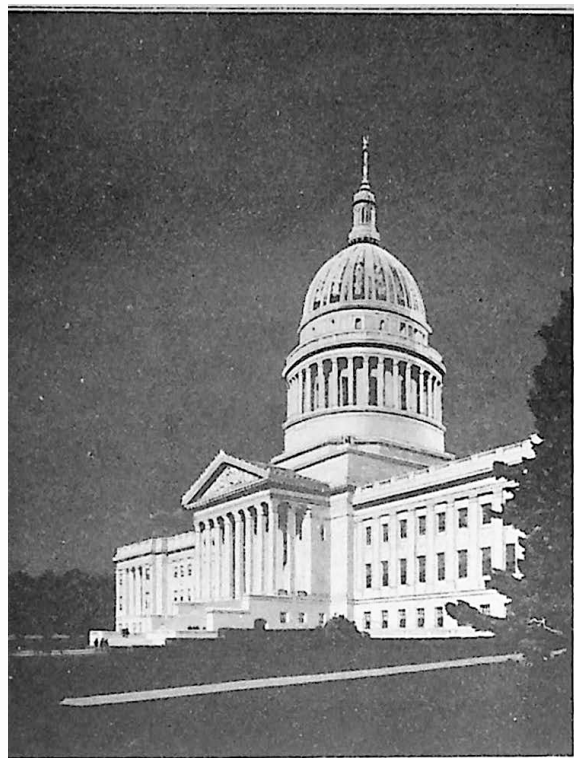
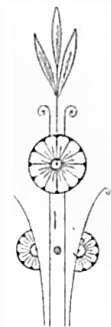
West Virginia Children's Home, Elkins—Mrs. Jessica P. Lehman, Superin- tendent; Salary.....	\$ 2,100
West Virginia Colored Orphans' Home, Huntington—H. H. Ralley, Super- intendent; Salary.....	1,800
State Home for Aged and Infirm Colored Men and Women, Huntington— Jacob H. Johnson, Superintendent; Salary.....	1,800
West Virginia Training School (site selected at St. Marys in October, 1929, but no buildings yet erected or superintendent selected.)	

STATE CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTIONS

The West Virginia Penitentiary, Moundsville—A. C. Scroggins, Warden; Salary .....	\$ 5,000
West Virginia Industrial School for Boys, Pruntytown—H. E. Flesher, Super- intendent; Salary.....	3,000
West Virginia Industrial Home for Girls, Industrial—Jennie F. Sutton, Super- intendent; Salary.....	2,700
State Industrial School for Colored Boys, Lakin—S. S. Gordon, Superinten- dent; salary .....	2,220
State Industrial Home for Colored Girls, Huntington—Mrs. Fannie Cobb Carter, Superintendent; Salary.....	2,100

ANNUAL SALARIES OF STATE OFFICERS AND JUDGES

Governor .....	\$ 10,000
Secretary of State .....	7,000
State Superintendent of Free Schools .....	7,000
Auditor .....	7,000
Treasurer .....	7,000
Attorney General .....	7,000
Commissioner of Agriculture .....	7,000
Supreme Court Judges (each) .....	10,000
State Tax Commissioner .....	6,000
Members of the State Board of Control (each) .....	6,000
Members of the Public Service Commission (each) .....	6,000
Compensation Commissioner .....	6,000
Commissioner of Banking .....	6,000
Chief of Department of Mines .....	7,000
Commissioner of Labor .....	4,000
Health Commissioner .....	4,800
State Fire Marshall .....	4,000
State Historian and Archivist .....	3,000
State Road Commissioners (each) .....	7,500
State Librarian .....	3,000
Adjutant General .....	4,000
Superintendent Department of Public Safety .....	5,000
State Commissioner of Prohibition .....	5,000
Director Bureau of Negro Welfare .....	3,600
Superintendent of Building and Grounds .....	2,100
Circuit Judges:	
(1) In circuits of 100,000 population, or more, census of 1910.....	7,500
In circuits of more than 60,000 population.....	5,500
In circuits of less than 60,000 population.....	5,000
(2) \$2,000 additional, payable out of the county treasury, prorated among the counties in circuits having a population of 100,000 or more, according to the United States census estimate of July 1, 1926.	
In the Ninth Circuit the Judge receives \$2,000 additional, \$1,200 from Mercer county and \$800 from Wyoming county.	
In the Sixteenth Circuit, Marion county is authorized to pay not to exceed \$2,200 from the county treasury.	
In the Twenty-third Circuit, the counties of Berkeley, Morgan and Jefferson are authorized to pay from the county treasuries, not to exceed \$2,500.	



STATE CAPITOL FRONT VIEW



## **PART II**

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# Declaration of Independence

In Congress July 4, 1776.

NOTE.—The delegates of the United Colonies of New Hampshire; Massachusetts Bay; Rhode Island and Providence Plantations; Connecticut; New York; New Jersey; Pennsylvania; New Castle, Kent and Sussex in Delaware; Maryland, Virginia; North Carolina, and South Carolina, Congress assembled at Philadelphia, Resolved on the 10th of May, 1776, to recommend to the respective assemblies and conventions of the United Colonies, where no government sufficient to the exigencies of their affairs had been established, to adopt such a government as should, in the opinion of the representatives of the people, best conduce to the happiness and safety of their constituents in particular, and of America in general. A preamble to this resolution, agreed to on the 15th of May, stated the intention to be totally to suppress the exercise of every kind of authority under the British crown. On the 7th of June, certain resolutions respecting independency were moved and seconded. On the 10th of June it was resolved, that a committee should be appointed to prepare a declaration to the following effect: "That the United Colonies are, and of right ought to be free and independent States; that they are absolved from all allegiance to the British crown; and that all political connection between them and the State of Great Britain is, and ought to be, totally dissolved." On the preceding day it was determined that the committee for preparing the declaration should consist of five, and they were chosen accordingly, in the following order: Mr. Jefferson, Mr. J. Adams, Mr. Franklin, Mr. Sherman, Mr. R. R. Livingston. On the 11th of June a resolution was passed to appoint a committee to prepare and digest the form of a confederation to be entered into between the colonies, and another committee to prepare a plan of treaties to be proposed to foreign powers. On the 12th of June, it was resolved: that a committee of Congress should be appointed by the name of a board of war and ordnance, to consist of five members. On the 25th of June, a declaration of the deputies of Pennsylvania, met in provincial conference, expressing their willingness to concur in a vote declaring the United Colonies free and independent States, was laid before Congress and read. On the 28th of June, the committee appointed to prepare a declaration of independence brought in a draft, which was read, and ordered to lie on the table. On the 1st of July, a resolution of the convention of Maryland, passed the 28th of June, authorizing the deputies of that colony to concur in declaring the United Colonies free and independent States, was laid before Congress and read. On the same day Congress resolved itself into a committee of the whole, to take into consideration the resolution respecting independency. On the 2d of July, a resolution declaring the colonies free and independent States was adopted. A declaration to that effect was, on the same and following days, taken into further consideration. Finally, on the 4th of July, the Declaration of Independence was agreed to, engrossed on paper, signed by John Hancock as president, and directed to be sent to the several assemblies, conventions, and committees, or councils of safety, and to the several commanding officers of the continental troops, and to be proclaimed in each of the United States, and at the head of the Army. It was also ordered to be entered upon the Journals of Congress, and on the 2d of August, a copy engrossed on parchment was signed by all but one of the fifty-six signers, whose names are appended to it. That one was Matthew Thornton of New Hampshire, who on taking his seat in November asked and obtained the privilege of signing it. Several who signed it on the 2d of August were absent when it was adopted on the 4th of July; but, approving of it, they thus signified their approbation.

*The Unanimous Declaration of the Thirteen United States of America.*

(Adopted by the Continental Congress July 2, and authenticated and proclaimed July 4, 1776.)

When in the course of human events it becomes necessary for one people to dissolve the political bands which have connected them with another, and to assume among the powers of the earth the separate and equal station to which the laws of nature and of nature's God entitle them, a decent respect to the opinions of mankind requires that they should declare the causes which impel them to the separation.

We hold these truths to be self-evident; that all men are created equal; that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable rights; that among these are life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness; that to secure these rights governments are instituted among men, deriving their just powers from the consent of the governed; that whenever any form of government becomes destructive of these ends, it is the right of the people to alter or to abolish it, and to institute a new government, laying its foundation on such principles, and organizing its powers in such form, as to them shall seem most likely to effect their safety and happiness. Prudence, indeed, will dictate that governments long established should not be changed for light and transient causes; and, accordingly, all experience hath shown that mankind are more disposed to suffer, while evils are sufferable, than to right themselves by abolishing the forms to which they are accustomed. But when a long train of abuses and usurpations, pursuing invariably the same object, evinces a design to reduce them under absolute despotism, it is their right, it is their duty, to throw off such government, and to provide new guards for their future security. Such has been the patient sufferance of these colonies, and such is now the necessity which constrains them to alter their former systems of government. The history of the present king of Great Britain is a history of repeated injuries and usurpations, all having in direct object the establishment of an absolute tyranny over these states. To prove this, let facts be submitted to a candid world:

He has refused his assent to laws the most wholesome and necessary for the public good.

He has forbidden his governors to pass laws of immediate and pressing importance, unless suspended in their operation till his assent should be obtained, and, when so suspended, he has utterly neglected to attend to them.

He has refused to pass other laws for the accommodation of large districts of people, unless those people would relinquish the right of representation in the legislature—a right inestimable to them, and formidable to tyrants only.

He has called together legislative bodies at places unusual, uncomfortable, and distant from the depository of their public records, for the sole purpose of fatiguing them into compliance with his measures.

He has dissolved representative houses repeatedly for opposing with manly firmness, his invasions on the rights of the people.

He has refused for a long time after such dissolutions, to cause others to be elected; whereby the legislative powers, incapable of annihilation, have returned to the people at large for their exercise; the state remaining, in the meantime, exposed to all the dangers of invasion from without and convulsions within.

He has endeavored to prevent the population of these states, for that purpose obstructing the law for naturalization of foreigners; refusing to pass others to encourage their migrations hither and raising the conditions of new appropriation of lands.

He has obstructed the administration of justice by refusing his assent to laws for establishing judiciary powers.

He has made judges dependent on his will alone for the tenure to their offices and the amount and payment of their salaries.

He has erected a multitude of new offices, and sent hither swarms of officers to harass our people and eat out their substance.

He has kept among us, in times of peace, standing armies, without the consent of our legislatures.

He has effected to render the military independent of, and superior to, the civil power.

He has combined with others to subject us to a Jurisdiction foreign to our constitution and unacknowledged by our laws, giving his assent to their acts of pretended legislation—

For quartering large bodies of armed troops among us;

For protecting them, by a mock trial, from punishment for any murders which they should commit on the inhabitants of these states;

For cutting off our trade with all parts of the world;

For imposing taxes on us without our consent :

For depriving us, in many cases, of the benefits of trial by jury :

For transporting us beyond seas, to be tried for pretended offenses :

For abolishing the free system of English laws in a neighboring province ;  
 establishing therein an arbitrary government, and enlarging its boundaries, so  
 as to render it at once an example and fit instrument for introducing the same  
 absolute rule into these colonies ;

For taking away our charters, abolishing our most valuable laws, and altering  
 fundamentally the forms of our governments ;

For suspending our own legislatures, and declaring themselves invested with  
 power to legislate for us in all cases whatsoever.

He has abdicated government here by declaring us out of his protection and  
 waging war against us.

He has plundered our seas, ravaged our coasts, burnt our towns, and destroyed  
 the lives of our people.

He is at this time, transporting large armies of foreign mercenaries to comple-  
 te the works of death, desolation and tyranny, already begun, with circum-  
 stances of cruelty, and perfidy scarcely paralleled in the most barbarous ages, and  
 totally unworthy the head of a civilized nation.

He has constrained our fellow-citizens, taken captive on the high seas, to bear  
 arms against their country, to become the executioners of their friends and  
 brethren, or to fall themselves by their hands.

He has excited domestic insurrection amongst us, and has endeavored to bring  
 on the inhabitants of our frontiers the merciless Indian savages, whose known  
 rule of warfare is an undistinguished destruction of all ages, sexes and con-  
 ditions.

In every stage of these oppressions we have petitioned for redress, in the most  
 humble terms ; our repeated petitions have been answered only by repeated injury.  
 A prince whose character is thus marked by every act which may define a tyrant  
 is unfit to be the ruler of a free people.

Nor have we been wanting in attention to our British brethren. We have  
 warned them, from time to time of attempts, by their legislature, to extend an  
 unwarrantable jurisdiction over us. We have reminded them of the circum-  
 stances of our emigration and settlement here. We have appealed to their  
 native justice and magnanimity ; and we have conjured them, by the ties of our  
 common kindred to disavow these usurpations, which would inevitably interrupt  
 our connections and correspondence. They, too, have been deaf to the voice of  
 justice and of consanguinity. We must, therefore, acquiesce in the necessity  
 which denounces our separation, and hold them, as we hold the rest of mankind,  
 enemies in war, in peace friends.

We, therefore, the representatives of the United States of America, in general  
 congress assembled, appealing to the Supreme Judge of the world for the recti-  
 tude of our intentions, do in the name and by the authority of the good people  
 of these colonies, solemnly publish and declare, that these united colonies are,  
 and of right ought to be, free and independent states ; that they are absolved  
 from all allegiance to the British crown, and that all political connection between  
 them and the state of Great Britain is, and ought to be, totally dissolved ; and  
 that, as free and independent states, they have full power to levy war, conclude  
 peace, contract alliances, establish commerce, and do all other acts and things  
 which independent states may of right do. And for the support of this declaration,  
 with a firm reliance on the protection of Divine Providence, we mutually pledge  
 to each other our lives, our fortunes, and our sacred honor.

JOHN HANCOCK.

New Hampshire—Josiah Bartlett, Wm. Whipple, Matthew Thornton.

Massachusetts Bay—Saml. Adams, John Adams, Robt. Treat Paine, Elbridge  
 Gerry.

Rhode Island, &c.—Step. Hopkins, Willam Ellery.

Connecticut—Roger Sherman, Sam'el Huntington, Wm. Williams, Oliver Walcott.

New York—Wm. Floyd, Phil. Livingston, Frans. Lewis, Lewis Morris.

New Jersey—Richd. Stockton, Jno. Witherspoon, Fras. Hopkinson, John Hart, Abra. Clark.

Pennsylvania—Robt. Morris, Benjamin Rush, Benja. Franklin, John Morton, Geo. Clymer, Jas. Smith, Geo. Taylor, James Wilson, Geo. Ross.

Delaware—Caesar Rodney, Geo. Read, Tho. M'Kean.

Maryland—Samuel Chase, Wm. Paca, Thos. Stone, Charles Carroll of Carrollton.

Virginia—George Wythe, Richard Henry Lee, Th. Jefferson, Benja. Harrison, Thos. Nelson, Jr., Francis Lightfoot Lee, Carter Braxton.

North Carolina—Wm. Hooper, Joseph Hewes, John Penn.

South Carolina—Edward Rutledge, Thos. Heyward, Junr., Thomas Lynch, Junr., Arthur Middleton.

Georgia—Button Gwinnett, Lyman Hall, Geo. Walton.

# Articles of Confederation

## *And Perpetual Union Between the States.*

NOTE.—Congress Resolved, on the 11th of June, 1776, that a committee should be appointed to prepare and digest the form of a confederation to be entered into between the Colonies; and on the day following, after it had been determined that the committee should consist of a member from each Colony, the following persons were appointed to perform that duty, to-wit: Mr. Bartlett, Mr. S. Adams, Mr. Hopkins, Mr. Sherman, Mr. R. K. Livingston, Mr. Dickinson, Mr. M'Kean, Mr. Stone, Mr. Nelson, Mr. Hewes, Mr. E. Rutledge, and Mr. Gwinnett. Upon the report of this committee, the subject was, from time to time, debated, until the 15th of November, 1777, when a copy of the confederation being made out, and sundry amendments made in the diction without altering the sense, the same was finally agreed to. Congress, at the same time, directed that the articles should be proposed to the legislatures of all of the United States, to be considered, and if approved of by them, they were advised to authorize their delegates to ratify the same in the Congress of the United States; which being done, the same should become conclusive. Three hundred copies of the Articles of Confederation were ordered to be printed for the use of Congress; and on the 17th of November, the form of a circular letter to accompany them was brought in by a committee appointed to prepare it, and being agreed to, thirteen copies of it were ordered to be made out, to be signed by the president and forwarded to the several States, with copies of the confederation. On the 29th of November ensuing, a committee of three was appointed, to procure a translation of the articles to be made into the French language, and to report an address to the inhabitants of Canada, &c. On the 26th of June, 1778, the form of a ratification of the Articles of Confederation was adopted, and, it having been engrossed on parchment, it was signed on the 9th of July on the part and in behalf of their respective States, by the delegates of New Hampshire, Massachusetts Bay, Rhode Island and Providence Plantations, Connecticut, New York, Pennsylvania, Virginia, and South Carolina, agreeably to the powers vested in them. The delegates of North Carolina signed on the 21st of July, those of Georgia on the 24th of July, and those of New Jersey on the 26th of November following. On the 5th of May, 1779, Mr. Dickinson and Mr. Van Dyke signed in behalf of the State of Delaware, Mr. M'Kean having previously signed in February, at which time he produced a power to that effect. Maryland did not ratify until the year 1781. She had instructed her delegates, on the 15th of December, 1778, not to agree to the confederation until matters respecting the western lands should be settled on principles of equity and sound policy; but on the 30th of January, 1781, finding that the enemies of the country took advantage of the circumstances to disseminate opinions of an ultimate dissolution of the Union, the legislature of the State passed an act to empower their delegates to subscribe and ratify the articles which was accordingly done by Mr. Hanson and Mr. Carroll, on the 1st of March of that year, which completed the ratifications of the act; and Congress assembled on the 2d day of March and under the new powers.

(Adopted by the Congress of the United States November 15, 1777, and submitted for ratification to the several states. Ratification consummated and proclaimed March 1, 1781.

### SUMMARY

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ART. 13. States bound by decisions of congress—Union to be perpetual—changes in Articles to be agreed to by every state—ratification and pledge.

TO ALL WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, WE THE UNDERSIGNED, DELEGATES OF THE STATES AFFIXED TO OUR NAMES, SEND GREETING :

*Whereas*, the delegates of the United States of America in congress assembled, did on the fifteenth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy-seven, and in the second year of the independence of America, agree to certain articles of confederation and perpetual union between the states of New Hampshire, Massachusetts Bay, Rhode Island and Providence Plantations, Connecticut, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland, Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina and Georgia, in the words following, viz :

ARTICLES OF CONFEDERATION AND PERPETUAL UNION, BETWEEN THE STATES OF NEW HAMPSHIRE, MASSACHUSETTS BAY, RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS, CONNECTICUT, NEW YORK, NEW JERSEY, PENNSYLVANIA, DELAWARE, MARYLAND, VIRGINIA, NORTH CAROLINA, SOUTH CAROLINA AND GEORGIA :

ARTICLE 1. The style of this confederacy shall be "The United States of America."

ART. 2. Each state retains its sovereignty, freedom and independence, and every power, jurisdiction and right which is not by this confederation expressly delegated to the United States, in congress assembled.

ART. 3. The said states hereby severally enter into a firm league of friendship with each other for their common defense, the security of their liberties, and their mutual and general welfare, binding themselves to assist each other against all force offered to or attacks made upon them, or any of them, on account of religion, sovereignty, trade or any other pretense whatever.

ART. 4. The better to secure and perpetuate mutual friendship and intercourse among the people of the different states in this union, the free inhabitants of each of these states, paupers, vagabonds and fugitives from justice excepted, shall be entitled to all privileges and immunities of free citizens in the several states;

and the people of each state shall have free ingress and egress to and from any other state, and shall enjoy therein all the privileges of trade and commerce, subject to the same duties, impositions and restrictions as the inhabitants thereof respectively; provided that such restrictions shall not extend so far as to prevent the removal of property imported into any state to any other state of which the owner is an inhabitant; provided, also that no imposition, duties or restrictions, shall be laid by any state on the property of the United States, or either of them.

If any person guilty of or charged with treason, felony or other high misdemeanor in any state shall flee from justice, and be found in any of the United States, he shall upon demand of the governor or executive power of the state from which he fled, be delivered up and removed to the state having jurisdiction of his offense.

Full faith and credit shall be given in each of these states to the records, acts and judicial proceedings of the courts and magistrates of every other state.

ART. 5. For the more convenient management of the general interests of the United States, delegates shall be annually appointed, in such manner as the legislature of each state shall direct, to meet in congress on the first Monday in November, in every year, with power reserved to each state to recall its delegates, or any of them, at any time within the year, and to send others in their stead for the remainder of the year.

No state shall be represented in congress by less than two, nor by more than seven, members; and no person shall be capable of being a delegate for more than three years in any term of six years; nor shall any person, being a delegate, be capable of holding any office under the United States for which he, or another for his benefit, receives any salary, fees or emoluments of any kind.

Each state shall maintain its own delegates in a meeting of the states, and while they act as members of the committee of the states.

In determining questions in the United States in congress assembled, each state shall have one vote.

Freedom of speech and debate in congress shall not be impeached or questioned in any court or place out of congress, and the members of congress shall be protected in their persons from arrest and imprisonments, during the time of their going to and from and attendance on congress, except for treason, felony or breach of the peace.

ART. 6. No state, without the consent of the United States in congress assembled, shall send any embassy to, or receive any embassy from, or enter into any conference, agreement, alliance or treaty with any king, prince or state; nor shall any persons holding any office of profit or trust under the United States, or any of them, accept of any present, emolument, office or title of any kind whatever, from any king, prince or foreign state; nor shall the United States in congress assembled, or any of them, grant any title of nobility.

No two or more states shall enter into any treaty, confederation or alliance whatever between them, without the consent of the United States in congress assembled, specifying accurately the purposes for which the same is to be entered into, and how long it shall continue.

No state shall lay any imposts or duties which may interfere with any stipulations in treaties, entered into by the United States in congress assembled, with any king, prince or state, in pursuance of any treaties already proposed by congress, to the courts of France and Spain.

No vessels of war shall be kept up in time of peace by any state, except such number only as shall be deemed necessary by the United States, in congress assembled, for the defense of such state, or its trade, nor shall any body of forces be kept up by any state, in time of peace, except such number only as in the judgment of the United States, in congress assembled, shall be deemed requisite to garrison the forts necessary for the defense of such state, but every state shall always keep up a well regulated and disciplined militia, sufficiently armed and accoutered, and shall provide and constantly have ready for use, in public stores, a due number of field pieces and tents, and a proper quantity of arms, ammunition and camp equipage.



No state shall engage in any war, without the consent of the United States in congress assembled, unless such state be actually invaded by enemies, or shall have received certain advice of a resolution being formed by some nation of Indians to invade such state, and the danger is so imminent as not to admit of a delay till the United States, in congress assembled, can be consulted; nor shall any state grant commissions to any ships, or vessels of war, nor letters of marque or reprisal, except it be after a declaration of war by the United States, in congress assembled, and then only against the kingdom or state, and the subjects thereof, against which war has been so declared, and under such regulations as shall be established by the United States, in congress assembled, unless such state be infested by pirates, in which case vessels of war may be fitted out for that occasion, and kept so long as the danger shall continue, or until the United States, in congress assembled, shall determine otherwise.

ART. 7. When land forces are raised by any state for the common defense, all officers of or under the rank of colonel shall be appointed by the legislature of each state, respectively, by whom such forces shall be raised, or in such manner as such state shall direct, and all vacancies shall be filled up by the state which first made the appointment.

ART. 8. All charges of war, and all other expenses that shall be incurred for the common defense or general warfare, and allowed by the United States in congress assembled, shall be defrayed out of a common treasury, which shall be supplied by the several states, in proportion to the value of all land within each state, granted to, or surveyed for, any person, as such land and the building and improvements thereon, shall be estimated, according to such mode as the United States in congress assembled shall, from time to time, direct and appoint.

The taxes for paying that proportion shall be laid and levied by the authority and direction of the legislatures of the several states within the time agreed upon by the United States, in congress assembled.

ART. 9. The United States, in congress assembled, shall have the sole and exclusive right and power of determining on peace and war, except in the cases mentioned in the sixth article, of sending and receiving ambassadors, entering into treaties and alliances, provided that no treaty of commerce shall be made whereby the legislative power of the respective states shall be restrained from imposing such imposts and duties on foreigners as their own people are subjected to, or from prohibiting the exportation or importation of any species of goods or commodities whatsoever; of establishing rules for deciding, in all cases, what captures on land or water shall be legal, and in what manner prizes taken by land or naval forces in the service of the United States shall be divided or appropriated; of granting letters of marque and reprisal in times of peace; appointing courts for the trial of piracies and felonies committed on the high seas, and establishing courts for receiving and determining finally appeals in all cases of capture; provided that no member of congress shall be appointed a judge of any of the said courts.

The United States, in congress assembled, shall also be the last resort on appeal in all disputes and differences now subsisting, or that hereafter may arise, between two or more states concerning boundary, jurisdiction, or any other cause whatever which authority shall always be exercised in the manner following: Whenever the legislature or executive authority or lawful agent of any state in controversy with another shall present a petition, to congress, stating the matter in question and praying for a hearing, notice thereof shall be given by order of congress to the legislative or executive authority of the other state in controversy, and a day assigned for the appearance of the parties by their lawful agent, who shall then be directed to appoint, by joint consent, commissioners or judges to constitute a court for hearing and determining of the matter in question; but, if they can not agree, congress shall name three persons out of each of the United States, and from the list of such persons each party shall alternately strike out one, the petitioners beginning, until the number shall be reduced to thirteen, and from that number not less than seven nor more than nine names, as congress shall direct, shall, in the presence of congress, be

drawn out by lot, and the persons whose names shall be so drawn, or any five of them, shall be commissioners or judges to hear and finally determine the controversy, so always as a major part of the judges who shall hear the cause shall agree in the determination; and if either party shall neglect to attend at the day appointed without showing reasons which congress shall judge sufficient; or, being present shall refuse to strike, the congress shall proceed to nominate three persons out of each state, and the secretary of congress shall strike in behalf of such party absent or refusing; and the judgment and sentence of the court to be appointed in the manner before prescribed shall be final and conclusive; and if any of the parties shall refuse to submit to the authority of such court, or to appear or defend their claim or cause, the court shall nevertheless proceed to pronounce sentence or judgment which shall in like manner be final and decisive; the judgment or sentence and other proceedings being in either case transmitted to congress, and lodged among the acts of congress, for the security of the parties concerned; provided that every commissioner before he sits in judgment, shall take an oath, to be administered by one of the judges of the supreme or superior court of the state where the cause shall be tried, "well and truly to hear and determine the matter in question, according to the best of his judgment, without favor, affection or hope of reward:" provided, also, that no state shall be deprived of territory for the benefit of the United States.

All controversies concerning the private right of soil, claimed under different grants of two or more states whose jurisdiction, as they may respect such lands, and states which passed such grants, are adjusted, the said grants or either of them being at the same time claimed to have originated antecedent to such settlement of jurisdiction shall, on the petition of either party to the congress of the United States, be finally determined, as near as may be, in the same manner as before prescribed for deciding disputes respecting territorial jurisdiction between different states.

The United States, in congress assembled, shall also have the sole and exclusive right and power of regulating the alloy and value of coin struck by their own authority, or by that of the respective states, fixing the standard of weights and measures throughout the United States; regulating the trade and managing all affairs with the Indians, not members of any of the states; provided, that the legislative right of any state within its own limits, be not infringed or violated; establishing and regulating post offices from one state to another, throughout all the United States, and exacting such postage on the papers passing through the same as may be requisite to defray the expenses of the said office; appointing all officers of the land forces in the service of the United States, excepting regimental officers; appointing all officers of the naval forces, and commissioning all officers whatever in the service of the United States; making rules for the government and regulation of the said land and naval forces, and directing their operations.

The United States, in congress assembled, shall have authority to appoint a committee, to sit in the recess of congress, to be denominated "A Committee of the States," and to consist of one delegate from each state, and to appoint such other committees and civil officers as may be necessary for managing the general affairs of the United States under their direction; to appoint one of their number to preside; provided that no person be allowed to serve in the office of president more than one year in any term of three years; to ascertain the necessary sums of money to be raised for the service of the United States, and to appropriate and apply the same for defraying the public expense; to borrow money or emit bills on the credit of the United States, transmitting every half year to the respective states an account of the sums of money so borrowed or emitted; to build and equip a navy; to agree upon the number of land forces, and to make requisitions from each state for its quota, in proportion to the number of white inhabitants in such state, which requisition shall be binding; and thereupon the legislature of each state shall appoint the regimental officers, raise the men, and clothe, arm and equip them, in a soldier-like manner, at the

expense of the United States; and the officers and men, so clothed, armed and equipped, shall march to the place appointed, and within the time agreed on, by the United States, in congress assembled, but if the United States in congress assembled, shall, on consideration of circumstances, judge proper that any state should not raise men, or should raise a smaller number than its quota, and that any other state should raise a greater number of men than the quota thereof, such extra number shall be raised, officered, clothed, armed and equipped in the same manner as the quota of such state, unless the legislature of such state shall judge that such extra number can not be safely spared out of the same, in which case they shall raise, officer, clothe, arm and equip as many of such extra number as they judge can be safely spared, and the officers and men, so clothed, armed and equipped, shall march to the place appointed, and within the time agreed on, by the United States, in congress assembled.

The United States, in congress assembled, shall never engage in a war, nor grant letters of marque and reprisal in time of peace, nor enter into any treaties or alliances, nor coin money, nor regulate the value thereof, nor ascertain the sums and expenses necessary for the defense and welfare of the United States, or any of them, nor emit bills, nor borrow money on the credit of the United States, nor appropriate money, nor agree upon the number of vessels of war to be built or purchased, or the number of land or sea forces to be raised, nor appoint a commander-in-chief of the army, or navy, unless nine states assent to the same, nor shall a question on any other point, except for adjourning from day to day, be determined, unless by the votes of a majority of the United States, in congress assembled.

The congress of the United States shall have power to adjourn to any time within the year, and to any place within the United States so that no period of adjournment be for a longer duration than the space of six months, and shall publish the journal of their proceedings monthly except such parts thereof relating to treaties, alliances or military operations as in their judgment requires secrecy; and the yeas and nays of the delegates of each state, on any question, shall be entered on the journal, when it is desired by any delegate; and the delegates of a state or any of them, at his or their request, shall be furnished with a transcript of the said journal, except such parts as are above excepted, to lay before the legislature of the several states.

ART. 10. The committee of the states or any nine of them, shall be authorized to execute, in the recess of congress, such of the powers of congress as the United States, in congress assembled, by the consent of nine states shall, from time to time, think expedient to vest them with; provided, that no power be delegated to the said committee, for the exercise of which by the articles of confederation, the voice of nine states, in the congress of the United States assembled, is requisite.

ART. 11. Canada accedng to this conference and joining in the measures of the United States, shall be admitted into and entitled to all the advantages of this union; but no other colony shall be admitted into the same, unless such admission be agreed to by nine states.

ART. 12. All bills of credit emitted, moneys borrowed and debts contracted by or under the authority of congress, before the assembling of the United States in pursuance of the present confederation, shall be deemed and considered as a charge against the United States, for payment and satisfaction whereof the said United States and the public faith are hereby solemnly pledged.

ART. 13. Every state shall abide by the determination of the United States, in congress assembled, on all questions which by this confederation are submitted to them. And the articles of this confederation shall be inviolably observed by every state, and the union shall be perpetual nor shall any alteration at any time hereafter be made in any of them, unless such alteration be agreed to in a congress of the United States, and be afterwards confirmed by the legislatures of every state.

And whereas it hath pleased the great Governor of the world to incline the

hearts of the legislatures we respectively represent in congress to approve of, and to authorize us to ratify the said articles of confederation and perpetual union. Know ye, that we, the undersigned delegates, by virtue of the power and authority to us given for that purpose, do, by these presents, in the name and in behalf of our respective constituents, fully and entirely ratify and confirm each and every of the said articles of confederation and perpetual union, and all and singular the matters and things therein contained. And we do further solemnly plight and engage the faith of our respective constituents that they shall abide by the determinations of the United States, in congress assembled, on all questions which by the said confederation are submitted to them; and that the articles shall be inviolably observed by the states we respectively represent, and that the union shall be perpetual. In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our hands, in congress.

Done at Philadelphia in the State of Pennsylvania, on the 9th day of July, in the year of our Lord 1778, and in the third year of the Independence of America.

On the part and behalf of the State of New Hampshire—Josiah Bartlett, John Wentworth, Jun. (August 8, 1778.)

On the part and behalf of the State of Massachusetts Bay—John Hancock, Samuel Adams, Elbridge Gerry, Francis Dana, James Lovell, Samuel Holten.

On the part and behalf of the State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations—William Ellery, Henry Marchant, John Collins.

On the part and behalf of the State of Connecticut—Roger Sherman, Samuel Huntington, Oliver Wolcott, Titus Hosmer, Andrew Adams.

On the part and behalf of the State of New York—Jas. Duane, Fra. Lewis, Wm. Duer, Gov. Morris.

On the part and behalf of the State of New Jersey—Jno. Witherspoon, Nahl. Scudder. (November 26, 1778.)

On the part and behalf of the State of Pennsylvania—Robt. Morris, Daniel Roberdean, Jona. Bayard Smith, William Clingan, Joseph Reed. (July 22, 1778.)

On the part and behalf of the State of Delaware—Thomas M'Kean (February 12, 1779), John Dickinson (May 5, 1779), Nicholas Van Dyke.

On the part and behalf of the State of Maryland—John Hanson (March 1, 1781), Daniel Carroll (March 1, 1781.)

On the part and behalf of the State of Virginia—Richard Henry Lee, John Bannister, Thomas Adams, Jno. Harvie, Francis Lightfoot Lee.

On the part and behalf of the State of North Carolina—John Penn (July 21, 1778), Corns. Harnett, Jno. Williams.

On the part and behalf of the State of South Carolina—Henry Laurens, William Henry Drayton, Jno. Matthews, Rich. Huston, Thomas Heyward, Jun.

On the part and behalf of the State of Georgia—Jno. Walton (July 24, 1778), Edwd. Telfair, Edwd. Langworthy.

# The Constitution of the United States of America\*

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\*In May, 1785, a committee of Congress made a report recommending an alteration in the Articles of Confederation, but no action was taken on it, and it was left to the State Legislatures to proceed in the matter. In January, 1786, the Legislature of Virginia passed a resolution providing for the appointment of five commissioners, who, or any three of them, should meet such commissioners as might be appointed in other States of the Union, at a time and place to be agreed upon, to take into consideration the trade of the United States; to con-

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sider how far a uniform system in their commercial regulations may be necessary to their common interest and their permanent harmony; and to report to the several States such an act, relative to this great object, as, when ratified by them will enable the United States in Congress effectually to provide for the same. The Virginia commissioners, after some correspondence, fixed the first Monday in September as the time, and the city of Annapolis as the place for the meeting, but only four States were represented, viz: Delaware, New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania; the commissioners appointed by Massachusetts, New Hampshire, North Carolina and Rhode Island failed to attend. Under the circumstances of so partial a representation, the commissioners present agreed upon a report (drawn by Mr. Hamilton, of New York), expressing their unanimous conviction that it might essentially tend to advance the interests of the Union if the States by which they were respectively delegated would concur, and use their endeavors to procure the concurrence of the other States, in the appointment of commissioners to meet at Philadelphia on the second Monday of May following, to take into consideration the situation of the United States, to devise such further provisions as should appear to them necessary to render

## PREAMBLE

WE THE PEOPLE of the United States, in Order to form a more perfect Union, establish Justice, insure domestic Tranquillity, provide for the common defence, promote the general Welfare, and secure the Blessings of Liberty to ourselves and our Posterity, do ordain and establish this CONSTITUTION for the United States of America.

## ARTICLE I

## LEGISLATIVE POWER VESTED IN CONGRESS

Section 1. All legislative Powers herein granted shall be vested in a Congress of the United States, which shall consist of a Senate and House of Representatives.

## COMPOSITION OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Section 2. 1. The House of Representatives shall be composed of Members chosen every second Year by the People of the several States, and the Electors in each State shall have the qualifications requisite for Electors of the most numerous Branch of the State Legislature.

## QUALIFICATIONS OF REPRESENTATIVES

2. No person shall be a representative who shall not have attained to the Age of twenty-five Years, and been seven Years a Citizen of the United States, and who shall not, when elected, be an Inhabitant of that State in which he shall be chosen.

## APPOINTMENT OF REPRESENTATIVES AND DIRECT TAXES—CENSUS

3. \* [Representatives and direct Taxes shall be apportioned among the several States which may be included within this Union, according to their respective Numbers, which shall be determined by adding to the whole Number of free Persons, including those bound to Service for a Term of Years, and excluding Indians not taxed, three fifths, of all other Persons.] The actual Enumeration shall be made within three Years after the first Meeting of Congress of the United States, and within every subsequent Term of ten Years, in such Manner as they shall by Law direct. The number of Representatives shall not exceed one for every thirty Thousand, but each State shall have at Least one Representative; and

the Constitution of the Federal government adequate to the exigencies of the Union; and to report such act for that purpose to the United States in Congress assembled as, when agreed to by them and afterwards confirmed by the Legislature of every State, would effectively provide for the same.

Congress, on the 21st of February, 1787, adopted a resolution in favor of a convention and the Legislatures of those States which had not already done so (with the exception of Rhode Island), promptly appointed delegates. On the 25th of May, seven States having convened, George Washington, of Virginia, was unanimously elected President, and the consideration of the proposed constitution was commenced. On the 17th day of September, 1787, the Constitution as engrossed and agreed upon was signed by all the members present, except Mr. Gerry, of Massachusetts, and Messrs. Mason and Randolph, of Virginia. The President of the convention transmitted it to congress, with a resolution stating how the proposed Federal Government should be put in operation, and an explanatory letter. Congress, on the 28th of September, 1787, directed the Constitution so framed, with the resolutions and letter concerning the same, to be transmitted to the several Legislatures in order to be submitted to a convention of delegates chosen in each State by the people thereof, in conformity to the resolves of the convention.

On the 4th of March, 1789, the day which had been fixed for commencing the operations of Government under the new Constitution, it had been ratified by the convention chosen in each State, to consider it, as follows: Delaware, December 7, 1787; Pennsylvania, December 12, 1787; New Jersey, December 18, 1787; Georgia, January 2, 1788; Connecticut, January 9, 1788; Massachusetts, February 6, 1788; Maryland, April 28, 1788; South Carolina, May 23, 1788; New Hampshire, June 21, 1788; Virginia, June 26, 1788; and New York, July 26, 1788. The President informed Congress, on the 28th of January, 1790, that North Carolina had ratified the Constitution November 21, 1789; and he informed Congress on the 1st of June, 1790, that Rhode Island had ratified the Constitution May 29, 1789. Vermont, in convention, ratified the Constitution January 10, 1789, and was, by an act of Congress approved February 19, 1791, "received and admitted into this Union as a new and entire member of the United States."

\*The clause included in brackets is amended by the fourteenth amendment, second section, and by the sixteenth amendment.

until such enumeration shall be made, the State of New Hampshire shall be entitled to chuse three, Massachusetts eight, Rhode Island and Providence Plantations, one, Connecticut five, New York six, New Jersey four, Pennsylvania eight, Delaware one, Maryland six, Virginia ten, North Carolina five, South Carolina five, and Georgia three.

FILLING OF VACANCIES IN REPRESENTATION

4. When vacancies happen in the Representation from any State, the Executive Authority thereof shall issue Writs of Election to fill such vacancies.

SELECTION OF OFFICERS—POWER OF IMPEACHMENT

5. The House of Representatives shall chuse their Speaker and other officers; and shall have the sole Power of Impeachment.

OF THE SENATE

Section 3. 1. †[The Senate of the United States shall be composed of two Senators from each State, chosen by the Legislature thereof, for six Years; and each Senator shall have one Vote.]

CLASSIFICATION OF SENATORS—FILLING OF VACANCIES

2. Immediately after they shall be assembled in Consequence of the first Election, they shall be divided as equally as may be into three Classes. The Seats of the Senators of the first Class shall be vacated at the Expiration of the second Year, of the Second Class at the Expiration of the fourth Year, and of the Third Class at the Expiration of the sixth year, so that one-third may be chosen every second year; †[and if Vacancies happen by Resignation, or otherwise, during the Recess of the Legislature of any State, the Executive thereof may make temporary Appointments until the next Meeting of the Legislature, which shall then fill such Vacancies.]

QUALIFICATIONS OF SENATORS

3. No person shall be a Senator who shall not have attained to the Age of thirty Years, and been nine Years a Citizen of the United States, and who shall not, when elected, be an Inhabitant of that State for which he shall be chosen.

VICE-PRESIDENT TO BE PRESIDENT OF SENATE

4. The Vice-President of the United States shall be President of the Senate, but shall have no Vote, unless they be equally divided.

SELECTION OF SENATE OFFICERS—PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE

5. The Senate shall chuse their other Officers, and also a President pro tempore in the Absence of the Vice-President, or when he shall exercise the office of President of the United States.

SENATE TO TRY IMPEACHMENTS

6. The Senate shall have the sole Power to try all Impeachments. When sitting for that Purpose, they shall be on Oath or Affirmation. When the President of the United States is tried, the Chief Justice shall preside; and no Person shall be convicted without the Concurrence of two-thirds of the Members present.

JUDGMENT IN CASES OF IMPEACHMENT

7. Judgment in Cases of Impeachment shall not extend further than to removal from Office, and Disqualification to hold and enjoy any Office of honor, trust or profit under the United States; but the party convicted shall nevertheless be liable and subject to indictment, trial, judgment and punishment, according to law.

†The first paragraph of Section 3, of Article I, and that part of the second paragraph of Section 3 of Article I, included in brackets have been suspended by the seventeenth amendment. (Article XVII.)



## CONTROL OF CONGRESSIONAL ELECTIONS

Section 4. 1. The Times, Places and Manner of holding Elections for Senators and representatives, shall be prescribed in each State by the Legislature thereof; but the Congress may at any time by Law make or alter such Regulations, except as to the Places of choosing Senators.

## TIME FOR ASSEMBLING OF CONGRESS

2. The Congress shall assemble at least once in every Year, and such Meeting shall be on the first Monday in December, unless they shall by Law appoint a different Day.

## EACH HOUSE TO BE THE JUDGE OF THE ELECTION AND QUALIFICATIONS OF ITS MEMBERS—REGULATION AS TO QUORUM

Section 5. 1. Each House shall be the Judge of the Elections, Returns and Qualifications of its own Members, and a Majority of each shall constitute a quorum to do Business; but a smaller number may adjourn from day to day, and may be authorized to compel the Attendance of absent Members, in such Manner, and under such Penalties as each House may provide.

## EACH HOUSE TO DETERMINE ITS OWN RULES

2. Each House may determine the Rules of its Proceedings, punish its Members for Disorderly Behavior, and, with the Concurrence of two-thirds, expel a Member.

## JOURNALS AND YEAS AND NAYS

3. Each House shall keep a Journal of its Proceedings, and from time to time publish the same, excepting such Parts as may in their Judgment require Secrecy; and the Yeas and Nays of the Members of either House on any question shall, at the Desire of one-fifth of those Present, be entered on the Journal.

## ADJOURNMENT

4. Neither House, during the Session of Congress, shall, without the Consent of the other, adjourn for more than three days, nor to any other Place than that in which the two Houses shall be sitting.

## COMPENSATION AND PRIVILEGES OF MEMBERS OF CONGRESS

Section 6. 1. The Senators and Representatives shall receive a Compensation for their services, to be ascertained by Law, and paid out of the Treasury of the United States. They shall in all Cases, except Treason, Felony and Breach of the Peace, be privileged from Arrest during their Attendance at the Session of their respective Houses, and in going to and returning from the same; and for any Speech or Debate in either House, they shall not be questioned in any other Place.

## INCOMPATIBLE OFFICERS—EXCLUSIONS

2. No Senator or Representative shall, during the Time for which he was elected, be appointed to any civil Office under the Authority of the United States which shall have been created, or the Emoluments whereof shall have been increased during such time; and no person holding any office under the United States, shall be a Member of either House during his Continuance in office.

## REVENUE BILLS TO ORIGINATE IN HOUSE

Section 7. 1. All Bills for raising Revenue shall originate in the House of

Representatives; but the Senate may propose or concur with Amendments as on other Bills.

MANNER OF PASSING BILLS—VETO POWER OF PRESIDENT

2. Every Bill which shall have passed the House of Representatives and the Senate, shall, before it becomes a Law, be presented to the President of the United States; If he approves he shall sign it, but if not he shall return it, with his Objections to that House in which it shall have originated, who shall enter the Objections at large on their Journal, and proceed to reconsider it. If after such Reconsideration two thirds of that House shall agree to pass the Bill, it shall be sent, together with the Objections, to the other House, by which it shall likewise be reconsidered, and if approved by the two thirds of that House, it shall become a Law. But in all such Cases the Votes of both Houses shall be determined by yeas and nays, and the Names of the Persons voting for and against the Bill shall be entered on the Journal of each House respectively. If any Bill shall not be returned by the President within ten Days (Sundays excepted) after it shall have been presented to him, the Same shall be a Law, in like manner as if he had signed it, unless the Congress by their Adjournment prevent its Return, in which Case it shall not be a Law.

CONCURRENT ORDERS, RESOLUTIONS, &C., TO BE PASSED ON BY PRESIDENT

3. Every Order, Resolution, or Vote to which the Concurrence of the Senate and House of Representatives may be necessary (except on a question of Adjournment) shall be presented to the President of the United States: and before the same shall take effect, shall be approved by him, or being disapproved by him, shall be repassed by two thirds of the Senate and House of Representatives, according to the Rules and Limitations prescribed in the Case of a Bill.

\*GENERAL POWERS OF CONGRESS—TAXATION

Section 8. 1. The Congress shall have Power to lay and collect Taxes, Duties, Imposts and Excises, to pay the Debts and provide for the common Defence and general Welfare of the United States: but all Duties, Imposts and Excises shall be uniform throughout the United States.

BORROWING MONEY

2. To borrow Money on the Credit of the United States;

REGULATION OF COMMERCE

3. To regulate Commerce with foreign Nations, and among the several States, and with the Indian Tribes;

NATURALIZATION AND BANKRUPTCY

4. To establish a uniform Rule of Naturalization, and uniform Laws on the subject of Bankruptcies throughout the United States;

MONEY, WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

5. To coin Money, regulate the Value thereof, and of foreign Coin, and fix the Standard of Weights and Measures;

COUNTERFEITING

6. To provide for the punishment of counterfeiting the Securities and current Coin of the United States;

POST OFFICES

7. To establish Post Offices and Post Roads;

\*By Article XVI of the amendments to the Constitution, Congress is given the power to lay and collect taxes on incomes.

## PATENTS AND COPYRIGHTS

8. To promote the Progress of Science and useful Arts, by securing for limited Times to Authors and Inventors the exclusive Right to their respective Writings and Discoveries;

## INFERIOR COURTS

9. To constitute Tribunals inferior to the Supreme Court.

## PIRACIES, FELONIES, &amp;C.

10. To define and punish Piracies and Felonies committed on the high Seas, and Offenses against the Law of Nations;

## WAR—MARQUE AND REPRISAL

11. To declare War, grant Letters of Marque and Reprisal, and make Rules concerning Captures on Land and Water;

## ARMIES

12. To raise and support Armies, but no Appropriation of Money to that Use shall be for a longer Term than two Years;

## NAVY

13. To provide and maintain a Navy;

## LAND AND NAVAL FORCES

14. To make Rules for the Government and Regulation of the land and naval Forces;

## CALLING OUT MILITIA

15. To provide for calling forth the Militia to execute the Laws of the Union, suppress Insurrections and repel Invasions;

## ORGANIZING, ARMING AND DISCIPLINING MILITIA

16. To provide for organizing, arming, and directing the Militia, and for governing such Part of them as may be employed in the Service of the United States, reserving to the States respectively, the Appointment of Officers, and the Authority of training the Militia according to the discipline prescribed by Congress;

## EXCLUSIVE LEGISLATION OVER DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, &amp;C.

17. To exercise exclusive Legislation in all Cases whatsoever, over such District (not exceeding ten Miles square) as may by Cession of particular States, and the Acceptance of Congress, become the Seat of the Government of the United States, and to exercise like Authority over all Places purchased by the Consent of the Legislature of the State in which the Same shall be, for the Erection of Forts, Magazines, Arsenals, Dock Yards, and other needful Buildings; And

## TO ENACT LAWS NECESSARY TO ENFORCE CONSTITUTION

18. To make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing Powers, and all other Powers vested by this constitution in the Government of the United States, or in any Department or Officer thereof.

## MIGRATION OR IMPORTATION OF CERTAIN PERSONS NOT TO BE PROHIBITED BEFORE 1808

Section 9. 1. The Migration or Importation of such Persons as any of the States now existing shall think proper to admit, shall not be prohibited by the Congress prior to the Year one thousand eight hundred and eight, but a tax or

duty may be imposed on such Importations, not exceeding ten dollars for each Person.

WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS NOT TO BE SUSPENDED—EXCEPTION

2. The Privilege of the Writ of Habeas Corpus shall not be suspended, unless when in Cases of Rebellion or Invasion the Public Safety may require it.

BILLS OF ATTAINDER AND EX-POST FACTO LAWS PROHIBITED

3. No Bill of Attainder or ex post facto Law shall be passed.

CAPITATION AND OTHER DIRECT TAXES

4. No Capitation, or other direct Tax shall be laid, unless in Proportion to the Census or Enumeration hereinbefore directed to be taken.

EXPORTS NOT TO BE TAXED

5. No Tax or Duty shall be laid on Articles exported from any State.

NO PREFERENCE TO BE GIVEN TO PORTS OF ANY STATE—INTERSTATE SHIPPING

6. No Preference shall be given by any Regulation of Commerce or Revenue to the Ports of one State over those of another; nor shall Vessels bound to, or from, one State, be obliged to enter, clear, or pay Duties in another.

MONEY, HOW DRAWN FROM TREASURY—FINANCIAL STATEMENTS TO BE PUBLISHED

7. No Money shall be drawn from the Treasury, but in Consequence of Appropriations made by Law; and a regular Statement and Account of the Receipts and Expenditures of all public Money shall be published from time to time.

TITLES OF NOBILITY NOT TO BE GRANTED—ACCEPTANCE BY GOVERNMENT OFFICERS OF FAVORS FROM FOREIGN POWERS

8. No Title of Nobility shall be granted by the United States; And no person holding any office of Profit or Trust under them, shall, without the Consent of the Congress, accept of any present, Emolument, Office, or Title, of any Kind whatever, from any King, Prince or Foreign State.

LIMITATION OF THE POWERS OF THE SEVERAL STATES

Section 10. 1. No State shall enter into any Treaty, Alliance, or Confederation; grant Letters of Marque and Reprisal; coin Money; emit Bills of Credit; make any Thing but gold and silver Coin a Tender in Payment of Debts; pass any Bill of Attainder, ex post facto law, or Law impairing the Obligation of Contracts, or grant any Title of Nobility.

STATE IMPORTS AND DUTIES

2. No State shall, without the Consent of the Congress, lay any Imports or Duties on Imports or Exports, except what may be absolutely necessary for executing its Inspection Laws; and the net Produce of all Duties and Imposts laid by any State on Imports or Exports, shall be for the use of the Treasury of the United States; and all such Laws shall be subject to the Revision and Control of the Congress.

FURTHER RESTRICTIONS ON POWERS OF STATES

3. No State shall, without the Consent of Congress, lay any duty or Tonnage, keep Troops, or Ships of War in time of Peace, enter into any Agreement or Compact with another State, or with a foreign Power, or engage in War, unless actually invaded, or in such imminent Danger as will not admit of delay.

ARTICLE II

OF THE PRESIDENT—THE EXECUTIVE POWER

Section 1. The executive Power shall be vested in a President of the United States of America. He shall hold his office during the Term of four Years, and, together with the Vice President, chosen for the same Term, be elected as follows:

## APPOINTMENT AND QUALIFICATIONS OF PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS

2. Each State shall appoint, in such Manner as the Legislature thereof may direct, a number of Electors, equal to the whole Number of Senators and Representatives to which the State may be entitled in the Congress; but no Senator or Representative, or Person holding an Office of Trust or Profit under the United States, shall be appointed an Elector.

## ORIGINAL METHOD OF ELECTING THE PRESIDENT AND VICE-PRESIDENT

3. \*{The Electors shall meet in their respective States, and vote by Ballot for two Persons, of whom one at least shall not be an Inhabitant of the same State with themselves. And they shall make a List of all the Persons voted for, and of the Number of Votes for each; which List they shall sign and certify, and transmit sealed to the Seat of the Government of the United States, directed to the President of the Senate. The President of the Senate shall, in the Presence of the Senate and House of Representatives, open all the Certificates, and the Votes shall then be counted. The Person having the greatest Number of Votes shall be the President, if such Number be a Majority of the whole Number of Electors appointed; and if there be more than one who have such Majority, and have an equal Number of Votes, then the House of Representatives shall immediately chuse by Ballot one of them for President; and if no Person have a majority, then from the five highest on the List the said House shall in like Manner chuse the President. But in chusing the President, the Votes shall be taken by States, the Representation from each State having one Vote; a quorum for this purpose shall consist of a Member or Members from two-thirds of the States; a Majority of all the States shall be necessary to a Choice. In every Case, after the Choice of the President, the Person having the greatest Number of Votes of the Electors shall be the Vice-President. But if there shall remain two or more who have equal Votes, the Senate shall chuse from them by Ballot the Vice President.]

## CONGRESS MAY DETERMINE TIME OF CHOOSING ELECTORS AND DAY FOR CASTING THEIR VOTES

4. The Congress may determine the Time of choosing the Electors, and the Day on which they shall give their Votes; which Day shall be the same throughout the United States.

## †QUALIFICATIONS FOR THE OFFICE OF PRESIDENT

5. No Person except a natural born Citizen, or a Citizen of the United States, at the time of the Adoption of this Constitution, shall be eligible to the Office of President; neither shall any Person be eligible to that Office who shall not have attained the Age of thirty-five Years, and been fourteen Years a Resident within the United States.

## FILLING VACANCY IN OFFICE OF PRESIDENT

6. In Case of the Removal of the President from Office, or of his Death, Resignation, or Inability to discharge the Powers and Duties of the said Office, the Same shall devolve on the Vice President, and the Congress may by Law provide for the Case of Removal, Death, Resignation, or Inability, both of the President and Vice President, declaring what Officer shall then act as President, and such Officer shall act accordingly, until the Disability be removed, or a President shall be elected.

## COMPENSATION OF THE PRESIDENT

7. The President shall, at stated Times, receive for his Services, a Compensation, which shall neither be increased nor diminished during the Period for

\*This clause has been superseded by the twelfth amendment.

†For qualification of the Vice-President, see Article XII of the Amendments.

which he shall have been elected, and he shall not receive within that Period any other Emolument from the United States, or any of them.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY THE PRESIDENT

8. Before he enters on the Execution of his Office, he shall take the following Oath or Affirmation:—"I do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will faithfully execute the Office of President of the United States, and will, to the best of my ability, preserve, protect and defend the Constitution of the United States."

THE PRESIDENT TO BE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF ARMY AND NAVY AND HEAD OF EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS—MAY GRANT REPRIEVES AND PARDONS

Section 2. 1. The President shall be Commander-in-Chief of the Army and Navy of the United States, and of the Militia of the several States, when called into the Actual Service of the United States; he may require the Opinion, in writing, of the principal Officer in each of the executive Departments, upon any Subject relating to the Duties of their respective Offices, and he shall have Power to grant Reprieves and Pardons for Offenses against the United States, except in Cases of Impeachment.

PRESIDENT MAY, WITH CONCURRENCE OF SENATE, MAKE TREATIES, APPOINT AMBASSADORS, &.—APPOINTMENT OF INFERIOR OFFICERS, AUTHORITY OF CONGRESS OVER

2. He shall have Power, by and with the Advice and Consent of the Senate, to make Treaties, provided two-thirds of the Senators present concur; and he shall nominate, and, by and with the Advice and Consent of the Senate, shall appoint Ambassadors, other public Ministers and Consuls, Judges of the Supreme Court, and all other Officers of the United States, whose Appointments are not herein otherwise provided for, and which shall be established by Law; but the Congress may by Law vest the Appointment of such inferior Officers, as they think proper, in the President alone, in the Courts of Law, or in the Heads of Departments.

PRESIDENT MAY FILL VACANCIES IN OFFICE DURING RECESS OF SENATE

3. The President shall have Power to fill up all Vacancies that may happen during the Recess of the Senate, by granting Commissions which shall expire at the End of their next Session.

PRESIDENT TO GIVE ADVICE TO CONGRESS—MAY CONVENE OR ADJOURN IT ON CERTAIN OCCASIONS—TO RECEIVE AMBASSADORS, &C.—HAVE LAWS EXECUTED AND COMMISSION ALL OFFICERS

Section 3. He shall from time to time give to the Congress Information of the State of the Union, and recommend to their Consideration such Measures as he shall judge necessary and expedient; he may, on extraordinary Occasions, convene both Houses, or either of them, and in Case of Disagreement between them, with Respect to the Time of Adjournment, he may Adjourn them to such Time as he shall think proper; he shall receive Ambassadors and other public Ministers; he shall take Care that the Laws be faithfully executed, and shall Commission all the officers of the United States.

ALL CIVIL OFFICERS REMOVABLE BY IMPEACHMENT

Section 4. The President, Vice President, and all civil Officers of the United States, shall be removed from Office on Impeachment for, and Conviction of, Treason, Bribery, or other high Crimes and Misdemeanors.

ARTICLE III.

JUDICIAL POWER—HOW VESTED—TERM OF OFFICE AND COMPENSATION OF JUDGES

Section 1. The Judicial Power of the United States shall be vested in one

supreme Court, and in such inferior Courts as the Congress may from time to time ordain and establish. The Judges, both of the supreme and inferior Courts, shall hold their offices during good Behavior, and shall, at stated Times, receive for their Services a Compensation, which shall not be diminished during their Continuance in Office.

#### \*JURISDICTION OF FEDERAL COURTS

Section 2. 1. The judicial power sha'l extend to all Cases, in Law and Equity, arising under this Constitution, the Laws of the United States, and Treaties made, or which shall be made, under their Authority,—to all Cases affecting Ambassadors, other public Ministers and Consuls;—to all Cases of Admiralty and maritime Jurisdiction;—to Controversies to which the United States shall be a Party;—to Controversies between two or more States;—between a State and Citizens of another state;—between Citizens of different States;—between Citizens of the same State claiming Lands under Grants of different States, and between a State, or the Citizens thereof, and foreign States, Citizens or Subjects.

\*This section is abridged by Article XI of the Amendments.

#### ORIGINAL AND APPELLATE JURISDICTION OF SUPREME COURT

2. In all Cases affecting Ambassadors, other public Ministers and Consuls, and those in which a State shall be a Party, the supreme Court shall have original jurisdiction. In all the other Cases, before mentioned, the supreme Court shall have appellate Jurisdiction, both as to Law and Fact, with such Exceptions, and under such Regulations as the Congress shall make.

#### TRIAL OF ALL CRIMES, EXCEPT IMPEACHMENT, TO BE BY JURY

3. The Trial of all Crimes, except in Cases of Impeachment, shall be by Jury; and such Trial shall be held in the State where the said Crimes shall have been committed; but when not committed within any State, the Trial shall be at such Place or Places as the Congress may by Law have directed.

#### TREASON DEFINED—CONVICTION OF

Section 3. 1. Treason against the United States shall consist only in levying War against them, or in adhering to their Enemies, giving them Aid and Comfort. No Person shall be convicted of Treason unless on the Testimony of two Witnesses to the same overt Act, or on Confession in open court.

#### CONGRESS TO DECLARE PUNISHMENT FOR TREASON—PROVISO

2. The Congress shall have Power to declare the Punishment of Treason, but no Attalnder of Treason shall work Corruption of Blood, or Forfeiture, except during the Life of the Person attained.

### ARTICLE IV.

#### EACH STATE TO GIVE FULL FAITH AND CREDIT TO THE PUBLIC ACTS AND RECORDS OF OTHER STATES

Section 1. Full Faith and Credit shall be given in each State to the public Acts, Records and judicial Proceedings of every other State. And the Congress may by general Laws Prescribe the Manner in which such Acts, Records and Proceedings shall be proved, and the Effect thereof.

#### PRIVILEGES OF CITIZENS

Section 2. 1. The citizens of each State shall be entitled to all Privileges and Immunities of Citizens in the several States.

EXTRADITION BETWEEN THE SEVERAL STATES

2. A Person charged in any State with Treason, Felony, or other Crime, who shall flee from Justice, and be found in another State, shall on Demand of the executive Authority of the State from which he fled, be delivered up, to be removed to the State having Jurisdiction of the Crime.

\*PERSONS HELD TO LABOR OR SERVICE IN ONE STATE, FLEEING TO ANOTHER,  
TO BE RETURNED

3. No person held to Service or Labour in one State, under the Laws thereof, escaping into another, shall, in Consequence of any Law or Regulation therein, be discharged from such Service or Labour, but shall be delivered up on Claim of the Party to whom such Service or Labour may be due.

NEW STATES

Section 3. 1. New States may be admitted by the Congress into this Union; but no new State shall be formed or erected within the Jurisdiction of any other State; nor any State be formed by the Junction or two or more States, or Parts of States, without the Consent of the Legislature of the States concerned as well as of the Congress.

REGULATIONS CONCERNING TERRITORY

2. The Congress shall have Power to dispose of and make all needful Rules and Regulations respecting the Territory or other Property belonging to the United States; and nothing in this Constitution shall be so construed as to Prejudice any Claims of the United States, or of any particular State.

REPUBLICAN FORM OF GOVERNMENT AND PROTECTION GUARANTEED THE  
SEVERAL STATES

Section 4. The United States shall guarantee to every State in this Union a Republican Form of Government, and shall protect each of them against Invasion; and on Application of the Legislature, or of the Executive (when the Legislature cannot be convened) against domestic Violence.

ARTICLE V.

WAYS IN WHICH THE CONSTITUTION CAN BE AMENDED

The Congress, whenever two-thirds of both Houses shall deem it necessary, shall propose Amendments to this Constitution, or, on the Application of the Legislatures of two-thirds of the several States, shall call a Convention for proposing Amendments, which, in either Case, shall be valid to all Intents and Purposes, as Part of this Constitution, when ratified by the Legislatures of three-fourths of the several States, or by Conventions in three-fourths thereof; as the one or the other Mode of Ratification may be proposed by the Congress; Provided that no Amendment which may be made prior to the Year One thousand eight hundred and eight shall in any Manner affect the first and fourth Clauses in the Ninth Section of the first Article; and that no State, without its Consent, shall be deprived of its equal Suffrage in the Senate.

ARTICLE VI.

DEBTS CONTRACTED UNDER THE CONFEDERATION SECURED

1. All Debts contracted and Engagements entered into, before the Adoption of this Constitution, shall be as valid against the United States under this Constitution, as under the Confederation.

\*See Thirteenth Amendment.



## CONSTITUTION, LAWS AND TREATIES OF THE UNITED STATES TO BE SUPREME

2. This Constitution, and the Laws of the United States, which shall be made in Pursuance thereof: and all Treaties made, or which shall be made, under the Authority of the United States, shall be the supreme Law of the Land; and the Judges in every State shall be bound thereby, any Thing in the Constitution or Laws of any State to the Contrary notwithstanding.

## WHO SHALL TAKE CONSTITUTIONAL OATH—NO RELIGIOUS TEST AS TO OFFICIAL QUALIFICATION

3. The Senators and Representatives before mentioned, and the Members of the Several State Legislatures, and all executive and judicial Officers, both of the United States, and of the several States shall be bound by Oath or Affirmation, to support this Constitution: but no religious Test shall ever be required as a Qualification to any Office or public Trust under the United States.

## ARTICLE VII.

## CONSTITUTION TO BE CONSIDERED ADOPTED WHEN RATIFIED BY NINE STATES

The Ratification of the Conventions of nine States, shall be sufficient for the Establishment of this Constitution between the States so ratifying the Same.

DONE in Convention by the Unanimous Consent of the States present the Seventeenth Day of September in the Year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and Eighty seven and of the Independence of the United States of America the Twelfth. IN WITNESS whereof We have hereunto subscribed our Names.

G° : WASHINGTON—

Presidt. and deputy from Virginia.

Attest

WILLIAM JACKSON, Secretary.

## New Hampshire

JOHN LANGDON

NICHOLAS GILMAN

## Massachusetts

NATHANIEL GORMAN

RUFUS KING

## Connecticut

WM. SAM'L JOHNSON

ROGER SHERMAN

## New York

ALEXANDER HAMILTON

## New Jersey

WILL LIVINGSTON

WM. PATTERSON

DAVID BREARLEY

JONAS DAYTON

## Pennsylvania

B. FRANKLIN

THOS. FITZSIMMONS

THOMAS MIFFLIN

JARED INGERSOLL

ROBT. MORRIS

JAMES WILSON

GEO. CLYMER

GOV. MORRIS

## Delaware

GEO. READ

RI HARD BASSETT

GUNNING BEDFORD, JUN.

JACOB BROOM

JOHN DICKINSON

## Maryland

JAMES MCHENRY

DAN'L CARROLL

DAN OF ST. THOS. JENIFER

## Virginia

JOHN BLAIR

JAMES MADISON, JR.

	North Carolina	
WM. BLOUNT		HU WILLIAMSON
RICHD. DOBBS SPAIGHT		
	South Carolina	
J. RUTLEDGE		CHARLES PINCKNEY
CHARLES COTESWORTH PINCKNEY		PIERCE BUTLER
	Georgia	
WILLIAM FEW		ABR. BALDWIN

AMENDMENTS

ARTICLES IN ADDITION TO, AND AMENDMENT OF, THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, PROPOSED BY CONGRESS, AND RATIFIED BY THE LEGISLATURES OF THE SEVERAL STATES PURSUANT TO THE FIFTH ARTICLE OF THE ORIGINAL CONSTITUTION.

[ARTICLE I]\*

FREEDOM OF RELIGION, OF SPEECH, OF THE PRESS, AND RIGHT OF PETITION

Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof; or abridging the freedom of speech, or of the press; or the right of the people peaceably to assemble, and to petition the Government for a redress of grievances.

[ARTICLE II]

RIGHT OF PEOPLE TO BEAR ARMS NOT TO BE INFRINGED

A well regulated Militia, being necessary to the security of a free State, the right of the people to keep and bear Arms, shall not be infringed.

[ARTICLE III]

QUARTERING OF TROOPS

No Soldier, shall in time of peace be quartered in any house, without the consent of the Owner, nor in time of war, but in a manner to be prescribed by law.

[ARTICLE IV]

PERSONS AND HOUSES TO BE SECURE FROM UNREASONABLE SEARCHES AND SEIZURES

The right of the people to be secure in their persons, houses, papers, and effects against unreasonable searches and seizures, shall not be violated, and no Warrants shall issue, but upon probable cause, supported by Oath or Affirmation, and particularly describing the place to be searched, and the persons or things to be seized.

[ARTICLE V]

TRIALS FOR CRIME—JUST COMPENSATION FOR PRIVATE PROPERTY TAKEN FOR PUBLIC USE

No person shall be held to answer for a capital, or otherwise infamous crime, unless on a presentment or indictment of a Grand Jury, except in cases arising in the land or naval forces, or in the Militia, when in actual service in time of

\*The first ten articles of amendment to the Constitution of the United States (with two others which were not ratified by the requisite number of States) were submitted to the several State Legislatures by a resolution of Congress which passed on the 25th of September, 1789, at the first session of the First Congress and were ratified by the Legislatures of the following States: New Jersey, November 20, 1789; Maryland, December 19, 1789; North Carolina, December 22, 1789; South Carolina, January 19, 1790; New Hampshire, January 25, 1790; Delaware, January 28, 1790; Pennsylvania, March 10, 1790; New York, March 27, 1790; Rhode Island, June 15, 1790; Vermont, November 3, 1791; Virginia, December 15, 1791. The acts of the Legislatures of the States ratifying these amendments were transmitted by the Governors to the President, and by him communicated to Congress. The Legislatures of Massachusetts, Connecticut and Georgia do not appear by the record to have ratified them.

War or public danger; nor shall any person be subject for the same offense to be twice put in jeopardy of life or limb; nor shall he be compelled in any Criminal Case to be a witness against himself, nor be deprived of life, liberty, or property, without due process of law; nor shall private property be taken for public use, without just compensation.

## [ARTICLE VI]

## CIVIL RIGHTS IN TRIALS FOR CRIMES ENUMERATED

In all criminal prosecutions, the accused shall enjoy the right to a speedy and public trial, by an impartial jury of the State and district wherein the crime shall have been committed, which district shall have been previously ascertained by law, and to be informed of the nature and cause of the accusation; to be confronted with the witnesses against him; to have compulsory process for obtaining witnesses in his favor, and to have the Assistance of Counsel for his defense.

## [ARTICLE VII]

## CIVIL RIGHTS IN CIVIL SUITS

In suits at common law, where the value in controversy shall exceed twenty dollars, the right of trial by jury shall be preserved, and no fact tried by a jury shall be otherwise re-examined in any Court of the United States, than according to the rules of the common law.

## [ARTICLE VIII]

## EXCESSIVE BAIL, FINES AND PUNISHMENTS PROHIBITED

Excessive bail shall not be required, nor excessive fines imposed, nor cruel and unusual punishments inflicted.

## [ARTICLE IX]

## RESERVED RIGHTS OF PEOPLE

The enumeration in the Constitution of certain rights, shall not be construed to deny or disparage others retained by the people.

## [ARTICLE X]

## POWERS NOT DELEGATED, RESERVED TO STATES AND PEOPLE RESPECTIVELY

The powers not delegated to the United States by the Constitution, nor prohibited by it to the States, are reserved to the States respectively, or to the people.

## [ARTICLE XI]\*†

## JUDICIAL POWER OF UNITED STATES NOT TO EXTEND TO SUITS AGAINST A STATE

The Judicial power of the United States shall not be construed to extend to any suit in law or equity, commenced or prosecuted against one of the United States by Citizens of another State, or by Citizens or Subjects of any Foreign State.

## [ARTICLE XII]\*†

## PRESENT MODE OF ELECTING PRESIDENT AND VICE-PRESIDENT BY ELECTORS

The Electors shall meet in their respective states, § and vote by ballot for President and Vice-President, one of whom, at least shall not be an Inhabitant of the same State with themselves; they shall name in their ballots the person, voted for as President, and in distinct ballots the person voted for as Vice President, and they shall make distinct lists of all the persons voted for as President, and of all persons voted for as Vice-President, and of the number of votes for each, which lists they shall sign and certify, and transmit sealed to the seat of

\*The eleventh amendment to the Constitution of the United States was submitted to the Legislatures of the several States by a resolution of Congress passed on the 5th of September, 1794, at the first session of the Third Congress; and on the 8th of January, 1798, at the second session of the Fifth Congress, it was declared by the President, in a message to the two Houses of Congress, to have been adopted by the Legislatures of three-fourths of the States, there being at that time sixteen States in the Union.

the government of the United States, directed to the President of the Senate:— The President of the Senate shall, in the presence of the Senate and House of Representatives, open all the certificates ¶ and the votes shall then be counted:— The person having the greatest number of votes for President, shall be the President, if such number be a majority of the whole number of Electors appointed; and if no person have such majority, then from the persons having the highest numbers not exceeding three on the list of those voted for as President, the House of Representatives shall choose immediately, by ballot, the President. But in choosing the President, the votes shall be taken by states, the representation from each state having one vote; a quorum for the purpose shall consist of a member or members from two-thirds of the states, and a majority of all the states shall be necessary to a choice. And if the House of Representatives shall not choose a President whenever the right of choice shall devolve upon them, before the fourth day of March next following, then the Vice President shall act as President, as in the case of the death or other constitutional disability of the President. The person having the greatest number of votes as Vice President, shall be the Vice President, if such number be a majority of the whole number of Electors appointed, and if no person have a majority, then from the two highest numbers on the list, the Senate shall choose the Vice President; a quorum for the purpose shall consist of two-thirds of the whole number of Senators, and a majority of the whole number shall be necessary to a choice. But no person constitutional! ineligible to the office of President shall be eligible to that of Vice President of the United States.

## [ARTICLE XIII]\*

## SLAVERY PROHIBITED

Section 1. Neither slavery nor involuntary servitude, except as a punishment for crime whereof the party shall have been duly convicted, shall exist within the United States, or any place subject to their jurisdiction.

## CONGRESS GIVEN POWER TO ENFORCE THIS ARTICLE

Section 2. Congress shall have power to enforce this article by appropriate legislation.

## [ARTICLE XIV]†

## CITIZENSHIP DEFINED—PRIVILEGES OF CITIZENS

Section 1. All persons born or naturalized in the United States, and subject to the jurisdiction thereof, are citizens of the United States and of the State wherein they reside. No State shall make or enforce any law which shall abridge the privileges or immunities of citizens of the United States, nor shall any State deprive any person of life, liberty, or property, without due process of law; nor deny to any person within its jurisdiction the equal protection of the laws.

†See Article III, Sec. 2.

¶The twelfth amendment to the Constitution of the United States was submitted to the Legislatures of the several States, there being then seventeen States, in lieu of the original third paragraph of the first section of the second article by a resolution of Congress passed on the 12th of December, 1803, at the first session of the Eighth Congress, and was ratified by the Legislatures of three-fourths of the States in 1804, according to a proclamation of the Secretary of State dated the 25th of September, 1804.

§On the second Monday in January by act of Congress, approved February 3, 1887.

¶On the second Wednesday in February, by Act of Congress approved February 3, 1887.

\*The thirteenth amendment to the Constitution of the United States was submitted to the Legislatures of the several States, there being then thirty-six States, by a resolution of Congress passed on the 1st of February, 1865, at the second session of the Thirty-eighth Congress, and was ratified, according to a proclamation of the Secretary of State dated December 18, 1865, by the Legislatures of twenty-seven of the thirty-six States, viz: Illinois, February 1, 1865; Rhode Island, February 2, 1865; Michigan, February 2, 1865; Maryland, February 3, 1865; New York, February 3, 1865; West Virginia, February 3, 1865; Maine, February 7, 1865; Kansas, February 7, 1865; Massachusetts, February 8, 1865; Pennsylvania, February 8, 1865; Virginia, February 9, 1865; Ohio, February 10, 1865; Missouri, February 10, 1865; Indiana, February 16, 1865;

## APPORTIONMENT OF REPRESENTATIVES

Section 2. Representatives shall be apportioned among the several States according to their respective numbers, counting the whole number of persons in each State, excluding Indians not taxed. But when the right to vote at any election for the choice of electors for President and Vice President of the United States, Representatives in Congress, the Executive and Judicial officers of a State, or the members of the Legislature thereof, is denied to any of the male inhabitants of such State, being twenty-one years of age, and citizens of the United States, or in any way abridged, except for participation in rebellion, or other crime, the basis of representation therein shall be reduced in the proportion which the number of such male citizens shall bear to the whole number of male citizens twenty-one years of age in such State.

## DISQUALIFICATION FOR OFFICE—REMOVAL OF DISABILITY

Section 3. No person shall be a Senator or Representative in Congress, or elector of President and Vice President, or hold any office, civil or military, under the United States, or under any State, who, having previously taken an oath, as a member of Congress, or as an officer of the United States, or as a member of any State legislature, or as an executive or judicial officer of any State, to support the Constitution of the United States, shall have engaged in insurrection, or rebellion against the same, or given aid or comfort to the enemies thereof. But Congress may by a vote of two-thirds of each House, remove such disability.

## PUBLIC DEBT NOT TO BE QUESTIONED—PAYMENT OF DEBTS AND CLAIMS INCURRED IN AID OF REBELLION FORBIDDEN

Section 4. The validity of the public debt of the United States, authorized by law, including debts incurred for payment of pensions and bounties for services in suppressing insurrection or rebellion, shall not be questioned. But neither the United States nor any State shall assume or pay any debt or obligation incurred in aid of insurrection or rebellion against the United States, or any claim for the loss or emancipation of any slave; but all such debts, obligations and claims shall be held illegal and void.

## CONGRESS GIVEN POWER TO ENFORCE THIS ARTICLE

Section 5. The Congress shall have power to enforce, by appropriate legislation, the provisions of this article.

Nevada, February 10, 1865; Louisiana, February 17, 1865; Minnesota, February 23, 1865; Wisconsin, March 1, 1865; Vermont, March 9, 1865; Tennessee, April 7, 1865; Arkansas, April 20, 1865; Connecticut, May 5, 1865; New Hampshire, July 1, 1865; South Carolina, November 13, 1865; Alabama, December 2, 1865; North Carolina, December 4, 1865; Georgia, December 9, 1865. The following States not enumerated in the proclamation of the Secretary of State also ratified this amendment: Oregon, December 11, 1865; California, December 20, 1865; Florida, December 28, 1865; New Jersey, January 23, 1866; Iowa, January 24, 1866; Texas, February 18, 1870.

†The fourteenth amendment to the Constitution of the United States was proposed to the Legislatures of the several States by the Thirty-ninth Congress, on the 16th of June, 1866. On the 21st of July, 1866, Congress adopted and transmitted to the Department of State a concurrent resolution declaring that "the Legislatures of the States of Connecticut, Tennessee, New Jersey, Oregon, Vermont, New York, Ohio, Illinois, West Virginia, Kansas, Maine, Nevada, Missouri, Indiana, Minnesota, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Nebraska, Iowa, Arkansas, Florida, North Carolina, Alabama, South Carolina and Louisiana, being three-fourths and more of the several States of the Union, having ratified the fourteenth article of the amendment to the Constitution of the United States, duly proposed by two-thirds of each House of the Thirty-ninth Congress: Therefore, Resolved, That said fourteenth article is hereby declared to be a part of the Constitution of the United States, and it shall be duly promulgated as such by the Secretary of State." The Secretary of State accordingly issued a proclamation, dated the 28th of July, declaring that the proposed fourteenth amendment had been ratified, in the manner hereafter mentioned, by the Legislatures of thirty of the thirty-six States, viz: Connecticut, June 30, 1866; New Hampshire, July 7, 1866; Tennessee, July 19, 1866; New Jersey, September 11, 1866; (and the Legislature of the same State passed a resolution in April, 1868, to withdraw its consent to it); Oregon, September 19, 1866; Vermont, November 9,

## [ARTICLE XV]\*

## RIGHT OF CERTAIN CITIZENS TO VOTE ESTABLISHED

Section 1. The right of citizens of the United States to vote shall not be denied or abridged by the United States or by any State, on account of race, color, or previous condition of servitude.

## CONGRESS GIVEN RIGHT TO ENFORCE THIS ARTICLE

Section 2. The Congress shall have power to enforce this article by appropriate legislation.

## [ARTICLE XVI]†

## TAXES ON INCOMES—CONGRESS GIVEN POWER TO LAY AND COLLECT

The Congress shall have power to lay and collect taxes on incomes, from whatever source derived, without apportionment among the several States, and without regard to any census or enumeration.

## [ARTICLE XVII]‡

## ELECTION OF UNITED STATES SENATORS—FILLING OF VACANCIES—QUALIFICATIONS

## OF ELECTORS

The Senate of the United States shall be composed of two Senators from each State, elected by the people thereof, for six years; and each Senator shall have one

1866; Georgia, rejected it November 13, 1866; and ratified it July 21, 1868; North Carolina rejected it December 4, 1866, and ratified it July 4, 1868; South Carolina rejected it December 20, 1866, and ratified it July 9, 1868; New York ratified it January 10, 1867; Ohio ratified it January 11, 1867 (and the Legislature of the same State passed a resolution in January, 1868, to withdraw its consent to it); Illinois ratified it January 15, 1867; West Virginia, January 16, 1867; Kansas, January 18, 1867; Maine, January 19, 1867; Nevada, January 22, 1867; Missouri, January 26, 1867; Indiana, January 29, 1867; Minnesota, February 1, 1867; Rhode Island, February 7, 1867; Wisconsin, February 13, 1867; Pennsylvania, February 13, 1867; Michigan, February 15, 1867; Massachusetts, March 20, 1867; Nebraska, June 15, 1867; Iowa, April 3, 1868; Arkansas, April 6, 1868; Florida, June 9, 1868; Louisiana, July 9, 1868; and Alabama, July 13, 1868. Georgia again ratified the amendment February 2, 1870. Texas rejected it November 1, 1866, and ratified it February 18, 1870; Virginia rejected it January 19, 1867, and ratified it October 8, 1869.

The amendment was rejected by Kentucky January 10, 1867; by Delaware February 8, 1867; by Maryland March 23, 1867; and was not afterwards ratified by these States.

\*The fifteenth amendment to the Constitution of the United States was proposed to the Legislatures of the several States by the Fortieth Congress, on the 27th of February, 1869, and was declared, in a proclamation of the Secretary of State, dated March 30, 1870, to have been ratified by the Legislatures of twenty-nine of the thirty-seven States, viz: Nevada, March 1, 1869; West Virginia, March 3, 1869; North Carolina, March 5, 1869; Louisiana, March 5, 1869; Illinois, March 5, 1869; Michigan, March 8, 1869; Wisconsin, March 9, 1869; Massachusetts, March 12, 1869; Maine, March 12, 1869; South Carolina, March 16, 1869; Pennsylvania, March 26, 1869; Arkansas, March 30, 1869; New York, April 14, 1869 (and the Legislature of the same State passed a resolution January 5, 1870 to withdraw its consent to it); Indiana, May 14, 1869; Connecticut, May 19, 1869; Florida, June 15, 1869; New Hampshire, July 7, 1869; Virginia, October 8, 1869; Vermont, October 21, 1869; Alabama, November 24, 1869; Missouri, January 10, 1870; Mississippi, January 17, 1870; Rhode Island, January 18, 1870; Kansas, January 19, 1870; Ohio rejected it May 4, 1869, and ratified it January 27, 1870; Georgia, February 2, 1870; Iowa, February 3, 1870; Nebraska, February 17, 1870; Texas, February 18, 1870; Minnesota, February 19, 1870. The State of New Jersey rejected the amendment and afterwards ratified it on the 21st of February, 1871, subsequent to the date of the proclamation of the Secretary of State. The States of California, Delaware, Kentucky, Maryland, Oregon and Tennessee rejected this amendment.

†The sixteenth amendment to the Constitution of the United States was proposed to the Legislatures of the several States, by the Sixty-first Congress, and was declared in a proclamation of the Secretary of State, dated February 25, 1913, to have been ratified by the Legislatures of thirty-six States, viz: Alabama, Kentucky, South Carolina, Illinois, Mississippi, Oklahoma, Maryland, Georgia, Texas, Ohio, Idaho, Oregon, Washington, California, Montana, Indiana, Nevada, North Carolina, Nebraska, Kansas, Colorado, North Dakota, Michigan.

vote. The electors in each State shall have the qualifications requisite for electors of the most numerous branch of the State legislatures.

When vacancies happen in the representation of any State in the Senate, the executive authority of such State shall issue writs of election to fill such vacancies; Provided, That the legislature of any State may empower the executive thereof to make temporary appointment until the people fill the vacancies by election as the legislature may direct.

This amendment shall not be so construed as to affect the election or term of any Senator chosen before it becomes valid as part of the Constitution.

[ARTICLE XVIII]††

MANUFACTURE, SALE OR TRANSPORTATION OF INTOXICATING LIQUORS FOR BEVERAGE PURPOSES PROHIBITED

Section 1. After one year from the ratification of this article the manufacture, sale, or transportation of intoxicating liquors within, the importation thereof, into, or the exportation thereof, from the United States and all territory subject to the jurisdiction thereof for beverage purposes is hereby prohibited.

Section 2. The Congress and the several States shall have concurrent power to enforce this article by appropriate legislation.

PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE TO BECOME OPERATIVE WHEN ADOPTED BY THREE-FOURTHS OF THE STATES

Section 3. This article shall be inoperative unless it shall have been ratified as an amendment to the Constitution by the Legislatures of the several States, as provided in the Constitution, within seven years from the date of the submission hereof to the States by the Congress.

Iowa, Missouri, Maine, Tennessee, Arkansas, Wisconsin, New York, South Dakota, Arizona, Minnesota, Louisiana, Delaware and Wyoming.

†The seventeenth amendment to the Constitution of the United States was proposed to the Legislatures of the several States by the second session of the Sixty-second Congress, and was declared, in a proclamation of the Secretary of State, dated May 31, 1913, to have been ratified by the Legislatures of thirty-six States, viz: Massachusetts, Arizona, Minnesota, New York, Kansas, Oregon, North Carolina, California, Michigan, Idaho, West Virginia, Nebraska, Iowa, Montana, Texas, Washington, Wyoming, Colorado, Illinois, North Dakota, Nevada, Vermont, Maine, New Hampshire, Oklahoma, Ohio, South Dakota, Indiana, Missouri, New Mexico, New Jersey, Tennessee, Arkansas, Connecticut, Pennsylvania and Wisconsin.

††The eighteenth amendment to the Constitution of the United States was proposed to the Legislatures of the several States by the second session of the Sixty-fifth Congress, and was declared, in a proclamation of the Acting Secretary of State, dated January 23<sup>rd</sup>, 1919, to have been ratified by the Legislatures of three-fourths of the whole number of States of the United States, and to have become valid, and to all intents and purposes a part of the Constitution of the United States. The Legislatures of several States, other than those mentioned in the proclamation, ratified the amendment shortly after the proclamation was issued. A list of the States ratifying—including those mentioned in the proclamation and those ratifying subsequent thereto—is as follows with dates of ratification: Virginia, January 11, 1918; Kentucky, January 16, 1918; North Dakota, January 28, 1918; South Carolina, February 12, 1918; Montana, February 20, 1918; Texas, March 4, 1918; Maryland, March 12, 1918; South Dakota, March 22, 1918; Delaware, March 26, 1918; Massachusetts, March 26, 1918; Arizona, May 25, 1918; Georgia, July 2, 1918; Louisiana, August 9, 1918; Florida, December 3, 1918; Michigan, January 2, 1919; Maine, January 8, 1919; West Virginia, January 9, 1919; Oklahoma, January 7, 1919; Ohio, January 7, 1919; Washington, January 13, 1919; Mississippi, January 13, 1919; California, January 13, 1919; Tennessee, January 14, 1919; Illinois, January 14, 1919; New Hampshire, January 15, 1919; Colorado, January 15, 1919; Oregon, January 15, 1919; Idaho, January 15, 1919; Arkansas, January 15, 1919; North Carolina, January 16, 1919; Nebraska, January 16, 1919; Wyoming, January 17, 1919; Missouri, January 17, 1919; Minnesota, January 17, 1919; Indiana, January 18, 1919; Alabama, January 18, 1919; Utah, January 18, 1919; Kansas, January 20, 1919; New Mexico, January 20, 1919; Wisconsin, January 22, 1919; Nevada, January 27, 1919; Iowa, January 27, 1919; New York, January 29, 1919; Vermont, January 31, 1919; Pennsylvania, February 26, 1919.

Connecticut rejected the amendment February 13, 1919; New Jersey rejected it March 19, 1919; Rhode Island postponed action February 7, 1919.

## [ARTICLE XIX]\*\*

## RIGHTS OF SUFFRAGE GRANTED TO WOMEN

The right of citizens of the United States to vote shall not be denied or abridged by the United States or by any State on account of sex.

## TO BE ENFORCED BY APPROPRIATE LEGISLATION

Congress shall have power to enforce this Article by appropriate legislation.

\*\*The nineteenth amendment to the Constitution of the United States was proposed to the Legislatures of the several States by the first session of the Sixty-sixth congress, and was declared in a proclamation of the Secretary of State, dated August 26, 1920, to have been ratified by the Legislatures of three-fourths of the whole number of States of the United States, and to have become valid and to all intents and purposes a part of the Constitution of the United States. A list of the States ratifying is as follows, with dates of ratification: Illinois, June 10, 1919; Wisconsin, June 10, 1919; Michigan, June 10, 1919; Kansas, June 16, 1919; Ohio, June 16, 1919; New York, June 16, 1919; Pennsylvania, June 24, 1919; Massachusetts, June 25, 1919; Texas, June 28, 1919; Iowa, July 2, 1919; Missouri, July 3, 1919; Arkansas, July 28, 1919; Montana, August 2, 1919; Nebraska, August 2, 1919; Minnesota, September 8, 1919; New Hampshire, September 10, 1919; Utah, September 30, 1919; California, November 1, 1919; Maine, November 5, 1919; North Dakota, December 1, 1919; South Dakota, December 4, 1919; Colorado, December 12, 1919; Rhode Island, January 6, 1920; Kentucky, January 6, 1920; Oregon, January 12, 1920; Indiana, January 16, 1920; Wyoming, January 27, 1920; Nevada, February 7, 1920; New Jersey, February 9, 1920; Idaho, February 11, 1920; Arizona, February 12, 1920; New Mexico, February 19, 1920; Oklahoma, February 27, 1920; West Virginia, March 10, 1920; Washington, March 22, 1920; Tennessee, August 18, 1920; Connecticut, September 14, 1920. The States that failed to ratify were: Alabama, Georgia, Maryland, Mississippi, South Carolina, Virginia, Delaware, Louisiana, North Carolina. The Legislature of Vermont did not meet in regular session until January, 1921, and the Legislature of Florida until April, 1921.



# The Constitution of West Virginia

RATIFIED IN 1872, TOGETHER WITH THE SEVERAL AMENDMENTS THAT HAVE BEEN  
RATIFIED BY A VOTE OF THE PEOPLE

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## ARTICLE I

### RELATIONS TO THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES

1. The State of West Virginia is, and shall remain, one of the United States of America. The Constitution of the United States of America, and the laws and treaties made in pursuance thereof, shall be the supreme law of the land.

### INTERNAL GOVERNMENT AND POLICE

2. The government of the United States is a government of enumerated powers, and all powers not delegated to it, nor inhibited to the States, are reserved to the States or to the people thereof. Among the powers so reserved to the States is the exclusive regulation of their own internal government and police; and it is the high and solemn duty of the several departments of government, created by this Constitution, to guard and protect the people of this State from all encroachments upon the rights so reserved.

### CONTINUITY OF CONSTITUTIONAL OPERATION

3. The provisions of the Constitution of the United States, and of this State, are operative alike in a period of war as in times of peace, and any departure therefrom, or violation thereof, under the plea of necessity, or any other plea, is subversive of good government, and tends to anarchy and despotism.

### REPRESENTATIVES TO CONGRESS

4. For the election of representatives to congress, the State shall be divided into districts, corresponding in number with the representatives to which it may be entitled; which districts shall be formed of contiguous counties, and be compact. Each district shall contain, as nearly as may be, an equal number of population, to be determined according to the rule prescribed in the Constitution of the United States.

## ARTICLE II

## THE STATE

1. The territory of the following counties, formerly parts of the Commonwealth of Virginia, shall constitute and form the State of West Virginia, viz:

The counties of Barbour, Berkeley, Boone, Braxton, Brooke, Cabell, Calhoun, Clay, Doddridge, Fayette, Gilmer, Grant, Greenbrier, Hampshire, Hancock, Hardy, Harrison, Jackson, Jefferson, Kanawha, Lewis, Lincoln, Logan, Marion, Marshall, Mason, McDowell, Mercer, Mineral, Monongalia, Monroe, Morgan, Nicholas, Ohio, Pendleton, Pleasants, Pocahontas, Preston, Putnam, Raleigh, Randolph, Ritchie, Roane, Summers, Taylor, Tucker, Tyler, Upshur, Wayne, Webster, Wetzel, Wirt, Wood and Wyoming. The State of West Virginia includes the bed, bank and shores of the Ohio River, and so much of the Big Sandy River as was formerly included in the Commonwealth of Virginia, and all territorial rights and property in, and jurisdiction over the same, heretofore reserved by and vested in the Commonwealth of Virginia, are vested in and shall hereafter be exercised by the State of West Virginia. And such parts of the said beds, banks and shores, as lie opposite, and adjoining the several counties of this State, shall form parts of said several counties respectively.

[All of the territory of West Virginia was taken from the Commonwealth of Virginia and in the first constitution forty-four of the above named counties were designated as forming the State of West Virginia, and in addition the counties of Berkeley, Hampshire, Hardy, Jefferson, Morgan and Pendleton were to be admitted should the constitution be adopted by a vote of the people of the districts comprising the counties. The districts adopted the constitution and these six counties became part of the state.

The remaining five counties were created by acts of the legislature as follows: Mineral County, from Hampshire County, on February 1, 1866; Grant County, from Hardy County, on February 14, 1866; Lincoln County, from parts of Cabell, Putnam, Kanawha and Boone Counties, on February 23, 1867; Summers County, from parts of Greenbrier, Monroe, Mercer and Fayette Counties, on February 27, 1871; Mingo County, erected since the adoption of the constitution and not included in the above list of Counties, was created from Logan County, on February 23, 1895.]

## POWERS OF GOVERNMENT IN CITIZENS

2. The powers of government reside in all the citizens of the State, and can be rightfully exercised only in accordance with their will and appointment.

## REQUISITES OF CITIZENSHIP

3. All persons residing in this State, born, or naturalized in the United States, and subject to the jurisdiction thereof, shall be citizens of this State.

## EQUAL REPRESENTATION

4. Every citizen shall be entitled to equal representation in the government, and, in all apportionments of representation, equality of numbers of those entitled thereto, shall as far as practicable, be preserved.

## PROVISIONS REGARDING PROPERTY

5. No distinction shall be made between resident aliens and citizens, as to the acquisition, tenure, disposition or descent of property.

## TREASON, WHAT CONSTITUTES—PENALTY

6. Treason against the State shall consist only in levying war against it, or in adhering to its enemies, giving them aid and comfort. No person shall be convicted of treason, unless on the testimony of two witnesses to the same overt act, or on confession in open court. Treason shall be punished according to the character of the acts committed, by the infliction of one or more of the penalties of death, imprisonment or fine, as may be prescribed by law.

## "MONTANI SEMPER LIBERI"—STATE SEAL

7. The present seal of the State with its motto, "Montani Semper Liberi," shall

be the great seal of the State of West Virginia, and shall be kept by the Secretary of State, to be used by him officially, as directed by law.

#### WRITS, COMMISSIONS, OFFICIAL BONDS—INDICTMENTS

8. Writs, grants and commissions, issued under the authority of this State, shall run in the name of, and official bonds shall be made payable to, the State of West Virginia. Indictments shall conclude, "Against the peace and dignity of the State."

### ARTICLE III

#### BILL OF RIGHTS

1. All men are, by nature, equally free and independent, and have certain inherent rights, of which, when they enter into a state of society, they cannot, by any compact, deprive or divest their posterity, namely, the enjoyment of life and liberty, with the means of acquiring and possessing property, and of pursuing and obtaining happiness and safety.

#### MAGISTRATES SERVANTS OF PEOPLE

2. All power is vested in, and consequently derived from, the people. Magistrates are their trustees and servants, and at all times amenable to them.

#### RIGHTS RESERVED TO PEOPLE

3. Government is instituted for the common benefit, protection and security of the people, nation or community. Of all its various forms that is the best, which is capable of producing the greatest degree of happiness and safety, and is most effectually secured against the danger of maladministration; and when any government shall be found inadequate or contrary to these purposes, a majority of the community has an indubitable, inalienable and indefeasible right to reform, alter or abolish it in such a manner as shall be judged most conducive to the public weal.

#### WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS

4. The privilege of the writ of *habeas corpus* shall not be suspended. No person shall be held to answer for treason, felony or other crime not cognizable by a justice, unless on presentment or indictment of a grand jury. No bill of attainder, *ex-post facto* law, or law impairing the obligation of a contract, shall be passed.

#### EXCESSIVE BAIL NOT REQUIRED

5. Excessive bail shall not be required, nor excessive fines imposed, nor cruel and unusual punishment inflicted. Penalties shall be proportioned to the character and degree of the offense. No person shall be transported out of, or forced to leave the State for any offense committed within the same; nor shall any person, in any criminal case, be compelled to be a witness against himself, or be twice put in jeopardy of life or liberty for the same offense.

#### UNREASONABLE SEARCH AND SEIZURES PROHIBITED

6. The rights of citizens to be secure in their houses, persons, papers and effects, against unreasonable searches and seizures, shall not be violated. No warrant shall issue except upon probable cause, supported by oath or affirmation, particularly describing the place to be searched, or the person or thing to be seized.

#### FREEDOM OF SPEECH AND PRESS GUARANTEED

7. No law abridging the freedom of speech, or of the press, shall be passed; but the Legislature may, by suitable penalties, restrain the publication or sale

of obscene books, papers or pictures, and provide for the punishment of libel, and defamation of character, and for the recovery in civil actions, by the aggrieved party, of suitable damages for such libel or defamation.

RELATING TO CIVIL SUITS FOR LIBEL

8. In prosecutions and civil suits for libel, the truth may be given in evidence, and if it shall appear to the jury that the matter charged as libelous is true, and was published with good motives, and for justifiable ends, the verdict shall be for the defendant.

PRIVATE PROPERTY, HOW TAKEN

9. Private property shall not be taken or damaged for public use, without just compensation, nor shall the same be taken by any company, incorporated for the purpose of internal improvement, until just compensation shall have been paid or secured to be paid, to the owner; and when private property shall be taken, or damaged, for public use, or for the use of such corporations, the compensation to the owner shall be ascertained in such manner as may be prescribed by general law; Provided, That when required by either of the parties, such compensation shall be ascertained by an impartial jury of twelve freeholders.

SAFEGUARDS FOR LIFE, LIBERTY AND PROPERTY

10. No person shall be deprived of life, liberty, or property, without due process of law, and the judgment of his peers.

POLITICAL TESTS CONDEMNED

11. Political tests requiring persons, as a prerequisite to the enjoyment of their civil and political rights, to purge themselves of their own oaths, of past alleged offenses, are repugnant to the principles of free government, and are cruel and oppressive. No religious or political test oath shall be required as a prerequisite or qualification to vote, serve as a juror, sue, plead, appeal, or pursue any profession or employment. Nor shall any person be deprived by law, of any right, or privilege, because of any act done prior to the passage of such law.

MILITARY SUBORDINATE TO CIVIL POWER

12. Standing armies, in time of peace, should be avoided as dangerous to liberty. The military shall be subordinate to the civil power; and no citizen, unless engaged in the military service of the State, shall be tried or punished by any military court, for any offense that is cognizable by the civil courts of the State. No soldier shall, in time of peace, be quartered in any house, without the consent of the owner; nor in time of war, except in the manner to be prescribed by law.

RIGHT OF JURY TRIAL

13. In suits at common law, where the value in controversy exceeds twenty dollars exclusive of interest and costs, the right of trial by jury, if required by either party, shall be preserved; and in such suit before a justice a jury may consist of six persons. No fact tried by a jury shall be otherwise re-examined in any case than according to the rules of common law.

[The amendment of this section was proposed by joint resolution of March 7, 1879, Acts 1879, p. 182, and adopted at the next election. Prior to being amended the section read as follows: "In suits at common law, where the value in controversy, exclusive of interest and costs, exceeds twenty dollars, the right of trial by a jury of twelve men, if required by either party, shall be preserved; except that in appeals from judgments of justices, a jury of a less number may be authorized by law; but in trials of civil cases before a justice no jury shall be allowed, and no fact tried by a jury shall, in any case, be otherwise re-examined, than according to the rules of common law."]

TRIALS OF CRIMES—PROVISIONS IN INTEREST OF ACCUSED

14. Trials of crimes, and of misdemeanors, unless herein otherwise provided, shall be by a jury of twelve men, public, without unreasonable delay, and in

the county where the alleged offense was committed, unless upon petition of the accused, and for good cause shown, it is removed to some other county. In all such trials the accused shall be fully and plainly informed of the character and cause of the accusation, and be confronted with the witnesses against him, and shall have the assistance of counsel, and a reasonable time to prepare for his defense; and there shall be awarded to him compulsory process for obtaining witnesses in his favor.

#### RELIGIOUS FREEDOM GUARANTEED

15. No man shall be compelled to frequent or support any religious worship, place or ministry whatsoever; nor shall any man be enforced, restrained, molested or burthened, in his body or goods, or otherwise suffer, on account of his religious opinions or belief; but all men shall be free to profess, and, by argument, to maintain their opinions in matters of religion; and the same shall, in no wise, affect, diminish or enlarge their civil capacities; and the legislature shall not prescribe any religious test whatever, or confer any peculiar privileges or advantages, on any sect or denomination, or pass any law requiring or authorizing any religious society, or the people of any district within this State, to levy on themselves, or others, any tax for the erection or repair of any house for public worship, or for the support of any church or ministry, but it shall be left free for every person to select his religious instructor, and to make for his support such private contract as he shall please.

#### RIGHT OF PUBLIC ASSEMBLY HELD INVIOLEATE

16. The right of the people to assemble in a peaceable manner, to consult for the common good, to instruct their representatives, or to apply for redress of grievances, shall be held inviolate.

#### COURTS OPEN TO ALL—JUSTICE ADMINISTERED SPEEDILY

17. The courts of this State shall be open, and every person, for an injury done to him in his person, property or reputation, shall have remedy by due course of law; and justice shall be administered without sale, denial or delay.

#### CONVICTION NOT TO WORK CORRUPTION OF BLOOD OR FORFEITURE

18. No conviction shall work corruption of blood or forfeiture of estate.

#### HEREDITARY EMOLUMENTS, ETC., PROVIDED AGAINST

19. No hereditary emoluments, honors or privileges shall ever be granted or conferred in this State.

#### PRESERVATION OF FREE GOVERNMENT

20. Free government and the blessings of liberty can be preserved to any people only by a firm adherence to justice, moderation, temperance, frugality and virtue, and by a frequent recurrence to fundamental principles.

### ARTICLE IV

#### ELECTIONS AND OFFICERS

1. The male citizens of the State shall be entitled to vote at all elections held within the counties in which they respectively reside; but no person who is a minor, or of unsound mind, or a pauper, or who is under conviction of treason, felony, or bribery in an election, or who has not been a resident of the State for one year, and of the county in which he offers to vote, for sixty days next preceding such offer, shall be permitted to vote while such disability continues; but no person in the military, naval or marine service of the United States shall be deemed a resident of this State by reason of being stationed therein.

\*Stricken out by adoption of Federal female suffrage amendment.

MODE OF VOTING BY BALLOT

2. In all elections by the people, the mode of voting shall be by ballot; but the voter shall be left free to vote by either open, sealed or secret ballot, as he may elect.

VOTER NOT SUBJECT TO ARREST ON CIVIL PROCESS

3. No voter, during the continuance of an election at which he is entitled to vote, or during the time necessary and convenient for going to and returning from the same, shall be subject to arrest upon civil process, or be compelled to attend any court, or judicial proceeding, as suitor, juror or witness; or to work upon the public roads; or, except in time of war or public danger, to render military service.

PERSONS ENTITLED TO HOLD OFFICE—AGE REQUIREMENTS

4. No person, except citizens entitled to vote, shall be elected or appointed to any State, county or municipal office; but the Governor and Judges must have attained the age of thirty, and the Attorney General and Senators the age of twenty-five years, at the beginning of their respective terms of service, and must have been citizens of the State for five years next preceding their election or appointment, or be citizens at the time this Constitution goes into operation.

OATH OR AFFIRMATION TO SUPPORT THE CONSTITUTION

5. Every person elected or appointed to any office, before proceeding to exercise the authority, or discharge the duties thereof, shall make oath or affirmation that he will support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State, and that he will faithfully discharge the duties of his said office to the best of his skill and judgment, and no other oath, declaration or test shall be required as a qualification, unless herein otherwise provided.

PROVISION FOR REMOVAL OF OFFICIALS

6. All officers elected or appointed under this Constitution may, unless in cases herein otherwise provided for, be removed from office, for official misconduct, incompetence, neglect of duty, or gross immorality, in such manner as may be prescribed by general laws, and unless so removed they shall continue to discharge the duties of their respective offices until their successors are elected, or appointed, and qualified.

GENERAL ELECTIONS, WHEN HELD—TERMS OF OFFICIALS

7. The general elections of State and county officers, and of members of the legislature, shall be held on the Tuesday next after the first Monday in November, until otherwise provided by law. The terms of such officers not elected, or appointed to fill a vacancy, shall, unless herein otherwise provided, begin on the first day of January; and of the members of the Legislature, on the first day of December next succeeding their election. Elections to fill vacancies shall be for the unexpired term. When vacancies occur prior to any general election, they shall be filled by appointments, in such manner as may be prescribed herelu, or by general law, which appointments shall expire at such time after the next general election as the person so elected to fill such vacancy shall be qualified.

[The amendment of this section was proposed by joint resolution of February 21, 1883, Acts 1883, p. 137, and ratified at the next election. The original section provided that the general election should be held on "the second Tuesday in October," and the change was made in order that the election of State officers would fall on the same day as the presidential election. As a consequential amendment the term of office of members of the Legislature was made to begin on the first day of December instead of the first day of November, as in the original article.]

FURTHER PROVISIONS REGARDING STATE'S OFFICERS AND AGENTS

8. The Legislature, in cases not provided for in this Constitution, shall prescribe, by general laws, the terms of office, powers, duties and compensation of all

public officers and agents, and the manner in which they shall be elected, appointed and removed

#### IMPEACHMENT OF OFFICIALS

9. Any officer of the State may be impeached for maladministration, corruption, incompetency, gross immorality, neglect of duty, or any high crime or misdemeanor. The House of Delegates shall have the sole power of impeachment. The Senate shall have the sole power to try impeachments, and no person shall be convicted without the concurrence of two-thirds of the members elected thereto. When sitting as a court of impeachment, the President of the Supreme Court of Appeals, or if from any cause it be improper for him to act, then any other judge of that court, to be designated by it, shall preside; and the Senators shall be on oath or affirmation to do justice according to law and evidence. Judgment in cases of impeachment shall not extend further than to removal from office, and disqualification to hold any office of honor, trust or profit, under the State; but the party convicted shall be liable to indictment, trial, judgment and punishment according to law. The Senate may sit during the recess of the Legislature, for the trial of impeachments.

#### FIGHTING OF DUELS PROHIBITED

10. Any citizen of this State who shall, after the adoption of this Constitution, either in or out of the State, fight a duel with deadly weapons, or send or accept a challenge so to do, or who shall act as a second or knowingly aid or assist in such duel, shall, ever thereafter, be incapable of holding any office of honor, trust or profit in this State.

#### SAFEGUARDS FOR BALLOTS

11. The Legislature shall prescribe the manner of conducting and making returns of elections, and of determining contested elections; and shall pass such laws as may be necessary and proper to prevent intimidation, disorder or violence at the polls, and corruption or fraud in voting, counting the vote, ascertaining or declaring the result, or fraud in any manner, upon the ballot.

#### REGISTRATION LAWS PROVIDED FOR

12. The Legislature shall enact proper laws for the registration of all qualified voters in this State.

[The amendment of this section was proposed by joint resolution of February 22, 1901, Acts 1901, p. 472, and adopted at the next election. The original section read as follows: "No citizen shall ever be denied or refused the right or privilege of voting at an election, because his name is not or has not been registered or listed as a qualified voter."]

### ARTICLE V

#### DIVISION OF POWERS

1. The Legislative, Executive and Judicial Departments shall be separate and distinct, so that neither shall exercise the powers properly belonging to either of the others; nor shall any person exercise the powers of more than one of them at the same time, except that justices of the peace shall be eligible to the Legislature.

### ARTICLE VI

#### LEGISLATURE

1. The legislative power shall be vested in a Senate and House of Delegates. The style of their Acts shall be, "Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia."

COMPOSITION OF SENATE AND HOUSE OF DELEGATES

2. The Senate shall be composed of twenty-four, † and the House of Delegates of sixty-five members subject to be increased according to the provisions hereinafter contained.

SENATORS AND DELEGATES—TERMS OF OFFICE

3. Senators shall be elected for the term of four years and Delegates for the term of two years. The Senators first elected, shall divide themselves into two classes, one Senator from every district being assigned to each class; and of these classes, the first to be designated by lot in such manner as the Senate may determine, shall hold their seats for two years; and the second for four years, so that after the first election, one-half of the Senators shall be elected biennially.

DIVISION OF STATE INTO SENATORIAL DISTRICTS

4. For the election of Senators, the State shall be divided into \*twelve Senatorial Districts, which number shall not be diminished, but may be increased as hereinafter provided. Every district shall elect two Senators, but where the district is composed of more than one county, both shall not be chosen from the same county. The districts shall be compact, formed of contiguous territory, bounded by county lines, and, as nearly as practicable, equal in population, to be ascertained by the census of the United States. After every such census, the Legislature shall alter the Senatorial Districts, so far as may be necessary to make them conform to the foregoing provision.

SENATORIAL DISTRICTS DESIGNATED

5. Until the Senatorial Districts shall be altered by the Legislature as herein prescribed, the counties of Hancock, Brooke, and Ohio shall constitute the first Senatorial District; Marshall, Wetzel and Marion, the second; Ritchie, Doddridge, Harrison, Gilmer and Calhoun, the third; Tyler, Pleasants, Wood and Wirt, the fourth; Jackson, Mason, Putnam and Roane, the fifth; Kanawha, Clay, Nicholas, Braxton and Webster, the sixth; Cabell, Wayne, Lincoln, Boone, Logan, Wyoming, McDowell and Mercer, the seventh; Monroe, Greenbrier, Summers, Pocahontas, Fayette and Raleigh, the eighth; Lewis, Randolph, Upshur, Barbour, Taylor and Tucker, the ninth; Preston and Monongalia, the tenth; Hampshire, Mineral, Hardy, Grant and Pendleton, the eleventh; Berkeley, Morgan and Jeffersou, the twelfth.

[By the provisions of the reapportionment act of 1901 (Acts 1901, ch. 10), the number of Senatorial Districts was increased to fifteen, the number of Senators to thirty, and the counties re-arranged into districts.]

PROVISION FOR DELEGATE REPRESENTATION

6. For the election of Delegates, every county containing a population of not less than three-fifths of the ratio of representation for the House of Delegates, shall, at each apportionment, be attached to some contiguous county or counties, to form a Delegate District.

[By the provisions of the Acts of 1901, ch. 10, the House of Delegates consisted of eighty-six members, each county having at least one member. After the general election of 1916, the House of Delegates consisted of ninety-four members, each county having at least one member. See Ch. 30, p. 270, Acts 1915, Regular Session.]

AFTER CENSUS, DELEGATE APPORTIONMENT

7. After every census the Delegates shall be apportioned as follows: The ratio of representation for the House of Delegates shall be ascertained by dividing the whole population of the State by the number of which the House is to consist and rejecting the fraction of a unit, if any, resulting from such division. Dividing the population of every Delegate District, and of every county not included in a delegate

[†The Senate is now composed of thirty, and the House of Delegates of ninety-four members.]

[\*There are now fifteen senatorial districts, as provided by Acts 1901, Ch. 101.]



district, by the ratio thus ascertained, there shall be assigned to each a number of Delegates equal to the quotient obtained by this division, excluding the fractional remainder. The additional Delegates necessary to make up the number of which the House is to consist, shall then be assigned to those Delegate Districts, and counties not included in a Delegate District, which would otherwise have the largest fractions unrepresented, but every Delegate District and county not included in a Delegate District shall be entitled to at least one Delegate.

#### DESIGNATION OF DELEGATE DISTRICTS

8. Until a new apportionment shall be declared, the counties of Pleasants and Wood shall form the first Delegate District, and elect three Delegates; Ritchie and Calhoun, the second, and elect two Delegates; Barbour, Harrison and Taylor, the third, and elect one Delegate; Randolph and Tucker, the fourth, and elect one Delegate; Nicholas, Clay and Webster, the fifth, and elect one Delegate; McDowell and Wyoming, the sixth, and elect one Delegate.

[There are now no delegate districts, each county having at least one member.]

#### FURTHER APPORTIONMENT

9. Until a new apportionment shall be declared the apportionment of Delegates to the counties not included in Delegate Districts, and to Barbour, Harrison and Taylor counties, embraced in such districts, shall be as follows:

To Barbour, Boone, Braxton, Brooke, Cabell, Doddridge, Fayette, Hampshire, Hancock, Jackson, Lewis, Logan, Greenbrier, Monroe, Mercer, Mineral, Morgan, Grant, Hardy, Lincoln, Pendleton, Putnam, Roane, Gilmer, Taylor, Tyler, Upshur, Wayne, Wetzel, Wirt, Pocahontas, Summers and Raleigh counties, one Delegate each.

To Berkeley, Harrison, Jefferson, Marion, Marshall, Mason, Monongalia and Preston counties, two Delegates each.

To Kanawha County, three delegates.

To Ohio County, four delegates.

[Under the present apportionment many changes were made in this apportionment and Kanawha County, the largest in population, now has six delegates.]

#### ARRANGEMENT OF SENATORIAL AND DELEGATE DISTRICTS

10. The arrangement of the Senatorial and Delegate Districts, and apportionment of Delegates, shall hereafter be declared by law, as soon as possible after each succeeding census, taken by authority of the United States. When so declared they shall apply to the first general election for members of the Legislature, to be thereafter held, and shall continue in force unchanged, until such Districts shall be altered, and Delegates apportioned, under the succeeding census.

#### ADDITIONAL TERRITORY MAY BE ADMITTED INTO STATE

11. Additional territory may be admitted into, and become part of this State, with the consent of the Legislature and a majority of the qualified voters of the State, voting on the question. And in such case provision shall be made by law for the representation thereof in the Senate and House of Delegates, in conformity with the principles set forth in this Constitution. And the number of members of which each house of the Legislature is to consist, shall thereafter be increased by the representation assigned to such additional territory.

#### SENATORS AND DELEGATES REQUIRED TO BE RESIDENTS OF DISTRICTS

12. No person shall be a Senator or Delegate who has not for one year next preceding his election, been a resident within the District or county from which he is elected; and if a Senator or Delegate remove from the District or County for which he was elected, his seat shall be thereby vacated.

#### ELIGIBILITY TO SEAT IN LEGISLATURE

13. No person holding a lucrative office under this State, the United States, or

any foreign government; no member of Congress; no person who is a salaried officer of any railroad company, or who is sheriff, constable or clerk of any court of record, shall be eligible to a seat in the Legislature.

#### BRIBERY CONVICTION FORFEITS ELIGIBILITY

14. No person who has been, or hereafter shall be convicted of bribery, perjury, or other infamous crime, shall be eligible to a seat in the Legislature. No person who may have collected or been entrusted with public money, whether State, county, township, district, or other municipal organization, shall be eligible to the Legislature, or to any office of honor, trust or profit in this State, until he shall have duly accounted for and paid over such money according to law.

#### SENATORS AND DELEGATES NOT TO HOLD CIVIL OFFICE FOR PROFIT

15. No Senator or Delegate, during the term for which he shall have been elected, shall be elected or appointed to any civil office of profit under this State, which has been created, or the emoluments of which have been increased during such term, except offices to be filled by election by the people. Nor shall any member of the Legislature be interested, directly or indirectly, in any contract with the State, or any county thereof authorized by any law passed during the term for which he shall have been elected.

#### OATH OF SENATORS AND DELEGATES

16. Members of the Legislature, before they enter upon their duties, shall take and subscribe the following oath or affirmation: "I do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and the Constitution of the State of West Virginia, and faithfully discharge the duties of Senator (or Delegate) according to the best of my ability;" and they shall also take this further oath, to-wit: "I will not accept or receive, directly or indirectly, any money or other valuable thing, from any corporation, company, or person, for any vote or influence I may give or withhold, as Senator (or Delegate), on any bill, resolution or appropriation, or for any act I may do or perform as Senator (or Delegate)." These oaths shall be administered in the hall of the house to which the member is elected, by a Judge of the Supreme Court of Appeals, or of a Circuit Court, or by any other person authorized by law to administer an oath; and the Secretary of State shall record and file said oaths subscribed by each member; and no other oath or declaration shall be required as a qualification. Any member who shall refuse to take the oath herein prescribed, shall forfeit his seat; and any member who shall be convicted of having violated the oath last above required to be taken, shall forfeit his seat and be disqualified thereafter from holding any office of profit or trust in this State.

#### MEMBERS OF LEGISLATURE PRIVILEGED FROM CIVIL ARREST

17. Members of the Legislature shall, in all cases except treason, felony and breach of the peace, be privileged from arrest during the session, and for ten days before and after the same; and for words spoken in debate, or any report, motion or proposition made in either house, a member shall not be questioned in any other place.

#### TIME OF ASSEMBLY OF LEGISLATURE

18. The Legislature shall assemble at the seat of government, biennially, and not oftener, unless convened by the Governor. The first session of the Legislature, after the adoption of this Constitution, shall commence on the third Tuesday of November, 1872, and the regular biennial session of the Legislature shall commence on the second Wednesday of January, 1873, and every two years thereafter, on the same day.

## CONVENING OF LEGISLATURE BY GOVERNOR

19. The Governor may convene the Legislature by proclamation whenever, in his opinion, the public safety or welfare shall require it. It shall be his duty to convene it, on application in writing, of three-fifths of the members elected to each house.

## SEAT OF GOVERNMENT

20. The seat of government shall be at Charleston, until otherwise provided by law.

## PROVISION FOR ASSEMBLING OF LEGISLATURE OTHER THAN AT THE SEAT OF GOVERNMENT

21. The Governor may convene the Legislature at another place, when, in his opinion, it can not safely assemble at the seat of Government, and the Legislature may, when in session, adjourn to some other place, when, in its opinion, the public safety or welfare, or the safety of the members, or their health, shall require it.

## \*LENGTH OF LEGISLATIVE SESSION

22. All sessions of the Legislature, other than extraordinary sessions, shall continue for a period of sixty days from the date of beginning. But all regular sessions may be extended by the concurrence of two-thirds of the members elected to each house.

## CONCERNING ADJOURNMENT

23. Neither house shall, during the session, adjourn for more than three days, without the consent of the other. Nor shall either, without such consent, adjourn to any other place than that in which the Legislature is sitting.

## RULES GOVERNING LEGISLATIVE PROCEEDINGS

24. A majority of the members elected to each house of the Legislature shall constitute a quorum. But a smaller number may adjourn from day to day, and shall be authorized to compel the attendance of absent members, as each house may provide. Each house shall determine the rules of its proceedings and be the judge of the elections, returns and qualifications of its own members. The Senate shall choose, from its own body, a President; and the House of Delegates, from its own body, a Speaker. Each house shall appoint its own officers, and remove them at pleasure. The oldest delegate present shall call the House to order at the opening of each new House of Delegates, and preside over it until the Speaker thereof shall have been chosen and have taken his seat. The oldest member of the Senate present at the commencement of each regular session thereof shall call the Senate to order, and preside over the same until a President of the Senate shall have been chosen and have taken his seat.

## AUTHORITY TO PUNISH MEMBERS

25. Each house may punish its own members for disorderly behavior, and, with

\* [This section originally read as follows: "No session of the Legislature, after the first, shall continue longer than forty-five days without the concurrence of two-thirds of the members elected to each House." Under Senate Joint Resolution No. 3 (Acts 1919, p. 498) at the general election in November, 1920, it was amended to read: "All sessions of the Legislature, other than extraordinary sessions, shall continue in session for a period not exceeding fifteen days, from date of convening, during which time no bills shall be passed or rejected, unless the same shall be necessary to provide for a public emergency, shall be specially recommended by the Governor and passed by a vote of four-fifths of the members elected to each house; whereupon, a recess of both houses must be taken until the Wednesday after the second Monday of March following. On reassembling of the Legislature, no bill shall be introduced in either house without a vote of three-fourths of all the members elected to each house, taken by yeas and nays. The regular sessions shall not continue longer than forty-five days after reconvening, without the concurrence of two-thirds of the members elected to each house." Under Joint Resolution No. 9, Acts 1927, page 350, at the general election in November, 1928, this section was again amended to read as given in the text.]

the concurrence of two-thirds of the members elected thereto, expel a member, but not twice for the same offense.

#### PROVISIONS FOR UNDISTURBED TRANSACTION OF BUSINESS

26. Each house shall have power to provide for its own safety, and the undisturbed transactions of its business; and may punish, by imprisonment, any person not a member, for disrespectful behavior in its presence, for obstructing any of its proceedings, or any of its officers in the discharge of his duties, or for any assault, threat or abuse of a member for words spoken in debate. But such imprisonment shall not extend beyond the termination of the session, and shall not prevent the punishment of any offense by the ordinary course of law.

#### ACCOUNTING FOR STATE MONIES

27. Laws shall be enacted and enforced, by suitable provisions and penalties, requiring sheriffs, and all other officers, whether State, county, district or municipal, who shall collect or receive, or whose official duty it is or shall be to collect, receive, hold or pay out any money belonging to, or which is, or shall be, for the use of the State or of any county, district, or municipal corporation, to make annual account and settlement therefor. Such settlement, when made, shall be subject to exceptions, and take such direction, and have only such force and effect, as may be provided by law; but, in all cases, such settlement shall be recorded, and be open to the examination of the people at such convenient place or places as may be appointed by law.

#### ORIGINATION OF BILLS

28. Bills and resolutions may originate in either house, but may be passed, amended or rejected by the other.

#### REQUIREMENT FOR READING OF BILLS

29. No bill shall become a law until it has been fully and distinctly read, on three different days, in each house, unless in case of urgency, by a vote of four-fifths of the members present, taken by yeas and nays on each bill, this rule be dispensed with; *Provided*, In all cases, that an engrossed bill shall be fully and distinctly read in each house.

#### ACTS TO EMBRACE BUT ONE OBJECT—TIME OF EFFECT

30. No act hereafter passed shall embrace more than one object, and that shall be expressed in the title. But if any object shall be embraced in an act which is not so expressed, the act shall be void only as to so much thereof as shall not be expressed, and no law shall be revived, or amended, by reference to its title only; but the law revived, or the section amended, shall be inserted at large, in the new act. And no act of the Legislature, except such as may be passed at the first session under this Constitution, shall take effect until the expiration of ninety days after its passage, unless the Legislature shall, by a vote of two-thirds of the members elected to each house, taken by yeas and nays, otherwise direct.

#### HOW BILLS MAY BE AMENDED

31. When a bill or joint resolution passed by one House shall be amended by the other the question on agreeing to the bill, or joint resolution, as amended, shall be again voted on, by yeas and nays, in the house by which it was originally passed, and the result entered upon its journals; in all such cases the affirmative vote of a majority of all the members elected to such house shall be necessary.

#### "MAJORITY" DEFINED

32. Whenever the words, "a majority of the members elected to either house of the Legislature," or words of like import, are used in this Constitution, they shall be construed to mean a majority of the whole number of members to which each house is, at the time, entitled under the apportionment of representation, established by the provisions of this Constitution.

## COMPENSATION OF MEMBERS

33. \*The members of the Legislature shall each receive for his services the sum of five hundred dollars per annum and ten cents for each mile traveled in going to and returning from the seat of government by the most direct route. The Speaker of the House of Delegates and the President of the Senate shall each receive an additional compensation of two dollars per day for each day they shall act as presiding officers. No other allowance or emolument than that by this section provided shall directly or indirectly be made or paid to the members of either house for postage, stationery, newspapers, or any other purpose whatever.

## DISTRIBUTION OF LAWS AND JOURNALS PROVIDED FOR—CONTRACTS FOR PRINTING

34. The Legislature shall provide by law that the fuel, stationery and printing paper furnished for use of the State; the copying, printing, binding and distributing the laws and journals; and all other printing ordered by the Legislature, shall be let by contract to the lowest responsible bidder; bidding under a maximum price to be fixed by the Legislature; and no member or officer thereof or officer of the State, shall be interested, directly or indirectly, in such contract, but all such contracts shall be subject to the approval of the Governor, and in case of his disapproval of any such contract, there shall be a reletting of the same in such manner as may be prescribed by law.

## STATE NOT TO BE MADE DEFENDANT IN ANY COURT

35. The State of West Virginia shall never be made defendant in any court of law or equity.

## LOTTERIES PROHIBITED

36. The Legislature shall have no power to authorize lotteries or gift enterprises for any purpose, and shall pass laws to prohibit the sale of lottery or gift enterprise tickets in this State.

## TERMS OF OFFICE NOT TO BE EXTENDED AFTER ELECTION

37. No law shall be passed after the election of any public officer, which shall operate to extend the term of his office.

## SALARIES OF OFFICIALS CANNOT BE INCREASED DURING OFFICIAL TERM

38. No extra compensation shall be granted or allowed to any public officer, agent, servant or contractor, after the services shall have been rendered or the contract made; nor shall any Legislature authorize the payment of any claim or part thereof, hereafter created against the State, under any agreement or contract made, without express authority of law; and all such unauthorized agreements shall be null and void. Nor shall the salary of any public officer be increased or diminished during his term of office, nor shall any such officer, or his or their sureties, be released from any debt or liability due the State; *Provided*, The Legislature may make appropriations for expenditures hereafter incurred in suppressing insurrection or repelling invasion.

## LOCAL LAWS NOT TO BE PASSED IN ENUMERATED CASES

39. The Legislature shall not pass local or special laws in any of the following enumerated cases; that is to say, for:

- Granting divorces;
- Laying out, opening, altering and working roads or highways;
- Vacating roads, town plats, streets, alleys and public grounds;
- Locating or changing county seats;
- Regulating or changing county or district affairs;

[\*The amendment of sections 22 and 33, Art. VI, was proposed by joint resolution of January 13, 1919, Acts 1919, p. 456, and ratified at the general election November 2, 1920. The only change made in section 33 was to strike out the words "four dollars per day" and insert "five hundred dollars per annum."]

Providing for the sale of church property, or property held for charitable uses;  
 Regulating the practice in courts of justice;  
 Incorporating cities, towns or villages, or amending the charter of any city, town or village containing a population of less than two thousand;

Summoning or impaneling grand or petit juries;  
 The opening or conducting of any election, or designating the place of voting;  
 The sale and mortgage of real estate belonging to minors, or others under disability;

Chartering, licensing, or establishing ferries or toll bridges;

Remitting fines, penalties or forfeitures;

Changing the laws of descent;

Regulating the rate of interest;

Authorizing deeds to be made for land sold for taxes;

Releasing taxes; releasing title to forfeited lands.

The Legislature shall provide, by general laws, for the foregoing and all other cases for which provision can be so made; and in no case shall a special act be passed where a general law would be proper, and can be made applicable to the case, nor in any other case in which the courts have jurisdiction and are competent to give the relief asked for.

#### LIMITING POWERS OF COURT OR JUDGE

40. The Legislature shall not confer upon any court, or judge, the power of appointment to office, further than the same is herein provided for.

#### EACH HOUSE TO KEEP JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS

41. Each house shall keep a journal of its proceedings, and cause the same to be published from time to time, and all bills and joint resolutions shall be described therein, as well by their title as their number, and the yeas and nays on any question, if called for by one-tenth of those present, shall be entered on the journal.

#### APPROPRIATION BILLS TO BE SPECIFIC

42. Bills making appropriations for the pay of members and officers of the Legislature, and for salaries for the officers of the government, shall contain no provision on any other subject.

#### BOARD OR COURT OF REGISTRATION OF VOTERS PROHIBITED

43. The Legislature shall never authorize or establish any board or court of registration of voters.

#### ELECTION OF LEGISLATIVE, COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL OFFICERS

44. In all elections to office which may hereafter take place in the Legislature, or in any county, or municipal body, the vote shall be *viva voce*, and be entered on its journals.

#### BRIBERY AND ATTEMPT TO BRIBE—PUNISHMENT

45. It shall be the duty of the Legislature, at its first session after the adoption of this Constitution, to provide, by law, for the punishment, by imprisonment in the penitentiary, of any person who shall bribe, or attempt to bribe, any executive or judicial officer of this State, or any member of the Legislature, in order to influence him in the performance of any of his official or public duties; and also to provide by law for the punishment, by imprisonment in the penitentiary, of any of said officers, or any member of the Legislature, who shall demand or receive, from any corporation, company or person, any money, testimonial, or other valuable thing for the performance of his official or public duties, or for refusing or failing to perform the same, or for any vote or influence a member of the Legislature may give or withhold as such member, and also to provide by

law for compelling any person, so bribing or attempting to bribe, or so demanding or receiving a bribe, fee, reward, or testimonial, to testify against any person or persons, who may have committed any of said offenses; *Provided*, That any person so compelled to testify shall be exempted from trial and punishment for the offense of which he may have been guilty and concerning which he is compelled to testify; and any person convicted of any of the offenses specified in this section shall, as a part of the punishment thereof, be forever disqualified from holding any office or position of honor, trust or profit in this State.

#### MANUFACTURE AND SALE OF LIQUOR PROHIBITED—EXCEPTIONS

46. On and after the first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, the manufacture, sale and keeping for sale of malt, vinous or spirituous liquors, wine, porter, ale, beer, or any intoxicating drink, mixture, or preparation of like nature, except as hereinafter provided, are hereby prohibited in this State; *Provided, however*, That the manufacture and sale and keeping for sale of such liquors for medicinal, pharmaceutical, mechanical, sacramental and scientific purposes, and the manufacture and sale of denatured alcohol for industrial purposes, may be permitted under such regulations as the Legislature may prescribe. The Legislature shall, without delay, enact such laws, with regulations, conditions, securities and penalties as may be necessary to carry into effect the provisions of this section.

[This section, prior to its amendment, read as follows: "Laws may be passed regulating or prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors within the limits of this State." The amendment as above set forth was proposed by Senate joint resolution No. 6, adopted February 9, 1911, Acts 1911, p. 259 (see also Acts 1911, ch. 15), and was adopted at the general election of 1912.]

#### INCORPORATION OF RELIGIOUS DENOMINATIONS PROHIBITED

47. No charter of incorporation shall be granted to any church or religious denomination. Provision may be made by general laws for securing the title to church property, and for the sale and transfer thereof, so that it shall be held, used, or transferred for the purposes of such church or religious denomination.

#### HOMESTEAD EXEMPTION

48. Any husband or parent, residing in this State, or the infant children of deceased parents, may hold a homestead of the value of one thousand dollars and personal property to the value of two hundred dollars, exempt from forced sale subject to such regulations as shall be prescribed by law. *Provided*, That such homestead exemption shall in no wise affect debts or liabilities existing at the time of the adoption of this Constitution; and, *Provided, further*, That no property shall be exempt from sale for taxes due thereon, or for the payment of purchase money due upon said property, or for debts contracted for the erection of improvements thereon.

#### PROPERTY OF MARRIED WOMEN

49. The Legislature shall pass such laws as may be necessary to protect the property of married women from the debts, liabilities and control of their husbands.

#### PLAN OF PROPORTIONAL REPRESENTATION

50. The Legislature may provide for submitting to a vote of the people at the general election to be held in 1876, or at any general election thereafter, a plan or scheme of proportional representation in the Senate of this State; and if a majority of the votes cast at such election be in favor of the plan submitted to them, the Legislature shall, at its session succeeding such election, rearrange the Senatorial Districts in accordance with the plan so approved by the people.

#### THE BUDGET SYSTEM

51. The Legislature shall not appropriate any money out of the treasury except in accordance with the following provisions:

## SUB-SECTION A

Every appropriation bill shall be either a budget bill or a supplementary appropriation bill, as hereinafter mentioned.

## SUB-SECTION B

*First:* Within ten days after the convening of the Legislature, unless such time shall be extended by the Legislature for the session at which the budget is to be submitted, the board of public works, which shall consist of the governor, secretary of state, auditor, treasurer, attorney general, superintendent of free schools and commissioner of agriculture, shall submit to the Legislature, two budgets, one for each of the ensuing fiscal years. Each budget shall contain a complete plan of proposed expenditures and estimated revenues for the particular fiscal year to which it relates and shall show the estimated surplus or deficit of revenues at the end of such year. Accompanying each budget shall be a statement showing: (1) the revenues and expenditures for each of the two fiscal years next preceding; (2) the current assets, liabilities, reserves and surplus or deficit of the State; (3) the debts and funds of the State; (4) an estimate of the State's financial condition as to the beginning and end of each of the fiscal years covered by the two budgets above provided; (5) any explanation the board of public works may desire to make as to the important features of any budget and any suggestion as to methods for the reduction or increase of the State's revenue.

*Second:* Each budget shall be divided into two parts, and the first part shall be designated "Governmental Appropriations" and shall embrace an itemized estimate of the appropriations: (1) for the Legislature as certified to the board of public works in the manner hereinafter provided; (2) for the executive department; (3) for the judiciary department, as provided by law, certified to the Governor by the auditor; (4) to pay and discharge the principal and interest of any debt of the State of West Virginia hereafter created in conformity with the Constitution, and all laws enacted in pursuance thereof; (5) for the salaries payable by the State under the Constitution and laws of the State; (6) for the aid of public schools in conformity with the laws of the State; (7) for such other purposes as are set forth in the Constitution and laws made in pursuance thereof.

*Third:* The second part shall be designated "General Appropriations," and shall include all other estimates of appropriations.

The board of public works shall deliver to the presiding officer of each House the budgets and a bill for all the proposed appropriations of the budgets clearly itemized and classified; and the presiding officer of each House shall promptly cause said bill to be introduced therein, and such bill shall be known as the "Budget Bill." The board of public works may, before final action thereon by the Legislature, amend or supplement either of said budgets to correct an oversight or in case of an emergency, with the consent of the Legislature by delivering such an amendment or supplement to the presiding officers of both Houses; and such amendment or supplement shall thereby become a part of said budget bill as an addition to the items of said bill or as a modification of or a substitute for any item of said bill such amendment or supplement may affect.

The Legislature shall not amend the budget bill so as to create a deficit but may amend the bill by increasing or diminishing the items therein relating to the Legislature, and by increasing the items therein relating to the judiciary, but except as hereinbefore specified, may not alter the said bill except to strike out or reduce items therein; *Provided, however,* That the salary or compensation of any public officer shall not be increased or diminished during his term of office, and such bill when and as passed by both houses shall be a law immediately without further action by the governor.

*Fourth:* The governor and such representatives of the boards, officers and commissions of the State expending or applying for State's money as have been



designated by the board of public works for this purpose, shall have the right, and when requested by either House of the Legislature it shall be their duty to appear and be heard with respect to any budget bill during the consideration thereof, and to answer inquiries relative thereto.

#### SUB-SECTION C—SUPPLEMENTARY APPROPRIATION BILLS

Neither House shall consider other appropriations until the budget bill has been finally acted upon by both Houses, and no such other appropriations shall be valid except in accordance with the provisions following:

(1) Every such appropriation shall be embodied in a separate bill limited to some single work, object or purpose therein stated and called herein a supplementary appropriation bill; (2) Each supplementary appropriation bill shall provide the revenue necessary to pay the appropriation thereby made by a tax, direct or indirect, to be laid and collected as shall be directed in said bill unless it appears from such budget that there is sufficient revenue available; (3) No supplementary appropriation bill shall become a law unless it be passed in each house by a vote of a majority of the members present, and the yeas and nays recorded on its final passage. Each supplementary appropriation bill shall be presented to the governor of the State as provided in section fourteen of article seven of the Constitution and thereafter all the provisions of said section shall apply.

Nothing in this amendment shall be construed as preventing the Legislature from passing in time of war an appropriation bill to provide for the payment of any obligation of the State of West Virginia within the protection of section ten of article one of the Constitution of the United States.

#### SUB-SECTION D—GENERAL PROVISIONS

*First:* If the "Budget Bill" shall not have been finally acted upon by the Legislature three days before the expiration of its regular session, the governor may, and it shall be his duty to issue a proclamation extending the session for such further period, as may, in his judgment, be necessary for the passage of such bill; but no other matter than such bill shall be considered during such extended session except a provision for the cost thereof.

*Second:* The board of public works for the purpose of making up its budgets shall have the power, and it shall be its duty, to require from the proper State officials, including herein all executive departments, all executive and administrative officers, bureaus, boards, commissions and agencies expending or supervising the expenditures of, and all institutions applying for state moneys and appropriations, such itemized estimates and other information, in such form and at such times as said board shall direct. The estimates for the legislative department, certified by the presiding officer of each House, of the judiciary, as provided by law, certified by the auditor, and for the public schools, as provided by law, shall be transmitted to the board of public works, in such form and at such times as it shall direct, and shall be included in the budget.

The board of public works may provide for public hearings on all estimates and may require the attendance at such hearings of representatives of all agencies, and all institutions applying for state moneys. After such public hearings it may, in its discretion, revise all estimates except those for the legislative and judiciary departments, and for the public schools as provided by law.

*Third:* The Legislature may, from time to time, enact such laws, not inconsistent with this section, as may be necessary and proper to carry out its provisions.

*Fourth:* In the event of any inconsistency between any of the provisions of this section and any of the other provisions of the Constitution, except amendments thereto heretofore made and ratified by the people, the provisions of this section shall prevail. But nothing herein shall be construed as preventing the governor from calling extraordinary sessions of the Legislature, as provided by

section seven of article seven, or as preventing the Legislature at such extraordinary sessions from considering any emergency appropriation or appropriations.

If any item of any appropriation bill passed under the provisions of this section shall be held invalid upon any ground, such invalidity shall not affect the legality of the bill or of any other item of such bill or bills.

[This section—added to Article VI—was proposed by Senate Joint Resolution No. 1, (Acts 1917, page 69, Extraordinary session) and was ratified by a vote of the people at the general election held on the fifth day of November, 1918, as an amendment to the Constitution known as "The Budget Amendment."]

## ARTICLE VII

### EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

1. The Executive Department shall consist of a Governor, Secretary of State, State Superintendent of Free Schools, Auditor, Treasurer and Attorney General, who shall be *ex-officio* Reporter of the Court of Appeals. Their terms of office, respectively, shall be four years, and shall commence on the fourth day of March, next after their election. They shall, except the Attorney General, reside at the seat of government during their terms of office, and keep there the public records, books and papers pertaining to their respective offices and shall perform such duties as may be prescribed by law.

### ELECTION

2. An election for Governor, Secretary of State, State Superintendent of Free Schools, Auditor, Treasurer and Attorney General, shall be held at such times and places as may be prescribed by law.

[The amendment of this section was proposed by joint resolution of February 15, 1901, Acts 1901, p. 459, and adopted at the next election. The section, prior to being amended, read as follows: "An election for Governor, State Superintendent of Free Schools, Auditor, Treasurer and Attorney General, shall be held at such times and places as may be prescribed in this Constitution or by general law."]

### CERTIFICATION OF ELECTION RETURNS—CONTESTS

3. The returns of every election for the above named officers shall be sealed up and transmitted by the returning officers to the Secretary of State, directed to the Speaker of the House of Delegates, who shall, immediately after the organization of the House, and before proceeding to business, open and publish the same, in the presence of a majority of each house of the Legislature, which shall for that purpose assemble in the Hall of the House of Delegates. The person having the highest number of votes for either of said offices, shall be declared duly elected thereto; but if two or more have an equal and the highest number of votes for the same office, the Legislature shall, by joint vote, choose one of such persons for said office. Contested elections for the office of Governor shall be determined by both houses of the Legislature by joint vote, in such manner as may be prescribed by law.

[The amendment of this section was proposed by joint resolution of February 15, 1901, Acts 1901, p. 459, and ratified at the next election. The effect of the amendment was to strike out the following at the end of the original section: "The Secretary of State shall be appointed by the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, and shall continue in office, unless sooner removed, until the expiration of the official term of the Governor by whom he shall have been appointed."]

### ELIGIBILITY

4. None of the executive officers mentioned in this article shall hold any other office during the term of his service. The Governor shall not be eligible to said office for the four years next succeeding the term for which he was elected.

[The amendment of this section was proposed by joint resolution of February 15, 1901, Acts 1901, p. 460, and adopted at the next election. The section, prior to being amended, read as follows: "Neither the Governor, State Superintendent of Free Schools, Auditor, Treasurer, nor Attorney General, shall hold any other office during the term of his service. The Governor shall be ineligible to said office for the four years next succeeding the term for which he was elected."]

## CHIEF EXECUTIVE—POWERS

5. The chief executive power shall be vested in the Governor, who shall take care that the laws be faithfully executed.

## GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE

6. The Governor shall at the commencement of each session, give to the Legislature information by message, of the condition of the State, and shall recommend such measures as he shall deem expedient. He shall accompany his message with a statement of all money received and paid out by him, from any funds, subject to his order, with vouchers therefor; and at the commencement of each regular session, present estimates of the amount of money required by taxation for all purposes.

## EXTRAORDINARY LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS

7. The Governor may, on extraordinary occasions, convene, at his own instance, the Legislature; but when so convened it shall enter upon no business except that stated in the proclamation by which it was called together.

## GOVERNOR TO NOMINATE CERTAIN OFFICERS

8. The Governor shall nominate, and by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, (a majority of all Senators elected concurring by yeas and nays), appoint all officers whose offices are established by this Constitution, or shall be created by law, and whose appointment or election is not otherwise provided for; and no such officer shall be appointed or elected by the Legislature.

## RECESS VACANCIES—HOW FILLED

9. In case of a vacancy, during the recess of the Senate, in any office which is not elective, the Governor shall, by appointment, fill such vacancy, until the next meeting of the Senate, when he shall make a nomination for such office, and the person so nominated, when confirmed by the Senate, (a majority of all the Senators elected concurring by yeas and nays), shall hold his office during the remainder of the term, and until his successor shall be appointed and qualified. No person, after being rejected by the Senate, shall be again nominated for the same office, during the same session, unless at the request of the Senate; nor shall such person be appointed to the same office during the recess of the Senate.

## GOVERNOR'S POWER OF REMOVAL

10. The Governor shall have power to remove any officer whom he may appoint, in case of incompetency, neglect of duty, gross immorality, or malfeasance in office; and he may declare his office vacant and fill the same as herein provided in other cases of vacancy.

## EXECUTIVE MAY REMIT FINES AND FORFEITURES

11. The Governor shall have power to remit fines and penalties in such cases and under such regulations as may be prescribed by law; to commute capital punishment and, except where the prosecution has been carried on by the House of Delegates, to grant reprieves and pardons after conviction; but he shall communicate to the Legislature at each session the particulars of every case of fine or penalty remitted, of punishment commuted and of reprieve or pardon granted, with his reasons therefor.

## GOVERNOR COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF MILITARY FORCES

12. The Governor shall be commander-in-chief of the military forces of the State (except when they shall be called into the service of the United States), and may call out the same to execute the laws, suppress insurrection and repel invasion.

## OFFICIAL BOND OF STATE OFFICERS

13. When any State officer has executed his official bond, the Governor shall, for such causes and in such manner as the Legislature may direct, require of such officer reasonable additional security; and if the security is not given as required, his office shall be declared vacant, in such manner as may be provided by law.

## HOW BILLS BECOME LAWS

14. Every bill passed by the Legislature shall, before it becomes a law, be presented to the Governor. If he approve, he shall sign it, and thereupon it shall become a law; but if not, he shall return it, with his objections, to the House in which it originated, which House shall enter the objections at large upon its Journal and proceed to reconsider it. If, after such reconsideration, a majority of the members elected to that House, agree to pass the bill, it shall be sent, together with the objections, to the other House, by which it shall likewise be reconsidered, and if approved by a majority of the members elected to that House, it shall become a law, notwithstanding the objections of the Governor. But in all such cases, the vote of each House shall be determined by yeas and nays to be entered on the journal. Any bill which shall not be returned by the Governor within five days (Sundays excepted) after it shall have been presented to him, shall be a law, in like manner as if he had signed it, unless the Legislature shall, by their adjournment, prevent its return, in which case, it shall be filed with his objections in the office of the Secretary of State, within five days after such adjournment, or become a law.

## RESPECTING APPROPRIATIONS OF MONIES

15. Every bill passed by the Legislature making appropriations of money, embracing distinct items, shall before it becomes a law, be presented to the Governor; if he disapproves the bill, or any item or appropriation therein contained, he shall communicate such disapproval with his reasons therefor to the House in which the bill originated; but all items not disapproved shall have the force and effect of law according to the original provisions of the bill. Any item or items so disapproved shall be void, unless re-passed by a majority of each House according to the rules and limitations prescribed in the preceding section in reference to other bills.

## VACANCY IN GOVERNORSHIP, HOW FILLED

16. In case of the death, conviction on impeachment, failure to qualify, resignation, or other disability of the Governor, the President of the Senate shall act as Governor until the vacancy is filled, or the disability removed; and if the President of the Senate, for any of the above named causes, shall become incapable of performing the duties of Governor, the same shall devolve upon the Speaker of the House of Delegates; and in all other cases where there is no one to act as Governor, one shall be chosen by joint vote of the Legislature. Whenever a vacancy shall occur in the office of Governor before the first three years of the term shall have expired, a new election for Governor shall take place to fill the vacancy.

## VACANCIES IN OTHER EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS

17. If the office of Secretary of State, Auditor, Treasurer, State Superintendent of Free Schools or Attorney General shall become vacant by death, resignation or otherwise, it shall be the duty of the Governor to fill the same by appointment, and the appointee shall hold his office until his successor shall be elected and qualified in such manner as may be prescribed by law. The subordinate officers of the executive department and the officers of all public institutions of the State shall keep an account of all moneys received or disbursed by them, respectively, from all sources, and for every service performed, and make

a semi-annual report thereof to the Governor under oath or affirmation; and any officer who shall wilfully make a false report shall be deemed guilty of perjury.

[The amendment of this section was proposed by joint resolution of February 15, 1901, Acts 1901, p. 459, and ratified at the next election. The only change in the original section was by the insertion of the words "Secretary of State" in the first line, and by substitution of the word "prescribed" for the word "provided" in the fifth line.]

#### EXECUTIVE HEADS TO MAKE REPORTS

18. The subordinate officers of the Executive Department and the officers of all the public institutions of the State, shall, at least ten days preceding each regular session of the Legislature severally report to the Governor, who shall transmit such report to the Legislature and the Governor may at any time require information in writing, under oath, from the officers of his department, and all officers and managers of State institutions, upon any subject relating to the condition, management and expenses of their respective offices.

#### SALARIES OF OFFICIALS

19. The officers named in this article shall receive for their services a salary to be established by law, which shall not be increased or diminished during their official terms, and they shall not, after the expiration of the terms of those in offices at the adoption of this amendment, receive to their own use any fees, costs, perquisites of office or other compensation, and all fees that may hereafter be payable by law, for any service performed by any officer provided for in this article of the Constitution, shall be paid in advance into the State treasury.

[The amendment of this section was proposed by joint resolution of February 13, 1901, Acts 1901, p. 459, and ratified at the next election. This section, prior to amendment, read as follows: "The Governor shall receive for his services a salary of twenty-seven hundred dollars per annum and no additional emolument, allowance or perquisite, shall be paid or made to him, on any account. Any person acting as Governor shall receive the emoluments of that office. The Secretary of State shall receive one thousand; the State Superintendent of Free Schools, fifteen hundred; the Treasurer, fourteen hundred; the Auditor, two thousand, and the Attorney General, thirteen hundred dollars per annum; and no additional emolument or allowance, except as herein otherwise provided, shall be paid or made out of the treasury of the State to any of the foregoing executive officers on any account."]

### ARTICLE VIII

#### JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT

1. The judicial power of the State shall be vested in a supreme court of appeals, in circuit courts and the judges thereof, in such inferior tribunals as are herein authorized and in justices of the peace.

[The amendment of this entire article was proposed by joint resolution of March 6, 1879, Acts 1879, p. 175, and ratified at the next election.]

#### SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS

2. The supreme court of appeals shall consist of \*four judges, any three of whom shall be a quorum for the transaction of business. They shall be elected by the voters of the State and hold their office for the term of twelve years, unless sooner removed, in the manner prescribed by this Constitution, except that the judges in office when this article takes effect, shall remain therein until the expiration of their present term of office.

#### SCOPE OF JURISDICTION

3. It shall have original jurisdiction in cases of *habeas corpus*, *mandamus*, and prohibition. It shall have appellate jurisdiction in civil cases where the matter in controversy, exclusive of costs, is of greater value or amount than one hundred dollars; in controversies concerning the title or boundaries of land, the probate of

[\*The supreme court of appeals consists of five judges, by the provisions of the "Judicial Amendment" set forth at the end of the Constitution, and Acts 1903, ch. 19, amending and re-enacting section 1 of chapter 113 of the Code.]

will, the appointment or qualification of a personal representative, guardian, committee or curator, or concerning a mill, road, way, ferry or landing; or the right of a corporation or county to levy tolls or taxes; and also, in cases of *quo warranto*, *habeas corpus*, *mandamus*, *certiorari*, and prohibition, and in cases involving freedom or the constitutionality of a law. It shall have appellate jurisdiction in criminal cases where there has been a conviction for felony or misdemeanor in a circuit court, and where a conviction has been had in any inferior court, and been affirmed in a circuit court, and in cases relating to the public revenue, the right of appeal shall belong to the State as well as the defendant, and such other appellate jurisdiction, in both civil and criminal cases, as may be prescribed by law.

BINDING AUTHORITY OF DECISIONS

4. No decision rendered by the supreme court of appeals shall be considered as binding authority upon any of the inferior courts of this State, except in the particular case decided, unless such decision is concurred in by at least three judges of said court.

REVERSAL OR AFFIRMANCE OF JUDGMENTS

5. When a judgment or decree is reversed or affirmed by the supreme court of appeals, every point fairly arising upon the record of the case shall be considered and decided; and the reasons therefor shall be concisely stated in writing and preserved with the record of the case, and it shall be the duty of the court to prepare a syllabus of the points adjudicated in each case concurred in by three of the judges thereof, which shall be prefixed to the published report of the case.

WRIT OF ERROR, SUPERSEDEAS AND APPEAL

6. A writ of error, supersedeas, or appeal shall be allowed only by the supreme court of appeals, or a judge thereof, upon a petition assigning error in the judgment or proceedings of the inferior court and then only after said court or judge shall have examined and considered the record and assignment of errors, and is satisfied that there is error in the same, or that it presents a point proper for the consideration of the supreme court of appeals.

PROVISIONS FOR FILLING SUPREME COURT VACANCIES

7. If from any cause a vacancy shall occur in the supreme court of appeals the Governor shall issue a writ of election to fill such vacancy at the next general election for the residue of the term, and in the meantime he shall fill such vacancy by appointment until a judge is elected and qualified. But if the unexpired term be less than two years the Governor shall fill such vacancy by appointment for the unexpired term.

OFFICERS OF SUPREME COURT

8. The officers of the supreme court of appeals, except the reporter, shall be appointed by the court, or in vacation by the judges thereof, with the power of removal; their duties and compensation shall be prescribed by law.

TERMS OF SUPREME COURT

9. There shall be at least two terms of the supreme court of appeals held annually at such times and places as may be prescribed by law.

CIRCUIT COURTS

10. The State shall be divided into thirteen circuits. For the circuit hereinafter called the first, two judges shall be elected, and for each of the other circuits one judge shall be elected by the voters thereof. Each of the judges so elected shall hold his office for the term of eight years unless sooner removed in the man-

[\*Now twenty-four.]

ner prescribed by this Constitution. The judges of the circuit courts in office when this article takes effect, shall remain therein until the expiration of the term for which they have been elected in the circuits in which they may respectively reside, unless sooner removed as aforesaid. A vacancy in the office of a judge of the circuit court shall be filled in the same manner as is provided for in the case of a vacancy in the office of a judge of the supreme court of appeals. During his continuance in office the judge of a circuit court shall reside in the circuit of which he is judge. The business of the first circuit may be apportioned between the judges thereof, and such judges may hold courts in the same county or in different counties within the circuit at the same time or at different times as may be prescribed by law.

#### TERMS OF CIRCUIT COURT

11. A circuit court shall be held in every county in the State at least three times in each year, and provisions may be made by law for holding special terms of said court. A judge of any circuit may hold the courts in another circuit.

#### CIRCUIT COURT JURISDICTION

12. The circuit court shall have the supervision and control of all proceedings before justices and other inferior tribunals, by *mandamus*, *prohibition* and *certiorari*. They shall, except in cases confined exclusively by this Constitution to some other tribunal, have original and general jurisdiction of all matters at law where the amount in controversy, exclusive of interest, exceeds fifty dollars; of all cases of *habeas corpus*, *mandamus*, *quo warranto* and prohibition; and of all cases in equity, and of all crimes and misdemeanors. They shall have appellate jurisdiction in all cases, civil and criminal, where an appeal, writ of error or *supersedeas* may be allowed to the judgment or proceedings of any inferior tribunal. They shall also have such other jurisdiction, whether supervisory, original, appellate or concurrent, as is or may be prescribed by law.

#### DIVISION OF STATE INTO CIRCUITS

13. Until otherwise provided by law, the State shall be divided into the following circuits: The counties of Brooke, Hancock, Ohio and Marshall shall constitute the first circuit; the counties of Monongalia, Marlon and Harrison, the second; the counties of Preston, Taylor, Barbour, Tucker and Randolph, the third; the counties of Wetzel, Tyler, Ritchie and Doddridge, the fourth; the counties of Wood, Wirt and Pleasants, the fifth; the counties of Clay, Gilmer, Jackson, Roane and Calhoun, the sixth; the counties of Putnam, Kanawha and Mason, the seventh; the counties of Cabell, Wayne, Lincoln and Logan, the eighth; the counties of McDowell, Mercer, Raleigh, Wyoming and Boone, the ninth; the counties of Greenbrier, Monroe, Summers, Fayette and Pocahontas, the tenth; the counties of Upshur, Lewis, Braxton, Nicholas and Webster, the eleventh; the counties of Grant, Hardy, Hampshire, Mineral and Pendleton, the twelfth; the counties of Jefferson, Berkeley and Morgan, the thirteenth.

[By various acts of the legislature the above division has been changed and the number of circuits increased to twenty-four.]

#### RE-ARRANGEMENT OF STATE INTO CIRCUITS

14. The Legislature may rearrange the circuits herein provided for at any session thereof, next preceding any general election of the judges of said circuits, and after the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, may, at any such session, increase or diminish the number thereof.

#### SPECIAL TERMS AND JUDGES OF CIRCUIT COURTS

15. The Legislature shall provide by law for holding regular and special terms of the circuit courts, where from any cause the judge shall fail to attend, or, if in attendance, can not properly preside.

## PROVISION FOR SPECIAL COURT TERMS

16. All judges shall be commissioned by the Governor. The \*salary of a judge of the supreme court of appeals shall be two thousand two hundred dollars per annum, and that of a judge of the circuit court shall be one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum; and each shall receive the same mileage as members of the Legislature; *Provided*, That Ohio county may pay an additional sum per annum to the judges of the circuit court thereof; but such allowance shall not be increased or diminished during the term of office of the judges to whom it may have been made. No judge, during his term of office, shall practice the profession of law or hold any other office, appointment or public trust, under this or any other government, and the acceptance thereof shall vacate his judicial office. Nor shall he during his continuance therein, be eligible to any political office.

## HOW JUDGES MAY BE REMOVED

17. Judges may be removed from office by a concurrent vote of both houses of the Legislature, when from age, disease, mental or bodily infirmity or intemperance, they are incapable of discharging the duties of their office. But two-thirds of all the members elected to each House must concur in such vote, and the cause of removal shall be entered upon the journal of each House. The judge against whom the Legislature may be about to proceed shall receive notice thereof, accompanied with the cause alleged for his removal, at least twenty days before the day on which action is proposed to be taken therein.

## GENERAL PROVISIONS

18. The voters of each county shall elect a clerk of the circuit court, whose term of office shall be six years; his duties and compensation and the manner of removing him from office shall be prescribed by law, and when a vacancy shall occur in the office, the circuit court or the judge thereof in vacation shall fill the same by appointment until the next general election. In any case in respect to which the clerk shall be so situated as to make it improper for him to act, the said court shall appoint a clerk to act therein. The clerks of said courts in office when this article takes effect, shall remain therein for the term for which they were elected, unless sooner removed in the manner prescribed by law.

## COURTS OF LIMITED JURISDICTION

19. The Legislature may establish courts of limited jurisdiction within any county, incorporated city, town or village, with the right of appeal to the circuit court, subject to such limitations as may be prescribed by law; and all courts of limited jurisdiction heretofore established in any county, incorporated city, town or village, shall remain as at present constituted until otherwise provided by law. The municipal court of Wheeling shall continue in existence until otherwise provided by law, and said court and the judge thereof, shall exercise the powers and jurisdiction heretofore conferred upon them; and appeals in civil cases from said court shall lie directly in the supreme court of appeals.

## REGARDING PARTICIPATION IN CIVIL WAR

20. No citizen of the State who aided or participated in the late war between the government of the United States and a part of the people thereof, on either side, shall be liable in any proceeding, civil or criminal; nor shall his property be seized or sold under final process issued upon judgments or decrees heretofore

[\*Under the judicial amendment proposed by House Joint Resolution No. 15, Acts 1901, page 462, and ratified in 1902, the salaries of the judges of the supreme court of appeals are now fixed by legislative enactment at ten thousand dollars per annum, and those of circuit court judges at five thousand dollars in circuits of less than sixty thousand population and fifty-five hundred dollars in circuits with a greater population, payable out of the state treasury, said amounts being increased in several circuits by payment of additional compensation from the county treasuries.]



rendered, or otherwise, because of any act done in accordance with the usage of civilized warfare in the prosecution of said war. The Legislature shall provide, by general laws, for giving full force and effect to this section.

#### PARTS OF COMMON LAW EFFECTIVE

21. Such parts of the common law, and of the laws of this State as are in force when this article goes into operation, and are not repugnant thereto, shall be and continue the law of the State until altered or repealed by the Legislature. All civil and criminal suits and proceedings pending in the former circuit courts of the State, shall remain and be proceeded in before the circuit court of the counties in which they were pending.

#### COUNTY COURTS

22. There shall be in each county of the State a county court, composed of three commissioners, and two of said commissioners shall be a quorum for the transaction of business. It shall hold four regular sessions in each year and at such times as may be fixed upon and entered of record by the said court. Provisions may be made by law for holding special sessions of said court.

#### TERMS OF OFFICE OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

23. The commissioners shall be elected by the voters of the county, and hold their office for the term of six years, except at the first meeting of said commissioners they shall designate by lot, or otherwise, in such manner as they may determine, one of their number, who shall hold his office for the term of two years, one for four years and one for six years, so that one shall be elected every two years. But no two of said commissioners shall be elected from the same magisterial district. And if two or more persons residing in the same district shall receive the greater number of votes cast at any election, then only the one of such persons receiving the highest number shall be declared elected, and the person living in another district, who shall receive the next highest number of votes shall be declared elected. Said commissioners shall annually elect one of their number as president, and each shall receive two dollars per day for his services in court, to be paid out of the county treasury.

#### POWERS OF COUNTY COURTS

24. The county courts, through their clerks, shall have the custody of all deeds and other papers presented for record in their counties, and the same shall be preserved therein, or otherwise disposed of, as now is or may be prescribed by law. They shall have jurisdiction in all matters of probate, the appointment and qualification of personal representatives, guardians, committees, curators, and the settlement of their accounts, and in all matters relating to apprentices. They shall also, under such regulations as may be prescribed by law, have the superintendence and administration of the internal and police and fiscal affairs of their counties, including the establishment and regulation of roads, ways, bridges, public landings, ferries and mills, with authority to lay and disburse the county levies: *Provided*, That no license for the sale of intoxicating liquors in any incorporated city, town or village, shall be granted without the consent of the municipal authorities thereof, first had and obtained. They shall, in all cases of contest, judge of the election, qualification and returns of their own members, and of all county and district officers, subject to such regulations, by appeal or otherwise, as may be prescribed by law. Such courts may exercise such other powers, and perform such other duties, not of a judicial nature, as may be prescribed by law. And provision may be made, under such regulations as may be prescribed by law, for the probate of wills and for the appointment and qualification of personal representatives, guardians, committees and curators during the recess of the regular sessions of the county court. Such tribunals as have been heretofore established by the Legislature under and by virtue of the thirty-fourth section of the eighth article of the Constitution of one

thousand eight hundred and seventy-two, for police and fiscal purposes, shall, until otherwise provided by law, remain and continue as at present constituted in the counties in which they have been respectively established, and shall be and act as to police and fiscal matters in lieu of the county court created by this article until otherwise provided by law. And, until otherwise provided by law, such clerk as is mentioned in the twenty-sixth section of this article, shall exercise any powers and discharge any duties heretofore conferred on, or required of, any court or tribunal established for judicial purposes under the said article and section of the Constitution of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two, or the clerk of such court or tribunal respectively, respecting the recording and preservation of deeds and other papers presented for record, matters of probate, the appointment and qualification of personal representatives, guardians, committees, curators, and the settlement of their accounts, and in all matters relating to apprentices.

#### REMOVAL OF CAUSES

25. All actions, suits and proceedings not embraced in the next preceding section, pending in a county court when this article takes effect, together with the records and papers pertaining thereto, as well as all records and papers pertaining to such actions, suits and proceedings, as have already been disposed of by said courts, shall be transmitted to and filed with the clerk of the circuit court of the county to which office all process outstanding at the time this article goes into operation shall be returned; and said clerk shall have the same power and shall perform the same duties in relation to such records, papers and proceedings as were vested in and required of the clerk of the county court on the day before this article shall take effect. All such actions, suits and proceedings so pending as aforesaid, shall be docketed, proceeded in, tried, heard and determined in all respects by the circuit court, as if such suits and proceedings had originated in said court.

#### CLERK OF COUNTY COURT

26. The voters of each county shall elect a clerk of the county court, whose term of office shall be six years. His duties and compensation and the manner of his removal shall be prescribed by law. But the clerks of said courts, now in office, shall remain therein for the term for which they have been elected, unless sooner removed therefrom, in the manner prescribed by law.

#### DISTRICTING OF COUNTY

27. Each county shall be laid off into districts, not less than three nor more than ten in number, as nearly equal as may be in territory and population. There shall be elected in each district containing a population not exceeding twelve hundred, one justice of the peace, and if the population exceeds that number, two justices shall be elected therein. Every justice shall reside in the district for which he was elected and hold his office for the term of four years, unless sooner removed in the manner prescribed by law. The districts as they now exist shall remain till changed by the county court.

#### JURISDICTION OF A JUSTICE OF THE PEACE

28. The civil jurisdiction of a justice of the peace shall extend to actions of assumpsit, debt, detinue and trover, if the amount claimed, exclusive of interest, does not exceed three hundred dollars. The jurisdiction of justices of the peace shall extend throughout their county; they shall be conservators of the peace and have such jurisdiction and powers in criminal cases as may be prescribed by law. And justices of the peace shall have authority to take the acknowledgment of deeds and other writings, administer oaths, and take and certify depositions. And the Legislature may give to justices such additional civil jurisdiction and powers within their respective counties as may be deemed expedient, under such regulations and restrictions as may be prescribed by general law, except that in suits to recover money or damages their jurisdiction and powers shall in no case

exceed three hundred dollars. Appeals shall be allowed from judgments of justices of the peace in such manner as may be prescribed by law.

#### RE-FORMATION OF COUNTY COURTS

29. The Legislature shall, upon the application of any county, reform, alter or modify the county court established by this article in such county, and in lieu thereof, with the assent of a majority of the voters of such county voting at an election, create another tribunal for the transaction of the business required to be performed by the county court created by this article and in such case all the provisions of this article in relation to the county court shall be applicable to the tribunal established in lieu of said court. And when such tribunal has been established it shall continue to act in lieu of the county court until otherwise provided by law.

#### INCOMPATIBLE OFFICES

30. The office of commissioner and justice of the peace shall be deemed incompatible. Vacancies in the office of commissioner, clerk of the county court and justices of the peace shall be filled by the county court of the county until the next general election.

### ARTICLE IX

#### COUNTY ORGANIZATION

1. The voters of each county shall elect a surveyor of lands, a prosecuting attorney, a sheriff, and one and not more than two assessors, who shall hold their respective offices for the term of four years.

#### CONSTABLES, CORONERS AND OVERSEERS OF THE POOR

2. There shall also be elected in each district of the county, by the voters thereof, one constable, and if the population of any district shall exceed twelve hundred, an additional constable, whose term of office shall be four years and whose powers as such shall extend throughout their county. The assessor shall, with the advice and consent of the county court, have the power to appoint one or more assistants. Coroners, overseers of the poor and surveyors of roads shall be appointed by the county court. The foregoing officers, except the prosecuting attorneys, shall reside in the county and district for which they shall be respectively elected.

#### SHERIFFS—CONSECUTIVE TERMS PROHIBITED

3. The same person shall not be elected sheriff for two consecutive full terms; nor shall any person who acted as his deputy be elected successor to such sheriff, nor shall any sheriff act as deputy of his successor; nor shall he during his term of service, or within one year thereafter, be eligible to any other office. The retiring sheriff shall finish all business remaining in his hands, at the expiration of his term; for which purpose his commission and official bond shall remain in force. The duties of the office of sheriff shall be performed by him in person, or under his superintendence.

#### MALFEASANCE AND MISFEASANCE IN OFFICE

4. The presidents of the county court, the justices of the peace, sheriffs, prosecuting attorneys, clerks of the circuit and of the county courts, and all other officers, shall be subject to indictment for malfeasance, misfeasance, or neglect of official duty, and upon conviction thereof their offices shall become vacant.

#### COMMISSIONING OF OFFICERS NOT OTHERWISE PROVIDED FOR

5. The Legislature shall provide for commissioning such of the officers herein mentioned, as it may deem proper, not provided for in this Constitution, and may require any class of them to give bond with security for the faithful discharge of the duties of their respective offices.

COMPENSATION—DEPUTIES

6. It shall further provide for the compensation, the duties and responsibilities of such officers, and may provide for the appointment of their deputies and assistants by general laws.

CONSERVATORS OF THE PEACE

7. The president of the county court and every justice and constable shall be a conservator of the peace throughout his county.

FORMATION OF NEW COUNTIES

8. No new county shall hereafter be formed in this State with an area of less than four hundred square miles; nor with a population of less than six thousand; nor shall any county, from which a new county, or part thereof, shall be taken, be reduced in area below four hundred square miles, nor in population below six thousand. Nor shall a new county be formed without the consent of a majority of the voters residing within the boundaries of the proposed new county, and voting on the question.

ARTICLE X

TAXATION AND FINANCE

1. Taxation shall be equal and uniform throughout the State, and all property, both real and personal, shall be taxed in proportion to its value, to be ascertained as directed by law. No one species of property, from which a tax may be collected, shall be taxed higher than any other species of property of equal value; but property used for educational, literary, scientific, religious or charitable purposes, all cemeteries and public property may, by law, be exempted from taxation. The Legislature shall have power to tax, by uniform and equal laws, all privileges and franchises of persons and corporations.

CAPITATION TAX

2. The Legislature shall levy an annual capitation tax of one dollar upon each male inhabitant of the State who has attained the age of twenty-one years, which shall be annually appropriated to the support of free schools. Persons afflicted with bodily infirmity may be exempted from this tax.

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES OF PUBLIC MONIES

3. No money shall be drawn from the treasury but in pursuance of an appropriation made by law, and on a warrant issued thereon by the Auditor; nor shall any money or fund be taken for any other purpose than that for which it has been or may be appropriated or provided. A complete and detailed statement of the receipts and expenditures of the public moneys shall be published annually.

LIMITATION ON CONTRACTION OF STATE DEBT

4. No debt shall be contracted by this State, except to meet casual deficits in the revenue, to redeem a previous liability of the State, to suppress insurrection, repel invasion or defend the State in time of war; but the payment of any liability other than that for the ordinary expenses of the State, shall be equally distributed over a period of at least twenty years.

POWER OF TAXATION

5. The power of taxation of the Legislature shall extend to provisions for the payment of the State debt, and interest thereon, the support of free schools, and the payment of the annual estimated expenses of the State; but whenever any deficiency in the revenue shall exist in any year, it shall, at the regular session thereof held next after the deficiency occurs, levy a tax for the ensuing

year, sufficient with other sources of income to meet such deficiency, as well as the estimated expenses of such year.

#### CREDIT OF STATE NOT TO BE GRANTED IN CERTAIN CASES

6. The credit of the State shall not be granted to, or in aid of any county, city, township, corporation or person; nor shall the State ever assume, or become responsible for the debts or liabilities of any county, city, township, corporation or person; nor shall the State ever hereafter become a joint owner, or stockholder in any company or association in this State or elsewhere, formed for any purpose whatever.

#### DUTIES OF COUNTY AUTHORITIES IN ASSESSING TAXES

7. County authorities shall never assess taxes, in any one year, the aggregate of which shall exceed ninety-five cents per one hundred dollars' valuation; except for the support of free schools; payment of indebtedness existing at the time of the adoption of this Constitution; and for the payment of any indebtedness with the interest thereon, created under the succeeding section, unless such assessment, with all questions involving the increase of such aggregate shall have been submitted to the vote of the people of the county, and have received three-fifths of all the votes cast for and against it.

#### BONDED INDEBTEDNESS OF COUNTIES

8. No county, city, school district, or municipal corporation, except in cases where such corporations have already authorized their bonds to be issued, shall hereafter be allowed to become indebted, in any manner, or for any purpose, to an amount, including existing indebtedness, in the aggregate, exceeding five per centum on the value of the taxable property therein to be ascertained by the last assessment for State and county taxes, previous to the incurring of such indebtedness; nor without, at the same time, providing for the collection of a direct annual tax, sufficient to pay, annually, the interest on such debt, and the principal thereof, within, and not exceeding thirty-four years; *Provided*, That no debt shall be contracted under this section, unless all questions connected with the same shall have been first submitted to a vote of the people, and have received three-fifths of all the votes cast for and against the same.

#### MUNICIPAL TAXES TO BE UNIFORM

9. The Legislature may, by law, authorize the corporate authorities of cities, towns and villages, for corporate purposes, to assess and collect taxes; but such taxes shall be uniform, with respect to persons and property within the jurisdiction of the authority imposing the same.

### ARTICLE XI

#### CORPORATIONS

1. The Legislature shall provide for the organization of all corporations hereafter to be created, by general laws, uniform as to the class to which they relate; but no corporation shall be created by special law; *Provided*, That nothing in this section contained, shall prevent the Legislature from providing by special laws for the connection, by canal, of the waters of the Chesapeake with the Ohio River by the line of the James River, Greenbrier, New River and Great Kanawha.

#### CORPORATE LIABILITY FOR INDEBTEDNESS

2. The Stockholders of all corporations and joint stock companies, except banks and banking institutions, created by laws of this State, shall be liable for the indebtedness of such corporations to the amount of their stock subscribed and unpaid, and no more.

## EXCLUSIVE PRIVILEGES PROHIBITED

3. All existing charters or grants of special or exclusive privileges under which organization shall not have taken place, or which shall not have been in operation within two years from the time this Constitution takes effect, shall thereafter have no validity or effect whatever: *Provided*, That nothing herein shall prevent the execution of any *bona fide* contract heretofore lawfully made in relation to any existing charter or grant in this State.

## RIGHTS OF STOCKHOLDERS

4. The Legislature shall provide by law that in all elections for directors or managers of incorporated companies, every stockholder shall have the right to vote, in person or by proxy, for the number of shares of stock owned by him, for as many persons as there are directors or managers to be elected, or to cumulate said shares, and give one candidate as many votes as the number of directors multiplied by the number of his shares of stock, shall equal, or to distribute them on the same principle among as many candidates as he shall think fit; and such directors or managers shall not be elected in any other manner.

## STREET RAILROADS

5. No law shall be passed by the Legislature, granting the right to construct and operate a street railroad within any city, town or incorporated village, without requiring the consent of the local authorities having the control of the street or highway proposed to be occupied by such street railroad.

## BANKS

6. The Legislature may provide, by general banking law, for the creation and organization of banks of issue or circulation, but the stockholders of any bank hereafter authorized by the laws of this State, whether of issue, deposit or discount, shall be personally liable to the creditors thereof over and above the amount of stock held by them respectively to an amount equal to their respective shares so held, for all its liabilities accruing while they are such stockholders.

## RAILROADS

7. Every railroad corporation organized or doing business in this State shall annually, by their proper officers, make a report under oath, to the auditor of public accounts of this State, or some officer to be designated by law, setting forth the condition of their affairs, the operations of the year, and such other matters relating to their respective railroads as may be prescribed by law. The Legislature shall pass laws enforcing by suitable penalties the provisions of this section.

## ROLLING STOCK CONSIDERED PERSONAL PROPERTY

8. The rolling stock and all other movable property belonging to any railroad company or corporation in this State shall be considered personal property and shall be liable to execution and sale in the same manner as the personal property of individuals; and the Legislature shall pass no law exempting any such property from execution and sale.

## RAILROADS PUBLIC HIGHWAYS

9. Railroads heretofore constructed, or that may hereafter be constructed in this State, are hereby declared public highways and shall be free to all persons for the transportation of their persons and property thereon, under such regulations as shall be prescribed by law; and the Legislature shall, from time to time, pass laws applicable to all railroad corporations in the State, establishing reasonable maximum rates of charges for the transportation of passengers and freight, and providing for the correction of abuses, the prevention of unjust discrimina-

tions between through and local or way freight and passenger tariffs, and for the protection of the just rights of the public, and shall enforce such laws by adequate penalties.

#### STATIONS TO BE ESTABLISHED

10. The Legislature shall, in the law regulating railway companies, require railroads running through, or within a half mile of a town or village, containing three hundred or more inhabitants, to establish stations for the accommodation of trade and travel of said town or village.

#### COMPETING LINES—LEGISLATIVE PERMISSION

11. No railroad corporation shall consolidate its stock, property or franchise with any other railroad owning a parallel or competing line, or obtain the possession or control of such parallel or competing line by lease or other contract, without the permission of the Legislature.

#### RIGHT OF EMINENT DOMAIN

12. The exercise of the power and the right of eminent domain shall never be so construed or abridged as to prevent the taking, by the Legislature, of the property and franchises of incorporated companies already organized, and subjecting them to the public use, the same as of individuals.

### ARTICLE XII

#### EDUCATION

1. The Legislature shall provide, by general law, for a thorough and efficient system of free schools.

#### STATE SUPERINTENDENT OF FREE SCHOOLS

2. The State Superintendent of Free Schools shall have a general supervision of free schools, and perform such other duties in relation thereto as may be prescribed by law. If in the performance of any such duty imposed upon him by the Legislature he shall incur any expenses, he shall be reimbursed therefor; *Provided*, The amount does not exceed five hundred dollars in any one year.

#### COUNTY SUPERINTENDENTS

3. The Legislature may provide for county superintendents and such other officers as may be necessary to carry out the objects of this article and define their duties, powers and compensation.

#### EXISTING PERMANENT AND INVESTED SCHOOL FUND

4. The existing permanent and invested school fund, and all money accruing to this State from forfeited, delinquent, waste and unappropriated lands; and from lands heretofore sold for taxes and purchased by the State of Virginia, if hereafter redeemed or sold to others than this State; all grants, devises or bequests that may be made to this State, for the purposes of education or where the purposes of such grants, devises or bequests are not specified; this State's just share of the literary fund of Virginia, whether paid over or otherwise liquidated; and any sums of money, stocks or property which this State shall have the right to claim from the State of Virginia for educational purposes; the proceeds of the estates of persons who may die without leaving a will or heir; and of all escheated lands; the proceeds of any taxes that may be levied on the revenues of any corporations; all moneys that may be paid as an equivalent from exemption from military duty; and such sums as may from time to time be appropriated by the Legislature for the purpose, shall be set apart as a separate fund to be called the "School Fund," and invested under such regulations as may be prescribed by law, in the interest-bearing securities of the United States, or of this State, or if such interest-

bearing securities can not be obtained, then said "School Fund" shall be invested in such other solvent, interest-bearing securities as shall be approved by the Governor, Superintendent of Free Schools, Auditor and Treasurer, who are hereby constituted the "Board of the School Fund," to manage the same under such regulations as may be prescribed by law; and the interest thereof shall be annually applied to the support of free schools throughout the State, and to no other purpose whatever. But any portion of said interest remaining unexpended at the close of a fiscal year shall be added to and remain a part of the capital of the "School Fund;" *Provided*, That all taxes which shall be received by the State upon delinquent lands, except the taxes due to the State thereon, shall be refunded to the county or district by or for which the same were levied.

[This section is modified by the "Irreducible School Fund Amendment" set forth at the end of the Constitution.]

#### SUPPORT OF FREE SCHOOLS

5. The Legislature shall provide for the support of free schools by appropriating thereto the interest of the invested "School Fund," the net proceeds of all forfeitures and fines accruing to this State under the laws thereof; the State capitation tax, and by general taxation of persons and property or otherwise. It shall also provide for raising in each county or district, by the authority of the people thereof, such a proportion of the amount required for the support of free schools therein, as shall be prescribed by general laws.

#### SCHOOL DISTRICTS

6. The school districts into which any county is now divided shall continue until changed in pursuance of law.

#### LEVIES FOR SCHOOL PURPOSES

7. All levies that may be laid by any county or district for the purpose of free schools shall be reported to the clerk of the county court; and shall, under such regulations as may be prescribed by law, be collected by the sheriff or other collector, who shall make annual settlement with the county court; which settlements shall be made a matter of record by the clerk thereof, in a book to be kept for that purpose.

#### MIXED SCHOOLS PROHIBITED

8. White and colored persons shall not be taught in the same school.

#### CERTAIN ACTS PROHIBITED

9. No person connected with the free school system of the State, or with any educational institution of any name or grade under State control, shall be interested in the sale, proceeds or profits of any book or other thing used, or to be used therein, under such penalties as may be prescribed by law; *Provided*, That nothing herein shall be construed to apply to any work written, or thing invented, by such person.

#### CREATION OF INDEPENDENT FREE SCHOOL DISTRICTS

10. No independent free school district, or organization, shall hereafter be created, except with the consent of the school district or districts out of which the same is to be created, expressed by a majority of the voters voting on the question.

#### APPROPRIATION FOR STATE NORMAL SCHOOLS

11. No appropriation shall hereafter be made to any State normal school, or branch thereof, except to those already established and in operation, or now chartered.



## LEGISLATURE TO FOSTER GENERAL SCHOOL IMPROVEMENTS

12. The Legislature shall foster and encourage moral, intellectual, scientific and agricultural improvements; it shall, whenever it may be practicable, make suitable provision for the blind, mute and insane, and for the organization of such institutions of learning as the best interests of general education in the State may demand.

## ARTICLE XIII

## LAND TITLES

1. All private rights and interests in lands in this State derived from or under the laws of the State of Virginia, and from or under the Constitution and laws of this State prior to the time this Constitution goes into operation, shall remain valid and secure and shall be determined by the laws in force in Virginia, prior to the formation of this State, and by the Constitution and laws in force in this State prior to the time this Constitution goes into effect.

## LAND ENTRY PROHIBITED

2. No entry by warrant on land in this State shall hereafter be made.

## FORFEITED LANDS

3. All title to lands in this State heretofore forfeited, or treated as forfeited, waste and unappropriated, or escheated to the State of Virginia or this State, or purchased by either of said States at sales made for the non-payment of taxes and become irredeemable, or hereafter forfeited, or treated as forfeited, or escheated to this State, or purchased by it and become irredeemable, not redeemed, released or otherwise disposed of, vested and remaining in this State, shall be, and is hereby transferred to, and vested in any person (other than those for whose default the same may have been forfeited or returned delinquent, their heirs or devisees), for so much thereof as such person has, or shall have had, actual continuous possession of, under color or claim of title for ten years, and who, or those under whom he claims, shall have paid the State taxes thereon for any five years during such possession; or if there be no such person, then to any person (other than those for whose default the same may have been forfeited, or returned delinquent, their heirs or devisees), for so much of said land as such person shall have title or claim to, regularly derived, mediately or immediately from, or under a grant from the Commonwealth of Virginia or this State, not forfeited, which but for the title forfeited would be valid, and who, or those under whom he claims, has, or shall have, paid all State taxes charged or chargeable thereon for five successive years, after the year 1865, or from the date of the grant, if it shall have issued since that year; or if there be no such person, as aforesaid, then to any person (other than those for whose default the same may have been forfeited, or returned delinquent, their heirs and devisees), for so much of said land as such person shall have had claim to and actual continuous possession of, under color of title for any five successive years after the year 1865, and have paid all State taxes charged or chargeable thereon for said period.

## WASTE AND UNAPPROPRIATED LANDS

4. All lands in this State, waste and unappropriated, or heretofore or hereafter for any cause forfeited, or treated as forfeited, or escheated to the State of Virginia, or this State, or purchased by either and become irredeemable, not redeemed, released, transferred or otherwise disposed of, the title whereof shall remain in this State till such sale as is hereinafter mentioned be made, shall by proceedings in the circuit court of the county in which the lands, or a part thereof, are situated, be sold to the highest bidder.

## FORMER OWNER'S PRIVILEGES

5. The former owner of any such land shall be entitled to receive the excess

of the sum for which the land may be sold over the taxes charged and chargeable thereon, or which, if the land had not been forfeited, would have been charged or chargeable thereon, since the formation of this State, with interest at the rate of twelve per centum per annum, and the costs of the proceedings, if his claim be filed in the circuit court that decrees the sale, within two years thereafter.

#### LAND BOOKS—TAXES

6. It shall be the duty of every owner of land to have it entered on the land books of the county in which it, or a part of it, is situated, and to cause himself to be charged with the taxes thereon, and pay the same. When for any five successive years, after the year 1869, the owner of any tract of land containing one thousand acres or more, shall not have been charged on such books with State tax on said land, then, by operation hereof, the land shall be forfeited and the title thereto vested in the State. But if, for any one or more of such five years, the owner shall have been charged with State tax on any part of the land, such part thereof shall not be forfeited for such cause. And any owner of land so forfeited, or of any interest therein at the time of the forfeiture thereof, who shall then be an infant, married woman, or insane person, may, until the expiration of three years after the removal of such disability, have the land, or such interest charged on such books, with all State and other taxes that shall be, and but for the forfeiture would be chargeable on the land, or interest therein for the year 1863, and every year thereafter with interest at the rate of ten per centum per annum; and pay all taxes and interest thereon for all such years and thereby redeem the land or interest therein: *Provided*, Such right to redeem shall in no case extend beyond twenty years from the time such land was forfeited.

### ARTICLE XIV

#### AMENDMENTS

1. No convention shall be called, having the authority to alter the Constitution of the State, unless it be in pursuance of a law, passed by the affirmative vote of a majority of the members elected to each House of the Legislature and providing that polls shall be opened throughout the State, on the same day therein specified, which shall not be less than three months after the passage of such law, for the purpose of taking the sense of the voters on the question of calling a convention. And such convention shall not be held unless a majority of the votes cast at such polls be in favor of calling the same; nor shall the members be elected to such convention until at least one month after the result of the vote shall be duly ascertained, declared and published. And all acts and ordinances of the said convention shall be submitted to the voters of the State for ratification or rejection, and shall have no validity whatever until they are ratified.

#### HOW AMENDMENTS ARE MADE

2. Any Amendment to the Constitution of the State may be proposed in either House of the Legislature; and if the same, being read on three several days in each House, be agreed to on its third reading, by two-thirds of the members elected thereto, the proposed amendment, with the yeas and nays thereon, shall be entered on the journals, and it shall be the duty of the Legislature to provide by law, for submitting the same to the voters of the State for ratification or rejection at the next general election thereafter, and cause the same to be published at least three months before such election in some newspaper in every county in which a newspaper is printed. And if a majority of the qualified voters voting on the question at the polls held pursuant to such law, ratify the proposed amendment, it shall be in force from the time of such ratification, as part of the Constitution of the State. If two or more amendments be submitted at the same time, the vote on the ratification or rejection shall be taken on each separately.

#### AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION

##### THE JUDICIAL AMENDMENT

(House Joint Resolution No. 15, Acts 1901, p. 462. Ratified in November, 1902.)

The Supreme Court of Appeals shall consist of five judges. Those judges in office when this amendment takes effect shall continue in office until their term shall expire, and the Legislature shall provide for the election of an additional judge of said court at the next general election whose term shall begin on the first day of January, one thousand nine hundred and five, and the Governor shall, as for a vacancy, appoint a judge of said court to hold office until the first day of January, one thousand nine hundred and five. The judges of the Supreme Court of Appeals and of the circuit courts shall receive such salaries as shall be fixed by law, for those now in or those hereafter to come into office.

#### THE IRREDUCIBLE SCHOOL FUND AMENDMENT

(House Joint Resolution No. 28, Acts 1901, p. 465. Ratified in November, 1902.)

The accumulation of the school fund provided for in section four of article twelve of the Constitution of this State, shall cease upon the adoption of this amendment, and all money to the credit of said fund over one million of dollars, together with the interest on said fund, shall be used for the support of the free schools of this State. All money and taxes heretofore payable into the treasury under the provision of said section four, to the credit of the school fund, shall be hereafter paid into the treasury to the credit of the general school fund for the support of the free schools of the State.

#### THE GOOD ROADS AMENDMENT OF 1920

(Proposed by Senate Joint Resolution No. 15, Acts 1919, p. 502. Ratified November 2, 1920.)

The Legislature shall make provision by law for a system of State roads and highways connecting at least the various county seats of the State, and to be under the control and supervision of such State officers and agencies as may be prescribed by law. The Legislature shall also provide a State revenue to build, construct, and maintain, or assist in building, constructing and maintaining the same, and for that purpose shall have power to authorize the issuing and selling of State bonds, the aggregate outstanding amount of which, at any one time, shall not exceed fifty million dollars.

When a bond issue as aforesaid is authorized, the Legislature shall at the same time provide for the collection of an annual State tax sufficient to pay annually the interest on such debt, and the principal thereof, within and not exceeding thirty years.

#### THE GOOD ROADS AMENDMENT OF 1928

(Proposed by House Joint Resolution No. 17, Acts 1927, p. 361. Ratified November 6, 1928.)

The legislature shall have power to authorize the issuing and selling of state bonds not exceeding in the aggregate thirty-five million dollars in addition to the state bonds which were authorized to be issued and sold by the amendment to the Constitution proposed by Senate Joint Resolution No. 15, adopted February 15, 1919, and afterwards ratified by a vote of the people. The proceeds of said additional bonds hereby authorized to be issued and sold shall be used and appropriated solely for the building and constructing, or for assisting in building and constructing, the system of state roads and highways provided for by the amendment to the Constitution above mentioned.

When a bond issue as aforesaid is authorized, the legislature shall at the same time provide for the collection of an annual state tax sufficient to pay annually the interest on such debt and to pay the principal thereof within and not exceeding thirty years.

For the "Prohibition Amendment" of 1912, see Art. VI., §46.

For "Budget Amendment" of 1918, see Art. VI., §51.

For "Legislative Amendments" of 1920 and 1928, see Art. VI., §§22, 33.

ELECTIVE OFFICERS OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT

From the Formation of the State with Time of Service

(Blanks indicate unexpired terms)

GOVERNORS

NAMES	RESIDENCES	Politics	From	To
Arthur Ingram Boreman	Wood	Republican	June 20, 1863	Feb. 26, 1869
*Daniel D. T. Farnsworth	Upshur	Republican	Feb. 27, 1869	March 3, 1869
William Erskine Stevenson	Wood	Republican	March 4, 1869	March 3, 1871
John Jeremiah Jacob	Hampshire	Democrat	March 4, 1871	March 3, 1877
Henry Mason Mathews	Greenbrier	Democrat	March 4, 1877	March 3, 1881
Jacob Beeson Jackson	Wood	Democrat	March 4, 1881	March 3, 1885
Emanuel Willis Wilson	Kanawha	Democrat	March 4, 1885	Feb. 5, 1890
Arcas Brooks Fleming	Marion	Democrat	Feb. 6, 1890	March 3, 1893
William Alexander MacCorkle	Kanawha	Democrat	March 4, 1893	March 3, 1897
George Wesley Atkinson	Ohio	Republican	March 4, 1897	March 3, 1901
Albert Blakeslee White	Wood	Republican	March 4, 1901	March 3, 1905
William M. O. Dawson	Preston	Republican	March 4, 1905	March 3, 1909
William Ellsworth Glasscock	Monongalia	Republican	March 4, 1909	March 3, 1913
Henry Drury Hatfield	McDowell	Republican	March 4, 1913	March 3, 1917
John Jacob Cornwell	Hampshire	Democrat	March 4, 1917	March 3, 1921
Ephraim Franklin Morgan	Marion	Republican	March 4, 1921	March 3, 1925
Howard Mason Gore	Harrison	Republican	March 4, 1925	March 3, 1929
William Gustavus Conley	Kanawha	Republican	March 4, 1929	

\*As President of the Senate filled the unexpired term of Governor Boreman, who had been elected to the United States Senate

STATE AUDITORS

NAMES	RESIDENCES	Politics	From	To
Samuel Crane	Randolph	Republican	June 20, 1863	March 3, 1865
Joseph McWhorter	Roane	Republican	March 4, 1865	March 3, 1869
Thomas Boggs	Roane	Republican	March 4, 1869	March 3, 1871
Edward A. Bennett	Lewis	Democrat	March 4, 1871	March 3, 1877
Joseph S. Miller	Cabell	Democrat	March 4, 1877	March 3, 1885
Patrick Fee Duffy	Webster	Democrat	March 4, 1885	March 3, 1893
Isaac V. Johnson	Barbour	Democrat	March 4, 1893	March 3, 1897
L. M. LaFollette	Taylor	Republican	March 4, 1897	March 3, 1901
Arnold C. Sherr	Mineral	Republican	March 4, 1901	March 3, 1909
John S. Darst	Jackson	Republican	March 4, 1909	March 3, 1921
*John C. Bond	Kanawha	Republican	March 4, 1921	March 15, 1927
Sam T. Mallison	Harrison	Republican	March 15, 1927	March 3, 1929
Edgar C. Lawson	Kanawha	Republican	March 4, 1929	

\*Resigned March 15, 1927; Sam T. Mallison appointed March 18, to fill vacancy.

STATE TREASURERS

NAMES	RESIDENCES	Politics	From	To
Campbell Tarr	Brooke	Republican	June 20, 1863	March 3, 1867
Jacob H. Bristol	Berkeley	Republican	March 4, 1867	March 3, 1869
James A. Macauley	Ohio	Republican	March 4, 1869	March 3, 1871
John S. Burdett	Taylor	Democrat	March 4, 1871	Jan. 30, 1876
Sobieski Brady	Ohio	Democrat	Jan. 31, 1876	March 3, 1877
Thomas J. West	Harrison	Democrat	March 4, 1877	March 3, 1881
Thomas O'Brien	Ohio	Democrat	March 4, 1881	March 3, 1885
Wm. T. Thompson	Cabell	Democrat	March 4, 1885	March 3, 1893
John M. Rowan	Monroe	Democrat	March 4, 1893	March 3, 1897
M. A. Kendall	Wood	Republican	March 4, 1897	March 3, 1901
Peter Silman	Kanawha	Republican	March 4, 1901	March 3, 1905
Newton Ogden	Pleasants	Republican	March 4, 1905	March 3, 1909
E. Leslie Long	McDowell	Republican	March 4, 1909	March 3, 1917
W. S. Johnson	Fayette	Republican	March 4, 1917	

## ATTORNEYS GENERAL

NAMES	RESIDENCES	Politics	From	To
Aquilla Caldwell.....	Ohio.....	Republican....	June 20, 1863	Dec. 31, 1864
Ephraim B. Hall.....	Marion.....	Republican....	Jan. 1, 1865	Dec. 31, 1865
Edwin Maxwell.....	Harrison.....	Republican....	Jan. 1, 1866	Dec. 31, 1866
Thayer Melvin.....	Hancock.....	Republican....	Jan. 1, 1867	July 1, 1869
Aquilla Caldwell.....	Ohio.....	Republican....	July 2, 1869	Dec. 31, 1870
Joseph Sprigg.....	Hampshire.....	Democrat....	Jan. 1, 1871	Dec. 31, 1872
Henry Mason Mathews.....	Greenbrier.....	Democrat....	Jan. 1, 1873	March 3, 1877
Robert White.....	Hampshire.....	Democrat....	March 4, 1877	March 3, 1881
Cornelius C. Watts.....	Kanawha.....	Democrat....	March 4, 1881	March 3, 1885
Alfred Caldwell.....	Ohio.....	Democrat....	March 4, 1885	March 3, 1893
Thomas S. Riley.....	Ohio.....	Democrat....	March 4, 1893	March 3, 1897
Edgar P. Rucker.....	McDowell.....	Republican....	March 4, 1897	March 3, 1901
Ronco H. Freer.....	Ritchie.....	Republican....	March 4, 1901	March 3, 1905
*Clark W. May.....	Lincoln.....	Republican....	March 4, 1905	April 25, 1908
William G. Conley.....	Preston.....	Republican....	May 9, 1908	March 3, 1913
A. A. Lilly.....	Raleigh.....	Republican....	March 4, 1913	March 3, 1917
E. T. England.....	Lozan.....	Republican....	March 4, 1917	March 3, 1925
Howard B. Lee.....	Mercer.....	Republican....	March 4, 1925	

\*Died during term of office.

## STATE SUPERINTENDENTS OF FREE SCHOOLS

NAMES	RESIDENCES	Politics	From	To
William R. White.....	Marion.....	Republican....	June 20, 1863	March 3, 1869
H. A. G. Zeiler.....	Barbour.....	Republican....	March 4, 1869	Feb. 17, 1870
Alvin D. Williams.....	Taylor.....	Republican....	Feb. 19, 1870	March 3, 1871
Charles S. Lewis.....	Harrison.....	Democrat....	March 4, 1871	Dec. 31, 1872
William K. Pendleton.....	Brooke.....	Democrat....	Jan. 1, 1873	March 3, 1873
Benjamin W. Byrne.....	Kanawha.....	Democrat....	March 4, 1873	March 3, 1877
William R. Pendleton.....	Brooke.....	Democrat....	March 4, 1877	March 3, 1881
Bernard L. Butcher.....	Marion.....	Democrat....	March 4, 1881	March 3, 1885
Benjamin S. Morgan.....	Monongalia.....	Democrat....	March 4, 1885	March 3, 1893
Virgil A. Lewis.....	Mason.....	Democrat....	March 4, 1893	March 3, 1897
James Russell Trotter.....	Unshur.....	Republican....	March 4, 1897	March 3, 1901
Thomas C. Miller.....	Marion.....	Republican....	March 4, 1901	March 3, 1909
Morris P. Shawkey.....	Kanawha.....	Republican....	March 4, 1909	March 3, 1921
George M. Ford.....	Kanawha.....	Republican....	March 4, 1921	March 3, 1929
William Cassius Cook.....	McDowell.....	Republican....	March 4, 1929	

## SECRETARIES OF STATE\*

NAMES	RESIDENCES	Politics	From	To
Jacob Edgar Poyers.....	Tyler.....	Republican....	June 20, 1863	March 3, 1865
Granville D. Hall.....	Ohio.....	Republican....	March 4, 1865	March 3, 1867
John H. Wither.....	Cabell.....	Republican....	March 4, 1867	March 3, 1869
James M. Pines.....	Marshall.....	Republican....	March 4, 1869	March 3, 1871
John M. Phelps.....	Mason.....	Republican....	March 4, 1871	March 3, 1873
Charles Hedrick.....	Kanawha.....	Democrat....	March 4, 1873	March 3, 1877
Sobieski Brady.....	Ohio.....	Democrat....	March 4, 1877	March 3, 1881
Randolph Stalnaker.....	Greenbrier.....	Democrat....	March 4, 1881	March 3, 1885
Henry S. Walker.....	Kanawha.....	Democrat....	March 4, 1885	April 21, 1890
William A. Ohley.....	Mason.....	Democrat....	April 22, 1890	March 24, 1893
William E. Chilton.....	Kanawha.....	Democrat....	March 25, 1893	March 3, 1897
William M. O. Dawson.....	Preston.....	Republican....	March 4, 1897	March 3, 1905
Charles Wesley Swisher.....	Marion.....	Republican....	March 4, 1905	March 3, 1909
Stuart F. Reed.....	Harrison.....	Republican....	March 4, 1909	March 3, 1917
Houston G. Young.....	Harrison.....	Republican....	March 4, 1917	March 3, 1925
George W. Sharp.....	Pocahontas.....	Republican....	March 4, 1925	

\*Under the Constitution of 1872 the Secretary of State was an appointive officer up to March 4, 1905, when by amendment to the Constitution he became an elective officer.

## COMMISSIONERS OF AGRICULTURE\*

NAMES	RESIDENCES	Politics	From	To
Howard E. Williams.....	Greenbrier.....	Republican....	March 4, 1913	March 3, 1917
James H. Stewart.....	Monongalia.....	Republican....	March 4, 1917	March 3, 1925
John W. Smith.....	Lewis.....	Republican....	March 4, 1925	

\*Offices created by act of legislature passed February 24, 1911 (Acts 1911, Chapter 35).

**JUDGES OF THE SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS OF WEST VIRGINIA  
1853-1930**

No.	NAME	COUNTY	Service	Born	Appointed or Resigned	Elected	Died
1	Ralph Lazier Berkshire	Monongalia	1863-66 1869-72	April 8, 1816	*Sept. 10, 1868	1863	Nov. 8, 1902
2	William A. Harrison	Harrison	1863-68	Aug. 27, 1795	zSept. 1, 1868	1863	Dec. 31, 1870
3	James H. Brown	Kanawha	1863-70	Dec. 25, 1818	.....	1863	Oct. 28, 1900
4	Edwin Maxwell	Harrison	1867-72	July 10, 1825	.....	1866	Feb. 5, 1903
5	Charles P. T. Moore	Mason	1871-81	Feb. 8, 1831	zJune 1, 1881	1870 1872	1904
6	John S. Huffman	Harrison	1873-70	June 25, 1821	zJune 1, 1876	1872	Nov. 18, 1877
7	James Paul	Ohio	1873-75	July 0, 1818	.....	1872	May 11, 1876
8	Alpheus F. Haymond	Marion	1873-82	Dec. 15, 1823	zJan. 1, 1883	1872 1876	Dec. 15, 1893
9	Matthew Edmiston	Lewis	1876	Sept. 0, 1814	*June 13, 1876	.....	June 20, 1887
10	Thomas C. Green	Jefferson	1876-80	Nov. 5, 1820	*Dec. 24, 1875	1876 1880	Dec. 4, 1880
11	Okcy Johnson	Wood	1877-88	Mar. 24, 1834	.....	1876	June 16, 1903
12	James French Patton	Monroe	1881-82	Sept. 10, 1813	*June 1, 1881	.....	Mar. 30, 1882
13	Adam C. Snyder	Greenbrier	1882-90	Mar. 20, 1831	*June 1, 1882	1882	June 24, 1896
14	Samuel Woods	Barbour	1883-88	Sept. 10, 1822	*Jan. 1, 1883	1884	Feb. 17, 1897
15	Henry Brannon	Lewis	1880-12	Nov. 27, 1837	.....	1888 1900	Nov. 24, 1914
16	John W. English	Mason	1889-90	Jan. 31, 1831	.....	1888	July 18, 1910
17	Daniel B. Lucas	Jefferson	1889-92	March 10, 1830	*Dec. 11, 1889	1890	July 24, 1919
18	Homer A. Holt	Greenbrier	1890-96	April 27, 1831	*Nov. 8, 1890	1892	Jan. 7, 1898
19	Marquand H. Dent	Taylor	1893-94	April 18, 1849	.....	1892	Sept. 11, 1900
20	Henry C. McWhorter	Kanawha	1897-08	Feb. 20, 1830	.....	1890	April 15, 1913
21	George Poffenbarger	Mason	1901-22	Nov. 24, 1861	.....	1900 1912	.....
22	Warren Miller	Jackson	1903-04	April 2, 1848	*Jan. 17, 1903	.....	Dec. 20, 1920
23	Frank Cox	Monongalia	1905-07	June 18, 1862	zJan. 28, 1907	1904	.....
24	Joseph M. Sanders	Mercer	1905-07	Aug. 26, 1866	*Oct. 1, 1907	1904	Feb. 17, 1927
25	William N. Miller	Wood	1907-28	Oct. 18, 1855	*Jan. 20, 1907	1908 1910	Aug. 7, 1928
26	Ira E. Robinson	Taylor	1907-15	Sept. 16, 1800	*Oct. 15, 1907 zOct. 26, 1915	1908	.....
27	L. Judson Williams	Greenbrier	1909-20	Oct. 18, 1850	.....	1908	Oct. 28, 1921
28	Chas W. Lynch	Harrison	1913-21	Mar. 11, 1851	zDec. 31, 1921	1912	.....
29	John W. Mason	Marion	1916-19	Jan. 13, 1842	zNov. 1, 1915	.....	April 23, 1917
30	Harold A. Ritz	Mercer	1917-22	July 25, 1873	zNov. 30, 1922	1916	.....
31	Frank Lively	Kanawha	1921-	Nov. 18, 1861	.....	1920	.....
32	James A. Meridith	Marion	1922-24	Jan. 27, 1875	*Jan. 2, 1922	.....	.....
33	William H. McGinnis	Raleigh	1923-24	Dec. 22, 1855	.....	1922	Aug. 12, 1930
34	M. O. Litz	McDowell	1923-	Aug. 4, 1874	*Jan. 1, 1923	1924	.....
35	John H. Hatcher	Raleigh	1924-25	June 20, 1875	.....	1921	.....
36	Homer B. Woods	Kitchee	1925-26	July 10, 1800	.....	1921	.....
37	Haymond Maxwell	Harrison	1928-29	Oct. 24, 1879	*Aug. 24, 1928	1928	.....

\* Appointed  
z Resigned.

## STATE COURTS OF RECORD

## SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS

## REGULAR TERMS

Begin on second Wednesday in January and on the first Wednesday in September at Charleston.

## SPECIAL TERMS

At such times and places as may be designated by the Court.  
Notices of motions may be made returnable for any Tuesday in term time.

## JUDGES

FRANK LIVELY, President, Charleston, Kanawha County; term expires December 31, 1932.  
M. O. LITZ, Welch, McDowell County; term expires December 31, 1936.  
HOMER B. WOODS, Harrisville, Ritchie County; term expires December 31, 1936.  
JOHN H. HATCHER, Beckley, Raleigh County; term expires December 31, 1940.  
HAYMOND MAXWELL, Clarksburg, Harrison County; term expires December 31, 1940.

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To Judge Woods—RALPH D. WOODS, Harrisville, Ritchie County. The Hickories, Fort Hill, Charleston.  
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To Judge Hatcher—JOHN H. HATCHER, JR., Beckley, Raleigh County. 714 Orange Street.  
To Judge Maxwell—L. S. TROTTER, Morgantown, Monongalia County. 1636 Kanawha Street.

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## STATE LAW LIBRARY

J. A. JACKSON, *State Law Librarian*

The West Virginia state law library, consisting of law books and legal periodicals only, is situated on the third floor of the second unit of the capitol building.

The library is in charge of the state law librarian, appointed by the Supreme Court.

The books of the library consist of text-books purchased, and reports of other states as well as many foreign countries, all except text books coming in by exchange for West Virginia reports provided for by the state law librarian, as consecutive volumes of the reports of West Virginia and elsewhere are published.

The state law librarian, from West Virginia reports furnished him by the superintendent of public printing, supplies all judges of courts, state officers and some of the other law libraries of the state with copies of these reports.

The law governing the state law library provides that the library shall be open to the judges of the supreme court and the clerks, judges of the United States and circuit courts, state officers, and members and officers of the legislature during the session of that body.

It is also provided that no other person shall be permitted to remove any book or paper from the place where the library is kept.

The law further provides that no book or paper shall be taken from the library until the person authorized to take the same shall sign a receipt therefor in a book to be kept by the state law librarian for that purpose.

A provision is also made, that "other persons than those prescribed above may be permitted to use the said library at the place where it is kept."

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RULES OF PRACTICE IN THE SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS OF  
WEST VIRGINIA

IN EFFECT DECEMBER 4, 1925

BILLS OF EXCEPTION

1. *Office and Contents.* It is the office of a bill of exceptions to point out errors committed by the court during the progress of the trial. The bill or bills should contain only a concise statement of the facts necessary to present the points intended to be relied on as grounds of error, or only so much of the evidence as may appear necessary to present fairly the rulings of the court to which exceptions are taken. No bill of exceptions should contain matter irrelevant or unnecessary to the presentation of the question intended to be raised.

2. *Points Must be Clearly Stated.* It is the duty of the exceptor to see that the points and objections on which he relies are correctly and clearly stated, so as to show plainly that an erroneous ruling was made to his prejudice, and he should not leave that fact to appear merely by inference or conjecture.

3. *Rulings on Evidence or Instruction.* An exception to the admission or rejection of evidence or to the granting or refusal of instructions to the jury, should state only so much of the evidence or facts proven as may be necessary to show the relevancy or irrelevancy of such evidence or the pertinency or impertinency of such instruction. The judge of the trial court should require all unnecessary matter to be stricken out before signing a bill of exceptions.

RULE I.—PETITIONS.

1. *Must Assign Errors—Not Argue the Case—Note of Argument Required.* A petition for an appeal or writ of error may briefly state the case and must assign errors, naming the particular decrees or judgments complained of and the date of their rendition, and in the prayer of the petition it should be stated whether or not a supersedeas is desired; but the case is not to be argued in the petition.

A separate note of argument, setting forth the points and authorities relied on, shall be submitted with the petition, and will be considered by the court, but such note is not to be considered as a part of the petition or to be printed with it. A note of argument may be filed in opposition to such petition.

When the court is in term counsel will not be heard orally on petitions for writs of error or appeals, except on argument days, in open court, and then only to state briefly the points relied on and the facts pertaining thereto. But this rule may be varied when the circumstances call for such action.

2. *Certificate of Counsel.* The petition must be accompanied by the certificate of some attorney duly qualified to practice in this court that in his opinion the decree or judgment complained of ought to be reviewed.

3. *Names of Parties to be Summoned.* It is also recommended to counsel presenting petitions, that they furnish to the clerk a memorandum of the names of parties to be summoned to answer the appeal or writ of error.

4. *Status of Question or Questions Certified.* No question or questions shall be certified under the provisions of section one of chapter one hundred and thirty-five of the Code, as amended by chapter twenty-eight of the Acts of the Legislature of 1925, until after decision thereof by the trial court, and such decision shall be certified with the question or questions.

5. *Form of Certificate for Case Certified.* The certificate of all questions arising upon the sufficiency of summons or return of service, or as to the sufficiency of a pleading, certified pursuant to section one of chapter one hundred and thirty-five of the Code, as amended by chapter twenty-eight of the Acts of the Legislature of 1925, shall be in form or effect following:

In the Circuit Court of \_\_\_\_\_ County: A. B. v. C. D.  
In assumpsit (Debt, etc., or In Equity, as the case may be.)

To the Supreme Court of Appeals of West Virginia :

The Circuit Court of said County, of its own motion (or on the joint application of the parties to said suit, as the fact may be) hereby certifies to the said Supreme Court of Appeals, that on the summons (return thereon, or on the declaration, plea, bill, answer or other pleading, as the case may be) of the plaintiff \_\_\_\_\_ (or the defendant \_\_\_\_\_, as the case may be) the following points of law or fact, have been made: (Here set forth by number the several grounds of any motion to quash, correct, amend, strike out, exclude or grounds of demurrer, etc., that may have been interposed to such summons, return or pleading.)

A certified copy of said summons (return, or pleadings, as the case may be, or so much thereof as may be necessary to present the point made against it), and of the affidavits, documents, etc., filed in support thereof (if any), on which the judgment of your honors is desired, together with a copy of the court's decision upon such question or questions is (or are) herewith presented.

Given under my hand this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Judge of the Circuit Court.

6. *Notes of Argument in Certified Cases.* The parties in a certified case shall file typewritten notes of argument when the case is presented as an aid to the court in determining whether the rulings certified should be reviewed, and the case docketed for hearing.

#### RULE II.—DOCKETING AND PROCESS.

1. *Notice to Court Below and Summons.* When an appeal or writ of error has been awarded, it shall be the duty of the clerk to notify the clerk of the court below of the fact of such allowance and of the penalty of the bond necessary to give effect to such appeal or writ of error when such bond is required, and the clerk of this court shall thereupon docket the case and issue process in accordance with the order of the court, summoning all parties other than the petitioner or petitioners.

2. *Non-resident Parties.* Whenever it is necessary that a non-resident party should be summoned to answer an appeal or writ of error, or have notice for any other purpose, order of publication may be had in the manner prescribed by law, which order shall be published once a week for four successive weeks in some newspaper published at the seat of government.

#### RULE III.—PRINTING THE RECORD.

1. *Dismissal for Failure to Print.* If the appellant or plaintiff in error, except in case of felony, shall fail to deposit with the clerk of this court within three months after the case has been docketed herein, a sum sufficient to pay for printing the transcript of the record, or shall fail to have the transcript of the record printed and eighteen copies thereof filed in the clerk's office within three months after the case has been docketed in the court, the appeal or writ of error shall be dismissed.

2. *How Procured.* To procure such dismissal the appellee or defendant in error must serve upon the opposite party within reasonable time, a written notice that he will, on a day specified, move the court to dismiss the case, and set forth in such notice, the grounds of the said motion. The motion may be made on any day when the court is open whether in regular or special term.

3. *Costs.* But if, when the motion is made the record has been already printed or the cost of such printing deposited with the clerk and no actual delay in the hearing of the cause has resulted from the failure to print the record or make such deposit within the three months allowed by law, the dismissal will be without costs. otherwise costs will be awarded against the party in default.

4. *Renewal.* An appeal or writ of error dismissed in accordance with this rule may be renewed upon presenting a new petition reciting the fact of the former

petition and allowance and dismissal and referring to the assignments of error contained in the former petition, if the same be presented within eight months from the date of the decree or judgment appealed from, and new process will be ordered and a new bond must be given

#### RULE IV.—ARGUMENT DOCKET.

1. *How Arranged.* Sixty days before the first day of each regular term, or of any special term at which an argument docket may be ordered, the clerk shall prepare a list of the cases then ready and matured, and distribute the printed lists to counsel of record in each case.

2. *Docketing the Cases Certified.* At the time of preparing the docket of any regular or of any special term, the clerk also shall make a docket of all cases certified for decision and docketed for hearing, pursuant to section one, of chapter one hundred and thirty-five of the Code, as amended by chapter twenty-eight of the Acts of the Legislature of 1925, which shall be given precedence over all other cases, and next after cases upon original jurisdiction begun in the Supreme Court of Appeals.

3. *Agreement to Docket for Hearing.* By written agreement of counsel and consent of the Court, or, in vacation, of the president thereof, cases may be placed upon the argument docket for any regular or special term after the docket therefor has been prepared.

4. *Copy of Bond.* No case in which an appeal or supersedeas bond is required shall be placed upon the argument docket until the clerk shall have received a duly attested copy of such bond.

5. *Appellee May Expedite Hearings.* An appellee or defendant in error desiring to expedite the hearing of his case may have the record printed at his own expense and the cost of such printing will, when the case is decided, be taxed among the costs incurred by such appellee or defendant in error, provided the appellant or plaintiff in error does not dismiss his appeal before hearing.

6. *Felony Cases.* When a writ of error has been allowed in the case of a party convicted of a felony, the clerk shall cause the record to be printed with all convenient dispatch, and the case will be called for hearing at the next regular term of court, wherever it may be held, without notice or consent being required, provided the record has been printed sixty days before the first day of such term.

7. *Cases Certified.* The record of cases certified for decision pursuant to section one of chapter one hundred and thirty-five of the Code, need not be printed, unless by order of the court; and without further notice all such cases docketed for hearing will be called at the next regular or special term for which they are docketed pursuant to section two hereof.

8. *Postponement of Docket.* The court will postpone, on its own motion, any docket or portion thereof to a day or days later in the term than that or those for which it has been set for hearing, or to a later term, regular or special, whenever, in its opinion, the public interests require such action, and in such case, the clerk will give notice of the postponement to the attorneys of record of all parties interested.

#### RULE V.—BRIEFS

1. *Time of Filing.* In any case on appeal or writ of error, the counsel for the appellant or plaintiff in error at least thirty days, and counsel for the appellee or defendant in error, at least ten days, before a case is called for hearing, shall file with the clerk of this court not less than fifteen copies of a printed brief, one of which copies shall, upon request, be furnished to each of the counsel engaged upon the opposite side. Each brief shall show the name or names of the persons on whose behalf it is filed. All reply and supplemental briefs, shall be filed at least five days before a case is called for bearing, and no brief shall be filed later unless by consent of counsel. It is also desired by the court that counsel upon each side will furnish promptly to counsel on the opposing side their respective briefs as soon as printed, but their doing so will not obviate the requirements of this rule as to filing

copies in the office of the clerk, and it is recommended that the printed brief shall correspond in size of page with the printed record, and bear the same docket number.

2. *Form and Contents of Appellant's Brief.* The brief of appellant shall contain a short and clear statement disclosing:

First—The kind of action or suit, and a closely condensed statement, without argument or quotation of evidence of all facts necessary to a determination of the points in controversy.

Second—What the issues were and how raised.

Third—How the issues were decided and what the judgment or decree was.

Fourth—The errors relied upon for reversal.

Fifth—A concise statement of so much of the record as fully presents every error and exception relied on referring to the pages of the record. If the insufficiency of the evidence to sustain the verdict or finding, in fact or law, is assigned, the statement shall contain a condensed recital of the evidence in narrative form so as to present the substance clearly and concisely. The statement will be taken to be accurate and sufficient for a full understanding of the questions presented for decision, unless the opposite party in his brief shall make the necessary corrections or additions.

Following this statement, the brief shall contain, under a separate heading of each error relied on, separately numbered propositions or points, stated concisely, and without argument or elaboration, together with the authorities relied on in support of them; and in citing cases, the names of the parties must be given, with the book and page where reported. No alleged error or point, not contained in this statement of points, shall be raised afterwards, either by reply brief, or in oral or printed argument, or on petition for rehearing, but the court, at its option may notice a plain error not assigned or specified.

3. *Form and Contents of Appellee's Brief.* The brief of appellee on the assignment of errors shall point out any omissions or inaccuracies in appellant's statement of the record and shall contain a short and clear statement of the propositions by which counsel seek to meet the alleged errors and sustain the judgment or decree, or by which such errors are obviated. Following this statement, the brief shall contain the points and authorities relied on in like manner as required in the appellant's brief. The brief of appellee on cross errors shall be prepared in the manner required in the case of appellant's brief. The brief of appellant, in answer to the cross assignment of errors, shall be prepared in the same manner required of appellees in answer to the assignment of errors. Reply briefs shall be prepared in like manner to answer briefs.

4. *Argument.* The briefs of any party may be followed by an argument in support of such briefs which shall be distinct therefrom, but shall be bound with the same. The argument shall be confined to discussion and elaboration of the points contained in the briefs. The names of counsel shall be affixed to all briefs filed by them.

5. *Non-Compliance—Effect of.* The court, on its own motion, may refuse to allow submission of any case until the briefs of the party demanding it, complying with this rule in respect to form and contents, shall have been filed, and may also strike out on submission, briefs not complying therewith.

6. *Control of Case.* Either party whose brief has been filed in compliance with the rule may insist upon a hearing when the case is regularly called, although no brief shall have been filed by the opposite party, and when one party has complied with the rule and the other has not, the party complying with the rule may have the case either submitted or continued at his option. If one of the parties omits to file such brief, in accordance with section one of this Rule, he cannot be heard, but the case may be submitted or heard ex parte upon the argument of one counsel only for the party by whom the brief has been duly filed.

7. *Continuance for Non-Compliance—No Briefs After Submission.* If no printed brief has been filed by either party within the time prescribed by this rule, the case will be continued when called, unless both parties are present in court,

by counsel, with their respective briefs, and consent to submit the case with or without oral argument or file an agreement in writing to submit, but in no case can briefs be filed after the case is submitted.

8. *Submission in Absence of Counsel.* It is not necessary for counsel to appear in court in person in order to have a case submitted; when the party desiring the submission of a case has filed his brief in compliance with the rule, he may by written request addressed to the court or to the clerk have his case submitted when called.

9. *Cases Certified—Motions to Dismiss, etc.—How Submitted.* All certified cases docketed for hearing pursuant to the last paragraph of section one of chapter one hundred and thirty-five of the Code, as amended by chapter twenty-eight of the Acts of the Legislature of 1925, shall be submitted on typewritten or printed briefs, or arguments, filed in the clerk's office at least five days before the case is set for hearing and on oral argument, if desired by counsel or required by the Court. And this rule as to briefs and oral arguments shall apply to all motions to dismiss, affirm, modify or reverse, made pursuant to section twenty-six of said chapter one hundred and thirty-five of the Code. Certified cases will be submitted on brief or briefs filed in accordance with the foregoing rule without a formal request to submit.

#### RULE VI—CALLING THE DOCKET

1. *Cases—When and How Called.* The cases on the docket will be called on the days on which they are set for hearing in the order appearing thereon.

2. *Set for Hearing.* No case shall be set for hearing on any other days than those assigned to the circuit from which the case comes unless it be such as from its peculiar character or the mandate of the law may be regarded as a privileged case.

3. *Exceptional Cases.* Cases of general public interest or of peculiar hardship may be heard at a special term according to the provisions of section thirteen of chapter one hundred and thirteen of the Code, under such conditions and regulations as may be consented to by the parties or as the court may prescribe.

4. *Agreement of Counsel.* All agreements of counsel in regard to any case or matter pending in court shall be reduced to writing, signed by counsel and delivered to the clerk.

5. *Re-argument.* Whenever the court desires further argument in any case which has been argued and submitted, it will fix a day therefor, and cause notice of the time and place, as well as of the subject or branch of the case, on which argument is desired to be given to counsel.

#### RULE VII—CERTIORARI

1. *How Obtained.*—No certiorari for diminution of the record shall be awarded unless a motion therefor shall be made in writing, stating the facts on which the motion is founded, and all motions for such certiorari should be made at the earliest period possible after the diminution is discovered, either in regular or special term.

2. *When to be Printed.* If the necessity for such certiorari is caused by the failure of the appellant or plaintiff in error to have enough of the record brought up to present fairly both sides of all errors complained of by him, it shall be his duty to have the additional record printed, or in default thereof, his appeal or writ of error may be dismissed; otherwise such additional record shall be printed at the expense of the party asking for the certiorari, but when, in either case, the additional record brought up does not exceed ten pages of manuscript, it need not be printed unless so ordered by the court.

#### RULE VIII.—MOTIONS AND AFFIDAVITS.

1. *Must be in Writing.* All motions, except motions of course, made to the court, shall be reduced to writing and shall contain a brief statement of the facts and objects of the motion. A motion to dismiss (whether involving the merits or

otherwise), and motions to affirm, modify or reverse, made pursuant to section twenty-six of chapter one hundred and thirty-five of the Code, shall state the points on which it is based and notice thereof stating such grounds shall be served on the opposite party or parties and returned to the clerk's office at least thirty days before the day to which the notice is returnable.

2. *Notice to be Given.* No affidavit shall be read in support of or in opposition to any motion hereafter made to the court unless reasonable notice be given to the opposite party or his attorney of the time and place of taking the same, or good cause be shown why such notice has not been given and every motion, which is not a motion of course, shall be supported by affidavit.

3. *Notice to Confess Error—Time.* Where a party desires to confess error, he shall give notice in writing thereof to counsel of record for the opposing party, which shall be returned and filed with the clerk of this court at least ten days before the day set for the motion.

#### RULE IX.—ORAL ARGUMENT.

1. *How Many May be Heard.* Only two counsel shall be heard on each side in the argument of any case unless by special leave of court, and the counsel for the appellant or the plaintiff in error shall be entitled to open and conclude the argument.

2. *Time Allowed.* Forty-five minutes only shall be allowed to the appellant or plaintiff in error for the opening and conclusion, and thirty minutes to the appellee or defendant in error for his reply, but by special leave of the court granted before the argument begins, a longer time may be allowed to each side. The time allowed may be apportioned between the counsel on the same side at their discretion. But in all cases a fair opening of the case shall be made by the party entitled to the opening and concluding arguments.

3. *Who to be Deemed Counsel.* The attorneys of the respective parties in the court below shall be deemed to be the attorneys of the same parties in this court until others have been retained and have notified the clerk of this court of that fact.

4. *Record.* In no case is it proper or necessary to consume the time allowed for argument by reading the record to the court, but counsel may refer thereto and state what they consider as proven by any exhibit or deposition on which they rely.

5. *Commissioner's Report.* No oral argument will be permitted upon exceptions to a commissioner's report except upon pure questions of law and without reference to details of evidence.

#### RULE X.—CROSS ASSIGNMENT OF ERROR.

1. *When to be Considered.* In any appeal or writ of error, if error is perceived against the appellee or defendant in error, the court will consider the whole record as being before it, and will reverse the proceedings, either in whole or in part, and in the same manner as it would were the appellee or defendant in error to assign errors and bring the case before the court, unless such error be waived by the party prejudiced thereby, which waiver shall be considered as a release of all error committed against him. It is, however, advisable for the appellee or defendant in error, if he is of opinion that there is error in the record to his prejudice, to call attention to the same by a formal counter-assignment of error filed at the hearing of the case, or by pointing out and complaining of the same in his brief.

#### RULE XI.—ABANDONED CASES.

1. *When to be Dismissed.* When a case has been called for argument at four successive regular terms, and upon the call at the fourth term neither party is prepared to argue the same, the case shall be considered as abandoned and shall be dismissed at the costs of the appellant or plaintiff in error unless sufficient cause be shown for further continuance.

2. *Reinstatement.* No appeal or writ of error which shall have been dismissed or abated by the court, shall be reinstated or revived after the close of the next regular term after such dismissal or abatement.

## RULE XII.—REHEARING.

1. *How Obtained.* All petitions for rehearing must be filed not later than thirty days from the date of the decision complained of therein, and no petition for a rehearing will be entertained by the court in any case unless the reasons therefor are printed and filed with the petition. No oral arguments will be permitted upon any application for a rehearing. When a rehearing is allowed, the court may fix the time for re-argument and re-submission, notice of which shall be given by the clerk to the attorneys of record, but, in case it fails to fix such time the clerk shall enter the case upon the docket as if it had never been heard.

## RULE XIII.—INDEX TO RECORDS.

1. *Must be Indexed—Certificate as to Costs.* The Clerk of any court assembling the record, and in making transcripts thereof for writ of error or appeal, shall annex thereto a complete descriptive index, giving pages of the record on which its chief component parts are to be found, including all orders, decrees and exhibits, as well as where the evidence of each witness appears in such record. Such clerk also shall endorse on the petition a certificate that deposit has been made or bond given for the costs thus incurred and expenses of transmission of said record in accordance with section five of chapter one hundred and thirty-five of the Code. Unless such complete index accompanies the record, the clerk of this court shall return the record to the clerk of the court from which it is certified and the case or cause will not be considered until such complete index and certificate are made in accordance with this rule.

## RULE XIV.—OFFICERS OF COURT.

1. *Accounts.* The officers attending this court and receiving an allowance per diem therefor, shall, at the end of each term, furnish an account of the number of days so employed, verifying their accounts by affidavit, and orders of allowance will then be made by the court and certified to the Auditor of State, but such accounts will not be considered or allowed before the close of the term.

## RULE XV.—REPORTS.

1. *Arguments to be Omitted.* In publishing the opinions of this court, the reporter shall not publish the arguments of counsel, but he shall report the names of counsel on each side, and when the counsel on the side adverse to the decision of the court shall furnish to him the points and authorities relied on, clearly and briefly stated, he may publish in the report such points and authorities; but in no case shall such points and authorities occupy more than one page of the printed report unless express authority therefor be given by the court.

## RULE XVI.—ORIGINAL PAPERS.

1. *Not to be Withdrawn.* No transcript of record, petition or other original paper or opinion of the court, shall be withdrawn from the custody of the clerk of this court unless upon motion made in court for this purpose and upon order of court permitting such withdrawal, except as provided in section nineteen, chapter one hundred and thirty-five of the Code.

## TERMS OF WEST VIRGINIA CIRCUIT COURTS

FIRST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT—J. B. SOMMERVILLE and J. H. BRENNAN  
Judges, Wheeling

Counties	Commencement of Terms
Ohio.....	Second Monday in January, second Monday in April and second Monday in September.
Brooke.....	First Monday in March, first Monday in June and first Monday in November.
Hancock.....	Second Monday in March, second Monday in June and second Monday in November.

## SECOND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT—JAMES F. SHIPMAN, Judge, Moundsville.

Counties	Commencement of Terms
Marshall.....	Second Tuesday in February, second Tuesday in June and second Tuesday in October.
Tyler.....	Third Tuesday in March, third Tuesday in July and third Tuesday in November.
Wetzel.....	First Tuesday in January, first Tuesday in May and first Tuesday in September.

## THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT—S. O. PRUNTY, Judge, Harrisville.

Counties	Commencement of Terms
Doddridge.....	First Tuesday in April, first Tuesday in August and fourth Tuesday in November.
Pleasants.....	Second Tuesday in January, fourth Tuesday in April and second Tuesday in September.
Ritchie.....	Second Tuesday in February, second Tuesday in June and second Tuesday in October.

## FOURTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT—JOHN W. MARTIN, Judge, Parkersburg.

Counties	Commencement of Terms
Wood.....	Fourth Monday in January, fourth Monday in April and second Monday in October.
Wirt.....	First Monday in January, first Monday in June and second Monday in September.

## FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT—LEWIS H. MILLER, Judge, Ripley.

Counties	Commencement of Terms
Calhoun.....	Third Tuesday in April, third Tuesday in August and third Tuesday in November.
Jackson.....	First Monday in April, first Tuesday in August and second Tuesday in November.
Mason.....	First Monday in January, first Monday in May and first Monday in September.
Roane.....	Third Monday in January, third Monday in May and third Monday in September.



**SIXTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT—THOMAS R. SHEPHERD, Judge, Huntington.**

Counties	Commencement of Terms
Cabell.....	First Monday in January, first Monday in May and second Monday in September.
Lincoln.....	Third Monday in March, fourth Monday in July and third Monday in November.
Putnam.....	First Monday in March, fourth Monday in June and third Monday in October.

**SEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT—NAAMAN JACKSON, Judge, Logan.**

Counties	Commencement of Terms
Logan.....	Second Monday in January, first Monday in April, first Monday in July and first Monday in October.

**EIGHTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT—B. F. HOWARD, Judge, Welch.**

Counties	Commencement of Terms
Mingo.....	First Monday in January, first Monday in May and first Monday in October.
McDowell.....	Second Monday in March, second Monday in June, first Monday in September and first Monday in December.

**NINTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT—H. M. TANNER, Judge, Bluefield.**

Counties	Commencement of Terms
Mercer.....	Second Monday in March, second Monday in May, second Monday in August and fourth Monday in December.
Wyoming.....	Second Monday in February, second Monday in April, second Monday in July and second Monday in October.

**TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT—C. M. WARD, Judge, Beckley.**

Counties	Commencement of Terms
Boone.....	First Monday in February, first Monday in May, first Monday in August and second Monday in November.
Raleigh.....	Third Monday in February, third Monday in May, fourth Monday in August and first Monday in December.
Summers.....	Third Monday in January, third Monday in April, third Monday in July and third Monday in October.

**ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT—S. H. SHARP, Judge, Marlinton.**

Counties	Commencement of Terms
Greenbrier.....	Third Tuesday in January, fourth Tuesday in April, fourth Tuesday in July and fourth Tuesday in November.
Monroe.....	First Tuesday in April, second Tuesday in July and second Tuesday in November.
Pocahontas.....	Second Tuesday in March, first Tuesday in June and first Tuesday in October.

**TWELFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT—J. W. EARLY, Judge, Fayetteville.**

Counties	Commencement of Terms
Fayette.....	First Tuesday in January, first Tuesday in April, first Tuesday in July and third Tuesday in September.
Nicholas.....	Third Tuesday in February, third Tuesday in May, third Tuesday in August and third Tuesday in November.

**THIRTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT—ARTHUR P. HUDSON, Judge, Charleston.**

Counties	Commencement of Terms
Kanawha.....	Second Monday in January, second Monday in May and second Monday in September.

**FOURTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT—JAKE FISHER, Judge, Sutton.**

Counties	Commencement of Terms
Braxton.....	Second Tuesday in March, second Tuesday in July and third Tuesday in November.
Clay.....	Fourth Tuesday in January, fourth Tuesday in May and fourth Tuesday in September.
Gilmer.....	Third Tuesday in February, third Tuesday in June and third Tuesday in October.
Webster.....	First Tuesday in January, first Tuesday in May and first Tuesday in September.

**FIFTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT—BIRK S. STATHERS, Judge, Clarksburg.**

Counties	Commencement of Terms
Lewis.....	First Monday in March, third Monday in June and first Monday in November.
Harrison.....	First Monday in January, first Monday in May and first Monday in September.

**SIXTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT—HARRY SHAW, Judge, Fairmont**

Counties	Commencement of Terms
Marion.....	Second Monday in March, second Monday in June and second Monday in November.

**SEVENTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT—CHARLES G. BAKER, Judge, Morgantown.**

Counties	Commencement of Terms
Monongalia.....	First Thursday after the first Monday in January, April, July and October.

**EIGHTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT—A. G. HUGHES, Judge, Kingwood.**

Counties	Commencement of Terms
Preston.....	First Tuesday in January, first Tuesday in April, first Tuesday in July and first Tuesday in October.

## TERMS OF CIRCUIT COURTS

## NINETEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT—WARREN B. KITTLE, Judge, Philippi.

Counties	Commencement of Terms
Barbour.....	Second Monday in January, second Monday in April and first Monday in September.
Taylor.....	Third Monday in February, third Monday in May and second Monday in October.

## TWENTIETH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT—H. G. KUMP, Judge, Elkins.

Counties	Commencement of Terms
Randolph.....	Third Tuesday in February, third Tuesday in May and first Tuesday in October.
Upshur.....	Second Monday in January, second Monday in April and first Monday in September.

## TWENTY-FIRST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT.—A. JAY VALENTINE, Judge, Parsons

Counties	Commencement of Terms
Grant.....	First Tuesday in April, second Tuesday in July and third Tuesday in November.
Mineral.....	Third Tuesday in January, third Tuesday in April, fourth Tuesday in July and third Tuesday in October.
Tucker.....	First Monday in March, first Monday in June, third Monday in September and third Monday in December.

## TWENTY-SECOND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT—G. K. KUMP, Judge, Romney.

Counties	Commencement of Terms
Hampshire.....	First Tuesday in January, first Tuesday in March, first Tuesday in June and third Tuesday in September.
Hardy.....	Third Tuesday in February, third Tuesday in June and third Tuesday in October.
Pendleton.....	Third Tuesday in March, fourth Tuesday in July and first Tuesday in December.

## TWENTY-THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT—DECATUR H. RODGERS, Judge, Martinsburg.

Counties	Commencement of Terms
Berkeley.....	Third Tuesday in February, third Tuesday in May and third Tuesday in October.
Jefferson.....	Third Tuesday in January, third Tuesday in April and third Tuesday in September.
Morgan.....	First Tuesday in January, first Tuesday in April and first Tuesday in September.

## TWENTY-FOURTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT—CHARLES W. FERGUSON, Judge, Wayne.

Counties	Commencement of Terms
Wayne.....	First Monday in March, first Monday in June, first Monday in September and first Monday in December.

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**TERMS OF OTHER COURTS****CABELL COUNTY**

**COMMON PLEAS COURT**—H. Clay Warth, Judge, Huntington. Terms commence first Monday in February, first Monday in June and first Monday in October.

**DOMESTIC RELATIONS COURT**—L. D. Isbell, Judge, Huntington. Terms commence second Monday in April, first Monday in June, first Monday in September and first Monday in December.

**HARRISON COUNTY.**

**CRIMINAL COURT**—John C. Southern, Judge, Clarksburg. Terms commence first Tuesday in March, first Tuesday in June and second Tuesday in November.

**KANAWHA COUNTY.**

**COMMON PLEAS AND DOMESTIC RELATIONS COURT**—Morgan Owen, Judge, Charleston. Terms commence third Monday in February, third Monday in June and third Monday in October.

**JUVENILE COURT**—Every day in the year.

**INTERMEDIATE COURT**—Henry K. Black, Judge, Charleston. Terms commence first Monday in April, second Monday in June and second Monday in October.

**MARION COUNTY.**

**CRIMINAL COURT**—E. M. Showalter, Judge, Fairmont. Terms commence second Tuesday in January, second Tuesday in May and third Tuesday in September.

**MERCER COUNTY.**

**CRIMINAL COURT**—George L. Dillard, Judge, Bluefield. Terms commence first Monday in January, first Monday in April, first Monday in July and first Monday in October.

**MCDOWELL COUNTY**

**CRIMINAL COURT**—G. L. Counts, Judge, Welch. Terms commence second Monday in January, second Monday in April, second Monday in July and first Monday in October.

**OHIO COUNTY**

**INTERMEDIATE COURT**—John S. Ritz, Judge, Wheeling. Terms commence second Monday in February, third Monday in May and first Monday in October.

**RALEIGH COUNTY.**

**CRIMINAL COURT**—Hugh A. Dunn, Judge, Beckley. Terms commence second Monday in January, third Monday in March, second Monday in June and third Monday in October.

## **PART III**

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## LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT

### THE STATE GOVERNMENT

In this article the editor has given an outline of the organization of the three coordinate branches of the state government.

The powers of the state are vested in three branches, legislative, executive and judicial, which, in the language of the constitution, "shall be separate and distinct so that neither shall exercise the powers properly belonging to either of the others."

The only qualification for election or appointment to any state, county or municipal office in the state, with the few exceptions herein noted, is that of being a citizen of the state entitled to vote. Any citizen of the state, who has resided therein for one year and in the county in which he offers to vote for sixty days, and who is not a minor, of unsound mind, a pauper, or is not under conviction of treason, felony or bribery in an election, is entitled to vote.

The executive department consists of the governor, secretary of state, state superintendent of free schools, auditor, treasurer, attorney general and commissioner of agriculture. These are elected by all the voters of the state in presidential election years for a term of four years, beginning on March 4, next following their election. Together, they constitute the board of public works, which exercises the powers conferred upon it by various legislative enactments. None of these officers can hold any other office during his term of office. Vacancies in any of these offices, except the governorship, are filled by appointment by the governor. The president of the senate and the speaker of the house of delegates, in the order given, are next in succession to the governorship. In 1930 there will be submitted to the voters a constitutional amendment creating the office of lieutenant-governor and changing the beginning of the terms of all the above officers from March 4 to the first Monday following the second Wednesday in January next after their election, which is the first Monday following the convening of the legislature.

The governor must have attained the age of thirty years and the attorney general the age of twenty-five years at the beginning of their terms of office. The governor cannot succeed himself in the gubernatorial office.

The chief executive power is vested in the governor and the constitution provides that he shall take care that the laws are faithfully executed. As a part of his powers and duties, the governor, with the advice and consent of the senate, appoints the various commissions, boards and heads of state institutions, except those of the educational institutions, which are selected by the state board of education with the one exception of the president of the state university, who is selected by the board of governors of that institution. The governor may remove any of his appointees in the manner provided by the constitution and laws.

The judicial department is composed of the judges of the supreme court of appeals, the judges of the circuit courts, inferior tribunals established by the legislature under the authority of the constitution, and justices of the peace. All judges, like the governor, must be thirty years of age at the beginning of their terms.

Judges of the supreme court of appeals are selected in a state-wide election, for a term of twelve years. This court, when first formed, consisted of three members, but owing to the rapid increase in the work of the court, the number has been increased to five members. The salaries of the members and the expenses of the court are paid from the state treasury. At least two terms of court must be held each year.

The state is, from time to time, divided by the legislature into judicial circuits. When the constitution of 1872 was adopted there were thirteen such circuits, but with the subsequent growth of the state and the increase in litigation, the number was increased at various times and there are now twenty-four circuits, and not less than three regular terms of court must be held yearly in each county in each circuit. One judge is selected in each circuit by the voters of the counties composing the circuit, except in the first judicial circuit, composed of the counties of Brooke, Hancock and Ohio, where two judges are elected. The term of office is eight years and the salary of the judge is determined by the population of his circuit and is paid from the state treasury. In a few circuits, the legislature has authorized additional salary, payable from the county treasuries of the counties forming the circuit.

In some of the more populous circuits, in order to relieve the congestion of the circuit court docket, various inferior tribunals, such as intermediate, common pleas and domestic relations courts, have been established. They have such jurisdiction and powers as are given by the acts creating them. The salary of the judges and the expenses of these courts are borne by the county in which the inferior court is established.

Judges may be removed from office for the causes and in the manner set out in Article VIII, paragraph 17, of the constitution of the state. Vacancies in the office of judge are filled by appointment by the governor until the next general election.

Each magisterial district having a population of more than twelve hundred can elect two justices of the peace, but in districts of less population, only one may be chosen. Justices' courts have only such jurisdiction, both civil and criminal, as is given them by the legislature. Justices of the peace are not salaried officers, but receive their compensation from fees charged in cases before them, the amount of the fees being fixed by law. The term of office begins on January 1, next following election and is for four years. A justice of the peace, although a part of the judicial branch of the government, is, by a specific provision of the constitution, eligible to a seat in the legislature.

The legislative branch of the state government is composed of the senate and house of delegates and the concurrence of each body is necessary in the passage of legislation. Each is equal in power to the other, except that only the senate has the power to confirm or reject

the governor's nominations for appointments. The house of delegates has the sole power to originate articles of impeachment, while the senate has the sole power to try impeachments.

The constitution of 1872 fixed the number of senators at twenty-four and the membership of the house of delegates at sixty-five, but the number of senators has been increased to thirty and the membership of the house to ninety-four. The terms of the members begin on December first, next following their election, the terms of the senators being for four years and of the delegates for two years. The members of the legislature must reside in the district or county which they are chosen to represent and removal therefrom vacates the office. They must also have been for one year preceding their election, residents of their respective districts or counties.

The legislature meets at the capitol, in Charleston, in regular session, on the second Wednesday in January, in the odd numbered years. The governor may, by proclamation, convene the legislature in extraordinary session, whenever, in his opinion, the public safety or welfare requires it. When so convened on the initiative of the governor, no business can be entered upon except that stated in the governor's proclamation by which the legislature was called together. It is his constitutional duty to so proclaim an extraordinary session upon the application, in writing, of three-fifths of the members elected to each house.

Previous to 1921, the length of the session was forty-five consecutive days, Sundays included. Beginning with the session of 1921 and including that of 1927, the legislature met for fifteen days and then adjourned until the Wednesday after the second Monday in March following, when it reconvened for a period not longer than forty-five days. This was commonly called the "split session" and during the first part of fifteen days, no bills could be passed or rejected unless they were necessary to provide for a public emergency, were especially recommended by the governor and passed by a four-fifths vote of the members elected to each house. In the second part no bills could be introduced in either house except by permission of three-fourths of all the members elected to each house. Following the adoption of a constitutional amendment in 1928, the session now continues for sixty consecutive days, Sundays included. With the concurrence of two-thirds of the members elected to each house, the legislature may extend the session beyond the sixty-day limit.

Under the constitution of 1872 the members of the legislature were paid four dollars per day and ten cents mileage for each mile traveled in going to and from the seat of government. By the constitutional amendment adopted in 1920, the compensation was fixed at five hundred dollars per annum, with the same mileage as before.

The following are not eligible to a seat in the legislature: Any person holding a lucrative office under this state, the United States or any foreign government; member of congress; salaried officer of a railroad company; sheriff, constable or clerk of any court of record, or anyone who has been convicted of bribery, perjury or other infamous crime.



Upon convening, each house elects one of its members as presiding officer, known in the senate as president and in the house as speaker. Each presiding officer receives an additional compensation of two dollars per day for presiding. Each house also elects, outside of its membership, a clerk, sergeant-at-arms and doorkeeper and fixes their compensation, and provides by resolution for the appointment and compensation of assistant and committee clerks and other attaches.

When a vacancy in the legislature is caused by the death of a member, the county executive committee of the political party to which the deceased member belonged, if the vacancy is in the house, or the senatorial committee, if the vacancy is in the senate, selects some duly qualified person of the same political faith as the deceased member and certifies the name to the governor, whose duty it is to fill the vacancy by the appointment of the person whose name is so certified to him. Should a vacancy occur during a recess of the legislature, otherwise than by death, it is filled by a special election. Lists of the present membership of each body and the rules governing their deliberations and actions will be found elsewhere in this volume.

For the purpose of representation in the senate, the state is divided by the legislature into senatorial districts, which the constitution prescribes shall be compact, formed of contiguous territory bounded by county lines and as nearly equal in population as is practical. The constitution of 1872 fixed the number of districts at twelve and designated their boundaries; it also provided that this number could be increased, but not diminished. By subsequent legislation the number has been increased to fifteen. Each district has two senators, one being chosen at each biennial election. When the district is composed of more than one county (as all the districts have been and are at present), both senators may not be chosen from the same county.

Like the attorney general, a senator must be twenty-five years of age at the beginning of his term of office. This age limit does not apply to members of the house of delegates, who, if otherwise eligible, need be but twenty-one years old.

For the purpose of representation in the house of delegates, the legislature determines the number of which the house is to consist and then apportions that number among the fifty-five counties of the state on the basis of population, but, regardless of population, each county is entitled to at least one delegate. In the constitution of 1872 six delegate districts were provided for; two, and in some cases three, counties were joined to form the district, but all such delegate districts have been abolished, each of the fifty-five counties having at least one delegate.

The membership of the house of delegates is now apportioned as follows:

For the counties of Barbour, Boone, Brooke, Calhoun, Clay, Doddridge, Gilmer, Grant, Hampshire, Hancock, Hardy, Jefferson, Lewis, Lincoln, Logan, Mineral, Mingo, Monroe, Morgan, Nicholas, Pendleton, Pleasants, Pocahontas, Putnam, Ritchie, Summers, Taylor, Tucker, Tyler, Upshur, Webster, Wirt and Wyoming, one delegate each;

For the counties of Berkeley, Braxton, Greenbrier, Jackson, Marshall,

Mason, Monongalia, Preston, Raleigh, Randolph, Roane, Wayne and Wetzel, two delegates each;

For the counties of Marion, Mercer and Wood, three delegates each;

For the counties of Cabell, Fayette, Harrison, McDowell and Ohio, four delegates each;

For the county of Kanawha, six delegates.

A synopsis of the laws passed and resolutions adopted by the sessions of 1929 and 1930 is found elsewhere in this section.

It may be of interest to note that under the first constitution of the state, the executive department consisted of the governor, secretary of state, treasurer and auditor, all elected at the same time for a period of two years. Under the judiciary department it also provided for the election of an attorney general for a similar term, and contained a provision that the legislature could provide by law for the election of a general superintendent of free schools, with the same length of term as the governor's.

The time necessary to establish a voting residence in the county was thirty, instead of sixty days, and the governor, judges, attorney general and senators must have been citizens of the state for a period of five years next preceding, or at the time the constitution went into operation.

Under this constitution the supreme court of appeals consisted of three members, and the state was divided into nine judicial circuits. Judges must have been at least thirty-five years of age.

For legislative representation there were nine senatorial districts with two senators from each district, and the house of delegates consisted of forty-seven members, including six delegate districts. The length of the session was forty-five days and the members received three dollars per day for the session and mileage. The length of the term of the senators was two years and of the delegates one year.

As the counties of Pendleton, Hardy, Hampshire, Morgan, Berkeley, Jefferson and Frederick were not, at the time of the adoption of the first constitution, part of the state of West Virginia, provision was made for their representation in the legislature should they later become part of the state, by increasing the number of senatorial districts to eleven and the number of senators to twenty-two and the number of delegates to fifty-seven. All of these counties, except Frederick, later were included within the boundaries of West Virginia, Frederick continuing as a part of the commonwealth of Virginia.

## ROSTER OF THE LEGISLATURE OF 1929 AND 1930

### OFFICERS AND MEMBERS OF THE SENATE

NOTE—Those whose names appear last in each Senatorial District are hold-over Senators.

#### Officers

*President*—M. Z. White, Republican; Williamson.

*Clerk*—M. S. Hodges, Republican; Franklin.

*Sergeant-at-Arms*—Roscoe C. Mullins, Republican; Buffalo.

*Door-Keeper*—A. S. McDougal, Republican; Harrisville.

#### Members

*First District*—Hancock, Brooke and Ohio counties. Wright Hugus, Republican; Wheeling. W. Edwin Wells, Jr. Republican; Newell.

*Second District*—Marshall, Tyler and Wetzel counties. Walter R. Reitz, Republican; Sistersville. Evan G. Roberts, Republican; Moundsville.

*Third District*—Pleasants, Ritchie, Wirt and Wood counties. Albert B. White, Republican; Parkersburg. Thomas J. Davis, Republican; Harrisville.

*Fourth District*—Jackson, Mason and Roane counties. Wm. E. Walker, Republican; Ripley. Wm. Woodyard, Republican; Spencer.

*Fifth District*—Cabell, Lincoln and Putnam counties. \*B. W. West, Republican; Huntington. Jacob D. Smith, Republican; Hamlin.

*Sixth District*—McDowell, Mingo, Wayne and Wyoming counties. M. Z. White, Republican; Williamson. L. E. Woods, Republican; Welch.

*Seventh District*—Mercer, Monroe, Raleigh and Summers counties. T. H. Lilly, Republican; Hinton. J. Q. Hutchinson, Republican; Beckley.

*Eighth District*—Boone, Kanawha and Logan counties. Walter S. Hallanan, Republican; Charleston. M. T. Miller, Republican; Madison.

*Ninth District*—Clay, Fayette, Greenbrier and Nicholas counties. A. B. Abbot, Democrat; Fayetteville. Perry N. Wiseman, Democrat; Summersville.

*Tenth District*—Braxton, Calhoun, Gilmer, Pocahontas and Webster counties. A. C. Herold, Democrat; Sutton. Albert G. Mathews, Democrat, Grantsville.

*Eleventh District*—Marion, Monongalia and Taylor counties. Ira L. Smith, Republican; Fairmont. W. Merle Watkins, Republican; Grafton.

*Twelfth District*—Doddridge, Harrison and Lewis counties. Blaine Engle, Republican; Clarksburg. John R. Davis, Republican; Weston.

*Thirteenth District*—Barbour, Pendleton, Randolph and Upshur counties. B. H. Hiner, Democrat; Franklin. Harry B. Martin, Republican; Elkins.

\*Elected in 1928 to fill vacancy caused by election of James Boyce Taylor, Democrat, as mayor of Huntington.

*Fourteenth District*--Grant, Hardy, Mineral, Preston and Tucker counties. E. Bunker Reynolds, Republican; Keyser. A. L. Helmick, Republican; Thomas.

*Fifteenth District*--Berkeley, Hampshire, Jefferson and Morgan counties. Frank B. Robinson, Republican; Ranson. Harry P. Henshaw, Democrat; Bunker Hill.

**Recapitulation**

Republicans .....	24
Democrats .....	6
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Total.....	30

## Standing Committees of the Senate

### ON PRIVILEGES AND ELECTIONS

Messrs. Walker, (*Chairman*), Woods, Wells, Roberts, Davis (of Ritchie), West, Hutchinson, Mathews and Abbot.

### ON THE JUDICIARY

Messrs. Smith (of Marion), (*Chairman*), Reynolds, Hugus, Engle, Smith (of Lincoln), Davis (of Ritchie), Hutchinson, Watkins, Hallanan, Lilly, Helmick, Roberts, Wiseman, Hiner and Mathews.

### ON FINANCE

Messrs. Hallanan (*Chairman*), Helmick, Reitz, White (of Wood), Woods, Reynolds, Robinson, Miller, Walker, Woodyard, Wells, West, Davis (of Lewis), Martin, Abbot, Henshaw and Herold.

### ON EDUCATION

Messrs. Reynolds (*Chairman*), Engle, Woods, Hugus, Smith (of Lincoln), Miller, Martin, Mathews and Herold.

### ON COUNTIES AND MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS

Messrs. White (of Wood), (*Chairman*), Hugus, Reynolds, Hallanan, Smith (of Marion), West, Roberts, Abbot and Henshaw.

### ON ROADS AND NAVIGATION

Messrs. Reitz (*Chairman*), Robinson, Helmick, Reynolds, Lilly, Engle, Hallanan, Woods, Davis (of Ritchie), West, Wells, Woodyard, Roberts, Hiner, Abbot, Henshaw and Mathews.

### ON BANKS AND CORPORATIONS

Messrs. Roberts (*Chairman*), Hugus, Robinson, Walker, Davis (of Lewis), Watkins, Hutchinson, Wiseman and Herold.

### ON PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND HUMANE INSTITUTIONS

Messrs. Martin (*Chairman*), Robinson, White (of Wood), Lilly, West, Miller, Davis (of Lewis), Roberts, Wells, Herold and Wiseman.

### ON PENITENTIARY

Messrs. Helmick (*Chairman*), Reynolds, Reitz, Smith (of Lincoln), Hutchinson, Watkins, Roberts, Herold and Henshaw.

### ON RAILROADS

Messrs. Helmick (*Chairman*), Woods, Lilly, Davis (of Lewis), Davis (of Ritchie), Walker, Hutchinson, Henshaw and Hiner.

### ON MILITIA

Messrs. Wells (*Chairman*), Helmick, Robinson, Davis (of Ritchie), Walker, Hutchinson, Watkins, Herold and Abbot.

## ON FEDERAL RELATIONS

Messrs. Davis (of Ritchie), (*Chairman*), Engle, Woods, Lilly, Watkins, Smith (of Lincoln), Wells, Henshaw and Mathews.

## ON INSURANCE

Messrs. Engle (*Chairman*), Woods, Hallanan, Smith (of Marion), Helmick, Robinson, West, Abbot and Henshaw.

## ON IMMIGRATION AND AGRICULTURE

Messrs. Robinson (*Chairman*), Reynolds, Davis (of Lewis), Davis (of Ritchie), Walker, Smith (of Lincoln), Martin, Hiner and Wiseman.

## ON MINES AND MINING

Messrs. Wood (*Chairman*), Helmick, Smith (of Marion), Hugus, Hutchinson, Watkins, Miller, Abbot and Wiseman.

## ON MEDICINE AND SANITATION

Messrs. West (*Chairman*), White (of Wood), Hallanan, Lilly, Wells, Watkins, Davis (of Lewis), Mathews and Abbot.

## ON LABOR

Messrs. Watkins (*Chairman*), Reynolds, Woods, Robinson, Hugus, Walker, Smith (of Lincoln), Henshaw and Hiner.

## ON CLAIMS AND GRIEVANCES

Messrs. Hutchinson (*Chairman*), Reitz, White (of Wood), Martin, Wells, West, Miller, Hiner and Herold.

## ON FORFEITED, DELINQUENT AND UNAPPROPRIATED LANDS

Messrs. Davis (of Lewis), (*Chairman*), Reynolds, Smith (of Marion), Watkins, Woodyard, Hutchinson, Smith (of Lincoln), Wiseman and Mathews.

## ON PUBLIC PRINTING

Messrs. Woodyard (*Chairman*), Reitz, Helmick, Hugus, Engle, West, Lilly, Abbot and Herold.

## ON RULES

Messrs. White (of Mingo), (*Chairman, ex-officio*), Hallanan, Smith (of Marion), Reynolds and Henshaw.

## TO EXAMINE CLERKS OFFICE

Messrs. Smith (of Lincoln), (*Chairman*), Woodyard, Martin and Abbot.

## ON PUBLIC LIBRARY

Messrs. Woodyard (*Chairman*), Reitz, White (of Wood), Robinson, Davis (of Ritchie), Smith (of Lincoln), Hutchinson, Hiner and Wiseman.

## ON TEMPERANCE

Messrs. Miller (*Chairman*), White (of Wood), Woods, Engle, Wells, Smith (of Lincoln), Hutchinson, Mathews and Abbot.

## ON REDISTRICTING

Messrs. Hugus (*Chairman*), White (of Wood), Reynolds, Hallanan, Smith (of Marion), West, Woodyard, Hiner and Abbot.

## ON FORESTRY AND CONSERVATION

Messrs. Lilly (*Chairman*), Reitz, Hallanan, Smith (of Marion), Davis (of Lewis), Miller, Martin, Hutchinson, West, Wells, Henshaw and Wiseman.

## JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS ON THE PART OF THE SENATE

Messrs. Smith (of Lincoln), (*Chairman*), Wells, Walker, Watkins and Abbot.

## Rules of the Senate

(Adopted January 15, 1929)

1. The President having taken the chair, and a quorum being present the journal of the preceding day shall be read, to the end that any mistake may be corrected that may have been made in the entries.
2. The presiding officer of the Senate may call a member to the chair who shall exercise its functions for the time being, but no member by virtue of such appointment, shall preside for a longer period than three days.
3. The presiding officer of the Senate shall have the regulation of such parts of the Capitol and of its passages as are, or may be, set apart for the use of the Senate, its officers and committees.
4. No person except members of the House of Delegates, their Clerks, the heads of the executive departments, the Governor's private secretary, ex-members of the Legislature, Judges of the Supreme Court of Appeals, and Circuit Court Judges shall be admitted within the Senate Chamber.

### DUTIES OF THE CLERK

5. The Journal of the Senate shall be daily drawn up by the Clerk and after being examined by the President shall be read the succeeding day. It shall be printed under the supervision of the clerk and delivered to the members without delay. After the printed journal has been approved and fully marked for corrections the type from which it was printed shall be changed in accordance therewith, and from the type so corrected shall be printed the number of copies required by law for the regular bound volumes of the Journal. In addition thereto ten copies shall be printed on 6x9 heavy weight bond paper, with blank lines at the end of each day's proceedings for the signature of the President and the Clerk, and these shall be the official Journals of the Senate. They shall be bound in flexible bindings and bear the imprint on the back, "Official Journal of the Senate of West Virginia," with designation of regular or extra session and the year. After being signed by the proper officers two of these copies shall be retained in the office of the clerk and one copy shall be lodged in the office of the Governor, one with the Secretary of State, one with the Department of Archives and History and one with the Clerk of the House of Delegates.
6. The Clerk of the Senate shall not suffer any records or papers to be taken from the table, or out of his custody, by any person except a chairman of a committee but he may deliver any bill or paper, directed to be printed, to the printer of the Senate, or to any member of the Senate on taking his receipt for the same.
7. The Clerks of the Senate and House of Delegates may interchange messages between the hours of adjournment and that of meeting on the following day, so that said message may be read immediately after the usual orders of the day.

### POWERS OF THE SENATE OVER ITS MEMBERS

8. A majority of the Senators shall be necessary to proceed to business: two members may adjourn, and three members may order a call of the Senate, send for absentees, and make any order for their censure or discharge. On a call of the Senate, the doors shall not be closed against any member until his name shall have been twice called.
9. In case a less number than a quorum of the Senate shall convene, they are hereby authorized to send the Sergeant-at-Arms, or any other person or persons by them authorized, for any and all absent members as the majority of such members shall agree, at the expense of such absent members, respectively, unless such excuse for non-attendance shall be made as the Senate, when a quorum is convened, shall judge sufficient; and, in that case, the expense shall be paid out of the contingent fund. And this rule shall apply, as well to the first convention of the Senate at the legal time of meeting, as to each day of the session, after the hour has arrived to which the Senate stood adjourned.
10. No Senator shall be taken into custody by the Sergeant-at-Arms, on any



question of complaint of breach of privilege, until the matter is examined by the Committee on Privileges and Elections, and reported to the Senate, unless by order of the President of the Senate.

11. The Senate may punish its own members for disorderly behavior, and with the concurrence of two-thirds of the members elected thereto, expel a member, but not twice for the same offense.—(Const., art. 6, sec. 25.)

12. The Senate may punish by imprisonment, any person not a member, for disrespectful behavior in its presence; for obstructing any of its officers in the discharge of their duties, or for any assault, threat or abuse of any member for words spoken in debate; but such imprisonment shall not extend beyond the termination of the session.—(Const., art. 6, sec. 26.)

#### PRIVILEGES OF MEMBERS

13. Every member, when speaking, shall stand in his own place, and address the President and when he has finished, take his seat.

14. Every member within the Bar, when a question is put, shall vote unless he is immediately and particularly interested therein, or the Senate excuse him. All motions to excuse a member from voting must be made before the Senate divides, or before the call of the yeas and nays is commenced, and it shall be decided without debate, except that the member making the motion may briefly state the reason why, in his opinion, it ought to be adopted.

15. If a member be called to order, for words spoken in debate, the person calling him to order shall repeat the words excepted to, and they shall be taken down in writing at the Clerk's table; and no member shall be held to answer, or be subject to the censure of the Senate for words spoken in debate, if any member has spoken, or other business has intervened after the words spoken and before exceptions to them have been taken.

16. No member of the Senate, or other person except the Clerk and his assistants, shall visit or remain by the Clerk's table while the yeas and nays are being called or counted.

17. No member shall speak more than twice upon the same subject, without leave of the Senate; nor more than once until every member choosing to speak shall have spoken.

18. While the President is reporting or putting a question none shall entertain private discourse, read, stand up, walk into, out of, or across the Senate Chamber.

19. No question shall be debated until it has been propounded by the Chair, and then the mover shall have the right to explain his views, in preference to any other member.

20. While the President is putting the question, any member who has not spoken before to the matter may speak to the question before the negative is put.

21. During any debate, any Senator, though he has spoken to the matter, may arise and speak to the orders of the Senate, if they be transgressed, in case the President does not; but if the President stands up at any time, he is first to be heard.

22. If any member of the Senate absent himself from the service thereof without leave, except in case of his sickness or other unavoidable cause which may prevent his attendance, the Senate may by order or resolution, direct his absence to be entered on the Journal.

23. No member of the Senate shall absent himself from its service without leave first obtained.

24. At the commencement of each session the following standing committees shall be appointed to consist of not less than five nor more than nine members, except the Committees on Forestry and Conservation and on Public Buildings which shall each consist of not less than eleven members and not more than fifteen. The Committee on the Judiciary shall consist of eighteen members, the Committee on Roads and Navigation shall consist of seventeen members, and the Committee on Finance shall consist of seventeen members:

- I. On Privileges and Elections.
- II. On the Judiciary.
- III. On Finance.
- IV. On Education.
- V. On Counties and Municipal Corporations.
- VI. On Roads and Navigation.
- VII. On Banks and Corporations.
- VIII. On Public Buildings and Humane Institutions.
- IX. On the Penitentiary.
- X. On Railroads.
- XI. On Militia.
- XII. On Federal Relations.
- XIII. On Insurance.
- XIV. On Immigration and Agriculture.
- XV. On Mines and Mining.
- XVI. On Medicine and Sanitation.
- XVII. On Labor.
- XVIII. On Claims and Grievances.
- XIX. On Forfeited, Delinquent and Unappropriated Lands.
- XX. On Public Printing.
- XXI. On Rules. (The President of the Senate to be *ex-officio* Chairman.)
- XXII. On Public Library.
- XXIII. To examine Clerk's Office (to consist of three members).
- XXIV. On Temperance.
- XXV. On Forestry and Conservation.
- XXVI. On Redistricting.

And there shall also be appointed on the part of the Senate five members of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills.

25. All standing committees shall be appointed by the President of the Senate, unless otherwise directed, and the chairman of each committee shall be designated by the President of the Senate.

The chairman of each standing committee of the Senate shall cause to be kept for the purpose, a record of every meeting of such committee, wherein shall be entered:

(a) The time and place of each committee meeting, and every hearing had before the committee.

(b) The attendance of members of the committee at each meeting thereof.

(c) The name of any person appearing before the committee, and the interest represented by him.

Any member of such standing committee may cause a notation to be made upon the record aforesaid of the reason for his absence at any former meeting of the committee; and in the absence of any such explanatory note, the presumption shall be that his absence was without reasonable cause.

All meetings of the committee, other than executive sessions, shall be open to the public.

On the adjournment of each session of the Legislature, the chairman of the respective committees shall deliver to the Clerk of the Senate the record book herein provided for, and it shall be the duty of such Clerk to preserve the same among the archives of his office.

26. Select committees shall consist of not less than three nor more than five members unless the Senate shall direct otherwise.

27. The Committee on Privileges and Elections shall report in all cases of privileges and contested elections, the principles and reasons on which their resolutions are founded.

28. The Committee on Privileges and Elections shall examine the oaths taken by each member, and the evidence of their election, and report to the Senate.

29. The Committee to Examine the Clerk's Office shall see that all papers belonging thereto are properly filed, labeled and put away in the presses, and the books belonging to the office are chronologically arranged, and shall make report thereof to the Senate at each session.

## COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

30. When the Senate shall resolve itself into the Committee of the Whole, the President shall leave the chair and appoint a chairman to preside in the Committee.

31. The Committee of the Whole shall consider and report on such subjects as may be committed to it by the Senate. The rules of the Senate shall be observed in the Committee of the Whole, so far as they are applicable, except the rule limiting the time of speaking, concerning the previous question, and taking the yeas and nays. The proceedings in the Committee of the Whole shall not be recorded on the Journal of the Senate, except so far as reported to the Senate by the chairman of the committee.

## ORDER OF BUSINESS

32. The first two hours of each daily session of the Senate after the sixth order of business, to-wit: The consideration of unfinished business of the preceding day and resolutions lying over from the previous day, shall be called the "afternoon hour," and shall be devoted to the consideration of the business then on the calendar, unless the Senate, by a two-thirds vote of all the members present, suspend this rule.

- I. To read the Journal.
- II. To dispose of Communications from the House of Delegates and the Executive.
- III. To receive reports from Standing Committees.
- IV. To receive reports from Select Committees.
- V. To receive bills, resolutions, motions and petitions.
- VI. To act upon unfinished business of the preceding day, and resolutions lying over from the previous day, and no resolution shall lose its place on the calendar by not being acted upon on the day following that on which it was offered.
- VII. Senate and House Bills on third reading.
- VIII. Senate and House Bills on second reading.
- IX. Senate and House Bills on first reading.

33. All bills originating in the Senate shall be read on three separate days, unless in case of urgency, by a vote of four-fifths of the members present, taken by yeas and nays, on each bill, this rule be dispensed with.—(Const., art. 6, sec. 29.)

34. In the title of all bills to amend chapters or sections of the Code, or acts passed since the Code was adopted, the several committees to whom they are referred, or by whom they originated, shall insert the subject matter of the chapter.

35. All engrossed bills shall be fully and distinctly read when put upon their passage.—(Const., art. 6, sec. 29.)

36. All bills or business originating in the Senate, shall be considered in the order in which they are introduced and all bills and resolutions received from the House of Delegates shall be introduced in the order in which they are received, unless in either case the Senate otherwise directs.

37. All joint resolutions and all other resolutions, except those requiring a committee to inquire and report, shall lie on the table one day at least, after they are introduced.

38. Bills making appropriations for the pay of members and officers of the Legislature, and for salaries for officers of the government, shall contain no provision on any other subject.—(Const., art 6, sec. 42.)

40. All bills reported from the House of Delegates shall be referred to the appropriate committee on the first reading. All bills introduced on leave shall be read by their titles and referred to the appropriate committee without printing, and shall be treated in committee as resolutions of inquiry; and if the committee report a bill different from the one introduced such bill shall be received and treated by the senate as the original bill, and shall be read a first time and printed, unless in any of the aforesaid cases the Senate shall direct otherwise.

41. Before reading each bill the Clerk shall state whether it is the first, second or third reading of the bill.

42. On the demand of any two members when a bill is being read for amend-

ment, it shall be read section by section, and when the amendments which may be moved shall be disposed of, the question, unless the Senate otherwise order, shall be taken on ordering the bill to be engrossed and read the third time. If a bill should be ordered to its engrossment and third reading and amendments thereto have been made, the type from which the bill was originally printed shall be changed to conform to the amendments. The bill shall then be reprinted, and shall be the engrossed bill. If no amendments are made the bill as originally printed may be ordered to its third reading and shall become the engrossed bill. All Senate bills so ordered shall be jacketed, endorsed with their number, title, by whom introduced, and if the bill is finally passed, the date of its passage and the signature of the Clerk. If a bill should be passed by the House and returned to the Senate without amendments, or if amended, and the amendments should be agreed to, it shall then be turned over to the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills. In the case of a House bill on second reading if the same be amended, the amendment or amendments shall be noted in full in typewriting on slips of paper, and attached to the bill at the proper place by the Clerk before the bill is returned to the House, and all the amendments shall appear in the Senate Journal.

43. When a bill or resolution of the House of Delegates is passed or rejected by the Senate, the fact of its passage or rejection, with the bill or resolution, shall be communicated to the House of Delegates.

PETITIONS

44. No petition of a private nature, having been once rejected, shall be acted on a second time, unless it be supported by new evidence, nor shall any such petition, after a third rejection, be again acted upon.

45. No petition shall be received claiming a sum of money or praying the settlement of unliquidated accounts, unless it be accompanied with a certificate of disallowance from the Executive or Auditor, containing the reason why it was rejected. But this order shall extend to no person applying for a pension.

46. When any petition, or bill founded on one, is rejected, such petition shall not be withdrawn, but the petitioner or member presenting the petition, or any member from the county or corporation in which the petitioner resides, may, with leave, withdraw any document filed therewith, and a list of all documents so withdrawn shall be preserved by the Clerk. All petitions not finally acted on may, with the accompanying documents, be in like manner withdrawn after the expiration of the session at which they were presented.

47. No petition shall be read in the Senate unless particularly required by some member, but every member presenting one shall announce the name of the petitioner and the nature of the application, and that, in his opinion, no similar application had been previously made by the same petitioner. He shall also endorse on the back of his petition his own name, as a pledge that it is drawn in respectful language, whereupon it shall be delivered to the Clerk, by whom it shall be laid before the proper committee.

MESSAGES

48. Messages may be introduced in any stage of business except when a question is being put by the presiding officer, while the yeas and nays are being called by the Clerk, or while the ballots are being counted.

MOTIONS

49. When a bill or joint resolution is put upon its passage, the President shall propound the question, "Shall the bill (or joint resolution as the case may be) pass?" On the passage of every bill or joint resolution the vote shall be taken by yeas and nays, and be entered on the Journal. When the bill is on a second reading, and the question be upon striking out, the President shall propound the question: "Shall these words be stricken out?"

50. When the question is pending, no motion shall be received but to adjourn, for the previous question, to lie on the table, to postpone indefinitely, to adjourn

the question to a different day, to commit or amend, which several motions shall have precedence in the order in which they are herein arranged.

51. On the first reading of a bill, no motion shall be in order except to reject the bill, and if the committee shall have reported adversely to the bill, the President, immediately after its first reading, shall propound the question: "Shall the bill be rejected?" When the Senate refuses to reject the bill the question shall be: "Shall the bill be ordered to its second reading?" This question shall be duly put by the chair and acted upon by the Senate.

52. The question being once determined must stand as the judgment of the Senate, and cannot during the session be drawn again into debate unless reconsidered, and it shall be in order to reconsider any vote only within two legislative days next after the one upon which such vote was taken. A motion to reconsider shall be in order only when made by a Senator who voted with the prevailing side, and when the vote was not taken by yeas and nays all Senators will be conclusively presumed to have voted with the prevailing side.

53. When motions are made for reference of the same subject to a select committee, and to a standing committee, the question in reference to the standing committee shall be first put.

#### DIVISION OF THE QUESTION

54. If the question in debate contains several points, any member may have the same divided; but on motion to strike out and insert, it shall not be in order to move for a division of the question but the rejection of a motion to strike out and insert one proposition shall not prevent a motion to strike out and insert a different proposition; nor prevent a subsequent motion to simply strike out; nor shall the rejection of a motion simply to strike out prevent a subsequent motion to strike out and insert.

55. In filling blanks, the largest sum and the longest time shall be first put.

#### PREVIOUS QUESTION

56. There shall be a motion for the previous question, which being ordered by a majority of the members present, if a quorum, shall have the effect to cut off all debate and bring the Senate to a direct vote upon the immediate question or questions on which it has been asked and ordered. The previous question may be asked and ordered upon a single motion, a series of motions or may be made to embrace and authorize motions and amendments and include the bill to its engrossment and third reading and then, on renewal and second of said motion, to its passage or rejection. It shall be in order pending a motion for or after the previous question shall have been ordered on its passage, for the President to entertain and submit a motion to commit with or without instructions to a standing or select committee; and a motion to lay upon the table shall be in order on the second and third reading of a bill.

A call of the Senate shall not be in order after the previous question is ordered, unless it shall appear upon an actual count by the President that a quorum is not present.

All incidental questions or orders arising after a motion is made for the previous question, and pending such motion, shall be decided, whether an appeal or otherwise, without debate.

#### YEAS AND NAYS

57. When the yeas and nays are ordered, or a call of the Senate is directed, the names of the members shall be called in alphabetical order.

58. The yeas and nays on any question shall, at the desire of one-tenth of the members present, be entered on the Journal and any member may enter any protest on the Journal upon the determination of any question. After the yeas and nays shall have been taken, and before they are counted or entered on the Journal, the Clerk shall read over the names of those who voted in the affirmative and those who voted in the negative, at which time any member shall have the right to correct any mistake committed in enrolling his name.

59. When a bill or joint resolution passed by the Senate shall be amended by the House of Delegates, the question on agreeing to the bill or joint resolution, as amended, shall be again voted on by yeas and nays in the Senate, and the result entered upon its Journal. In all such cases the affirmative vote of a majority of all the members elected to the Senate shall be necessary.—(Const., art. 7, sec. 31.)

60. In all elections of officers which may take place in the Senate the vote of a majority of all the members elected to the Senate shall be necessary.—(Const., art. 7, sec. 31.)

61. In all elections of officers which may take place in the Senate the vote shall be *viva voce*, and be entered upon the Journal.—(Const., art. 6, sec. 44.)

EXECUTIVE SESSIONS

62. When nominations shall be made in writing by the Governor to the Senate, a future day shall be assigned, unless the Senate unanimously direct otherwise, for taking them into consideration.

63. When acting on the nominations of the Governor, the Senate shall be cleared of all persons except the Clerk, his assistants, the Sergeant-at-Arms and Doorkeeper, and all such officers shall be sworn to secrecy.

64. All confidential communications made by the Governor to the Senate and all proceedings thereon, shall be by the members thereof kept secret until the Senate shall, by the unanimous affirmative vote of the members present, remove the injunction of secrecy.

65. All information and remarks touching the character or qualifications of any person nominated by the Governor to office, shall be kept secret. The Legislative proceedings and the executive proceedings of the Senate shall be kept and recorded in separate books.

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

66. When an amendment to the Constitution is under consideration, the concurrence of two-thirds of the members elected to the Senate shall not be requisite to decide any question for amendments, or extending to the merits, being short of the final question.

ADJOURNMENT

67. When the Senate adjourns each day, it shall stand adjourned to 2 o'clock p. m. the next day, unless the Senate otherwise direct.

68. When the Senate adjourns each day, every member shall keep his seat until the President leaves the chair.

PARLIAMENTARY PRACTICE

69. The Rules of Parliamentary Practice comprised in "A Manual of General Parliamentary Law, with Suggestions for General Rules," by Thos. B. Reed, shall govern the Senate in all cases not provided for by the rules of the Senate or in the Joint Rules of the Senate and House of Delegates. In any case not governed by the said manual of said rules, the Senate shall be governed by the practice in the Congress of the United States.

70. No standing rule or order of the Senate shall be rescinded without one day's notice being given of the motion therefor and no rule shall be suspended except by a vote of two-thirds of all the members of the Senate present.

## OFFICERS AND MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES

## Officers

*Speaker*—J. Wm. Cummins, Republican; Wheeling.  
*Clerk*—L. V. Reed, Republican; Sistersville.  
*Sergeant-at-Arms*—W. H. Hutchison, Republican; Spencer.  
*Doorkeeper*—E. H. Knabenshue, Republican; Buckhannon.

## Members

*Barbour*—Herman J. Poling, Democrat; Philippi.  
*Berkeley*—Charles Beard, Republican; Martinsburg. Lacy I. Rice, Republican; Martinsburg.  
*Boone*—E. E. White, Democrat; Madison.  
*Braxton*—L. T. Harvey, Democrat; Sutton. J. C. Dean, Democrat; Frametown.  
*Brooke*—James L. Deuley, Republican; Wellsburg.  
*Cabell*—R. Lee Beuhring, Republican; Huntington. Ralph R. Robison, Republican; Huntington. \*M. F. Leonard, Republican; Huntington. R. F. Brammer, Republican; Milton. E. L. Hogsett, Republican; Huntington.  
*Calhoun*—Geo. W. Hays, Democrat; Arnoldsburg.  
*Clay*—L. J. Reed, Republican; Prociuous.  
*Doddridge*—Ira E. Smith, Republican; West Union.  
*Fayette*—R. L. Matthews, Democrat; Montgomery. J. H. MacQueen, Democrat; Fayetteville. W. H. Evans, Democrat; Ansted. C. Lance Marshall, Democrat; Mount Hope.  
*Gilmer*—†R. F. Kidd, Democrat; Glenville.  
*Grant*—J. L. Rexroad, Republican; Lahmansville.  
*Greenbrier*—W. T. Sheppard, Democrat; Smoot. John Raine, Republican; Rainelle.  
*Hampshire*—Caudy G. Davis, Democrat; Yellow Springs.  
*Hancock*—Thomas F. McKenzie, Republican; New Cumberland.  
*Hardy*—J. D. Chipley, Democrat; Moorefield.  
*Harrison*—Karl B. Kyle, Republican; Clarksburg. Harvey W. Harmer, Republican; Clarksburg. E. Leslie Long, Republican; Clarksburg. James W. Bartlett, Republican; Clarksburg.  
*Jackson*—Harry Riley, Republican; Ripley. Earl M. McGlothlin, Republican; Ravenswood.  
*Jefferson*—U. S. Martin, Democrat; Shepherdstown.  
*Kanawha*—Harold S. Mathews, Republican; Charleston. Edward Calderwood, Republican; Charleston. James O. Lakin, Republican; Charleston. T. J. Robson, Republican; Charleston. E. M. Keatley, Republican; Charleston. C. K. Payne, Democrat; Charleston.  
*Lewis*—J. W. Farnsworth, Republican; Weston.  
*Lincoln*—Kyle Topping, Republican; Atenville.  
*Logan*—Harry S. Gay, Jr., Republican; Mount Gay.

\*Died April 25, 1929. E. L. Hogsett appointed by Governor to fill vacancy.

†Died June 8, 1930.

*Marion*—Rollo J. Conley, Republican; Fairmont. Ellsworth Morgan, Republican; Fairmont. M. L. Brown, Republican; Fairmont.

*Marshall*—Will F. Crow, Republican; Glen Easton, C. E. Hutchinson, Republican; Moundsville.

*Mason*—George A. Rairden, Republican; Leon. Russell Starkey, Republican; Glenwood.

*Mercer*—F. M. Peters, Democrat; Bluefield. Roy A. Cole, Republican; Montcalm. T. K. Massie, Republican; Princeton.

*Mineral*—O. S. W. Fazenbaker, Republican; Keyser.

*Mingo*—William B. Hogg, Republican; Williamson.

*Monongalia*—James W. Hartigan, Republican; Morgantown. Hu S. Vandervort, Republican; Morgantown.

*Monroe*—L. H. Talbott, Democrat; Union.

*Morgan*—S. S. Buzzerd, Republican; Berkeley Springs.

*McDowell*—J. W. Luther, Republican; Welch. M. H. Tabor, Republican; Crumpler. John D. Kennedy, Republican; Bradshaw. T. Edward Hill, Republican; Keystone.

*Nicholas*—J. E. Brown, Democrat; Summersville.

*Ohio*—John Ulrich, Republican; Wheeling. John T. Carter, Republican; Elm Grove, Wheeling. Milton McColloch, Republican; Wheeling, R. F. D. J. Wm. Cummins, Republican; Wheeling.

*Pendleton*—R. M. Hiner, Democrat; Franklin.

*Pleasants*—Charles E. Fogle, Republican; St. Marys.

*Pocahontas*—George F. Hull, Republican; Durbin.

*Preston*—B. S. Rankin, Republican; Tunnelton. James Henry Smith, Republican; Bruceton Mills.

*Putnam*—J. Stanley Stephens, Republican; Buffalo.

*Raleigh*—A. C. Sutphin, Republican; Beckley. Kyle D. Harper, Democrat; Beckley.

*Randolph*—Frank C. Baker, Democrat; Elkins. Cyrus H. Scott, Democrat; Elkins.

*Ritchie*—Harvey Cline, Republican; Pennsboro.

*Roane*—Charles S. Meredith, Republican; Spencer. Grover P. Hedges, Democrat; Spencer.

*Summers*—O. P. Vines, Democrat; Hinton.

*Taylor*—Guy D. Haymond, Republican; Grafton.

*Tucker*—M. B. West, Democrat; Parsons.

*Tyler*—James T. Fonner, Republican; Middlebourne.

*Upshur*—B. C. Radabaugh, Republican; Hall.

*Wayne*—\*General H. Marcum, Democrat; Crum. W. B. Smith, Democrat; Wayne, No. 1.

*Webster*—W. S. Wyson, Democrat; Webster Springs.

*Wetzel*—Lee Cusack, Democrat; New Martinsville. W. O. Gallagher, Democrat; Pine Grove.

*Wirt*—Hugh Prather, Democrat; Elizabeth.

*Wood*—J. F. Bennett, Republican; Parkersburg. Thayer M. McIntire, Republican; Parkersburg. Miss Frances I. Radenbaugh, Republican; Parkersburg.

*Wyoming*—Joseph H. Cooper, Republican; Pineville.

\*Died September 17, 1930.



**Recapitulation**

Republicans .....	63
Democrats .....	31
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Total.....	94

## Standing Committees of the House of Delegates

### ON ELECTIONS AND PRIVILEGES

Messrs. Keatley (*Chairman*), Radabaugh, Hutchinson, McKenzie, Hull, Stephens, Gay, Long, Smith (of Doddridge), Rice, Kidd, Scott, Hays, Wysong and Poling.

### ON THE JUDICIARY

Messrs. Hogg (*Chairman*), Harmer, Keatley, Rice, Beuhring, McKenzie, Kyle, Long, Conley, Miss Radenbaugh, Messrs. Smith (of Preston), Buzzerd, Tabor, Wysong, Kidd, Hiner, Scott and Poling.

### ON FEDERAL RELATIONS

Messrs. McKenzie (*Chairman*), Beard, Rairden, Leonard, Rexroad, Kennedy, Topping, Riley, Fazenbaker, Fonner, Prather, Gallagher, Vines, Peters and Davis.

### ON TAXATION AND FINANCE

Messrs. Mathews (of Kanawha), (*Chairman*), Raine, Cole, Robison, Lakin, Stephens, Hartigan, Brown (of Marion), McColloch, Sutphin, Hutchinson, Bennett, Meredith, Hill, Smith (of Doddridge), Gay, Payne, Baker, Harvey, White, Cusack and Peters.

### ON MILITARY AFFAIRS

Messrs. Conley (*Chairman*), Stephens, Crow, Hogg, Smith (of Preston), Beuhring, McKenzie, Riley, Lakin, Reed, Hartigan, Chipley, Sheppard, White, Matthews (of Fayette) and Hiner.

### ON PROHIBITION AND TEMPERANCE

Messrs. Harmer (*Chairman*), Fogle, Morgan, Rexroad, Beard, Massie, Buzzerd, Smith (of Doddridge), Topping, Miss Radenbaugh, Messrs. Harvey, Brown (of Nicholas), Martin, Scott and Hays.

### ON EDUCATION

Messrs. Brammer (*Chairman*), Vandervort, Cline, Cooper, Deuley, Rexroad, Bartlett, Fogle, Kennedy, Massie, Haymond, Hartigan, Fonner, Scott, Cusack, Hedges and Matthews (of Fayette).

### ON COUNTIES, DISTRICTS AND MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS

Messrs. Beuhring (*Chairman*), Carter, Starkey, Morgan, Lakin, Long, Tabor, Massie, Calderwood, Stephens, Kidd, Chipley, Dean, Talbott and Payne.

### ON BANKS AND CORPORATIONS

Messrs. Carter (*Chairman*), Smith (of Doddridge), Brown (of Marion), Sutphin, Robson, Long, McKenzie, Calderwood, Luther, Raine, Payne, Matthews (of Fayette), Peters, White and Vines.

## ON ROADS

Messrs. Calderwood (*Chairman*), Smith (of Preston), Robison, Gay, Vandervort, Starkey, Riley, Reed, Luther, Sutphin, Carter, Buzzerd, Hedges, Wysong, Baker, Talbott and Hiner.

## ON FORFEITED AND UNAPPROPRIATED LANDS

Messrs. Starkey (*Chairman*), Fazenbaker, Crow, Cline, Cooper, Buzzerd, Rice, Topping, Hill, Cole, Kidd, Wysong, Hiner, Evans and West.

## ON CLAIMS AND GRIEVANCES

Messrs. Beard (*Chairman*), Robson, Fonner, Fogle, McIntire, McGlothlin, Leonard, Morgan, Bartlett, Farnsworth, Marshall, Hedges, Prather, Harper and Martin.

## ON HUMANE INSTITUTIONS AND PUBLIC BUILDINGS

Messrs. Lakin (*Chairman*), Radabaugh, Brammer, Miss Radenbaugh, Messrs. Hartigan, Farnsworth, Raine, Crow, Meredith, Cline, MacQueen, Davis, Marshall, West and Marcum.

## ON PRINTING AND CONTINGENT EXPENSES

Messrs. Haymond (*Chairman*), McColloch, Deuley, Conley, Bartlett, Fogle, Mathews (of Kanawha), Rice, Rexroad, Leonard, Evans, Smith (of Wayne), Brown (of Nicholas), Gallagher and Marcum.

## ON EXECUTIVE OFFICES AND LIBRARY

Messrs. Rexroad (*Chairman*), Rankin, Hull, Luther, Massie, Hogg, Haymond, Harmer, Beuhring, McGlothlin, Prather, Harvey, Hays, Harper and Cusack.

## ON FORESTRY AND CONSERVATION

Messrs. Raine (*Chairman*), Farnsworth, Robson, Buzzerd, Beard, Massie, Kennedy, Hull, Sutphin, Meredith, White, Kidd, Marshall, Hays and Martin.

## ON ARTS, SCIENCE AND GENERAL IMPROVEMENTS

Miss Radenbaugh (*Chairman*), Messrs. Lakin, Riley, Gay, Hogg, Radabaugh, McKenzie, Rice, Hutchinson, Vandervort, Chipley, Marshall, Hays, West and Martin.

## ON PENITENTIARY

Messrs. Brown (of Marion), (*Chairman*), Crow, Fonner, Ulrich, Radabaugh, Leonard, Bennett, Beard, Keatley, Bartlett, Talbott, Cusack, Harvey, Poling and Martin.

## ON MINES AND MINING

Messrs. Gay (*Chairman*), Robson, Sutphin, Lakin, Smith (of Preston), Conley, Bartlett, Cole, Tabor, Vandervort, McColloch, Baker, Peters, White and Harper.

## ON AGRICULTURE

Messrs. McGlothlin (*Chairman*), Massie, Miss Radenbaugh, Messrs. Vandervort, Beard, McColloch, Reed, Rankin, Topping, Rairden, Dean, Shepard, Martin and Smith (of Wayne).

## ON STATE BOUNDARIES

Messrs. Rankin (*Chairman*), Rairden, Brammer, McKenzie, Riley, Fazenbaker, Rexroad, Kennedy, Ulrich, Fonner, Hiner, Marcum, Brown (of Nicholas), MacQueen and Harper.

## ON RAILROADS

Messrs. Rice (*Chairman*), Conley, Luther, Raine, Kyle, Gay, Stephens, Hull, Calderwood, McCulloch, Cusack, Kidd, Vines, Talbott and Baker.

## ON LABOR

Messrs. Ulrich (*Chairman*), Rice, Kyle, Fazenbaker, Leonard, Crow, Haymond, Bennett, Deuley, Bartlett, Cusack, Harper, Marshall, Peters and MacQueen.

## ON MEDICINE AND SANITATION

Messrs. Hull (*Chairman*), Rankin, Hartigan, Crow, Hutchinson, McIntire, Morgan, Luther, Radabaugh, Cooper, West, Brown (of Nicholas), Harvey, Marcum and White.

## ON GAME AND FISH

Messrs. Deuley (*Chairman*), Keatley, Rairden, Cole, Long, Rankin, Beard, Hull, Hutchinson, Cooper, West, MacQueen, Payne, Brown (of Nicholas), Baker and Chipley.

## ON INSURANCE

Messrs. Luther (*Chairman*), Fonner, Gay, Robison, Robson, Bennett, Ulrich, McIntire, Leonard, Raine, Payne, Marshall, Baker, Harper and Peters.

## ON RULES

Messrs. Cummins (*Chairman, ex-officio*), Keatley, Hull, Tabor, Hogg, Mathews (of Kauawha), Wysong and Baker.

## ON REDISTRICTING

Messrs. Massie (*Chairman*), Kyle, Lakin, Farnsworth, Tabor, Cooper, Conley, Long, Gay, Smith (of Doddridge), Scott, Harper, MacQueen, Smith (of Wayne) and Davis.

## JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS, ON THE PART OF THE HOUSE

Messrs. Buzzerd (*Chairman*), McIntire, Beard, Fonner, Baker and Harvey.

## Rules of the House of Delegates

(Adopted January 15, 1929.)

### ABSENCE FROM THE HOUSE

1. No member shall absent himself from the service of the House unless he have leave, or be sick and unable to attend, but any member who conscientiously believes that the seventh day of the week ought to be observed as the Sabbath shall be excused from attending upon the House on that day.

### ADJOURNMENT

(a) Motion to adjourn, and to fix time to which the House shall adjourn always in order.—*Rule 65.*

(b) Motion to adjourn put without debate.—*Rule 66.*

### AMENDMENT OF RULES

(a) One day's notice required.—*Rule 56.*

### AMENDMENTS

2. No motion, on a subject different from that under consideration shall be admitted under color of amendment.

3. A motion to amend a pending amendment may be received, but until it is disposed of no other motion to amend will be in order. But pending such amendment, a motion to amend in the nature of a substitute, and a motion to amend that substitute, may be received, but shall not be voted upon until the original matter is perfected.

4. If a substitute for a bill or resolution be offered, a motion to amend the original bill, or resolution shall have precedence.

5. If a motion be made to strike out part of a bill or resolution, a motion to amend the part proposed to be stricken out shall have precedence.

6. In filling blanks, the largest sum and longest time proposed shall be first put, and the question shall be put on names in the order they were nominated.

7. No amendment by way of rider shall be received to any bill after engrossment.

8. After commitment of a bill and report thereof to the House, it may be amended; but the amendments (if any) reported by the committee, shall be disposed of before any other amendment is considered, unless it be an amendment to an amendment.

9. When a House bill or House joint resolution shall be amended by the Senate, the question on agreeing to the bill or resolution as amended shall be again voted on by yeas and nays, and the result entered on the Journal, and in such a case the affirmative vote of a majority of the members elected to the House shall be necessary.—(Const., art. 7, sec. 31.)

(a) When bill recommitted and amended, question shall again be put on the engrossment of the bill.—*Rule 18.*

(b) Reading of bill for amendment on second reading.—*Rule 19.*

(c) If a motion to strike out certain words be lost, it shall not preclude a motion to strike out part of the same words or a motion to amend, or strike out and insert.—*Rule 45.*

NOTE—Laying on the table a motion to amend the Journal, does not carry the Journal with it.

### APPEALS

Debate upon, limited.—*Rule 83.*

### AYES AND NOES

May be demanded by one-tenth of members.—*Rule 96.*

### BALLOTS

No ballot permitted.—*Rule 48.*

BILLS

10. Bills may be introduced by any member on leave being granted, or by any standing committee of the House at any time during the session of the Legislature, in conformity with the order of business regulating the procedure of the House.

11. All bills introduced by motion for leave shall be referred to the appropriate committee without printing, and all such bills shall be treated in committee as resolutions of inquiry. If the committee report a bill different from one so introduced, such bill shall be received and treated by the House as the original bill, but the committee report and the journal of the House shall show the bill amendment in committee by a re-draft thereof.

12. Before any bill is read by the Clerk, he shall state to the House whether it is on the first, second or third reading.

13. A bill may be recommitted at any time before its passage. Should such recommitment take place after its engrossment, and an amendment be reported and agreed to by the House, the question shall be again put on the engrossment of the bill.

14. No bill shall become a law until it has been fully and distinctly read on three different days, unless in case of urgency, by a vote of four-fifths of the members present, taken by yeas and nays on each bill, this rule be dispensed with. Upon any bill there may be a motion to dispense with the Constitutional rule, in order that the bill may be read twice or three times on the same day, and upon the first or second reading of any bill, there may be a motion to dispense with the Constitutional rule, in order that the bill, may, upon such reading, be read by its title. *Provided*, in all cases that there be readings of each bill, and that an engrossed bill shall be fully and distinctly read.—(Const., art. 6, sec. 29.)

15. In the passage of a bill by the House, a motion may be made that it take effect from its passage, or at some time other than ninety days after its passage; and if said motion be adopted by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to the House, taken by yeas and nays, the Clerk shall communicate that fact to the Senate along with the bill.—(Const., art. 6, sec. 30.)

--(a) No amendments by way of rider.—*Rule 7.*

(b) Amendments after commitment.—*Rule 8.*

BILLS—FIRST READING

16. The first reading of a bill shall be for information; and if opposition be made to it, the question shall be, "Shall the bill be rejected?" If no opposition be made, or if the question to reject be lost, it shall be regarded as ordered to its second reading, unless the House otherwise specially direct. All bills reported from the Senate shall be referred to the appropriate committee on the first reading.

17. On the first reading of a bill, it may at any stage of the reading be rejected on motion. If the committee to which the bill was referred shall have reported adversely to the bill, the Speaker shall, immediately after the same is reported by its title, propound the question, "Shall the bill be rejected?"

BILLS—SECOND READING

18. No bill shall be put upon its second reading until the same shall have been printed and delivered to the members of the House at least one day previous to such reading, unless in cases of emergency.

19. On the second reading of a bill on the demand of any two members, it shall be read section by section for amendment, and when the amendments as may be moved are disposed of, the question, unless the House otherwise order, shall be, if a House bill, "Shall the bill be engrossed and ordered to the third reading?" If a House bill should be ordered to its engrossment and third reading and amendments have been made thereto, the type from which the bill was originally printed shall be changed to conform with the amendments. The bill shall then be reprinted and shall be the engrossed bill, and shall be designated as such. If no amendments are made the bill as originally printed may be ordered to its third

reading and shall become the engrossed bill, and shall be designated as such. All House bills ordered to their engrossment and third reading shall be jacketed and engrossed with their number, title, by whom introduced, and if the bill is finally passed, the date of its passage and the signature of the Clerk. If a bill should be passed by the Senate and returned to the House without amendment, or if amended and the amendment or amendments be agreed to, it shall then be turned over to the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills. In the case of a Senate bill on second reading, if the same be amended by the House and passed on as amended, the amendment or amendments shall be noted in full on slips of paper in typewriting and attached to the bill at the proper place by the Clerk before the bill is returned to the Senate, and all the amendments shall also appear in the House Journal.

#### CLERK

20. It shall be the Clerk's duty to read to the House all papers ordered to be read; to call the roll and note and report the absentees, when a call of the House is ordered; to call the roll and note the answers of members, when a question is taken by yeas and nays; to assist, under the direction of the Speaker, in taking the count when any vote of the House is taken; to notify committees of their appointment and the business referred to them; to superintend the execution of all printing ordered by the House, and to report to the Speaker, to be submitted to the House, every failure of the printer to execute the same properly and promptly.

21. The Clerk shall have the custody of all records and papers of the House, and shall not allow them to be taken from the table or out of his possession without the leave of the House, unless to be delivered to committees to whom they may have been referred. He shall endorse on bills and papers brief notes of proceedings had thereon by the House and preserve the same in convenient files for reference.

#### COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

22. When the House shall resolve to go into the Committee of the Whole the Speaker shall leave his chair and appoint a Chairman to preside in the Committee.

23. The Committee of the Whole shall consider and report on such subjects as may be committed to it by the House. The rules of the House shall be observed by the Committee of the Whole, so far as they are applicable, except the rules limiting the times of speaking, concerning the previous question, and taking the yeas and nays. The proceedings in Committee of the Whole shall not be recorded on the Journal of the House except so far as reported to the House by the Chairman of the Committee.

#### COMMITTEES

24. The following standing committees, to be appointed at the commencement of each session, shall consist of not less than five nor more than fifteen members, except the Committee on Taxation and Finance, which shall consist of twenty-one members, and the Committee on Roads, which shall consist of seventeen members, namely:

- On Election and Privileges.
- On the Judiciary.
- On Federal Relations.
- On Taxation and Finance.
- On Military Affairs.
- On Prohibition and Temperance.
- On Education.
- On Counties, Districts and Municipal Corporations.
- On Banks and Corporations.
- On Roads.
- On Forfeited and Unappropriated Lands.
- On Claims and Grievances.
- On Humane Institutions and Public Buildings.

- On Printing and Contingent Expenses.
- On the Executive Offices and Library.
- On Forestry and Conservation.
- On Arts, Science and General Improvements.
- On the Penitentiary.
- On Mines and Mining.
- On Agriculture.
- On State Boundaries.
- On Railroads.
- On Labor.
- On Medicine and Sanitation.
- On Game and Fish.
- On Insurance.
- On Rules.
- On Redistricting.

25. The Committee on Elections and Privileges shall examine and report upon all the certificates, and other evidences referred to them, touching the right of persons claiming to have been elected members of this House, or to any office for the State at large; and also upon other petitions and matters touching elections and returns, or relating to the privileges of members and officers of the House, or witnesses attending the House or any committee thereof, as shall be referred to them.

26. The Committee on Taxation and Finance, shall as soon as possible, after the commencement of the regular session, report the general tax and appropriation bill with an estimate of the probable revenue and expenditures of the two years, and of the public debt. They shall from time to time report such measures for equalizing and reducing taxation, supplying revenue and facilitating the collection thereof, reducing the public expenditure, and providing for the principal and interest of the public debt as may seem to them expedient; and they shall further examine into and report upon all such matters and propositions relating to taxation and finance as shall be referred to them by the House.

All motions directing payment of money to be referred to Committee on Taxation and Finance.—*Rule 63.*

27. All claims against the State, which may be presented to the House, shall be referred to the Committee on Claims and Grievances, unless otherwise ordered by the House.

28. The Committee on Executive Offices and Library shall examine the several public offices and library, and report whether their books and accounts are properly kept; whether the public money has been disbursed according to law; and diligence used in the collection of revenue; and whether the money received is properly accounted for. They shall report from time to time such measures as may seem to them necessary to add to the economy of the executive offices and the accountability of their officers.

29. Every committee, by a majority of their number, may elect a chairman, but if no such election be made, the first named member of the committee, if it be appointed by the Speaker, shall act as chairman.

30. Every committee shall meet at such time as they may appoint, or on the call of the chairman or any two of its members.

31. The several standing committees shall have leave to report by bill or otherwise. All committees shall submit their reports to the House in writing.

32. No committee shall sit without special leave while the House is in session.

33. Special committees shall consist of five members, unless otherwise ordered by the House.

34. A majority of a committee shall be a quorum thereof.

35. The Speaker shall name the members who are to serve upon committees, unless otherwise ordered by the House.



## DEBATE

36. No question shall be debated until it has been propounded by the Speaker, and then the mover shall have the right to explain his view in preference to any other member.

37. When a member is about to speak to debate, or deliver any matter to the House he shall first rise from his seat and respectfully address himself to "Mr. Speaker," and shall confine himself to the question under debate, and avoid all personalities and indecorous or disrespectful language.

38. When a member arises and addresses the Chair, the Speaker shall recognize him by name; but no member in debate shall designate another by name.

39. When two or more members rise at the same time, the Speaker shall name the person to speak; but in all cases the member who shall first rise and address the Chair shall speak first.

40. No one shall disturb or interrupt a member who is speaking, without his permission, except to call to order if he be transgressing the rules.

41. No member shall speak more than twice on the same question without leave of the House.

42. When the Speaker is putting the question, any member who has not spoken before to the matter, may speak to the question before the negative is put.

## DIVISION OF HOUSE

43. When the question is put and the Speaker shall have doubt as to the result of the vote, or a division be called for, the House shall divide, and those in the affirmative of the question shall rise from their seats and remain standing until they are counted, and afterwards those in the negative. The count may be made by the Speaker, or if he so desires, by the Clerk, or two members, one from each side, to be named for that purpose by the Speaker. When the result is ascertained the Speaker shall rise and state the decision of the House. Any member may call for a division.—*Rule 97.*

## DIVISION OF QUESTION

44. Any member may call for a division of any question pending, before the vote thereon is taken, if it comprehend propositions in substance so distinct that, one being taken away, a substantive proposition will remain for the decision of the House, but the member calling for the division of a question shall state in what manner he proposes it shall be divided.

45. A motion to strike out and insert shall be deemed divisible, and though a motion to strike out be lost, it shall not preclude a motion to strike out part of the same words or a motion to amend or to strike out and insert.

## DOORKEEPER

46. The doorkeeper shall attend the House while in session, and under the direction of the Speaker execute the orders of the House respecting the admission and the exclusion of persons from the Hall. He shall, when required by the Speaker, aid in the enforcement of order.

## ELECTION OF OFFICERS

47. The House, at the commencement of each session, shall elect its Speaker, Clerk, Sergeant-at-Arms and Doorkeeper.

48. In the election of officers by the House, the vote shall be given *viva voce*, and a majority of the whole number of votes given shall be necessary to elect. If, upon any vote there be no election, the person having the lowest number of votes shall be dropped, and any votes thereafter given to such person shall not be taken into the counting to affect the result in any way. But if two or more have the lowest and equal number of votes they may be voted for again. No question before the House, or in committee of the whole, shall be voted on by ballot.

FLOOR

Who entitled to privilege of.—*Rule 72.*

INDEFINITE POSTPONEMENT

49. When a question is postponed indefinitely, the same shall not be acted on again during the session.

50. The Janitor, under the direction of the Speaker, shall have care of the Hall and committee rooms of the House, and keep the same, at all times, in a neat and proper condition.

JOURNAL

51. The Clerk of the House, under the direction of the Speaker, shall keep a full and correct Journal of the proceedings; and it shall be the duty of the Speaker to examine the Journal daily before it is read and cause all errors and omissions therein to be corrected.

52. When the Journal has been read to the end that any mistake made in the entry may be corrected, if no objection is made, it shall stand approved, but if objections be made the first question of the House shall be to dispose of the same, and when such objections are disposed of and the Journal corrected, as the House may order, it shall stand as approved. After the printed Journal has been approved and fully marked for correction, the type from which it was printed shall be changed in accordance therewith. From the type so corrected shall be printed the number of copies required by law for the regular bound volumes of the Journal. In addition thereto six copies shall be printed on 6x9 heavy weight bond paper, with blank lines at the end of each day's proceedings for the signatures of the Speaker and Clerk, and these shall be the official Journal of the House. They shall be bound in flexible binding, and bear the imprint on the back, "Official Journal of the House of Delegates of West Virginia," with designation of regular or special session, as the case may be, and the year. After being signed by the proper officers, two of these copies shall be retained in the office of the Clerk, and one copy shall be lodged in the office of the Governor, one with the Secretary of State, one with the Department or Archives and History, and one with the Clerk of the Senate.

53. It shall be the duty of the Clerk to furnish a copy of each day's proceedings of the Journal to the printer, to be printed and distributed without delay.

54. Every written motion made to the House shall be inserted in the Journal with the name of the member making it, unless it be withdrawn on the same day it is submitted.

LIE ON THE TABLE

- (a) Motion to lie on table not debatable.—*Rule 66.*
- (b) When a resolution is presented containing no reference of subject to committee it shall lie on the table for one day.—*Rule 67.*
- (c) When motion to take from table in order.—*Rule 76.*

MANUAL AND RULES

55. The rules of parliamentary practice comprised in "A Manual of General Parliamentary Law with Suggestion for General Rules" by Thomas B. Reed, shall govern the House of Delegates in all cases not provided for by the Rules of the House, or in the joint rules of the House and Senate. In any case not governed by said rules or Manual, the House shall be governed by the practice in the House of Representatives of the United States.

56. No standing rule or order of the House shall be rescinded or changed without one day's notice being given of the motion therefor, and no rule shall be suspended except by a vote of at least two-thirds of the members present, unless the same is reported by the Committee on Rules when either may be done by a majority vote of the members present.

## MEETING OF THE HOUSE

57. The House, unless it shall be otherwise directed by special order, shall meet every day, except Sunday, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

58. There shall be appointed by the Speaker an Official Chaplain of the House whose duty it shall be to be present at the convening of each day's session for the purpose of opening the House with prayer. His compensation shall be fixed by the Committee on Taxation and Finance.

## MESSAGES

59. The Speaker shall take the chair and call the House to order precisely at the hour of meeting, and, if a quorum be present, cause the Journal of the preceding day to be read.

60. When a message from the Executive or the Senate is announced, other business shall be suspended until it is received, unless the House be at the time actually engaged in taking a vote on some question, in which case it shall be received as soon as the result of the vote is announced. When received, it shall lie on the table to be disposed of in its turn, unless otherwise ordered by the House.

## MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

61. When a question is under debate, no motion shall be received, but to adjourn, to lie on the table, for the previous question, to postpone to a specific day, to commit, to amend, or to postpone indefinitely, which motions shall severally have precedence in the order in which they are here arranged.

62. When a motion is made it shall be stated by the Speaker, or being in writing, shall be handed to the Chair, and read aloud by the Clerk, and shall then be deemed to be in possession of the House; it may be withdrawn by the mover before any order of the House respecting the same has been made.

63. Every motion shall be reduced to writing if the Speaker or any member desires it.

64. When a motion is made to commit any subject to a special committee, a motion to commit the same to the Committee of the Whole, or a standing committee, shall have precedence.

65. A motion to adjourn, and a motion to fix the time to which the House shall adjourn, shall always be in order if the mover be entitled to the floor.

66. The motion to adjourn and to lie on the table shall be put without debate.

67. When a resolution is presented, containing no reference of the subject thereof to a committee, it shall lie on the table for one day, to come up under the eighth order of business, unless a majority of the House order otherwise.

68. Every motion or resolution directing the appropriation or payment of money shall, unless otherwise ordered by the House, be referred without debate, to the Committee on Taxation and Finance.

## OATHS

69. The Speaker or Clerk shall have authority to administer any oaths required by the business of the House.

## RESOLUTIONS LYING OVER

Resolutions, not of inquiry, shall lie over one day.—*Rule 67.*

## ORDER AND DECORUM

70. While the Speaker is putting any question, or ascertaining the result, no one shall walk out of or across the House, nor when a member is speaking, pass between him and the Chair.

71. If a member speaking or otherwise transgress the rules of the House, the Speaker shall, or any member may, call him to order; in which case, the member so called to order shall immediately sit down, unless permitted to explain. If the decision be in favor of the member called to order, he shall be at liberty

to proceed; if otherwise, he shall not be permitted to proceed, if any member object, without leave of the House, and if the case require it, shall be liable to the censure of the House.

72. No member or other person shall visit or remain by the Clerk's table while the yeas and nays are being called; and no person, except members, ex-members and officers of the Judiciary, shall be admitted upon the floor of the House, except by permission of the Speaker.

73. If a member be called to order for words spoken in debate, the person calling him to order shall repeat the words excepted to, and they shall be taken down in writing at the Clerk's table. And no member shall be held to answer, or be subjected to the censure of the House, for words spoken in debate, if any other member has spoken, or other business has intervened after the words were spoken and before the exception to them was taken.

Speaker to preserve order.—*Rule 87.*

#### ORDER OF BUSINESS

74. The order of business for each day shall be:
- I. To read, correct and approve the Journal.
  - II. To receive and consider reports of standing committees.
  - III. To receive and consider reports of select committees.
  - IV. To receive and consider messages from the Executive.
  - V. To receive messages from the Senate, and consider amendments, proposed by the Senate, to bills passed by the House.
  - VI. To receive resolutions and petitions.
  - VII. Bills introduced on motion for leave and referred to appropriate committees.
  - VIII. To act on unfinished business of the preceding day, and resolutions lying over from the previous day, but no resolution shall lose its place on the calendar by not being acted upon on the day following that on which it was offered.
  - IX. House and Senate Bills on third reading.
  - X. House and Senate Bills on second reading.
  - XI. House and Senate Bills on first reading.
  - XII. The order of the day, unless a subject was made the order of the day for a particular hour, in which case it may be called for by any member when the hour arrives.
  - XIII. Miscellaneous business.
75. All questions relating to priority of business shall be decided without debate.
76. A bill or resolution laid on the table may be taken up by a vote of the House at any time after the seventh order of business is disposed of.

#### PETITIONS

77. The member who presents a petition or memorial, or offers a resolution on which a vote of the House is taken, shall be named in the Journal.

#### PREVIOUS QUESTION

78. If the previous question be demanded by not less than seven members, the Speaker shall without debate, put the question, "Shall the main question be now put?" If this question be decided in the affirmative by a majority of the members present, if a quorum, all further debate shall cease and the vote be at once taken on the proposition pending before the House. When the House refuses to order the main question, the consideration of the subject shall be resumed as if the previous question had not been demanded.

79. The previous question shall not be admitted in the Committee of the Whole.

#### PRINTING DOCUMENTS

80. Documents printed by order of the House shall be printed in pages of the same size as those of the Journal; and a copy of every such document, bound up with one Journal, shall be furnished by the printer to each member of the House at the close of the session, or as soon as possible thereafter; and twenty

additional copies bound as aforesaid, shall be delivered to the Clerk of the House, to be distributed as the House may order.

Printing of bills before second reading.—*Rule 18.*

#### RECONSIDERATION

81. A question being once determined must stand as the judgment of the House and cannot again be drawn into debate during the same session, unless reconsidered. But it shall be in order for any member of the majority, on the same or succeeding legislative day, to move for a reconsideration thereof, and such a motion, if seconded shall take precedence of all other questions except a motion to adjourn, and shall not be withdrawn without leave of the House; and if the House decides to reconsider, any member may thereafter call the subject up for consideration.

82. When a majority of members present vote in the affirmative on any question, but the question be lost because it is one in which the concurrence of a greater number than a majority of a quorum is necessary to an affirmative decision, any member may move for a reconsideration.

#### RESOLUTIONS

See "Motions and Resolutions."

#### RULES

See "Manual and Rules," and Rules 55 and 56.

#### SERGEANT-AT-ARMS

83. The Sergeant-at-Arms shall give bond, with surety, in the penalty of two thousand dollars, payable to the State of West Virginia, and conditioned for the faithful performance of the duties of his office; such bond to be approved by the Speaker and filed with the Clerk of the House for safe keeping.

84. It shall be the duty of the Sergeant-at-Arms to attend the House while in session; to aid in the enforcement of order, under the direction of the Speaker; to execute the commands of the House, from time to time, together with all such process issued under its authority as may be directed to him by the Speaker.

85. The Sergeant-at-Arms, under the direction of the Speaker, shall superintend the distribution by the pages of all documents and papers to be distributed to the members.

86. It shall also be the duty of the Sergeant-at-Arms to keep the accounts for pay and mileage of members, officers and attaches, to prepare and sign warrants or requisitions for the same, and if required by any member, who shall endorse his warrant or requisition for that purpose, to draw the money thereon and pay over the same to the member entitled thereto.

#### SPEAKER

87. It shall be the duty of the Speaker to preserve order and decorum while the House is in session; to enforce the rules and orders of the House, to prescribe the order in which business shall come up for consideration, subject to the rules and orders of the House; to announce the question of business before the House when properly requested by any member; to receive all messages and other communications; to put to vote all questions which are properly moved; to announce the result of all votes and to authenticate, when necessary, the acts and proceedings of the House.

88. The Speaker shall decide all questions of order, subject to an appeal to the House. He may speak to questions of order in preference to other members, and may make the concluding speech on any appeal from his decision, notwithstanding he may have before spoken on the question; but no other member shall speak more than once on such appeal without leave of the House.

89. When properly requested by a member, he shall inform the House upon any point of order or practice pertinent to the business before it.

90. If there be any disturbance or disorderly conduct in the lobby or gallery, the Speaker or Chairman of the Committee of the Whole may order the same to be cleared.

91. The Speaker, subject to the orders of the House, may assign convenient seats within the bar to stenographers and reporters wishing to take down the proceedings.

92. The Speaker may name any member to perform the duties of the Chair, but no one by virtue of such appointment, shall act as Speaker for more than three days.

93. If the Speaker be absent at the time appointed for the meeting of the House, it shall be called to order by the Clerk, and a Speaker *pro tem* appointed by the House.

94. The Speaker shall, as soon as practical after his election, appoint for the House such number of Committee Clerks, Floor Pages, Journal Pages and other attaches as the House may by resolution direct, and may at his discretion, remove any person so appointed and appoint another in his stead. He may also appoint, without resolution, a Private Secretary, and a stenographer to himself.

The Clerk of the House in addition to the Assistant Clerks, provided for by section 18 of chapter 12 of the Code, may appoint a stenographer to himself, and such other assistants as the House may by resolution direct and shall have power at any time to remove such appointees from office and appoint others in their stead at his discretion.

All resolutions relating to the appointment of persons mentioned in this section, or prescribing the salary or pay of such persons, shall originate in and come from the Committee on Rules.

95. The Speaker may, from time to time, designate such times as he may deem necessary for the consideration of bills of a local nature, and such bills shall be placed on a special calendar.

#### VOTING

96. On the passage of every bill, and joint resolution, and when the yeas and nays on any question are called for by one-tenth of those present, the Speaker shall direct the roll to be called, and every member shall answer aye or no, when his name is called. Before the result is announced the clerk shall read to the House the names of those who voted in the affirmative, and then those who voted in the negative, at which time any member may correct a mistake committed in taking down his vote. The result shall then be announced, and the yeas and nays entered on the Journal, but if the House so orders, the announcement of the result and the entry of the yeas and nays entered upon the Journal may be postponed to the succeeding day, with liberty to absent members at any time before the result is announced by the Speaker, to appear and vote aye or no, in the presence of the House; and any member may, in the presence of the House, change his vote before the result is announced.

97. Upon calls of the House, in taking the yeas and nays, the names of the members, shall be called alphabetically.

98. Every question shall be first put in the affirmative and then in the negative; each member present shall vote on every question, and the Speaker shall declare whether the yeas or nays have it, which declaration shall stand as the judgment of the House, unless a member call for a division, in which event the Speaker shall divide the House.

99. Every member within the bar, when a question is put, shall vote, unless he is immediately and particularly interested therein, or the House excuses him. A motion to excuse a member from voting must be made before the House divides, or before the call of the yeas and nays is commenced, and it shall be decided without debate, except that the member making the motion may briefly state the reason why, in his opinion, it ought to be adopted.

100. No member shall vote on any question in the result of which he is immediately and particularly interested; and, except in the case provided for in the ninety-sixth rule, no member shall vote if he was not within the bar when the question was put, unless leave be given him by the House.

(a) Voting for officers.—*Rule 48.*

(b) Voting on bills amended by Senate.—*Rule 9.*

## Joint Rules of the Senate and House of Delegates

(Adopted February 12, 1929)

## MESSAGES BETWEEN THE HOUSES

1. When a message is sent by one house to the other, it shall be announced at the door of the house to which it is sent by the Doorkeeper thereof, if it be in session, and then be respectfully communicated to the presiding officer by the person by whom it may be sent, but no message shall be received during a call of the roll. But the Clerk of one house may communicate a message to the Clerk of the other after adjournment, and any message so sent shall be received by the house to which it is sent whenever it may be in session.

## INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

2. No bill, other than an appropriation bill, shall be introduced in either House after the fiftieth day of the session unless permission to introduce the bill be given by a concurrent resolution, setting out the title of the bill, and adopted by a two-thirds vote of all the members of each House present and voting.

## JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS

3. After a bill has been passed by both houses, the type from which it was originally printed shall be corrected as to any typographical errors that may not theretofore have been corrected and to meet any amendments that may have been made by either house since the last printing of the bill and after the type has been so corrected fifty copies of the bill shall be printed (except charter bills, of which only twenty-five of each shall be printed,) on eight by ten heavy bond paper for the use of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, one of which copies, when properly authenticated, shall become the Enrolled Bill. The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills shall consist of five members of the Senate and five members of the House of Delegates, to be appointed by the presiding officer of each house, whose duty it shall be to compare carefully all bills and joint resolutions passed by both houses, with the enrollment thereof, and to correct any errors or omissions they may discover and to make report to their respective houses each day of the correctly enrolled bills or joint resolutions. They shall be authenticated by the signature of the chairman of the House Committee and the chairman of the Senate Committee, composing such Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, but in the absence of such chairman another member of the committee may act in his stead, and they shall require all bills and joint resolutions before such authentication to be free from interlineations or erasures and destroy any previous enrollment containing any interlineations or erasures. After enrolled bills and joint resolutions are authenticated as aforesaid, they shall be signed by the Speaker of the House and by the President of the Senate.

## BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

4. It shall be in order for the Committee on Enrolled Bills to report at any time.
5. After a bill shall have thus been signed in each house, it shall be presented by the said committee to the Governor, for his approbation (it being first endorsed on the back of the roll, certifying in which house the same originated, which endorsement shall be signed by the clerk of the house in which the same originated and the date it takes effect, which endorsement shall be signed by the Clerk of the House of Delegates), and shall be entered on the Journal of each house. The same committee shall report the day of presentation to the Governor; which time shall also be carefully entered on the Journal of each house.
6. Where a bill or joint resolution, which shall have passed in one house, is rejected in the other, notice thereof shall be given to the house in which the same shall have passed.
7. After each house shall have adhered to their disagreement the bill or resolution respecting which they have disagreed shall be lost.
8. The President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Delegates shall have power to regulate the use of the halls and stairways of the Capitol building

for refreshments and like purposes, when the Legislature is in session.—(Joint Resolution No. 8, Acts 1881.)

#### ACTION OF GOVERNOR ON BILLS

9. Every bill disapproved by the Governor shall be returned by him to the house in which it originated with his objections thereto unless the Legislature shall, by its adjournment, prevent its return, in which case it shall be filed in the office of the Secretary of State within five days after said adjournment.

10. Every bill approved by the Governor shall, within five days after it is presented to him, be filed in the office of the Secretary of State and the fact of said approval communicated by the Governor to the house in which said bill originated. *Provided*, That bills heretofore approved by the Governor shall be disposed of as aforesaid within five days after the passage of the resolution.

11. Every bill which shall be neither approved nor disapproved by the Governor, shall immediately after the expiration of five days from the time it is presented to him, be filed in the office of the Secretary of State, who shall forthwith engross thereon a certificate to the following effect: "I certify that the foregoing act, having been presented to the Governor for his approval, and not having been returned by him to the house of the legislature in which it originated within the time prescribed by the Constitution of the State, has become a law without his approval," and shall date and sign the same.

12. Upon each bill returned to either house of the Legislature with the objections of the Governor, the Clerks of the Senate and House of Delegates shall engross the action of their respective houses on the reconsideration and passage of said bill, and sign the same.

#### MANNER OF PRINTING THE JOURNAL AND BILLS

13. In printing the daily Journals of the proceedings of each house there shall be printed at the top of each page, except the first, the date of the Journal and on the last page of each day's Journal shall be printed the calendar for the next day.

14. At the top of the first page of each bill, preceding the title and number thereof, there shall be printed the name of the person by whom or the committee by which it was introduced, the date when introduced; and at the top of each page, except the first, shall be printed the number of the bill.

#### COUNTING VOTES FOR STATE OFFICERS

15. As soon as the Senate is informed that the House of Delegates is ready to proceed, as provided by section three of article seven of the Constitution, to open and publish the returns of the elections for State officers, the Senate, preceded by their president and other officers shall repair in a body to the hall of the House of Delegates. Upon their arrival the Sergeant-at-Arms of the House of Delegates, shall announce the presence of the Senate. The President of the Senate shall then address the Speaker of the House, stating that a majority of the Senate have assembled in the hall of the House of Delegates to be present at the opening and publishing of the returns of the election for State officers, held on the.....day of..... The Speaker of the House of Delegates shall invite the President of the Senate to a seat upon his right, and the other members of the Senate and officers thereof to take seats assigned them, and after announcing that a majority of the House of Delegates is present, shall then open and publish the returns of said election, proceeding by counties in alphabetical order, the Clerks of the two houses each taking down the returns as announced by the Speaker, to be entered upon the Journal of the House; and when completed and estimated, the Speaker shall announce the votes received by each person voted for, for each of said offices, and those receiving the largest number of votes shall be by him declared duly elected; and the Senate shall then return to its hall; and if any two or more have an equal and the highest number of votes for the same office, the two houses shall immediately proceed to choose one of such persons for said office by a Joint vote, as provided, by Section 3 of Article VII of the Constitution.



**SYNOPSIS OF LAWS AND JOINT AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS PASSED BY THE LEGISLATURE, REGULAR AND EXTRAORDINARY SESSIONS OF 1929 AND EXTRAORDINARY SESSION OF 1930**

(NOTE—The number and patron of the bill or resolution and its chapter and page number, as it appears in the printed Acts, are shown.)

**Regular Session, 1929**

**RETIREMENT PAY—JUDGES SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS**

Senate Bill No. 4—By Mr. Hallanan—(Ch. 1, page 1, Acts).—Any judge of the Supreme Court of Appeals, who shall have served twelve consecutive years and has reached the age of sixty-five years, may retire on a yearly salary of six thousand dollars but shall not practice law or hold public office during such retirement and shall be subject to call to serve the court in an advisory capacity.

**SALARIES OF MEMBERS OF LEGISLATURE—WHEN PAYABLE**

Senate Bill No. 10—By Mr. Smith (of Marion)—(Ch. 2, page 2, Acts). Provides that the annual salary of five hundred dollars of members of the Legislature shall be paid on the third Wednesday in January in each year.

**SALARIES OF ELECTIVE STATE OFFICIALS, EXCEPT GOVERNOR**

Senate Bill No. 11—By Mr. Smith (of Marion)—(Ch. 3, page 3, Acts). Fixes the salaries of all elective state officials, except the governor, at seven thousand dollars per annum.

**SEXUAL STERILIZATION OF MENTAL DEFECTIVES**

Senate Bill No. 31—By Mr. West—(Ch. 4, page 3, Acts). Provides procedure for the sexual sterilization of mental defectives confined in certain state institutions, upon petition to state public health council.

**STATE LIBRARY COMMISSION**

Senate Bill No. 51—By Mr. Hugus—(Ch. 5, page 8, Acts). Creates a state library commission of five members, to be appointed by the governor, which commission shall serve without salary and assist in the establishment and maintenance of public libraries throughout the state.

**PAYMENT OF MONEYS INTO STATE TREASURY**

Senate Bill No. 104—By Mr. Hallanan—(Ch. 6, page 10, Acts). Requires all moneys, with certain named exceptions, collected by state officials, departments and institutions to be paid into the state treasury.

**FEES AND SALARY OF CLERK OF SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS**

Senate Bill No. 169—By Mr. Hallanan—(Ch. 7, page 12, Acts). Fixes the salaries of the clerk and deputy and assistant clerk of the supreme court of appeals and the schedule of fees to be charged by the clerk.

**STATE BRIDGE COMMISSION**

Com. Sub. for Senate Bill No. 175—By Mr. Hugus—(Ch. 8, page 15, Acts). Creates a state bridge commission of three members, to be appointed by the governor, to purchase, construct or improve bridges from bridge revenue bonds, payable from bridge tolls, to be collected only until the cost of the bridge is paid.

**PAYMENTS INTO STATE TREASURY BY COUNTY COURT**

House Bill No. 21—By Mr. Lakin—(Ch. 9, page 24, Acts). Requires each county

court to pay into the state treasury fifty dollars yearly for each child, from the county committed, to the state board of children's guardians.

#### DELINQUENT GIRLS—TREATMENT FOR VENEREAL DISEASES

House Bill No. 55—By Mr. Lakin—(Ch. 10, page 25, Acts). Provides that any girl, infected with a venereal disease, committed to the West Virginia industrial home for girls, shall be first transferred to a certain designated hospital for treatment, the cost of the transfer and fifty dollars per year to be paid by the county court of the county from which the girl is committed.

#### WEST VIRGINIA STATE COLLEGE

(House Bill No. 71—By Mr. Hill—(Ch. 11, page 26, Acts). Changes names of West Virginia Collegiate Institute to West Virginia State College, provides for certain courses of study and designates the West Virginia University and said college as the beneficiaries of the federal appropriation for the instruction of white and colored students respectively.

#### STATE PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT BUREAU

House Bill No. 119—By Mr. Kyle—(Ch. 12, page 28, Acts). Directs the commissioner of labor to maintain a state public employment bureau and provides for the licensing of employment agents.

#### GAME, FISH AND FORESTRY COMMISSION

House Bill No. 200—By Mr. Kyle—(Ch. 13, page 32, Acts). Creates the game, fish and forestry commission and provides protection for game and fur bearing animals, game fish and frogs, game birds and forests.

#### STATE WATER COMMISSION

House Bill No. 218—By Mr. Hull—(Ch. 14, page 73, Acts). Creates the state water commission, to be composed of the state commissioner of health, the chairman of the public service commission and the chairman of the game and fish commission, to regulate or prevent the pollution of any waters of the state.

#### CAPITOL BUILDING—MAIN UNIT

House Bill No. 240—By the Committee on Taxation and Finance—(Ch. 15, page 78, Acts). Provides for a direct state levy of five cents on the one hundred dollars yearly, for five years, to construct the main unit of the capitol building, at a cost not to exceed five million dollars.

#### MINES—INSPECTORS AND SAFETY REGULATIONS

House Bill No. 329—By Mr. Gay—(Ch. 16, page 80, Acts). Authorizes the chief of the department of mines to appoint three inspectors at large and provides additional safety regulations in mines.

#### DEPARTMENT OF MINES—QUALIFICATIONS AND SALARY OF CHIEF

House Bill No. 346—By Mr. Robson—(Ch. 17, page 82, Acts). Fixes the qualifications and salary of the chief of the department of mines.

#### CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT—PROBATE COMMISSIONER

Senate Bill. No. 208—By Mr. Hugus—(Ch. 18, page 83, Acts). Provides for the submission to the voters of the state of a constitutional amendment vesting exclusive jurisdiction in the circuit court in all matters of probate, appointment and qualification of personal representatives, guardians and curators, and authorizes the appointment by the circuit court of a probate commissioner.

#### CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT—LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR AND COMMENCEMENT OF TERMS OF ELECTIVE STATE OFFICERS

Senate Bill No. 230—By Mr. Smith (of Marlon)—(Ch. 19, page 86, Acts).

Submits a constitutional amendment creating the office of lieutenant governor, fixing his salary, prescribing his powers and duties, fixing the commencement of the terms of elective state officers on the second Wednesday in January following their election and fixing the succession to the governorship.

#### CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT—JUDICIAL CIRCUITS

Senate Bill No. 264—By Mr. Watkins—(Cb. 20, page 91, Acts). Submits a constitutional amendment concerning judicial circuits and circuit judges and provides for the apportionment of the business of circuits in which more than one judge has been elected.

#### CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT—BUDGET COMMISSIONER

House Bill No. 117—By Mr. Kentley—(Ch. 21, page 94, Acts). Submits a constitutional amendment concerning the budget, making the governor the budget commissioner.

#### ASSESSMENT OF BANKS

Senate Bill No. 52—By Mr. Hallanan—(Ch. 22, page 101, Acts). Provides for the assessment of the shares of capital stock and realty of banking institutions and the procedure when the banking institution owns stock in a separate corporation holding the title to the building in which the bank conducts its business.

#### GENERAL BANKING LAW

Senate Bill No. 90—By Mr. Watkins—(Ch. 23, page 103, Acts). Amends and re-enacts the banking law of the state.

#### LOANS OF THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS OR LESS

House Bill No. 28—By Mr. Roblson—(Ch. 24, page 146, Acts). Regulates loans of three hundred dollars or less and fixes a maximum interest charge of two per centum per month.

#### FIRE INSURANCE—USE OF EIGHTY PER CENT, ETC., CLAUSE

Senate Bill No. 71—By Mr. Engle—(Ch. 25, page 147, Acts). Validates the use of eighty per cent and similar clauses by non-stock mutual fire insurance associations.

#### LIFE INSURANCE—HUSBAND AND WIFE

Senate Bill No. 162—By Mr. Engle—(Ch. 26, page 148, Acts). Authorizes a married woman to insure the life of her husband and provides for the protection of the husband's creditors and of the company issuing the policy.

#### LIFE INSURANCE—PROCEEDS OF POLICY

Senate Bill No. 163—By Mr. Engle—(Ch. 27, page 149, Acts). Provides that premiums paid on policies, with intent to defraud creditors, may be recovered by the creditors of the insured or person effecting the insurance, and protecting issuing company in the payment of the proceeds of the policy.

#### FIRE INSURANCE—RATE MAKING BUREAUS

House Bill No. 360—By Mr. Hogg—(Ch. 28, page 150, Acts). Requires fire insurance companies to maintain, or be members of, a rating bureau and provides for the supervision and regulation, by the commissioner of insurance, of said bureaus and rates established by them.

#### PROBATION OFFICER

Senate Bill No. 5—By Mr. Hallanan—(Ch. 29, page 157, Acts). Authorizes courts of limited jurisdiction vested with criminal jurisdiction in counties having more than one hundred thousand population, to appoint some person, other than the sheriff, as probation officer and to fix his salary.

## COUNTY WELFARE BOARDS

Senate Bill No. 167—By Mr. Hugus—(Ch. 30, page 158, Acts). Creates county welfare boards of not less than six nor more than twelve members, of whom at least three shall be women, all to serve without pay and to be selected by the county court from a list submitted by the state board of children's guardians. The welfare board is to act in a general advisory capacity in dealing with questions of dependency and delinquency.

## PETIT JURIES—TAXATION OF COSTS AND MEALS

Senate Bill No. 28—By Mr. West—(Ch. 31, page 160, Acts). Fixes the compensation of petit jurors and requires the state to furnish their meals while serving on felony cases, and provides for taxation of a jury fee of eight dollars in misdemeanor and civil cases.

## JURY COMMISSIONERS

Senate Bill No. 219—By Mr. Smith (of Marion) (Ch. 32, page 161, Acts). Provides for the appointment of two jury commissioners of circuit courts, of opposite politics, ineligible for appointment if chairman of any political party or for re-appointment after serving four years, and prescribes their duties and oath of office.

## STATE AID FOR SCHOOLS

House Bill No. 109—By Mr. Bennett—(Ch. 33, page 164, Acts). Requires the state superintendent to approve, classify and rate for the purpose of state aid, all junior and senior high schools which are a part of the free public school system of the state and of all secondary school departments of state supported institutions, and appropriates certain specified sums, to be paid annually from the general school fund, in aid of said schools.

## STATE AID TO STUDENTS

House Bill No. 35—By Mr. Hill—(Ch. 34, page 165, Acts). Provides state financial aid to bona fide residents of the state, pursuing courses of study outside of the state, taught in the state but not available to said students.

## NEGRO TEACHERS AND PUPILS

House Bill No. 36—By Mr. Hill—(Ch. 35, page 167, Acts). Provides that white and negro pupils shall not be taught in the same school or building, but requires the establishment of negro schools and the apportionment of school funds between the races, and also requires that the salaries of white and negro teachers, having the same training, experience and similar credentials, shall be the same.

## REAL ESTATE—CLOUD ON TITLE

House Bill No. 363—By Mr. Hogg—(Ch. 36, page 168, Acts). Gives courts of chancery the power to set aside clouds on title to real estate and to determine questions of title, without requiring proof of actual possession by owner.

## INFANTS' CLAIMS FOR PERSONAL INJURIES

Senate Bill No. 41—By Mr. Hallanan—(Ch. 37, page 169, Acts). Provides a method of settlement for infant's claims for personal injuries by his legal guardian upon petition to the circuit court and for a release of same to the tortfeasor.

## ESTATE OF SUPPOSED DECEDENTS

Senate Bill No. 70—By Mr. Watkins—(Ch. 38, page 170, Acts). Provides for a hearing by the circuit court concerning absentees or supposed decedents and upon non-appearance of absentee after certain designated periods, for the settlement of his estate as though he had died intestate.

## MOTION FOR JUDGMENT

Senate Bill No. 210—By Mr. Watkins—(Ch. 39, page 172, Acts). Prescribes

procedure for motion for judgment, provides for affidavit by plaintiff of claim and that said affidavit shall be legal evidence of the claim.

#### PROOF OF DEBT IN COURT AND BEFORE COMMISSIONERS

Senate Bill No. 218—By Mr. Smith (of Marion)—(Ch. 40, page 174, Acts). Provides for proof of debt before commissioners in chancery or commissioners of accounts by affidavits, unless counter affidavit is filed, and that judgments, transcripts of which are introduced in evidence, shall prima facie be presumed unpaid, unless rendered more than ten years prior to the time of such proof.

#### WORTHLESS CHECKS

House Bill. No. 89—By Mr. Davis—(Ch. 41, page 175, Acts). Fixes penalties for fraudulently making, uttering or delivering checks or drafts to obtain credit, credit on account, money, etc., and gives form of indictment.

#### COIN BOX TELEPHONES

Senate Bill No. 151—By Mr. Henshaw—(Ch. 42, page 177, Acts). Makes it a misdemeanor to operate coin box telephones by means of a slug, or counterfeit or foreign coin, or by means of any unauthorized trick or device.

#### FRAUDULENT SALE OF LIQUID FUELS OR OILS

Senate Bill No. 202—By Mr. Reitz—(Ch. 43, page 178, Acts). Makes it a misdemeanor to sell or offer for sale liquid fuels and lubricating oils in such a manner as to deceive purchaser as to the nature, quality, or identity of the product sold and prohibits the misuse or imitation of designs, symbols or trade names in making such sales.

#### SABBATH WORK

Com. Sub. Senate Bill No. 215—By Mr. Hallanan—(Ch. 44, page 180, Acts). Prohibits hunting, shooting or carrying fire arms or working at any trade or calling on the Sabbath, except household or other work of necessity or charity.

#### ARSON

House Bill No. 16—By Mr. Mathews (of Kanawha)—(Ch. 45, page 180, Acts). Defines arson and attempts to commit arson and fixes penalties.

#### GRADING FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

Senate Bill No. 226—By Mr. Robinson—(Ch. 46, page 183, Acts). Directs the commissioner of agriculture to establish official standard grades for all closed packages of fruits and vegetables and to require the correct marking of such packages when sold or offered for sale.

#### COMMUNITY DEMONSTRATION IN UTILIZATION OF GARDEN PRODUCTS

House Bill No. 3—By Mr. Rairden—(Ch. 47, page 185, Acts). Directs the extension division, college of agriculture, to select a location, and the state board of control to provide buildings and equipment, for a community demonstration in the utilization of garden products.

#### COMMERCIAL FEEDSTUFFS

House Bill No. 268—By Mr. McGlothlin—(Ch. 48, page 186, Acts). Defines commercial feedstuffs and requires that every lot or parcel of the same shall be plainly tagged to show weight, name and ingredients of contents.

#### STATE ROAD BONDS

House Bill No. 41—By Mr. Calderwood—(Ch. 49, page 191, Acts). Authorizes the issuance and sale of not exceeding twenty million dollars of road bonds for

road construction purposes and creates state road interest and sinking fund number two to redeem same.

#### DUPLICATE STATE ROAD BONDS

House Bill No. 105—By Mr. Harmer—(Ch. 50, page 199, Acts). Authorizes, under certain conditions and restrictions, the issuance by the auditor and treasurer of a duplicate bond for any lost or destroyed outstanding registered state road bond.

#### CONVICT LABOR ON ROADS

House Bill No. 199—By Mr. Lakin—(Ch. 51, page 200, Acts). The state board of control is authorized to hire to the state road commission, county courts or road contractors the labor of convicts confined in the state penitentiary.

#### CIRCUIT COURT JUDGES—ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION

Senate Bill No. 42—By Mr. Hallanan—(Ch. 52, page 201, Acts). Provides that circuit court judges in circuits of one hundred thousand population, or more, shall receive an additional compensation of twenty-five hundred dollars yearly, to be pro rated among the counties of the circuit, if more than one, on the basis of population.

#### CIRCUIT COURT JUDGES—OFFICE AND STENOGRAPHER

House Bill No. 128—By Mr. Ulrich—(Ch. 53, page 202, Acts). Provides that a circuit court judge, when the county court provides him no suitable office, shall receive not to exceed forty dollars monthly for office rent and not to exceed fifty dollars monthly for stenographic fees (except in the first circuit where the amount shall not exceed one hundred dollars monthly), and his actual expenses for official stationery and postage and for lighting and heating his office, all such sums to be paid out of the state treasury.

#### CORRECTION OF ERRONEOUS ASSESSMENTS

Senate Bill No. 16—By Mr. Woodyard—(Ch. 54, page 203, Acts). Authorizes county courts to correct clerical errors and mistakes of assessors in land and personal property books and provides procedure for correction of such errors within one year from the time the sheriff receives such books, by the county court, upon the application of the state or taxpayer.

#### RELIEF AGAINST ERRONEOUS ASSESSMENT

Senate Bill No. 258—By Mr. Smith (of Marion)—(Ch. 55, page 205, Acts). Authorizes appeals by the state or taxpayer to the circuit court from the decision of board of review and equalization in fixing assessments, and to the supreme court of appeals, as a matter of right, if the value of the property is fifty thousand dollars or more.

#### BOARDS OF REVIEW AND EQUALIZATION

House Bill No. 246—By Mr. Hogg—(Ch. 56, page 207, Acts). Provides for the appointment, by the board of public works, of boards of review and equalization and prescribes terms, oaths and duties.

#### INHERITANCE TAX

Senate Bill No. 14—By Mr. Hugus—(Ch. 57, page 210, Acts). Provides for an inheritance tax, payable into the state treasury, fixes primary and excess market value rates and exemptions and provides for such tax on certain property of deceased non-residents of the state, such tax not to be collected under certain specified conditions.

#### WATER POWER

Senate Bill No. 15—By Mr. Hugus—(Ch. 58, page 215, Acts). Provides for the development of the water power of the state, for the production and sale to the public of hydro-electric energy and the granting of licenses for that purpose by the public service commission and governor.

## FREE TRANSPORTATION BY COMMON CARRIERS

Senate Bill No. 24—By Mr. Hugus—(Ch. 59, page 245, Acts). Permits common carriers to furnish free transportation to certain designated persons, including full time religious workers.

## PROTECTION OF TREES, SHRUBBERY, ETC.

Senate Bill No. 46—By Mr. Smith (of Marion)—(Ch. 60, page 246, Acts). Prohibits the damaging or taking of flora or fauna, wild or cultivated, within one hundred yards of either side of a public road, without the permission of the land owners.

## AIRPORTS

Senate Bill No. 48—By Mr. Hugus—(Ch. 61, page 247, Acts). Authorizes the establishment by counties, cities and towns, separately or jointly, of air ports and landing fields, with authority to lay levies to cover cost of same, and provides for the general supervision and government of aviation in the state.

## TERMS OF MUNICIPAL OFFICERS

Senate Bill No. 73—By Mr. White (of Wood)—(Ch. 62, page 252, Acts). Provides that terms of officers in municipalities operating under chapter forty-seven, code, shall be for one year, beginning July 1st.

## MUNICIPAL IMPROVEMENTS

Senate Bill No. 94—By Mr. Smith (of Marion)—(Ch. 63, page 253, Acts). Requires that when property of foreign railroad company or other foreign corporation may be assessed for street, sewer or other proposed municipal improvements, notice shall be given to said foreign corporation, at least thirty days before the adoption of an ordinance or resolution, declaring the necessity or purpose thereof, by service upon the state auditor, who shall forward, without delay, said notice to the foreign corporation.

## PROHIBITION

Senate Bill No. 111—By Mr. Miller—(Ch. 64, page 255, Acts). Amends and re-enacts various sections of the prohibition law, gives forms of indictments, fixes penalty for intoxication in public places and requires the cancellation by the court or justice trying the case, of the operator's or chauffeur's license of one convicted of intoxication while driving a motor vehicle.

## NATURALIZATION AND PASSPORT FEES

Senate Bill No. 117—By Mr. Smith (of Marion)—(Ch. 65, page 262, Acts). Gives clerks of the circuit courts one-half of all fees for services performed by them in naturalization proceedings and in preparing applications for passports.

## ANNUITY CONTRACTS OR BONDS

Senate Bill No. 123—By Mr. Smith (of Marion)—(Ch. 66, page 263, Acts). Requires permits from insurance commissioner to engage in business of soliciting or receiving deposits or payments on annuity contracts or certificates or annuity bonds, and a deposit of bonds and securities of the value of one hundred thousand dollars with the state treasurer, and gives the insurance commissioner supervision of persons or companies engaged in said business.

## HOGS RUNNING AT LARGE

Senate Bill No. 160—By Mr. Hutchinson—(Ch. 67, page 267, Acts). Requires owner to pay any damage done to the property of another by his hogs while running at large.

## JUNK DEALERS

Senate Bill No. 178—By Mr. Woods—(Ch. 68, page 268, Acts). Fixes license

fees for junk dealers and agents, prescribes conditions under which copper wires, cables, copper trolley wire, aluminum wire, brass bearings or fittings or lead may be lawfully purchased by junk dealers.

#### COLLECTION OF TAXES

Senate Bill No. 181—By Mr. Martin—(Ch. 69, page 270, Acts). Empowers sheriffs whose terms expired in 1928, to collect until December 31, 1929, by suit or distraint and sale, unpaid taxes for the years 1925, 1926, 1927 and 1928, not returned delinquent.

#### MOTOR VEHICLE—REGISTRATION FEE

Senate Bill No. 194—By Mr. Helmick—(Ch. 70, page 271, Acts). Exempts from the payment of registration fees any motor vehicle owned or operated by the United States government, the state or any of its political subdivisions, and ambulances used exclusively for charitable purposes, and for the use of which no charge is made.

#### WORKMENS COMPENSATION

Senate Bill No. 200—By Mr. Woods—(Ch. 71, page 272, Acts). Authorizes the governor, on or before May 31, 1929, to appoint a state workmen's compensation commissioner, prescribes the commissioner's oath, bond, salary and duties and amends the workmen's compensation law in various particulars, including hearings by the commissioner and appeals to the supreme court of appeals from his decisions.

#### TRANSFER OF TRUST PROPERTY

Senate Bill No. 209.—By Mr. Hugus—(Ch. 72, page 280, Acts). Permits trustees of property held in trust for benevolent, charitable or public purposes to transfer property, for the execution of the trust, to a trust company or national banking association having general authority from the state to execute trusts.

#### CONGRESSIONAL REDISTRICTING

Senate Bill No. 214—By Mr. Hallanan—(Ch. 73, page 281, Acts). Redistricts the state for representation in the House of Representatives of the United States, transferring Calhoun county from the Third to the Fourth and Logan county from the Fifth to the Sixth Congressional District.

#### DENTISTRY

Senate Bill No. 225—By Mr. West—(Ch. 74, page 282, Acts). Continues the state board of dental examiners, prescribes qualifications and terms of members, provides for the examining and licensing of dentists, amends the law relating to dentistry and authorizes the employment by licensed dentists of dental hygienists, when properly licensed.

#### PRACTICE OF MEDICINE

House Bill No. 160—By Mr. Tabor—(Ch. 75, page 291, Acts). Prescribes qualifications and provides for examinations and licensing of medical practitioners, including osteopaths, and authorizes the granting of permits to practice medicine in prescribed areas under certain conditions and restrictions.

#### BONDS OF CONTRACTORS

Senate Bill No. 244—By Mr. Helmick—(Ch. 76, page 294, Acts). Requires state board of control and all other legal bodies having authority to contract for the erection, improvement, etc., of public buildings or other structures to be used for public purposes, to require bond of the contractor, conditioned to cover cost of materials, machinery, equipment and labor, the bond to be recorded in the office of the clerk of the county court in the county in which the work is to be done or the material, machinery or equipment is to be delivered.



## SECURITIES LAW

Senate Bill No. 250—By Mr. Hugas—(Ch. 77, page 295, Acts). Defines the terms used in the West Virginia Securities Law.

## CEMETERY ENDOWMENT FUNDS

House Bill No. 39—By Mr. McGlothlin—(Ch. 78, page 297, Acts). Authorizes the creation by cemetery associations of permanent endowment funds for the purpose of beautifying and maintaining cemeteries, and provides for the appointment of a trustee to administer the fund.

## CONDITIONAL SALES

House Bill No. 64—By Mr. Hogg—(Ch. 19, page 299, Acts). Provides that no conditional sale of railroad or street or interurban railway equipment or rolling stock, or of commercial watercraft or barges or equipment, shall be valid as against purchasers and creditors unless contract is properly acknowledged and recorded in the office of the secretary of state, nor unless the property is plainly marked upon each side with the name of the seller, followed by the word "Owner."

## SALE OF COUNTY AND DISTRICT PROPERTY

House Bill No. 64—By Mr. Hogg—(Ch. 79, page 299, Acts). Provides that when a county court is authorized to sell county or district property, the sale shall be made by the president at the court house, after two weeks published notice, but the act does apply to any item of property of less value than one thousand dollars.

## ROSTER OF WEST VIRGINIA SOLDIERS, SAILORS AND MARINES

Com. Sub. House Bill No. 118—By Mr. Stephens—(Ch. 81, page 301, Acts). Authorizes the adjutant general to prepare and publish in book form, one thousand copies of a complete roster of West Virginia soldiers, sailors and marines who served in the Spanish-American and World wars, provides for its distribution and sale and appropriates ten thousand dollars for the preparation and printing of the roster.

## VETERANS GUARDIANSHIP

House Bill No. 126—By Mr. Hogg—(Ch. 82, page 302, Acts). Provides procedure for the appointment of a guardian or committee, when necessary, for any person entitled to receive pensions or other payments from the United States government, prescribes duties and bond and authorizes county courts to commit veterans to United States hospitals for treatment.

## LABOR-SAFETY REGULATIONS

House Bill No. 140—By Mr. McIntire—(Ch. 83, page 308, Acts). Requires all power driven machinery, vats, pans and all receptacles containing molten metal or hot or corrosive fluids to be located or properly enclosed, if possible, so as not to be dangerous to employees, and provides safety regulations for scaffolding and passways.

## DUPLICATE STOCK CERTIFICATES

House Bill No. 212—By Mr. Hiner—(Cb. 84, page 309, Acts). States conditions under which boards of directors may issue duplicates for lost stock certificates.

## EXIT DOORS ON PUBLIC BUILDINGS

House Bill No. 250—By Mr. Kentley—(Cb. 85, page 310, Acts). Gives state fire marshal authority to require exit doors to swing outward, on theatres, school houses and churches (except one and two room school houses and country churches), and all other buildings used for public assemblage or which are open to the general public.

## OIL OR GAS WELLS THROUGH COAL SEAMS

House Bill No. 305—By Mr. Gay—(Ch. 86, page 311, Acts). Provides for the development and operation of oil and gas wells through workable coal seams by regulating, through the department of mines, the locating, drilling, casing, plugging and abandonment of natural gas and petroleum wells, and coal mining operations within the vicinity of such wells.

## VACANCIES IN COUNTY OFFICES

House Bill No. 350—By Mr. Rice—(Ch. 87, page 325, Acts). Provides procedure for filling vacancies in the office of commissioner and clerk of the county court, justices and constables, and authorizes the governor to fill vacancy in office of county commissioner, when remaining members fail to do so within sixty days after the vacancy occurs.

## COUNTY COMMISSIONERS—COMPENSATION

House Bill No. 378—By Mr. Vandervort (by request)—(Ch. 88, page 326, Acts). Fixes the compensation of members of the county courts of the various counties for services performed for the county, other than services in court.

## BUDGET BILL

Senate Bill No. 33—By Mr. White (of Mingo)—(Ch. 89, page 328, Acts). Makes appropriations of public moneys out of the state treasury for the various officers, departments, institutions, boards and commissions of the state.

## SPENCER INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Senate Bill No. 53—By Mr. Woodyard—(Ch. 90, page 383, Acts). Provides for an election on the question of a levy of one dollar for teachers' fund by the voters of Spencer independent school district.

## CHARLESTON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Senate Bill No. 77—By Mr. Hallanan—(Ch. 91, page 895, Acts). Provides for holding elections, voting precincts and registration of voters in Charleston independent school district.

## GUYAN VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL

Senate Bill No. 100—By Mr. Smith (of Lincoln)—(Ch. 92, page 386, Acts). Provides for the establishment of a joint district high school at Pleasant View, Lincoln county, to be known as Guyan Valley High School, and to be the property of Sheridan, Laurel Hill and Harts Creek districts of said county.

## CHARLES TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT

Senate Bill No. 126—By Mr. Henshaw—(Ch. 93, page 392, Acts). Validates and provides for the issuance of school bonds authorized by an election held by the voters of Charles Town district on November 6, 1928.

## CHARLESTON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Senate Bill No. 139—By Mr. Hallanan—(Ch. 94, page 396, Acts). Submits to the voters of Charleston independent school district the question of a change in the boundaries of said district.

## CHARLESTON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

House Bill No. 79—By Mr. Mathews (of Kanawha)—(Ch. 85, page 403, Acts). Authorizes the board of education of Charleston independent school district to establish and administer a school employee's retirement fund.

## SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS—McDOWELL COUNTY

Senate Bill No. 146—By Mr. Woods—(Ch. 96, page 404, Acts). Authorizes and

directs the county court of McDowell county to provide clerical assistance for the office of the superintendent of free schools, at a cost of not more than eighteen hundred dollars per annum.

#### WASHINGTON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Senate Bill No. 166—By Mr. Davis (of Ritchie)—(Ch. 97, page 404, Acts). Creates and provides for the control and management of the Washington independent school district in Washington district, Pleasants county.

#### FETTERMAN SCHOOL DISTRICT

Senate Bill No. 196—By Mr. Watkins—(Ch. 98, page 409, Acts). Authorizes the board of education of Fetterman district, Taylor county, to transfer certain money from the high school maintenance fund to the high school teachers' fund.

#### CLAY COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL

House Bill No. 13—By Mr. Reed—(Ch. 99, page 410, Acts). Authorizes the board of directors of the Clay county high school to use the funds held by it as a dormitory fund for the construction of additional buildings, other than a dormitory, for use in connection with said school.

#### GLEN ROGERS HIGH SCHOOL

House Bill No. 40—By Mr. Cooper—(Ch. 100, page 411, Acts). Validates the Glen Rogers high school, in Slab Fork district, Wyoming county.

#### TYLER COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL

House Bill No. 49—By Mr. Fonner—(Ch. 101, page 411, Acts). Establishes the Tyler county high school at Middlebourne and provides for its maintenance and government.

#### GRAFTON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

House Bill No. 67—By Mr. Haymond—(Ch. 102, page 412, Acts). Defines the boundaries of Grafton independent school district, Taylor county.

#### GLENWOOD HIGH SCHOOL

House Bill No. 72—By Mr. Peters—(Ch. 103, page 413, Acts). Validates the Glenwood high school, Beaver Pond district, Mercer county.

#### BRUSH FORK HIGH SCHOOL

House Bill No. 73—By Mr. Peters—(Ch. 104, page 414, Acts). Validates the Brush Fork high school, Beaver Pond district, Mercer county.

#### BARKER'S RIDGE DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL

House Bill No. 93—By Mr. Cooper—(Ch. 105, page 414, Acts). Authorizes the board of education of Barker's Ridge district, Wyoming county, to establish a high school for colored pupils.

#### SLAB FORK DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL

House Bill No. 94—By Mr. Cooper—(Ch. 106, page 415, Acts). Authorizes the board of education of Slab Fork district, Wyoming county, to establish a high school for colored pupils.

#### DODDRIDGE COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL

House Bill No. 230—By Mr. Smith (of Doddridge)—Ch. 107, page 415, Acts). Authorizes the establishment of a high school at West Union, for such districts of the county as shall ratify this act at a special election to be held not later than June 1, 1929.

**BUTLER DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL**

House Bill No. 303—By Mr. Leonard—(Ch. 105, page 419, Acts). Establishes and provides for the maintenance at Fort Gay, Wayne county, of the Butler district high school.

**MINERAL COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL**

House Bill No. 330—By Mr. Fazenbaker—(Ch. 109, page 422, Acts). Submits to the voters of Mineral county the question of the establishment, at Keyser, of a county high school for colored pupils.

**NICHOLAS COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL**

House Bill No. 342—By Mr. Brown (of Nicholas)—(Ch. 110, page 424, Acts). Authorizes the board of directors to lay specified levies for the maintenance of the Nicholas county high school.

**SARDIS DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL**

House Bill No. 343—By Mr. Bartlett—(Ch. 111, page 425, Acts). Validates the high schools of Sardis and Wallace, in Sardis district, Harrison county.

**TUNNELTON HIGH SCHOOL**

House Bill No. 376—By Mr. Rankin—(Ch. 112, page 426, Acts). Authorizes the board of education of Kingwood district, to lay a levy of not exceeding thirty cents for the years 1930 and 1931 to erect and equip a new high school building at Tunnelton, Preston county.

**CITY OF THOMAS—SPECIAL LEVY**

Senate Bill No. 8—By Mr. Helmick—(Ch. 113, page 426, Acts). Authorizes the city of Thomas, Tucker county, to lay a special levy of thirty-five cents for the years 1929 and 1930 to complete the water works and water mains of the city.

**MINGO COUNTY—SPECIAL LEVY**

Senate Bill No. 26—By Mr. Woods—(Ch. 114, page 427, Acts). Authorizes the county court of Mingo county to lay a special levy of not more than ten cents for the years 1929 and 1930, to be used for county purposes, other than for roads and bridges.

**WYOMING COUNTY—SPECIAL LEVY**

Senate Bill No. 56—By Mr. Woods—(Ch. 115, page 428, Acts). Provides for a special levy not exceeding twenty cents for five years to pay the present indebtedness of Wyoming county and reduces the general county fund, the county road fund and district road funds levies during that period.

**MARSHALL COUNTY—SPECIAL ROAD LEVY**

Senate Bill No. 122—By Mr. Roberts—(Ch. 116, page 429, Acts). Submits to the voters of the magisterial districts of Marshall county, the question of laying special district road or bridge levies.

**NICHOLAS COUNTY—SPECIAL BRIDGE LEVY**

Senate Bill No. 137—By Mr. Wiseman—(Ch. 117, page 432, Acts). Authorizes the county court of Nicholas county to lay a special levy not to exceed ten cents, for the years 1929 and 1930, for the purpose of constructing a bridge over Gauley river at the mouth of Cherry river.

**HANCOCK COUNTY—SPECIAL LEVY**

Senate Bill No. 173—By Mr. Wells (by request)—(Ch. 118, page 433, Acts). Authorizes the county court of Hancock county to lay special levies for general county purposes for the years 1929 and 1930.

## LOGAN COUNTY—SPECIAL LEVY

House Bill No. 27—By Mr. Gay—(Ch. 119, page 434, Acts). Authorizes the county court of Logan county to lay a special levy, not exceeding ten cents, for the years 1929 and 1930, for county purposes other than roads and bridges.

## TAYLOR COUNTY—BRIDGES

House Bill No. 66—By Mr. Haymond—(Ch. 120, page 435, Acts). Submits to the voters of Taylor county the question of laying a special levy of not more than fifteen cents for six years, for the construction of bridges.

## CITY OF DUNBAR—SPECIAL LEVY

House Bill No. 90—By Mr. Calderwood—(Ch. 121, page 436, Acts). Authorizes the council of the city of Dunbar to lay a special levy of not more than ten cents, for a period of seven years, for the purpose of building a main trunk line sewer.

## RANDOLPH COUNTY—INCREASED COUNTY LEVY

House Bill No. 149—By Mr. Scott—(Ch. 122, page 437, Acts). Authorizes the county court of Randolph county, for a period of three years, to increase the general levy for county purposes to thirty-five cents, and to reduce the county levy for road purposes to twenty cents.

## WAYNE COUNTY—SPECIAL ROAD LEVIES

House Bill No. 187—By Mr. Smith (of Wayne)—(Ch. 123, page 438, Acts). Authorizes the county court of Wayne county to lay special levies in the districts of Lincoln, Butler and Ceredo, for the purpose of building roads in said districts.

## GREENBRIER COUNTY—SPECIAL LEVY.

Com. Sub. House Bill No. 210—By Mr. Raine—(Ch. 124, page 442, Acts). Authorizes the county court of Greenbrier county to lay a special levy for five years, for remodeling and building additions to the present court house and for building a new jail and jailor's residence, or for the building of a new court house and jail.

## WEBSTER COUNTY—SPECIAL LEVY

House Bill No. 233—By Mr. Wysong—(Ch. 125, page 444, Acts). Authorizes the county court of Webster county to lay a special levy of two cents, for the year 1929, to pay the existing indebtedness of the 4-H Club, or Camp Caesar.

## BRAXTON COUNTY—SPECIAL LEVY

House Bill No. 296—By Mr. Dean—(Ch. 126, page 445, Acts). Authorizes the county court of Braxton county to lay a special levy not to exceed fifteen cents, for four years, to pay the existing indebtedness of the county.

## HARRISON COUNTY—COURT HOUSE

House Bill No. 367—By Mr. Kyle—(Ch. 127, page 440, Acts). Provides for the raising of funds to construct a court house in Harrison county and requires that no levy may be laid for that purpose unless the order of the county court, laying the same, shall provide a committee to have the same powers and duties with respect to the construction of the court house by funds raised by levies, as are conferred upon the committee provided for by Chapter 130 of the Acts of 1927.

## WEBSTER COUNTY—INCREASED LEVY

House Bill No. 398—By Mr. Wysong—(Ch. 128, page 447, Acts). Authorizes the county court of Webster county, for three years, to increase the levy for general county purpose to forty cents, and to reduce the county levy for road purposes to fifteen cents.

## SANDY RIVER DISTRICT BONDS

Senate Bill No. 88—By Mr. Hallanan—(Ch. 129, page 448, Acts). Validates the

proceedings authorizing the issuance of bonds by the county court of McDowell county for Sandy River district, authorized at an election held on November 6, 1928.

#### CITY OF PARKERSBURG—BONDS

Senate Bill No. 184—By Mr. White (of Wood)—(Ch. 130, page 453, Acts). Validates the water works improvement and extension bonds of the city of Parkersburg, authorized at an election held on June 28, 1927.

#### SEVENTH AND TWENTY-FOURTH JUDICIAL CIRCUITS

Senate Bill No. 19—By Mr. Miller—(Ch. 131, page 458, Acts). Fixes the terms of court in the seventh and twenty-fourth judicial circuits.

#### FIFTH AND FOURTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUITS

House Bill No. 2—By Mr. Wysong—(Ch. 132, page 458, Acts). Fixes the terms of court in the fifth and fourteenth judicial circuits.

#### SEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

House Bill No. 14—By Mr. Hutchinson—(Ch. 133, page 460, Acts). Fixes the terms of court in the seventh judicial circuit.

#### EIGHTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

House Bill No. 298—By Mr. Kennedy—(Ch. 134, page 460, Acts). Fixes the terms of court for the eighth judicial circuit.

#### CABELL COUNTY DOMESTIC RELATIONS COURT

House Bill No. 375—By Mr. Beuhring—(Ch. 135, page 461, Acts). Fixes the terms of court for the domestic relations court of Cabell county.

#### LINCOLN COUNTY—CIRCUIT COURT CLERK

Senate Bill No. 34—By Mr. Smith (of Lincoln)—(Ch. 136, page 462, Acts). Fixes the salary of the clerk of the circuit court of Lincoln county at two thousand dollars per year.

#### TAYLOR COUNTY—PROSECUTING ATTORNEY

Senate Bill No. 35—By Mr. Watkins—(Ch. 137, page 462, Acts). Fixes the salary of the prosecuting attorney of Taylor county, as attorney for the boards of education, at six hundred dollars per year.

#### OHIO COUNTY—PROSECUTING ATTORNEY

Senate Bill No. 50—By Mr. Hugus (by request)—(Ch. 138, page 463, Acts). Authorizes the board of commissioners of Ohio county to pay the prosecuting attorney of Ohio county, as attorney to the boards of education, a sum not to exceed one thousand two hundred dollars annually.

#### SIXTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

Senate Bill No. 79—By Mr. Smith (of Marion) (by request)—(Ch. 139, page 464, Acts). Authorizes the county court of Marion county to pay the judge of the sixteenth judicial circuit out of the county treasury, not to exceed twenty-two hundred dollars per annum.

#### THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

Senate Bill No. 185—By Mr. Davis (of Ritchie)—(Ch. 140, page 464, Acts). Empowers the judge of the third judicial circuit to employ a stenographer to assist him in his official duties at a compensation of not more than one hundred dollars per month, of which not to exceed fifty dollars shall be paid out of the state treasury and the remainder pro rated among the three counties of the circuit.

#### POCAHONTAS COUNTY—SALARIES

Senate Bill No. 247—By Mr. Mathews (by request)—(Ch. 141, page 465, Acts).

Beginning January 1, 1933, fixes the yearly compensation of the sheriff at twenty-four hundred dollars, of the assessor at twelve hundred dollars, and of the clerk of the circuit court at eighteen hundred dollars.

#### TWENTY-THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

House Bill No. 19—By Mr. Rice—(Ch. 142, page 466, Acts). Authorizes the county courts of Berkeley, Jefferson and Morgan counties to pay, out of the county treasuries, to the judge of the twenty-third judicial circuit, not to exceed twenty-five hundred dollars per annum.

#### BROOKE COUNTY—CIRCUIT COURT CLERK

House Bill No. 122—By Mr. Deuley—(Ch. 143, page 467, Acts). Fixes the salary of the clerk of the circuit court of Brooke county, after January 1, 1931, at eighteen hundred dollars per annum.

#### LEWIS COUNTY—PROSECUTING ATTORNEY

House Bill No. 219—By Mr. Farnsworth (by request)—(Ch. 144, page 467, Acts). Authorizes the prosecuting attorney of Lewis county to employ a stenographer, with the consent of the county court, at a salary to be fixed by the county court, but not to exceed seventy-five dollars per month.

#### PRESTON COUNTY—PROSECUTING ATTORNEY

House Bill No. 222—By Mr. Smith (of Preston)—(Ch. 145, page 468, Acts). Authorizes the prosecuting attorney of Preston county to employ a stenographer, at a salary of not more than twelve hundred dollars annually, payable out of the county treasury.

#### HARRISON COUNTY—CRIMINAL COURT

House Bill No. 226—By Mr. Kyle—(Ch. 146, page 468, Acts). Fixes the salary of the judge of the criminal court of Harrison county at five thousand dollars per year, payable out of the county treasury.

#### HAMPSHIRE COUNTY—PROSECUTING ATTORNEY

House Bill No. 248—By Mr. Davis—(Ch. 147, page 469, Acts). Authorizes the county court of Hampshire county to employ stenographic or other clerical assistance to the prosecuting attorney, at a sum not to exceed fifty dollars per month, payable out of the county treasury.

#### CALHOUN COUNTY—PROSECUTING ATTORNEY

House Bill No. 354—By Mr. Hays—(Ch. 148, page 469, Acts). Requires the county court of Calhoun county to employ an assistant to the prosecuting attorney, to be named by him, at a compensation of twenty-five dollars per month, payable out of the county treasury.

#### NINTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

House Bill No. 379—By Mr. Cole—(Ch. 149, page 470, Acts). Requires the county court of Mercer county and the county court of Wyoming county to pay the sums of twelve hundred dollars and eight hundred dollars per annum, respectively, out of the county treasury, to the judge of the ninth judicial circuit.

#### HAMPSHIRE COUNTY—CIRCUIT COURT CLERK

House Bill No. 382—By Mr. Davis—(Ch. 150, page 470, Acts). Fixes the salary of the clerk of the circuit court of Hampshire county, at the beginning of the next term, at not less than one thousand nor more than thirteen hundred dollars.

#### TUCKER COUNTY—PROSECUTING ATTORNEY

Senate Bill No. 188—By Mr. Helmick—(Ch. 151, page 471, Acts). Provides

stenographic and clerical help for the prosecuting attorney of Tucker county, at six hundred dollars a year, payable out of the county treasury, and prescribes the duties of such help.

#### CLAY COUNTY—DEPUTY SHERIFFS

House Bill No. 390—By Mr. Reed—(Ch. 152, page 472, Acts). Directs the sheriff of Clay county to appoint not more than two deputy sheriffs at a salary of seventeen hundred dollars per annum each.

#### ROANE COUNTY—PROSECUTING ATTORNEY

House Bill No. 399—By Mr. Meredith—(Ch. 153, page 472, Acts). Authorizes the county court of Roane county to provide stenographic or other clerical assistants to the prosecuting attorney, at an expense of not more than fifty dollars per month.

#### PUTNAM COUNTY—SALARIES

House Bill No. 403—By Mr. Stephens (by request)—(Ch. 154, page 473, Acts). Fixes the salaries of clerk of the circuit court, sheriff, clerk of the county court and prosecuting attorney of Putnam county at one thousand eight hundred dollars, two thousand two hundred dollars, two thousand two hundred dollars and one thousand five hundred dollars, respectively, beginning at the end of the present terms.

#### TAYLOR COUNTY—SPECIAL BRIDGE LEVY

Senate Bill No. 36—By Mr. Watkins—(Ch. 155, page 473, Acts). Authorizes a vote of the people of Taylor county on the question of laying a special levy of not more than fifteen cents for six years for the construction of bridges in the county.

#### CITY OF GRAFTON

Senate Bill No. 37—By Mr. Watkins—(Ch. 156, page 474, Acts). Requires the annual publication of financial statement of the city of Grafton.

#### OHIO COUNTY—WHEELING STREET PAVING

Senate Bill No. 40—By Mr. Hugus—(Ch. 157, page 475, Acts). Authorizes the board of commissioners of Ohio county to pay to the City of Wheeling certain street paving assessments and to contract with said city for the maintenance of certain specified street paving.

#### OHIO COUNTY—INTERMEDIATE COURT

Senate Bill No. 83—By Mr. Hugus—(Ch. 158, page 476, Acts). Provides for the impaneling and duties of grand and petit juries for the intermediate court of Ohio county and that the jury commissioners of the circuit court shall also act as jury commissioners for the intermediate court.

#### OHIO COUNTY—BOND ISSUE

Senate Bill No. 155—By Mr. Hugus—(Ch. 159, page 478, Acts). Provides for the expenditure of the proceeds of bond issues or special road fund levies, and the transfer to the general county fund of any unexpended balances.

#### CITY OF GRAFTON—SALE OF CITY PROPERTY

House Bill No. 111—By Mr. Haymond—(Ch. 160, page 479, Acts). Requires the commission of the city of Grafton, before selling or mortgaging the water works or electric light plants, to first submit the question to a vote of the people of the city.

#### WETZEL COUNTY LAW LIBRARY

House Bill No. 174—By Mr. Cusack—(Ch. 161, page 480, Acts). Authorizes the county court of Wetzel county to establish and maintain a county law library and creates a board of directors to control and manage it.



## BROOKE COUNTY—REINTERRING THE DEAD

House Bill No. 188—By Mr. Deuley—(Ch. 162, page 481, Acts). Authorizes the county court of Brooke county to remove from the right-of-way of state route number two, the remains of certain dead and reinter same.

## MORGAN COUNTY

House Bill No. 221—By Mr. Buzzerd—(Ch. 163, page 482, Acts). Authorizes the county court of Morgan county to contribute three hundred dollars annually to the support of the county library.

## MONONGALIA COUNTY—GENERAL HOSPITAL

House Bill No. 267—By Mr. Vandervort—(Ch. 164, page 483, Acts). Authorizes the county court of Monongalia county to establish and maintain a general hospital for the county and to use in part, for that purpose, the county infirmary buildings and equipment.

## RESOLUTIONS

Senate Joint Resolution No. 1—By Mr. Henshaw—(page 485, Acts). Authorizes the governor to appoint a commission to represent the interests of the state in the location of the Summer White House.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 2—By Mr. Hallanan—(page 486, Acts). Corrects the variance in the joint resolution and the act submitting to the voters of the state, at the 1928 general election, the constitutional amendment changing the duration of the sessions of the legislature.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 4—By Mr. Hallanan—(page 488, Acts). Authorizes the secretary of state to furnish a set of West Virginia Reports to the Honorable Elliott Northcott, United States Circuit Judge.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 8—By Mr. Hallanan—(page 489, Acts). Provides for submitting to the voters of the state the lieutenant governor and succession to the governorship amendment to the constitution.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 9—By Mr. Herold—(page 490, Acts). Memorializes the legislatures of the several states through which United States Route No. 19 passes to designate it as "The Stonewall Jackson Memorial Highway".

Senate Joint Resolution No. 10—By Mr. Hallanan—(page 491, Acts). Petitioning for the passage, in the National Congress, of the rivers and harbors bill, providing appropriations for the improvement of the Ohio and Kanawha rivers.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 12—By Mr. Hugus—(page 492, Acts). Provides for the submission to the voters of the state of the probate amendment to the constitution.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 15—By Mr. Hallanan—(page 493, Acts). Authorizes the board of control to receive congressional grants of money for West Virginia University and West Virginia State College.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 17—By Mr. Hallanan—(page 494, Acts). Requests a revised Budget Bill from the budget commission.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 18—By Mr. Smith (of Marion)—(page 495, Acts). Adopts a new state flag.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 3—By Mr. Helmick—(page 496, Acts). Raises a joint committee to investigate the penitentiary.

House Joint Resolution No. 3—By Mr. Keatley—(page 498, Acts). Provides for

the submission to the voters of the state of the budget amendment to the constitution.

House Joint Resolution No. 4—By Mr. Hogg—(page 502, Acts). Provides for the submission to the voters of the state of the circuit judge amendment to the constitution.

House Joint Resolution No. 5—By Mr. Keatley—(page 503, Acts). Authorizes the governor to appoint a commission to study constitutional needs.

House Joint Resolution No. 8—By Mr. Harmer—(page 504, Acts). Provides for the printing, by the secretary of state, of two thousand copies of the minutes of the Wheeling Convention of 1861 and of the Constitutional Convention of 1862.

Senate Substitute for House Joint Resolution No. 10—By Mr. Harmer—(page 505, Acts). Raises a joint committee to examine and report upon the report of the revisers of the code and requests the governor to call a special session of the legislature to consider the proposed revised code.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 7—By Mr. Stephens—(page 508, Acts). Requests the government of the United States to establish and maintain in the state a general hospital for the care and treatment of veterans within the state.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 10—By Mr. Stephens—(page 509, Acts). Recognizes the distinguished services of Master Sergeant Roy W. Hooe, United States Army, formerly of Charles Town, Jefferson County, West Virginia, in the historic flight of the "Question Mark".

House Concurrent Resolution No. 13—By Mr. Fazenbaker—(page 510, Acts). Authorizes the governor to appoint a commission of five to investigate the evidence of the birth of Nancy Hanks, mother of Abraham Lincoln, at Mike's Run, Mineral County.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 14—By Mr. Mathews (of Kanawha)—(page 511, Acts.) Endorses the erection by the West Virginia state federation of Colored Women's Clubs, at Malden, West Virginia, of a memorial to Booker T. Washington.

### Extraordinary Session, 1929

#### REVISED CODE

House Bill No. 1—By Mr. Harmer—This bill revises, arranges and consolidates into a Code the general statutes of the state of West Virginia, to become effective on January 1, 1931.

#### PARKERSBURG CHARTER

Senate Bill No. 2—By Mr. White (of Wood)—Amends the charter of the city of Parkersburg.

#### APPROPRIATION BILL

Senate Bill No. 3—By the Committee on Finance—Appropriation bill for the extraordinary session of 1929.

#### RESOLUTIONS

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1—By Mr. Helmick—To inform the governor that the legislature had assembled.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2—By Mr. Hallanan—Raising a joint assembly to hear the message of the governor.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 3—By Mr. Hallanan—Concerning the printing of the report of the code revisers and providing for an adjournment of the legislature until March 12, 1930.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4—By Mr. Hallanan—Providing for the payment of the members and expert clerical assistants of the joint committee and subcommittee on the code revisers' report.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 5—By Mr. Hugus—In appreciation of the work of the joint committee on code revision.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 6—By Mr. Helmick—Raising a joint committee to inform the governor that the legislature was ready to adjourn *sine die*.

House Joint Resolution No. 4—By Mr. Rice—Providing for the publication, distribution and sale of the Code of West Virginia.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 2—By Mr. Mathews (of Kanawha)—Providing for the printing and distribution of the report of the joint committee on code revision.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 3—By Mr. Keatley—Providing for the copy-righting of the revisers' and legislative committee's notes to the proposed code.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 4—By Mr. Keatley—Raising a joint committee to consider methods of legislative procedure in reference to House Bill No. 1 (Code).

House Concurrent Resolution No. 5—By Mr. Stephens—Memorializing Congress to authorize an additional appropriation for the construction of a United States Veterans Hospital in West Virginia.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 7—By Mr. Mathews (of Kanawha)—Raising a joint committee on joint rules to report rules to govern the consideration of the code revisers' report, when reported back to the two houses by the special committee.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 8—By Mr. Radabaugh—Requesting the governor to amend his call to include the issuance and sale of the remaining \$15,000,000.00 of the \$35,000,000.00 road bond amendment, adopted in 1928.

### Extraordinary Session, 1930

#### SALE OF ROAD BONDS

Senate Bill No. 1—By Mr. Reitz—Authorizes the issuance and sale of \$15,000,000.00 of road bonds from the \$35,000,000.00 authorized by the constitutional amendment adopted in 1928.

#### APPROPRIATION BILL

Senate Bill No. 2—By Mr. Helmick—Appropriation bill for the expenses of the extraordinary session, including a deficiency appropriation of \$100,000.00 for the West Virginia Penitentiary.

#### RESOLUTIONS

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1—By Mr. Fonner—Raising a joint committee to inform the governor that the legislature was assembled in extraordinary session.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 2—By Mr. Long—Raising a joint committee to inform the governor that the legislature was ready to adjourn *sine die*.

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION OF  
WEST VIRGINIA**

*To be voted upon at the general election in November, 1930.*

The legislature of 1929, regular session, submitted to the voters of the state, to be voted upon at the election in November, 1930, four constitutional amendments, designated as "probate amendment", "lieutenant-governor and succession to governorship amendment," "circuit court amendment" and "budget amendment".

**PROBATE AMENDMENT**

The first, or "probate amendment" does not amend an existing section of the constitution, but proposes to add the following as a new section to be numbered as section 31, Article eight:

Sec. 31. Jurisdiction in all matters of probate, the appointment and qualification of personal representatives, guardians, committees and curators, and the settlement of their accounts shall hereafter be vested exclusively in the circuit court. Provision shall be made by the legislature for the appointment by each circuit court of a probate commissioner in each county who may be authorized by general law to exercise the powers and discharge the duties of the circuit court with respect to all or any of the matters mentioned in this section, under the supervision and subject to the control of said court. Said probate commissioner shall hold office at the pleasure of said circuit court, but his compensation shall be fixed by general law.

**LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR, ETC., AMENDMENT**

The second, or "lieutenant-governorship and successor to the governorship amendment" proposes to amend sections 1 and 16 of Article seven by making the commissioner of agriculture a constitutional officer and designating him as one of the executive department and by creating the office of lieutenant-governor and making him next in succession to the governorship. It also fixes the beginning of the terms of all the elective state officials on the first Monday following the second Wednesday in January next after their election, instead of on March 4, as at present. This is the first Monday following the convening of the legislature.

In the present constitution the sections proposed to be amended now read as follows:

1. The Executive Department shall consist of a Governor, Secretary of State, State Superintendent of Free Schools, Auditor, Treasurer and Attorney General, who shall be *ex-officio* Reporter of the Court of Appeals. Their terms of office, respectively, shall be four years, and shall commence on the fourth day of March, next after their election. They shall, except the Attorney General, reside at the seat of government, during their term of office, and keep there the public records, books and papers pertaining to their respective offices and shall perform such duties as may be prescribed by law.

16. In case of the death, conviction on impeachment, failure to qualify, resignation, or other disability of the Governor, the President of the Senate shall act as Governor until the vacancy is filled, or the disability removed; and if the President of the Senate, for any of the above named causes, shall become incapable of performing the duties of Governor, the same shall devolve upon the Speaker of the House of Delegates; and in all other cases where there is no one to act as Governor one shall be chosen by joint vote of the Legislature. Whenever a vacancy shall occur in the office of Governor before the first three years of the term shall have expired, a new election for Governor shall take place to fill the vacancy.

As proposed to be amended, those sections read:

Section 1. The executive department shall consist of a governor, lieutenant-governor, secretary of state, state superintendent of free schools, auditor, treasurer, commissioner of agriculture and attorney-general, who shall be *ex-officio* reporter of the court of appeals.

Their terms of office respectively shall be for four years and shall commence on the first Monday following the second Wednesday in January next after their election. They shall, except the lieutenant-governor, reside at the seat of government during their terms of office, and keep there the public records, books, and papers pertaining to their respective offices and shall perform such duties as may be prescribed by law. The lieutenant-governor shall be president of the senate and shall be entitled to vote only in case of a tie. His salary shall not exceed one thousand dollars *per annum*. An election for lieutenant-governor shall be held at the same time and in the same manner as the election for governor, and a contest therefor determined in the same manner. The senate shall choose a president *pro tempore* in the absence or disability of the lieutenant-governor, or when he shall exercise the office of governor of the state.

Sec. 16. In case of the death, conviction or impeachment, failure to qualify, resignation or other disability of the governor, the lieutenant-governor shall act as governor until the expiration of the term thereof or until the disability is removed; and if the lieutenant-governor, for any of the above named causes shall become incapable of performing the duties of governor, the same shall devolve upon the president *pro tempore* of the senate and if he is unable to act, then upon the speaker of the house of delegates; and in all other cases where there is no one to act as governor; one shall be chosen by a joint vote of the legislature.

#### CIRCUIT COURT AMENDMENT

Under the present constitution, each judicial circuit, except the First, elects one circuit court judge. The third or "circuit court amendment" would permit the legislature to determine the number of judges to be elected in each circuit. The section proposed to be amended is section ten of Article eight, which now reads as follows:

10. The State shall be divided into thirteen circuits. For the circuit hereinafter called the first, two judges shall be elected, and for each of the other circuits one judge shall be elected by the voters thereof. Each of the judges so elected shall hold his office for the term of eight years unless sooner removed in the manner prescribed in this Constitution. The judges of the Circuit courts in office when this article takes effect shall remain therein until the expiration of the term for which they have been elected in the circuits in which they may respectively reside, unless sooner removed as aforesaid. A vacancy in the office of a judge of the circuit court shall be filled in the same manner as is provided for in the case of a vacancy in the office of a judge of the supreme court of appeals. During his continuance in office the judge of a circuit court shall reside in the circuit of which he is judge. The business of the first circuit may be apportioned between the judges thereof, and such judges may hold courts in the same county or in different counties within the circuit at the same time or at different times as may be prescribed by law.

While the number of circuits was fixed at thirteen at the adoption of the constitution in 1872, provision was made for increasing the number when needed and there are now twenty-four circuits.

As proposed for amendment, the section reads:

Sec. 10. The legislature shall divide the state into circuits, and shall determine the number of judges to be elected in each circuit. Each of the judges so elected shall hold his office for a term of eight years unless sooner removed in the manner prescribed in this constitution. The judges of the circuit courts in office when this article takes effect, shall remain therein until the expiration of the term for which they have been elected in the circuits in which they may respectively reside, unless sooner removed as aforesaid. A vacancy in the office of a judge of the circuit court shall be filled in the same manner as is provided for in the case of a vacancy in the office of a judge of the supreme court of appeals. During his continuance in office the judge of a circuit court shall reside in the circuit of which he is the judge. In those circuits where there shall be elected more than one judge, the business of the circuits shall be apportioned between the judges thereof, in such manner as may be prescribed by law. The judges may hold courts in the same county or in different counties within the circuit at the same time or at different times, as may be prescribed by law.

BUDGET AMENDMENT

The fourth or "budget amendment" proposes to amend section fifty-one of Article six to read :

Section 51. The legislature shall not appropriate any money out of the treasury except in accordance with the following provisions :

SUB-SECTION A

Every appropriation bill shall be either a budget bill or a supplementary appropriation bill as hereinafter mentioned.

SUB-SECTION B

*First.* Within ten days after the convening of the legislature, unless such time shall be extended by the legislature for the session at which the budget is to be submitted, the governor shall submit to the legislature two budgets, one for each ensuing fiscal year. Each budget shall contain a complete plan of proposed expenditures and estimated revenues for the particular fiscal year to which it relates; and shall show the estimated surplus or deficit of revenues at the end of the year. Accompanying each budget shall be a statement showing: (1) the revenues and expenditures for each of the two fiscal years preceding; (2) the current assets, liabilities, reserves and surplus or deficit of the state; (3) debts and funds of the state; (4) an estimate of the state's financial condition as of the beginning and end of each of the fiscal years covered by the two budgets above provided; (5) any explanation the governor may desire to make as to the important features of any budget and any suggestions as to the methods for the reduction or increase of the state's revenue.

*Second.* Each budget shall be divided into two parts, and the first part shall be designated "governmental appropriations" and shall embrace an itemized estimate of the appropriations; (1) for the legislature as certified to the governor in the manner hereinafter provided; (2) for the executive department; (3) for the judiciary department, as provided by law, certified to the governor by the auditor; (4) to pay and discharge the principal and interest of any debt of the state of West Virginia created in conformity with the constitution, and all laws enacted in pursuance thereof; (5) for the salaries payable by the state under the constitution and laws of the state; (6) for the aid of public schools in conformity with the laws of the state; (7) for such other purposes as are set forth in the constitution and laws made in pursuance thereof.

*Third.* The second part shall be designated "general appropriations," and shall include all other estimates of appropriations.

The governor shall deliver to the presiding officer of each house the budgets, and a bill for all the proposed appropriations of the budgets clearly itemized and classified; and the presiding officer of each house shall promptly cause said bill to be introduced therein and such bill shall be known as the "budget bill." The governor may, before final action thereon by the legislature, amend or supplement either of said budgets to correct an oversight; or in case of an emergency, with the consent of the legislature, by delivering such an amendment or supplement to the presiding officers of both houses; and such amendment or supplement shall thereby become a part of said budget bill as an addition to the items of said bill or as a modification of or a substitute for an item of said bill such amendment or supplement may affect.

The legislature shall not amend the budget so as to create a deficit, but may amend the bill by increasing or diminishing the items therein, or inserting new items therein: *provided, however,* that the salary or compensation of any public officer shall not be increased or diminished during his term of office.

When such bill has been passed by both houses it shall be immediately presented to the governor, who may approve, veto as a whole, veto any item therein, or decrease any item therein.

If the governor veto the bill as a whole, or any item therein or decrease any item therein, he shall return the bill to the house in which it originated, together with a statement of his reasons for so doing. The legislature may, by a two-thirds vote of all the members elected to each branch, taken by yeas and nays, override the veto of the governor, in which case it shall become a law as originally passed, notwithstanding the veto of the governor.

*Fourth.* The governor and such representatives of the executive departments, boards, officers and commissions of the state, expending or applying for state moneys as have been designated by the governor

for this purpose, shall have the right, and when requested by either house of the legislature, it shall be their duty to appear and be heard with respect to any budget bill during the consideration thereof, and to answer inquiries relating thereto.

#### SUB-SECTION C—SUPPLEMENTARY APPROPRIATION BILLS

Neither house shall consider other appropriations until the budget bill has been finally acted upon by both houses, and no such other appropriation shall be valid except in accordance with the provisions following: (1) every such appropriation shall be embodied in a separate bill limited to some single work, object or purpose therein stated and called herein a supplementary appropriation bill; (2) each supplementary appropriation bill shall provide the revenue necessary to pay the appropriation thereby made by a tax direct or indirect, to be laid and collected as shall be directed in said bill, unless it appears from such budget that there is sufficient revenue available; (3) no supplementary appropriation bill shall become a law unless it be passed in each house by a vote of a majority of the members present, and the yeas and nays recorded on its final passage; (4) each supplementary appropriation bill shall be presented to the governor of the state as provided in section fourteen of article seven of the constitution, and thereafter all the provisions of said section shall apply.

Nothing in this amendment shall be construed as preventing the legislature from passing in time of war an appropriation bill to provide for the payment of any obligation of the state of West Virginia within the protection of section ten of article one of the constitution of the United States.

#### SUB-SECTION D—GENERAL PROVISIONS

*First.* If the budget bill shall not have been finally acted upon by the legislature three days before the expiration of its regular session, the governor may, and it shall be his duty to issue a proclamation extending the session for such further period as may, in his judgment, be necessary for the passage of such bill; but no other matter than such bill shall be considered during such extended session, except a provision for the cost thereof.

*Second.* The governor, for the purpose of making up his budgets, shall have power and it shall be his duty to require from the proper state officials, including herein all executive departments, all executive and administrative officers, bureaus, boards, commissions and agencies expending or supervising the expenditure of, and all institutions applying for state moneys and appropriations, such itemized estimates and other information, in such form and at such times as he shall direct. The estimates for the legislative departments, certified by the presiding officer of each house, of the judiciary, as provided by law, certified by the auditor, and for the public schools, as provided by law, shall be transmitted to the governor, in such form and at such times as he shall direct, and shall be included in the budget.

The governor may provide for public hearings on all estimates and may require the attendance at such hearings of representatives of all agencies, and of all institutions applying for state moneys. After such public hearings he may, in his discretion, revise all estimates except those for the legislative and judiciary departments and for the public schools as provided by law.

*Third.* The legislature may, from time to time, enact such laws not inconsistent with this section as may be necessary and proper to carry out its provisions.

*Fourth.* In the event of any inconsistency between any of the provisions of this section and any of the other provisions of the constitution, except amendments thereto heretofore made and ratified by the people, the provisions of this section shall prevail. But nothing herein shall be construed as preventing the governor from calling extraordinary sessions of the legislature, as provided by section seven of article seven, or as preventing the legislature at such extraordinary sessions from considering any emergency appropriation or appropriations.

If any item of any appropriation bill passed under the provisions of this section shall be held invalid upon any ground, such invalidity shall not affect the legality of the bill or of any other item of such bill or bills.

The changes in the existing section 51 are so few that it is not considered necessary to give the section as it now stands. Calling attention to the changes should be sufficient.

Under the present constitution the board of public works, which is composed of the governor, secretary of state, superintendent of free schools, auditor, treasurer, attorney general and commissioner of agriculture, is the budget commission. The amendment proposes to make the governor alone the budget commissioner.

Under the present constitution the appropriation, or "budget" bill is not submitted to the governor for his approval, but becomes a law immediately upon its passage by the legislature. It is proposed to change this by inserting in *sub-section B* the following:

When such bill has been passed by both houses it shall be immediately presented to the governor, who may approve, veto as a whole, veto any item therein, or decrease any item therein.

If the governor veto the bill as a whole, or any item therein or decrease any item therein, he shall return the bill to the house in which it originated, together with a statement of his reasons for so doing. The legislature may, by a two-thirds vote of all the members elected to each branch, taken by yeas and nays, override the veto of the governor, in which case it shall become a law as originally passed notwithstanding the veto of the governor.

The only other proposed change is to strike out the following in *sub-section B*:

The legislature shall not amend the budget bill so as to create a deficit but may amend the bill by increasing or diminishing the items therein relating to the legislature, and by increasing the items therein relating to the judiciary, but except as hereinbefore specified, may not alter the said bill except to strike out or reduce items therein.

and to insert the following:

The legislature shall not amend the budget so as to create a deficit, but may amend the bill by increasing or diminishing the items therein, or inserting new items therein.

In short, while the section is a lengthy one, the only changes proposed are to make the governor, instead of the board of public works, the budget commissioner; to require the bill, when passed, to be presented to the governor for his approval, thus following the course of all other bills; and to give the legislature control over the items in the appropriation bill, subject to the requirement that it cannot create a deficit.

Note by Editor: All the proposed amendments were rejected in the General Election on November 4, 1930.



COMPARATIVE TABLE OF LEGISLATION APPROPRIATIONS—Continued  
From 1922 to 1931 Inclusive

	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931
STATE DEPARTMENTS, ETC.										
Adjutant General and Militia, Salaries and Expenses.....	\$ 33,000.00	\$ 33,600.00	\$ 58,945.00	\$ 58,945.00	\$ 104,000.00	\$ 128,420.00	\$ 124,000.00	\$ 124,000.00	\$ 128,000.00	\$ 128,000.00
Huntington Armory, Purchase.....			32,660.00							
Repairs.....									2,500.00	2,500.00
Camp Dawson, Repairs and Improvements.....									15,000.00	15,000.00
Roster Soldiers, Sailors and Marines.....									10,000.00	
Archives and History.....	14,200.00	13,500.00	12,100.00	12,100.00	12,300.00	12,300.00	12,600.00	12,000.00	13,320.00	13,320.00
Attorney General's Office, Salaries and Expenses.....	34,500.00	30,500.00	31,220.00	31,220.00	31,220.00	31,200.00	31,220.00	31,220.00	34,900.00	34,900.00
Auditor's Office, Salaries and Other Expenses.....	53,400.00	53,400.00	51,000.00	51,000.00	54,350.00	54,350.00	54,750.00	54,750.00	57,150.00	57,150.00
Insurance and Speculative Securities.....	22,000.00	22,000.00	21,000.00	21,000.00	32,000.00	32,000.00	31,600.00	31,600.00	41,500.00	41,500.00
Fire Marshal's Department.....									45,000.00	45,000.00
Index to Land Grants.....			5,000.00	5,000.00						
Publication of Delinquent Lists.....	800.00	800.00	800.00	800.00	800.00	800.00	800.00	800.00	800.00	800.00
Board of Control, Salaries and Expenses.....	61,000.00	61,000.00	61,910.00	62,160.00	65,400.00	65,400.00	71,390.00	71,390.00	81,400.00	81,400.00
Bureau of Labor, Salaries and Expenses.....	36,500.00	36,500.00	50,800.00	50,800.00	50,300.00	50,300.00	48,400.00	48,400.00	44,800.00	44,800.00
Bureau of Negro Welfare.....	6,100.00	6,100.00	8,000.00	8,000.00	8,000.00	8,000.00	7,700.00	7,700.00	7,800.00	7,800.00
Capitol Buildings and Grounds, Current.....	41,000.00	41,000.00	30,000.00	30,000.00	30,000.00	30,000.00	35,000.00	35,000.00	35,000.00	35,000.00
Custodian and Labor Fund.....	28,800.00	28,800.00	27,800.00	27,800.00	32,800.00	32,800.00	42,100.00	42,100.00	42,100.00	42,100.00
New Equipment and Rent.....	750,000.00	1,500,000.00	250,000.00	250,000.00	522,500.00	502,500.00	160,000.00	35,000.00	7,000.00	7,000.00
Child Welfare Commission.....	4,750.00	4,750.00								
Com. of Agriculture, Salaries and Expenses... Aid to Agricultural Fairs.....	79,400.00 25,000.00	79,400.00 25,000.00	82,500.00 25,000.00	82,500.00 25,000.00	116,000.00 25,000.00	116,000.00 25,000.00	126,000.00 15,000.00	126,000.00 15,000.00	134,500.00 20,000.00	134,500.00 20,000.00
Com. of Banking, Salaries and Expenses.....	32,200.00	32,200.00	32,200.00	32,200.00	55,000.00	53,500.00	69,900.00	68,900.00	69,600.00	69,600.00
Criminal Charges.....	85,000.00	85,000.00	100,000.00	100,000.00	100,000.00	100,000.00	125,000.00	120,000.00	125,000.00	125,000.00
Department of Education.....	450,900.00	456,900.00	417,300.00	417,300.00	289,900.00	233,300.00	300,500.00	293,300.00	329,250.00	318,900.00
Supplemental, General School Fund.....	1,000,000.00	1,000,000.00	1,000,000.00	1,000,000.00	1,275,000.00	1,275,000.00	1,250,000.00	1,250,000.00	1,000,000.00	1,250,000.00
Department of Health, Salaries and Expenses.....	74,800.00	74,800.00	90,000.00	90,800.00	109,800.00	109,800.00	119,800.00	119,800.00	140,800.00	140,800.00
Department of Mines, Salaries and Expenses..	116,200.00	116,200.00	116,520.00	116,520.00	180,020.00	157,520.00	174,640.00	174,040.00	198,040.00	198,040.00
Dept. of Pub. Safety, Current Gen. Expenses..	450,000.00	500,000.00	350,000.00	300,000.00	500,000.00	500,000.00	412,500.00	412,500.00	432,500.00	432,500.00

Forest, Game and Fish Commission.....									237,420.00	240,120.00
Governor's Mansion and Grounds.....	15,000.00	15,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00	26,000.00	24,000.00	14,000.00	14,000.00
Purchase of New.....	82,500.00	82,500.00			50,000.00	25,000.00				
Governor's Office Salaries.....	14,500.00	14,500.00	14,500.00	14,500.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00
Civil Contingent Fund.....	20,000.00	20,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00
Emergency Fund.....	50,000.00	50,000.00	50,000.00	50,000.00	100,000.00	100,000.00	50,000.00	50,000.00	50,000.00	50,000.00
Insurance, Public Buildings.....	50,000.00	50,000.00	50,000.00	50,000.00	100,000.00	100,000.00	60,000.00	125,000.00	125,000.00	70,000.00
Keeper of Rolls, Salary.....	300.00	300.00	300.00	300.00	300.00	300.00	300.00	300.00	300.00	300.00
Pardon Attorney, Salaries and Expenses.....	6,000.00	6,000.00	6,000.00	6,000.00	6,300.00	6,300.00	6,300.00	6,300.00	6,300.00	6,300.00
Public Service Commission, Salaries and Current Expenses.....	98,000.00	98,000.00	98,000.00	98,000.00	98,000.00	98,000.00	98,000.00	98,000.00	118,000.00	118,000.00
Poet Laureate.....							900.00	000.00		
Printing, Binding and Stationery.....	100,000.00	100,000.00	60,750.00	60,000.00	70,000.00	70,000.00	70,000.00	70,000.00	95,000.00	100,000.00
Secretary of State, Salaries and Expenses.....	20,000.00	20,000.00	22,500.00	22,500.00	24,000.00	24,000.00	25,640.00	25,640.00	28,000.00	28,000.00
State Board of Children's Guardians, Salaries and Expenses.....	36,500.00	36,500.00	37,200.00	37,200.00	44,000.00	44,000.00	45,000.00	45,000.00	47,000.00	47,000.00
State Geological and Economic Survey.....	44,500.00	44,500.00	34,100.00	36,600.00	30,500.00	36,500.00	40,040.00	40,040.00	48,500.00	48,500.00
State Hotel Inspector.....	3,000.00	3,000.00	2,500.00	2,500.00	2,500.00	2,500.00				
State Law Library, Salaries and Expenses.....	7,900.00	7,900.00	7,900.00	7,900.00	7,900.00	7,900.00	13,600.00	13,600.00	9,400.00	9,400.00
State Prohibition Dept., Salaries & Expenses.....	41,500.00	55,000.00	60,000.00	60,000.00	39,000.00	39,000.00	63,500.00	63,500.00	65,700.00	65,700.00
State Road Commission.....	457,500.00	444,000.00	528,981.03	572,500.00	500,242.93	620,700.00	739,387.96	547,000.00	551,875.62	540,000.00
Maintenance and Repair of Roads.....					400,000.00	450,000.00				
State Service Officer and War Relief.....	50,000.00	50,000.00	50,000.00	50,000.00	50,000.00	50,000.00	50,000.00	50,000.00	50,000.00	50,000.00
State Sinking Fund Commission, Expenses.....	8,000.00	8,000.00	12,000.00	12,000.00	12,000.00	12,000.00	15,780.00	14,280.00	14,280.00	14,280.00
State Tax Commissioner, Tax Office.....	45,000.00	45,000.00	40,000.00	41,000.00	40,220.00	40,220.00	40,220.00	40,220.00	40,000.00	40,000.00
Accounting Department.....	24,500.00	24,500.00	24,500.00	26,000.00	25,200.00	25,200.00	29,500.00	29,500.00	29,500.00	29,500.00
Gross Sales Department.....	63,000.00	56,000.00	45,000.00	45,000.00	44,980.00	44,980.00	44,980.00	44,980.00	47,000.00	47,000.00
Uniform Assessment Law.....	25,000.00	25,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	12,500.00	12,500.00
Prohibition Department.....	12,500.00									
State Treasurer, Salaries and Expenses.....	32,300.00	32,300.00	30,220.00	30,220.00	34,100.00	34,100.00	38,920.00	38,920.00	43,570.00	43,570.00
Temporary Capitol and Equipment.....		5,000.00								
Workmen's Compensation.....	191,000.00	191,000.00	151,000.00	151,000.00	161,000.00	161,000.00	286,000.00	246,000.00	266,000.00	256,000.00
JUDICIARY										
Supreme Court, Salaries and Expenses.....	75,400.00	69,000.00	65,050.00	65,050.00	74,800.00	71,300.00	89,400.00	85,400.00	93,050.00	93,050.00
Circuit Courts, Salaries, Milcage, Etc.....	130,500.00	130,500.00	163,000.00	163,000.00	143,000.00	143,000.00	148,000.00	148,000.00	148,000.00	148,000.00

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	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931
<b>EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS</b>										
<b>Bluefield Colored Institute:</b>										
Salaries .....	27,750.00	27,750.00	30,000.00	35,000.00	40,000.00	40,000.00	45,000.00	48,000.00	55,000.00	57,000.00
Current General Expenses .....	6,000.00	6,000.00	7,500.00	7,500.00	10,000.00	10,000.00	11,000.00	11,000.00	19,000.00	19,500.00
Repairs and Improvements .....	6,000.00	6,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00	12,500.00	12,500.00	13,500.00	13,500.00	13,500.00	13,500.00
Buildings and Land .....	8,000.00	40,000.00	50,000.00	50,000.00					60,000.00	60,000.00
<b>Colored Deaf and Blind School:</b>										
Salaries .....						10,000.00	12,500.00	12,500.00	12,500.00	12,500.00
Current General Expenses .....		10,000.00	5,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00	17,000.00	17,000.00	18,000.00	18,000.00
Repairs and Improvements .....							15,000.00	15,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00
Buildings and Land .....	10,000.00	10,000.00	30,000.00		125,000.00	125,000.00			15,000.00	15,000.00
<b>Concord State Normal School:</b>										
Salaries .....	44,000.00	48,000.00	54,000.00	58,000.00	63,000.00	65,000.00	67,000.00	69,000.00	76,000.00	76,000.00
Current General Expenses .....	12,500.00	12,500.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	18,000.00	18,000.00	38,000.00	40,000.00
Repairs and Improvements .....	12,500.00	12,500.00	12,500.00	12,500.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	20,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00
Buildings and Land .....	130,000.00	130,000.00			15,000.00	15,000.00			20,000.00	20,000.00
<b>Fairmont State Normal School:</b>										
Salaries .....	60,000.00	60,000.00	65,000.00	70,000.00	85,000.00	90,000.00	95,000.00	105,000.00	125,000.00	130,000.00
Current General Expenses .....	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00	22,000.00	22,000.00	49,500.00	52,000.00
Repairs and Improvements .....	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00
Buildings and Land .....	60,000.00	60,000.00	30,000.00	30,000.00	21,700.00	21,700.00	21,700.00		90,000.00	90,000.00
<b>Glenville State Normal School:</b>										
Salaries .....	40,000.00	40,000.00	46,000.00	48,000.00	53,000.00	55,000.00	57,000.00	60,000.00	70,000.00	70,000.00
Current General Expenses .....	10,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00	13,750.00	13,750.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	36,000.00	38,000.00
Repairs and Improvements .....	9,000.00	9,000.00	7,500.00	7,500.00	20,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00
Buildings and Land .....	37,500.00	37,500.00	37,500.00	37,500.00	5,000.00	5,000.00			25,000.00	25,000.00
<b>Marshall College:</b>										
Salaries .....	125,000.00	135,000.00	140,000.00	145,000.00	170,000.00	175,000.00	200,000.00	200,000.00	235,000.00	235,000.00
Current General Expenses .....	25,000.00	25,000.00	30,000.00	30,000.00	40,000.00	40,000.00	45,000.00	45,000.00	130,000.00	135,000.00
Repairs and Improvements .....	30,000.00	35,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	20,000.00	30,000.00	30,000.00
Buildings and Land .....	110,000.00	110,000.00	50,000.00	50,000.00	65,000.00	65,000.00	65,000.00		100,000.00	100,000.00

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	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931
<b>New River State School</b>										
Salaries.....	25,000.00	25,000.00	40,000.00	40,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00	63,000.00	68,000.00	75,000.00	75,000.00
Current General Expenses.....	5,000.00	5,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	17,500.00	17,500.00	17,500.00	17,500.00	45,000.00	50,000.00
Repairs and Improvements.....	12,500.00	12,500.00	12,500.00	12,500.00	12,500.00	12,500.00	12,500.00	12,500.00	35,000.00	35,000.00
Buildings and Land.....	2,000.00	2,000.00	125,000.00	125,000.00					50,000.00	50,000.00
<b>Potomac State School:</b>										
Salaries.....	30,000.00	30,000.00	48,000.00	48,000.00	50,000.00	55,000.00	57,000.00	50,000.00	62,000.00	62,000.00
Current General Expenses.....	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	17,000.00	17,000.00	19,000.00	10,000.00	30,000.00	32,500.00
Repairs and Improvements.....	10,000.00	10,000.00	17,500.00	17,500.00	17,000.00	17,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	12,000.00	12,000.00
Buildings and Land.....	40,000.00	40,000.00			50,000.00	50,000.00				
<b>Shepherd College State Normal School:</b>										
Salaries.....	34,000.00	38,000.00	42,500.00	42,500.00	46,000.00	40,000.00	50,000.00	52,000.00	57,000.00	60,000.00
Current General Expenses.....	8,000.00	8,000.00	8,000.00	8,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00	12,500.00	12,500.00	28,500.00	30,000.00
Repairs and Improvements.....	2,500.00	2,500.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00
Buildings and Land.....	12,500.00	12,500.00	2,500.00	2,500.00						
<b>Storer College:</b>										
Salaries.....	3,000.00	3,000.00	6,000.00	6,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00	12,000.00	12,000.00	17,500.00	17,500.00
<b>West Liberty State Normal School:</b>										
Salaries.....	25,000.00	27,500.00	30,000.00	30,000.00	33,000.00	35,000.00	38,000.00	43,000.00	50,000.00	50,000.00
Current General Expenses.....	10,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00	11,000.00	11,000.00	22,500.00	22,500.00
Repairs and Improvements.....	15,000.00	15,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00	11,000.00	11,000.00	12,500.00	12,500.00
Buildings and Land.....	15,000.00	15,000.00			50,000.00	50,000.00			50,000.00	50,000.00
<b>West Virginia School for Deaf and Blind:</b>										
Salaries.....	65,000.00	60,000.00	65,000.00	65,000.00	75,000.00	75,000.00	80,000.00	80,000.00	93,000.00	93,000.00
Current General Expenses.....	60,000.00	60,000.00	65,000.00	65,000.00	70,000.00	70,000.00	70,000.00	70,000.00	71,500.00	71,500.00
Repairs and Improvements.....	20,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00	22,500.00	22,500.00	30,000.00	30,000.00
Buildings and Land.....	40,000.00	40,000.00	60,000.00	60,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00	7,500.00	7,500.00		
<b>West Virginia State College (West Virginia Collegiate Institute):</b>										
Salaries.....	64,000.00	64,000.00	80,000.00	90,000.00	100,000.00	100,000.00	110,000.00	120,000.00	140,000.00	140,000.00
Current General Expenses.....	25,000.00	30,000.00	35,000.00	40,000.00	50,000.00	52,500.00	52,500.00	52,500.00	70,000.00	70,000.00
Repairs and Improvements.....	25,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00	37,500.00	37,500.00	42,500.00	42,500.00	42,500.00	42,500.00
Buildings and Land.....	111,282.40	75,000.00	125,000.00	125,000.00	62,500.00	62,500.00			60,000.00	60,000.00

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<b>West Virginia University:</b>										
Salaries .....	400,000.00	425,000.00	450,000.00	475,000.00	505,000.00	530,000.00	580,000.00	605,000.00	683,600.00	703,600.00
Current General Expenses .....	150,000.00	150,000.00	165,000.00	160,000.00	180,000.00	180,000.00	200,000.00	205,000.00	525,000.00	525,000.00
Library Books .....									25,000.00	25,000.00
Repairs and Improvements .....	50,000.00	50,000.00	60,000.00	60,000.00	100,000.00	100,000.00	125,000.00	125,000.00	125,000.00	125,000.00
Preparatory Work, Graduate School .....									12,000.00	12,000.00
Athletic Expense .....	10,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00		
Buildings and Land .....	400,000.00	400,000.00		200,000.00	100,000.00	100,000.00	141,250.00	116,250.00	266,250.00	181,250.00
<b>Extension Work:</b>										
Agricultural, Horticultural and Home Economics .....	80,000.00	80,000.00	85,000.00	85,000.00	80,000.00	80,000.00	85,000.00	85,000.00	95,000.00	95,000.00
Mining and Industrial .....	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00	40,000.00	40,000.00
4-H Camp .....	10,000.00	5,000.00	75,000.00	75,000.00	57,500.00	35,000.00	45,000.00	45,000.00	52,500.00	52,500.00
<b>Community Packing House:</b>										
Current General Expenses .....	6,000.00	6,000.00	7,000.00	7,000.00	8,000.00	8,000.00	8,000.00	8,000.00	13,000.00	13,000.00
Buildings and Land .....	15,000.00	15,000.00								
<b>Community Egg Packing Plant:</b>										
Buildings and Land .....									12,500.00	12,500.00
Boys' and Girls' Work, Federal .....									10,616.08	10,616.08
<b>Agricultural Experiment Station:</b>										
Salaries and Current Expenses .....	75,000.00	75,000.00	70,000.00	70,000.00	80,000.00	80,000.00	65,000.00	65,000.00	90,000.00	90,000.00
Buildings and Improvements .....	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00		
Reymann Memorial Farm .....	30,000.00	30,000.00	5,000.00		6,500.00	6,500.00	3,500.00	3,500.00	3,500.00	3,500.00
Reimbursement unused Fertilizer Tags .....			5,814.75							
<b>Penal and Correctional Institutions</b>										
<b>State Industrial Home for Colored Girls:</b>										
Salaries and Current Expenses .....					10,000.00	10,000.00	13,000.00	13,000.00	17,000.00	17,500.00
Repairs and Improvements .....					5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00
Buildings and Land .....	75,000.00	75,000.00			24,726.59					
<b>State Industrial School for Colored Boys:</b>										
Salaries and Current Expenses .....					25,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00
Repairs and Improvements .....					7,500.00	7,500.00	7,500.00	7,500.00	5,000.00	5,000.00
Buildings and Land .....	75,000.00	75,000.00								
<b>West Virginia Industrial Home for Girls:</b>										
Salaries and Current Expenses .....	35,000.00	35,000.00	35,000.00	35,000.00	35,000.00	35,000.00	45,000.00	45,000.00	57,000.00	57,500.00
Repairs and Improvements .....	10,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00	12,000.00	12,000.00	7,500.00	7,500.00

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	1022	1023	1024	1025	1026	1927	1928	1920	1930	1931
Buildings and Land.....					37,500.00	37,500.00				
West Virginia Industrial School for Boys:										
Salaries.....	02,000.00	92,000.00	00,000.00	90,000.00	101,200.00	101,200.00	101,200.00	101,200.00	130,000.00	130,000.00
Repairs and Improvements.....	15,000.00	15,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00	30,000.00	30,000.00
Buildings and Land.....	60,000.00	60,000.00			50,000.00	50,000.00				
West Virginia Penitentiary (Including Extra Session, 1930).....	20,000.00	20,000.00			25,300.00	25,300.00	25,300.00	25,300.00	500,300.00	450,300.00
Hospitals, Sanitariums and Homes										
Care and Treatment Drug Addicts.....	5,000.00	10,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00						
Crippled Children.....									40,000.00	40,000.00
Fairmont Hospital No. 3:										
Salaries and Current Expenses.....	28,000.00	28,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	48,000.00	48,000.00
Repairs and Improvements.....	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00		
Buildings and Land.....					4,000.00	4,000.00				
Treatment of Girls.....			5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	7,500.00	7,500.00
Florence Crittenden Home.....	3,000.00	3,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00
Hill Crest Sanitarium.....	10,000.00	10,000.00								
Huntington State Hospital:										
Salaries and Current Expenses.....	125,000.00	125,000.00	145,000.00	145,000.00	145,000.00	145,000.00	45,000.00	45,000.00	210,000.00	210,000.00
Repairs and Improvements.....	12,500.00	12,500.00	12,500.00	12,500.00	12,500.00	12,500.00	12,500.00	12,500.00	20,000.00	20,000.00
Buildings and Land.....	20,000.00	20,000.00								
McKendree Hospital No. 2:										
Salaries and Current Expenses.....	28,000.00	28,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00	22,000.00	22,000.00	40,000.00	40,000.00
Repairs and Improvements.....	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	2,500.00	2,500.00	4,500.00	4,500.00	4,500.00	4,500.00
Buildings and Land.....			5,000.00	5,000.00						
Private Hospital Treatment.....	50,000.00	50,000.00	40,000.00	40,000.00	50,000.00	50,000.00	50,000.00	50,000.00	40,000.00	40,000.00
Rutherford State Sanitarium:										
Current General Expenses.....									100,000.00	110,000.00
Repairs and Improvements.....									25,000.00	25,000.00

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Spencer State Hospital:										
Salaries and Current Expenses.....	125,000.00	125,000.00	110,000.00	110,000.00	110,000.00	110,000.00	110,000.00	110,000.00	130,000.00	130,000.00
Repairs and Improvements.....	37,500.00	37,500.00	12,500.00	12,500.00	12,500.00	12,500.00	12,500.00	12,500.00	12,500.00	12,500.00
State Colored Hospital for Insane:										
Salaries and Current Expenses.....	5,000.00	25,000.00	.....	25,000.00	25,000.00	50,000.00	50,000.00	60,000.00	70,000.00	70,000.00
Repairs and Improvements.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	25,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00
Buildings and Land.....	75,000.00	75,000.00	.....	125,000.00	50,000.00	50,000.00	75,000.00	75,000.00	75,000.00	.....
State Home for Aged and Infirm Colored Men and Women:										
Current General Expenses.....	.....	.....	7,500.00	7,500.00	7,500.00	7,500.00	7,500.00	7,500.00	27,000.00	32,000.00
State Colored Tuberculosis Sanitarium:										
Salaries and Current Expenses.....	20,000.00	22,500.00	25,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00	45,000.00	50,000.00
Repairs and Improvements.....	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	7,500.00	7,500.00	7,500.00	7,500.00	15,000.00	15,000.00
State Tuberculosis Sanitarium:										
Salaries and Current Expenses.....	100,000.00	100,000.00	125,000.00	125,000.00	125,000.00	125,000.00	170,000.00	170,000.00	360,000.00	355,000.00
Repairs and Improvements.....	20,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00	50,000.00	50,000.00
Buildings and Land.....	37,500.00	37,500.00	20,000.00	20,000.00	75,000.00	75,000.00	50,000.00	50,000.00	50,000.00	.....
Treatment of Tuberculosis.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10,000.00	10,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00
Welch Hospital No. 1:										
Salaries and Current Expenses.....	45,000.00	45,000.00	45,000.00	45,000.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	65,000.00	65,000.00
Repairs and Improvements.....	15,000.00	15,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Weston State Hospital:										
Salaries and Current Expenses.....	210,000.00	210,000.00	225,000.00	225,000.00	225,000.00	225,000.00	225,000.00	225,000.00	275,000.00	275,000.00
Repairs and Improvements.....	25,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00	37,000.00	37,500.00	32,500.00	32,500.00	44,500.00	44,500.00
Buildings and Land.....	6,000.00	6,000.00	6,000.00	.....	.....	.....	15,000.00	15,000.00	100,000.00	100,000.00
West Virginia Children's Home:										
Salaries and Current Expenses.....	12,000.00	12,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	16,000.00	16,000.00	18,000.00	18,000.00	20,500.00	21,000.00
Repairs and Improvements.....	2,500.00	2,500.00	2,500.00	2,500.00	2,500.00	2,500.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00
Buildings and Land.....	2,500.00	2,500.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
West Virginia Colored Orphans' Home:										
Salaries and Current Expenses.....	5,000.00	12,500.00	12,500.00	12,500.00	12,500.00	12,500.00	11,000.00	11,000.00	12,500.00	13,000.00
Repairs and Improvements.....	.....	.....	2,500.00	2,500.00	2,500.00	2,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00
Buildings and Land.....	12,500.00	12,500.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
West Virginia Training School:										
Buildings and Land.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	75,000.00	75,000.00

COMPARATIVE TABLE OF LEGISLATIVE APPROPRIATIONS—Continued

	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931
<b>Legislative Department</b>										
State Senate—Compensation Members.....	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00
Mileage.....	2,155.00	2,155.00	3,043.00	3,043.00	4,312.40	4,312.40	1,046.10	3,325.30	3,325.30	3,325.30
Officers, Attaches and Contingent.....	77,414.50	77,414.50	109,342.18	109,342.18	114,974.87	114,974.87	103,098.50	20,828.00	20,828.00	20,828.00
Miscellaneous.....	5,278.11	5,278.11	15,767.57	15,767.57	5,517.45	5,517.45	8,203.50	207.29	207.29	207.29
House of Delegates, Compensation Members..	47,000.00	47,000.00	47,000.00	47,500.00	47,000.00	47,000.00	47,000.00	47,500.00	47,500.00	47,000.00
Mileage.....	7,000.00	7,000.00	10,233.80	10,233.80	12,815.77	12,815.77	6,344.00	9,589.00	9,589.00	9,589.00
Officers, Attaches and Contingent.....	27,295.00	27,295.00	125,573.84	125,573.84	98,424.05	98,424.05	125,392.50	38,355.00	38,355.00	38,355.00
Miscellaneous.....	7,581.30	7,581.30	6,688.14	6,688.14	9,082.60	9,082.60	7,206.30	1,375.49	1,375.49	1,375.49
Legislative Printing.....	50,000.00	50,000.00	50,000.00	50,000.00	75,000.00	75,000.00	70,000.00	57,404.00	57,404.00	57,404.00
Legislative Hand Book and Manual.....	8,000.00	12,000.00	8,000.00	12,000.00	12,000.00	12,000.00	12,000.00	12,000.00	12,000.00	8,000.00
<b>Boards and Commissions</b>										
Board of Architects, General Expenses.....									1,900.00	1,900.00
Board of Bar Examiners, General Expenses...									500.00	500.00
Board of Examiners of Accountants, General Expenses.....									250.00	250.00
Board of Engineers, General Expenses.....									1,900.00	1,900.00
Board of Osteopathy, General Expenses.....									500.00	500.00
Berkeley Springs Park.....	500.00	500.00	5,500.00	500.00	10,000.00	500.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	13,500.00	14,500.00
State Board of Dental Examiners, General Expenses.....									2,500.00	2,500.00
State Board of Embalmers, General Expenses.....									500.00	500.00
Monument Commissions.....			2,500.00	2,500.00			7,500.00	7,500.00	1,250.00	1,250.00
Childs' Welfare Commission.....	4,750.00	4,750.00								
Droop Mountain Battlefield Commission.....									1,000.00	1,000.00
National Cemetery Grafton.....							1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
Point Pleasant Monument Commission.....	6,000.00	4,000.00	4,000.00	4,000.00			5,900.00	5,900.00	3,500.00	3,500.00
Public School Commission.....			7,500.00	7,500.00	2,000.00	2,000.00				

COMPARATIVE TABLE OF APPROPRIATIONS



Re-codification Commission.....	33,000.00	33,000.00	42,000.00	42,000.00	54,000.00	21,000.00				
Rumseyan Society.....	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00
State Board of Examiners for Nurses, General Expenses.....									2,500.00	2,500.00
State Board of Examiners in Optometry, General Expenses.....									1,500.00	1,500.00
Veterinary Examining Board, Gen. Expenses.....									250.00	250.00
Vicksburg Monument Commission.....	7,500.00									
State Board of Pharmacy.....	3,500.00	3,500.00	3,500.00	3,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00	3,000.00	3,000.00	2,500.00	2,500.00
General Miscellaneous.....		248,710.16		310,894.50		152,214.64		52,849.05		

## **PART IV.**

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### **OFFICIAL REGISTER DIVISION:**

**County Officers and Boards, Attorneys, Political Committees and  
District Officers.**

**Tabulated List of Counties with County Seats.**

**Tabulated List of Elective and Appointive County Officers.**

**Salaries of County Officers.**

**Boards of Review and Equalization.**

**Property Assessments by Counties, 1929.**

**Population by Counties, 1880-1930.**

**Population of Cities Having Ten Thousand or More Inhabitants.**

# OFFICIAL REGISTER DIVISION

COVERING

COUNTIES AND DISTRICTS

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Including Lists of County Officers and Boards, Attorneys, Political Committees and District Officers in West Virginia

TOGETHER WITH A

Tabulated List of County Officials and their Salaries, of Boards of Review and Equalization and Population and Assessed Valuations by Counties

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## BARBOUR COUNTY

Barbour county, formed in 1843, has an area of 348 square miles, and in 1930 had a population of 18,628, a gain of 530 since the census of 1920. It was named for Philip Pendleton Barbour, a distinguished jurist of Virginia.

The county has eight magisterial districts, Philippi, Pleasant, Union, Valley, Barker, Cove, Elk and Glade, and in 1929, had an assessed valuation of \$17,980,273, divided as follows: Real estate, \$11,153,065; personal property, \$2,620,216, and public utility property, \$4,206,992. It has valuable coal deposits, which have been largely developed.

Philippi, the county seat, established in 1844, has an elevation of 1,310 feet, and with a 1930 population of 1,767, made a gain of 224 over the previous census return. Here the Baptists of West Virginia maintain Broaddus College, an institution of higher learning. Philippi has an independent school district.

The first land engagement of the Civil War was fought at Philippi on June 3, 1861, the Federal troops, commanded by General B. F. Kelly, surprising and routing the Confederate forces under Colonel Porterfield. A commission to recommend suitable markers and monuments to commemorate this action was appointed by the Legislature in 1927.

Belington, with a population of 1,571, and Junior with 560, are other municipalities in the county.

## COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

- Judge Circuit Court.....Warren B. Kittle, Republican; Philippi.  
 Terms Commence.....Second Monday in January, second Monday  
 in April and first Monday in September.
- Official Court Reporter.....W. H. Pilson, Republican; Grafton.
- Sheriff.....J. H. Marsh, Democrat; Philippi.
- Prosecuting Attorney.....Forrest B. Poling, Democrat; Philippi.
- Clerk Circuit Court.....W. D. Corder, Republican; Philippi.
- Gen'l Receiver Circuit Court..W. W. Ward, Republican; Volga, R. 1.
- Chancery Commissioners....Harry Mason, Republican; Philippi.  
 E. Wayne Talbott, Republican; Philippi.  
 Geo. M. Kittle, Republican; Philippi.
- Divorce Commissioner.....Paul B. Ware, Republican; Philippi.
- Clerk County Court.....J. F. Hewitt, Republican; Philippi.
- Supt. Free Schools.....D. P. Baughman, Democrat; Philippi, R. 5.
- Surveyor.....A. Wolverton, Democrat; Philippi.
- County Road Engineer.....B. M. Compton, Republican; Philippi.
- Assessor.....Grover E. Lutz, Democrat; Philippi.
- Com. of School Lands.....J. B. Ware, Republican; Philippi.
- County Commissioners.....W. S. Grimes, Republican; Belington; term  
 expires December 31, 1930.  
 Willie Thorn, Republican; Junior; term ex-  
 pires December 31, 1930.  
 D. Dickenson, Democrat; Philippi; term ex-  
 pires December 31, 1930.  
 Isaac M. Forman, Republican; Moatsville;  
 term expires December 31, 1930.  
 J. M. Cutright, Republican; Volga; term ex-  
 pires December 31, 1932.  
 T. H. Lake, Republican; Galloway; term ex-  
 pires December 31, 1932.  
 C. L. Phillips, Democrat; Montrose; term  
 expires December 31, 1932.  
 Earl Golden, Democrat; Philippi; term ex-  
 pires December 31, 1932.
- President County Court.....W. S. Grimes, Republican; Belington.
- Terms Commence.....First Monday in January, first Monday in  
 April, second Monday in June and first  
 Monday in October.
- Commissioners of Accounts..H. J. Wilcox, Republican; Philippi.  
 H. J. Poling, Democrat; Philippi.  
 E. Wayne Talbott, Republican, Philippi.  
 C. M. Murphy, Democrat; Philippi.
- Sealer of Wts. & Measures..Geo. L. Coontz, Belington.
- B'd Review & Equalization...James G. Wilson, Republican; Barker Dis-  
 trict; Belington; term expires in 1931.  
 W. D. Zinn, Democrat; Philippi District;  
 Philippi; term expires in 1933.

C. J. Stansberry, Republican; Pleasant District; Simpson, R. 1; term expires in 1935.

Board of Health..... The President of the County Court and Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio; Dr. W. Scott Smith, Philippi, County Health Officer.

Board Children's Guardians.. Miss Mary N. Waugh, District Agent; Buckhannon.

U. S. B'd Ex. Surgeons ..... Philippi. Dr. J. W. Bosworth, Single Surgeon.

**LIST OF ATTORNEYS**

(Post office address Philippi)

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|--------------------|---------------------|
| Byrer, H. S.       | Poling, Forrest B.  |
| George, W. T.      | Poling, Herman J.   |
| Kittle and Kittle, | Stemple, D. D.      |
| Kittle, Frank G.   | Stemple, Dayton R.  |
| Kittle, George M.  | Talbott and Talbott |
| Ice, W. T., Jr.    | Talbott, W. Bruce   |
| Janes, William     | Talbott, E. Wayne   |
| Mason, Harry       | Ware and Ware       |
| Murphy, Charles M. | Ware, J. Blackburn  |
| Meyer, Q. Edward   | Ware, Paul B.       |
|                    | Wilcox, H. J.       |

**REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

**Officers**

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| Howard Price, Chairman,<br>Belington.    | D. D. Stemple, Secretary,<br>Philippi. |
| Sherman Lindsey, Treasurer,<br>Philippi. |  |

**Members**

- Barker District—Howard Price, Belington; Walter Criss and Mrs. Grant Graham, Belington; Mrs. L. N. Viquesney, Junior.
- Cove District—H. C. Coffman and Hettie Nestor, Kasson; Rosa Semmelman, Moatsville; Eli Righman, Nestorville.
- Elk District—Glen Douglas, Philippi, R. D.; Stewart McDaniel, Mrs. Glen Douglas and Mrs. N. C. Hardin, Philippi.
- Glade District—W. F. Bennett, Hugh Stalnaker and Mrs. Hugh Stalnaker, Philippi.
- Philippi District—D. D. Stemple, Sherman Lindsey, Ella May Scott and Carl B. Harvey, Philippi.

Pleasant District—J. E. Boyles, Berryburg; Mrs. Troy Hamric, Philippi; Owen Haddix, Philippi, R. 1; Mrs. E. L. Young, Simpson.

Union District—Troy Winans and E. B. Bartlett, Volga; Clara Leyman, Rangoon; Mrs. Blanche Thompson, Volga.

Valley District—D. B. McCauley, Ida Kerr, Mrs. S. L. Brooks and Dellas Corley, Belington, R. D.

### DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

A. Wolverton, Chairman  
Philippi.

Forrest B. Poling, Acting Secy.,  
Philippi.

J. W. Bosworth, Treasurer,  
Philippi.

#### Members

Barker District—J. N. Bibey, Junior; Clark Shelton, Belington.

Cove District—Howard Campbell, Kasson; Willie Humphreys, Moatsville, R. F. D.

Elk District—W. F. Beeson, Philippi, R. F. D. 4; L. D. McKinney, Philippi, R. F. D. 1.

Glade District—Wayne Philipps, Belington, R. 4; Isiah Johnson, Montrose, R. F. D.

Philippi District—J. M. Bennett, Philippi, R. 5; W. G. Keyes, Philippi.

Pleasant District—A. D. Woodford, Philippi, R. F. D. 1; W. J. Lawlis, Moatsville, R. 3.

Union District—Alva Marteney, Volga; Hugh Proudfoot, Philippi, R. 1.

Valley District—B. B. Rohrbough, Belington; W. B. Baker, Belington.

### DISTRICT OFFICERS

#### Barker District

Justices of the Peace . . . . . Luther Moore, Democrat; Belington, R. 3.

I. F. Right, Republican, Belington.

Constables . . . . . Ben H. Price, Republican; Belington.

John R. Ramsey, Republican; Belington.

Board of Education . . . . . President—Monroe Moore, Democrat; Belington.

Secretary—J. M. Kelley, Republican; Belington.

Henry Harris, Democrat; Dartmoor.

S. E. Jones, Democrat; Belington.

#### Cove District

Justices of the Peace . . . . . O. C. Denison, Republican; Moatsville.

S. L. Marsh, Democrat; Nestorville.

Constable . . . . . C. J. Stalnaker, Democrat; Nestorville.

**Board of Education** . . . . . President—J. L. Righman, Republican; Nestorville.

Secretary—F. L. Ritter, Republican; Moatsville.

Riley Nestor, Republican; Nestorville.

Jonas Hoffman, Republican; Moatsville.

**Elk District**

**Justice of the Peace** . . . . . O. D. Wright, Democrat; Flemington, R. 2.  
**Constables** . . . . . (None.)

**Board of Education** . . . . . President—Dowden Hudkins, Democrat; Philippi.

Secretary—L. D. McKinney, Democrat; Philippi.

W. T. Stout, Democrat; Philippi.

Arnett Roy, Democrat; Philippi.

**Glade District**

**Justice of the Peace** . . . . . (None.)

**Constable** . . . . . J. R. England, Democrat; Philippi, R. 1.

**Board of Education** . . . . . President—Jesse Baughman, Democrat; Philippi, R. 5.

Secretary—E. C. Moore, Democrat; Montrose.

A. L. Martney, Democrat; Belington.

I. N. Johnson, Democrat; Montrose.

**Philippi District**

**Justices of the Peace** . . . . . W. G. Keyes, Democrat; Philippi.

Luke Boyles, Democrat; Philippi.

**Constables** . . . . . E. L. Reed, Democrat; Philippi.

J. C. Moore, Democrat; Philippi.

**Board of Education** . . . . . President—R. H. Woodford, Democrat; Meriden.

Secretary—F. E. Bartlett, Democrat; Philippi.

Clifton Snodgrass, Democrat; Arden.

J. R. Heltzel, Democrat; Philippi.

**Philippi Independent School District**

**Board of Education** . . . . . President—M. H. Gall, Democrat; Philippi.

Secretary—E. L. Bartlett, Democrat; Philippi.

Troy Stemple, Democrat; Philippi.

A. B. Harsh, Republican; Philippi.

**Pleasant District**

**Justice of the Peace** . . . . . Laco B. Corder, Republican; Flemington.

**Constable**..... B. Cleavenger, Republican; Galloway.  
**Board of Education**..... President—Dorsey W. Cole, Republican;

Philippi.

Secretary—A. M. Stansberry, Republican;  
 Berryburg.

Floyd C. Trimble, Republican; Moatsville.

Harter R. Wilson, Republican; Philippi.

#### Union District

**Justices of the Peace**..... I. L. Dadisman, Democrat; Hall.

C. R. McCoy, Republican; Volga.

**Constables**..... J. W. Campbell, Republican; Volga.

Hess Skidmore, Democrat; Hall.

**Board of Education**..... President—J. W. Teter, Republican, Rangoon.

Secretary—S. H. Simpson, Democrat; Rangoon.

R. S. Dickenson, Democrat; Volga.

Frank Ward, Republican; Volga.

#### Valley District

**Justices of the Peace**..... Stark Kittle, Republican; Belington.

F. A. Simpson, Republican; Belington.

**Constables**..... V. E. George, Republican; Belington.

W. L. Kittle, Republican; Belington.

**Board of Education**..... President—W. M. Kittle, Republican; Belington.

Secretary—D. B. McCauley, Republican; Belington.

L. B. Coontz, Republican; Junior.

## BERKELEY COUNTY

The narrow strip of West Virginia extending to the east between Virginia and Maryland is comprised of three counties and is known as the Eastern Panhandle.

Berkeley County, one of the three, became a separate county in 1772 and was named for Norborne Berkeley, Baron Botetourt, colonial governor of Virginia from 1768 to 1770. Its land area is 324.78 square miles and the census returns for 1930 shows a population of 28,030, a gain of 3,486 since the 1920 census.

In 1929, the assessed valuation of the property in the county was \$30,131,793, of which \$16,497,450 was real estate, \$6,755,950 personal property and \$6,878,393 public utility property. Arden, Falling Waters, Gerrardstown, Hedgesville, Martinsburg, Mill Creek and Okequon are the seven magisterial districts, the City of Martinsburg having an independent school district. Berkeley County is the center of a great horticultural and agri-



cultural district and is well known for the excellence of its fruits, particularly apples. Its mineral resources include ores, sands and limestone.

Martinsburg, the county seat, named for Colonel Thomas Bryan Martin, increased its 1920 population of 12,515 to 14,857 in 1930. Its elevation above sea level is 457.7 feet.

Hedgesville, the only other municipality in the county, had a 1930 population of 361.

At Bunker Hill, in Berkeley county, in 1726, Morgan Morgan founded the first permanent settlement in Western Virginia. In commemoration of this settlement and in memory of its founder, the state of West Virginia, in 1924, placed a monument at the grave of Morgan Morgan.

### COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

Judge Circuit Court	Decatur H. Rodgers, Republican; Martinsburg.
Terms Commence	Third Tuesday in February, third Tuesday in May and third Tuesday in October.
Sheriff	E. F. Thomas, Republican; Martinsburg; ex-officio Sealer of Weights and Measures.
Prosecuting Attorney	Herbert E. Hannis, Republican; Martinsburg.
Clerk Circuit Court	L. De W. Gerhardt, Republican; Martinsburg.
Gen'l Receiver Circuit Court	Edward Rutledge, Martinsburg.
Chancery Commissioners	A. C. Nadenbousch, Democrat; Martinsburg. R. H. Boyd, Democrat; Martinsburg. H. A. Downs, Republican; Martinsburg. P. R. Harrison, Democrat; Martinsburg.
Divorce Commissioner	(Vacancy.)
Clerk County Court	Paul H. Martin, Republican; Martinsburg.
Supt. Free Schools	Miss Bessie D. Kilmer, Democrat; Martinsburg, R. 4.
County Road Engineer	C. N. Stuckey, Republican; Martinsburg.
Surveyor	F. L. Hawkins, Republican; Martinsburg.
Assessor	Harry E. Johnson, Republican; Martinsburg.
Com'r of School Lands	Lacy I. Rice, Republican; Martinsburg.
County Commissioners	C. E. Dick, Republican; Hedgesville, R. D. 9; term expires December 31, 1930. W. M. Johnson, Republican; Martinsburg; term expires December 31, 1930. W. R. Keller, Republican; Martinsburg, R. F. D. No. 2; term expires December 31, 1934.
President County Court	C. E. Dick, Republican; Hedgesville, R. D. 9.
Terms Commence	First Monday in March, first Monday in June, first Monday in September and first Monday in December.

- Commissioner of Accounts.. L. De W. Gerhardt, Republican; Martinsburg.  
A. C. Nadenbousch, Democrat; Martinsburg.  
A. H. Shipper, Republican; Martinsburg.
- B'd Review & Equalization.. Lewis H. Thompson, Democrat; Martinsburg District; Martinsburg; term expires in 1931.  
Charles Ruble, Republican; Falling Waters District; Falling Waters; term expires in 1933.  
Cecil DeHaven, Republican; Gerrardstown District; Gerrardstown; term expires in 1935.
- Board of Health..... The President of the County Court and Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio, Dr. W. Ross Cameron, Martinsburg; County Health Officer.
- U. S. B'd Ex. Surgeons..... Dr. A. B. Eagle, Single Surgeon; Martinsburg.
- B'd of Children's Guardians. Miss Mary Kay Babb, District Agent, Keyser.
- Humane Officer..... (Vacant.)
- Probation Officer..... E. J. Fulk, Republican; Martinsburg.

### LIST OF ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Martinsburg)

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|------------------------|---------------------------|
| Aler, F. Vernon        | Luttrell, E. L.           |
| Boyd, Robert H.        | Martin and Seibert        |
| Beall, C. R.           | Martin, C. E.             |
| Byrer, Harry H.        | Seibert, C. M.            |
| Byrer, Hugh            | Martin, Paul H.           |
| Campbell, C. N.        | McIntire, A. C.           |
| Downey, W. W.          | Nadenbousch, A. C.        |
| Downs, H. A.           | (Deputy Clerk, U. S. Dist |
| Emmert and Rice        | Ct.)                      |
| Emmert, H. H.          | Noll, Allen B.            |
| Rice, Lacy I.          | Poole, Xenophon           |
| Faulkner, Philip O.    | Rodgers, Decatur H.       |
| Fine, Reuben           | (Judge Circuit Court)     |
| Gerhardt, L. De W.     | Sencindiver, C. T.        |
| Gain, Charles G.       | Shipper, A. H.            |
| Hannis, Herbert E.     | Thomas, W. H.             |
| (Prosecuting Attorney) | (Referee in Bankruptcy)   |
| Henson, J. O.          | Watson, R. E.             |
| Kilmer, J. Nevin       | Zirkle, John H.           |

## REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

## Officers

Harold O. Keedy, Chairman,  
Martinsburg.

Edward J. Fulk, Secretary,  
Martinsburg.

Mrs. Sarah E. VanMetre, Asso. Chair.,  
Martinsburg, R. 1

S. M. Langford, Treasurer,  
Martinsburg.

## Members

Martinsburg District—(At Large) George M. Bowers, Jr., L. De. W. Gerhardt, Jr., Mrs. Ella S. Gerhardt and Mrs. Wayne H. Crum, Martinsburg.

## City of Martinsburg

First Ward—Dr. James A. Duff and Mrs. Phyllis Stake.

Second Ward—S. M. Langford and Mrs. Nellie M. Thomas.

Third Ward—Edward J. Fulk and Miss Frances Henshaw.

Fourth Ward—Jacob Heck and Mrs. Sallie Armstrong.

Fifth Ward—Ashby Ellis and Mrs. Elizabeth Townsend.

Arden District—E. F. McDonald, Inwood, R. 1; Mrs. Harry Gosnell and Mrs. Rumsey Graham, Martinsburg, R. 4.

Falling Waters District—John W. Dailey, George Beall and Mrs. Jean Cunningham, Falling Waters; Mrs. Nancy Myers, Martinsburg, R. 6.

Gerrardstown District—Arch E. Armbrester, Shanghai; Harry Catrow and Mrs. Sarah E. VanMetre, Martinsburg, R. 1; Mrs. Carrie Barnhart, Jones Spring.

Hedgesville District—L. G. Harper, Hedgesville, R. D.; L. F. Landis and Mrs. Roy V. Albright, Hedgesville; Mrs. Jasper Myers, Hedgesville, R. D. 8.

Mill Creek District—Harry May, Inwood, R. 1; George E. Henson, Mrs. Earl Gardner and Mrs. Jane Dean, Bunker Hill.

Opequon District—G. W. D. Folk and Mrs. Ward McLanahan, Martinsburg, R. 5; Mrs. Ira Tabler, Martinsburg, R. 3.

## DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

## Officers

J. Fred Wilson, Chairman,  
Martinsburg, Box 694.

Miss Rebecca Kilmer, Secretary,  
Martinsburg.

Mrs. E. E. Tabb, Vice Chairman,  
Martinsburg, R. F. D.

C. P. Howell, Treasurer,  
Martinsburg.

## Members

## City of Martinsburg

First Ward—J. Fred Wilson, John N. Parks, Mrs. Catharine Watson and Mrs. Mary B. Alexander, Martinsburg.

Second Ward—R. S. Thompson, J. W. Thomas, Mrs. A. C. McIntyre, and Miss Ada Robinson, Martinsburg.

Third Ward—Reuben Fine, Chas. M. Seibert, Edith DeGrange and Grace Rutherford, Martinsburg.

Fourth Ward—Carroll Cominsky and M. S. McDonald, Martinsburg.

Fifth Ward—George Dunn and Earl Lloyd, Martinsburg.

Mill Creek District—John D. Payne, R. F. Whiting, Mrs. A. M. Henshaw and Amelia McKown, Inwood.

Opequon District—Boyd Williams, Martinsburg, R. F. D.; C. M. Seibert, Martinsburg; Mrs. May Yoe, Martinsburg, R. 5; Mrs. W. H. Bohrer, Martinsburg, R. 3.

Falling Waters District—Frank M. Lloyd, P. F. Hoffman, Mrs. Nina Drake, Falling Waters, R. F. D.; Helen Stickle, Martinsburg, R. F. D. 2.

Gerrardstown District—Alex Stillwell, Ganotown; R. D. Sherrard, Gerrardstown; Mrs. C. L. Pitzer and Mrs. Lyle Campbell, Martinsburg, R. F. D. 1.

Arden District—J. M. Stolleyer and Mrs. C. E. Tabb, Martinsburg, R. F. D. 4; Hardwood Burkhart and Miss Rebecca Kilmer, Martinsburg.

Hedgesville District—C. B. Kilmer, Martinsburg, R. D. 6; J. D. Fry, Hedgesville; Mrs. Edith Walburn, Hedgesville, R. F. D.; Alice Roul, Hedgesville.

#### DISTRICT OFFICERS

##### Arden District

Justices of the Peace..... E. T. Hott, Republican; Martinsburg.

J. D. Smith, Democrat; Martinsburg.

Board of Education..... President—I. R. Graham, Republican; Martinsburg.

Secretary—Elizabeth Rezzo, Republican; Martinsburg.

Oliver Noll, Democrat; Martinsburg.

John Brown, Republican; Kearneysville.

##### Falling Waters District

Justice of the Peace..... S. C. Ditto, Republican; Falling Waters.

Constable..... G. W. Keesecker, Republican; Falling Waters.

Board of Education..... President—C. M. Solenberger, Republican; Martinsburg, R. 6.

Secretary—D. S. Brown, Republican; Martinsburg.

Frank Lemaster, Republican; Falling Waters.

William Miller, Republican; Falling Waters.

##### Gerrardstown District

Justice of the Peace..... W. E. Gordon, Republican; Gerrardstown.

Constables..... (None.)

Board of Education..... President—Calvin Aikins, Republican; Gerrardstown.

Secretary—Kathryn S. Brady, Republican; Martinsburg.

William Pitzer, Republican; Gerrardstown.

Carl Slonaker, Republican; Ganotown.



### BOONE COUNTY

Boone County, in the southwestern tier of counties, was organized in 1847 and contains a land area of 506 square miles. Its important natural resource is coal. The 1920 population of 15,319, increased, according to the 1930 census report, to 24,586. The county was named for Daniel Boone, the famous hunter and explorer.

The returns to the State Tax Commissioner of the taxable property in the county in 1929, show a total assessment of \$27,893,305, comprising \$14,747,055 in real estate, \$6,693,991 personal property and \$6,452,259 public utility property.

The county is divided into five magisterial districts, Crook, Peytona, Scott, Sherman and Washington.

The county seat is Madison, with an elevation of 603 feet. Its population in 1920 was 604, which had increased to 1,156 in 1930. The West Virginia Synodical School of the Presbyterian Church, opposite the present county seat, is situated on the site of the original court house.

Danville, also incorporated, in 1930 had a population of 486.

### COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

Judge Circuit Court.....	C. M. Ward, Democrat; Beckley.
Terms Commence.....	First Monday in February, first Monday in May, first Monday in August and the second Monday in November.
Sheriff.....	C. C. Hopkins, Democrat; Madison.
Prosecuting Attorney.....	A. W. Garnett, Democrat; Madison.
Clerk Circuit Court.....	H. M. White, Republican; Madison.
Gen'l Receiver Circuit Court.....	Edward Hill, Republican; Madison.
Chancery Commissioners....	H. W. B. Mullins, Republican; Madison. A. W. Garnett, Democrat; Madison. John B. Hager, Democrat; Madison. G. W. Mitchell, Republican; Madison.
Divorce Commissioner.....	Harry G. Shaffer, Republican; Madison.
Clerk County Court.....	C. H. Nelson, Republican; Madison.
Supt. Free Schools.....	Clifford N. Coon, Democrat; Madison.
County Road Engineer.....	M. C. Cloud, Democrat; Madison.
Surveyor.....	C. C. Carter, Democrat; Madison.
Assessor.....	J. G. Edelman, Democrat; Peytona.
Comr. of School Lands.....	C. A. Crofts, Madison.
County Commissioners.....	R. B. Allen, Democrat; Low Gap; term expires December 31, 1930. K. Hill, Democrat; Whitesville; term expires December 31, 1932. Geo. C. Courtney, Democrat; Rumble; term expires December 31, 1934.
President County Court.....	K. Hill, Democrat, Whitesville.
Terms Commence.....	First Monday in January, first Monday in

	March, first Monday in August and first Monday in October.
Commissioners of Accounts	Edward Hill, Republican; Madison. F. T. Miller, Madison. C. H. Kellogg, Madison.
B'd Review & Equalization	Henry Keadle, Democrat; Washington District; Jeffrey; term expires in 1931. S. E. Bradley, Republican; Scott District; Madison; term expires in 1933. John M. Perry, Republican; Peytona District; Peytona; term expires in 1935.
Board of Health	The President of the County Court and Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio; Dr. Marvin Price, Madison; County Health Officer.
Board Children's Guardians	Miss Edna Dodson, District Agent; Charleston.

## LIST OF ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Madison)

Fulton and Riddle	Hager, John B.
Fulton, Lilburn	Leftwich and Shaffer
Riddle, S. P.	Leftwich, F. C.
Garnett, A. W., (Prosecuting Attorney)	Shaffer, Harry G. Mullins, H. W. B.
	Murphy, F. P.

## REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

## Officers

Edward Hill, Chairman, Madison.	Sigfus Olafson, Asst. Secretary, Madison.
L. L. Hager, Secretary, Madison.	O. C. Chambers, Treasurer, Madison.

## Members

Crook District—Oliver Cook, Bald Knob; W. K. Stewart and Mrs. W. L. Perry, Van; Mrs. Wirt Cook, Wharton.

Peytona District—G. A. Atkins and Mrs. C. O. Harless, Costa; A. J. Bradley and Mrs. May Bradley, Peytona.

Scott District—R. S. Kinder and Mrs. Sarah A. Miller, Madison; J. T. Price, Julian; Mrs. Ella White, Altman.

Sherman District—T. E. Brown, Comfort; H. H. Andrews and Mrs. Paul Jarrell, Whitesville; Sallie Kirby, Racine.

Washington District—W. W. White, Jeffrey; Moses Atkins, Mrs. Ada Parker and Miss Sara A. Pollock, Ramage.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Officers

A. W. Garnett, Chairman,  
Madison.

C. H. Kellog, Secy-Treas.,  
Madison.

Members

Crook District—B. S. Price, Uneeda; Grace White, Mrs. Vergie Price and Mrs. Frances Ferrell, Van.

Peytona District—Milton Meadows and Elmer Wood, Peytona; Mrs. Atha Kinder, Andrew; Mrs. L. B. Meadows, Rumble.

Scott District—J. F. Thompson, Woodville; Miss Pearl Smith, Foster; Virgil Bias, Danville; Mrs. Arizona Hatfield, Madison.

Sherman District—Tilden Hendricks, Orgas; Dr. H. D. Chambers, Whitesville; Lydia Midkiff, Blooming Rose; Mrs. B. C. Scott, Prenter.

Washington District—B. M. Hager, Clothier; Caperton Miller and Mrs. H. W. Bias, Turtle Creek; Mrs. Laura Allen, Low Gap.

DISTRICT OFFICERS

Crook District

- Justices of the Peace..... J. C. Webb, Republican; Gordon. Virgil Jones, Democrat; Bald Knob.
- Constables..... J. C. Jarrell, Democrat; Van. Lewis Miller, Republican; Van.
- Board of Education..... President—B. C. Dickens, Republican; Van. Secretary—John Tanner, Republican; Van. Kess Jarrell, Democrat; Van. W. M. Jarrell, Republican; Bald Knob.

Peytona District

- Justices of the Peace..... H. C. Penland, Democrat; Brush Creek. J. H. Holstein, Democrat; Ashford.
- Constable..... B. E. Bowles, Democrat; Brush Creek.
- Board of Education..... President—C. M. Holmes, Democrat; Nellis. Secretary—Mrs. May Bradley, Republican; Peytona. F. P. Roach, Democrat; Peytona. Nathan Sharp, Democrat; Nellis.

Scott District

- Justices of the Peace..... C. F. Hager, Democrat; Madison. Irvin Booth, Democrat; Morrisvale.
- Constables..... M. L. Stone, Democrat; Morrisvale. Ed. McComas, Democrat; Danville.
- Board of Education..... President—J. F. Thompson, Democrat; Morrisvale. Secretary—Perry Dolin, Democrat; Foster. Robert Ferrell, Democrat; Danville. D. M. Gunnoe, Democrat; Foster.



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 Sherman District

Justices of the Peace	P. H. Kuhn, Democrat; Whitesville. J. F. Clendinen, Democrat; Whitesville.
Constables	E. L. Pittsonbarger, Democrat, Whitesville. Jake Brown, Democrat; Whitesville.
Board of Education	President—Price Bone, Republican; Seth. Secretary—R. H. Ball, Republican; Seth. C. C. Brinkley, Democrat; Blooming Rose. P. I. Nolan, Democrat; Kam.

## Washington District

Justices of the Peace	B. L. Powell, Democrat; Jeffrey. B. P. Browning, Democrat; Greenview.
Constables	Frank Hager, Democrat; Jeffrey. A. C. Powell, Democrat; Ramage.
Board of Education	President—Henry Brown, Democrat; Ramage. Secretary—B. F. Ball, Democrat, Low Gap. Calvary Pauley, Republican; Greenview. Isiaah W. Nelson, Democrat; North Gap.

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 BRAXTON COUNTY

Braxton county, the central county of the state, erected in 1836, takes its name from Carter Braxton, the Virginia statesman and signer of the Declaration of Independence. Its area is 517 square miles and its 1930 population was 22,579. The assessed valuation of the county, as returned for 1929 was: Real estate, \$8,329,673; personal property, \$3,074,880 and property of public utilities, \$4,849,183; total valuation, \$16,253,736.

Birch, Holly, Otter and Salt Lick are the four magisterial districts of the county and there are two independent school districts, which include the towns of Sutton and Flatwoods.

Sutton, the county seat, originally called Newville, was established as Suttonville in 1826, the name being changed to Sutton in 1837. Located on the Elk River, it has an elevation of 843 feet and its 1920 population of 947 increased to 1,205 in 1930.

The other municipalities of the county, with their 1930 populations, are Burnsville, 868; Gassaway, 1,618, and Flatwoods, 299.

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 COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

Judge Circuit Court	Jake Fisher, Democrat; Sutton.
Terms Commence	Second Tuesday in March, second Tuesday in July and the third Tuesday in November.

Official Court Reporter.....	Raymond Allman, Democrat; Sutton.
Sheriff.....	H. W. Moyers, Democrat; Sutton, ex-officio Sealer of Weights and Measures.
Prosecuting Attorney.....	Kenneth E. Hines, Democrat; Sutton.
Clerk Circuit Court.....	T. H. Hyer, Republican; Sutton.
Gen'l Receiver Circuit Court..	Van B. Hall, Democrat; Sutton.
Chancery Commissioners.....	W. L. Armstrong, Democrat; Sutton. J. E. Cutlip, Democrat; Sutton.
Clerk County Court.....	E. W. Heffner, Democrat; Sutton.
Supt. Free Schools.....	T. P. Rollyson, Republican; Frametown.
Surveyor.....	H. L. Robinson, Jr., Democrat; Sutton.
County Road Engineer.....	(None.)
Assessor.....	L. S. Stonestreet, Democrat; Sutton.
Comr. of School Lands.....	C. C. Hines, Democrat; Sutton.
County Commissioners.....	J. L. Coberly, Democrat; Burnsville; term expires December 31, 1930. W. G. Perrine, Democrat; Exchange; term expires December 31, 1932. J. W. McLaughlin, Democrat; Frametown; term expires December 31, 1934.
President County Court.....	J. L. Coberly, Democrat; Burnsville.
Terms Commence.....	The first Tuesday in January, April, June and October.
Commissioners of Accounts..	W. L. Armstrong, Democrat; Sutton. J. E. Cutlip, Democrat; Sutton.
B'd of Review & Equalization	O. D. Queene, Democrat; Salt Lick District; Heaters; term expires in 1931. V. G. Bender, Republican; Otter District; Chapel; term expires in 1933. W. Frank Duffield, Republican; Holly Dis- trict; Sutton; term expires in 1935.
Board of Health.....	The President of the County Court and Prose- cuting Attorney, ex-officio; Dr. M. T. Mor- rison, Sutton, County Health Officer.
B'd of Children's Guardians..	Miss Florence Charter, District Agt., Union Bank Building, Clarksburg.
U. S. B'd of Ex. Surgeons...	Sutton. Drs. W. H. McCauley, O. O. Eakle and M. T. Morrison.

### LIST OF LAWYERS

(Post office address Sutton, unless otherwise given)

Armstrong, W. L.	Fisher, Jake
Armstrong, G. B.	(Judge Circuit Court)
Belknap, G. C.	Flesher, C. W., Gassaway
Cavendish, R. M., Morgantown	Haymond and Fox,
Cutlip, James E.	Haymond, W. E.
Davis, Garrett G.	Fox, Fred L.

Hines, Hall and Hines	Rider, E. G.
Hines, W. E.	Sutton, O. O.
Hall, Van B.	Whytsell, C. A., Burnsville
Hines, Kenneth E., (Prosecuting Attorney)	
Wilson, N. Van, Gassaway	

### REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

H. F. Bender, Chairman, Gassaway.	C. L. Heater, Secretary, Gassaway.
A. L. Morrison, Treasurer, Sutton.	

#### Members

Birch District—M. C. McMorro, Dessie; E. H. Pierson and Mrs. Faye Given, Frametown; Mrs. Caroline Gibson, Glendon.

Holly District—W. C. Baxter and Mrs. C. B. Hawkins, Sutton; Earle Morrison and Mrs. Hannah Rutherford, Sutton, R. D.

Otter District—Frank Skidmore, Tesla; J. J. Timms, Mrs. E. V. Ryan and Mrs. Cary Lewis, Gassaway.

Salt Lick District—W. E. Marple and Mrs. H. B. Marshall, Burnsville; Eagan Veith and Mrs. Elma Exline, Falls Mills.

### CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE

A. K. Walker, Sutton.

### SENATORIAL COMMITTEE

T. P. Rollyson, Frametown; Mrs. Laura M. Rider, Sutton.

### DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

Fred L. Fox, Chairman, Sutton.	Charles M. Byrne, Secretary Sutton.
J. B. Fisher, Treasurer, Gassaway.	

#### Members

Birch District—J. W. Mayse, Duck; R. L. Hardway, Frametown; Miss Lulu Armstrong, Glendon; Mrs. Frank R. Holt, Strange Creek.

Holly District—M. T. Morrison, Charles M. Byrne, Mrs. Edith Given and Mrs. M. L. Sprigg, Sutton.

Otter District—C. L. Perkins, J. B. Fisher and Mrs. Luster Rollyson, Gassaway; Mrs. R. J. Floyd, Sutton.

Salt Lick District—O. D. Queen, Heaters; M. W. Hefner and Mrs. Clara Teeter, Burnsville; Miss Vina Kerns, Bower.

## DISTRICT OFFICERS

## Birch District

- Justices of the Peace..... F. W. Jones, Democrat; Frametown.  
James L. Moore, Democrat; Servia.
- Constables..... H. C. Hall, Democrat; Frametown.  
A. B. Criner, Democrat; Frametown.
- Board of Education..... President—C. L. Gerwig, Republican; Frametown.  
Secretary—H. C. Fox, Democrat; Frametown.  
J. H. Mollohan, Democrat; Dessie.

## Holly District

- Justices of the Peace..... G. R. Gibson, Democrat; Sutton.  
W. G. Skidmore, Democrat; Sutton.
- Constables..... W. A. Dennison, Democrat; Sutton.
- Board of Education..... President—William R. Skidmore, Democrat;  
Sutton, R. 1.  
Secretary—M. C. Long, Democrat; Sutton.  
George N. Tinney, Democrat; Holstead.  
Marshall Skidmore, Democrat; Levi.

## Otter District

- Justices of the Peace..... P. C. Long, Democrat; Canfield.  
P. G. Cutlip, Democrat; Gassaway.
- Constable..... S. C. Marlow, Democrat; Davison.  
W. F. Hall, Democrat; Gassaway.
- Board of Education..... President—J. S. Perrine, Democrat; Sutton.  
Secretary—J. A. May, Democrat; Gassaway.  
A. A. Long, Democrat; Gassaway.  
N. Van Wilson, Republican; Gassaway.

## Salt Lick District

- Justices of the Peace..... Clarence Ancell, Democrat; Ireland.  
W. L. McCoy, Democrat; Burnsville.
- Constables..... L. J. Shock, Democrat; Burnsville.
- Board of Education..... President—P. A. Straley, Democrat; Copen.  
Secretary—H. W. Hamilton, Democrat; Gregory.  
O. C. Hawkins, Democrat; Burnsville.  
G. S. Barrett, Democrat; Bulltown.

## Flatwoods Independent School District

- Board of Education..... President—L. G. McQuain, Republican; Flatwoods.  
Secretary—M. H. Squires, Republican; Flatwoods.  
Jesse Skidmore, Democrat; Flatwoods.  
H. H. Hyer, Republican; Flatwoods.

**Sutton Independent School District**

Board of Education . . . . . President—I. L. Freeman, Republican; Sutton.  
 Secretary—V. B. Bail, Democrat; Sutton.  
 M. T. Morrison, Democrat; Sutton.  
 G. G. Davis, Republican; Sutton.

**BROOKE COUNTY**

Brooke county, in the Northern Panhandle, was formed from part of Ohio County in 1796 and named for Robert Brooke, governor of Virginia (1794-1796). It has an area of 89 square miles and its population in 1930 was 24,663, an increase of 8,136 in the last decade. In 1929 its assessed property valuation was as follows: Real estate, \$23,335,450; personal property, \$5,443,043; public utility property, \$6,558,016; total, \$35,336,509.

The county has three magisterial districts, Wellsburg, Buffalo and Cross Creek and one independent school district, which includes the City of Wellsburg.

Wellsburg, on the Ohio river, established in 1791, is the county seat. Its elevation above sea level is 635 feet and in 1920 it had a population of 4,918, which increased to 6,398 in 1930.

Bethany, near Wellsburg, had a population of 439 in 1930. It is the site of Bethany College, established in 1840, but with a history dating back to 1818.

Other municipalities in Brooke county are Follansbee, which had a population of 3,135 in 1920 and of 4,841 in 1930, and Holliday's Cove, whose 1920 population of 1,213 grew to 4,480 in 1930.

**COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS**

Judges Circuit Court . . . . . J. B. Sommerville, Democrat; Wheeling.  
 J. H. Brennan, Republican; Wheeling.  
 Terms Commence . . . . . First Monday in March, first Monday in June  
 and first Monday in November.  
 Official Court Reporters . . . . . Louis A. Walters, Republican; Wheeling.  
 L. E. Schrader, Republican; Wheeling.  
 Sheriff . . . . . Irvin W. Charnock, Republican; Wellsburg.  
 Prosecuting Attorney . . . . . James R. Wilkin, Republican; Wellsburg.  
 Asst. Prosecuting Atty. . . . . James, Paull, Democrat; Wellsburg.  
 Clerk Circuit Court . . . . . Mabel Kemp, Republican; Wellsburg.  
 Chancery Commissioners . . . . . C. K. Jacob, Republican; Wellsburg.  
 J. R. Wilkin, Republican; Wellsburg.  
 E. E. Carter, Republican; Wellsburg.  
 W. M. Werkman, Republican; Wellsburg.  
 Gen'l Receiver Circuit Court . . . . . (Vacant.)  
 Divorce Commissioner . . . . . J. A. Gist, Republican; Wellsburg.

Clerk County Court.....	Abe Montgomery, Republican; Wellsburg.
Supt. Free Schools.....	Olen Rutan, Republican; Beechbottom.
Surveyor.....	Walter Hahn, Republican; Wellsburg.
Road Engineer.....	Harry McGraw, Republican; Wellsburg.
Assessor.....	Edward M. Smith, Republican; Wellsburg.
Comr. of School Lands.....	R. L. Ramsey, Democrat; Follansbee.
County Commissioners.....	Frank M. Wade, Republican; Wellsburg; term expires December 31, 1930. W. W. Pilchard, Republican; Bethany; term expires December 31, 1932. A. S. Barnett, Republican; Follansbee; term expires December 31, 1934.
President County Court.....	Frank M. Wade, Republican; Wellsburg.
Terms Commence.....	Second Saturday in January, second Satur- day in April, second Saturday in July and second Saturday in October.
Commissioners of Accounts.....	C. K. Jacob, Republican; Wellsburg. J. A. Gist, Republican; Wellsburg. J. R. Wilkin, Republican; Wellsburg. F. A. Chapman, Democrat; Wellsburg.
B'd Review & Equalization.....	G. L. Caldwell, Republican; Wellsburg Dist- rict; Wellsburg; term expires in 1931. Samuel Carter, Democrat; Cross Creek Dis- trict; Follansbee; term expires in 1933. F. G. Barber, Republican; Buffalo District; Beech Bottom; term expires in 1935.
Board of Health.....	The President of the County Court and Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio; Dr. J. B. Walkinshaw, Wellsburg, County Health Officer.
U. S. B'd Ex. Surgeons.....	Wellsburg. Drs. F. T. Dare, J. B. Palmer and J. B. Walkinshaw.
B'd Children's Guardians.....	Miss Margaret E. McKinney, District Agent; Professional Bldg., Fairmont.
Probation Officer.....	Glen Wade, Republican; Wellsburg,
Humane Officer.....	Robert M. Lowe, Republican; Wellsburg.
Overseer of the Poor.....	Henry E. Gasmire, Republican; Wellsburg.

### LIST OF ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Wellsburg)

Carter, E. E.	Paull, James, Jr.
Chapman, F. A.	(Asst. Prosecuting Attorney)
Cree, J. F.	
Gist, J. A.	Pinsky, Abe
Jacob, C. K.	Ramsay, R. L.
Mahan, Walter	Werkman, W. M.
McGulre, P. J.	Wilkin and Wilkin
Palmer, J. C., Jr.,	Wilkin, James R.
(Also at Wheeling)	(Prosecuting Attorney)
	Wilkin, William S.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Officers

J. S. Reeves, Chairman, Wellsburg.	Mrs. Bertha Brafford, Vice Chairman Cross Creek.
Mabel V. Owen, Secretary, Wellsburg.	Dr. W. T. Booher, Treasurer Wellsburg.

Members

Wellsburg District—J. T. Reeves, Dr. W. T. Booher, Mabel V. Owen and Mrs. Ola Smith, Wellsburg.

Cross Creek District—Mrs. Bertha Brafford and Delmar Jenkins, Follansbee; Harry Warren and Mrs. Elizabeth Warren, Colliers.

Buffalo District—Fred R. Patterson and Mrs. Margaret Plummer, Power; Mrs. Ella A. Walsh and F. T. McAvoy, Bethany.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Officers

B. O. Cresap, Chairman, Wellsburg.	Mrs. Robert Oakes, Asso. Chairman, Wellsburg.
Nell V. Byrne, Secretary, Wellsburg.	John W. Owens, Treasurer, Bethany.

Members

Wellsburg District—James Barnes, B. O. Cresap, Mrs. Robert Oakes, and Nell V. Byrne, Wellsburg.

Buffalo District—Markley Lewis, Wellsburg, R. D.; John W. Owens, Bethany; Mrs. Micha McCoy, Beech Bottom; Mrs. Amelia Caseman, Short Creek, R. F. D.

Cross Creek District—Z. F. Simpson and Mrs. E. M. Dunlevy, Follansbee; Robert Ingram and Minnie Hazlett, Holidays Cove.

CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE

E. R. Tarr and Mrs. P. J. McGuire, Wellsburg.

SENATORIAL COMMITTEE

S. O. Paul and Mrs. S. Q. Hamilton, Wellsburg.

DISTRICT OFFICERS

Buffalo District

Justices of the Peace . . . . .	F. G. Barber, Republican; Beech Bottom. W. J. Ashcraft, Republican; Short Creek.
Constables . . . . .	Lester Mazingo, Democrat; Power. James Shay, Republican; Short Creek.
Board of Education . . . . .	President—W. M. Bonar, Republican; Short Creek.

Secretary—C. E. Agnew, Democrat; Wellsburg.

C. W. Marsh, Republican; Wellsburg.

Carle Wells, Republican; Beech Bottom.

#### Cross Creek District

Justices of the Peace..... Howard Manion, Republican; Follansbee.  
Brown Latimer, Republican; Follansbee.

Constables..... Lee Chambers, Republican; Follansbee.  
Geo. A. Cox, Republican; Follansbee.

Board of Education..... President—S. S. Dodrill, Republican; Follansbee.

Secretary—J. E. LeLancon, Republican; Follansbee.

J. B. McGranahan, Republican; Follansbee.

Frank Richey, Republican; Colliers.

#### Wellsburg District

Justices of the Peace..... Geo. R. Howard, Republican; Wellsburg.

A. B. Collett, Republican; Wellsburg.

Constables..... Newton Shannon, Republican, Wellsburg.

David Cross, Republican; Wellsburg.

#### Wellsburg Independent School District

Board of Education..... President—John Paull, Jr., Democrat; Wellsburg.

Secretary—J. A. Gist, Republican; Wellsburg.

Robert Barnes, Republican; Wellsburg.

E. M. Fontany, Republican; Wellsburg.

W. A. Steotzer; Wellsburg.

C. E. Jacobs, Democrat; Wellsburg.

## CABELL COUNTY

Cabell county, established in 1809 from part of Kanawha county, is in the southwestern part of the state, on the Ohio river. It was named in honor of William H. Cabell, governor of Virginia from 1805 to 1808. Its land area is 261 square miles.

The 1920 population of 65,746 in the county increased to 90,786 in 1930. The total assessed valuation in the county in 1929 was \$127,091,339, divided as follows: Real estate, \$83,495,730; personal property, \$24,195,044; public utility property, \$19,400,565.

The seven magisterial districts in the county are Barboursville, Grant, Guyandotte, Kyle, Gideon, McComas and Union. Huntington and Barboursville have independent school districts and Barboursville magisterial district and Barboursville independent school district constitute the Barboursville Joint High School District.



Huntington, the present county seat, located on the Ohio river, 564 feet above sea level, was established in 1871 and took its name from Collis P. Huntington, the then president of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway. The county seat was moved from Barboursville to Huntington in the early 1890's. Although one of the youngest cities of the state, Huntington is now the most populous and its population increased from 50,177 in 1920 to 75,572 in 1930, a growth of 25,395.

Marshall College, established in 1838 as Marshall Academy and then as a college in 1858, is located at Huntington. This school came into state control in 1867 as a state normal school. It is now under the direction of President Morris P. Shawkey.

The Huntington State Hospital, which was under the management of Dr. L. V. Guthrie, Superintendent, until his death on September 20, 1930, and of which Mrs. L. V. Guthrie is now Acting Superintendent, is also located in Huntington. Established in 1903, it has become one of the important state institutions for the care of those suffering from mental disorders.

The Colored Orphans Home, H. H. Railey, Superintendent, and the State Industrial Home for Colored Girls, Mrs. Fannie Cobb Carter, Superintendent, are located on the same farm, near Huntington, and the State Home for Aged and Infirm Colored Men and Women, Jacob H. Johnson, Superintendent, is located at Huntington.

Barboursville, with a population of 1,508 in 1930, as compared with 974 in 1920, was formerly the county seat of the county and is the site of Morris-Harvey College, a denominational school maintained by the West Virginia Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

Milton, another municipality in Cabell County, has increased its population from 1,023 in 1920 to 1,305 in 1930.

### COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

Judge Circuit Court	Thomas R. Shepherd, Republican; Huntington.
Terms Commence	First Monday in January, first Monday in May and the second Monday in September.
Official Court Reporter	Austin M. Sikes, Republican; Huntington.
Judge Common Pleas Court	H. Clay Warth, Democrat; Huntington.
Terms Commence	First Monday in February, first Monday in June and first Monday in October.
Official Court Reporter	Marie Shepard Yost, Democrat; Huntington.
Sheriff	Frank H. Tyree, Republican; Huntington.
Prosecuting Attorney	Lucien W. Blankenship, Republican; Huntington.
Clerk Circuit Court	George R. Seamonds, Democrat; Huntington. Ex-officio Clerk of the Common Pleas and Domestic Relations Courts.
Gen'l Receiver Circuit Court	John W. Perry, Republican; Huntington.

Chancery Commissioners . . . . .	B. C. Sharitz, Democrat; Huntington. L. W. Blankenship, Republican; Huntington. T. W. Peyton, Democrat; Huntington. Carney M. Layne, Democrat; Huntington. Dan Dawson, Republican; Huntington. F. W. Riggs, Republican; Huntington. R. L. Beuhring, Republican; Huntington. J. R. Marcum, Democrat; Huntington.
Court of Domestic Relations . . . . .	Judge—L. D. Isbell, Democrat; Huntington.
Divorce Commissioner . . . . .	W. H. Norton, Democrat; Huntington.
Clerk County Court . . . . .	R. S. Douthat, Democrat; Huntington.
Juvenile Officer . . . . .	Mrs. Nellie Spaulding, Democrat; Huntington.
Supt. Free Schools . . . . .	Henry F. White, Democrat; Huntington.
Surveyor . . . . .	R. W. Breece, Republican; Huntington.
Road Engineer . . . . .	James M. Oliver, Democrat; Huntington.
Assessor . . . . .	A. E. Salmon, Republican; Huntington.
Comr. of School Lands . . . . .	E. V. Townshend, Republican; Huntington.
County Commissioners . . . . .	T. H. Nash, Democrat; Barboursville; term expires December 31, 1930. G. L. Armstrong, Democrat; Huntington; term expires December 31, 1932. Frank H. Preston, Republican; Huntington; term expires December 31, 1934.
President County Court . . . . .	G. L. Armstrong, Democrat; Huntington.
Terms Commence . . . . .	First Monday in January, first Monday in April, first Monday in July and first Monday in October.
Commissioners of Accounts . . . . .	Carney M. Layne, Democrat; Huntington. T. W. Peyton, Democrat; Huntington. R. L. Beuhring, Republican; Huntington. J. H. Harshbarger, Republican; Milton.
Sealer Weights & Measures . . . . .	W. C. Yost, Democrat; City of Huntington.
B'd Review & Equalization . . . . .	R. E. Morgan, Democrat; Kyle District; Huntington; term expires in 1931. C. L. Hibner, Republican; Gideon District; Huntington; term expires in 1933. Grant Shipe, Republican; Guyandotte District; Huntington, R. F. D.; term expires in 1935.
Board of Health . . . . .	The President of the County Court and Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio; Dr. R. H. Curry, Barboursville, County Health Officer.
Board Children's Guardians . . . . .	Miss Camille Harper, District Agent; Court House; Huntington.
Lunacy Commission . . . . .	T. H. Nash, Chairman; L. W. Blankenship and R. S. Douthat, members. Physician to commission, James R. Bloss, Huntington.
County Infirmary . . . . .	Located at Ona, G. F. Cabell, Supt.
U. S. B'd Ex. Surgeons . . . . .	Huntington. Drs. Guy Yost and W. E. Neal.

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	Yost, John Paul

### REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

E. L. Hogsett, Chairman,  
Huntington.

M. P. Wiswell, Secretary,  
Huntington.

David F. Sheets, Treasurer,  
Huntington.

### Members

Guyandotte District (At Large)—Alfred Earls, Mrs. May Sullivan and Mrs. Della R. Hazelette, Huntington, R. 3; Sherman Campbell, Huntington, R. 1.

#### City of Huntington

First Ward—George E. Davidson and Mrs. William Glover.

Second Ward—Frank Christian and Mrs. Neva Curry.

Third Ward—Sam Davis and Mrs. Morris Bailey.

Fourth Ward—E. P. Frost and Mrs. Frank Marshall.

Fifth Ward—C. W. Stewart and Mrs. Harry V. Rollyson.

Sixth Ward—T. C. Preston and Mrs. W. E. Bee.

Seventh Ward—William A. Hughes and Mrs. Belle Johnson.

Eighth Ward—W. L. Ellison and Mrs. Maude Gerlach.

Ninth Ward—H. B. Crummett and Mrs. Frank Clark.

Kyle District (At Large)—Jack Smith, Lee Monroe, Mrs. John P. Hallanan and Mrs. Edna Heinisch, Huntington.

Gideon District (At Large)—Cyrus B. VanBibber, R. E. L. Washington and Mrs. E. F. Collins, Huntington.

Grant District—J. R. Beaty, Milton, R. 1; John S. Lawhorn, Milton; Mrs. Myrtle White, Culloden.

Barboursville—Sam J. Luster, Charles L. Stephens, Miss Belle Dirton and Mrs. Alma E. Ayers, Barboursville.

McComas District—W. H. Holton, A. R. Baker and Mrs. Katie Cremeans, Salt Rock; Mrs. Ella Browning, Barboursville, R. 2.

Union District—H. E. Evans and Clyde Nance, Lesage.

## DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

C. W. Freeman, Chairman, 1116 Eighth St., Huntington.	Boone B. Arthur, Vice-Chairman, 1123 Jefferson Ave., Huntington.
Mrs. D. W. Brown, Asso. Chairwoman, 1601 Fifth Ave., Huntington.	Mrs. Baylous Blue, Vice-Asso. Chairwoman, 1409 Seventh Ave., Huntington.
Carney M. Layne, Secretary, 626 Seventh St., Huntington.	George I. Neal, Treasurer, Blvd. & Fifth St., Huntington.

### Members

Kyle District (At Large)—L. C. Rutherford, 912 Second Street, West; Rolland C. Mossman, 540 Fifth Avenue; Mrs. Geo. W. Sidebottom, 245 Eighth Avenue, and Mrs. Myrtle Greenwood, 502 Washington Avenue, Huntington.

First Ward—J. B. Walker, 1848 Jefferson Ave., and Mrs. Earl Wagner, 710 West Fourth St., Huntington.

Second Ward—S. T. Goff, 620 Adams Avenue, and Mrs. Beatrice Taylor, 1340 Adams Avenue, Huntington.

Third Ward—W. B. Hawkins, 433 Fifth Avenue, and Mrs. Mary Kroberger, 622 Trenton Place, Huntington.

Gideon District (At Large)—Alex L. Garred, 1032 Sixth Avenue; Bernard J. Kain, 1407 Seventh Avenue; Mrs. J. T. Baker, 1824 Ninth Avenue, and Mrs. Thelma Fugitt, 1813 Fifth Avenue, Huntington.

Fourth Ward—J. J. N. Quinlan, 619 Thirteenth Street, and Mrs. C. V. Lallance, 1401 Seventh Avenue, Huntington.

Fifth Ward—Ben F. Forgey, 1926 Buffington Avenue, and Mrs. Goldie Harrison, 1911 Seventh Avenue, Huntington.

Sixth Ward—J. H. Blume, 1333 Eighth Avenue, and Mrs. Frank Conner, 1022 Eleventh Street, Huntington.

Seventh Ward—Barney Lockhart, 1720 Ninth Avenue, and Mrs. Thomas Race, 1912 Eleventh Avenue, Huntington.

Eighth Ward—Clarence R. Saunders, 2312 Ninth Avenue, and Louise Henley, 918 Twenty-second Street, Huntington.

Ninth Ward—E. L. Gilmore, 503 Bridge Street, and Mae E. Brooke, 516 Main Street, Huntington.

Guyandotte District—S. R. Smith, R. F. D.; Max Rutherford, R. D. 3; Mrs. Pauline Yeich, R. D. 4, and Sue Madden, R. F. D., Huntington.

Barboursville District—W. W. Ward, R. J. Armstrong, Miss Hortense King and Mrs. Dick Mallory, Barboursville.

Grant District—Thomas E. Watts, J. A. Nichols and Mrs. Hattie C. Ball, Milton; Mrs. Ada C. Jimison, Culloden.

McComas District—Roy Childers, Mrs. Wilia Morrison and Mrs. Jennie Keyser, Salt Rock; Lee Davis, R. D. 1, Salt Rock.

Union District—E. C. Smith, Ona; George Curry and Mrs. Blanche C. Meadows, Glenwood; Mrs. Iris Woodard, Lesage.

## DISTRICT OFFICERS

### Barboursville District

Justices of the Peace.....	W. N. Clay, Democrat; Barboursville. N. H. Mitchell, Republican; Barboursville.
Constables.....	J. S. Dodds, Democrat; Barboursville. H. B. Rayburn, Democrat; Barboursville.
Board of Education.....	President—H. G. Burgess, Republican; Barboursville. Secretary—F. I. Updyke, Democrat; Barboursville. Albert Stollings, Democrat; Barboursville. Joe Merritt, Democrat; Barboursville.

### Barboursville Independent School District

Board of Education.....	President—C. T. Jimison, Democrat; Barboursville. Secretary—F. A. Bowden, Democrat; Barboursville. P. H. Vallandingham, Democrat; Barboursville.
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Alden Bryan, Democrat; Barboursville.  
 William Burke, Democrat; Barboursville.  
 H. E. Love, Democrat; Barboursville.  
 C. C. Swann, Democrat; Barboursville.  
 F. A. Bowden, Democrat; Barboursville.

#### Grant District

Justices of the Peace..... Enoch Tackett, Republican; Milton.  
 J. T. Turley, Democrat; Milton.  
 Constables..... Emsey W. Harbour, Democrat; Milton.  
 W. A. Lunsford, Republican; Milton.  
 Board of Education..... President—L. S. Griffith, Republican; Milton.  
 Secretary—F. E. Lilly, Republican; Milton.  
 Fred DePriest, Republican; Milton.  
 T. B. Martin, Republican; Milton.

#### Guyandotte District

Justices of the Peace..... D. W. Brown, Republican; Huntington.  
 Huntington, R. 4.  
 Constables..... Harvey A. Norris, Republican; Huntington.  
 M. D. Sumpter, Republican; Huntington.  
 Board of Education..... James M. Pyles, Republican; Huntington.  
 President—Walter Edmunds, Democrat;  
 Huntington, R. 4.  
 Secretary—M. G. Sumpter, Republican;  
 J. A. Hall, Republican; Huntington, R. 2.  
 S. H. Honaker, Republican; Huntington,  
 R. 4.

#### Gideon District

Justices of the Peace..... Bascom Ray, Republican; Huntington.  
 Willard E. Graham, Republican; Huntington.  
 Constables..... L. B. Wiley, Republican; Huntington.  
 Irvin Robinson, Republican; Huntington.

#### Kyle District

Justices of the Peace..... J. T. Stuart, Republican; Huntington.  
 John H. Davis, Republican; Huntington.  
 Constables..... Levi Blankenship, Republican; Huntington.  
 O. M. Phipps, Democrat; Huntington.

#### McComas District

Justices of the Peace..... J. H. Adkins, Democrat; Salt Rock.  
 Constables..... Frank Brumfield, Republican; Barboursville.  
 W. S. Adkins, Democrat; Salt Rock.

**Board of Education**..... President—Virgil Bostic, Democrat; Barboursville.  
 Secretary—S. A. Morrison, Democrat; Barboursville.  
 Roy L. Midkiff, Democrat; Salt Rock.  
 S. R. Baylous, Democrat; Salt Rock.

#### Union District

**Justices of the Peace**..... A. M. Ferguson, Republican; Lesage.  
 J. W. Ashworth, Democrat; Lesage.  
**Constables**..... Elmer Holley, Republican; Lesage.  
 L. F. Kennedy, Democrat; Lesage.  
**Board of Education**..... President—H. E. Evans, Republican; Glenwood.  
 Secretary—E. J. Winters, Republican; Lesage.  
 Lafe Blake, Democrat; Lesage.  
 Walter Perry, Democrat; Ona.

#### Huntington Independent School District

**Board of Education**..... President—H. W. Pollock, Democrat; Huntington.  
 Secretary—H. G. Proctor, Democrat; Huntington.  
 H. R. Alexander, Democrat; Huntington.  
 T. E. Holderby, Republican; Huntington.  
 W. F. Crook, Republican, Huntington.  
 Dr. G. D. Johnson, Democrat; Huntington.  
 Erskine McClane, Republican; Huntington.  
 Eugene Neale, Republican; Huntington.  
 W. T. Toney, Democrat; Huntington.

#### Barboursville Joint High School District

(Barboursville Magisterial and Barboursville Independent School Districts)

**Board of Education**..... Chairman—Henry F. White, Democrat; Huntington.  
 Secretary—F. A. Bowden, Democrat; Barboursville.  
 (Board of Education is composed of the combined boards of Barboursville and Barboursville Independent District.)



## CALHOUN COUNTY

Calhoun, an agricultural and oil and gas producing county, was formed from a part of Gilmer county in 1856 and was named for John C. Calhoun, the eminent statesman from South Carolina. It has a land area of 286 square miles. The population of 10,268 in 1920 increased to 10,866 in 1930. In 1929 the taxable property in the county was assessed as follows: Real estate, \$3,332,470; personal property, \$2,656,510; public utility property, \$3,625,024; a total of \$9,614,004.

Center, Sheridan, Sherman, Lee and Washington are its five magisterial districts; the town of Grantsville being included in an independent school district; the county maintains a county high school.

Grantsville, on the Little Kanawha river, is the county seat and has an elevation above sea level of 726 feet. Its population more than doubled in the last decade, being 450 in 1920 and 1,018 in 1930. This is the only municipality in the county.

### COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

Judge Circuit Court.....	Lewis H. Miller, Republican; Ripley.
Terms Commence .....	Third Tuesdays in April and August; first Tuesday in November.
Official Court Reporter.....	Minnie Ball, Democrat; Spencer.
Sheriff .....	R. J. Knotts, Democrat; Grantsville.
Prosecuting Attorney.....	Bee Hopkins, Democrat; Grantsville.
Clerk Circuit Court .....	L. L. Ferrell, Democrat; Grantsville.
Gen'l Receiver Circuit Court.....	James A. Smith, Republican; Grantsville.
Chancery Commissioners.....	R. L. Hamilton, Democrat; Grantsville. James A. Smith, Republican; Grantsville. E. Chenoweth, Democrat; Grantsville. A. G. Mathews, Democrat; Grantsville.
Divorce Commissioner .....	(None.)
Clerk County Court.....	R. C. Hardman, Democrat; Grantsville.
Supt. Free Schools.....	Hanning Poling, Democrat; Grantsville.
County Road Engineer.....	(None.)
Surveyor.....	(None.)
Assessor.....	C. E. Whytsell, Democrat, Altizer.
Com'r of School Lands.....	A. G. Mathews, Democrat, Grantsville.
County Commissioners.....	J. A. Morford, Democrat, Grantsville; term expires December 31, 1930. William Webb, Republican, Big Bend; term expires December 31, 1932. G. G. Griffin, Democrat, Adam; term expires December 31, 1934.
President County Court.....	J. A. Morford, Democrat; Grantsville.
Terms Commence .....	First Monday in each month.

Commissioners of Accounts . . .	L. L. Ferrell, Democrat; Grantsville. E. W. Hall, Democrat; Grantsville.
B'd Review & Equalization . . .	William Snider, Republican; Sheridan district; Freed; term expires in 1931. R. L. Hamilton, Democrat; Center district; Grantsville; term expires in 1933. A. L. Laughlin, Republican; Lee district; Arnoldsburg; term expires in 1935.
Board of Health . . . . .	The President of the County Court and Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio; Dr. W. T. W. Dye, Republican, Grantsville, County Health Officer.
Board Children's Guardians . . .	Miss Stella Parker, District Agent, Parkersburg.
Humane Officer . . . . .	(None.)
Probation Officer . . . . .	Sheriff.

### LIST OF ATTORNEYS

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### REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

J. Walter Stalnaker, Chairman, Grantsville.	Holly Nester, Secy. and Treas., Arnoldsburg.
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#### Members

Center District—C. M. Wells and Mrs. Bertha Bowser, Big Springs; W. A. Mahaney and Mrs. India Wilson, Grantsville.

Lee District—J. H. Brannon, Adam; Lewis Laughlin, Arnoldsburg; Mrs. Jessie Anderson, Millstone; Mrs. Maude Lynch, Arnoldsburg.

Sheridan District—Emery Rogers, Mrs. Yetta Webb and B. S. Snider, Big Bend; Mrs. Lena Snider, Freed.

Sherman District—John Kight, Nobe; William Poling, Apple Farm; Ethel Stump and Cora E. Stump, Russett.

Washington District—D. E. Parsons, Mrs. Opal Stalnaker and Mrs. Zanie Hamrick. Orma; C. L. Stalnaker, Minnora.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Officers

C. A. Jarvis, Chairman, Grantsville.	L. J. Morris, Asso. Chairman, Grantsville.
Maude Harman, Secretary, Grantsville.	Bernard Marshall, Treasurer, Grantsville.

Members

Center District—Truslow S. Waldo, Mrs. Maude Hardman and Mrs. Mary Wilson, Grantsville; J. H. Edman, Big Springs.

Lee District—S. F. Lynch, Adam; Andy Craddock, Altizer; Mrs. May Powell and Miss Elsie Witte, Arnoldsburg.

Sheridan District—A. M. Maze, Industry; Clarence Bower and Mrs. Tressie Wysong, Big Bend; Mrs. Dollie Fluharty, Freed.

Sherman District—C. E. Maloney and Mrs. Aletha Wright, Henrietta; Charles A. Stump and Mrs. Lake Fogle, Russett.

Washington District—Scott Duffield, Warden Bailey and Mrs. Cole Knotts, Minnora; Mrs. M. J. Chenoweth, Nicut.

DISTRICT OFFICERS

Center District

Justices of the Peace.....	B. B. Belford, Democrat; Grantsville. Hagan Johnson, Democrat; Grantsville.
Constables.....	Ernest Offutt, Democrat; Grantsville. Everett Wilson, Democrat; Big Springs.
Board of Education.....	President—C. F. Hosey, Democrat; Grantsville. Secretary—Claud Osbourne, Democrat; Grantsville. L. T. Stump, Democrat; Grantsville. Ernest Wilson, Republican; Grantsville.

Lee District

Justices of the Peace.....	Don Altizer, Democrat; Arnoldsburg. F. M. Connolly, Democrat; Creston.
Constable.....	Homer Lynch, Republican; Arnoldsburg.
Board of Education.....	President—Geo. L. Whytsell, Democrat; Richardson. Secretary—W. Lester, Democrat; Pink. Thos. Slider, Democrat; Hur. Grover C. Houchen, Democrat; Arnoldsburg.

Sheridan District

Justice of the Peace.....	H. F. Saunders, Democrat; Big Bend.
Constables.....	(By special appointment).

Board of Education . . . . . President—A. T. Eagle, Republican; Big Bend.

Secretary—G. W. Ferrell, Democrat; Big Bend.

R. A. Ferrell, Democrat; Big Bend.

Seldon Parsons, Republican; Big Bend.

#### Sherman District

Justices of the Peace . . . . . E. B. Burns, Democrat; Henrietta.

S. J. Kendall, Republican; Index.

Constables . . . . . (By special appointment.)

Board of Education . . . . . President—Mrs. Valarie Poling, Democrat; Apple Farm.

Secretary—R. F. Bennett, Democrat; Apple Farm.

Will Johnson, Democrat; Grantsville.

Kester Divers, Republican; White Pine.

#### Washington District

Justices of the Peace . . . . . W. A. Stalnaker, Republican; Orma.

L. G. Keith, Republican; Oka.

Constables . . . . . Warder White, Democrat; Minnora.

W. E. Ellis, Democrat; Oka.

Board of Education . . . . . President—E. O. Conley, Democrat; Orma.

Secretary—Bert Hopkins, Democrat; Minnora.

B. M. Seirs, Democrat; Minnora.

Albert Douglas, Democrat; Minnora.

#### Grantsville Independent School District

Board of Education . . . . . President—J. Elmer Hall, Democrat; Grantsville.

Secretary—L. L. Ferrell, Democrat; Grantsville.

Mrs. A. E. Weaver, Republican; Grantsville.

Wait Poling, Democrat; Grantsville.

#### Calhoun County High School

Board of Education . . . . . President—Ray C. Morford, Democrat; Grantsville.

Secretary—Hanning Poling, Democrat; Grantsville.

F. H. Hoskins, Democrat; Arnoldsburg.

W. E. Stump, Democrat; Apple Farm.

Clyde Snider, Democrat; Freed.

Shirley Wayne, Democrat; Beech.

## CLAY COUNTY

Clay county was organized in 1858 and named in honor of the great Kentuckian, Henry Clay. It is an agricultural and coal county, lying on the Elk River, and has an area of 332 square miles. The county's population in 1920 was 11,486, which increased in 1930 to 13,125.

The property assessment for 1929 totaled \$13,089,209, as follows: Real estate, \$5,568,975; personal property, \$4,164,638; public utility property, \$3,355,596.

The five magisterial districts of the county are Buffalo, Henry, Otter, Pleasant and Union; Henry is the independent school district in the county.

Clay, formerly known as Clay Court House and Henry, is the county seat. It has an elevation of 708 feet and a 1930 population of 444.

### COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

Judge Circuit Court	Jake Fisher, Democrat; Sutton.
Terms Commence	Fourth Monday in January, fourth Monday in May and the fourth Monday in September.
Sheriff	John B. Wheeler, Republican; Clay.
Prosecuting Attorney	E. G. Pierson, Republican; Clay.
Clerk Circuit Court	W. S. Triplett, Democrat; Clay.
Chancery Commissioner	S. W. Bryant, Democrat; Clay.
Clerk County Court	Paul Hardman, Democrat; Clay.
Divorce Commissioner	E. G. Pierson, Republican; Clay.
Supt. Free Schools	A. V. Boggs, Democrat; Clay.
County Road Engineer	J. S. Chase, Democrat; Clay.
Surveyor	O. J. Hyer, Republican; Otter.
Assessor	G. W. McCune, Republican; Clay.
Com'r of School Lands	E. G. Pierson, Republican; Clay.
County Commissioners	B. M. Samples, Democrat; Precious; term expires December 31, 1930. F. M. Morris, Democrat; Ivydale; term expires December 31, 1930. Dr. T. D. Nutter, Democrat; Ivydale; term expires December 31, 1932.
President County Court	B. M. Samples, Democrat; Precious.
Terms Commence	First Monday in each month.
Commissioner of Accounts	S. W. Bryant, Democrat; Clay.
B'd Review & Equalization	W. E. Ward, Republican; Henry District; Clay; term expires 1931. J. M. Hyer, Democrat; Otter District; Big Otter; term expires 1933. N. M. Hambrick, Republican; Buffalo District; Swandale; term expires 1935.
B'd Children's Guardians	Miss Edna Dodson, Dist. Agent, Charleston.

Board of Health.....The President of the County Court and Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio, and Dr. R. A. Hamrick, Clay, County Health Officer.  
 County Nurse.....Mrs. Eva L. Birkhead, Democrat; Clay.  
 Welfare Secretary.....W. E. Woolfer, Democrat; Clay.

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Eakle, Earl L.	(Prosecuting Attorney)

**REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

**Officers**

J. V. Hinshelwood, Chairman, Widen.	Ed Foster, Secretary, Bickmore.
J. E. Caldwell, Treasurer. Warfield.	

**Members**

Buffalo District—Abner H. Hamrick, Widen; J. V. Hinshelwood, Widen; Mrs. Carrie R. Butler, Swandale; Mrs. Nina Marie Falkner, Widen.  
 Otter District—B. H. Hathaway, Big Otter; Ed. L. Hyer, Obrion; Ocie Chapman, Duck; Paulina Tucker, Clay.  
 Henry District—I. E. Brown, Ovapa; M. Rhodes, Clay; Miss Callie Davis, Clay; Miss Mariah King, Clay.  
 Pleasant District—Porter E. Hyer, Hartland; William C. Legg, Bickmore; Mrs. Jessie L. Keith, Hartland; Mrs. Ocie Reedy, Bickmore.  
 Union District—M. L. Foreman, Warfield; Elba H. Hinkle, Rosina; Mrs. J. E. Caldwell, Warfield; Mrs. Lida King, Bomont.

**DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

**Officers**

Robert Reedy, Chairman, Indore.	Lyman Dawson, Secretary, Clay.
J. M. Lorentz, Treasurer, Clay.	

**Members**

Buffalo District—Raymond Bragg, Harrison; F. H. Rose, Harrison; Blythe Wilson, Widen.  
 Otter District—J. H. Holcomb, Ivydale; S. B. Sears, Hallburg; Mrs. Susan Hyer, Obrion; Mrs. Lelia Mollohan, Nebo.

Henry District—R. Butcher, Clay; W. E. Sizemore, Clay.  
 Pleasant District—Sanford Moore, Bickmore; Reuben Neal, Bickmore.  
 Union District—John Sizemore, Glen; J. C. Boggs, Prociou; Mrs.  
 Jelemma Mullins, Glen.

## DISTRICT OFFICERS

## Buffalo District

Justices of the Peace..... F. P. Belt, Democrat; Widen.  
 J. L. Bledsoe, Democrat; Ivydale.  
 Constable..... T. M. Brinager, Democrat; Widen.  
 Board of Education..... President—A. S. Johnson, Democrat; Har-  
 rison.  
 Secretary—Raymond Bragg, Democrat;  
 Harrison.  
 Theo. Griffith, Democrat; Widen.  
 J. V. Acre, Democrat; Swandale.

## Henry District

Justices of the Peace..... S. V. Samples, Republican; Clay.  
 W. T. West, Republican; Clay.  
 Constables..... W. M. Arthur, Republican; Clay.  
 Perry Douglas, Republican; Clay.  
 Board of Education..... President—Albert Stephenson, Republican;  
 Clay.  
 Secretary—R. C. Boggs, Democrat; Dundon.  
 George Butcher, Democrat; Valley Fork.  
 Davis Wyatt, Republican; Clay.

## Otter District

Justices of the Peace..... Mack Epling, Republican; Osie.  
 H. L. Paxton, Democrat; Ivydale.  
 Constable..... Dan Keener, Democrat; Dink.  
 Board of Education..... President—A. M. Morris, Democrat; Ivydale.  
 Secretary—Fey Hathaway, Democrat; Big  
 Otter.  
 R. F. Hall, Democrat; Obrion.  
 L. D. Starcher, Democrat; Osie.

## Pleasant District

Justice of the Peace..... Frank Black, Republican; Bickmore.  
 Constable..... C. C. Moore, Republican; Bickmore.  
 Board of Education..... President—Ed Foster, Republican; Bick-  
 more.  
 Secretary—Amos Hedrick, Republican; In-  
 dore.

W. A. Schoonover, Republican; Elkhurst.  
Homer Morton, Republican; Lizemore.

#### Union District

Justice of the Peace..... Mahone King, Republican; Bomont.  
Constables..... Albert Durham, Democart; Glen.  
Cecil Moore, Republican; Bomont.  
Board of Education..... President—J. E. Caldwell, Republican;  
Warfield.  
Secretary—H. E. White, Republican;  
Procious.  
Lewis Graham, Republican; Queen Shoals.  
Rome Daugherty, Republican; Bomont.

#### Henry Independent School District

Board of Education..... President—James Sirk, Democrat; Clay.  
Secretary—D. S. Young, Republican; Clay.  
R. L. Sizemore, Democrat; Clay.  
J. A. Sirk, Democrat; Clay.  
Fred A. Hamrick, Democrat; Clay.  
P. S. Young, Republican; Clay.

## DODDRIDGE COUNTY

Doddridge county, named for Philip Doddridge, a distinguished lawyer of western Virginia, was formed in 1845. It is a grazing and agricultural county, with oil and gas as its important natural resources. The county has an area of 317 square miles, and a population of 10,488 as shown by the 1930 census.

Central, Cove, Grant, Greenbrier, McClellan, New Milton, Southwest and West Union are the eight magisterial districts, the town of West Union having an independent school district. The property of this county in 1929, was assessed as follows: Real estate, \$8,033,150; personal property, \$3,776,845; public utility property, \$10,255,534, making a total assessment of \$22,035,529.

West Union situated on Middle Island creek, at an elevation above sea level of 836 feet, is the county seat. In 1930 its population was 984.

## COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

Judge Circuit Court..... S. O. Prunty, Republican; Harrisville.  
Terms Commence..... First Tuesday in April, first Tuesday in  
August and fourth Tuesday in November.  
Official Court Reporter..... F. H. Mayme, Republican; Parkersburg.  
Sheriff..... J. F. Maxwell, Republican; West Union.  
Prosecuting Attorney..... J. Paul Bumgardner, Democrat; West  
Union.



Clerk Circuit Court	C. O. Smith, Republican; West Union.
Gen'l Rec. Circuit Court	A. A. Bee, Republican; West Union.
Chancery Commissioners	C. O. Smith, Republican; West Union. Hugh L. Hammond, Republican; West Union. P. M. Ireland, Republican; West Union.
Divorce Commissioner	W. S. Stuart, Republican; West Union.
Clerk County Court	Hall Maxwell, Republican; West Union.
Supt. Free Schools	H. H. Jones, Republican; Smithburg.
Road Engineer	J. M. Martin, Republican, West Union.
Surveyor	(None.)
Assessor	W. V. McKinley, Republican; Center Point.
Com'r of School Lands	L. W. Chapman, Republican; West Union.
County Commissioners	Amster Bever, Republican; West Union, R. 1; term expires December 31, 1930. J. D. Cox, Republican; Miletus; term expires December 31, 1932. Alvey Ash, Democrat; Ashley; term expires December 31, 1934.
President County Court	Amster Bever, Republican; West Union, R. 1.
Terms Commence	First Monday in January, April, July and October.
Commissioners of Accounts	H. L. Hammond, Republican; West Union. P. M. Ireland, Republican; West Union. Hall Maxwell, Republican; West Union.
B'd Review & Equalization	William Ashburn, Republican; West Union District; West Union; term expires in 1931.. Charles B. Broadwater, Democrat; Central District; Oxford; term expires in 1933. John W. Hitt, Republican; Grant District; Morgansville; term expires in 1935.
Board of Health	President of the County Court, Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio; Dr. E. T. Wetzel, County Health Officer, West Union.
B'd Children's Guardians	Miss Florence Charter, District Agent; Union Bank Bldg., Clarksburg.

### LIST OF ATTORNEYS

(Post office address West Union, unless otherwise given)

Blair, J. V.	Hammond, Clay D.
Bumgardner, J. Paul	Hammond, Hugh L.
(Prosecuting Attorney)	Henderson, Louis A.
Chapman, L. W.	Ingle, John J.
Farr, G. W.	Ireland, P. M.
Gribble, Wallace, Clarksburg	Stuart, W. S.
	Ware, Clyde C.

### REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

L. R. Charter, Jr., Chairman,  
West Union.

William Rollins, Secretary,  
Central Station.

J. G. Charter, Treasurer,  
West Union.

#### Members

Central District—William Rollins, Mrs. O. L. Tustin, Central Station;  
J. H. Walto, Greenwood.

Cove District—S. L. Gray, Roy Rupert, Auburn.

Grant District—P. D. Holden, Miss Clara Douglass, Morgansville;  
Archie A. Smith, Canton; Mrs. Carsie D. Williams, West Union.

Greenbrier District—Anderson Hinkle, Mrs. Opal Kelley, Big Isaac;  
Ernest Richards and Mrs. Mabel Snider, Salem, R. 1.

McClellan District—R. M. Allen, Mrs. Homer Freeman, Mrs. Gay  
Seese, Center Point.

New Milton District—E. L. Cox, J. M. Cox, Mrs. Annie L. Maxwell,  
New Milton.

South West District—C. C. Dillie, Mrs. Jerome Knight, Oxford; Mrs.  
Forest Leggett, West Union.

West Union District—S. S. Spencer, Eli Nutter and Mrs. Laura Madi-  
son, West Union; Mrs. Howard H. Jones, Smithburg.

### CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE

H. C. Stuck and Mrs. Agnes V. Farr, West Union.

### SENATORIAL COMMITTEE

C. T. Hyatt, West Union, and Miss Ida J. Warner, West Union.

### DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

Henry Ash, Chairman,  
West Union.

Madge Davis, Secretary,  
Salem, R. 3.

M. C. Young, Vice Chairman,  
Greenwood.

#### Members

Central District—V. D. Wolfe, West Union, R. 1; W. H. Cottrill, Green-  
wood; Mrs. George S. Wanstreet, Greenwood; Mrs. Ada Pickens, Green-  
wood.

Cove District—W. L. Cole, New Milton; C. S. Kemper, Auburn, R. 1;  
Mrs. Hattie Tallman, Auburn, R. 1; Mrs. Mayme Chapman, Blandville,  
R. 1.

Grant District—Dale Lynch, Salem, R. 3; Roy Gaskins, Salem, R. 3;  
Miss Madge Davis, Salem, R. 3; Mrs. Stella Knight, Canton.

Greenbrier District—Sam Corder, Big Isaac; B. B. Wolfe, Salem, R. 1; Mrs. Edna Nicholson, Miletus.

McClellan District—S. L. Flanigan, Wallace, R. 1; Mrs. D. B. Pope, Folsom, R. 1; U. D. Ashcraft, Wallace, R. 1; Mrs. Ruth Underwood, Ashley.

New Milton District—J. O. Stewart, Avon; Roy F. Randolph, New Milton; Mrs. Opal Gum, Avon; Mrs. Idell Sutton, Blandville.

South West District—Bruce Barnett, Blandville, R. 1; W. Frank Osborne, Oxford; Mrs. Dosia Hickman, Oxford; Mrs. Gertrude Bode, Blandville.

West Union District—T. J. Faulkner, West Union; John R. Doak, West Union; Miss Mona Bond, West Union; Mrs. Virginia Langfitt, West Union.

### CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE

S. P. Smith, West Union, and Mrs. L. C. Morris, Greenwood.

### DISTRICT OFFICERS

#### Central District

Justice of the Peace . . . . . R. H. Pigott, Central Station.

Constable . . . . . (Vacant.)

Board of Education . . . . . President—Charles W. Garner, Republican; Central Station.

Secretary—W. C. Griffin, Republican; Central Station.

George R. McCullough, Republican; Greenwood.

J. Blaine Smith, Republican; Greenwood.

#### Cove District

Justice of the Peace . . . . . J. H. Wanstreet, Democrat; Leopold.

Constable . . . . . Peter B. Smith, Democrat; New Milton.

Board of Education . . . . . President—S. L. Gray, Republican; Troy.

Secretary—C. W. Wellings, Republican;

Troy.

Clyde S. Kemper, Republican; Blandville, R. 1.

R. J. Bode, Democrat; Hurst.

#### Grant District

(Vacancies in offices of Justice of the Peace and Constable.)

Board of Education . . . . . President—Ancil Knight, Democrat; Salem, R. 3.

Secretary—W. B. Swentzel, Republican; Morgansville.

A. H. Sadler, Democrat; Salem, R. 3.

J. S. Doak, Republican; West Union, R. 2.

## Greenbrier District

Justice of the Peace..... G. W. Burnside, Republican; Miletus.  
 Constable..... Ray J. Cox, Republican; Miletus.  
 Board of Education..... President—F. W. Bolte, Republican; Miletus.  
 Secretary—Hugh Freeman, Republican;  
 Miletus.  
 Russell C. Carder, Republican; Miletus.  
 L. A. Patton, Republican; Miletus.

## McClellan District

Justices of the Peace..... H. D. Snider, Republican; Salem, R. 2.  
 C. C. Seese, Republican; Center Point.  
 Constable..... John H. Smith, Republican; Wallace, R. 1.  
 Board of Education..... President—I. B. Hutson, Republican; Salem,  
 R. 2.  
 Secretary—D. B. Pope, Republican; Folsom,  
 R. 1.  
 Leeman Starkey, Republican; Smithfield,  
 R. 2.  
 Clyde Phillips, Republican; Center Point.

## New Milton District

Justice of the Peace..... C. C. McMillion, Republican; Avon.  
 Constable..... E. L. Cox, Republican; Avon.  
 Board of Education..... S. B. Sutton, Democrat; Blandville, R. 1.  
 Secretary—Mrs. Bessie Williams, Republi-  
 can; New Milton.  
 F. G. Snider, Republican; Oxford, R. 1.  
 Amos C. Nicholson, Republican; New Mil-  
 ton.

## Southwest District

Justice of the Peace..... J. L. Knight, Republican; Oxford, R. 1.  
 Constable..... John Hileman, Republican; Oxford, R. 1.  
 Board of Education..... President—David M. Flick, Republican;  
 Auburn, R. 1.  
 Secretary—Geo. H. Hickman, Democrat;  
 Oxford, R. 1.  
 F. G. Snider, Republican; Oxford, R. 1.  
 A. A. Bode, Democrat; Blandville, R. 1.

## West Union District

Justices of the Peace..... D. J. Cunningham, Republican; West Union.  
 E. L. Lowther, Democrat; West Union.  
 Constables..... T. B. Underwood, Republican; West Union.  
 C. O. Seaders, Republican; West Union.  
 Board of Education..... President—J. R. Chapman, Republican;  
 Smithburg.

Secretary—Chas. Longacre, Democrat; West Union.

J. L. Corathers, Republican; West Union, R. 2.

W. L. Rollins, Republican; West Union, R. 1.

**West Union Independent School District**

Board of Education.....President—Walter Doak, Republican; West Union.

Secretary—Erlo Hickman, Republican; West Union.

L. A. Henderson, Democrat; West Union.

Hiram Hutson, Republican; West Union.

**FAYETTE COUNTY**

Fayette, one of the largest counties of the state, both in area and population, was created in 1831 and named in honor of the distinguished Frenchman, Marquis de La Fayette.

Its land area is 666.5 square miles and the population of the county in 1930 was 72,050, as compared with a population of 60,377 in 1920.

In 1929, the property assessment was: Real estate, \$24,080,485; personal property, \$8,505,150; public utilities, \$20,697,148; a total assessment of \$53,282,783. This is divided among the seven magisterial districts of Fayetteville, Falls, Kanawha, Mountain Cove, Nuttall, Sewell Mountain and Quinnimont.

Fayette is one of the leading counties of the state in the production of coal, with timber as another important natural resource. The Kanawha river begins at Gauley Bridge, in this county, being formed by the junction of the New and Gauley rivers. The New River Gorge, which contains the famous Hawks Nest, is a panorama of striking scenic beauty.

Fayetteville, the county seat, was established in 1837, on a high plateau at an elevation of 1,850 feet. Its population of 659 in 1920 had grown to 1,143 in 1930.

The other important incorporated cities and towns in this county, with their 1930 populations are: Montgomery, 2,906; Mount Hope, 2,361; Oak Hill, 2,076; Ansted, 1,404; Pax, 608 and Thurmond, 462; Powellton and Boomer, unincorporated, in 1930 had populations of 1,323 and 1,213 respectively. Each of these represents a considerable increase over the 1920 population.

Fayette county is the location of two state institutions. The New River State College, under the management of President C. H. Martin, is located at Montgomery. Originally established as a preparatory branch of West Virginia University, it later became the West Virginia Trades School and still later, was made a school of college grade and given its present name.

The other is McKendree Hospital No. 2, at McKendree, with Dr. M. V.

Godbey as Superintendent. This is an emergency hospital for medical and surgical cases, particularly for those accidentally injured.

### COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

Judge Circuit Court	J. W. Eary, Republican; Fayetteville.
Terms Commence	First Tuesdays in January, April and July, and the third Tuesday in September.
Official Court Reporter	Ben. D. Keller, Republican; Charleston.
Sheriff	C. A. Conley, Republican; Gauley Bridge.
Prosecuting Attorney	H. E. Dillon, Jr., Democrat; Fayetteville.
Clerk Circuit Court	F. P. Smith, Republican; Ansted.
Chancery Commissioners	F. N. Bacon, Republican; Fayetteville. C. E. Mahan, Jr., Democrat; Fayetteville. Frank Love, Republican; Fayetteville. Orval Davis, Republican; Fayetteville.
Divorce Commissioner	W. H. Haynes, Republican; Fayetteville.
Gen. Receiver Circuit Court	J. T. Grose, Republican; Fayetteville.
Supt. Free Schools	E. B. Eskew, Republican; Fayetteville.
Road Engineer	(None.)
Surveyor	G. C. Slaven, Democrat; Oak Hill.
Clerk County Court	J. C. Hurt, Republican; Fayetteville.
Assessor	J. R. Aliff, Democrat; Pax.
Com'r of School Lands	E. W. Becker, Republican; Fayetteville.
County Commissioners	Oscar A. Knerr, Republican; Thayer; term expires December 31, 1930. Dr. H. C. Skaggs, Republican; Montgomery; term expires December 31, 1932. L. S. Tully, Democrat; Mount Hope; term expires December 31, 1934.
President County Court	Oscar A. Knerr, Republican; Thayer.
Terms Commence	The first Wednesday after the first Monday in each month.
Commissioners of Accounts	Thelma Light, Republican; Fayetteville. R. J. Thrift, Democrat, Fayetteville. W. H. Haynes, Republican, Fayetteville. L. B. O'Neal, Republican; Montgomery.
Sealer of Weights & Measures	(None.)
B'd Review & Equalization	A. A. Legg, Republican; Mountain Cove District; Ansted; term expires in 1931. N. P. Rinehart, Democrat; Fayetteville District; Mt. Hope; term expires in 1933. A. J. Kincaid, Republican; Kanawha Dis- trict; Montgomery; term expires in 1935.
Health Officer	Dr. H. H. Puckett, Democrat; Fayetteville.
B'd Children's Guardians	Miss Lena B. Smith, District Agent, Lewisburg.

LIST OF ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Fayetteville, unless otherwise given.)

Brackland, G. H., Gauley Bridge	Hubard and Bacon Hubard, R. T., Jr.
Davis, O. R.	Bacon, F. N.
Dyer, C. T., Montgomery	Lee, W. L.
Dillon, Mahan and Holt	Love and Love
Dillon, C. W.	Love, George
Mahan, C. E., Jr.	Love, Frank
Holt, H. A.	Love, J. H., Montgomery
Dillon, H. E., Jr.	Montgomery, Lawrence C., Montgomery
(Prosecuting Attorney)	Myers, Carl E., Montgomery
Eary, J. W.	Myers, E. O., Mt. Hope.
(Judge Circuit Court)	Myles, T. A.
Ellis, J. M., Oak Hill	O'Neal, L. Burke, Montgomery
Essex, Robert, Glen Jean	Ryan, J. L.
Gaines, L. Ebersole	Stanley, Ernest E.
Hamilton, A. W.	Summerfield and Alderson, Summerfield, C. R.
Hamilton, J. C.	Alderson, E. P.
Hamilton, R. O., Ingram Branch	Sweeney, T. L.
Haynes, W. H.	
	Thompson, Wm. G.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Officers

C. A. Conley, Chairman, Gauley Bridge.	E. W. Becker, Secretary, Fayetteville.
W. I. White, Treasurer, Fayetteville.	

Members

Fayetteville District—J. L. Spradlin, Scarbro; E. M. Tutwiler, Mount Hope; Mrs. Claude Hill, Oak Hill; Mrs. George Love, Fayetteville.  
 Falls District—T. Harvey Lane and Mrs. C. A. Conley, Gauley Bridge; J. J. Pennington, Smithers; Mrs. Helen Winston, Boomer.  
 Kanawha District—Matthew Buster, L. Burke O'Neal, Annastince Jackson and Mrs. T. J. Davis, Montgomery.  
 Mountain Cove District—H. O. Legg and Mrs. A. A. Legg, Leander; R. H. Massey and Mrs. J. E. Wiseman, Ansted.  
 Nuttall District—R. L. Hash, Edmond; William A. Deitz, Hico; Mrs. D. W. Boone, Lookout; Miss Ada Hash, Edmond.  
 Sewell Mountain District—E. E. Smith, Corliss; John A. Kincaid, Fire Creek; Mrs. Hallie A. Overholt and Mrs. Clara Lewis, Thurmond.  
 Quinnimont District—George E. Callison, Springdale; T. B. Callahan, Thayer; Cora B. Smith, Meadow Bridge; Mrs. Nannie E. Wade, Claremont.

CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE

E. W. Becker, Fayetteville.

SENATORIAL COMMITTEE

P. H. Garrett, Mount Hope.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Officers

H. A. Holt, Chairman,  
Fayetteville.  
A. B. Abbott, Treasurer,  
Fayetteville.

E. E. Stanley, Vice Chairman,  
Fayetteville.  
C. P. Dent, Vice Chairman,  
Montgomery.

R. J. Thrift, Secretary,  
Montgomery.

Members

Fayetteville District—H. A. Walkup, Macdonald; O. F. Kessler and Mrs. H. H. O'Neal, Oak Hill; Virginia Stegall, Fayetteville.

Falls District—Otway Gunnoe and Mrs. Mary Crandall, Gauley Bridge; Shirley Light, Boomer; Mrs. Stewart Jenkins, Smithers.

Kanawha District—E. L. Talbott and N. C. Young, Montgomery; Mrs. J. J. Hogue, Deepwater.

Mountain Cove District—N. O. McGraw and Inez Bowling, Lansing; Charles E. Vawter and Kathryn Burruss, Ansted.

Nuttall District—J. W. Walker and Mrs. Scrona Ohlinger, Winona; J. H. Hatcher, Edmond; Retta Boley, Lookout.

Sewell Mountain District—George R. Bullock and Mrs. Sallie L. Ryalls, Thurmond; J. W. Cavendish, Rainelle; Mrs. J. Adam Amick, Clifftop.

Quinnimont District—R. J. Goheen and Mrs. Mary E. Henry, Springdale; Daisy Lee Kessler, Meadow Bridge; O. R. Rutledge, Backus.

DISTRICT OFFICERS

Falls District

- Justices of the Peace . . . . . J. O. Tamplin, Republican; Gauley Bridge.  
H. E. Dillon, Democrat; Smithers.
- Constables . . . . . C. T. Skaggs, Democrat; Smithers.  
Henry Johnson, Republican; Boomer.
- Board of Education . . . . . President—C. A. Conley, Republican;  
Gauley Bridge.  
Secretary—H. B. McKnight, Republican;  
Gauley Bridge.  
Jeff Pennington, Republican; Marting.  
J. H. Buckholt, Democrat; Boomer.



Fayetteville District

Justices of the Peace..... S. T. Carter, Republican; Fayetteville.  
 R. E. Kelley, Democrat; Oak Hill.  
 Constables ..... Leroy Bailey, Democrat; Oak Hill.  
 William Bellew, Republican; Oak Hill.  
 Board of Education..... President—C. P. Calloway, Republican;  
 Glen Jean.  
 Secretary—K. B. Richardson, Republican;  
 Fayetteville.  
 C. R. Hill, Republican; Oak Hill.  
 H. A. Holt, Democrat; Fayetteville.  
 Supervisor ..... E. W. Dunkley, Republican; Oak Hill.

Kanawha District

Justices of the Peace..... B. S. Hastings, Republican; Montgomery.  
 G. R. Wright, Republican; Kingston.  
 Constables..... H. B. Prather, Democrat; Kimberly.  
 Wm. Beckett, Republican; Page.  
 Board of Education..... President—B. E. Claypool, Republican;  
 Montgomery.  
 Secretary—L. Burke O'Neal, Republican;  
 Montgomery.  
 T. A. Pike, Democrat; Elkridge.  
 M. F. Forgey, Republican; Kingston.  
 Supervisor..... O. K. Robinson, Republican; Montgomery.

Mountain Cove District

Justices of the Peace..... Tip Comer, Republican; Ansted.  
 Herman Harrah, Republican; Lucas.  
 Constables..... G. D. Moses, Democrat; Lansing.  
 Joe Kessler, Democrat; Ansted.  
 Board of Education..... President—Chas. E. Vawter, Democrat;  
 Ansted.  
 Secretary—W. L. Skaggs, Republican;  
 Ansted.  
 Dr. C. E. Beall, Republican; Ansted.  
 Fred Minter, Democrat; Victor.

Nuttall District

Justices of the Peace..... Romeo H. Moore, Republican; Nallen.  
 Wm. A. Deitz, Republican; Hico.  
 Constables..... J. T. Bird, Democrat; Edmond.  
 R. C. Matics, Republican; Hico.  
 Board of Education..... President—J. H. Hatcher, Democrat;  
 Edmond.  
 Secretary—Otway Gunnoe, Democrat;  
 Gauley Bridge.  
 Dr. J. C. Brown, Democrat; Nallen.

J. N. Campbell, Democrat; Lookout.  
Seth S. Sandige, Democrat; Winona.

#### Quinnimont District

Justices of the Peace..... A. T. Thomas, Democrat; Meadow Bridge.  
W. F. Whitten, Democrat; Quinnimont.  
Constables..... Fred Small, Democrat; Quinnimont.  
R. C. White, Republican; Layland.  
Board of Education..... President—C. E. Rollyson, Republican; Lay-  
land.  
Secretary—John R. Sims, Republican; Lay-  
land.  
C. C. Rose, Democrat; Meadow Bridge.  
J. S. Tincher, Republican; Bellwood.

#### Sewell Mountain District

Justices of the Peace..... J. L. Martin, Republican; Danese.  
H. C. Bennett, Democrat; Thurmond.  
Constables..... W. L. Hartenstein, Democrat; Thurmond.  
Arlie S. Bragg, Democrat; Thurmond.  
Board of Education..... President—Guy Douglas, Democrat; Corliss.  
Secretary—Mrs. H. K. Myles, Democrat;  
Cliftop.  
J. O. Walker, Democrat; Rainelle.  
D. G. Hatcher, Democrat; Thurmond.  
Supervisor..... J. W. Cavendish, Democrat; Rainelle.

### GILMER COUNTY

Gilmer county, through which flows the Little Kanawha river, was established in 1845, and takes its name from Thomas Walker Gilmer, governor of Virginia in 1840, and later a representative in Congress and Secretary of the Navy in President Taylor's cabinet. The county has an area of 331 square miles and in 1930 contained a population of 10,641, the 1920 population being 10,688.

As assessed in 1929, the property in the county was valued as follows: Real estate, \$6,807,940; personal property, \$2,864,550; public utility property, \$4,831,020; total, \$14,503,510.

The four magisterial districts of the county are Center, Dekalb, Glenville and Troy, with the town of Glenville maintaining an independent school district.

Glenville, the county seat was first named Hartford when established, the name being changed to Glenville in 1856. The town has an elevation of 734 feet and its 1920 population of 327 increased to 799 in 1930.

The Glenville State Normal School, a state institution, located at Glen-

ville, was established in 1872 and is now under the management of President E. G. Rohrbaugh.

The other municipalities in Gilmer county are Layopolis, with a population in 1930 of 198 and Troy with a population of 101.

### COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

Judge Circuit Court.....	Jake Fisher, Democrat; Sutton.
Terms Commence.....	Third Tuesday in February, Third Tuesday in June and third Tuesday in October.
Official Court Reporter.....	Raymond Allman, Democrat; Sutton.
Sheriff.....	Blair Gainer, Democrat; Glenville.
Prosecuting Attorney.....	Guy B. Young, Democrat; Glenville.
Clerk Circuit Court.....	H. G. Woodford, Democrat; Glenville.
Gen'l Receiver Circuit Court.....	C. T. Whiting, Republican; Glenville.
Chancery Commissioners.....	Worthy Davis, Democrat; Glenville. H. H. Boggs, Democrat; Glenville. J. D. Jones, Republican; Glenville.
Clerk County Court.....	Charles E. Barnett, Democrat; Glenville.
Supt. Free Schools.....	Walter E. Moore, Democrat; Normantown.
County Road Engineer.....	Sam Buderman, Democrat; Glenville.
Surveyor.....	Robert Minney, Democrat; Lockney.
Assessor.....	Chas. G. Hays, Democrat; Glenville.
Com'r of School Lands.....	B. W. Craddock, Democrat; Glenville.
County Commissioners.....	R. C. Burk, Democrat; Sand Fork; term expires December 31, 1930. Lee Gainer, Democrat; DeKalb; term expires December 31, 1932. Lee Heckert, Democrat; Cox's Mills; term expires December 31, 1934.
President County Court.....	R. C. Burk, Democrat; Sand Fork.
Terms Commence.....	First Monday in January, First Monday in April, First Monday in July and first Monday in October.
Sealer Weights & Measures.....	Sheriff, ex-officio.
B'd Review & Equalization.....	Warren Lewis, Democrat; Troy District; Cox's Mills; term expires in 1931. J. W. Keith, Republican; Center District; Dora; term expires in 1933. W. A. Moore, Republican; DeKalb District; Tanner; term expires in 1935.
Board of Health.....	President of the County Court and Prosecuting Attorney ex-officio; Dr. T. E. Cato, Glenville; County Health Officer.
B'd Children's Guardians.....	Miss Florence Charter, District Agent, Union National Bank Bldg., Clarksburg.
U. S. B'd Ex. Surgeons.....	Troy. Dr. Everett Cooper, single surgeon.
Humane Officer.....	George W. McQuain, Democrat; Glenville.

## LIST OF ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Glenville, unless otherwise given)

Bennett, C. M.	Morris, M. B.
Boggs, H. H.	Wilson, F. M., Normantown
Craddock, B. W.	Young, Guy B.
Hendrick, J. J.	(Prosecuting Attorney)
Jones, J. D.	Zinn, L. D.

## REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

## Officers

W. A. Moore, Chairman, Tanner.	A. E. Berkhouse, Secretary, Glenville.
L. D. Zinn, Treasurer, Glenville.	

## Members

Center District—F. N. Miller, Letter Gap; E. W. McClain, Mrs. Ruth Shock and Mrs. Ora Boggs, Normantown.

DeKalb District—George W. Miller, Tanner; George W. Ward and Mrs. Jackson Beall, Glenville; Mrs. Hattie Whiting, DeKalb.

Glenville District—A. E. Berkhouse, Mrs. R. W. Bennett and Mrs. John Fishback, Glenville; John T. Gainer, Sand Fork.

Troy District—O. G. Talbott and Dr. H. B. Woofter, Troy; Mrs. Gladys Stewart and Mrs. Mary M. Sheets, Cox's Mills.

## DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

## Officers

C. W. Marsh, Chairman, Glenville.	Fred Lewis, Secy. and Treas., Glenville.
Mrs. Maud Brannon, Associate Chairman, Sand Fork.	

## Members

Center District—Joe Moore and Mrs. Russell Reed, Lockney; A. L. Rhoades and Mrs. Ruie Stout, Cedarville.

DeKalb District—Lida Riddle, Tanner; Mrs. Gertrude Bush, Revere; Mrs. Docia Beall, DeKalb; Jennings S. Stalnaker, Hardman.

Glenville District—E. E. Cottrill and Mrs. Maud Brannon, Sand Fork; Fred Lewis and Miss Grace Lorentz, Glenville.

Troy District—O. W. West, Auburn, R. D.; John M. White, Troy; Mrs. Minnie Morrison and Mrs. Mollie Bush, Cox's Mills.

## DISTRICT OFFICERS

## Center District

- Justices of the Peace..... C. O. Goldsmith, Democrat; Cedarville.  
 Alfred Vanhorn, Democrat; Orton.  
 Constable..... J. N. Gregory, Democrat; Cedarville.  
 Board of Education..... President—Floyd W. Moore, Democrat;  
 Normantown.  
 Secretary—S. C. Kennedy, Democrat; Orton.  
 J. J. Springston, Democrat; Rosedale.  
 Thurman Stalnaker, Democrat; Hardman.

## DeKalb District

- Justices of the Peace..... C. O. Rafferty, Democrat; Withers.  
 O. R. Waggoner, Democrat; Tanner.  
 Constables..... W. D. Jones, Democrat; Withers.  
 I. B. Vannoy, Democrat; DeKalb.  
 Board of Education..... President—L. L. Pickens, Democrat; Hard-  
 man.  
 Secretary—L. V. Crites, Republican; Tanner.  
 Oren Radabaugh, Republican; DeKalb.  
 Hall Wilson, Republican; Cox's Mills.

## Glenville District

- Justices of the Peace..... Worthy Davis, Democrat; Glenville.  
 L. D. Taylor, Democrat; Stouts Mills.  
 Constables..... M. S. Self, Democrat; Sand Fork.  
 Silas Jones, Democrat; Glenville.  
 Board of Education..... President—H. E. Wiant, Democrat; Sand  
 Fork.  
 Secretary—Edna Sims, Democrat; Sand  
 Fork.  
 Wise Shiflett, Democrat; Sand Fork.  
 N. J. Amick, Democrat; Gilmer.

## Troy District

- Board of Education..... President—Roy Williams, Republican; Cox's  
 Mills.  
 Secretary—O. G. Talbott, Republican; Troy.  
 Dr. L. K. Matheny, Republican; Troy.  
 Okey Reed, Republican; Troy.

## Glenville Independent School District

- Board of Education..... President—Granville Wolfe, Democrat;  
 Glenville.  
 Secretary—Ivan H. Bush, Democrat;  
 Glenville.  
 Harbert Withers, Democrat; Glenville.

## GRANT COUNTY

Grant county, formed from Hardy county in 1866 and named in honor of General Ulysses Simpson Grant, is one of the farming, grazing and fruit growing counties of the South Branch Valley, with a considerable coal development in its western section. It has a land area of 461 square miles and has three magisterial districts, Grant, Milroy and Union. Its 1920 population was 8,993 as compared with a population of 8,441 in 1930. The assessed valuation of all property in the county in 1929 was \$6,763,223, which was made up as follows: Real estate, \$4,134,800; personal property, \$1,996,500; public utilities, \$631,923.

Petersburg, the county seat, located on the South Branch of the Potomac, at an elevation of 937 feet, had a population in 1920 of 834, which increased in 1930 to 1,410. Petersburg has an independent school district. It is the site of St. John's Academy, an institution of secondary learning, maintained by the Lutheran Church, under the management of Rev. A. E. Krause, President.

Bayard, in the western section, with a 1930 population of 743 is the only other municipality in the county.

### COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

Judge Circuit Court.....	A. J. Valentine, Republican; Parsons.
Terms Commence.....	First Tuesday in April, second Tuesday in July and the third Tuesday in November.
Sheriff.....	J. A. Kimble, Republican; Bayard; ex-officio Sealer of Weights and Measures.
Prosecuting Attorney.....	B. F. Mitchell, Republican; Petersburg.
Clk. Circuit & Co. Courts....	P. A. Leatherman, Republican; Petersburg.
Gen'l Receiver Circuit Court..	O. M. Smith, Republican; Petersburg.
Chancery Commissioners....	P. A. Leatherman, Republican; Petersburg. R. W. Baker, Democrat; Petersburg. H. F. Baker, Democrat; Petersburg. M. S. Judy, Republican; Petersburg.
Divorce Commissioner.....	R. W. Baker, Democrat; Petersburg.
Supt. Free Schools.....	R. C. Day, Republican; Arthur.
County Road Engineer.....	(None.)
Surveyor.....	(None.)
Assessor.....	B. M. Evans, Republican; Maysville.
Com'r of School Lands.....	L. J. Forman, Republican; Petersburg.
County Commissioners.....	A. J. Kessel, Republican; Greenland; term expires December 31, 1930. W. U. Parker, Republican; Arthur; term expires December 31, 1932. Clarence Taylor, Republican; Petersburg; term expires December 31, 1934.

- President County Court . . . . A. J. Kessel, Republican; Greenland.  
 Terms Commence . . . . . Third Tuesday in January, first Tuesday in  
 March, first Tuesday in June and third  
 Tuesday in October.
- Commissioners of Accounts . . A. J. Welton, Republican; Petersburg.  
 L. J. Forman, Republican; Petersburg.  
 H. F. Baker, Democrat; Petersburg.
- B'd Review & Equalization . . . J. L. Rexroad, Republican; Grant District;  
 Lahmansville; term expires 1931.  
 David Aronholt, Republican; Union district;  
 Mt. Storm; term expires 1933.  
 R. W. Baker, Democrat; Milroy District;  
 Petersburg; term expires 1935.
- Board of Health . . . . . The President of the County Court and  
 Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio; and Dr.  
 Vernon L. Dyer, Petersburg; County Health  
 Officer.
- B'd of Children's Guardians . . Miss Mary Kay Babb, District Agent; Keyser.

### LIST OF ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Petersburg)

Baker, R. W.	Judy, E. L.
Forman and Mitchell	Smith, I. D.
Forman, L. J.	Welton, A. J.
Mitchell, B. B. (Prosecuting Attorney)	

### REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

H. B. Cottrell, Chairman, Gormaniana.	C. H. Hood, Secy. and Treas., Arthur.
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#### Members

Grant District—W. A. Veach and Mrs. M. L. Smith, Maysville; C. H. Hood, Arthur; Mrs. Hobart Groves, Petersburg.

Milroy District—Paul A. Leatherman, Dr. V. L. Dyer, Mrs. Mabel Hott and Mrs. Claudia Harman, Petersburg.

Union District—Jerry Harvey and Miss M. Mabel Synder, Bayard; H. B. Cottrell, Gormaniana; Miss Ollie Idleman, Scherr.

### CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE

M. S. Judy and Mrs. Pearl Thalaker, Petersburg.

### DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

H. F. Baker, Chairman, Petersburg.	Dr. W. C. Van Meter, Secretary, Petersburg.
Mrs. Annie M. Harness, Treasurer, Petersburg.	

### Members

Grant District—T. W. Michael and Elmer Evans, Medley; Mrs. Viola Marshall, Williamsport; Miss Pauline Smith, Arthur.

Milroy District—H. F. Baker, Dr. W. C. Van Meter, Mrs. A. M. Harness and Mrs. Virginia C. Welton, Petersburg.

Union District—J. R. Schaeffer, Gorman; B. C. Mosser and Miss Mary J. Tamburini, Bayard; Mrs. K. B. Windle, Henry.

### DISTRICT OFFICERS

#### Grant District

Justice of the Peace..... D. L. Judy, Democrat; Lahmansville.

Constables..... (By special appointment.)

Board of Education..... President—Roy C. Babb, Republican; Maysville.

Secretary—B. M. Evans, Republican; Maysville.

M. J. Smith, Republican; Maysville.

C. L. Kimble, Republican; Maysville.

#### Union District

Justices of the Peace..... Robert Oates, Republican; Gorman.

Joe Halterman, Republican; Scherr.

Constables..... (By special appointment.)

Board of Education..... President—T. W. S. Foley, Republican; Mt. Storm.

Secretary—Don Foley, Republican; Mt. Storm.

I. L. Neville, Democrat; Bayard.

W. S. Secrist, Republican; Scherr.

#### Milroy District

Justices of the Peace..... B. Grant Roby, Republican; Petersburg.

J. K. Wrachford, Republican; Petersburg.

Constables..... W. H. Ours, Republican; Petersburg.

E. H. Smith, Democrat; Petersburg.

Board of Education..... President—W. C. Getz, Republican; Rough Run.

Secretary—A. N. Kile, Republican; Corner. William Roby, Republican; Maysville.

W. H. Ours, Republican; Corner.

#### Petersburg Independent School District

Board of Education..... President—J. M. K. Reid, Republican; Petersburg.

Secretary—B. F. Mitchell, Republican; Petersburg.

B. Grant Roby, Republican; Petersburg.

J. L. Boor, Republican; Petersburg.



## GREENBRIER COUNTY

Greenbrier county, created in 1778 and named for the river which drains it, is the second largest county in the state, with an area of 998 square miles. The population of the county in 1920 was 26,242, which increased to 35,878 in 1930. While rich in natural resources of coal and timber, it is also an important agricultural and grazing county.

The ten magisterial districts are Lewisburg, Meadow Bluff, Williamsburg, White Sulphur, Fort Spring, Anthony's Creek, Irish Corner, Blue Sulphur, Falling Springs and Frankford. In 1929 the total assessed property valuation was \$29,659,672, of which \$16,575,280 was real estate, \$5,239,300 personal property and \$7,845,092 public utility property.

Lewisburg is the county seat and its history dates back to 1774, although not established as a town by law until 1782. It has an elevation of 2,200 feet above sea level and its population was 1,202 in 1920 and 1,293 in 1930. It maintains an independent school district.

Greenbrier Military Academy, organized in 1812 as Lewisburg Academy and Greenbrier College for Women, both maintained by the Southern Presbyterian Church, are located at Lewisburg.

Ronceverte, incorporated in 1882, is the largest municipality in the county, with a population in 1930 of 2,254, its 1920 population being 2,319.

Rainelle, a lumber town, named for Hon. John Raine, increased in population from 566 in 1920 to 920 in 1930. Frankford, unincorporated, was the first permanent settlement in the county.

White Sulphur Springs, the celebrated watering place for more than a century, had a 1930 population of 1,484, an increase of 647 over the 1920 population of 837.

Alderson, on the Greenbrier river, lies in both Greenbrier and Monroe counties and, in 1930, had a population of 1,458, the 1920 census showing a population of 1,401. The population of Falling Springs, another incorporated town, in 1930 was 355 and of East Rainelle, 1,272. Marfrance, unincorporated, had a 1930 population of 1,066.

### COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

Judge Circuit Court.....	S. H. Sharp, Republican; Marlinton.
Terms Commence.....	Third Tuesday in January, fourth Tuesday in April, fourth Tuesday in July and the fourth Tuesday in November.
Sheriff.....	John H. Bowling, Democrat; Lewisburg.
Clerk Circuit Court.....	A. J. Thompson, Democrat; Lewisburg.
Prosecuting Attorney.....	J. H. White, Democrat; Lewisburg.
Official Court Reporter.....	Bernard H. Twyford, Republican; Lewisburg.
Gen'l Receiver Circuit Court..	W. B. Blake, Jr., Republican; Ronceverte.

<b>Chancery Commissioners</b> . . . . .	Sam Austin, Democrat; Lewisburg. W. L. Kershner, Republican; Frankford. H. L. Van Sickler, Democrat; Lewisburg. Chas. McWhorter, Republican; Lewisburg.
<b>Divorce Commissioner</b> . . . . .	J. H. Crozier, Democrat; Ronceverte.
<b>Clerk County Court</b> . . . . .	Paul C. Hogsett, Democrat; Lewisburg.
<b>Supt. Free Schools</b> . . . . .	Alexander Ryan Thompson, Democrat; Lewisburg.
<b>County Road Engineer</b> . . . . .	Julius K. Monroe, Democrat; Lewisburg.
<b>Surveyor</b> . . . . .	Guy R. White, Democrat; White Sulphur Springs.
<b>Assessor</b> . . . . .	D. W. Watts, Democrat; Lewisburg.
<b>Com'r of School Lands</b> . . . . .	Oscar Higginbotham, Republican; Frank- ford.
<b>County Commissioners</b> . . . . .	E. W. Sydenstricker, Democrat; Lewisburg; terms expires December 31, 1930. J. M. Dunbar, Democrat; Frankford; term expires December 31, 1932. H. S. Neal, Democrat; Alderson; term ex- pires December 31, 1934.
<b>President County Court</b> . . . . .	E. W. Sydenstricker, Democrat; Lewis- burg.
<b>Terms Commence</b> . . . . .	First Tuesday in each month, except August, which is second and fourth Tues- days.
<b>Commissioners of Accounts</b> . . . . .	W. H. Garnett, Democrat; Lewisburg. H. L. Van Sickler, Democrat; Lewisburg. A. M. Tressel, Democrat; White Sulphur. Springs. F. M. Arbuckle, Democrat; Lewisburg.
<b>B'd Review &amp; Equalization</b> . . . . .	J. D. Hicks, Republican; Falling Springs District; Renick; term expires in 1931. S. L. Beard, Democrat; Lewisburg District; Lewisburg; term expires in 1933. W. B. Hines, Republican; White Sulphur District; White Sulphur Springs; term expires in 1935.
<b>Board of Health</b> . . . . .	The President of the County Court, and Prosecuting Attorney ex-officio, and Dr. J. D. Arbuckle, Maxwelton; County Health Officer.
<b>B'd Children's Guardians</b> . . . . .	Miss Lena B. Smith, Agent; Lewisburg.

#### LIST OF ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Lewisburg, unless otherwise given.)

Austin, S. M.

Boggess, P. W., Alderson

Brackman, M. C.

Crozier, J. H., Ronceverte

Dennis, Thomas H.	McWhorter, Charles N.
Dice and Easley	White, James H.
Dice, C. S.	Browning, C. H.
Easley, G. G.	McWhorter, J. S.
Garnett, W. H.	Nolan, Elmer, Alderson
Hill, A. C., Ronceverte	Preston, S. P.
Holt, Joseph M.	Price, Samuel
Jarrett, M. L.	Rivercomb, Geo. A., Jr.
Kershner, W. L., Frankford	Thompson, W. S., East Ral-
McWhorter, White and	nelle and Alderson
Browning	Van Sickler, H. L.
	Wilson, E. Minor

### REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

S. H. McDowell, Chairman, Lewisburg.	Mrs. Martyn Rodgers, Asso. Chairman,
Vallie Russell, Secretary, Lewisburg.	Ronceverte.
	T. L. Woodson, Treasurer, Alderson.

#### Members

Anthony's Creek District—A. G. Wade, J. H. Wade, Lillie Pinnell and Mrs. Brown Wade, Alvon.

Blue Sulphur District—J. H. Barlow, Grassy Meadows; T. L. Woodson and Elsie Dietz, Alderson; Virginia Hogsett, Blue Sulphur.

Falling Spring District—J. D. Brown, Mrs. H. W. McMillon and Miss Bernice Hill, Renick; G. W. Boothe, Cordova.

Fort Spring District—W. B. Blake, Jr., W. P. Ballard, Miss Louise Vaugh and Mollie Haynes, Ronceverte.

Frankford District—R. L. Collins, P. H. Boothe, Gladys Seldonridge and Nina McClung, Frankford.

Irish Corner District—C. C. Rodgers, A. R. Holliday, Mrs. Martyn Rodgers and Miss Margaret Surgeon, Ronceverte.

Lewisburg District—J. V. Russell, S. H. McDowell, Cosby Brewster and Mary V. Hern, Lewisburg.

Meadow Bluff District—Dr. H. L. Kirkpatrick, Marfrance; Anneta V. O'Dell, Dennis; Edith F. Deitz, Kieffer.

Williamsburg District—T. A. Harrah, Hughart; Mackie C. Hume, T. A. Knight and Esta Shaffer, Williamsburg.

White Sulphur District—J. E. Forren, J. D. Alderman, Mrs. S. A. Swann and Mrs. C. E. Frazier, White Sulphur.

### DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

W. H. Garnett, Chairman, Lewisburg.	Gates N. Beard, Secretary, Ronceverte.
Dr. W. E. Myles, Treasurer, White Sulphur.	

## Members

Anthony's Creek District—G. Lynn Clark, J. H. Fogus and Mrs. Bettia Cackley, Neola; Mrs. J. N. Hoke, Alvon.

Blue Sulphur District—Dr. Otho Argabrite, Mrs. James H. George and Mrs. William Echols, Alderson; H. P. Knapp, Dawson.

Falling Spring District—O. P. Kinsley, Miss Mary Rapp and Mrs. Ollie Brown, Renick; Sam Hanna, Spring Creek.

Fort Spring District—James McGrath, W. J. Kramer, Mrs. Bertha S. Thrasher and Miss Carrie Beard, Ronceverte.

Frankford District—J. W. Livesay, E. R. Livesay, Miss Mattie Tyree and Miss Elizabeth Tyree, Frankford.

Lewisburg District—H. C. Jackson, W. L. Tabscott, Mrs. G. Gilmer Easley and Miss Tillie Skaggs, Lewisburg.

Irish Corner District—J. M. Corkrean, Fort Spring; Emmona Hoover, Organ Cave; Ada McDowell, Ronceverte; Mrs. Relda McClung, Ronceverte, R. D.

Meadow Bluff District—E. D. Smoot, Smoot; H. R. Harrah, Clintonville; Mrs. L. C. Bays, Quinwood; Mrs. L. E. McClung, Rupert.

Williamsburg District—W. T. Legg and Miss Ola Gilkeson, Hughart; A. R. Handley and Miss Mildred C. Knight, Williamsburg.

White Sulphur District—Dr. W. E. Myles, P. S. Brown, Mrs. Annie B. Ayres and Mrs. Maggie C. Jones, White Sulphur Springs.

## SENATORIAL COMMITTEE

James W. McClung, Lewisburg; Nell W. Walker, Winona.

## DISTRICT OFFICERS

## Anthony's Creek District

Justice of the Peace..... (None.)

Constable..... (None.)

Board of Education..... President—Mrs. Ella Mathews, Democrat; Neola.

Secretary—Mrs. L. C. Lanna, Democrat; Neola.

Henry Sevy, Democrat; Alvon.

J. H. Wade, Republican; Alvon.

## Blue Sulphur District

Justices of the Peace..... A. M. McNeer, Democrat; Alderson.

P. W. Boggess, Democrat; Alderson.

Constable..... Roy Brown, Democrat; Alderson.

Board of Education..... President—Chas. Hogsett, Republican; Blue Sulphur Springs.

Secretary—G. H. Buster; Democrat; Blue Sulphur Springs.

S. J. Witt, Democrat; Dawson.

Mrs. R. A. Anderson, Democrat; Blue Sulphur Springs.

## Falling Springs District

- Justices of the Peace..... M. M. Burr, Democrat; Renick.  
E. L. Sutphin, Republican; Julia.
- Constable..... (By special appointment.)
- Board of Education..... President—W. J. Snedegar, Republican;  
Renick.  
Secretary—M. G. Myles, Democrat; Renick.  
J. H. Powell, Republican; Renick.  
H. B. Christian, Republican; Leonard.

## Fort Springs District

- Justices of the Peace..... P. H. McGrath, Democrat; Ronceverte.  
W. O. Sampson, Republican; Lewisburg.
- Constable..... Homer D. Grone, Democrat; Ronceverte.
- Board of Education..... President—J. W. DeVebe, Democrat;  
Ronceverte.  
Secretary—S. N. Erwin, Democrat; Ronceverte.  
Wm. P. Pyles, Democrat; Ronceverte.  
P. A. George, Democrat; Ronceverte.

## Frankford District

- Justice of the Peace..... J. F. Bright, Democrat; Frankford.
- Constable..... M. B. Loudermilk, Democrat; Frankford.
- Board of Education..... President—W. P. Boggs, Republican;  
Frankford.  
Secretary—A. L. Fisher, Democrat; Frankford.  
S. C. Coffman, Republican; Frankford.  
J. H. Scott, Democrat; Frankford.

## Irish Corner District

- Justice of the Peace..... H. D. Honaker, Democrat; Ronceverte.
- Constable..... (Vacant.)
- Board of Education..... President—S. B. Rodgers, Republican;  
Ronceverte.  
Secretary—H. C. Erwin, Democrat; Ronceverte.  
A. W. Smith, Republican; Ronceverte.  
N. B. McDowell, Democrat; Ronceverte.

## Lewisburg District

- Justices of the Peace..... J. M. Preston, Democrat; Lewisburg.  
F. M. Arbuckle, Democrat; Lewisburg.
- Constable..... (By special appointment.)
- Board of Education..... President—Ross Tuckwiller, Democrat;  
Lewisburg.  
Secretary—F. M. Arbuckle, Democrat;  
Lewisburg.  
C. A. Skaggs, Democrat; Lewisburg.  
J. D. Arbuckle, Democrat; Lewisburg.

## Meadow Bluff District

- Justices of the Peace..... C. L. McClung, Democrat; Quinwood.  
George E. Daniels, Republican; East  
Rainelle.
- Constables..... R. H. Martin, Democrat; East Rainelle.  
Groff O'Dell, Republican; Quinwood.
- Board of Education..... President—Dr. J. G. Leech, Republican;  
Quinwood.  
Secretary—C. L. Ferrell, Democrat; Clinton-  
ville.  
J. A. Smith, Democrat; Quinwood.  
J. E. Hamner, Democrat; Rainelle.

## White Sulphur District

- Justices of the Peace..... N. A. Beckner, Democrat; White Sulphur  
Springs.  
A. J. Livesay, Democrat; White Sulphur  
Springs.
- Constables..... L. M. Vance, Republican; White Sulphur  
Springs.  
J. E. Farren, Republican; White Sulphur  
Springs.
- Board of Education..... President—G. L. Wyatt, Democrat; White  
Sulphur Springs.  
Secretary—A. M. Hippert, Republican;  
White Sulphur Springs.  
C. B. Collins, Democrat; White Sulphur  
Springs.  
Mrs. B. Crickenberger, Democrat; White  
Sulphur Springs.

## Williamsburg District

- Justice of the Peace..... J. S. Wilkinson, Democrat; Williamsburg.
- Constable..... T. A. Knight, Republican; Williamsburg.
- Board of Education..... President—S. L. Curry, Democrat; Wil-  
liamsburg.  
Secretary—A. R. Handley, Democrat; Wil-  
liamsburg.  
Floyd Handley, Democrat; Williamsburg.  
A. H. Snedegar, Republican; Williamsburg.

## Lewisburg Independent School District

- Board of Education..... President—George Alderson, Democrat;  
Lewisburg.  
Secretary—F. M. Arbuckle, Democrat; Lewis-  
burg.  
Mrs. G. G. Easley, Democrat; Lewisburg.  
Samuel McCorkle, Democrat; Lewisburg.

## HAMPSHIRE COUNTY

Hampshire, another agricultural county of the South Branch Valley, is the oldest county in West Virginia, having been organized in 1757 and was named from the English shire of the same name. It has a land area of 648 square miles and its 1930 population was 11,836. Among its natural curiosities is Ice Mountain on which, even on the hottest days, ice may be found by merely overturning the loose lying surface rocks.

The county has seven magisterial districts. Mill Creek, Romney, Springfield, Sherman, Capon, Bloomery and Gore. The property valuation in the county in 1929 was: Real estate, \$4,052,245; personal property, \$2,224,540; public utilities, \$3,461,935; a total assessment of \$9,738,720.

Romney, the county seat, is one of the oldest towns in the state, having been laid out in 1762 and named from the English town of Romney. Its elevation above sea level is 926 feet and its 1920 population of 1,028 increased to 1,441 in 1930. Here is located the West Virginia Schools for the Deaf and Blind, under the management of Superintendent Parley DeBerry.

Capon Bridge, with a 1930 population of 192, is the only other municipality in the county.

### COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

Judge Circuit Court.....	G. K. Kump, Democrat; Romney.
Terms Commence.....	First Tuesday in January, first Tuesday in March, first Tuesday in July and the third Tuesday in September
Official Court Reporter.....	Mrs. James P. Hale, Democrat; Romney.
Sheriff.....	J. Burr Saville, Democrat; Romney; ex-officio Sealer of Weights and Measures.
Prosecuting Attorney.....	L. V. Thompson, Democrat; Romney.
Clerk Circuit Court.....	J. M. Snarr, Democrat; Romney.
Chancery Commissioners ...	J. S. Zimmerman, Democrat; Romney. Robert White, Democrat; Romney. L. V. Thompson, Democrat; Romney. John L. Lehman, Republican; Romney.
Clerk County Court.....	G. W. S. Grove, Democrat; Romney.
Supt. Free Schools.....	E. W. Noland, Democrat; Romney.
County Road Engineer.....	(None.)
Surveyor.....	G. H. Sirk, Democrat; Sector
Assessor.....	G. W. Parsons, Jr., Democrat; Romney.
Com'r of School Lands.....	J. G. Ruckman, Democrat; Romney.
County Commissioners.....	A. C. Oates, Democrat; High View; term expires December 31, 1930. E. O. Coffman, Democrat; Rio; term expires December 31, 1932. Arthur Z. Ewers, Democrat; Romney; term expires December 31, 1934.

- President County Court . . . . . Arthur Z. Ewers, Democrat; Romney.  
 Terms Commence . . . . . First Monday in April, fourth Tuesday in  
 July, fourth Tuesday in October and third  
 Tuesday in December.
- Commissioners of Accounts . . Robert White, Democrat; Romney.  
 J. S. Zimmerman, Democrat; Romney.  
 L. V. Thompson, Democrat; Romney.  
 W. H. Poling, Democrat; Romney.
- B'd Review & Equalization . . . J. C. Pownall, Republican; Sherman Dis-  
 trict; Romney; term expires in 1931.  
 J. W. Larrick, Republican; Capon District;  
 High View; term expires in 1933.  
 T. F. Henderson, Democrat; Gore District;  
 Slanesville; term expires in 1933.
- Board of Health . . . . . The President of the County Court and  
 Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio; Dr. R. W.  
 Dailey, Romney; County Health Officer.
- B'd Children's Guardians . . . . Miss Mary Kay Babb, District Agent;  
 Keyser.

#### LIST OF ATTORNEYS

(Post office address, Romney, unless otherwise given.)

Arnold, Geo. S.	Lehman, John L.
Cornwell, Jno. J., Baltimore, Md.	Mason, J. Ashby, Yellow Springs
(General Counsel, B. and O. R. R.)	Poling, W. H.
Cowgill, Ira V.	Pownall, Thomas E.
Kump, G. K.	Thompson, L. V.
(Judge Circuit Court)	(Prosecuting Attorney)
	White, Robert
	Zimmerman, J. S.

#### REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

##### Officers

W. H. McDonald, Chairman-Treas.,      Dr. W. R. Hill, Asso. Chairman,  
 Romney.      Romney.  
 Rothwell Carrier, Secretary,  
 Lehew.

##### Members

Capon District—Ernest Anderson, R. L. Carrier, Leona Anderson and  
 Cordelia E. Carrier, Lehew.

Bloomery District—J. P. Ramsburg, Capon Bidge; J. W. Hoagland,  
 Bloomery; Mrs. M. W. McDonald, Paw Paw, R. D.; Mfs. J. A. Loy, Paw  
 Paw.



Gore District—V. E. Beery and W. J. Shanholtz, Augusta; Mrs. Mabel Snyder and Mary J. Scanlon, Levels.

Mills Creek District—Oren C. Purgitt and Bess Helman, Purgittsville; Charles T. Rinker and Kate T. Parker, Junction.

Romney District—B. M. Grim, John L. Lehman, Mrs. T. E. Pownall and Mrs. E. F. Staub, Romney.

Sherman District—O. M. Keckley, O. L. Hott, Louise C. Pownall and Mabel R. Hott, Romney.

Springfield District—B. F. Shanholtz, W. J. Shanholtz, Edna L. Shanholtz and Minnie Shanholtz, Green Spring.

#### CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE

J. C. Linthicum, Romney; Mrs. Anna Rannels, Points.

#### SENATORIAL COMMITTEE

John H. Parker and Mrs. J. H. Parker, Junction.

#### DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

##### Officers

Robert White, Chairman,  
Romney.

Mrs. Mary Saville, Asso. Chairman,  
Romney.

Blair M. Haines, Secretary,  
Romney.

W. H. Park, Treasurer,  
Augusta.

##### Members

Capon District—L. W. Frank, Lebew; John W. Haines, Dillons Run; Mrs. Ellis Haines, Capon Bridge; Mrs. Caudy Davis, Yellow Springs.

Bloomery District—C. T. Powell and Mrs. Caroline Loy, Paw Paw, R. D.; G. E. Johnson, Bloomery; Mrs. Bertie C. Farmer, Cold Stream.

Gore District—L. M. Snyder, Levels; L. E. Shanholtzer, Higginsville; Mrs. Sallie Loy, North River Mills; Miss Ruth Riley, Augusta.

Mill Creek District—C. L. Stickleby, Rada; Harry Cheshire and Mrs. Cora Clinedinst, Junction; Miss Lena Leatherman, Purgittsville.

Romney District—Robert White, Blair M. Haines, Mrs. Mayme L. Grove and Mrs. Mary Saville, Romney.

Sherman District—W. H. Park, Augusta; John W. Daugherty, Hanging Rock; Mrs. Roxana Bean, Rio; Mrs. Ruth Bean, Romney.

Springfield District—A. G. Durst, Levels; John Twigg, Green Springs; Mrs. O. B. Calahan, Springfield; Mrs. Bernice Thompson, Three Churches.

#### CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE

G. W. S. Grove, Romney; Miss Orion Hiatt, Capon Bridge.

#### SENATORIAL COMMITTEE

E. F. Bean and Mrs. Mary A. Kirk, Romney.

## DISTRICT OFFICERS

## Bloomery District

Justice of the Peace.....L. M. Whitacre, Democrat; Bloomery.  
 Constable.....Russell Pugh, Democrat; Bloomery.  
 Board of Education.....President—Offutt Peacemaker, Republican;  
 Bloomery.  
 Secretary—J. P. Ramsburg, Republican;  
 Capon Bridge.  
 Jos. Roomsburg, Democrat; Cold Stream.  
 C. W. Cunningham, Democrat; Paw Paw.

## Capon District

Justice of the Peace.....J. F. Rudolph, Democrat; Intermont.  
 Constable.....Howard Brill, Democrat; Intermont.  
 Board of Education.....President—Benson Lafollette, Democrat;  
 Yellow Springs.  
 Secretary—M. C. Eaton, Democrat; Lehew.  
 H. P. Brill, Democrat; Capon Springs.  
 A. A. Fletcher, Democrat; High View.

## Gore District

Justice of the Peace.....(None.)  
 Constable.....(None.)  
 Board of Education.....President—O. P. Kidwell, Democrat;  
 Slanesville.  
 Secretary—H. A. Shanholtzer, Democrat;  
 Shanks.  
 W. T. Gullick, Democrat; Romney.  
 Albert Klein, Democrat; Okonoko.

## Mill Creek District

Justice of the Peace.....E. G. Ruckman, Democrat; Purgittsville.  
 Board of Education.....President—J. F. Leatherman, Republican;  
 Junction.  
 Secretary—J. H. Cheshire, Democrat; Junction.  
 Sam Bizer, Republican; Junction.  
 Hamil Thompson, Democrat; Sector.

## Romney District

Justices of the Peace.....G. H. Johnson, Democrat; Romney.  
 J. W. Short, Democrat; Romney.  
 Constable.....R. J. Ruckman, Democrat; Romney.  
 Board of Education.....President—J. Brady Thompson, Democrat;  
 Romney.  
 Secretary—W. H. Poling, Democrat; Romney.  
 D. E. Pugh, Democrat; Romney.  
 P. C. Williams, Democrat; Romney.

### Sherman District

(Vacancies in the office of Justice of the Peace and Constable.)

Board of Education.....President C. E. Wolford, Democrat; Augusta.

Secretary—G. W. Stewart, Democrat; Augusta.

G. W. Combs, Democrat; Kirby.

L. E. Saville, Democrat; Augusta.

### Springfield District

Justices of the Peace..... J. T. Humphries, Republican; Green Spring.

Constable..... (None.)

Board of Education.....President—S. C. Milleson, Democrat; Springfield.

Secretary—Charles J. Blue, Democrat; Springfield.

W. H. Ansel, Democrat; Springfield.

G. C. Conley, Democrat; Green Spring.

## HANCOCK COUNTY

Hancock, the smallest county in the state, with an area of 83 square miles, is the northern tip of the Northern Panhandle. It was created in 1848 and in 1920 had a population of 19,975, which increased to 28,511 in 1930, a growth of 8,536. It was named for John Hancock, first signer of the Declaration of Independence.

The property valuation in the county in 1929 was: Real estate, \$17,844,530; personal property, \$4,108,790; public utility property, \$3,159,642; total, \$25,112,962. The county is divided into three magisterial districts, Butler, Clay and Grant, New Cumberland and Chester maintaining independent school districts.

Hancock, an industrial county, is the chief producer of fire clay, fire brick and tile in the state, and has deposits of coal and iron ore as other natural resources.

New Cumberland, the county seat, was laid out in 1839 and was originally called Vernon. It is located on the Ohio river, at an elevation of 667 feet above sea level. It had a population of 2,300 in 1930, the population in 1920 being 1,816.

Chester, an industrial city, increased its population from 3,283 in 1920 to 3,701 in 1930. Hollidays Cove, lying in Brooke and Hancock counties, had a population of 1,213 in 1920 and of 4,480 in 1930.

### COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

Judges Circuit Court..... J. B. Sommerville, Democrat; Wheeling.  
J. H. Brennan, Republican; Wheeling.

Terms Commence.....	The second Monday in March, second Monday in June and the second Monday in November.
Official Court Reporter.....	Grace Kreamer, Republican; Wheeling.
Sheriff.....	J. S. D. Mercer, Republican; New Cumberland.
Prosecuting Attorney.....	W. W. Ingram, Republican; Chester.
Clerk Circuit Court.....	F. L. Bradley, Republican; New Cumberland.
Chancery Commissioners.....	R. M. Brown, Republican; New Cumberland. J. A. McKenzie, Republican; New Cumberland. G. L. Bambrick, Democrat; New Cumberland. Frank Bradley, Republican; New Cumberland.
Divorce Commissioner.....	E. A. Hart, Republican; New Cumberland.
Clerk County Court.....	R. R. Hobbs, Republican; Chester.
Supt. Free Schools.....	H. O. Miller, Republican; Pughtown.
Com'r of School Lands.....	E. A. Hart, Republican; New Cumberland.
Assessor.....	R. C. Evans, Republican; Hollidays Cove.
County Commissioners.....	J. Frank McHendry, Republican; Weirton; term expires December 31, 1930. N. W. Ballantyne, Republican; New Cumberland; term expires December 31, 1932. J. L. Mahew, Democrat; Chester; term expires December 31, 1934.
President County Court.....	J. F. McHendry, Republican; Weirton.
Terms Commence.....	First Monday in each month.
B'd Review & Equalization...	H. C. Stewart, Democrat; Clay District; New Cumberland; term expires in 1931. G. Clem Pugh, Republican; Grant District; Chester; term expires in 1933. William J. Moulds, Republican; Butler District; Hollidays Cove; term expires in 1935.
Board of Health.....	The President of the County Court and the Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio; Dr. J. E. Fisher, New Cumberland, County Health Officer.
B'd of Children's Guardians..	Miss Margaret E. McKinney, District Agent; Professional Bldg., Fairmont.

#### LIST OF ATTORNEYS

(Post office address New Cumberland, unless otherwise given.)

Allison and Brightwell, Weirton  
Allison, J. B.

Brightwell, W. D.  
Allison, A. G., Chester  
Bambrick, George L.

Bradley, Frank L.	Levy, J. B., Weirton
Brown, R. M.	Marshall, Oliver S.
Hart, E. A.	McKenzie, J. A.
Hoffman, Thomas S., Weirton	McKenzie, T. F.
Ingram, W. W., Chester.	
(Prosecuting Attorney)	

### REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

R. M. Brown, Chairman, New Cumberland.	H. I. Cain, Secy.-Treas., New Cumberland.
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#### Members

Butler District—J. R. Manson, Newell; Thomas Jones and A. J. Connor, Weirton.

Clay District—R. M. Brown, H. I. Cain and Miss Edna Snowden, New Cumberland.

Grant District—Miss Edith Williamson, New Cumberland; Mrs. Mary Stephenson, Chester.

### DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

Paul S. Cullen, Chairman, New Cumberland.	E. L. Hill, Secy.-Treas., New Cumberland.
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#### Members

Butler District—George Owings and Mrs. Dorothy F. Johnson, Weirton; C. W. Smith and Mrs. Olive Falconer, Hollidays Cove.

Clay District—E. L. Hill, Paul S. Cullen, Mrs. Darwin Swan and Miss Jacy Shetter, New Cumberland; John H. Mayhew, New Cumberland, R. 2.

Grant District—J. L. Mahew and Ruth Baxter, Chester; Tim Robinson, Newell.

### DISTRICT OFFICERS

#### Butler District

Justice of the Peace.....	John W. Hertneck, Republican; Weirton.
Constables.....	Roy Pellett, Republican; Weirton. Edward Walsh, Republican; Weirton.
Board of Education.....	President—D. W. Kessel, Republican; Weirton. Secretary—W. D. Johnson, Democrat; Weirton. I. Levendorf, Republican; Weirton. J. A. Hall, Republican; Hollidays Cove.

## Clay District

- Justice of the Peace . . . . . James E. Ward, Republican; New Cumberland.  
 Constables . . . . . W. J. Fickes, Republican; New Cumberland.  
 Frank Foss, Republican; New Cumberland.  
 Board of Education . . . . . President—Wood Moore, Republican; Pugh-  
 town.  
 Secretary—T. W. Minesinger, Republican;  
 New Cumberland.  
 J. R. Fink, Democrat; New Cumberland, R. 1.  
 Mrs. G. Campbell Pugh, Republican; New  
 Cumberland, R. 3.

## Grant District

- Justices of the Peace . . . . . A. G. Allison, Republican; Chester.  
 John A. Myler, Republican; Newell.  
 Constables . . . . . Brady Severs, Republican; Chester.  
 John Talbott, Republican; Newell.  
 Board of Education . . . . . President—Charles M. Stewart, Republican;  
 Newell.  
 Secretary—Chalmer Smith, Republican;  
 Newell.  
 F. G. Porter, Republican; Newell.  
 John H. Graham, Republican; Newell.

## Chester Independent School District

- Board of Education . . . . . President—Elmer Allison, Republican;  
 Chester.  
 Secretary—Paul Finley, Democrat; Chester.  
 Harry Oyster, Republican; Chester.  
 Frank S. Huff, Jr., Republican; Chester.

## New Cumberland Independent School District

- Board of Education . . . . . President—R. M. Brown, Republican; New  
 Cumberland.  
 Secretary—C. D. Henderson, Republican;  
 New Cumberland.  
 M. N. Price, Republican; New Cumberland.  
 C. A. Ballantyne, Republican; New Cumber-  
 land.

## HARDY COUNTY

Hardy, in the tier of the South Branch Valley counties, is an agricultural county, with timber as an important natural resource. It was formed in 1785 and has an area of 575.52 square miles. The population of the county increased from 9,601 in 1920 to the 1930 figures of 9,816. It was named for Samuel Hardy, a distinguished Virginian.

The county has four magisterial districts, Capon, Lost River, Moore-

field and South Fork. The total assessed property valuation in the county in 1929 was \$6,014,041, of which \$3,283,090 was real estate, \$2,310,410 personal property and \$420,541 public utility property.

Moorefield, the county seat, at the junction of the South Branch of the Potomac and the South Fork of the South Branch, has an elevation above sea level of 820 feet and was established in 1777. Its 1920 population of 630 increased to 734 in 1930.

Wardensville, on the Cacapon river, with a population in 1930 of 189, is the only other municipality in the county. Near this town is the Reymann Memorial Farm, a state owned experimental farm, the gift of Anton and Paul O. Reymann.

COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

- Judge Circuit Court..... G. K. Kump, Democrat; Romney.
- Terms Commence..... Third Tuesday in February, third Tuesday in June and third Tuesday in October.
- Official Court Reporter..... Mrs. James P. Hale, Democrat; Romney.
- Sheriff..... L. W. Orndorff, Democrat; Wardensville.
- Prosecuting Attorney..... W. D. McCauley, Democrat; Moorefield.
- Clk. Circuit and Co. Courts... C. C. Wise, Democrat; Moorefield.
- Gen'l Receiver Circuit Court. M. Dasher, Democrat; Moorefield.
- Chancery Commissioners.... Robert A. Wilson, Democrat; Moorefield.  
M. W. Gamble, Democrat; Moorefield.  
J. Ed. Chipley, Democrat; Moorefield.  
W. D. McCauley, Democrat; Moorefield.
- Supt. Free Schools..... E. A. Hawse, Democrat; Baker.
- County Road Engineer..... (None.)
- Surveyor..... (None.)
- Assessor..... W. D. Wilkins, Republican; Needmore.
- Com'r School Lands..... W. H. Wood, Democrat; Moorefield
- County Commissioners..... F. C. Welton, Democrat; Moorefield; term expires December 31, 1930.  
R. C. May, Democrat; Mathias; term expires December 31, 1930.  
T. M. Gerard, Democrat; Rock Oak; term expires December 31, 1934.
- President County Court..... F. C. Welton, Democrat; Moorefield.
- Terms Commence..... First Tuesday in January, first Tuesday in April, second and fourth Tuesdays in August and first Tuesday in November.
- Commissioners of Accounts.. M. W. Gamble, Democrat; Moorefield.  
Robert A. Wilson, Democrat; Moorefield.  
J. Ed. Chipley, Democrat; Moorefield.  
W. D. McCauley, Democrat; Moorefield.
- B'd Review & Equalization .. George T. Leatherman, Republican; Moorefield District; Old Fields; term expires 1931.  
James E. Teets, Republican; Lost River

District; Baker; term expires 1933.  
 James W. Dove, Democrat; South Fork District; Peru; term expires 1935.  
 Board of Health..... The President of the County Court and Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio; Dr. R. W. Love, Moorefield, County Health Officer.  
 B'd Children's Guardians.... Miss Mary Kay Babb, District Agent, Keyser.

### LIST OF ATTORNEYS

(Post office address, Moorefield, unless otherwise given.)

Chiple, J. Edward	McCauley, G. W.
Gamble, M. W.	Zimmerman, J. S., Romney
Muntzing, H. Gus	McCauley, W. D.
McCauley, Zimmerman and McCauley	(Prosecuting Attorney)

### REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

Herman Sions, Chairman, Moorefield.	M. A. Evans, Secy. and Treas., Flats.
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#### Members

Capon District—F. P. Baker, Mrs. Ella B. Miley and Mrs. James Baker, Wardensville; James Ludwig, Rio.

Lost River District—C. A. Bott, Needmore; A. M. Snider and Mrs. Tacey Fansler, Mathias; Mrs. H. Riley Heishman, Lost City.

Moorefield District—Herman Sions and Mrs. T. J. Bergdoll, Moorefield; Mrs. Annie Taylor, Purgittsville; M. A. Evans, Flats.

South Fork District—Clyde Ours and Quentin Evans, Fisher; Mrs. Delphia Bergdoll, Kessel; Mrs. Ray Ours, Moorefield.

### DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

C. C. Wise, Chairman, Moorefield.	Mrs. Jesse Fisher, Secretary, Fisher.
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#### Members

Capon District—W. M. Frye and Mrs. Joseph T. Frye, Wardensville; D. L. Swisher and Lillie E. Swisher, Rio.

Lost River District—H. K. Moyers, Mathias; P. N. Heishman, Baker; Lillian Miller, Lost City; M. Belle Miller, Needmore.

Moorefield District—W. L. Wilson, Mrs. G. W. McCauley and Mrs. M. A. Bean, Moorefield; N. M. Wilkins, Needmore.

South Fork District—Arthur Neff and W. H. Wood, Moorefield; Mrs. Jesse Fisher, Fisher; Mrs. James W. Dove, Peru.



## DISTRICT OFFICERS

## Capon District

- Justices of the Peace..... Roy C. Pilgrim, Democrat; Wardensville.  
Abe Heishman, Democrat; Wardensville.
- Constables..... D. L. Rudy, Democrat; Wardensville.  
H. M. Wilson, Democrat; Wardensville.
- Board of Education..... President—William L. Didawick, Democrat;  
Wardensville.  
Secretary—Myrtle Orndorff, Democrat; Wardensville.  
W. M. Frye, Democrat; Wardensville.  
W. C. Smith, Democrat; Rio.

## Lost River District

- Justices of the Peace..... A. M. Snider, Republican; Mathias.  
A. D. Walker, Democrat; Lost River.
- Constables..... L. A. Delawder, Democrat; Mathias.  
Grant May, Democrat; Mathias.
- Board of Education..... President—James L. Garrett, Democrat;  
Lost River.  
Secretary—Belle Miller, Democrat; Needmoore.  
R. L. May, Democrat; Mathias.  
Dailey Wilkin, Democrat; Lost River.

## Moorefield District

- Justices of the Peace..... Thomas J. Hawse, Democrat; Rock Oak.  
H. E. Hutter, Democrat; Moorefield.
- Constables..... Howard Evans, Democrat; Doman.  
Gabe Woerner, Democrat; Moorefield.
- Board of Education..... President—Dr. R. W. Love, Democrat;  
Moorefield.  
Secretary—Mrs. M. Dasher, Republican;  
Moorefield.  
H. C. Welton, Democrat; Moorefield.  
Roy Elosser, Democrat; Fabius.

## South Fork District

- Justices of the Peace..... A. G. Hutter, Democrat; Moorefield.  
G. H. Simon, Democrat; Moorefield.
- Constables..... F. S. Kessel, Republican; Kessel.  
John Henry New, Democrat; Rig.
- Board of Education..... President—C. C. Fisher, Democrat; Moorefield.  
Secretary—Nelle M. Clower, Democrat;  
Moorefield.  
George C. Trumbo, Democrat; Moorefield.  
Jehu Halterman, Democrat; Rig.

## HARRISON COUNTY

Harrison county, formed in 1784, took its name from Benjamin Harrison, the distinguished Virginian who was the father of William Henry Harrison, ninth President of the United States, and the great-grandfather of Benjamin Harrison, twenty-third President.

It contains large coal, oil and gas fields under development, important industries and manufacturing plants and, in addition, is one of the foremost agricultural and grazing counties. It had a population of 74,793 in 1920, which grew to 78,567 in 1930. Its area is 417.85 square miles.

The county is divided into ten magisterial districts, Clark, Clay, Coal, Eagle, Elk, Grant, Sardis, Simpson, Ten Mile and Union with three independent school districts, Bridgeport, Clarksburg and Salem.

In 1929, the total assessed valuation of property in the county was \$123,457,842; of this \$75,380,470 was real estate; \$21,857,560 personal property and \$26,219,812 public utility property.

Clarksburg, the county seat, was named after George Rogers Clark, the famed explorer, and settled in 1764. Its elevation above sea level is about 1,000 feet, while the population figures of 27,869 in 1920 increased to 28,866 in 1930. Clarksburg is one of the chief manufacturing cities of the state.

Salem, chartered in 1794, in 1930 had a population of 2,943. It is the site of Salem College, maintained by the Seven Day Baptists. The West Virginia Industrial Home for Girls, a state correctional institution for wayward girls, of which Miss Jennie F. Sutton is superintendent, is also located at Salem.

The other important municipalities in the county, with their 1930 populations are: Shinnston, 2,802; Nutter Fort, 1,825; Bridgeport, 1,567; Lumberport, 1,289; and West Milford, 349.

## COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

Judge Circuit Court.....	Birk S. Stathers, Republican; Clarksburg.
Terms Commence.....	First Monday in January, first Monday in May and the first Monday in September.
Official Court Reporter.....	O. L. Haught, Democrat; Clarksburg.
Judge Criminal Court.....	John C. Southern, Republican; Clarksburg.
Official Court Reporter.....	(Same as the Circuit Court.)
Terms Commence.....	First Tuesday in March, first Tuesday in June and the second Tuesday in November.
Sheriff.....	W. B. Grimm, Democrat; Clarksburg.
Prosecuting Attorney.....	Will E. Morris, Republican; Clarksburg.
Ass't Prosecuting Attorney..	William G. Stathers, Republican, Clarksburg.
Clerk Circuit Court.....	B. B. Jarvis, Democrat; Clarksburg.
Gen'l Receiver Circuit Court..	Charles C. Scott, Republican; Clarksburg.

- Chancery Commissioners . . . . W. M. Conaway, Republican; Clarksburg.  
 L. C. Crile, Republican; Clarksburg.  
 Taney Harrison, Democrat; Clarksburg.  
 W. G. Johnson, Republican; Clarksburg.  
 E. D. Lewis, Democrat; Clarksburg.  
 C. B. Sperry, Democrat; Clarksburg.  
 H. W. Williams, Republican; Clarksburg.  
 John B. Wyatt, Republican; Clarksburg.
- Divorce Commissioner . . . . Fred B. Deem, Republican; Clarksburg.
- Clerk County Court . . . . M. L. Loudin, Democrat; Clarksburg.
- Supt. Free Schools . . . . Wade H. Coffindaffer, Democrat; Clarksburg.
- County Road Engineer . . . . Geo. L. Coyle, Republican; Clarksburg.
- Surveyor . . . . C. C. Fittro, Republican; Clarksburg.
- Assessor . . . . Ira L. Swiger, Republican; Clarksburg.
- Com'r of School Lands . . . . W. M. Conaway, Republican; Clarksburg.
- County Commissioners . . . . J. Dunkin Lodge, Republican; Bridgeport;  
 term expires December 31, 1930.  
 E. B. Robinson, Democrat; Salem; term ex-  
 pires December 31, 1932.  
 William Lee, Republican; West Milford;  
 term expires December 31, 1934.
- President County Court . . . . E. B. Robinson, Democrat; Salem.
- Terms Commence . . . . Second Monday in March, second Monday in  
 June, second Monday in September and  
 second Monday in December.
- Commissioners of Accounts . Fred L. Shinn, Democrat; Clarksburg.  
 J. O. T. Tilder, Republican; Clarksburg.  
 John B. Wyatt, Republican; Clarksburg.  
 O. L. McDonald, Republican; Clarksburg.
- Sealer Weights & Measures . James Pickens, Democrat; Mt. Clare, R. 1.
- B'd Review & Equalization . . John D. McReynolds, Democrat; Coal Dis-  
 trict; Clarksburg; term expires in 1931.  
 C. A. Schutte, Republican; Ten Mile District;  
 Salem; term expires in 1933.  
 Cornelius Lawson, Republican; Simpson Dis-  
 trict; Bridgeport; term expires in 1935.
- Board of Health . . . . The President of the County Court and  
 Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio; Dr. V. A.  
 Selby, Clarksburg, County Health Officer.
- B'd Children's Guardians . . . Miss Florence Charter, District Agent, Union  
 National Bank Bldg.; Clarksburg.
- Humane Officer . . . . Seymour L. Reynolds, Democrat; Clarksburg.
- Welfare Officer . . . . Mrs. Enid Harper, Republican; Clarksburg.
- U. S. Board Ex. Surgeons . . . Clarksburg. Drs. E. N. Flowers, C. T. Arnett  
 and B. S. Brake.
- Probation Officer . . . . R. Edward Kidd, Republican; Clarksburg.

## LIST OF ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Clarksburg, unless otherwise given.)

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|--------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Abruzzino, David A., Shinnston | Kyle, Karl B.              |
| Ash, Ray                       | Law, James E.              |
| Bartlett, E. A.                | Lewis, Ernest D.           |
| Bland, George W.               | Long, E. L.                |
| Brown, Mary Frances            | Louchery, Charles W.       |
| Bumgardner, J. Paul, Salem.    | Lynch and Lynch            |
| Burnside, Guy H.               | Lynch, Charles W.          |
| Byrer, Hugh S.                 | Lynch, Lawrence R.         |
| Cann, James                    | Martin, Hugh M., Shinnston |
| Cantrall, A. M.                | Maxwell, Haymond, Charles- |
| Carr, Louis A.                 | ton                        |
| Conaway, W. M.                 | (Judge Supreme Court of    |
| Crile, Lafayette C.            | Appeals)                   |
| Davis, Cornelius C.            | McCue, A. F.               |
| Deem and Moist                 | McIntire, D. S.            |
| Deem, Fred B.                  | McManaway, J. C.           |
| Moist, Ronald                  | Merendino, Biagio          |
| Caplan, Howard                 | Mitchell, D. O.            |
| Douglass, R. S.                | Moore, Charles W.          |
| Downs, Harry R.                | Morgan, Haze               |
| Duncan, George L., Jr.         | Morris, Will E.            |
| Duthie, George H.              | (Prosecuting Attorney)     |
| Garrett, Harold                | Neff, Carl W.              |
| Gillooly, Thomas J.            | Powell and Clifford        |
| Gore, Claude W.                | Powell, Frank M.           |
| Hall, Anderson W.              | Clifford, J. Philip        |
| Hamrick, Blaine                | Randolph, Byron B.         |
| Harbert, Arlos J.              | Robinson and Robinson      |
| Harmer, Hardin R., Shinnston   | Robinson, James W.         |
| Harmer, Harvey W.              | Robinson, Howard L.        |
| Harrison, S. R., Jr.           | Stump, John S., Jr.        |
| Harrison, Taney                | Wilson, James William      |
| Hess, Bernard L.               | Rosenshine, A. J.          |
| Hoffheimer and Templeman       | Ross, H. M. G.             |
| Hoffheimer, George M.          | Scott, C. C.               |
| Stotler, Robert B.             | Shinn, Fred L.             |
| McReynolds, Stewart            | Simons, Creed S.           |
| Bivens, Jay                    | Smith, E. G.               |
| James, Howard J.               | Smith, Harvey F.           |
| Jarvis, Benjamin B.            | Smith, John Blackshire     |
| Johnson and Johnson            | Snider, Millard F.         |
| Johnson, Charles B.            | Sperry and Sperry          |
| Johnson, William G.            | Sperry, Melvin G.          |
| Keeney, Kendall H.             | Sperry, Clarence B.        |
| Kramer, Hunter N.              | Southern, John C.          |
|                                | (Judge Criminal Court)     |

Stathers, W. G. (Asst. Pros. Atty.)	Strosnider, Homer
Steptoe and Johnson	Strother and McDonald
Steptoe, Philip P.	Strother, Ray L. (Referee in Bankruptcy)
Johnson, Louis A.	McDonald, Orville L.
Caulfield, Leo P.	Tidler, J. O. T.
Guiher, James M.	Tierney, James P.
Morris, Stanley C., Charleston	Walters, William W.
Carney, Chesney M.	Wetzel, Columbus L.
Davis, J. Horner, II. Charles- ton	Winer, A.
Andre, Oscar J.	Williams, Homer W.
Elliott, Norman S.	Williams, Leonard Gray
Stout, W. Frank	Wilson, Robert R.
	Workman, A. Carl, Mt. Clare
	Wyatt, John B.

### REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

Ronald F. Moist, Chairman, Clarksburg.	Miss May F. Connell, Asso. Chair., Clarksburg.
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#### Members

Clark District—J. F. Strother and Mrs. L. T. Mercer, Clarksburg; Charles R. Southern, Nutter Fort; Mrs. Scott H. White, 138 So. Linden Ave., Clarksburg.

#### City of Clarksburg

First Ward—Frank H. Welch, E. Pike Street; Mrs. Freda Custer, Clarksburg.

Second Ward—Charles W. Louchery, Goff Bldg.; Mrs. Harold Schum, Stanley Ave.

Third Ward—T. L. Anderson, Anderson St.; Mrs. William McOlvin, Elliott St.

Fourth Ward—Walter A. Bartlett, Chapel St.; Mrs. Bertie Showalter, 407 S. Third St.

Fifth Ward—Bernard L. Hess, Goff Bldg.; Mrs. G. H. Gordon, Mulberry St.

Sixth Ward—Lawrence R. Lynch, Clarksburg; Mrs. R. F. Moist, 414 Hornor Ave.

Seventh Ward—Harry E. Stealey, Clarksburg; Mrs. Jessie Male, Stealey Addition.

Eighth Ward—H. E. Strother and Mrs. Minnie Cox, Adamston.

Ninth Ward—Jerry McKeen, Northview; Mrs. Jennie Carnes, 1924 Goff Ave.

Clay District—Ernest L. Pigott and Mrs. Jessie Hess Bowman, Shinns-  
ton; J. J. Sturm and Mrs. Iva Tetrick, Enterprise.

Coal District—M. T. Burns, 156 W. Pike St., Clarksburg; Mrs. George Hill, Spelter; M. Q. Haller, Hepzibah; Mrs. J. O. Ritter, Glenwood Addn., Clarksburg.

Eagle District—W. W. Hess, Wyatt; I. V. Mason, R. 1, Shinnston; Mrs. Hugh W. Brown and Mrs. Margaret Harbert, Lumberport.

Elk District—A. H. Cottrill, R. 1, Mt. Clare; Mrs. S. T. Rittenhouse, R. 4, Clarksburg; O. M. Shuttleworth, R. F. D., and Miss Jessie Shuttleworth, R. 2, Lost Creek.

Grant District—Homer Fogg and Mrs. Freda G. Post, Lost Creek; Gilbert Musgrave and Mrs. Mary Matheny, Mt. Clare.

Sardis District—E. C. Smith, Brown; Mrs. Bessie Robinson Price, R. D. 1, Wilsonburg; A. Fay Davisson, Sardis; Mrs. G. N. Fair, Wallace.

Simpson District—D. Lester Hall, Miss Mary L. Faris, B. C. Teter and Miss Nell Stout, Bridgeport.

Tenmile District—Claude Pepper, Mrs. Fannie Parrish and John C. Courtney, Salem; Mrs. Bessie Bennett, Bristol.

Union District—N. B. Ferrell, West Milford; Mrs. Emma Mason, R. D. 1, Lost Creek; W. B. Reed, Good Hope; Miss Ina Cunningham, Jarvisville.

## DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

Howard L. Robinson, Chairman, 321 Goff Bldg., Clarksburg.	Mrs. M. L. McGraw, Secretary, 102 E. Main St., Clarksburg.
Louis A. Johnson, Vice Chairman, 1001-13 Union Bank Bldg., Clarksburg.	Frank J. Maxwell, Treasurer, 355 Buckhannon Ave., Clarksburg.

### Members

#### City of Clarksburg

First Ward—Thomas Connell, 185 E. Pike St.; Loretta Keenan, 111 S. Linden Ave.

Second Ward—Okey Starkey, Sta. C.; Mrs. W. A. Broadwater, 145 Vermont Ave.

Third Ward—Frank Sheldon, 122 Haymond Highway; Mrs. C. W. Brown, 309 Clay St.

Fourth Ward—C. Ray Connor, 432 W. Pike St., Ethel Martin, 126 N. First St.

Fifth Ward—Stewart McReynolds, 220 Sycamore St.; Mrs. E. V. Connell, 714 Locust Ave.

Sixth Ward—J. James Crews, 511 S. Seventh St.; Mrs. Clifford R. Hill, 436 S. Chestnut St.

Seventh Ward—Opha R. Shreve, 213 McDowell St.; Mrs. E. C. Bramham, 316 Baker Ave.

Eighth Ward—Clarence S. Baxter, 1432 W. Pike St.; Mrs. W. W. Carr, 355 S. 22nd St.

Ninth Ward—John Caussain, 2125 Goff Ave.; Mrs. Minnie Schmitz, 1230 N. 15th St.

Clark District—C. Ray Carter, Box 31, R. F. D. 1, Clarksburg; L. C.

Hart and Mrs. Thomas West, Nutter Fort; Mrs. Henry W. Bassell, R. F. D. 4, Clarksburg.

Clay District—W. O. Bice, Enterprise; Lawrence E. Hawkins, Mrs. Josephine E. Williams and Wilma Clare Watkins, Shinnston.

Coal District—Moore M. Reynolds, Dawmont; Millard W. Smith, Wolf Summit; Mrs. Eunice Huffman, R. F. D. 2, Clarksburg.

Eagle District—C. Anglin, Wyatt; Vance L. Hornor, Mrs. Nannie G. Straight and Mrs. Clara Moore, Lumberport.

Elk District—A. P. Stuart, R. F. D. 1, Mt. Clare; James Pickens, R. F. D. 1; Miss Beppie Radcliffe, R. F. D. 1; Mrs. Garnet C. Lewis, R. F. D. 2, Lost Creek.

Grant District—A. B. Post, Box 24, and Mrs. E. W. Rector, Lost Creek; H. C. Maxwell and Mrs. Dora B. Bassell, Mr. Clare.

Sardis District—L. L. Shuman, Wallace; Foreman Robey and Mrs. J. E. Lanham, R. F. D. 1, Wilsonburg; Mrs. Mary M. Musgrave, Wallace.

Simpson District—W. L. Fowler, H. L. Humphries and Mrs. Alta Hefner, Bridgeport; Mrs. Fannie Garrett, Bridgeport.

Tennile District—C. Ray Morgan, Bristol; James A. Bumgardner, Salem; Mrs. Myrtle B. Hudkins, Wolf Summit; Mrs. W. L. Joyce, Salem.

Union District—Geo. L. Lowther, West Milford; C. Z. Coffindaffer, R. F. D. 1, Kincheloe; Mrs. Icie Burnside, R. F. D. 1, Lost Creek; Mrs. James W. Coffindaffer, R. F. D. 1, Wolf Summit.

CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE

Dr. J. W. Johnson and Mrs. E. S. Wallis, Clarksburg.

SENATORIAL COMMITTEE

Edgar F. Hood, Clarksburg.

DISTRICT OFFICERS

Clark District

Justices of the Peace . . . . . C. D. Clemans, Republican; Clarksburg.  
 Charles L. Ford, Republican; Clarksburg.  
 Constables . . . . . M. S. Matheny, Republican; East View.  
 P. J. Owens, Republican; Clarksburg.  
 Board of Education . . . . . President—Henry W. Bassell, Democrat;  
 Clarksburg, R. 4.  
 Secretary—Samuel Hall, Democrat; Nutter  
 Fort.  
 Raymond C. Wolfe, Democrat; Nutter Fort.  
 A. J. Starcher, Republican; East View.

Clay District

Justices of the Peace . . . . . Criss F. Franz, Republican; Shinnston.  
 E. H. Cubbon, Republican; Shinnston.  
 Constables . . . . . J. M. Harbert, Republican; Owings.  
 G. R. Ogden, Republican; Shinnston.

- Board of Education**..... President—W. S. Hursey, Democrat; Shinnston.  
Secretary—Mrs. Edna R. Smith, Republican; Shinnston.  
W. O. Bice, Democrat; Enterprise.  
J. G. Lucas, Republican; Shinnston.
- Coal District**
- Justices of the Peace**..... R. Edward Kidd, Republican; Clarksburg.  
Robert McClung, Republican; Clarksburg.
- Constables** ..... Thomas R. Kearns, Republican; Clarksburg.  
J. M. Noon, Republican; Clarksburg.
- Board of Education**..... President—O. C. Hannah, Democrat; Clarksburg, Station B.  
Secretary—R. R. Powell, Republican; Clarksburg, Station B.  
G. V. Nichols, Republican; Clarksburg, Station A.  
H. G. Ashcraft, Democrat; Wilsonburg.
- Eagle District**
- Justices of the Peace**..... James H. Bowers, Republican; Lumberport.  
Lawrence H. Martin, Republican, Shinnston, R. 1.
- Constables**..... E. Harry Weekly, Republican; Lumberport.  
Ralph Y. Fortney, Republican; Lumberport.
- Board of Education** ..... President—J. H. Knight, Democrat; Lumberport.  
Secretary—F. B. Harrison, Republican; Lumberport.  
Mrs. Minnie Hornor, Democrat; Lumberport.  
C. M. Cunningham, Republican; Wyatt.
- Elk District**
- Justices of the Peace**..... Jerse C. Queen, Democrat; Mount Clare, R. 1.
- Constables**..... Carl S. Wilson, Democrat; Mount Clare, R. 1.  
Dio M. Queen, Democrat; Mount Clare, R. 1.
- Board of Education**..... President—A. P. Stewart, Democrat; Mount Clare, R. 1.  
Secretary—J. J. Thrash, Democrat; Lost Creek, R. 2.  
Samuel Lewis, Democrat; Lost Creek, R. 2.  
John C. Robinson, Democrat; Mt. Clare, R. 1.
- Grant District**
- Justices of the Peace**..... Calvin O. Dawson, Democrat; Lost Creek.  
Henry Bassel, Democrat; Lost Creek.



Constables..... W. E. Cunningham, Democrat; Mount Clare.  
Fred M. Douglas, Democrat; Lost Creek.

Board of Education..... President—A. J. Kemper, Democrat; Lost  
Creek.  
Secretary—John E. Batten, Democrat; Lost  
Creek.  
C. O. McVicker, Democrat; Mount Clare.  
Stephen Bassell, Democrat; Lost Creek.

**Sardis District**

Justices of the Peace..... G. N. Fair, Republican; Wallace.  
B. F. Linville, Republican; Wilsonburg, R. 1.

Constables..... Wheeler Wetzel, Democrat; Wallace.

Board of Education..... President—Otto Barnes, Republican; Wal-  
lace.  
Secretary—A. E. Davisson, Republican;  
Wilsonburg.  
C. W. Murray, Republican; Wilsonburg.  
A. J. Nuzum, Democrat; Wallace.

**Simpson District**

Justices of the Peace..... A. D. Fitzhugh, Republican; Bridgeport.  
W. M. Wright, Republican; Anmoore.

Constables..... John M. Combs, Republican; Bridgeport.  
N. J. Drummond, Republican; Anmoore.

Board of Education..... President—John J. Lang, Democrat;  
Bridgeport, R. D.  
Secretary—Philip N. Sheets, Republican;  
Bridgeport.  
Frank Basnett, Republican; Anmoore.  
Elmore Rector, Democrat; Meadowbrook.

**Ten Mile District**

Justices of the Peace..... J. E. Helmick, Republican; Salem.  
M. A. Samples, Republican; Salem.

Constables..... F. M. Davisson, Republican; Salem.  
H. A. Steele, Republican; Salem.

Board of Education..... President—George T. Nuzum, Republican;  
Bristol, R. 1.  
Secretary—J. W. Johnson, Republican;  
Bristol.  
U. S. Bennett, Republican; Bristol.  
Worthy Marsh, Democrat; Bristol.

**Union District**

Justice of the Peace..... L. L. Bailey, Democrat; Miletus, R. 1.

Constable..... Dempsey L. Coffindaffer, Democrat; Mile-  
tus, R. 1.

Board of Education..... President—C. W. Post, Democrat; Lost  
Creek, R. 1.

Secretary—L. R. McMillan, Democrat; Lost Creek, R. 1.

Dorsey L. Reed, Republican; Lost Creek, R. 1.

A. A. Ladwig, Republican; West Milford.

#### Bridgeport Independent School District

Board of Education..... President—R. L. Messenger, Republican; Bridgeport.

Secretary—Philip N. Sheets, Republican; Bridgeport.

J. R. Jones, Republican; Bridgeport.

Dr. W. M. Davis, Democrat; Bridgeport.

#### Clarksburg Independent School District

Board of Education..... President—Dr. Jesse F. Williams, Republican; Clarksburg.

Secretary—Joe D. Williams, Republican; Clarksburg.

C. C. Grimmett, Republican; Clarksburg.

Fred B. Deem, Republican; Clarksburg.

#### Salem Independent School District

Board of Education..... President—L. E. Williams, Republican; Salem.

Secretary—A. S. Arnett, Republican; Salem.

Dr. Edward Davis, Democrat; Salem.

Howard Ferree, Republican; Salem.

## JACKSON COUNTY

Jackson county, lying on the Ohio river, was formed in 1831 and has a land area of 461 square miles. It is largely an agricultural county and in 1920 contained a population of 18,658. The 1930 census gives the population as 16,124. It was named in honor of Andrew Jackson, seventh President of the United States.

The assessed valuation of the property in the county in 1929 was: Real estate, \$7,299,020; personal property, \$2,010,031; public utility property, \$3,476,798; a total assessment of \$12,785,849. In addition to the five magisterial districts of Grant, Ravenswood, Ripley, Union and Washington, Ripley and Ravenswood have independent school districts.

Ripley, established in 1832, is the county seat. The town has an elevation above sea level of 614 feet. Its population in 1930 was 669, and in 1920, 580.

Ravenswood, on the Ohio river, established in 1852, had a population of 1,189 in 1930 and of 1,284 in 1920.

## COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

Judge Circuit Court..... Lewis H. Miller, Republican; Ripley.

Terms Commence..... First Monday in April, first Tuesday in

August, and the second Tuesday in November.

- Sheriff ..... D. J. Rogers, Democrat; Ripley.
- Sealer Weights & Measures. Sheriff—ex-officio.
- Prosecuting Attorney..... Oliver D. Kessel, Republican; Ripley.
- Clerk Circuit Court ..... B. Cleo Casto, Democrat; Kenna.
- Gen'l Receiver Circuit Court J. A. Shinn, Republican; Ripley.
- Chancery Commissioners.... C. W. Staats, Democrat; Ripley.  
T. J. Sayre, Democrat; Ripley.  
W. F. Boggess, Republican; Ripley.
- Clerk County Court..... Enoch Staats, Republican; Ripley.
- Supt. Free Schools ..... N. E. Lockhart, Democrat; Leroy.
- County Road Engineer..... (None.)
- Surveyor..... C. L. Staats, Democrat; Ravenswood.
- Assessor..... W. T. Chancey, Republican, Ripley.
- Com. of School Lands ..... Luther Wolfe, Republican; Ripley.
- County Commissioners..... E. C. Harpold, Republican; Gay; term expires December 31, 1930.  
Walter Windell, Republican; Ripley; term expires December 31, 1932.  
Otmer Winter, Republican; Ripley; term expires December 31, 1934.
- President County Court..... Walter Windell, Republican; Ripley.
- Terms Commence ..... First Monday in January, first Monday in April, first Monday in August and first Monday in October.
- Commissioners of Accounts W. F. Boggess, Republican; Ripley.  
C. W. Staats, Democrat; Ripley.  
K. K. Hyre, Democrat; Ripley.
- B'd Review & Equalization.. W. Mc. Casto, Republican; Washington District; Staats Mills; term expires in 1931.  
J. M. Landfried, Republican; Ripley District; Ripley; term expires in 1933.  
C. E. Warth, Democrat; Union District; Millwood; term expires in 1935.
- Board of Health ..... The President of the County Court and the Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio; Dr. T. E. Rymer, Ripley, County Health Officer.
- U. S. Board Ex. Surgeons... Ripley. Drs. D. D. Casto, T. I. C. Parsons and J. E. Barrows.
- Board Children's Guardians Miss Stella Parker, District Agent, City Bldg., Parkersburg.
- County Agricultural Agent J. L. McKittrick.

**LIST OF ATTORNEYS**

(Post office address, Ripley)

Archer, M. C.  
Boggess, W. F.

Crow, Burton  
Hyre, Kenna K.

Kessel, Oliver D.  
(Prosecuting Attorney)  
Miller, Lewis H.  
(Judge Circuit Court)

O'Brien, W. H.  
Sayre, Theodore  
Staats, C. W.  
Wolfe, J. L.

### REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

W. F. Boggess, Chairman,  
Ripley.

G. B. Jordan, Secretary,  
Ripley.

Mrs. W. E. Walker, Treasurer,  
Ripley.

#### Members

Grant District—T. P. Hartley and Ira Finley, Murraysville; Julia Pickering, Lone Cedar; Nellie Nesselroad, Ravenswood.

Ravenswood District—Frank Bryan, Mrs. L. P. Somerville, Mrs. Nina Baker and C. W. Turnbull, Ravenswood.

Ripley District—C. R. Kessell, Mrs. W. E. Walker and Carrie Lester, Ripley; P. P. Simmons, Kenna.

Union District—Ralph McDade and Bird Herenkohl, Millwood; Lou Harrison, Cottageville.

Washington District—Glen Hamon, Advent; Holley A. Rhodes, Gay; Ethel Hudson, Sandyville.

### SENATORIAL COMMITTEE

Harry R. Lester, Ripley; Indra Dickerson, Ravenswood.

### DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

D. F. Sayre, Chairman,  
Ripley

A. G. Kiser, Vice-Chairman,  
Kentuck.

F. L. Shriver, Secretary  
Silverton.

D. E. Cole, Treasurer,  
Ravenswood.

#### Members

Grant District—Kenneth Lockhart and Mrs. C. L. Kittle, Sandyville, R. D.; D. W. Dernberger, Sherman; Mrs. Dan Howell, Murraysville.

Ravenswood District—F. L. Shriver, Silverton; Dr. R. M. Bachtel and Mrs. Bessie Mattox, Ravenswood; Mrs. Gladys Crow, Sandyville.

Ripley District—Grover C. Winter, Fairplain; H. J. Casto, Mrs. Frank Rousch and Mrs. J. F. Rymer, Ripley.

Union District—B. C. Baker and J. W. Cottrell, Cottageville; Mrs. Fannie Boggess, Millwood, R. D.; Mrs. Clara McKay, Willow Grove.

Washington District—Russell Parsons, Liverpool; F. M. Counts, Fletcher; Mrs. Rhoda Skeen, Kentuck; Mrs. J. B. Waybright, Gay.

DISTRICT OFFICERS

Grant District

(Vacancies in the offices of Justice of the Peace and Constable.)

Board of Education..... President—C. E. Conner, Democrat; Ravenswood.

Secretary—E. F. Conner, Democrat; Sherman.

I. B. Currey, Democrat; Sandyville.

C. H. Hartley, Republican; Bellepoint.

Ravenswood District

Justices of the Peace..... C. A. Jewell, Republican; Ravenswood.

F. A. Sayre, Democrat; Ravenswood.

Constable..... C. A. Dye, Republican; Ravenswood.

Board of Education..... President—J. W. Morgan, Democrat; Sandyville.

Alva Riggs, Republican; Sandyville.

W. Lionel Currey, Democrat; Sandyville.

Ravenswood Independent School District

Board of Education..... President—Dana Woofter, Republican; Ravenswood.

Secretary—E. H. Flynn, Democrat; Ravenswood.

B. W. Chambers, Democrat; Ravenswood.

Darrell Rector, Democrat; Ravenswood.

Ripley District

Justices of the Peace..... P. F. Stewart, Republican; Ripley.

James L. Rhodes, Republican; Ripley.

Constable..... Oiey Winter, Democrat; Ripley.

Board of Education..... President—J. R. Casto, Republican; Fairplain.

Secretary—Ada Harrison, Republican; Fairplain.

Earl Moore, Democrat; Rockcastle.

W. O. Bradley, Republican; Kenna.

Ripley Independent School District

Board of Education..... President—C. C. Staats, Republican; Ripley.

Secretary—C. W. Staats, Democrat; Ripley.

G. E. Straley, Democrat; Ripley.

K. K. Hyre, Republican; Ripley.

## Union District

Justice of the Peace . . . . .	W. E. Evans, Democrat; Cottageville.
Constable . . . . .	(By special appointment.)
Board of Education . . . . .	President—Floyd Durst, Republican; Cottageville.
	Secretary—C. F. Myers, Republican; Cottageville.
	W. O. King, Republican; Cottageville.
	W. H. Rambow, Republican; Millwood.

## Washington District

Justice of the Peace . . . . .	Bilton Covey, Republican; Advent.
Constable . . . . .	(Vacancy.)
Board of Education . . . . .	President—E. C. Tolley, Republican; Belgrove.
	Secretary—G. O. Morris, Republican; Gay.
	K. P. Casto, Republican; Kentuck.
	W. H. Rhodes, Republican; Staats Mills.

## JEFFERSON COUNTY

Jefferson county, the tip of the Eastern Panhandle, was formed in 1801 and named for Thomas Jefferson, author of the Declaration of Independence and third President of the United States. It is an agricultural and horticultural county, drained by the Potomac and Shenandoah rivers, with an area of 212.41 square miles. Its population in 1920 was 15,729 and in 1930, 15,780.

The county is divided into the five magisterial districts of Charles Town, Kabletown, Middleway, Shepherdstown and Harpers Ferry. The total assessed value of the property in the county in 1929 was \$21,329,350; of this \$11,243,953 represented real estate, \$4,886,475 personal property and \$5,198,922 public utility property.

Charles Town, the county seat, was established in 1786 and takes its name from Charles Washington, a brother of the first President. It has an elevation of 530 feet above sea level and had, in 1920, a population of 2,527. The 1930 census gives it a population of 2,434.

Shepherdstown, established in 1762, is the seat of Shepherd College State Normal School, a state educational institution under the management of President W. H. S. White. Here James Rumsey built and experimented with his steamboat and here is the monument to his memory, erected by the state. The population of the town in 1920 was 1,063 and in 1930 was 888.

Harpers Ferry, the lowest point in the state, with an elevation of but 240 feet above sea level, was established in 1763 but not incorporated until 1851. It was the scene of the historic raid of John Brown, in 1859, on the government arsenal located there. It had a population of 713 in 1920 and

of 705 in 1930. Storer College, a school of higher learning for Negroes, is located at Harpers Ferry.

Other important municipalities in Jefferson county, with their populations as shown by the 1930 census are: Ranson, 1,002 and Bolivar, 616.

### COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

Judge Circuit Court	Decatur H. Rodgers, Republican; Martinsburg.
Terms Commence	Third Tuesday in January, third Tuesday in April and the third Tuesday in September.
Sheriff	M. S. R. Moler, Democrat; Shepherdstown.
Prosecuting Attorney	John T. Porterfield, Democrat; Charles Town.
Clerk Circuit Court	C. W. Conrad, Democrat; Charles Town.
Gen'l Receiver Circuit Court	W. F. Alexander, Democrat; Charles Town.
Chancery Commissioner	Miss L. C. Briscoe, Democrat; Charles Town.
Divorce Commissioner	George P. Shirley, Democrat; Charles Town.
Clerk County Court	Charles A. Johnson, Democrat; Charles Town.
Supt. Free Schools	Isaac N. Bonham, Democrat; Summit Point.
County Road Engineer	(None.)
Surveyor	Marshall McDonald, Democrat; Charles Town.
Assessor	Helen M. Link, Democrat, Duffields.
Com. of School Lands	C. L. Haines, Democrat; Charles Town.
County Commissioners	J. Gregg Gibson, Democrat; Harpers Ferry; term expires December 31, 1930. George T. Shirley, Democrat; Summit Point; term expires December 31, 1930. Charles H. Moore, Democrat; Charles Town; term expires December 31, 1932. Dr. S. T. Knott, Democrat; Shepherdstown; term expires December 31, 1932. James E. Tabb, Democrat; Kearneysville, term expires December 31, 1934.
President County Court	Dr. S. T. Knott, Democrat; Shepherdstown.
Terms Commence	Last Monday in January, first Monday in May, second Tuesday in August and first Monday in November.
Commissioners of Accounts	Geo. P. Shirley, Democrat; Charles Town. John T. Porterfield, Democrat; Charles Town. Miss L. C. Briscoe, Democrat; Charles Town.
B'd Review & Equalization	F. L. Jordan, Democrat; Charles Town District; Charles Town; term expires in 1931. Henry F. McDonald, Republican; Harpers

- Ferry District; Harpers Ferry; term expires in 1933.
- J. Frank Gardner, Republican; Middleway District; Kearneysville; term expires in 1935.
- Board of Health . . . . . The President of the County Court and Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio. Dr. J. J. Pittman, Charles Town, County Health Officer.
- B'd of Children's Guardians . . Miss Mary Kay Babb, District Agent, Keyser.
- U. S. B'd Ex. Surgeons . . . . . Harpers Ferry. Drs. B. B. Ranson, W. E. Perry and B. F. Haines.

### LIST OF ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Charles Town, unless otherwise given)

Beckwith and Beckwith,	Getzendanner, Harry C.
Beckwith, Frank	Gibson, B. D.
Beckwith, Frank J.	Green, T. C.
Beltzhoover, G. M., Shep- herdstown.	Koonce and Jeffords, Koonce, Darrel K.
Beltzhoover, George M., Jr.	Jeffords, Tracy L.
Brown and Brown,	Mason, James M., Jr.
Brown, F. W.	Porterfeld, John T.
Brown, F. A.	(Prosecuting Attorney)
Bushong, F. L.	Sheets, Vernon H.
Downs, H. A., Shepherdstown	Shirley, George P.

### REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

J. Harvey Robinson, Chairman, Charles Town. Mrs. Wm. B. Snyder, Secretary, Shepherdstown.

#### Members

Charles Town District—J. H. Robinson, Charles A. Snowden, Mrs. Frances B. Sechrist and Mrs. Bessie Fulton, Charles Town.

Middleway District—J. Frank Gardner, Miss Carrie Bradley and Miss Frances Bradley, Kearneysville; Frank Gruber, Summit Point.

Shepherdstown District—Jo L. Walper, L. V. Vickers, Mrs. Marion Byron and Mrs. William B. Snyder, Shepherdstown.

Kabletown District—D. B. Shoemaker and Miss Margaret Shoemaker, Rippon; C. H. Hine, Charles Town, R. D.; Mrs. George Glasscock, Summit Point.

Harpers Ferry District—H. T. McDonald and Claude Koontz, Harpers Ferry; Mrs. Corinne S. Houser, Bakerton.





**Kabletown District**

(Vacancies in the offices of Justice of the Peace and Constable.)

**Board of Education** . . . . . President—H. G. Moffat, Democrat;  
Rippon.  
Secretary—B. F. Yates, Democrat; Charles  
Town.  
C. H. Kable, Democrat; Charles Town.  
H. P. Light, Democrat; Summit Point.

**Middleway District**

(Vacancies in the offices of Justice of the Peace and Constable.)

**Board of Education** . . . . . President—H. C. Miller, Democrat; Kearneys-  
ville.  
Secretary — Laura Thompson, Democrat;  
Kearneysville.  
S. L. Hardesty, Democrat; Summit Point.  
J. W. Strider, Democrat; Kearneysville.

**Shepherdstown District**

**Justice of the Peace** . . . . . Charles E. Jones, Democrat; Shepherdstown.  
**Constable** . . . . . (By special appointment.)  
**Board of Education** . . . . . President—Dr. G. W. Banks, Democrat;  
Shepherdstown.  
Secretary—F. L. Weltzheimer, Democrat;  
Shepherdstown.  
H. C. Marshall, Democrat; Shepherdstown.  
A. S. Lucas, Democrat; Shepherdstown.

**KANAWHA COUNTY**

Kanawha county ranks first among the counties of the state in population and taxable wealth, and third in size, with a land area of 914.39 square miles. Its population of 119,650 in 1920 increased to 157,667 in 1930, a growth of 48,062. The total assessed valuation of the property in the county in 1929 was \$208,190,291. This was divided as follows: Real estate, \$130,167,870; personal property, \$27,852,500; public utility property, \$50,169,921. The county received its name from its principal river, which was named from an Indian tribe once dwelling in the county.

The ten magisterial districts into which the county is subdivided are: Charleston, Poca, Jefferson, Malden, Elk, Loudon, Washington, Big Sandy, Union and Cabin Creek, with Charleston, Nitro and St. Albans having independent school districts.

The county is rich in such natural resources as coal, oil and gas, which have attracted to the county many industries and manufacturing plants. The section of the Kanawha Valley at and near Charleston is the location of many large chemical plants and is known as one of the great chemical manufacturing centers of the United States.

Charleston, the county seat, located at the junction of the Elk and Kanawha rivers, was organized in 1795. It has an elevation of 601 feet above sea level and in 1920 had a population of 39,608. The 1930 census gave the population as 60,408, an increase of 20,800.

Charleston has been the capital city of the state since 1885, having also been the capitol during the five year period, 1870-1875.

South Charleston, in which is located the United States Naval Ordnance Plant, was chartered in 1917. Its 1920 population of 3,650 had grown to 5,904 in 1930.

St. Albans, at the mouth of Coal river, increased its 1920 population of 2,825 to 3,254 in 1930.

Other important municipalities in the county, with their populations as shown by the 1930 census are: Clendenin, 1,217; Marmet, 1,200; Cedar Grove, 1,110; Eastbank, 476; Pratt, 325; Osborne, 167 and Glasgow, 614.

West Virginia State College, formerly called West Virginia Collegiate Institute, is located in the county at Institute. It was established by the legislature in 1891 and is not only the ranking Negro college of the state, but holds high rank among the Negro colleges of the United States. It is under the management of its president, Dr. John W. Davis.

Also located at Institute is another state institution, The State School for Colored Deaf and Blind, which was established in 1926 and is directed by Superintendent James L. Hill.

### COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

Judge Circuit Court	A. P. Hudson, Republican; Charleston.
Terms Commence	Second Monday in January, second Monday in May and the second Monday in September.
Official Court Reporter	Reuel E. Sherwood, Republican; Charleston.
Judge Court Common Pleas	Morgan Owen, Republican; Charleston.
Terms Commence	Third Monday in February, third Monday in June and the third Monday in October. Juvenile Court every day during the year.
Official Court Reporter	M. L. Davis, Republican; Charleston.
Judge Intermediate Court	Henry K. Black, Republican; Charleston.
Terms Commence	First Monday in January, first Monday in April, second Monday in June and the second Monday in October.
Official Court Reporter	(Same as Circuit Court.)
Sheriff	D. H. Stephenson, Democrat; Charleston.
Prosecuting Attorney	J. Blackburn Watts, Democrat; Charleston.
Clerk Circuit Court	W. L. Price, Republican; Charleston.
Gen'l Receiver Circuit Court	Citizens National Bank of Charleston.
Chancery Commissioners	
for the Circuit Court	E. S. Bock, Republican; Charleston.

	Samuel Silverstein, Republican; Charleston.
	S. L. Flournoy, Democrat; Charleston.
	J. V. Brennan, Republican; Charleston.
	C. L. Smith, Republican; Charleston.
	H. W. Bowers, Republican; Charleston.
	D. W. Taylor, Democrat; Charleston.
	Benjamin Moore, Democrat; Charleston.
Divorce Commissioner . . . . .	Hillis Townsend, Republican; Charleston.
Chancery Commissioners for Court Common Pleas.	Sam Silverstein, Republican; Charleston. S. L. Flournoy, Democrat; Charleston. J. T. Reynolds, Republican; Charleston. E. S. Bock, Republican; Charleston George D. Moore, Democrat; Charleston. Garnett Thompson, Democrat; Charleston. L. L. Dunbar, Republican; Charleston. John H. Linn, Democrat; Charleston.
Gen'l Receiver C. P. Court . . . . .	H. Platt Brightwell, Republican; Charleston.
Divorce Com. C. P. Court . . . . .	Wm. T. Lively, Republican; Charleston.
Clerk County Court . . . . .	R. N. Moulton, Republican; Charleston.
Supt. Free Schools . . . . .	Arthur H. Toothman, Democrat; Charleston.
County Road Engineer . . . . .	Conrad Ross, Republican; Charleston.
Assessor . . . . .	T. Newcomer, Republican; Charleston.
Surveyor . . . . .	J. H. High, Republican; Charleston.
Com. of School Lands . . . . .	H. W. Bowers, Republican; Charleston.
County Commissioners . . . . .	Wesley H. O'Dell, Republican; Charleston; term expires December 31, 1930. H. A. Walker, Republican; Charleston; term expires December 31, 1932. J. C. Blackwood, Democrat; Charleston; term expires December 31, 1934.
President County Court . . . . .	H. A. Walker, Republican; Charleston.
Terms Commence . . . . .	Second Monday in February, third Monday in June, second Monday in September and first Monday in December.
Commissioners of Accounts . . . . .	M. C. Gilchrist, Republican; Charleston. Beverly Broun, Democrat; Charleston. Grant P. Hall, Jr., Republican; Charleston. Joseph Ruffner, Democrat; Charleston.
Sealer Weights & Measures for City of Charleston . . . . .	John H. Goshorn, Republican; Charleston.
B'd Review & Equalization . . . . .	J. H. Copenhaver, Republican; Elk District; Blue Creek; term expires in 1931. Samuel Stephenson, Democrat; Charleston District; Charleston; term expires in 1933. J. King Shepherd, Republican; Loudon Dis- trict; South Charleston; term expires in 1935.

Full Time Health Officer . . . . Dr. John Thames, Charleston.  
 B'd of Children's Guardians Miss Jean Winters, Agent; Charleston.  
 U. S. B'd Ex. Surgeons . . . . Charleston. Dr. George F. Grisinger, Single Surgeon.

## REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

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H. B. Buster, Vice Chairman, Kanawha Valley Bank Bldg., Charleston.	Nelle Campbell, Vice Chairman, St. Albans.
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### Members

#### City of Charleston

Committee-at-Large—S. P. Smith, Box 1348; Clarence A. Young, Peoples Exchange Bank; Christine Coffey, Coffey's Book Store; Mrs. Ernestine Heizer, 620 Main St.

First Ward—Wilson Fisher, 1419 Sixth Ave., Sheriff's Office; Myrtle Stevens, Room 402, City Bldg.

Second Ward—George Ewing, 921 Central Ave.; Myrtle Mace, 918 Red Oak St.

Third Ward—W. L. Price, Commerce Bank Bldg.; Bess M. Shirkey, Court House.

Fourth Ward—Conrad M. Ross, Court House; Mrs. O. A. Gillispie, 112 Delaware Ave.

Fifth Ward—Clyde Jarrett, City Bldg.; Mrs. W. L. Medley, 902 Greendale Drive.

Sixth Ward—D. W. Cunningham, Police Dept.; Mrs. John Britton, 1706 Bigley Ave.

Seventh Ward—Wm. Flood, Police Dept.; Maude J. Wanzer, 205 Donnally St.

Eighth Ward—Mabel F. Wooster, 504 N. Rand St.; S. D. Cowser, 508 N. Rand St.

Ninth Ward—H. B. Hartinger, Fire Dept.; Mrs. Flo. Spradling, 206 Goshorn St.

Tenth Ward—John H. Goshorn, Mayor's Office; Alice Peyton Smith, 2 Morris St.

Eleventh Ward—H. B. Buster, Kan. Valley Bank Bldg.; Mrs. Lilly Ferguson, 408 Shrewsbury St.

Twelfth Ward—J. H. Taylor, 544 Bradford St.; Mrs. Anna F. Davis, 510 Jacob St.

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Fourteenth Ward—Friend Cochrane, City Bldg.; Mrs. LeRoy Clemens, 1622 Quarrier St.

Fifteenth Ward—John M. Sutherland, City Auditor's Office; Mrs. Lola B. Mairs, Bridge Ave., South Side.

Sixteenth Ward—Calvert L. Estill, State House; Mrs. Frances Ogden Stubblefield, R. 1, Charleston.

Seventeenth Ward—Herbert Slack, Owens; Mrs. Raymond Dodson, Owens.

Big Sandy District—W. D. Hackney, C. H. Cook, Mrs. Mary Dorsey Dye, and Mrs. Stella Osborne, Clendenin.

Cabin Creek District—W. B. Coleman, Sheriff's Office, Charleston; Robert Mitchell, Crown Hill; Mrs. Lena Johnson, East Bank; Mrs. Lon Mae Kingrey, Sharon.

Elk District—C. H. Pierson, Elkview; John L. Ramsey, Tax Commissioner's Office, Charleston; Miss Florence H. Reynolds, Elkview; Mrs. Florence Works, Blue Creek.

Jefferson District—J. E. May, H. T. Rogers, Miss Nell Campbell and Mrs. Ned Winkler, St. Albans.

Loudon District—C. D. Harless, Marmet; Stanley E. Nease, So. Charleston; Mrs. Sadie C. Hundley, Oakwood Drive, Charleston; Mrs. Eva Young, Bownemont, So. Charleston.

Malden District—Henry Gay, Room 402, City Hall, Charleston; James Blount, Tad; Mrs. Hattie Bostic, Dana; Mrs. Laura Brown, Rutledge.

Poca District—J. A. Spencer, Legg; J. B. Mairs, Pocatigo; Mrs. Florence Jones and Mrs. Bertha Milam, Sissonville.

Union District—W. H. Marshall and John Hall, Dunbar; Mrs. Maysel Higginbotham, County Clerk's Office, Charleston; Mrs. Sallie Hinzman, Dunbar.

Washington District—Carl S. Hudson, H. C. Means, Mrs. Letha Childress and Miss Nina Hager, R. F. D., Spring Hill.

## DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

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### Members

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Cabin Creek District—Lon Hurley, Ward; F. L. Riggs and Mrs. J. W. Keeney, Eskdale; Mrs. D. C. Day, Handley.

City of Charleston

First Ward—H. H. Roberts, 1445 Charleston St.; Mrs. Minne Holmes, 1504 Seventh Ave.

Second Ward—Thomas D. Robertson, 1331 Third Ave.; Mrs. A. A. Affolter, 930 Sixth St.

Third Ward—Charlie Goff, 615 Virginia St.; Mrs. A. M. Ray, 513 Wyoming St.

Fourth Ward—John T. Moore, 315 Randolph St.; Miss Maude Hudnall, 110 Ohio Ave.

Fifth Ward—R. W. Whittington, 611 Pennsylvania Ave.; Mrs. J. O. Myers, 906 Bigley Ave.

Sixth Ward—Ben L. White, 1409 Magazine St.; Mrs. Emma J. Settle, 1317 Crescent Road.

Seventh Ward—John Baker, 420 Reynolds St.; Mrs. Roma Lucas, 302 Joseph St.

Eighth Ward—Mrs. Helen Burke, 508 Summers St.; O. E. Allen, City.

Ninth Ward—Val Fruth, 202 Clendenin St.; Mrs. Alice Boyd, 309 Clendenin St.

Tenth Ward—S. C. Littlepage, 1319 Virginia St.; Mrs. Fanny W. Field, 1324 Quarrier St.

Eleventh Ward—John Mahan, 160 Sunset Drive, Capitol Hill; Dr. Irene B. Bullard, 307 Brooks St.

Twelfth Ward—W. B. Kubach, 301 Morris St.; Mrs. Clara Boyd, 1213 Baines St.

Thirteenth Ward—George Singleton, 407 Nancy St.; Mrs. Lynn Goshorn, 1428 Washington St.

Fourteenth Ward—J. M. Slack, 2516 Kanawha St.; Mrs. Walter H. Fisher, 6 Pinehurst Drive.

Fifteenth Ward—Beverly Broun, Kanawha Banking & Trust Building; Mrs. Frank R. Butts, 1328 South Ave., South Side.

Sixteenth Ward—Joe W. Savage and Ruby Wash, South Ruffner.

Seventeenth Ward—Harry Clark, Owen, W. Va. (Kanawha City); Mrs. Geo. E. Miller, 2617 Noyes Ave., Owen (Kanawha City).

Charleston Magisterial District—R. M. Brawley,  $\frac{1}{2}$  Brawley Hdw. Co.; Dr. Grover C. Robertson, Kanawha Banking & Trust Bldg.; Mrs. G. C. Duffield, 1315 Quarrier Street; Mrs. Ann Gates, 7 Gates Place.

Elk District—M. C. Melton, Walgrove; Luke Lanham, Blakely; Mrs. Rosa Hammack, R. 1, Charleston.

Jefferson District—D. S. Osborne, W. T. Turner and Mrs. Thomas J. Carter; St. Albans; Mrs. Maud B. Morris, Spring Hill.

Louden District—Mrs. Rosa Lanning and E. S. Van Buren, South Charleston; F. S. Rodes,  $\frac{1}{2}$  Overland Motor Co. (909 Ridgemont Ave.); Mrs. Edna Scott, P. O. Box 1563, Charleston.

Malden District—W. H. Ruffner, Malden; Ed Walker, Coal Fork.

Poca District—O. L. Gibson, Sissons ville; C. H. Sisson, Pocatago.

Union District—W. B. Milton, Nitro; R. W. Hartlen and Mrs. Lenora Anderson, Dunbar; Mrs. N. W. Patton, Guthrie.

Washington District—C. F. Griffith and Fred Griffith, Olcott; Mrs. R. P. Gillispie, Brounland; L. F. Taylor, Spring Hill.

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## DISTRICT OFFICERS

## Big Sandy District

Justices of the Peace.....	A. L. Ledsome, Republican; Clendenin. G. W. Stump, Republican; Clendenin.
Constables.....	Charlie Naylor, Republican; Clendenin. H. B. Evans, Republican; Clendenin.
Board of Education.....	President—Dr. Roy Ray, Republican; Clendenin. Secretary—J. Stuart, Ervin, Republican; Clendenin. J. D. Kennedy, Republican; Clendenin. C. T. Fleshman, Republican; Clendenin.

## Cabin Creek District

Justices of the Peace.....	P. L. Brannen, Democrat; Cabin Creek. Harry Johnson, Democrat; East Bank.
Constables.....	A. C. Davis, Democrat; Pratt. Herbert L. Hall, Democrat; Cabin Creek.
Board of Education.....	President—O. T. Jenkins, Democrat; Quincy. Secretary—E. B. Norton, Democrat; East Bank. W. H. Hix, Democrat; Decota. S. F. McConihay, Democrat; East Bank.

## Charleston District

Justices of the Peace.....	Charles E. Jarrett, Republican; Charleston. W. A. Tully, Republican; Charleston.
Constables.....	Emory C. Todd, Republican; Charleston. R. F. Jarrett, Republican; Charleston.
Board of Education.....	President—D. Deitrich, Republican; Charleston. Secretary—D. B. Harkins, Republican; Charleston, Sta. A. W. A. Spradling, Republican; Charleston, Sta. A. Clayton Young, Republican; Charleston, R. 3.

## Malden District

Justices of the Peace.....	Fred Owens, Democrat; Putney. David G. Young, Democrat; Malden.
Constables.....	Elijah Peck, Democrat; Dana. Elbin E. Carrow, Democrat; Malden.

**Board of Education** . . . . . President—P. R. Levi, Republican; Charleston.

Secretary—F. D. Farrer, Republican; Plus.  
B. T. Clayton, Democrat; Charleston.  
W. M. Cox, Democrat; Tad

#### Poca District

**Justices of the Peace** . . . . . J. F. Slater, Republican; Charleston, R. 5.  
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**Constables** . . . . . J. E. Fisher, Republican; Sissonville.  
F. M. Ray, Jr., Republican; Sissonville.

**Board of Education** . . . . . President—W. J. Glass, Republican; Sissonville.

Secretary—J. S. Fisher, Republican; Sissonville.

Bert Jones, Republican; Pocatigo.  
Frank Monk, Republican; Sissonville.

#### Union District

**Justices of the Peace** . . . . . H. R. Carter, Republican; Dunbar.

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**Constables** . . . . . J. T. Javins, Republican; Dunbar.  
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**Board of Education** . . . . . President—Clarence R. Kay, Republican.  
Dunbar.

Secretary—Harry W. Hall, Republican; Dunbar.

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#### Elk District

**Justices of the Peace** . . . . . Charles Burge, Democrat; Pinch.

Grant Jarrett, Democrat; Elkview.

**Constables** . . . . . C. F. Boggs, Democrat; Pinch.

**Board of Education** . . . . . President—C. E. Halstead, Republican; Elkview.

Secretary—Asa B. Baxter, Republican; Big Chimney.

H. G. Campbell, Republican; Blue Creek.

J. E. Hafer, Democrat; Elkview.

#### Jefferson District

**Justices of the Peace** . . . . . D. H. McClung, Democrat; St. Albans.

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**Constables** . . . . . Wilmer H. Ellis, Democrat; St. Albans

Jess Hicks, Democrat; St. Albans.

**Board of Education** . . . . . President—Ned Winkler, Republican; St. Albans.

Secretary—E. E. Cummins, Democrat; St. Albans.

Clyde Delaney, Republican; St. Albans.  
Berl Mallory, Democrat; Spring Hill.

#### Loudon District

Justices of the Peace..... H. B. Clay, Republican; So. Charleston.  
S. V. Morris, Republican; Charleston.  
Constables..... L. V. Lewis, Republican; Charleston.  
L. W. Tyler, Republican; So. Charleston.  
Board of Education..... President—R. H. Dunn, Democrat, So. Charleston.  
Secretary—Geo. W. Goode, Republican; So. Charleston.  
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#### Washington District

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T. J. Bays, Jr., Republican; R. F. D., Spring Hill.  
Constables..... Frank Asbury, Democrat; Olcott.  
Walter Holstein, Democrat; Olcott.  
Board of Education..... President—R. D. Pauley, Republican; Spring Hill, Rt. 1.  
Secretary—Horton Hunt, Republican; Olcott.  
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#### Charleston Independent School District

Board of Education..... President—J. E. Robins, Republican, Charleston.  
Secretary—E. A. Babcock, Republican; Charleston.  
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Sallie Spencer, Democrat; Charleston.  
R. S. Spilman, Democrat; Charleston.  
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#### Nitro Independent School District

Board of Education..... President—W. L. Wintz, Democrat; Nitro.  
Secretary—G. C. Alderson, Democrat; Nitro.  
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W. A. B. Vivian, Republican; Nitro.

### LEWIS COUNTY

Lewis county, in the central part of the state, was formed in 1816, and has an area of 391.35 square miles. In 1930 its population was 21,794, an increase of 1,339 over its 1920 population of 20,455. It was named after Colonel Charles Lewis, a famous soldier and leader among the Virginia pioneers, who was killed at the battle of Point Pleasant in 1774.

The county has well developed natural resources of oil and gas, and is also an agricultural and horticultural county. It has five magisterial districts, Collins Settlement, Court House, Freeman's Creek, Hacker's Creek and Skin Creek, and two independent school districts, Weston and Jane Lew.

The assessed valuation of the wealth of the county in 1929 was: Real estate, \$17,010,970; personal property, \$6,366,380; public utility property, \$11,578,236; a total assessment of \$34,955,586.

Weston, the county seat, was established in 1818. It has an elevation of 1,009 feet and in 1920 had a population of 5,701. The population increased by 2,945, to 8,646 in 1930.

Jane Lew, the only other municipality in the county, was laid out in 1835. In 1920 it had a population of 560 and in 1930 a population of 445.

The Weston State Hospital for the Insane, the first public institution of the state, located at Weston, is managed by Dr. Cecil Denham, superintendent.

Jackson's Mills, in this county, was the boyhood home of the famous Confederate general, Thomas J. ("Stonewall") Jackson and is the location of the state supported 4-H Camp for boys and girls. The 4-H work originated in West Virginia but rapidly spread over the entire country.

### COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

Judge Circuit Court.....	Birk S. Stathers, Republican; Clarksburg.
Terms Commence.....	First Monday in March, third Monday in June and the first Monday in November.
Official Court Reporter.....	Miss Estella Lively, Democrat; Weston.
Sheriff.....	D. E. Brown, Republican; Weston.
Prosecuting Attorney.....	W. R. Simmons, Democrat; Weston.
Clerk Circuit Court.....	Ernest G. Smith, Democrat; Weston.
Gen'l Receiver Circuit Court.....	W. J. Smith, Republican; Weston.
Chancery Commissioners.....	W. J. Smith, Republican; Weston. Linn Mapel Brannon, Republican; Weston. W. R. Simmons, Democrat; Weston. Da Costa Smith, Democrat; Weston.
Divorce Commissioner.....	R. L. Bland, Democrat; Weston.
Clerk County Court.....	Rose Troxell, Republican; Weston.
Supt. Free Schools.....	Thos. E. Miles, Democrat; Horner.
County Road Engineer.....	M. L. B. Linger, Republican; Weston.
Surveyor.....	James B. Peterson, Republican; Weston.
Assessor.....	A. E. Sutton, Republican; Weston.

- Com'r of School Lands..... Kenneth S. Kurtz, Republican; Weston.
- County Commissioners..... Fred W. Steinbeck, Republican; Fink; term expires December 31, 1930.  
Hugh M. Horner, Democrat; Weston; term expires December 31, 1932.  
Levi Jewell, Republican; Weston, R. F. D.; term expires December 31, 1934.
- President County Court..... Fred W. Steinbeck, Republican; Fink.
- Terms Commence..... First Monday in January, first Monday in April, first Monday in June and the first Monday in September.
- Sealer Weights & Measures. D. E. Brown, Republican; Weston.
- B'd Review & Equalization. A. K. Wilson, Republican; Collins Settlement District; Walkersville; term expires in 1931.  
A. A. Rohrbough, Democrat; Freeman's Creek District; Camden, R. F. D.; term expires in 1933.  
Geo. W. Wilson, Republican; Court House District; Weston; term expires in 1935.
- Board of Health..... The President of the County Court and the Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio. Dr. M. D. Cure, Weston, County Health Officer.
- B'd Children's Guardians... Miss Florence Charter, District Agent, Union National Bank Bldg., Clarksburg.
- U. S. B'd Ex. Surgeons..... Weston, Drs. George Snyder and W. P. King. Jane Lew. Dr. G. C. Corder.

## LIST OF ATTORNEYS

(Post office address, Weston)

Arnold, Jackson	Kurtz, Kenneth S.
Barnett, L. H.	Lively, Charles
Blair, Herbert M.	Malloy, John P.
Bland, Robert L.	Smith, W. Jarrett
Brannon, Edward A.	Smith, Da Costa
Brannon, Linn Mapel	Simmons, W. R.
Bennett, Hunter M.	(Prosecuting Attorney)
Cole, Geo. C.	Stathers, Birk S.
Davisson, George L.	(Circuit Judge)
Edmiston, Andrew	White, George E., Charleston
Hughes, A. C.	(Secy. State R'd Comm.)

## REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

T. E. Stalnaker, Chairman,  
Horner.  
Kenneth Kurtz, Secretary,  
Weston.

Mrs. Amy Morelang, Asso. Chm.,  
Weston.  
Mrs. F. A. Hale, Asst. Secy.,  
Weston.

J. E. Griffin, Treasurer,  
Weston.

### Members

Hackers Creek District—Hugh Law and Mrs. J. M. White, Jane Lew;  
Fred F. Bailey and Mrs. Frank A. Hale, Weston.

Freemans Creek District—D. R. Batten and Mrs. Amy Morelang, West-  
ton; Mrs. D. D. Chapman; Vadis; C. M. Hall, Freemansburg.

Court House District—J. M. Henry, M. P. Mulcahy, Miss Edna Tierney  
and Mrs. Phil Jennings, Weston.

Skin Creek District—W. T. Jones, Weston, R. F.; T. E. Stalnaker and  
Miss Mina Linger, Hornor; Mrs. Troy Duncan, Roanoke, R. D.

Collins Settlement—J. L. Mathews and Mrs. Florence Horner, Roanoke;  
Carl Bunten, Crawford; Mrs. Clark Sprigg, Walkersville.

## CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE

Charles B. Goodwin and Mrs. Leona Kincaid, Weston.

## SENATORIAL COMMITTEE

L. B. Harris and Miss Bertha Batten, Weston.

## DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

Perry G. Alfred, Chairman,  
Weston.

French S. Smith, Secretary,  
Weston.

Mrs. Molile R. Jackson, Vice-Chm.,  
Jane Lew.

Miss Eva Miller, Asst. Secy.,  
Horner.

Meade Ward, Treasurer,  
Miss Genevieve Tierney, Asst. Treas.,  
Weston.

### Members

Hackers Creek District—Sidney M. Morrison, Weston, R. 4; French S.  
Smith and Mrs. Sallie E. Bennett, Weston; Mrs. Mollie R. Jackson, Jane  
Lew.

Freeman's Creek District—R. R. Hale, Miss Golda Goff and Miss Louise  
Zobrist, Weston; James A. Norris, Valley Chapel.

Court House District—Meade Ward, R. E. McDonald, Mrs. Lillian  
Toothman and Miss Genevieve Tierney, Weston.



Skin Creek District—Creed Summers, Edgar B. Linger and Miss Eva Miller, Horner; Miss Ernestine Linger, Roanoke.

Collins Settlement District—R. W. Duncan and Mrs. Bertie Arnold, Roanoke; A. P. Crawford, Ireland; Mrs. Edna Burke, Crawford.

### CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE

Rex Springton and Mrs. Alice W. McGarvy, Weston.

### SENATORIAL COMMITTEE

John P. Malloy and Mrs. Wm. Trapnell, Weston.

### DISTRICT OFFICERS

#### Collins Settlement District

Justices of the Peace . . . . . A. M. Law, Democrat; Walkersville.  
 N. H. Hawkins, Democrat; Roanoke.  
 Constable . . . . . (By special appointment.)  
 Board of Education . . . . . President—A. B. Holbert, Democrat; Orlando.  
 Secretary—A. M. Law, Democrat; Walkersville.  
 Brannon Bennett, Democrat; Walkersville.  
 P. E. Crawford, Republican; Walkersville.

#### Court House District

Justices of the Peace . . . . . W. C. Ratliff, Democrat; Weston.  
 J. D. Atkinson, Republican; Weston.  
 Constables . . . . . Asa Clark, Republican; Weston.  
 J. R. Ratcliff, Republican; Weston.  
 Board of Education . . . . . President—C. R. Hickman, Republican; Weston.  
 Secretary—John Kaden, Republican, Roanoke.  
 John M. Finster, Republican; Weston.  
 P. J. Sweeney, Democrat; Orlando.

#### Freeman's Creek District

Justices of the Peace . . . . . A. Chittum, Republican; Weston.  
 A. L. Griggs, Republican; Weston.  
 Constable . . . . . (By Special appointment.)  
 Board of Education . . . . . President—W. D. Allman, Democrat; Jane Lew.  
 Secretary—Lloyd G. Losh, Republican, Weston.  
 H. K. Lovett, Republican; Weston.  
 Charles B. Rohr, Republican; Alum Bridge.

### Hacker's Creek District

Justices of the Peace..... W. T. Connolly, Democrat; Weston.  
 A. C. Hughes, Republican; Weston.  
 Constable..... Berket Hall, Republican; Jane Lew.  
 Board of Education..... President—T. E. Hinzman, Republican;  
 Weston.  
 Secretary—George R. Sinclair, Democrat;  
 Weston.  
 S. M. Allman, Democrat; Jane Lew.  
 Perry S. Lawman, Democrat; Weston.

### Skin Creek District

Justice of the Peace..... G. B. Marsh, Democrat; Horner, R. 1.  
 Constable..... (By special appointment.)  
 Board of Education..... President—N. T. Duncan, Republican,  
 Horner.  
 Secretary—Walter Stalnaker, Republican;  
 Horner.  
 C. R. Summers, Democrat; Horner.  
 L. H. Stalnaker, Democrat; Horner.

### Weston Independent School District

Board of Education..... President—D. P. Kessler, Democrat; Weston.  
 Secretary—E. G. Smith, Democrat; Weston.  
 Thos. J. Blair, Democrat; Weston.  
 Seymour White, Democrat; Weston.

### Jane Lew Independent School District

Board of Education..... President—D. P. Musser, Republican; Jane  
 Lew.  
 Secretary—A. W. Brake, Republican; Jane  
 Lew.  
 G. C. Corder, Democrat; Jane Lew.  
 Ben Reed, Republican; Jane Lew.

## LINCOLN COUNTY

Lincoln county, erected since the formation of the state, was organized in 1867 and named in honor of Abraham Lincoln, the sixteenth President. It has a land area of 418 square miles, which is divided into eight magisterial districts, Carroll, Duval, Harts Creek, Jefferson, Laurel Hill, Sheridan, Union and Washington.

The county had a population of 19,378 in 1920, and according to the census returns a population of 19,156 in 1930. Its principal natural resources are coal, oil and gas. It is also an agricultural and horticultural county.

In 1929 the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the county was

\$16,876,272. This was divided as follows: Real estate, \$7,155,505; personal property, \$3,508,170; public utility property, \$6,212,597.

Hamlin, the county seat and only municipality in the county, was named for Hannibal Hamlin, Vice-President of the United States, 1861-1865. It has an elevation above sea level of 642 feet and had a population of 516 in 1920. Its population in 1930 increased to 844.

COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

- Judge Circuit Court..... Thomas R. Shepherd, Republican; Huntington.
- Terms Commence..... Third Monday in March, fourth Monday in July and the third Monday in November.
- Official Court Reporter..... Austin M. Sikes, Republican; Huntington.
- Sheriff..... J. S. Pridemore, Republican; Hamlin.
- Prosecuting Attorney..... Lace Marcum, Republican; Hamlin.
- Clerk Circuit Court..... Grant Cremeans, Republican; Hamlin.
- Gen'l Rec'r Circuit Court... J. S. Pridemore, Republican; Hamlin.
- Chancery Commissioners... C. E. Burns, Democrat; Hamlin.  
Jacob D. Smith, Republican; Hamlin.  
A. F. Morris, Democrat; Hamlin.  
Grant Cremeans, Republican; Hamlin.
- Divorce Commissioner..... C. E. Burns, Democrat; Hamlin.
- Clerk County Court..... J. M. Marcum, Democrat; Hamlin.
- Supt. Free Schools..... B. E. Lovejoy, Republican; Hamlin.
- County Road Engineer..... (None.)
- Surveyor..... A. C. Hager, Republican; Hamlin.
- Assessor..... C. F. Yeager, Republican; Myra.
- Com'r of School Lands..... E. J. Elkins, Republican; Hamlin.
- County Commissioners..... Sherman Isaacs, Democrat; West Hamlin; term expires December 31 1930.  
C. T. McGhee, Democrat; Hamlin; term expires December 31, 1932.  
H. P. Lovejoy, Republican; Palermo; term expires December 31, 1934.
- President County Court ... Sherman Isaacs, Democrat; West Hamlin.
- Terms Commence..... First Monday in January, third Monday in March, first Monday in July and the first Monday in October.
- Commissioners of Accounts. Grant Cremeans, Republican; Hamlin.  
C. E. Burns, Democrat; Hamlin.
- B'd Review & Equalization.. A. J. Elliott, Republican; Laurel Hill District; Cuzzie; term expires 1931.  
A. D. Sowards, Democrat; Carroll District; Myra; term expires 1933.  
J. L. Dunlap, Republican; Washington District; Train; term expires 1936.

- U. S. B'd Ex. Surgeons..... Dr. W. H. Waldron, Single Surgeon; West Hamlin.
- B'd Children's Guardians....Miss Camille Harper, District Agent; Court House, Huntington.
- Board of Health .....The President of the County Court and Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio; Dr. W. H. Waldron, West Hamlin; County Health Officer.

### LIST OF ATTORNEYS

(Post office address, Hamlin)

Burns, Young and Damron	Smith, Jacob D.
Burns, C. E.	Stiles, Homer S.
Young, E. E., Roswell, N. M.	Thompson, D. L.
Damron, W. F.	Wilkinson, D. E.
Morris and Morris	
Morris, A. F.	
Morris, R. W.	

### REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

A. F. Black, Chairman,  
Hamlin.

E. J. Elkins, Secretary,  
Hamlin.

Philip Hager, Treasurer,  
Hamlin.

#### Members

Carroll District—Earl Roberts, F. M. Ballard, Sweetland; Delia M. Ball, Maude Curry, Hamlin.

Duval District—Charley Keiser, Alkol; J. G. Settle and Bertha Roberts, Griffithsville; Elsie Ramsey, Garretts Bend.

Harts Creek District—Enos Dial, Harts; Richard Messer and Georgie Messer, Ferrellsburg; Jane Lucas, Toney.

Jefferson District—Z. D. Adkins, Allen; C. H. Linville and Florence Abbott, Bernie; Eva Gillenwaters, Spurlocksville.

Laurel Hill District—Charley Pack, Ranger; Juna P. Hager and Letha Hager, Branchland; Bertie Adkins, Midkiff.

Sheridan District—Clarence Messinger, Branchland; Jessie Bragg and Lola Evans, West Hamlin; Florence Heck, Branchland.

Union District—W. F. Adkins and Edward Ray, Myra; Sarah Adkins and Mrs. Ebb Cummings, Fez.

Washington District—Charley Clark, Priestley; Lightburn Dunlap, Sod; Lillian Priestley, Priestley; Anna Robinson, McCorkle.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Officers

David C. Howard, Chairman. Mrs. Maggie Burns, Asst. Chair.,  
 Summerco. Hamlin.

Members

Carroll District—A. V. Richardson, M. F. Adkins, Mrs. M. B. Leete and Mrs. Maggie Martin, Hamlin.

Duval District—W. W. Robertson, Tango; E. A. Miller, Griffithsville; Mrs. Ross Byrd, Garretts Bend; Mrs. Brookie White, Yawkey.

Harts Creek District—Herbert Shelton and Mrs. Mollie Lambert, Sand Creek; Lewis Maynard and Miss Cora Adkins, Harts.

Jefferson District—Hansford Hill and L. B. Hill, Spurlocksville; Mrs. Alice Adkins, Mud; Mrs. Mary Miller, Allen.

Laurel Hill District—Milton McCoy, W. J. Sanders, Mrs. Rynda Adkins and Mrs. Modella Fulks, Ranger.

Sheridan District—Hal McComas, S. C. Isaac and Miss Dola Isaacs, West Hamlin; Mrs. Florence Johnson, Branchland.

Union District—Mrs. Estella Adkins Hill, Fez; Mrs. Eliza Smith, John Wall and Sullivan Hager.

Washington District—T. J. Osborne, L. H. Henderson, Ivaton; Mrs. Blaine Pauley, Sod; Mrs. Lulu Priestley, Alum Creek.

DISTRICT OFFICERS

Carroll District

Justices of the Peace.....C. N. Hall, Democrat; Hamlin.  
 N. Smith, Democrat; Culloden.  
 Constables.....Delbert Pullen, Democrat; Hamlin.  
 Will Holley, Republican; Hamlin.  
 Board of Education.....President—G. H. Jackson, Democrat; Hamlin.  
 Secretary—H. R. Stiles, Democrat; Hamlin.  
 E. F. Johnson, Democrat; Hamlin.  
 J. B. McGee, Democrat; Hamlin.

Duval District

Justices of the Peace.....H. Wells, Republican; Alkol.  
 H. A. Williams, Republican; Griffithsville.  
 Constables.....F. J. Shepherd, Republican; Griffithsville.  
 Board of Education.....President—J. H. Smith, Republican; Griffithsville.  
 Secretary—G. W. Hawkins, Republican; Griffithsville.  
 J. W. McClure, Republican; Alkol.  
 M. H. Campbell, Republican; Tango.

Harts Creek District

Justices of the Peace.....John E. Fry, Democrat; Rector.  
 S. J. Shelton, Democrat; Harts.

Constables.....	John Martin, Democrat; Queens Ridge. P. H. Brumfield, Democrat; Gill.
Board of Education.....	President—M. C. Farley, Republican; Farrellsburg. Secretary—Robert L. Martin, Democrat; Queens Ridge. J. M. Maynard, Democrat; Wilsondale. Gilbert Toppings, Republican; Queens Ridge.

#### Jefferson District

Justices of the Peace.....	C. A. Carper, Republican; Spurlocksville. Rass Cummings, Republican; Bernie.
Constables.....	G. W. Jenkins, Republican; Spurlocksville. Clinton Adkins, Republican; Spurlocksville.
Board of Education.....	President—Isaac Adkins, Republican; Spurlocksville. Secretary—Howard M. Hager, Republican; Mud. Elbert J. Lovejoy, Republican; Bulger.

#### Laurel Hill District

Justices of the Peace.....	Millard Clay, Democrat; Midkiff. J. C. Mounts, Republican; Ranger.
Constables.....	S. Webb, Democrat; Ranger. R. L. Baker, Democrat; Ranger.
Board of Education.....	President—Wilbert Adkins, Republican; Minerva. Secretary—W. M. Webb, Republican; Ranger. Jefferson Lucas, Republican; Ranger. A. L. McCoy, Democrat; Ranger.

#### Sheridan District

Justices of the Peace.....	L. E. Scite, Republican; Smith.
Constables.....	A. G. Evans, Republican; Hubball. M. E. Evans, Republican; West Hamlin.
Board of Education.....	President—O. K. Hutchinson, Democrat; Smith. Secretary—Mrs. Cora Midkiff, Democrat; Smith. George Messinger, Democrat; Sheridan. Lindsey Topping, Republican; West Hamlin.

#### Union District

Justice of the Peace.....	Walter Adkins, Democrat; Fez.
Constable.....	Luther Adkins, Republican; Fez.

Board of Education..... President—J. M. Lambert, Republican; Sias.  
 Secretary—Ebb Cummings, Republican; Sias.  
 Tolbert Adkins, Republican; Sias.  
 Henry Stowers, Democrat; Hager.

#### Washington District

Justices of the Peace..... E. H. Gillenwater, Republican; McCorkle.  
 W. J. Purdy, Republican; Sod.  
 Constables..... L. L. Schivelie, Republican; McCorkle.  
 James Hall, Republican; McCorkle.  
 Board of Education..... President—George Pauley, Republican; Sod.  
 Secretary—R. M. Robinson, Republican; McCorkle.  
 L. A. Runyan, Republican; Sod.  
 Percy Dunlap, Republican; Train.

### LOGAN COUNTY

Logan county, in the southern tier of counties, with an area of 438 square miles, was created in 1824. It has sixteen workable seams of coal and is one of the most important coal producing counties of the state. It was named for Logan, the Indian chieftain, of the Oneida tribe.

The county has three magisterial districts, Chapmanville, Logan and Triadelphia. The 1930 population of 58,534 represents an increase of 17,528 over the population of 41,006 in 1920.

The total assessed valuation of the property in the county in 1929 was \$45,709,011. Of this \$25,270,160 was real estate, \$8,380,175 personal property and \$12,058,676 public utility property.

Logan, the county seat, located on the Guyandotte River, was established in 1826 as Lawnsville, the name being later changed to Aracoma and still later to its present name. It is 682 feet above sea level. Its population of 2,998 in 1920, had grown by 1,398 to 4,396 in 1930.

#### COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

Judge Circuit Court..... Naaman Jackson, Republican; Logan.  
 Terms Commence..... Second Monday in January, first Monday in April, first Monday in July and first Monday in October.  
 Official Court Reporter..... Herman N. Pugh, Republican; Huntington.  
 Sheriff..... J. D. Hatfield, Republican; Logan.  
 Prosecuting Attorney..... Lloyd Hager, Republican; Logan.  
 Ass't Prosecuting Attorney..... E. F. Scaggs, Republican; Logan.  
 Clerk Circuit Court..... Sherman Smith, Democrat; Logan.  
 Gen'l Receiver Circuit Court..... A. D. Dickey, Republican; Logan.  
 Chancery Commissioners.... C. C. Chambers, Democrat; Logan.  
 Joe Glenn, Republican; Logan.

	N. D. Waugh, Republican; Logan.
	C. H. Hatfield, Republican; Logan.
Divorce Commissioner	Ira P. Hager, Republican; Logan.
Clerk County Court	J. G. McNeely, Democrat; Logan.
Supt. Free Schools	J. A. Vickers, Democrat; Logan.
County Road Engineer	(None.)
Surveyor	Dick Evans, Democrat; Logan.
Assessor	Ose Richey, Republican; Logan.
Com'r of School Lands	J. E. Peck, Democrat; Logan.
County Commissioners	Robert Claypool, Republican; Logan; term expires December 31, 1930. A. D. Cook, Republican; Crites; term expires December 31, 1932. Roscoe Ferrell, Republican; Chapmanville. term expires December 31, 1934.
President County Court	Robert Claypool, Republican; Logan.
Terms Commence	First Monday in each.
Commissioner of Accounts	N. D. Waugh, Republican; Logan.
B'd Review & Equalization	Dr. J. W. Thornbury, Republican; Triadelphia District; Man; term expires in 1931. O. C. Winters, Democrat; Chapmanville District; Chapmanville; term expires in 1933. Ira P. Hager, Republican; Logan District; Logan; term expires in 1935.
Sealer of Wts. & Measures	J. R. Godby, Republican; Logan.
Board of Health	The President of the County Court and the Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio. Dr. V. A. Deason, Logan, County Health Officer.
B'd Children's Guardians	Miss Edna Dodson, Dist. Agent; Charleston.

### LIST OF ATTORNEYS

(Post office address, Logan)

Casto, R. H.	Waugh, N. D.
Chafin, John	Jackson, Naaman
Chambers, C. C.	(Circuit Court Judge)
Estep and Bland	Joyce, C. A.
Estep, C. L.	McNemar, W. V.
Bland, Robert	Minter, C. S.
Glenn, Joe M.	Minter, W. M.
Greever, James E.	Peck, J. E.
Hager, Ira P.	Scaggs, Emmett F.
(Divorce Comm'r.)	(Asst. Pros. Attorney)
Hager, L. P.	Tabor, Oscar
(Prosecuting Attorney)	Taylor, W. L.
Holland, R. P.	Turley, W. C.
Hatfield, C. A.	Valentine, Mark T.



REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Officers

G. R. Claypool, Chairman, Logan. Mark T. Valentine, Secretary, Logan.  
 G. W. Raike, Treasurer, Logan.

Members

Logan District—J. C. Aldridge, Miss Anna G. Copley and Mrs. Jane Griffith, Logan; U. S. Browning, Barnabus.  
 Chapmanville District—Lottie Burwell, Big Creek; S. A. Farrell, B. F. Stiltner and Mrs. Sarah Ward, Chapmanville.  
 Triadelphia District—Dr. W. J. Thomas, Earling; J. W. Thornbury and Mrs. Roxie Perry, Man; Mrs. Ernest Dean, Lundale.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Officers

Sherman Smith, Chairman, Logan. H. A. Davin, Vice Chairman, Logan.  
 C. A. Joyce, Secretary, Logan. Harry Robertson, Treasurer, Logan.

Members

Logan District—J. Cary Alderson, T. J. Wysong, Mrs. Ida Chambers and Mrs. Ada Harris, Logan.  
 Chapmanville District—Garland Adams and Mrs. J. T. Ferrell, Chapmanville; W. F. Butcher, Yantus; Tilda Harmon, Big Creek.  
 Triadelphia District—G. C. Combs and Dr. R. W. Roberts, Man; Mrs. Goldie Altizer, Kistler; Mrs. R. C. Newman, Lundale.

DISTRICT OFFICERS

Chapmanville District

Justices of the Peace..... W. A. McCloud, Republican; Chapmanville.  
 Frank Adams, Democrat; Whirlwind.  
 Constables..... Burl Dingess, Democrat; Yantus.  
 Bruce Dials, Democrat; Big Creek.  
 Board of Education..... President—George Chapman, Democrat; Chapmanville.  
 Secretary—R. E. Vickers, Democrat; Chapmanville.  
 Floyd Dingers, Democrat; Chapmanville.  
 George Mullens, Democrat; Queen Ridge.

Logan District

Justices of the Peace..... L. W. Hatfield, Republican; Logan.  
 J. D. Copley, Republican; Logan.

Constables .....	Harris Agee, Republican; Logan. Freeland Browning, Republican; Logan.
Board of Education .....	President—J. F. May, Republican; Rossmoore. Secretary—L. E. Farnsworth, Republican; Logan. T. E. Steele, Republican; Logan. L. E. Farnsworth, Republican; Logan.

#### Triadelphia District

Justices of the Peace .....	Lacy W. White, Republican; Man. C. W. Cook, Republican; Amherstdale
Constables .....	Forest Gallihugh, Republican; Man. Oat Perry, Republican; Man.
Board of Education .....	President—J. W. Thornbury, Republican; Man. Secretary—R. H. Carder, Republican; Man. R. E. Elkins, Republican; Man. John Vance, Republican; Emmett.

### MARION COUNTY

Marion county, created in 1842, is in the northern section of the state and has a land area of 313.55 square miles. Its seven magisterial districts are, Fairmont, Grant, Lincoln, Mannington, Paw Paw, Union and Winfield, with two independent school districts, Fairmont and Union. The county was named for General Francis Marion, known in history as "The Swamp Fox."

The county, although in an agricultural section, has a great coal development and is also the location of many industrial plants. In 1929, its taxable property was assessed as follows: Real estate, \$65,576,104; personal property, \$18,386,019; public utility property, \$21,770,380; a total of \$105,723,503, which is an increase of \$2,154,069 over its 1928 assessment.

Marion county, in 1920, had a population of 54,571 and in 1930 of 66,665, an increase of 12,094 in the decade.

Fairmont, the county seat, established in 1820, is located on the Monongahela River, at an elevation of 883 feet above sea level. Its 1920 population of 17,851 had increased to 23,159 in 1930.

The Fairmont State Normal School, established in 1868, and now under the management of President Joseph Rosier, and Fairmont Hospital No. 3, which was established as a miners' hospital but is now an emergency hospital under the direction of Dr. William A. Welton, Superintendent, are two state institutions located at Fairmont.

Other municipalities in the county, with their populations as shown by the 1930 census returns are: Mannington, 3,261; Fairview, 836; Farmington, 819; Monongah, 1,909; Rivesville, 1,700 and Worthington, 405.

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**COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS**

- Judge Circuit Court..... Harry Shaw, Republican; Fairmont.  
 Terms Commence..... Second Monday in March, second Monday  
 in June and the second Monday in No-  
 vember.
- Official Court Reporter..... R. O. Nuzum, Republican; Fairmont.  
 Judge Criminal Court..... E. M. Showalter, Republican; Fairmont.  
 Terms Commence..... Second Tuesday in January, second Tues-  
 day in May and the third Tuesday in  
 September.
- Official Court Reporter..... (Same as Circuit Court.)  
 Sheriff..... W. W. Conaway, Democrat; Fairmont.  
 Prosecuting Attorney..... M. E. Morgan, Republican; Fairmont.  
 Ass't Prosecuting Attorney..... M. W. Ogden, Republican; Fairmont.  
 Clerk Circuit Court..... L. A. Cather, Republican; Fairmont; ex-  
 officio Clerk of Criminal Court.
- Gen'l Receiver Circuit Court..... L. A. Cather, Fairmont.  
 Chancery Commissioners.... John Henshaw, Republican; Fairmont.  
 Wm. P. Lehman, Republican; Fairmont.  
 Trevey Nutter, Republican; Fairmont.  
 R. L. Furbee, Republican; Fairmont.  
 L. T. Eddy, Republican; Fairmont.  
 M. W. Ogden, Republican; Fairmont  
 C. Brooks Deveney, Republican; Fairmont.
- Divorce Commissioner..... French McCray, Republican; Fairmont.  
 Clerk County Court..... Lee N. Satterfield, Republican; Fairmont.  
 Supt. Free Schools..... E. E. Hale, Republican; Fairmont.  
 County Road Engineer..... Paul Billingslea, Republican; Fairmont.  
 Surveyor..... John W. Mason, Republican; Fairmont.  
 Assessor..... Fred L. Jenkins, Republican; Fairmont.  
 Com'r of School Lands..... W. M. Hess, Democrat; Mannington.  
 County Commissioners..... Ward M. Satterfield, Republican; Man-  
 nington; term expires December 31, 1930.  
 C. L. Musgrave, Republican; Fairmont.  
 term expires December 31, 1932.  
 M. M. Martin, Republican; Mannington;  
 term expires December 31, 1934.
- President County Court..... Ward M. Satterfield, Republican; Manning-  
 ton.
- Terms Commence..... First Monday in January, first Monday in  
 April, first Monday in July and the first  
 Monday in September.
- Commissioners of Accounts.. Clay D. Amos, Republican; Fairmont.  
 H. J. Wadsworth, Republican; Fairmont.  
 Russell L. Furbee, Republican; Fairmont.
- Sealer Weights & Measures.. T. Frank Reed, Republican; Fairmont.

B'd Review & Equalization	B. Marmaduke Chalfont, Democrat; Paw Paw District; Fairview; term expires 1931.
	W. H. Bunner, Republican; Winfield District; Hoult; term expires 1933.
	U. S. Van Zandt, Republican; Mannington District; Mannington; term expires in 1935.
Board of Health	The President of the County Court and Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio. Dr. F. F. Sowers, Fairmont, County Health Officer.
B'd Children's Guardians	Miss Margaret E. McKinney, District Agent, Professional Bldg., Fairmont.
U. S. Bd. Ex. Surgeons	Fairmont, Dr. G. H. Brownfield. Mannington, Drs. M. F. Hamilton, F. E. Flowers and F. W. Vance.
Probation Officers	Juvenile Court, Lillian M. Fisher, Republican; Fairmont. H. R. Cronin, Republican; Fairmont.

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Alexander, G. M.	Hoge, P. M.
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Amos, Frank R.	Kennedy, W. M.
Billingslea, A. Blake	Kern, Albert J.
Blair, Jackson V.	Knapp, U. A.
Brandon, C. W.	Lanham, Ward
Burns, James F.	Lehman, Wm. P.
Colborn, A. J.	Lemley, Fred L.
Conaway, Harrison	Lowe, Scott C.
Conley, R. J.	Mason, John W.
Conley, Joseph	Meredith, Bell and Moore
Cronin, Harry	Meredith, James A.
Deveny, C. Brooks	Bell, E. R.
Eddy, L. T.	Moore, K. C.
Eddy, H. D., Fairview	Meredith, Jamison
Fleming, A. S.	Meredith, J. H.
Furbee, Russell L.	Miller, Charles E.
Haggerty, W. R.	Morgan, M. E.,
Hartley, E. F.	(Prosecuting Attorney)
Haymond, Frank C.	Morgan, E. F., Washington
Hess, H. Clare, Mannington	Morris, Tusca
Hess, W. M., Mannington	Musgrave, L. C.
Henshaw, John	McCray, French

Neely, M. M.	Shaver, C. L.
Nutter, Trevey	Shaw, Harry
Ogden, M. W.	(Judge Circuit Court)
(Asst. Prosecuting Atty.)	Shaw, H. Victor
Powell, Charles	Showalter, E. M.
Powell, Michael	(Judge Criminal Court)
Powell, J. Worley	Smith, Ira L.
Prichard, John G.	Snodgrass, C. A., Mannington
Putnam, Alfred R.	Snodgrass, K. K., Mannington
Ralphsnyder, Geo. M.	Steele, Lorentz
Reed, R. Sidney	Tompkins, Richard W.
Ritchie, D. A.	Wadsworth, Howard J.
Rose, H. H.	Watkins, Henry E.
Russell, A. L., Mannington	White, Kemble
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### REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

John G. Pritchard, Chairman, Fairmont.	Mrs. Lillian M. Fisher, Asso. Chmn., Fairmont.
Ward Downs, Treasurer, Fairmont.	Von E. Teeter, Secretary, Fairmont.

#### Members

Fairmont District at Large—Clyde Poling, T. Frank Reed and Lillian M. Fisher, Fairmont; Lessie B. Shackelford, Barracksville.

#### City of Fairmont

- First Ward—Frank R. Amos and Waneta Hammers.
- Second Ward—H. R. Cronin.
- Third Ward—Edward Gould and Mary M. West.
- Fourth Ward—D. H. Morgan and Mrs. J. E. Berry.
- Fifth Ward—Fred T. Wilson and Rosa Parker.
- Sixth Ward—G. W. Haller and Hazel Teets.
- Seventh Ward—L. F. McCray and Hazel A. Holt.
- Eighth Ward—M. W. Ogden and Blanche M. Linn.
- Ninth Ward—Carroll Helmick and Hazel Swain.
- Tenth Ward—T. F. Tucker and Olive Mae Phillips.
- Eleventh Ward—L. C. Fitzhugh and Madonna Amos.
- Twelfth Ward—Walter Ellison and Jessie Miller.
- Union District—C. E. Nuzum, Fairmont, R. 8; George M. Nuzum, Fairmont.
- Grant District—Gerald McAllister, S. M. Kisner and Mrs. Evelyn Kisner, Watson; Callie Brice, Watson, R. D.
- Lincoln District—C. R. Atha and Louise Wood, Worthington; C. R. Reese, Mannington, R. 4; Anna Bock Davis, Farmington.

Paw Paw District—W. H. Coontz, H. D. Eddy and Estella MacChesney, Fairview; Maude E. Thompson, Rivesville.

Winfield District—W. E. Hawkins and Darla F. Hawkins, Fairmont, R. 5; S. M. Ferrell, Scottdale.

Mannington District—E. W. Congleton, Mannington; Mrs. Wesley Jones, Mannington; John R. Rogerson; Jennie L. Thorne, Mannington, R. 2.

## DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

Homer C. Toothman, Chairman,  
Fairmont.

Mrs. Scott C. Lowe, Secretary,  
Fairmont.

C. D. Conaway, Treasurer,  
Fairmont.

### Members

Fairmont District (at Large)—James H. Barrett, 207 Monroe Street; Evelyn C. Foster, 402 9th Street; Mrs. Anna Lynch, Fairmont, R. 1; F. B. Tennant, Barrackville.

City of Fairmont

First Ward—James Adams, 544 State Street; Martha K. McMillan, 311 Columbia St.

Second Ward—R. Q. Musgrove, State Street; Mrs. Opal Little, 600 State Street.

Third Ward—Thomas D. Connell, 700 Maryland Avenue; Mrs. Ida B. Giffin, 310 Marion Avenue.

Fourth Ward—Cora M. Bowen, 1840 Morgantown Avenue; J. R. Miller, 111 Reeves Avenue.

Fifth Ward—Von B. Tucker, 200 Bellview Avenue.

Sixth Ward—Frank C. Crawford, 110 Wheeling Street; Mrs. W. D. Straight, 302 Maple Avenue.

Seventh Ward—Howard E. Woodward, 218 High Street; Martha L. Haymond, 410 Cleveland Avenue.

Eighth Ward—John Heim, 312 Gaston Avenue; Mrs. W. H. Conaway, 109 Virginia Avenue.

Ninth Ward—P. F. McLinden, 1314 Virginia Avenue.

Tenth Ward—J. I. Carpenter, 227 Walnut Avenue; Ray Love Blocher, 325 Walnut Avenue.

Eleventh Ward—Harry D. Buckley, 1102 Locust Avenue.

Twelfth Ward—Thomas A. Deveny, Jr., 317 Watson Avenue.

Union District—Joseph Irons, Z. J. Nuzum and Vallie Irons, Colfax; Lucille Barnes, Fairmont, R. 8.

Grant District—Carroll Currey, Monongah; Mrs. Lessie J. Hardesty, Enterprise; Miss Jessie Hughes, Shinnston, R. 2; Willis Amos, Watson.

Lincoln District—Charles S. Davis and Mrs. Georgia Barbe, Worthington; Mrs. Lacy G. Dunham and A. B. Clelland, Farmington.

Paw Paw District—Smith Hood, Jr., and Mrs. Othar Hood, Rivesville; B. M. Chalfant and Mrs. L. H. Weaver, Fairview.

Winfield District—M. A. Sturm and Pearl Hess, Fairmont; John C. Finch and Estelle L. Summers, Fairmont, R. 5.

Mannington District—Charles L. Snodgrass and Stella Sturm Bartlett, Mannington; S. L. Ash and Minnie A. Metz, Rymer.

### DISTRICT OFFICERS

#### Fairmont District

Justices of the Peace..... Thomas W. Powell, Republican; Fairmont.  
P. B. Henry, Republican; Fairmont.

Constables..... Okey L. Hawkins, Republican; Fairmont.  
Fred A. Jones, Republican; Fairmont.

Board of Education..... President—Dorsey Cole, Republican; Fairmont, R. 1.  
Secretary—O. H. Milam, Democrat; Barrackville.  
James T. Wells, Republican; Barrackville.  
C. H. Ridgway, Democrat; Barrackville.

#### Grant District

Justices of the Peace..... Cleve J. Snider, Democrat; Monongah.  
C. A. Satterfield, Republican; Monongah.

Constables..... R. John Davis, Democrat; Monongah.  
Jesse Jarrett, Democrat; Watson.

Board of Education..... President—Wayne Shaver, Democrat; Watson, R. 7.  
Secretary—L. R. Tucker, Democrat; Watson, R. 7.  
Carson E. Jones, Democrat; Monongah.  
Clarence L. Barnes, Democrat; Watson, R. 7.

#### Lincoln District

Justices of the Peace..... Archie G. Morgan, Democrat; Worthington.  
Charles R. Talkington, Democrat; Farmington.

Constables..... W. E. Basnett; Democrat; Worthington.

Board of Education..... President—Dr. C. L. Kinney, Democrat; Idamay.  
Secretary—J. Lane Parrish, Democrat; Worthington.  
J. Lee Janes, Democrat; Monongah.  
J. M. Wood, Republican; Worthington.

#### Mannington District

Justices of the Peace..... J. M. Barrack, Republican; Mannington.  
Harry C. Anderson, Republican; Mannington.

Constables..... R. D. Higginbotham, Republican; Mannington.  
R. Dewey Ice, Republican; Mannington.

**Board of Education**..... President—H. Clare Hess, Democrat; Mannington.  
 Secretary—A. L. Thomas, Democrat; Mannington.  
 S. E. Taggart, Republican; Mannington.  
 D. A. Hibbs, Republican; Glover Gap.

#### Paw Paw District

**Justices of the Peace**..... W. D. Ice, Democrat; Fairview.  
 Joseph E. Clayton, Republican; Rivesville.  
**Constables**..... J. W. Taylor, Democrat; Fairview.  
 Jas. E. Carpenter, Republican; Fairview.  
**Board of Education**..... President—Dr. G. R. Miller, Republican;  
 Fairview.  
 Secretary—O. C. Tennant, Democrat; Fairview.  
 W. R. Clayton, Republican; Rivesville.  
 John C. Hibbs, Republican; Rivesville.

#### Union District

**Justices of the Peace**..... Lawrence H. Orr, Republican; Fairmont.  
 W. B. Hixenbaugh, Republican; Fairmont.  
**Constables**..... John C. McKinney, Republican; Fairmont.  
 Clark Johnson, Republican; Fairmont.  
**Board of Education**..... President—Lounie Richards, Republican;  
 Fairmont, R. 8.  
 Secretary—L. R. Linn, Republican; Fairmont, R. 8.  
 Charles Malotte, Republican; Fairmont, R. 3.  
 Lawrence E. Toothman, Republican; Fairmont, R. 3.

#### Winfield District

**Justices of the Peace**..... William C. Keener, Republican; Montana.  
 Fay Moran, Republican; Fairmont, R. 3.  
**Constables**..... J. J. Swisher, Republican; Fairmont, R. 3.  
 T. A. Hayhurst, Republican; Montana.  
**Board of Education**..... President—Harry F. Berry, Republican;  
 Fairmont, R. 3.  
 Secretary—A. P. King, Republican; Fairmont, R. 5.  
 O. D. Grubb, Republican; Fairmont, R. 3.  
 Denzel L. Heney, Republican; Catawba, R. 1.

#### Fairmont Independent School District

**Board of Education**..... President—R. C. Jones, Republican; Fairmont.  
 Secretary—Mrs. George DeBolt, Republican; Fairmont.  
 Ernest R. Bell, Republican; Fairmont.  
 Mrs. W. S. Mayers, Republican; Fairmont.



**Union Independent School District**

Board of Education . . . . . President—Victor H. Shaw, Republican;  
Fairmont.  
Secretary—V. H. Cornwell, Republican;  
Fairmont.  
P. B. Swearingen, Republican; Fairmont.  
H. L. Morgan, Republican; Fairmont.

**MARSHALL COUNTY**

Marshall, one of the northern counties of the state, was erected in 1835 and has an area of 310 square miles, out of which the county's nine magisterial districts have been formed—Cameron, Clay, Franklin, Liberty, Meade, Sand Hill, Union, Washington and Webster. Moundsville has an independent school district. The county was named for the eminent jurist, John Marshall, for thirty-four years Chief Justice of the United States Supreme Court. In 1920 it had a population of 33,681, which had grown to 39,831 in 1930, an increase of 6,150.

Marshall is both an agricultural and industrial county, with a large number of manufacturing plants located in or near its principal cities. Among its natural resources, coal, oil and gas have been developed.

The taxable property of the county, in 1929, was assessed as follows: Real estate, \$31,244,010; personal property, \$9,910,490; public utility property, \$14,812,515; a total of \$55,967,015.

Moundsville, established in 1832, is the county seat and takes its name from Mammoth Mound, sixty-nine feet high and nine hundred feet in circumference at the base, which is situated in the city. Moundsville is 689 feet above sea level and, in 1920 had a population of 10,669. The population in 1930 was 14,411, an increase of 3,742.

The West Virginia Penitentiary, established in 1866, and now under the management of Warden A. C. Scroggins, is located at Moundsville.

The other incorporated places in the county, with populations as shown by the 1930 census are: Benwood, 3,950; Cameron, 2,281; Glendale, 799 and McMechen, 3,710.

**COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS**

Judge Circuit Court . . . . . James F. Shipman, Democrat; Moundsville.  
Terms Commence . . . . . Second Tuesday in February, second Tuesday in June and the second Tuesday in October.  
Official Court Reporter . . . . . Delf Norona, Republican; Wheeling.  
Sheriff . . . . . George Dorsey, Republican; Moundsville.  
Prosecuting Attorney . . . . . J. Lloyd Arnold, Republican; Moundsville.  
Clerk Circuit Court . . . . . J. E. Humes, Republican; Moundsville.  
Chancery Commissioners . . . . Charles E. Carrigan, Republican; Moundsville.  
James T. Miller, Republican; Moundsville.  
W. A. McGlumphy, Republican; Moundsville.  
John C. Hopkins, Democrat; Cameron.

	J. Lloyd Arnold, Republican; Moundsville.
	A. L. Hooton, Republican; Moundsville.
Divorce Commissioner	J. W. Rickey, Republican; Moundsville.
Clerk County Court	Maude Riggs, Republican; Moundsville.
County Road Engineer	B. W. Brown, Republican; Moundsville.
County Supt. Free Schools	J. Sherman Welch, Republican; Moundsville.
Surveyor	J. J. Sammons, Republican, Moundsville.
Assessor	Paul A. Dechan, Republican; Moundsville.
Com'r of School Lands	Everett F. Moore, Republican; Moundsville.
County Commissioners	J. B. Thompson, Republican; Moundsville. term expires December 31, 1930.
	W. L. Shepherd, Republican; Glen Easton, R. D.; term expires December 31, 1932.
	O. H. Stewart, Republican; Glen Easton, R. D.; term expires December 31, 1934.
President County Court	J. B. Thompson, Republican; Moundsville.
Terms Commence	Third Tuesday in January, third Tuesday in April, third Tuesday in July and third Tuesday in October.
Commissioners of Accounts	A. L. Hooton, Republican; Moundsville. J. Lloyd Arnold, Republican; Moundsville. Walter A. McGlumphy, Republican; Moundsville.
Sealer Weights & Measures	Melvin Clark, Republican; Cameron.
B'd Review & Equalization	Clem Bassett, Democrat; Franklin District; Proctor; term expires in 1931. Marion Keyser, Republican; Washington District; Moundsville; term expires in 1933.
	G. W. Blake, Republican; Union District; Wheeling, R. D. 2; term expires in 1935.
Board of Health	The President of the County Court and the Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio. Dr. C. E. Hutchinson, Moundsville, Health Officer.
B'd Children's Guardians	Miss Margaret E. McKinney, Dist. Agent; Professional Bldg.; Fairmont.
U. S. B'd Ex. Surgeons	Moundsville, Drs. J. A. Striebich, P. D. Barlow and D. B. Ealy. Cameron. Drs. J. E. Cooper, W. G. C. Hill and C. W. Riggs.

### LIST OF ATTORNEYS

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Evans, Laurence M.	Miller, James T.
Fitzsimmons, John M.	Moore, Everett F.
Hinerman, Chauncey M., Cameron	Rickey, J. W.
Holt, J. Howard	Ritz, James M.
Hooton, A. L.	Scott, Herbert
Hopkins, John, Cameron	Shipman, James F. (Judge Circuit Court)

### REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

G. L. King, Chairman, Cameron.	Mrs. Ella S. Brown, Asso. Chm., Cameron, R. 4.
Sebasteen R. Thompson, Secretary, Moundsville.	

#### Members

##### City of Moundsville

First Ward—Ed. C. Frey and Mrs. Nettie Games.

Second Ward—T. William Keffer and Bess Lowther.

Third Ward—Harold K. Snyder and Mrs. Katherine Wright.

Cameron District—Melvin Clark, G. L. King, Mrs. Grace Jackley and Mrs. Leota Benedum, Cameron.

Clay District—Dale R. Chaddock, C. S. Montgomery and Miss Lena Ernst, Moundsville; Mrs. Luella Utter, Moundsville, R. D.

Franklin District—T. W. Parriott, O. C. Baumberger and Mrs. Helen Wilson, Woodland; Miss Helena Friedley, Proctor.

Liberty District—Jason Gray, Kausooth; Charles Hall and Mrs. Mary Gray, Cameron, R. 5; Katherine Gray, Cameron, R. D.

Meade District—H. L. Fox, B. H. Bonar and Cora Mason Kemp, Glen Easton, R. 1; Rhoda McDowell, Kausooth.

Sand Hill District—H. Cecil Dague, Dallas, R. D. 1; W. V. Armstrong, and Mrs. Florence Jones, Elm Grove, R. 5; Miss Myrtle Stricklin, Dallas, R. 1.

Union District—George Bell, Mrs. Mary Lewis and Mrs. Katherine Polley, Benwood; J. E. Doyle, McMechen.

Washington District—W. W. Dowler, L. O. Jones and Sebasteen R. Thompson, Moundsville; Mrs. Scott Chambers, Glendale.

Webster District—E. A. Doman, Ella S. Brown and Miss Jennie Cunningham, Cameron, R. 4; Sam Mickey, Cameron, R. 5.

### DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

Elmer C. Yoho, Chairman, Moundsville, R. 2.	Mrs. Armor Kime, Asso. Chm., Moundsville.
J. W. Gallaher, Secretary, Moundsville.	Sam Cockayne, Treasurer, Glendale.

### Members

#### City of Moundsville

First Ward—Parry Miller.

Second Ward—J. W. Gallaher.

Third Ward—T. J. Hamilton.

Cameron District—Earl Allen, Glen Easton, R. D.; Louis Antil, Mrs. Lucy Powers and Miss Minnie Ross, Cameron.

Clay District—J. B. Jefferson, Grover Simmons and Mrs. Mary Mason, Moundsville, R. 2; Mrs. Laura Gillingham, Moundsville.

Franklin District—Elmer C. Yoho, Moundsville; E. H. Cochran and Mrs. R. R. Kelly, Woodlands.

Liberty District—N. M. Parsons, Cameron; Mrs. Essa Hamilton, Belton; Mrs. Thomas Conaway, Board Tree.

Meade District—Leonard Trowphel, Oscar Yeater, Mrs. J. S. Richmond and Mrs. W. P. Richmond, Glen Easton.

Sand Hill District—C. W. Dague, Dallas; Mrs. Florence Maxwell, Elm Grove, R. 5.

Union District—J. J. Deegan and Mrs. Loretta Allen, Benwood; C. R. Kinkaid and Mrs. Sidney Goldner, McMechen.

Washington District—Sam Cockayne, Glendale; Z. L. Simmons and Wanita Yoho, Moundsville, R. 1.

Webster District—Adam Francis, T. L. Jefferson and Mrs. Lizzie Dakan, Cameron, R. 4.

### DISTRICT OFFICERS

#### Cameron District

Justices of the Peace	Cecil H. Lilley, Republican; Cameron. Clyde L. Loper, Republican; Cameron.
Constables	Wiley McCardle, Republican; Cameron. C. M. Hinerman, Republican; Cameron.
Board of Education	President—Charles Simmons, Democrat; Cameron. Secretary—Chas. H. Carpenter, Republican; Cameron. Dr. G. R. Wells, Republican; Cameron. Guy B. Patterson, Republican; Cameron.

#### Clay District

Justices of the Peace	W. E. Clayton, Republican; Moundsville. Chester A. Burks, Republican; Moundsville.
Constables	John Lehew, Democrat; Francis. W. L. Rhome, Republican; Moundsville.
Board of Education	President—C. G. Aston, Democrat; Moundsville, R. 2. Secretary—W. B. Wayt, Republican; Moundsville, R. 2. Charles Heath, Democrat; Moundsville, R. 2. Charles Hyde, Republican; Moundsville, R. 2.



## Washington District

Justices of the Peace.....	C. E. Meyer, Republican; Moundsville. J. A. Morrison, Republican; Moundsville.
Constables.....	Arthur Siburt, Republican; Moundsville. Presley Wetzel, Republican; Moundsville.
Board of Education.....	President—R. L. Dowdell, Republican; Glendale. Secretary—H. M. Stewart, Republican; Glendale. C. L. Sullivan, Republican; Moundsville, R. 1. C. E. Carrigan, Republican; Glendale.

## Webster District

Justice of the Peace.....	(Vacant.)
Constable.....	(Vacant.)
Board of Education.....	President—E. A. Doman, Republican; Cam- eron, R. 2. Secretary—J. W. Martin, Republican; Cam- eron, R. 4. Job Blake, Republican; Cameron, R. 4. Albert Knight, Republican; Cameron, R. D.

## Moundsville Independent School District

Board of Education.....	President—D. R. Craddock, Republican; Moundsville. Secretary—W. P. Fish, Republican; Mounds- ville.
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## MASON COUNTY

Mason county, lying on the Ohio river, was formed in 1804 from part of Kanawha county. Although the county has many industrial plants and has developed its principal natural resource, coal, it is mainly an agricultural, horticultural and live stock county. It was named in honor of George Mason, a noted lawyer of Virginia and author of that state's constitution.

The county has an area of 475 square miles and in 1920 had a population of 21,459. The 1930 census fixes the population at 20,788. There are ten magisterial districts in the county, Lewis, Waggener, Arbuckle, Cooper, Clendenin, Cologne, Graham, Hannan, Robinson and Union and three independent school districts, Hartford, Mason and Point Pleasant.

In 1929 the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the county was as follows: Real estate, \$9,121,520; personal property, \$2,550,755; public utility property, \$5,930,593; a total assessment of \$17,602,868.

Point Pleasant, the county seat, is located at the junction of the Ohio and Kanawha rivers at an elevation above sea level of 569 feet. It had a population in 1920 of 3,059, which had increased to 3,301 in 1930. The battle of Point Pleasant, October 10, 1774, between the confederated Indian tribes under the Shawnee chieftain, Cornstalk, and the Virginians, was

the chief and bloodiest battle of Dunsmore's War. The federal and state governments have erected a monument at Point Pleasant to commemorate this event.

Other municipalities in the county, with populations as shown by the 1930 census are: Mason City, 691; Hartford, 465; Henderson, 330 and Leon, 282. New Haven, unincorporated, had a 1930 population of 562.

The State Hospital for the Colored Insane, under the management of Dr. C. C. Barnett, Superintendent, is located in Mason county, at Lakin, as is also the State Industrial School for Colored Boys, which is under the direction of Superintendent S. S. Gordon.

Camp William G. Conley, named for Governor William G. Conley, leased by the state and built and maintained by the federal government, is located at Point Pleasant. It is the permanent camp for the 150th Infantry, (formerly the 2nd) West Virginia National Guard.

COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

- Judge Circuit Court..... Lewis H. Miller, Republican; Ripley.
- Terms Commence..... First Monday in January, first Monday in  
May and the first Monday in September.
- Official Court Reporter.....Junia Hite, Republican; Point Pleasant.
- Sheriff.....H. E. Burdette, Republican; Point Pleasant;  
ex-officio Sealer Weights and Measures.
- Prosecuting Attorney..... William H. Rardin, Republican; Point Pleas-  
ant.
- Clerk Circuit Court..... Vernon Jones, Republican; Point Pleasant.
- Gen'l Receiver Circuit Court John McCausland, Republican; Beech Hill.
- Chancery Commissioners ... F. G. Musgrave, Republican; Point Pleas-  
ant.  
W. H. Rardin; Republican; Point Pleasant.  
George G. Somerville, Democrat; Point Pleas-  
ant.  
Chas. E. Hogg, Republican; Point Pleasant.
- Divorce Commissioner..... B. H. Blagg, Republican; Point Pleasant.
- Clerk County Court..... John G. Aten, Republican; Point Pleasant.
- Supt. Free Schools..... Mrs. Bertha J. Filson, Democrat; Point Pleas-  
ant.
- County Road Engineer.....(None.)
- Surveyor..... Oley Little, Republican; Capehart.
- Assessor.....F. B. Lieving, Republican; Point Pleasant.
- Com'r School Lands.....B. H. Blagg, Republican; Point Pleasant.
- County Commissioners..... Riley F. Gibbs, Republican; Letart; term  
expires December 31, 1930.  
Robert S. Gibbs, Democrat; Point Pleasant;  
term expires December 31, 1932.  
John A. Mohr, Republican; Gallipolis Ferry;  
term expires December 31, 1934.
- President County Court..... Robert S. Gibbs, Democrat; Point Pleasant.

- Terms Commence.....First Monday in January, first Monday in April, first Monday in July and the first Monday in October.
- Commissioners of Accounts.. F. G. Musgrave, Republican; Point Pleasant.  
B. H. Blagg, Republican; Point Pleasant.  
George G. Somerville; Democrat; Point Pleasant.
- B'd Review & Equalization.. M. C. Lewis, Republican; Arbuckle District; Beech Hill; term expires in 1931.  
G. W. McDermitt, Republican; Cologne District; Millwood, R. D.; term expires in 1933.  
J. F. Burdette, Democrat; Lewis District; Point Pleasant; term expires in 1935.
- Board of Health..... The President of the County Court and Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio. Dr. H. A. Barbee, Point Pleasant, County Health Officer.
- B'd of Children's Guardians.. Miss Camille Harper, District Agent, County Court House; Huntington.
- U. S. B'd Ex. Surgeons..... Point Pleasant, Drs. B. F. Sommer, Edward McElfresh and J. M. Fadeley.

### LIST OF ATTORNEYS

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Johnson, J. G. F.	Spencer, J. S.
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### REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

John McCausland, Chairman,      Mrs. Ora Cartmill Gibbs, Secretary,  
Henderson.      Hartford.

John Ingles, Treasurer,  
Mason.

#### Members

Lewis District—John Brown, Claude Cheesebrew, Nan Heslop and Mrs. Blanche Bird, Point Pleasant.

Waggener District—John Ingles, Mason; Every Booth, West Columbia; Nannie Johnson, Maggie; Susie Carleton, Hartford.



Arbuckle District—John McCausland, Henderson; Henry Lewis, Beech Hill; Mahala Gearhart, and Helen Dabney, South Side.

Cooper District—Bert E. Sayre and Mrs. L. J. Boston, Letart; Guy E. Lewis and Mrs. Opal Greer McDermitt, Ambrosia.

Clendenin District—R. P. Pearson and Mrs. Lula McNeal, Gallipolis Ferry; A. F. Watterson, Mercers Bottom; Mrs. Julia Dabney, Arlee.

Cologne District—Vitus Hartley and Mrs. Estella Wedge, Cottageville, R. D.; T. J. Howell, Millwood; Mrs. D. O. Balch, Leon.

Graham District—Frank L. Capehart, Henry Johnson and Mrs. Eva Quillin Roush, New Haven; Mrs. Ora Cartmill Gibbs, Hartford.

Hannan District—Ernest Hesson, J. H. Cremeans and Florence Starkey, Glenwood; Mrs. Charles Sturgeon, Ashton.

Robinson District—John Musgrave and E. S. McDaniel, Point Pleasant.

Union District—Furl Rogers and Julian N. Slade, Elmwood; Elmer Hill, Capehart; Florence Greenlee, Arbuckle.

#### CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE

L. M. Hyatt and Ella F. Chambers, Point Pleasant.

#### SENATORIAL COMMITTEE

U. G. Arnett and Sue H. Crow, Point Pleasant.

#### JUDICIAL COMMITTEE

C. O. Weissenburger and Lena Garrison.

#### DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

##### Officers

Robert L. Vaught, Chairman,  
Point Pleasant.

Hazel Pullins, Secretary,  
Ambrosia.

##### Members

Lewis District—Robert L. Vaught, J. Wallace Burdette and Lena F. Foglesong, Point Pleasant; Mrs. J. V. Kapp, Heights.

Waggener District—T. D. Harris, Hartford; Charles Schwartz, Mason.

Arbuckle District—W. W. McComb, South Side; W. M. Dunn, Pliny, R. D.; Francis Sterrett, Henderson.

Cooper District—John S. Roush, Letart, R. D.; George T. Adkins, Letart; Bess Rayburn; Hazel Pullins, Ambrosia.

Clendenin District—P. A. Wood, Hogsett; C. E. Blain and Mrs. Maud Hughes, Mercers Bottom.

Cologne District—C. F. Thomas, Leon; Wilbur Durst, Leon, R. D.; Mrs. Rosa Click, Cottageville, R. D.

Graham District—H. N. Roush and Mrs. Allen Lane, New Haven; B. J. Lerner, Hartford.

Hannan District—Philip Holley, Glenwood; D. G. Blake, Ashton.

Robinson District—F. E. Windon, Point Pleasant, R. D.

Union District—Z. L. Harris, Leon, R. D.; Rhoda Forbes, Arbuckle.

## DISTRICT OFFICERS

## Arbuckle District

Justices of the Peace..... Shirley E. Waugh, Republican; South Side.  
 Constables..... George Legue, Republican; South Side.  
 Board of Education..... President—Gilbert Rogers, Republican;  
 Gallipolis Ferry.  
 Secretary—V. E. Hereford, Republican;  
 South Side.  
 W. L. Siders, Republican; Beech Hill.  
 A. P. Light, Republican; Beech Hill.

## Clendenin District

Justices of the Peace..... Lewis Bowcott, Republican; Pliny, R. 2.  
 Constables..... Charles E. Martin, Republican; Hogsett.  
 Board of Education..... President—Leo O. Blain, Democrat; Galli-  
 polis Ferry.  
 Secretary—Williard B. Caudill, Democrat;  
 Henderson, Rt.  
 J. E. Irvin, Democrat; Henderson.  
 Joe Nowlin, Republican; Pliny.

## Cologne District

Justices of the Peace..... James G. Riffle, Democrat; Leon.  
 Odus Cossin, Republican; Leon.  
 Constables..... (By special appointment.)  
 Board of Education..... President—Andrew Nichol, Republican;  
 Leon.  
 Secretary—William G. Boswell, Republican;  
 Leon.  
 Willard Greenlee, Republican; Leon.  
 D. O. Balch, Republican; Leon.

## Cooper District

Justices of the Peace..... C. S. Marr, Republican; Letart.  
 Constables..... W. F. Thomas, Republican; Letart.  
 Board of Education..... President—Hugh Daugherty, Democrat; Le-  
 tart.  
 Secretary—Dan P. Gist, Republican; Letart.  
 Robert Stephenson, Republican; Ambrosia.  
 Mrs. Rhesa Greer, Republican; Ambrosia.

## Graham District

Justices of the Peace..... J. M. Hensley, Republican; Hartford.  
 Constables..... W. B. Metcalf, Republican; Hartford.  
 Board of Education..... President—P. L. Roush, Democrat; Graham  
 Station.  
 Secretary—L. M. Allen, Graham Station.  
 R. T. Blessing, Republican; Letart, R. 2.  
 Frank Zerkle, Republican; New Haven.

**Hannan District**

- Justices of the Peace..... Oscar Wallis, Republican; Glenwood, R. 1.  
F. M. Meadows, Republican; Ashton, R. 1.
- Constables..... George Weekly, Republican; Glenwood, R. 1.
- Board of Education..... President—A. H. Jordan, Republican, Ashton.  
Secretary—Linus Jordan, Republican; Ashton.  
G. A. Holley, Republican; Glenwood.  
John Wheaton, Republican; Fraziers Bottom.

**Lewis District**

- Justices of the Peace..... P. H. Bradshaw, Republican; Point Pleasant.  
J. H. Somerville, Democrat; Point Pleasant.
- Constables..... Toral Morrison, Republican; Point Pleasant.  
Sam Taylor, Republican; Point Pleasant.
- Board of Education..... President—Mrs. Sue Crow, Republican;  
Heights.  
Secretary—C. E. Blessing, Republican;  
Heights.  
John Childs, Republican; Point Pleasant.

**Robinson District**

- Justices of the Peace..... (Vacant.)
- Constables..... (Vacant.)
- Board of Education..... President—Harry Machir, Democrat; Point  
Pleasant, R. 1.  
Secretary—E. C. Roush, Democrat; Point  
Pleasant.  
Charles Stewart, Democrat; Point Pleasant.  
Rupert Rice, Republican; Point Pleasant,  
R. F. D.

**Union District**

- Justices of the Peace..... J. E. Stone, Republican; Elmwood.  
Charles W. Schultz, Republican; Rock Castle,  
R. D.
- Constables..... W. F. Stover, Democrat; Point Pleasant.  
Harvey Barr, Republican; Arbuckle.
- Board of Education..... President—Millard Stewart, Republican;  
Leon.  
Secretary—J. A. Smith, Republican; Cape-  
hart.  
Oscar Clark, Republican; Elmwood.  
Tom Pullins, Republican; Cottageville.

**Waggener District**

- Justices of the Peace..... Ed Walsh, Republican; Mason.  
C. L. Ingles, Republican; Mason.
- Constable..... John Ingles, Republican; Mason.

Board of Education..... President—Henry Edwards, Republican; Maggie.  
 Secretary—L. C. Roush, Republican; Maggie.  
 Lucy J. Woodrum, Republican; Clifton.  
 George Frances, Republican; West Columbia.

#### Mason Independent School District

Board of Education..... President—Chris Bletner, Republican; Mason.  
 Secretary—J. W. Natross, Republican; Mason.  
 Art Wolf, Republican; Mason.  
 Lem Ruttencutter, Democrat; Mason.

#### Point Pleasant Independent School District

Board of Education..... President—Howard S. Johnson, Republican; Point Pleasant.  
 Secretary—Cornelia Sterrett; Democrat; Point Pleasant.  
 R. J. Heslop, Republican; Point Pleasant.  
 C. H. Quillin, Republican; Point Pleasant.

#### Hartford Independent School District

Board of Education..... President—D. W. McKnight, Republican; Hartford.  
 Secretary—T. H. Knight, Republican; Hartford.  
 R. T. Embleton; Republican; Hartford.  
 Ellis Roush, Republican; Hartford.  
 B. J. Lerner, Democrat; Hartford.  
 Norman O. Wein, Democrat; Hartford.

## MERCER COUNTY

Mercer county, one of the southern counties of the state, was formed in 1837. Its land area of 419 miles is divided into five magisterial districts, Beaver Pond, East River, Plymouth, Rock and Jumping Branch. The county was named in honor of General Hugh Mercer, of Revolutionary War fame.

In 1920 the population of the county was 49,558. This had increased by 10,765 to 61,323 in 1930. The taxable property in the county in 1929 was: Real estate, \$30,595,210; personal property, \$10,861,517; public utility property, \$20,663,213; a total of \$62,119,940.

Princeton, the county seat, was established shortly after the county was created. It has an elevation of 2,450 feet above sea level. Its population increased from 6,224 in 1920 to 6,955 in 1930.

Bluefield, the location of the shops of the Norfolk and Western Railroad,

is the largest city in the county. A small village in 1892, its population in 1920 was 15,282 and this increased to 19,339 in 1930.

The Bluefield Colored Institute, a state school for colored youth, as its names indicates, was established in 1895 at Bluefield. It is under the direction of President R. P. Sims.

Concord State Normal School, established in 1872, is located at Athens and is under the management of Dr. J. Frank Marsh, President.

Other municipalities in the county, with populations shown by the 1930 census are: Athens, 628; Bramwell, 1,574; Matoaka, 929 and Oakvale, 261.

### COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

Judge Circuit Court.....	Howell M. Tanner, Republican; Bluefield.
Terms Commence.....	Second Monday in March, second Monday in May, second Monday in August and fourth Monday in December.
Official Court Reporter.....	L. D. Wilmore, Republican; Bluefield.
Judge Criminal Court.....	George L. Dillard, Democrat; Bluefield.
Terms Commence.....	First Monday in January, first Monday in April, first Monday in July and first Monday in October.
Official Court Reporter.....	(Same as Circuit Court.)
Sheriff.....	J. Otis Bowling, Republican; Princeton; ex-officio Sealer of Weights & Measures.
Prosecuting Attorney.....	Walter G. Burton, Republican; Bluefield.
Ass't Prosecuting Attorney.....	A. T. Smith, Republican; Princeton.
Clerk Circuit Court.....	Landon T. Reynolds, Democrat; Princeton.
Gen'l Receiver Circuit Court.....	Landon T. Reynolds, Democrat; Princeton.
Chancery Commissioners .....	E. W. Hale, Republican; Princeton. Thos. H. Scott, Republican; Bluefield. J. S. Kahle, Republican; Bluefield. Alex M. Mahood, Republican; Princeton. A. M. Sutton, Republican; Princeton.
Divorce Commissioner.....	W. W. Rogers, Republican; Princeton.
Clerk County Court.....	Lowery G. Bowling, Democrat; Princeton.
Supt. Free Schools.....	Charley Justice, Republican; Princeton.
County Road Engineer.....	G. T. Johnston, Democrat; Princeton.
Surveyor.....	Ralph Shrewsbury, Republican; Princeton.
Assessor.....	R. C. McClaugherty, Democrat; Bluefield.
Com'r of School Lands.....	E. O. Hale, Republican; Princeton.
County Commissioners.....	Wade H. Bailey, Democrat; Princeton; term expires December 31, 1930. E. M. Thorn, Democrat; Princeton; term expires November, 1930. W. J. Peters, Republican; Bluefield; term expires December 31, 1934.
President County Court.....	Wade H. Bailey, Democrat; Princeton.

Terms Commence.....	Second Monday in March, second Monday in June, second Monday in September and second Monday in December.
Commissioners of Accounts	A. M. Sutton, Republican; Princeton. W. S. Dangerfield, Republican; Princeton. C. B. Martin, Republican; Princeton and Bluefield. Henley F. Day, Democrat; Bluefield.
B'd Review & Equalization	L. E. White, Republican; East River District; Princeton; term expires in 1931. B. W. Dillon, Democrat; Beaver Pond District; Bluefield; term expires in 1933. C. E. Wheeler, Republican; Rock District; Matoaka; term expires in 1935.
Board of Health	The President of the County Court and Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio. Dr. S. R. Holroyd, Athens, County Health Officer.
U. S. B'd Ex. Surgeons	Bluefield, Drs. H. G. Steele, J. B. Kirk and W. C. Slusher.
B'd Children's Guardians	Miss Edna Dodson, District Agent; Charleston.

### LIST OF ATTORNEYS

(Post office address, Princeton.)

Dangerfield, W. S.	McNutt, C. R.
DeJarnette, H. E.	McNutt, W. B.
Downey, Irving A.	Ellett, H. C.
Fletcher, W. C.	Pendleton, John R.
Gadd, J. H.	Pendleton, Roscoe H.
Hale, E. W.	Reynolds and Reynolds
Mahood, Alex M.	Reynolds, A. W., Sr.
(Member Public Service Commission.)	Reynolds, A. W., Jr.
Mahood, Charles D.	Rogers, W. W.
Martin and Martin,	Sanders, Hartley
(also at Bluefield)	Smith, Ajax T.
Martin, C. B.	Straley, H. W.
Martin, James Harold	Sutton, A. M.
Malcolm, W. H.	Shrewsburg, J. B.
McGrath, John M.	Thornton, Clark
McNutt, Ellett and McNutt	Woods, H. G.

(Post office address Bluefield, unless otherwise given.)

Ashworth, S. R., Montcalm	Dillard, John R.
Baker, Robert	Dillard, Geo. L.
Burton, W. G. (also Matoaka)	(Judge Criminal Court.)
Day, Henley F.	

French, Easley and Easley	Phillips, T. C.
French, D. E.	Porterfield, Harold F.
Easley, D. M.	Richardson and Kemper
Easley, J. W.	Richardson, Geo., Jr.
Gardner, J. P. D.	Kemper, Albert S., Jr.
Gollehon, J. H.	Ritz, Russell S.
Kahle, James S.	Redmond, James S.
Kee and Lubliner	Ross, Walter V.
Kee, John	Sanders, Crockett, Fox and
Lubliner, A. J.	Sanders
Kingdon, A. F.	Sanders, Jos. M., Jr.
Lee, H. B.	Crockett, George P.
(Attorney General)	Fox, A. G.
McClagherty and Lewis	Scott, Luther G.
McClagherty, Bernard	Scott, Thomas H.
Lewis, J. M. B., Jr.	Sutherland, L. B.
Moore, Robert E.	Tanner, Howell M.
Parsons, R. L., Bramwell	(Judge Circuit Court)
Peters, Frank M.	Wagner, Bernard J.

## REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

Fred M. Hawley, Chairman, Bluefield.	Mrs. Thomas H. Scott, Asso. Chm., Bluefield.
Jim H. Shott, Secretary, Bluefield.	Corum Cunningham, Treas., Bluefield.

### Members

#### City of Bluefield

First Ward—R. C. Lilly and Mrs. Myrtle F. Brown.

Second Ward—Max Matz and Mrs. E. Scott Hale.

Third Ward—T. P. Howard and Mrs. F. L. Black.

Fourth Ward—Fred M. Hawley and Mrs. L. D. Wilmore.

Fifth Ward—J. C. Akers and Mrs. E. F. Porterfield.

Sixth Ward—F. B. Merriman and Mrs. E. M. Leedy.

Seventh Ward—Q. A. Goff and Mrs. C. A. Shupe.

Eighth Ward—Martin J. Garry and Mrs. Cleon B. Ritz.

Beaver Pond District—J. Elmer Williams, C. O. Stahlman, Mrs. J. B. Belcher and Mrs. E. Bond, Bluefield.

East River District—John Reynolds, E. W. Hale, Mrs. J. R. Rich and Mrs. Sallie Karnes, Princeton.

Plymouth District—Tom Pritchard, Gardner; Mrs. C. E. Daugherty, Perry Martin and Mrs. Bettie Lively Holroyd, Athens.

Jumping Branch District—Eddie Lilly and Mrs. Lessie Martin, Dunns; Mrs. Alice Lilly, Flat Top; H. H. Ellison, Camp Creek.

Rock District—Harry Bowen, Freeman; Mrs. E. S. Baker, Bramwell; Mrs. W. R. Sheets, McComas; Preston L. Vest, Hiawatha.

## CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE

E. S. Baker, Bramwell; Mrs. Alva Ritz Kingdon, Bluefield.

## SENATORIAL COMMITTEE

John W. Brown, Princeton.

## DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

## Officers

Walter V. Ross, Chairman,  
Bluefield.

Mrs. Nettie Vass Steele, V. Chair.,  
Bluefield.

Mrs. Annie D. Woolwine, Secretary,  
Bluefield.

Robert Vermillion, Treasurer,  
Princeton.

## Members

## City of Bluefield

First Ward—C. C. George, Juniper St.; Mrs. E. S. Humphreys, Bluefield Avenue.

Second Ward—W. H. Warman, Appalachian Garage; Mrs. G. F. Richardson, Roger Street.

Third Ward—J. R. Murphy, Raleigh Terrace; Mrs. M. G. Witten, New Altamont Hotel.

Fourth Ward—R. E. Shirey, College Avenue; Mrs. Will C. Easley, College Avenue.

Fifth Ward—T. E. Henderson, Wayne Street; Mrs. C. B. Martin, Princeton Avenue.

Sixth Ward—W. J. Hayton, Orange Street; Mrs. Mary A. Clark, 218 Fairfax Street.

Seventh Ward—W. Webb Jennings, Bramwell Road; Mrs. W. M. Snead, Bramwell Road.

Eighth Ward—R. W. Lacy, Union Street; Mrs. W. A. Pankey, Union Street.

Beaver Pond District—M. L. Carter, Nemours; C. W. Faulkner and Mrs. Lucy Calfee, Bluefield, R. F. D.

East River District—O. H. Ballard, V. B. McClaugherty, Mrs. J. G. Barbour and Mrs. Louise Sheppard, Princeton.

Plymouth District—Thos. A. Berbery, Uriah Vermillion, Mrs. Nora Archer and Mrs. L. C. Thornton, Athens.

Rock District—B. S. Clements and Mrs. Zuma Haller, Matoaka; F. D. Wagner, Montcalm.

Jumping Branch District—K. C. Brammer, Barn; A. L. Bowling, Flat Top; Miss Maude Baskett, Flat Top; Mrs. Levi Rose, Camp Creek.

## DISTRICT OFFICERS

## Beaver Pond District

Justices of the Peace . . . . . H. B. Kitts, Democrat; Bluefield.

W. W. McNeal, Democrat; Bluefield.



- Constables ..... J. Earl Bailey, Democrat; Bluefield.  
John H. Lloyd, Democrat; Bluefield.
- Board of Education ..... President—D. M. Easley, Democrat; Bluefield.  
Secretary—Edwin C. Wade, Democrat; Bluefield.  
A. J. Cole, Democrat; Bluefield.  
R. L. Shelton, Democrat; Bluefield.

#### East River District

- Justices of the Peace ..... I. C. Damewood, Republican; Princeton.  
T. C. Hubbard, Republican; Princeton.
- Constables ..... L. J. Chambers, Republican; Princeton.  
D. E. Price, Republican; Princeton.
- Board of Education ..... President—Robt. W. Brown, Republican; Princeton.  
Secretary—P. I. Lilly, Democrat; Princeton.  
O. B. Campbell, Democrat; Princeton.  
Chas. W. Peck, Republican; Princeton.

#### Jumping Branch District

- Justices of the Peace ..... E. W. Moye, Democrat; Camp Creek.  
James A. Lilly, Republican; Camp Creek.
- Constables ..... Henry Richmond, Republican, Camp Creek.  
R. U. Lilly, Republican; Flat Top.
- Board of Education ..... President—N. J. Meador, Republican; Dunns.  
Secretary—L. L. Okes, Republican; Dunns.  
Clarence Ellison, Republican; Camp Creek.  
J. A. Meadows, Republican; Dunns.

#### Plymouth District

- Justices of the Peace ..... N. L. White, Republican; Athens.  
C. W. Holdren, Republican; Athens.
- Constables ..... B. G. Thompson, Republican; Athens.  
Erastus Wiley, Democrat; Athens.
- Board of Education ..... President—John Bird, Democrat; Athens.  
Secretary—W. H. Caldwell, Democrat; Athens.  
Dr. Donzie Lilly, Republican; Athens.  
J. H. Phillips, Democrat; Lerona.

#### Rock District

- Justices of the Peace ..... J. O. Mangus, Republican; Matoaka.  
John E. Bailey, Republican; Matoaka.
- Constables ..... Alex Cecil, Republican; Giatto.  
Arthur McKinney, Republican; Matoaka.

**Board of Education**.....President—Dr. M. B. Caldwell, Republican; Matoaka.  
 Secretary—O. R. Zoll, Republican; Matoaka.  
 Newton Roberts, Republican; Bramwell.  
 W. R. Sheets, Republican; McComas.

## MINERAL COUNTY

Mineral county, the second county in the state formed after the separation from Virginia, was erected in 1866 and takes its name from its mineral resources. It is also an agricultural and fruit growing county.

It has an area of 349 square miles, from which the six magisterial districts of Elk, Piedmont, New Creek, Welton, Frankfort and Cabin Run have been formed, Keyser maintaining an independent school district.

In 1929, the county's population was 18,849, which slightly increased to 20,084 in 1930. The taxable property in the county in 1929 was assessed as follows: Real estate, \$10,670,990; personal property, \$3,445,550; public utility property, \$7,663,611; a total of \$21,780,151.

Keyser, the county seat, is situated on the North Branch of the Potomac river, at an elevation above sea level of 801 feet. Its population was 6,003 in 1920 and 6,248 in 1930.

Potomac State School, under the management of President Joseph W. Stayman, is located at Keyser. Originally established as a preparatory branch of the state university, it is now a junior college.

Piedmont, incorporated in 1856, had a population of 2,835 in 1920 and of 2,241 in 1930.

Other municipalities of the county are: Ridgeley, having a population in 1920 of 1,709, which increased to 1,972 in 1930, and Elk Garden, with a population of 299 in 1930.

According to the well known Lincoln historian, Dr. W. E. Barton, of Foxboro, Massachusetts, and a legislative commission appointed in 1929, Nancy Hanks, mother of Abraham Lincoln, was born on Mike's Run, in this county, near Keyser.

## COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

**Judge Circuit Court**.....A. Jay Valentine, Republican; Parsons.  
**Terms Commence**.....Third Tuesday in January, third Tuesday in April, fourth Tuesday in July and the third Tuesday in October.  
**Official Court Reporter**.....S. A. Scott, Republican; Parsons.  
**Sheriff**.....Jas. G. Wright, Democrat; Keyser.  
**Prosecuting Attorney**.....Vernon E. Rankin, Republican; Keyser.  
**Clerk Circuit Court**.....P. W. Dayton, Republican; Keyser.  
**Chancery Commissioners**....H. G. Shores, Democrat; Keyser.  
   G. H. Reynolds, Republican; Keyser.  
   R. A. Welch, Democrat; Keyser.  
**Clerk County Court**.....T. T. Huffman, Republican; Keyser.



(Post office address Piedmont)

Allen, H. M.	Drane, Robert M.
Arnold, Arthur	Drane, H. K.
(U. S. Dist. Atty.)	

### REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

E. B. Reynolds, Chairman, Keyser.	Mrs. Beulah Wells, Secy.-Treas., Keyser.
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#### Members

Elk District—James A. Boyd, Potomac Manor; A. C. Dixon, Sulphur; Mrs. Matilda Bennear and Mrs. Rossie Harris, Elk Garden.

Piedmont District—Hezekiah F. Pinnell, Eugene W. Paxton, Pearl M. Boor and Theresa W. Rizer, Piedmont.

New Creek District—C. D. Brown, R. A. Stoutmeyer, Mrs. Beulah Wells and Mrs. Ida C. Parsons, Keyser.

Welton District—L. J. Mott, Antioch; R. H. Cannon and Miss Abbie Funderburg, Burlington; Mrs. Minnie V. Taylor, Ridgeville.

Frankfort District—J. W. Monnett and Jessie D. Boyer, Ridgeley; Charles Deremer, Alaska; Mrs. Fred Borrer, Ridgeley, R. 1.

Cabin Run District—E. R. Taylor and Bertha R. Urice, Keyser, R. 1; E. B. Staggs, Burlington; Bessie W. Fertig, Reeses Mill.

### SENATORIAL COMMITTEE

James J. Johnson, Piedmont; Sue M. Johnson, Keyser.

### DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

Harry G. Fisher, Chairman, Keyser.	Robert A. Davis, Secy.-Treas., Keyser.
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#### Members

Elk District—M. E. Hickey and Mrs. Ann Kilroy, Elk Garden; Roy Shanholtz, Nethken.

Piedmont District—Thomas W. Gocke, James P. Laffey, Jr., Mrs. Anne W. Graney and Miss May Rose, Piedmont.

New Creek District—C. A. Miller, Winifred Shaffer, Mrs. J. Z. Garlitz and Mrs. James E. Holtzman, Keyser.

Welton District—G. B. Shank and Miss Marguerite George, Burlington; Earl H. Martin, Antioch.

Frankfort District—J. R. Kuykendall and Mrs. Elizabeth Weakland, Alaska; Jesse H. Simmons and Mrs. Lulu Bean, Ridgeley.

Cabin Run District—Fred J. Urice, Keyser, R. 1; I. J. Spencer, Miss Maud B. Kuykendall and Miss Catherine Smith, Reeses Mill.

## CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE

Carl E. Ayers and Mrs. J. Z. Garlitz, Keyser.

## DISTRICT OFFICERS

## Cabin Run District

Justice of the Peace..... C. W. Sites, Republican; Reeses Mill.  
 Constable ..... (By special appointment.)  
 Board of Education..... President—M. M. Biser, Republican; Burlington.  
 Secretary—Frank Carskadon, Republican; Burlington, R. F. D.  
 Wm. Reeves, Republican; Keyser.  
 A. B. Hyre, Republican; Keyser, R. F. D.

## Elk District

Justices of the Peace..... H. R. Dixon, Republican; Elk Garden.  
 C. W. Ervin, Republican; Elk Garden  
 Constable ..... J. V. Clark, Republican; Elk Garden.  
 Board of Education..... President—Jacob Stullenberger, Republican; Elk Garden.  
 Secretary—D. C. Arnold, Republican; Elk Garden.  
 Geo. Burdock, Republican; Elk Garden.  
 I. N. Lyon, Republican; Shaw, R. F. D.

## Frankfort District

Justices of the Peace..... G. E. Hiser, Republican; Ridgeley.  
 A. F. Ridenour, Republican; Ridgeley.  
 Constables..... J. C. Arrington, Republican; Ridgeley.  
 C. V. Barncord, Republican; Ridgeley.  
 Board of Education..... President—H. J. Dohrman, Democrat; Pat-tersons Creek.  
 Secretary—R. M. Johnson, Democrat; Alaska.  
 W. N. Gower, Republican; Ridgeley.  
 L. P. Walker, Jr., Republican; Ridgeley.

## New Creek District

Justices of the Peace..... George C. Ludwig, Republican; Keyser.  
 J. E. Aronhalt, Republican; Keyser.  
 Constables..... F. G. Davis, Democrat; Keyser.  
 D. P. Taylor, Republican; Keyser.  
 Board of Education..... President—W. W. Doll, Republican; Antioch.  
 Secretary—J. C. Kephart, Democrat; Keyser.  
 C. C. Junkins, Republican; New Creek.  
 J. R. Baker, Republican; Keyser.

### Piedmont District

Justices of the Peace.....	C. T. Neff, Democrat; Piedmont. George T. Goshorn, Republican; Piedmont.
Constables.....	S. K. Fike, Republican; Piedmont. C. E. Dornar, Republican; Piedmont.
Board of Education.....	President—C. T. Neff, Sr., Democrat; Piedmont. Secretary—C. A. Wilcox, Republican; Piedmont. Z. T. Kalbaugh, Republican; Piedmont. M. L. Watson, Republican; Beryl.

### Welton District

Justices of the Peace.....	(Vacant.)
Constable.....	Morris Dantzic, Republican; Burlington.
Board of Education.....	President—Paul Sloan, Republican; Burlington. Secretary—L. J. Mott, Republican; Antioch. E. A. Leatherman, Republican; Rada. A. H. Metcalfe, Republican; Ridgeville.

### Keyser Independent School District

Board of Education.....	President—D. H. Frye, Democrat; Keyser. Secretary—L. B. McCoole, Republican; Keyser. W. V. Stewart, Democrat; Keyser. C. L. Everhart, Republican; Keyser.
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## MINGO COUNTY

Mingo county, the youngest county in the state, was formed in 1895. This is one of the largest coal producing counties, agriculture being secondary. It has an area of 416 square miles, which has been divided into the six magisterial districts of Hardee, Harvey, Lee, Magnolia, Stafford and Warfield. There are three independent school districts, Williamson, Kermit and Mingo. The county was named for the Indian tribe of which Logan was chief.

The population increase has been rapid. The 1920 population of 26,364 was an increase of 35.7 per cent over that of 1910, and the 1930 population of 38,319 represents a further increase of more than 30 per cent since 1920.

In 1929, the total assessment of all taxable property in the county was \$37,673,835; of this \$14,509,905 was real estate, \$5,148,215 personal property and \$18,015,715 public utility property.

Williamson, the county seat, is located on the Tug river at an elevation above sea level of 660 feet. Its population increased from 600 in 1900 to 3,800 in 1910; to 6,819 in 1920, and to 9,410 in 1930. Williamson not only has large yards of the Norfolk and Western Railroad, but is the shipping center of an extensive coal field.

Two other incorporated places in the county are Kermit, with a 1920 population of 636 and of 749 in 1930 and Matewan, whose population of 851 in 1920 had grown to 932 in 1930.

COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

- Judge Circuit Court.....B. F. Howard, Republican; Welch.
- Terms Commence.....First Monday in January, first Monday in May, first Monday in October.
- Official Court Reporter.....Harry Farmer, Republican; Welch.
- Sheriff.....G. W. Hatfield, Republican; Williamson; ex-officio Sealer of Weights & Measures.
- Prosecuting Attorney.....J. W. Copley, Republican; Williamson.
- Asst. Prosecuting Attorney.....Joseph Wilkinson, Republican; Williamson.
- Clerk Circuit Court.....J. P. Hatfield, Democrat; Williamson.
- Chancery Commissioners... J. E. Wilkinson, Democrat; Williamson.  
W. S. Whitt, Republican; Williamson.  
E. A. Hansbarger, Democrat; Williamson.
- Divorce Commissioner.....James Jordan, Republican; Williamson.
- Clerk County Court.....K. B. Stepp, Republican; Williamson.
- Supt. Free Schools.....Sallie M. VanCamp, Democrat; Delbarton.
- County Road Engineer.....M. P. Keadle, Republican; Williamson.
- Surveyor.....J. J. Jerrell, Republican; Williamson.
- Assessor.....Richard Ferrell, Republican; Williamson.
- Com'r of School Lands.....McKinley Trent, Republican; Williamson.
- County Commissioners.....D. M. McKenzie, Democrat; Matewan; term expires December 31, 1930.  
C. H. Ellis, Republican; Williamson; term expires December 31, 1934.  
Guy White, Republican; Williamson; term expires November, 1930.
- President County Court.... C. H. Ellis, Republican; Williamson.
- Terms Commence.....First Tuesday in January, April, July and October.
- Commissioners of Accounts.....Joe B. Straton, Democrat; Williamson.  
J. E. Wilkinson, Democrat; Williamson.  
S. C. Whitt, Republican; Williamson.
- B'd Review & Equalization.....Jacob Runyon, Democrat; Hardee District; Myrtle; term expires in 1931.  
John M. Farley, Republican; Kermit District; Naugatuck; term expires in 1933.  
R. C. Prichard, Republican; Williamson District; Williamson; term expires in 1935.
- Board of Health.....The President of the County Court and Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio. J. C. Lawson, Williamson, County Health Officer.

B'd Children's Guardians . . . Miss Edna Dodson, District Agent, Charleston.

### LIST OF ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Williamson)

Bias, B. Randolph	Jordan, J. M.
Bronson, W. H.	Lawson, J. Brooks
Chafin, Lafe	Nehlms, Chlide
Copley, J. W.	Preece and Murphy
(Prosecuting Attorney)	Preece, W. H. D.
Copley, Leonard	Murphy, John R.
Damron, B. L.	Rhodes, S. U. G.
Ferrell, James A.	Stokes, S. D.
Fleshman, Raymond	Straton, Joseph B.
Greene, J. H.	Trent, McKinley
Goodykoontz and Slaven	Whitt, C. M.
Goodykoontz, Wells	Whitt, S. C.
Slaven, Lant R.	Whitt, W. E.
Hansberger, E. A.	Whitt, W. S.
Hogg, Wm. B.	

### REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

G. W. Hatfield, Chairman, Williamson.	J. Walter Copley, Asso. Chair, Williamson.
O. H. Booton, Secretary, Williamson.	James R. Davis, Treasurer, Nolan.

#### Members

Harvey District—Andy Dingess, Dingess; Henry Kirk and Evaline Kirk, Lowney; Eliza Dingess, Dingess.

Hardee District—Albert Deskins, Mary Parsley and Catharine Davis, Nolan; J. W. Thompson, Naugatuck.

Lee District—Gaines A. Garrett, Puritan Mines; Noah Stepp and Elsie Ferrell, Chattaroy; Matilda Mayhon, Delbarton.

Kermit District—R. E. Carter, Harry L. Baker, Mrs. M. Collier and Mrs. Ella Kirk, Kermit.

Magnolia District—J. G. Windle and Mrs. Chloe B. Wynn, Thacker; W. M. Copley, Red Jacket; Mrs. S. T. Lambert, Matewan.

Stafford District—T. E. Brown and Uley Perry, Cline; Dicey Browning and Mattie Ellis, Gilbert.

Williamson District—Ireland James, A. R. Stepp, Kelba Deerfield and Pearl Blankenship, Williamson.

### CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE

Mrs. M. S. Dickenson, Williamson; J. M. Tulley, Sprigg.



DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Officers

H. T. Williamson, Chairman, Williamson.	Mrs. Mark Russell, Asso. Chair., Williamson.
G. W. Crawford, Vice Chair., Williamson.	Jos. P. Hatfield, Secretary, Williamson.
Dr. E. P. Stepp, Treasurer, Kermit.	

Members

Independent District—W. E. Haven, W. M. Taylor, Mrs. Elizabeth Hatfield and Mrs. H. T. Williamson, Williamson.

Lee District—Henry Chafin, Sr., Ragland; Loren Blair and Mrs. Bernice Ryan, Nolan; Miss Mae Floyd, Delbarton.

Magnolia District—E. A. Justice, Varney; Elmer Cubine, Geraldine Blankenship and Jake Akers, Matewan.

Stafford District—Ray Fox, Gilbert; C. E. Suiter, Glen Alum; Mary J. Cline, Baisden.

Kermit District—S. A. Hawkins, L. A. Bowes, Jr., Amanda Meade, and Esther Tolbert, Kermit.

Hardee District—E. L. Caldwell and Myrtle M. Reed, Naugatuck; W. B. Coten, Myrtle.

Harvey District—Mose Workman, Trace; Emma Farra and Alice Burchett, Kirk.

DISTRICT OFFICERS

Hardee District

Justices of the Peace..... A. G. Clark, Democrat; Lenore.  
W. T. Meade, Democrat; Naugatuck.

Constables..... W. J. Baisden, Democrat; Belo.  
Doc Gillman, Democrat; Blocton.

Board of Education..... President—J. B. Baisden, Democrat; Lenore.  
Secretary—James R. Baisden, Democrat; Lenore.  
W. B. Estep, Republican; Lenore.  
Sam Starr, Democrat; Lenore.

Harvey District

Justices of the Peace..... W. L. Dent, Democrat; Dingess.  
W. R. Kirk, Republican; Lowney.

Constables..... John Sturgill, Democrat; Dingess.  
John Dingess, Democrat; Dingess.

Board of Education..... President—Calvin Brewer, Republican; Wilsondale.  
Secretary—W. H. Parsley, Republican; Parsley.

Wade Marcum, Republican; Lowney.  
Hugh Wellman, Democrat; Dingess.

#### Kermit Independent School District

Board of Education . . . . . President—M. Collier, Republican; Selwyn.  
Secretary—John L. Evans, Democrat; Kermit.  
R. M. Akers, Republican; Kermit.  
E. E. Stepp, Democrat; Kermit.

#### Lee District

Justices of the Peace . . . . . Roy Keadle, Republican; Delbarton.  
F. K. Filler, Republican; Delbarton.  
Constables . . . . . Noah Philipps, Republican; Sprigg.  
J. O. Young, Republican; Chattaroy.  
Board of Education . . . . . President—J. A. Maynard, Republican; Delbarton.  
Secretary—M. C. Maynard, Republican; Chattaroy.  
Noah Stepp, Republican; Chattaroy.  
Troy Harvey, Republican; Delbarton.

#### Magnolia District

Justices of the Peace . . . . . A. B. Hatfield, Republican; Red Jacket.  
A. L. Hoskins, Republican; Thacker.  
Constables . . . . . A. K. Hatfield, Republican; Meador.  
Fred Litteral, Republican; Thacker.  
Board of Education . . . . . President—Thurman Chambers, Democrat; Matewan.  
Secretary—N. L. Chancey, Republican; Matewan.  
Dr. J. H. Chafin, Republican; Matewan.  
W. M. Copley, Republican; Red Jacket.

#### Mingo Independent School District

Board of Education . . . . . President—Dr. R. M. Akers, Republican; Kermit.  
Secretary—H. S. Evans, Democrat; Kermit.  
Dr. E. P. Stepp, Democrat; Kermit.  
M. Collier, Republican; Kermit.

#### Warfield District

Justices of the Peace . . . . . I. Lee Baach, Democrat; Kermit.  
C. C. Preece, Republican; Kermit.  
Constables . . . . . Ira Maynard, Republican; Kermit.  
Geo. F. Damron, Republican; Kermit.

#### Stafford District

Justice of the Peace . . . . . Dewey Lester, Democrat; Gilbert.  
Burgoyne Cline, Democrat; Baisden.

Constables .....	Sampy Cline, Democrat; Baisden. Eli Ferrell, Democrat; Glen Alum.
Board of Education.....	President—James B. Justice, Democrat; Justice. Secretary—Wirt Hatfield, Democrat; Gilbert. J. W. Yost, Democrat; Glen Alum. Burgess Lester, Democrat; Baisden.

#### Williamson Independent School District

Justices of the Peace.....	N. J. Keadle, Republican; Williamson. C. P. Reynolds, Republican; Williamson.
Constables .....	P. B. Maynard, Democrat; Williamson. W. F. Toney, Democrat; Williamson.
Board of Education .....	President—M. T. Persinger, Republican; Williamson. Secretary—F. R. Hanifan, Democrat; Williamson. John Strosnider, Republican; Williamson. E. F. Randolph, Democrat; Williamson.

### MONONGALIA COUNTY

Monongalia county, a northern county, with the Mason and Dixon line separating it from Pennsylvania, may well be called the mother county of northern West Virginia. From it some twenty-one counties, three of them now in Pennsylvania, were taken, in whole or in part, leaving the county with a present area of 358 square miles.

The county was named for the Monongahela river, which flows through it, the different spelling of the county and river having occurred through error. It has seven magisterial districts, Battelle, Morgan, Clay, Cass, Grant, Clinton and Union, with Morgantown having an independent school district. It is an agricultural and coal producing county.

In 1920 the county's population was 33,618 and this increased by 16,465 to 50,083 in 1930. The total assessed valuation of the property in the county in 1929 was \$93,755,230, which represented the following values: Real estate, \$60,978,390; personal property, \$15,742,100; public utility property, \$17,034,740.

Morgantown, the county seat situated on the Monongahela river, at an elevation of 822 feet above sea level, was established in 1775. Its 1920 population of 12,127 increased to 16,186 in 1930.

The most important and largest educational institution in the state, West Virginia University, is located at Morgantown. It is now under the control of its President, Dr. John R. Turner.

Other municipalities in the county, with their 1930 populations, are: Blacksville, 269; Riverside, 940; Sabraton, 1,717; Star City, 1,121; and Westover, 1,633.

### COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

- Judge Circuit Court**..... Charles G. Baker, Republican; Morgantown.  
**Terms Commence**..... First Thursday after the first Monday in January, April, July and October.
- Official Court Reporter**..... Mrs. Vesta Furlong Lucas, Republican; Morgantown.
- Sheriff**..... H. C. Johnson, Republican; Morgantown.  
**Prosecuting Attorney**..... Albert Shuman, Republican; Morgantown.  
**Clerk Circuit Court**..... Clarence Roby, Republican; Morgantown.  
**Gen'l Receiver Circuit Court**..... Alva H. McBee, Republican; Morgantown.  
**Chancery Commissioners**..... T. Nelson Stewart, Republican; Morgantown.  
 John Shriver, Republican; Morgantown.  
 M. M. Darst, Republican; Morgantown.  
 David C. Reay, Democrat; Morgantown.
- Divorce Commissioner**..... Frank M. Brand, Republican; Morgantown.  
**Clerk County Court**..... John M. Gregg, Republican; Morgantown.  
**Supt. Free Schools**..... Lynn Hastings, Republican; Morgantown.  
**County Road Engineer**..... William S. Price, Republican; Morgantown.  
**Surveyor**..... A. L. Headley, Republican; Fairview, R. 2.  
**Assessor**..... James E. Henry, Republican; Morgantown.  
**Com'r of School Lands**..... Donald Adams, Republican; Lake Lynn, Pa., R. D. No. 10.
- County Commissioners**..... W. W. Keener, Democrat; Morgantown.  
 term expires December 31, 1930.  
 C. Ray Henry, Republican; Morgantown;  
 term expires December 31, 1932.  
 Jas. G. Shaffer, Republican; Morgantown;  
 term expires December 31, 1934.
- President County Court**..... W. W. Keener, Democrat; Morgantown.  
**Terms Commence**..... First Monday in January, first Monday in March, first Monday in June and first Monday in September.
- Commissioners of Accounts**..... George C. Baker, Republican; Morgantown.  
 S. F. Glasscock, Republican; Morgantown.  
 T. Ray Dille, Republican; Morgantown.  
 E. B. Stewart, Republican; Morgantown.
- B'd Review & Equalization**... John C. Price, Republican; Morgan District; Morgantown; term expires in 1931.  
 R. W. Sine, Republican; Clay District; Blacksville; term expires in 1933.  
 Jesse H. Camp, Democrat; Grant District; Morgantown; term expires in 1935.
- Board of Health**..... The President of the County Court and Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio. Dr. R. C. Farrier, Morgantown, County Health Officer.
- B'd of Children's Guardians**.. Miss Margaret E. McKinney, District Agent; Professional Bldg., Fairmont.

U. S. B'd Ex. Surgeons . . . . Morgantown. Drs. R. H. Edmondson, (President); H. C. Powell, (Treasurer), and T. J. McBee, (Secretary). Meets every Wednesday at 2 p. m.

### LIST OF ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Morgantown)

Allen, R. E. L.	John, W. S.
Baker, George C.	Keck, L. V.
Baker, Charles G.	Kendall, Robt. A.
(Judge Circuit Court.)	Lazelle and Lazelle,
Barbe, Leslie A.	Lazelle, I. G.
Barker, S. A.	Lazelle, Donald G.
Bosworth, Brooks Brady	Lemley, W. Corbley
Brand, F. M.	Long, E. H.
Bufano, M. G.	Malamphy, M. J., Jr.
Burdett, Nathan C.	Mason, Kermit R.
Corbin, Frank P.	Moreland and Guy,
Cox and Cox	Moreland, James R.
Cox, Frank	Guy, Robert E.
Cox, Stanley R.	Orr, William
Davis, R. E.	Posten, Glasscock and Posten,
Darst, M. M.	Posten, Roscoe P.
Dille, Thomas Ray	Glasscock, Wm. E., Jr.
Dille, C. B.	Posten, Hale J.
Donley and Hatfield,	Price, Chauncey M.
Donley, Edward G.	Reay, David C.
Hatfield, John L.	Reeder, Benj. G.
Donley, Robt. T.	Roby, Clarence
Downes, John D.	Rose, C. C.
Everly, E. M.	Sanders, John Vernon
Farmer, George R.	Shriver, John
Frame, Wilbur C.	Shuman, Albert
Gilbert, E. H.	(Prosecuting Attorney)
Gilbert, Ernest H., Jr.	Stewart and Stewart
Glasscock, S. F.	Stewart, Edgar B.
Goodwin, Chas. A.	Stewart T. Nelson
Hall, Roy O.	Stewart, T. D.
Hamstead, E. E.	Taylor, R. Shirley
Herd, Chas. T.	Vickers, Walter H.
Hogue, Jas. E., Jr.	Wellen, Clyde W.
Hott, George David	Weaver, Frank P.
Hughes, Wm. E.	White, Prescott C.
Hunt, W. F.	Willis, D. M.
Hunter, Glenn	Wilson, Minter L.
Jaco, Jesse M.	Yorke, Evelyn Hughes
Jeter, James G.	

### REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

C. C. Cashman, Chairman,  
Morgantown.

Mrs. Lena Bowlby, Asso. Chair.,  
Morgantown (Westover).

Mrs. Elizabeth Peck, Secretary,  
Morgantown.

Wayne Parker, Treasurer,  
Van Voorhis.

#### Members

##### City of Morgantown

First Ward—C. C. Cashman and Mrs. Harry C. Runner.

Second Ward—T. A. Barrickman and Mrs. James Gaskins.

Third Ward—Virgil A. Brown and Mrs. Eleanor T. Donley.

Fourth Ward—R. A. West and Mrs. Sylvia R. Runner.

Fifth Ward—J. M. Bucklew and Elizabeth Peck.

Battelle District—Luther Park, Fairview, R. 1; Alex White and Mrs. Cecyle M. Bell, Wadestown; Mrs. Nettie Jones, Fairview.

Clay District—Walter Clovis and Mrs. Lou K. Sine, Blacksville; Rex Garrison, Core; Mrs. Maude W. Spragg, Fairview, R. 2.

Cass District—Wayne F. Parker, Van Voorhis; Charles E. Core, Mrs. Victoria Core and Mrs. Forest Davis, Cassville.

Grant District—Frank M. Brand, Lewis M. Loar and Mrs. Lena Bowlby, Morgantown; Mrs. Bertie V. Taylor, Mona.

Clinton District—Charles L. Wince and Mrs. Fannie Bishop; Uffington; B. H. Williams and Mrs. Daisy Kramer, Little Falls.

Morgan District—F. E. Davis, Dr. J. R. Hughart, Mrs. Lena Barker and Mrs. Nat T. Frame, Morgantown.

Union District—Charles Adams and Mrs. Annie Costolo, Lake Lynn, Pa., R. 10; Ralph Kussart, Morgantown, R. 3; Mrs. Pearl Donaldson, Morgantown, R. 4.

### DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

John L. Hatfield, Chairman,  
174 Chancery Row,  
Morgantown.

Mrs. William Flesher, Vice Chair.,  
Box 206,  
Morgantown.

Jesse M. Jaco, Secretary,  
160 Chancery Row,  
Morgantown.

Aaron J. Garlow, Treasurer,  
351 Spruce Street,  
Morgantown.

#### Members

Battelle District—Ernest Bell, Burton; Irvin Tennant, Mrs. Blanche Shriver and Mrs. C. L. Eakin, Wadestown.

Clay District—Leroy Shuman, McCurdysville; Charles R. Tennant, Blacksville; Miss Ruby J. Collins, Wana; Miss Orpha Eddy, R. 3, Fairview.

Cass District—W. N. Wise, R. D., Mt. Morris; John Bailey, R. 7, Morgantown; Mrs. Zettie E. John and Mrs. Elizabeth Billingslea, R. 1, Van Vorhiss.

Clinton District—W. S. Corrothers, Little Falls; John L. Barnes and Mrs. Glen Moore, R. 1, Uffington; Miss Olga Chipp, R. 5, Morgantown.

Grant District—D. Earl Fisher, Westover; J. L. Jamison, R. 2, Morgantown; Mrs. Addie V. Bailey, Melon Street, and Mrs. Nora V. O'Gilvie, 83 W. Jefferson Street, Westover.

Union District—George Jones, Point Marion, Pa.; John Spacht and Mrs. Minnie D. Hunter, R. 10, Lake Lynn, Penna.; Belle P. Hall, R. 3, Morgantown.

Morgan District—(At Large)—F. M. Lucas, Box 804, Gordon Sayres, 729 James Street, and Mrs. Frances T. Kerr, 183 Spruce Street, Morgantown; Mrs. Emma V. Clemmer, Star City.

City of Morgantown

First Ward—Charles T. Baer, 444 Dorsey Avenue, and Mrs. Odessa K. Flesher, Box 206, Morgantown.

Second Ward—Russell L. Morris, 244 Grand Street and Mrs. Elnora Hood, 417 Clark Street, Morgantown.

Third Ward—J. F. Loving, 248 Willey Street, and Mrs. Edna R. Hall, 316 Forest Avenue, Morgantown.

Fourth Ward—Ralph M. Bradford, 312 Grant Avenue, and Mrs. Flora E. Ramsey, 204 Beechurst Avenue, Morgantown.

Fifth Ward—L. J. Weaver, 756 Willey Street and Mrs. Minnie Thompson, 708 Pearl Avenue, Morgantown.

DISTRICT OFFICERS

Battelle District

Justice of the Peace . . . . . George DeGarmo, Republican; Wadestown.  
 Constable . . . . . (By special appointment.)  
 Board of Education . . . . . President—George B. McQuaid, Republican;  
 Wadestown.  
 Secretary—Howard Lemley, Democrat; Burton.  
 J. L. Hennan, Republican; Burton.  
 Bub Park, Republican; Fairview.

Clay District

Justices of the Peace . . . . . C. S. Tennant, Republican; Pentress.  
 Enos Moore, Republican; Fairview, R. 2.  
 Constable . . . . . Fleming E. Tennant, Republican; Fairview,  
 R. 2.  
 Board of Education . . . . . President—L. L. Thomas, Democrat; Blacksville.  
 Secretary—O. P. Michael, Republican; Lowsville.  
 J. T. Moore, Republican; Fairview.

Clinton District

(Vacancies in the offices of Justice of the Peace and Constable)  
 Board of Education . . . . . President—T. F. Valentine, Republican;  
 Catawba.

Secretary—Clarence Reppert, Republican; Uffington.

Carl Zinn, Republican; Independence.

W. E. Price, Republican; Morgantown, R. 5.

#### Cass District

Justices of the Peace..... C. R. Core, Republican; Cassville.

S. P. Crynock, Republican; Pursglove.

Constables..... G. E. Dunbrack, Republican; Pursglove.

Mike Hines, Republican; Pursglove.

Board of Education..... President—C. R. Cordray, Republican; Cassville.

Secretary—Virginia L. Yost, Republican; Morgantown, R. 4.

I. L. Van Voorhis, Republican; Vanvoorhis.

F. L. Sanders, Democrat; Vanvoorhis.

#### Morgantown District

Justices of the Peace..... John P. Shale, Republican; Morgantown.

Roxie Lamb, Republican; Morgantown.

Constables..... Geo. L. Myers, Republican; Morgantown.

W. E. Miller, Republican; Morgantown.

Board of Education..... President—E. G. Donley, Democrat; Morgantown.

Secretary—Grover Brewer, Democrat; Morgantown.

D. M. Willis, Republican; Morgantown.

L. V. Harner, Republican; Morgantown.

F. Guy Ash, Democrat; Morgantown.

Chas. E. Hodges, Democrat; Morgantown.

#### Grant District

Justices of the Peace..... E. T. Barker, Republican; Morgantown.

Jos. H. Gabbert, Republican; Morgantown, R. 2.

Constables..... Gay Barker, Republican; Mona.

Glenn Wallace, Republican; Morgantown.

Board of Education..... President—I. N. Knotts, Democrat; Morgantown, R. 2.

Secretary—J. R. Conway, Republican; Morgantown.

Geo. E. Collins, Republican; Morgantown, R. 7.

David G. Snyder, Republican; Morgantown, R. 1.

#### Union District

Justices of the Peace..... (Vacancies.)

Constables..... (By special appointment.)



Board of Education . . . . . President—D. J. Hunter, Republican; Cheat Haven, Pa.  
 Secretary—Sarah Shelby, Republican; Morgantown, R. 4.  
 William Hoard, Republican; Hoard.  
 Sheridan Shaffer, Republican; Morgantown, R. 3.

**MONROE COUNTY**

Monroe county, in the extreme southeastern section of the state, was organized in 1799 and has a land area of 457 square miles. Its six magisterial districts are, Red Sulphur, Second Creek, Springfield, Sweet Springs, Union and Wolf Creek, with Alderson having an independent school district.

The county had a population in 1920 of 13,141 and of 11,949 in 1930. Located in a blue grass region, it is an agricultural, grazing and stock raising county. It has many well known medicinal springs. The county was named for James Monroe, fifth President of the United States.

In 1929 the assessed valuation of the property in the county was: Real estate, \$7,163,165; personal property, \$1,855,255; public utility property, \$875,094; a total assessment of \$9,893,514.

Union, the county seat, was established in 1800 and is situated 2,100 feet above sea level. In 1920 the town's population was 439, and 331 in 1930.

Alderson, on the Greenbrier river, lies in both Monroe and Greenbrier counties. It was incorporated in 1880 and in 1920 had a population of 1,401, which had slightly increased to 1,458 in 1930. Alderson Academy, maintained by the Baptists of West Virginia, is located at Alderson. The federal institution for female delinquents is also located there.

Peterstown, another municipality in the county, had a 1920 population of 293 and of 388 in 1930.

**COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS**

Judge Circuit Court . . . . . S. H. Sharp, Republican; Marlinton.  
 Terms Commence . . . . . First Tuesday in April, second Tuesday in July and the second Tuesday in November.  
 Official Court Reporter . . . . . B. H. Twyford, Democrat; Lewisburg.  
 Sheriff . . . . . Bierre Ellison, Democrat; Union; ex-officio Sealer of Weights and Measures.  
 Prosecuting Attorney . . . . . Richard R. Dickson, Democrat; Union.  
 Clerk Circuit Court . . . . . R. M. Humphreys, Republican; Union.  
 Gen'l Receiver Circuit Court . . . . . P. E. Miller, Republican; Union.  
 Chancery Commissioner . . . . . H. S. Ellison, Democrat; Union.  
 Clerk County Court . . . . . Shelton Clark, Republican; Union.

Supt. Free Schools.....	C. M. Nelson, Republican; Alderson.
Surveyor.....	(None.)
Road Engineer.....	(None.)
Assessor.....	James A. McMann, Republican; Second
Com'r of School Lands.....	Creek. C. A. Dunn, Republican; Red Sulphur Springs.
County Commissioners.....	J. L. Trail, Democrat; Union; term expires December 31, 1930. T. W. Scott, Republican; Sinks Grove, term expires December 31, 1932. R. L. Dickson, Republican; Lindside; term expires December 31, 1934.
President County Court.....	T. W. Scott, Republican; Sinks Grove.
Terms Commence.....	First Tuesday in each month.
Commissioners of Accounts.....	O. R. Brown, Republican; Union. W. F. Boggess, Democrat; Union.
B'd Review & Equalization..	J. E. Hines, Democrat; Springfield District; Rock Camp; term expires in 1931. E. S. Baker, Republican; Sweet Springs District; Sweet Springs; term expires in 1933. H. R. Brown, Republican; Wolf Creek Dis- trict; Alderson, R. R.; term expires in 1935.
Board of Health.....	The President of the County Court and Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio. Dr. T. L. Gilchrist, Pickaway, County Health Officer.
B'd Children's Guardians....	Miss Lena B. Smith, District Agent; Lewis- burg.

#### LIST OF ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Union, unless otherwise given)

Boggess, W. F.	Falconer, Alexander
Clark, R. L.	LaFon, W. M.
Dickson, R. R.	Nowlan, E. W., Alderson
(Prosecuting Attorney)	

#### REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

##### Officers

E. E. Ballard, Chairman,  
Peterstown.

##### Members

Union District—I. P. McCormick, Miss Lillian Davis and Miss Lucy  
Young, Union.

Red Sulphur District—L. A. Fleshman and C. W. Warren, Lindside; Mrs. L. M. Campbell, Mrs. Margaret McCoy, Peterstown.

Springfield District—Frank Mann and Mrs. W. M. Comer, Greenville; W. W. Bradley, Lindside, R. D.; Mrs. Lucile Harvey, Rock Camp.

Second Creek District—N. H. Vanstavern, Sinks Grove; J. Wallace McDowell, Ronceverte; Mrs. Mary F. Harris, Glace.

Sweet Springs District—Clyde Arthur, Laurel Branch; N. E. Crosier, Zenith; Mrs. E. S. Baker, Sweet Springs; Mrs. Hattie Doss, Waitesville.

Wolfe Creek District—T. W. Broyles, Sinks Grove, R. D.; L. L. Meads and Mrs. H. J. Meads, Alderson; Mrs. Emma Houchins, Alderson, R. D.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Officers

Edgar F. Dickson, Chairman,  
Organ Cave.

J. M. Johnston, Secretary,  
Union.

Members

Union District—W. R. Fuller, J. M. Johnston, Mrs. Madge Laudermilk and Miss Nettie Campbell, Union.

Sweet Springs District—Dr. B. L. Troynhan, Sweet Springs; J. E. Crosier, Waitesville; Mrs. Homer Miller, Zenith; Mrs. J. R. McGuire, Gap Mills.

Springfield District—F. G. Lilly and Mrs. Robert Johnson, Greenville; Edgar Pence, Wayside; Mrs. Lockie Raines, Rock Camp.

Red Sulphur District—Dr. C. P. Bradley and Mrs. Abbie Lory, Lindside; L. L. Spangler, Ballard; Miss Rosel Clark, Peterstown.

Wolf Creek District—F. G. Lobban, Sr., and Cornelia Smith, Alderson; C. H. Skaggs, Sinks Grove; Mrs. Henry Van Dyke, Creamery.

Second Creek District—Edgar F. Dickson, Organ Cave; W. P. McNeil and Mrs. H. F. Lemons, Sinks Grove; Mrs. Edna Vance, Glace.

CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE

F. G. Lobban, Alderson.

SENATORIAL COMMITTEE

Jno. L. Trail, Union.

DISTRICT OFFICERS

Red Sulphur District

Justice of the Peace . . . . . Grant Ballard, Republican; Bozoo.

Constables . . . . . G. C. Moore, Democrat; Red Sulphur Springs.

C. B. Wills, Democrat; Peterstown.

Board of Education . . . . . President—H. E. Davis, Republican; Peterstown.

Secretary—R. F. Fleshman, Republican; Peterstown.

J. M. Wilson, Republican; Peterstown.

R. B. Spangler, Republican; Cashmere.

**Second Creek District**

- Justices of the Peace** . . . . . S. A. Carter, Republican; Caldwell.  
**Constable** . . . . . (By special appointment.)  
**Board of Education** . . . . . President—Hayes McDowell, Republican;  
 Second Creek.  
 Secretary—E. E. Rodgers, Republican; Sinks  
 Grove.  
 N. J. Ratliff, Republican; Sinks Grove.  
 N. M. Holesapple, Republican; Caldwell.

**Springfield District**

- Justices of the Peace** . . . . . W. W. Sims, Republican; Wikel.  
 J. W. Mann, Republican; Greenville.  
**Constables** . . . . . John M. Canterbury, Republican; Green-  
 ville.  
 W. M. McMahan, Republican; Rock Camp.  
**Board of Education** . . . . . President—J. A. Vass, Republican; Wayside.  
 Secretary—H. M. Harvey, Republican;  
 Greenville.  
 J. D. Copeland, Republican; Rock Camp.  
 Ryan Houchins, Republican; Greenville.

**Sweet Springs District**

- Justices of the Peace** . . . . . E. C. Baker, Republican; Sweet Springs.  
 W. B. Porterfield, Republican; Waitesville.  
**Constables** . . . . . Amos Steele, Republican; Sweet Springs.  
 Goff Porterfield, Republican; Laurel Branch.  
**Board of Education** . . . . . President—Stanley Patton, Democrat; Gap  
 Mills.  
 Secretary—Mrs. Wade H. Neel, Democrat;  
 Gap Mills.  
 W. M. Raines, Democrat; Gap Mills.  
 J. L. Surface, Republican; Waitesville.

**Union District**

- Justices of the Peace** . . . . . I. H. Tomlinson, Democrat; Union.  
 R. P. Boyd, Democrat; Union  
**Constable** . . . . . J. H. Bostic, Democrat; Union.  
**Board of Education** . . . . . President—E. Don Ballard, Republican;  
 Union.  
 Secretary—A. B. Shirey, Democrat; Union.  
 R. E. J. Campbell, Democrat; Gates.  
 W. B. Fullen, Democrat; Salt Sulphur.  
 Springs.

**Wolf Creek District**

- Justices of the Peace** . . . . . Samuel W. Bare, Democrat; Alderson.  
 L. P. Nelson, Republican; Creamery.  
**Constables** . . . . . P. R. Raines, Democrat; Wayside.  
 R. D. Smith, Republican; Creamery.

Board of Education . . . . . President—Sydney Skaggs, Democrat; Wolf Creek.  
 Secretary—R. C. Garrett, Democrat; Wolf Creek.  
 W. N. Smith, Republican; Creamery.  
 H. T. McNeil, Democrat; Alderson.

#### Alderson Independent School District

Board of Education . . . . . President—O. D. Massey, Republican; Alderson.  
 Secretary—R. H. McVey, Democrat; Alderson.  
 J. N. Alderson, Democrat; Alderson.  
 J. W. Johnson, Democrat; Alderson.  
 E. H. Warren, Democrat; Alderson.  
 Mrs. F. G. Lobban, Republican; Alderson.  
 Mrs. Cornelia Smith, Democrat; Alderson.

### MORGAN COUNTY

Morgan county, in the Eastern Panhandle, was formed in 1820, and named in honor of General Daniel Morgan, a Revolutionary War leader. It has an area of 233 square miles, with six magisterial districts, Allen, Bath, Cacapon, Rock Gap, Sleepy Creek and Timber Ridge.

The 1920 population of the county was 8,357, which increased slightly to 8,406 in 1930. The property in the county, in 1929, was assessed as follows: Real estate, \$3,851,902; personal property, \$1,528,226; public utility property, \$9,144,185; a total assessment of \$14,524,313. The county is largely agricultural and horticultural, with considerable development of its sand mines.

Berkeley Springs, the county seat, was established under the name of Bath in 1776, which is still its corporate name, the town being called by the postoffice name of Berkeley Springs. It is 612 feet above sea level and in 1920 had a population of 980, which increased to 1,039 in 1930. It is noted for its medicinal springs, now owned by the state, the curative value of the waters having been known since 1747.

Paw Paw, also a municipality in this county, increased its 1920 population of 689 to 781 in 1930.

#### COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

Judge Circuit Court . . . . . Decatur H. Rodgers, Republican; Martinsburg.

Terms Commence . . . . . First Tuesday in January, first Tuesday in April and the first Tuesday in September.

Sheriff .....	G. P. Newbraugh, Democrat; Berkeley Springs; ex-officio Sealer Weights and Measures.
Prosecuting Attorney .....	H. D. Allen, Republican; Berkeley Springs.
Clerk Circuit Court .....	G. H. Allemong, Republican; Berkeley Springs.
Gen'l Receiver Circuit Court	V. E. Johnson, Republican; Berkeley Springs.
Chancery Commissioners ....	J. Hammond Siler, Republican; Berkeley Springs. Pearl O. Allen, Republican; Berkeley Springs. W. H. Webster, Republican; Berkeley Springs. Raymond Hunter, Democrat; Berkeley Springs.
Clerk County Court .....	M. S. Harmison, Republican; Berkeley Springs.
Supt. Free Schools .....	B. S. Cross, Republican; Great Cacapon.
Road Superintendent .....	(None.)
Surveyor .....	(None.)
Assessor .....	O. B. Shockey, Republican; Berkeley Springs.
Com'r of School Lands .....	J. Hammond Siler, Republican; Berkeley Springs.
County Commissioners .....	M. A. Vanorsdale, Republican; Great Cacapon; term expires December 31, 1930. Ward M. Dawson, Republican; Berkeley Springs; term expires December 31, 1934.
President County Court .....	Ward M. Dawson, Republican; Berkeley Springs.
Terms Commence .....	Third Monday in January, third Monday in March, first Monday in June and third Monday in October.
Commissioners of Accounts	M. S. Harmison, Republican; Berkeley Springs. C. H. Dawson, Republican; Berkeley Springs.
B'd Review & Equalization ..	James Edward Cain, Republican; Allen District; Berkeley Springs; term expires in 1931. E. L. Rice, Republican; Rock Gap District; Berkeley Springs; term expires in 1933. N. T. Compton, Democrat; Cacapon District; Great Cacapon; term expires in 1935.
Board of Health .....	The President of the County Court and Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio; Dr. E. H. Willard, Great Cacapon, County Health Officer.

B'd of Children's Guardians Miss Mary Kay Babb, District Agent, Keyser.  
Humane Officer.....C. L. Hunter, Berkeley Springs.

LIST OF ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Berkeley Springs)

Allen, Horace D. Duckwall, J. McCarty  
(Prosecuting Attorney) Siler, J. Hammond  
Weaver, Mrs. G. McIntire

REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Officers

E. C. Ambrose, Chairman, M. R. Davison, Asso. Chairman,  
Paw Paw. Berkeley Springs.  
Pauline M. Dawson, Secretary, L. E. Johnson, Treasurer,  
Berkeley Springs. Berkeley Springs.

Members

Allen District—Willie Kerns, J. F. Weber, Sallie Booker and Hattie Cain, Berkeley Springs.  
Bath District—M. R. Davison, L. E. Johnson, Clara J. Hovermale and Pauline M. Dawson, Berkeley Springs.  
Cacapon District—Edward C. Ambrose, H. W. Miller, Jr., and Mrs. J. L. Brown, Paw Paw; Grace Snyder, Great Cacapon.  
Rock Gap District—Breton Batt, M. F. Yost, Mrs. J. Dean Henry and Grace Michael, Berkeley Springs.  
Sleepy Creek District—M. W. Fulton, J. S. Files, Cora B. Potter and Catherine M. White, Cherry Run.  
Timber Ridge District—A. H. Hovermale, Ridge; Roy C. Davison, Ungers Store; Mrs. Ward M. Dawson, Omps.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Officers

J. A. Proctor, Chairman, C. N. Bohrer, Secy. & Treas.,  
Berkeley Springs. Oakland.

Members

Rock Gap District—Joseph A. Kyne, Stotlers Cross Roads; and Thomas Neely, Berkeley Springs.  
Allen District—H. B. Swain and W. M. Widmeyer, Berkeley Springs.  
Bath District—J. C. Enroughty and J. A. Proctor, Berkeley Springs.  
Cacapon District—Melvin Heiskel, Paw Paw; and George E. Noland, Great Cacapon.  
Sleepy Creek District—Joseph Butts, Cherry Run; and Rosalind May-sellis, Sleepy Creek.

Timber Ridge District—C. H. Lineweaver, Omps; and C. N. Bohrer, Oakland.

#### CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE

P. K. Stotler, Great Cacapon.

#### SENATORIAL COMMITTEE

J. E. Helsley, Berkeley Springs.

#### DISTRICT OFFICERS

##### Allen District

Justice of the Peace . . . . . H. C. Carter, Republican; Brosius.  
 Constable . . . . . (None.)  
 Board of Education . . . . . President—T. J. Michael, Republican;  
 Berkeley Springs.  
 Secretary—George A. Yost, Republican;  
 Berkeley Springs.  
 Roy Widmeyer, Republican; Berkeley  
 Springs.  
 Geo. S. Rankin, Republican; Berkeley  
 Springs, R. 4.

##### Bath District

Justices of the Peace . . . . . H. W. Eichelberger, Republican; Berkeley  
 Springs.  
 Winton Unger, Republican; Berkeley  
 Springs.  
 Constable . . . . . Jos. Whisner, Democrat; Berkeley Springs.  
 Board of Education . . . . . President—J. E. Helsley, Democrat; Berke-  
 ley Springs.  
 Secretary—C. H. Dawson, Republican.  
 Berkeley Springs.  
 J. C. Laley, Republican; Berkeley Springs.  
 J. E. Hunter, Democrat; Berkeley Springs.

##### Cacapon District

Justice of the Peace . . . . . E. E. Allemong, Republican; Great Cacapon.  
 Constable . . . . . (None.)  
 Board of Education . . . . . President—W. D. Ambrose, Republican;  
 Paw Paw.  
 Secretary—Ada Lyons, Democrat; Paw Paw.  
 Eugene Gross, Republican; Paw Paw.  
 J. B. Reeder, Republican; Great Cacapon.

##### Rock Gap District

Justice of the Peace . . . . . William A. Neely, Democrat; Rock Gap.  
 Constable . . . . . (By special appointment.)



Board of Education . . . . . President—Raymond Dawson, Republican; Berkeley Springs.  
 Secretary—J. Dean Henry, Republican; Berkeley Springs.  
 L. B. Allemong, Republican; Berkeley Springs.  
 W. H. Eppinger, Republican; Berkeley Springs.

Sleepy Creek District

Justice of the Peace . . . . . A. J. Kesecker, Republican; Cherry Run.  
 Constable . . . . . (By special appointment.)  
 Board of Education . . . . . President—Emory Pentoney, Republican; Sleepy Creek.  
 Secretary—Luther Kesecker, Republican; Cherry Run, R. F. D.  
 Roy Payne, Republican; Cherry Run, R. F. D.  
 A. G. Goller, Republican; Cherry Run, R. F. D.

Timber Ridge District

Justice of the Peace . . . . . (Vacant.)  
 Constable . . . . . (By special appointment.)  
 Board of Education . . . . . President—E. J. Shade, Democrat; Oakland.  
 Secretary—C. N. Bohrer, Democrat; Stotlers Cross Roads.  
 Rumsey Hovermale, Republican; Ridge.  
 S. E. Dick, Democrat; Ungers Store.

McDOWELL COUNTY

McDowell County, the southern tip of the state, was formed in 1858, and named for James McDowell, Governor of Virginia, 1843-1846.

The county has an area of 533 square miles, underlaid with twenty-eight workable coal seams, the development of which has made McDowell the banner coal county of the state. It has six magisterial districts, Adkin, Browns Creek, Northfork, Elkhorn, Big Creek and Sandy River.

The county's population in 1920 was 68,571, which grew to 90,479 in 1930, an increase during that decade of 21,908. In 1929, the total assessment for taxation of the property in the county was \$79,330,757, which was divided as follows: Real estate, \$47,017,055; personal property, \$11,402,825; public utility property, \$20,910,877.

Welch, incorporated in 1893, in the large coal producing section of the county, became the county seat in 1892. It is 1,304 feet above set level and in 1920 had a population of 3,232. This increased in 1930, to 5,376.

Welch Hospital No. 1, originally established by the state as Miners Hospital No. 1, but now an emergency hospital for medical and surgical cases, is located at Welch and is managed by Dr. A. G. Rutherford, Superintendent.

Other municipalities in the county, together with their populations as shown by the 1930 census, are: Jaeger, 1,066; Kimball, 1,467; Keystone, 1,897; Clark, 787; and War, 1,392.

### COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

Judge Circuit Court.....	B. F. Howard, Republican; Welch.
Terms Commence.....	Second Monday in March, second Monday in June, first Monday in September and first Monday in December.
Official Court Reporter.....	Miss Ersa Hamilton, Republican; Welch.
Judge Criminal Court.....	G. L. Counts, Republican; Welch.
Terms Commence.....	Second Monday in January, April and July and the first Monday in October.
Official Court Reporter.....	Miss Ersa Hamilton, Republican; Welch.
Sheriff.....	W. J. Hatfield, Republican; Welch; ex-officio Sealer of Weights and Measures.
Prosecuting Attorney.....	Wilson Anderson, Republican; Welch.
Clerk Circuit Court.....	Hobart E. Payne, Republican; Welch.
Gen'l Receiver Circuit Court	I. J. Rhodes, Republican; Welch.
Chancery Commissioners.....	E. C. Marshall, Democrat; Welch. Hoagland French, Democrat; Welch. Goodrich Sale, Democrat; Welch. S. A. Christie, Democrat; Keystone. Zeb H. Herndon, Republican; Welch. Sidney Seligman, Republican; Northfork. T. F. Henritze, Democrat; Welch. Leon P. Miller, Republican; Welch.
Divorce Commissioner.....	James A. Strother, Jr., Republican; Welch.
Clerk County Court.....	Harry K. Carper, Republican; Welch.
Supt. Free Schools.....	N. A. Steadman, Republican; Welch.
County Road Supervisor.....	C. H. Payne, Republican; Welch.
Surveyor.....	L. A. Osborn, Republican; Welch.
Assessor.....	Gail T. Dudgeon, Republican; Welch.
Com'r of School Lands.....	F. C. Cook, Republican; Northfork.
County Commissioners.....	H. S. Johnson, Republican; Berwind; term expires December 31, 1930. James Ellwood Jones, Republican; Switchback; term expires December 31, 1932. W. P. Kearns, Republican; Elbert; term expires December 31, 1934.
President County Court.....	W. P. Kearns, Republican; Elbert.
Terms Commence.....	First Monday in January, first Monday in April, first Monday in August and the first Monday in October.

- Commissioners of Accounts** . . . J. Hoagland French, Democrat; Welch.  
James A. Strother, Jr., Republican; Welch.  
E. C. Marshall, Democrat; Welch.
- B'd Review & Equalization** . . . J. P. Flanagan, Democrat; Browns Creek  
District; Welch; term expires in 1931.  
J. T. Franklin, Republican; Adkin District;  
Gary; term expires in 1933.  
Otis E. Linkous, Republican; Big Creek Dis-  
trict; War; term expires in 1935.
- Board of Health** . . . . . The President of the County Court and  
Prosecuting Attorney, Ex-officio.  
Dr. W. C. Hall, Welch, County Health  
Officer.
- B'd Children's Guardians** . . . Miss Edna Dodson, District Agent; Charles-  
ton.

LIST OF ATTORNEYS

(Post office address, Welch, unless otherwise given)

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| Anderson, Wilson<br>(Prosecuting Attorney)   | Howard, George W.<br>Herzbrun, M. D.<br>(Asst. Pros. Atty.)  |
| Auvil, D. L., Iaeger.                        | Harris, Thad. E., Northfork                                  |
| Calhoun, Stewart A., Key-<br>stone           | Henritze, T. F.  |
| Christie, Sidney L.                          | Herndon, Zeb H.  |
| Christie, S. A., Keystone                    | Herndon, I. C.   |
| Cook, F. D., Northfork                       | Howard, B. F.<br>(Judge Circuit Court)                       |
| Counts, G. L.<br>(Judge Criminal Court)      | Marshal, E. C.   |
| Crockett and Tucker                          | Partlow, I. J.   |
| Crockett, Joseph M.                          | Payne, Charles C.  |
| Tucker, J. Randolph                          | Strother, James A., Jr.                                      |
| Elswick, Walter M., War                      | Strother, Sale, Curd and St.<br>Clair,<br>Strother, D. J. F. |
| Flanagan and Flanagan,<br>Flanagan, James P. | Sale, Graham   |
| Flanagan, Patrick J.                         | Sale, Goodrich   |
| French, Hoagland<br>(U. S. Commissioner)     | Curd, T. H. S.   |
| Froe, Capehart and Miller                    | St. Clair, O. E.   |
| Froe, Arthur G.                              | Taylor and Taylor,<br>Taylor, M. S.                          |
| Capehart, Harry J.                           | Taylor, Rosa Q.  |
| Miller, Leon P.                              | Tomlinson, D. Robert.  |
| Jones, Fleming A.                            | Tutwiler, Chas. A.   |
| Harman and Howard,<br>Harman, J. N., Jr.     |  |

### REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

McGinnis Hatfield, Chairman, Hobart E. Payne, Secretary,  
Welch. Welch.  
Moses Hyman, Treasurer,  
Welch.

#### Members

Adkin District—J. T. Franklin, Gary; Mrs. Julia O'Toole Wyland, Anawalt; Mrs. Helen G. Kearns, Elbert; J. E. Whittle, Wilcoe.

Browns Creek District—Dr. R. K. Bragonier, Keystone; Nathaniel Wiley and Mrs. L. S. Watlington, Kimball; Mrs. Jennie B. Payne, Welch.

Northfork District—Harry Totz, John W. Preston and Mrs. Goldie B. Koslow, Northfork; Mrs. Nannie B. Fitch, Gilliam.

Elkhorn District—Frank E. Houston, Mrs. E. L. Dickerson and Mrs. Lillian Younger, Elkhorn; James Hamilton, Kyle.

Big Creek District—W. M. Geissinger, Berwind; A. J. Williamson and Mrs. Rosa Cooksey, War; Mrs. E. V. Simpkins, Excelsior.

Sandy River District—Dr. H. L. Tutwiler and Mrs. Mollie Robinson, Iaeger; Dan Payne and Mrs. Rosa M. Kennedy, Dan.

### CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE

Moses Hyman and Mrs. Jean Waldron, Welch.

### SENATORIAL COMMITTEE

E. L. Tucker and Miss Ersa Hamilton, Welch.

### DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

D. L. Auvil, Chairman, Mrs. L. L. Belcher, Vice Chair.,  
Iaeger. Welch.  
Mrs. Russell H. Woody, Secretary, Dr. L. L. Belcher, Treasurer,  
Welch. Welch.

#### Members

Adkin District—Dr. W. E. Cook, Pageton; H. W. Houseman, Anawalt; Mrs. R. C. Mitchell, Jenkinjones; Mrs. A. P. Mitchell, Gary.

Big Creek District—R. L. Keel, Coalwood; C. J. Anderson, Six; Mrs. B. M. Stone, English; Mrs. J. D. Mullins, War.

Browns Creek District—M. Lee Cline, Davy; R. H. Miller, Mrs. V. L. Weatherby and Mrs. Frances Owens, Welch.

Elkhorn District—Dr. L. H. Clark, Kyle; Joseph McCrickard, Northfork; Mrs. Oliver Beckner, Elkhorn; Mrs. Louise D. Thacker, Maybeury.

Northfork District—I. S. Renn, Crumpler; W. S. Wray, Mrs. L. Washington and Mrs. Adeline C. Gordon, Northfork.

Sandy River District—Robert Mosby, D. L. Auvil, and Mrs. Amanda Ratcliff, Iaeger; Mrs. Mary Cyphers, Garland.

## DISTRICT OFFICERS

## Adkin District

- Justices of the Peace . . . . . J. E. Whittle, Republican; Wilcoe.  
 C. A. Murphy, Republican; Jenkinjones.  
 Constables . . . . . R. L. Robinson, Republican; Wilcoe.  
 Harrison Rose, Republican; Anawalt.  
 Board of Education . . . . . President—Edward O'Toole, Republican;  
 Gary.  
 Secretary—Guy C. Mace, Democrat; Gary.  
 A. N. Harris, Republican; Gary.  
 C. W. Atkinson, Republican; Jenkinjones.

## Big Creek District

- Justices of the Peace . . . . . M. K. Murphy, Republican; War.  
 Thomas E. Lovas, Republican; War.  
 Constables . . . . . J. H. Atwell, Republican; War.  
 T. D. Maynard, Republican; War.  
 Board of Education . . . . . President—H. S. Johnson, Republican; Ber-  
 awind.  
 Secretary—W. E. Gamble, Republican;  
 War.  
 A. M. Harman, Republican; War.  
 E. H. Johnson, Democrat; Excelsior.

## Browns Creek District

- Justices of the Peace . . . . . S. M. Burgess, Republican; Welch.  
 Samuel Crider, Republican; Kimball.  
 Constables . . . . . N. B. Ash, Republican; Welch.  
 Henry Richards, Republican; Kimball.  
 Board of Education . . . . . President—Gail T. Carter, Republican;  
 Welch.  
 Secretary—Effie F. Beavers, Republican;  
 Welch.  
 A. F. Leckie, Republican; Welch.  
 R. L. Benton, Republican; Eckman.

## Elkhorn District

- Justices of the Peace . . . . . Thompson Hicks, Republican; Elkhorn.  
 F. D. Padbury, Republican; Switchback.  
 Constables . . . . . R. D. Gibson, Republican; Maybeury.  
 Cal Haines, Republican; Elkhorn.  
 Board of Education . . . . . President—Frank Houston, Republican;  
 Elkhorn.  
 Secretary—R. Brown Jenkins, Republican;  
 Switchback.  
 Thomas Curry, Republican; Elkhorn.  
 Dr. I. T. Peters, Republican; Maybeury.

## Northfork District

- Justices of the Peace . . . . . Sam Houchins, Republican; Worth.  
 J. A. Lay, Republican; Northfork.

Constables .....	Walter Lowe, Republican; Northfork. R. B. Price, Republican; Northfork.
Board of Education .....	President—W. O. Lambert, Republican; Crumpler. Secretary—Frank M. Buchanan, Republican; Northfork. S. M. Muse, Republican; Northfork. Sam Rosen, Republican; Northfork.
Sandy River District	
Justices of the Peace .....	H. W. Evans, Republican; Lex. Noah Stacy, Republican; Panther.
Constables .....	W. A. Payne, Republican; Iieger. I. S. Cline, Democrat; Iaeger.
Board of Education .....	President—H. M. Harman, Democrat; Garland. Secretary—D. L. Auvil, Democrat; Iaeger. John D. Kennedy, Republican; Bradshaw. Jeff Lockhart, Democrat; Iaeger.

### NICHOLAS COUNTY

Nicholas County, established in 1818, and named for Wilson Cary Nicholas, Governor of Virginia, 1814-1817, has an area of 680 square miles, from which seven magisterial districts have been formed, Summersville, Grant, Beaver, Hamilton, Wilderness, Kentucky and Jefferson. Richwood has an independent school district.

While farming is carried on throughout the county, the development of the natural resources, such as coal and timber, has been quite extensive.

The population of the county in 1920 was 20,717 and 20,686 in 1930. The total property assessment of the county in 1929 was \$17,953,249, of which \$12,517,820 represented real estate, \$3,873,650 personal property and \$1,561,779 public utility property.

Summersville, the county seat, established in 1820 and incorporated in 1860, is 1,894 feet above sea level and in 1920 had a population of 279. The population increased to 536 in 1930.

Richwood, on the Cherry River, the largest municipality in the county, is one of the state's newer industrial towns, having been incorporated in 1901. Its 1920 population was 4,331, which increased to 5,720 in 1930. It is the center of the lumber industry of the county, and has among other important plants, what is said to be the largest clothes pin plant in the world.

### COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

Judge Circuit Court .....	J. W. Eary, Republican; Fayetteville.
Terms Commence .....	Third Tuesday in February, third Tuesday in May, third Tuesday in August and the third Tuesday in November.



Brown, W. G. (State Prohibition Com.)	(Prosecuting Attorney) Wolverton and Ayers, Richwood,
Craig, A. L., Richwood.	Wolverton, J. M.
Duff, G. G.	(Congressman Third Dist.)
Halsted, Squire, Nallen	Ayers, T. W.
Horan, R. E.	

### REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

Arnold McCue, Chairman, Summersville.	Miss Iva Stephenson, Secretary, Summersville.
Leslie McCutcheon, Treasurer, Summersville.	

#### Members

Summersville District—Leslie McCutcheon and Mrs. Cora Hamilton, Summersville; Roland Hart, Gad; Miss Elsie Sebert, Enon.

Grant District—Emerson Brown and Miss Maymie Morrison, Zela; Maxwell Malcom and Mrs. Lottie Eakin, Kesslers Cross Lanes.

Beaver District—George E. Hurd, Mrs. Erma McClure and Mrs. Josie Pullen, Richwood; J. W. Brown, Craigsville.

Hamilton District—Arthur Rader, Almoris; John W. Dodrill, Skyles; Mrs. Ivy Tinnel, Kirkwood.

Wilderness District—H. S. O'Dell, Snow Hill; G. A. Dooley and Mrs. Rebecca Ramsey, Mt. Nebo; Mrs. Elizabeth O'Dell, Fowler's Knob.

Kentucky District—John G. Stowers, Donald; Homer Kyle, Nettie; Mrs. Lola Bryant and Mrs. Etta Groves, Canvas.

Jefferson District—C. D. Backus, Vaughan; Omar Mason, Vinton; Mrs. Amy Simms, Lockwood; Miss Bertha Kuntz, Swiss.

### DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

Ira E. Hill Chairman, Summersville.	A. N. Breckenridge, Secretary, Summersville.
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#### Members

Summersville District—C. J. Bell, Mrs. W. E. McQueen and Mrs. S. P. Hamilton, Summersville.

Grant District—Ben Hughes, Gad; T. E. Gray and Mrs. J. B. Carden, Zela; Miss Mary Hamilton, Kesslers Cross Lanes.

Beaver District—H. E. Dillinger and Mrs. Murrel Bartley, Richwood; Robert Woodall, Robinwood; Miss Olivet Odell, Craigsville.

Hamilton District—E. M. Bays and Mrs. Maggie Robertson, Birch River; Grover Gates and Mrs. Oscar Odell, Almoris.



Wilderness District—W. D. Halstead and Miss Laura Worledge, Mt. Lookout; John McClung and Mrs. Jesse Odell, Snow Hill.

Kentucky District—Mrs. Russie Odell Perkins, Nettie; Mrs. Lola Losh and N. H. Odell, Leivasy.

Jefferson District—Ronnie Summers, Lockwood; Mrs. J. Waller, Swiss; Mrs. L. W. Koontz, Dixie.

DISTRICT OFFICERS

Beaver District

Justices of the Peace..... W. M. Crookshanks, Republican; Richwood.  
 Geo. E. Hurd, Republican; Richwood.  
 Constables..... D. D. Smith, Democrat; Richwood.  
 R. L. Wetherbee, Republican; Beaver.  
 Board of Education..... President—James A. Kyer, Democrat;  
 Allingdale.  
 Secretary—C. B. Kyer, Republican; Allingdale.  
 E. J. Baughman, Republican; Beaver.  
 R. T. Woodall, Democrat; Tioga.

Grant District

Justices of the Peace..... W. T. Martin, Democrat; Gilboa.  
 F. M. Williams, Republican; Keslers Cross Lanes.  
 Constables..... George Foster, Democrat; Sparks.  
 Ed. Legg, Democrat; Zela.  
 Board of Education..... President—John A. Legg, Democrat; Zela.  
 Secretary—C. W. Bell, Democrat; Zela.  
 O. E. Dorsey, Democrat; Sparks.  
 Emerson Brown, Republican; Zela.

Hamilton District

Justices of the Peace..... C. W. Lewis, Democrat; Morris.  
 Greer McMillion, Republican; Persinger.  
 Constable..... H. O. Murphy, Democrat; Morris.  
 Board of Education..... President—Chas A. McQueen, Democrat;  
 Hookersville.  
 Secretary—Okey Scott, Democrat; Birch River.  
 John Craig, Republican; Hookersville.  
 Charles Harris, Democrat; Bays.

Jefferson District

Justices of the Peace..... S. M. Smith, Republican; Vaughan.  
 J. C. Simms, Republican; Swiss.  
 Constables..... J. A. Broughman, Democrat; Bentree.  
 Martin Dorsey, Republican; Vaughan.

**Board of Education** . . . . . President—E. V. Shelton, Democrat; Lockwood.  
 Secretary—H. H. Simms, Republican; Lockwood.  
 Orbin Cavendish, Republican; Vinton.  
 G. W. Walker, Democrat; Vaughan.

#### Kentucky District

**Justices of the Peace** . . . . . J. B. White, Republican; Leivasy.  
 Elmer Spencer, Democrat; Nettie.  
**Constable** . . . . . L. S. Spenser, Republican; Fenwick.  
**Board of Education** . . . . . President—N. E. Hurd, Republican; Nettie.  
 Secretary—Stella Chapman, Republican;  
 Fenwick.  
 J. W. Stowers, Republican; Donald.  
 Logan Chapman, Republican; Fenwick.

#### Richwood Independent School District

**Board of Education** . . . . . President—Millard Hinkle, Republican;  
 Richwood.  
 Secretary—A. E. Blackshire, Republican;  
 Richwood.  
 T. W. Ayres, Democrat; Richwood.  
 Dr. Hugh Dunn, Democrat; Richwood.

#### Summersville District

**Justices of the Peace** . . . . . J. M. McMillion, Democrat; Summersville.  
 M. J. Maloney, Democrat; Gad.  
**Constables** . . . . . Tom Bashaw, Democrat; Summersville.  
 Roy Alderson, Democrat; Summersville.  
**Board of Education** . . . . . President—W. E. Brown, Democrat; Gad.  
 Secretary—P. N. Wiseman, Democrat; Summersville.  
 Dr. W. E. McQueen, Democrat; Summersville.  
 H. A. McMillion, Democrat; Summersville.

#### Wilderness District

**Justices of the Peace** . . . . . J. R. G. Odell, Republican; Bruce.  
 C. A. McClung, Democrat; Mt. Lookout.  
**Constables** . . . . . (None.)  
**Board of Education** . . . . . President—M. H. Dorsey, Republican;  
 Bruce.  
 Secretary—H. H. Bennett, Democrat; Runa.  
 J. L. Champ, Democrat; Mt. Lookout.  
 M. L. Hughes, Republican; Mt. Nebo.

**Nicholas County High School Board**

<b>Directors</b> .....	President—P. N. Wiseman, Democrat; Summersville. Secretary—A. E. Dorsey, Democrat; Summersville. Dyer Herold, Democrat; Hookersville. Austin Bryan, Republican; Summersville. Mrs. Maude Hamilton, Republican; Keslers Cross Lanes. M. F. Brown, Republican; Summersville.
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**OHIO COUNTY**

Ohio County, in the Northern Panhandle, was formed in 1776 and has an area of 107 square miles. This is divided into the following ten magisterial districts; Center, Clay, Liberty, Madison, Richland, Ritchie, Triadelphia, Union, Washington and Webster. The county takes its name from its principal river.

The population of the county in 1920 was 62,892 and it increased by 9,185 to 72,077 in 1930, according to the census return for that year.

While Ohio County is among the small counties in area, it is among the wealthiest, as is shown by its assessed property valuation of \$133,635,744 in 1929. Real estate represents \$91,487,805 of this amount, personal property, \$28,385,955 and public utility property \$13,761,984.

Wheeling, a place of importance in the history of its section since 1769, is an industrial center located on the Ohio River at an elevation of 678 feet above sea level. It is the chief city of northern West Virginia and the second largest in population in the state. Its 1920 population of 56,208 had increased to 61,659 in 1930. It has been the county seat of Ohio County since 1797 and was incorporated in 1806. It was twice the Capital of West Virginia, from the state's formation to April 1, 1870, and again from May 1, 1875 to May 1, 1885. Wheeling is the center of the iron and steel industry of the state.

West Liberty, established in 1787, was the county seat from 1776 to 1797. West Liberty State Normal School, a state institution, was established at West Liberty in 1870 and was a continuation of the West Liberty Academy, founded in 1838. The Normal School is now under the management of its President, J. S. Bonar.

Triadelphia, another incorporated place in the county had a population of 299 in 1920 and of 302 in 1930.

**COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS**

<b>Judges Circuit Court</b> .....	J. B. Sommerville, Democrat; Wheeling. J. H. Brennan, Republican; Wheeling.
<b>Terms Commence</b> .....	Second Monday in January, second Monday in April and second Monday in September.

- Official Court Reporters** . . . . . Louis A. Walters, Republican; Wheeling.  
Louis E. Schrande, Republican; Wheeling.
- Judge Intermediate Court** . . . . . John S. Ritz, Republican; Wheeling.
- Terms Commence** . . . . . Second Monday in February, third Monday  
in May and first Monday in October.
- Official Court Reporter** . . . . . Louis E. Schrader, Republican; Wheeling.
- Sheriff** . . . . . A. F. Habig, Republican; Wheeling.
- Prosecuting Attorney** . . . . . A. C. Schiffler, Republican; Wheeling.
- Ass't Prosecuting Attorneys** . . . . . Fred H. Brinkman, Republican; Wheeling.  
Donald McKee, Republican; Wheeling.  
Wm. Piper, Republican; Wheeling.
- Clerk Circuit Court** . . . . . L. L. Nightengale, Republican; Wheeling;  
ex-officio Clerk of the Intermediate Court.
- Gen'l Receiver Circuit Court** . . . . . Charles W. Jeffers, Wheeling.
- Chancery Commissioners** . . . . . Henry H. Pendleton, Democrat; Wheeling.  
James W. Ewing, Democrat; Wheeling.  
Jay T. McCamic, Republican; Wheeling.  
Austin V. Wood, Republican; Wheeling.  
J. W. Cummins, Republican; Wheeling.  
William F. Simpson, Republican; Wheeling.  
Henry M. Russell, Democrat; Wheeling.  
Joseph R. Curl, Democrat; Wheeling.
- Divorce Commissioner** . . . . . B. S. Honecker, Republican; Wheeling.
- Clerk County Court** . . . . . R. J. Falland, Democrat; Wheeling.
- Supt. Free Schools** . . . . . John H. Lazear, Democrat; (Woodlawn),  
Wheeling.
- County Road Engineer** . . . . . C. E. Kindleberger, Republican; Wheeling.
- Surveyor** . . . . . Clyde Pugh, Republican; Wheeling.
- Assessor** . . . . . Karl G. Sailer, Republican; Wheeling.
- Comr. of School Lands** . . . . . P. J. McGinley, Democrat; Wheeling.
- County Commissioners** . . . . . Orion Koller, Republican; Wheeling; term  
expires December 31, 1930.  
George W. Steenrod, Democrat; Wheeling;  
term expires December 31, 1932.  
Alvin Winters, Republican; Wheeling; term  
expires December 31, 1934.
- President County Court** . . . . . Orion Koller, Republican; Wheeling.
- Clerk County Court** . . . . . Dent A. Taylor, Republican; Wheeling.
- Sessions of Court** . . . . . Each week day at 9:30 A. M.
- Commissioners of Accounts** . . . . . H. H. Pendleton, Democrat; Wheeling.  
George C. Beneke, Republican; Wheeling.  
Frank McMahan, Republican; Wheeling.  
Carl O. Schmidt, Republican; Wheeling.
- Sealer Weights & Measures** . . . . . Arthur Honecker, Republican; Wheeling.
- B'd Review & Equalization** . . . . . Chester G. Whitman, Democrat; Richland  
District; Wheeling; term expires in 1931.  
Edward T. Rose, Republican; Washington  
District; Wheeling; term expires in 1933.  
R. P. Glass, Republican; Triadelphia Dis-  
trict; Edgewood; term expires in 1935.

Board of Health.....	The President of the County Court and Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio; Dr. W. H. McLain, Wheeling, County Health Officer.
B'd of Children's Guardians.	Miss Margaret E. McKinney, District Agent; Professional Building, Fairmont.
U. S. B'd Ex. Surgeons.....	Wheeling. Drs. H. P. Campbell, A. B. Barnett and H. M. Hall; C. A. Wingerter ad interim.
Probation Officer.....	G. B. Pelly, Republican; Wheeling.
Ass't Probation Officer.....	Mrs. Kate Ebeling, Republican; Wheeling.

## LIST OF ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Wheeling)

Ahrens, Charles B.	Foulk, Tom B.
Allison, J. B.	Gailbraith, Carl
Amos, Clyde F.	Gilchrist, Geo. R. E.
Arbenz, John P.	Glass, Edgar C.
Bachmann, Carl G.	Gompers, Wm. J.
(Congressman First Dist.)	Habbermill, John
Beall, W. W.	Hall, Kent B.
Beneke, George C.	Handlan, Garden and
Blackford, George A.	Mathewz.,
Brennan, J. H.	Handlan, J. Bernard
(Judge Circuit Court)	Garden, G. Allen
Brinkman, Fred H.	Mathews, Howard D.
(Asst. Prosecuting Atty.)	Handlan, Joseph
Bryant, A. E.	Harrison, Erman L.
Bruce, J. E.	Honecker, B. S.
Caldwell and Kline,	Howard, John A.
Caldwell, Wm. G.	Howard, Wm. C.
Kline, Edwin F.	Hubbard, Nelson C.
Campbell, Clinton R.	Hundt, Herman A.
Casey, Wm. B.	Jennings, Richard
Coleman, Leo A.	Jones, Edmund
Cotton, Wm. J.	Keefer, W. F.
Cummins, J. Wm.	Klein, Pressley B.
Dobbs, Lee F.	Klieves, Russell
Dunlap, H. E.	Maury, Fred L.
Duval, T. H.	Mead, Charles P.
Erskine, Palmer and Curl	Morris, Warren
Palmer, John C., Jr.	Morrison, Mrs. A. J.
Curl, Joseph R.	Morrison, Charles S.
Palmer, J. C., II.	McCamic and Clark
Ewing and McGinley,	McCamic, Charles
Ewing, James W.	Clark, James Morgan
McGinley, P. J.	McCamic, Jay T.

McKee, Alan	Ritz, J. M.
McKee, David A.	Ritz, J. S.
McKee, Donald	(Judge Intermediate
(Asst. Pros. Attorney)	Court)
McKee, Edward	Robinson, Alan H.
McMahon, Frank S.	Rogers, George J.
McNell, A. C.	Rosenbloom, Ben L.
McNell, F. P.	Russell, Henry M.
Nesbitt, Goodwin and	Schiffler, A. C.
Nesbitt,	(Prosecuting Attorney)
Nesbitt, Frank W.	Schmidt, Hugus and Laas,
Goodwin, Russell B.	Schmidt, Carl O.
Nesbitt, Russell G.	Hugus, Wright
Noyes, S. M.	Laas, A. W.
O'Brien and O'Brien,	Schuck, Grimes and Baer
O'Brien, J. J. P.	Schuck, Charles J.
O'Brien, Frank	Grimes, W. C.
Paull, Charles F., Jr.	Baer, J. Leonard
Pendleton, H. H.	Simpson, William F.
Piper, William	Smith, Charles J.
(Asst. Pros. Attorney)	Smith, S. G.
Porter, A. J.	Sommerville, J. B.
Richards, H. C.	(Judge Circuit Court)
Riley, Riley and Riley	Spillers, Lee C.
Riley, T. S.	Wilson, John B.
Riley, Robert J.	Wood, Austin V.
Riley, James B.	

### REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

Orion Koller, Chairman,  
Board of Trade Bldg.,  
Wheeling.

John M. Ritz, Secretary,  
411 Coal Street,  
Wheeling.

Arthur C. Edge, Treasurer,  
Bethlehem.

#### Members

##### City of Wheeling

First Ward—William Kelley, 421 Kenny Street; Nettie Grimm, 701 Market Street.

Second Ward—S. R. Dawson, 1106 Market Street.

Third Ward—Jack Wilson, 42-13th Street.

Fourth Ward—Laura Kunz, 176-18th Street; John H. Kunz, 184-18th Street.

Fifth Ward—Richard Cresap, 2224 Chapline Street; Emma Gillespie, 2108 Jacob Street.

Sixth Ward—Russell Riggs, 2604 Moyston Street.

Seventh Ward—L. L. Nightengale, 210 North Front Street; Jessie Ross, 401 South Broadway Street.

Eighth Ward—Christian Voitle, 3745 Jacob Street; Mrs. Fred Hahne, 3939 Jacob Street.

Ninth Ward—Margaret Mazingo, 2418 Vance Avenue, Warwood, Wheeling; W. G. Yates, 127 North 16th Street, Warwood, Wheeling.

Tenth Ward—Wm. A. Brasch, 120 Wshington Ave., Chantal Court, Wheeling; Ella A. Rankin, 839 National Road, Leatherwood, Wheeling.

Eleventh Ward—Homer C. Crago, Oak Park, Wheeling.

Twelfth Ward—Earl M. Giesey, 109 Key Ave., Elm Grove; Maude Wharton, 2369 National Road, Elm Grove.

Washington District—John M. Ritz, 411 Coal Street; Newton Serig, 629 Market Street; Rose Kindelberger, 30-4th Street and Bessie M. Young, 235 Fulton Street, Wheeling.

Madison District—G. B. Pelley, 435 S. Broadway Street; C. A. Ward, 27 S. Penn Street; Mrs. S. R. Warffuel, 117 N. Huron Street and Mrs. Alice Meister, 45 Zane Street, Wheeling.

Clay District—Joe Gilligan, 1100 McColloch Street; Cliff Ryan, 130½ 12th Street; Margaret McCluskey, 1155 Charles Street and Mrs. W. H. Dyson, 21-11th Street, Wheeling.

Union District—Albert Foster, 111-19th Street; Elmer Marshall, 186-17th Street and Stella Kunz, 184-18th Street, Wheeling.

Center District—Joseph Armbruster, 2323 Chapline Street; Robert Logan, 2400 Wood Street; Virginia Hall Donnelly, 2140 Market Street and Emma Bramer King, 2336 Chapline Street, Wheeling.

Webster District—Harry McCarthy, 3315 Jacob Street; A. M. Wiedman, 3018 McColloch Street; Mrs. May Dawson, 62-25th Street and Emma Wagner Falck, 121-29th Street, Wheeling.

Ritchie District—Arthur C. Edge, Bethlehem, R. D., Wheeling; Edward Deagle, 3724 McColloch Street; Mary Korrell, 3304 Wetzel Street and Mary Mann, 3634 Wetzel Street, Wheeling.

Richland District—H. W. Bartollas, 402 Richland Ave., and Jessie May Sergis, 705 Warwood Ave., Warwood, Wheeling.

Triadelphia District—S. M. Baird, R. D. 1, Wheeling; David A. McKee, R. D. 4, Peters Run, Elm Grove; Lois Henderson, 149 Edgewood Street, Wheeling; Elizabeth Rungee, "S" Bridge, Elm Grove.

Liberty District—W. C. Murray, R. D. 2, Triadelphia; Roney Vermillion, Valley Grove; Edna H. Koller, R. D. 2, Triadelphia; Zella Straub, Valley Grove.

## DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

P. J. McGinley, Chairman,  
Wheeling Steel Bldg.,  
Wheeling.

I. T. Killeen, Secy.-Treas.  
821 Hawley Bldg.,  
Wheeling.

### Members

Washington District—Anthony Connor, 10 Pike Street; L. W. Spragg,

832 Main Street and Richard A. Stein, 230 National Road, Fulton, Wheeling.

Madison District—P. J. McGinley, Wheeling Steel Building; I. T. Killeen, 821 Hawley Building; William F. Garden, 207½ North Wabash Street; Miss D. Virginia Richardson, 30 South Huron Street and Mrs. David White, 178 Zane Street, Wheeling.

Clay District—John E. Henke, 1211 Alley H; John F. Long, 1103 Charles Street and Frank Lacava, 1204 Alley H, Wheeling.

Union District—J. J. Moore, 32 Alley 15, Wheeling.

Central District—John J. Byrne, 2316 Eoff Street; William J. Byrne, 2316 Eoff Street and William McDermott, 2338 Wood Street, Wheeling.

Webster District—Frank E. Finnegan, 2633 Chapline Street; John M. Garden, 2823 Eoff Street and William J. Veese, 2504 Eoff Street, Wheeling.

Ritchie District—Lawrence V. Ennis, 41 Thirty-eighth Street; Mrs. Mayme Padden, 3801 Wood Street; Robert F. Pest, 4506 Eoff Street; Mrs. Margaret Reed, 3643 Chapline Street; Mrs. Agnes Burke Schafer, 4107 Jacob Street and Frank Schneid, 4520 Wetzal Street, Wheeling.

Richland District—E. A. Brooks, 99 Twentieth Street, Warwood, Wheeling, and Campbell Savage, Waddle Run Road, Wheeling.

Triadelphia District—F. D. Frederick, Romney Road, Beech Glen, Wheeling; Mrs. Anna Graner, 31 Avenue A, Edgedale, Wheeling; George N. Peters, 136 Gamble Avenue, Elm Grove.

Liberty District—Joe McColloch, West Liberty; John Taggart, R. D. 4, West Alexander, Penna.

#### DISTRICT OFFICERS

##### Center District

Justices of the Peace..... A. W. Rader, Republican; Wheeling.

Carl Fisher, Democrat; Wheeling.

Constables..... Charles Rader, Republican; Wheeling.

Frank McGinnis, Democrat; Wheeling.

##### Clay District

Justices of the Peace..... H. B. Seybold, Republican; Wheeling.

Lee F. Dobbs, Republican; Wheeling.

Constables..... Bert E. Phillips, Republican; Wheeling.

Charles E. McNabb, Republican; Wheeling.

##### Liberty District

Justices of the Peace..... James Stewart, Republican; Valley Grove.

Henry D. Clouse, Republican; Wheeling.

Board of Education..... President—E. S. Cooke, Republican; Elm Grove.

Secretary—J. W. Cochran, Republican; West Liberty.

Samuel Harris, Republican; Triadelphia.

D. W. Coffield, Republican; West Alexander, Pa.



## Madison District

- Justices of the Peace..... C. G. Cook, Republican; Wheeling.  
Edwin Birch, Republican; Wheeling.
- Constables..... David McSwain, Republican; Wheeling.  
Albert E. Cameron, Republican; Wheeling.

## Richland District

- Justices of the Peace..... James J. Harkins, Republican; Wheeling.  
D. G. Dean, Republican; Wheeling.
- Constable..... Frank Muth, Republican; Wheeling.
- Board of Education..... President—R. A. Alexander, Democrat;  
(Warwood), Wheeling.  
Secretary—H. A. Smith, Democrat; (Warwood), Wheeling.  
A. H. Kindleberger, Republican; (Warwood), Wheeling.  
W. E. Helfenbine, Democrat; (Warwood), Wheeling.

## Ritchie District

- Justices of the Peace..... Richard James, Republican; Wheeling.  
William H. Yenke, Republican; Wheeling.
- Constables..... Leroy Baker, Republican; Wheeling.  
Hartley Craig, Republican; Wheeling.
- Board of Education..... President—A. C. Edge, Republican; Wheeling, R. 6.  
Secretary—Mrs. H. I. Montgomery, Republican; Wheeling, R. 6.  
A. R. Montgomery, Republican; Wheeling, R. 6.  
William Archer, Democrat; Wheeling, R. 6.

## Triadelphia District

- Justices of the Peace..... John W. Farmer, Republican; Triadelphia.  
Joseph K. McLaughlin, Republican; Elm Grove.
- Constables..... L. O. Vermillion, Republican; Elm Grove.  
Louis Logamarcino, Republican; Triadelphia.
- Board of Education..... President—E. B. Showers, Republican; Elm Grove.  
Secretary—S. S. Jacob, Democrat; Wheeling.  
Howard Matthews, Republican; Wheeling.  
Henry Stein, Democrat; Elm Grove.

## Union District

- Justices of the Peace..... Albert G. Gompers, Republican; Wheeling.  
John V. Moran, Democrat; Wheeling.
- Constables..... R. L. Summerson, Democrat; Wheeling.  
Hun Butler, Republican; Wheeling.

## Washington District

Justices of the Peace.....	John W. Kindelberger, Republican; Wheeling.
	W. P. Wickman, Republican; Wheeling.
Constables.....	Fred Wiegel, Republican; Wheeling.
	C. R. Wickman, Republican; Wheeling.
Board of Education.....	President—R. A. Stein, Democrat; (Fulton), Wheeling.
	Secretary—C. B. Montgomery, Democrat; (Fulton), Wheeling.
	Ellsworth Tuttle, Democrat; (Fulton), Wheeling.
	Fred E. Cowl, Republican; (Glenwood), Wheeling.

## Webster District

Justice of the Peace.....	T. E. Corrigan, Democrat; Wheeling.
Constables.....	W. J. Burch, Democrat; Wheeling.
	Albert Stein, Republican; Wheeling.

## PENDLETON COUNTY

Pendleton County, at the head of the South Branch Valley, was established in 1788 and named for Edmund Pendleton, a distinguished statesman and jurist of Virginia. It has an area of 699 square miles. In 1920 the population of the county was 9,652 and 9,660 in 1930.

Pendleton County is an agricultural and live stock county, with timber as its chief natural resource. It is divided into the six magisterial districts of Franklin, Mill Run, Circleville, Union, Sugar Grove and Bethel.

In 1758, at Fort Upper Tract and Fort Seybert, occurred two Indian massacres, the Indians being led by Killbuck, a Shawnee chieftain. Spruce Knob, in this county, is the highest point in the state, its elevation being 4,860 feet. Other points of scenic interest are Seneca Rocks and the Smoke Hole section.

In 1929, the taxable property of the county was assessed as follows: Real estate, \$4,089,625; personal property, \$1,649,035; public utility property, \$3,479; a total assessment of \$5,742,139.

Franklin, the county seat and only municipality in the county, was established in 1794. It is located on the South Branch of the Potomac River at an elevation of 1,730 feet above sea level and in 1920 had a population of 320, which increased to 431 in 1930.

## COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

Judge Circuit Court.....	G. K. Kump, Democrat; Romney.
Terms Commence.....	Third Tuesday in March, fourth Tuesday in July and the first Tuesday in December.

Official Court Reporter.....	Mrs. James P. Hale, Democrat; Romney.
Sheriff.....	Andrew Eye, Democrat; Franklin; ex-officio Sealer Weights and Measures.
Prosecuting Attorney.....	William McCoy, Democrat; Franklin.
Clerk Circuit and Co. Courts.....	E. W. Dolly, Democrat; Franklin.
Chancery Commissioners.....	H. M. Calhoun, Jr., Democrat; Franklin. R. M. Hiner, Democrat; Franklin. William McCoy, Democrat; Franklin. M. S. Hodges, Republican; Franklin.
Supt. of Free Schools.....	O. R. Mallow, Republican; Franklin.
County Road Engineer.....	(None.)
Surveyor.....	(None.)
Assessor.....	Glenn J. Moomau, Democrat; Franklin.
Comr. of School Lands.....	(Vacancy.)
County Commissioners.....	T. Lee Swadley, Democrat; Brandywine. J. M. Harold, Republican; Upper Tract. V. R. Homan, Democrat; Sugar Grove. Ed. S. Johnson, Democrat; Franklin. Russell Calhoun, Democrat; Dry Run. Grant Harper, Republican; Teterton. (Terms all expire December 31, 1930.)
President County Court....	V. R. Homan, Democrat; Sugar Grove.
Terms Commence.....	First Monday in January, March and July; second and fourth Tuesdays in August and fourth Monday in September and No- vember.
Commissioners of Accounts.....	William McCoy, Democrat; Franklin. R. M. Hiner, Democrat; Franklin. M. K. Boggs, Republican; Franklin. H. M. Calhoun, Democrat; Franklin.
B'd Review & Equalization..	Milton Dolly, Republican; Union District; Onego; term expires in 1931. Noah Kimble, Republican; Mill Run Dis- trict; Brushy Run; term expires in 1933. Geo. W. Harrison, Democrat; Franklin Dis- trict; Franklin; term expires in 1935.
Board of Health.....	The President of the County Court and Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio; Dr. S. B. Johnson, Franklin, County Health Officer.
B'd Children's Guardians....	Miss Mary N. Waugh, District Agent; Buck- hannon.

LIST OF ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Franklin)

Calhoun and Calhoun	Hiner, R. M.
Calhoun, H. M., Sr.	Hodges, M. S.
Calhoun, H. M., Jr.	McCoy, William
Hiner, B. H.	(Prosecuting Attorney)



SENATORIAL COMMITTEE

Elmer C. Nelson, Circleville.

DISTRICT OFFICERS

Bethel District

Justice of the Peace.....D. L. May, Democrat; Ft. Seybert.  
 Board of Education..... President—J. Frank Rexrode, Democrat;  
 Brandywine.  
 Secretary—Elmer E. Propst, Republican;  
 Brandywine.  
 I. W. Wagoner, Democrat; Brandywine.  
 R. C. Williams, Democrat; Brandywine.

Circleville District

Justices of the Peace..... Walter Lambert, Democrat; Circleville.  
 M. W. Nelson, Democrat; Circleville.  
 Constable..... Willie Lambert, Democrat; Circleville.  
 Board of Education..... President—Cleat Phares, Democrat; Circle-  
 ville.  
 Fred Nelson, Republican; Circleville.  
 C. A. Warner, Democrat; Circleville.

Franklin District

Justices of the Peace..... G. Z. Warner, Democrat; Franklin.  
 Don Byrd, Democrat; Franklin.  
 Constables..... M. D. Warner, Democrat; Franklin.  
 John M. Hedrick, Democrat; Ruddle.  
 Board of Education..... President—Dr. S. B. Johnson, Democrat;  
 Franklin.  
 Secretary—George W. Harrison, Democrat;  
 Franklin.  
 L. R. Byrd, Democrat; Franklin.  
 I. H. Davis, Democrat; Franklin.

Mill Run District

Justice of the Peace..... V. A. Lantz, Republican; Upper Tract.  
 Constables..... L. H. Teter, Republican; Ruddle.  
 Oce Smith, Democrat; Ruddle.  
 Board of Education..... President—George E. Rader, Republican;  
 Upper Tract.  
 Secretary—Gertrude Mallow, Republican;  
 Upper Tract.  
 I. J. Lough, Republican; Kline.  
 J. A. Hedrick, Republican; Upper Tract.

Sugar Grove District

Justices of the Peace..... Byron J. Mitchell, Republican; Sugar Grove.  
 Arthur Eckard, Republican; Sugar Grove.  
 Constables..... Wertie Bowers, Republican; Sugar Grove.

	Arlie C. Smith, Republican; Sugar Grove.
Board of Education.....	President—T. J. Puffenbarger, Democrat; Sugar Grove.
	James T. Rexrode, Democrat; Sugar Grove.
	George F. Mitchell, Democrat; Sugar Grove.
	Jacob Mitchell, Democrat; Mitchell.
	Union District
Justices of the Peace.....	M. L. Raines, Republican; Teterton.
	Arthur Vance, Republican; Onego.
Constables.....	R. P. Auville, Republican; Brood.
	J. R. Adamson, Republican; Teterton.
Board of Education.....	President—C. D. Harman, Republican; Riv- erton.
	Secretary—J. G. Raines, Republican; Brood.
	M. K. Vance, Republican; Onego.
	Eston Yokum, Republican; Mouth of Seneca.

### PLEASANTS COUNTY

Pleasants, a northwestern county on the Ohio River, was formed in 1851 and named in honor of James Pleasants, who represented Virginia in the United States Senate and was its governor, 1822-1825. The county has an area of 132 square miles, divided into into six magisterial districts, Lafayette, Union, Washington, Grant, Jefferson and McKim.

The population of the county, in 1920, was 7,379 and 6,545 in 1930. In 1929, the total assessed value of its taxable property was \$8,809,989, of which \$3,588,170 represented real estate, \$2,514,105 personal property and \$2,707,714 public utility property. It is an agricultural county, with developments of oil and gas.

St. Marys, the county seat, only incorporated place in the county, is located on the Ohio River and has an elevation above sea level of 724 feet. It was established in 1851. Its 1920 population of 1,648 had increased to 2,182 in 1930.

### COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

Judge Circuit Court.....	S. O. Prunty, Republican; Harrisville.
Terms Commence.....	Second Tuesday in January, fourth Tuesday in April and the second Tuesday in Sep- tember.
Official Court Reporter.....	Herbert Mayne, Republican; Parkersburg.
Sheriff.....	M. L. Bonar, Republican; St. Marys; ex- officio Sealer Weights & Measures.
Prosecuting Attorney.....	F. J. Barron, Democrat; St. Marys.
Clerk Circuit Court.....	H. F. Simonton, Republican; St. Marys.

- Chancery Commissioners . . . R. L. Griffin, Republican; St. Marys.  
Ross Wells, Republican; St. Marys.  
G. D. Smith, Democrat; St. Marys.
- Clerk County Court . . . . . R. L. Griffin, Republican; St. Marys.
- Supt. of Free Schools . . . . . Ida Peryl Morris, Democrat; Bens Run.
- County Road Engineer . . . . . (None.)
- Surveyor . . . . . John Triplett, Republican; Willow.
- Assessor . . . . . P. E. Cox, Republican; Maxwell.
- Comr. of School Lands . . . . . Ross Wells, Republican; St. Marys.
- County Commissioners . . . . . R. A. Wilmarth, Republican; Willow; term expires December 31, 1932.  
O. F. Lamp, Republican; Hebron; term expires December 31, 1934.  
F. F. Morgan, Democrat; St. Marys; term expires November, 1930.
- President County Court . . . . . O. F. Lamp, Republican; Hebron.
- Terms Commence . . . . . First Monday in each month.
- Commissioners of Accounts . . . . . R. L. Griffin, Republican; St. Marys.  
D. W. Dillon, Democrat; St. Marys.  
G. D. Smith, Democrat; St. Marys.
- B'd Review & Equalization . . . . . O. C. Sweeney, Democrat; Washington District; St. Marys; term expires in 1931.  
Thomas E. Fleming, Republican; Lafayette District; Federal; term expires in 1933.  
J. H. Marple, Republican; Jefferson District; St. Marys; term expires in 1935.
- Board of Health . . . . . The President of the County Court and Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio; Dr. C. L. Barron, St. Marys, County Health Officer.
- B'd Children's Guardians . . . . . Miss Stella Parker, District Agent; Parkersburg.
- U. S. Board Ex. Surgeons . . . . . St. Marys. Dr. A. S. Grimm, Single Surgeon.

LIST OF ATTORNEYS

(Post office address St. Marys)

- Barron, F. J. Powell, J. C.  
(Prosecuting Attorney) Smith, G. D.
- Craig, C. P. Wells, Ross
- Noland, J. C.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Officers

- W. E. Clovis, Chairman, Mrs. R. R. Hezlep, Vice Chairman,  
St. Marys. St. Marys.
- C. R. Williamson, Treasurer, R. L. Griffin, Secretary,  
St. Marys. St. Marys.

### Members

Grant District—J. B. Franklin, Waverly, R. 3; Florence M. Stanton and Chester Sloan, Belmont; Mrs. Pearl Holdren, Willow.

Jefferson District—O. W. Gard, Willow; J. H. Marple and Mrs. Pearl I. Casey, St. Marys, R. 2; Mrs. Edna Ketser, St. Marys, R. 1.

Lafayette District—W. D. Williamson, D. L. Satterfield and Mrs. C. F. Wagner, Hebron; Mrs. J. H. Campbell, Meadville.

McKim District—J. F. Brammer and Miss Loy Allison, St. Marys; H. H. Shawver and Mrs. Rosa Myers, Maxwell.

Union District—O. S. Buchanan, Bens Run; George Davis and Bertha Gorrell, Arvilla; Mrs. Mabel V. Kiester, St. Marys, R. 2.

Washington District—M. C. Harper, W. E. Clovis, Mrs. L. D. Shreves and Mrs. Nelson Felter, St. Marys.

### DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

Clarence A. Ruckman, Chairman, St. Marys.	Lillie Hammett, Assoc. Chairman, Eureka.
Ida Peryl Morris, Secretary, St. Marys.	Lenora Williams, Treasurer, St. Marys.

#### Members

Lafayette District—Lewis Bell, Adlai; F. M. May and Mrs. A. G. Lamp, Hebron; Letha Stout, Federal.

Union District—Lewis Rosenlieb, Bens Run, R. D.; L. C. White and Bertha Davis, Raven Rock; Ida Peryl Morris, St. Marys.

Washington District—Clarence A. Ruckman, O. C. Sweeney, Lenora C. Williams and Mrs. R. B. H. Riggs, St. Marys.

Grant District—W. E. Snyder and Lillie Hammett, Eureka; Mrs. Ora Foley, Waverly, R. D.; C. B. Shingleton, Belmont.

Jefferson District—John Dennis and Beatrice Ruckman, St. Marys, R. 1; James Severn, Pleasants; Mollie Ruckman, Belmont.

McKim District—W. C. Boley, L. E. Fleming and Lillie Shingleton, St. Marys, R. 35; Margie McCullough, St. Marys, R. 39.

### DISTRICT OFFICERS

#### Grant District

Justice of the Peace.....(Vacancies in the office.)

Board of Education..... President—S. C. Angus, Republican;  
Waverly.

Secretary—W. M. Sheets, Democrat; Wil-  
low.

T. H. Smith, Republican; Belmont.

J. F. McAtee, Republican; Willow.



## Jefferson District

Justice of the Peace.....(Vacancies in the office.)  
 Constable.....(Vacancies in the office.)  
 Board of Education.....President—H. E. Flowers, Republican; St. Marys.  
 Secretary—Granville Kester, Republican; St. Marys.  
 G. S. M. Powell, Republican; St. Marys.  
 J. M. Ruckman, Democrat; St. Marys.

## Lafayette District

Justice of the Peace.....(Vacancies in the office.)  
 Constable.....(Vacancies in the office.)  
 Board of Education.....President—O. J. Smith, Democrat; Hebron.  
 Secretary—W. D. Williamson, Republican; Hebron.  
 W. P. Jones, Republican; Hebron.  
 F. E. Fleming, Republican; Federal.

## McKim District

Justice of the Peace.....Charles Griffith, Democrat; St. Marys.  
 Constable.....(By special appointment.)  
 Board of Education.....President—Coleman Davis, Democrat; St. Marys.  
 Secretary—Loy Allison, Republican; St. Marys.  
 A. Nichols, Democrat; St. Marys, R. 2.  
 O. P. Shingleton, Democrat; St. Marys.

## Union District

Justice of the Peace.....Rymer Davis, Republican; Bens Run.  
 Constable.....(By special appointment.)  
 Board of Education.....President—Jack Bennett, Republican; Bens Run.  
 Secretary—O. S. Buckhannon, Republican; Bens Run.  
 M. N. Buckhannon, Republican; Bens Run.  
 Harvey Wagner, Republican; Arvilla.

## Washington District

Justices of the Peace.....A. C. Imlay, Democrat; St. Marys. ,  
 John S. Dotson, Democrat; St. Marys.  
 Constable.....John A. Riggs, Republican; St. Marys.  
 Board of Education.....President—Howard Locke, Republican; St. Marys.  
 Secretary—D. B. Fleming, Democrat; St. Marys.  
 S. E. Archer, Republican; St. Marys.  
 G. B. Phillips, Republican; St. Marys.

### POCAHONTAS COUNTY

Pocahontas County, in the Appalachian Highlands, was formed in 1821 and named for Pocahontas, the Indian princess. It has an area of 904 square miles, being the fourth largest county in the state. Its population in 1920 was 15,002 and in 1930 was 14,555.

The county has been called the birthplace of rivers. It is mountainous and has many peaks 4,500 feet in height. The four magisterial districts of the county are Edray, Greenbank, Huntersville and Little Levels.

In 1919, the taxable property in the county was assessed as follows: Real estate, \$8,371,610; personal property, \$3,882,850; public utility property, \$2,911,400; a total assessment of \$15,165,860.

Marlinton, the county seat, since 1891, is located on the Greenbrier River, at an elevation of 2,131 feet above sea level. It was first settled in 1749, being known as Marlin's Bottom until 1887, when the present town was laid out. In 1920 its population was 1,117 and in 1930, as shown by the census report, was 1,586.

Huntersville, unincorporated, was the county seat from 1822 to 1891, when the county seat was moved to Marlinton.

The three other municipalities in the county, with their 1930 populations are: Cass, 708; Durbin, 498; and Hillsboro, 220.

The State Colored Tuberculosis Sanitarium, under the direction of Dr. B. A. Crichlow, Superintendent, is located at Denmar, in this county.

The site of the Battle of Droop Mountain, the most extensive Civil War conflict in the state, which occurred on November 6, 1863, in this county, was acquired by the state in 1929, and is now a Battlefield Park.

### COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

Judge Circuit Court.....	S. H. Sharp, Republican; Marlinton.
Terms Commence.....	Second Tuesday in March, first Tuesday in June and the first Tuesday in October.
Official Court Reporter.....	Bernard H. Twyford, Republican; Lewisburg.
Sheriff.....	S. Reid Moore, Republican; Edray; ex-officio Sealer of Weights & Measures.
Prosecuting Attorney.....	Allen P. Edgar, Democrat; Marlinton.
Clerk Circuit Court.....	D. C. Adkison, Republican; Marlinton.
Gen'l Receiver Circuit Court.....	E. C. Smith, Republican; Marlinton.
Chancery Commissioners.....	Allan P. Edgar, Democrat; Marlinton. N. C. McNeil, Republican; Marlinton. P. T. Ward, Democrat; Marlinton. D. C. Adkinson, Republican; Marlinton. T. S. McNeel, Democrat; Marlinton.
Divorce Commissioner.....	T. S. McNeel, Democrat; Marlinton.
Clerk County Court.....	S. L. Brown, Democrat; Marlinton.
Supt. Free Schools.....	C. E. Flynn, Republican; Marlinton.
County Road Engineer.....	(None.)
Surveyor.....	W. R. Sutton, Democrat; Hosterman.

Assessor.....	R. N. Nottingham, Democrat; Boyer.
Com'r of School Lands.....	O. Hunter Kee, Marlinton.
County Commissioners.....	H. H. Hudson, Democrat; Durbin; term expires December 31, 1930. A. C. Barlow, Democrat; Marlinton; term expires December 31, 1932. M. C. Smith, Republican; Hillsboro; term expires December 31, 1934.
President County Court.....	A. C. Barlow, Democrat; Marlinton.
Terms Commence.....	First Tuesday in January and March, and fourth Tuesday in June and September.
Commissioners of Accounts.	J. E. Buckley, Republican; Marlinton. T. S. McNeel, Democrat; Marlinton. P. T. Ward, Democrat; Marlinton.
B'd Review & Equalization...	R. S. Hickman, Republican; Greenbank District; Cass; term expires in 1931. Luster Shrader, Republican; Huntersville District; Frost; term expires in 1933. S. B. Wallace, Democrat; Edray District; Marlinton; term expires 1935.
B'd of Children's Guardians..	Miss Lena B. Smith, District Agent; Lewisburg.
Board of Health.....	The President of the County Court and Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio; Dr. J. M. Yeager, Marlinton, County Health Officer.

### LIST OF ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Marlinton)

Buckley, J. E.	Hill, F. R.
Cooper, A. E.	McNeel, T. S.
Edgar, Allan P.	Sharp, S. H.
(Prosecuting Attorney)	(Circuit Judge)
Ward, P. T.	

### REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

C. P. McNeill, Chairman-Treasurer, Buckeye.	D. C. Akison, Secretary, Marlinton.
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#### Members

Greenbank District—S. H. Hiner and Mrs. J. H. Flenner, Durbin;  
George S. Graham, Cass; Mrs. H. H. Grimes, Dunmore.

Edray District—R. H. McElwee and Mrs. John T. Nelson, Marlinton;  
W. H. Gilmore, Onota; Miss Olita Moore Gay, Edray.

Huntersville District—J. A. Reed and George F. Alderman, Hunters-



**Huntersville District**

Justices of the Peace . . . . .	John Perry, Republican; Marlinton. Walter Grimes, Republican; Huntersville.
Constable . . . . .	Mitchel Sharp, Republican; Dunmore.
Board of Education . . . . .	President—J. A. Reed, Republican; Huntersville. Secretary—G. M. Sharp, Republican; Huntersville. Austin J. Sharp, Republican; Huntersville. A. A. Grimes, Republican; Huntersville.

**Little Levels District**

Justices of the Peace . . . . .	F. T. La Rue, Democrat; Hillsboro. John Lantz, Democrat; Mill Point.
Constables . . . . .	S. S. Workman, Republican; Hillsboro. Tony Kershner, Democrat; Spice.
Board of Education . . . . .	President—Samuel Sheets, Democrat; Hillsboro. Secretary—G. L. Carlisle, Republican; Hillsboro. H. W. McNeel, Democrat; Hillsboro. E. H. Waugh, Republican; Mill Point.

**PRESTON COUNTY**

Preston, a northern county, was formed in 1818 and named in honor of James Patton Preston, thirteenth governor of Virginia. It has a land area of 650 square miles and in 1920 had a population of 27,996. This had increased, in 1930, to 29,043.

The county is largely agricultural and is well known by its grain and cereal products, but has extensive coal developments. It has eight magisterial districts: Kingwood, Valley, Lyon, Reno, Union, Portland, Pleasant and Grant.

The total assessed value of the property in the county in 1929 was \$30,003,217, divided as follows: Real estate, \$15,639,530; personal property, \$5,400,400; public utility property, \$8,963,287.

Kingwood, the county seat, established in 1811, has an elevation of 1,962 feet above sea level. Its 1920 population of 1,417 had increased to 1,709 in 1930.

The other incorporated towns in Preston County, with populations as shown by the 1930 census, are: Albright, 343; Brandonville, 82; Bruce-ton Mills, 116; Masontown, 924; Newburg, 745; Reedsville, 345; Rowlesburg, 1,573; Terra Alta, 1,474; and Tunnelton, 595.

The State Tuberculosis Sanitarium, (for the white race), under the management of Dr. George F. Evans, Acting Superintendent, is located at Hopemont, in this county, near Terra Alta.

Camp Dawson, on the Cheat River, near Kingwood, owned and controlled by the state, is the permanent camp for the 201st Infantry (for-

merly the 1st) West Virginia National Guard. The camp was named in honor of Ex-Governor William M. O. Dawson.

### COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

Judge Circuit Court.....	A. G. Hughes, Republican; Kingwood.
Terms Commence.....	Second Tuesday in March, second Tuesday in June and the third Tuesday in November.
Official Court Reporter.....	Miss Effie Duvall, Republican; Kingwood.
Sheriff.....	W. W. Williams, Republican; Kingwood. Ex-officio Sealer Weights & Measures.
Prosecuting Attorney.....	Melvin C. Snyder, Republican; Kingwood.
Clerk Circuit Court.....	John W. Watson, Republican; Kingwood.
Gen'l Receiver Circuit Court.	Felix Elliott, Republican; Kingwood.
Divorce Commissioner.....	J. Ben Brady, Republican; Kingwood.
Chancery Commissioners...	James T. Dailey, Republican; Kingwood. J. Ben Brady, Kingwood. J. W. Watson, Kingwood. Charles P. Wilhelm, Kingwood.
Clerk County Court.....	P. F. King, Republican; Kingwood.
Supt. Free Schools.....	D. K. Mason, Republican; Kingwood.
County Road Engineer.....	(None.)
Surveyor.....	S. R. Guseman, Republican; Glade Farms.
Assessor.....	J. D. Browning, Republican; Kingwood.
Com'r of School Lands...	C. C. Pierce, Republican; Kingwood.
County Commissioners .....	L. O. White, Republican; Kingwood; term expires December 31, 1930. W. V. Pifer, Republican; Aurora; term expires December 31, 1930. J. W. Dodge, Republican; Terra Alta; term expires December 31, 1930. John E. Jenkins, Republican; Albright; term expires December 31, 1930. M. A. Sisler, Republican; Kingwood; term expires December 31, 1930. H. F. Copeman, Democrat, Brandonville; term expires December 31, 1930. Hayes Sapp, Democrat; Newburg; term expires December 31, 1930. A. A. Pickering, Republican; Reno Dist., Rowlesburg; term expires December 31, 1930.
President County Court.....	A. A. Pickering, Republican; Rowlesburg.
Terms Commence.....	First Monday in January, first Monday in April, second Monday in July and first Monday in October.

Commissioners of Accounts . . .	J. Ben Brady, Republican; Kingwood. H. G. Crogan, Republican; Kingwood. C. E. Trembly, Democrat; Terra Alta. W. D. R. Annan, Democrat; Newburg.
B'd Review & Equalization . . .	O. Y. Shaw, Republican; Grant District; Bruceton Mills; term expires in 1931. G. E. Wilson, Democrat; Kingwood District; Kingwood; term expires in 1933. Emanuel Dixon, Republican; Valley District; Reedsville; term expires in 1935.
Board of Health . . . . .	The President of the County Court and Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio. Dr. L. T. Browning, Kingwood; Health Officer.
B'd Children's Guardians . . .	Miss Margaret E. McKinney, District Agent, Professional Building; Fairmont.
U. S. B'd Ex. Surgeons . . . .	Kingwood. Drs. B. S. Rankin, F. D. Fortney and R. D. Harman.
Humane Officer . . . . .	Henry Shay, Austen.

## LIST OF ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Kingwood, unless otherwise given)

Brady, J. Ben	Hundley, J. P., Masontown
Crogan, P. J.	Parrack, Deets, Terra Alta
Crogan, H. G.	Parrack, Frank E.
Dailey, James T.	(Asst. U. S. Dist. Atty.)
Everhart, L. F., Terra Alta	Pierce, Carleton C.
Gibson and Mattingly	(State Adjutant General, Charleston)
Gibson, Joseph	Snyder, Melvin C.
Mattingly, I. R.	(Prosecuting Attorney)
Hughes, A. G.	Wilhelm, Charles P.
(Judge Circuit Court)	

## REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

## Officers

Melvin C. Snyder, Chairman, Kingwood.	Mrs. J. A. Stuck, Assoc. Chairman, Newburg.
Mrs. J. D. Browning, Secretary, Kingwood.	R. H. Fretwell, Treasurer, Manheim.

## Members

Kingwood District—Hubert Crogan and Mrs. Mary C. Brady, Kingwood; E. W. Watson and Miss Nellie Halbritter, Tunnelton.

Valley District—J. S. Radabaugh and Mrs. J. E. Hartley, Masontown; Guy E. Watson and Mrs. Gertrude Ashburn, Reedsville.

Lyon District—A. M. Larew, Howard C. Fream, Mrs. Lula Bertha Fortney and Mrs. J. A. Stuck, Newburg.

Reno District—H. R. Hollis and Mrs. Lottie K. Fogle, Rowlesburg; George W. Harvey and Mrs. Archie Reed, Newburg, R. 2.

Union District—George Bolyard, Erwin; J. H. Helmick, Aurora; Mrs. G. B. Hamstead, Eglon; Mrs. Bertha Sanders, Rowlesburg.

Portland District—R. H. Fretwell, James A. Loughry and Mrs. P. H. Felton, Manheim; Mrs. J. G. Pettit, Terra Alta.

Pleasant District—George A. Englehart, Mrs. Pearl Feather and Mrs. Rebecca Miller, Albright; Herman Dillow, Hudson.

Grant District—L. E. Harader, Clifton Mills; W. G. Armstrong, Bruce-ten; Mrs. Josephine Younkin, Brandonville; Mrs. H. H. Griffin, Pisgah.

### DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

J. V. Gibson, Chairman,  
Kingwood.

J. H. Weirich, Secretary,  
Kingwood.

George Boehm, Treasurer,  
Reedsville.

#### Members

Kingwood District—J. H. Weirich and Mrs. Anna Cummings, Kingwood; Hubert Pentory, Tunnelton; Mrs. Cerial Webber, Howesville.

Valley District—W. H. Loar and Mrs. J. F. Ward, Reedsville; W. H. Post, Masontown.

Lynn District—H. A. Bailey and Mrs. Earl Smith, Independence; Yeager Leith and Mrs. Mabel Campbell, Newburg.

Reno District—J. E. Walsh, Mrs. Clara Cheeny and Mrs. J. H. Pugh, Rowlesburg; Charles Phillips, Tunnelton.

Union District—W. G. White, Fred Stemple, Mrs. Cora Stemple and Mrs. A. C. Wilt, Aurora.

Portland District—Lloyd DeBerry, C. B. Linger and Mrs. Belle Ringer, Terra Alta; Mrs. Mary Engler, Manheim.

Pleasant District—J. M. Gibson, Albright, R. D.; George Spiker and Mrs. Bliss Wolfe, Brandonville; Mrs. Belle Kelley, Cranesville.

Grant District—C. L. Nieman, L. F. Fraser, Mrs. F. M. Cunningham and Mrs. Abner Walls, Bruce-ton.

### DISTRICT OFFICERS

#### Grant District

Justices of the Peace.....J. D. Evans, Republican; Bruce-ton Mills.

C. R. Michael, Republican; Bruce-ton Mills.

Constable.....D. B. Johnson, Republican; Bruce-ton Mills.

Board of Education.....President—A. G. DeFoe, Republican; Bruce-ton Mills.

Secretary—Ray Hinebaugh, Republican;  
Bruce-ton Mills.

Scott Ridenour, Republican; Clifton Mills.

Noah Thomas, Republican; Brandonville.



**Kingwood District**

- Justices of the Peace**..... E. C. Everly, Republican; Kingwood.  
George Kercheval, Republican; Tunnelton.
- Constables**..... John W. Gidley, Republican; Kingwood.  
E. F. Hill, Republican; Tunnelton.
- Board of Education**..... President—J. V. Gibson, Democrat; King-  
wood.  
Secretary—James Larchem, Republican;  
Kingwood.  
C. M. Jackson, Republican; Kingwood.  
H. D. Zinn, Republican; Tunnelton.

**Lyon District**

- Justices of the Peace**..... C. M. Hollis, Republican; Newburg.  
W. H. Sheets, Democrat; Newburg, R. D.
- Constables**..... S. M. Shuttleworth, Democrat; Newburg.  
W. C. Evans, Republican; Newburg.
- Board of Education**..... President—F. D. Fortney, Republican;  
Newburg.  
Secretary—Joe Van Zandt, Republican;  
Newburg.  
J. F. Crogan, Republican; Newburg.  
John Lambert, Republican; Newburg.

**Pleasant District**

- Justice of the Peace**..... (Vacant.)
- Constable**..... (By special appointment.)
- Board of Education**..... President—Frank S. Englehart, Republi-  
can; Albright.  
Secretary—J. E. Jenkins, Republican; Al-  
bright.  
C. F. Spiker, Republican; Brandonville.  
Parley E. Liston, Republican; Valley Point.

**Portland District**

- Justices of the Peace**..... Grant Whitehair, Republican; Terra Alta.  
James A. Loughry, Republican; Manheim.
- Constables**..... S. W. McVicker, Republican; Manheim.  
Fuller Kelley, Republican; Terra Alta.
- Board of Education**..... President—W. O. Shay, Republican; Terra  
Alta.  
Secretary—W. R. Shaw, Republican; Terra  
Alta.  
R. H. Fretwell, Republican; Manheim.  
C. W. Freeland, Republican; Albright.

**Reno District**

- Justices of the Peace**..... E. C. Nine, Republican; Rowlesburg.  
B. F. Woodward, Republican; Fellowshipville.
- Constable**..... C. W. Wheeler, Republican; Rowlesburg.

- Board of Education . . . . . President—H. L. Watkins, Republican;  
Rowlesburg.  
Secretary—R. D. Halbritter, Republican;  
Rowlesburg.  
Frank Funk, Republican; Rowlesburg.  
Clinton Wolfe, Republican; Newburg.
- Union District
- Justice of the Peace . . . . . William G. White, Democrat; Aurora.  
Constable . . . . . H. S. Myers, Republican; Aurora.  
Board of Education . . . . . President—R. C. Wotring, Republican;  
Aurora.  
Secretary—Ernest Schrock, Republican;  
Aurora.  
John T. Fike, Republican; Eglon.  
A. Johnson, Republican; Eglon.
- Valley District
- Justices of the Peace . . . . . J. P. Hundley, Republican; Masontown.  
Virgil McMillen, Republican; Reedsville.  
Constables . . . . . H. B. Jackson, Republican; Masontown.  
B. W. Arnold, Republican; Masontown.  
Board of Education . . . . . President—Porter Jenkins, Republican;  
Masontown.  
Secretary—W. J. Sturgiss, Republican;  
Masontown.  
O. M. Mayfield, Republican; Cascade.  
Curtis Hawkins, Republican; Reedsville.

## PUTNAM COUNTY

Putnam County, named in honor of General Israel Putnam, the New England soldier and patriot, was established in 1848. It has a land area of 336 square miles, which is divided into the six magisterial districts of Buffalo, Curry, Poca, Scott, Teays Valley and Union. Winfield and Nitro maintain independent school districts.

Lying on both sides of the Kanawha River, the county is agricultural, with some oil and gas developments. Its greatest natural resource, coal, is largely developed, with mines at many places in the county.

In 1920 the county had a population of 17,531, the population in 1930 being 16,737. The total assessment of the property in the county in 1929 was \$15,036,383, divided as follows: Real estate, \$6,865,620; personal property, \$2,570,510; public utility property, \$5,600,253.

Winfield, the county seat, laid out in 1848 and named for General Winfield Scott, of Mexican War fame, is located on the Kanawha River, at an approximate altitude of 570 feet. Its 1920 population of 253, increased slightly in 1930 to 294.

Buffalo, incorporated in 1837, had a population in 1930 of 316, the 1920 population being 300.

Hurricane, on the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway, in the center of the tobacco growing section, became a municipality in 1888. In 1920 its population was 666, which increased to 1,293 in 1930.

COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

- Judge Circuit Court..... Thomas R. Shepherd, Republican; Huntington.
- Terms Commence..... First Monday in March, fourth Monday in June and the third Monday in October.
- Official Court Reporter..... Austin M. Sikes, Republican; Huntington.
- Sheriff..... A. M. Harmon, Democrat; Red House.
- Prosecuting Attorney..... C. C. Knapp, Republican; Winfield.
- Clerk Circuit Court..... J. W. Anderson, Republican; Winfield.
- Gen'l Receiver Circuit Court. (None.)
- Chancery Commissioners.... J. W. Anderson, Republican; Winfield.  
Jerome Dudding, Democrat; Winfield.  
O. G. Beckett, Republican; Scott Depot.
- Divorce Commissioner..... J. S. Parkins, Republican; Paradise.
- Clerk County Court..... Lee Barrows, Republican; Winfield.
- Supt. Free Schools..... W. E. Thompson, Democrat; Hurricane.
- County Road Engineer..... (None.)
- Surveyor..... (None.)
- Assessor..... J. A. Crago, Republican; Paradise.
- Com'r of School Lands..... O. G. Beckett, Republican; Scott Depot.
- County Commissioners..... D. V. Bennett, Republican; Liberty; term expires December 31, 1930.  
C. H. Byrnside, Republican; Hurricane; term expires December 31, 1932.  
E. D. Martin, Republican; Buffalo; term expires December 31, 1934.
- President County Court..... C. H. Byrnside, Republican; Hurricane.
- Terms Commence..... Second Monday in March, first Monday in July, second Monday in October and the first Monday in December.
- Commissioners of Accounts.. Lee Barrows, Republican; Winfield.  
Jerome Dudding, Democrat; Winfield.
- Scaler of Wts. & Measures.. Sheriff ex-officio.
- B'd Review & Equalization... J. M. Sovine, Republican; Teays Valley District; Hurricane; term expires in 1931.  
M. Wears, Republican; Buffalo District; Pliny; term expires in 1933.  
Mrs. Maggie Morris, Democrat; Scott District; Winfield; term expires in 1935.
- Board of Health..... The President of the County Court and Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio; Dr. D. J. Simmons, Buffalo; County Health Officer.
- B'd Children's Guardians.... Miss Camille Harper, District Agent; Court House, Huntington.

U. S. B'd Ex. Surgeons . . . . . Buffalo; Dr. H. P. Blake.  
 Humane Officer . . . . . Walter Raynes, Republican; Winfield.

### LIST OF ATTORNEYS

(Post office address, Winfield, unless otherwise given)

Bayer and Knapp, (Also Nitro)	Beckett, O. G., Scott Depot
Bayer, H. W.	Copen, C. E.
Knapp, C. C.	Dudding, Jerome
(Prosecuting Attorney)	Parkins, J. S., Paradise
	Reed, Louis E.

### REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

Roscoe C. Mullins, Chairman, Buffalo.	W. Z. Cash, Secretary, Winfield.
W. E. Lewis, Treasurer, Buffalo.	

#### Members

Buffalo District—T. P. Hall and Austa Raynes, Buffalo; Robert Sanders, Pliny; Cordia Warner, Robertsburg.

Curry District—W. T. Mynes, Teays; Mrs. Della Hodges, Teays, R. D.; A. N. Sumner and Mrs. H. F. Henson, Hurricane.

Poca District—T. P. Francis, Poca; R. H. Parkins, Paradise; Virgie Harrison, Bancroft; Maude Good, Poca.

Scott District—W. Z. Cash, R. A. Raynes and Alta Holly, Winfield; Koena Erskine, Teays.

Teays Valley District—Monica Sovine and G. W. Sovine, Hurricane; Ivan Davis, Fraziers Bottom; Mrs. Elmer Foster, Hurricane, R. 1.

Union District—D. W. Grant, J. L. McGill, Jennie Cain and Lizzie Little, Red House.

### DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

Dr. H. A. Erwin, Chairman, Hurricane.	J. W. Miller, Secretary, Winfield.
J. M. Chaney, Treasurer, Hurricane.	

#### Members

Buffalo District—W. E. Fife and Mrs. James Crawford, Buffalo; James Ewers and Mrs. May Hedrick, Red House.

Curry District—J. M. Chaney and Carl A. Henderson, Hurricane; Mrs. M. Lanier and Mrs. Doris Sovine.

Poca District—J. A. Harmon and Mrs. O. L. Agee, Poca; T. A. McGucken, Bancroft; Mrs. Victoria Erwin, Nitro.

Scott District—O. L. Moore, W. E. Childers and Mrs. Myrtle Rose, Winfield; Carrie Kirtley, Scary.

Teays Valley District—Garland H. Dean, Hurricane; Alfred Gibeaut, Fraziers Bottom; Emma Holloway and Calvin A. Neal, Hurricane.

Union District—Miller Brown and Mary Winget, Red House; Carl Coleman, Bee; Iva Tucker, Buffalo.

DISTRICT OFFICERS

Buffalo District

Justices of the Peace..... T. J. McGinnis, Republican; Robertsburg.  
M. Wears, Republican; Pliny.

Constables ..... (None.)

Board of Education ..... President—W. A. Warner, Republican;  
Robertsburg.  
Secretary—B. R. Jackson, Republican; Buffalo.  
John P. Henson, Republican; Buffalo.  
E. V. Oldaker, Republican; Buffalo.

Curry District

Justices of the Peace..... J. F. Keeling, Democrat; Hurricane.  
W. T. Hayslett, Democrat; Hurricane.

Constables..... W. R. Pate, Democrat; Hurricane.  
John A. Johnson, Democrat; Hurricane.

Board of Education..... President—W. M. Ellis, Democrat; Teays.  
Secretary—H. M. Sovine, Republican; Hurricane.  
L. L. Burdette, Democrat; Hurricane.  
C. J. Duke, Democrat; Hurricane.

Poca District

Justices of the Peace..... A. J. Lyon, Democrat; Nitro.

Constable..... J. W. Craig, Democrat; Nitro.

Board of Education..... President—C. M. Lloyd, Democrat; Poca.  
Secretary—W. M. Walters, Democrat;  
Bancroft.  
E. D. Thomas, Democrat; Poca.  
V. F. McClanahan, Democrat; Lanham.

Scott District

Justices of the Peace..... V. M. Meddings, Republican; Scott Depot.  
R. A. Raynes, Republican; Winfield.

Constable..... Leslie Childers, Republican; Winfield.

Board of Education..... President—C. L. Stricklin, Democrat;  
Winfield.  
Secretary—W. H. Lewis, Republican; Scott Depot.

Ben Hedrick, Republican; Winfield.  
W. J. Cooper, Democrat; Teays.

#### Teays Valley District

Justices of the Peace . . . . . E. B. Holley, Republican; Winfield.  
C. A. Grishaber, Republican; Hurricane.  
Constables . . . . . (Vacancy.)  
Board of Education . . . . . President—Joseph Jordan, Republican;  
Hurricane.  
Secretary—W. A. Fisher, Republican;  
Hurricane.  
B. O. Young, Republican; Hurricane.  
L. L. Litton, Republican; Hurricane.

#### Union District

Justices of the Peace . . . . . Fred Wolford, Republican; Liberty.  
F. M. Rairden, Republican; Red House.  
Constable . . . . . B. O. Casto, Republican; Bee.  
Board of Education . . . . . President—G. A. Cottrill, Republican; Red  
House.  
Secretary—N. N. Gardner, Republican;  
Liberty.  
C. W. Casto, Republican; Bee.  
D. W. Jividen, Republican; Bee.

#### Winfield Independent School District

Board of Education . . . . . President—A. G. Young, Democrat; Win-  
field.  
Secretary—W. E. Hodges, Republican; Win-  
field.  
W. B. Cash, Republican; Winfield.  
J. J. Fewell, Republican; Winfield.

#### Nitro Independent School District

Board of Education . . . . . President—W. H. Putney, Democrat; Nitro.  
Secretary—G. C. Alderson, Democrat;  
Nitro.  
W. L. Wentz, Democrat; Nitro.  
C. L. Masters, Republican; Nitro.

## RALEIGH COUNTY

Raleigh County, established in 1850 from part of Fayette County and named for Sir Walter Raleigh, the English adventurer and soldier, has a land area of 597 square miles. From this have been formed the following seven magisterial districts; Shady Springs, Richmond, Clear Fork, Trap Hill, Slab Fork, Marsh Fork and Town.

The county had in 1920, a population of 42,482. This increased by 25,590, or slightly more than sixty per cent to 68,072 in 1930.

The county lies in the drainage basin of the New, Guyandotte and Coal Rivers, and with its nineteen workable seams of coal, has become one of the great coal producing counties of West Virginia. These coal developments furnish a ready market for the agricultural products of the county.

In 1929, the taxable property of the county was assessed as follows: Real estate, \$30,976,144; personal property, \$7,592,615; public utility property, \$10,580,682; making a total assessment of \$49,149,441.

Beckley, the county seat, chartered in 1837, has an elevation of about 2,400 feet above sea level and is the center of the coal-producing section of the county. This city has made a rapid growth in the last decade, its 1930 population of 9,357, having increased by 5,308 from 4,149 in 1920.

Rutherford State Sanitarium, established in 1927 for the treatment of tuberculosis among the white race, and named for Dr. A. G. Rutherford, Superintendent of Welch Hospital No. 1, is located at Beckley.

Other incorporated towns in the county, with their 1930 populations are: Lester, 609; Mabscott, 1,260; and Sophia, 611, all substantial increases over the populations of 1920.

COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

- Judge Circuit Court..... C. M. Ward, Democrat; Beckley.
- Terms Commence..... Third Monday in February, third Monday in May, fourth Monday in August, first Monday in December.
- Official Court Reporter..... Irma Sutphin, Democrat; Beckley.
- Judge Criminal Court..... Hugh A. Dunn, Republican; Beckley.
- Terms Commence..... Second Monday in January, third Monday in March, second Monday in June, third Monday in October.
- Official Court Reporter..... G. Evelyn Thompson, Democrat; Beckley.
- Sheriff..... M. J. Meadows, Democrat; Beckley.
- Prosecuting Attorney..... W. H. McGinnis, Jr., Democrat; Beckley.
- Ass't Prosecuting Attorney..... J. E. Summerfield, Democrat; Beckley.
- Clerk Circuit Court..... Van Hunter, Democrat; Beckley, (ex-officio Clerk of Criminal Court.)
- Chancery Commissioners..... H. M. Kilgore, Democrat; Beckley.  
C. O. Dunn, Democrat; Beckley.  
W. A. Thornhill, Jr., Democrat; Beckley.  
Floyd M. Sayre, Republican; Beckley.  
M. L. Painter, Republican; Beckley.  
W. H. Rardin, Republican; Beckley.
- Divorce Commissioner..... Harley M. Kilgore, Democrat; Beckley.
- Clerk County Court..... Jackson Smith, Republican; Beckley.
- Supt. Free Schools..... C. S. McKinney, Republican; Beckley.
- County Road Engineer..... Hal M. Scott, Republican; Beckley.
- Surveyor..... Hal M. Scott, Republican; Beckley.
- Assessor..... R. E. Turner, Republican; Beckley.
- Com'r of School Lands..... W. A. Thornhill, Jr., Democrat; Beckley.

- County Commissioners . . . . . Lacy Cole, Republican; Winding Gulf; term expires December 31, 1930.  
Charles Lively, Republican, Glen White; term expires December 31, 1932.  
J. C. Hobson, Democrat, Beckley; term expires December 31, 1934.
- President County Court . . . . . Lacy Cole, Republican; Winding Gulf.  
Terms Commence . . . . . Second Monday in February, first Monday in April, first Monday in July and first Monday in November.
- Commissioners of Accounts . . . . . Floyd M. Sayre, Republican; Beckley.  
Harley M. Kilgore, Democrat; Beckley.  
J. E. Summerfield, Democrat; Beckley.  
M. L. Painter, Republican; Beckley.
- B'd Review & Equalization . . . . . T. E. Moye, Republican; Shady Springs District; Beckley; term expires in 1931.  
Harvey Cook, Republican; Town District; Beckley; term expires in 1933.  
B. E. Meadows, Democrat; Slab Fork District; Winding Gulf; term expires in 1935.
- Board of Health . . . . . The President of the County Court and Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio. Dr. Allen F. Murphy, Beckley, County Health Officer.
- U. S. B'd Ex. Surgeons . . . . . Dr. Robert Wriston, Beckley.
- B'd Children's Guardians . . . . . Miss Edna Dodson, District Agent; Charleston.

## LIST OF ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Beckley, unless otherwise given)

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|------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Ashworth, Ben H.             | Harper, Kyle D.            |
| Ashworth and Crouse,         | Hutchinson, J. Q.          |
| Ashworth, D. D.              | Johnson, D. Howe           |
| Crouse, Clay S.              | Kilgore, H. M.             |
| Bumgardner, J. L.            | Lilly, C. L.               |
| Butts, J. S.                 | Lilly, David, Glen Hedrick |
| Clay, W. S., Raleigh         | Lilly, Londa W., Ghent     |
| Dunn, C. O.                  | Maxwell, J. W.             |
| Dunn, Hugh A.                | Harless, C. R.             |
| (Judge Criminal Court)       | Massey, W. A., Packsville  |
| Farley, A. P.                | McGinnis, W. H., Jr.       |
| File, Ashton                 | (Prosecuting Attorney)     |
| File, Goldsmith and Scherer, | McGinnis, J. H.            |
| File, W. H.                  | Painter and Locke,         |
| Goldsmith, W. W.             | Painter, M. L.             |
| Scherer, L. L.               | Locke, Kermit A.           |



Payne, Brown W.	Scott, E. Clyde
Preston, A. D.	Stansbury, Herbert
Rardin, W. H.	Summerfield, J. E.
(Federal Commissioner)	(Asst. Prosecuting Atty.)
Richards, George C.	Thornhill, W. A., Jr.
Sanders and Meadows	Trail, Grover C.
Sanders, Carl C.	Ward, C. M.
Meadows, Clarence C.	(Circuit Judge)
Sayre and Bowers	Williams and Riffe,
Sayre, Floyd M.	Williams, G. W.
Bowers, Douglas	Riffe, W. A.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Officers

C. R. Harless, Chairman, Beckley.	Dr. M. M. French, Secretary, Beckley.
J. Q. Hutchinson, Treasurer, Beckley.	

Members

Town District—Dr. M. M. French, B. W. Payne, Mrs. B. J. Shumate, and Mrs. E. S. Dupuy, Beckley.

Richmond District—W. M. Bragg and Mrs. Eunice Richmond, Long Bottom; Jackson Plumley, Abraham; Mrs. V. E. Crotty, Pluto.

Trap Hill District—Albany Milam, Glen Daniel; W. P. Shumate and Mrs. Ocie Stover, Stover.

Clear Fork District—J. P. Honaker and Miss Lela May Foster, Dorothy; Robert Stover and Mrs. Harriett Stover, Maynor.

Marshfork District—W. T. Bradford, Dry Creek; James Cooper, Montcoal; Mrs. Mollie Jarrell, Packsville; Mrs. Lydia Acord, Pettis.

Shady Springs District—B. M. Dobbins and Mrs. W. A. Fisher, Glen Hedrick; George W. Oakes, Daniel; Mrs. Lilly B. McKinney, Ghent.

Slab Fork District—J. Ballard Earley, Killarney; R. A. Riggs, Winding Gulf; Mrs. O. A. Light, McAlpin; Mrs. Bridget Tillman, Winding Gulf.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Officers

Dr. K. M. Jarrell, Chairman, Beckley.	Miss Dot Ball, Secretary, Beckley.
Mrs. W. R. Harler, Treasurer, Eccles.	

Members

Shady Springs District—John R. Smith, Shady Springs; Mrs. James D. Lilly and Londa Lilly, Ghent; Mrs. Sarah Bennett, Glen Hedrick.

Richmond District—Thornton Guinn, Meadow Creek; John Hoyer,

Shady Springs; Mrs. Alexander Plumley, Pear; Mrs. John R. Bennett, Pluto.

Clear Fork District—Kyle C. Bailey, Mrs. James C. Jarrell and Mrs. Josie Thompson, Colcord; Sam Robertson, Dorothy.

Trap Hill District—J. Levy Cook, Lester; J. H. Poteet, Beckley; Mrs. Robert L. Allen, Eccles; Mrs. Fred Covey, Glen Daniel.

Slab Fork District—H. H. Lilly, Odd; H. A. Deckerson, Rhodell; Mrs. Seth Farley, Winding Gulf.

Marsh Fork District—R. C. Cofer, Eunice; Dr. R. L. Hunter and Mrs. R. L. Hunter, Whitesville; Mrs. Seth Foresman, Montcoal.

Town District—Mat Sawyer, Cranberry; O. C. Canterbury, Mrs. R. F. Mullens and Miss Dot Ball, Beckley.

### DISTRICT OFFICERS

#### Clear Fork District

Justices of the Peace . . . . . George Stover, Republican; Artie.  
Mark Foster, Republican; Artie.

Constables . . . . . Lonnie Stover, Republican; Clear Creek.  
J. V. Williams, Republican; Artie.

Board of Education . . . . . President—Burns Osborne, Republican;  
Ameagle.  
Secretary—G. S. Williams, Republican;  
Colcord.  
Marshall Stover, Republican; Maynor.  
Mrs. Pearl Dunbar, Republican; Clear  
Creek.

#### Marsh Fork District

Justices of the Peace . . . . . B. Harrison Pettry, Republican; Stickney.  
Nelson Cooper, Republican; Dry Creek.

Constables . . . . . Henry Walker, Republican; Pettis.  
L. Chris Cantley, Republican; Dry Creek.

Board of Education . . . . . President—J. F. Scarbrough, Republican;  
Dry Creek.  
Secretary—A. J. Farley, Republican; Dry  
Creek.  
F. C. Colcord, Republican; Montcoal.  
E. J. Jarrell, Republican; Edwight.

#### Richmond District

Justices of the Peace . . . . . Chalmer Richmond, Republican; Long Bot-  
tom.  
J. Clyde Hogan, Republican; Hinton.

Constable . . . . . E. C. Crotty, Republican; Pluto.

Board of Education . . . . . President—Albert Bragg, Republican;  
Pluto.  
Secretary—F. S. Patton, Republican; Pear.  
Burke Meadows, Republican; Long Bottom.  
S. A. Bennett, Republican; Abraham.

Shady Springs District

- Justices of the Peace..... John Kauff, Democrat; Glen Morgan.  
 M. S. Lilly, Democrat; Glen Hedrick.
- Constables..... Carey Griffith, Democrat; Shady Springs.  
 Homer Ransome, Democrat; Glen Hedrick.
- Board of Education..... President—John A. Oakes, Republican;  
 Blue Jay.  
 Secretary—C. G. Peregoy, Republican; Glen  
 Hedrick.  
 R. C. Ryals, Democrat; Daniels.  
 O. R. Rakes, Democrat; Daniels.

Slab Fork District

- Justices of the Peace..... Elbert Farley, Democrat; Rhodell.  
 E. A. Cook, Republican; McAlpin.
- Constables..... H. H. Graham, Republican; Rhodell.  
 A. J. Neely, Republican; Dorothy.
- Board of Education..... President—C. R. Stahl, Republican; Stotes-  
 bury.  
 Secretary—Jess Lee Toler, Republican;  
 Egeria.  
 L. A. Shrewsberry, Republican; Besoco.  
 Claude Jarrett, Republican; Besoco.

Town District

- Justices of the Peace..... M. F. O'Dell, Republican; Beckley.  
 C. V. Cottle, Democrat; Beckley.
- Constables..... J. C. McDowell, Democrat; Beckley.  
 J. P. Maloney, Democrat; Beckley.
- Board of Education..... President—W. E. Griffith, Republican;  
 Beckley.  
 District Supervisor—H. E. Carmichael, Re-  
 publican; Beckley.  
 Secretary—Miss Lucille Crickmer, Republi-  
 can; Beckley.  
 O. F. Cook, Republican; Beckley.  
 John W. Bailey, Democrat; Prosperity.

Trap Hill District

- Justices of the Peace ..... S. F. Higgins, Democrat; Eccles.  
 Walter Webb, Democrat; Lester.
- Constables..... J. T. Worley, Democrat; Bolt.  
 Q. T. Brown, Democrat; Lester.
- Board of Education ..... President — Richard Snuffer, Democrat;  
 Surveyor.  
 Secretary—Albany Milam, Republican;  
 Glen Daniel.  
 O. D. Bostic, Republican; Eccles.  
 W. H. Riffe, Democrat; Lester.

## RANDOLPH COUNTY

Randolph, the largest county in the state with an area of 1,036 square miles, was organized in 1789 and named in honor of Edmund Jennings Randolph, a distinguished jurist and governor of Virginia, 1786-1789. The county is agricultural, with large developments of its natural resources of coal and timber.

The county has nine magisterial districts; Beverly, Dry Fork, Huttonsville, Leadsville, Middlefork, Mingo, New Interest, Roaring Creek and Valley Bend, with the city of Elkins maintaining an independent school district.

The population of the county in 1920 was 26,804 and in 1930 was 25,049. The total assessed valuation of the property in the county in 1929 was \$21,950,892; of this \$12,416,980 represented real estate, \$4,988,260 personal property; and \$4,545,652 public utility property.

Elkins, the county seat, was established in 1889 and takes its name from its founder, Stephen Benton Elkins, United States Senator from West Virginia from 1895 until his death in 1911. It is located on the Tygarts Valley River at an elevation of 1,903 feet above sea level. Its 1920 population of 6,788 increased to 7,345 in 1930.

Beverly, established in 1790, is the oldest town in the county and was the county seat from 1787 to 1898, when Elkins was selected. The town had a population of 442 in 1920 and of 431 in 1930.

Davis and Elkins College, an institution of higher learning maintained by the Southern Presbyterian Church is located at Elkins. It is under the presidency of Dr. James E. Allen.

The West Virginia Children's Home is also located at Elkins. This is a state institution for the care of dependent and neglected children and is now under the direction of Mrs. Jessica P. Lehman, Superintendent.

At Elkins also, and close to the Children's Home, is the West Virginia Odd Fellows Home, which is maintained by that fraternal order for aged members, their wives, or widows, and dependent children.

The other incorporated towns in Randolph County, with 1930 populations are: Huttonsville, 303; Mill Creek, 723; Montrose, 114; and Womelsdorf, 373.

### COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

<b>Judge Circuit Court</b> .....	H. G. Kump, Democrat; Elkins.
<b>Terms Commence</b> .....	Third Tuesday in February, third Tuesday in May and the first Tuesday in October.
<b>Official Court Reporter</b> .....	Kemble T. Manning, Independent; Elkins.
<b>Sheriff</b> .....	C. M. Marstiller, Democrat; Elkins; ex-officio Sealer of Weights & Measures.
<b>Prosecuting Attorney</b> .....	Stanley Bosworth, Democrat; Elkins.
<b>Clerk Circuit Court</b> .....	G. Nelson Wilson, Democrat; Elkins.
<b>Gen'l Receiver Circuit Court</b> .....	Davis Trust Company; Elkins.

- Chancery Commissioners... F. E. Tallman, Republican; Elkins.  
 James Coberly, Democrat; Elkins.  
 C. W. Harding, Democrat; Beverly.
- Divorce Commissioner... W. H. Cobb, Republican, Elkins.
- Clerk County Court... H. C. Kesling, Republican; Elkins.
- Supt. Free Schools... Bryan Hamilton, Democrat; Elkwater.
- Road Superintendent... Garfield Skidmore, Democrat; Elkins.
- County Road Engineer... (None.)
- Surveyor... J. L. Goddin, Democrat; Elkins.
- Assessor... Geo. P. Whetsell, Democrat; Elkins.
- Com'r of School Lands... B. M. Hoover, Democrat; Elkins.
- County Commissioners... J. M. Woodford, Democrat; Elkins; term expires December 31, 1930.  
 Isom Harper, Democrat; Harman; term expires December 31, 1932.  
 C. C. Wamsley, Democrat; Beverly; term expires December 31, 1934.
- President County Court... J. M. Woodford, Democrat; Elkins.
- Terms Commence... First Tuesday in March, first Tuesday in June, first Tuesday in October and the first Tuesday in December.
- Commissioners of Accounts... Le Roy See, Democrat; Elkins.  
 Robert S. Irons, Democrat; Elkins.  
 Wm. A. Arnold, Democrat; Elkins.  
 James Coberly, Democrat; Elkins.  
 J. B. Ward, Democrat; Beverly.
- B'd Review & Equalization... P. F. King, Democrat; Leadsville District; Elkins; term expires in 1931.  
 John V. Vanscoy, Republican; New Interest District; Kerens; term expires in 1933.  
 M. B. Rohrbough, Republican; Beverly District; Beverly; term expires in 1935.
- Board of Health... The President of the County Court and Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio. Dr. W. G. Harper, Elkins, County Health Officer.
- B'd Children's Guardians... Miss Mary N. Waugh, District Agent, Buckhannon.
- U. S. B'd Ex. Surgeons... Elkins. Drs. J. C. Irons, O. L. Perry and C. H. Hall

LIST OF ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Elkins, unless otherwise given)

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|------------------------|------------------------|
| Arnold, William A.     | Bent, J. A.            |
| Arnold, D. H. Hill     | Bosworth, Stanley S.   |
| Arnold, Eugene H.      | (Prosecuting Attorney) |
| Baker, W. E.           | Bowers, E. A.          |
| (Judge District Court) | Brown, John F.         |

Cobb, W. H.  
 Coberly, James  
 Darden, Harry B.  
 Fiorentino, A. Elmer  
 Harding, C. W., Beverly  
 Irons, Robert S.  
 Kump, H. G.  
 (Judge Circuit Court)  
 Madden, Joseph J.  
 Maxwell, E. L.  
 Maxwell, Claude W.

Scott, C. H.  
 See, LeRoy  
 Tallman, F. E.  
 Talbott, E. D.  
 Hoover, B. M.  
 Taylor, B. W.  
 Spears, Samuel T.  
 Strader, J. F., Beverly  
 Striely, C. O.  
 Ward, J. B., Beverly

### REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

F. E. Tallman, Chairman,  
 Elkins.  
 H. C. Kesling, Secretary,  
 Elkins.

Mrs. A. M. Fredlock, Assoc. Chair.,  
 Elkins.  
 Howard Keim, Treasurer  
 Elkins.

#### Members

Beverly District—A. G. Hill, M. B. Rohrbaugh, Miss Martha Gilpin and Miss Lorena Hilborn, Beverly.

Dry Fork District—Cecil Cooper and Lloyd Day, Harman; Mrs. Emil Knutti, Alpena; Mrs. Mona Bond, Whitmer.

Huttonsville District—M. L. Steele, T. C. Russell, Mrs. Flora D. Ward and Mrs. Margaret Hamill, Mill Creek.

Leadsville District—Howard Keim, Mrs. H. B. Shaver, Mrs. Flora A. McCue and Charles G. Davis, Elkins.

Middlefork District—A. W. Ewing, Pickens; L. M. Barrickman and Mrs. Minnie Lloyd, Adolph; Mrs. Clara Lehman, Helvetia.

Mingo District—F. L. Hannah and Mrs. A. F. Marple, Valley Head; A. E. Wood and Mrs. Anna Andrews, Mingo.

New Interest District—Leslie Vanscoy, Mrs. G. J. Martin and W. A. Barrett, Montrose; Mrs. Margaret Brooks, Kerens.

Roaring Creek District—J. M. Riley, Ellamore; T. L. Nesbitt and Mrs. Elsie Miller, Norton; Mrs. Francis Phillips, Coalton.

Valley Bend District—Dorsey Scott, Glen Phares, Mrs. Hattie R. Wade and Mrs. Esther Knapp, Valley Bend.

### DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

Arling McGee, Chairman,  
 Elkins.  
 Harry Darden, Secretary,  
 Elkins.

Mrs. Florence Goddin, Assoc. Chair.,  
 Elkins.  
 Lee Phares, Treasurer,  
 Valley Bend.

**Members**

Beverly District—C. V. Greynolds, Beverly; A. W. Daniels and Mrs. Carrie Triplett, Elkins; Miss Helen Triplett, Bowden.

Dry Fork District—John Armstrong, Harman; Jay Montoney, Glad; Mrs. Masa White, Harman; Mrs. Connie Warner, Job.

Huttonsville District—Bernard White and Mrs. Adam Currence, Mill Creek; Cyrus Crouch, Elkwater; Mrs. Holt Wamsley, Huttonsville.

Leadsville District—O. J. King, Lee Pingley, Mrs. Florence Goddin and Mrs. Aimee Steele, Elkins.

Mingo District—Ralph See and Mrs. Lina Fisher, Valley Head; Ernest Conrad, Monterville; Miss Edna Wood, Mingo; Mrs. Lina Fisher, Valley Head.

Middle Fork District—M. L. Heck, Pickens; Simeon Kittle and Mrs. Margaret Shannon, Adolph; Mrs. Anna McNeal, Helvetia.

New Interest District—H. C. Hedrick, Mrs. Bessie Fisher and Miss Daisy Ferguson, Montrose; T. B. Hart, Kerens.

Roaring Creek District—J. J. King, Sr., Ellamore; L. D. Cross, Norton; Miss Kathleen King, Mabie; Mrs. Agnes Shannon, Coalton.

Valley Bend District—Lee Phares, Mrs. Edna Stalnaker and Miss Jennie Caplinger, Valley Bend; George W. Stalnaker, Beverly.

**DISTRICT OFFICERS**

**Beverly District**

- Justices of the Peace..... George E. Greynolds, Democrat; Beverly.  
J. Loman, Hartsaw, Democrat; Beverly.
- Constables..... H. E. Wamsley, Democrat; Beverly.  
Chas. Weese, Democrat; Beverly.
- Board of Education..... President—W. W. Leonard, Democrat; Beverly.  
Secretary—David Wamsley, Democrat; Beverly.  
John F. Yokum, Democrat; Beverly.  
Holt Chenoweth, Democrat; Beverly.

**Dry Fork District**

- Justices of the Peace..... Mrs. Frank Warner, Democrat; Job.  
Isaac White, Democrat; Job.
- Constables..... H. H. Montoney, Democrat; Harman.  
Levi White, Democrat; Job.
- Board of Education..... President—John Armstrong, Democrat; Harman.  
Secretary—H. C. Harman, Republican; Harman.  
French H. White, Democrat; Job.  
John W. Heltzel, Democrat; Job.

## Elkins Independent School District

- Board of Education . . . . . President—Boyd Weese, Democrat; Elkins.  
 Secretary—Jas. P. Heltzel, Democrat; Elkins.  
 Thaddeus Pritt, Democrat; Elkins.  
 W. N. Snedegar, Republican; Elkins.

## Huttonsville District

- Justice of the Peace . . . . . J. L. Liggett, Democrat; Huttonsville.  
 G. C. Harmer, Democrat; Huttonsville.  
 Constables . . . . . W. B. Tacy, Democrat; Mill Creek.  
 Richard Parrack, Democrat; Huttonsville.  
 Board of Education . . . . . President—E. Cam Goodwin, Democrat;  
 Mill Creek.  
 Secretary—V. B. Londer, Democrat; Huttonsville.  
 John W. Pingley, Democrat; Huttonsville.  
 Frank C. Ward, Democrat; Mill Creek.

## Leadsville District

- Justices of the Peace . . . . . W. C. Hart, Democrat; Elkins.  
 R. B. Caplinger, Democrat; Elkins.  
 Constables . . . . . T. L. Morrison, Democrat; Elkins.  
 Mack Roy, Democrat; Elkins.  
 Board of Education . . . . . President—H. E. Canfield, Democrat; Elkins,  
 R. D.  
 Secretary—Grover Smith, Democrat; Montrose,  
 R. 2.  
 Jethro Canfield, Democrat; Elkins, R. D.  
 P. C. Webley, Democrat; Elkins, R. D.

## Middlefork District

- Justice of the Peace . . . . . U. C. Shock, Republican; Pickens.  
 Constable . . . . . L. M. Miller, Republican; Pickens.  
 Board of Education . . . . . President—Herman Schnelder, Republican;  
 Adolph.  
 Secretary — O. B. Cutright, Republican;  
 Czar.  
 A. L. Lewis, Republican; Czar.  
 A. L. Zirkle, Democrat; Adolph.

## Mingo District

- Justices of the Peace . . . . . J. Ernest Conrad, Democrat; Valley Head.  
 Ellet Hogan, Democrat; Monterville.  
 Constables . . . . . C. W. Stalnaker, Democrat; Monterville.  
 George W. Channell, Democrat; Valley Head.  
 Board of Education . . . . . President—I. Z. Painter, Democrat; Valley Head.



Secretary—N. S. Wood, Democrat; Valley Head.

Wesley Hamrick, Democrat; Monterville.

John See, Democrat; Valley Head.

#### New Interest District

Justices of the Peace . . . . . C. C. Crickard, Democrat; Montrose.

J. W. Isner, Democrat; Kerens.

Constable . . . . . J. C. Poling, Democrat; Montrose.

Board of Education . . . . . President—H. C. Hedrick, Democrat; Kerens.

Secretary—Charles Godwin, Democrat; Montrose.

I. D. Baker, Republican; Montrose.

U. D. Poe, Democrat; Kerens.

#### Roaring Creek District

Justices of the Peace . . . . . E. A. Dean, Republican; Ellamcre.

J. M. King, Democrat; Mabie.

Constables . . . . . L. B. Campbell, Republican; Norton.

F. W. Pennington, Republican; Ellamore.

Board of Education . . . . . President—Mrs. Audrey Sheahan, Democrat; Ellamore.

Secretary—Luene Snyder, Republican; Norton.

Frank Shipman, Republican; Mabie.

Dr. Guy Michaels, Republican; Norton.

#### Valley Bend District

Justice of the Peace . . . . . E. F. Phares, Democrat; Valley Bend.

Constable . . . . . (None.)

Board of Education . . . . . President—B. L. Phares, Democrat; Valley Bend.

Secretary—Charlie Phares, Democrat; Valley Bend.

G. W. Stalnaker, Democrat; Beverly.

Grover Pingley, Democrat; Valley Bend.

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## RITCHIE COUNTY

Ritchie County was established in 1843 and has an area of 453 square miles. From this there have been formed four magisterial districts; Clay, Grant, Murphy and Union, with Harrisville having an independent school district. The county was named for Thomas Ritchie, a distinguished journalist of Richmond, Virginia.

The population of the county was 16,506 in 1920 and 15,594 in 1930.

This county, in addition to agriculture and grazing, has well developed oil and gas sections. In 1929, the taxable property of the county was assessed as follows: Real estate, \$10,102,170; personal property, \$6,212,-

360; public utility property, \$8,505,252, a total assessment of \$24,819,782.

Harrisville, the county seat, established in 1832 and incorporated in 1869, has an elevation of 1,192 feet above sea level. The town's population of 1,036 in 1920 had increased to 1,192 in 1930.

The other incorporated places in Ritchie County, with 1930 populations are: Cairo, 607; Ellenboro, 330; Pennsboro, 1,616; and Pullman, 184-

### COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

Judge Circuit Court.....	S. O. Prunty, Republican; Harrisville.
Terms Commence.....	Second Tuesday in February, second Tuesday in June and the second Tuesday in October.
Official Court Reporter.....	F. H. Mayne, Republican; Parkersburg.
Sheriff.....	W. C. Taylor, Republican; Harrisville; ex-officio Sealer Weights & Measures.
Prosecuting Attorney.....	Dewey S. Wass, Republican; Harrisville.
Clerk Circuit Court.....	L. L. Cokeley, Republican; Harrisville.
Gen'l Receiver Circuit Court.....	J. H. Lininger, Republican; Harrisville.
Chancery Commissioners....	L. L. Cokeley, Republican; Harrisville. Thomas J. Davis, Republican; Harrisville. W. B. Nutter, Republican; Harrisville. R. S. Blair, Democrat; Harrisville.
Divorce Commissioner.....	W. B. Nutter, Republican; Harrisville.
Clerk County Court.....	Olin V. Wilson, Republican; Harrisville.
Supt Free Schools.....	Orval P. Hill, Republican; Harrisville.
County Road Engineer.....	D. W. Shock, Republican; Harrisville.
Surveyor.....	(None.)
Assessor.....	C. S. Black, Republican; Harrisville.
Com. of School Lands.....	S. A. Powell, Republican; Harrisville.
County Commissioners.....	H. E. Hoover, Republican; Smithville; term expires December 31, 1930. C. B. Summers, Republican, Pennsboro; term expires December 31, 1930. A. L. Britton, Republican; Auburn; term expires December 31, 1934.
President County Court....	H. E. Hoover, Republican; Smithville.
Commissioners of Accounts.....	S. A. Powell, Republican; Harrisville. Thomas J. Davis, Republican; Harrisville. W. B. Nutter, Republican; Harrisville. R. S. Blair, Democrat; Harrisville.
B'd Review & Equalization..	J. H. Moyers, Republican; Murphy District; Harrisville, R. 1; term expires in 1931. J. C. Lacy, Democrat; Grant District; Ellenboro; term expires in 1933. M. J. Leggett, Republican; Union District; Harrisville; term expires in 1935.

Board of Health.....The President of the County Court and  
 Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio; Dr. L.  
 P. Jones, Pennsboro, County Health  
 Officer.  
 B'd Children's Guardians.... Miss Stella Parker, District Agent, City  
 Building; Parkersburg.  
 U. S. Board Ex. Surgeons... Harrisville. Drs. W. E. Talbott, T. W.  
 Keith and E. D. Moyers.

LIST OF ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Harrisville, unless otherwise given)

Blair, R. S., Jr.	Ware, Clyde C.
Davis, Thomas J.	Wass, Dewey S.
Nutter, W. B.	(Prosecuting Attorney)
Powell, S. A.	Woods, Homer B.
Prunty, S. O.	(Judge Supreme Court of Appeals)
(Judge Circuit Court)	
Rymer, H. F., Pennsboro	Woods, Ralph Davis,
Taylor, H. R.	Charleston

REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Officers

J. E. Overton, Chairman, Addie V. Rymer, Vice Chairman,  
 Cairo. Cairo.  
 H. E. McGinnis, Secy.-Treas.  
 Cairo.

Members

Clay District—B. F. McGinnis, Agnes Hamilton and Mrs. Columbia  
 Collins, Pennsboro; John R. Marsh, Mole Hill.  
 Union District—A. H. Lawson and Mrs. Addie V. Rymer, Harrisville;  
 Lakin Pritchard, Pullman; Mrs. Dora Gluck, Auburn.  
 Grant District—G. H. Crummett, Rutherford; N. D. Marsh, Effa D.  
 Adams and Mrs. Emma Weber, Cairo.  
 Murphy District—Frank Hill, Mahone; Addie M. Westfall, Smithville;  
 M. R. Osbourn and Efa Kirkpatrick, Fonzo.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Officers

H. F. Rymer, Chairman, Eva C. Robinson, Vice Chairman,  
 Pennsboro. Harrisville.  
 Vesta Connell, Secretary,  
 Pennsboro.

## Members

Clay District—J. C. Lacy, Ellenboro; Creed Wilson, Toll Gate; Mrs. R. L. Warder and Mrs. J. L. McCullough, Pennsboro.

Grant District—D. L. Beckner, Petroleum; E. W. Emrick, Mrs. Foster Murdy and Mrs. U. S. G. Ferrell, Cairo.

Murphy District—Joshua Haught and Mrs. Clem S. Morris, Smithville; John B. Lemon, Macfarlan; Mrs. P. J. Fling, Burnt House.

Union District—A. J. Wilson, H. R. Taylor and Mrs. Eva C. Robinson, Harrisville; Mrs. William Prunty, Pullman.

## DISTRICT OFFICERS

## Clay District

Justices of the Peace . . . . . B. F. McGinnis, Republican; Pennsboro.  
R. J. Snider, Republican; Pennsboro.  
Constables . . . . . John C. Oates, Republican; Pennsboro.  
J. W. Ankrom, Republican; Pennsboro.  
Board of Education . . . . . President—W. A. Moore, Democrat; Pennsboro.  
Secretary—Mona Dotson, Republican; Pennsboro.  
Creed Wilson, Democrat; Toll Gate.  
F. M. Ferrebee, Republican; Pennsboro.

## Grant District

Justices of the Peace . . . . . G. W. Caton, Republican; Cairo.  
M. DeVaughn, Republican; Petroleum.  
Constable . . . . . J. W. Sandy, Republican; Cairo.  
Board of Education . . . . . President—J. G. Heckler, Republican; Cairo.  
Secretary—G. D. Ramsey, Republican; Cairo.  
Bert Wells, Democrat; Cairo.  
G. Howard Crummett, Republican; Ruthersford.

## Murphy District

Justices of the Peace . . . . . George W. Nutter, Republican; Girta.  
John M. Nutter, Republican; Petroleum, R. 1.  
Constables . . . . . (By special appointment.)  
Board of Education . . . . . President—Addison Scott, Republican; Mahone.  
Secretary—R. F. Dye, Republican; Smithville.  
E. C. Frederick, Republican; Hazelgreen.  
W. N. Kirkpatrick, Republican; Fonzo.

## Union District

Justices of the Peace . . . . .	C. K. Pierpont, Republican; Harrisville. A. L. Ireland, Republican; Auburn.
Constables . . . . .	W. C. Webb, Republican; Harrisville. Ralph Sommerville, Republican; Auburn.
Board of Education . . . . .	President—J. W. Morris, Republican; Pullman. Secretary—J. H. Bruffey, Democrat; Pullman. Roscoe I. Perrin, Republican; Berea. A. Floyd Hall, Republican; Auburn.

## Harrisville Independent School District

Board of Education . . . . .	President—C. E. Rardin, Republican; Harrisville. Secretary—W. H. Hoover, Republican; Harrisville. Robert Morris, Republican; Harrisville. M. Moore, Republican; Harrisville.
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## ROANE COUNTY

Roane County, in the western central section of the state, was formed in 1856 and named in honor of Judge Spencer Roane, a distinguished jurist of Virginia.

It has a land area of 522 square miles, which has been divided into the following seven magisterial districts; Spencer, Curtis, Geary, Harper, Reedy, Smithfield and Walton; Spencer maintains an independent school district.

The county's population was 20,129 in 1920, and 19,478 in 1930. The assessed valuation of the taxable property in the county in 1929 was: Real estate, \$9,679,370; personal property, \$7,076,015; public utility property, \$11,188,561; a total of \$27,943,946.

Roane is an agricultural and grazing county with important developments of its oil and gas areas.

Spencer, the county seat, was settled in 1812 and was established under its present name in 1858. It has an altitude of 719 feet and its 1920 population of 1,765 had increased in 1930 to 2,493. It is the location of the Spencer State Hospital, an institution for the care and treatment of the insane, which is now under the management of Dr. W. D. McClung, Superintendent.

Reedy, the only other municipality in the county, had a slight increase in population from 373 in 1920 to 405 in 1930.

## COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

Judge Circuit Court . . . . . Lewis H. Miller, Republican; Ripley.

Terms Commence	Third Monday in January, third Monday in May and the third Monday in September.
Official Court Reporter	Minnie Ball, Democrat, Spencer.
Sheriff	Norville Jones, Republican; Ryan.
Prosecuting Attorney	William S. Ryan, Republican; Spencer.
Clerk Circuit Court	C. C. Cleavenger, Republican; Spencer.
Gen'l Receiver Circuit Court	S. A. Simmons, Republican; Spencer.
Chancery Commissioners	Wm. H. Bishop, Republican; Spencer. Amos E. Kenney, Democrat; Spencer.
Divorce Commissioner	William H. Bishop, Republican; Spencer.
Clerk County Court	R. L. McCulty, Republican; Spencer.
Supt. Free Schools	Ray Taylor, Republican; Spencer.
County Supt. Roads	W. T. Coleman, Spencer.
County Road Engineer	(None.)
Surveyor	L. B. Greathouse, Republican; Spencer.
Assessor	Gordie Boyles, Republican; Spencer.
Com. of School Lands	William H. Bishop, Republican; Spencer.
County Commissioners	B. E. Bradley, Republican; Looneyville; term expires December 31, 1930. C. A. Lynch, Republican; Walton; term expires December 31, 1932. A. T. Gordon, Republican; Spencer; term expires December 31, 1934.
President County Court	B. E. Bradley, Republican; Looneyville.
Terms Commence	Third Monday in February, third Monday in June, third Monday in August and third Monday in November.
Commissioners of Accounts	Wm. H. Bishop, Republican; Spencer. H. C. Ferguson, Republican; Charleston.
R'd Review & Equalization	Harry Holswade, Democrat; Spencer District; Spencer; term expires in 1931. Irvin Carper, Republican; Geary District; Amma; term expires in 1933. E. E. Romine, Republican; Curtis District; Spencer, R. F. D.; term expires in 1935.
Board of Health	The President of the County Court and Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio.
B'd of Children's Guardians	Miss Stella B. Parker, District Agent, City Building; Parkersburg.
U. S. Board Ex. Surgeons	Spencer. Drs. B. S. Park and W. C. Camp.

#### LIST OF ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Spencer)

Baker and Harper  
Baker, John M.  
Harper, J. M.

Bell, S P.  
Bishop, William H.  
Hedges, Grover F.

Kenney, Amos E.  
Pendleton, Dan M.  
Ryan, Thomas P.

Ryan, W. S.  
(Prosecuting Attorney)

### REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

A. M. McKown, Chairman, Spencer.	Mrs. J. L. Looney, Assoc. Chair., Spencer.
A. S. Reynolds, Secretary, Spencer.	C. S. Meredith, Treasurer, Spencer.

#### Members

Spencer District—W. W. Wright, Paul K. Weekley, Mrs. Alice Hols-  
wade and Mrs. Alma Simmons, Spencer.

Curtis District—I. N. Radabaugh, Mrs. L. E. McCoy and Mrs. Haven  
Roberts, Spencer, R. 1; P. G. Steinbeck, Reedy, R. 1.

Geary District—Bub Caldwell, William Ledsome and Mrs. Loise Car-  
per, Amma; Mrs. Sallie King, Lefthand.

Harper District—J. M. Hively, Walton, R. 2; M. A. Harper, Miss Ger-  
trude Harper and Mrs. Mattie Hunt, Ryan.

Reedy District—C. W. Vineyard, C. L. Ryan, Miss Vivian Rader and  
Mrs. Mary Waldeck, Reedy.

Smithfield District—F. F. Wells, Looneyville; O. O. Starcher, Mrs. Josie  
Young and Mrs. Jason Taylor, Linden.

Walton District—W. E. Dodd, J. M. Henderson, Mrs. Hetty Taylor and  
Mrs. Masie O. Jarvis, Walton.

### DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

Amos E. Kenney, Chairman, Spencer.	A. B. Gainer, Assoc. Chair., Spencer.
W. R. Vineyard, Secretary Spencer.	R. W. Casto, Treasurer, Spencer.

#### Members

Spencer District—Clay Starcher, C. A. Somerville, Mrs. E. S. Goff  
and Myrtle Huddleston, Spencer.

Curtis District—Brooks Ball, Kyger; O. J. Argabrite and Mabel Cum-  
mins, Reedy; Beulah Shown, Spencer, R. D.

Geary District—J. Herby Smith, Kester; W. N. Vineyard and Orvie  
Snodgrass, Left Hand; Nell White, Newton.

Harper District—C. L. Hudkins, Willis Reed and Miss O'Dell Winters,  
Harmony; Mrs. Sherman Hunt, Ryan.

Reedy District—E. R. Lester, Fannie Aldeman and Louise Smith,  
Reedy; T. V. Foster, Kyger.

Smithfield District—J. O. Elmore, Tariff; S. R. Ferrell and Claire  
Ferrell, Linden; Mrs. Ora Board, Looneyville.

Walton District—Lee Bird, G. W. Marks, Mrs. R. H. Fisher and Mrs.  
Henry Young, Walton.

## DISTRICT OFFICERS

## Curtis District

Justices of the Peace..... R. R. Petty, Democrat; Spencer.  
 E. E. Knopp, Democrat; Gay.  
 Constable..... Holly McCrady, Democrat; Gay.  
 Board of Education..... President—L. B. Board, Republican; Gay.  
 Secretary—E. E. Knopp, Democrat; Gay.  
 E. S. Ball, Democrat; Reedy.  
 Fred Thrash, Democrat; Reedy.

## Geary District

Justices of the Peace..... W. H. Sears, Republican; Amma.  
 E. E. Lloyd, Republican; Elana.  
 Constable..... Chas. Engle, Republican; Amma.  
 Board of Education..... President—J. H. Smith, Democrat; Amma.  
 Secretary—G. W. Ashley, Republican;  
 Amma.  
 W. H. Samples, Republican; Amma.  
 W. M. Ledsome, Republican; Amma.

## Harper District

Justice of the Peace..... R. F. Shafer, Republican; Kettle.  
 Constable..... (Vacancy.)  
 Board of Education..... President—L. C. Harper, Republican; Ryan.  
 Secretary—W. E. Ryan, Republican; Ryan.  
 George Raines, Republican; Vicars.  
 George Walker, Republican; Harmon.

## Reedy District

Justice of the Peace..... C. L. McClung, Democrat; Reedy.  
 Constable..... A. Alderman, Democrat; Reedy.  
 Board of Education..... President—W. P. Smith, Democrat; Reedy.  
 Secretary—E. R. Lester, Democrat; Reedy.  
 H. W. Criner, Democrat, Reedy.  
 C. M. Tatterson, Republican; Liverpool.

## Smithfield District

Justices of the Peace..... H. M. Stotts, Democrat; Looneyville.  
 H. J. Boothe, Democrat; Tariff.  
 Constable..... (Vacancy.)  
 Board of Education..... President—C. L. Hersberger, Democrat;  
 Tariff.  
 Secretary—J. W. Webb, Democrat; Clover.  
 J. M. Moore, Democrat; Linden.  
 L. M. Hughes, Democrat; Looneyville.

## Spencer District

Justices of the Peace..... J. T. Reynolds, Republican; Spencer.  
 J. J. Taylor, Republican; Spencer.





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 COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

- Judge Circuit Court..... C. M. Ward, Democrat; Beckley.  
 Terms Commence ..... Third Monday in January, third Monday in  
 April, third Monday in July and the third  
 Monday in October.
- Official Court Reporter..... Irma Sutphin, Democrat; Beckley.  
 Sheriff..... E. B. Fox, Democrat; Hinton; ex-officio  
 Sealer of Weights & Measures.
- Prosecuting Attorney..... Thos. L. Read, Democrat; Hinton.  
 Clerk Circuit Court..... G. J. Hughes, Democrat; Hinton.  
 Gen'l Receiver Circuit Court. O. P. Vines, Democrat; Hinton.  
 Chancery Commissioners... A. G. Flanagan, Republican; Hinton.  
 Thos. L. Read, Democrat; Hinton.  
 Paul J. Carr, Republican; Hinton.
- Divorce Commissioner..... Paul J. Carr, Republican. Hinton.  
 Clerk County Court..... John M. Carden, Democrat; Hinton.  
 Supt. Free Schools..... Margaret Nicely, Democrat; Hinton.  
 County Road Supervisor... W. E. Trail, Democrat; Hinton.  
 County Road Engineer..... (None.)
- Surveyor..... George T. Ballengee, Republican; Clayton.  
 Assessor..... A. H. Mann, Democrat; Jumping Branch.  
 Com'r of School Lands..... W. R. Argabright, Democrat; Hinton.  
 County Commissioners..... Henry Milburn, Democrat; Buck; term ex-  
 pires December 31, 1930.  
 W. H. Gwinn, Democrat; Green Sulphur  
 Springs; term expires December 31, 1932.  
 E. B. Neely, Democrat; Hinton; term ex-  
 pires December 31, 1934.
- President County Court..... Henry Milburn, Democrat; Buck.  
 Terms Commence ..... Third Mondays in January, April, July and  
 October.
- Commissioners of Accounts.. E. H. Peck, Republican; Hinton.  
 T. J. Lilly, Democrat; Hinton.  
 Wm. H. Sawyers, Democrat; Hinton.
- B'd Review & Equalization... Victor Farley, Republican; Forest Hill Dis-  
 trict; Seminole; term expires in 1931.  
 W. H. Ellison, Republican; Greenbrier Dis-  
 trict; Hinton; term expires in 1933.  
 H. F. Kesler, Democrat; Talcott District;  
 Lowell; term expires in 1935.
- B'd Children's Guardians.... Miss Lena B. Smith, District Agent, Lewis-  
 burg.
- Board of Health..... The President of the County Court and  
 Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio; Dr. P.  
 P. Pharr, Hinton, County Health Officer.
- U. S. Board Ex. Surgeons... Hinton. Dr. D. M. Ryan, Single Surgeon.  
 Humane Officer..... C. D. Bolton, Hinton.

## LIST OF ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Hinton)

Brown, W. A.	Lilly, T. J.
Carr, Paul C.	Mann, T. G.
Daly, A. D.	Miller, Harry L.
Dunlap, R. F.	Read, Thos. L.
Eagle, E. C.	(Prosecuting Attorney)
Elswick, Walter	Read, T. N.
Graham, R. H.	Sawyers, W. H.

## REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

## Officers

Dr. R. S. Neeley, Chairman, Hinton.	Mrs. Louise C. Baber, Vice Ch., Hinton.
Mrs. Effie M. Meadows, Secretary, Hinton.	Joe M. Roles, Treasurer, Hinton.

## Members

Greenbrier District—Dr. R. S. Neeley, Mrs. Louise C. Baber, Joe M. Roles and Mrs. Effie M. Meadows, Hinton.

Forest Hill District—M. B. Bowyer and Mrs. Vesta Mitchell, Marie; J. T. Raines, Junta; Mrs. A. S. Humphries, Indian Mills.

Green Sulphur District—F. B. Lively and Mrs. Effie Lively, Green Sulphur Springs; J. W. Richmond, New Richmond; Mrs. W. B. Blankenship, Lawn.

Jumping Branch District—Larkin L. Lilly, Lilly; H. L. Wills, Streeter; Mrs. Hattie Boggs, Hinton; Mrs. Vaughn Lilly, Jumping Branch.

Pipestem District—P. T. Bradberry, Bertha; E. G. Farley, Mrs. Ada Farley and Mrs. Ola Vest, Pipestem.

Talcott District—A. M. Mann, S. E. Sims and Mrs. G. W. Perdue, Talcott; Mrs. L. P. Graham, Pence Springs.

## DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

## Officers

W. S. Ailstock, Chairman, Hinton.	Mrs. J. M. Roles, Assoc. Chair., Hinton.
Mrs. Carl Shumate, Secretary, Hinton.	E. F. Hiner, Treasurer, Hinton.

## Members

Greenbrier District—W. S. Ailstock, Mrs. J. M. Roles and Mrs. Carl Shumate, Hinton.

Forest Hill District—J. W. Walthall, Indian Mills; George E. Cottle and Mrs. Minnie Scott, Forest Hill; Miss Hallie M. Dickinson, Junta.

Green Sulphur District—M. L. Richmond, Sandstone; O. O. Allen and Mrs. J. S. Zickafoose, Green Sulphur Springs; Mrs. Lula Bleau, Meadow Creek.

Jumping Branch District—J. C. Neely and Mrs. Jane Crews, Jumping Branch; J. W. Harvey, Streeter; Mrs. W. M. Meador, True.

Talcott District—O. E. Maddy, Ballengee; J. B. Poage and Miss Elizabeth Lahey, Pence Springs; Mrs. Nora Garten, Talcott.

Pipestem District—E. T. Edwards, True; C. E. Hopkins and Mrs. Varina Farley, Pipestem; Mrs. Lura Anderson, Lick Creek.

### DISTRICT OFFICERS

#### Forest Hill District

Justices of the Peace . . . . . J. H. Smith, Democrat; Forest Hill.  
 Perry E. Ellis, Democrat; Forest Hill.  
 Constables . . . . . W. H. Redmond, Democrat; Indian Mills.  
 J. B. Thomas, Republican; Buck.  
 Board of Education . . . . . President—C. H. Gautier, Democrat; Junta.  
 Secretary—W. E. Michael, Democrat; Forest Hill.  
 G. W. Allen, Democrat; Forest Hill.  
 E. E. Lilly, Republican; Forest Hill.

#### Greenbrier District

Justices of the Peace . . . . . C. T. Houchins, Republican; Hinton.  
 I. E. Briers, Democrat; Hinton.  
 Constables . . . . . John T. McGhee, Democrat; Hinton.  
 W. W. Surber, Democrat; Bellepoint.  
 Board of Education . . . . . President—E. S. Huffman, Republican;  
 Bellepoint.  
 Secretary—Mrs. J. G. Meadows, Republican;  
 Hinton.  
 Arnold Buckland, Republican; Bellepoint.  
 J. C. Buckland, Democrat; Bellepoint.

#### Green Sulphur District

Justices of the Peace . . . . . O. L. Graham, Republican; Sandstone.  
 S. J. Bailey, Democrat; Hix.  
 Constables . . . . . G. R. Ward, Republican; Ramp.  
 W. B. Blankenship, Republican; Lawn.  
 Board of Education . . . . . President—G. A. Duncan, Democrat; Green  
 Sulphur Springs.  
 Secretary—W. H. Gwinn, Democrat; Green  
 Sulphur Springs.  
 W. E. Hicks, Democrat; Lockbridge.  
 Walter Smith, Republican; Meadow Creek.

#### Jumping Branch District

Justices of the Peace . . . . . E. C. Cole, Democrat; Jumping Branch.  
 J. M. Williams, Democrat; Madam Creek.  
 Constables . . . . . M. H. Lilly, Democrat; Jumping Branch.  
 C. L. Crook, Republican; Jumping Branch.

Board of Education . . . . . President—J. A. Lilly, Democrat; Hinton.  
 Secretary—A. B. Pack, Democrat; Streeter.  
 C. O. Shrader, Democrat; Hinton.  
 W. F. Thompson, Democrat; Jumping  
 Branch.

#### Pipestem District

Justices of the Peace . . . . . S. P. Weatherford, Democrat; Crumps Bot-  
 tom.

Joel McGraw, Democrat; True.

Constable . . . . . T. J. Young, Democrat; Lick Creek.

Board of Education . . . . . President—T. J. Winn, Democrat; Lick  
 Creek.

Secretary—J. Lewis Ellison, Democrat;  
 Pipestem.

O. H. Keaton, Republican; Pipestem.

E. W. McBride, Democrat; Lick Creek.

#### Talcott District

Justice of the Peace . . . . . J. S. Mann, Republican; Talcott.

W. P. Kounse, Democrat; Pence Springs.

Constables . . . . . M. H. Fox, Democrat; Talcott.

J. S. Rudisill, Democrat; Talcott.

Board of Education . . . . . President—Harry Haynes, Democrat; Pence  
 Springs.

Secretary—E. B. Roach, Democrat; Talcott.

J. M. Wallace, Democrat; Talcott.

W. L. Lindsay, Democrat; Talcott.

#### Hinton Independent School District

President—W. E. Price, Democrat; Hinton.

Secretary—R. R. Keller, Democrat; Hinton.

J. M. Swatts, Democrat; Hinton.

W. J. Martin, Republican; Hinton.

## TAYLOR COUNTY

Taylor, a northern central county, was created in 1844 and has a land area of 175 square miles. The county has five magisterial districts; Court House, Booths Creek, Flemington, Fetterman and Knottsville, with two independent school districts, Grafton and Pruntytown. Although some uncertainty exists as to who was honored in the naming of the county, it probably took its name from John Taylor, a Virginia soldier and statesman, 1750-1824.

The county is agricultural, with extensive developments of its principal natural resources, coal and timber. The population in 1920 was 18,742 and increased slightly to 19,114 in 1930.

The taxable property of the county in 1920 was assessed as follows:

Real estate, \$12,370,240; personal property, \$4,232,720; public utility property, \$7,354,994; a total assessment of \$23,957,954.

Grafton, the county seat, located on the Tygarts Valley River at an elevation of 1,000 feet above sea level, had a population in 1920 of 8,517 and in 1930 of 7,737. It is a terminal point on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad and the location of extensive railroad shops. West Virginia's only National Cemetery, for the care of which an annual appropriation is made by the legislature, is located at Grafton.

Pruntytown, established in 1801, was the original county seat, losing this honor to Grafton in the 1880's. It is the location of The West Virginia Industrial School for Boys, a correctional institution for white boys, which is under the direction of Superintendent H. E. Flesher.

Flemington, another municipality in the county, was incorporated in 1860, and in 1930 had a population of 617.

### COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

Judge Circuit Court	Warren B. Kittle, Republican; Philippi
Terms Commence	Third Monday in February, third Monday in May and the second Monday in October.
Official Court Reporter	Mrs. Bertha Thacker, Republican; Grafton.
Sheriff	W. J. Mays, Republican; Grafton; ex-officio Sealer of Weights and Measures.
Prosecuting Attorney	J. C. Bolt, Republican; Grafton.
Clerk Circuit Court	Frank M. Hollis, Jr., Democrat; Grafton.
Gen'l Receiver Circuit Court	The Grafton Banking & Trust Co.
Chancery Commissioners	W. P. Samples, Republican; Grafton. S. M. Musgrove, Democrat; Grafton. Francis L. Warder, Democrat; Grafton. J. Guy Allender, Republican; Grafton.
Divorce Commissioner	J. S. Burdett, Republican; Grafton.
Clerk County Court	Frank Bennett, Republican; Grafton.
Supt. Free Schools	L. L. Shriver, Democrat; Grafton.
County Road Engineer	(None.)
Surveyor	(None.)
Assessor	Edward N. Lock, Republican; Grafton.
Com'r of School Lands	J. S. Burdett, Republican; Grafton.
County Commissioners	Samuel A. Waller, Republican; Grafton; term expires December 31, 1930. Chas. H. Warder, Democrat; Grafton; term expires December 31, 1932. Arthur Robinson, Republican; Grafton, R. 6; term expires December 31, 1934.
President County Court	Chas. H. Warder, Democrat; Grafton.
Terms Commence	First Monday in each month.
Commissioners of Accounts	Harry Friedman, Democrat; Grafton. W. P. Samples, Republican; Grafton. J. Guy Allender, Republican; Grafton.

- B'd Review & Equalization . . . S. M. Musgrove, Democrat; Grafton District; Grafton; term expires in 1931.  
 Thos. P. Lake, Republican; Court House District; Simpson; term expires in 1933.  
 George H. A. Batson, Republican; Booths Creek District; Grafton, R. 5; term expires in 1935.
- Board of Health . . . . . The President of the County Court and Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio.
- B'd Children's Guardians . . . . Miss Margaret E. McKinney, District Agent, Professional Bldg., Fairmont.
- U. S. Board Ex. Surgeons . . . . Grafton. Drs. A. S. Warder, Jr., J. S. Whitescarver and E. R. Bucklew.
- Humane Officer . . . . . (Vacant.)

LIST OF ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Grafton)

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|------------------------|--|
| Allender, J. Guy       | Musgrove, S. M.                        |
| Burdett, John K.       | Robinson, Ira E.                       |
| Burdette, J. Sidney    | (Federal Radio Commission, Washington) |
| Dent, Herbert W.       | Robinson, Jed W.                       |
| Ford, G. W.            | Sommerville, Eugene                    |
| Friedman, Harry        | Sommerville, Sidney H.                 |
| Guard, Chas. P.        | Samples, William P.                    |
| Hechmer, John L.       | Warder, H. Robert                      |
| Hechmer Antoinette     | Watkins, W. Merle                      |
| Holt, H. H.            | Wilson, J. Frank                       |
| Holt, James C.         | Wyckoff, O. E.                         |
| (Prosecuting Attorney) | Wyckoff, E. Bailey                     |
| Kunst, G. H. A.        |  |

REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Officers

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|--|--------------------------------------|
| E. F. Clark, Chairman,<br>Grafton.         | D. L. Freeze, Secretary,<br>Grafton. |
| F. H. Carder, Treasurer,<br>Grafton, R. 4. |                                      |

Members

Grafton District—E. F. Clark, W. Main Street; G. J. Goodwin, Maple Avenue; Mrs. J. Guy Allender, Lincoln Street; Mrs. Myrtle Thayer Grafton.

Fetterman District—Otha C. Compton, R. F. D. 2; Mrs. L. W. Henlein, W. Main Street; Mrs. Wm. Towles, R. F. D. 2, Grafton.

Court House District—H. D. Leach, Elmer Cain and Mrs. Vallie Moore, Simpson; Mrs. Phoebe Wolfe, R. F. D. 6, Grafton.

Booths Creek District—F. H. Carder, Mrs. J. M. Harr, Mrs. G. H. A. Batson, R. F. D. 5; Thornton Beall, R. F. D. 7, Grafton.

Knottsville District—H. R. Haislip, Howe Knotts, Mrs. P. A. Barcus and Miss Blanche Swisher, R. F. D. 1, Grafton.

Flemington District—D. L. Freeze, James Nesbit and Mrs. Helen Ross, Flemington; Mrs. Lulu Chenoweth, R. F. D., Flemington.

### DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

C. B. Bailey, Chairman,  
Grafton.

Mrs. Jas. B. Moran, Secretary,  
Grafton.

Geo. Ona Sinsel, Treasurer,  
Flemington.

#### Members

Grafton District—Claude B. Bailey, John Moran, Miss Gertrude Hull and Mrs. James B. Moran, Grafton.

Court House District—S. W. Wince, Grafton, R. 6.

Booths Creek District—J. E. Hibbs and Waitman Tucker, Bridgeport, R. 3; Mrs. Lizzie Goodwin, Grafton, R. 4; Mrs. Pearl Gawthrop, Grafton, R. 5.

Flemington District—Thurman C. Bennett, G. O. Sinsel, Mrs. J. A. Morgan and Mrs. Anna Cross, Flemington.

Fetterman District—George Luzadder, Grafton, R. 2; Wallace Henderson, Grafton; Mrs. Betty Ford, Independence; Mrs. Mary Bloom, Thornton.

Knottsville District—John H. Grimes, Murray T. Mason, Mrs. Minnie Mason and Mrs. Mary Hussion, Grafton, R. 1.

### DISTRICT OFFICERS

#### Booth's Creek District

(Vacancies in the offices of Justice of the Peace and Constable)

Board of Education . . . . . President—Donley B. Bennett, Democrat;  
Grafton, R. 4.

Secretary—A. C. Morris, Democrat; Bridgeport, R. 3.

Dennis Cochran, Democrat; Bridgeport, R. 3.

Truman Reynolds, Democrat; Grafton, R. 4.

#### Court House District

Justice of the Peace . . . . . Paul Chidester, Republican; Wendel.

Constable . . . . . Mike Gozik, Republican; Wendel.

Board of Education . . . . . President—Claid Post, Republican; Simpson.



Secretary—S. W. Wince, Democrat; Grafton, R. 6.

D. L. Bosley, Democrat; Simpson.

U. S. Clevenger, Republican; Simpson, R. 1.

#### Fetterman District

Justices of the Peace..... M. D. Allender, Republican; Grafton, R. 2.  
L. M. Ford, Republican; Grafton.

Constable..... C. P. Green, Democrat; Grafton.

Board of Education..... President—M. L. Deavers, Democrat; Grafton, R. 2.

Secretary—Edward S. Gans, Democrat; Grafton, R. 2.

William Brown, Democrat; Grafton, R. 3.

David E. Fawcett, Republican; Grafton, R. 2.

#### Flemington District

Justices of the Peace..... G. F. Clark, Republican; Flemington.

A. R. Weston, Democrat; Flemington.

Constables..... Victor Menear, Republican; Flemington.

C. H. Freeze, Republican; Flemington.

Board of Education..... President—B. C. Ross, Republican; Flemington.

Secretary—C. W. Bailey, Republican; Flemington.

Wade Drainer, Republican; Flemington.

Howard Burton, Republican; Flemington.

#### Knottsville District

Justice of the Peace..... (Vacant.)

Constable..... C. V. Smith, Democrat; Grafton.

Board of Education..... President—A. B. Shrayor, Republican; Grafton, R. 1.

Secretary—Blanche Swisher, Republican; Grafton, R. 1.

W. A. Woodyard, Republican; Grafton, R. 1.

E. J. Glover, Republican; Grafton, R. 1.

#### Pruntytown Independent School District

Board of Education..... President—Lee E. Bennett, Democrat; Grafton, R. 5.

Secretary—Jos. F. Johnson, Democrat; Grafton, R. 5.

Mrs. Ada Keener, Republican; Grafton, R. 5.

Walter Powell, Republican; Grafton, R. 5.

#### Grafton Independent District

Justices of the Peace..... John L. Wittman, Republican; Grafton.

J. Oscar Jaco, Republican; Grafton.

Constables .....	J. G. Boliner, Republican; Grafton. D. W. Fortney, Democrat; Grafton.
Board of Education .....	President—J. A. Jolliffe, Republican; Grafton. Secretary—Harry Friedman, Democrat; Grafton. John Q. Musgrove, Democrat; Grafton. Chas. E. Burke, Republican; Grafton. Chas. Brinkman, Republican; Grafton. S. A. Waller, Republican; Grafton.

### TUCKER COUNTY

Tucker County, formed in 1856, has a land area of 405 square miles and has the seven magisterial districts of Black Fork, Dry Fork, Clover, Davis, Fairfax, Licking and St. George. The population of the county in 1920 was 16,791 and 13,374 in 1930. The county was named for Henry St. George Tucker, an eminent jurist and statesman of Virginia.

The county, while agricultural, has large quantities of coal and timber, which have been largely developed. In 1929, the total assessed valuation of the taxable property in the county was \$9,710,059, of which \$6,318,980 was real estate, \$1,704,690 personal property and \$1,686,380 public utility property.

Parsons, the county seat, is located on the Cheat River at an elevation of 1,650 feet above sea level. In 1920 it had a population of 2,001 and in 1930 of 2,012.

The other incorporated places in the county, with their 1930 populations are: Davis, 1,656; Hambleton, 368; Hendricks, 484; and Thomas, 1,660.

### COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

Judge Circuit Court .....	A. Jay Valentine, Republican; Parsons.
Terms Commence .....	First Monday in March, first Monday in June, third Monday in September and the third Monday in December.
Official Court Reporter .....	S. A. Scott, Republican; Parsons.
Sheriff .....	Fred A. Cooper, Democrat; Parsons.
Prosecuting Attorney .....	Alan G. Bolton, Republican; Thomas.
Clerk Circuit Court .....	Clara Rightmire, Democrat; Parsons.
Gen'l Receiver Circuit Court .....	A. F. Phillips, Republican; Parsons.
Chancery Commissioners .....	Jeff Lipscomb, Republican; Parsons. J. P. Scott, Democrat; Parsons. A. F. Phillips, Republican; Parsons. W. M. Harman, Republican; Parsons. G. G. Lambert, Republican; Parsons.

Divorce Commissioner	J. W. Harman, Republican; Thomas.
Clerk County Court	John O. McNeeley, Democrat; Hendricks.
Supt. Free Schools	C. R. Parsons, Democrat; Parsons.
County Road Engineer	(None.)
Surveyor	H. U. Freeman, Republican; Parsons.
Assessor	A. G. Fansler, Democrat; Hendricks.
Com'r of School Lands	J. P. Scott, Democrat; Parsons.
County Commissioners	W. E. Weimer, Republican; Davis. Harold J. Felton, Democrat; Parsons. Earl C. Nestor, Democrat; St. George. Lindsey Reed, Republican; Davis. Grover C. Fansler, Democrat; Thomas. Nelson Williams, Democrat; St. George. Arthur Lipscomb, Democrat; Lead Mine. (Terms of all expire December 31, 1930.)
President County Court	W. E. Weimer, Republican; Davis.
Terms Commence	First Wednesday after the first Monday in January, April, July and October.
Commissioners of Accounts	William M. Harman, Republican; Parsons. Jeff Lipscomb, Republican; Parsons.
B'd Review & Equalization	James W. Campbell, Democrat; Licking District; St. George, R. 3; term expires in 1931. Simpson S. Ford, Republican; Black Fork District; Parsons; term expires in 1933. A. L. Helmick, Republican; Fairfax Dis- trict; Thomas; term expires in 1935.
Board of Health	The President of the County Court and the Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio; Dr. A. E. Calvert, Parsons, County Health Of- ficer.
B'd Children's Guardians	Mary N. Waugh, District Agent, Buck- hannon.
Humane Officer	Lewis Spangler, Parsons.
County Nurse	Sue M. White, Parsons.

## LIST OF ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Parsons, unless otherwise given)

Bolton, Alan G. (Prosecuting Attorney)	Pritt, Wayne K. Scott, J. P.
Cuppett, D. E.	Smith, Charles D.
Harman, J. William	(Secy. Workmen's Com- pensation Commission, Charleston)
Harman, Wm. M.	Suder, A. F., Thomas
Heironimus, R. D., Davis	
Lambert, Harry	



- Constables..... A. G. Lipscomb, Republican; Parsons.  
R. B. Kile, Democrat; Hendricks.
- Board of Education..... President—George W. Higgs, Republican;  
Parsons.  
Secretary—Hubert Lake, Republican; Parsons.  
Gerald C. Kelley, Republican; Parsons.  
E. C. Sine, Republican; Hambleton.
- Clover District
- Justice of the Peace..... C. L. Offutt, Democrat; Montrose, R. 3.  
Constable..... Aubrey Sturms, Democrat; Montrose.
- Board of Education..... President—M. J. T. Fitzwater, Democrat;  
St. George.  
Secretary—Mrs. Blanche Ashby, Democrat;  
St. George.  
J. F. Fauley, Democrat; St. George.  
A. T. Shahan, Democrat; St. George.
- Davis District
- Justices of the Peace..... P. A. Hamby, Democrat; Davis.  
W. R. Morris, Republican; Davis.
- Constables..... J. B. Shreve, Republican; Davis.  
Edgar A. Armsey, Democrat; Davis.
- Board of Education..... President—Wilson Hoffman, Republican;  
Davis.  
Secretary—E. E. Keenan, Democrat; Davis.  
O. Z. Harr, Democrat; Davis.  
J. C. Cooper, Democrat; Davis.
- Dry Fork District
- Justice of the Peace..... W. A. Ault, Republican; Red Creek.  
Constable..... W. D. Raines, Democrat; Red Creek.
- Board of Education..... President—Abe Cooper, Republican; Red  
Creek.  
Secretary—Verna Bonner, Republican; Red  
Creek.  
Mrs. Kate Raines, Democrat; Red Creek.  
Glen Judy, Democrat; Red Creek.
- Fairfax District
- Justices of the Peace..... O. M. Nearhood, Democrat; Thomas.  
Tony R. DePollo, Republican; Thomas.
- Constables..... Mike Ferris, Republican; Thomas.  
D. E. Crosten, Republican; Pierce.
- Board of Education..... President — Lewis Thomas, Republican;  
Pierce.  
Secretary — M. G. Smith, Republican;  
Thomas.  
Ruby Rubenstein, Republican; Thomas.  
Mrs. D. E. Cuppett, Republican; Thomas.

## Licking District

- Justice of the Peace..... P. W. Lipscomb, Republican; St. George, R. 3.  
 Constable..... Chas. T. Shahan, Democrat; St. George, R. 3.  
 Board of Education..... President—Geo C. Miller, Democrat; St. George, R. 3.  
 Secretary—J. W. Campbell, Democrat; St. George, R. 3.  
 Jerry Nestor, Democrat; St. George.  
 Renzie Wotring, Democrat; St. George.

## St. George District

(Vacancy in the office of Justice of the Peace.)

- Constable..... J. H. Beckner, Democrat; Parsons.  
 Board of Education..... President—John Auvil, Democrat; St. George.  
 Secretary—Ray Jenkins, Democrat; St. George.  
 Walter G. Canan, Republican; Lead Mine.  
 G. H. Cassidy, Republican; St. George.

## TYLER COUNTY

Tyler County, established in 1814, has a land area of 260 square miles. This is divided into the six magisterial districts of Centerville, Ellsworth, Lincoln, Meade, McElroy and Union. The county maintains a county high school and Sistersville an independent school district. The county has a well developed oil and gas production, in addition to its horticultural and agricultural products. It was named in honor of John Tyler, eighth governor of Virginia and father of John Tyler, tenth President of the United States.

The county, in 1920, had a population of 14,186 and in 1930 of 12,785. The taxable property in the county in 1929 was: Real estate, \$6,515,160; personal property, \$4,874,335; public utility property, \$5,105,475; a total of \$16,494,970.

Middlebourne, the county seat, was established in 1813, the present incorporation dating from 1871. It has an elevation of 754 feet above sea level and in 1920 had a population of 929, the population in 1930 being 769.

Sistersville, on the Ohio River, was incorporated in 1839. It has for years been an important oil and gas center. Its population in 1920 was 3,238 and 3,072 in 1930.

The other municipalities in the county, with their 1930 populations are: Centerville, 152; Friendly, 170; Paden City, which lies partly in Wetzel County, 2,281.

COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

Judge Circuit Court.....	James F. Shipman, Democrat; Moundsville.
Terms Commence.....	Third Tuesday in March, July and November.
Official Court Reporter.....	W. F. Keefer, Democrat; Moundsville.
Sheriff.....	Wm. P. Baker, Democrat; Middlebourne; ex-officio Sealer of Weights & Measures.
Prosecuting Attorney.....	O. J. Hill, Republican; Middlebourne.
Clerk Circuit Court.....	Gertrude K. Traugh, Republican; Middlebourne.
Gen'l Receiver Circuit Court.....	Mrs. H. B. Jemison, Democrat; Middlebourne.
Chancery Commissioners.....	K. S. Boreman, Republican; Middlebourne. O. B. Conaway, Republican; Sistersville. W. H. Carter, Republican; Middlebourne. J. H. McCoy, Democrat; Sistersville.
Divorce Commissioner.....	O. B. Conaway, Republican; Sistersville.
Clerk County Court.....	J. E. Smith, Republican; Middlebourne.
Supt. Free Schools.....	F. A. Buck, Republican; Middlebourne.
County Road Engineer.....	Geo. R. Clark, Republican; Middlebourne.
County Surveyor.....	John S. Haught, Republican; Far.
Assessor.....	Alden Carse, Democrat; Middlebourne.
Com'r School Lands.....	Don Riggle, Democrat; Middlebourne.
County Commissioners.....	Eli Ash, Republican; Wilbur; term expires December 31, 1930. G. P. Myers, Republican; Alma; term expires December 31, 1932. L. F. Buck, Republican; Sistersville; term expires December 31, 1934.
President County Court.....	Eli Ash, Republican; Wilbur.
Terms Commence.....	Second Monday in January, April, July and October.
Commissioners of Accounts.....	S. G. Pyle, Republican; Middlebourne. K. S. Boreman, Republican; Middlebourne. O. B. Conaway, Republican; Sistersville. J. H. McCoy, Democrat; Sistersville.
B'd Review & Equalization.....	L. A. Martin, Republican; Lincoln District; Sistersville, R. F. D.; term expires in 1931. B. F. Montgomery, Republican; Centerville District; Central Station; term expires in 1933. W. R. McIntyre, Democrat; McElroy Dis- trict; Alvy; term expires in 1935.
Board of Health.....	President of County Court and the Prose- cuting Attorney, ex-officio; Dr. J. A. Baker, Middlebourne, County Health Of- ficer.

B'd Children's Guardians . . Miss Stella Parker, District Agent; Parkersburg.  
 U. S. Board Ex. Surgeons. Sistersville. Dr. C. V. Little, Single Surgeon.

### LIST OF ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Middlebourne)

Boreman and Carter	Hill, Thomas P.
Boreman, K. S.	(Asst. State Supt. of Free Schools)
Carter, O. C.	Hill, O. J.
Carter, W. H.	(Prosecuting Attorney)
	Underwood, I. M.

(Post office address Sistersville)

Conaway, Orrin B.	Brennan, W. J.
Kimball and Sugden	McCoy and McCoy
Kimball, C. N.	McCoy, F. J.
Sugden, Walter	McCoy, John H.

### REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

C. R. Kerr, Chairman, Sistersville.	John W. Smith, Treasurer Frew.
Paul W. Neuenschwander, Secretary, Sistersville.	

#### Members

Centerville District—James A. Underwood, Josephs Mills; B. F. Montgomery, Central Station, R. D. 1; Mrs. Georgia Ireland, Mole Hill; Miss Bessie Pyle, Bearsville.

Ellsworth District—Bert Watkins, Clarence Stealy, Miss Mabel Nichols and Mrs. Ferguson, Middlebourne.

Lincoln District—C. R. Kerr, John A. Richards, Mrs. F. E. Miller and Mrs. C. R. Sandy, Sistersville.

McElroy District—W. E. Baker, Alvy; A. L. Conaway, Wilbur; Mrs. Mary Woodburn, Booher.

Meade District—Harvey Lawson, Middlebourne; R. D.; C. B. Robinson, Middlebourne, R. D. 1; Mrs. Rhoda W. Long and Mrs. Laura V. Robinson, Wick.

Union District—R. E. Williamson and Mrs. Stella R. Williamson, Friendly; M. E. Henderson and Mrs. Ethel Dancer, Friendly, R. D. 1.

### JUDICIAL COMMITTEE

Austin Doak, Central Station, R. D. 1; Mrs. Mollie Feist, New Martinsville, R. D. 2.



SENATORIAL COMMITTEE

Henry T. Kelch, Sistersville, R. D. 1; Mrs. Ida Lemley, Friendly, R. D. 1.

CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE

Mrs. Augusta E. Ackerson, Sistersville; Dr. J. A. Baker, Middlebourne.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Officers

W. J. Brennan, Chairman, Sistersville. Don L. Riggle, Secretary, Middlebourne.  
Mrs. Stella A. Eddy, Treasurer, Friendly.

Members

Centerville District—A. M. Dotson, Central Station, R. D. 1; D. D. Davis, Josephs Mills; Mrs. Adda Goode, Mole Hill, R. D. 1; Miss Esta Pierpont, Alma.

Ellsworth District—H. H. Crumrine, Don L. Riggle, Mrs. Ella Meredith and Mrs. Perie Wilburn, Middlebourne, R. D. 1.

Lincoln District—G. Talbott McCoy, H. C. Griffith, Mrs. Camilla Brown, Sistersville; Miss Josephine Ferrell, Sistersville, R. D. 2.

Meade District—Harry F. Jackson, C. D. Morris, Wick; Miss Vesta Carse, Wick, R. D. 1; Mrs. C. M. Hamilton, Mole Hill, R. D. 1.

McElroy District—R. L. Stathers, Frew; S. J. McIntyre, Alvy; Mrs. E. M. Pitts, Shirley; Mrs. Mary Ash, Alvy.

Union District—Harley Dearth, Bens Run; J. C. Archer and Miss Ora Archer, Sistersville, R. D. 3; Miss Stella A. Eddy, Friendly.

DISTRICT OFFICERS

Centerville District

Justice of the Peace..... Bert Wilcox, Republican; Alma.  
Constables ..... (By special appointment.)  
Board of Education..... President—G. A. Williamson, Republican;  
Central Station.  
Secretary—O. A. Doak, Republican; Mole Hill.  
Oris Grove, Republican; Central Station.  
Harry Ash, Democrat; Josephs Mills.

Ellsworth District

Justice of the Peace..... H. M. Adams, Republican; Middlebourne.  
Constables..... J. H. Twyman, Sr., Republican; Middlebourne.  
S. R. Mayfield, Republican; Middlebourne.

**Board of Education**..... President—J. T. Fonner, Republican; Middlebourne.  
 Secretary—T. D. Haught, Republican; Middlebourne.  
 George Adams, Republican; Middlebourne.  
 G. L. Morris, Republican; Middlebourne.

**Lincoln District**

**Justices of the Peace**..... A. G. Lowther, Republican; Sistersville.  
 Fred Reitz, Republican; Sistersville.  
**Constable**..... G. W. Lawson, Republican; Sistersville.  
**Board of Education**..... President—A. T. Lewis, Democrat; Sistersville.  
 Secretary—A. E. Doak, Republican; Sistersville.  
 W. F. Wagner, Republican; Sistersville.  
 W. E. Roberts, Republican; Sistersville.

**Meade District**

**Justice of the Peace**..... (Vacancy.)  
**Constable**..... (None.)  
**Board of Education**..... President—A. F. McMullen, Republican; Wick.  
 Secretary—G. E. Smith, Wick.  
 F. L. Conley, Republican; Wick.  
 O. R. Garrison, Republican; Wick.

**McElroy District**

**Justices of the Peace**..... C. R. Glover, Republican; Alvy.  
 L. S. Pitts, Republican; Shirley.  
**Constable**..... (None.)  
**Board of Education**..... President—Eli Underwood, Republican; Alma.  
 Secretary—M. H. Nichols, Republican; Middlebourne.  
 P. O. Nichols, Republican; Frew.  
 M. L. Ferrell, Republican; Alvy.

**Union District**

**Justice of the Peace**..... P. J. Frum, Republican; Friendly.  
**Constable**..... (By special appointment.)  
**Board of Education**..... President—Frank Johnson, Democrat; Sistersville.  
 Secretary — E. A. Turner, Democrat; Friendly.  
 H. H. Gardner, Democrat; Bens Run.  
 Edward Ruystemeyer, Democrat; Friendly.

**Sistersville Independent District**

**Board of Education**..... President—J. D. May, Republican; Sistersville.

Secretary—W. G. Maxwell, Democrat; Sistersville.

H. P. West, Democrat; Sistersville.

Mrs. C. D. Eastman, Democrat; Sistersville.

#### Tyler County High School

Board of Education..... President—F. A. Buck, Republican; Middlebourne.

Secretary—A. E. Doak, Republican; Sistersville.

G. A. Williamson, Republican; Central Station.

J. T. Fonner, Republican; Middlebourne.

Frank Johnson, Democrat; Sistersville.

A. T. Lewis, Democrat; Sistersville.

A. F. McMullen, Republican; Wick.

Eli Underwood, Republican; Alma.

### UPSHUR COUNTY

Upshur, a central county of the state, was formed in 1851. It has a land area of 351 square miles, which is divided into six magisterial districts as follows: Buckhannon, Banks, Meade, Union, Washington and Warren. An independent school district is maintained by the city of Buckhannon, and a county high school by the county. The county was named for Abel Parker Upshur, an eminent statesman and jurist of Virginia.

Upshur is one of the important agricultural counties of the state, but contains large coal deposits, which have been extensively developed. The 1920 population of the county was 17,851, which had slightly increased to 17,944 in 1930.

In 1929, the assessments of property values in this county were: Real estate, \$12,338,225; personal property, \$2,987,980; public utility property, \$2,295,972; a total assessment of \$17,622,177.

Buckhannon, the county seat, was established in 1816. It has an altitude of 1,432 feet and its 1920 population of 3,785 grew to 4,374 in 1930.

The West Virginia Wesleyan College, located at Buckhannon, was established in 1887. It is maintained by the Methodist Episcopal Church of West Virginia and is one of the important institutions of higher learning in the state. It is directed by Dr. Homer E. Wark, President.

#### COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

Judge Circuit Court..... H. G. Kump, Democrat; Elkins.

Terms Commence..... Second Monday in January, second Monday in April and the first Monday in September.

Official Court Reporter	Kembel T. Manning, Independent; Elkins.
Sheriff	H. A. Zickefoose, Republican; Buckhannon.
Prosecuting Attorney	A. Jerome Dailey, Republican; Buckhannon.
Clerk Circuit Court	A. J. Zickefoose, Republican; Buckhannon.
Chancery Commissioners	W. G. L. Totten, Democrat; Buckhannon. Myron B. Hymes, Republican; Buckhannon. Lycurgus Hyre, Republican; Buckhannon. Jerome V. Hall, Democrat; Buckhannon.
Clerk County Court	Allen B. Cutright, Republican; Buckhannon.
Supt. Free Schools	Glenn Ours, Republican; Buckhannon.
County Road Engineer	F. O. Leonard, Republican; Buckhannon.
Surveyor	Claud Burr, Republican; Buckhannon.
Assessor	M. K. Colerider, Republican; Buckhannon.
Com'r of School Lands	Jerome V. Hall, Democrat; Buckhannon.
County Commissioners	S. N. Cutright, Republican; Buckhannon; term expires December 31, 1930. C. J. Toms, Republican; Adrian; term ex- pires December 31, 1932. W. R. Demastes, Republican; Gaines; term expires December 31, 1934.
President County Court	S. N. Cutright, Republican; Buckhannon.
Terms Commence	First and third Monday of each month.
Commissioners of Accounts	A. Jerome Dailey, Republican; Buckhannon. U. G. Young, Republican; Buckhannon. C. N. Pew, Republican; Buckhannon. Lycurgus Hyre, Republican; Buckhannon.
B'd Review & Equalization	I. V. Rexroad, Republican; Meade District; French Creek; term expires in 1931. G. G. Westfall, Democrat; Washington Dis- trict; Buckhannon, R. 5; term expires in 1933. Henry O. Talbott, Republican; Buckhannon District; Buckhannon; term expires in 1935.
Board of Health	The President of the County Court and Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio; Dr. L. W. Page, Buckhannon, County Health Officer.
B'd Children's Guardians	Miss Mary N. Waugh, District Agent, Buckhannon.
U. S. Board Ex. Surgeons	Buckhannon. Dr. R. A. Reger; Adrian, Dr. Everett Walker.
County Agricultural Agent	Glen L. Ford, Republican; Buckhannon.
Home Demonstrator	Abbie Russel, Republican; Buckhannon.

## LIST OF ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Buckhannon)

Arnold, Gohen C.	Pew, C. N.
Dailey, A. Jerome (Prosecuting Attorney)	Ross, Kelcal M.
Downes, J. M. N.	Totten, W. G. L.
Fisher, W. H.	Waugh, H. Roy
Hyre, Lycurgus	Young and McWhorter
Hymes, Myron B.	Young, U. G.
O'Brien and Hall	McWhorter, J. G.
O'Brien, Wm. S.	Young, U. G., Jr.
Hall, Jerome V.	

## REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

## Officers

C. B. Wilson, Chairman, Frenchton.	Mrs. John M. Young, Secretary, Buckhannon.
Ray F. Poling, Treasurer, Buckhannon.	

## Members

Banks District—P. S. Crites, Selbyville; C. B. Wilson, Mrs. Orpha Crawford and Mrs. Maggie Wolf, Frenchton.

Buckhannon District—Ray F. Poling, U. G. Young, Jr., Miss Nell Morgan and Mrs. Jno. M. Young, Buckhannon.

Meade District—T. C. Burner and Miss Virginia Burner, Sago; Ira Kexroad and Mrs. H. O. Vantromp, French Creek.

Union District—C. E. Shreves, Solomon Harper, Mrs. Lola Dean and Mrs. R. B. Ringer, Buckhannon, R. 4.

Warren District—Dr. W. H. Gum, Miss Esther Loudin and Mrs. Ora M. Casto, Buckhannon, R. 1.

Washington District—L. Andrew Tenney, Mrs. Rachel Shipman, Sand Run; J. M. Hinkle and Mrs. Ella Hinkle, Queens.

## DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

## Officers

Wm. Post, Chairman, Buckhannon.	Mrs. Carl Sexton, Asso. Chair, Buckhannon.
W. P. Barlow, Secretary, Buckhannon.	J. E. Mearns, Treasurer, Buckhannon.

## Members

Buckhannon District—W. P. Barlow, Mrs. Florence Curry and Mrs. Jessie Rusmisell, Buckhannon; Ross Miles, Lorentz.

Banks District—H. H. Woodford, R. C. Boggs and Mrs. Hallie M. Teter, Rock Cave; Mrs. Dolly Compton, Selbyville.



Haze Winemiller, Republican; Alexander.  
C. L. Smallridge, Republican; Adrian.

#### Warren District

(Vacancies in the offices of Justice of the Peace and Constable.)

Board of Education..... President—Ben Radabaugh, Republican;  
Hall, R. 1.  
Secretary—Clyde S. Queen, Democrat;  
Buckhannon, R. 2.  
J. B. Gum, Republican; Volga, R. 1.  
D. S. Ours, Republican; Buckhannon.

#### Washington District

Justices of the Peace..... Willis Goodwin, Republican; Queens.  
D. J. Hanifan, Republican; Queens.  
Constables..... R. D. Cummins, Republican; Sand Run.  
O. E. Lamb, Republican; Hemlock.  
Board of Education..... President—Jacob Bailey, Republican; Tall-  
mansville.  
Secretary—Dewey Light, Republican; Tall-  
mansville.  
Columbus Wilfong, Republican; Buckhan-  
non, R. 6.  
Leslie A. Benson, Republican; Tallmans-  
ville.

#### Union District

Justice of the Peace..... L. J. Dean, Republican; Buckhannon, R. 4.  
Constable..... (Vacant.)  
Board of Education..... President—I. B. Westfall, Democrat; Buck-  
hannon, R. 4.  
Secretary—J. H. Ours, Republican; Buck-  
hannon, R. 4.  
M. J. Jackson, Republican; Buckhannon,  
R. 4.  
Sisco Griffeth, Republican; Buckhannon,  
R. 4.

#### Buckhannon Independent District

Board of Education..... President—T. R. Hall, Republican; Buck-  
hannon.  
Secretary—A. J. Zickefoose, Republican;  
Buckhannon.  
L. W. Page, Republican; Buckhannon.  
A. G. Shannon, Republican; Buckhannon.

#### Upshur County High School District

Board of Education..... President—H. O. Van Tromp, Republican;  
French Creek.

Secretary—E. H. Knabenshue, Republican;  
Buckhannon.  
I. B. Westfall, Democrat; Buckhannon.  
Glenn Ours, Republican; Buckhannon.

## WAYNE COUNTY

Wayne County, formed in 1842, was named in honor of General Anthony Wayne, of Revolutionary War fame. The county has an area of 517 square miles and in 1920 had a population of 26,012. The population had increased, in 1930, to 31,206. It is both an agricultural and coal producing county.

Ceredo, Butler, Union, Stonewall, Lincoln, Grant and Westmoreland are the seven magisterial districts of the county. The county maintains a county high school and Ceredo an independent school district. Wayne's taxable property, in 1929, had a total assessed value of \$38,434,458, divided as follows: Real estate, \$13,835,865; personal property, \$2,679,575; public utility property, \$21,919,018.

Wayne was established as the county seat when the county was organized and was incorporated in 1882. It has an elevation above sea level of 707 feet and in 1920 had a population of 446, which increased to 675 in 1930.

Other important incorporated places in this county, with populations as shown by the 1930 census are: Ceredo, 1,164; Kenova, 3,680; and Cassville (whose postoffice is Fort Gay), 664.

## COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

Judge Circuit Court	Charles W. Ferguson, Democrat; Wayne.
Terms Commence	Second Monday in March, second Monday in June, second Monday in September and the first Monday in December.
Sheriff	M. E. Ketchum, Democrat; Wayne.
Prosecuting Attorney	J. E. Hammock, Republican; Kenova.
Clerk Circuit Court	S. S. Plymale, Democrat; Wayne.
Chancery Commissioners	Boyd Adkins, Democrat; Wayne. Chas. E. Walker, Democrat; Wayne. Fisher F. Scaggs, Democrat; Wayne. J. T. Lambert, Democrat; Wayne. J. Floyd Harrison, Democrat; Wayne.
Divorce Commissioner	Fisher F. Scaggs, Democrat; Wayne.
Clerk County Court	Hezekiah Adkins, Democrat; Wayne.
Supt. Free Schools	H. F. Frye, Democrat; Stiltner.
County Engineer	H. O. Wiles, Democrat; Wayne.
County Surveyor	H. Lewis, Democrat; East Lynne.
Assessor	R. L. Drown, Democrat; Wayne.
Com'r of School Lands	Boyd Adkins, Democrat; Wayne.



County Commissioners . . . . .	B. B. Cyrus, Democrat; Whites Creek; term expires December 31, 1930. Kiah Adkins, Democrat; Wayne; term expires December 31, 1932. Jesse Nelson, Republican; Stiltner; term expires December 31, 1934.
President County Court . . . . .	B. B. Cyrus, Democrat; Whites Creek.
Commissioners of Accounts . . . . .	J. T. Lambert, Democrat; Wayne. Boyd Adkins, Democrat; Wayne. Fisher F. Scaggs, Democrat; Wayne. J. G. Lambert, Democrat; Kenova.
B'd Review & Equalization . . . . .	William Jones, Republican; Grant District; Queens Ridge; term expires in 1931. J. F. Massie, Republican; Butler District; Fort Gay; term expires in 1933. L. K. Vinson, Democrat; Lincoln District; Glen Hays; term expires in 1935.
Board of Health . . . . .	The President of the County Court and Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio; Dr. A. G. Wilkinson, Wayne, County Health Officer.
B'd Children's Guardians . . . . .	Miss Camille Harper, District Agent, Court House; Huntington.
U. S. Board Ex. Surgeons . . . . .	Dr. B. D. Garrett, Kenova; Drs. A. W. Bromley and W. J. Bartram, Louisa, Ky.

## LIST OF ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Wayne, unless otherwise given)

Burgess, W. Earl	Hensley, Henry, Kenova.
Ferguson, Charles W. (Judge Circuit Court)	Lambert, J. T. Lovins, W. T., Huntington
Ferguson, M. J.	Marcum, J. H., Dunlow
Fry, C., East Lynn	Prichard, B. J.
Hammock J. E., Kenova (Prosecuting Attorney)	Riggs, J. M., Huntington Scaggs, Fisher F.
Hardwick, D. B., Huntington	Wilcox, E. J., Huntington
Harrison, J. Floyd	

## REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

## Officers

Doliver L. Bailey, Chairman, Shoals.	John T. Hereford, Jr., Secretary, Kenova.
W. T. Wallace, Treasurer, Kenova.	

## Members

Butler District—James Lakins, A. J. Hatcher and Miss Nolis Vanhoose, Fort Gay; Mrs. Ben Cooksey, Prichard.

Ceredo District—Charles Lovins, Hobert Akers and Mrs. Ethel Ferguson, Kenova; Miss Albert Wright, Ceredo.

Lincoln District—Mrs. Laura Salmon, Crum; John H. Cornotte and R. L. McConnell, Radnor; Mrs. Riva Maynard, Glenhayes.

Grant District—Saunders Adkins, Queen Ridge; Elva Meade, Cynthia Spry and Mrs. Sarah Perry, Dunlow.

Union District—Edgar Newman, Oliver Spurlock and Macie Sullivan, Lavalette; Nell Taylor Allen, Wayne.

Stonewall District—W. H. Newhouse, George Pinson, Mrs. W. H. Newhouse and Mrs. Laura Maynard, East Lynn.

Westmoreland District—T. D. Zimmerman, Willard M. Coats, Mrs. Lyman Cobb and Lillian M. Brokenshire, Huntington.

### DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

Herman P. Dean, Chairman,  
Wayne.

M. F. Adkins, Secretary,  
East Lynn

G. A. Porter, Treasurer,  
Kenova.

#### Members

Ceredo District—W. R. Wilson, Barney Davis, Mrs. Lucille Saunders and Miss Ethel Hardwick, Kenova.

Westmoreland District—J. F. Schmidlapp, 3208 Dundale Avenue, Huntington; Russell C. Plymale, 124 Hughes Street, Huntington; Mrs. Grover C. Hunter, 322 Piedmont Road, Huntington; Mrs. Roland Patrick, Ceredo, R. 1.

Stonewall District—F. G. Tabor, F. H. Fry, Mrs. Lilly Lloyd and Mrs. Mary Perry, East Lynn.

Union District—G. C. Carson and A. C. Adkins, Lavalette, R. D.; Miss Mildred Smith, Wayne; Mrs. Louisa Harrison.

Grant District—Frank Maynard, Mrs. Fannie Caines and Mrs. Georgia Adkins, Kiahsville; W. V. Stanley, Whitmans.

Lincoln District—D. W. Vinson, Saltpetre; E. B. Ferguson, Genoa; Georgia Merchant, Ferguson; Verna Harris Joseph, Crum.

Butler District—John Thompson and Rebecca Wilson, Sidney; Tom Frazier and Mollie Frazier, Fort Gay.

### DISTRICT OFFICERS

#### Butler District

Justices of the Peace ..... W. H. Alley, Republican; Fort Gay.  
P. J. Webb, Republican; Prichard.  
Constables..... Willie Robertson, Republican; Fort Gay.  
Lem Christian, Republican; Prichard.

Board of Education . . . . . President—R. F. Frasher, Democrat; Fort Gay.  
 Secretary—W. C. Lovely, Democrat; Fort Gay.  
 J. J. Ratcliff, Democrat; Fort Gay.  
 Stonewall Jackson, Republican; Wayne.

Ceredo District

Justices of the Peace . . . . . H. H. Cyrus, Democrat; Kenova.  
 Ed Wright, Republican; Ceredo.  
 Constables . . . . . H. V. (Bun) Carpenter, Democrat; Kenova.  
 P. H. Brumfield, Democrat; Ceredo, R. D.  
 Board of Education . . . . . President — G. T. Perdue, Republican;  
 Shoals.  
 Secretary—J. L. Malcolm, Democrat; Shoals.  
 G. W. Perdue, Democrat; Kenova, R. 1.  
 J. O. Miller, Democrat; Kenova, R. 1.

Grant District

Justices of the Peace . . . . . John F. Maynard, Republican; Stiltner.  
 Jink Queen, Republican; Queens Ridge.  
 Constables . . . . . Jarrett Maynard, Republican; Kiahsville.  
 Jay Maynard, Republican; Dunlow, R. D.  
 Board of Education . . . . . President—Gilbert Maynard, Republican;  
 Dunlow.  
 Secretary—Willie Jones, Republican;  
 Queens Ridge.  
 Monroe Ramsey, Republican; Dunlow.  
 Robert Osburn, Democrat; Queens Ridge.

Lincoln District

Justices of the Peace . . . . . Ed Harmon, Republican; Crum.  
 John Ratcliff, Republican; Stonecoal.  
 Constables . . . . . Noah Fields, Republican; Stonecoal.  
 Henry Copley, Republican; Genoa.  
 Board of Education . . . . . President—J. D. Copley, Republican; Cas-  
 sie.  
 Secretary—W. M. Queen, Democrat; Crum.  
 B. E. Perry, Democrat; Dunlow.  
 J. B. Spaulding, Republican; Crum.

Stonewall District

Justices of the Peace . . . . . H. B. Frye, Democrat; East Lynn.  
 Lewis Queen, Democrat; Stiltner.  
 Constables . . . . . Taylor Carey, Democrat; East Lynn.  
 Soney Ramey, Democrat; East Lynn.  
 Board of Education . . . . . President—B. N. Adkins, Democrat; Stilt-  
 ner.  
 Secretary—L. B. Tabor, Democrat; East  
 Lynn.

Paris B. Adkins, Democrat; East Lynn.  
Chas. Asbury, Democrat; East Lynn.

#### Union District

Justices of the Peace..... Boyd Adkins, Democrat; Wayne.  
Chas. E. Walker, Democrat; Wayne.  
Constables..... W. M. Moore, Democrat; Wayne.  
Arlington Pyles, Democrat; Wayne.  
Board of Education..... President—A. W. Preston, Democrat; Dick-  
son.  
Secretary—Effie Goddard, Democrat;  
Wayne.  
O. D. Bowen, Democrat; Lavalette.  
P. W. Booth, Democrat; Wayne.

#### Westmoreland District

Justices of the Peace..... T. D. Zimmerman, Republican; Huntington.  
C. E. Duvall, Democrat; Huntington.  
Constables..... George W. Barney, Democrat; Huntington.  
Coda Pyles, Republican; Huntington.

#### Ceredo Independent School District

Board of Education..... President—J. N. Stratton, Democrat; Ken-  
ova.  
Secretary—W. H. Wallace, Republican  
Kenova.  
D. D. Wallace, Republican; Kenova.  
H. S. Stark, Democrat; Ceredo.  
Eustace Adkins, Democrat; Ceredo.

#### Wayne County High School

Board of Education..... W. H. Newhouse, Republican; East Lynn.  
R. M. Hale, Democrat; Wayne.  
Rhoda Hardwick, Democrat; Genoa.  
W. H. Tomblin, Republican; Queens Ridge.  
Secretary—H. E. Berisford, Republican;  
Wayne.  
(Note: Butler District withdrew from  
the County High School, therefore does not  
have a member of the Board.)

#### Wayne County Council

Board of Education..... App Queen, Democrat; Stiltner.  
W. C. Lovely, Democrat; Fort Gay.  
Samuel Herald, Democrat; Dunlow.  
E. R. Dorsey, Kenova.  
Frank Maynard, Democrat; Stiltner.  
P. P. Lester, Democrat; Wayne.

## WEBSTER COUNTY

Webster, the last county in West Virginia to be erected before the separation from Virginia, was organized in 1860 and named in honor of the New England orator and statesman, Daniel Webster.

The county has an area of 583 square miles. It had a population of 11,562 in 1920, which increased in 1930 to 14,216. Of its natural resources, timber has been most largely developed. It has many mineral springs, of which Webster Springs is the best known.

The four magisterial districts of the county, Fork Lick, Glade, Holly and Hacker Valley, in 1920 had a total assessed value of \$11,159,627; of this \$7,653,455 represented real estate, \$2,243,420 personal property and \$1,262,752 public utility property.

Webster Springs is the county seat, that being the name of the post-office, although the official name of the municipality is Addison. It is located on the Elk River at an elevation of 1,509 feet above sea level. In 1920 it had a population of 679, which increased to 976 in 1930.

Cowen, 1930 population, 491, and Camden-on-Gauley, 435, are the two other incorporated places in this county.

### COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

Judge Circuit Court	Jake Fisher, Democrat; Sutton.
Terms Commence	Second Tuesday in January, second Tuesday in May and second Tuesday in September.
Official Court Reporter	Raymond Allman, Democrat; Sutton.
Sheriff	John B. Skidmore, Democrat; Webster Springs; ex-officio Sealer of Weights and Measures.
Prosecuting Attorney	W. W. Hoover, Democrat; Webster Springs.
Clerk Circuit Court	G. W. Jackson, Democrat; Webster Springs.
Chancery Commissioners	Amos Cogar, Democrat; Webster Springs. W. T. Talbott, Democrat; Webster Springs. W. S. Wysong, Democrat; Webster Springs. L. L. Dyer, Democrat; Webster Springs.
Clerk County Court	B. S. Wooddell, Democrat; Webster Springs.
Supt. Free Schools	A. R. Morton, Democrat; Webster Springs.
County Road Engineer	P. B. Cogar, Democrat; Webster Springs.
Surveyor	R. L. Rose, Democrat; Bergoo.
Assessor	A. M. Ruckman, Democrat; Webster Springs.
Com'r of School Lands	F. N. Sycamore, Democrat; Webster Springs.
County Commissioners	D. W. Cutlip, Democrat; Diana; term expires December 31, 1930. N. C. Bledsoe, Democrat; Webster Springs; term expires December 31, 1932.

	C. E. Starcher, Democrat; Cowen; term expires December 31, 1934.
President County Court . . . . .	D. W. Cutlip, Democrat; Webster Springs.
Terms Commence . . . . .	First Tuesday in January, first Tuesday in March, first Tuesday in June, first Tuesday in July and the first Tuesday in October.
Commissioners of Accounts . . . . .	E. L. Cutlip, Democrat; Webster Springs. Amos Cogar, Democrat; Webster Springs.
B'd Review & Equalization . . . . .	E. H. Gillespie, Democrat; Fork Lick District; Webster Springs; term expires in 1931. J. F. Smith, Republican; Glade District; Cowen; term expires in 1933. Wesley Lewis, Republican; Holly District; Hacker Valley; term expires in 1935.
Board of Health . . . . .	The President of the County Court and Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio; Dr. J. E. Erwin, Webster Springs, County Health Officer.
B'd Children's Guardians . . . . .	Miss Florence Charter, District Agent, Union National Bank Building, Clarksburg.
Humane Officer . . . . .	J. W. Mills, Cowen.

### LIST OF ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Webster Springs)

Cutlip, E. L.	Morton, E. H.
Dyer, L. L.	Sycafoose, F. N.
Dyer, John R.	Talbott, W. T.
Hoover, John Clay	Wooddell, W. H.
Hoover, J. M.	Wooddell, W. L.
Hoover, W. W.	Wysong, W. P.
(Prosecuting Attorney)	Wysong, W. S.

### REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

William Waggy, Chairman,  
Erbacon.

Walt G. Berry, Secretary,  
Webster Springs.

Charles T. Howard, Treasurer,  
Cowen.

#### Members

Fort Lick District—Dr. J. B. Dodrill, H. B. Nichols, Mrs. E. F. Curtin, and Mrs. O. W. Marsh, Webster Springs.

Glade District—Lem Furr, Camden-on-Gauley; J. F. Smith and Mrs. C. D. Howard, Cowen; Mrs. L. B. Robinson, Gauley Mills.

Holly District—W. H. Schrader, Diana; Bias Cogar, Kovan; Mrs. Amanda Clifton and Miss Lula Hall, Removal.

Hacker Valley District—Darius Lewis, Lloyd Wilson and Mrs. Wesley Lewis, Cleveland; Mrs. A. L. Hartmann, Hacker Valley.

CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE

C. D. Howard, Cowen; Mrs. S. P. Allen, Webster Springs.

SENATORIAL COMMITTEE

D. J. Ross, Camden-on-Gauley; Mrs. J. F. Smith, Cowen.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Officers

W. L. Wooddell, Chairman,  
Webster Springs.

George R. Morton, Secretary,  
Webster Springs.

E. W. James, Treasurer,  
Webster Springs.

Members

Fort Lick District—John R. Cogar, Bolair; E. W. James, Mrs. Mabel Huffman and Mrs. G. W. Jackson, Webster Springs.

Glade District—S. K. Lemley and Mrs. J. R. Harrison, Cowen; K. H. Morton, Camden-on-Gauley; Mrs. James Perrine, Erbacon.

Holly District—O. B. Townsend, Noah Cool, Mrs. Belle Fisher and Mrs. W. B. Anderson, Diana.

Hacker Valley District—A. D. Schock, Raymond Bush and Mrs. Ora Boggs, Replete; Mrs. A. W. Anderson, Hacker Valley.

DISTRICT OFFICERS

Fork Lick District

Justices of the Peace..... W. S. Hamrick, Democrat; Webster Springs.  
G. W. Chapman, Democrat; Webster Springs.

Constable..... M. V. Hammonds, Democrat; Webster Springs.

Board of Education..... President—Lee Hines, Democrat; Webster Springs.

Secretary—E. L. Cutlip, Democrat; Webster Springs.

W. A. Thompson, Republican; Webster Springs.

Easter Gregory, Democrat; Bolair.

#### Glade District

- Justices of the Peace . . . . . Ovid M. Morton, Democrat; Erbacon.  
Wayne Hoover, Democrat; Cowen.
- Constables . . . . . C. C. McHenry, Democrat; Arcola.  
A. J. McCartney, Democrat; Cowen.
- Board of Education . . . . . President—C. T. Howard, Republican;  
Cowen.  
Secretary — William Waggy, Republican;  
Erbacon.  
J. F. Been, Republican; Camden-on-Gauley.  
Charles Cunningham, Republican; Cowen.

#### Holly District

- Justices of the Peace . . . . . H. F. Ware, Democrat; Diana.  
Riley Brooke, Democrat; Diana.
- Constable . . . . . (None.)
- Board of Education . . . . . President—Taylor E. Hines, Republican;  
Diana.  
Secretary—O. B. Townsend, Democrat;  
Diana.  
Martin Miller, Democrat; Diana.  
S. W. Cutlip, Democrat; Diana.

#### Hacker Valley District

- Justices of the Peace . . . . . C. N. Boggs, Democrat; Wheeler.  
B. B. Herron, Democrat; Cleveland.
- Constable . . . . . (None.)
- Board of Education . . . . . President—E. E. Cutlip, Republican; Hack-  
er Valley.  
Secretary—B. B. Herron, Democrat; Cleve-  
land.  
Grover Claypool, Republican; Hacker Val-  
ley.  
F. G. Jordon, Democrat; Wheeler.

### WETZEL COUNTY

Wetzel County, formed in 1846, is an agricultural county, with important developments of its oil and gas producing sections. It has an area of 357 square miles, which has been divided into the seven magisterial districts of Center, Church, Clay, Grant, Greene, Magnolia and Proctor. The county takes its name from Lewis Wetzel, a famous frontier character and Indian fighter.

The county had a population of 23,069 in 1920 and 22,334 in 1930. The taxable wealth of the county was assessed in 1929 as follows: Real estate, \$11,953,370; personal property, \$6,296,440; public utility property, \$15,261,320; a total assessment of \$33,511,130.

New Martinsville, the county seat since the creation of the county, was



established in 1838 and is located on the Ohio River at an elevation of 630 feet above sea level. It had a population of 2,341 in 1920, which increased to 2,814 in 1930.

The other municipalities of the county, with 1930 populations are: Brooklyn (P. O. New Martinsville), 779; Hundred, 788; Littleton, 648; Pine Grove, 820; Smithfield, 609; and Paden City (lying in both Wetzel and Tyler Counties), 2,281.

### COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

Judge Circuit Court	James F. Shipman, Democrat; Moundsville.
Terms Commence	First Tuesday in January, first Tuesday in May and the first Tuesday in September.
Official Court Reporter	W. F. Keefer, Democrat; Wheeling.
Sheriff	L. B. Snyder, Democrat; New Martinsville; ex-officio Sealer of Weights and Measures.
Prosecuting Attorney	G. W. Coffield, Democrat; New Martinsville.
Clerk Circuit Court	C. F. Schupbach, Democrat; New Martinsville.
Gen'l Receiver Circuit Court	Clark Leap, Democrat; New Martinsville.
Chancery Commissioners	W. J. Postlethwait, Democrat; New Martinsville. Glen Snodgrass, Democrat; New Martinsville. L. S. Hall, Democrat; New Martinsville. A. C. Chapman, Democrat; New Martinsville.
Divorce Commissioner	W. L. Newman, Democrat; New Martinsville.
Clerk County Court	G. A. Harman, Democrat; New Martinsville.
Supt. Free Schools	Leslie Garrett, Democrat; Paden City.
County Road Engineer	W. H. Ramp, Democrat; New Martinsville.
Surveyor	J. M. Cochran, Democrat; Porters Falls.
Assessor	S. Myers, Democrat; New Martinsville.
Com'r of School Lands	D. V. Lemon, Democrat; New Martinsville.
County Commissioners	W. A. Morgan, Democrat; Porters Falls; term expires December 31, 1930. George Church, Democrat; Littleton; term expires December 31, 1932. J. N. Allen, Democrat; Silver Hill; term expires December 31, 1934.
President County Court	W. A. Morgan, Democrat; Porters Falls.
Terms Commence	First Tuesday in January, first Tuesday in April, third Tuesday in July and the first Tuesday in October.

<b>Commissioners of Accounts</b>	L. S. Hall, Democrat; New Martinsville. E. O. Keifer, Democrat; New Martinsville. G. W. Coffield, Democrat; New Martinsville. F. M. Kellar, Democrat; Hundred.
<b>B'd Review &amp; Equalization</b>	D. N. McIntire, Republican; Proctor District; Maud; term expires in 1931. Frank Wells Clark, Republican; Magnolia District; New Martinsville; term expires in 1933. Thomas A. Shuman, Democrat; Center District; Wileysville; term expires in 1935.
<b>Board of Health</b> . . . . .	The President of the County Court and Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio; Dr. A. L. Coffield, New Martinsville, County Health Officer.
<b>B'd Children's Guardians</b> . . . . .	Miss Margaret E. McKinney, District Agent; Professional Bldg., Fairmont.
<b>Humane Officer</b> . . . . .	F. C. Poe, Democrat; New Martinsville.

#### LIST OF ATTORNEYS

(Post office address New Martinsville, unless otherwise given)

Anderson, J. L., Littleton	Lemon, D. V.
Ball, Walter F.	McIntire, E. E., Smithfield
Barrick, C. W.	McIntire, Mont
Chapman, A. C.	Newman, J. W.
Clark, F. W.	Newman, W. L.
Coffield, G. W.	Postlethwait, W. J.
(Prosecuting Attorney)	Robinson, John, Jr.
Hall, S. Bruce	Snodgrass, Glenn
Hall, L. S.	Van Camp, Theodore,
Iams, F. V.	Paden City
Keifer, E. O.	Willis, M. H.
Larrick, A. E.	Yost, E. H.

#### REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

##### Officers

W. J. Devine, Chairman, Hundred.	Samuel W. Fisher, Secretary, New Martinsville.
Miss Marion Millan, Assoc. Ch., Smithfield.	Mrs. Emma Slider, Assoc. Ch., Littleton.
E. B. Reppard, Treasurer, Smithfield.	

##### Members

Magnolia District—Samuel W. Fisher, Mrs. William Ankrom and Miss Freda Stone, New Martinsville; N. J. Seaman, Paden City.

Proctor District—Emery Higgins, New Dale; E. L. Mason and Mrs. A. J. Wiley, Proctor; Miss Clarice Taylor, Wileyville.

Green District—N. G. Myers and E. F. Morgan, Porters Falls.

Church District—Garrett Hunt, Burton; Mrs. Audra L. Church and Mrs. Emma M. Kirkhart, Hundred.

Grant District—E. M. Fluharty, Jacksonburg; E. B. Reppard and Miss Marion Millan, Smithfield; Mrs. Audra M. Barr, Pine Grove.

Center District—John Adams, Wileyville; Miss Margaret Cullinan, Dean; Jasper Adams, Belton.

Clay District—Ellis Miller, Clyde Boothe, Mrs. Gertrude Lizzie McNary, Littleton.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Officers

L. W. Morgan, Chairman,  
Porters Falls.

Sue Ankrom, Secy.-Treas.,  
New Martinsville.

Members

Magnolia District—E. W. Frie, F. C. Poe, Miss Sue Ankrom and Mrs. John F. Martin, New Martinsville.

Proctor District—Marion Smith, A. T. Butler, Mrs. Mary Freeland and Mrs. Vina Palmer, Proctor.

Green District—Joe Fair, Reader; L. W. Morgan, Porters Falls; Mrs. Susie Headley, Pine Grove; Mrs. Minnie Yoho, Minnie.

Church District—Bernard Keffer, Mrs. Rae Rex, Charles Richmond and Mrs. Cora Hamilton, Hundred.

Grant District—Elias Stackpole and Mrs. Mayme Allen, Mobley; Miss Phyliss Lantz, Jacksonburg; J. L. Price, Smithfield.

Center District—Frank Sapp, Wheat; George Young, Wileyville; Mrs. Goldie Phillips and Miss Carrie Lambert, Knob Fork.

Clay District—Arthur Jackson, Mrs. Bogard, Mrs. Goldie Spragg and Clem Yeater, Littleton.

DISTRICT OFFICERS

Center District

Justices of the Peace . . . . . O. J. Lemasters, Republican; Wileyville.  
Frank Sapp, Democrat; Dean.

Constable . . . . . (None.)

Board of Education . . . . . President—W. T. Lemasters, Republican;  
Wileyville.

Secretary—Frank Sapp, Democrat; Dean.  
Hugh Sapp, Democrat; Endicott.  
W. M. Smith, Democrat; Wileyville.

Clay District

Justices of the Peace . . . . . H. E. Gorby, Democrat; Littleton.  
I. N. Pettit, Democrat; Littleton.



## Proctor District

Justices of the Peace.....	F. M. Furbee, Democrat; Bebee. Marion Moore, Democrat; Proctor.
Constable.....	(By special appointment.)
Board of Education.....	President—B. Hafer, Democrat; Proctor. Secretary—F. E. Buchner, Democrat; Endicott. B. B. Newman, Democrat; Proctor. N. B. Cook, Democrat; Proctor.

## WIRT COUNTY

Wirt County, formed in 1848, has a land area of 218 square miles, which is divided into seven magisterial districts; Burning Springs, Clay, Elizabeth, Newark, Reedy, Spring Creek and Tucker. Elizabeth and Burning Springs have independent school districts. Elizabeth Joint School District is maintained by the town of Elizabeth and Elizabeth Magisterial District.

It is an agricultural county, but was the pioneer county of the state in the development of oil and gas territory, the Burning Springs field dating from 1820. The county was named for William Wirt, a Marylander, who gained fame as an author, orator and lawyer, in his adopted state of Virginia.

The county's population in 1920 was 7,536 and in 1930 was 6,358. In 1929, the total assessed value of the taxable property in the county was \$5,702,235; divided as follows: Real estate, \$3,706,035; personal property, \$1,648,675; public utility property, \$347,525.

Elizabeth, the county seat, settled in 1796, and made a town in 1817, is situated on the Little Kanawha River, at an altitude of 646 feet. Its 1920 population of 681 had increased to 716 in 1930.

## COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

Judge Circuit Court.....	J. W. Martin, Democrat; Parkersburg.
Terms Commence.....	First Monday in January, first Monday in June and the second Monday in September.
Official Court Reporter.....	Mrs. Marion C. Greer, Democrat; Parkersburg.
Sheriff.....	William Pomroy, Democrat; Elizabeth; ex-officio Sealer of Weights and Measures.
Prosecuting Attorney.....	J. H. Smith, Democrat; Elizabeth.
Clerk Circuit Court.....	Walter Hoffman, Democrat; Elizabeth.
Gen'l Receiver Circuit Court.....	Union Trust & Deposit Company, Parkersburg.
Chancery Commissioners....	E. D. Ball, Republican; Elizabeth. Walter Hoffman, Democrat; Elizabeth.
Divorce Commissioner.....	James L. Smith, Democrat; Elizabeth.

Clerk County Court.....	S. E. Parsons, Republican; Elizabeth.
Supt. Free Schools.....	C. H. Snodgrass, Democrat; Elizabeth.
Surveyor.....	F. F. Daniell, Democrat; Palestine, R. 1.
County Road Engineer.....	(None.)
Assessor.....	M. L. Hickman, Democrat; Elizabeth.
Com'r of School Lands.....	J. H. Smith, Democrat; Elizabeth.
County Commissioners.....	Albert Cline, Democrat; Elizabeth; term expires December 31, 1930. R. L. Sheppard, Democrat; Reedy; term expires December 31, 1932. Grant Wilson, Republican; Elizabeth; term expires December 31, 1934.
President County Court.....	Albert Cline, Democrat; Elizabeth.
Terms Commence.....	Third Monday in each month.
Commissioners of Accounts..	James L. Smith, Democrat; Elizabeth. Walter Hoffman, Democrat; Elizabeth.
B'd Review & Equalization...	R. L. Mason, Democrat; Newark District; Newark; term expires in 1931. S. L. Showalter, Republican; Reedy District; LeRoy, R. 1; term expires in 1933. H. I. Shears, Republican; Elizabeth District; Elizabeth, R. 2; term expires in 1935.
Board of Health.....	The President of the County Court and Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio; Dr. O. W. Coplin, Elizabeth, County Health Officer.
B'd Children's Guardians....	Miss Stella Parker, District Agent, Parkersburg.
Humane Officer.....	Frank Thorn, Elizabeth.

### LIST OF ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Elizabeth, unless otherwise given)

Archer, L. D., Windy	Smith, J. H.
Smith, James L.	(Prosecuting Attorney)

### REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

G. A. Dye., Jr., Chairman, Reedy.	Ira Baker, Vice-Chairman, Creston.
Lydia M. Parks, Secretary, Elizabeth.	Jas. A. Parks, Treasurer, Elizabeth.

#### Members

Burning Springs District—Harry T. Lockhart, Palestine; R. C. Rouse, Elizabeth.

- Clay District—J. W. Moore, Petroleum; C. B. Nutter, Elizabeth.  
 Elizabeth District—Frank Cox, J. A. Parks, Lydia M. Parks and Kate McClung, Elizabeth.  
 Newark District—D. W. Buck, Newark; John Staiey and Lucy Staley, Elizabeth.  
 Reedy District—J. H. Givens, LeRoy; G. A. Dye, Jr., Palestine.  
 Spring Creek District—Ira Baker and W. H. Hall, Creston; Minnie McCutcheon, Reedy.  
 Tucker District—W. E. Brown and C. R. Looney, Elizabeth.

CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE

W. J. Cox, Elizabeth.

SENATORIAL COMMITTEE

C. K. Townsend, Elizabeth.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Officers

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| J. H. Smith, Chairman,<br>Elizabeth.     | Fern Boston, Assoc. Ch.,<br>Elizabeth.    |
| Walter Hoffman, Secretary,<br>Elizabeth. | C. H. Snodgrass, Treasurer,<br>Elizabeth. |

Members

- Burning Springs District—W. H. Collins and Mrs. Belle Custer, Burning Springs; J. P. Deever, Elizabeth, R. 4; Mrs. Lydie Mills, Brohard.  
 Clay District—W. M. Montgomery, Paul Prather and Miss Olga Trader, Elizabeth, R. 2; Miss Ethel Darnell, Walker, R. 1.  
 Elizabeth District—J. H. Smith and Mrs. Fern Boston, Elizabeth; J. A. Rathborne and Mrs. Eula Thorne, Palestine.  
 Newark District—G. H. LaDeaux, L. L. Mace and Mrs. Ivy Mason, Newark; Mrs. Essie Wallbrown, Elizabeth, R. 3.  
 Reedy District—H. P. Thompson and Fred G. Andrick, Palestine; Mrs. Dora Sheppard and Mrs. Ruth Andrick, Palestine, R. 2.  
 Spring Creek District—Fred G. Depue, A. O. Monroe, Bertha Corbett and Mamie Gibson, Creston.  
 Tucker District—Price Young, Elizabeth; B. H. Showalter, Palestine, R. 2; Alma Kittle, Palestine; Annie Cline, Elizabeth, R. 1.

DISTRICT OFFICERS

Burning Springs District

- Justice of the Peace..... (None.)  
 Constable..... G. W. Buffington, Democrat; Burning Springs.  
 Board of Education..... President—S. L. Deever, Democrat; Elizabeth.

Secretary—Donald McCauley, Democrat;  
Elizabeth, R. 4.  
E. L. Gibson, Democrat; Elizabeth, R. 4.  
Frank Mills, Democrat; Brohard.

#### Clay District

(Vacancies in the offices of Justice of the Peace and Constable.)  
Board of Education..... President—C. C. Jackson, Democrat; Petroleum, R. 1.  
Secretary—J. W. Moore, Republican; Petroleum, R. 1.  
C. M. Bell, Republican; Elizabeth, R. 2.  
J. M. Leep, Democrat; Newark.

#### Elizabeth District

Justices of the Peace..... R. A. Byrd, Democrat; Elizabeth.  
J. E. Boston, Democrat; Elizabeth.  
Constables..... A. T. Adams, Democrat; Elizabeth.  
C. King, Democrat; Elizabeth.  
Board of Education..... President—C. H. Bumgarner, Democrat;  
Elizabeth.  
Secretary—Eula Thorne, Democrat; Palestine.  
Simeon Cline, Democrat; Palestine.  
Roy Hickman, Democrat; Palestine.

#### Newark District

Justice of the Peace..... (Vacant.)  
Constable..... (By special appointment.)  
Board of Education..... President—J. S. Foutty, Republican; Newark.  
Secretary—R. L. Mason, Democrat; Newark.  
E. M. Mason, Democrat; Newark.  
Willie Foutty, Republican; Newark.

#### Reedy District

(Vacancies in the offices of Justice of the Peace and Constable.)  
Board of Education..... President—V. A. Rader, Democrat; Palestine, R. 1.  
Secretary—L. B. Rader, Democrat; Palestine, R. 1.  
D. L. Crew, Republican; LeRoy.  
H. M. Kittle, Democrat; LeRoy.

#### Spring Creek District

Justice of the Peace..... P. T. L. Depue, Democrat; Creston.  
Constable..... (By special appointment.)  
Board of Education..... President—G. D. Heasley, Republican;  
Creston.



Secretary—J. R. Davis, Democrat; Palestine, R. 3.

J. W. Tucker, Republican; Creston.

R. A. Monroe, Democrat; Creston.

#### Tucker District

(Vacancies in the offices of Justice of the Peace and Constable.)

Board of Education . . . . . President—A. S. Coulter, Republican; Elizabeth.

Secretary—Jonzy Florence, Republican; Windy, R. 1.

S. C. Amos, Republican; Rockport.

W. H. Martin, Republican; Elizabeth.

#### Elizabeth Independent School District

Board of Education . . . . . President—E. C. Ambrick, Democrat; Elizabeth.

Secretary—W. T. Roberts, Democrat; Elizabeth.

O. C. Williams, Republican; Elizabeth.

Harry Reed, Republican; Elizabeth.

#### Burning Springs Independent School District

Board of Education . . . . . President—J. W. Sims, Democrat; Burning Springs.

Secretary—A. J. Mitchell, Democrat; Burning Springs.

Henry Booker, Democrat; Burning Springs.

M. Menefee, Republican; Burning Springs.

#### Elizabeth Joint District

Board of Education . . . . . President—C. I. Snodgrass, Democrat; Elizabeth.

Secretary—W. T. Robertson, Democrat; Elizabeth.

O. C. Williams, Republican; Elizabeth.

E. C. Ambrick, Democrat; Elizabeth.

Harry Reed, Republican; Elizabeth.

C. H. Bumgarner, Democrat; Elizabeth.

Simeon Cline, Democrat; Palestine.

Ray Hickman, Democrat; Palestine.

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## WOOD COUNTY

Wood County, lying on the Ohio River, was established in 1798 and has a land area of 364 square miles, which is divided into the ten magisterial districts of Clay, Harris, Lubeck, Parkersburg, Slate, Steel, Tygart, Union, Walker and Williams. Wood is a rich agricultural and manufacturing county.

The county was named in honor of James Wood, Governor of Virginia at the formation of the county. The population of the county in 1920 was 42,306, which increased by 14,215 to 56,521 in 1930.

The taxable property in the county was assessed in 1929 as follows: Real estate, \$48,109,140; personal property, \$17,172,070; public utility property, \$11,600,215; a total assessed value of \$76,881,425.

Parkersburg, the county seat, located at the junction of the Ohio and Little Kanawha Rivers at an altitude of 616 feet, is an important manufacturing and trading center. Its 1920 population of 20,050 increased to 29,623 in 1930. Blennerhasset Island, near Parkersburg, in the Ohio River, is well known because of Herman Blennerhasset's participation in Aaron Burr's conspiracy.

Williamstown, on the Ohio River north of Parkersburg, is another municipality of Wood County. In 1920 it had a population of 1,793 and in 1930, as shown by the census returns, of 1,657.

### COUNTY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

Judge Circuit Court	John W. Martin, Democrat; Parkersburg.
Terms Commence	Fourth Monday in January, fourth Monday in April and the second Monday in October.
Official Court Reporter	Marion C. Greer, Democrat; Parkersburg.
Sheriff	J. E. Leach, Republican; Parkersburg.
Prosecuting Attorney	H. S. Boreman, Republican; Parkersburg.
Asst. Prosecuting Attorney	Thayer M. McIntyre, Republican; Parkersburg.
Clerk Circuit Court	Fritz Grimm, Republican; Parkersburg.
Deputy Clerk	C. S. Ruddle, Democrat; Parkersburg.
Gen'l Receiver Circuit Court	Union Trust & Deposit Company, Parkersburg.
Chancery Commissioners	J. F. Laird, Republican; Parkersburg. J. W. Vandervort, Republican; Parkersburg. C. D. Forrer, Democrat; Parkersburg. J. S. Wade, Democrat; Parkersburg. Levin Smith, Democrat; Parkersburg. Abijah Hays, Republican; Parkersburg.
Divorce Commissioner	John F. Throckmorton, Democrat; Parkersburg.
Probation Officers	George P. Chase, Republican; Parkersburg. Fred L. Summers, Republican; Parkersburg.
Clerk County Court	C. E. Pahl, Republican; Parkersburg.
Supt. Free Schools	H. A. Langfitt, Republican; Parkersburg, City Route 29.
County Road Engineer	F. B. Brown, Republican; Parkersburg.
Surveyor	J. E. Anderson, Republican; Parkersburg.
Assessor	C. A. Musgrave, Republican; Parkersburg.
Com'r of School Lands	Frances I. Radenbaugh, Republican; Parkersburg.

County Commissioners . . . .	C. E. Alleman, Republican; Walker; term expires December 31, 1930. E. M. Gilkeson, Democrat; Parkersburg; term expires December 31, 1932. J. F. Melrose, Republican; Mineral Wells, R. D. No. 1; term expires December 31, 1934.
President County Court . . . .	C. E. Alleman, Republican; Parkersburg.
Terms Commence . . . . .	First Monday in January, first Monday in April, first Monday in July and the first Monday in October.
Commissioners of Accounts . . . .	A. D. Ireland, Republican; Parkersburg. H. O. Hiteshew, Republican; Parkersburg. F. B. Burk, Republican; Parkersburg.
Sealer of Wts. & Measures . . . .	D. E. Mercer, Republican; Parkersburg.
B'd Review & Equalization . . . .	J. W. Owens, Republican; Williams District; Williamstown; term expires in 1931. S. D. Humphrey, Democrat; Harris District; Belleville; term expires in 1933. W. H. Carfer, Republican; Parkersburg District; Parkersburg; term expires in 1935.
Board of Health . . . . .	The President of the County Court and Prosecuting Attorney, ex-officio, and Dr. Arthur D. Knott, Parkersburg, County Health Officer.
B'd Children's Guardians . . . .	Miss Stella B. Parker, District Agent, Parkersburg.
U. S. Board Ex. Surgeons . . . .	Parkersburg. Dr. Thomas L. Harris, single surgeon.

## LIST OF ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Parkersburg)

Adams, I. M.	Forrer, C. D.
Ambler, McClure and Ambler	Hanna, Curtis M.
Ambler, B. Mason	Hays, Abijah
McClure, James S.	Hays, G. W.
Ambler, Mason G.	Hoff, William Bruce
Bills, R. E.	Ireland, A. D.
Blizzard, Reese	Johnson, George W.
Blizzard, W. S.	Kingsley, Edwin R.
Boreman, H. S.	Laird, John F.
(Prosecuting Attorney)	Leonard, Dan B.
Burk, F. B.	Macklin, E. W.
Butcher, Benjamin	Martin, J. W.
Cain, S. W.	(Circuit Judge)
Chase, George P.	Marshall, John
Davis, H. O.	(Asst. U. S. Atty. General)
	Matheny, C. N.

McDougle and McDougle	Staats, E. R.
McDougle, R. B.	Straus, Wm. M.
McDougle, W. E.	Showalter, C. M.
McIntyre, T. M.	Smith, Levin
(Asst Prosecuting Atty.)	Tavener, L. N.
Michaels, Kenneth E.	Terry, William H.
Moats, F. P.	Throckmorton, J. F.
Morton, E. V.	Turner, Dave F.
Pennybacker, E. B.	Turner and Forrer
Peterkin, W. G.	Turner, Smith D.
Piggott, R. H.	Forrer, C. D.
Radenbaugh, Frances I.	Vandervort, J. W.
Russell, Hiteshew and Adams	Wade, James S.
Russell, H. W.	Whaley, B. M.
Hiteshew, H. O.	Wolf, W. H.
Adams, I. M.	

#### REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

##### Officers

Robert B. McDougle, Chairman,  
1707 Avery Street,  
Parkersburg.

Mrs. Ella McGraw, Secretary,  
800-19th Street,  
Parkersburg.

##### Advisory Committee

Mrs. B. L. Bullman, Williamstown; C. C. Bee, Stonewall Avenue, Parmaco, Parkersburg; John A. Davis, Internal Revenue Office; Mrs. J. Gale Ebert, 430 Juliana Street; Mrs. Geo. E. Lattimer, 314-10th Street; Mrs. J. T. Peadro, 1058 Market Street; R. H. Piggott, 204-4th Street; Mrs. H. D. Price, 1036 Juliana Street; Joe Sager, 611-7th Street; Miss May Wells, 904 Mary Street and Mrs. Bessie Schrader, R. D. 4, Lubeck, Parkersburg; J. E. White, R. D. 3, Belleville.

##### Members

Parkersburg District (At Large)—T. J. Wigal, West Virginia Avenue; Mrs. Lillie Cohen, 403-13th Street; Mrs. Myrtle C. Baker, Lakeview Drive, cor. Linden Ave., and C. C. Bee, Stonewall Avenue, Parmaco, Parkersburg.

##### City of Parkersburg:

First Ward—C. Lewis Wilson, 1003 Ann Street and Mrs. Opal Mealy, 1214 Murdoch Avenue.

Second Ward—Robert B. McDougle, 1707 Avery Street and Mrs. George Lattimer, 314-10th Street.

Third Ward—Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Treadway, 742 Quincy Street.

Fourth Ward—Samuel I. Smith, 1229 Latrobe Street and Miss May Wells, 904 Mary Street.

Fifth Ward—F. B. Burk, 811-19th Street and Mrs. Ella McGraw, 800-19th Street.

Sixth Ward—William H. Heydenreich, 1621 Murdoch Avenue and Mrs. Lena L. Haddox, 2413½ Murdoch Avenue.

Seventh Ward—W. H. Cecil, 1221 Washington Avenue and Mrs. Nellie B. Ayers, 1218-22nd Street.

Eighth Ward—C. Gail Hitt, 2022-17th Street and Mrs. Lillian Utterback, 1817 Park Avenue.

Williams District—C. E. Archer and L. W. Lamp, Williamstown; Mrs. Amy Bee, R. 1, Parkersburg.

Union District—C. G. Corbitt and Mrs. Evarena Johnson, Waverly; H. F. Newbanks, R. D., Waverly; Mrs. Cora Kinchloe, R. D., Parkersburg.

Clay District—Mrs. Elsie L. Wigal, R. 5, Parkersburg; C. S. Murphy, R. D., Kanawha Station; Mrs. Bertha Richardson and G. H. Devol, Kanawha Station.

Walker District—J. A. Farr, M. F. Stephens, Mrs. Marguerite Foggin and Mrs. Belva Blackwell, Walker.

Harris District—Charles Townsend, Mrs. Olive A. Sellers and Mrs. Nellie C. Anderson, R. F. D., Belleville; Alvie E. Smith, Belleville.

Tygart District—Glen Langfitt, R. 23, Fort Neal, Parkersburg; M. R. Melrose and Miss Maggie E. Copper, R. D., Mineral Wells; Mrs. J. C. Christopher, R. 23, Parkersburg.

Lubeck District—J. J. Roop and Mrs. Bessie Schrader, R. 4, Parkersburg; Fred Jones and Mrs. W. Milton Stroehmann, R. 3, Parkersburg.

Steele District—Harry McPherson and Mrs. O. P. Robinson, Rockport; J. E. White and Mrs. Iris Amos, R. D. 3, Belleville.

Slate District—Walker Morgan, J. T. Weekley and Mrs. Laura Weser, Slate; Mrs. E. P. Dye, Mineral Wells.

## DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

K. B. Stephenson, Chairman,  
Parkersburg.

Mrs. A. D. Hopkins, Vice Chair.,  
Parkersburg.

Floyd H. Poole, Secretary,  
Parkersburg.

Mrs. Anna Stephenson, Treas.,  
Parkersburg.

### Members

Parkersburg District (At Large)—F. D. Owens, Parkersburg; Thomas E. Quinn, Parkersburg, R. 2; Ruth Hartley and Garnet Tomer, Parkersburg.

### City of Parkersburg:

First Ward—Lewis N. Pickens and Mary M. Robbing.

Second Ward—J. O. Mead and Anna M. Stephenson.

Third Ward—H. O. Davis and Blanche Schrader.

Fourth Ward—K. B. Poole and Anna Riggs.

Fifth Ward—Charles S. Ruddell and Jessie R. Smith.

Sixth Ward—Charles N. Buckley and Mrs. G. L. Ruddell.

Seventh Ward—T. C. Zinn and Ila Jarvis Fouse.

Eighth Ward—G. W. Pratt and Mrs. Elizabeth Bartlett.

Williams District—W. D. Cline, Frances L. Cline and Anna N. Kellar, Williamstown; C. M. VanHorn, Vienna.

Union District—R. Freshwater, J. E. Sinclair, May Freshwater and Lettie R. Sinclair, Waverly.

Walker District—Ed Beha, Walker Station; R. A. Bungard, Kanawha Station; Mrs. Maggie Petty, Eatons; Mrs. Hannah Stilgenbauer, Waverly.

Clay District—G. M. Mount and Laura J. Willis, Kanawha Station.

Lubeck District—W. A. Boso, Washington; C. C. Young and Mrs. P. H. Haddox, Parkersburg, R. 4.

Tygart District—J. W. Black, Mineral Wells; R. E. Faught, Parkersburg, R. 24; Nellie Allen and Elizabeth Pickering, Parkersburg.

Slate District—Ella Merrill, Slate; Israel Cooper and Mrs. Grant Bair, Mineral Wells.

Steele District—S. F. Wigal, Belleville; Charles A. Barnett, Mrs. Nellie Stephens and Mrs. D. C. Emerick, Rockport.

Harris District—Henry E. Young and Mrs. Georgia Humphreys, Belleville; Jerome Massey and Anna Stephens, New England.

### DISTRICT OFFICERS

#### Clay District

(Vacancies in the office of Justice of the Peace)

Constable . . . . . Ralph Thayer, Republican; Davisville.

Board of Education . . . . . President—Roy Ingram, Republican; Parkersburg, R. 6.

Secretary—Swain Wigal, Republican; Parkersburg, R. 5.

C. O. Blackwell, Republican; Walker.

C. E. McAtee, Republican; Kanawha Station.

#### Harris District

Justice of the Peace . . . . . J. A. Flinn, Republican; Belleville.

Constable . . . . . (None.)

Board of Education . . . . . President—J. W. Huffman, Democrat; New England.

Secretary—J. L. Pigott, Republican; Belleville.

B. F. Petty, Republican; Belleville.

Gordon Derenberger, Republican; Belleville.

#### Lubeck District

Justice of the Peace . . . . . (None.)

Constables . . . . . Thomas H. Somerville, Republican; Parkersburg.

R. C. Gilchrist, Republican; Parkersburg.

Board of Education . . . . . President—W. V. Burk, Republican; Washington.

Secretary—F. C. Eaton, Democrat; Parkersburg, R. 4.

W. H. Courtney, Republican; Washington.  
Mrs. Maggie Lott, Republican; Parkers-  
burg, R. 24.

#### Slate District

Justice of the Peace ..... Virgil R. Morrison, Republican; Slate.  
Constable ..... (Vacant.)  
Board of Education ..... President—J. F. Bargeloh, Republican; Min-  
eral Wells.  
Secretary—J. M. Melrose, Democrat; Min-  
eral Wells.  
Monroe Deem, Republican; Mineral Wells.  
Fred Weser, Democrat; Slate.

#### Parkersburg District

Justices of the Peace ..... R. E. Mumaugh, Republican; Parkersburg.  
R. E. Hays, Democrat; Parkersburg.  
Constables ..... Harley Stewart, Republican; Parkersburg.  
Dana Dyke, Republican; Parkersburg.  
Board of Education ..... President—J. S. Echols, Democrat; Park-  
ersburg.  
Secretary—C. C. Dutton, Democrat; Park-  
ersburg.  
E. J. Hayman, Republican; Parkersburg.  
C. E. Cummins, Republican; Parkersburg.  
C. W. Ault, Democrat; Parkersburg.  
Mrs. Zetta Beatty, Democrat; Parkersburg.

#### Steele District

(Vacancies in the offices of Justice of the Peace and Constable)

Board of Education ..... President—Charles Stephens, Democrat;  
Rockport.  
Secretary—L. W. Bowersock, Democrat;  
Rockport.  
Otto Stephens, Democrat; Slate.  
Hurl Blair, Republican; Rockport.

#### Tygart District

Justice of the Peace ..... M. S. Ballard, Republican; Parkersburg.  
Constable ..... Guy H. Deem, Republican; Parkersburg,  
R. D. 23.  
Board of Education ..... President—Frank Athey, Republican; Park-  
ersburg, R. 3.  
Secretary—C. A. Meyer, Republican; Park-  
ersburg, R. 3.  
James E. Leach, Republican; Mineral Wells.  
A. E. Somerville, Republican; Parkersburg,  
R. 24.

## Union District

Justice of the Peace .....	F. C. Gates, Republican; Waverly.
Constable .....	W. E. Kelley, Republican; Waverly.
Board of Education .....	President—H. C. Corbitt, Republican; Waverly. Secretary—F. C. Gates, Democrat; Waverly. G. L. Yates, Republican; Waverly. W. T. Grow, Republican; Waverly.

## Walker District

(Vacancies in the offices of Justice of the Peace and Constable)

Board of Education .....	President—M. M. McPeck, Democrat; Kan- awha Station. Secretary—J. A. Farr, Republican; Walker. Edward Beha, Democrat; Walker. E. P. Modesitt, Republican; Walker.
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## Williams District

Justices of the Peace .....	K. F. Owens, Republican; Williamstown. A. D. Bookman, Democrat; Boaz.
Constables .....	S. J. Harris, Republican; Vienna. R. C. Locke, Democrat; Boaz.
Board of Education .....	President—W. N. Kellar, Democrat; Wil- liamstown. Secretary—J. H. Spencer, Republican; R. 1, Parkersburg. Giles Hammet, Democrat; Parkersburg. Dr. A. J. Dye, Republican; Williamstown.

## WYOMING COUNTY

Wyoming County, in the extreme southern section of the state, was formed in 1850 and has a land area of 502 square miles. It has seven magisterial districts; Baileysville, Barkers Ridge, Center, Clear Fork, Huffs Creek, Oceana and Slab Fork.

The county, with thirty-one seams of workable coal, is one of the state's great coal producing counties, although its agricultural products are of no slight value. It takes its name from the Wyoming tribe of Indians. The population of the county in 1920 was 15,180, which increased to 29,926 in 1930.

In 1929, the total assessed value of the wealth in the county was \$28,194,093; of this, \$18,509,530 represented real estate values, \$2,032,755 personal property and \$7,651,808 public utility properties.

Pineville, the county seat since its removal from Oceana some years ago, is located near the center of the county at an altitude of 1,323 feet and had a population of 304 in 1920, which had increased in 1930 to 462.





## LIST OF ATTORNEYS

## At Pineville:

Bailey and Shannon  
 Bailey, R. D.  
 Shannon, F. E.  
 Blackshear, P. D.  
 Houchins, R. B.  
 Howard, M. P.  
 Senter, W. C.  
 Worrell, E. W.

## At Mullens:

Dushkoff, H. W.  
 Holroyd, W. M.  
 Moran, D. D.  
 (Prosecuting Attorney)  
 Musgrave, R. F.  
 Toler, J. Albert  
 Worrell, Grover C.

## REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

## Officers

R. Wade Cook, Chairman,  
 Pineville.

O. J. Brooks, Secretary,  
 Rockview.

A. C. Early, Treasurer,  
 Mullens.

## Members

Baileysville District—William Wyatt, J. C. Shannon, Mrs. Nancy Lester and Mrs. Mary A. Cook, Baileysville.

Barkers Ridge District—J. H. Heindsley, Iroquois; Mrs. Cora Glover, Herndon; John T. Bishop and Mrs. John T. Bishop, Bud.

Center District—Isaac Lambert, Pineville; Kern Cook, Keyrock; Mrs. O. J. Brooks, Rockview; Mrs. Effa Jackson, Woosley.

Clear Fork District—G. C. Toler, Mrs. Mettie Toler and Ted Harvey, Sun Hill; Mrs. Ethel Blankenship, Guyan.

Huffs Creek District—M. G. Morgan, North Springs; Queenie Keneda, Trent; Mrs. Zora Morgan and Willie Morgan, Hanover.

Oceana District—Perry D. Bailey, Cyclone; Bert Cook, Miss Minta Cook and Mrs. Maude Cook, Oceana.

Slab Fork District—I. J. Green and Mrs. Pollie Jeffries, Mullens; Marion Tilly, Saulsville; Mrs. Mollie Lusk, Itmann.

## CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE

W. B. Belcher and Elizabeth Cook, Mullens.

## SENATORIAL COMMITTEE

George Foresman and Mrs. B. L. Depew, Mullens.

## DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

## Officers

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 Mullens.

Jno. D. Farmer, Secretary,  
 Mullens.

J. T. Maynor, Vice Chair.,  
 Corrine.

Grover C. Worrell, Treas.,  
 Mullens.

**Members**

Baileysville District—Dave Short, W. C. Bailey, Golda Bailey and Golda Straley, Baileysville.

Barkers Ridge District—J. T. Maynor, Corinne; J. A. Hicks, Tralee; Mrs. Ross Morris, Covell; Mrs. Walter Kelly, Herndon.

Center District—Lee P. Bailey, W. M. Rutherford, Violet Lusk, Mrs. George A. Brooks, Pineville.

Clear Fork District—John A. Short, Green West and Mary Ellen Fitch, Uno; Hattie Hinkle, Oceana.

Oceana District—Wood Cook, Jesse; W. S. Rollins, Toney Fork; Ella Shumate and Z. C. Cock, Oceana.

Slab Fork District—R. L. Dillon, Glen Rogers; John D. Farmer, Edna Bailey and Ethel Foresman, Mullens.

Huff Creek District—W. E. Kennedy, W. R. Deskins, Mrs. Russell Lockhart and Eva Hatfield, Hanover.

**DISTRICT OFFICERS**

**Baileysville District**

Justices of the Peace ..... J. Levi Cook, Democrat; Baileysville.  
 Lee P. Lusk, Republican; Baileysville.  
 Constable ..... Everell Collins, Democrat; Baileysville.  
 Board of Education ..... President—John J. Bailey, Democrat;  
 Baileysville.  
 Secretary—O. V. Bailey, Democrat;  
 Baileysville.  
 Edward Clay, Republican; Baileysville.  
 Arvey V. Trent, Republican; Baileysville.

**Barkers Ridge District**

Justices of the Peace ..... G. D. Kirk, Republican; Mullens.  
 W. B. Lusk, Republican; Herndon.  
 Constables ..... G. L. McKinney, Republican; Herndon.  
 Lumar Sisk, Republican; Tralee.  
 Board of Education ..... President—W. P. McKinney, Republican;  
 Basin.  
 Secretary—G. B. McGraw, Republican;  
 Mullens.  
 George W. Graham, Republican; Basin.  
 Boyd Green, Republican; Herndon.

**Center District**

Justices of the Peace ..... M. B. Cook, Republican; Pineville.  
 Dan W. Cook, Republican; Pineville.  
 Constables ..... Kade Cooper, Republican; Pineville.  
 A. Oley Cook, Republican; Pineville.  
 Board of Education ..... President—F. H. Shannon, Republican;  
 Pineville.

Secretary—Mrs. Garland Stewart, Republican; Pineville.  
 A. C. Stewart, Republican; Rockview.  
 J. Goff Cook, Republican; Rockview.

#### Clear Fork District

Justices of the Peace . . . . . I. H. Toler, Republican; Sun Hill.  
 J. W. Carter, Republican; Uno.  
 Constable . . . . . Onnie Toler, Republican; Sun Hill.  
 Board of Education . . . . . President—W. F. Blankenship, Republican;  
 Guyan.  
 Secretary—J. F. Harvey, Republican; Uno.  
 Epp Cole, Democrat; Sun Hill.  
 Maloney Morgan, Republican; Clear Fork.

#### Huff Creek District

Justice of the Peace . . . . . A. K. Morgan, Republican; Hanover.  
 Constable . . . . . J. E. Morgan, Republican; Hanover.  
 Board of Education . . . . . President—J. K. Lockhart, Democrat;  
 Iaeger.  
 Secretary—Pete Ailiff, Democrat; Hanover.  
 A. B. Lester, Democrat; Hanover.  
 M. J. Morgan, Republican; North Spring.

#### Oceana District

Justices of the Peace . . . . . D. M. Brown, Republican; Cyclone.  
 D. O. Bailey, Republican; Oceana.  
 Constables . . . . . Ken Lambert, Democrat; Jesse.  
 Bert Stewart, Republican; Jesse.  
 Board of Education . . . . . President—A. C. Brown, Republican;  
 Cyclone.  
 Secretary—Don D. Cook, Republican;  
 Toneyfork.  
 Dr. P. G. Hurst, Democrat; Oceana.  
 J. J. Cook, Democrat; Jesse.

#### Slab Fork District

Justices of the Peace . . . . . E. L. Phillips, Republican; Mullens.  
 L. J. Dillon, Democrat; Glen Rodgers.  
 Constables . . . . . Silas Phillips, Republican; Maben.  
 Sam Laxton, Democrat; Mullens.  
 Board of Education . . . . . President—A. C. Early, Republican;  
 Mullens.  
 Secretary—S. L. McGraw, Democrat;  
 Mullens.  
 J. E. Wyatt, Republican; Mullens.  
 John White, Republican; Glen Rodgers.

## COUNTIES OF WEST VIRGINIA WITH COUNTY SEATS

Barbour.....	Philippi
Berkeley.....	Martinsburg
Boone.....	Madison
Braxton.....	Sutton
Brooke.....	Wellsburg
Cabell.....	Huntington
Calhoun.....	Grantsville
Clay.....	Clay
Doddridge.....	West Union
Fayette.....	Fayetteville
Gilmer.....	Glenville
Grant.....	Petersburg
Greenbrier.....	Lewisburg
Hampshire.....	Romney
Hancock.....	New Cumberland
Hardy.....	Moorefield
Harrison.....	Clarksburg
Jackson.....	Ripley
Jefferson.....	Charles Town
Kanawha.....	Charleston
Lewis.....	Weston
Lincoln.....	Hamlin
Logan.....	Logan
Marion.....	Fairmont
Marshall.....	Moundsville
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Mercer.....	Princeton
Mineral.....	Keyser
Mingo.....	Williamson
Monongalia.....	Morgantown
Monroe.....	Union
Morgan.....	Berkeley Springs
McDowell.....	Welch
Nicholas.....	Summersville
Ohio.....	Wheeling
Pendleton.....	Franklin
Pleasants.....	St. Marys
Pocahontas.....	Marlinton
Preston.....	Kingwood
Putnam.....	Winfield
Raleigh.....	Beckley
Randolph.....	Elkins
Ritchie.....	Harrisville
Roane.....	Spencer
Summers.....	Hinton
Taylor.....	Grafton
Tucker.....	Parsons
Tyler.....	Middlebourne
Upshur.....	Buckhannon
Wayne.....	Wayne
Webster.....	Webster Springs
Wetzel.....	New Martinsville
Wirt.....	Elizabeth
Wood.....	Parkersburg
Wyoming.....	Pineville

## ELECTIVE COUNTY OFFICERS

## TABULATED LIST OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

COUNTIES	NAMES	POLITICS	TERM EXPIRES	ADDRESS
BARBOUR.....	W. S. Grimes (Pres.).....	Republican	1930	Belington
	Willie Thorn.....	Republican	1930	Junior
	D. Dickinson.....	Democrat	1930	Pl illippi
	Isaac M. Forman.....	Republican	1930	Moatsville
	J. M. Cutright.....	Republican	1932	Volga
	T. H. Lake.....	Republican	1932	Galloway
	C. L. Phillips.....	Democrat	1932	Montrose
Earl Getzen.....	Democrat	1932	Pl illippi	
BERKELEY.....	C. E. Dick (Pres.).....	Republican	1930	Hedgsville, R. 9
	W. M. Johnson.....	Republican	1930	Martinsburg
	W. R. Keller.....	Republican	1934	Martinsburg, R. 2
BOONE.....	K. Hill (Pres.).....	Democrat	1932	Wlitesville
	R. B. Allen.....	Democrat	1930	Low Gap
	Geo. C. Courtney.....	Democrat	1934	Rumtlic
BRAXTON.....	J. L. Coberly (Pres.).....	Democrat	1930	Burnsville
	W. G. Perrine.....	Democrat	1932	Exchange
	J. W. McLaughlin.....	Democrat	1934	Frametown
BROOKE.....	Frank M. Wade (Pres.).....	Republican	1930	Wellsburg
	W. W. Pilehard.....	Republican	1932	Bethany
	A. S. Barnett.....	Republican	1934	Follansbee
CABELL.....	G. L. Armstrong (Pres.).....	Democrat	1932	Huntington
	T. H. Nash.....	Democrat	1930	Barboursville
	Frank H. Preston.....	Republican	1934	Huntington
CALHOUN.....	J. A. Morford (Pres.).....	Democrat	1930	Grantsville
	William Webb.....	Republican	1932	Big Bend
	G. G. Griffin.....	Democrat	1934	Adam
CLAY.....	B. M. Samples (Pres.).....	Democrat	1930	Proclous
	F. M. Morris.....	Democrat	1930	Ivydale
	Dr. T. D. Nutter.....	Democrat	1932	Ivydale
DODDRIDGE.....	Amster Bever (Pres.).....	Republican	1930	West Union, R. 1
	J. D. Cox.....	Republican	1932	Millets
	Aivey Ash.....	Democrat	1934	Asley
FAYETTE.....	Oscar A. Knerr (Pres.).....	Republican	1930	Thayer
	Dr. H. C. Skaggs.....	Republican	1932	Montgomery
	L. S. Tully.....	Democrat	1934	Mt. Hope
GILMER.....	R. C. Burke (Pres.).....	Democrat	1930	Sand Fork
	Lee Gainer.....	Democrat	1932	DeKalb
	Lee Heckert.....	Democrat	1934	Cox's Mills
GRANT.....	A. J. Kessel (Pres.).....	Republican	1930	Greenland
	W. U. Parker.....	Republican	1932	Arthur
	Clarence Taylor.....	Republican	1934	Petersburg
GREENBRIER.....	E. W. Sydenstricker (Pres.).....	Democrat	1930	Lewisburg
	J. M. Duntar.....	Democrat	1932	Frankford
	H. S. Neal.....	Democrat	1934	Alderson
HAMPSHIRE.....	Arthur Z. Ewers (Pres.).....	Democrat	1934	Romney
	A. C. Oates.....	Democrat	1930	Bligh View
	E. O. Coffman.....	Democrat	1932	Rio

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HANCOCK	J. F. McHenry (Pres.)	Republican	1930	Wirtou
	N. W. Ballantyne	Republican	1932	New C m' erland
	J. L. Malew	Democrat	1934	Chester
HARDY	F. C. Welton (Pres.)	Democrat	1930	McCreel
	R. C. May	Democrat	1930	Matias
	T. M. Gerard	Democrat	1934	Rce Cat
HARRISON	E. B. Rollinson (Pres.)	Democrat	1932	Salom
	J. Dunkin Lodge	Republican	1930	Bri: ert
	William Lee	Republican	1934	West Mill r!
JACKSON	Walter Windell (Pres.)	Republican	1932	Ripley
	F. C. Harpcld	Republican	1930	Gay
	Ctmer Winter	Republican	1934	Ripley
JEFFERSON	Dr. S. T. Knctt (Pres.)	Democrat	1932	Shej: er et wn
	J. Gregg Gilson	Democrat	1930	Har ers Ferry
	Geo. T. Slirley	Democrat	1930	Summit Pri t
	Charles H. Moore	Democrat	1932	Charles Town
	James E. Tabb	Democrat	1934	Kear es ille
KANAWHA	H. A. Walker (Pres.)	Republican	1932	Charleston
	Wesley H. O'Dell	Republican	1930	Charleston
	J. C. Blackwood	Democrat	1934	Charleston
LEWIS	Fred W. Steint eck (Pres.)	Republican	1930	Fink
	Hugh M. Horner	Democrat	1932	Weston
	Levi Jewell	Republican	1934	West r, R. F. D.
LINCOLN	Slerman Isaacs (Pres.)	Democrat	1930	West Han lin
	C. T. McGhee	Democrat	1932	Harri
	H. P. Lovejoy	Republican	1934	Palermo
LOGAN	Robert Claypool (Pres.)	Republican	1930	Logan
	A. D. Cook	Republican	1932	Crites
	Resco Ferrell	Republican	1934	Chap man ille
MARION	Ward M. Satterfield (Pres.)	Republican	1930	Man: i tton
	C. L. Musgrave	Republican	1932	Fairm: t
	M. M. Martin	Republican	1934	Man: i tton
MARSHALL	J. B. Thompson (Pres.)	Republican	1930	Moun' s ille
	W. L. Sheplerd	Republican	1932	Glen Easton, R. D.
	O. H. Stewart	Republican	1934	Glen Easton, R. D.
MASON	Robert S. Gbls (Pres.)	Democrat	1932	Point Pleas: t
	Riley F. Gbls	Republican	1930	Letart
	John A. Mohr	Republican	1934	Gallit is Ferry
MERCER	Wade H. Bailey (Pres.)	Democrat	1930	Princton
	E. M. Thorn	Democrat	1930	Princton
	W. J. Peters	Republican	1934	Blie' d
MINERAL	Geo. T. Carskadon (Pres.)	Republican	1930	Keyser
	Thomas Campbell	Republican	1932	Fiedm: t
	J. Frank Junl ira	Republican	1934	Shaw

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		POLITICS	EXPIRES	
MINGO	C. H. Ellis (Pres.)	Republican	1934	Williamson
	D. M. McKenzie	Democrat	1930	Matewan
	Guy White	Republican	1930	Williamson
MONONGALIA	W. W. Keener (Pres.)	Democrat	1930	Morgantown
	C. Ray Henry	Republican	1932	Morgantown
	Jas. G. Shaffer	Republican	1934	Morgantown
MONROE	T. W. Scott (Pres.)	Republican	1932	Sinks Grove
	J. L. Trail	Democrat	1930	Union
	R. L. Dickson	Republican	1934	Lincside
MORGAN	Warl M. Dawson (Pres.)	Republican	1934	Berkeley Springs
	M. A. Vanorsdale	Republican	1930	Great Cacapon
McDOWELL	W. P. Kearnes (Pres.)	Republican	1934	Elbert
	H. S. Johnson	Republican	1930	Berwind
	James Elwood Jones	Republican	1932	Swithoback
NICHOLAS	C. C. Coe (Pres.)	Democrat	1932	Lafrank
	Otto Smith	Democrat	1930	Belva
	Arnold McCue	Republican	1934	Persinger
OHIO	Orion Koller (Pres.)	Republican	1930	Wheeling
	Geo. W. Steenrod	Democrat	1932	Wheeling
	Alvin Winters	Republican	1934	Wheeling
PENDLETON	V. R. Homan (Pres.)	Democrat	1930	Sugar Grove
	T. Lee Swadley	Democrat	1930	Brandywine
	J. M. Harold	Republican	1930	Upper Traet
	Ed. S. Johnson	Democrat	1930	Franklin
	Russell Calhoun	Democrat	1930	Dry Run
	Grant Harper	Republican	1930	Teterton
PLEASANTS	O. F. Lamp (Pres.)	Republican	1934	Hebron
	R. A. Wilmarth	Republican	1932	Willow
	F. F. Morgan	Democrat	1930	St. Marys
POCAHONTAS	A. C. Barlow (Pres.)	Democrat	1932	Marlinton
	H. H. Hurison	Democrat	1930	Durbin
	M. C. Smith	Republican	1934	Hillboro
PRESTON	A. A. Pickering (Pres.)	Republican	1930	Rowlesburg
	L. O. White	Republican	1930	Kingwood
	W. V. Pifer	Republican	1930	Aurora
	J. W. Dodge	Republican	1930	Terra Alta
	John E. Jenkins	Republican	1930	Albright
	M. A. Sisler	Republican	1930	Kingwood
	H. F. Copeman	Democrat	1930	Brandonville
	Hayes Sapp	Democrat	1930	Newburg
PUTNAM	C. H. Byrnside (Pres.)	Republican	1932	Hurricane
	D. Y. Bennett	Republican	1930	Liberty
	E. D. Martin	Republican	1934	Buffalo
RALEIGH	Lacy Cole (Pres.)	Republican	1930	Winding Gulf
	Charles Lively	Republican	1932	Glen White
	J. C. Hobson	Democrat	1934	Beckley



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		POLITICS	EXPIRES	
RANDOLPH.....	J. M. Woodford (Pres.).....	Democrat.....	1930.....	Elkins
	Isom Harper.....	Democrat.....	1932.....	Harman
	C. C. Wamsley.....	Democrat.....	1934.....	Beverly
RITCHIE.....	H. E. Hoover (Pres.).....	Republican.....	1930.....	Smithville
	C. B. Summers.....	Republican.....	1930.....	Pennaboro
	A. L. Britton.....	Republican.....	1934.....	Auburn
ROANE.....	B. E. Bradley (Pres.).....	Republican.....	1930.....	Looneyville
	C. A. Lynch.....	Republican.....	1932.....	Walton
	A. T. Gordon.....	Republican.....	1934.....	Spencer
SUMMERS.....	Henry Milburn (Pres.).....	Democrat.....	1930.....	Buck
	W. H. Gwinn.....	Democrat.....	1932.....	Green Sulphur Springs
	E. B. Neely.....	Democrat.....	1934.....	Hinton
TAYLOR.....	Chas. H. Warder (Pres.).....	Democrat.....	1932.....	Grafton
	Samuel A. Waller.....	Republican.....	1930.....	Grafton
	Arthur Rolinson.....	Republican.....	1934.....	Grafton, R. 6
TUCKER.....	W. E. Weimer (Pres.).....	Republican.....	1930.....	Davis
	Harold J. Felton.....	Democrat.....	1930.....	Parsons
	Earl C. Nestor.....	Democrat.....	1930.....	St. George
	Lindsay Reed.....	Republican.....	1930.....	Davis
	Grover C. Fansler.....	Democrat.....	1930.....	Thomas
	Nelson Williams.....	Democrat.....	1930.....	St. George
Arthur Lipscomb.....	Democrat.....	1930.....	Lead Mine	
TYLER.....	Eli Ash (Pres.).....	Republican.....	1930.....	Wilbur
	G. P. Myers.....	Republican.....	1932.....	Alma
	L. F. Buck.....	Republican.....	1934.....	Sistersville
UPSHUR.....	S. N. Cutright (Pres.).....	Republican.....	1930.....	Buckhannon
	C. J. Toms.....	Republican.....	1932.....	Adrian
	W. R. Demastes.....	Republican.....	1934.....	Gaines
WAYNE.....	B. B. Cyrus (Pres.).....	Democrat.....	1930.....	Wlites Creek.
	Kiah Adkins.....	Democrat.....	1932.....	Wayne
	Jesse Nelson.....	Republican.....	1934.....	Stiltner
WEBSTER.....	D. W. Cutlip (Pres.).....	Democrat.....	1930.....	Webster Springs
	N. C. Bledsoe.....	Democrat.....	1932.....	Webster Springs
	C. E. Starcher.....	Democrat.....	1934.....	Cowen
WETZEL.....	W. A. Morgan (Pres.).....	Democrat.....	1930.....	Porters Falls
	George Church.....	Democrat.....	1932.....	Littleton
	J. N. Allen.....	Democrat.....	1934.....	Silver Hill
WIRT.....	Albert Cline (Pres.).....	Democrat.....	1930.....	Elizabeth
	R. L. Sheppard.....	Democrat.....	1932.....	Reedy
	Grant Wilson.....	Republican.....	1934.....	Elizabeth
WOOD.....	C. E. Alleman (Pres.).....	Republican.....	1930.....	Parkersburg
	E. M. Gilkeson.....	Democrat.....	1932.....	Parkersburg
	J. F. Melrose.....	Republican.....	1934.....	Mineral Wells, R. 1.
WYOMING.....	H. M. Cline (Pres.).....	Republican.....	1934.....	Pinoville
	H. P. McKinney.....	Republican.....	1930.....	Devils Fork
	J. D. Hardin.....	Republican.....	1930.....	Glen Rogers

## TABULATED LIST OF SHERIFFS

COUNTIES	NAMES	POLITICS	ADDRESS
Barbour.....	J. H. Marsh.....	Democrat.....	Phillippi
Berkeley.....	E. F. Thomas.....	Republican.....	Martinsburg
Boone.....	C. C. Hopkna.....	Democrat.....	Madison
Braxton.....	H. W. Moyers.....	Democrat.....	Sutton
Brooke.....	Irvin W. Charnock.....	Republican.....	Wellsburg
Cabell.....	Frank H. Tyree.....	Republican.....	Huntington
Calhoun.....	R. J. Knotts.....	Democrat.....	Grantsville
Clay.....	John B. Wheeler.....	Republican.....	Clay
Doddridge.....	J. F. Maxwell.....	Republican.....	West Union
Fayette.....	C. A. Conley.....	Republican.....	Gauley Bridge
Gilmer.....	Blair Galner.....	Democrat.....	Glenville
Grant.....	J. A. Kimble.....	Republican.....	Bayard
Greenbrier.....	John H. Bowling.....	Democrat.....	Lewisburg
Hampshire.....	J. Burr Saville.....	Democrat.....	Romney
Hancock.....	J. S. D. Mercer.....	Republican.....	New Cumberland
Hardy.....	L. W. Orndorff.....	Democrat.....	Warrensburg
Harrison.....	W. B. Grimm.....	Democrat.....	Clarksburg
Jackson.....	D. J. Rogers.....	Democrat.....	Riley
Jefferson.....	M. S. R. Moler.....	Democrat.....	St. Charles
Kanawha.....	D. H. Stephenson.....	Democrat.....	Charleston
Lewis.....	D. E. Brown.....	Republican.....	Weston
Lincoln.....	J. S. Pridemore.....	Republican.....	Hamlin
Logan.....	J. D. Hatfield.....	Republican.....	Logan
Marion.....	W. W. Conaway.....	Democrat.....	Fairmont
Marshall.....	George Dorsey.....	Republican.....	Moundsville
Mason.....	H. E. Burdette.....	Republican.....	Point Pleasant
Mercer.....	J. Otis Bowling.....	Republican.....	Princeton
Mineral.....	James G. Wright.....	Democrat.....	Keiser
Mingo.....	G. W. Hatfield.....	Republican.....	Williamson
Monongalia.....	H. C. Johnson.....	Republican.....	Morantown
Monroe.....	Bierne Ellison.....	Democrat.....	Union
Morgan.....	G. P. Newbraugh.....	Democrat.....	Berkeley Springs
McDowell.....	W. J. Hatfield.....	Republican.....	Welch
Nicholas.....	Ray Lambert.....	Republican.....	Summersville
Ohio.....	A. F. Habig.....	Republican.....	Wheeling
Pendleton.....	Andrew Eye.....	Democrat.....	Franklin
Pleasants.....	M. L. Bonar.....	Republican.....	St. Marys
Pocahontas.....	S. Reid Moore.....	Republican.....	Fray
Preston.....	W. W. Williams.....	Republican.....	Kingwood
Putnam.....	A. M. Harman.....	Democrat.....	Red House
Raleigh.....	M. J. Meadows.....	Democrat.....	Beechey
Randolph.....	C. M. Marstiller.....	Democrat.....	Elkins
Ritchie.....	W. C. Taylor.....	Republican.....	Harrisville
Roane.....	Norville Jones.....	Republican.....	Ryan
Summers.....	E. B. Fox.....	Democrat.....	Hinton
Taylor.....	W. J. Mays.....	Republican.....	Grafton
Tucker.....	Fred A. Cooper.....	Democrat.....	Parsons
Tyler.....	Wm. P. Baker.....	Democrat.....	Middlebourne
Upshur.....	H. A. Ziekefoose.....	Republican.....	Buckhannon
Wayne.....	M. E. Ketchum.....	Democrat.....	Wayne
Westster.....	John B. Skidmore.....	Democrat.....	Westster Springs
Wetzel.....	L. B. Snyder.....	Democrat.....	New Martinsville
Wirt.....	William Pomeroy.....	Democrat.....	Elizabeth
Wood.....	J. E. Leach.....	Republican.....	Parkersburg
Wyoming.....	Will P. Cook.....	Democrat.....	Pineville

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COUNTIES	NAMES	POLITICS	ADDRESS
Barbour.....	Forrest B. Pollog.....	Democrat.....	Phillippi
Berkeley.....	Herbert E. Hannis.....	Republican.....	Martinsburg
Boone.....	A. W. Garnett.....	Democrat.....	Madison
Braxton.....	Kenneth E. Hines.....	Democrat.....	Sutton
Brooke.....	James R. Wilkin.....	Republican.....	Wellsburg
Cabell.....	Lucien W. Blankenship.....	Republican.....	Huntington
Calhoun.....	Bee Hopkins.....	Democrat.....	Grantsville
Clay.....	E. G. Pierson.....	Republican.....	Clay
Doddridge.....	J. Paul Bumgardner.....	Democrat.....	West Union
Fayette.....	H. E. Dillon, Jr.....	Democrat.....	Fayetteville
Gilmer.....	Guy B. Young.....	Democrat.....	Glenville
Grant.....	B. F. Mitchell.....	Republican.....	Petersburg
Greenbrier.....	J. H. White.....	Democrat.....	Lewisburg
Hampshire.....	L. V. Thompson.....	Democrat.....	Romney
Hancock.....	W. W. Ingram.....	Republican.....	Chester
Hardy.....	W. D. McCauley.....	Democrat.....	Moorefield
Harrison.....	Will E. Morris.....	Republican.....	Clarksburg
Jackson.....	Oliver D. Kessel.....	Republican.....	Ripley
Jefferson.....	John T. Porterfield.....	Democrat.....	Charles Town
Kanawha.....	J. Blackburn Watts.....	Democrat.....	Charleston
Lewis.....	W. R. Simmons.....	Democrat.....	Weston
Lincoln.....	Lace Marcum.....	Republican.....	Hamlin
Logan.....	Lloyd Eager.....	Republican.....	Logan
Marion.....	M. E. Morgan.....	Republican.....	Fairmont
Marshall.....	J. Lloyd Arnold.....	Republican.....	Moundsville
Mason.....	William H. Rardin.....	Republican.....	Point Pleasant
Mercer.....	Walter G. Burton.....	Republican.....	Bluefield
Mineral.....	Vernon E. Rankin.....	Republican.....	Keyser
Mingo.....	J. W. Copley.....	Republican.....	Williamson
Monongalia.....	Albert Shuman.....	Republican.....	Morgantown
Monroe.....	R. R. Dickson.....	Democrat.....	Union
Morgan.....	H. D. Allen.....	Republican.....	Berkeley Springs
McDowell.....	Wilson Anderson.....	Republican.....	Welch
Nicholas.....	R. E. Horan.....	Republican.....	Summersville
Ohio.....	A. C. Schiffler.....	Republican.....	Welchling
Pendleton.....	William McCoy.....	Democrat.....	Franklin
Pleasants.....	F. J. Barron.....	Democrat.....	St. Marys
Pocahontas.....	Allen P. Edgar.....	Democrat.....	Narlington
Preston.....	Melvin C. Snyder.....	Republican.....	Kingwood
Putnam.....	C. C. Knapp.....	Republican.....	Winfield
Raleigh.....	W. H. McGinnis, Jr.....	Democrat.....	Beckley
Randolph.....	Stanley S. Bosworth.....	Democrat.....	Elkins
Ritchie.....	Dewey S. Wass.....	Republican.....	Harrisville
Roane.....	William S. Ryan.....	Republican.....	Spencer
Summers.....	T. L. Read.....	Democrat.....	Hinton
Taylor.....	J. C. Holt.....	Republican.....	Crafton
Tucker.....	Alan G. Bolton.....	Republican.....	Thomas
Tyler.....	O. J. Hill.....	Republican.....	Middlebourne
Upshur.....	A. Jerome Dalley.....	Republican.....	Buckhannon
Wayne.....	J. E. Hammock.....	Republican.....	Kenova
Webster.....	W. W. Hoover.....	Democrat.....	Webster Springs
Wetzel.....	G. W. Coffield.....	Democrat.....	New Martinsville
Wirt.....	J. H. Smith.....	Democrat.....	Elizabeth
Wood.....	H. S. Boreman.....	Republican.....	Parkersburg
Wyoming.....	D. D. Moran.....	Republican.....	Mullens

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COUNTIES	NAMES	POLITICS	ADDRESS
Barbour.....	W. D. Corder.....	Republican.....	Phillippi
Berkeley.....	L. DeWitt Gerlarct.....	Republican.....	Martinsburg
Boone.....	H. M. White.....	Republican.....	Madison
Braxton.....	T. H. Hyer.....	Republican.....	Sutton
Brooke.....	Malcol Kemp.....	Republican.....	Wellsburg.
Cabell.....	G. R. Seamon's.....	Democrat.....	Huntington
Calhoun.....	L. L. Ferrell.....	Democrat.....	Grantsville
Clay.....	W. S. Triplett.....	Democrat.....	Clay
Doddridge.....	C. O. Smith.....	Republican.....	West Union
Fayette.....	F. P. Smith.....	Republican.....	Fayetteville
Gilmer.....	H. B. Woodford.....	Democrat.....	Glenville
Grant.....	P. A. Leatherman.....	Republican.....	Petersburg
Greenbrier.....	A. J. Thompson.....	Democrat.....	Lewisburg
Hampshire.....	J. M. Snarr.....	Democrat.....	Romney
Hancock.....	F. L. Bradley.....	Republican.....	New Cumberland
Hardy.....	C. C. Wise.....	Democrat.....	Moorefield
Harrison.....	B. B. Jarvis.....	Democrat.....	Clarksburg
Jackson.....	B. Cleo Casto.....	Democrat.....	Keenna
Jefferson.....	C. W. Conrad.....	Democrat.....	Charles Town
Kanawha.....	W. L. Price.....	Republican.....	Charleston
Lewis.....	E. G. Smith.....	Democrat.....	Weston
Lincoln.....	Grant Cremeans.....	Republican.....	Hamlin
Logan.....	Sherman Smith.....	Democrat.....	Logan
Marion.....	L. A. Cather.....	Republican.....	Fairmont
Marshall.....	J. E. Humes.....	Republican.....	Moundsville
Mason.....	Vernon Jones.....	Republican.....	Point Pleasant
Mercer.....	L. T. Reynolds.....	Democrat.....	Princeton
Mineral.....	P. W. Dayton.....	Republican.....	Keyser
Mingo.....	J. P. Hatfield.....	Democrat.....	Williamson
Monongalia.....	Clarence Roby.....	Republican.....	Morgantown
Monroe.....	R. M. Humphreys.....	Republican.....	Union
Morgan.....	G. H. Allomong.....	Republican.....	Berkeley Springs
McDowell.....	Hobart E. Payne.....	Republican.....	Welch.
Nicholas.....	J. O. Doddrill.....	Republican.....	Summersville
Ohio.....	L. L. Niglingale.....	Republican.....	Wheeling
Pendleton.....	E. W. Dolly.....	Democrat.....	Franklin
Pleasants.....	H. F. Simonton.....	Republican.....	St. Mary
Pocahontas.....	D. C. Atkison.....	Republican.....	Marlinton
Preston.....	J. W. Watson.....	Republican.....	Kingwood
Putnam.....	J. W. Anderson.....	Republican.....	Winfield
Raleigh.....	Van Hunter.....	Republican.....	Beckley
Randolph.....	G. Nelson Wilson.....	Democrat.....	Elkins
Ritelle.....	L. L. Cokeley.....	Republican.....	Harrisville
Roane.....	C. C. Cleavenger.....	Republican.....	Spencer
Summers.....	G. J. Hughes.....	Democrat.....	Hinton
Taylor.....	Frank Hollis, Jr.....	Democrat.....	Grafton
Tucker.....	Clara Rigl tmire.....	Democrat.....	Parsons
Tyler.....	Gertrude K. Traugh.....	Republican.....	Middlebourne
Upshur.....	A. J. Ziekeforse.....	Republican.....	Buckhannon
Wayne.....	S. S. Plymale.....	Democrat.....	Wayne
Webster.....	G. W. Jackson.....	Democrat.....	Webster Springs
Wetzel.....	C. F. Schuplack.....	Democrat.....	New Martinsville
Wirt.....	Walter Hoffman.....	Democrat.....	Elizabeth
Wood.....	Fritz Grimm.....	Republican.....	Parkersburg
Wyoming.....	G. R. Stewart.....	Republican.....	Pinetille

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COUNTIES	NAMES	POLITICS	ADDRESSES
Barbour.....	J. F. Hewitt.....	Republican.....	Phillip
Berkeley.....	Paul H. Martin.....	Republican.....	Martinsburg
Boone.....	C. H. Nelson.....	Republican.....	Madison
Braxton.....	E. W. Heffner.....	Democrat.....	Sutton
Brooke.....	Ale Montgomery.....	Republican.....	Wellsburg
Catell.....	R. S. Douhat.....	Democrat.....	Huntington
Calhoun.....	R. C. Hardman.....	Democrat.....	Graetzville
Clay.....	Paul Hardman.....	Democrat.....	Clay
Doddridge.....	Hall Maxwell.....	Republican.....	West Union
Fayette.....	J. C. Hurt.....	Republican.....	Fayetteville
Gilmer.....	C. E. Barnett.....	Democrat.....	Glensville
Grant.....	P. A. Leatherman.....	Republican.....	Petersburg
Greenbrier.....	Paul C. Hogsett.....	Democrat.....	Lewisburg
Hampshire.....	G. W. S. Grove.....	Democrat.....	Romney
Hancock.....	Robert R. Hobbs.....	Republican.....	Chester
Hardy.....	C. C. Wise.....	Democrat.....	Moorefield
Harrison.....	M. L. Loudin.....	Democrat.....	Clarksburg
Jackson.....	Enoch Staats.....	Republican.....	Ripley
Jefferson.....	C. A. Johnson.....	Democrat.....	Charles Town
Kanawha.....	R. N. Moulton.....	Republican.....	Charleston
Lewis.....	Rose Troxell.....	Republican.....	Weston
Lincoln.....	J. M. Marcus.....	Democrat.....	Hamlin
Logan.....	J. G. McNeely.....	Democrat.....	Logan
Marion.....	L. N. Satterfield.....	Republican.....	Fairmont
Marshall.....	Maude Riggs.....	Republican.....	Moundsville
Mason.....	John G. Aten.....	Republican.....	Point Pleasant
Mercer.....	L. G. Bowling.....	Democrat.....	Princeton
Mingo.....	K. B. Stepp.....	Republican.....	Williamson
Mineral.....	T. T. Hoffman.....	Republican.....	Keyser
Monongalia.....	J. M. Gregg.....	Republican.....	Morgantown
Monroe.....	Stelton Clark.....	Republican.....	Union
Morgan.....	M. S. Harrison.....	Republican.....	Berkeley Springs
McDowell.....	Harry K. Carper.....	Republican.....	Welch
Nicholas.....	C. E. Stebbenson.....	Republican.....	Summersville
Ohio.....	R. J. Faland.....	Democrat.....	Wheeling
Pendleton.....	E. W. Dally.....	Democrat.....	Franklin
Pleasants.....	R. L. Griffin.....	Republican.....	St. Marys
Pocahontas.....	S. L. Brown.....	Democrat.....	Marlinton
Preston.....	P. F. King.....	Republican.....	Kingwood
Putnam.....	A. B. Barrows.....	Republican.....	Winfield
Raleigh.....	Jac'son Smith.....	Republican.....	Beckley
Randolph.....	H. C. Kesling.....	Republican.....	Elins
Ritchie.....	Olin V. Wilson.....	Republican.....	Harrisville
Roane.....	R. L. McCully.....	Republican.....	Spencer
Summers.....	J. M. Carlen.....	Democrat.....	Hinton
Taylor.....	Frank Bennett.....	Republican.....	Grafton
Tucker.....	J. O. McNeely.....	Democrat.....	Hendricks
Tyler.....	J. E. Smith.....	Republican.....	Middlebourne
Upshur.....	A. B. Cutright.....	Republican.....	Buckhannon
Wayne.....	H. Adkins.....	Democrat.....	Wayne
Wetster.....	B. S. Woodell.....	Democrat.....	Westster Springs
Wetzel.....	G. A. Harman.....	Democrat.....	New Martinsville
Wirt.....	S. E. Parsons.....	Republican.....	Elizabeth
Wood.....	C. E. Paul.....	Republican.....	Parkersburg
Wyoming.....	E. P. Rose.....	Republican.....	Fineville

## TABULATED LIST OF COUNTY SUPERINTENDENTS

For the Term of Four Years Beginning July 1, 1927.

COUNTIES	NAME	POLITICS	ADDRESSES
Barbour.....	D. P. Baughman.....	Democrat.....	Philippi
Berkeley.....	Bessie D. Kilmer.....	Democrat.....	Martinsburg
Boone.....	C. N. Coon.....	Democrat.....	Macison
Braxton.....	T. P. Relyson.....	Republican.....	Frametown
Brooke.....	Olen Rutan.....	Republican.....	Beechbottom
Calvert.....	Henry F. White.....	Democrat.....	Huntington
Calhoun.....	Hanning Poling.....	Democrat.....	Russett
Clay.....	A. V. Beggs.....	Democrat.....	Clay
Doddridge.....	H. H. Jones.....	Republican.....	Smithburg
Fayette.....	E. B. Eskew.....	Republican.....	Fayetteville
Gilmer.....	W. E. Mocre.....	Democrat.....	Normantown
Grant.....	R. C. Day.....	Republican.....	Arthur
Greenbrier.....	A. R. Tempson.....	Democrat.....	Lewisburg
Hampshire.....	E. W. Neelan.....	Democrat.....	Rcmeuy
Hancock.....	H. O. Miller.....	Republican.....	Pugltown
Hardy.....	E. A. Hawse.....	Democrat.....	Baker
Harrison.....	W. H. Coffincaffer.....	Democrat.....	Clarksburg
Jackson.....	N. F. Lockhart.....	Democrat.....	Leroy
Jefferson.....	I. N. Bonham.....	Democrat.....	Summit Point
Kanawha.....	Arthur H. Toothman.....	Democrat.....	Charleston
Lewis.....	Thomas E. Miles.....	Democrat.....	Horne
Lincoln.....	B. E. Lovejoy.....	Republican.....	Hamlin
Logan.....	J. A. Vickers.....	Democrat.....	Logan
Marion.....	E. E. Hale.....	Republican.....	Fairmont
Marshall.....	J. S. Welch.....	Republican.....	Moundsville
Mason.....	Bertha J. Filson.....	Democrat.....	Point Pleasant
Mercer.....	Charley Justice.....	Republican.....	Princeton
Mineral.....	Luke McDowell.....	Republican.....	Keyser
Mingo.....	Sally M. Van Camp.....	Democrat.....	Dellarton
Monongalia.....	Lynn Hastings.....	Republican.....	Mergantown
Monroe.....	C. M. Nelson.....	Republican.....	Alderson
Morgan.....	B. S. Cress.....	Republican.....	Great Cacapon
McDowell.....	N. A. Steadman.....	Republican.....	Welch
Nicholas.....	Milroy Brown.....	Republican.....	Mt. Nebo
Ohio.....	John H. Lazar.....	Democrat.....	Wheeling
Pendleton.....	O. R. Mallow.....	Republican.....	Franklin
Pleasants.....	Ica Peryl Morris.....	Democrat.....	Bens Run
Pocahontas.....	C. E. Flynn.....	Republican.....	Marlinton
Preston.....	D. K. Mason.....	Republican.....	Kingwood
Putnam.....	W. F. Thompson.....	Democrat.....	Hurricane
Raleigh.....	C. S. McKinney.....	Republican.....	Beckley
Randolph.....	Bryan Hamilton.....	Democrat.....	Elkwater
Ritchie.....	O. P. Hill.....	Republican.....	Harrisville
Roane.....	Ray Taylor.....	Republican.....	Spencer
Summers.....	Margaret Nicely.....	Democrat.....	Hinton
Taylor.....	L. L. Shriver.....	Democrat.....	Grafton
Tucker.....	C. R. Parsons.....	Democrat.....	Parsons
Tyler.....	F. A. Buck.....	Republican.....	Middlebourne
Upshur.....	Glen Ours.....	Republican.....	Buckhannon
Wayne.....	H. F. Frye.....	Democrat.....	Stiltner
Webster.....	A. R. Morton.....	Democrat.....	Webster Springs
Wetzel.....	Leslie Garrett.....	Democrat.....	Paden City
Wirt.....	C. H. Snodgrass.....	Democrat.....	Elizabeth
Wood.....	H. A. Langftt.....	Republican.....	Parkersburg
Wyoming.....	C. L. Cook.....	Republican.....	Itmann

## ELECTIVE COUNTY OFFICERS

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## TABULATED LIST OF ASSESSORS

COUNTIES	NAME	POLITICS	ADDRESSES
Barbour.....	Grover E. Lutz.....	Democrat.....	Phillippi
Berkeley.....	Harry E. Johnson.....	Republican.....	Martinsburg
Boone.....	J. G. Edelman.....	Democrat.....	Peytona
Braxton.....	L. S. Stonestreet.....	Democrat.....	Sutton
Brooke.....	Edward M. Smith.....	Republican.....	Wellsturg
Cabell.....	A. E. Salmon.....	Republican.....	Huntington
Calhoun.....	C. E. Whytsell.....	Democrat.....	Altizer
Clay.....	G. W. McCune.....	Republican.....	Clay
Doddridge.....	W. V. McKianey.....	Republican.....	Center Point
Fayette.....	J. R. Alif.....	Democrat.....	Pax
Gilmer.....	Chas G. Hays.....	Democrat.....	Glenville
Grant.....	B. M. Evans.....	Republican.....	Maysville
Greenbrier.....	D. W. Watts.....	Democrat.....	Lewisburg
Hampshire.....	G. W. Parsons, Jr.....	Democrat.....	Romney
Hancock.....	R. C. Evans.....	Republican.....	Holidays Cove
Hardy.....	W. D. Wilkins.....	Republican.....	Needmore
Harrison.....	Ira L. Swiger.....	Republican.....	Clarksburg
Jackson.....	W. T. Chancey.....	Republican.....	Ripley
Jefferson.....	Helen M. Link.....	Democrat.....	Duffield
Kanawha.....	T. Newcomer.....	Republican.....	Charleston
Lewis.....	A. E. Sutton.....	Republican.....	Weston
Lincoln.....	C. F. Yeager.....	Republican.....	Myra
Logan.....	Ose Richey.....	Republican.....	Logan
Marion.....	Fred L. Jenkins.....	Republican.....	Fairmont..
Marshall.....	Paul A. Dechan.....	Republican.....	Moundsville
Mason.....	F. B. Lieving.....	Republican.....	Point Pleasant
Mercer.....	R. C. McClaugherty.....	Democrat.....	Blaine
Mineral.....	H. O. Rogers.....	Republican.....	Keyser
Mingo.....	Richard Ferrell.....	Republican.....	Williamson
Monongalia.....	James E. Henry.....	Republican.....	Morgantown
Monroe.....	James F. McMann.....	Republican.....	Second Creek
Morgan.....	O. B. Shoekey.....	Republican.....	Berkeley Springs
McDowell.....	Gail T. Dudgeon.....	Republican.....	Welch
Nicholas.....	F. C. Perkins.....	Democrat.....	Nettie
Ohio.....	Karl G. Sailer.....	Republican.....	Wheeling
Pendleton.....	Glenn J. Moomau.....	Democrat.....	Franklin
Pleasants.....	P. E. Cox.....	Republican.....	Maxwell
Pocahontas.....	R. N. Nottingham.....	Democrat.....	Boyer
Preston.....	J. D. Browning.....	Republican.....	Kingwood
Putnam.....	J. A. Crago.....	Republican.....	Paradise
Raleigh.....	R. E. Turner.....	Republican.....	Beechley
Randolph.....	Geo. P. Whetsell.....	Democrat.....	Elkins
Ritchie.....	C. S. Black.....	Republican.....	Harrisville
Roane.....	Gordie Boyles.....	Republican.....	Spencer
Summers.....	A. H. Mann.....	Democrat.....	Jumping Branch
Taylor.....	Edward M. Loek.....	Republican.....	Grafton
Tucker.....	A. G. Fansler.....	Democrat.....	Hendricks
Tyler.....	Alben Carse.....	Democrat.....	Middlebourne
Upshur.....	M. K. Colerider.....	Republican.....	Bethannon
Wayne.....	R. L. Drown.....	Democrat.....	Wayne
Westler.....	A. M. Ruckman.....	Democrat.....	Westler Springs
Wetzel.....	S. Myers.....	Democrat.....	New Martinsville
Wirt.....	M. L. Bickman.....	Democrat.....	Elizabeth
Wood.....	C. A. Musgrave.....	Republican.....	Parkersburg
Wyoming.....	C. A. Cook.....	Republican.....	Pineville

## TABULATED LIST OF SURVEYORS

COUNTIES	NAMES	POLITICS	ADDRESSES
Barbour.....	A. Wolverton.....	Democrat.....	Philippi
Berkeley.....	F. L. Hawkins.....	Republican.....	Martinsburg
Boone.....	C. C. Carter.....	Democrat.....	Macison
Braxton.....	H. L. Rolinson, Jr.....	Democrat.....	Sutton
Brooke.....	Walter Hahn.....	Republican.....	Wellsburg
Catell.....	R. W. Breece.....	Republican.....	Huntington
Calhoun.....	(None).....		
Clay.....	O. O. Hyer.....	Republican.....	Otrion
Doddridge.....	(None).....		
Fayette.....	G. C. Slaven.....	Democrat.....	Oak Hill
Gilmer.....	Robert Minney.....	Democrat.....	Lockney
Grant.....	(None).....		
Greentier.....	Guy R. White.....	Democrat.....	White Sulphur Springs
Hampshire.....	G. H. Sirk.....	Democrat.....	Sector
Hancock.....	(None).....		
Hardy.....	(None).....		
Harrison.....	C. C. Fittro.....	Republican.....	Clarksburg
Jackson.....	C. L. Stnats.....	Democrat.....	Ravenwood
Jefferson.....	Marshall McDonald.....	Democrat.....	Charles Town
Kanawha.....	J. H. High.....	Republican.....	Charleston
Lewis.....	James B. Peterson.....	Republican.....	Weston
Lincoln.....	A. C. Hager.....	Republican.....	Hamlin
Logan.....	Dick Evans.....	Democrat.....	Logan
Marion.....	Hutert W. Cox.....	Republican.....	Fairmont
Marshall.....	J. J. Sammons.....	Republican.....	Moundsville
Mason.....	Oley Little.....	Republican.....	Caphart
Mercer.....	Ralph Strewsbury.....	Republican.....	Princeton
Mineral.....	W. C. Brown.....	Republican.....	Laurel Dale
Mingo.....	J. J. Jewell.....	Republican.....	Williamson
Monongalia.....	A. L. Headley.....	Republican.....	Fairview, R. 2
Monroe.....	(None).....		
Morgan.....	(None).....		
McDowell.....	L. A. Osborn.....	Republican.....	Welch
Nicholas.....	John K. Duffy.....	Democrat.....	Summersville
Ohio.....	Clyde Pugh.....	Republican.....	Wheeling
Pendleton.....	(None).....		
Pleasants.....	John Triplett.....	Republican.....	Willow
Pocahontas.....	W. R. Sutton.....	Democrat.....	Hosterman
Preston.....	S. R. Guseman.....	Republican.....	Glade Farms
Putnam.....	(None).....		
Raleigh.....	Hal M. Seett.....	Republican.....	Beckley
Randolph.....	J. L. Goddin.....	Democrat.....	Elkins
Ritchie.....	(None).....		
Roane.....	L. B. Greathorse.....	Republican.....	Spencer
Summers.....	George T. Balengee.....	Republican.....	Chayton
Taylor.....	(None).....		
Tucker.....	H. U. Freeman.....	Republican.....	Parsons
Tyler.....	John S. Haugt.....	Republican.....	Far
Upshur.....	Claud Burr.....	Republican.....	Buckhannon
Wayne.....	H. Lewis.....	Democrat.....	East Lynn
Webster.....	R. L. Rose.....	Democrat.....	Bergoo
Wetzel.....	J. M. Coc'ran.....	Democrat.....	Porters Falls
Wirt.....	F. F. Daviell.....	Democrat.....	Palestine, R. 1.
Wood.....	J. E. Anderson.....	Republican.....	Parkersburg
Wyoming.....	L. R. Hash.....	Republican.....	Bud



TABULATED LIST OF COUNTY HEALTH OFFICERS

COUNTIES	NAMES	ADDRESSES
Barbour.....	W. Scott Smith.....	Phillippi
Berkeley.....	W. Koes Cameron.....	Martinaburg
Boone.....	Marvin Price.....	Macison
Braxton.....	M. T. Morrison.....	Sutton
Brooke.....	J. B. Walinsshaw.....	Wellsburg
Cabell.....	R. H. Curry.....	Huntington
Calhoun.....	W. T. W. Dye.....	Grantsville
Clay.....	R. A. Hamrick.....	Clay
Doddrige.....	E. T. Wetzel.....	West Union
Fayette.....	H. H. Puckett.....	Fayetteville
Gilmer.....	T. E. Cato.....	Glenville..
Grant.....	Vernon L. Dyer.....	Petersburg
Greenbrier.....	J. D. Arbuckle.....	Maxwelton
Hampshire.....	R. W. Dailey.....	Romney
Hancock.....	J. E. Fisher.....	New Cumberland
Hardy.....	R. W. Love.....	Moorefield
Harrison.....	V. A. Selby.....	Clarksburg
Jackson.....	T. E. Rymer.....	Ripley
Jefferson.....	J. J. Fittman.....	Charles Town
Kanawha.....	John Thames.....	Charleston
Lewis.....	M. D. Cure.....	Weston
Lincoln.....	W. H. Waliron.....	West Hamlin
Logan.....	V. A. Deason.....	Logan
Marion.....	F. F. Sowers.....	Fairmont..
Marshall.....	C. E. Hutchinson.....	Moundsville
Mason.....	H. A. Bartee.....	Point Pleasant
Mercer.....	S. R. Holroyd.....	Atens
Mineral.....	J. H. Wolverton.....	Fie'mont
Mingo.....	J. C. Lawson.....	Williamson
Monongalia.....	R. C. Farrier.....	Morgantown
Monroe.....	T. L. Gilchrist.....	Fie'away
Morgan.....	E. H. Willard.....	Great Cacapon
McDowell.....	W. C. Hall.....	Wefch
Nicholas.....	F. H. Brown.....	Summersville
Ohio.....	W. H. McLain.....	Wheeling
Pendleton.....	S. B. Johnson.....	Fraulin
Pleasants.....	C. L. Barron.....	St. Marys
Pocahontas.....	J. M. Yeager.....	Marlinton
Preston.....	L. T. Brownrig.....	Kingwood
Putnam.....	D. J. Simons.....	Buffalo
Raleigh.....	Allen F. Murphy.....	Bee'ey
Randolph.....	W. G. Harper.....	El'ins
Ritchie.....	L. P. Jones.....	Pennsboro
Roane.....	(None).....	
Summers.....	P. P. Pharr.....	Hinton
Taylor.....	(None).....	
Tucker.....	A. E. Calvert.....	Parsons..
Tyler.....	J. A. Ferguson.....	Mildletourne
Upshur.....	L. W. Page.....	Buckhannon
Wayne.....	A. G. Wilinson.....	Wayne
Wetster.....	J. E. Erwin.....	Wester Springs
Wetzel.....	A. L. Coffield.....	New Martinsville..
Wirt.....	O. W. Coplin.....	Eliza'eth
Wood.....	Arthur D. Knott.....	Par'ersburg
Wyoming.....	B. W. Steele.....	Mullens

## TABULATED LIST OF COUNTY ROAD ENGINEERS

COUNTIES	NAMES	ADDRESSES
Barbour.....	B. M. Compton.....	Philippi
Berkeley.....	C. N. Stuckey.....	Martinsburg
Boone.....	M. C. Cloud.....	Macison
Braxton.....	(None).....	
Brooke.....	Harry McGraw.....	Wellsburg
Cal ell.....	James M. Oliver.....	Huntington
Calhoun.....	(None).....	
Clay.....	J. S. Chase.....	Clay
Doddridge.....	J. M. Martin.....	West Union
Fayette.....	(None).....	
Gilmer.....	Sam Buderman.....	Glenville
Grant.....	(None).....	
Greenbrier.....	J. li s K. Monroe.....	Lewisburg
Hampshire.....	(None).....	
Hancock.....	(None).....	
Hardy.....	(None).....	
Harrison.....	Geo. L. Coyle.....	Clarksburg
Jackson.....	(None).....	
Jefferson.....	(None).....	
Kanawha.....	Conrad Ross.....	Charleston
Lewis.....	M. L. B. Linger.....	Weston
Lincoln.....	(None).....	
Logan.....	(None).....	
Marion.....	Paul Billingslea.....	Fairmont
Marshall.....	B. W. Brown.....	Moundsville
Mason.....	(None).....	
Mercer.....	G. T. Johnson.....	Princeton
Mineral.....	(None).....	
Mingo.....	M. P. Keadle.....	Williamson
Monongalia.....	William S. Price.....	Morgantown
Monroe.....	(None).....	
Morgan.....	(None).....	
McDowell.....	C. H. Payne.....	Welch.....
Nicholas.....	(None).....	
Ohio.....	C. E. Gandleberger.....	Wheeling
Pendleton.....	(None).....	
Pleasants.....	(None).....	
Pocahontas.....	(None).....	
Preston.....	(None).....	
Putnam.....	(None).....	
Raleigh.....	Hal M. Scott.....	Buckley
Randolph.....	(None).....	
Ritchie.....	D. W. Shoek.....	Harrisville
Roane.....	(None).....	
Summers.....	(None).....	
Taylor.....	(None).....	
Tucker.....	(None).....	
Tyler.....	Geo. R. Clarke.....	Middlebourne
Upshur.....	F. O. Leonard.....	Buckhannon
Wayne.....	H. O. Wiles.....	Wayne
Westster.....	P. B. Cogar.....	Westster Springs
Wetzel.....	W. H. Ramp.....	New Martinsville
Wirt.....	(None).....	
Wood.....	F. B. Brown.....	Parfcrsburg
Wyoming.....	John F. Keerner.....	Mullons

SALARIES OF SHERIFFS, PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS, CLERKS OF CIRCUIT AND COUNTY COURTS  
COUNTY SUPERINTENDENTS AND ASSESSORS

COUNTIES	Sheriffs	Prosecuting Attorneys	Clerks of Circuit Courts	Clerks of County Courts	County Superintendents	Assessors
Barbour.....	\$ 2,500	\$ 1,500	\$ 1,650	\$ 1,800	\$ 1,490	\$ 2,000
Berkeley.....	3,000	1,200	1,500	2,000	1,487	2,000
Boone.....	2,500	2,400	1,800	2,400	1,400	2,000
Braxton.....	2,800	1,800	2,000	2,200	1,658	1,800
Brooke.....	2,000	1,800	(a) 1,200	1,900	1,400	1,800
Catell.....	4,500	4,800	3,500	4,000	2,100	3,600
Calhoun.....	1,600	800	800	1,200	1,300	1,300
Clay.....	1,700	1,500	1,200	1,500	1,300	1,600
Doddridge.....	2,400	1,000	1,500	1,800	1,421	1,600
Fayette.....	4,000	3,000	3,000	3,000	2,100	3,500
Gilmer.....	2,200	1,500	1,500	1,800	1,400	1,800
Grant.....	1,800	600	1,900	(Circuit & County)	1,300	1,000
Greene.....	2,700	1,800	1,800	2,500	1,886	1,800
Hampshire.....	2,000	1,000	(b) 1,000	1,800	1,400	1,600
Hancock.....	2,000	1,800	1,200	1,800	1,400	2,200
Hardy.....	1,600	(c) 600	1,800	(Circuit & County)	1,400	1,500
Harrison.....	4,500	3,500	4,000	4,000	2,100	4,000
Jackson.....	2,000	1,000	1,500	1,800	1,625	1,500
Jefferson.....	2,500	1,200	2,000	2,000	1,300	2,000
Kanawha.....	5,000	(d) 4,800	4,500	4,500	2,100	5,000
Lewis.....	3,000	1,200	2,200	2,500	1,607	2,700
Lincoln.....	2,500	1,500	2,000	2,000	1,493	2,000
Logan.....	3,500	1,800	2,000	2,500	1,778	3,000
Marion.....	4,500	4,400	4,000	4,000	2,100	3,000
Marshall.....	3,500	1,800	2,250	2,750	1,754	2,400
Mason.....	2,500	2,000	1,800	2,500	1,598	2,000
Mercer.....	3,800	2,500	3,750	2,700	2,100	3,600
Mineral.....	3,000	2,000	3,000	3,000	1,418	2,000
Mingo.....	3,500	4,800	3,000	3,000	1,580	2,500
Monongalia.....	3,600	4,000	2,250	2,750	1,808	2,400
Monroe.....	1,800	600	1,200	1,500	1,460	1,500
Morgan.....	1,500	800	800	1,500	1,300	1,200
McDowell.....	4,500	4,800	4,000	4,000	2,100	3,600
Nicholas.....	2,500	2,000	2,000	2,250	1,613	1,800
Ohio.....	4,500	(e) 3,500	3,500	4,000	2,100	3,600
Pendleton.....	1,600	600	1,900	(Circuit & County)	1,400	1,500
Pleasants.....	1,800	600	1,350	1,800	1,200	1,200
Pocahontas.....	(f) 2,750	1,200	(g) 1,500	1,800	1,508	(h) 2,200
Preston.....	3,000	2,500	2,000	2,300	1,802	2,600
Putnam.....	(i) 1,800	(j) 1,000	(k) 1,400	(l) 1,800	1,526	2,000

(a) \$1,800 after January 1, 1931.

(b) Not less than \$1,000 or more than \$1,300 after January 1, 1933.

(c) Not less than \$600 nor more than \$1,200.

(d) With \$1,200 annually for services as Attorney for County Boards of Education.

(e) Not over \$1,200, Attorney Board of Education.

(f) \$2,400 after January 1, 1933.

(g) \$1,800 after January 1, 1933.

(h) \$1,200 after January 1, 1933.

(i) \$2,200 after January 1, 1933.

(j) \$1,500 after January 1, 1933.

(k) \$1,800 after January 1, 1933.

(l) \$2,000 after January 1, 1933.

## SALARIES OF COUNTY OFFICERS

SALARIES OF SHERIFFS, PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS, CLERKS OF CIRCUIT AND COUNTY COURTS,  
COUNTY SUPERINTENDENTS AND ASSESSORS

COUNTIES	Sheriffs	Prosecuting Attorneys	Clerks of Circuit Courts	Clerks of County Courts	County Superintendents	Assessors
Raleigh.....	3,000	2,500	2,000	2,400	1,973	3,000
Randolph.....	3,000	1,800	2,250	2,500	1,784	2,400
Ritche.....	2,750	1,200	1,800	2,500	1,577	1,600
Roane.....	2,000	1,200	1,700	2,000	1,580	1,800
Summers.....	2,000	1,400	1,500	1,600	1,583	1,500
Taylor.....	2,000	(m) 1,200	1,800	2,000	1,403	1,800
Tucker.....	2,200	1,200	1,600	1,900	1,448	1,600
Tyler.....	2,400	1,200	1,800	2,000	1,511	1,900
Upshur.....	2,700	1,500	2,500	2,500	1,556	2,200
Wayne.....	2,400	1,500	1,800	2,000	1,673	2,600
Westler.....	2,200	1,200	1,800	2,000	1,408	1,500
Wetzel.....	3,000	2,000	2,000	2,200	1,706	2,600
Wirt.....	1,650	600	900	1,200	1,300	1,100
Wood.....	4,000	3,000	3,000	3,000	1,979	2,100
Wyoming.....	2,100	3,000	3,000	3,000	1,478	1,700

(m) With \$600, Attorney Board of Education.

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COUNTY	NAME	POLITICS	DISTRICT	P. O. ADDRESS	TERM EXPIRES
BARBOUR	James G. Wilson	Republican	Barker	Belington	1931
	W. D. Zinn	Democrat	Pilippi	Pilippi	1933
	C. J. Stansbury	Republican	Fleasant	Simpson, R. 1.	1935
BERKELEY	Lewis H. Thompson	Democrat	Martinsburg	Martinsburg	1931
	Charles Rutledge	Republican	Falling Waters	Falling Waters	1933
	Cecil DeHaven	Republican	Gerrardstown	Gerrardstown	1935
BOONE	Henry Keadle	Democrat	Washington	Jeffery	1931
	S. E. Bradley	Republican	Scott	Madison	1933
	John M. Perry	Republican	Peytona	Peytona	1935
BRAXTON	O. D. Queene	Democrat	Salt Lick	Heaters	1931
	V. G. Bender	Republican	Otter	Chapel	1933
	W. Frank Deffield	Republican	Holly	Setton	1935
BROOKE	G. E. Caldwell	Republican	Wellsburg	Wellsburg	1931
	Samuel Garter	Democrat	Cross Creek	Fellant ee.	1933
	F. G. Barter	Republican	Buffalo	Beech Bottom	1935
CABELL	R. E. Morgan	Democrat	Kyle	Huntington	1933
	C. L. Hibner	Republican	Gideon	Huntington	1931
	Grant Shipe	Republican	Guyandotte	Huntington, R. F. D.	1935
CALHOUN	William Snider	Republican	Sterrian	Freed	1931
	Robt. L. Hamilton	Democrat	Center	Grantsville	1933
	A. L. Laughlin	Republican	Lee	Arnoldsburg	1935
CLAY	W. F. Ward	Republican	Henry	Clay	1931
	J. M. Hyer	Democrat	Center	Big Otter	1933
	N. M. Hamtrick	Republican	Buffalo	Swandale	1935
DODDRIDGE	William Ashburn	Republican	West Union	West Union	1931
	Chas. B. Broadwater	Democrat	Central	Oxford	1933
	John W. Hitt	Republican	Grant	Morgansville	1935
FAYETTE	A. A. Legg	Republican	Mountain Cove	Ansted	1931
	N. P. Rinehart	Democrat	Fayetteville	Mount Hope	1933
	A. J. Kincaid	Republican	Kanawha	Montgomery	1935
GILMER	Warren Lewis	Democrat	Troy	Cox's Mills	1931
	J. W. Keith	Republican	Center	Dera	1933
	W. A. Moore	Republican	DeKalb	Tanner	1935
GRANT	J. L. Rexroad	Republican	Grant	Lahmansville	1931
	David Aronholt	Republican	Union	Mt. Storm	1933
	R. W. Baker	Democrat	Milroy	Petersburg	1935
GREENBRIER	J. D. Hicks	Republican	Falling Springs	Rerick	1931
	S. C. Beard	Democrat	Lewisburg	Lewisburg	1933
	W. B. Hines	Republican	White Sulphur	White Sulphur Springs	1935
HAMPSHIRE	J. C. Pownall	Republican	Sterman	Romney	1931
	J. W. Larrick	Republican	Capon	High View	1933
	T. F. Henderson	Democrat	Gore	Slanesville	1935
HANCOCK	H. C. Stewart	Democrat	Clay	New Cumberland	1931
	G. Clem Pugh	Republican	Grant	Chester	1933
	William J. Moulds	Republican	Butler	Hollidays Cove	1935

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HARDY.....	G. T. Leatherman.....	Republican..	Mocrefeld.....	Old Field's.....	1931
	James E. Teets.....	Republican..	East River.....	Baker.....	1933
	James W. Dove.....	Democrat..	Southfork.....	Peru.....	1935
HARRISON.....	John D. McReynolds.....	Democrat..	Coal.....	Clarksburg.....	1931
	C. A. Shutte.....	Republican..	Ten Milo.....	Salem.....	1933
	Correllis Lawson.....	Republican..	Simpson.....	Bridgeport.....	1935
JACKSON.....	W. Mc. Casto.....	Republican..	Washington.....	Staats Mills.....	1931
	J. M. Lancfried.....	Republican..	Ripley.....	Ripley.....	1933
	C. E. Warth.....	Democrat..	Union.....	Millwood.....	1935
JEFFERSON.....	F. L. Jerdan.....	Democrat..	Charles Town.....	Charles Town.....	1931
	Harry F. McDonald.....	Republican..	Harpers Ferry.....	Harpers Ferry.....	1933
	J. Frank Gardner.....	Republican..	Mickleway.....	Kearneysville.....	1935
KANAWHA.....	J. H. Copenaver.....	Republican..	Elk.....	Blue Creek.....	1931
	Samuel Stephenson.....	Democrat..	Charleston.....	Charleston.....	1933
	J. K. Sheplerd.....	Republican..	Loudon.....	So. Charleston.....	1935
LEWIS.....	A. K. Wilson.....	Republican..	Collins Settlement.....	Wallersville.....	1931
	A. A. Rohrbough.....	Democrat..	Freemans Creek.....	Camden, R. F. D.....	1933
	George W. Wilson.....	Republican..	Court House.....	Weston.....	1935
LINCOLN.....	A. J. Elliott.....	Republican..	Laurel Hill.....	Cuzzie.....	1931
	A. D. Sowards.....	Democrat..	Carrll.....	Myra.....	1933
	J. L. Dunlap.....	Republican..	Washington.....	Train.....	1935
LOGAN.....	J. W. Thornbury.....	Republican..	Triadelphia.....	Man.....	1931
	O. C. Winters.....	Democrat..	Chapmansville.....	Chapmanville.....	1933
	Ira P. Hager.....	Republican..	Logan.....	Logan.....	1935
MARION.....	B. Marmaduke Chalfont.....	Democrat..	Paw Paw.....	Fairview.....	1931
	W. H. Bunner.....	Republican..	Winfield.....	Holt.....	1933
	U. S. VanZandt.....	Republican..	Mannington.....	Mannington.....	1935
MARSHALL.....	Clem Bassett.....	Democrat..	Franklin.....	Proctor.....	1931
	Marion Keyser.....	Republican..	Washington.....	Moundsville.....	1933
	G. W. Blake.....	Republican..	Union.....	Wheeling, R. D. 2.....	1935
MASON.....	M. C. Lewis.....	Republican..	Arbuckle.....	Beech Hill.....	1931
	G. W. McDermitt.....	Republican..	Cologne.....	Millwood, R. F. D.....	1933
	J. F. Burdette.....	Democrat..	Lewis.....	Point Pleasant.....	1935
MERCER.....	L. E. White.....	Republican..	East River.....	Princeton.....	1931
	B. W. Dillon.....	Democrat..	Beaver Pond.....	Blufffield.....	1933
	C. E. Wheeler.....	Republican..	Rock.....	Matoaka.....	1935
MINERAL.....	J. B. Maybury.....	Democrat..	Fiedmont.....	Fiedmont.....	1931
	Chas. E. Taylor.....	Republican..	Welton.....	Ridgeville.....	1933
	James G. Boyd.....	Republican..	Elk.....	Blaine.....	1935
MINGO.....	Jacob Runyon.....	Democrat..	Hardee.....	Myrtle.....	1931
	John M. Farley.....	Republican..	Kermit.....	Nagsatuck.....	1933
	R. C. Pritchard.....	Republican..	Williamson.....	Williamson.....	1935
MONONGALIA.....	John C. Price.....	Republican..	Morgan.....	Morgantown.....	1931
	R. W. Sine.....	Republican..	Clay.....	Blacksillo.....	1933
	Jesse H. Camp.....	Democrat..	Grant.....	Morgantown.....	1935

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MONROE	Jesse E. Hines	Democrat	Springfield	Rock Camp	1931
	E. S. Baker	Republican	Sweet Springs	Sweet Springs	1933
	Henry R. Brown	Republican	Wolf Creek	Allerson	1935
MORGAN	J. Ed. Cain	Republican	Allen	Berkeley Springs	1931
	E. L. Rice	Republican	Rock Gap	Berkeley Springs	1933
	N. T. Compton	Democrat	Cacapon	Great Cacapon	1935
MCDOWELL	J. P. Flanigan	Democrat	Browns Creek	Welch	1931
	J. T. Franklin	Republican	Adlin	Gary	1933
	Otis E. Linkous	Republican	Big Creek	War	1935
NICHOLAS	K. B. McCue	Democrat	Hamilton	Persinger	1931
	C. D. Backus	Republican	Jefferson	Vaughan	1933
	A. L. Craig	Republican	Beaver	Richwood	1935
OHIO	Chester G. Whitman	Democrat	Rietland	Wheeling	1931
	Edward T. Rose	Republican	Washington	Wheeling	1933
	R. P. Glass	Republican	Triadelphia	Wheeling	1935
PENDLETON	Milton Dolly	Republican	Union	Onego	1931
	Neah Kimble	Republican	Mill Run	Brushy Run	1933
	Geo. W. Harrison	Democrat	Franklin	Franklin	1935
PLEASANTS	O. C. Sweeney	Democrat	Washington	St. Marys	1931
	Thos. E. Fleming	Republican	LaFayette	Federal	1933
	J. H. Marple	Republican	Jefferson	St. Marys	1935
POCAHONTAS	R. S. Hickman	Republican	Greenbank	Cass	1931
	Sherman G. son	Republican	Huntersville	Huntersville	1933
	Luster Shrader	Democrat	Edray	Marlinton	1935
PUTNAM	J. N. Sovine	Republican	Teays Valley	Hurricane	1931
	M. Wears	Republican	Buffalo	Illy	1933
	Mrs. Maggie Morris	Democrat	Seckt	Winfield	1935
PRESTON	O. Y. Shaw	Republican	Grant	Breeceton Mills	1931
	G. E. Wilson	Democrat	Kingwood	Kingwood	1933
	Emanuel Dixon	Republican	Valley	Ree's ille	1935
RALEIGH	T. E. Moye	Republican	Stady Springs	Oxley	1931
	Harvey Cook	Republican	Town	Becky	1933
	B. E. Meadows	Democrat	Slab Fork	Winning Gulf	1935
RANDOLPH	P. F. King	Democrat	Leadsville	El ins	1931
	John E. Vanscoy	Republican	New Interest	Kerens	1933
	M. B. Rolough	Republican	Beverly	Beverly	1935
RITCHIE	J. H. Moyer	Republican	Murphy	Harris ille, R. 1	1931
	J. C. Lacy	Democrat	Clay	Ellenbro	1933
	M. J. Leggett	Republican	Union	Harrisville	1935
ROANE	Harry Holswade	Democrat	Spencer	Spencer	1931
	Ir in Carper	Republican	Geary	Amma	1933
	E. E. Remine	Republican	Curtis	Spencer	1935
SUMMERS	Victor Farley	Republican	Forest Hill	Seminole	1931
	W. H. Ellison	Republican	Greenrier	Hinton	1933
	H. F. Kesler	Democrat	Talcott	Lowell	1935

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TAYLOR	S. M. Musgrove	Democrat	Grafton	Grafton	1931
	Thos. P. Lake	Republican	Court House	Simpson	1933
	Geo. H. A. Batson	Republican	Booths Creek	Grafton, R. 5	1935
TUCKER	James W. Campbell	Democrat	Licking	St. George, R. 3	1931
	Simpson S. Ford	Republican	Black Fork	Parsons	1933
	A. L. Helmick	Republican	Fairfax	Thomas	1935
TYLER	L. A. Martin	Republican	Lincoln	Sisters Hill, R. F. D.	1931
	B. F. Montgomery	Republican	Centerville	Central Station	1933
	W. R. McIntire	Democrat	McElroy	Alvy	1935
UPSHUR	Ira V. Rexroad	Republican	Meade	French Creek	1931
	G. G. Westfall	Democrat	Washington	Buckhannon, R. 5	1933
	Henry O. Talbot	Republican	Buckhannon	Buckhannon	1935
WAYNE	William Jones	Republican	Grant	Queens Ridge	1931
	J. F. Massie	Republican	Butler	Fort Gay	1933
	L. K. Vinson	Democrat	Lincoln	Glen Hays	1935
WEBSTER	E. H. Gillespie	Democrat	Fork Lick	Webster Springs	1931
	J. F. Smith	Republican	Glade	Cowens	1933
	Wesley Lewis	Republican	Holly	Hackers Valley	1935
WETZEL	D. N. McIntire	Republican	Proctor	Maud	1931
	Frank Wells Clark	Republican	Magnolia	New Martinsville	1933
	Thomas A. Shuman	Democrat	Center	Wilcoxville	1935
WIRT	R. L. Mason	Democrat	Newark	Newark	1931
	S. L. Showalter	Republican	Reedy	LeRoy, R. F. D. 1	1933
	H. I. Shears	Republican	Elizabeth	Elizabeth, R. 2	1935
WOOD	J. W. Owens	Republican	Williams	Williamstown	1931
	S. D. Humphrey	Democrat	Harris	Bellville	1933
	W. H. Carfer	Republican	Parkersburg	Parkersburg	1935
WYOMING	George W. Graham	Republican	Barkers Ridge	Mullens	1931
	James B. Stewart	Republican	Center	Key Rock	1935
	H. M. Houck	Democrat	Slab Fork	Maten	1933



## ASSESSED VALUATION OF TAXABLE PROPERTY FOR THE YEAR 1929

	Real Estate	Personal Property	Public Utility	Total All Property
Barbour.....	\$ 11,153,065	\$ 2,620,216	\$ 4,206,992	\$ 17,980,273
Berkeley.....	16,497,450	6,755,950	6,878,393	30,131,793
Boone.....	14,747,055	6,693,991	6,452,259	27,893,305
Braxton.....	8,329,673	3,074,880	4,849,183	16,253,736
Brooke.....	23,335,450	5,443,043	6,558,016	35,336,509
Catell.....	83,495,730	24,195,044	19,400,565	127,091,339
Calhoun.....	3,332,470	2,656,510	3,625,024	9,614,004
Clay.....	5,568,975	4,164,638	3,355,596	13,089,209
Doddridge.....	8,003,150	3,776,845	10,255,534	22,035,529
Fayette.....	24,080,485	8,505,150	20,697,148	53,282,783
Gilmer.....	6,807,940	2,864,550	4,831,020	14,503,510
Grant.....	4,134,800	1,996,500	631,923	6,763,223
Greene.....	16,575,280	5,239,300	7,845,092	29,659,672
Hampshire.....	4,052,245	2,224,540	3,461,935	9,738,720
Hancock.....	17,844,530	4,108,790	3,159,642	25,112,962
Hardy.....	3,283,090	2,310,410	420,541	6,014,041
Harrison.....	75,380,470	21,857,560	26,219,812	123,457,842
Jackson.....	7,299,020	2,010,031	3,467,798	12,785,849
Jefferson.....	11,243,953	4,886,475	5,198,922	21,329,350
Kanawha.....	130,167,870	27,852,500	50,169,921	208,190,291
Lewis.....	17,010,970	6,366,380	11,578,236	34,955,586
Lincoln.....	7,156,505	3,508,170	6,212,597	16,976,272
Logan.....	25,270,160	8,380,175	12,058,676	45,709,011
Marion.....	65,567,104	18,386,019	21,770,380	105,723,503
Marshall.....	31,244,010	9,910,490	14,812,515	55,967,015
Mason.....	9,121,520	2,550,755	5,930,593	17,602,868
Mercer.....	30,595,210	10,861,517	20,663,213	62,119,940
Mineral.....	10,670,990	3,445,550	7,663,611	21,780,151
Mingo.....	14,509,905	5,148,215	18,015,715	37,673,835
Monongalia.....	60,978,390	15,742,100	17,034,740	93,755,230
Monroe.....	7,163,165	1,855,265	875,094	9,893,514
Morgan.....	3,851,902	1,528,226	9,144,185	14,524,313
McDowell.....	47,017,055	11,402,825	20,910,877	79,330,757
Nicholas.....	12,517,820	3,873,650	1,561,779	17,953,249
Ohio.....	91,487,805	28,385,955	13,761,984	133,635,744
Pendleton.....	4,089,625	1,649,035	3,479	5,742,139
Pleasants.....	3,588,170	2,514,105	2,707,714	8,809,989
Pocahontas.....	8,371,610	3,882,850	2,911,400	15,165,860
Preston.....	15,639,530	5,400,400	8,963,287	30,003,217
Putnam.....	6,865,620	2,570,510	5,600,253	15,036,383
Raleigh.....	30,976,144	7,592,615	10,580,682	49,149,441
Randolph.....	12,416,980	4,988,260	4,545,652	21,950,892
Ritchie.....	10,102,170	6,212,360	8,505,252	24,819,782
Roane.....	9,679,370	7,076,015	11,188,561	27,943,946
Summers.....	7,485,470	1,899,923	6,552,691	15,938,084
Taylor.....	12,370,240	4,232,720	7,354,994	23,957,954
Tucker.....	6,318,980	1,704,690	1,686,380	9,710,059
Tyler.....	6,515,160	4,874,335	5,105,475	16,494,970
Upshur.....	12,338,225	2,987,980	2,295,972	17,622,177
Wayne.....	13,835,865	2,679,575	21,919,018	38,434,458
West.....	7,653,455	2,243,420	1,262,752	11,159,627
Wetzel.....	11,953,370	6,296,440	15,261,320	33,511,130
Wirt.....	3,706,035	1,648,675	347,525	5,702,235
Wood.....	48,109,140	17,172,070	11,600,215	76,881,425
Wyoming.....	18,509,530	2,032,755	7,651,808	28,194,093
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>\$ 1,160,018,901</b>	<b>\$ 364,240,938</b>	<b>\$ 509,732,950</b>	<b>\$ 2,033,992,789</b>

## POPULATION OF WEST VIRGINIA BY COUNTIES 1880 TO 1930

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(A minus sign (—) denotes decrease)

COUNTY	POPULATION						Per Cent of Increase		
	1930	1920	1910	1900	1890	1880	1920 to 1930	1910 to 1920	1900 to 1910
West Virginia.....	1,729,205	1,463,701	1,221,119	958,800	762,792	618,457	18.1	19.9	27.4
Barbour.....	18,628	18,028	15,858	14,198	12,702	11,870	3.3	13.7	11.7
Berkeley.....	28,030	24,554	21,999	19,469	18,702	17,380	14.2	11.6	13.0
Boone.....	24,586	15,310	10,331	8,104	6,885	4,553	60.5	48.3	26.1
Braxton.....	22,579	23,973	23,023	18,904	13,928	9,787	-5.8	4.1	21.8
Brooke.....	24,663	16,527	11,098	7,219	6,660	6,013	49.2	48.9	53.7
Catell.....	90,786	65,746	46,685	29,252	23,595	13,744	38.1	40.8	59.6
Calhoun.....	10,866	10,268	11,258	10,266	8,155	6,072	5.8	-8.8	9.7
Clay.....	13,125	11,486	10,233	8,248	4,659	3,460	14.3	12.2	24.1
Dodderidge.....	10,488	11,976	12,672	13,689	12,183	10,552	-12.4	-7.4	-7.4
*Fayette.....	72,050	60,377	51,903	31,987	20,542	11,560	19.3	16.3	62.3
Gilmer.....	10,641	10,668	11,379	11,762	9,746	7,108	-0.3	-6.2	-3.3
Grant.....	8,441	8,993	7,838	7,275	6,802	5,542	-0.1	14.7	7.7
*Greenbrier.....	35,878	26,242	24,833	20,683	18,034	15,060	36.7	5.7	20.1
*Hampshire.....	11,836	11,713	11,604	11,806	11,419	10,366	1.1	0.2	-0.9
Hancock.....	28,511	19,975	10,465	6,693	6,414	4,882	42.7	90.9	56.4
Hardy.....	9,816	9,601	9,163	8,449	7,507	6,794	2.2	4.8	8.5
Harrison.....	78,567	74,793	48,381	27,690	21,919	20,181	5.0	54.6	74.7
Jackson.....	16,124	18,658	20,956	22,987	19,021	16,312	-13.6	-11.0	-8.8
Jefferson.....	15,780	15,729	15,889	15,915	15,553	15,005	0.3	-1.0	-0.3
Kanawha.....	157,667	119,650	81,457	54,696	42,756	32,466	31.8	46.9	48.9
Lewis.....	21,794	20,455	18,281	16,980	15,895	13,269	6.5	11.9	7.7
Lincoln.....	19,151	19,378	20,491	15,434	11,246	8,739	-1.1	-5.4	32.8
*Logan.....	58,534	41,006	14,476	6,955	11,101	7,329	42.7	183.3	108.1
McDowell.....	90,479	68,571	47,856	18,747	7,300	3,074	31.9	43.3	155.3
Marion.....	66,655	54,571	42,704	32,430	20,721	17,108	22.1	27.5	32.0
Marshall.....	39,831	33,681	32,388	26,444	20,735	18,840	18.3	4.0	22.5
Mason.....	20,788	21,459	23,019	24,142	22,963	22,203	-3.1	-6.8	-4.7
*Mercer.....	61,323	49,558	38,371	23,023	16,002	7,467	23.7	29.2	66.7
*Mineral.....	20,084	19,849	16,674	12,883	12,085	8,630	1.2	19.0	29.4
*Mingo.....	38,319	26,364	19,431	11,359	.....	.....	45.3	35.7	71.1
Monongalia.....	50,083	33,618	24,334	19,040	15,705	14,085	49.0	38.2	27.7
*Monroe.....	11,949	13,141	13,055	13,130	12,429	11,551	-9.1	0.7	-0.6
Morgan.....	8,406	8,257	7,848	7,294	6,744	5,777	0.6	6.5	7.6
Nicholas.....	20,686	20,717	17,669	11,403	9,309	7,223	-0.1	17.1	55.2
Ohio.....	72,077	62,892	57,572	48,024	41,557	37,457	14.6	9.2	19.9
Pendleton.....	9,660	9,652	9,349	9,167	8,711	8,022	0.1	3.2	2.0
Pleasant.....	6,545	7,379	8,074	9,345	7,539	6,256	-11.3	-8.6	-13.0
Pocahontas.....	14,555	15,002	14,470	8,572	6,814	5,591	-3.1	1.8	72.0
Preston.....	29,043	27,996	26,341	22,727	20,355	10,091	3.7	6.3	15.9
Putnam.....	16,737	17,531	18,587	18,330	14,342	11,375	-4.5	-5.7	7.3
*Raleigh.....	68,072	42,482	25,633	12,436	9,597	7,367	60.2	65.7	106.1
Randolph.....	25,049	26,804	26,028	17,670	11,633	8,102	-6.5	3.0	47.3
Ritchie.....	15,594	16,506	17,875	18,901	16,621	13,474	-5.5	-7.7	-5.4
Roane.....	19,478	20,129	21,543	19,852	15,303	12,184	-3.2	-6.6	8.5
*Summers.....	20,468	19,092	18,420	16,265	13,117	9,033	7.2	3.6	13.2
Taylor.....	19,114	18,742	16,554	14,978	12,147	11,455	2.0	13.2	10.5
Tucker.....	13,374	16,791	18,675	13,433	6,459	3,151	-20.4	-10.1	39.0

## POPULATION OF WEST VIRGINIA BY COUNTIES, 1880 TO 1930—Continued

COUNTY	POPULATION						Per Cent of Increase		
	1930	1920	1910	1900	1890	1880	1920 to 1930	1910 to 1920	1900 to 1910
Tyler.....	12,785	14,186	16,211	18,252	11,962	11,073	-0.9	-12.5	-11.2
Upshur.....	17,944	17,851	16,629	14,696	12,714	10,249	0.5	7.3	13.2
Wayne.....	31,206	26,012	24,081	23,619	18,652	14,739	20.0	8.0	2.0
Weston.....	14,216	11,562	9,680	8,862	4,783	3,207	23.0	19.4	9.2
Wetzel.....	22,334	23,069	23,855	22,880	16,841	13,896	-3.2	-3.3	4.3
Wirt.....	6,358	7,535	9,047	10,284	9,411	7,104	-15.6	-16.7	-12.0
Wood.....	56,521	42,306	38,001	34,452	28,612	25,006	33.6	11.3	10.3
*Wyoming.....	20,926	15,180	10,393	8,380	6,247	4,322	37.9	46.1	24.0

## \*CHANGES IN BOUNDARIES, ETC

FAYETTE—Part taken to form part of Summers in 1871.

GREENBRIER—Part taken to form part of Summers in 1871.

HAMPSHIRE—Part of Mineral annexed 1872.

LOGAN—Part taken to form Mingo in 1895.

MERCER—Part taken to form part of Summers in 1871.

MINERAL—Part annexed to Hampshire in 1872.

MINGO—Organized from part of Logan in 1895.

MONROE—Part taken to form part of Summers in 1871.

RALEIGH—Part of Wyoming annexed in 1872.

SUMMERS—Organized from parts of Fayette, Greenbrier, Mercer and Monroe in 1871.

WYOMING—Part annexed to Raleigh in 1872.

**POPULATION—WEST VIRGINIA**

**NUMBER AND DISTRIBUTION OF INHABITANTS**

Population of the State.—West Virginia, originally a part of Virginia was admitted to the Union as the thirty-fifth State in June, 1863. Its population on April 1, 1930, according to the Fifteenth Census, was 1,729,205, which represents an increase of 265,504, or 18.1 per cent, as compared with the population on January 1, 1920. The total land area of the State is 24,022 square miles. The average number of inhabitants per square mile in 1930 was 72, as compared with 60.9 in 1920.

The following table shows the population of West Virginia from 1870 to 1930, inclusive, together with the increase in each decade. The population at each census prior to 1870 of that part of Virginia which was later taken to form West Virginia, was as follows: 1860, 376,688; 1850, 302,313; 1840, 224,537; 1830, 176,924; 1820, 136,808; 1810, 105,469; 1800, 78,592; 1790, 55,873.

POPULATION OF WEST VIRGINIA: 1870 TO 1930

CENSUS YEAR	Population	INCREASE OVER PRECEDING CENSUS	
		Number	Percent
1930.....	1,729,205	265,504	18.1
1920.....	1,463,701	242,582	19.9
1910.....	1,221,119	262,319	27.4
1900.....	958,800	196,006	25.7
1890.....	762,794	144,337	23.3
1880.....	618,457	176,443	39.9
1870.....	442,014		

**POPULATION OF WEST VIRGINIA BY CONGRESSIONAL AND SENATORIAL DISTRICTS**

**FIRST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT**

Counties	Population	Counties	Population
Brooke .....	24,663	Ohio .....	72,077
Hancock .....	28,511	Taylor .....	19,114
Marion .....	66,655	Wetzel .....	22,334
Marshall .....	39,831		
		<b>Total .....</b>	<b>273,185</b>

**SECOND CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT**

Counties	Population	Counties	Population
Barbour .....	18,628	Monongalia .....	50,083
Berkeley .....	28,030	Morgan .....	8,406
Grant .....	8,441	Pendleton .....	9,660
Hampshire .....	11,830	Preston .....	20,043
Hardy .....	9,816	Randolph .....	25,040
Jefferson .....	15,780	Tucker .....	13,374
Mineral .....	20,084		
		<b>Total .....</b>	<b>248,230</b>

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**THIRD CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT**

Counties	Population
Braxton .....	22,579
Clay .....	13,125
Doddridge .....	10,488
Gilmer .....	10,641
Harrison .....	78,567
Lewis .....	21,794
Nicholas .....	20,686
Ritchie .....	15,594
Upshur .....	17,944
Webster .....	14,216
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>225,634</b>

**FOURTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT**

Counties	Population
Cabell .....	90,786
Calhoun .....	10,866
Jackson .....	16,124
Mason .....	20,788
Pleasants .....	6,545
Putnam .....	16,737
Roane .....	19,478
Tyler .....	12,785
Wirt .....	6,358
Wood .....	56,521
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>256,988</b>

**FIFTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT**

Counties	Population
Lincoln .....	19,156
Mercer .....	61,323
Mingo .....	38,319
Monroe .....	11,949
McDowell .....	90,479
Summers .....	20,468
Wayne .....	31,206
Wyoming .....	20,926
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>293,826</b>

**SIXTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT**

Counties	Population
Boone .....	24,586
Fayette .....	72,050
Greenbrier .....	35,878
Kanawha .....	157,667
Logan .....	58,534
Pocahontas .....	14,555
Kaleigh .....	68,072
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>431,342</b>

**FIRST SENATORIAL DISTRICT**

Counties	Population
Brooke .....	24,663
Hancock .....	28,511
Ohio .....	72,077
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>125,251</b>

**SECOND SENATORIAL DISTRICT**

Counties	Population
Marshall .....	39,831
Tyler .....	12,785
Wetzel .....	22,334
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>74,950</b>

**THIRD SENATORIAL DISTRICT**

Counties	Population
Pleasants .....	6,545
Ritchie .....	15,594
Wirt .....	6,358
Wood .....	56,521
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>85,018</b>

**FOURTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT**

Counties	Population
Jackson .....	16,124
Mason .....	20,788
Roane .....	19,478
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>56,390</b>

**FIFTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT**

Counties	Population
Cabell .....	90,786
Lincoln .....	19,156
Putnam .....	16,737
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>126,679</b>

**SIXTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT**

Counties	Population
McDowell .....	90,479
Mingo .....	38,319
Wayne .....	31,206
Wyoming .....	20,926
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>180,930</b>

## POPULATION OF SENATORIAL DISTRICTS

## SEVENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

Counties	Population
Mercer .....	61,323
Monroe .....	11,949
Raleigh .....	68,072
Summers .....	20,468
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>161,812</b>

## EIGHTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

Counties	Population
Boone .....	24,586
Kanawha .....	157,667
Logan .....	58,534
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>240,787</b>

## NINTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

Counties	Population
Clay .....	13,125
Fayette .....	72,050
Greenbrier .....	35,878
Nicholas .....	20,686
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>141,739</b>

## TENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

Counties	Population
Braxton .....	22,579
Calhoun .....	10,866
Gilmer .....	10,641
Pocahontas .....	14,555
Webster .....	14,216
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>72,857</b>

## ELEVENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

Counties	Population
Marion .....	66,655
Monongalia .....	50,083
Taylor .....	19,114
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>135,852</b>

## TWELFTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

Counties	Population
Doddridge .....	10,488
Harrison .....	78,567
Lewis .....	21,794
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>110,849</b>

## THIRTEENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

Counties	Population
Barbour .....	18,628
Pendleton .....	9,650
Randolph .....	25,049
Upshur .....	17,944
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>71,281</b>

## FOURTEENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

Counties	Population
Grant .....	8,441
Hardy .....	9,861
Mineral .....	20,084
Preston .....	29,043
Tucker .....	13,374
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>80,758</b>

## FIFTEENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

Counties	Population
Berkeley .....	28,030
Hampshire .....	11,836
Jefferson .....	15,780
Morgan .....	8,406
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>64,052</b>

POPULATION OF COUNTIES BY MINOR CIVIL DIVISIONS 451

Minor Civil Divisions.—The primary divisions of the counties of West Virginia are termed "magisterial districts." These magisterial districts include the secondary divisions, which are incorporated as cities, towns, or villages. The following table shows the population of each county by magisterial districts, cities, towns, and villages for the last three censuses. The population of the secondary divisions is shown under the population of the magisterial districts in which they are respectively situated and is included in the total population given for the district. Several of the cities are coextensive with the magisterial districts in which they are located, and some of the larger cities comprise two or more districts or parts of districts. Where an incorporated place occupies parts of two districts, the total population of the place is given in connection with the presentation for the first district.

POPULATION OF COUNTIES BY MINOR CIVIL DIVISIONS: 1930, 1920, AND 1910  
 [The "districts" shown in the table are magisterial districts. For changes in boundaries, etc., between 1920 and 1930, see footnotes; for those between 1910 and 1920, see Reports of the Fourteenth Census (1920), Vol. I, Table 33]

MINOR CIVIL DIVISION	1930	1920	1910	MINOR CIVIL DIVISION	1930	1920	1910
<b>Barbour County</b> .....	<b>18,628</b>	<b>18,028</b>	<b>15,858</b>	<b>Boone County—Con.</b>			
Barker district.....	3,052	3,447	2,675	Sherman district.....	7,341	3,563	1,619
Belington city, total....	1,571	1,766	1,481	Washington district.....	4,208	4,553	2,677
In Barker district.....	811	943	742	<b>Braxton County</b> .....	<b>22,579</b>	<b>23,973</b>	<b>*23,023</b>
In Valley district.....	760	823	739	Birch district.....	3,616	4,065	4,322
Junior town.....	560	593	435	Rosedale town, total.1..	175	.....	.....
Cove district.....	1,376	1,493	1,770	In Braxton County.....	79	.....	.....
Elk district.....	709	591	723	In Gilmer County.....	96	.....	.....
Glade district.....	909	1,075	1,286	Holly district.....	5,704	5,321	5,242
Philippi district.....	4,882	4,410	3,652	Flat Woods town, total..	299	325	284
Philippi city.....	1,767	1,543	1,038	In Holly district.....	168	172	166
Pleasant district.....	3,818	2,652	2,050	In Salt Lick district....	131	153	118
Union district.....	1,846	2,141	1,696	Sutton town, total.....	1,205	947	1,121
Valley district.....	2,036	2,219	2,006	In Holly district.....	1,120	895	994
Belington city (see				In Otter district.....	85	52	127
Barker district).				Otter district.....	7,199	7,444	6,955
<b>Berkley County</b> .....	<b>28,030</b>	<b>24,554</b>	<b>21,999</b>	Gasaway town.....	1,618	1,518	1,086
Arlen district.....	2,866	2,004	1,844	Sutton town (see Holly			
Falling Waters district...	1,492	1,431	1,266	district).			
Gerrardstown district...	2,326	2,525	2,433	Salt Lick district.....	6,060	7,143	4,148
Hedgesville district.....	2,554	2,533	2,596	Burnsville town.....	868	1,088	770
Hedgesville town.....	361	379	328	Flat Woods town (see			
Martinsburg district.....	14,357	12,515	10,698	Holly district).			
Martinsburg city.....	14,857	12,515	10,698	<b>Brooke County</b> .....	<b>24,663</b>	<b>16,527</b>	<b>11,098</b>
Mill Creek district.....	1,723	1,600	1,571	Buffalo district.....	6,405	4,301	2,316
Opeyon district.....	2,212	1,946	1,591	Bethany village.....	439	400	433
<b>Boone County</b> .....	<b>24,586</b>	<b>15,319</b>	<b>10,331</b>	Cross Creek district.....	11,860	7,308	4,593
Crook district.....	5,018	1,685	1,466	Follansbee town.....	4,841	3,135	2,031
Peytona district.....	2,987	2,251	1,896	Hollirlays Cove town,			
Scott district.....	5,032	3,267	2,673	total.....	4,480	1,213	.....
Danville town.....	486	327	.....	In Brooke County.....	721	216	.....
Madison town.....	1,156	604	295	In Hancock County....	3,759	997	.....
				Wellsburg district.....	6,398	4,918	4,189
				Wellsburg city.....	6,398	4,918	4,189

\* 1 Braxton—County total for 1910 includes population (2,356) of Kanawha district annexed to Salt Lick since 1910. Rosedale town not returned separately in 1920.

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## POPULATION OF COUNTIES BY MINOR CIVIL DIVISIONS: 1930, 1920, AND 1910

MINOR CIVIL DIVISION	1930	1920	1910	MINOR CIVIL DIVISION	1930	1920	1910
<b>Cabell County</b> .....	<b>90,786</b>	<b>65,746</b>	<b>46,685</b>	<b>Fayette County</b> .....	<b>72,050</b>	<b>60,377</b>	<b>51,903</b>
Barboursville district.....	4,318	2,975	2,840	Falls district.....	9,939	8,784	6,775
Barboursville town.....	1,508	974	907	Fayetteville district.....	30,078	23,288	20,605
Gideon district 2.....	48,519			Fayetteville town.....	1,143	659	671
Huntington city, total 2.....	75,572	50,177	31,161	Mount Hope city 4.....	2,361	1,989	494
In Gideon district.....	48,519			Oak Hill city 4.....	2,076	1,037	764
In Guyandotte district.....	1,956	50,177	31,161	Pax town 4.....	608		
In Kyle district.....	22,137			Kanawha district.....	13,885	11,192	7,790
In Wayne County 2.....	2,960			Montgomery city total 4.....	2,906	2,130	1,888
Grant district.....	5,138	4,372	4,266	In Fayette County.....	2,221	2,130	1,888
Milton town.....	1,395	1,023	837	In Kanawha County 4.....	685		
Guyandotte district 2.....	4,610	52,533	33,208	Mountain Cove district.....	4,554	4,284	4,489
Huntington city (see Gideon district)..				Ansted town.....	1,404	1,178	1,030
Kyle district 2.....	22,137			Nuttall district.....	4,442	3,589	3,388
Huntington city (see Gideon district).				Quinnimont district.....	5,944	5,926	5,525
McComas district.....	3,045	2,942	3,174	Meadow Bridge town 4.....	476		
Union district.....	3,019	2,924	3,197	Sewell Mountain district..	3,208	3,314	3,331
<b>Calhoun County</b> .....	<b>10,866</b>	<b>10,268</b>	<b>11,258</b>	Thurmond town.....	462	285	315
Center district.....	2,495	1,632	1,784	<b>Gilmer County</b> .....	<b>10,641</b>	<b>10,668</b>	<b>11,379</b>
Grantsville town.....	1,018	450	282	Center district.....	3,116	3,304	3,347
Lee district.....	2,491	2,701	3,104	Rosedale town, total 5... ..	175		
Sheridan district.....	1,297	1,304	1,438	In Gilmer County.....	96		
Sherman district.....	1,805	1,847	1,924	In Braxton County.....	79		
Washington district.....	2,778	2,784	3,008	De Kalb district.....	1,749	1,800	2,145
<b>Clay County</b> .....	<b>13,125</b>	<b>11,486</b>	<b>10,233</b>	Glenville district.....	4,110	3,629	3,617
Buffalo district.....	3,868	2,691	1,904	Glenville town.....	799	327	336
Henry district.....	3,689	2,764	3,034	Layopolis town.....	198	175	156
Clay town 3.....	444	342	392	Troy district.....	1,666	1,935	2,270
Otter district.....	1,947	1,915	1,863	Troy town.....	101	113	144
Pleasant district.....	2,181	2,488	1,938	<b>Grant County</b> .....	<b>8,441</b>	<b>8,993</b>	<b>7,838</b>
Union district.....	1,440	1,628	1,494	Grant district.....	1,743	1,918	1,896
<b>Doddridge County</b> .....	<b>10,488</b>	<b>11,976</b>	<b>12,672</b>	Milroy district.....	3,861	3,584	2,675
Central district.....	1,142	1,124	1,075	Petersburg town.....	1,410	834	
Cove district.....	422	540	609	Union district.....	2,837	3,491	3,267
Grant district.....	1,580	1,708	2,067	Bayard town.....	743	1,074	417
Greenrier district.....	911	1,161	1,398	<b>Greenbrier County</b> .....	<b>35,878</b>	<b>26,242</b>	<b>24,833</b>
McClellan district.....	2,112	2,452	2,900	Anthony Creek district... ..	1,050	1,224	1,164
New Milton district.....	925	1,099	1,295	Bl e Sulphur district....	3,339	3,371	3,382
Southwest district.....	549	696	669	Al'erson town, total.....	1,458	1,401	1,252
West Union district.....	2,847	3,196	2,659	In Greenbrier County..	930	841	677
West Union town.....	984	1,270	779	In Monroe County.....	528	560	575
				Falling Spring district....	2,735	2,752	5,689
				Falling Spring town.....	355	263	270

2 Cabell—Gideon and Kyle districts organized from parts of Guyandot in 1928. Parts of Guyandotte district annexed to Huntington city and parts of Huntington city reverted to Guyandotte district since 1920; part of Ceredo district, Wayne County, annexed to Huntington city in 1923.

3 Clay.—Name of Clay town changed from Henry in 1927.

4 Fayette—Union Mines town, Kanawha County (population 291 in 1920) annexed to Montgomery city in 1925. Mount Hope and Oak Hill towns incorporated as cities in 1921; Pax and Meadow Bridge towns incorporated in 1920.

5 Gilmer.—Rosedale town not returned separately in 1920.



POPULATION OF COUNTIES BY MINOR CIVIL DIVISIONS 453

POPULATION OF COUNTIES BY MINOR CIVIL DIVISIONS: 1930, 1920, AND 1910

MINOR CIVIL DIVISION	1930	1920	1910	MINOR CIVIL DIVISION	1930	1920	1910
<b>Greenbrier County—Con.</b>				<b>Hardy County—Con.</b>			
Fort Spring district.....	3,720	3,585	3,443	Moorefield district.....	3,354	3,186	2,345
Ronceverte city.....	2,254	2,319	2,157	Moorefield town.....	734	630	646
Frankford district.....	2,087	1,966	.....	South Fork district.....	2,140	2,727	1,955
Frankford town.....	140	110	102	<b>Harrison County.....</b>			
Irish Corner district.....	2,420	1,947	1,846	<b>Clark district.....</b>			
Lewisburg district.....	3,022	2,403	2,558	Clark district.....	23,832	21,924	11,084
Lewisburg town.....	1,293	1,202	803	Clarksburg city, total...	28,866	27,869	9,201
Meadow Bluff district....	11,540	3,928	2,688	In Clark district.....	17,388	16,352	5,659
East Rainelle town 6....	1,272	.....	.....	In Coal district.....	11,478	11,517	3,542
Marfrance town 6.....	1,066	.....	.....	Nutter Fort town 8.....	1,825	.....	.....
Rainelle town.....	920	566	.....	Clay district.....	8,113	6,435	4,909
White Sulphur district....	3,693	2,837	1,609	Shinnston town.....	2,802	1,679	1,224
White Sulphur Springs				Coal district.....	19,811	19,383	12,335
town.....	1,484	837	338	Clarksburg city (see			
Williamsburg district.....	2,272	2,229	2,454	Clark district).			
Williamsburg town.....	148	161	120	Eagle district.....	6,211	5,578	3,692
<b>Hampshire County.....</b>				Lumberport town.....	1,289	900	656
<b>11,836 11,713 11,694</b>				Elk district.....	1,213	1,020	1,103
Bloomery district.....	1,051	1,222	1,462	Grant district.....	3,832	4,727	2,512
Capon Bridge town total	192	157	213	Saris district.....	2,674	3,092	3,038
In Bloomery district....	68	86	86	Simpson district.....	4,555	4,547	3,141
In Capon district.....	124	71	127	Bridgeport town.....	1,567	1,346	577
Capon district.....	1,177	1,281	1,424	Tennile district.....	6,090	5,695	4,493
Capon Bridge town (see				Salem city.....	2,943	2,920	2,169
Bloomery district).				Union district.....	2,236	2,392	2,074
Gore district.....	2,165	2,329	2,461	West Milford town 8....	349	.....	212
Mill Creek district.....	850	764	763	<b>Jackson County.....</b>			
Romney district.....	2,794	2,566	2,313	<b>16,124 18,658 20,956</b>			
Romney town.....	1,441	1,028	1,112	Grant district.....	2,130	2,794	3,276
Sherman district.....	1,831	1,912	1,959	Ravenswood district.....	4,208	4,463	4,843
Springfield district.....	1,968	1,639	1,312	Ravenswood town.....	1,189	1,294	1,081
<b>Hancock County.....</b>				Ripley district.....	4,704	5,092	5,992
<b>28,511 7 19,975 7 10,465</b>				Ripley town.....	669	580	591
Butler district.....	17,163	10,739	1,412	Union district.....	1,689	2,069	2,326
Hollidays Cove town,				Washington district.....	3,393	4,240	4,519
total.....	4,480	1,213	.....	<b>Jefferson County....</b>			
In Hancock County....	3,759	997	.....	<b>15,780 15,729 15,889</b>			
In Brooke County.....	721	216	.....	Charles Town district....	5,825	5,400	5,444
Clay district 7.....	3,513	2,316	2,527	Charles Town.....	2,434	2,527	2,662
New Cumberland town....	2,300	1,816	1,807	Ranson town.....	1,002	699	.....
Grant district.....	7,835	6,268	5,666	Harpers Ferry district...	3,646	3,269	3,176
Chester city.....	3,701	3,283	3,184	Bolivar town.....	616	585	687
<b>Hardy County.....</b>				Harpers Ferry town....	705	713	766
<b>9,816 9,601 9,163</b>				Kabetown district.....	1,756	2,138	2,132
Capon district.....	1,603	1,361	2,226	Middleway district.....	1,900	1,900	2,105
Wardensville town.....	189	745	123	Shepherdstown district...	2,653	3,022	3,032
Lost River district.....	2,719	2,327	2,637	Shepherdstown town....	888	1,063	1,070

6 Greenbrier.—East Rainelle town incorporated in 1921 and Marfrance town in 1926.

7 Hancock.—County totals for 1920 and 1910 include population (652 in 1920; 860 in 1910) of Poe district, annexed to Clay in 1922.

8 Harrison.—Nutter Fort town incorporated in 1924. West Milford town surrendered charter between 1910 and 1920; reincorporated in 1920.

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MINOR CIVIL DIVISION	1930	1920	1910	MINOR CIVIL DIVISION	1930	1920	1910
<b>Kanawha County</b> .....	<b>157,667</b>	<b>119,650</b>	<b>81,457</b>	<b>Lincoln County—Con.</b>			
Big Sandy district.....	5,665	5,202	3,835	Duval district.....	3,014	3,213	3,052
Cledenin town.....	1,217	1,263	815	Harts Creek district.....	2,575	2,437	2,446
Osborne town 9.....	167			Jefferson district.....	1,475	1,595	1,819
Cal in Creek district 9.....	30,116	27,620	22,920	Laurel Hill district.....	2,500	2,250	2,224
Cedar Grove town.....	1,110	918	679	Sheridan district.....	3,410	3,176	3,164
Eastbank town.....	476	586	551	Union district.....	1,071	1,262	1,445
Glasgow town 9.....	614			Washington district.....	1,919	2,271	1,832
Montgomery city, total 9	2,906	2,130	1,888	<b>Logan County</b> .....	<b>58,534</b>	<b>41,00E</b>	<b>14,476</b>
In Kanawha County....	685			Chapmansville district....	4,842	4,417	3,606
In Fayette County.....	2,221	2,130	1,888	Logan district 10.....	39,503	26,719	9,614
Pratt town.....	325	315	306	Logan city 10.....	4,306	2,008	1,640
Charleston district 9.....	60,271	42,157	23,966	Yolyn town.....	422	623	
Charleston city, total 9..	60,408	39,608	22,996	Triadelphia district.....	14,189	9,870	1,256
In Charleston district...	55,536	38,467	22,283	Man town 10.....	835		
In Loudon district.....	4,872	1,141	713	<b>McDowell County</b> .....	<b>90,479</b>	<b>68,571</b>	<b>47,856</b>
Elk district.....	7,592	7,437	6,391	Adkin district.....	17,294	15,070	9,221
Jefferson district.....	10,169	7,216	3,841	Big Creek district.....	10,007	10,075	4,791
St. Altans town.....	3,254	2,825	1,209	War town 11.....	1,392		
Loudon district 9.....	17,189	11,309	5,718	Browns Creek district....	28,052	22,922	17,018
Charleston city (see Charleston district).				Keystone city.....	1,897	1,839	2,047
Marmet town 9.....	1,200			Kimball town.....	1,467	1,428	1,630
South Charleston town..	5,904	3,650		Welch city.....	5,376	3,232	1,526
Malden district.....	0,110	5,362	3,803	Elkhorn district.....	7,087	7,008	7,240
Poca district.....	3,365	3,735	4,090	North Fork district.....	8,168	6,676	5,642
Union district.....	11,421	6,981	3,949	Clark town.....	787	459	165
Dunbar town 9.....	4,189			North Fork town.....	404	421	425
Washington district.....	2,769	2,631	2,944	Sandy River district.....	9,971	5,920	3,944
<b>Lewis County</b> .....	<b>21,794</b>	<b>20,455</b>	<b>18,281</b>	Iaeger town.....	1,066	481	
Collins Settlement district.	2,505	2,852	3,068	<b>Marion County</b> .....	<b>66,655</b>	<b>54,571</b>	<b>42,794</b>
Court House district.....	6,651	5,705	5,177	Fairmont district.....	20,777	15,401	11,780
Weston town, total.....	8,646	5,701	2,213	Fairmont city, total....	23,159	17,851	9,711
In Court House district.	3,914	2,980	950	In Fairmont district.....	15,461	12,402	7,564
In Freemans Creek district.....	2,534	1,386	633	In Union district.....	7,247	5,256	2,147
In Hackers Creek district	2,198	1,335	630	In Winfield district....	451	193	
Freemans Creek district..	6,439	6,253	5,283	Grant district.....	4,749	4,568	4,885
Weston town (see Court House district).				Monongah town, total...	1,909	2,031	2,084
Hackers Creek district....	5,171	4,403	3,522	In Grant district.....	970	1,019	1,039
Jane Lew town.....	445	560	327	In Lincoln district.....	930	1,012	1,045
Weston town (see Court House district).				Lincoln district.....	10,808	9,316	6,278
Skin Creek District.....	1,028	1,152	1,231	Farmingington town.....	819	679	519
<b>Lincoln County</b> .....	<b>19,156</b>	<b>19,378</b>	<b>20,491</b>	Monongah town (see Grant district).			
Carroll district.....	3,183	3,174	3,609	Worthington town.....	405	381	292
Hamlin town.....	844	516		Mannington district.....	7,346	8,107	8,050
				Mannington city.....	3,261	3,673	2,672

9 Kanawha.—Part of Cal in Creek district (Union Mines town) annexed to Montgomery city in 1925. Parts of Charleston district annexed to Charleston city in 1927 and 1929, and part of Loudon annexed in 1929. Osborne town incorporated in 1927, Glasgow town in 1920, and Marmet and Dunbar towns in 1921.

10 Logan.—Part of Logan district annexed to Logan city in 1925. Man town not returned separately in 1920.

11 McDowell.—War town incorporated in 1920.

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MINOR CIVIL DIVISION	1930	1920	1910	MINOR CIVIL DIVISION	1930	1920	1910
<b>Marion County—Coo.</b>				<b>Mason County—Con.</b>			
Paw Paw district.....	8,312	6,203	4,239	Robinson district 13.....	1,400	814	900
Fairlew town.....	836	827	782	Union district.....	1,619	1,951	2,217
Rivesville town.....	1,700	1,061	190	Waggener distriet 13.....	2,514	2,615	2,607
Union district.....	10,935	7,940	5,171	Hartford City town (see Graham district).			
Fairmont city (see Fair- mont district).				Mason town.....	691	992	784
Winfield district.....	3,728	3,036	2,391	<b>Mercer County.....</b>	<b>61,323</b>	<b>49,558</b>	<b>38,371</b>
Fairmont city (see Fair- mont district).				Beaver Pond district.....	24,758	19,024	14,817
<b>Marshall County.....</b>	<b>39,831</b>	<b>33,681</b>	<b>32,388</b>	Bluefield city.....	19,339	15,282	11,188
Cameron district.....	3,512	3,685	3,442	East River district.....	12,048	10,374	6,096
Cameron city.....	2,281	2,404	1,660	Oakvale town.....	261	281	278
Clay district.....	2,765	1,994	1,862	Princeton city.....	6,955	6,224	3,027
Moundsville city, total...	14,411	10,669	8,918	Jumping Branch district..	1,246	1,045	1,122
In Clay district.....	1,328	1,033	949	Plymouth district.....	2,838	2,790	2,764
In Washington district..	13,083	9,636	7,969	Athens town.....	628	552	575
Franklin district.....	1,562	1,467	1,655	Rock district.....	20,433	16,325	13,572
Liberty district.....	1,522	1,487	1,874	Bramwell town.....	1,574	1,696	1,458
Meade district.....	1,074	1,224	1,527	Matoaka town.....	929	647	.....
Sand Hill district.....	867	969	1,066	<b>Mineral County.....</b>	<b>20,084</b>	<b>19,849</b>	<b>16,674</b>
Union district.....	10,330	10,398	10,001	Calin Run district.....	909	900	884
Benwood city.....	3,950	4,773	4,976	Elk district.....	2,229	3,539	3,825
McMechen city.....	3,710	3,356	2,921	Elk Garden town.....	299	422	438
Washington district.....	17,112	11,266	9,656	Frankfort district.....	4,914	3,486	2,538
Glendale town 12.....	1,493	.....	.....	Ridgeley town.....	1,972	1,709	.....
Moundsville city (see Clay district).				New Creek district.....	8,108	7,484	6,040
Webster district.....	1,087	1,191	1,305	Keyser town.....	6,248	6,003	3,705
<b>Mason County.....</b>	<b>20,782</b>	<b>21,459</b>	<b>23,019</b>	Piedmont district.....	3,004	3,602	2,635
Arbuckle district.....	1,655	1,928	2,365	Piedmont town.....	2,241	2,835	2,054
Cledenin district.....	2,935	3,187	3,841	Welton district.....	920	838	752
Henderson town.....	330	320	286	<b>Mingo County.....</b>	<b>38,319</b>	<b>26,364</b>	<b>19,431</b>
Cologne district.....	1,415	1,605	1,567	Hardee district.....	2,273	1,949	1,888
Leon village.....	283	299	240	Harvey district.....	1,696	1,475	1,306
Cooper district.....	1,659	1,828	2,085	Kermit district 14.....	1,974	1,707	1,187
Graham district.....	1,739	1,703	1,780	Kermit town.....	749	636	.....
Hartford City town, total.....	423	430	358	Lee district.....	10,477	5,200	2,946
In Graham district.....	316	301	358	Magnolia district.....	7,805	6,023	5,077
In Waggener district....	107	129	.....	Matewan city.....	932	851	588
Hannan district.....	1,913	2,295	2,628	Stafford district.....	4,684	3,191	3,466
Lewis district.....	3,939	3,533	3,029	Gilbert town 14.....	451	.....	.....
Point Pleasant town....	3,301	3,059	2,045	Williamson district.....	9,410	6,819	3,561
				Williamson city.....	9,410	6,819	3,561

12 Marshall.—Glendale town incorporated in 1924.

13 Mason.—Population for 1920 of Robinson and Waggener districts corrected by transfer of population (101) of State Industrial School for Colored Boys from the former to the latter.

14 Mingo.—Name of Kermit district changed from Warfield in 1924. Gilbert town not returned separately in 1920

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MINOR CIVIL DIVISION	1930	1920	1910	MINOR CIVIL DIVISION	1930	1920	1910
<b>Monongalia County</b> .....	<b>50,083</b>	<b>33,618</b>	<b>24,334</b>	<b>Ohio County 17</b> .....	<b>72,077</b>	<b>62,892</b>	<b>57,572</b>
Battelle district.....	1,067	2,059	2,270	Filbert district.....	1,992	1,437	1,479
Cass district.....	6,854	3,160	1,173	Richland district, that part outside Wheeling city 17	1,714	1,235	.....
Clay district.....	2,930	2,581	2,797	Ritchie district, that part outside Wheeling city 17	1,827	1,530	.....
Blacksville town.....	260	218	204	Triadelphia district, that part outside of Wheeling city 17.....	4,885	2,482	.....
Clinton district.....	2,087	2,016	2,415	Triadelphia town.....	302	299	261
Grant district.....	10,324	4,807	2,495	Wheeling city, total 17... ..	61,659	56,208	41,641
Riverside town.....	940	326	.....	Center district, entire... ..	4,670	.....	.....
Westover town.....	1,633	721	.....	Clay district, entire.....	4,958	.....	.....
Morgan district.....	23,210	16,934	11,631	Madison district, entire... ..	7,338	.....	.....
Morgantown city.....	16,186	12,127	9,150	In Richland district.....	6,207	.....	.....
Sabraton town 15.....	1,717	1,380	.....	In Ritchie district.....	6,104	.....	.....
Star City town.....	1,121	823	318	In Triadelphia district... ..	14,705	.....	.....
Union district.....	2,711	2,061	1,553	Union district, entire.....	4,802	.....	.....
<b>Monroe County</b> .....	<b>11,949</b>	<b>13,141</b>	<b>13,055</b>	Washington district, entire 17.....	7,370	.....	.....
Red Sulphur district.....	2,846	2,942	3,043	Webster district, entire... ..	5,505	.....	.....
Peterstown town.....	388	293	257	<b>Pendleton County</b> .....	<b>9,660</b>	<b>9,652</b>	<b>9,349</b>
Second Creek district.....	1,588	1,756	1,754	Bethel district.....	1,064	1,161	1,149
Springfield district.....	2,125	2,307	2,292	Circleville district.....	1,366	1,537	1,521
Sweet Springs district.....	1,881	2,459	2,137	Franklin district.....	2,133	1,863	1,701
Union district.....	1,665	1,793	1,001	Franklin town.....	431	320	200
Union town.....	331	439	298	Mill Run district.....	1,832	1,581	1,646
Wolf Creek district.....	1,844	1,884	1,928	Sugar Grove district.....	1,439	1,600	1,478
Alderson town, total.....	1,458	1,401	1,252	Union district.....	1,826	1,904	1,854
In Monroe County.....	528	560	575	<b>Pleasants County</b> .....	<b>6,545</b>	<b>7,379</b>	<b>8,074</b>
In Greenbrier County.. ..	930	841	677	Grant district.....	843	951	959
<b>Morgan County</b> .....	<b>8,406</b>	<b>8,357</b>	<b>7,848</b>	Jefferson district.....	652	969	1,190
Allen district.....	1,021	1,157	1,148	Lafayette district.....	454	649	791
Bath district.....	3,015	2,743	2,280	McKim district.....	684	791	1,123
Berkeley Springs town... ..	1,039	980	864	Union district.....	1,098	1,427	1,605
Cacapon district.....	2,526	2,286	2,312	Washington district.....	2,814	2,592	2,406
Paw Paw town.....	781	698	725	St. Marys city.....	2,182	1,648	1,358
Rock Gap district.....	595	737	773	<b>Pocahontas County</b> ....	<b>14,555</b>	<b>15,002</b>	<b>14,740</b>
Fleppy Creek district.....	736	837	713	Edray district.....	5,151	4,010	4,150
Timber Ridge district.....	513	597	622	Marlinton town.....	1,586	1,177	1,045
<b>Nicholas County</b> .....	<b>20,686</b>	<b>20,717</b>	<b>17,699</b>	Greenbank district.....	5,314	6,048	6,128
Beaver district.....	9,124	8,751	6,356	Cass town.....	708	1,195	496
Richwood city 16.....	5,720	4,331	3,001	Durbin town.....	498	422	390
Grant district.....	977	956	1,155	Huntersville district.....	1,580	1,729	1,407
Hamilton district.....	2,160	2,145	2,048	Little Levels district.....	2,504	3,209	3,055
Jefferson district.....	2,013	2,011	2,055	Hillsboro village.....	220	215	181
Kentucky district.....	2,476	2,928	2,820				
Summersville district.....	1,812	1,508	1,462				
Summersville town.....	536	279	204				
Wilderness district.....	2,124	2,418	1,803				

15 Monongalia.—Name of Sabraton town changed from Sturgiss City in 1922.

16 Nicholas.—Richwood town incorporated as a city in 1921.

17 Ohio.—County redistricted between 1910 and 1920. Parts of Richland, Ritchie, Triadelphia and Washington districts annexed to Wheeling city in 1920. Wheeling city not returned by districts in 1920 and 1910.

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MINOR CIVIL DIVISION	1930	1920	1910	MINOR CIVIL DIVISION	1930	1920	1910
<b>Preston County</b> .....	<b>29,043</b>	<b>27,996</b>	<b>26,341</b>	<b>Raleigh County—Con.</b>			
Grant district.....	1,687	1,834	2,123	Trap Hill district.....	4,187	3,832	2,836
Brandonville town.....	82	67	96	Lester town.....	609	412	.....
Bruceton town.....	116	106	116	<b>Randolph County</b> .....	<b>25,049</b>	<b>26,804</b>	<b>26,028</b>
Kingwood district.....	5,348	5,458	3,938	Beverly district.....	2,205	1,941	2,259
Kingwood town.....	1,709	1,417	800	Beverly town.....	431	442	438
Tunnelton town.....	595	703	792	Dry Fork district.....	2,530	3,705	4,956
Lyon district.....	2,213	3,126	3,244	Harman village.....	114	160	149
Newburg town.....	745	890	823	Job village.....	61	177	190
Pleasant district.....	1,767	1,870	1,940	Whitmer town.....	265	704	650
Portland district.....	5,713	4,960	4,698	Huttonsville district....	2,358	2,256	2,936
Albright town.....	343	262	.....	Huttonsville town.....	303	265	251
Rowlesburg town, total..	1,573	1,225	936	Mill Creek town.....	723	762	740
In Portland district....	245	.....	.....	Leadsville district.....	10,093	9,588	8,420
In Reno district.....	1,314	1,225	936	Elkins city.....	7,345	6,788	5,260
In Union district.....	14	.....	.....	Middle Fork district....	2,421	2,535	2,196
Terra Alta town.....	1,474	1,261	1,126	Mingo district.....	1,316	1,556	1,093
Reno district.....	4,863	4,464	4,510	New Interest district....	1,118	1,150	1,256
Rowlesburg town (see Portland district).	.....	.....	.....	Montrose village.....	114	129	112
Union district.....	2,746	2,688	2,725	Roaring Creek district... Womelsdorf town.....	2,129	2,952	1,905
Rowlesburg town (see Portland district).	.....	.....	.....	Valley Bend district.....	373	833	665
Valley district.....	4,706	3,596	3,163	<b>Ritchie County</b> .....	<b>15,594</b>	<b>16,506</b>	<b>17,875</b>
Masontown town.....	924	831	520	Clay district.....	4,410	4,561	4,178
Reedsville town.....	345	254	208	Ellenboro town.....	330	286	204
<b>Putnam County</b> .....	<b>16,737</b>	<b>17,531</b>	<b>18,587</b>	Pennsboro town.....	1,616	1,654	930
Buffalo district.....	2,412	2,502	2,669	Grant district.....	4,220	4,534	5,511
Buffalo village.....	316	300	384	Calro town.....	607	662	668
Curry district.....	3,662	3,196	3,467	Murphy district.....	3,308	3,579	4,122
Hurricane village.....	1,293	666	422	Union district.....	3,656	3,832	4,064
Pocatalico district.....	4,123	4,570	4,383	Auburn town.....	166	177	199
Scott district.....	2,125	2,347	2,653	Harrisville town.....	1,192	1,036	608
Winfield town.....	294	253	291	Pullman town.....	184	249	230
Teays Valley district....	1,614	1,856	2,261	<b>Roane County</b> .....	<b>19,478</b>	<b>20,129</b>	<b>21,543</b>
Union district.....	2,801	3,060	3,124	Curtis district.....	907	1,259	1,431
<b>Raleigh County</b> .....	<b>68,072</b>	<b>42,482</b>	<b>25,633</b>	Geary district.....	3,039	3,093	3,189
Clear Fork district.....	3,950	2,905	2,400	Harper district.....	1,823	2,298	2,960
Marsh Fork district....	6,155	3,226	1,987	Reedy district.....	1,686	1,820	2,116
Richmond district.....	1,892	1,321	1,220	Reedy town.....	405	373	313
Shady Spring district....	8,376	6,976	3,887	Smithfield district.....	2,543	2,729	2,668
Slab Fork district.....	15,073	8,667	2,896	Spencer district.....	6,788	6,282	6,047
Town district 18.....	28,439	16,555	10,407	Spencer city 19.....	2,493	1,765	1,224
Beckley city 18.....	9,357	4,149	2,161	Walton district.....	2,692	2,648	3,132
Mabscott town.....	1,260	1,114	561				
Sophia town.....	611	240	.....				

18 Raleigh.—Part of Town district annexed to Beckley city in 1927.

19 Roane.—Alvord (population 285 in 1920; 229 in 1910) and Spencer towns consolidated and incorporated as Spencer city in 1921

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MINOR CIVIL DIVISION	1930	1920	1910	MINOR CIVIL DIVISION	1930	1920	1910
<b>Summers County</b> .....	<b>20,468</b>	<b>19,092</b>	<b>18,420</b>	<b>Tyler County—Con.</b>			
Forest Hill district.....	1,286	1,460	1,584	Slatersville city.....	3,072	3,238	2,684
Greenrier district.....	7,984	6,998	6,410	McElroy district.....	2,102	2,568	2,887
Hinton city 20.....	6,654	3,912	3,656	Meade district.....	865	1,142	1,661
Green Sulphur district....	3,577	3,579	3,130	Union district.....	1,168	1,254	1,442
Jumping Branch district...	3,003	2,774	2,797	Friendly town.....	170	173	217
Pipestem district.....	1,400	1,731	1,621	<b>Upshur County</b> .....	<b>17,944</b>	<b>17,851</b>	<b>16,629</b>
Talcott district.....	3,218	2,541	2,860	Banks district.....	3,103	3,168	3,508
<b>Taylor County</b> .....	<b>19,114</b>	<b>18,742</b>	<b>16,554</b>	Buckhannon district.....	6,095	5,237	4,507
Boots Creek district.....	1,379	1,296	1,558	Buckhannon city.....	4,374	3,785	2,225
Court House district 21...	3,362	5,436	4,402	Meade district.....	3,142	3,384	2,623
Fetterman district.....	3,492	3,283	2,982	Adrian town 22.....	653		
Grafton city, total 21....	7,737	8,517	7,563	Union district.....	1,783	2,032	2,321
In Fetterman district...	1,268	1,037	961	Warren district.....	1,200	1,154	1,201
In Grafton district.....	6,469	5,029	4,672	Wasington district.....	2,531	2,876	2,469
Flemington district.....	2,804	2,403	1,647	<b>Wayne County</b> .....	<b>31,206</b>	<b>26,012</b>	<b>24,081</b>
Flemington town 21.....	617			Butler district.....	4,116	4,520	4,007
Grafton district 21.....	6,469	5,029	4,672	Cassville town.....	664	617	457
Grafton city (see Fetterman district).				Ceredo district 23.....	7,705	6,634	4,428
Kennettville district.....	1,605	1,295	1,293	Ceredo town.....	1,164	1,110	1,215
<b>Tucker County</b> .....	<b>13,374</b>	<b>16,791</b>	<b>18,675</b>	Kenova town.....	3,680	2,162	902
Black Fork district.....	4,039	4,387	4,912	Grant district.....	2,055	2,268	2,025
Hamleton town.....	368	488	1,300	Lincoln district.....	5,629	5,074	4,603
Hendricks town.....	484	622	640	Stonewall district.....	3,370	3,453	3,458
Parsons city.....	2,012	2,001	1,780	Union district.....	4,390	4,063	4,570
Clover district.....	742	776	1,060	Wayne town.....	675	446	384
Davis district.....	1,688	2,618	2,707	Westmoreland district 23..	3,041		
Davis town.....	1,656	2,491	2,615	Huntington city, total 23	75,572	50,177	31,161
Dry Fork district.....	999	1,643	2,992	In Wayne County.....	2,960		
Fairfax district.....	4,170	5,328	4,752	In Cabell County.....	72,612	50,177	31,161
Thomas town.....	1,660	2,099	2,354	<b>Webster County</b> .....	<b>14,216</b>	<b>11,562</b>	<b>9,680</b>
Licking district.....	544	701	674	Fork Lick district.....	4,268	2,397	2,397
St. George district.....	1,192	1,338	1,569	Addison town.....	976	670	500
<b>Tyler County</b> .....	<b>12,785</b>	<b>14,186</b>	<b>16,211</b>	Glade district.....	6,232	5,613	3,091
Centreville district.....	1,080	1,290	1,372	Camden-on-Gauley town.	435	283	263
Centreville town.....	152	155	113	Cowen town.....	491	393	312
Ellsworth district.....	2,822	3,337	3,424	Hacker Valley district....	1,400	1,780	1,490
Middlebourne town.....	769	929	546	Holly district.....	2,226	1,772	1,802
Lincoln district.....	4,748	4,595	5,425	<b>Wetzel County</b> .....	<b>22,334</b>	<b>23,069</b>	<b>23,855</b>
Paden City town, total..	2,281	1,705		Center district.....	1,663	1,968	2,489
In Tyler County.....	463	215		Church district.....	2,668	2,536	2,529
In Wetzel County.....	1,818	1,490					

20 Summers.—A town (population 1,636 in 1920; 1,432 in 1910) and Hinton city consolidated and incorporated as Hinton city in 1927.

21 Taylor.—That part of Grafton city formerly in Court House district (population 2,451 in 1920; 1,930 in 1910) annexed to Grafton district in 1922. Flemington town incorporated in 1922.

22 Upshur.—Adrian town incorporated in 1920.

23 Wayne.—Part of Ceredo district annexed to Huntington city in 1923, and part (including that part annexed to Huntington city) taken to form Westmoreland district in 1924.

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<b>Wetzel County—Con.</b>				<b>Wood County.....</b>	<b>56,521</b>	<b>42,306</b>	<b>39,001</b>
Hundred town.....	788	710	557	Clay district.....	1,709	1,498	1,762
Clay district.....	1,561	1,511	1,645	Harris district.....	1,361	1,636	1,796
Littleton town.....	648	660	712	Lubeck district.....	3,342	2,898	2,794
Grant district.....	5,507	6,586	6,872	Parkersburg district 24...	32,420	24,169	20,361
Pine Grove town.....	820	797	474	Parkersburg city 24.....	29,623	20,050	17,842
Smithfield town.....	609	474	765	Slate district.....	785	856	1,002
Green district.....	2,406	2,582	3,119	Steele district.....	1,350	1,473	1,891
Magnolia district.....	6,861	5,995	4,897	Tygart district.....	8,117	3,157	2,083
Brooklyn town.....	779	724	627	Union district.....	1,395	1,599	1,731
New Martinsville town..	2,814	2,341	2,176	Walker district.....	1,283	1,541	1,760
Paden City town, total..	2,281	1,705	.....	Williams district.....	4,759	3,479	2,821
In Wetzel County.....	1,818	1,490	.....	Williamstown town.....	1,657	1,793	1,139
In Tyler County.....	463	215	.....	<b>Wyoming County.....</b>	<b>20,926</b>	<b>15,180</b>	<b>10,392</b>
Proctor district.....	1,668	1,891	2,304	Baileyville district.....	1,201	1,049	1,119
<b>Wirt County.....</b>	<b>6,358</b>	<b>7,536</b>	<b>9,047</b>	Barkers Ridge district....	5,297	3,771	1,698
Burning Springs district..	1,310	1,465	1,705	Corinne town 25.....	494	.....	.....
Clay district.....	624	774	901	Center district.....	2,416	1,774	2,122
Elizabeth district.....	1,628	1,692	1,959	Fineville town.....	462	304	334
Elizabeth town.....	716	681	674	Clear Fork district.....	1,097	1,101	1,227
Newark district.....	379	463	627	Huff Creek district.....	1,089	842	807
Reedy district.....	865	1,146	1,490	Oceana district.....	1,689	1,736	1,764
Spring Creek district.....	815	1,028	1,201	Slab Fork district.....	8,137	4,907	1,655
Tucker district.....	737	968	1,164	Mullens town.....	2,356	1,425	.....

24 Wood.—Part of Parkersburg district annexed to Parkersburg city in 1929.

25 Wyoming.—Corinne town incorporated in 1921.

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(Adopted June 13, 1928)

The Republican Party in national convention assembled presents to the people of the Nation this platform of its principles, based on a record of its accomplishments, and asks and awaits a new vote of confidence. We reaffirm our devotion to the Constitution of the United States and the principles and institutions of the American system of representative government.

## The National Administration

We indorse without qualification the record of the Coolidge administration.

The record of the Republican Party is a record of advancement of the Nation. Nominees of Republican National Conventions have for 52 of the 72 years since the creation of our party been the Chief Executives of the United States. Under Republican inspiration and largely under Republican executive direction the continent has been bound with steel rails, the oceans and great rivers have been joined by canals, waterways have been deepened and widened for ocean commerce, and with all a high American standard of wage and living has been established.

By unwavering adherence to sound principles, through the wisdom of Republican policies and the capacity of Republican administrations, the foundations have been laid and the greatness and prosperity of the country firmly established.

Never has the soundness of Republican policies been more amply demonstrated and the Republican genius for administration been better exemplified than during the last five years under the leadership of President Coolidge.

No better guaranty of prosperity and contentment among all our people at home, no more reliable warranty of protection and promotion of American interests abroad can be given than the pledge to maintain and continue the Coolidge policies. This promise we give and will faithfully perform.

Under this administration the country has been lifted from the depths of a great depression to a level of prosperity. Economy has been raised to the dignity of a principle of government. A standard of character in public service has been established under the Chief Executive which has given to the people of the country a feeling of stability and confidence so all have felt encouraged to proceed on new undertakings in trade and commerce. A foreign policy based on the traditional American position and carried on with vision and steadfastness has extended American influence throughout the world and everywhere promoted and protected American interests.

The mighty contribution to general well-being which can be made by a government controlled by men of character and courage, whose abilities



are equal to their responsibilities, is self-evident and should not bind us to the consequences which its loss would entail. Under this administration a high level of wages and living has been established and maintained. The door of opportunity has been opened wide to all. It has given to our people greater comfort and leisure, and the mutual profit has been evident in the increasingly harmonious relations between employers and employees, and the steady rise by promotion of the men in the shops to places at the council tables of the industries. It has also been made evident by the increasing enrollments of our youth in the technical schools and colleges, the increase in savings and life-insurance accounts, and by our ability as a people to lend the hand of succor not only to those overcome by disasters in our own country but in foreign lands. With all there has been a steady decrease in the burden of Federal taxation, releasing to the people the greatest possible portion of the results of their labor from Government exactions.

For the Republican Party we are justified in claiming a major share of the credit for the position which the United States occupies today as the most favored nation on the globe, but it is well to remember that the confidence and prosperity which we enjoy can be shattered, if not destroyed, if this belief in honesty and sincerity of our Government is in any way affected. A continuation of this great public peace of mind now existing, which makes for our material well-being, is only possible by holding fast to the plans and principles which have marked Republican control.

The record of the present administration is a guaranty of what may be expected of the next. Our words have been made deeds. We offer not promises but accomplishments.

#### **Public Economy**

The citizen and taxpayer has a natural right to be protected from unnecessary and wasteful expenditures. This is a rich but also a growing Nation with constantly increasing legitimate demands for public funds. If we are able to spend wisely and meet these requirements, it is first necessary that we save wisely. Spending extravagantly not only deprives men through taxation of the fruits of their labor, but oftentimes means the postponement of vitally important public works. We commend President Coolidge for his establishment of this fundamental principle of sound administration and pledge ourselves to live up to the high standard he has set.

#### **Finance and Taxation**

The record of the United States Treasury under Secretary Mellon stands unrivaled and unsurpassed. The finances of the Nation have been managed with sound judgment. The financial policies have yielded immediate and substantial results.

In 1921 the credit of our Government was at low ebb. We were burdened with a huge public debt, a load of war taxes, which in variety and weight exceeded anything in our national life, while vast unfunded intergovernmental debts disorganized the economic life of the debtor nations and seriously affected our own by reason of the serious obstacles

which they presented to commercial intercourse. This critical situation was evidenced by a serious disturbance in our own life which made for unemployment.

Today all these major financial problems have been solved.

#### **The Public Debt**

In seven years, the public debt has been reduced by \$6,411,000,000. From March, 1921, to September, 1928, over \$11,000,000,000 of securities, bearing high rates of interest, will have been retired or refunded into securities bearing a low rate of interest, while Liberty bonds, which were selling below par, now command a premium. These operations have resulted in an annual saving in interest charges of not less than \$275,000,000, without which the most recent tax-reduction measure would not have been made possible. The Republican Party will continue to reduce our national debt as rapidly as possible and in accordance with the provision of existing laws and the present program.

#### **Tax Reduction**

Wise administrative management under Republican control and direction has made possible a reduction of over a billion eight hundred million dollars a year in the tax bill of the American people. Four separate tax reduction measures have been enacted, and millions of those least able to pay have been taken from the tax rolls.

Excessive and uneconomic rates have been radically modified, releasing for industrial and pay-roll expansion and development great sums of money which formerly were paid in taxes to the Federal Government.

Practically all the war taxes have been eliminated and our tax system has been definitely restored to a peace-time basis.

We pledge our party to a continuation of these sound policies and to such further reduction of the tax burden as the condition of the Treasury may from time to time permit.

#### **Tariff**

We reaffirm our belief in the protective tariff as a fundamental and essential principle of the economic life of this Nation. While certain provisions of the present law require revision in the light of changes in the world competitive situation since its enactment, the record of the United States since 1922 clearly shows that the fundamental protective principle of the law has been fully justified. It has stimulated the development of our national resources, provided fuller employment at higher wages through the promotion of industrial activity, assured thereby the continuance of the farmer's major market, and further raised the standards of living and general comfort and well-being of our people. The great expansion in the wealth of our Nation during the past 50 years, and particularly in the past decade, could not have been accomplished without a protective tariff system designed to promote the vital interests of all classes.

Nor have these manifest benefits been restricted to any particular section of the country. They are enjoyed throughout the land either directly or indirectly. Their stimulus has been felt in industries, farming sections, trade circles, and communities in every quarter. However, we

realize that there are certain industries which can not now successfully compete with foreign producers because of lower foreign wages and a lower cost of living abroad, and we pledge the next Republican Congress to an examination and where necessary a revision of these schedules to the end that American labor in these industries may again command the home market, may maintain its standard of living, and may count upon steady employment in its accustomed field.

Adherence to that policy is essential for the continued prosperity of the country. Under it the standard of living of the American people has been raised to the highest levels ever known. Its example has been eagerly followed by the rest of the world whose experts have repeatedly reported with approval the relationship of this policy to our prosperity, with the resultant emulation of that example by other nations.

A protective tariff is as vital to American agriculture as it is to American manufacturing. The Republican Party believes that the home market, built up under the protective policy, belongs to the American farmer, and it pledges its support of legislation which will give this market to him to the full extent of his ability to supply it. Agriculture derives large benefits not only directly from the protective duties levied on competitive farm products of foreign origin but also, indirectly, from the increase in the purchasing power of American workmen employed in industries similarly protected. These benefits extend also to persons engaged in trade, transportation, and other activities.

The tariff act of 1922 has justified itself in the expansion of our foreign trade during the past five years. Our domestic exports have increased from 3.8 billions of dollars in 1922 to 4.8 billions in 1927. During the same period imports have increased from 3.1 billions to 4.4 billions. Contrary to the prophesies of its critics, the present tariff law has not hampered the natural growth in the exportation of the products of American agriculture, industry, and mining, nor has it restricted the importation of foreign commodities which this country can utilize without jeopardizing its economic structure.

The United States is the largest customer in the world today. If we were not prosperous and able to buy, the rest of the world also would suffer. It is inconceivable that American labor will ever consent to the abolition of protection, which would bring the American standard of living down to the level of that in Europe, or that the American farmer could survive if the enormous consuming power of the people in this country were curtailed and its market at home, if not destroyed, at least seriously impaired.

#### Foreign Debts

In accordance with our settled policy and platform pledges, debt settlement agreements have been negotiated with all of our foreign debtors with the exception of Armenia and Russia. That with France remains as yet unratified. Those with Greece and Austria are before the Congress for necessary authority. If the French debt settlement be included, the total amount funded is \$11,522,354,000. We have steadfastly opposed and will continue to oppose cancellation of foreign debts.

We have no desire to be oppressive or grasping, but we hold that

obligations justly incurred should be honorably discharged. We know of no authority which would permit public officials, acting as trustees, to shift the burden of war from the shoulders of foreign taxpayers to those of our own people. We believe that the settlements agreed to are fair to both the debtor nation and to the American taxpayer. Our debt commission took into full consideration the economic condition and resources of the debtor nations, and were ever mindful that they must be permitted to preserve and improve their economic position, to bring their budgets into balance, to place their currencies on a sound basis, and to improve the standards of living of their people. Giving full weight to these conditions, we know of no fairer test than ability to pay, justly estimated.

The people can rely on the Republican Party to adhere to a foreign-debt policy now definitely established and clearly understood both at home and abroad.

#### Settlement of War Claims

A satisfactory solution has been found for the question of war claims. Under the act approved by the President on March 10, 1928, a provision was made for the settlement of war claims of the United States and its citizens against the German, Austrian, and Hungarian Governments, and of the claims of the nationals of these Governments against the United States, and for the return to its owners of the property seized by the Alien Property Custodian during the war, in accordance with our traditional policy of respect for private property.

#### Foreign Policies

We approve the foreign policies of the administration of President Coolidge. We believe they express the will of the American people in working actively to build up cordial international understanding that will make world peace a permanent reality. We indorse the proposal of the Secretary of State for a multilateral treaty proposed to the principal powers of the world, and open to the signatures of all nations, to renounce war as an instrument of national policy and declaring in favor of pacific settlement of international disputes, the first step in outlawing war. The idea has stirred the conscience of mankind and gained widespread approval both of governments and of the people, and the conclusion of the treaty will be acclaimed as the greatest single step in history toward the conservation of peace.

In the same endeavor to substitute for war the peaceful settlement of international disputes the administration has concluded arbitration treaties in a form more definite and more inclusive than ever before, and plans to negotiate similar treaties with all countries willing in this manner to define their policy peacefully to settle justifiable disputes. In connection with these, we indorse the resolution of the Sixth Pan American Conference, held at Habana, Cuba, in 1928, which called a conference on arbitration and conciliation to meet in Washington during the year, and express our earnest hope that such conference will greatly further the principles of international arbitration. We shall continue to demand the same respect and protection for the persons and property of American

citizens in foreign countries that we cheerfully accord in this country to the persons and property of aliens.

The commercial treaties which we have negotiated and those still in the process of negotiation are based on strict justice among nations, equal opportunity for trade and commerce on the most-favored-nation principle, and are simplified so as to eliminate the danger of misunderstanding. The object and the aim of the United States is to further the cause of peace, of strict justice between nations, with due regard for the rights of others in all international dealings. Out of justice grows peace. Justice and consideration have been and will continue to be the inspiration of our Nation.

The record of the administration toward Mexico has been consistently friendly and with equal consistency have we upheld American rights. This firm and at the same time friendly policy has brought recognition of the inviolability of legally acquired rights. This condition has been reached without threat or without bluster, through a calm support of the recognized principles of international law, with due regard to the rights of a sister sovereign state. The Republican Party will continue to support American rights in Mexico as elsewhere in the world, and at the same time to promote and strengthen friendship and confidence.

There has always been, as there always will be, a firm friendship with Canada. American and Canadian interests are in a large measure identical. Our relationship is one of fine mutual understanding, and the recent exchange of diplomatic officers between the two countries is worthy of commendation.

The United States has an especial interest in the advancement and progress of all the Latin American countries. The policy of the Republican Party will always be a policy of thorough friendship and cooperation. In the case of Nicaragua, we are engaged in cooperation with the Government of that country upon the task of assisting to restore and maintain peace, order, and stability, and in no way to infringe upon her sovereign rights. The marines now in Nicaragua are there to protect American lives and property and to aid in carrying out an agreement whereby we have undertaken to do what we can to restore and maintain order and to insure a fair and free election. Our policy absolutely repudiates any idea of conquest or exploitation and is actuated solely by an earnest and sincere desire to assist a friendly and neighboring state which has appealed for aid in a great emergency. It is the same policy the United States has pursued in other cases in Central America.

The administration has looked with keen sympathy on the tragic events in China. We have avoided interference in the internal affairs of that unhappy nation merely keeping sufficient naval and military forces in China to protect the lives of the Americans who are there on legitimate business and in still larger numbers for nobly humanitarian reasons. America has not been stampeded into making reprisals but, on the other hand, has consistently taken the position of leadership among the nations in a policy of wise moderation. We shall always be glad to be of assistance to China when our duty is clear.

The Republican Party maintains the traditional American policy of

noninterference in the political affairs of other nations. This Government has definitely refused membership in the League of Nations and to assume any obligations under the covenant of the league.

On this we stand.

In accordance, however, with the long-established American practice of giving aid and assistance to other peoples, we have most usefully assisted by cooperation in the humanitarian and technical work undertaken by the League, without involving ourselves in European politics by accepting membership.

The Republican Party has always given and will continue to give its support to the development of American foreign trade, which makes for domestic prosperity. During this administration extraordinary strides have been made in opening up new markets for American produce and manufacture. Through these foreign contacts a mutually better international understanding has been reached which aids in the maintenance of world peace.

The Republican Party promises a firm and consistent support of American persons and legitimate American interests in all parts of the world. This support will never contravene the rights of other nations. It will always have in mind and support in every way the progressive development of international law, since it is through the operation of just laws, as well as through the growth of friendly understanding, that world peace will be made permanent. To that end the Republican Party pledges itself to aid and assist in the perfection of principles of international law and the settlement of international disputes.

#### Civil Service

The merit system in Government service originated with and has been developed by the Republican Party. The great majority of our public-service employees are now secured through and maintained in the Government-service rules. Steps have already been taken by the Republican Congress to make the service more attractive as to wages and retirement privileges, and we commend what has been done as a step in the right direction.

#### Agriculture

The agriculture problem is national in scope and, as such, is recognized by the Republican Party, which pledges its strength and energy to the solution of the same. Realizing that many farmers are facing problems more difficult than those which are the portion of many other basic industries, the party is anxious to aid in every way possible. Many of our farmers are still going through readjustment, a relic of the years directly following the Great War. All the farmers are being called on to meet new and perplexing problems created by foreign competition, the complexities of domestic marketing, labor problems, and a steady increase in local and State taxes.

The general depression in a great basic industry inevitably reacts upon the conditions in the country as a whole and can not be ignored. It is a matter of satisfaction that the desire to help in the correction of agricultural wrongs and conditions is not confined to any one section of our country or any particular group.

The Republican Party and the Republican administration, particularly during the last five years, have settled many of the most distressing problems as they have arisen, and the achievements in aid of agriculture are properly a part of this record. The Republican Congresses have been most responsive in the matter of agricultural appropriations, not only to meet crop emergencies, but for the extension and development of the activities of the Department of Agriculture.

The protection of the American farmer against foreign farm competition and foreign trade practices has been vigorously carried on by the Department of State. The right of the farmers to engage in collective buying and cooperative selling as provided for by the Capper-Volstead Act of 1922 has been promulgated through the Department of Agriculture and the Department of Justice, which have given most valuable aid and assistance to the heads of the farmer organizations. The Treasury Department and the proper committees of Congress have lightened the tax burden on farming communities, and through the Federal farm-loan system there has been made available to the farmers of the Nation \$1,850,000,000 for loaning purposes at a low rate of interest, and through the intermediate-credit banks \$655,000,000 of short-term credits have been made available to the farmers. The Post Office Department has systematically and generously extended the rural free delivery routes into even the most sparsely settled communities.

When a shortage of transportation facilities threatened to deprive the farmers of their opportunity to reach waiting markets overseas, the President, appreciative and sensitive of the condition and the possible loss to the communities, ordered the reconditioning of Shipping Board vessels, thus relieving a great emergency.

Last, but not least, the Federal Tariff Commission has at all times shown a willingness under the provisions of the flexible tariff act to aid the farmers when foreign competition, made possible by low wage scales abroad, threatened to deprive our farmers of their domestic markets. Under this act the President has increased duties on wheat, flour, mill feed, and dairy products. Numerous other farm products are now being investigated by the Tariff Commission.

We promise every assistance to the reorganization of the marketing system on sounder and more economical lines and, where diversification is needed, Government financial assistance during the period of transition.

The Republican Party pledges itself to the enactment of legislation creating a Federal farm board clothed with the necessary powers to promote the establishment of a farm marketing system of farmer owned and controlled stabilization corporations or associations to prevent and control surpluses through orderly distribution.

We favor adequate tariff protection to such of our agricultural products as are affected by foreign competition.

We favor, without putting the Government into business, the establishment of a Federal system of organization for cooperative and orderly marketing of farm products.

The vigorous efforts of this administration toward broadening our exports market will be continued.

The Republican Party pledges itself to the development and enactment of measures which will place the agricultural interests of America on a basis of economic equality with other industries to insure its prosperity and success.

#### Mining

The money value of the mineral products of the country is second only to agriculture. We lead the countries of the world in the production of coal, iron, copper, and silver. The Nation suffers as a whole from any disturbance in the securing of any one of these minerals, and particularly when the coal supply is affected. The mining industry has always been self-sustaining, but we believe that the Government should make every effort to aid the industry by protection, by removing any restrictions which may be hampering its development and by increased technical and economic research investigations which are necessary for its welfare and normal development. The party is anxious, hopeful, and willing to assist in any feasible plan for the stabilization of the coal-mining industry which will work with justice to the miners, consumers, and producers.

#### Highways

Under the Federal aid road act, adopted by the Republican Congress of 1921, and supplemented by generous appropriations each year, road construction has made greater advancement than for many decades previous. Improved highway conditions is a gauge of our rural developments and our commercial activities. We pledge our support to continued appropriations for this work commensurate with our needs and resources.

We favor the construction of roads and trails in our national forests necessary to their protection and utilization. In appropriations therefor the taxes which these lands would pay if taxable should be considered as a controlling factor.

#### Labor

The labor record of the Republican Party stands unchallenged. For 52 of the 72 years of our national existence Republican administrations have prevailed. Today American labor enjoys the highest wage and the highest standard of living throughout the world. Through the saneness and soundness of Republican rule the American workman is paid a "real wage" which allows comfort for himself and his dependents, and an opportunity and leisure for advancement. It is not surprising that the foreign workman, whose greatest ambition still is to achieve a "living wage," should look with longing toward America as the goal of his desires.

The ability to pay such wages and maintain such a standard comes from the wisdom of the protective legislation which the Republican Party has placed upon the national statute books, the tariff which bars cheap foreign-made goods from the American market and provides continuity of employment for our workmen and fair profits for the manufacturers, the restriction of immigration which not only prevents the glutting of our labor market, but allows to our newer immigrants a greater opportunity to secure a footing in their upward struggle.



The party favors freedom in wage contracts, the right of collective bargaining by free and responsible agents of their own choosing, which develops and maintains that purposeful cooperation which gains its chief incentive through voluntary agreement.

We believe that injunctions in labor disputes have in some instances been abused and have given rise to a serious question for legislation.

The Republican Party pledges itself to continue its efforts to maintain this present standard of living and high wage scale.

#### Railroads

Prompt and effective railroad service at the lowest rates which will provide for its maintenance and allow a reasonable return to the investor so they may be encouraged to advance new capital for required developments, has long been recognized by the Republican Party as a necessity of national existence.

We believe that the present laws under which our railroads are regulated are soundly based on correct principles, the spirit of which must always be preserved. Because, however, of changes in the public demands, trade conditions, and of the character of the competition, which even the greatest railroads are now being called upon to meet, we feel that in the light of this new experience possible modifications or amendments, the need of which is proved, should be considered.

The Republican Party initiated and set in operation the Interstate Commerce Commission. This body has developed a system of railroad control and regulation which has given to the transportation public an opportunity not only to make suggestions for the improvement of railroad service but to protect against discriminatory rates or schedules. We commend the work which that body is accomplishing under mandate of law in considering these matters and seeking to distribute equitably the burden of transportation between commodities based on their ability to bear the same.

#### Merchant Marine

The Republican Party stands for the American-built, American-owned, and American-operated merchant marine. The enactment of the White-Jones bill is in line with a policy which the party has long advocated.

Under this measure substantial aid and encouragement are offered for the building in American yards of new and modern ships which will carry the American flag.

The Republican Party does not believe in Government ownership or operation, and stands specifically for the sale of the present Government vessels to private owners when appropriate arrangements can be made. Pending such a sale, and because private owners are not ready as yet to operate on certain of the essential trade routes, the bill enacted allows the maintenance of these necessary lines under Government control until such transfer can be made.

#### Mississippi Flood Relief and Control

The Mississippi Valley flood, in which 700,000 of our fellow citizens were placed in peril of life, and which destroyed hundreds of millions of

dollars' worth of property, was met with energetic action by the Republican administration.

During this disaster the President mobilized every public and private agency under the direction of Secretary Hoover, of the Department of Commerce, and Dwight Davis, the Secretary of War. Thanks to their joint efforts, a great loss of life was prevented, and everything possible was done to rehabilitate the people in their homes and to relieve suffering and distress.

Congress promptly passed legislation authorizing the expenditure of \$325,000,000 for the construction of flood-control works, which it is believed will prevent the recurrence of such a disaster.

#### Radio

We stand for the administration of the radio facilities of the United States under wise and expert Government supervision, which will—

First. Secure to every home in the Nation, whether city or country, the great educational and inspirational values of broadcast programs, adequate in number and varied in character; and

Second. Assign the radio communication channels—regional, continental, and transoceanic—in the best interests of the American business man, the American farmer, and the American public generally.

#### Waterways

Cheaper transportation for bulk goods from the midwest agricultural sections to the sea is recognized by the Republican Party as a vital factor for the relief of agriculture. To that end we favor the continued development in inland and in intracostal waterways as an essential part of our transportation system.

The Republican administration during the last four years initiated the systematic development of the Mississippi system of inland transportation lanes, and it proposes to carry on this modernization of transportation to speedy completion. Great improvements have been made during this administration in our harbors, and the party pledges itself to continue these activities for the modernization of our national equipment.

#### Veterans

Our country is honored whenever it bestows relief on those who have faithfully served its flag. The Republican Party, appreciative of this solemn obligation and honor, has made its sentiments evident in Congress. Our expenditures for the benefit of all our veterans now aggregate \$750,000,000 annually. Increased hospital facilities have been provided, payments in compensation have more than doubled, and in the matter of rehabilitations, pensions, and insurance, generous provision has been made. The administration of laws dealing with the relief of veterans and their dependents has been a difficult task, but every effort has been made to carry service to the veteran and bring about not only a better and generous interpretation of the law, but a sympathetic consideration of the many problems of the veteran. Full and adequate relief for our disabled veterans is our aim, and we commend the action of Congress in further liberalizing the laws applicable to veterans' relief

### Public Utilities

Republican Congresses and administrations have steadily strengthened the Interstate Commerce Commission. The protection of the public from exactions or burdens in rates for service by reason of monopoly control, and the protection of the smaller organizations from suppression in their own field, has been a fundamental idea in all regulatory enactments. While recognizing that at times Federal regulations might be more effective than State regulations in controlling intrastate utilities, the party favors and has sustained State regulations, believing that such responsibility in the end will create a force of State public opinion which will be more effective in preventing discriminations and injustices.

### Conservation

We believe in the practical application of the conservation principle by the wise development of our natural resources. The measure of development is our national requirement, and avoidance of waste so that future generations may share in this natural wealth. The Republican policy is to prevent monopolies in the control and utilization of natural resources. Under the general leasing law, enacted by a Republican Congress, the ownership of the mineral estate remains in the Government, but development occurs through private capital and energy. Important for the operation of this law is the classification and appraisal of public lands according to their mineral content and value. Over 500,000,000 acres of public land have been thus classified.

To prevent wasteful exploitation of our products, President Coolidge appointed an Oil Conservation Board, which is now conducting an inquiry into all phases of petroleum production in the effort to devise a national policy for the conservation and proper utilization of our oil resources.

The Republican Party has been forehanded in assuring the development of water power in accordance with public interest. A policy of permanent public retention of the power sites on public land and power privileges in domestic and international navigable streams and one-third of the potential water-power resources in the United States on public domain has been assured by the Federal water powers act, passed by a Republican Congress.

### Law Enforcement

We reaffirm the American constitutional doctrine as announced by George Washington in his Farewell Address, to-wit:

"The Constitution, which at any time exists until changed by the explicit and authentic act by the whole people, is sacredly obligatory upon all."

We also reaffirm the attitude of the American people toward the Federal Constitution as declared by Abraham Lincoln:

"We are by both duty and inclination bound to stick by that Constitution in all its letter and spirit from beginning to end. I am for the honest enforcement of the Constitution. Our safety, our liberty, depends upon preserving the Constitution of the United States, as our forefathers made it—inviolable."

The people, through the method provided by the Constitution, have

written the eighteenth amendment into the Constitution. The Republican Party pledges itself and its nominees to the observance and vigorous enforcement of this provision of the Constitution.

#### Honesty in Government

We stand for honesty in government, for the appointment of officials whose integrity can not be questioned. We deplore the fact that any official has ever fallen from this high standard and that certain American citizens of both parties have so far forgotten their duty as citizens as to traffic in national interest for private gain. We have prosecuted and shall always prosecute any official who subordinates his public duty to his personal interest.

The Government today is made up of thousands of conscientious, earnest, self-sacrificing men and women, whose single thought is service to the Nation.

We pledge ourselves to maintain and, if possible, to improve the quality of this great company of Federal employees.

#### Campaign Expenditures

Economy, honesty, and decency in the conduct of political campaigns are a necessity if representative government is to be preserved to the people and political parties are to hold the respect of the citizens at large.

The campaign of 1924 complied with all these requirements. It was a campaign the expenses of which were carefully budgeted in advance, and which at the close presented a surplus and not a deficit.

There will not be any relaxing of resolute endeavor to keep our elections clean, honest, and free from taint of any kind. The improper use of money in governmental and political affairs is a great national evil. One of the most effective remedies for this abuse is publicity in all matters touching campaign contributions and expenditures. The Republican Party, beginning not later than August 1, 1928, and every 30 days thereafter—the last publication being not later than five days before the election—will file with the committees of the House and Senate a complete account of all contributions, the names of the contributors, the amounts expended, and for what purposes, and will at all times hold its records and books touching such matters open for inspection.

The party further pledges that it will not create, or permit to be created, any deficit which shall exist at the close of the campaign.

#### Reclamation

Federal reclamation of arid lands is a Republican policy, adopted under President Roosevelt, carried forward by succeeding Republican Presidents, and put upon a still higher plane of efficiency and production by President Coolidge. It has increased the wealth of the Nation and made the West more prosperous.

An intensive study of the methods and practices of reclamation has been going on for the past four years under the direction of the Department of the Interior in an endeavor to create broader human opportunities and their financial and economic success. The money value of

the crops raised on reclamation projects is showing a steady and gratifying increase, as well as the number of farms and people who have settled on the lands.

The continuation of a surplus of agricultural products in the selling markets of the world has influenced the department to a reevaluation of plans and projects. It has adopted a 10-year program for the completion of older projects and will hold other suggestions in abeyance until the surveys now under way as to the entire scope of the work are completed.

#### Commercial Aviation

Without governmental grants or subsidies and entirely by private initiative the Nation has made extraordinary advances in the field of commercial aviation. Over 20,000 miles of air-mail service privately operated are now being flown daily, and the broadening of this service is an almost weekly event. Because of our close relation with our sister republics on the south and our neighbor on the north it is fitting our first efforts should be to establish an air communication with Latin American and Canada.

The achievements of the aviation branches of the Army and Navy are all to the advantage of commercial aviation, and in the Mississippi flood disaster the work performed by civil and military aviators was of inestimable value.

The development of a system of aircraft registration, inspection, and control is a credit to the Republican administration, which, quick to appreciate the importance of this new transportation development, created machinery for its safeguarding.

#### Immigration

The Republican Party believes that in the interest of both native and foreign born wage earners it is necessary to restrict immigration. Unrestricted immigration would result in widespread unemployment and in the breakdown of the American standard of living. Where, however, the law works undue hardship by depriving the immigrant of the comfort and society of those bound by close family ties, such modification should be adopted as will afford relief.

We commend Congress for correcting defects for humanitarian reasons and for providing an effective system of examining prospective immigrants in their home countries.

#### Naturalization

The priceless heritage of American citizenship is our greatest gift to our friends of foreign birth. Only those who will be loyal to our institutions, who are here in conformity with our laws, and who are in sympathy with our national traditions, ideals, and principles should be naturalized.

#### Navy

We pledge ourselves to round out and maintain the Navy in all types of combatant ships to the full ratio provided for the United States by the Washington Treaty for the Limitation of Naval Armaments and any amendment thereto.

### Hawaii—Alaska

We favor a continuance for the Territory of Hawaii of Federal assistance in harbor improvements, the appropriation of its share of Federal funds, and the systematic extension of the settlement of public lands by the Hawaiian race.

We indorse the policy of the present administration with reference to Alaska and favor a continuance of the constructive development of the Territory.

### Women and Public Service

Four years ago at the Republican National Convention in Cleveland women members of the national committee were welcomed into full association and responsibility in party management. During the four years which have passed they have carried with their men associates an equal share of all responsibilities, and their contribution to the success of the 1924 campaign is well recognized.

The Republican Party, which from the first has sought to bring this development about, accepts whole-heartedly equality on the part of the women, and in the public service it can present a record of appointments of women in the legal, diplomatic, judicial, treasury, and other governmental departments. We earnestly urge on the women that they participate even more generally than now in party management and activity.

### National Defense

We believe that in time of war the Nation should draft for its defense not only its citizens but also every resource which may contribute to success. The country demands that should the United States ever again be called upon to defend itself by arms, the President be empowered to draft such material resources and such services as may be required, and to stabilize the prices of services and essential commodities, whether utilized in actual warfare or private activity.

### Our Indian Citizens

National citizenship was conferred upon all native-born Indians in the United States by the general Indian enfranchisement act of 1924. We favor the creation of a commission to be appointed by the President, including one or more Indian citizens, to investigate and report to Congress upon the existing system of the administration of Indian affairs and to report any inconsistencies that may be found to exist between that system and the rights of the Indian citizens of the United States. We also favor the repeal of any law and the termination of any administrative practice which may be inconsistent with Indian citizenship, to the end that the Federal guardianship existing over the persons and properties of Indian tribal communities may not work a prejudice to the personal and property rights of Indian citizens of the United States. The treaty and property rights of the Indians of the United States must be guaranteed to them.

### The Negro

We renew our recommendation that the Congress enact at the earliest possible date a Federal antilynching law so that the full influence of the Federal Government may be wielded to exterminate this hideous crime.

### Home Rule

We believe in the essential unity of the American people. Sectionalism in any form is destructive of national life. The Federal Government should zealously protect the national and international rights of its citizens. It should be equally zealous to respect and maintain the rights of the States and Territories and to uphold the vigor and balance of our dual system of government. The Republican Party has always given its energies to supporting the Government in this direction when any question has arisen.

There are certain other well-defined Federal obligations, such as interstate commerce, the development of rivers and harbors, and the guarding and conservation of national resources. The effort which, however, is being continually made to have the Federal Government move into the field of State activities has never had, and never will have, the support of the Republican Party. In the majority of the cases State citizens and officers are most pressing in their desire to have the Federal Government take over these State functions. This is to be deplored for it weakens the sense of initiative and creates a feeling of dependence which is unhealthy and unfortunate for the whole body politic.

There is a real need in the country today to revitalize fundamental principles; there is a real need of restoring the individual and local sense of responsibility and self-reliance; there is a real need for the people once more to grasp the fundamental fact that under our system of government they are expected to solve many problems themselves through their municipal and State governments, and to combat the tendency that is all too common to turn to the Federal Government as the easiest and least burdensome method of lightening their own responsibilities.

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# Republican State Platform 1928

(Adopted August 15th, at a Convention held in the City of Fairmont)

## Introduction

We congratulate the members of the Republican Party and all of the people of the country, regardless of party affiliation, upon the fact that the Republican Party has nominated for the presidency of the United States that splendid servant of mankind, Herbert Hoover.

Regardless of whether an individual shall or shall not vote to place him in that high office, all recognize his splendid attainments and fitness to fill it. In honoring Herbert Hoover with the presidential nomination, the Republican Party has honored itself and the country.

The declaration of party principles adopted by the national convention of the Republican Party at Kansas City meets our approval. The nomination of Mr. Hoover gives to these party declarations the vitality of a living force and, in the event of his election, assures their fulfillment to the limit of the capacities of any one individual to discharge the numerous and far-reaching obligations which the party has therein assumed.

We hereby unite in our party declarations; pledge our faith to Herbert Hoover, our party leader; and willingly assure him of our undivided support.

## National Candidates

In our nominees for president and vice president, Herbert Hoover and Charles Curtis, we present to the country men in every way equipped for those positions. The qualifications of our nominee for president, who, of Quaker stock, comes from the ranks of the plain people, need no recital by the Republicans of West Virginia. His experience as a business man and in the affairs of the world equips him for the duties of chief executive of the United States as few men have been equipped. His character is a guaranty of his course.

The long experience of Charles Curtis in the Senate of the United States splendidly equips him for the duties of presiding over that body.

## Economy of National Administration

Coming into power nationally during a period of unbridled license in the expenditure of the people's money, the Republican Party has, through the practice of every economy consistent with the public good, steadily reduced expenditures and lowered the national tax rate to an extent that has commanded the admiration of the economic world and that deserves the confidence of the voters of the United States. Under seven years of Republican guidance, the national debt has been reduced more than six billion dollars.

## Coolidge Administration

We endorse unreservedly the record of the Coolidge administration.

In the making of this record, Herbert Hoover, as Secretary of Commerce, and Charles Curtis, as majority floor leader in the Senate, played important parts.

#### Congressional Delegation

The enviable record of the Coolidge administration was very materially assisted by the Republican members of the West Virginia Congressional delegation. The services to both state and nation rendered by Guy D. Goff in the Senate of the United States are worthy of the commendation of the great commonwealth he so ably represents, and are a source of deep gratification and pride to the Republican Party whose banner he bears aloft.

In the lower house of Congress, Hon. Carl G. Bachmann, of the First District; Hon. Frank L. Bowman, of the Second District; Hon. James A. Hughes, of the Fourth District; and Hon. E. T. England, of the Sixth District, have served the state and the United States with such ability and distinction as to entitle them to re-election this year. Hon. James French Strother, who rendered distinguished service in Congress, is not a candidate for re-election. His place is being sought by Hon. Hugh Ike Shott, while former Congressman John M. Wolverson is a candidate in the Third District. Both of these men are pre-eminently fitted for seats in the next Congress. We commend these candidates, their records and their qualifications to the voters of West Virginia.

#### Foreign Policy

Our foreign policy for the last seven years, under Republican guidance and control, has been such as to increase our prestige in the eyes of the nations of the world, and that policy has gained for our flag that respect which is its due.

#### Foreign Debts

Without desiring to appear in any way grasping, we stand for the fair and just settlement and the collection of every debt due the United States arising from the World War.

Such settlement and collection is due the taxpayer of the United States who has borne, so uncomplainingly, the enormous burden imposed on him when this country, unselfishly, threw itself into a conflict that menaced civilization.

#### The Tariff

We reaffirm our belief in the principle of the protective tariff, a principle that has always been one of the fundamentals of the Republican Party, and that has resulted in making the working-man of the United States the most prosperous the world has ever known.

We congratulate the Democratic Party on its abandonment of the principle of free trade which it had so long championed; and on its conversion, as shown by the platform adopted by the national convention at Houston, to the principles of protective tariff.

The Democrats are especially to be felicitated on throwing free trade into the scrap heap along with free silver, the League of Nations, and many other "isms" with which they have, from time to time, sought to gain the support of the people.

### Law Enforcement

Believing as we do that the enforcement of the Eighteenth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States is a solemn duty, we adopt as a whole and unreservedly that plank in the Republican national platform, which says:

"We reaffirm the American constitutional doctrine as announced by George Washington in his farewell address, to-wit: 'The Constitution which at any time exists, until changed by the explicit and authentic act of the whole people, is sacredly obligatory upon all.'

"We also reaffirm the attitude of the American people toward the federal Constitution as declared by Abraham Lincoln:

"'We are, by both duty and inclination, bound to stick by that Constitution in all its letters and spirit from beginning to end. I am for the honest enforcement of the Constitution. Our safety, our liberty, depends upon preserving the Constitution of the United States, as our forefathers made it—inviolable.'

"The people, through the method provided by the Constitution, have written the Eighteenth Amendment into the Constitution. The Republican Party pledges itself and its nominees to the observance and vigorous enforcement of this provision of the constitution."

### Tammany

We resent the effort being made by the Democratic Party to "Tammanyize" the federal government and invite all citizens who do not approve of the methods of the Tammany organization, of which the Democratic presidential nominee is Chief Sachem, to join us in a determined effort to defeat this scheme.

The notorious policies of the Tammany organization have been extended to embrace the State of New York, and an attempt is now being made to extend them over the whole country. This effort is headed by the Democratic presidential nominee whose first public address, after his nomination, was laudatory tribute to Tammany, filled with pride at his own connection with it.

### State Administration

Those constructive policies that have advanced West Virginia to the front rank in the sisterhood of states have all been the work of Republican administrations under Republican governors.

The administrations of Governors Atkinson, White, Dawson, Glasscock, Hatfield, and Morgan have measured up to the best traditions of the party.

We endorse these administrations and commend their records to the voters of the State as evidence of what the Republican Party will be in the future.

The present Republican state administration, under the leadership of Governor Howard M. Gore, has been one of constructive achievement in every field of governmental activity. Financial deficits have been wiped out; industrial peace has been maintained; the second unit of the capitol building has been built without increasing the direct property taxes;

improved roads have opened the state to the outside world and have permitted an interchange of commodities and ideas between the various communities within the state; safety work, designed to protect workers in the state's various industries, has been developed to such a point that West Virginia is regarded as the most advanced state in the Union in this respect; confidence of the public in the purposes of government, has been maintained to an unusual degree.

The beneficial activities of the present administration, which have been reflected in the material prosperity, as well as the contentment of the people, have been a source of pride to all Republicans.

We heartily endorse the work of Governor Gore and commend him and his associates for their distinguished service to the state.

#### State Ticket

The Republican Party has nominated a state ticket of which it is justly proud. Headed as it is by the nominee for the United States Senate, former Governor Henry D. Hatfield, under whose administration as chief executive of West Virginia many constructive measures were inaugurated, and General Wm. G. Conley, whose public record vouches for his future course as governor, its entire personnel is a guaranty to the voters of West Virginia that the interests of the state will be in safe hands.

In the candidacy for re-election of William S. Johnson, for treasurer, of Howard B. Lee for attorney general, of George W. Sharp for secretary of state, and of John W. Smith for commissioner of agriculture; and in the candidacy for election of Sam T. Mallison for the short term as auditor, of Edgar C. Lawson for the long term as auditor, and W. C. Cook for superintendent of free schools, the Republican Party has given to the voters an opportunity to place in office men of affairs, tried, trusted and true.

In our nominees for the supreme court of appeals, we offer Judge John H. Hatcher, who, through the last four years, has demonstrated that he is eminently qualified to sit on the bench of the state's highest court, and Judge Haymond Maxwell whose long service on the bench and at the bar has endowed him with extraordinary fitness for this place of trust.

#### The Primary

The primary election law in West Virginia has revealed a number of weaknesses which should be corrected. We recommend to the legislature of West Virginia the consideration of measures that will:

First: Tend to prevent irresponsible persons and notoriety lovers from indiscriminately cluttering up the primary ballot. A reasonable fee should be charged for the privilege of placing a name upon the primary ballot, both in the state and in the counties. The requirement of such a fee would operate to prevent irresponsible candidacies, and would create a substantial source of revenue both to the state and to the counties.

Second: Steps should be taken, whenever and however possible, to reduce the length of the primary ballot. The principle of the short



lallot both in the state and the counties may well be considered by the legislature as a step in that direction.

Third: Under carefully guarded conditions, option should be given to political committees to choose between nomination by primaries or by conventions. In a case where provision is made for a convention, the selection of delegates to the same, and the entire procedure of the convention, should be guarded and protected by law as much as the primaries are now.

#### Inheritance Taxes

While the matter of taxation and of raising and disbursing revenues for the support of the state government is not and should not be a political question or involved in the contest between political parties, we express the belief that the present statutes of the state of West Virginia taxing inheritances should be justly modified.

We pledge the candidates of our party seeking legislative office to a revision of these statutes. We do not desire to place this matter upon a political basis and therefore request the candidates of our party for legislative office who shall be successful at the polls to unite and collaborate with members of the legislative body of all political parties to the end that this law may be modified in the light of the experience which we now have.

#### Taxation

The present tax system in West Virginia is, in a large measure, an inheritance from the time when land was the only wealth and, therefore, bore the burden of taxation. With the development of a more complex and a more generous life, other kinds of wealth have come into being, some of which, under our laws and our Constitution, it has been difficult to reach, and to cause to bear their fair share of taxation. Intangible property, such as notes, bonds and bank balances, is rarely, if ever, taxed in West Virginia; and if taxed under our present condition, the rate of taxation would be very often confiscatory and destructive.

We therefore earnestly recommend to our legislature:

First: An amendment to our State Constitution that will allow the classification of property for taxation; to the end that lands used for agricultural purposes and lands used for homes, and actually occupied as homes, shall have a favorable tax rate, and

Second: That the large amount of intangible property such as notes, bonds and bank balances, which now escapes taxation, be brought upon the tax duplicates and caused to bear a fair and reasonable share of public burdens.

#### Labor

The Republican Party favors freedom in wage contracts, the right of collective bargaining by free and responsible agents of their own choosing, which develops and maintains that spirit of co-operation which gains its chief incentive through agreement. We believe that injunctions in labor disputes have, in some instances, been abused and have given rise to a serious question for legislation.

#### Workmen's Compensation

An outstanding accomplishment of the Republican Party was the en-

actment of the law creating the Workmen's Compensation Commission. Under modern industrial conditions, injuries originate in the environment of production and, only to a limited extent, are within the control of the industry. Responsibility, therefore, for occupational injury is social rather than individual.

Compensation insurance affords relief in terms of wage loss rather than uncertain recovery of damages in litigation of private dispute. Since the enactment of the law creating the compensation commission, the department has paid to injured workmen and their dependents more than \$30,000,000.

#### Road Bond Issue

The Republican Party has heretofore sponsored the principle that those who use the roads should pay for their construction and maintenance. It has been possible, through the collection of motor vehicle and gasoline taxes, to meet the annual charges for sinking fund and interest on the state road bond issues.

In the event of the ratification of the pending constitutional amendment authorizing the issuance of \$35,000,000 in bonds for good roads, we pledge our representatives in the legislature to continue this principle of taxation. It is a guaranty to business and constructive enterprise that it will not be penalized by taxation for internal improvements which the state has authorized.

The partially completed state road system of West Virginia is conclusive proof that no state in the Union will derive more benefits from good roads than will West Virginia. We therefore endorse the proposed constitutional amendment submitted to the people for ratification authorizing the issuing of \$35,000,000 additional road bonds, and recommend to the voters of the state its approval at the November election in order that road building may be carried to completion.

#### Veterans

The policy of the Republican Party toward the veterans who have served under the flag has been a liberal one and we pledge its continuance. Full and adequate relief for the disabled veterans and their dependents is a solemn duty of the Republic.

#### Education

Believing that the greatest assets of this state, and its most important natural resource for present and future development, are found in the children and youth of the state, the Republican Party renews its faith in the public school system of West Virginia and pledges itself to the further development of our public schools and to the liberal, yet economical, financing of them to the end that every child in the state may have the right of an equal opportunity for an education.

#### Educational Equality

The Republican Party endorses the plan of co-ordinated educational effort, as embraced at West Virginia University, for adoption at the West Virginia Collegiate Institute for Colored Youth, to the end that

professional training may be made available for the progress of Colored Youth. We believe that such action would be a sound investment which would be evidenced in future benefit to them and to the public.

#### Negro Advancement

The Republican Party, during its long existence, has been the friend of the Colored Race. It has given to them the right of franchise and has, through wise legislation, extended to them equal educational and industrial advantages.

We congratulate the Negro Race upon the splendid progress it has made and pledge the Republican Party to the passage of such legislation as will protect the privileges and advantages they already enjoy, and to the passage of such additional laws as will secure their future and further advancement.

#### Prohibition

In 1912, by an overwhelming majority, the people of West Virginia decreed that the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquor should be prohibited in this state. Six years later, the people of the entire United States followed the example that had been set by West Virginia and other prohibition states, and legally banished the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors from American soil.

It is our firm belief that prohibition has been an economic, a financial and a moral success. It has tremendously reduced the consumption of liquors. It has lessened drunkenness. It has improved the moral tone of the American people as a whole. It has promoted prosperity. Money previously wasted in the bar-rooms is now used by the millions of dollars to buy the comforts and luxuries of life for families that never before knew comforts and luxuries.

We oppose any backward step in this great moral movement. We pledge ourselves to the vigorous enforcement of the laws upon the statute books of the State of West Virginia, prohibiting the manufacture and sale of liquor, and we pledge ourselves also to co-operate with the government of the United States in the measures that it may take to carry out and make effective the prohibition amendment to the federal Constitution.

#### Water Power

We favor the most liberal encouragement to the development of our water power consistent with the interest of the people. Water is the last great natural resource left vested in the citizens of West Virginia and its development should be along lines best calculated to safeguard the interests of the people of West Virginia.

#### Economy In State Government

We favor a continuation of the strictest economy in the state government and, feeling that every effort should be made to reduce expenditures so that the people may be further relieved from the burden of taxation, we pledge our candidates to that course.

#### Departmental Practices

We note with disfavor the building up in some of our state depart-

ments, the state institutions, of a practice which, in the course of time, is certain to result in waste and perhaps vicious extravagance. We refer to a custom established in some departments and institutions of allowing said departments and institutions the full use of certain fees and payments for work done by them. without an adequate accounting, and without control by the state legislature, which is the only constitutional tax collecting and tax distributing power.

We recommend that our legislature take steps at the session next winter to cause every dollar paid to any state department, or to any state institution, for services rendered, or for fees, to be rigidly accounted for, to be audited by proper authorities, and finally to be turned into the state treasury, to be disbursed only on specific order of the legislature of the state of West Virginia, with proper warrant from the legal authority of the state.

#### Conclusion

On the principles and pledges here set forth, the Republican Party, in convention assembled, confidently submits to the voters of West Virginia its cause and its candidates.

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Held in the City of Houston, Texas, June 26-29, 1928

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# Democratic National Platform

(Adopted June 29, 1928)

"We, the Democratic Party in convention assembled, pause to pay our tribute of love and respect to the memory of him who in his life and in his official actions voiced the hopes and aspirations of all good men and women of every race and clime, the former President of the United States, Woodrow Wilson. His spirit moves on and his example and deeds will exalt those who come after us as they have inspired us.

"We are grateful that we were privileged to work with him and again pay tribute to his high ideals and accomplishments.

"We reaffirm our devotion to the principles of Democratic government formulated by Jefferson and enforced by a long and illustrious line of Democratic presidents.

"We hold that government must function not to centralize our wealth but to preserve equal opportunity so that all may share in our priceless resources, and not confine prosperity to a favored few. We, therefore, pledge the Democratic Party to encourage business, small and great alike; to conserve human happiness and liberty; to break the shackles of monopoly and free the business of the nation; to respond to popular will.

"The function of a national platform is to declare general principles and party policies. We do not, therefore, assume to bind our party respecting local issues or details of legislation.

"We, therefore, declare the policy of the Democratic Party with regard to the following dominant issues:

"We demand that the constitutional rights and powers of the states shall be preserved in their full vigor and virtue. These constitute a bulwark against the centralization and the destructive tendencies of the Republican Party.

"We oppose bureaucracy and the multiplication of officers and office holders.

"We demand a revival of the spirit of local self-government without which free institutions cannot be preserved.

"Unblushingly the Republican Party offers as its record agriculture prostrate, industry depressed, American shipping destroyed, workmen without employment, everywhere disgust and suspicion, and corruption unpunished and unafraid.

"Never in the entire history of the country has there occurred in any given period of time or, indeed, in all time put together, such a spectacle of sordid corruption and unabashed rascality as that which has characterized the administration of federal affairs under eight blighting years of Republican rule. Not the revels of reconstruction, nor all compounded frauds succeeding that evil era, have approached in sheer audacity the shocking thieveries and startling depravities of officials high and low in the public service at Washington.

"From cabinet ministers, with their treasonable crimes, to the cheap vendors of official patronage, from the purchasers of seats in the United States Senate to the vulgar grafters upon alien trust funds, and upon the hospital resources of the disabled veterans of the World War; from the givers and receivers of stolen funds for Republican campaign purposes to the public men who sat by silently consenting and never revealing a fact or uttering a word in condemnation, the whole official organization under Republican rule has become saturated with dishonesty defiant of public opinion and actuated entirely by a partisan desire to perpetuate its control of the government.

#### Party Appeal

"As in the time of Samuel J. Tilden, from whom the presidency was stolen, the watchword of the day should be 'turn the rascals out.' This is the appeal of the Democratic Party to the people of the country.

"To this fixed purpose should be devoted every effort and applied every resource of the party; to this every minor difference on non-essential issues should be put aside and a determined and a united fight be made to rescue the government from those who have betrayed their trust by disgracing it.

"The Democratic Party stands for efficiency and economy in the administration of public affairs, and we pledge:

#### Government

"(A) Business-like reorganization of all the departments of the government.

"(B) Elimination of duplication, waste and overlapping.

"(C) Substitution of modern business-like methods for existing obsolete and antiquated conditions.

"No economy resulted from the Republican Party rule. The savings they claim take no account of the elimination of expenditures following the end of the World War, the large sums realized from the sale of war materials, nor its failure to supply sufficient funds for the efficient conduct of many important governmental activities.

#### Federal Reserve

"(A) The federal reserve system, created and inaugurated under Democratic auspices, is the greatest legislative contribution to constructive business ever adopted. The administration of the system for the advantage of stock market speculators should cease. It must be administered for the benefit of farmers, wage earners, merchants, manufacturers and others engaged in constructive business.

"(B) The taxing function of governments, free from despotism, has for centuries been regarded as the power above all other which requires vigilant scrutiny to the end that it be not exercised for purposes of favor or oppression.

#### Taxation

"Three times since the World War Democrats in Congress have favored a reduction of the tax burdens of the people in face of stubborn opposition from a Republican administration, and each time these re-

ductions have largely been made for the relief of those least able to endure the exactions of a Republican fiscal policy.

"The tax bill of the session recently ended was delayed by Republican tactics and juggled by partisan considerations so as to make impossible a full measure of relief to the greater body of taxpayers. The modest reductions afforded were grudgingly conceded and the whole proceeding in Congress dictated as far as possible from the White House and the treasury, denoting the proverbial desire of the Republican Party always to discriminate against the masses in favor of privileged classes.

"The Democratic Party avows its belief in the fiscal policy inaugurated by the last Democratic administration which has provided a sinking fund sufficient to extinguish the nation's indebtedness within a reasonable period of time, without harassing the present and next succeeding generations with tax burdens, which, if not unendurable, do in fact check initiative enterprise and progress in business. Taxes levied beyond the actual requirements of the legally-established sinking fund are but an added burden upon the American people, and the surplus thus accumulated in the federal treasury is an incentive to the increasingly extravagant expenditures which have characterized Republican administrations.

"We, therefore, favor a further reduction of the internal taxes of the people.

#### Tariff

"The Democratic tariff legislation will be based on the following policies:

"(A) The maintenance of legitimate business and a high standard of wages for American labor.

"(B) Increasing the purchasing power of wages and income by the reduction of those monopolistic and extortionate tariff rates bestowed in payment of political debts.

"(C) Abolition of log-rolling, and restoration of the Wilson conception of a fact-finding tariff commission, quasi-judicial and free from the executive domination which has destroyed the usefulness of the present commission.

"(D) Duties that will permit effective competition, insure against monopoly and at the same time produce a fair revenue for the support of government. Actual difference between the cost of production at home and abroad, with adequate safeguard for the wage of the American laborer, must be the extreme measure of every tariff rate.

"(E) Safeguarding the public against monopoly created by special tariff favors.

"(F) Equitable distribution of the benefits and burdens of the tariff among all.

"Wage earner, farmer, stockman, producer and legitimate business in general have everything to gain from a Democratic tariff based on justice to all.

#### Civil Service

"Grover Cleveland made the extension of the merit system a tenet of our political faith. We shall preserve and maintain the civil service.

### Farm Relief

"Deception upon the farmer and stock raiser has been practiced by the Republican Party through false and delusive promises for more than fifty years. Specially favored industries have been artificially aided by Republican legislation. Comparatively little has been done for agriculture and stock raising upon which national prosperity rests. Unsympathetic inaction with regard to this problem must cease. Virulent hostility of the Republican administration to the advocates of farm relief and denial of the right of farm organizations to lead in the development of farm policy must yield to Democratic sympathy and friendliness.

"Four years ago, the Republican Party, forced to acknowledge the critical situation, pledged itself to take all steps necessary to bring back a balanced condition between agriculture and other industries and labor. Today it faces the country not only with that pledge unredeemed, but broken by the acts of a Republican president who is primarily responsible for the failure to offer a constructive program to restore equality to agriculture.

"While he had no constructive and adequate program to offer in its stead, he has twice vetoed farm relief legislation and has sought to justify his disapproval of agricultural legislation partly on grounds wholly inconsistent with his acts making industrial monopolies the beneficiaries of government favor, and in endorsing the agricultural policy of the present administration the Republican Party in its recent convention served notice upon the farmer that the so-called protective system is not meant for him; that while it offers protection to the privileged few, it promises continued world prices to the producers of the chief cash crops of agriculture.

"We condemn the policy of the Republican Party which promises relief to agriculture only through a reduction of American farm production to the needs of the domestic market. Such a program means the continued deflation of agriculture, the forcing of additional millions from the farms, and the perpetuation of agricultural distress for years to come, with continued bad effects on business and labor throughout the United States.

"The Democratic Party recognizes that the problems of production differ as between agriculture and industry. Industrial production is largely under human control, while agricultural production, because of lack of coordination among the 6,500,000 individual farm units and because of the influence of weather, pests and other causes, is largely beyond human control. The result is that a large crop frequently is produced on a small acreage and a small crop on a large acreage, and measured in money value it frequently happens that a large crop brings less than a small crop.

"Producers of crops whose total volume exceeds the needs of the domestic market must continue at a disadvantage until the government shall intervene as seriously and as effectively in behalf of the farmer as it has intervened in behalf of labor and industry. There is a need of supplemental legislation for the control and orderly handling of

agricultural surpluses, in order that the price of the surplus may not determine the price of the whole crop. Labor has benefitted by collective bargaining and some industries by tariff. Agriculture must be as effectively aided.

"The Democratic Party in its 1924 platform pledged its support to such legislation. It now reaffirms that stand and pledges the united efforts of the legislative and executive branches of government, as far as may be controlled by the party, to the immediate enactment of such legislation, and to such other steps as are necessary to place and maintain the purchasing power of farm products and the complete economic quality of agriculture.

The Democratic Party has always stood against special privilege and for common equality under the law. It is a fundamental principle of the party that such tariffs as are levied must not discriminate against any industry, class or section. Therefore, we pledge that in its tariff policy the Democratic Party will insist upon equality of treatment between agriculture and other industries.

"Farm relief must rest on the basis of an economic equality of agriculture with other industries. To give this quality a remedy must be found which will include among other things:

"(A) Credit aid by loans to cooperatives on at least as favorable a basis as the government aid to the merchant marine.

"(B) Creation of a federal farm board to assist the farmer and stock raiser in the marketing of their products as the federal reserve board has done for the banker and business man. When our archaic banking and currency system was revised after its record of disaster, and panic under Republican administrations, it was a Democratic congress in the administration of a Democratic president, that accomplished its stabilization through the Federal Reserve Act creating the federal reserve board with powers adequate to its purpose.

"Now in the hour of agriculture's need the Democratic Party pledges the establishment of a new agricultural policy fitted to present conditions, under the direction of a farm board vested with all the powers necessary to accomplish for agriculture what the federal reserve board has been able to accomplish for finance, in full recognition of the fact that the banks of the country, through voluntary cooperation, were never able to stabilize the financial system of the country until government powers were invoked to help them.

"(C) Reduction through proper government agencies of the spread between what the farmer and stock raiser gets and the ultimate consumer pays with consequent benefits to both.

"(D) Consideration of the condition of agriculture in the formulation of government financial and tax measures,

"We pledge the party to foster and develop cooperative marketing association through appropriate government aid.

"We recognize that experience has demonstrated that members of such associations alone cannot successfully assume the full responsibility for a program that benefits all producers alike. We pledge the party to an earnest endeavor to solve this problem of the distribution of the cost



of dealing with crop surpluses over the marketed units of the crops whose producers are benefitted by such assistance.

The solution of this problem would avoid government subsidy, to which the Democratic Party has always been opposed. The solution of this problem will be a prime and immediate concern of a Democratic administration.

"We desire attention to the fact that it was a Democratic Congress, in the administration of a Democratic president, which established the federal loan system and laid the foundation for the entire rural credits structure, which has aided agriculture to sustain in part the shocks of the policies of two Republican administrations; and we promise thoroughgoing administration of our rural credit laws, so that the farmers in all sections may secure the maximum benefits intended under these acts.

### Mining

"Mining is one of the basic industries of this country. We produce more coal, iron and copper than any other country. The value of our mineral production is second only to agriculture. Mining has suffered like agriculture and from similar causes. It is the duty of our government to foster this industry and to remove the restrictions that destroy its prosperity.

### Foreign Policy

"The Republican administration has no foreign policy; it has drifted without plan. This great nation cannot afford to play a minor role in world politics. It must have a sound and positive foreign policy, not a negative one. We declare for a constructive foreign policy based on these principles:

"(A) Outlawry of war and an abhorrence of militarism, conquest, and imperialism.

"(B) Freedom from entangling political alliances with foreign nations.

"(C) Protection of American lives and rights.

"(D) Non-interference with the elections or other internal political affairs of any foreign nation. This principle of non-interference extends to Mexico, Nicaragua and all other Latin-American nations. Interference in the purely internal affairs of Latin-American countries must cease.

"(E) Rescue of our country from its present impaired world standing and restoration to its former position as a leader in the movement for international arbitration, conciliation, conference and limitation of armament by international agreement.

"(F) International agreements for reduction of all armaments, and the end of competitive war preparations and, in the meantime, the maintenance of an army and navy adequate for national defense.

"(G) Full, free and open cooperation with all other nations for the promotion of peace and justice throughout the world.

"(H) In our foreign relations, this country should stand as a unit, and to be successful, foreign policies must have the approval and the support of the American people.

“(I) Abolition of the practice of the president of entering into and carrying out agreements with a foreign government, either de facto or de jure, for the protection of such government against revolution or foreign attack, or the supervision of its internal affairs, when such agreements have not been advised and consented to by the Senate as provided in the Constitution of the United States, and we condemn the administration for carrying out such an unratified agreement that requires us to use our armed forces in Nicaragua.

“(J) Recognition of the Monroe Doctrine is a cardinal principle of this government promulgated for the protection of ourselves and our Latin-American neighbors. We shall seek their friendly cooperation in the maintenance of this doctrine.

“(K) We condemn the Republican administration for lack of statesmanship and efficiency in negotiating the 1921 treaty for the limitation of armaments, which limited only the construction of battleships and ships of over 10,000 tons. Merely a gesture toward peace, it accomplished no limitation of armament, because it simply resulted in the destruction of our battleships, and the blueprints of battleships of other nations; it placed no limitation upon construction of aircraft, submarines, cruisers, warships under 10,000 tons, poisonous gases, or other weapons of destruction.

“No agreement was ratified with regard to submarine and poisonous gases. The attempt of the president to remedy the failure of 1921 by the Geneva conference of 1928, was characterized by the same lack of statesmanship and efficiency and resulted in entire failure.

“In consequence the race between nations in the building of unlimited weapons of destruction still goes on and the peoples of the world are still threatened with war and burdened with taxation for additional armament.

### Waterways

“The federal government and state governments, respectively, now have absolute and exclusive sovereignty and control over enormous waterpowers, which constitute one of the greatest assets of the nation. This sovereign title and control must be preserved respectively in the state and federal governments, to the end that the people may be protected against exploitation of this great resource and that waterpowers may be expeditiously developed under such regulations as will insure to the people reasonable rates and equitable distribution.

“We favor and will promote deep waterways and removal of discrimination against water transportation. Flood control and the lowering of flood levels are essential to the safety of life and property, and the productivity of our lands, the navigability of our streams, the reclaiming of our wet and over-flowed lands. We favor expeditious construction of flood relief works on the Mississippi and Colorado rivers and such reclamation and irrigation projects upon the Colorado river as may be found feasible.

“We favor appropriation for prompt coordinated surveys by the United States to determine the possibilities of general navigation improvements and water power development on navigable streams and their tribu-

taries and to secure reliable information as to the most economical navigation improvement, in combination with the most efficient and complete development of water power.

"We favor the strict enforcement of the federal waterpower act, a Democratic act, and insist that the public interest in waterpower sites, ignored by two Republican administrations, be protected.

#### Natural Resources

"We shall conserve the natural resources of our country for the benefit of the people and protect them against waste and monopolization. Our disappearing resources of timber call for a national policy of reforestation. The federal government should improve and develop its public lands so that they may go into private ownership and become subject to taxation for the support of the states wherein they exist. The Democratic administration will actively, efficiently and economically carry on reclamation projects and make equitable adjustments with the homestead entrymen for the mistakes the government has made, and extend all practical aid to refinance reclamation and drainage projects.

#### Transportation

"Efficient and economical transportation is essential to the prosperity of every industry. Cost of transportation controls the income of every human being and materially affects the cost of living. We must therefore, promote every form of transportation in a state of highest efficiency. Recognizing the prime importance of air transportation we shall encourage its development by every possible means. Improved roads are of vital importance not only to commerce and industry, but also to agricultural and rural life. The federal government should construct and maintain at its own expense roads upon its public lands. We reaffirm our approval of the federal roads law, enacted by a Democratic administration. Common carriers, whether by land, water or rail, must be protected in an equal opportunity to compete so that governmental regulations against exorbitant rates and inefficiency will be aided by competition.

#### Labor

"(A) We favor the principle of collective bargaining and the Democratic principle that organized labor should choose its own representatives without coercion or interference.

"(B) Labor is not a commodity. Human rights must be safe-guarded. Labor should be exempt from the operation of anti-trust laws.

"(C) We recognize that legislative and other investigations have shown the existence of grave abuse in the issuance of injunctions in labor disputes. No injunctions should be granted in labor disputes except upon proof of threatened irreparable injury and after notice and hearing, and the injunction should be confined to those acts which do directly threaten irreparable injury. The expressed purpose of representatives of capital, labor and the Bar to devise a plan for the elimination of the present evils with respect to injunctions must be supported and legislation designed to accomplish these ends formulated and passed.

"(D) We favor legislation providing that products of convict labor

shipped from one state to another shall be subject to the laws of the latter state as though they had been produced therein.

#### Unemployment

"Unemployment is present, widespread and increasing. Unemployment is almost as destructive to the happiness, comfort and well-being of human beings as war. We expend vast sums of money to protect our people against the evils of war, but no government program is anticipated to prevent the awful suffering and economic losses of unemployment. It threatens the well-being of millions of our people and endangers the prosperity of the nation. We favor the adoption by the government, after a study of this subject, of a scientific plan whereby during periods of unemployment appropriations shall be made available for the construction of necessary public works and the lessening, as far as consistent with public interests of government construction work when labor is generally and satisfactorily employed in private enterprise.

"Study should also be made of modern methods of industry and a constructive solution found to absorb and utilize the surplus human labor released by the increasing use of machinery.

#### Compensation

"We favor legislation making fair and liberal compensation to government employees who are injured in accident or by occupational disease and to the dependents of such workers as may die as a result thereof.

"Federal employees should receive a living wage based upon American standards of decent living. Present wages are in many instances far below the standard. We favor a fair and liberal retirement law for government employees in classified service.

#### Veterans' Aid

"Through Democratic votes, and in spite of two Republican presidents' opposition, the congress has maintained America's traditional policy to generously care for the veterans of the World War. In extending them free hospitalization, a statutory award for tuberculosis, a program of progressive hospital construction, and provisions for compensation for the disabled, the widows and orphans, America has surpassed the record of any nation in the history of the world. We pledge the veterans that none of the benefits heretofore accorded by the Wilson administration and the votes of Democratic members of Congress shall be withdrawn; that these will be added to more in accordance with the veterans' and their dependents' actual needs. General appropriations, honest management, the removal of vexatious administration delays, and sympathetic assistance of the veterans of all wars is what the Democratic Party demands and promises.

#### Woman Suffrage

"We declare for equality of women with men in all political and governmental matters.

"Children are the chief asset of the nation. Therefore, their protection through infancy and childhood against exploitation is an important national duty.

"The Democratic Party has always opposed the exploitation of women in industry and has stood for such conditions of work as will preserve their health and safety.

"We favor an equal wage for equal service; and likewise favor adequate appropriations for the women's and children's bureau.

#### **Immigration**

"Laws which limit immigration must be preserved in full force and effect, but the provisions contained in these laws that separate husbands from wives and parents from infant children are inhuman and not essential to the purpose or the efficacy of such law.

#### **Free Speech**

"Government supervision must secure to all the people the advantage of radio communication and likewise guarantee the right of free speech. Official control in contravention of this guarantee should not be tolerated. Government control must prevent monopolistic use of radio communication and guarantee equitable distribution and enjoyment thereof.

#### **Coal Situation**

"Bituminous coal is not only the common base of manufacture, but is a vital agency in our interstate transportation. The demoralization of this industry, its labor conflicts and distress, its waste of a national resource and disordered public service, demand constructive legislation that will allow capital and labor a fair share of prosperity with adequate protection to the consuming public.

#### **Prohibition**

"The Republican Party, for eight years in complete control of the government at Washington, presents the remarkable spectacle of feeling compelled in its national platform to promise obedience to a provision of the federal constitution which it has flagrantly disregarded, and to apologize to the country for its failure to enforce laws enacted by the Congress of the United States. Speaking for the national Democracy, this convention pledges the party and its nominees to an honest effort to enforce the Eighteenth Amendment and all other provisions of the federal Constitution and all laws enacted pursuant thereto.

#### **Elections**

"We favor legislation to prevent defeated members of both houses of Congress from participating in the sessions of Congress by fixing the date for convening by the Congress immediately after the biennial election.

"We condemn the improper and excessive use of money in elections as a danger threatening the very existence of Democratic institutions. Republican expenditures in senatorial primaries and elections have been so exorbitant as to constitute a national scandal. We favor publicity in all matters affecting campaign contributions and expenditures. We shall, beginning not later than August 1, 1928, and every thirty days thereafter, the last publication and filing being not later than five days before

the election, publish in the press and file with the appropriate committees of the House and Senate a complete account of all contributions, the names of the contributors, the amounts expended and the purposes, for public inspection including the books and records relating to such matters. In the event that any financial obligations are contracted and not paid, our national committee will similarly report and publish, at least five days before the election, all details respecting such obligations.

"We agree to keep and maintain a permanent record of all campaign contributions and expenditures and to insist that contributions by the citizens of one state to the campaign committees of other states shall have immediate publicity.

#### Armenia

"We favor the most earnest efforts on the part of the United States to secure the fulfillment of the promises and engagements made during and following the World War by the United States and the allied powers to Armenia and its people.

#### Merchant Marine

"We reaffirm our support of an efficient, dependable American merchant marine for the carriage of the greater portion of our commerce and for the national defense.

"The Democratic party has consistently and vigorously supported the shipping services rendered by the regional United States Shipping Board in the interest of all ports and all sections of our country, and has successfully opposed the discontinuance of any of the local private American companies when such companies can show their ability to take over and permanently maintain the lines.

"Lines that cannot now be transferred to private enterprise should continue to be operated as at present and should be kept in an efficient state by remodeling of some vessels and replacement of others.

"We are unalterably opposed to a monopoly in American shipping and are opposed to the operation of any of our service in a manner that would retard the development of any ports or sections of our country.

"We oppose such sacrifices and favoritism as exhibited in the past in the matter of alleged sales, and insist that the primary purpose of the legislation upon this subject be the establishment and maintenance of an adequate American Merchant Marine.

#### Education

"We believe with Jefferson and other founders of the republic that ignorance is the enemy of freedom and that each state, being responsible for the intellectual and moral qualifications of its citizens and for the expenditure of the monies collected by taxation for the purpose of its schools, shall use its sovereign right to all matters pertaining to education.

"The federal government should offer to the states such counsel, advice, results of research and aid as may be made available through the federal agencies for the general improvement of our schools in view of our national needs.

#### Anti-Trust Laws

"During the last seven years, under Republican rule, the anti-trust

laws have been thwarted, ignored and violated so that the country is rapidly becoming controlled by trusts and sinister monopolies formed for the purpose of wringing from the necessities of life an unrighteous profit. These combinations are often formed and conducted in violation of law, encouraged, aided and abetted in their activities by Republican administration and are driving all small tradespeople and small industrialists out of business.

"Competition is one of the most sacred, cherished and economic rights of the American people. We demand the strict enforcement of the anti-trust laws and the enactment of other laws, if necessary, to control this great menace to trade and commerce, and thus to preserve the rights of the small merchant and manufacturer to earn a legitimate profit from his business.

"Dishonest business should be treated without influence at the national capitol. Honest business, no matter its size, need have no fears of a Democratic administration. The Democratic Party will ever oppose illegitimate and dishonest business. It will foster, promote and encourage all legitimate business enterprises.

#### **Panama Canal**

"We favor the employment of American citizens in the operation and maintenance of the Panama Canal in all positions above the grade of messenger and favor as liberal wages and conditions of employment as prevailed under previous Democratic administrations.

#### **Possessions**

"We favor the development of Alaska and Hawaii in the traditional American way through self-government. We favor the appointment of only bona fide residents to office in the territories. We favor the extension and improvement of the mail, air mail, telegraph and radio, agricultural experimenting, highway construction and other necessary federal activities in the territories.

"The Filipino people have succeeded in maintaining a stable government and have thus fulfilled the only condition laid down by the Congress as a prerequisite to the granting of independence. We declare that it is now our liberty and our duty to keep our promise to these people by granting them immediately the independence which they so honorably covet.

"We favor granting to Porto Rico such territorial form of government as would meet the present economic conditions of the island, and provide for the aspirations of its people, with the view to ultimate statehood accorded to all territories of the United States since the beginning of our government, and we believe any officials appointed to administer the government of such territories should be qualified by previous bona fide residence therein.

#### **Public Health**

"The Democratic Party recognizes that not only the productive wealth of the nation, but its contentment and happiness, depends upon the health of its citizens. It therefore pledges itself to enlarge the existing bureau of public health and to do all things possible to stamp out communicable

and contagious diseases and to ascertain preventable means and remedies for the diseases, such as cancer, infantile paralysis and others which heretofore have largely defied the skill of physicians.

"We pledge our party to spare no means to lift the apprehension of diseases from the minds of our people, and to appropriate all moneys necessary to carry out this pledge.

#### **Food Control**

"Being deeply impressed by the terrible disasters from floods in the Mississippi Valley during 1927, we heartily indorse the flood control act of last May, which recognizes that the flood waters of the Mississippi River and its tributaries constitute a national problem of the gravest character and makes provision for their speedy and effective control. This measure is a continuation and expansion of the policy established by a Democratic Congress in 1917 in the act of that year for controlling floods on the Mississippi.



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# Democratic State Platform 1928

(Adopted August 15th at a Convention held in the City of Clarksburg)

## National Ticket

The Democratic Party of West Virginia congratulates the people of the United States upon the adoption of the platform of our party at the national convention held in Houston, Texas, and heartily endorses the candidates for president and vice president there nominated, and pledges to them the earnest and loyal support of all Jeffersonian Democrats in West Virginia, as well as other intelligent citizens who realize the present unsatisfactory conditions and the need of leadership to change these conditions.

We recognize in the Hon. Alfred E. Smith a brilliant statesman and defender of the Jeffersonian principle of state rights, a learned economist, a skilled executive and an indefatigable worker for his country and the welfare of his fellow man. His fearless honesty of purpose and ability to form his own opinion of matters vital to the welfare and development of our country, and to express such opinion clearly and in simple language, understandable by all, commends and endears him to us not only as an outstanding candidate but as a patriot and, above all, an honest man.

In him is exemplified one of the best examples of the product of American Democracy; the ideal result of equal opportunity; a happy warrior in support of his ideals; a champion of the fellowship of man, and a lover of the fundamental principles of our republic which have been the foundation of our growth to leadership amongst the nations of the world, and which principles are now endangered and need his constructive and fearless statesmanship.

By him our country can be led from vacillation and inaction into militant progressiveness; from corruption to honesty; from favoritism and government for the benefit of the few back to equal opportunity for all; from the accumulation of all wealth in large cities to an equal distribution with the farmer, merchant and other dwellers in the agrarian sections, the bone and sinew of our institutions and preservers of our ideals and best traditions.

Through his election and the high character of his administration to follow the Democratic Party, which we so dearly love, will again become a great dominant national party with resultant good in every way to our whole people.

No less a statesman, an honest man and militant fighter for Jeffersonian Democracy and the ideals of the government is Hon. Joseph T. Robinson, our candidate for Vice President, and we recognize in him a worthy running mate for our standard bearer.

Imbued with the best traditions of our southland; reared amongst

the valleys and hills of our agricultural sections; familiar with the needs, ambitions and ideals of rural America; a graduate of the college of "Hard Knocks"; a lovable character and forceful orator, he is worthy of advancement from the floor of the Senate to preside over its deliberation.

We present these candidates with pride and predict for these men and the cause which they ably champion, enthusiastic approval by a vast majority of the intelligent and independent electorate of our great nation.

We assert that it is vital to the welfare of our state that the reins of power over the national government and institutions, particularly the Interstate Commerce Commission, shall be wrested from those now using such power for selfish purposes and again placed in the hands of fair and impartial men imbued with the basic principles of American liberty.

#### Neely

We congratulate the state of West Virginia upon its good fortune in having had Honorable Matthew M. Neely in the United States Senate for the last six years. Every man, woman and child in West Virginia knows and appreciates his invaluable services to the state and its people during his entire term, and especially in the present crisis which threatens the financial and industrial existence of the state. When the cruel hand of outside coal and railroad interests has been at our throats, throttling our business life and bankrupting our people Senator Neely has defended us with a brilliancy and power that must always command the pride and affection of every loyal West Virginian.

We heartily indorse his splendid record and services and express our conviction that if the people of this state whose business lives he has so nobly fought to save, do not unite regardless of party to reelect him next November, then they do not deserve to have a friend in the United States Senate.

#### Congressional Nominees

No better set of men, capable of real accomplishment, has been recommended to the people by the Democratic Party for election to the House of Representatives. We suggest that the national administration requires a Congress in sympathy with the Democratic platform. Return to the fundamentals demands their election.

#### State Ticket

We present to the whole people of West Virginia, with pride, the state ticket headed by the Hon. J. Alfred Taylor, of the county of Fayette. He has served the people in a representative capacity, he is known, loved and respected.

This ticket commends itself to all classes of our people, collectively as a board of public works, we will be certain of a fair administration, clean and above reproach.

#### . Agriculture

One of the leading industries of the state is agriculture, and its

prosperity and progress are now and have always been, a matter of great concern to the Democratic Party of West Virginia.

The rural Democrats have always been the backbone of the Democratic Party in this state, and no other party has so effectively safeguarded and protected the agricultural and horticultural interest of West Virginia.

The volume of taxes paid by the farmers of West Virginia, both for state and county purposes, entitle the agricultural interests to every consideration at the hands of our law makers and administrators.

We recognize that in the present economic depression there is no class of people more adversely affected than the farmers. We assert that the prosperity of the farmer is largely essential to the prosperity of the nation. This industry has not received, nationally and locally, any encouragement in these trying times to which it is entitled.

We pledge a careful consideration of the economic and political needs of the agriculturalists of our state, and the history of our party is sufficient guarantee that such consideration will be sympathetic and intelligent.

#### **Mining**

The chief pursuit in West Virginia, other than farming, is the coal industry. It is prostrated. It is a governmental duty of first importance to foster this industry and to remove any and all the restrictions that have destroyed its prosperity.

We declare that the unjust and unfair freight rates now fixed by the selfishly selected Interstate Commerce Commission is the principal cause of the present depressed condition of this great industry.

We pledge our efforts, in every manner, to re-establish the industry upon the basis it once enjoyed.

#### **Manufacturing**

The Democratic Party favors the passage of legislation that will make attractive to the manufacturing interests of the nation the many favorable industrial sites throughout the state. There is no more favorable place in the country for the manufacturer than West Virginia. Raw materials, cheap fuel, essential transportation facilities are here. Lower taxation by economy in state and county administration will enable the manufacturer to come within our borders and create new and enlarged fields of employment for labor.

#### **Utilities**

If entrusted with power the Democratic Party pledges itself to cause all property, including public utilities to be assessed for taxation at its honest value under the law, without discrimination, and without using the hand of the tax gatherer to punish any interest, or to pay political debts.

#### **Workmen's Compensation**

The workmen's compensation fund was created as a humanitarian measure to care for the laborer and his family when industry takes its toll of life and limb and to do this at a cost which would not burden industry. It has been administered in such an unjust and inefficient



manner that both laborer and employer have been robbed. The premiums paid by subscribers have gotten so high that business staggers under the burden, and yet the laborer and his dependents are paid but a pittance.

We believe that this has resulted from the same inefficiency and mismanagement that made it impossible to audit the fund when the legislature tried to have it done. We cannot even find out how bad it is.

If entrusted with power we will reform the compensation department so that both employee and employer will receive justice.

#### Water Power

Upon the important question of the development of the great water power resources of this state, the Democratic Party reaffirms the position it has emphasized in past platforms. The state's natural water power sites constitute its last great publicly owned asset.

We recognize that most of these water power sites are situated in those sections of the state where coal is abundant and that the cheapness of fuel rendered the necessity for development for local consumption less necessary than elsewhere. But in those parts of the state, with sites capable of development, removed far from fuel, it is a matter of extreme importance to the people that we delay no longer in passing adequate legislation.

A water power measure that will permit of development without unnecessary destruction to present property rights, is one of the most important tasks for legislative action. The title to these water power sites should remain in the state. Leases should be made, liberal in terms, amply conserving the public interest, and ending at an agreed date, with proper precautionary restrictions as to the use of energy for the industrial and domestic needs of the people within the sections served by and adjacent to the development, to the extent of their demand, before transmission to other sections.

#### Taxation

We denounce our present tax system in West Virginia as a crazy quilt patchwork, enacted in piecemeal from time to time as Republican extravagance has forced higher taxes.

It is not only unjust in its application and oppressive in the amount of money taken from the taxpayers, but is temporary in its character and carries the constant threat of further increases or patches as a political machine may be faced with demands from its henchmen for more jobs. This frightens capital away from our state and makes us all feel the pinch.

We pledge ourselves to a revenue system that shall be just and permanent, and in working out an equitable system of revenue to replace this patchwork we will, if given power, call into conference representatives of the farmers, the manufacturers, the mining industry, labor and all other interests in West Virginia regardless of party.

Our present tax laws, the amount of tax collected from them and the way it is spent constitute a grave indictment against the statesmanship of those who have held political power in West Virginia.

### Reorganization

The executive department of the state should be reorganized, duplication of duties and powers should be abolished, useless commissions and bureaus should be eliminated.

By curtailment of present expenditures and a general reorganization, taxation will be reduced.

The new capitol building is needed and should be completed. It can be done, without finding any additional makeshifts of taxation and without the levy of additional taxes by a general reorganization of the executive department and reduction in the number of useless employees and the amount of wasteful expenditures.

Simple and sound principles of business reform must be applied to this problem.

We pledge the people of this state that given the executive and legislative departments by this method alone, we will complete the capitol building and reduce taxation as well.

### Religious Liberty

We reaffirm our allegiance to the Democratic principle of religious liberty. The founder of the Democratic Party, Thomas Jefferson, made religious liberty the keystone in the structure of American government and we condemn those who would eliminate that principle from its application in our governmental affairs, the religious bigot and the intolerant, as having views contrary to American liberty.

### Education

The public school system of the state demands our earnest solicitation. Money spent for education by the state government should not be wasted but should be economically and properly spent so that the school system of the state shall be second to none in the Union. Our university needs should be liberally met. Our normal schools should be fostered.

### Good Roads

A complete and proper system of good roads under modern life, is essential to the well being of the people of the state and material to the future development of the commonwealth.

At the same time, we call attention to the need for economic administration of road affairs under executive control. The administration in this department must not be an adjunct of any political machine or party. The law should be so framed and administered that no county or section of the state will be denied its fair allotment of road funds.

The present road law should be so amended so as to become mandatory upon the administration with authority to distribute licenses and license tags for automobiles from points convenient to all owners of automobiles within the state.

### Primary Elections

The Democratic Party reaffirms its belief in the principle of the primary election, as a method by which the members of a political party should be able to select their own candidates for office, free from the dictation of party bosses.

But there is something wrong with a primary law under which it is openly admitted that the power to appoint election officers, is the power to make nominations. In large and populous counties, where a ruthless Republican machine controls the organization and names the commissioners and clerks, it has long been a mere question of counting and returning any sized majorities that the machine may find necessary to nominate the candidates of its own choosing. This condition disgraces the state both at home and abroad, and disfranchises party voters in honest counties.

Popular government is endangered by such intolerable conditions, and the Democratic Party pledges itself that if given power it will so amend the present election laws that the selection of candidates for public offices shall be restored to the hands of the men and women who vote the ticket of their respective political party.

This reform is but common honesty and political decency, and should appeal to Republicans as much as it does to Democrats.

#### Law Enforcement

We declare in favor of an honest and vigorous enforcement of all our laws, including the prohibition law, but we condemn the pretense of enforcement, the unlawful and unwarranted searches and seizures that have been under the cloak of law enforcement and the killing of innocent people by enforcement agents. Such a manner of enforcement makes not only this law unpopular, but has a tendency to make disrespect for all laws. We pledge the Democratic candidates to enforce the prohibition law, but to enforce it lawfully, not unlawfully.

#### Labor

Our opponents charge us with being unduly friendly to labor. The Democratic Party admits that it has as great solicitude for the man who works as it has for the man who pays him, and if entrusted with power in this state, it will protect each in all of his rights under the law. Law and order must at all times be preserved in the interest of all. To accord to employer or to employee rights which are not guaranteed to the other is a discrimination which is both unjust and un-American.

#### Appropriations

We condemn the present method of making blanket appropriations, whereby various agencies and institutions of the state expend all fees collected by them without these fees being appropriated by the legislature for a specific purpose. These fees and collections of whatever nature should be paid into the state treasury and such expenses now covered by them should be clearly set forth in the budget bill when passed by the legislature.

#### Judges

We call attention to the fact that our supreme court is now composed of five judges, all elected by one political party. This puts us in danger of partisan decision; or at least the suspicion thereof by our people. This is a grave menace to the state, and tends to injure the court by undermining it in public confidence. As you know, all five of

these judges are Republicans, but the same danger would exist if they were of any other party.

We therefore appeal to fair-minded voters of West Virginia, regardless of party affiliation, to vote for the Democratic nominee for supreme court and to thereby help to give minority representation on this high court. It is not only fair but would be a great advantage to the state, and to the court itself.

We favor legislation and a constitutional amendment that will compel representation upon all courts and tribunals consisting of more than one member.

Upon these principles and recommendations, we commend our candidates, our cause, to the people of this state.

# REPUBLICAN RETURNS

Primary Election, August 5, 1930

332 PRIMARY ELECTION RETURNS, 1930—REPUBLICAN

UNITED STATES SENATOR

COUNTIES	James E. Jones	B. L. Rosenbloom	Harry Shaw	Allert B. White	C. Lewis Wilcox
Barbour.....	514	379	549	402	66
Berkeley.....	1,505	258	361	225	59
Boone.....	1,047	166	84	118	42
Braxton.....	417	71	223	180	23
Brooke.....	170	825	322	228	56
Catell.....	3,925	978	584	586	106
Calhoun.....	432	43	76	88	13
Clay.....	705	116	158	161	77
Doddridge.....	538	255	451	293	93
Fayette.....	4,608	820	524	463	317
Gilmer.....	301	43	87	80	11
Grant.....	1,051	165	124	150	32
Greentier.....	1,025	255	268	186	52
Hampshire.....	219	14	124	10	3
Hancock.....	1,521	644	231	233	66
Hardy.....	338	18	16	11	3
Harrison.....	1,739	1,406	2,052	837	172
Jackson.....	1,247	439	215	475	84
Jefferson.....	356	20	68	42	5
Kanawha.....	10,934	1,953	1,168	1,302	267
Lewis.....	734	573	574	543	117
Lincoln.....	811	202	225	274	8
Logan.....	2,916	556	482	383	128
Marion.....	254	956	4,601	166	65
Marshall.....	1,167	2,011	1,484	461	138
Mason.....	1,557	438	555	551	155
Mercer.....	4,473	409	267	237	58
Mineral.....	902	320	540	374	97
Mingo.....	3,531	190	195	214	65
Monongalia.....	806	731	2,255	417	120
Monroe.....	903	54	53	60	23
Morgan.....	774	279	341	153	30
McDowell.....	10,680	604	444	328	220
Nicholas.....	601	106	154	89	20
Ohio.....	702	7,420	1,878	1,032	190
Pendleton.....	387	44	76	62	11
Pleasants.....	222	89	99	248	31
Pocahontas.....	123	73	93	73	9
Preston.....	1,684	977	1,431	518	126
Putnam.....	1,036	268	186	319	71
Raleigh.....	2,781	964	462	404	163
Randolph.....	502	139	231	98	18
Ritchie.....	606	243	464	876	176
Roane.....	1,238	340	279	377	129
Summers.....	724	161	251	107	28
Taylor.....	189	586	745	227	31
Tucker.....	545	154	250	133	56
Tyler.....	455	208	385	775	141
Upshur.....	970	359	1,085	472	105
Wayne.....	921	305	355	228	.....
Webster.....	290	34	72	64	20
Wetzel.....	408	506	403	225	51
Wirt.....	340	60	94	106	27
Wood.....	1,062	594	400	2,284	252
Wyoming.....	1,834	404	206	257	77
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>79,726</b>	<b>30,323</b>	<b>29,450</b>	<b>19,271</b>	<b>4,503</b>

FIRST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	C. G. Bachmann
Brooke.....	1,278
Hancock.....	1,264
Marion.....	4,499
Marshall.....	3,874
Ohio.....	9,422
Taylor.....	1,382
Wetzel.....	1,288
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>21,729</b>

SECOND CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	F. L. Bowman
Barbour.....	1,663
Berkeley.....	2,076
Grant.....	1,351
Hampshire.....	329
Hardy.....	393
Jefferson.....	489
Mineral.....	1,860
Monongalia.....	3,796
Morgan.....	1,548
Pendleton.....	575
Freston.....	4,091
Randolph.....	892
Tucker.....	871
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>19,734</b>

THIRD CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	J. M. Wolverton
Braxton .....	821
Clay .....	1,138
Doddridge .....	1,457
Gilmer .....	463
Harrison .....	5,061
Lewis .....	2,214
Nicholas .....	850
Ritchie .....	2,013
Upshur .....	2,561
Webster .....	464
TOTAL .....	17,042

FOURTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	John B. Easton	Robert L. Hogg	Mrs. J. A. Hughes
Catell .....	2,050	1,865	2,550
Calloun .....	122	365	166
Jackson .....	1,193	1,113	293
Mason .....	568	2,475	688
Pleasants .....	328	217	184
Putnam .....	810	670	516
Roane .....	836	1,227	403
Tyler .....	851	731	572
Wirt .....	413	124	113
Wood .....	2,565	1,486	633
TOTALS .....	9,736	10,273	6,118



FIFTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	Hugh Ike Shott
Lincoln .....	1,371
Mercer .....	4,380
Mingo .....	3,873
Monroe .....	1,001
McDowell .....	10,138
Sommers .....	614
Wayne .....	1,607
Wyoming .....	1,961
<b>TOTAL</b> .....	<b>24,945</b>

SIXTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	Fred O. Blize	J. R. Gor'on	H. W. Houston	Hattie Stein
Boone .....	994	214	254	30
Fayette .....	4,841	803	693	273
Greentrier .....	901	594	194	69
Kanawha .....	10,383	3,002	1,661	407
Logan .....	2,010	1,567	410	201
Pocahontas .....	147	165	45	20
Raleigh .....	2,412	1,171	599	371
<b>TOTALS</b> .....	<b>21,688</b>	<b>7,516</b>	<b>3,856</b>	<b>1,371</b>

## FIRST SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	Geo. C. Benthie	J. C. Palmer III
Brooke .....	763	732
Hancock .....	1,148	851
Ohio .....	8,399	2,249
TOTALS .....	10,310	3,832

## SECOND SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	J. L. Anderson	F. W. Clark	F. V. Jams
Marshall .....	1,053	2,395	1,319
Tyler .....	304	1,377	409
Wetzel .....	210	1,165	424
TOTALS .....	1,567	4,937	2,152

## THIRD SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	H. F. Neale	J. W. Vandervort
Pleasants .....	382	299
Ritchie .....	1,368	974
Wirt .....	472	152
Wood .....	2,729	1,820
TOTALS .....	4,951	3,245

FOURTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	R. E. Starkey	C. O. Welssenburrer
Jackson.....	1,360	1,147
Mason.....	1,658	1,877
Ronne.....	1,066	1,234
TOTALS.....	4,084	4,258

FIFTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	H. F. Henson	Boyd Jarrell
Catell.....	827	5,104
Lincoln.....	538	972
Putnam.....	916	894
TOTALS.....	2,281	6,970

SIXTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	McGinnis/Intfield (Short Term)	M. Z. White (Long Term)
McDowell.....	11,460	9,325
Mingo.....	3,719	4,088
Wayne.....	1,378	1,325
Wyoming.....	1,969	1,766
TOTALS.....	18,526	16,504

## SEVENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	Hartley Sanders
Mercer.....	4,499
Monroe.....	877
Raleigh.....	3,538
Summers.....	941
TOTAL.....	9 855

## EIGHTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	F. D. Douglas	W. S. Hallinan	Joe Miller
Boone.....	132	1,161	168
Kanawha.....	1,297	12,359	1,867
Logan.....	345	3,505	474
TOTALS.....	1,774	17,025	2,509

## NINTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	W. E. McCreery	John Raine
Clay.....	184	990
Payette.....	842	5 091
Greenbrier.....	532	1 201
Nicholas.....	103	823
TOTALS.....	1,661	8,705

ELEVENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	Harry M. Howell	M. Sarcinano	D. M. Willis
Marion.....	1,859	261	3,373
Monongalia.....	1,288	137	2,813
Taylor.....	636	59	948
TOTALS.....	3,783	457	7,134

TWELFTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	E. C. Board	Blaino Englo	B. Hamrick	H. R. Harmer
Dodderidge.....	132	534	136	775
Harrison.....	324	2,789	560	2,746
Lewis.....	113	1,563	204	762
TOTALS.....	569	5,186	900	4,283

THIRTEENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	William Javes	W. A. Street
Bartow.....	804	1,261
Panicleton.....	252	254
Randolph.....	541	391
Upshur.....	1,834	951
TOTALS.....	3,431	2,857

## FOURTEENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	L. F. Everhart	E. D. Reynolds
Grant.....	517	1,274
Hardy.....	60	334
Mineral.....	834	1,844
Preston.....	2,759	2,199
Tucker.....	359	923
TOTALS.....	4,520	6,574

# DEMOCRATIC RETURNS

Primary Election, August 5, 1930

## UNITED STATES SENATOR

COUNTIES	M. M. Neely
Barbour.....	1,650
Berkeley.....	1,384
Boone.....	2,332
Braxton.....	2,896
Brooke.....	916
Catell.....	5,898
Calhoun.....	1,842
Clay.....	1,328
Doddridge.....	277
Fayette.....	4,970
Gilmer.....	1,786
Grant.....	147
Greenbrier.....	3,044
Hampshire.....	1,838
Hancock.....	231
Hardy.....	1,193
Harrison.....	5,310
Jackson.....	930
Jefferson.....	2,525
Kanawha.....	9,449
Lewis.....	1,924
Lincoln.....	1,673
Logan.....	2,599
Marion.....	4,420
Marsball.....	815
Mason.....	1,256
Mercer.....	4,643
Mineral.....	529
Mingo.....	2,217
Monongalia.....	1,922
Monroe.....	967
Morgan.....	237
McDowell.....	1,948
Nicholas.....	1,764
Ohio.....	1,964
Pendleton.....	1,424
Pleasants.....	481
Pocahontas.....	811
Preston.....	712
Putnam.....	1,368
Raleigh.....	2,824
Randolph.....	3,704
Ritelle.....	769
Roane.....	1,564
Summers.....	2,205
Taylor.....	996
Tucker.....	1,018
Tyler.....	427
Upshur.....	525
Wayne.....	2,856
Webster.....	1,439
Wetzel.....	2,908
Wirt.....	565
Wood.....	3,205
Wyoming.....	1,243
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>109,927</b>



## FIRST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	R. L. Ramsay	C. S. Tanoy
Brooke .....	974	128
Hancock .....	160	44
Marion .....	1 952	1 825
Mars' all .....	448	324
Oljo .....	706	1 271
Taylor .....	403	425
Wetzel .....	1 501	884
<b>TOTALS</b> .....	<b>6 144</b>	<b>4 901</b>

## SECOND CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	Joe V. Gimson	Joe Lips Randolph
Barbour .....	688	1 036
Berkeley .....	619	811
Grant .....	50	3
Hampshire .....	1 213	664
Hardy .....	461	832
Jefferson .....	1 178	1 508
Mineral .....	166	293
Monongalia .....	1 383	461
Morgan .....	69	165
Pendleton .....	586	927
Preston .....	691	60
Randolph .....	440	3 450
Tucker .....	591	449
<b>TOTALS</b> .....	<b>8 135</b>	<b>10 659</b>

## THIRD CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	P. R. Garrett	L. S. Hopner	W. S. O'Brien	H. F. Rymer
Braxton.....	123	1 310	1 248	108
Clay.....	48	538	618	44
Doddridge.....	26	92	105	52
Gilmer.....	88	607	957	126
Harrison.....	286	3,512	1,489	274
Lewis.....	37	1,016	887	45
Nicholas.....	55	756	1,112	52
Ritchie.....	94	102	262	282
Upshur.....	3	46	550	8
Wetzel.....	34	629	900	48
TOTALS.....	794	8,608	8,161	1,039

## FOURTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	G. B. Crow	R. L. Pemberton	F. L. Schriber	L. R. Via
Catell.....	252	246	156	5,478
Calhoun.....	402	267	139	410
Jackson.....	527	51	224	97
Mason.....	488	100	74	508
Fleasants.....	22	369	23	80
Putnam.....	528	63	37	616
Roane.....	596	134	226	418
Tyler.....	64	217	43	53
Wirt.....	194	120	44	168
Wool.....	796	1,048	256	936
TOTALS.....	3,869	2,615	1,222	8,773

FIFTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	L. V. S. Curry	T. J. Lilly
Lincoln .....	517	1,182
Mercer .....	1,225	3,083
Mingo .....	1,792	528
Monroe .....	149	832
McDowell .....	776	854
Summers .....	236	2,160
Wayne .....	1,552	1,261
Wyoming .....	300	759
<b>TOTALS</b> .....	<b>6,547</b>	<b>10,620</b>

SIXTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	Joe L. Smith
Boone .....	2,110
Fayette .....	4,735
Greenbrier .....	2,728
Kanawha .....	8,058
Logan .....	2,336
Pocahontas .....	776
Raleigh .....	2,896
<b>TOTAL</b> .....	<b>23,639</b>

## FIRST SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	S. P. Christian	R. D. Frame	H. M. Russell
Brooke.....	505	198	230
Hancock.....	109	38	66
Ohio.....	653	591	855
TOTALS.....	1,267	827	1,151

## SECOND SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	A. C. Chapman	Glenn Snodgrass
Marshall.....	431	422
Tyler.....	181	239
Wetzel.....	1,501	1,655
TOTALS.....	2,113	2,316

## THIRD SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	D. Pendleton	J. F. Throckmorton
Pleasants.....	261	466
Ritchie.....	495	231
Wirt.....	381	144
Wood.....	1,734	1,361
TOTALS.....	2,861	2,202

FOURTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	Wm. H. Vaught
Jackson .....	816
Mason .....	1,174
Roane .....	1,369
<b>TOTAL</b> .....	<b>3,359</b>

FIFTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	H. C. Taylor
Cabell .....	5,421
Lincoln .....	1,566
Putnam .....	1,253
<b>TOTAL</b> .....	<b>8,240</b>

SIXTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	E. W. Worrell
McDowell .....	1,527
Mingo .....	1,941
Wayne .....	1,760
Wyoming .....	1,011
<b>TOTAL</b> .....	<b>6,239</b>

## SEVENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	A. W. Reynolds, Jr.
Mercer.....	4,360
Monroe.....	1,916
Raleigh.....	2,747
Summers.....	1,808
TOTAL.....	9,831

## EIGHTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	J. F. Bouchelle	C. B. Johnson
Boone.....	600	1,764
Kanawha.....	4,246	5,339
Logan.....	446	2,137
TOTALS.....	5,292	9,230

## NINTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	A. B. Abbot
Clay.....	1,097
Fayette.....	4,948
Greenbrier.....	2,776
Nicholas.....	1,492
TOTAL.....	10,318

TENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	C. M. Bennett	A. C. Harold	W. S. Wyaone
Braxton.....	1,253	1,545	493
Calhoun.....	794	958	292
Gilmer.....	1,401	673	82
Pocahontas.....	198	522	227
Webster.....	183	837	760
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>3,829</b>	<b>4,535</b>	<b>1,854</b>

ELEVENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	Chas. E. Hodges
Marion.....	3,988
Monongalia.....	1,745
Taylor.....	865
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>6,598</b>

TWELFTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	C. C. Davis	Ray W. Garvin
Doddridge.....	157	120
Harrison.....	2,440	2,025
Lewis.....	937	943
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>3,534</b>	<b>3,988</b>

THIRTEENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	Ben H. Hiner	
Barbour .....	1,668	
Pendleton .....	1,420	
Randolph .....	3,542	
Upshur .....	459	
<b>TOTAL</b> .....	<b>7,098</b>	

FOURTEENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	H. H. McNeemar	J. H. L. Pugh
Grant .....	115	33
Hardy .....	854	202
Mineral .....	232	208
Preston .....	155	494
Tucker .....	633	383
<b>TOTALS</b> .....	<b>1,989</b>	<b>1,320</b>

FIFTEENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	Adam B. Link	Robert White
Berkeley .....	735	806
Hampshire .....	786	1,462
Jefferson .....	1,833	1,376
Morgan .....	30	248
<b>TOTALS</b> .....	<b>3,384</b>	<b>3,892</b>



NOMINEES FOR HOUSE OF DELEGATES

**Barbour County**

Republican—Wm. Floyd Bennett, Philippi  
Democrat—Herman J. Poling, Philippi

**Berkeley County**

Republican—John H. Zirkle, Martinsburg  
James S. Daily, Martinsburg  
Democrat—A. M. Giltert, Martinsburg  
Herbert L. Alexander, Martinsburg

**Boone County**

Republican—W. R. Calfee, Whitesville  
Democrat—E. E. White, Madison

**Braxton County**

Republican—V. G. Bender, Chapel  
Democrat—G. B. Armstrong, Sutton  
James McDunn, Casfield

**Brooke County**

Republican—J. L. Deuley, Wellsburg  
Democrat—P. J. McGuire, Wellsburg

**Cabell County**

Republican—M. M. Tyree, LeSage  
T. R. Riffe, Huntington  
Homer Booth, Huntington  
Ralph R. Robinson, Huntington  
Democrat—H. Watson Stareher, Huntington  
A. J. Wilkinson, Huntington  
G. A. (Abc) Davis, Huntington  
Wiltbert H. Norton, Huntington

**Calhoun County**

Republican—D. N. Conley, Russett  
Democrat—George W. Hays, Arnoldsburg

**Clay County**

Republican—O. L. Hall, Clay  
Democrat—S. W. Bryant, Clay

**Doddridge County**

Republican—L. B. Wolverton, Sherwood  
Democrat—V. B. Lowther, Blandville

**Fayette County**

Republican—Gordon Blizzard, Edmond  
C. M. Jarrell, Oak Hill  
A. C. Prince, Lawton  
O. C. Reuter, Montgomery  
Democrat—J. Alfred Taylor, Fayetteville  
Robert Douglas, Glen Ferris  
R. I. Matthews, Montgomery  
J. H. MacQueen, Fayetteville

**Gilmer County**

Republican—No Nominee  
Democrat—E. E. Cottrill, Sand Fork

**Grant County**

Republican—J. L. Revcoval, Lahmansville  
Democrat—Dr. J. B. Grove, Petersburg

**Greenbrier County**

Republican—W. B. Hines, White Sulphur Springs  
W. S. Thompson, East Rainelle  
Democrat—W. W. Martin, East Rainelle  
William W. Foster, Lewisburg

**Hampshire County**

Republican—Page W. Rannels, Levels  
Democrat—Ira V. Cowgill, Romney

**Hancock County**

Republican—R. M. Brown, New Cumberland  
Democrat—O. O. Allison, Chester

**Hardy County**

Republican—C. O. Moton, Rio  
Democrat—J. D. Chipley, Moorefield

**Harrison County**

Republican—James W. Bartlett, Clarksburg  
M. Warner Davis, Salem  
James M. Guiber, Clarksburg  
Creed S. Simons, Clarksburg  
Democrat—Edgar E. Richter, Shinnston  
Arlos J. Harlert, Clarksburg  
Henry W. Bassel, Clarksburg  
Byron B. Randall, Clarksburg

**Jackson County**

Republican—H. O. Futer, Kenna  
J. F. Alderman, Fletcher  
Democrat—No Nominee

**Jefferson County**

Republican—No Nominee  
Democrat—C. L. Haines, Charles Town

**Kanawha County**

Republican—James O. Lakin, Charleston  
Harold S. Matthews, Charleston  
J. Howard Hurdley, Charleston  
Edward M. Keatley, Charleston  
Edward Calverwood, Charleston  
Mrs Virginia M. Boone, Charleston  
Democrat—Alvin J. Barnhart, Charleston  
J. N. Kenna, Charleston  
John H. Campbell, Chelyan  
Carl C. Calvert, Chelyan  
Samuel E. Bowen, So. Charleston

**Lewis County**

Republican—J. H. Davis, Weston  
Democrat—Rush D. Holt, Weston

**Lincoln County**

Republican—M. Elkins, Sheridan  
Democrat—M. D. Goode, Griffithsville

**Logan County**

Republican—H. S. Gay, Jr., Mount Gay  
Democrat—W. E. Ferrell, Chapmanville

**Marion County**

Republican—George R. Brooks, Fairmont  
M. L. Brown, Fairmont  
Joe R. Diggs, Fairmont  
Democrat—J. Minor Dunham, Fairmont  
Paul Haymond, Fairmont  
Earl H. Smith, Fairmont

**Marshall County**

Republican—Chauncey D. Hinerman, Cameron  
Everett F. Moore, Moundsville  
Democrat—John C. Myers, Moundsville

**Mason County**

Republican—George A. Rairden, Leon  
Dr. M. J. Lilly, Fraziers Bottom  
Democrat—Pat M. Wilson, Ambrosia  
G. E. Byus, Henderson

**Mercer County**

Republican—Walton B. Caldwell, Matoaka  
H. E. DeJarnette, Princeton  
T. K. Massie, R. F. D. Princeton  
Democrat—O. H. Ballard, Princeton  
Will C. Easley, Bluefield  
A. J. Lubliner, Bluefield

**Mineral County**

Republican—O. S. W. Fazenbaker, Keyser  
Democrat—J. K. Stagers, Keyser

**Mingo County**

Republican—Robert C. Pritchard, Williamson  
Democrat—Wade H. Bronson, Williamson

**Monongalia County**

Republican—Dr. J. W. Hartigan, Morgantown  
Hu S. Vandervort, Morgantown  
Democrat—Cyrus F. Boyers, Morgantown  
Jesso M. Jacob, Morgantown

**Monroe County**

Republican—Dr. C. C. Ballard, Gap Mills  
Democrat—L. H. Talbott, Union

**Morgan County**

Republican—H. D. Beeler, Berkeley Springs  
Democrat—J. C. Scott, Berkley Springs

**McDowell County**

Republican—Stewart A. Calhoun, Keystone  
R. T. Holbrook, Davy  
Joe Mirabile, Weloh  
M. H. Tabor, Crumpler  
Democrat—A. H. Tabor, Iaeger  
L. C. Compton, Iaeger

**Nicholas County**

Republican—Maxwell Malcolm, Kessler's X Lanes  
Democrat—Dr. E. S. Frame, Fenwick

**Ohio County**

Republican—John T. Carter, Wheeling  
Geo. A. Laughlin, Wheeling  
John Ulrich, Wheeling  
J. William Cummins, Wheeling  
Democrat—Andy V. Fisher, Wheeling  
Russell A. Klicoves, Wheeling  
C. Lee Spillers, Wheeling  
Joseph R. Curl, Wheeling

**Pendleton County**

Republican—No Nominee  
Democrat—R. M. Hiner, Franklin

**Pleasants County**

Republican—W. H. Steers, St. Marys  
Democrat—T. J. Hieckel, Belmont

**Pocahontas County**

Republican—Dr. Geo. F. Hull, Durbin  
Democrat—William C. Gardner, Clover Lick

**Preston County**

Republican—B. S. Rankin, Kingwood  
James Henry Smith, Bruceston Mills  
Democrat—J. H. Warrick, Kingwood

**Putnam County**

Republican—R. C. Mullins, Buffalo  
Democrat—R. L. Gibson, Poca

**Raleigh County**

Republican—R. A. Riggs, Winding Gulf  
Thomas H. Wickham, Beckley  
Democrat—W. A. Thornhill, Jr., Beckley  
Clarence W. Meadows, Beckley

**Randolph County**

Republican—Mrs. A. M. Fredlock, Elkins  
Democrat—Frank C. Baker, Elkins  
C. H. Scott, Elkins

**Ritchie County**

Republican—Robert Morris, Harrisville  
Democrat—D. S. Boggs, Pennsboro

**Roano County**

Republican—W. Hunter Smith, Wallback  
John McGilton, Walton  
Democrat—E. J. Harris, Spencer  
O. C. Pence, Spencer

**Summers County**

Republican—No Nominee  
Democrat—W. J. B. Simmons, Sandstone

**Taylor County**

Republican—Guy D. Hammond, Grafton  
 Democrat—Fred E. Watkins, Grafton

**Tucker County**

Republican—L. H. Mott, Parsons  
 Democrat—A. F. Suder, Thomas

**Tyler County**

Republican—J. S. Roberts, Iuka  
 Democrat—H. C. Hamilton, Alma

**Upshur County**

Republican—Lycurgus Hyre, Buckhannon  
 Democrat—Frank Whitescarver, Buckhannon

**Wayne County**

Republican—A. F. Evans, Cram  
 I. V. Perry, Radnor  
 Democrat—O. J. Rife, Kenova  
 J. O. Marcum, Ceredo

**Webster County**

Republican—H. Ward Cooper, Wetster Springs  
 Democrat—F. N. Sycamore, Webster Springs

**Wetzel County**

Republican—W. D. Brothers, New Martinsville  
 Emma M. Kirkhart, Hundred  
 Democrat—Donley V. Brown, Paden City  
 Lee Cusack, New Martinsville

**Wirt County**

Republican—E. D. Ball, Elizabethtown  
 Democrat—James L. Smith, Elizabethtown

**Wood County**

Republican—Francis I. Radenbaugh, Parkersburg  
 J. F. Bennett, Parkersburg  
 H. J. Ross, R. F. D. Parkersburg  
 Democrat—Ben H. Butcher, Parkersburg  
 George W. Dye, Parkersburg  
 J. M. Melrose, Mineral Wells, R. F. D.

**Wyoming County**

Republican—J. H. Cooper, Pineville  
 Democrat—George W. Sutherland, Pineville

## PRIMARY STATISTICS 1930

COUNTIES	Number of Precincts	Total Registration	Republicans	Democrats	Socialists and others
Barbour.....	34	9,512	5,195	4,237	80
Berkeley.....	44	16,249	8,972	7,071	206
Boone.....	34	10,637	4,620	5,800	127
Braxton.....	50	11,290	4,881	6,332	77
Brooke.....	23	10,222	6,293	3,748	181
Cabell.....	104	47,736	23,457	23,739	540
Calhoun.....	17	5,384	2,100	3,284	.....
Clay.....	20	5,516	2,756	2,760	.....
Doddridge.....	20	5,583	3,784	1,778	21
Fayette.....	109	33,290	16,028	16,992	270
Gilmer.....	24	5,739	1,977	3,737	25
Grant.....	15	4,125	3,398	727	.....
Greenbrier.....	55	17,896	7,769	9,974	153
Hampshire.....	27	6,378	1,862	4,516	.....
Hancock.....	17	10,447	7,930	2,517	.....
Hardy.....	13	4,926	1,691	3,122	113
Harrison.....	103	38,466	20,347	17,694	425
Jackson.....	33	9,167	5,434	3,648	85
Jefferson.....	22	9,881	3,020	6,703	158
Kanawha.....	173	82,913	44,213	37,091	1,609
Lewis.....	47	11,394	6,210	5,089	95
Lincoln.....	31	8,558	4,203	4,350	5
Logan.....	60	25,357	13,897	11,359	101
Marion.....	61	33,269	17,490	14,854	925
Marshall.....	50	18,563	11,903	6,164	496
Mason.....	36	11,050	6,589	4,350	111
Mercer.....	78	29,993	14,526	15,034	433
Mitchell.....	24	10,777	6,608	4,066	103
Mingo.....	38	16,658	9,144	7,466	48
Monongalia.....	53	23,270	14,312	8,385	573
Monroe.....	19	6,576	3,390	3,099	87
Morgan.....	20	4,493	3,275	1,207	11
McDowell.....	74	36,448	25,257	11,101	.....
Nicholas.....	34	10,006	4,587	5,315	84
Ohio.....	99	40,687	28,521	11,385	781
Pendleton.....	13	5,030	2,011	2,972	47
Pleasants.....	14	3,700	1,893	1,775	32
Pocahontas.....	30	7,068	3,394	3,575	99
Preston.....	52	14,367	11,013	3,274	80
Putnam.....	33	8,443	4,427	3,950	66
Raleigh.....	70	29,738	15,631	14,107	.....
Randolph.....	45	12,010	4,842	7,615	153
Ritchie.....	28	8,849	5,694	3,053	102
Roane.....	26	10,380	5,671	4,644	65
Summers.....	31	10,186	4,335	5,752	99
Taylor.....	28	10,052	5,764	4,178	110
Tucker.....	26	6,215	3,208	2,918	89
Tyler.....	26	7,470	4,769	2,607	94
Upshur.....	37	9,763	7,296	2,408	59
Wayne.....	41	16,068	6,836	9,172	60
Webster.....	21	6,701	2,498	4,183	20
Wetzel.....	39	11,493	4,727	6,690	76
Wirt.....	17	3,555	1,727	1,798	30
Wood.....	79	31,583	16,861	14,316	406
Wyoming.....	30	9,566	5,904	3,662	.....
TOTAL.....	2,347	855,293	464,140	381,543	9,610

VOTE FOR DEMOCRATIC ELECTORS BY COUNTIES 555

VOTE FOR PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

For President  
For Vice President

Alfred E. Smith  
Joseph T. Rotirson

Of New York  
Of Arkansas

COUNTIES	DEMOCRATIC ELECTORS							
	Charles W. Campbell	Charles F. Hughes	J. Bernard Handlan	Joe Gillson	Robert L. Bland	Mrs. George W. Johnson	J. T. Ferrell	Edward W. Knight
Barbour.....	3,491	3,455	3,454	3,459	3,454	3,450	3,455	3,453
Berkeley.....	3,540	3,535	3,531	3,532	3,520	3,529	3,525	3,529
Boone.....	4,805	4,791	4,790	4,791	4,792	4,811	4,795	4,792
Braxton.....	4,582	4,567	4,563	4,566	4,570	4,562	4,565	4,563
Brooke.....	2,419	2,405	2,411	2,410	2,405	2,404	2,403	2,400
Calhoun.....	15,340	15,274	15,266	15,266	15,260	15,250	15,255	15,274
Calwell.....	2,170	2,169	2,167	2,169	2,168	2,166	2,167	2,171
Clay.....	1,929	1,921	1,918	1,919	1,920	1,917	1,919	1,954
Doddridge.....	1,202	1,146	1,139	1,199	1,196	1,194	1,196	1,213
Fayette.....	12,351	12,319	12,301	12,311	12,299	12,292	12,286	12,301
Gilmer.....	2,213	2,202	2,299	2,207	2,206	2,291	2,295	2,314
Grant.....	542	542	538	538	537	535	536	527
Greenville.....	6,141	6,128	6,122	6,119	6,123	6,110	6,112	6,115
Hampshire.....	2,132	2,129	2,127	2,127	2,123	2,118	2,125	2,124
Hancock.....	1,884	1,880	1,878	1,872	1,872	1,873	1,872	1,865
Hardy.....	1,965	1,960	1,958	1,958	1,957	1,956	1,956	1,956
Harrison.....	12,483	12,485	12,462	12,462	12,474	12,450	12,452	12,456
Jackson.....	2,452	2,425	2,443	2,442	2,442	2,449	2,446	2,441
Jefferson.....	3,312	3,308	3,306	3,309	3,307	3,300	3,308	3,307
Kanawha.....	25,563	25,510	25,485	25,504	25,505	25,477	25,468	25,506
Lewis.....	3,825	3,798	3,787	3,789	3,819	3,785	3,783	3,798
Lincoln.....	3,416	3,412	3,411	3,411	3,412	3,409	3,408	3,410
Lohan.....	9,944	9,909	9,910	9,907	9,909	9,897	9,896	9,891
Marion.....	10,133	10,120	10,101	10,116	10,103	10,091	10,100	10,097
Marshall.....	4,785	4,770	4,765	4,765	4,762	4,763	4,756	4,756
Mason.....	2,814	2,800	2,795	2,796	2,796	2,802	2,804	2,798
Mercer.....	10,273	10,259	10,255	10,252	10,254	10,246	10,253	10,245
Mineral.....	2,310	2,303	2,305	2,306	2,304	2,298	2,302	2,303
Mingo.....	6,801	6,776	6,770	6,770	6,769	6,769	6,765	6,766
Monongalia.....	6,182	6,182	6,152	6,163	6,146	6,150	6,142	6,141
Monroe.....	2,346	2,346	2,344	2,345	2,344	2,341	2,342	2,343
Morgan.....	758	756	756	756	755	755	755	755
McDowell.....	8,294	8,267	8,253	8,255	8,253	8,258	8,190	8,252
Nicholas.....	3,495	3,481	3,473	3,477	3,475	3,466	3,469	3,472
Ohio.....	13,132	13,129	13,187	13,115	13,112	13,109	13,103	13,109
Pendleton.....	1,921	1,914	1,913	1,911	1,909	1,910	1,909	1,909
Pleasants.....	1,210	1,208	1,205	1,208	1,205	1,204	1,208	1,216
Pocahontas.....	2,487	2,473	2,472	2,470	2,497	2,468	2,468	2,475
Preston.....	2,355	2,335	2,329	2,371	2,320	2,319	2,317	2,318
Putnam.....	2,406	2,298	2,395	2,395	2,394	2,394	2,394	2,396
Raleigh.....	10,366	9,957	9,952	9,946	9,945	9,940	9,944	9,949
Randolph.....	5,055	5,065	5,054	5,051	5,066	5,053	5,052	5,051
Ritchie.....	1,711	1,710	1,704	1,706	1,711	1,703	1,704	1,701
Roane.....	3,007	2,997	2,994	3,014	2,993	2,990	2,992	2,993
Summers.....	3,752	3,746	3,742	3,745	3,743	3,742	3,747	3,734
Taylor.....	2,548	2,539	2,535	2,534	2,535	2,532	2,532	2,527
Tucker.....	2,263	2,258	2,255	2,256	2,256	2,254	2,253	2,255
Tyler.....	1,591	1,584	1,586	1,587	1,587	1,587	1,585	1,588
Upshur.....	1,683	1,688	1,677	1,682	1,679	1,677	1,678	1,673
Wayne.....	5,177	5,158	5,164	5,165	5,157	5,153	5,156	5,173
Weston.....	2,306	2,302	2,300	2,298	2,295	2,296	2,296	2,297
Wetzel.....	4,052	4,033	4,029	4,018	4,018	4,016	4,017	4,022
Wirt.....	1,272	1,268	1,268	1,268	1,272	1,264	1,266	1,264
Wood.....	6,412	6,401	6,398	6,394	6,395	6,400	6,398	6,394
Wyoming.....	3,047	3,047	3,047	3,047	3,047	3,047	3,047	3,047
Totals.....	263,784	262,550	262,442	262,539	262,483	262,240	262,183	262,379

## VOTE FOR PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

For President  
For Vice PresidentNorman Thomas  
James H. MaurerOf New York  
Of Pennsylvania

COUNTIES	SOCIALIST ELECTORS							
	E. F. Miller	John C. Chase	Luther McIntyre	T. A. Swan	W. E. Anson	J. Forest Potts	Robert Wood	T. C. Summers
Barbour.....								
Berkeley.....	16	16	10	16	10	16	16	16
Boone.....	10	16	16	16	16	16	16	14
Braxton.....	0	6	0	0	0	0	6	0
Brooke.....	16	15	16	15	15	15	15	15
Cabell.....	47	48	48	48	54	50	48	48
Calhoun.....	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7
Clay.....	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
Doddridge.....								
Fayette.....	38	37	38	37	37	37	37	37
Gilmer.....	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	
Grant.....	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
Greenbrier.....	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18
Hampshire.....								
Hancock.....	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12
Hardy.....	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
Harrison.....	98	96	96	96	96	96	94	95
Jackson.....								
Jefferson.....	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6
Kanawha.....	70	70	70	70	70	70	70	70
Lewis.....	19	19	19	20	18	19	20	20
Lincoln.....								
Logan.....	7	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
Marion.....	315	312	312	312	311	315	307	311
Marshall.....	39	41	41	41	40	41	41	41
Mason.....	21	21	21	21	21	21	21	21
Mercer.....	12	12	12	12	12	13	12	11
Mineral.....	25	27	25	25	25	25	22	22
Mingo.....	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7
Monongalia.....	91	88	88	88	88	88	88	88
Monroe.....	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
Morgan.....	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6
McDowell.....	11	11	11	11	12	11	12	10
Nicholas.....	8	8	8	7	8	8	8	9
Ohio.....	122	122	122	122	122	122	122	122
Pendleton.....								
Pleasants.....								
Pocahontas.....	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	5
Freston.....	22	21	21	21	21	21	21	22
Putnam.....	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15
Raleigh.....								
Randolph.....	40	40	39	39	39	41	40	39
Ritchie.....	10	9	9	9	9	9	9	9
Roane.....	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7
Summers.....	2	2	2	2	2	3	2	2
Taylor.....	19	19	19	10	19	19	19	19
Tucker.....	56	54	54	54	54	54	55	54
Tyler.....	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7
Upshur.....	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16
Wayne.....	16	15	15	15	14	14	14	13
Webster.....	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
Webster.....	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
Webster.....	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
Webster.....	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
Webster.....	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
Webster.....	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
Webster.....	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
Wetzel.....	20	18	19	18	18	18	18	18
Wirt.....	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
Wood.....	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30
Wyoming.....								
Totals.....	1,313	1,298	1,208	1,205	1,208	1,303	1,288	1,286

VOTE FOR PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

For President  
For Vice President

William Z. Foster  
Benjamin Gitlow

Of Illinois  
Of New York

COUNTIES	WORKERS ELECTORS						
	Steve Ph. Karidemos	Andrew Matyalk, Jr.	Stephen Carr	Andrew Matyalk	Peter Radulovic	Nick Zifranos	Martin Slanicki
Barbour							
Berkeley	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
Boone	5	8	4	4	8	8	8
Braxton	3	2	3	2	3	3	2
Brooke	16	13	13	13	13	12	14
Cabell	21	23	20	22	19	21	21
Calhoun							
Clay	7	6	6	6	6	6	6
Doddridge							
Fayette	6	5	5	5	5	5	5
Gilmer	7	8	8	8	8	8	8
Grant	1	1	1	2	1	1	1
Greenbrier	10	8	8	8	7	7	7
Hampshire							
Hancock							
Hardy							
Harrison	16	16	16	16	16	16	16
Jackson							
Jefferson	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Kanawha	34	35	34	35	34	35	34
Lewis	6	4	4	4	5	4	4
Lincoln							
Logan	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
Marion	21	22	21	21	23	22	22
Marshall	33	33	34	33	33	33	33
Mason	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Mercer	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
Mineral	6	6	6	6	6	6	6
Mingo	3	1	1	1	1	1	1
Monongalia	8	8	7	9	9	7	8
Monroe	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Morgan	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
McDowell	10	8	8	9	8	6	5
Nicholas	9	10	8	8	8	8	9
Ohio	56	51	51	50	50	51	50
Pendleton							
Pleasants							
Pocahontas	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Preston	11	10	11	11	10	10	11
Putnam	5	4	5	4	4	5	4
Raleigh							
Randolph	8	11	11	11	11	11	11
Ritchie	2	2	2	2	2	1	1
Roane	7	7	7	7	7	7	7
Summers	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
Taylor	7	7	7	7	7	7	7
Tucker	9	9	9	9	9	9	9
Tyler	13	13	13	13	13	13	13
Upshur	5	4	3	3	3	3	3
Wayne	8	8	7	6	7	6	6
Webster	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Wetzel	7	5	5	5	5	5	6
Wirt							
Wood	14	14	14	14	14	14	14
Wyoming							
Totals	401	389	379	380	382	378	379

## VOTE FOR PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

For President  
For Vice PresidentWilliam F. Varney  
James A. EdgertonOf New York  
Of Virginia

COUNTIES	PROHIBITION ELECTORS							
	J. W. Eschford	V. E. Moller	Wesley C. Kron	Charles H. Brantley	Ellen H. Cleverton	S. C. Campbell	Joseph S. Thornberg	Squire Halstead
Barbour.....								
Berkeley.....	23	23	23	23	23	23	23	23
Boone.....	9	7	8	9	9	9	9	9
Braxton.....	32	33	32	32	32	32	32	32
Brooke.....	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	17
Cabell.....	84	81	80	80	81	79	79	82
Calhoun.....	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
Clay.....	5	5	5	5	3	6	5	5
Douderidge.....								
Fayette.....	60	59	60	59	59	58	58	62
Gilmer.....	17	17	17	17	18	17	17	18
Grant.....	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
Greentrier.....	32	32	32	32	32	32	32	32
Hampshire.....	15	15	15	14	14	14	14	14
Hancock.....	17	17	18	17	17	17	17	17
Harley.....	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
Harrison.....	232	229	229	229	234	229	227	227
Jackson.....								
Jefferson.....	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15
Kanawha.....	80	80	80	80	80	80	80	80
Lewis.....	81	80	81	81	79	80	80	80
Lincoln.....								
Logan.....	30	27	27	27	27	28	27	27
Marion.....	106	105	104	105	105	106	104	102
Marshall.....	51	50	50	51	49	50	50	50
Mason.....	22	22	22	22	22	22	22	21
Mercer.....	36	34	33	33	34	34	33	35
Mineral.....	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
Mingo.....	17	18	18	18	18	18	18	19
Monongalia.....	89	89	89	90	90	89	88	89
Mourne.....	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14
Morgan.....	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
McDowell.....	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Nicholas.....	52	50	49	50	49	49	49	50
Ohio.....	41	40	40	40	40	40	40	40
Pendleton.....								
Pleasants.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Pocahontas.....	21	20	20	20	20	20	20	19
Preston.....	45	43	45	43	45	44	43	43
Putnam.....	21	21	21	21	21	21	21	21
Raleigh.....								
Randolph.....	28	28	27	26	28	26	27	27
Ritchie.....	41	40	39	40	40	40	39	40
Roane.....	18	19	19	20	20	20	20	20
Summers.....	12	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
Taylor.....	30	31	31	31	30	31	30	31
Tucker.....	19	19	20	20	20	20	20	20
Tyler.....	41	41	41	41	41	41	41	41
Upshur.....	36	34	34	34	34	34	34	33
Wayne.....	18	17	17	17	17	17	17	17
Webster.....	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6
Wetzel.....	32	32	31	31	32	31	31	29
Wirt.....	34	34	33	33	33	33	33	33
Wood.....	81	81	81	81	81	81	81	81
Wyoming.....								
Totals.....	1,703	1,679	1,677	1,678	1,683	1,677	1,667	1,676



VOTE FOR REPUBLICAN ELECTORS BY COUNTIES

VOTE FOR PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

COUNTIES	For President	Herbert Hoover	REPUBLICAN ELECTORS					
	For Vice President	Charles Curtis	Of California	Of Kansas				
	Herbert Hoover	Mrs. James A. Meredith	Harry C. Compton	Mrs. A. M. Frebeck	J. E. Overton	John B. Faston	John J. Irwin	L. Burke O'Neal
Barbour.....	4,023	4,011	4,015	4,012	4,009	4,010	4,007	4,008
Berkeley.....	8,477	8,461	8,468	8,468	8,467	8,466	8,461	8,461
Boone.....	4,000	3,982	3,983	3,981	3,981	3,983	3,981	3,972
Braxton.....	4,028	4,007	4,012	4,007	4,009	4,007	4,005	3,999
Brooke.....	5,277	5,259	5,257	5,252	5,245	5,246	5,245	5,249
Cabell.....	1,091	21,040	21,055	21,040	21,050	21,234	21,031	21,009
Calhoun.....	1,745	1,734	1,737	1,734	1,735	1,735	1,732	1,717
Clay.....	2,551	2,539	2,539	2,534	2,536	2,537	2,535	2,534
Doddrige.....	2,919	2,895	2,900	2,895	2,901	2,895	2,894	2,888
Fayette.....	12,961	12,919	12,922	12,919	12,921	12,928	12,920	12,921
Gilmer.....	1,705	1,685	1,686	1,685	1,684	1,684	1,680	1,683
Grant.....	2,648	2,632	2,632	2,638	2,630	2,630	2,617	2,622
Greenbrier.....	6,423	6,396	6,397	6,395	6,395	6,330	6,394	6,390
Hampshire.....	1,779	1,775	1,774	1,772	1,774	1,773	1,771	1,772
Hancock.....	5,461	5,452	5,445	5,441	5,439	5,438	5,436	5,429
Harly.....	1,611	1,607	1,607	1,606	1,606	1,606	1,606	1,606
Harrison.....	17,502	17,444	17,419	17,425	17,438	17,442	17,417	17,410
Jackson.....	4,150	4,134	4,134	4,121	4,121	4,122	4,121	4,096
Jefferson.....	3,050	3,047	3,047	3,043	3,043	3,045	3,043	3,043
Kanawha.....	35,788	35,672	35,698	35,658	35,674	35,670	35,664	35,636
Lewis.....	5,290	5,277	5,273	5,275	5,261	5,267	5,273	5,286
Lincoln.....	3,823	3,814	3,817	3,813	3,814	3,816	3,816	3,807
Logan.....	11,404	11,371	11,365	11,365	11,363	11,358	11,360	11,357
Marion.....	16,088	16,058	16,066	16,044	16,055	16,053	16,050	16,034
Marshall.....	9,204	9,131	9,130	9,129	9,131	9,126	9,128	9,119
Mason.....	5,125	5,108	5,095	5,097	5,094	5,095	5,092	5,082
Mercer.....	12,887	12,846	12,850	12,850	12,842	12,842	12,843	12,824
Mineral.....	5,860	5,846	5,851	5,844	5,844	5,854	5,847	5,848
Mingo.....	6,904	6,808	6,871	6,866	6,869	6,859	6,859	6,856
Monongalia.....	11,364	11,236	11,343	11,335	11,331	11,334	11,333	11,330
Monroe.....	3,025	3,018	3,021	3,018	3,019	3,018	3,018	3,018
Morgan.....	2,539	2,530	2,531	2,532	2,528	2,526	2,527	2,524
McDowell.....	14,810	14,735	14,742	14,726	14,732	14,723	14,750	14,720
Nicholas.....	3,917	3,898	3,902	3,895	3,896	3,897	3,897	3,893
Ohio.....	20,064	20,008	20,005	20,000	19,999	20,003	19,991	19,978
Penitton.....	1,710	1,710	1,711	1,709	1,710	1,711	1,710	1,710
Pleasants.....	1,821	1,804	1,805	1,802	1,808	1,807	1,802	1,802
Pocahontas.....	3,141	3,122	3,125	3,122	3,128	3,127	3,124	3,119
Preston.....	7,783	7,641	7,745	7,718	7,727	7,722	7,732	7,715
Putnam.....	3,346	3,335	3,334	3,329	3,331	3,328	3,324	3,332
Raleigh.....	11,581	11,484	11,491	11,483	11,848	11,478	11,477	11,477
Randolph.....	4,436	4,420	4,427	4,450	4,419	4,419	4,420	4,419
Ritchie.....	4,185	4,187	4,184	4,176	4,180	4,173	4,169	4,167
Roane.....	4,472	4,425	4,398	4,390	4,400	4,393	4,433	4,431
Summers.....	4,063	4,056	4,057	4,057	4,057	4,057	4,057	4,055
Taylor.....	5,101	5,091	5,105	5,093	5,092	5,089	5,089	5,085
Tucker.....	2,525	2,511	2,517	2,512	2,503	2,506	2,506	2,506
Tyler.....	3,881	3,867	3,864	3,861	3,864	3,868	3,859	3,858
Upshur.....	5,277	5,255	5,251	5,241	5,243	5,018	5,244	5,244
Wayne.....	5,630	5,583	5,591	5,575	5,578	5,571	5,569	5,560
Webster.....	1,936	1,929	1,928	1,928	1,926	1,925	1,927	1,929
Wetzel.....	4,428	4,408	4,400	4,394	4,389	4,394	4,385	4,381
Wirt.....	1,561	1,555	1,554	1,554	1,555	1,553	1,549	1,548
Wood.....	15,184	15,155	15,151	15,136	15,141	15,151	15,128	15,120
Wyoming.....	3,987	3,987	3,987	3,987	3,987	3,987	3,987	3,987
Totals.....	375,551	373,907	374,244	373,957	373,964	373,871	373,835	373,586

## VOTE FOR UNITED STATES SENATOR AND JUDGES SUPREME COURT

COUNTIES	U. S. SENATOR			JUDGES SUPREME COURT			
	Mathew M. Neely (Democrat)	M. S. Felt (Socialist)	Henry D. Hatfield (Republican)	Joseph N. Kenna (Democrat)	Andrew Price (Democrat)	Raymond Maxwell (Republican)	John H. Hatcher (Republican)
Barbour.....	3,962		3,720	3,586	3,650	3,899	3,780
Berkeley.....	4,687	13	7,410	4,316	4,305	7,473	7,435
Boone.....	5,024	10	3,822	4,851	4,844	3,910	3,895
Braxton.....	5,098	2	3,650	4,777	4,770	3,890	3,834
Brooke.....	3,047	13	4,687	2,501	2,505	4,889	4,831
Catell.....	18,114	24	18,898	16,823	16,586	19,078	19,011
Calloun.....	2,266	6	1,643	2,264	2,269	1,651	1,634
Clay.....	2,166	2	2,425	2,054	2,057	2,489	2,472
Doddridge.....	1,748		2,472	1,293	1,320	2,750	2,565
Fayette.....	13,729	30	11,778	12,937	12,887	12,080	12,214
Gilmer.....	2,743	2	1,414	2,400	2,394	1,567	1,506
Grant.....	771	2	2,415	595	601	2,603	2,474
Greentree.....	6,999	11	5,741	6,557	6,634	5,920	5,875
Hampshire.....	2,716		1,265	2,529	2,521	1,346	1,335
Hancock.....	2,175	14	5,117	1,770	1,758	5,251	5,230
Hardy.....	2,225	3	1,411	2,084	2,074	1,443	1,436
Harrison.....	16,697	92	13,815	12,300	13,332	17,829	16,131
Jackson.....	2,989		3,737	2,719	2,715	3,939	3,923
Jefferson.....	4,083	6	2,395	3,990	3,969	2,410	2,410
Kanawha.....	32,692	46	20,083	28,445	28,291	32,465	32,425
Lewis.....	4,866	38	4,373	3,590	4,063	5,586	4,870
Lincoln.....	3,719		3,748	3,604	3,606	3,718	3,729
Logan.....	10,315	4	11,158	10,098	10,052	10,905	10,915
Marion.....	14,278	223	12,071	11,120	11,482	14,750	14,082
Marshall.....	6,020	33	7,936	4,906	4,906	8,326	8,219
Mason.....	3,528	7	4,588	3,160	3,135	4,797	4,793
Mercer.....	11,698	6	11,627	11,174	11,030	11,626	11,699
Mineral.....	3,504	16	4,698	2,788	2,818	5,253	5,204
Mingo.....	6,779	6	6,883	6,591	6,572	6,806	6,789
Monongalia.....	8,220	54	9,315	6,272	6,496	11,095	10,191
Monroe.....	2,635	2	2,827	2,540	2,539	2,889	2,886
Morgan.....	990		2,303	864	864	2,259	2,235
McDowell.....	8,345	4	14,766	8,004	7,981	14,299	14,290
Nicholas.....	3,975	3	3,597	3,748	3,754	3,714	3,684
Ohio.....	15,230	82	17,507	12,008	12,016	19,240	18,859
Pendleton.....	2,088		1,614	2,033	2,022	1,621	1,602
Pleasants.....	1,457		1,643	1,379	1,382	1,664	1,653
Pocahontas.....	2,870	1	2,798	2,613	2,825	2,887	2,774
Preston.....	3,014	12	7,110	2,268	2,265	7,510	7,365
Putnam.....	2,893	13	3,222	2,774	2,773	3,239	3,226
Raleigh.....	11,723		10,048	10,528	10,032	10,692	11,368
Randolph.....	6,119	22	3,468	5,460	5,559	3,870	3,700
Ritchie.....	2,409	5	3,550	1,984	2,008	3,864	3,799
Roane.....	3,418	7	4,152	3,226	3,234	4,293	4,274
Summers.....	4,513		3,394	4,159	4,098	3,603	3,714
Taylor.....	3,559	11	4,068	2,686	2,781	4,635	4,448
Tucker.....	2,533	32	2,257	2,219	2,227	2,369	2,292
Tyler.....	2,149	6	3,385	1,790	1,791	3,565	3,528
Upshur.....	2,678	5	4,355	1,742	1,833	5,056	4,835
Wayne.....	5,646	9	5,274	5,365	5,329	5,070	5,057
Westster.....	2,517	3	1,762	2,415	2,408	1,782	1,764
Wetzel.....	5,075	8	3,523	4,370	4,391	3,795	3,693
Wirt.....	1,578	2	1,359	1,442	1,437	1,439	1,428
Wood.....	9,980	30	12,051	8,285	8,187	12,760	12,607
Wyoming.....	3,368		3,918	3,132	3,098	4,003	4,042
Totals.....	317,620	919	327,266	279,128	280,485	350,653	344,030

# VOTE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS AND GOVERNOR 561

## VOTE FOR ROAD AMENDMENT, LEGISLATIVE AMENDMENT AND GOVERNOR

COUNTIES	ROAD AMENDMENT		LEGISLATIVE AMENDMENT		GOVERNOR		
	For Ratification	Against Ratification	For Ratification	Against Ratification	J. Alfred Taylor (Democrat)	J. H. Spier (Socialist)	Wm. G. Conley (Republican)
Barbour.....	4,347	1,605	3,754	1,374	3,780		3,856
Berkeley.....	5,101	816	4,071	630	4,432	12	7,596
Boone.....	3,336	1,079	1,588	595	5,007	5	3,854
Braxton.....	5,657	1,503	4,039	1,564	4,900	4	3,847
Brooke.....	5,145	145	4,326	1,277	20,661	12	4,994
Cabell.....	17,495	4,355	12,036	3,024	17,482	22	19,307
Calhoun.....	3,573	203	2,898	225	2,342	6	1,640
Clay.....	3,135	503	1,517	600	2,059	2	2,471
Doddridge.....	2,160	1,235	1,540	1,235	1,437		2,714
Fayette.....	12,955	4,587	10,599	4,276	14,205	20	11,379
Gilmer.....	3,371	611	2,364	855	2,547	2	1,5
Grant.....	1,845	522	1,670	373	633	3	2,565
Greenbrier.....	8,315	1,730	6,856	1,660	7,137	11	5,469
Hampshire.....	3,225	337	2,877	274	2,567		1,408
Hancock.....	4,506	913	3,931	866	1,844	12	5,432
Hardy.....	2,915	205	2,333	195	2,134		1,461
Harrison.....	13,307	6,962	11,077	5,691	14,168	84	16,149
Jackson.....	4,732	1,124	3,833	1,203	2,811		3,914
Jefferson.....	2,901	1,401	3,035	725	4,054	6	2,445
Kanawha.....	30,895	5,717	22,543	5,091	29,716	40	32,351
Lewis.....	4,542	2,484	5,025	2,685	4,624	12	4,621
Lincoln.....	3,519	615	1,359	366	3,624		3,727
Logan.....	9,046	845	4,263	604	10,253	5	11,639
Marion.....	14,732	4,396	11,496	4,540	11,837	465	14,213
Marshall.....	6,787	3,846	6,062	2,843	5,344	33	8,556
Mason.....	4,934	1,694	3,977	1,433	3,230	4	4,878
Mercer.....	13,463	2,525	9,581	2,455	11,531	6	11,733
Mineral.....	4,655	1,040	4,047	1,022	2,900	15	5,247
Mingo.....	5,547	269	2,226	102	6,764	74	6,878
Monongalia.....	11,554	2,576	9,444	2,655	6,631	2	10,795
Monroe.....	3,136	1,044	1,827	598	2,624	2	2,843
Morgan.....	2,445	274	2,053	332	520		2,352
McDowell.....	14,141	604	9,820	931	8,238	4	14,610
Nicholas.....	5,445	958	3,931	1,261	3,944	3	3,616
Ohio.....	18,516	6,301	15,322	5,130	12,863	84	19,658
Pendleton.....	2,755	543	2,921	285	2,684		1,632
Pleasants.....	2,230	400	1,897	465	1,431		1,654
Pocahontas.....	3,587	995	3,188	863	2,915	1	2,789
Preston.....	7,563	1,464	6,300	1,574	2,285	15	7,920
Putnam.....	3,855	822	2,470	835	2,850	14	3,247
Raleigh.....	7,339	1,134	3,580	1,077	11,599		10,242
Randolph.....	7,141	1,424	6,077	1,157	5,750	24	3,837
Ritchie.....	3,927	1,472	3,105	1,563	2,187	6	3,805
Roane.....	4,805	1,772	3,958	1,848	3,366		4,224
Summers.....	5,015	1,255	3,724	1,225	4,361		3,423
Taylor.....	4,571	1,759	3,364	2,242	3,151	11	4,437
Tucker.....	3,189	722	2,964	864	2,344	34	2,413
Tyler.....	3,840	1,360	3,279	1,337	1,892	6	3,626
Upshur.....	4,389	1,888	3,426	1,803	2,420	6	4,632
Wayne.....	6,395	1,605	4,237	1,533	5,574	11	5,157
Webster.....	2,264	699	3,301	484	2,477	3	1,785
Wetzel.....	5,225	1,438	4,048	1,564	4,665	10	3,813
Wirt.....	2,047	595	1,777	602	1,491		1,432
Wood.....	14,064	4,215	10,582	3,804	9,197	25	12,453
Wyoming.....	4,523	502	3,215	963	3,252		4,023
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>360,597</b>	<b>92,885</b>	<b>275,374</b>	<b>85,123</b>	<b>296,637</b>	<b>1,124</b>	<b>345,909</b>

## VOTE FOR SECRETARY OF STATE, STATE SUPERINTENDENT OF FREE SCHOOLS AND TREASURER

COUNTIES	SECRETARY OF STATE			STATE SUPERINTENDENT OF FREE SCHOOLS			TREASURER		
	Mrs. William Campbell (Democrat)	V. B. Glasgow (Socialist)	George W. Sharp (Republican)	H. Lalan White (Democrat)	I. C. Miller (Socialist)	William C. Cook (Republican)	Richard E. Tallott (Democrat)	Mary R. Glasgow (Socialist)	W. S. Johnson (Republican)
Barbour.....	3,634		3,872	3,847		3,718	4,104		3,470
Berkeley.....	4,385	11	7,520	4,157	11	7,455	4,367	11	7,498
Boone.....	4,854	5	3,009	4,905	5	3,888	4,870	5	3,904
Braxton.....	4,755	4	3,896	5,087	4	3,637	4,811	5	3,756
Brooke.....	2,540	13	4,958	2,617	15	4,933	2,545	13	4,901
Cabell.....	16,476	24	19,568	16,938		19,265	16,814		19,198
Caldwell.....	2,274	5	1,659	2,353	5	1,620	2,200		1,644
Clay.....	2,066	2	2,484	2,110	2	2,410	2,057	2	2,182
Doddridge.....	1,316		2,726	1,776		2,352	1,361		2,680
Fayette.....	12,810	24	12,311	13,075	23	12,128	12,735	23	12,146
Gilmer.....	2,409		1,549	2,754		1,347	2,145	3	1,535
Grant.....	586	3	2,524	687		2,463	616	3	2,501
Greenup.....	6,267	11	6,317	6,662	12	5,916	6,583	11	5,982
Hampshire.....	2,509		1,382	2,559		1,365	2,526		1,378
Hancock.....	1,771	15	5,369	1,802	15	5,279	1,764	15	5,287
Harley.....	2,109	2	1,437	2,133	2	1,138	2,101	2	1,438
Harrison.....	13,358	80	16,600	15,167	78	14,955	13,917	78	16,951
Jackson.....	2,708		3,961	2,783		3,001	2,725		3,939
Jefferson.....	4,011	7	2,415	4,067	6	2,397	4,024	6	2,411
Kanawha.....	27,415	41	33,838	23,867	12	32,318	23,171	41	32,597
Lewis.....	4,121	16	4,908	4,997	12	4,161	4,242	15	4,804
Letcher.....	3,607		3,731	3,619		3,723	3,609		3,721
Logan.....	10,091	3	10,986	10,081	3	11,005	10,090	3	10,953
Marion.....	11,403	271	11,414	12,359	237	13,662	11,829	250	14,024
Martinsburg.....	5,000	45	8,419	5,191	39	8,341	5,026	38	8,347
Mason.....	3,126	11	4,810	3,218	8	4,822	3,153	8	4,856
Mercer.....	11,013	8	11,896	11,067	6	12,003	11,113	6	11,761
Mineral.....	2,869	16	5,256	2,966	15	5,184	2,866	16	5,205
Mingo.....	6,565	5	6,829	6,607	2	6,851	6,627	5	6,804
Monongalia.....	6,398	69	10,681	6,999	59	10,231	6,753	60	10,364
Monroe.....	2,509	2	2,927	2,536	2	2,811	2,512	2	2,893
Morgan.....	856		2,303	959		2,230	861		2,321
McDowell.....	8,069	6	14,441	7,668	3	15,083	7,984	4	14,414
Nicholas.....	3,725	2	3,735	3,900	2	3,596	3,767	2	3,689
Ohio.....	11,994	85	19,562	12,657	85	18,965	12,241	87	19,168
Pettit.....	2,051		1,631	2,073		1,613	2,051		1,615
Pleasants.....	1,378		1,686	1,422		1,611	1,387		1,663
Pocahontas.....	2,305	1	3,379	2,728	3	2,883	2,679	4	2,903
Preston.....	2,291	16	7,530	2,557	14	7,418	2,341	16	7,472
Putnam.....	2,756	14	3,261	2,798	14	3,239	2,772	11	3,247
Raleigh.....	10,534		10,806	10,474		11,020	10,519		10,812
Randolph.....	5,430	26	3,931	5,823	23	3,633	5,715	26	3,683
Ritchie.....	2,009	7	3,855	2,226	7	3,694	2,038	6	3,840
Roane.....	3,227		4,298	3,393		4,166	3,244		4,300
Summers.....	4,239		3,638	4,259		3,587	4,226		3,592
Taylor.....	2,722	13	4,624	3,238	10	4,220	3,131	12	4,274
Tucker.....	2,221	32	2,397	2,355	34	2,300	2,395	31	2,314
Tyler.....	1,787	8	3,616	1,942	6	3,406	1,842	6	3,566
Upshur.....	1,825	4	4,933	2,312	5	4,643	2,030	4	4,780
Wayne.....	5,355	11	5,147	5,456	12	5,007	5,398	11	5,107
Webster.....	2,415	3	1,804	2,525	3	1,700	2,435	3	1,780
Wetzel.....	4,406	10	3,796	4,590	11	3,758	4,444	13	3,760
Wirt.....	1,459		1,456	1,465		1,442	1,457		1,445
Wood.....	8,281	27	12,956	9,069	23	12,373	8,608	27	12,705
Wyoming.....	3,122		4,054	3,067		4,188	3,198		4,057
Totals.....	270,516	960	352,084	293,281	862	341,041	285,841	880	345,25

VOTE FOR AUDITOR

COUNTIES	AUDITOR—SHORT TERM			AUDITOR—LONG TERM		
	John W. Caldwell (Democrat)	Della Pearl Franklin (Socialist)	Sam T. Mallison (Republican)	John W. Caldwell (Democrat)	A. E. Elfer (Socialist)	Edene C. Lawson (Republican)
Barbour.....			3,906	3,585		3,900
Berkeley.....		14	7,608	4,319	11	7,492
Boone.....		5	3,901	4,864	5	3,897
Braxton.....		6	3,906	4,898	6	3,877
Brooke.....		14	4,981	4,517	13	4,894
Cabell.....		29	19,418	18,806	25	19,101
Calhoun.....		5	1,659	2,277	5	1,648
Clay.....		2	2,475	2,056	2	2,476
Daviess.....		2	2,719	1,343		2,737
Fayette.....		26	12,354	12,683	25	12,231
Gilmer.....		2	1,585	2,413		1,547
Grant.....		3	2,507	606		2,494
Greenbrier.....		13	6,032	6,563	11	5,974
Hampshire.....			1,396	2,507		1,365
Hancock.....		18	5,315	1,776	17	5,255
Harly.....		3	1,443	2,095		1,443
Harrison.....		99	17,198	13,458	78	16,344
Jackson.....			3,952	2,721		3,946
Jefferson.....		7	2,428	3,992		2,420
Kanawha.....		43	33,164	23,445	39	32,619
Lewis.....		19	5,090	4,152	39	4,853
Lincola.....			3,725	3,607		3,723
Logan.....		4	10,977	10,078	3	10,937
Marion.....		289	14,755	11,552	250	14,221
Marshall.....		28	8,492	4,960	34	8,337
Mason.....		11	4,866	3,172	8	4,830
Mercer.....		8	11,821	11,181	7	11,675
Mineral.....		19	5,339	2,741	16	5,223
Mingo.....		6	6,833	6,593	5	6,801
Monongalia.....	5	69	10,865	6,455	58	10,554
Monroe.....		4	2,907	2,537	2	2,902
Morgan.....		2	2,288	876		2,273
McDowell.....		8	14,414	7,951	1	14,369
Nicholas.....		2	3,735	3,742	2	3,715
Ohio.....		122	19,982	12,106	86	19,172
Pendleton.....			1,624	2,044		1,630
Pleasants.....			1,793	1,278		1,668
Pocahontas.....		3	2,968	2,647	3	2,928
Preston.....		28	7,539	2,270	15	7,514
Putnam.....		12	3,256	2,776	11	3,249
Raleigh.....			10,833	10,577		10,696
Randolph.....		35	3,958	5,469	27	3,898
Ritchie.....		10	3,914	2,034	6	3,814
Roane.....			4,300	3,232		4,305
Summers.....			3,604	4,225		3,564
Taylor.....		11	4,645	2,804	13	4,508
Tucker.....		38	2,438	2,205	32	2,370
Tyler.....		8	3,656	1,323	6	3,573
Upshur.....		7	4,992	1,833	7	4,963
Wayne.....		11	5,112	5,378	11	5,076
Webster.....		3	1,808	2,423	3	1,773
Wetzel.....		15	3,892	4,431	9	3,746
Wirt.....			1,447	1,453		1,446
Wood.....		27	13,081	8,557	26	12,685
Wyoming.....			4,062	3,117		4,045
Totals.....	6	1,088	353,258	284,223	927	346,696

## VOTE FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL AND COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTIES	ATTORNEY GENERAL			COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE		
	Robert L. Ramsey (Democrat)	G. H. Duthie (Socialist)	Howard B. Lee (Republican)	Willie Fought (Democrat)	J. B. West (Socialist)	John W. Smith (Republican)
Barbour.....	3,641		3,856	3,607		3,871
Berkeley.....	4,318	12	7,518	4,295	11	7,521
Boone.....	4,866	5	3,890	4,850		3,900
Braxton.....	4,791	4	3,868	4,755	1	3,801
Brooke.....	3,183	10	4,415	2,497	2	4,900
Cabell.....	16,684	26	19,202	16,720		10,018
Calhoun.....	2,254	5	1,660	2,271		1,651
Clay.....	2,061	2	2,473	2,055		2,478
Doddridge.....	1,351		2,700	1,316		2,737
Fayette.....	12,896	25	12,199	12,901		12,143
Gilmer.....	2,404	2	1,545	2,372	2	1,586
Grant.....	605	2	2,504	590		2,511
Greentree.....	6,541	11	5,964	6,537		5,903
Hampshire.....	2,505		1,370	2,501		1,371
Hancock.....	2,016	17	5,119	1,786	6	5,255
Hardy.....	2,095	2	1,443	2,086	2	1,441
Harrison.....	13,371	100	16,411	13,307	81	16,465
Jackson.....	2,730		3,934	2,724		3,942
Jefferson.....	3,005	6	2,410	3,983		2,411
Kanawha.....	28,106	80	32,855	28,076		32,788
Lewis.....	4,125	19	4,847	3,875	12	5,143
Linceln.....	3,601		3,722	3,602		3,724
Logan.....	10,081	3	10,950	10,065	3	10,636
Marion.....	11,607	240	14,186	11,494	50	14,253
Mars Hill.....	5,045	32	8,285	4,940		8,304
Mason.....	3,149	8	4,832	3,138	9	4,824
Mercer.....	11,060	6	12,051	11,110	6	11,670
Mineral.....	2,810	15	5,262	2,806	4	5,247
Mingo.....	6,626	5	6,833	6,572	5	6,802
Monongalia.....	6,517	60	10,497	6,352	20	10,588
Monroe.....	2,537	2	2,898	2,532		2,806
Morgan.....	867		2,282	860		2,283
McDowell.....	7,992	4	14,394	7,954		14,313
Nicholas.....	3,751	2	3,700	3,725		3,711
Ohio.....	12,751	82	18,696	12,170		19,120
Penckleton.....	2,038		1,627	2,013		1,626
Pleasants.....	1,384		1,668	1,382		1,662
Pocahontas.....	2,641	2	2,914	2,624	4	2,920
Preston.....	2,302	15	7,174	2,259	6	7,537
Putnam.....	2,761	11	3,245	2,765	11	3,250
Raleigh.....	10,292		10,876	10,394		10,689
Randolph.....	5,493	29	3,835	5,476		3,857
Ritchie.....	2,009	8	3,845	2,030	2	3,830
Roane.....	3,245		4,271	3,230		4,203
Summers.....	4,194		3,591	4,202		3,575
Taylor.....	2,805	12	4,506	2,769	9	4,552
Tucker.....	2,315	30	2,382	2,204	29	2,368
Tyler.....	1,800	6	3,611	1,808	6	3,583
Upshur.....	1,833	6	4,916	1,777	4	5,013
Wayne.....	5,359	11	5,090	5,337	6	5,098
Webster.....	2,427	3	1,777	2,400		1,785
Wetzel.....	4,478	11	3,733	4,423	10	3,756
Wirt.....	1,426		1,475	1,460		1,444
Wood.....	8,545	26	12,728	8,801	24	12,451
Wyoming.....	3,080		4,053	3,113		4,027
Totals.....	283,371	957	346,410	280,943	325	347,001

FIRST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	Paul R. Wellman Democrat	Carl G. Paefmann Republican
Brooke.....	2,555	5,022
Hancock.....	1,824	5,327
Marion.....	11,288	14,818
Marshall.....	5,684	8,328
Ohio.....	11,987	20,621
Taylor.....	2,799	4,685
Wetzel.....	4,529	3,845
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>40,666</b>	<b>62,646</b>

SECOND CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	Ben H. Hiner Democrat	Frank Clifton Socialist	Frank L. Bowman Republican
Barbour.....	3,797	.....	3,809
Berkeley.....	4,414	10	7,612
Grant.....	931	3	2,254
Hampshire.....	2,709	.....	1,296
Hardy.....	2,205	.....	1,434
Jefferson.....	4,001	1	2,483
Mineral.....	3,208	.....	4,992
Monongalia.....	6,103	39	11,349
Morgan.....	920	.....	2,337
Pendleton.....	2,452	.....	1,294
Preston.....	2,423	8	7,727
Randolph.....	5,985	20	3,576
Tucker.....	2,492	34	2,261
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>41,640</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>52,424</b>

THIRD CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	William S. O'Brien Democrat	John M. Wolverton Republican
Braxton.....	4,892	3,822
Calhoun.....	2,308	1,681
Clay.....	2,091	2,470
Davidridge.....	1,448	2,612
Gilmer.....	2,566	1,505
Harrison.....	14,798	15,449
Lewis.....	4,641	4,564
Nichols.....	3,858	3,683
Ritchie.....	2,138	3,755
Unshar.....	3,224	3,884
Webster.....	2,513	1,742
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>44,477</b>	<b>45,167</b>

## FOURTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	Harry H. Darnall Democrat	James A. Hughes Republican
Cabell.....	16,841	19,773
Jackson.....	2,744	3,046
Mason.....	3,161	4,882
Pleasants.....	1,375	1,688
Putnam.....	2,772	3,281
Roane.....	3,334	4,199
Tiler.....	1,895	3,646
Wirt.....	1,467	1,437
Wood.....	8,468	12,820
Totals.....	42,057	55,672

## FIFTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	John Kee Democrat	Hugh Ike Shott Republican
Lincoln.....	3,595	3,744
Logan.....	10,095	10,960
Mercer.....	10,936	12,327
Mingo.....	6,657	6,812
Monroe.....	2,536	2,917
McDowell.....	8,744	13,989
Summers.....	4,222	3,618
Wayne.....	5,424	5,148
Wolfe.....	3,107	4,044
Totals.....	55,376	63,559

## SIXTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	Joe L. Smith Democrat	E. T. England Republican
Boone.....	4,882	3,938
Fayette.....	13,160	12,135
Greenup.....	6,591	6,014
Kanawha.....	28,505	32,861
Pocahontas.....	2,726	2,890
Raleigh.....	11,981	9,779
Totals.....	67,845	67,617



## FIRST SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	George L. Bamlrick Democrat	W. E. Wells, Jr. Republican
Brooke.....	2,563	4,852
Hancock.....	2,171	5,037
Ohio.....	11,971	19,032
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>16,705</b>	<b>28,921</b>

## SECOND SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	Thomas J. Hamilton Democrat	Evan G. Roberts Republican
Marshall.....	5,345	8,231
Tyler.....	1,817	3,568
Wetzel.....	4,482	3,748
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>11,644</b>	<b>15,547</b>

## THIRD SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	Staley W. Collins Democrat	Thomas J. Davis Republican
Pleasants.....	1,390	1,657
Ritchie.....	2,571	3,341
Wirt.....	1,458	1,435
Wood.....	8,459	12,584
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>13,878</b>	<b>19,017</b>

## FOURTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	George W. Johnson Democrat (Short Term)	Fred E. Vandale Democrat (Long Term)	Wm. E. Walter Republican (Short Term)	Wm. Woodyard Republican (Long Term)
Jackson.....	2,914	2,780	3,745	3,899
Mason.....	3,160	3,148	4,795	4,800
Roane.....	3,103	3,477	4,258	4,053
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>9,177</b>	<b>9,405</b>	<b>12,798</b>	<b>12,752</b>

## FIFTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	C. Willie Freeman Democrat (Short Term)	M. D. Goode Democrat (Long Term)	B. W. West Republican (Short Term)	Jacob D. Smith Republican (Long Term)
Cabell.....	17,021	16,820	18,841	19,182
Lincoln.....	3,488	3,670	3,623	3,672
Putnam.....	2,771	2,810	3,142	3,172
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>23,280</b>	<b>23,300</b>	<b>25,606</b>	<b>26,026</b>

## STATE SENATORS, 1928 VOTE

## SIXTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	E. C. Runyon Democrat	L. E. Wood's Republican
McDowell.....	8,815	13,680
Mingo.....	6,749	6,735
Wayne.....	5,241	5,012
Wyoming.....	3,118	4,005
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>23,923</b>	<b>29,441</b>

## SEVENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	E. C. Minter Democrat	John Q. H. Hinson Republican
Mercer.....	11,274	11,519
Monroe.....	2,533	2,895
Raleigh.....	10,515	10,890
Summers.....	4,194	3,625
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>28,516</b>	<b>28,929</b>

## EIGHTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	S. B. Lawson Democrat	M. T. Miller Republican
Boone.....	4,838	3,923
Kanawha.....	28,595	32,093
Logan.....	10,321	10,790
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>43,754</b>	<b>46,806</b>

## NINTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	P. N. Wiseman Democrat	James McClung Republican
Clay.....	2,055	2,470
Fayette.....	13,536	12,103
Greenbrier.....	6,553	6,040
Nicholas.....	3,949	3,577
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>25,593</b>	<b>24,190</b>

## TENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	Albert G. Mathews Democrat	William McN. Buckley Republican
Braxton.....	4,805	3,868
Calhoun.....	2,478	1,493
Gilmer.....	2,457	1,503
Pocahontas.....	2,502	2,985
Webster.....	2,431	1,766
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>14,763</b>	<b>11,615</b>

## ELEVENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	Norman F. Kendall Democrat	W. Merle Watkins Republican
Marion.....	11,734	14,144
Montgomery.....	6,519	10,362
Taylor.....	2,764	4,764
Totals.....	21,017	29,270

## TWELFTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	Hunter M. Bennett Democrat	John R. Davis Republican
Dallam.....	1,390	2,656
Harrison.....	13,656	16,164
Lewis.....	4,149	5,037
Totals.....	19,185	23,857

## THIRTEENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	Matthew Edmiston Democrat	Harry B. Martin Republican
Barbour.....	3,648	3,860
Penitton.....	2,026	1,635
Randolph.....	5,117	4,387
Upshur.....	2,432	4,520
Totals.....	13,223	14,402

## FOURTEENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	H. C. Waybright Democrat	A. L. Helmick Republican
Grant.....	622	2,485
Harley.....	2,065	1,435
Mineral.....	2,837	5,255
Preston.....	2,244	7,492
Tucker.....	2,023	2,712
Totals.....	9,791	19,379

## FIFTEENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	Harry P. Hershaw Democrat	Walter R. Hill Republican
Berkeley.....	5,211	6,705
Hamshire.....	2,656	1,305
Jefferson.....	4,036	2,380
Morgan.....	923	2,216
Totals.....	12,826	12,606

**FIRST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT**  
(This Circuit elects two judges.)

COUNTIES	J. B. Sommerville Democrat	J. H. Brennan Republican
Brooke.....	7,358	7,195
Hancock.....	7,010	7,014
Ohio.....	31,069	31,051
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>45,437</b>	<b>45,260</b>

**SECOND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT**

COUNTIES	James F. Shipman Democrat	I. M. Underwood Republican
Marshall.....	7,475	6,398
Tyler.....	1,947	3,605
Wetzel.....	4,837	3,589
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>14,259</b>	<b>13,592</b>

**THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT**

COUNTIES	S. O. Prunty Republican
Dodridge.....	2,550
Pleasants.....	1,723
Ritchie.....	4,026
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>8,299</b>

**FOURTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT**

COUNTIES	John W. Martin Democrat	W. E. McDougale Republican
Wirt.....	1,800	1,145
Wood.....	12,425	9,689
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>14,225</b>	<b>10,834</b>

**FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT**

COUNTIES	S. Paris Bell Democrat	Lewis H. Miller Republican
Calhoun.....	2,572	1,429
Jackson.....	2,853	3,862
Mason.....	3,301	4,737
Roane.....	3,507	3,938
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>12,323</b>	<b>13,966</b>

## SIXTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

COUNTIES	William R. Thompson Democrat	Thomas R. Sipler Republican
Cabell.....	16,473	19,616
Lincoln.....	3,611	3,745
Putnam.....	2,782	3,241
Totals.....	22,866	26,602

## SEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

COUNTIES	Robert Bland Democrat	Naaman Jackson Republican
Logan.....	10,150	11,088

## EIGHTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

COUNTIES	I. C. Herndon Republican
Mingo.....	6,388
McDowell.....	14,516
Totals.....	20,904

## NINTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

COUNTIES	John W. Pendleton Democrat	Howell M. Tanner Republican
Mercer.....	11,386	11,762
Wyoming.....	3,225	3,967
Totals.....	14,611	15,729

## TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

COUNTIES	C. M. Ward Democrat	Hugh A. Dunn Republican
Boone.....	4,862	3,905
Raleigh.....	11,164	10,603
Summers.....	4,211	3,680
Totals.....	20,237	18,188

## ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

COUNTIES	Samuel Frice Democrat	Summers H. Sharp Republican
Greenbrier.....	5,988	6,693
Monroe.....	2,439	3,022
Pocahontas.....	2,303	3,403
Totals.....	10,730	13,118

## CIRCUIT COURT JUDGES, 1928 VOTE

## TWELFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

COUNTIES	T. A. Myles Democrat	J. W. Eary Republican
Fayette.....	12,321	12,932
Nicholas.....	3,689	3,824
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>16,010</b>	<b>16,756</b>

## THIRTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

COUNTIES	Joseph E. Clifton Democrat	Arthur P. Hudson Republican
Kanawha.....	27,942	32,980

## FOURTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

COUNTIES	Jake Fisher Democrat	J. D. Jones Republican
Braxton.....	4,500	4,107
Clay.....	2,104	2,446
Gilmer.....	1,375	2,253
Webster.....	2,416	1,844
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>10,895</b>	<b>10,740</b>

## FIFTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

COUNTIES	Fred L. Stinn Democrat	Birk S. Stathers Republican
Harrison.....	13,467	16,528
Lewis.....	3,044	5,491
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>17,111</b>	<b>22,019</b>

## SIXTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

COUNTIES	L. S. Schweneck Democrat	Harry Shaw Republican
Marion.....	12,426	13,915

## SEVENTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

COUNTIES	Terrace D. Stewart Democrat	Charles G. Baker Republican
Monongalia.....	7,972	9,482

EIGHTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT	
COUNTY	A. G. Hughes Republican
Preston.....	9,910

NINETEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT		
COUNTIES	W. T. Ice, Jr. Democrat	Warren B. Kittle Republican
Barbour.....	4,551	3,127
Taylor.....	3,048	4,482
Totals.....	7,599	7,609

TWENTIETH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT		
COUNTIES	H. G. Kemp Democrat	H. Roy Waugh Republican
Randolph.....	6,177	3,485
Upshur.....	2,668	4,477
Totals.....	8,840	7,962

TWENTY FIRST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT		
COUNTIES	A. J. Valentine Republican	Wm. McDonald Democrat
Grant.....	2,492	654
Mineral.....	5,331	2,894
Tucker.....	2,727	2,008
Totals.....	10,550	5,556

TWENTY SECOND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT		
COUNTIES	G. K. Kemp Democrat	Jno. Ielman Republican
Hampshire.....	2,663	16
Harley.....	2,148	.....
Pendleton.....	2,101	.....
Totals.....	6,912	16

TWENTY THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT		
COUNTIES	W. W. Downey Democrat	Decatur H. Rogers Republican
Berkeley.....	4,578	7,579
Jefferson.....	3,845	2,719
Morgan.....	931	2,288
Totals.....	9,354	12,586

TWENTY FOURTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT		
COUNTIES	Charles W. Ferguson Democrat	B. J. Fricard Republican
Wayne.....	5,874	5,128

## VOTES FOR MEMBERS OF HOUSE OF DELEGATES 1928

<b>Barbour County—One Delegate</b>		<b>Hampshire County—One Delegate</b>	
Herman J. Poling, Democrat.....	1,060	Gaudy G. Davis, Democrat.....	2,651
William A. Street, Republican.....	3,592	No Republican Candidate.	
<b>Berkeley County—Two Delegates</b>		<b>Hancock County—One Delegate</b>	
H. L. Alexander, Democrat.....	1,687	J. Paul Finley, Democrat.....	2,733
J. L. Weaver, Democrat.....	4,288	Thomas F. McKenzie, Republican.....	4,490
Charles Bear, Republican.....	7,446		
Laey I. Rice, Republican.....	7,365	<b>Hardy County—One Delegate</b>	
<b>Boone County—One Delegate</b>		J. D. Chipley, Democrat.....	2,082
E. E. White, Democrat.....	4,977	No Republican candidate.	
R. H. Ball, Republican.....	3,834	<b>Harrison County—Four Delegates</b>	
<b>Braxton County—Two Delegates</b>		Ray W. Garvin, Democrat.....	13,922
L. T. Harvey, Democrat.....	4,856	John Patton, Democrat.....	13,050
J. C. Dean, Democrat.....	4,810	Edgar E. Righter, Democrat.....	13,850
C. W. Marple, Republican.....	3,871	Charles T. Stealey, Democrat.....	13,655
W. K. Bender, Republican.....	3,875	James W. Bartlett, Republican.....	16,499
<b>Brooke County—One Delegate</b>		Harvey W. Harmer, Republican.....	16,108
Harry A. Lenhart, Democrat.....	2,638	Karl B. Kyle, Republican.....	15,030
James L. Dealey, Republican.....	4,829	E. Leslie Long, Republican.....	15,896
<b>Cabell County—Four Delegates</b>		<b>Jackson County—Two Delegates</b>	
H. Watson Starcher, Democrat.....	17,352	C. W. Staats, Democrat.....	2,829
J. S. Shafer, Democrat.....	17,018	J. B. Southall, Democrat.....	2,710
Joe G. Gearty, Democrat.....	17,436	Harry Riley, Republican.....	3,889
Lee A. Wolford, Democrat.....	17,257	E. M. McClinton, Republican.....	3,924
Ralph R. Rolison, Republican.....	18,750	<b>Jefferson County—One Delegate</b>	
R. Lee Bowling, Republican.....	18,908	U. S. Martin, Democrat.....	4,132
R. F. Brammer, Republican.....	18,760	No Republican candidate.	
M. F. Leonard, Republican.....	18,685	<b>Kanawha County—Six Delegates</b>	
<b>Calhoun County—One Delegate</b>		Ben B. Brown, Democrat.....	20,163
George W. Hays, Democrat.....	2,435	Wirt W. Donnally, Democrat.....	28,905
Lynn S. Oles, Republican.....	1,597	Okey B. Johnson, Democrat.....	30,017
<b>Clay County—One Delegate</b>		Howard Kuhn, Democrat.....	28,244
S. H. McLane, Democrat.....	2,169	Chas. K. Payne, Democrat.....	30,852
L. J. Reed, Republican.....	2,376	John V. Ray, Democrat.....	29,584
<b>Doddridge County—One Delegate</b>		Edward Calverwood, Republican.....	31,624
Roy F. Randolph, Democrat.....	1,548	E. M. Keatley, Republican.....	31,957
Ira E. Smith, Republican.....	2,583	James O. Lakin, Republican.....	31,628
<b>Fayette County—Four Delegates</b>		Harold S. Mathews, Republican.....	30,777
J. H. MacQueen, Democrat.....	13,908	J. T. Nolen, Republican.....	30,078
W. H. Evans, Democrat.....	12,649	T. J. Rolson, Republican.....	31,260
R. L. Mathews, Democrat.....	13,090	<b>Lewis County—One Delegate</b>	
C. Lance Marshall, Democrat.....	12,737	Rush D. Holt, Democrat.....	4,352
Geo. M. Woodyard, Republican.....	12,152	J. W. Farnsworth, Republican.....	4,892
Os'el C. Parsons, Republican.....	12,112	<b>Lincoln County—One Delegate</b>	
F. N. Bacon, Republican.....	12,162	D. J. Johnston, Democrat.....	3,637
W. D. Lawton, Republican.....	12,116	Kile Toppins, Republican.....	3,710
<b>Gilmer County—One Delegate</b>		<b>Logan County—One Delegate</b>	
R. F. Kild, Democrat.....	2,382	Henry C. Hill, Democrat.....	10,025
Earl W. Bennett, Republican.....	1,713	Harry S. Gay, Republican.....	11,190
<b>Grant County—One Delegate</b>		<b>Marion County—Three Delegates</b>	
W. T. Hitchberger, Democrat.....	1,337	Homer C. Toothman, Democrat.....	12,408
J. L. Rexroad, Republican.....	1,894	Friend C. Loudenslager, Democrat.....	11,493
<b>Graenbriser County—Two Delegates</b>		J. Fred Beatty, Democrat.....	11,557
W. H. Garnett, Democrat.....	6,220	W. E. Miller, Socialist.....	203
W. T. Shepherd, Democrat.....	6,458	T. H. Vincent, Socialist.....	231
H. E. Williams, Republican.....	5,922	Bert Johnson, Socialist.....	228
John Raine, Republican.....	6,472	Rollo J. Conley, Republican.....	13,715
		M. L. Brown, Republican.....	14,162
		Fillsworth Morgan, Republican.....	13,761



<b>Marshall County—Two Delegates</b>		<b>Pleasants County—One Delegate</b>	
George W. Kelley, Democrat.....	5,056	George D. Stout, Democrat.....	1,384
Dr. Will F. Crow, Republican.....	8,584	Charles E. Fogle, Republican.....	1,706
Dr. C. E. Hutclinson, Republican.....	8,302		
<b>Mason County—Two Delegates</b>		<b>Pocahontas County—One Delegate</b>	
Pat. M. Wilson, Democrat.....	3,264	C. C. Clendennin, Democrat.....	2,607
O. K. Burdette, Democrat.....	3,375	George F. Hull, Republican.....	3,121
George A. Rairden, Republican.....	4,803		
Russell Starkey, Republican.....	4,471	<b>Preston County—Two Delegates</b>	
<b>Mercer County—Three Delegates</b>		L. A. Riser.....	2,322
F. M. Peters, Democrat.....	11,647	B. S. Tankin, Republican.....	7,540
G. C. Thompson, Democrat.....	11,210	James Henry Smith, Republican.....	7,674
E. Blake Wright, Democrat.....	11,268		
Roy A. Cole, Republican.....	11,467	<b>Putnam County—One Delegate</b>	
Zed B. Ellison, Republican.....	11,358	R. L. Gibson, Democrat.....	2,982
T. K. Massie, Republican.....	11,587	J. Stanley Stephens, Republican.....	3,084
<b>Mineral County—One Delegate</b>		<b>Raleigh County—Two Delegates</b>	
W. H. Barger, Democrat.....	3,225	Kyle D. Harper, Democrat.....	10,581
O. S. W. Fazeubaker, Republican.....	4,985	C. O. Dunn, Democrat.....	10,380
<b>Mingo County—One Delegate</b>		A. C. Sutin, Republican.....	11,000
E. A. Hansbarger, Democrat.....	6,569	J. Q. Stover, Republican.....	10,514
William B. Hogg, Republican.....	6,926	<b>Randolph County—Two Delegates</b>	
<b>Monongalia County—Two Delegates</b>		Frank C. Baker, Democrat.....	5,998
Floyd B. Cox, Democrat.....	6,567	Cyrus H. Scott, Democrat.....	5,559
Dailey M. Martin, Democrat.....	6,268	No Republican candidate.	
Edmund Gerard, Socialist.....	44	<b>Ritchie County—One Delegate</b>	
P. A. Poole, Socialist.....	40	Clem S. Morris, Democrat.....	2,436
J. W. Hartman, Republican.....	10,764	Harvey Cline, Republican.....	3,528
H. S. Vandervort, Republican.....	10,531	<b>Roane County—Two Delegates</b>	
<b>Monroe County—One Delegate</b>		Grover F. Hedges, Democrat.....	3,639
L. H. Talbot, Democrat.....	2,754	Chas. S. Meredith, Republican.....	4,195
E. S. Baker, Republican.....	2,691	Wm. P. Pool, Republican.....	3,550
<b>Morgan County—One Delegate</b>		<b>Summers County—One Delegate</b>	
J. C. Scott, Democrat.....	1,542	O. P. Vines, Democrat.....	4,211
S. S. Buzzard, Republican.....	1,826	Luther P. Graham, Republican.....	3,675
<b>McDowell County—Four Delegates</b>		<b>Taylor County—One Delegate</b>	
L. L. Bebefer, Democrat.....	8,380	Ralph H. Cline, Democrat.....	3,568
Mrs. Gladys Bingham, Democrat.....	7,953	Guy D. Hammond, Republican.....	4,047
J. T. Johnson, Democrat.....	8,005	<b>Tucker County—One Delegate</b>	
W. G. Williamson, Democrat.....	8,255	D. F. Cuppett, Republican.....	2,318
T. Edward Hill, Republican.....	13,821	M. B. West, Democrat.....	2,439
John D. Kennedy, Republican.....	14,089	<b>Tyler County—One Delegate</b>	
John W. Lutler, Republican.....	14,281	Sallie A. Rizzle, Democrat.....	2,302
M. H. Tabor, Republican.....	14,068	James T. Fonner, Republican.....	3,241
<b>Nicholas County—One Delegate</b>		<b>Upshur County—One Delegate</b>	
J. E. Brown, Democrat.....	3,791	No Democratic candidate.	
J. Elmer Bailes, Republican.....	3,711	B. C. Radabaugh, Republican.....	5,163
<b>Ohio County—Four Delegates</b>		<b>Wayne County—Two Delegates</b>	
John Burke, Democrat.....	11,485	General H. Marcum, Democrat.....	5,414
Frank Morrow, Democrat.....	11,607	W. B. Smith, Democrat.....	5,540
Arel Paul W. Paul, Democrat.....	13,047	John T. Hereford, Jr., Republican.....	5,379
Robert J. Riley, Democrat.....	12,531	<b>Webster County—One Delegate</b>	
John T. Carter, Republican.....	19,377	W. S. Wyson, Democrat.....	2,171
J. Wm. Cummins, Republican.....	19,192	Okey M. Cogar, Republican.....	2,120
Milton McColluch, Republican.....	18,641		
John Ulrich, Republican.....	18,796		
<b>Pendleton County—One Delegate</b>			
R. M. Hiber, Democrat.....	2,225		
L. A. Boggs, Republican.....	1,478		

**Wetzel County—Two Delegates**

Lee Cusack, Democrat.....	4,670
W. O. Gallagher, Democrat.....	4,562
H. D. Meredith, Republican.....	3,736
Wm. T. Price, Republican.....	3,641

**Wirt County—One Delegate**

Hugh Prather, Democrat.....	1,510
H. I. Shears, Republican.....	1,425

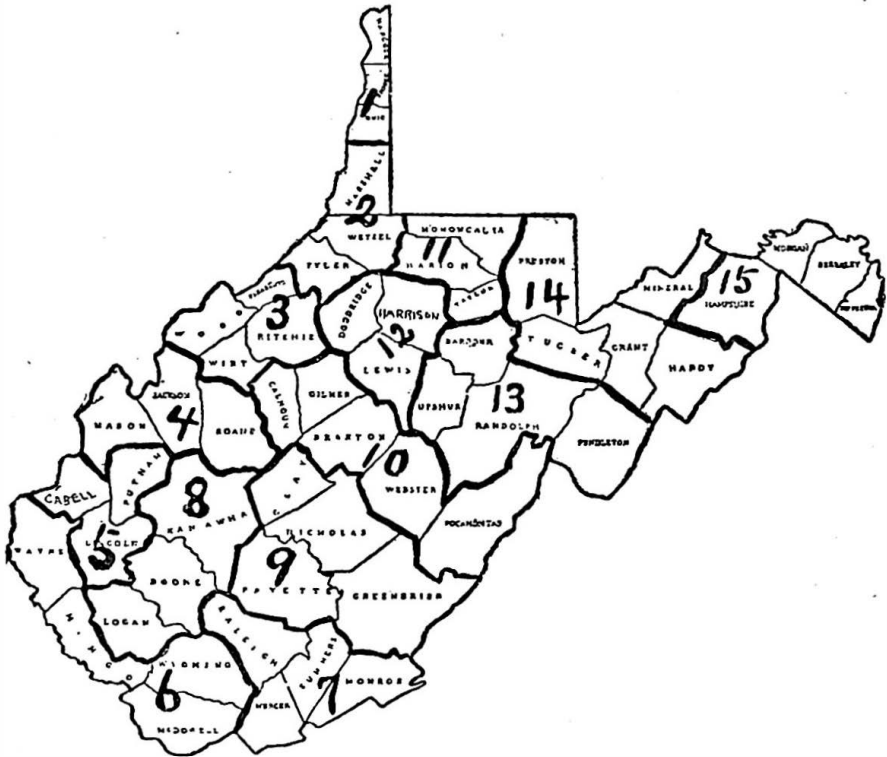
**Wood County—Three Delegates**

W. A. Allen, Democrat.....	8,511
S. J. Banks, Democrat.....	8,425
Floyd H. Poole, Democrat.....	8,456
J. F. Bennett, Republican.....	12,603
Thayer M. McIntyre, Republican.....	12,977
Frances I. Radenbaugh, Republican.....	12,675

**Wyoming County—One Delegate**

Geo. W. Sutherland, Democrat.....	3,480
Joseph H. Cooper, Republican.....	3,730

**MAP OF WEST VIRGINIA SENATORIAL DISTRICTS**



**Senatorial Districts**

- First—Hancock, Boone and Ohio.
- Second—Marshall, Tyler and Wetzel.
- Third—Pleasants, Ritalie, Wirt and Wood.
- Fourth—Jackson, Mason and Roane.
- Fifth—Cabell, Lincoln and Putnam.
- Sixth—McDowell, Mingo, Wayne and Wyoming.
- Seventh—Mercer, Monroe, Raleigh and Summers.
- Eighth—Boone, Kanawha and Logan.
- Ninth—Clay, Fayette, Greenbrier and Nicholas.

- Tenth—Braxton, Calhoun, Gilmer, Pocahontas and Wehster.
- Eleventh—Marion, Monongalia and Taylor.
- Twelfth—Doddridge, Harrison and Lewis.
- Thirteenth—Barbour, Pendleton, Randolph and Upshur.
- Fourteenth—Grant, Hardy, Mineral, Preston and Tucker.
- Fifteenth—Berkeley, Hampshire, Jefferson and Morgan.

WEST VIRGINIA'S VOTE FOR PRESIDENT—1924-1928

COUNTIES	1924					1928				
	John W. Davis Democrat	Gilbert O. Nations American	Robert M. LaFollette, Socialist	Robert M. LaFollette, Farmer-Labor	Calvin Coolidge, Republican	Alfred E. Smith Democrat	Norman Thomas Socialist	William F. Varney Prohibition	Herbert Hoover Republican	
Barbour.....	3,193	6	306	524	3,347	3,401			4,023	
Berkeley.....	4,396	2	116	204	5,427	3,540	16	23	8,477	
Bone.....	3,320	0	201	738	3,010	4,805	16	9	4,000	
Braxton.....	5,163	13	22	05	4,102	4,582	0	32	4,028	
Brooto.....	2,037	48	223	335	3,858	2,410	16	16	5,277	
Cabell.....	16,211	44	359	774	15,581	15,340	47	84	21,001	
Calhoun.....	2,231	1	1	1	1,300	2,170	7	11	1,745	
Clay.....	2,037			40	1,843	1,020	2	5	2,551	
Doddridge.....	1,504	1	20	27	2,777	1,202			2,919	
Fayette.....	9,563	20	354	2,057	10,555	12,351	38	60	12,061	
Gilmer.....	2,750	2	16	12	1,570	2,313	2	17	1,705	
Grant.....	659	4	32	07	2,344	542	2	4	2,648	
Greenbrier.....	6,048	57	146	269	4,708	6,141	18	32	6,423	
Hamshire.....	2,003	1	17	21	1,172	2,132		15	1,770	
Hancock.....	1,187	29	130	100	3,775	1,884	12	17	5,461	
Harly.....	2,442	3	14	10	1,272	1,065	3	3	1,611	
Harrison.....	13,470	60	681	1,328	15,165	12,483	08	232	17,562	
Jackson.....	2,030	8	23	28	3,730	2,452			4,150	
Jofferson.....	4,368	4	46	145	1,870	3,312	6	15	3,050	
Kanawha.....	22,726	136	1,481	2,500	26,018	25,563	70	80	35,788	
Lewis.....	4,410	3	81	137	4,830	3,825	10	81	5,200	
Lincoln.....	3,355		33	138	3,164	3,410			3,823	
Logan.....	7,377	43	169	401	7,001	9,044	7	30	11,404	
Marion.....	0,336	31	705	1,687	12,167	10,133	315	106	16,088	
Marshall.....	4,710	25	405	780	7,413	4,785	30	51	9,204	
Mason.....	3,303	10	121	426	4,225	2,814	21	22	5,125	
Mercer.....	10,058	31	557	1,565	0,159	10,273	12	36	12,887	
Mineral.....	2,860	0	108	530	3,551	2,310	25	11	5,860	
Mingo.....	5,313	24	215	862	4,656	6,801	7	17	6,904	
Monongalia.....	4,077	33	2,106		6,004	6,182	91	89	11,364	
Monroe.....	2,690		4	27	2,713	2,346	2	14	3,025	
Morgan.....	019	8	32	142	1,883	758	6	4	2,530	
McDowell.....	5,561	33	592	1,134	12,422	8,204	11	10	14,810	
Nicholas.....	3,056	0	41	81	3,347	3,405	8	52	3,017	
Ohio.....	8,753	55	3,416		14,402	13,132	122	41	20,064	
Pendleton.....	2,037		2	7	1,462	1,021			1,710	

VOTE FOR PRESIDENT, 1924-1928

WEST VIRGINIA'S VOTE FOR PRESIDENT—1924-1928

COUNTIES	1924					1928			
	John W. Davis Democrat	Gilbert O. Nations American	Robert M. LaFollette, Socialist	Robert M. LaFollette, Farmer-Labor	Calvin Coolidge, Republican	Alfred E. Smith Democrat	Norman Thomas Socialist	William F. Varney Prohibition	Herbert Hoover Republican
Pleasants.....	1,675	3	14	12	1,619	1,210	.....	1	1,821
Pocahontas.....	2,777	10	26	67	2,782	2,487	4	21	3,141
Preston.....	2,445	32	141	361	6,396	2,355	22	45	7,783
Putnam.....	2,946	2	93	220	2,862	2,406	15	21	3,346
Raleigh.....	7,776	9	365	693	8,643	10,366	.....	.....	11,581
Randolph.....	5,314	18	210	509	3,526	5,085	40	28	4,436
Ritchie.....	2,403	19	24	34	4,152	1,711	10	41	4,195
Roane.....	3,504	.....	.....	.....	4,097	3,007	7	18	4,472
Summers.....	3,998	9	55	338	3,124	3,752	2	12	4,063
Taylor.....	2,499	22	175	511	3,683	2,548	19	30	5,101
Tucker.....	2,127	28	223	337	2,277	2,263	56	19	2,525
Tyler.....	2,137	14	24	72	3,425	1,591	7	41	3,881
Upshur.....	1,952	4	43	90	4,930	1,683	16	36	5,277
Wayne.....	5,870	21	159	198	3,999	5,177	16	18	5,630
Webster.....	2,523	4	16	20	1,617	2,306	3	6	1,936
Wetzel.....	4,998	36	85	155	3,458	4,052	20	32	4,428
Wirt.....	1,587	7	6	13	1,491	1,272	2	34	1,561
Wood.....	378	52	195	344	10,086	6,412	30	81	15,184
Wyoming.....	2,358	5	106	287	3,327	3,047	.....	.....	3,987
Totals.....	257,232	1,072	14,903	21,820	288,635	263,784	1,313	1,703	375,551

\*Not segregated as to Socialist or Farmer-Labor tickets.

VOTE FOR UNITED STATES SENATOR—1924-1928

COUNTIES	1924			1928		
	W.E. Chilton, Democrat	M. S. Holt, Socialist	Guy D. Goff, Republican	Matthew M. Neely, Democrat	M. S. Holt, Socialist	Henry D. Hatfield Republican
Barbour.....	3,251	282	3,566	3,962		3,720
Berkeley.....	4,722	58	5,278	4,687	13	7,410
Boone.....	3,756	142	3,172	5,024	10	3,822
Braxton.....	5,261	18	4,194	5,098	2	3,650
Brooke.....	2,338	110	3,671	3,047	13	4,687
Cabell.....	16,823	218	15,575	18,114	24	18,898
Caltoin.....	2,221		1,449	2,266	6	1,643
Clay.....	2,027	8	1,868	2,166	2	2,425
Dalliriige.....	1,527	11	2,859	1,748		2,472
Fayette.....	10,450	467	10,553	13,729	30	11,778
Gilmer.....	2,681	16	1,605	2,743	2	1,414
Grant.....	672	27	2,343	771	2	2,115
Greenbrier.....	6,325	72	4,733	6,999	11	5,741
Hampshire.....	2,973	14	1,163	2,716		1,285
Hancock.....	1,240	101	3,776	2,175	14	5,117
Hurly.....	2,453	10	1,278	2,225	3	1,411
Harrison.....	13,717	562	15,513	16,697	92	13,815
Jackson.....	2,837	20	3,794	2,989		3,737
Jefferson.....	4,464	38	1,880	4,083	6	2,395
Kanawha.....	25,232	589	26,053	32,692	45	29,083
Lewis.....	4,296	121	4,850	4,866	38	4,373
Lincoln.....	3,408	27	3,225	3,719		3,718
Logan.....	7,679	75	7,088	10,315	4	11,158
Marion.....	11,207	75	10,865	14,278	223	12,071
Marshall.....	5,088	250	7,564	6,020	33	7,936
Mason.....	3,503	80	4,330	3,528	7	4,588
Mercer.....	11,081	231	9,531	11,698	6	11,627
Mingo.....	3,290	110	3,568	3,504	16	4,688
Mitongalia.....	5,594	131	4,847	6,779	6	6,883
Monroe.....	5,511	776	6,905	8,220	54	9,315
Monroe.....	2,691	4	2,741	2,635	2	2,827
Morgan.....	1,014	24	1,892	990		2,363
Medowell.....	5,753	327	12,531	8,345	4	14,766
Nicholas.....	3,985	26	3,364	3,975	3	3,597
Ohio.....	9,497	770	15,209	15,230	82	17,567
Panilton.....	2,030	1	1,460	2,088		1,614
Pleasants.....	1,674	10	1,623	1,457		1,643
Pocahontas.....	2,801	16	2,768	2,870	1	2,768
Preston.....	2,476	72	6,581	3,014	12	7,110
Putnam.....	3,021	79	2,937	2,893	13	3,222
Raleigh.....	8,127	222	8,833	11,723		10,048
Randolph.....	5,497	144	3,695	6,119	22	3,468
Ritchie.....	2,435	18	4,174	2,409	5	3,550
Roane.....	3,523		4,102	3,418	7	4,152
Summers.....	4,257	18	3,178	4,513		3,394
Taylor.....	3,026	88	3,544	3,559	11	4,068
Tucker.....	2,221	148	2,393	2,533	32	2,257
Tyler.....	2,172	19	3,389	2,149	6	3,385
Unshur.....	1,895	28	5,028	2,678	5	4,355
Wayne.....	5,805	80	4,063	5,646	9	5,274
Webster.....	2,534	8	1,623	2,517	3	1,762
Wetzel.....	5,037	49	3,467	5,075	8	3,523
Wirt.....	1,607	3	1,487	1,578	2	1,359
Wood.....	10,561	88	9,448	9,980	30	12,051
Wyoming.....	2,513	59	3,377	3,368		3,918
Totals.....	271,809	7,751	290,004	317,620	919	327,266

## VOTE FOR GOVERNOR 1924-1928

COUNTIES	1924			1928		
	Jake Fisher, Democrat	A. S. Bosworth, Socialist	Howard M. Gore, Republican	J. Alfred Taylor, Democrat	J. H. Suttler, Socialist	Wm. G. Conley, Republican
Barbour.....	3,227	291	3,675	3,780		3,856
Berkeley.....	4,396	63	5,568	4,432	12	7,596
Boone.....	3,488	19	3,497	5,007	5	3,854
Braxton.....	5,307	10	4,144	4,900	4	3,847
Brooke.....	2,133	121	3,363	2,661	12	4,994
Cabell.....	16,598	196	15,945	17,482	22	19,307
Calhoun.....	2,209		1,487	2,342	6	1,640
Clay.....	2,020	9	1,881	2,089	2	2,471
Dodderidge.....	1,511	10	2,903	1,437		2,714
Fayette.....	10,210	540	10,943	14,205	20	11,379
Gilmer.....	2,678	6	1,663	2,547	2	1,567
Grant.....	639	22	2,426	633	3	2,565
Greenbrier.....	6,239	66	4,812	7,137	11	5,649
Hampshire.....	2,938	13	1,216	2,567		1,408
Hancock.....	1,228	96	3,796	1,849	12	5,432
Harly.....	2,438	7	1,282	2,138		1,461
Harrison.....	12,461	457	17,185	14,168	84	16,149
Jackson.....	2,821	24	3,897	2,815		3,914
Jefferson.....	4,443	35	1,890	4,050	6	2,445
Kanawha.....	23,872	537	27,947	29,716	40	32,351
Lewis.....	4,512	26	4,801	4,635	12	4,621
Lincoln.....	3,381	16	3,267	3,628		3,727
Logan.....	7,293	52	7,615	10,293	5	11,039
Marion.....	9,859	878	12,159	11,837	465	14,213
Marshall.....	4,788	265	8,008	5,344	33	8,550
Mason.....	3,270	42	4,648	3,230	8	4,878
Mercer.....	10,939	195	9,557	11,531	6	11,733
Mineral.....	3,043	111	3,783	2,960	15	5,247
Mingo.....	5,659	97	5,026	6,709	6	6,878
Monongalia.....	4,655	910	7,880	6,631	74	10,795
Monroe.....	2,682	4	2,749	2,622	2	2,843
Morgan.....	961	21	1,948	920		2,352
McDowell.....	5,980	292	12,561	8,233	4	14,610
Nicholas.....	4,043	16	3,319	3,942	3	3,616
Ohio.....	9,099	681	15,985	12,863	84	19,658
Pardleton.....	2,037	1	1,459	2,090		1,632
Pleasants.....	1,658	10	1,639	1,431		1,654
Pocahontas.....	2,799	13	2,782	2,913	1	2,789
Preston.....	2,387	65	6,799	2,282	15	7,920
Putnam.....	2,954	75	3,015	2,850	14	3,247
Raleigh.....	8,009	177	9,171	11,599		10,242
Randolph.....	5,404	165	3,829	6,750	24	3,837
Ritchie.....	2,336	13	4,288	2,187	6	3,805
Roane.....	3,454		4,173	3,365		4,224
Summers.....	4,266	22	3,215	4,361		3,423
Taylor.....	2,747	92	3,899	3,151	11	4,437
Tucker.....	2,187	152	2,454	2,346	34	2,413
Tyler.....	2,064	16	3,535	1,895	6	3,626
Unshur.....	1,892	21	5,120	2,426	6	4,632
Wayne.....	5,754	79	4,108	5,576	11	5,157
Webster.....	2,562	6	1,028	2,477	3	1,785
Wetzel.....	4,919	46	3,600	4,665	10	3,813
Wirt.....	1,600	3	1,499	1,491		1,432
Wood.....	9,316	84	10,525	9,197	25	12,453
Wyoming.....	2,487	47	3,413	3,252		4,023
Totals.....	261,846	7,218	303,587	296,637	1,124	345,909

VOTE FOR SECRETARY OF STATE 1924-1928

COUNTIES	1924			1928		
	Mrs. Donald Clark, Democrat	W. F. Naylor, Socialist	George W. Sharp, Republican	Mrs. William Campbell, Democrat	V. B. Glasgow, Socialist	George W. Sharp, Republican
Barbour.....	3,186	269	3,536	3,634	.....	3,872
Berkeley.....	4,397	65	5,136	4,385	11	7,520
Boone.....	3,529	102	3,238	4,854	5	3,969
Braxton.....	5,156	10	4,234	4,755	4	4,596
Brooke.....	2,113	125	3,662	2,540	13	4,958
Cabell.....	16,725	195	15,592	16,476	24	19,658
Calhoun.....	2,211	.....	1,853	2,474	5	1,659
Clay.....	2,004	0	1,478	2,274	2	2,484
Dodridge.....	1,535	10	2,908	1,316	.....	2,726
Fayette.....	9,990	524	10,774	12,840	24	12,441
Gilmer.....	2,671	10	1,559	2,409	2	1,549
Grant.....	659	28	2,334	586	3	2,524
Greenbrier.....	6,011	66	4,975	6,267	11	6,317
Hampshire.....	2,941	12	1,107	2,509	.....	1,382
Hancock.....	1,193	95	3,777	1,771	15	5,369
Harley.....	2,414	7	1,256	2,109	2	1,437
Harrison.....	13,121	560	15,736	13,358	80	16,060
Jackson.....	2,899	21	3,791	2,708	5	3,964
Jefferson.....	4,432	34	1,866	4,016	7	2,415
Kanawha.....	23,139	567	26,991	27,445	41	33,838
Lewis.....	4,321	39	4,785	4,121	16	4,908
Lincoln.....	3,420	17	3,245	3,607	.....	3,731
Loosan.....	7,474	56	7,177	10,094	3	10,986
Marion.....	9,814	859	11,422	11,403	271	14,444
Marshall.....	4,751	346	7,495	5,000	45	8,419
Mason.....	3,441	58	4,302	3,126	11	4,840
Mercer.....	10,784	196	9,569	11,043	8	11,896
Mineral.....	3,021	123	3,650	2,869	16	5,256
Mingo.....	5,661	103	4,856	6,565	5	6,829
Monongalia.....	4,776	826	7,167	6,398	69	10,681
Monroe.....	2,689	4	2,731	2,509	2	2,927
Morgan.....	046	20	1,902	856	.....	2,303
McDowell.....	5,869	282	12,290	8,069	6	14,441
Nicholas.....	3,931	17	3,355	3,725	2	3,735
Ohio.....	8,966	731	14,916	11,994	85	19,562
Pendleton.....	2,027	1	1,447	2,051	.....	1,631
Pleasants.....	1,668	11	1,622	1,378	.....	1,686
Pocahontas.....	2,569	11	2,998	2,305	.....	3,379
Preston.....	2,342	76	6,545	2,294	16	7,530
Putnam.....	2,972	69	2,938	2,756	14	2,361
Raleigh.....	8,042	201	8,768	10,534	.....	10,806
Randolph.....	5,335	136	3,710	5,430	26	3,931
Ritchie.....	2,398	15	4,175	2,069	7	3,855
Roane.....	3,486	.....	4,128	3,227	.....	4,298
Summers.....	4,074	24	3,308	4,239	.....	3,638
Taylor.....	2,601	101	3,825	2,722	13	4,624
Tucker.....	2,135	151	2,388	2,221	32	2,397
Tyler.....	2,110	15	3,395	1,787	8	3,616
Unshur.....	1,890	22	4,908	1,825	4	4,933
Wayne.....	5,697	75	4,166	5,355	11	5,147
Webster.....	2,514	5	1,623	2,415	3	1,804
Wetzel.....	4,888	59	3,463	4,406	16	3,796
Wirt.....	1,602	3	1,481	1,459	.....	1,456
Wood.....	9,200	89	9,963	8,281	27	12,956
Wyoming.....	2,466	41	3,365	3,122	.....	4,054
Totals.....	260,206	7,401	293,254	279,516	960	352,084

VOTE FOR AUDITOR 1924-1928

COUNTIES	1924			1928				
	John D. Sweeney, Democrat	Joseph R. Digs, Socialist	John C. Bond Republican	Della Pearl Franklin, Socialist	Sam T. Mallison, Republican (Short Term)	John W. Cadwell Democrat (Long Term)	A. E. Elder, Socialist	Edgar C. Lawlor, Republican (Long Term)
Barbour.....	3,171	280	3,526	.....	3,906	3,585	.....	3,900
Berkeley.....	4,340	58	5,473	14	7,608	4,310	11	7,492
Boone.....	3,504	101	3,243	5	3,901	4,864	5	3,897
Braxton.....	5,171	10	4,237	6	3,906	4,898	6	3,877
Brooke.....	2,272	123	3,618	14	4,981	2,517	13	4,894
Cabell.....	16,387	183	15,703	29	10,415	18,806	25	19,101
Calhoun.....	2,216	.....	1,448	5	1,659	2,277	5	1,648
Clay.....	2,003	9	1,876	2	2,475	2,056	2	2,476
Doddridge.....	1,553	7	2,799	.....	2,719	1,343	.....	2,737
Fayette.....	10,063	515	10,615	26	12,354	12,683	25	12,231
Gilmer.....	2,673	8	1,587	2	1,585	2,413	2	1,547
Grant.....	877	33	2,027	3	2,507	606	.....	2,194
Greenbrier.....	6,163	64	4,812	13	6,032	6,563	11	5,974
Hampshire.....	2,944	11	1,175	.....	1,396	2,507	.....	1,365
Hancock.....	1,204	93	3,731	18	5,315	1,776	17	5,255
Hardy.....	2,437	7	1,232	3	1,443	2,095	.....	1,443
Harrison.....	13,047	564	15,572	90	17,198	13,458	78	16,344
Jackson.....	2,931	21	3,784	.....	3,952	2,721	.....	3,946
Jefferson.....	4,435	34	1,867	7	2,428	3,992	6	2,420
Kanawha.....	23,344	602	26,614	43	33,164	28,415	39	32,619
Lewis.....	4,205	46	4,853	10	5,090	4,152	39	4,853
Lincola.....	3,419	19	3,235	.....	3,725	3,607	.....	3,723
Logan.....	7,341	55	7,137	14	10,977	10,078	3	10,937
Marion.....	10,599	931	10,947	289	14,755	11,552	250	14,221
Marshall.....	4,763	256	7,544	28	8,492	4,969	31	8,337
Mason.....	3,416	52	4,345	11	4,866	3,172	8	4,830
Mercer.....	10,766	192	9,570	8	11,821	11,181	7	11,675
Mitchell.....	2,988	116	3,723	10	5,339	2,741	16	5,223
Mingo.....	5,670	107	4,897	6	6,833	6,593	5	6,801
Monongalia.....	4,839	842	7,118	69	10,865	6,455	58	10,554
Monroe.....	2,705	4	2,727	4	2,907	2,537	2	2,902
Morgan.....	952	22	1,901	2	2,288	876	.....	2,273
McDowell.....	5,773	287	12,307	8	14,414	7,951	1	14,369
Nicholas.....	3,946	18	3,372	2	3,735	3,742	2	3,715
Ohio.....	9,092	686	14,897	122	19,982	12,106	80	19,172
Pendleton.....	2,036	1	1,430	.....	1,624	2,044	.....	1,630
Pleasants.....	1,680	10	1,610	.....	1,793	1,278	.....	1,668
Pocahontas.....	2,749	14	2,761	3	2,968	2,647	3	2,928
Preston.....	2,312	78	6,525	28	7,539	2,270	15	7,511
Putnam.....	2,977	72	2,930	12	3,256	2,776	11	3,249
Raleigh.....	7,916	195	8,700	.....	10,833	10,577	.....	10,666
Randolph.....	5,353	134	3,652	35	3,958	5,160	27	3,898
Ritchie.....	2,418	14	4,158	10	3,914	2,031	6	3,814
Roane.....	3,504	.....	4,115	.....	4,300	3,232	.....	4,305
Summers.....	4,196	21	3,192	.....	3,604	4,245	.....	3,564
Taylor.....	2,799	101	3,623	11	4,645	2,804	13	4,508
Tucker.....	2,124	143	2,402	38	2,438	2,205	32	2,370
Tyler.....	2,187	13	3,326	8	3,656	1,823	6	3,573
Unshur.....	1,910	21	4,915	7	4,992	1,833	7	4,963
Wayne.....	5,672	83	4,028	11	5,112	5,376	11	5,076
Westler.....	2,504	6	1,627	3	1,808	2,423	3	1,773
Wetzel.....	4,958	45	3,375	15	3,892	4,431	9	3,746
Wirt.....	1,609	3	1,477	.....	1,447	1,453	.....	1,446
Wool.....	9,843	80	9,825	27	13,084	8,557	26	12,685
Wyoming.....	2,440	46	3,383	.....	4,062	3,117	.....	4,045
Totals.....	262,396	7,436	290,620	1,088	353,258	284,223	927	346,696



## VOTE FOR TREASURER 1924-1928

COUNTIES	1924			1928		
	Walter E. Stoct, Democrat	Henry Burkhalter, Socialist	W. S. Johnson, Republican	Richard E. Talcott, Democrat	Mary R. Glasgow, Socialist	W. S. Johnson, Republican
Barbour.....	3,171	289	3,526	4,104		3,478
Berkeley.....	4,390	55	5,458	4,367	11	7,498
Boone.....	3,495	202	3,240	4,876	5	3,904
Braxton.....	5,174	10	4,216	4,811	5	3,756
Brooke.....	2,167	127	3,677	2,545	13	4,901
Carroll.....	16,426	192	15,694	16,814		19,198
Calhoun.....	2,250		1,447	2,296	5	1,644
Clay.....	2,006	9	1,879	2,057	2	2,482
Doddridge.....	1,533	9	2,807	1,361		2,680
Fayette.....	9,790	518	11,111	12,735	23	12,446
Gilmer.....	2,677	8	1,589	2,445	3	1,535
Grant.....	649	29	2,327	616	3	2,501
Greenbrier.....	6,177	63	4,861	6,583	11	5,982
Hampshire.....	2,930	13	1,168	2,526		1,378
Hancock.....	1,204	90	3,745	1,764	15	5,287
Harley.....	2,427	7	1,280	2,164	2	1,438
Harrison.....	12,826	555	15,584	13,917	78	15,951
Jackson.....	2,939	21	3,779	2,725		3,939
Jefferson.....	4,439	34	1,868	4,024	6	2,411
Kanawha.....	22,490	552	27,617	28,474	41	32,597
Lewis.....	4,255	44	4,828	4,242	15	4,804
Lincoln.....	3,423	19	2,326	3,669		3,724
Logan.....	7,406	55	7,188	10,056	3	10,953
Marion.....	9,695	858	11,408	11,829	250	14,024
Marshall.....	4,791	252	7,527	5,026	38	8,347
Mason.....	3,418	56	4,346	3,153	8	4,856
Mercer.....	11,321	196	9,567	11,143	6	11,761
Mineral.....	3,009	119	3,688	2,866	16	5,205
Mingo.....	5,574	104	4,885	6,627	5	6,804
Monongalia.....	4,829	870	7,083	6,753	60	10,364
Monroe.....	2,702	4	2,727	2,542	2	2,893
Morgan.....	940	21	1,914	861		2,321
McDowell.....	5,772	286	12,327	7,984	4	14,414
Nicholas.....	3,946	18	3,381	3,767	2	3,689
Ohio.....	8,992	685	14,593	12,241	87	19,168
Pendleton.....	2,028	1	1,446	2,054		1,615
Pleasants.....	1,674	10	1,614	1,387		1,663
Pocahontas.....	2,764	14	2,750	2,679	4	2,503
Preston.....	2,336	73	6,500	2,344	16	7,472
Putnam.....	2,959	79	2,938	2,772	11	3,247
Raleigh.....	7,836	190	8,926	10,519		10,812
Randolph.....	5,340	110	3,651	5,715	26	3,683
Ritchie.....	2,405	14	4,166	2,038	6	3,840
Roane.....	3,507		4,116	3,244		4,300
Summers.....	4,127	22	3,255	4,226		3,592
Taylor.....	2,667	93	3,827	3,131	12	4,274
Tucker.....	2,142	144	2,387	2,395	31	2,314
Tyler.....	2,124	16	3,366	1,812	6	3,566
Unshur.....	1,895	22	4,932	2,030	4	4,789
Wayne.....	5,682	80	4,027	5,398	11	5,107
Webster.....	2,521	5	1,618	2,435	3	1,780
Wetzel.....	4,891	42	3,433	4,444	13	3,760
Wirt.....	1,610	3	1,482	1,457		1,445
Wood.....	10,565	75	9,647	8,668	27	12,705
Wyoming.....	2,442	48	3,387	3,198		4,057
Totals.....	260,693	7,313	293,443	285,841	889	345,255

## VOTE FOR STATE SUPERINTENDENT OF FREE SCHOOLS 1924-1928

COUNTIES	1924			1928		
	W. W. Tront, Democrat	Mrs. Della T. Franklin, Socialist	George M. Ford, Republican	H. Latan. Witte Democrat	I. G. Miller Socialist	William C. Cook, Republican
Barbour.....	3,373	275	3,379	3,847		3,718
Berkeley.....	4,809	63	5,089	4,457	11	7,455
Boone.....	3,543	102	3,234	4,905	5	3,888
Braxton.....	5,318	13	4,060	5,047	4	3,637
Brooke.....	2,590	130	3,386	2,617	15	4,933
Cabell.....	16,718	195	15,505	16,938		19,265
Calhoun.....	2,226		1,450	2,353	5	1,620
Clay.....	2,012	9	1,880	2,110	2	2,440
Dodridge.....	1,577	9	2,783	1,776		2,352
Fayette.....	10,387	510	10,445	13,075	23	12,128
Gilmer.....	2,696	6	1,598	2,754	2	1,347
Grant.....	944	28	1,967	687	2	2,463
Greenbrier.....	6,240	63	4,740	6,662	12	5,916
Hamshire.....	2,950	12	1,122	2,559		1,365
Harrison.....	1,524	95	3,734	1,802	15	5,279
Harly.....	2,437	8	1,269	2,133	2	1,438
Harrison.....	14,383	534	14,466	15,167	78	14,055
Jackson.....	3,032	19	3,675	2,783		3,004
Jefferson.....	4,444	36	1,869	4,067	16	2,397
Kanawha.....	21,378	560	26,278	28,867	42	32,318
Lewis.....	4,574	51	4,541	4,997	12	4,164
Lincoln.....	3,426	17	3,248	3,610		3,723
Logan.....	7,569	56	7,074	10,084	3	11,005
Marion.....	11,802	905	9,971	12,389	237	13,662
Marshall.....	5,255	250	7,205	5,191	39	8,341
Masson.....	3,598	55	4,276	3,218	8	4,822
Mercer.....	10,911	108	9,493	11,067	6	12,003
Mineral.....	3,128	120	3,013	2,966	16	5,184
Mingo.....	5,598	104	4,888	6,607	2	6,851
Monongalia.....	5,501	743	6,854	6,999	50	10,231
Monroe.....	2,777	4	2,607	2,536	12	2,811
Morgan.....	1,042	23	1,835	959		2,239
Madison.....	5,757	287	12,431	7,668	13	15,083
Nicholas.....	4,111	16	3,194	3,900	12	3,596
Ohio.....	10,558	706	13,720	12,657	85	18,965
Payette.....	2,069	1	1,362	2,073		1,613
Pleasants.....	1,702	10	1,590	1,422		1,641
Pocahontas.....	2,817	12	2,710	2,728	3	2,883
Preston.....	2,829	75	6,135	2,557	14	7,448
Putnam.....	3,002	69	2,915	2,708	14	3,230
Raleigh.....	8,119	197	8,745	10,474		11,020
Randolph.....	5,823	123	3,403	5,823	23	3,633
Ritchie.....	2,527	16	4,033	2,226	7	3,694
Roane.....	3,529		4,100	3,393		4,166
Summers.....	4,267	23	3,218	4,259		3,587
Taylor.....	3,124	99	3,410	3,238	10	4,220
Tucker.....	2,334	150	2,280	2,355	34	2,300
Tyler.....	2,292	16	3,232	1,942	6	3,496
Upshur.....	2,635	21	4,344	2,312	5	4,643
Wayne.....	5,743	84	4,050	5,456	12	5,097
Webster.....	2,543	5	1,611	2,525	3	1,709
Wetzel.....	5,052	45	3,355	4,596	11	3,758
Wirt.....	1,610	3	1,481	1,465		1,442
Wood.....	10,097	90	9,544	9,069	23	12,363
Wyoming.....	2,471	48	3,349	3,067		4,182
Totals.....	275,768	7,208	281,854	203,281	802	341,641

VOTE FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL 1924-1928

COUNTIES	1924			1928		
	F. N. Al'erson, Democrat	G. H. D. Hie Socialist	Howard B. Lee, Republican	Robert L. Ramsey, Democrat	G. H. D. Hie, Socialist	Howard B. Lee, Republican
Barbour.....	3,175	280	3,524	3,641	.....	3,856
Berkeley.....	4,371	64	5,436	4,318	12	7,518
Boone.....	3,516	100	3,239	4,866	5	3,859
Braxton.....	5,183	10	4,218	4,791	4	3,868
Brooke.....	2,101	124	3,788	3,183	10	4,415
Caywell.....	16,406	193	15,655	16,684	26	19,202
Calhoun.....	2,211	.....	1,442	2,254	5	1,660
Clay.....	2,013	9	1,876	2,061	2	2,473
Dalhousie.....	1,539	9	2,810	1,351	.....	2,700
Fayette.....	10,109	513	10,679	12,899	25	12,199
Gilmer.....	2,681	9	1,584	2,404	2	1,543
Grant.....	.....	29	2,330	.....	2	2,501
Greenbrier.....	6,104	66	4,865	6,541	11	5,964
Hampshire.....	2,952	12	1,165	2,505	.....	1,370
Hancock.....	1,182	93	3,747	2,010	17	5,119
Harley.....	2,427	7	1,276	2,098	2	1,443
Harrison.....	13,291	625	15,705	13,371	100	16,411
Jackson.....	2,925	20	3,788	2,730	.....	3,934
Jefferson.....	4,476	31	1,862	3,995	6	2,410
Kanawha.....	23,225	601	26,662	28,109	80	32,859
Lewis.....	4,243	53	4,820	4,128	19	4,847
Lincoln.....	3,420	19	3,234	3,601	.....	3,722
Logan.....	7,401	56	7,214	10,051	3	10,950
Martin.....	9,544	834	12,187	11,607	240	14,186
Marshall.....	4,751	252	7,581	5,045	32	8,288
Mason.....	3,409	55	4,331	3,149	8	4,832
Mercer.....	10,708	194	9,739	11,060	6	12,051
Mineral.....	3,005	116	3,691	2,810	15	5,262
Mingo.....	5,576	107	4,873	6,626	5	6,833
Monongalia.....	4,768	752	7,229	6,517	60	10,497
Monroe.....	2,699	4	2,727	2,537	2	2,898
Morgan.....	944	21	1,901	867	.....	2,282
McDowell.....	5,745	279	12,332	7,922	4	14,394
Nicholas.....	3,970	17	3,362	3,751	2	3,700
Ohio.....	8,852	637	15,005	12,751	82	18,696
Pearlton.....	2,027	1	1,379	.....	.....	1,627
Pleasants.....	1,670	10	1,613	1,384	.....	1,668
Pocahontas.....	2,766	14	2,746	2,644	2	2,914
Preston.....	2,322	81	6,493	2,302	15	7,474
Putnam.....	2,976	71	2,931	2,764	11	3,245
Raleigh.....	7,835	199	8,916	10,292	.....	10,876
Randolph.....	5,346	132	3,647	5,493	29	3,835
Ritchie.....	2,333	15	4,232	2,009	8	3,845
Roanoke.....	3,494	.....	4,130	3,245	.....	4,271
Summers.....	4,132	20	3,235	4,194	.....	3,591
Taylor.....	2,621	98	3,806	2,805	12	4,506
Tucker.....	2,111	149	2,390	2,315	30	2,382
Tyler.....	2,095	15	3,403	1,800	6	3,611
Upshur.....	1,882	24	4,921	1,833	6	4,916
Wayne.....	5,677	79	4,015	5,359	11	5,090
Webster.....	2,507	5	1,631	2,427	3	1,777
Wetzel.....	4,856	42	3,462	4,478	11	3,733
Wirt.....	1,583	3	1,511	1,426	.....	1,478
Wood.....	8,907	82	10,433	8,545	26	12,728
Wyoming.....	2,423	47	3,416	3,089	.....	4,053
Totals.....	259,121	7,331	294,209	283,371	957	346,410

## VOTE FOR COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE 1924-1928

COUNTIES	1924			1928		
	Perry G. Alred Democrat	J. B. West, Socialist	John W. Smith, Republican	Willie Fought, Democrat	J. B. West, Socialist	John W. Smith, Republican
Barbour.....	3,186	277	3,505	3,607		3,871
Berkeley.....	4,461	60	5,334	4,296	11	7,521
Boone.....	3,506	103	3,222	4,856		3,500
Braxton.....	5,178	11	4,220	4,758	1	3,891
Brooke.....	2,101	117	3,728	2,497	2	4,060
Catell.....	16,888	186	15,555	16,720		19,018
Calhoun.....	2,210		1,440	2,271		1,651
Clay.....	2,008	9	1,878	2,055		2,478
Doddridge.....	1,546	16	2,806	1,310		2,737
Fayette.....	10,137	515	10,596	12,901		12,143
Gilmer.....	2,698	5	1,576	2,372	2	1,586
Grant.....	650	27	2,338	580		2,511
Greentrier.....	6,150	66	4,801	6,537		5,893
Hampshire.....	2,953	12	1,161	2,501		1,371
Hancock.....	1,210	92	3,725	1,786	6	5,255
Hardy.....	2,425	7	1,277	2,080	2	1,441
Harrison.....	13,622	552	15,038	13,307	81	16,485
Jackson.....	2,911	20	3,788	2,724		3,942
Jefferson.....	4,434	34	1,865	3,983		2,411
Kanawha.....	23,341	596	26,163	28,070		32,788
Lewis.....	4,533	34	4,632	3,878	12	5,143
Lincoln.....	3,421	18	3,234	3,602		3,724
Logan.....	7,410	58	7,034	10,068	3	10,036
Marion.....	9,891	934	11,016	11,494	50	14,283
Marshall.....	4,734	257	7,514	4,640		8,204
Mason.....	3,430	54	4,320	3,138	9	4,824
Mercer.....	10,783	195	9,490	11,110	0	11,679
Mineral.....	3,000	117	3,682	2,800	4	5,247
Mingo.....	5,574	87	4,866	6,572	5	6,802
Monongalia.....	4,781	843	7,050	6,352	20	10,588
Monroe.....	2,704	4	2,723	2,532		2,806
Morgan.....	940	22	1,895	800		2,283
McDowell.....	5,728	270	12,281	7,954		14,313
Nicholas.....	3,928	17	3,373	3,728		3,711
O'Connell.....	8,858	682	14,937	12,170		19,120
Pendleton.....	2,020	1	1,448	2,043		1,026
Pleasants.....	1,668	10	1,611	1,382		1,662
Pocahontas.....	2,764	13	2,742	2,624	4	2,929
Preston.....	2,320	78	6,492	2,250	6	7,537
Putnam.....	2,968	71	2,921	2,768	11	3,250
Raleigh.....	7,927	198	8,772	10,394		10,689
Randolph.....	5,342	133	3,648	5,470		3,857
Ritchie.....	2,373	13	4,160	2,030	2	3,820
Roane.....	3,502		4,110	3,200		4,293
Summers.....	4,177	20	3,171	4,202		3,575
Taylor.....	2,632	94	3,777	2,760	0	4,552
Tucker.....	2,122	145	2,374	2,204	20	2,368
Tyler.....	2,112	18	3,388	1,808	6	3,583
Upshur.....	1,923	23	4,900	1,777	4	5,013
Wayne.....	5,647	80	4,024	5,337	6	5,098
Webster.....	2,517	5	1,618	2,409		1,785
Wetzel.....	4,866	44	3,430	4,423	10	3,756
Wirt.....	1,607	3	1,480	1,860		1,444
Wood.....	9,162	83	9,842	8,801	24	12,451
Wyoming.....	2,431	46	3,379	3,113		4,027
Totals.....	261,490	7,367	289,310	280,943	325	347,091

**VOTE FOR STATE SENATOR  
FIRST SENATORIAL DISTRICT**

COUNTIES	1926		1928	
	Sam P. Christian, Democrat	Wright Hugus, Republican	George L. Bamrick, Democrat	W. Edwin Wells, Jr. Republican
Brooke.....	1,547	2,122	2,563	4,852
Hancock.....	733	1,646	2,171	5,037
Ohio.....	6,836	11,031	11,971	19,032
Totals.....	9,116	14,799	16,705	28,921

**SECOND SENATORIAL DISTRICT**

COUNTIES	1926		1928	
	George N. Yolo, Democrat	Walter R. Reitz, Republican	Thomas J. Hamilton, Democrat	Evan G. Roberts, Republican
Marshall.....	4,051	4,665	5,345	8,231
Tyler.....	1,776	2,669	1,817	3,568
Wetzel.....	3,355	2,329	4,482	3,748
Totals.....	9,182	9,663	11,644	15,547

**THIRD SENATORIAL DISTRICT**

COUNTIES	1926		1928	
	Jos. Z. Terrell, Democrat	Albert B. Witte, Republican	Staley W. Calkins, Democrat	Thomas J. Davis, Republican
Pleasants.....	1,259	1,409	1,390	1,657
Ritchie.....	1,276	2,156	2,571	3,341
Wirt.....	1,339	1,071	1,458	1,435
Wood.....	6,424	6,531	8,458	12,584
Totals.....	10,199	11,167	13,876	19,017

**FOURTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT**

COUNTIES	1926		1928			
	Kenna K. Hyer, Democrat	Lewis H. Miller, Republican	George W. Johnson, Democrat (Short Term)	Fred E. Vancale, Democrat (Long Term)	Wm. E. Walker, Republican (Short Term)	Wm. Woodward, Republican (Long Term)
Jackson.....	2,385	2,516	2,914	2,780	3,745	3,899
Mason.....	2,572	3,114	3,160	3,148	4,795	4,800
Roane.....	2,728	3,333	3,103	3,477	4,238	4,053
Totals.....	7,685	8,968	9,177	9,405	12,798	12,752

## VOTE FOR STATE SENATORS, 1926-28

VOTE FOR STATE SENATORS  
FIFTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	1926		1928			
	Jas. Boyce, Taylor, Democrat	Dennis, McNeill, Republican	C. Wilkie Freeman, Democrat (Short Term)	M. D. Goode, Democrat (Long Term)	B. W. West, Republican (Short Term)	Jacob D. Smith, Republican (Long Term)
Cabell.....	13,015	11,747	17,021	16,820	18,841	19,182
Lincoln.....	3,230	3,180	3,488	3,670	3,623	3,672
Putnam.....	2,281	2,363	2,771	2,810	3,112	3,172
Totals.....	18,606	17,290	23,280	23,300	25,606	20,026

## SIXTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	1926		1928	
	J. Floyd Harrison, Democrat	M. Z. Witte, Republican	E. C. Ranyon, Democrat	L. E. Woods, Republican
McDowell.....	3,361	9,772	8,815	13,689
Mingo.....	4,366	4,564	6,719	6,735
Wayne.....	4,133	2,608	5,241	5,012
Wyoming.....	1,937	2,610	3,118	4,005
Totals.....	13,797	19,554	23,923	29,441

## SEVENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	1926		1928	
	William H. Sawyer, Democrat	T. H. Lilly, Republican	E. C. Mister, Democrat	John Q. Hutclinson, Republican
Mercer.....	7,689	7,523	11,274	11,519
Monroe.....	2,221	2,250	2,533	2,895
Raleigh.....	5,614	7,117	10,515	10,890
Summers.....	3,077	2,772	4,194	3,625
Totals.....	18,601	19,662	28,561	28,929

## EIGHTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	1926		1928	
	Clyde B. Johnson, Democrat	Walter S. Hallanan, Republican	S. B. Lawson, Democrat	M. T. Miller, Republican
Boone.....	3,937	2,867	4,838	3,923
Kanawha.....	20,787	20,655	28,595	32,003
Logan.....	7,739	8,045	10,321	10,790
Totals.....	31,563	31,567	43,754	46,806

**VOTE FOR STATE SENATORS**  
**NINTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT**

COUNTIES	1926		1928	
	A. B. Abbot, Democrat	L. Ebersole Gaines, Republican	P. N. Wiseman, Democrat	James McClung, Republican
Clay.....	1,824	1,624	2,055	2,470
Fayette.....	9,203	9,117	13,036	12,103
Greenbrier.....	4,271	3,062	6,553	6,040
Nicholas.....	3,013	2,758	3,949	3,577
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>18,311</b>	<b>16,561</b>	<b>25,503</b>	<b>24,190</b>

**TENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT**

COUNTIES	1926	1928	
	A. C. Herold Democrat	Albert G. Matlows, Democrat	William McN. Buckley, Republican
Braxton.....	3,869	4,805	3,868
Calhoun.....	1,018	2,475	1,493
Gilmer.....	1,818	2,457	1,503
Pocahontas.....	2,244	2,502	2,985
Welster.....	2,029	2,431	1,766
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>11,878</b>	<b>14,763</b>	<b>11,615</b>

**ELEVENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT**

COUNTIES	1926		1928	
	Smith Hooc, Jr., Democrat	Ira L. Smith, Republican	Norman F. Kendall, Democrat	W. Merle Watts, Jr., Republican
Marion.....	7,709	9,384	11,734	14,144
Monongalia.....	3,218	5,514	6,519	10,362
Taylor.....	1,955	2,393	2,764	4,764
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>12,882</b>	<b>17,291</b>	<b>21,017</b>	<b>29,270</b>

**TWELFTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT**

COUNTIES	1926		1928	
	Howard L. Rolinson, Democrat	Blaine Engle, Republican	Hunter M. Bennett, Democrat	John R. Davis, Republican
Doddridge.....	1,021	1,930	1,380	2,656
Harrison.....	8,581	8,739	13,656	16,164
Lewis.....	3,390	3,768	4,149	5,037
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>12,992</b>	<b>14,437</b>	<b>19,185</b>	<b>23,857</b>

**VOTE FOR STATE SENATORS  
THIRTEENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT**

COUNTIES	1926		1928	
	B. H. Hiner, Democrat	Wm. Taylor George, Republican	Matthew Edmiston, Democrat	Harry B. Martin, Republican
Barbour.....	2,834	2,851	3,648	3,860
Pendleton.....	2,375	745	2,026	1,635
Randolph.....	5,248	1,896	5,117	4,387
Upshur.....	2,206	2,385	2,432	4,520
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>12,664</b>	<b>7,887</b>	<b>13,223</b>	<b>14,402</b>

**FOURTEENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT**

COUNTIES	1926		1928	
	Forest W. Stemple, Democrat	E. Bunker Reynolds, Republican	H. C. Wayright, Democrat	A. L. Helmick, Republican
Grant.....	420	1,407	622	2,485
Harly.....	1,134	535	2,065	1,435
Mineral.....	2,556	3,262	2,837	5,255
Preston.....	1,542	4,291	2,244	7,492
Tucker.....	1,891	1,993	2,023	2,712
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>7,543</b>	<b>11,488</b>	<b>9,791</b>	<b>19,379</b>

**FIFTEENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT**

COUNTIES	1926		1928	
	Ira V. Cowill, Democrat	Frank B. Robinson, Republican	Harry P. Hershaw, Democrat	Walter Hill, Republican
Berkeley.....	2,038	4,014	5,211	6,705
Hampshire.....	1,513	581	2,656	1,305
Jefferson.....	2,195	1,858	4,026	2,380
Morgan.....	620	1,660	923	2,216
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>7,266</b>	<b>8,113</b>	<b>12,826</b>	<b>12,606</b>



VOTE FOR JUDGES OF SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS 1924-1928

COUNTIES	1924					1928				
	John Mitchell Woods Democrat	Lon H. Kelly Democrat	E. M. Everly Democrat (Short Term)	Homer B. Woods Republican	M. O. Litz Republican	John H. Hatcher Republican (Short Term)	Joseph N. Kenna Democrat	Andrew Price Democrat	Raymond Maxwell Republican	John H. Hatcher Republican
Barbour.....	3,217	3,210	3,213	3,538	3,503	3,500	3,586	3,650	3,899	3,780
Berkeley.....	4,814	4,467	4,439	5,130	5,240	5,279	4,316	4,305	7,473	7,435
Boone.....	3,521	3,535	3,480	3,223	3,203	3,300	4,851	4,844	3,916	3,895
Braxton.....	5,150	5,297	5,169	4,217	4,100	4,215	4,777	4,779	3,890	3,834
Brooke.....	2,119	2,129	2,263	3,778	3,739	3,600	2,501	2,505	4,889	4,831
Cabell.....	16,221	16,586	16,415	15,737	15,266	15,456	16,823	16,556	19,978	19,011
Calhoun.....	2,211	2,211	2,219	1,450	1,424	1,435	2,261	2,269	1,651	1,634
Clay.....	2,006	2,009	2,007	1,872	1,870	1,875	2,054	2,057	2,480	2,472
Doddrige.....	1,493	1,519	1,534	2,860	2,764	2,775	1,293	1,320	2,750	2,565
Fayette.....	10,158	10,293	9,991	10,551	10,446	10,722	12,937	12,587	12,080	12,214
Gilmer.....	2,640	2,676	2,670	1,630	1,575	1,577	2,400	2,394	1,567	1,506
Grant.....	662	653	654	2,331	2,315	2,311	595	601	2,503	2,474
Greenbrier.....	6,163	6,203	6,137	4,786	4,735	4,788	6,557	6,634	5,920	5,875
Hampshire.....	2,957	2,938	2,914	1,156	1,154	1,158	2,529	2,521	1,346	1,335
Hancock.....	1,207	1,217	1,202	3,728	3,705	3,711	1,770	1,758	5,251	5,230
Harley.....	2,431	2,426	2,421	1,271	1,273	1,271	2,084	2,074	1,443	1,436
Harrison.....	12,821	13,003	13,343	15,939	15,670	15,457	12,300	13,332	17,829	17,131
Jackson.....	2,943	2,925	2,921	3,791	3,769	3,769	2,719	2,715	3,939	3,923
Jefferson.....	4,410	4,433	4,430	1,855	1,856	1,855	3,990	3,969	2,410	2,410
Kanawha.....	23,911	24,823	23,468	26,215	25,147	26,402	28,415	28,291	32,465	32,425
Lewis.....	4,204	4,300	4,272	4,867	4,756	4,764	3,590	4,063	5,556	4,870
Lincoln.....	3,421	3,420	3,419	3,237	3,231	3,230	3,604	3,606	3,718	3,729
Logan.....	7,438	7,463	7,397	7,129	7,090	7,141	10,098	10,052	10,905	10,915
Marion.....	9,901	9,947	9,950	11,452	11,003	11,112	11,120	11,452	14,750	14,082
Marshall.....	4,792	4,787	4,771	7,501	7,445	7,429	4,906	4,906	8,326	8,219
Mason.....	3,438	3,437	3,410	4,319	4,266	4,288	3,160	3,135	4,797	4,793
Mercer.....	10,833	10,757	10,753	9,403	9,545	9,528	11,174	11,030	11,626	11,699
Mineral.....	3,018	3,005	3,024	3,655	3,636	3,637	2,788	2,818	5,253	5,204
Mingo.....	5,576	5,562	5,475	4,873	4,883	4,880	6,591	6,572	6,806	6,739
Monongalia.....	4,959	5,054	6,002	7,019	6,698	6,170	6,272	6,496	11,095	10,191
Monroe.....	2,700	2,703	2,701	2,720	2,717	2,720	2,540	2,539	2,889	2,886
Morgan.....	1,037	947	947	1,810	1,834	1,850	864	854	2,259	2,235
McDowell.....	5,760	5,667	5,720	12,231	12,517	12,262	8,004	7,981	14,298	14,290
Nicholas.....	3,935	3,970	3,940	3,368	3,339	3,360	3,748	3,754	3,714	3,684
Ohio.....	9,034	9,118	8,953	14,930	14,660	14,681	12,008	12,016	19,240	18,859
Penitentiary.....	2,032	2,025	2,024	1,442	1,444	1,441	2,033	2,022	1,621	1,602
Pleasants.....	1,608	1,665	1,669	1,695	1,610	1,613	1,379	1,352	1,664	1,653
Pocahontas.....	2,765	2,756	2,748	2,739	2,723	2,730	2,613	2,825	2,887	2,774
Preston.....	2,272	2,364	2,418	6,485	6,338	6,361	2,268	2,265	7,510	7,365
Putnam.....	2,975	2,951	2,975	2,923	2,898	2,921	2,774	2,773	3,239	3,226
Raleigh.....	7,932	7,912	7,150	8,764	8,739	8,761	10,528	10,032	10,692	11,368
Randolph.....	5,366	5,330	5,318	3,648	3,591	3,607	5,460	5,559	3,870	3,700
Ritchie.....	2,241	2,263	2,378	4,339	4,148	4,148	1,984	2,005	3,564	3,799
Roane.....	3,505	3,510	3,503	4,119	4,105	4,112	3,226	3,234	4,293	4,274
Summers.....	4,123	4,122	3,833	3,215	3,200	3,610	4,159	4,098	3,603	3,714
Taylor.....	2,639	2,621	2,653	3,791	3,645	3,647	2,686	2,781	4,635	4,448
Tucker.....	2,121	2,165	2,148	2,456	2,338	2,353	2,219	2,237	2,369	2,292
Tyler.....	2,099	2,115	2,121	3,395	3,360	3,347	1,790	1,791	3,565	3,528
Unshur.....	1,856	1,978	1,883	5,007	4,799	4,865	1,742	1,833	5,056	4,835
Wayne.....	5,652	5,642	5,639	4,037	4,005	4,002	5,365	5,329	5,070	5,057
Webster.....	2,510	2,525	2,502	1,614	1,604	1,613	2,415	2,408	1,782	1,764
Wetzel.....	4,873	4,873	4,873	3,434	3,403	3,389	4,370	4,391	3,795	3,693
Wirt.....	1,603	1,604	1,605	1,485	1,478	1,479	1,442	1,437	1,439	1,425
Wood.....	9,242	9,186	8,970	10,172	9,660	9,660	8,285	8,187	12,760	12,607
Wyoming.....	2,439	2,445	2,454	3,373	3,351	3,389	3,132	3,098	4,003	4,042
Totals.....	261,132	262,872	260,523	291,898	286,814	289,536	279,128	280,485	350,653	344,030

VOTE FOR CONGRESSMEN  
FIRST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	1926		1928	
	George W. Olsham, Democrat	Carl G. Bachmann, Republican	Paul R. Wellmar, Democrat	Carl G. Bachmann, Republican
Brooke.....	1,587	2,173	2,555	5,022
Hancock.....	711	1,698	1,824	5,327
Marion.....	7,508	9,640	11,288	14,818
Marshall.....	4,128	4,735	5,684	8,328
Ohio.....	9,672	8,855	11,897	20,021
Taylor.....	1,986	2,438	2,799	4,685
Wetzel.....	3,525	2,300	4,529	3,845
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>29,117</b>	<b>31,839</b>	<b>40,666</b>	<b>62,646</b>

SECOND CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	1926			1928		
	Robert E. Lee Allen, Democrat	Emelio Gariarino, Socialist	Frank L. Bowman, Republican	Ben H. Hiner, Democrat	Frank Clalfort, Socialist	Frank L. Bowman, Republican
Barbour.....	2,617		3,022	3,797		3,809
Berkeley.....	3,170	19	3,908	4,414	10	7,612
Grant.....	401		1,510	931	3	2,254
Hampshire.....	1,547	3	569	2,709		1,296
Hardy.....	1,178	2	555	2,205		1,434
Jefferson.....	2,610	3	1,415	4,001	1	2,483
Mineral.....	2,617	10	3,384	3,208		4,992
Monongalia.....	3,413	65	5,905	6,103	39	11,340
Morgan.....	762		1,582	920		2,337
Pendleton.....	1,738		1,372	2,452		1,294
Preston.....	1,583	24	4,638	2,423	8	7,727
Randolph.....	4,219		2,845	5,985	20	3,576
Tucker.....	1,880	37	2,098	2,492	34	2,261
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>27,744</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>32,803</b>	<b>41,640</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>52,424</b>

THIRD CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	1926		1928	
	William S. O'Brien, Democrat	John M. Welverton, Republican	William S. O'Brien, Democrat	John M. Welverton, Republican
Braxton.....	3,846	2,892	4,892	3,822
Calhoun.....	1,837	1,283	2,308	1,681
Clay.....	1,068	1,922	1,448	2,612
Doddridge.....	1,845	1,657	2,091	2,470
Gilmer.....	1,883	919	2,566	1,505
Harrison.....	8,879	8,557	14,798	15,448
Lewis.....	3,861	3,554	4,641	4,564
Nicholas.....	2,987	2,958	3,858	3,683
Ritchie.....	1,310	2,216	2,138	3,755
Upshur.....	2,457	2,328	3,224	3,884
Webster.....	1,981	1,533	2,513	1,742
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>31,954</b>	<b>29,719</b>	<b>44,477</b>	<b>45,167</b>

VOTE FOR CONGRESSMEN  
FOURTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	1926		1928	
	John D. Sweeney, Democrat	James A. Hughes, Republican	Harry H. Darnell, Democrat	James A. Hughes, Republican
Cabell.....	12,120	12,020	16,841	19,773
Jackson.....	2,296	2,636	2,744	3,946
Mason.....	2,664	3,223	3,161	4,882
Pleasants.....	1,309	1,406	1,375	1,688
Putnam.....	2,319	2,376	2,772	3,281
Roane.....	2,830	3,327	3,334	4,199
Tyler.....	1,848	2,575	1,895	3,646
Wirt.....	1,268	1,085	1,467	1,437
Wood.....	6,411	6,846	8,468	12,820
Totals.....	33,065	36,394	42,057	55,672

FIFTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	1926		1928	
	Emmet F. Scaggs, Democrat	James F. Strother, Republican	John Kee, Democrat	Hugh Ike Shott, Republican
Lincoln.....	3,261	3,224	3,595	3,744
Logan.....	8,066	7,943	10,095	10,960
Mercer.....	7,718	7,853	10,936	12,327
Mingo.....	4,789	4,309	6,657	6,812
Monroe.....	2,259	2,304	2,536	2,917
McDowell.....	3,551	10,371	8,744	13,989
Summers.....	3,061	2,850	4,222	3,618
Wayne.....	3,866	2,799	5,424	5,148
Wyoming.....	2,122	2,610	3,167	4,044
Totals.....	38,723	44,263	55,376	63,559

SIXTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	1926		1928	
	J. Alfred Taylor, Democrat	E. T. England, Republican	Joe L. Smith, Democrat	E. T. England, Republican
Boone.....	3,060	2,968	4,882	3,938
Fayette.....	9,785	9,041	13,160	12,135
Greenbrier.....	4,252	2,978	6,591	6,014
Kanawha.....	19,981	21,972	28,505	32,861
Pocahontas.....	2,532	2,040	2,726	2,890
Raleigh.....	6,071	6,899	11,081	9,779
Totals.....	45,681	45,898	67,845	67,617

Note: The Legislature of 1929, transferred Calhoun County from the Third to the Fourth District and Logan County from the Fifth to the Sixth District.

## GENERAL ELECTION RETURNS

## VOTE FOR PRESIDENT BY STATES 1924-1928

STATE	1924			1928	
	Coolidge, Republican	Davis, Democrat	LaFollette, Progressive	Hoover, Republican	Smith, Democrat
Alabama.....	45,005	112,966	8,094	113,681	127,548
Arizona.....	30,516	26,235	17,210	52,533	38,537
Arkansas.....	40,036	84,793	13,159	77,751	119,195
California.....	733,250	105,514	421,649	1,162,323	614,365
Colorado.....	193,956	75,238	57,368	253,872	133,131
Connecticut.....	246,322	110,184	42,416	298,614	252,040
Delaware.....	52,441	33,445	4,923	68,986	35,359
Florida.....	30,633	62,083	.....	144,168	101,764
Georgia.....	30,300	123,200	12,637	63,498	129,602
Idaho.....	69,879	24,256	54,160	97,322	52,926
Illinois.....	1,453,321	576,775	432,027	1,768,141	1,313,817
Indiana.....	697,688	492,247	70,778	845,746	502,811
Iowa.....	530,719	162,600	372,243	623,818	378,536
Kansas.....	407,671	156,319	98,461	513,671	193,003
Kentucky.....	396,140	375,732	38,465	558,064	381,070
Louisiana.....	24,670	93,218	4,063	51,160	164,655
Maine.....	138,440	41,964	11,382	179,923	31,179
Maryland.....	162,414	148,072	47,157	301,479	223,626
Massachusetts.....	703,476	280,831	141,225	775,566	792,758
Michigan.....	874,631	152,038	122,014	965,396	396,762
Minnesota.....	420,779	55,917	339,490	560,977	396,451
Mississippi.....	8,494	100,475	3,494	27,191	124,598
Missouri.....	650,293	572,753	84,160	834,080	662,076
Montana.....	74,138	31,871	61,105	113,200	78,578
Nebraska.....	218,585	137,289	106,701	345,745	197,959
Nevada.....	10,992	5,813	9,394	18,285	14,106
New Hampshire.....	100,078	57,576	9,200	115,404	80,715
New Jersey.....	675,162	209,743	108,901	925,235	616,162
New Mexico.....	54,470	48,473	9,217	69,698	48,306
New York.....	1,820,058	950,726	268,510	2,193,314	2,089,563
North Carolina.....	191,753	284,270	6,651	349,795	288,108
North Dakota.....	94,816	13,830	89,733	131,441	106,648
Ohio.....	1,176,130	477,888	357,948	1,627,516	864,210
Oklahoma.....	225,947	260,815	40,607	394,052	219,206
Oregon.....	142,572	67,589	68,463	205,341	109,223
Pennsylvania.....	1,401,481	409,192	307,591	2,055,382	1,067,586
Rhode Island.....	125,335	76,782	7,636	117,458	118,951
South Carolina.....	1,123	49,008	620	3,114	60,142
South Dakota.....	101,299	27,214	75,199	157,603	102,660
Tennessee.....	131,064	158,537	10,732	195,388	157,343
Texas.....	129,472	621,528	23,172	371,946	348,689
Utah.....	77,327	47,001	33,662	94,734	81,075
Vermont.....	73,328	139,716	10,377	90,404	44,440
Virginia.....	80,498	16,124	5,943	115,348	101,631
Washington.....	220,224	42,842	140,727	335,844	156,772
West Virginia.....	288,635	257,232	36,723	375,551	263,784
Wisconsin.....	311,614	68,110	453,678	544,205	450,259
Wyoming.....	41,858	12,868	25,174	52,748	29,299
United States.....	15,749,030	8,760,557	4,667,312	21,943,328	15,430,718

Electoral vote (1924)—Coolidge, Rep., 382; Davis, Dem., 136; LaFollette, Prog., 13.

Electoral vote (1928)—Hoover, Rep., 444; Smith, Dem., 89.

ELECTORAL VOTE FOR PRESIDENT BY STATES—1900-1928

STATE	1900		1904		1908		1912			1916		1920		1924			1928	
	R.	D.	R.	D.	R.	D.	R.	D.	P.	R.	D.	R.	D.	R.	D.	LaF	R.	D.
Alabama		11		11		11		12			12		12		12			12
Arizona								3			3		3		3		3	
Arkansas		8		9		9		9			9		9		9			9
California	9		10		10		2	11		13	13		13		13		13	
Colorado		4		5		5		6		6		6		6		6		6
Connecticut	6		7		7		7		7		7		7		7		7	
Delaware	3		3		3		3		3		3		3		3		3	
Florida		4		5		5		6		6		6		6		6		6
Georgia		13		13		13		14			14		14		14			14
Idaho		3		3		3		4			4		4		4		4	
Illinois	24		27		27		29		29		29		29		29		29	
Indiana	15		15		15		15		15		15		15		15		15	
Iowa	13		13		13		13		13		13		13		13		13	
Kansas	10		10		10		10		10		10		10		10		10	
Kentucky		13		13		13		13			13		13		13		13	
Louisiana		8		9		9		10			10		10		10			10
Maine	6		6		6		6		6		6		6		6		6	
Maryland	8		7		7		6		8		8		8		8		8	
Massachusetts	15		16		16		18		18		18		18		18		18	
Michigan	14		14		14				15	15		15		15		15		15
Minnesota	9		11		11				12	12		12		12		12		12
Mississippi		9		10		10		10			10		10		10			10
Missouri		17		18		18		18			18		18		18		18	
Montana		3		3		3		4			4		4		4		4	
Nebraska	8		8		8		8		8		8		8		8		8	
Nevada		3		3		3		3			3		3		3		3	
New Hampshire	4		4		4		4		4		4		4		4		4	
New Jersey	10		12		12		14		14		14		14		14		14	
New Mexico								3			3		3		3		3	
New York	36		39		39		45		45		45		45		45		45	
North Carolina		11		12		12		12			12		12		12		12	
North Dakota	13		4		4		5		5		5		5		5		5	
Ohio	23		23		23		24		24		24		24		24		24	
Oklahoma					7		10		10		10		10		10		10	
Oregon	4		4		4		5		5		5		5		5		5	
Pennsylvania	32		34		34			38	38		38		38		38		38	
Rhode Island	4		4		4		5		5		5		5		5		5	
South Carolina		9		9		9		9			9		9		9		9	
South Dakota	4		4		4		0		5	0		5		5		5		5
Tennessee		12		12		12		12			12		12		12		12	
Texas		15		18		18		18			20		20		20		20	
Utah	3		3		3		4		4		4		4		4		4	
Vermont	4		4		4		4		4		4		4		4		4	
Virginia	4		12		12		12		12		12		12		12		12	
Washington	4		5		5		7		7		7		7		7		7	
West Virginia	6		7		7		8		8		8		8		8		8	
Wisconsin	12		13		13		13		13		13		13		13		13	
Wyoming	3		3		3		3		3		3		3		3		3	
Totals	292	155	336	140	321	162	8	435	88	254	277	404	127	382	136	13	444	87
Plurality	137		196		159			347			23	277		246			357	

Arizona became a State Feb. 14, 1912. New Mexico was admitted Jan. 8, 1912.

## THE ELECTORAL VOTE

The following is the electoral vote of the States in 1924 as based upon the reapportionment act of 1911:

STATES	Electoral Votes	STATES	Electoral Votes	STATES	Electoral Votes
Alabama.....	12	Maryland.....	8	Oregon.....	5
Arizona.....	3	Massachusetts.....	18	Pennsylvania.....	38
Arkansas.....	9	Michigan.....	16	Rhode Island.....	5
California.....	13	Minnesota.....	12	South Carolina.....	9
Colorado.....	6	Mississippi.....	10	South Dakota.....	5
Connecticut.....	7	Missouri.....	18	Tennessee.....	12
Delaware.....	3	Montana.....	4	Texas.....	20
Florida.....	6	Nebraska.....	8	Utah.....	4
Georgia.....	14	Nevada.....	3	Vermont.....	4
Idaho.....	4	New Hampshire.....	4	Virginia.....	12
Illinois.....	29	New Jersey.....	14	Washington.....	7
Indiana.....	15	New Mexico.....	3	West Virginia.....	8
Iowa.....	13	New York.....	45	Wisconsin.....	13
Kansas.....	10	North Carolina.....	12	Wyoming.....	3
Kentucky.....	13	North Dakota.....	6		
Louisiana.....	10	Ohio.....	24	Total.....	531
Maine.....	6	Oklahoma.....	10		

Electoral votes necessary to a choice, 266.

## WEST VIRGINIA'S VOTE FOR PRESIDENT 1872-1928

- 1872—Greeley, Democrat and Liberal, 29,533; Grant, Republican, 32,323.  
 1876—Tilden, Democrat, 55,584; Hayes, Republican, 41,392.  
 1880—Hancock, Democrat, 57,391; Garfield, Republican, 46,243; Weaver, Greenback, 9,079.  
 1884—Cleveland, Democrat, 67,331; Blaine, Republican, 63,913; St. John, Prohibition, 939; Butler, Greenback, 810.  
 1888—Cleveland, Democrat, 78,677; Harrison, Republican, 78,171; Fisk, Prohibition, 1,085; Streeter, United Labor, 1,508.  
 1892—Cleveland, Democrat, 84,467; Harrison, Republican, 80,293; Weaver, People's, 4,166; Bidwell, Prohibition, 2,145.  
 1896—Bryan, Democrat and People's, 94,488; Palmer, National Democrat, 678; McKinley, Republican, 105,379; Jevering, Prohibition, 1,223.  
 1900—Bryan, Democrat, 98,807; McKinley, Republican, 119,829; Woolley, Prohibition, 1,692; DeLoach, Socialist, 219.  
 1904—Parker, Democrat, 100,881; Roosevelt, Republican, 132,628; Swallow, Prohibition, 4,604; DeLoach, Socialist, 1,574.  
 1908—Bryan, Democrat, 111,418; Taft, Republican, 137,869; Cramer, Prohibition, 5,139; DeLoach, Socialist, 3,679.  
 1912—Wilson, Democrat, 113,046; Taft, Republican, 56,667; Roosevelt, Progressive, 78,977; DeLoach, Socialist, 15,336.  
 1916—Wilson, Democrat, 140,403; Hughes, Republican, 143,124; Benson, Socialist, 6,150.  
 1920—Harding, Republican, 282,007; Cox, Democrat, 220,789; DeLoach, Socialist, 5,615.  
 1924—Coolidge, Republican, 288,635; Davis, Democrat, 257,232; LaFollette, Independent, 36,723.  
 1928—Hoover, Republican, 375,551; Smith, Democrat, 263,784; Thomas, Socialist, 1,313.

## PART VI

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### MISCELLANEOUS DIVISION:

Commercial Organizations.

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# Commercial Organizations

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Vice President—F. O. Harris, Cannelton.  
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Vice President—R. H. Morris, Ansted.  
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### Logan Coal Operators' Association—Logan

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Vice President—W. J. Jones, Amherstdale.  
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*Clubs*

Bethany, Brooke County.....	1
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Chester, Hancock County.....	1
Follansbee, Brooke County.....	2
McMechen, Marshall County.....	1
Middlebourne, Tyler County.....	1
Moundsville, Marshall County.....	2
New Martinsville, Wetzel County.....	1
Power, Brooke County.....	1
Sistersville, Tyler County.....	1
Weirton, Hancock County.....	1
Wellsburg, Brooke County.....	2
West Liberty, Ohio County.....	1
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*Clubs*

Buckhannon, Upshur County.....	1
Clarksburg, Harrison County.....	2
Davis, Tucker County.....	1
Elkins, Randolph County.....	2
Fairmont, Marlon County.....	1
Gassaway, Braxton County.....	1
Glenville, Gilmer County.....	1
Lost Creek, Harrison County.....	1
Mannington, Marlon County.....	1
Parsons, Tucker County.....	2
Phillippi, Barbour County.....	1
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Shinnston, Harrison County.....	1
Sutton, Braxton County.....	1
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Weston, Lewis County.....	3

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*Clubs*

Calro, Ritchie County.....	1
Elizabeth, Wirt County.....	1
Grantsville, Calhoun County.....	1
Harrisville, Ritchie County.....	1
Parkersburg, Wood County.....	1
Pennsboro, Ritchie County.....	1
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St. Marys, Pleasants County.....	1
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*Clubs*

Ansted, Fayette County.....	1
Alderson, Monroe County.....	4
Beckley, Raleigh County.....	1
Bellepoint, Summers County.....	1
Charleston, Kanawha County.....	5
Clendenin, Kanawha County.....	1
Fayette, Fayette County.....	1
Hinton, Summers County.....	2
Madison, Boone County.....	1
Marlinton, Pocahontas County.....	1
Montgomery, Fayette County.....	1
Oak Hill, Fayette County.....	1
Richwood, Nicholas County.....	1
Ronceverte, Greenbrier County.....	1
St. Albans, Kanawha County.....	3
Webster Springs, Webster County.....	1
Whitesville, Boone County.....	1
Widen, Clay County.....	1

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*Clubs*

Charles Town, Jefferson County.....	1
Grafton, Taylor County.....	1
Harpers Ferry, Jefferson County.....	1
Keyser, Mineral County.....	1
Kingwood, Preston County.....	2
Martinsburg, Berkeley County.....	1
Moorefield, Hardy County.....	1
Morgantown, Monongalia County.....	2
Piedmont, Mineral County.....	1
Reedsville, Preston County.....	1
Shepherdstown, Jefferson County.....	1

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*Clubs*

Athens, Mercer County.....	1
Barboursville, Cabell County.....	1
Bluefield, Mercer County.....	1
Bramwell, Mercer County.....	1
Hamlin, Lincoln County.....	1
Huntington, Cabell County.....	4
Jaeger, McDowell County.....	1
Kenova, Wayne County.....	1
Logan, Logan County.....	1
Man, Logan County.....	1
Milton, Cabell County.....	1
Mullens, Wyoming County.....	2
Rainelle, Greenbrier County.....	1
Omar, Logan County.....	1
Point Pleasant, Mason County.....	2
Princeton, Mercer County.....	1
Sharples, Logan County.....	1
Welch, McDowell County.....	1
Williamson, Mingo County.....	1

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TOTAL CLUBS.....	119
ASSOCIATED ORGANIZATIONS.....	2

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 Argonne No. 115, Littleton—Henry Dunnington, Comd.; A. V. Henderson, Adjt.

## DISTRICT No. 2

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 Fairmont No. 17, Fairmont—E. H. Pritt, Comd.; Foster Read, Adjt.  
 Bartlett Clemens No. 37, Fairmont—Nobel Hart, Comd.; Spencer Roberts, Adjt.  
 Charles Millan No. 40, Mannington—Joe P. Gaughan, Comd.; H. S. Broadwater, Adjt.  
 George D. Jackson No. 56, Kingwood—Ben Arnold, Comd.; John Varner, Adjt.

## DISTRICT No. 3

Weston No. 4, Weston—Er Ralston, Comd.; Ray B. Barbarow, Adjt.  
 Frank Bartlett No. 7, Buckhannon—Charles Tinney, Comd.; J. B. Scott, Adjt.  
 Roy E. Parrish No. 13, Clarksburg—Meyer Seigal, Comd.; A. M. Cantrell, Adjt.  
 Robinson No. 25, West Union—Charles L. Davis, Comd.; Frank Liggett, Adjt.  
 Braxton County No. 31, Sutton—W. Hal Boggs, Comd.; H. L. Robinson, Jr., Adjt.  
 P. Hale Samples No. 35, Salem—O G. Layman, Comd.; A. L. Stone, Adjt.  
 William Alexander No. 72, Clarksburg—Chas. H. Lawrence, Comd.; Robt. L. Franklin, Adjt.  
 Memorial No. 33, Gassaway—N. D. Boggs, Comd.; Dr. H. L. Welch, Adjt.  
 Carl Evans Roby No. 24, Lumberport—F. M. Chenoweth, Comd.; K. M. Smith, Adjt.

## DISTRICT No. 4

Parkersburg No. 15, Parkersburg—Wm. H. McClain, Comd.; Arthur H. Reynolds, Adjt.  
 Roane County No. 21, Spencer—R. D. Hersman, Comd.; A. L. McCarty, Adjt.  
 The Marne No. 28, New Martinsville—Patrick A. Barr, Comd.; M. M. McIntire, Adjt.  
 Glenville No. 42, Glenville—Mark Heckert, Troy, Comd.; T. B. McQuain, Adjt.  
 Tyler County No. 48, Middlebourne—L. A. Crumrine, Comd.; Ray F. Henderson, Adjt.  
 Ritchie No. 51, Harrisville—Wm. O. Bickerstaff, Comd.; A. H. Lawson, Adjt.  
 Coe Thorn No. 67, Sistersville—John D. McCamey, Comd.; L. M. Harmon, Adjt.  
 Pleasants No. 79, St. Marys—C. R. Gerber, Comd.; R. R. Walker, Adjt.  
 Victor Hamilton No. 82, Grantsville—Orville J. Knight, Comd.; F. F. McCoy, Adjt.  
 Jackson County No. 107, Ripley—H. L. Kerwood, Comd.; W. O. Whiting, Adjt.  
 Ables Raeburn No. 118, Ravenswood—H. E. Morehead, Comd.; A. L. Cottrill, Adjt.

## DISTRICT No. 5

Huntington No. 16, Huntington—H. S. Ellis, Comd.; G. N. Carroll, Adjt.  
 Gunther-McNeely-Nowlan No. 19, Logan—Whitey Bloom, Comd.; N. G. Rhodes, Stlrrat, Adjt.  
 Mason County No. 23, Point Pleasant—J. A. W. Davis, Comd.; M. S. Poffenbarger, Adjt.  
 Hurricane No. 38, Hurricane—R. W. Smith, Comd.; W. E. Thompson, Adjt.  
 Smith-Ball-Dolan No. 43, Sharples—R. H. Howard, Comd.; J. V. DeLinde, Monclo, Adjt.  
 Smith-Cradic No. 47, Huntington—W. R. Dickerson, Comd.; E. R. Carter, 1824 Dalton Avenue, Adjt.  
 Whitesville No. 75, Whitesville—Edward Shibley, Comd.; C. R. Eskew, Adjt.  
 Hardy Johnson No. 77, Logan—W. P. Ferguson, Comd.; J. R. Lipscomb, Adjt.

## DISTRICT No. 6

McDowell No. 8, Welch—W. B. Lovett, Comd. ; H. S. White, Adjt.  
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 Luther Patterson No. 36, Kimball—R. L. Robinson, Comd. ; F. A. Jones, Adjt.  
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 Eph Boggs No. 49, Williamson—J. E. Wilkinson, Comd. ; Joe Ardlgo, Adjt.  
 Princeton No. 54, Princeton—Ralph Shrewsbury, Comd. ; B. E. Smith, Adjt.  
 Wyoming No. 106, Mullens—I. R. Parsons, Comd. ; Charles McKinney, Adjt.

## DISTRICT No. 7

Murvell Cook No. 6, Hinton—W. T. Hoover, Comd. ; O. E. Mann, Adjt.  
 Greenbrier No. 26, Ronceverte—Edward L. Blake, Comd. ; F. L. Owen, Adjt.  
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 Red Devil No. 59, Oak Hill—J. A. Martin, Comd. ; D. D. Whitney, Adjt.  
 Roscoe Miller No. 62, Cowen—E. E. Miller, Comd. ; E. G. Gray, Adjt.  
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 Midland Seneca No. 69, Lewisburg—H. F. Zimmerman, Comd. ; C. C. Conyers, Adjt.  
 Sherman Horton No. 81, Glen White—G. F. Blair, Comd. ; John Y. Morgan, Adjt.  
 Mount Hope No. 103, Mount Hope—E. McK. Hardesty, Comd. ; John H. Coleman.  
 Raleigh No. 70, Beckley—J. R. Clemens, Comd. ; Willie Spencer, Adjt.  
 Harrison Andrews No. 74, Oak Hill—John H. Branch, Comd. ; C. D. Tinsley, Adjt.

## DISTRICT No. 8

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 Col. Charles E. Young No. 57, Charleston—Harry Kent, 428 Sentz Street, Comd. ;  
 O. E. Board, 424 Shrewsbury Street, Adjt.  
 Kanawha Valley No. 58, Montgomery—Geo. M. Hancock, Comd. ; R. L. Stowers, Adjt.  
 James R. Cox No. 61, Clendenin—Willard M. Young, Comd. ; H. O. Phillips, Adjt.  
 Campbells Creek No. 68, Rensford—Wm. M. Layton, Comd. ; Robert Dixon, Dana, Adjt.  
 Baler-Slater-Summerfield No. 73, St. Albans—Kelly M. Dyer, Comd. ; Edgar Delaney, Adjt.  
 Bert H. Hickman No. 97, Richwood—Shirley Young, Comd. ; M. Lewis Catlette, Adjt.  
 Solvay-Kingston No. 108, Kingston—Dr. M. A. Moore, Comd. ; G. R. Wright, Adjt.  
 Smith-Thompson No. 27, Duubar—C. R. Kay, Comd.  
 A. Jackson Chapman No. 53, Summersville, W. E. Simpson, Comd.

## DISTRICT No. 9

Taylor County No. 12, Grafton—Ralph H. Cline, Comd. ; Jos. C. Helms, Adjt.  
 Blue Ridge No. 22, Davis—Dr. O. M. Burley, Comd. ; Harry F. Campbell, Adjt.  
 H. W. Daniels No. 29, Elkins—L. L. Cook, Comd. ; T. M. Check, Adjt.  
 Barbour County No. 44, Phillipi—Rayburn Carder, Comd. ; Mason Malone, Adjt.  
 William Featherstone No. 76, Elkins—W. H. Davis, Comd. ; Ira P. Crank, Adjt.  
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## DISTRICT No. 10

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 Pendleton No. 30, Franklin—Charles H. Dahmer, Kline, Comd. ; V. L. Mullenax, Adjt.  
 Boyce Houser No. 41, Keyser—Dr. Thomas Bess, Comd. ; Paul W. Dayton, Adjt.  
 Kelly-Mansfield No. 52, Piedmont—Thomas J. Martin, Comd. ; Francis T. Malloy, Adjt.

- Alderson-Dawson No. 60, Berkeley Springs—Lewis H. Buzzerd, Comd.; E. V. Edmiston, Adjt.  
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 John M. Golloday No. 64, Moorefield—H. S. Pownall, Comd.; Angus Seymour, Adjt.  
 Jackson-Perks No. 71, Charles Town—Roger Manuel, Comd.; Charles E. Gore, Adjt.  
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POPULATION OF INCORPORATED PLACES IN WEST VIRGINIA, 1930, 1920 1910,

CITY, TOWN OR VILLAGE	COUNTY	1930	1920	1910
Addison (Webster Springs, P. O.)	Webster	976	679	500
Aloright	Preston	345	262	.....
*Al lerson	Greenbrier	.....	.....	.....
Ansted	Monroe	1,458	1,401	1,252
Atkins	Fayette	1,403	1,178	1,030
Auburn	Mercer	630	552	575
Barboursville	Ritchie	165	177	199
Bayar	Catell	1,508	974	907
Beeley	Grant	743	1,074	417
Bellington	Raleigh	9,350	4,149	2,161
Berwood	Barbour	1,564	1,766	1,481
Bethany	Marshall	3,993	4,773	4,976
Beverly	Morgan	1,038	980	864
Blacksville	Brooke	439	400	433
Blair	Randolph	429	442	438
Bolivar	Monongalia	266	218	204
Bramwell	Mercer	19,325	15,282	11,188
Branchville	Jefferson	616	585	687
Bridgeport	Mercer	1,574	1,696	1,458
Brooklyn	Preston	78	67	96
Brookton Mills	Harrison	1,567	1,346	577
Buckhannon	Westzel	779	724	627
Buffalo	Preston	115	106	116
Burrisville	Upsur	4,369	3,785	2,225
Cairo	Putnam	310	300	384
Camden-on-Gauley	Braxton	868	1,088	770
Cameron	Ritchie	607	662	668
Canon Bridge	Webster	435	283	263
Cass	Marshall	2,282	2,404	1,660
Cassville (Ft. Gay, P. O.)	Hampshire	192	157	213
Cedar Grove	Pocahontas	708	1,195	496
Centerville (P. O. Alma)	Wayne	664	672	457
Ceruleo	Kanawha	1,110	918	679
Charleston	Tyler	152	155	113
Charles Town	Wayne	1,168	1,110	1,215
Chester	Kanawha	60,411	39,608	22,996
Clark	Jefferson	2,434	2,527	2,662
Clarksburg	Hancock	3,681	3,283	3,184
Clay	McDowell	787	459	165
Cleburn	Harrison	28,831	27,869	9,201
Corrine	Clay	444	342	.....
Cowen	Kanawha	1,215	1,263	815
Darville	Wyoming	494	.....	.....
Davis	Webster	491	393	312
Dunbar	Boone	486	327	.....
Durbin	Tucker	1,656	2,401	2,615
Eastbank	Kanawha	4,191	.....	.....
East Rairele	Pocahontas	498	422	390
Elizabeth	Kanawha	476	586	551
Elk Garden	Pocahontas	1,272	.....	.....
Elkins	Wirt	716	681	674
Ellersboro	Mineral	299	442	438
Fairmont	Randolph	7,306	6,788	5,260
Fairview	Ritchie	330	286	204
Falling Springs (P. O. Renick)	Marion	23,061	17,851	9,711
Farmington	Marion	847	827	782
Fayetteville	Greenbrier	355	263	270
Flatwoods	Marion	817	679	519
Flemington	Fayette	1,143	659	671
Follansbee	Braxton	299	325	284
Franklin	Taylor	617	.....	.....
Friendly	Brooke	4,839	3,135	2,031
Gassaway	Pendleton	428	320	200
Gilbert	Tyler	170	173	217
Glasgow	Braxton	1,615	1,518	1,086
Glendale	Mingo	461	.....	.....
Glennville	Kanawha	614	.....	.....
Grafton	Marshall	1,493	.....	.....
Grantsville	Gilmer	535	327	336
Hambleton	Taylor	7,715	8,517	7,563
Hamlin	Calhoun	1,019	450	282
Harpers Ferry	Tucker	371	488	1,300
Harrisville	Tucker	844	516	.....
	Lincoln	704	713	766
	Jefferson	704	713	766
	Ritchie	1,192	1,036	608

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POPULATION OF INCORPORATED PLACES IN WEST VIRGINIA, 1930, 1920, 1910—Continued.

CITY, TOWN OR VILLAGE	COUNTY	1930	1920	1910
Hartford	Mason	465	430	358
Heigeaville	Berkeley	361	379	328
Hederson	Mason	330	326	286
Hendricks	Tucker	484	622	640
Hillsboro	Pocahontas	220	215	181
Hinton	Summers	6,642	3,912	3,656
**Hollydays Cove	{ Brooke			
	{ Hancock	3,750	1,213	
Hundrel	Wetzel	781	710	557
Huntington	Calwell	75,576	50,177	31,161
Hurricane	Putnam	1,293	666	422
Huttonsville	Randolph	303	265	251
Iager	McDowell	1,066	481	
Jane Lew	Lewis	445	560	327
Janitor	Barbour	963	593	435
Kenova	Wayne	3,680	2,162	992
Kermit	Mingo	749	636	
Keyser	Mineral	6,245	6,003	3,705
Keystone	McDowell	1,894	1,839	2,047
Kimball	McDowell	1,464	1,428	1,630
Kingwood	Preston	1,701	1,417	800
Layopolis	Gilmer	190	175	156
Leon	Mason	282	299	240
Lester	Raleigh	609	412	
Lewisburg	Greenbrier	1,292	1,202	803
Littleton	Wetzel	647	666	712
Logan	Logan	4,395	2,995	1,640
Lumbersport	Harrison	1,286	906	656
McMechen	Marshall	3,710	3,356	2,691
Mathcott	Raleigh	1,260	1,114	561
Marrison	Boone	1,156	604	295
Man	Logan	834		
Mannington	Marion	3,258	3,673	2,672
Marlinton	Pocahontas	1,586	1,177	1,045
Marinet	Kanawha	1,200		
Martinsburg	Berkeley	14,855	12,515	10,698
Mason	Mason	691	992	784
Masontown	Preston	922	831	520
Matawa	Mingo	932	851	588
Matoaka	Mercer	929	647	
McLow Bridge	Fayette	476		
Millbourne	Tyler	772	926	546
Mill Creek	Randolph	723	762	740
Milton	Calwell	1,305	1,023	837
Monongah	Marion	1,909	2,031	2,084
Montgomery	Fayette	2,901	2,136	1,888
Morris	Randolph	114	126	112
Morrisville	Hardy	734	636	646
Morgantown	Monongalia	16,166	12,127	9,150
Morrisville	Marshall	14,387	10,666	8,918
Mount Hope	Fayette	2,361	1,986	494
Mullens	Wyoming	2,356	1,425	
New Cumberland	Hancock	2,306	1,816	1,807
New Martinsville	Wetzel	3,000	2,341	2,176
Newburg	Preston	745	886	823
Northfork	McDowell	499	421	425
Nutter Fort	Harrison	1,823		
Oak Hill	Fayette	2,076	1,037	764
Oakvale	Mercer	261	281	278
Osborne	Kanawha	167		
Palen City	{ Tyler			
	{ Wetzel	2,281	1,705	
Parlersburg	Wood	29,605	20,050	17,842
Parsons	Tucker	2,011	2,001	1,780
Paw Paw	Morgan	780	698	725
Pax	Fayette	608		
Pennsboro	Ritchie	1,616	1,654	930
Petersburg	Grant	1,407	834	
Peterstown	Monroe	412	293	257
Philiopi	Barbour	1,767	1,543	1,038
Piclmont	Mineral	2,237	2,835	2,054
Pine Grove	Wetzel	819	797	474
Pineville	Wyoming	536	304	334
Point Pleasant	Mason	3,294	3,059	2,045
Pratt	Kanawha	325	315	306



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POPULATION OF INCORPORATED PLACES IN WEST VIRGINIA, 1930, 1920, 1910—Continued.

CITY, TOWN OR VILLAGE	COUNTY	1930	1920	1910
Princeton.....	Mercer.....	6,933	6,224	3,027
Pullman.....	Ritchie.....	189	249	230
Rainelle.....	Greenbrier.....	920	566	.....
Ranson.....	Jefferson.....	1,002	699	.....
Ravenswood.....	Jackson.....	1,190	1,284	1,081
Reeclsville.....	Preston.....	345	254	208
Reeley.....	Roane.....	400	373	313
Renick (Falling Springs).....	Greenbrier.....	355	263	270
Ridgwood.....	Nicholas.....	5,720	4,331	3,061
Riizeley.....	Mineral.....	1,972	1,709	.....
Ripley.....	Jackson.....	666	580	591
Riverside (P. O. Morgantown).....	Monongalia.....	940	326	.....
Riversville.....	Marion.....	1,696	1,061	190
Romney.....	Hampshire.....	1,395	1,023	1,112
Roscoerte.....	Greenbrier.....	2,254	2,319	2,157
Roselale.....	Braxton.....	175	.....	.....
Rowlesburg.....	Preston.....	1,574	1,225	936
Sabraton.....	Monongalia.....	1,703	1,389	.....
St. Albans.....	Kanawha.....	3,252	2,825	1,209
St. Albans.....	Pleasants.....	2,171	1,648	1,358
Salem.....	Harrison.....	2,518	2,920	2,169
Shoemakerstown.....	Jefferson.....	885	1,063	1,700
Shinston.....	Harrison.....	2,800	1,679	1,224
Sistersville.....	Tyler.....	3,037	3,238	2,684
Smitfield.....	Wetzel.....	605	774	765
Sophia.....	Raleigh.....	611	240	.....
South Charleston.....	Kanawha.....	5,904	3,650	.....
Spencer.....	Roane.....	2,494	1,765	1,224
Star City.....	Monongalia.....	1,121	823	318
Summersville.....	Nicholas.....	538	279	204
Sutton.....	Braxton.....	1,204	947	1,121
Terra Alta.....	Preston.....	1,474	1,261	1,126
Toomas.....	Tucker.....	1,667	2,099	2,354
Thurmond.....	Fayette.....	455	285	315
Triadelphia.....	Ohio.....	301	299	261
Troy.....	Gilmer.....	101	113	144
Tunnelton.....	Preston.....	595	703	792
Union.....	Monroe.....	331	439	298
War.....	McDowell.....	1,392	.....	.....
Warlesville.....	Hardy.....	189	745	123
Wayne.....	Wayne.....	975	446	384
Webster Springs (Addison).....	Webster.....	976	670	500
Welch.....	McDowell.....	5,494	3,232	1,526
Wellsburg.....	Brooke.....	5,530	4,918	4,189
West Millford.....	Harrison.....	349	.....	.....
West Union.....	Doddridge.....	984	1,270	770
Weston.....	Lewis.....	8,651	5,701	2,213
Westover.....	Monongalia.....	1,632	721	.....
Wheeling.....	Ohio.....	61,752	56,208	41,641
White Sulphur Springs.....	Greenbrier.....	1,484	837	338
Williamsburg.....	Greenbrier.....	159	161	120
Williamson.....	Mingo.....	9,410	6,819	3,561
Williamstown.....	Wood.....	1,655	1,793	1,139
Winfield.....	Putnam.....	294	253	291
Womelsdorf (P. O. Coalton).....	Randolph.....	374	833	665
Worthington.....	Marion.....	420	381	292

\*Part in Greenbrier County: 841 in 1920; 677 in 1910. Part in Monroe County: 560 in 1920; 575 in 1910. Returned in 1900 as located wholly in Monroe County. Returned in 1930 as in Greenbrier and Monroe Counties with no separations of figures.

\*\*Part in Brooke County: 216 in 1920. Part in Hancock County: 907 in 1920. Returned in 1930 as located in Brooke and Hancock Counties with no separation of figures.

†Part in Tyler County: 215 in 1920. Part in Wetzel County: 1,400 in 1920. Returned in 1930 as located in Tyler and Wetzel Counties, but with no separation of figures.

Cities of 10,000 or More—There are 10 cities in the State which had a population of 10,000 or more in 1930. The following table shows for these cities the population at each census for which figures are available, together with the increase during each decade. Huntington, with a population of 75,572, is the largest city in the State. Wheeling, with a population of 61,659, is the second city in West Virginia, and is closely followed by Charleston, the capital, with a population of 60,408. Other important cities in the order of their populations are Parkersburg, Clarksburg, Fairmont, Bluefield, Morgantown, Martinsburg, and Moundsville. The combined population of Bluefield, W. Va., and the neighboring town of Bluefield, Va., is 23,245.

## POPULATION OF PRINCIPAL CITIES FROM EARLIEST CENSUS TO 1930

(A minus sign (—) denotes decrease)

CITY AND CENSUS YEAR	Population	Increase Over Preceding Census	
		Number	Per cent
<b>BLUEFIELD: (1)</b>			
1930.....	19,339	4,057	26.5
1920.....	15,282	4,094	36.6
1910.....	11,188	6,544	140.9
1900.....	4,644	2,868	161.6
1890.....	1,775		
<b>CHARLESTON:</b>			
1930.....	60,408	20,800	52.5
1920.....	39,608	16,612	72.2
1910.....	22,996	11,897	107.2
1900.....	11,099	4,357	64.6
1890.....	6,742	2,550	60.8
1880.....	4,192	1,030	32.6
1870.....	3,162	1,642	108.0
1860.....	1,520	470	44.8
1850.....	1,050		
<b>CLARKSBURG:</b>			
1930.....	28,866	997	3.6
1920.....	27,869	18,668	202.9
1910.....	9,201	5,151	127.2
1900.....	4,050	1,042	34.6
1890.....	3,008	701	30.4
1880.....	2,307		
1870.....	(2)		
1860.....	895		
<b>FAIRMONT:</b>			
1930.....	23,159	5,308	29.7
1920.....	17,851	8,140	83.8
1910.....	9,711	4,056	71.7
1900.....	5,655	4,632	452.8
1890.....	1,023	123	13.7
1880.....	900	279	44.9
1870.....	621	—83	—11.8
1860.....	704	21	3.1
1850.....	683		
<b>HUNTINGTON:</b>			
1930.....	75,572	25,395	50.6
1920.....	50,177	19,016	61.0
1910.....	31,161	19,238	161.4
1900.....	11,923	1,815	18.0
1890.....	10,108	6,934	218.3
1880.....	3,174		

## POPULATION OF PRINCIPAL CITIES FROM EARLIEST CENSUS TO 1930—Continued

(A minus sign (—) denotes decrease)

CITY AND CENSUS YEAR	Population	Increase Over Prece ing Census	
		Num. er	Per cent
<b>MARTINSBURG:</b>			
1930.....	14,857	2,342	18.7
1920.....	12,515	1,817	17.0
1910.....	10,698	3,134	41.4
1900.....	7,564	338	4.7
1890.....	7,226	891	14.1
1880.....	6,335	1,472	30.3
1870.....	4,863	1,499	44.6
1860.....	3,364	1,174	53.6
1850.....	2,100		
<b>MORGANTOWN:</b>			
1930.....	16,186	4,059	33.5
1920.....	12,127	2,977	32.5
1910.....	9,150	7,255	382.8
1900.....	1,895	884	87.4
1890.....	1,011	266	35.7
1880.....	745	—52	—6.5
1870.....	797	56	7.6
1860.....	741		
<b>MOUNDSVILLE:</b>			
1930.....	14,411	3,742	35.1
1920.....	10,669	1,751	19.6
1910.....	8,918	3,556	66.3
1900.....	5,362	2,674	99.5
1890.....	2,688	914	51.5
1880.....	1,774	274	18.3
1870.....	1,500	985	191.3
1860.....	515	70	15.7
1850.....	445		
<b>PARKERSBURG:</b>			
1930.....	29,623	9,573	47.7
1920.....	20,050	2,208	12.4
1910.....	17,842	6,139	52.5
1900.....	11,703	3,295	39.2
1890.....	8,408	1,826	27.7
1880.....	6,582	1,036	18.7
1870.....	5,546	3,053	122.5
1860.....	2,493	1,275	104.7
1850.....	1,218		
<b>WHEELING:</b>			
1930.....	61,659	5,451	9.7
1920.....	56,208	14,567	35.0
1910.....	41,641	2,763	7.1
1900.....	38,878	4,356	12.6
1890.....	34,522	3,785	12.3
1880.....	30,737	11,457	59.4
1870.....	19,280	5,197	36.9
1860.....	14,083	2,618	23.2
1850.....	11,435	3,550	45.0
1840.....	7,886		

(1) For combined population of Bluefield city, W. Va., and Bluefield (formerly Graham) town, Va., see footnote 1 on Table 5.

(2) Not returned separately.

POPULATION OF CITIES BY WARDS

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POPULATION OF CITIES AND TOWNS OF 5,000 OR OVER BY WARDS, 1930

CITY OR TOWN AND WARD	1930	CITY OR TOWN AND WARD	1920
Beckley city.....	9,357	Grafton city.....	7,737
(Not reported by wards.)		Ward 1.....	1,531
Bluefield city, W. Va.....	10,330	Ward 2.....	1,459
Ward 1.....	2,087	Ward 3.....	1,520
Ward 2.....	1,832	Ward 4.....	922
Ward 3.....	673	Ward 5.....	2,305
Ward 4.....	5,596	Hinton city.....	6,654
Ward 5.....	2,496	Ward 1.....	770
Ward 6.....	1,562	Ward 2.....	1,000
Ward 7.....	1,547	Ward 3.....	1,019
Ward 8.....	2,626	Ward 4.....	1,019
Charleston city.....	60,408	Ward 5.....	577
Ward 1.....	6,321	Ward 6.....	856
Ward 2.....	6,097	Ward 7.....	709
Ward 3.....	3,837	Ward 8.....	704
Ward 4.....	3,043	Huntington city.....	75,572
Ward 5.....	4,847	Ward 1.....	9,730
Ward 6.....	4,365	Ward 2.....	6,015
Ward 7.....	2,015	Ward 3.....	5,222
Ward 8.....	2,537	Ward 4.....	5,621
Ward 9.....	4,688	Ward 5.....	9,624
Ward 10.....	2,930	Ward 6.....	9,274
Ward 11.....	2,308	Ward 7.....	8,254
Ward 12.....	3,136	Ward 8.....	10,004
Ward 13.....	3,759	Ward 9.....	8,868
Ward 14.....	5,653	Ward 10.....	2,960
Ward 15.....	1,901	Keyser town.....	6,248
Ward 16.....	930	(Not reported by wards.)	
Ward 17.....	2,040	Martinsburg city.....	14,857
Calksburg city.....	28,866	Ward 1.....	4,162
Ward 1.....	3,191	Ward 2.....	3,576
Ward 2.....	3,992	Ward 3.....	3,601
Ward 3.....	2,656	Ward 4.....	2,311
Ward 4.....	2,095	Ward 5.....	1,807
Ward 5.....	2,864	Morgantown city.....	16,186
Ward 6.....	3,468	Ward 1.....	2,596
Ward 7.....	3,938	Ward 2.....	4,659
Ward 8.....	2,920	Ward 3.....	1,696
Ward 9.....	3,739	Ward 4.....	3,623
Elkins city.....	7,345	Ward 5.....	3,611
Ward 1.....	1,881	Moundsville city.....	14,411
Ward 2.....	1,252	Ward 1.....	4,472
Ward 3.....	1,728	Ward 2.....	3,537
Ward 4.....	1,364	Ward 3.....	4,477
Ward 5.....	1,120	Ward 4.....	1,926
Fairmont city.....	23,159	Parkersburg city.....	29,623
Ward 1.....	2,424	(Not reported by wards.)	
Ward 2.....	1,567		
Ward 3.....	2,149		
Ward 4.....	1,558		
Ward 5.....	1,492		
Ward 6.....	2,983		
Ward 7.....	3,352		
Ward 8.....	1,071		
Ward 9.....	1,601		
Ward 10.....	1,751		
Ward 11.....	1,219		
Ward 12.....	1,992		

## POPULATION OF CITIES AND TOWNS OF 5,000 OR OVER BY WARDS, 1930—Continued

CITY OR TOWN AND WARD	1930	CITY OR TOWN AND WARD	1930
Princeton .....	6,955	Weston town .....	8,646
Ward 1 .....	1,826	Ward 1 .....	2,591
Ward 2 .....	3,329	Ward 2 .....	2,534
Ward 3 .....	1,800	Ward 3 .....	2,390
		Ward 4 .....	1,131
Richwood .....	5,720	Wheeling city .....	61,659
Ward 1 .....	1,834	Ward 1 .....	4,754
Ward 2 .....	1,278	Ward 2 .....	4,581
Ward 3 .....	1,215	Ward 3 .....	3,953
Ward 4 .....	1,393	Ward 4 .....	2,685
		Ward 5 .....	2,651
South Charles Town .....	5,904	Ward 6 .....	6,833
(Not reported by wards.)		Ward 7 .....	7,338
		Ward 8 .....	6,789
Welch city .....	5,376	Ward 9 .....	5,512
Ward 1 .....	1,300	Ward 10 .....	2,922
Ward 2 .....	3,031	Ward 11 .....	8,298
Ward 3 .....	1,045	Ward 12 .....	5,343
		Williamson city .....	9,410
		(Not reported by wards.)	
Wellsburg city .....	6,398		
Ward 1 .....	1,412		
Ward 2 .....	1,061		
Ward 3 .....	1,302		
Ward 4 .....	2,623		

## WEST VIRGINIA MUNICIPALITIES, 1930

**Addison—Webster County**

(P. O. Webster Springs)

**Albright—Preston County**

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 343, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—L. R. Cates, Republican.

*Recorder*—N. J. Gibson; *ex-officio* Treasurer and Town Sergeant

**Alderson—Monroe County**

Chartered in 1899 under chapter forty-seven of the code; charter amended by the legislature in 1902, adding that portion of the town lying in Greenbrier county; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 1,458, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—A. M. McNeer, Democrat; *ex-officio* Treasurer.

*Recorder*—J. W. Hill, Republican.

*Sergeant*—J. E. Shires, Republican.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—H. B. Wathall, Democrat.

*Supt. Water Plant*—J. E. Foster, Republican.

*Health Officer*—Dr. L. H. McClung, Democrat.

**Ansted—Fayette County**

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 1,404, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—Miles A. Skaggs, Democrat; *ex-officio* Police Judge.

*Recorder*—H. H. Wills, Democrat.

*Treasurer*—Henry McGraw, Democrat; *ex-officio* Town Sergeant.

*Health Officer*—Dr. G. W. Fox, Republican.

**Athens—Mercer County**

Chartered by circuit court in 1906 under chapter forty-seven of the code; population, 628, census 1930; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June.

*Mayor*—Frank Cutright, Republican.

*Recorder*—(pro tem) Arthur Hartman, Democrat.

*Treasurer*—Calvin Grim, Democrat.

**Auburn—Ritchie County**

Chartered by the circuit court in 1901 under chapter forty-seven of the code; population 106 census 1930; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June.

*Mayor*—H. A. Hardman, Democrat.

*Recorder*—R. D. Nestor, Republican.

*Attorney*—S. A. Powell, Republican.

*Sergeant*—Ralph Sommerville, Republican.

**Barboursville—Cabell County**

Chartered by the general assembly of Virginia, January 14, 1813; re-chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 1,508, census of 1930.

(No data furnished for 1930)

**Bayard—Grant County**

Chartered in 1899 under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 743, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—Geogre E. Snyder, Republican.

*Recorder*—C. J. Alkire, Republican.

*Treasurer*—J. A. Kimble, Republican.

*Health Officer*—Dr. I. B. Johnson, Republican.

**Beckley—Raleigh County**

Chartered in 1837 by the general assembly of Virginia; the town then being located in the county of Fayette; new charter granted in 1908 by a special act of the legislature of West Virginia; charter amended in 1927; elections biennially in October; election in 1931; population 9,357 census 1930; county seat of Raleigh county.

*Mayor*—C. H. Meador, Republican.

*Recorder*—J. T. Hollandsworth, Jr., Democrat.

*Attorney*—D. D. Ashworth, Republican.

*Chief of Police*—Elwin Moran, Republican.

*City Engineer*—Hal M. Scott, Republican.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—C. F. Guthrie, Republican.

*Health Officer*—Dr. L. E. Shrewsbury, Democrat.

*Police Judge*—Grover C. Trall, Republican.

### Belington—Barbour County

Chartered by special act of the legislature in 1905; elections annually in March; charter amended in 1921 as to the duties and powers of council, improvement of streets, alleys, etc.; charter again amended in 1927; population 1,571, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—W. T. McVicker, Republican.

*City Clerk*—J. W. Dadisman, Democrat; *ex-officio* Treasurer and Supt. of Water Plant.

*Attorney*—D. D. Stemple, Republican.

*Town Sergeant*—D. L. Ervin, Democrat.

*City Engineer*—E. Wilson, Republican.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—John Galner, Democrat.

*Health Officer*—Dr. B. M. Hamilton, Republican.

### Benwood—Marshall County

Chartered in 1853 by the general assembly of Virginia; new charter granted by act of the legislature of West Virginia in 1905, which was amended in part in 1907 and again in 1919; elections biennially; next election in April, 1932; population, 3,950, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—Henry C. Healy, Democrat.

*City Clerk*—Jerome F. Fykoskey, Democrat.

*City Solicitor*—Gen. T. S. Riley, Democrat.

*Treasurer*—John O'Brien, Democrat.

*Chief of Police*—Pat J. Scully, Democrat.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—Francis Shimek, Democrat.

*Health Officer*—Dr. W. B. Harting, Republican.

### Berkeley Springs—Morgan County

(The name of the municipality is still Bath, but the town is generally known as Berkeley Springs, which is the name of the post office.)

Chartered in October, 1776, by the general assembly of Virginia as the town of Bath; by special act of the legislature of West Virginia in 1872; elections annually in May; population, 1,039, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—W. G. Bechtol, Republican.

*City Clerk*—J. Wesley Johnson, Republican.

*Attorney*—H. D. Allen, Republican.

*Chief of Police*—W. R. Michael, Democrat.

*Supt. Water Plant*—Jacob Miller, Republican.

*Health Officer*—Dr. Willard, Republican.

### Bethany—Brooke County

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 439, census 1930.

*Mayor*—E. T. McEvoy, Republican.

*Recorder*—Mrs. Alice Wells, Republican; *ex-officio* Treasurer.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—R. S. Buchanan, Democrat.

*Supt. of Water Plant*—John Farren, Democrat.

### Beverly—Randolph County

Chartered in 1790 by the general assembly of Virginia; charter amended in part in 1848; new charter granted by the legislature of West Virginia in 1882; elections annually in January; population 431, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—M. B. Rohrbough.

*Recorder*—D. S. Wamsley, Democrat.

*Treasurer*—C. N. Webber, Democrat; *ex-officio* Town Sergeant.

*Health Officer*—Dr. W. G. Harper.

### Blacksville—Monongalia County

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population 269, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—F. M. McQuay, Democrat; *ex-officio* Supt. of Water Plant.

*Recorder*—W. B. Haught, Republican; *ex-officio* Treasurer.

*Attorney*—P. B. Lutz, Democrat.

*Town Sergeant*—H. A. Phillips, Republican.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—C. R. Tennant, Democrat.

*Health Officer*—T. E. Masters, Democrat.

### Bluefield—Mercer County

Chartered originally under chapter forty-seven of the code, which charter was amended by special act of the legislature in 1897; legislative charter amended in part in 1905 and 1907; in whole in 1909 and 1917; in part in 1919; in whole in 1921; governing body, a

board of directors consisting of five members; city manager administrative head of the municipal government which is non-partisan; election every four years, on the first Tuesday in July, unless the first Tuesdays falls on the fourth, when it shall be held on the following day; election in 1933; charter amended in 1925 as to primary and other elections; amended again in 1927; population 19,330, census 1930; location of Bluefield Colored Institute.

*Mayor*—C. E. Lilley, Republican.

*City Manager*—E. C. Barton, Republican.

*City Clerk*—Murial Kerfoot, Democrat.

*City Solicitor*—D. M. Easley, Democrat.

*Police Judge*—L. B. Sutherland, Republican.

*Treasurer*—M. B. Postlethwaite, Democrat.

*Chief of Police*—John W. Holdren, Democrat.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—W. G. Harris, Republican.

*Health Officer*—Dr. David Lepper, Republican.

### Bolivar—Jefferson County

Chartered in 1877 under chapter forty-seven of the code; population, 616, census of 1930; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June.

*Mayor*—P. H. Clevenger, Democrat.

*Recorder*—R. N. Snyder, Republican.

*Attorney*—John Porterfield, Democrat.

*Treasurer*—J. J. Young, Independent.

*Supt. of Water Plant*—J. C. Newcomer, Republican.

*Fire Chief*—J. W. Ramsdell, Republican.

*Health Officer*—J. W. Ramsdell, Republican.

### Bramwell—Mercer County

Chartered in 1888 under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population 1,574, census 1930.

*Mayor*—R. L. Parsons, Democrat.

*Recorder*—E. E. Morrow, Republican.

*Chief of Police*—J. M. Harrison, Independent.

*Treasurer*—E. E. Morrow, Republican.

*Sergeant*—R. T. Little, Democrat.

*City Engineer*—D. C. Jones, Republican.

*Health Officer*—Dr. H. B. Luttrell, Democrat.

### Brandonville—Preston County

Chartered by the general assembly of Virginia, February 24, 1858; later by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the Code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population 82, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—George W. Bice, Democrat.

*Recorder*—C. L. Wieman, Democrat.

*Town Sergeant*—Marshall Harned, Democrat.

### Bridgeport—Harrison County

Chartered in 1816 by the general assembly of Virginia; new charter granted in 1887 under chapter forty-seven of the code of West Virginia; amended in 1914; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 1,567, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—J. W. Johnson, Democrat.

*City Clerk*—Phillip Sheets, Republican.

*Attorney*—C. C. Davis, Democrat.

*Treasurer*—J. M. Combs, Republican.

*City Engineer*—Hornor Brothers.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—W. F. Fitzhugh, Republican.

Republican.

*Health Officer*—Dr. W. M. Davis, Democrat.

### Brooklyn—Wetzel County

(P. O. New Martinsville)

Chartered May 22, 1889, by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections on the first Tuesday in June; population 779, census 1930.

*Mayor*—F. F. Frazee, Democrat.

*Recorder*—A. F. Rogers, Republican.

*Treasurer*—C. L. Pritchard, Democrat.

### Bruceton Mills—Preston County

Chartered March 31, 1900, by the circuit court, under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; non-political; population 116, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—Thomas Ryan, Republican.

*Recorder*—Byron Speelman, Republican.

*Treasurer*—T. D. Dye, Republican; *ex-officio* Town Sergeant.

*Health Officer*—Dr. A. G. DeFoe, Republican.

### Buckhannon—Upshur County

Chartered by act of the Virginia general assembly in 1842; also, under chapter forty-seven of the code of West Virginia; new charter granted by the legis-



lature in 1919; charter amended by the legislature of 1925; elections annually on the second Tuesday in May; population, 4,374, census 1930.

*Mayor*—Henry R. Gay, Republican.

*Recorder*—Earl Young, Republican.

*Attorney*—Young and McWhorter, Republican and Democrat.

*Treasurer*—S. E. Young, Republican.

*Town Sergeant*—H. E. Dean, Republican.

*City Engineer*—Claude Burr, Republican.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—W. A. Fawkes, Republican.

*Health Officer*—Dr. J. B. Simmons, Republican.

### Buffalo—Putnam County

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; population, 316, census of 1930; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June.

*Mayor*—C. E. Holstein, Democrat.

*Recorder*—W. E. Lewis, Republican; *ex-officio* Treasurer.

*Town Sergeant*—J. J. Young, Democrat.

*Health Officer*—H. P. Blake, Democrat.

### Burnsville—Braxton County

Chartered under chapter forty-seven of the code; population 868, census of 1930; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June.

*Mayor*—Chas. E. Whytsell, Democrat.

*Recorder*—W. C. Kuhn, Democrat.

*Attorney*—M. W. Hefner, Democrat.

*Town Sergeant*—A. W. McNemar, Democrat.

*Supt of Water Plant*—W. E. Marple, Republican.

*Health Officer*—Dr. S. Trimble, Republican.

### Cairo—Ritchie County

Chartered under chapter forty-seven of the code in 1895; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population 607, census 1930; corporation authorized by the legislature of 1925 to vote, issue and sell bonds for municipal improvements and fire protection.

*Mayor*—Tip Wells, Sr., Republican.

*Recorder*—Frank Marsh, Republican.

*Treasurer*—J. J. Morrison, Republican.

*Attorney*—S. A. Powell, Republican.

*Sergeant*—H. M. Hill, Republican.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—Ralph West, Democrat.

*Health Officer*—Dr. Statts.

### Camden-on-Gauley—Webster County

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; population, 435, census of 1930; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June.

*Mayor*—H. B. Chapman, Democrat.

*Recorder*—Raymond Morton, Democrat.

*Treasurer*—E. H. Woods, Democrat.

*Chief of Police*—P. W. McCutcheon, Democrat.

*Health Officer*—Dr. L. O. Hille, Democrat.

### Cameron—Marshall County

Chartered by the general assembly of Virginia in 1861. In 1915 the legislature of West Virginia granted a charter to "The City of Cameron" taking effect on the first Thursday in January, 1916, and annulled all former acts passed by it relating to "The Town of Cameron"; charter amended in 1919, 1923 and 1927; elections biennially on the first Thursday in January; population 2,281, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—A. A. Porter, Republican.

*City Manager*—M. R. Hohnes, Republican; *ex-officio* City Clerk.

*Attorney*—Chauncey D. Hinerman, Republican.

*Chief of Police*—M. R. Hohnes, Republican; *ex-officio* Treasurer.

*Fire Marshal*—B. F. Galantine, Republican.

*Supt. of Water Plant*—W. V. Smith, Republican.

### Capon Bridge—Hampshire County

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population 192, census of 1930.

*Acting Mayor and Recorder*—H. D. Berkhelmer, Democrat.

### Cass—Pocahontas County

Chartered in 1902 under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population 708, census 1930.

*Mayor*—G. M. Brice, Democrat.

*Recorder*—E. L. Duncan, Republican.

*Treasurer*—W. F. Anderson, Democrat.

*Town Sergeant*—J. C. Wooddell, Democrat.

*Health Officer*—Dr. V. H. Hannah, Democrat.

**Cassville—Wayne County**

(P. O. Fort Gay)

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 664, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—B. R. Lakin, Republican.

*Recorder*—Z. T. Peters, Democrat.

**Cedar Grove—Kanawha County**

Chartered in 1902 under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population 1,110, census 1930.

*Mayor*—James Coleman, Republican.

*Recorder*—Lee Estep, Democrat.

*Treasurer*—H. L. Johnson, Republican.

*Chief of Police*—McKinley Toler, Republican.

**Centerville—Tyler County**

(P. O. Alma)

Chartered by circuit court in 1899 under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population 152, census 1930.

*Mayor*—E. E. Riggs (acting), Democrat; *ex-officio* Recorder.

*Treasurer*—Bert Wilcox, Republican.

*Town Sergeant*—C. B. Wilcox, Democrat.

*Health Officer*—Dr. A. O. Conaway.

**Ceredo—Wayne County**

Chartered by special act of the legislature in 1866; amended in part in 1875; elections annually in March; population 1,164, census 1930.

*Mayor*—E. H. Smith, Republican.

*City Clerk*—Max Wright, Jr., Republican.

*Treasurer*—J. J. Billups, Republican.

*Chief of Police*—Everett McFann, Republican.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—B. S. Napier, Republican.

*Health Officer*—Dr. W. F. Bruns, Republican.

**Charleston—Kanawha County**

Chartered by the general assembly of Virginia in 1794. In 1907 the legislature by special act granted a new charter to "The City of Charleston" and annulled all former acts. The act of 1907 was amended in 1909, 1911, 1915, 1919, and 1921; the act of 1921 amended in 1923; charter amended in 1925 defining powers and duties of municipal officers, etc.;

charter again amended in 1927 and 1929; elections are held every four years, on the third Monday in April; population 60,408, of census 1930; county seat of Kanawha county; seat of the State Government; West Virginia State College, located at Institute.

*Mayor*—W. W. Wertz, Republican.

*City Clerk*—J. O. Summers, Republican.

*City Manager*—H. C. Walker, Republican.

*City Treasurer*—H. P. Brightwell, Republican.

*Municipal Judge*—O. B. Bobbitt, Republican.

*City Solicitor*—Chas. Ritchie, Republican.

*City Engineer*—H. L. Campbell, Republican.

*City Auditor*—Emmett Silman, Republican.

*City Chemist*—C. E. Gable, Republican.

*Supt. Streets*—W. L. Medley, Republican.

*Health Commissioner*—Hugh Robins, M. D., Republican.

*Supt. Food and Sanitation*—S. O. Flsher, Republican.

*Supt. Crematory*—Joe Taylor, Republican.

*Chief Fire Department*—Louie McLane, Republican.

*Chief of Police*—John Britton, Republican.

*Matron*—Mrs. Lottie Skees, Republican.

*Jailor*—Joe Kelly, Republican.

*Lieut. Bertillion Dept.*—Geo. Blessing, Republican.

**Charles Town—Jefferson County**

Chartered by the general assembly of Virginia in 1786, the town then being in Berkeley county; new charter granted by a special act of the legislature of West Virginia in 1872, which was amended in part in 1899, 1907 and 1913, and in whole in 1915; in part in 1921; elections annually in May; population 2,434, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—G. K. Wysong, Democrat.

*City Clerk*—D. C. Dolly, Democrat.

*City Solicitor*—J. M. Mason, Jr., Democrat.

*Chief of Police*—J. A. Smith, Democrat, *ex-officio* Treasurer.

*Town Sergeant*—W. R. Shepherd, Democrat.

*City Engineer*—J. J. Skinner, Democrat.

*Fire Marshal*—H. C. Marsteller, Democrat.

*Health Officer*—Dr. B. F. Haines, Democrat.

### Chester—Hancock County

Chartered by special act of the legislature in 1907; amended in part in 1913; elections biennially in March; next election 1932; population 3,701, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—A. Earl Wilson, Republican.

*City Clerk*—Virgil G. Hasson, Republican.

*Attorney*—W. W. Ingram, Republican.

*Chief of Police*—Floyd Lyons, Republican.

*Town Sergeant*—G. Clem Pugh, Republican.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—E. V. Wehner, Republican.

*Supt. Water Plant*—Thomas Young, Republican.

*Street Dept.*—Thomas A. Cunningham, Democrat.

### Clark—McDowell County (P. O. Northfork)

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; population 787, census 1930; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June.

*Mayor*—A. Catzen, Republican; *ex-officio* Supt. of Water Plant.

*City Clerk*—H. C. Harris, Republican; *ex-officio* Treasurer.

*Recorder*—W. S. Clark, Democrat.

*Attorney*—F. C. Cook, Republican.

*Chief of Police*—C. L. Bassett, Republican; *ex-officio* Town Sergeant and Chief of Fire Dept.

*City Engineer*—G. H. Wilcox, Republican.

*Health Officer*—Dr. L. H. Clark, Democrat.

### Clarksburg—Harrison County

Chartered in 1875 by the general assembly of Virginia. In 1897 the legislature of West Virginia passed a special act amending and reducing into one its several previous acts of incorporation, and amendatory acts, which act of 1897 was amended in part in 1903 and in 1909 and as a whole in 1917 and 1921. Elections are held biennially on the third Tuesday in April; election in 1931; gov-

ernment non-partisan, consisting of a city manager and nine councilmen; all other officers appointive; 28,860, census 1930; county seat of Harrison county.

*City Manager*—R. L. Osborn, Republican.

*City Clerk*—F. J. McAndrew, Republican.

*Attorney*—C. B. Johnson, Republican.

*Police Judge*—Karl B. Kyle, Republican.

*Treasurer*—Henry E. Reeder, Republican.

*City Engineer*—T. E. Lang, Democrat.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—R. F. Hoffman, Republican.

*Supt. of Water Plant*—S. C. Highland, Republican.

*Health Officer*—Dr. B. F. Matheny, Republican.

### Clay—Clay County

(Formerly named Marshall, later named Henry.)

Chartered in 1895 under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population 444, census 1930; county seat of Clay County.

*Mayor*—Lewis E. Woofter, Democrat.

*Recorder*—R. L. Sizemore, Democrat.

*Attorney*—E. G. Pierson, Republican.

*Treasurer*—J. B. Wheeler, Republican; *ex-officio* Town Sergeant.

*City Engineer*—J. S. Chase.

*Supt. Water Plant*—E. B. Rogers, Republican.

*Health Officer*—R. A. Hamrick, Democrat.

### Clendenin—Kanawha County

Chartered under chapter forty-seven of the code; population 1,217, census of 1930; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June.

*Mayor*—C. E. Shafer, Republican.

*Recorder*—A. L. Davis, Republican, *ex-officio* Treasurer.

*Chief of Police*—W. M. Mick, Republican.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—Willard Young, Republican.

*Supt. of Water Plant*—R. E. Selbe, Democrat.

### Corinne—Wyoming County

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; popula-

tion 494, census of 1930; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June.

*Mayor*—J. P. Street, Democrat.

*Recorder*—W. H. Graham, Republican.

*Town Sergeant*—Lee Blackwell, Democrat.

### Cowen—Webster County

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 491, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—J. A. Wolford, Democrat.

*Recorder*—W. H. Herold, Democrat.

*Treasurer*—R. L. Bennett, Republican.

### Danville—Boone County

Chartered in 1911, under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population 486, census 1930.

*Mayor*—E. C. St. George, Democrat.

*Recorder*—O. L. Mullins, Republican.

*Attorney*—A. W. Garnett, Democrat.

*City Engineer*—M. C. Cloud, Democrat.

### Davis—Tucker County

Chartered in 1889 under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population 1,656, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—W. E. Patterson, Democrat.

*Recorder*—Ed Mill, Jr., Republican.

*Attorney*—R. D. Helronimus, Democrat.

*Town Sergeant*—J. B. Shreve, Republican.

*Street Commissioner*—N. S. Bennett, Republican.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—W. E. Welmer, Republican.

### Dunbar—Kanawha County

Chartered by special act of the legislature passed April 19, 1921, to be known as the "City of Dunbar"; population 4,189, census of 1930; charter amended in 1925 as to authorization of improvements by council.

*Mayor*—F. H. Casto, Democrat; *ex-officio* City Manager and Police Judge.

*Recorder*—R. K. Price, *ex-officio* Treasurer.

*Chief of Police*—Ray Asbury, Democrat.

*City Engineer*—C. Hundley, Democrat.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—Day Stalknell, Democrat.

*Supt. of Water Plant*—A. D. McCormick, Democrat.

### Durbin—Pocahontas County

Chartered June 20, 1906, by the Circuit court, under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population 498, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—H. H. Hudson, Democrat.

*Recorder*—E. L. Fenton, Democrat.

*Attorney*—A. P. Edgar, Democrat.

*Chief of Police*—J. L. Williams, Republican.

*Treasurer*—Kenna Rexrode, Democrat.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—R. R. Dodd, Democrat.

*Supt. of Water Plant*—O. P. Slaven, Republican.

*Health Officer*—Dr. Geo. F. Hull, Republican.

### East Bank—Kanawha County

Chartered October 18, 1889, by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population 476, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—L. S. Davidson, Democrat; *ex-officio* Chairman Health Committee.

*Recorder*—C. F. McConihay, Democrat.

*Attorney*—D. W. Taylor, Republican.

*Treasurer*—G. W. McVey, Republican; *ex-officio* Town Sergeant.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—R. A. Kramer, Democrat.

### East Rainelle—Greenbrier County (P. O. Rainelle)

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population 1,272, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—W. E. Deegan, Democrat.

*Recorder*—H. R. Tully, Democrat; *ex-officio* Town Sergeant.

*Attorney*—Minor Wilson, Democrat.

*City Engineer*—Hunter Green, Democrat.

*Supt. of Water Plant*—T. F. James, Republican.

### Elizabeth—Wirt County

Chartered by the general assembly of Virginia, January 3, 1822; then in Wood county; re-chartered by special act of the legislature of West Virginia in 1872; elections annually; population, 716, census of 1930; county seat of Wirt county.

*Mayor*—R. A. Byrd, Democrat.

*Recorder*—Walter Hoffman, Democrat.

*Attorney*—James I. Smith, Democrat.  
*Treasurer*—C. H. Strahan, Republican;  
*ex-officio* Town Sergeant.

*Health Officer*—Dr. O. W. Coplin, Democrat.

### Elk Garden—Mineral County

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 299, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—C. W. Ervin, Republican.

*Recorder*—Ira Branter, Republican.

*Treasurer*—David Steel, Republican.

*Health Officer*—Dr. Crittenden, Democrat.

### Elkins—Randolph County

Chartered by special act of the legislature in 1901; amended in 1915 and 1917; amended in 1921 as to corporate limits; registration of voters and general powers of council; in 1923 to provide for additional officers and employees subject to vote of people at next election; amended again in 1927; elections biennially in March; population 7,345, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—Claude W. Maxwell, Republican.

*City Clerk*—John Graham, Democrat.

*Attorney*—F. E. Tallman, Republican.

*Chief of Police*—F. E. Phillips, Democrat.

*Treasurer*—Sheffey Taylor, Republican.

*City Engineer*—J. L. Goddin, Democrat.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—Max Brightbill, Democrat.

*Supt. of Water Plant*—D. M. Tyler.

*Health Officer*—O. L. Perry, Democrat.

### Ellenboro—Ritchie County

Chartered in 1903 by the circuit court, under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 330, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—C. B. Lambert.

*Recorder*—B. P. Drey; *ex-officio* Treasurer.

*Town Sergeant*—G. W. Frey.

(Politics of officials not given)

### Fairmont—Marion County

Chartered as "The Borough of Fairmont" by the general assembly of Virginia in 1843. The legislature of West Virginia in 1899 amended all former charters granted by it to the "Town of

Fairmont" and passed an act incorporating "The City of Fairmont," and changing the corporate limits so as to include Palatine and West Fairmont; this last act was amended in 1901, 1913, 1915 and 1919; commission form of government. Under the act of 1919 elections are held every four years, on the second Tuesday of June; next election in 1931; population 23,159, census of 1930; county Fairmont Normal School and Fairmont Hospital No. 3, formerly Miner's Hospital No. 3; charter amended in 1919 defining powers and duties of municipal authorities, and providing for sundry improvements, primary election, etc.

*Mayor*—A. G. Martin, Democrat.

*City Clerk*—Luke C. Arnett, Republican.

*City Attorney*—Albert J. Kern, Democrat.

*Chief of Police*—W. B. Moran, Republican.

*Treasurer*—Paul E. Amos, Republican.

*Town Sergeant*—C. H. Bartlett and J. W. Irwin, Democrats.

*City Engineer*—S. B. Miller, Democrat.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—Ralph F. Doolittle, Republican.

*Director of Water Plant*—J. Clyde Morris, Democrat.

*Health Officer*—Dr. J. R. Jamison, Democrat.

*Director of Public Highways*—George H. Shoemaker, Republican.

### Fairview—Marion County

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; population 836, census of 1930; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June.

*Mayor*—W. D. Lee, Democrat.

*Recorder*—Keith Coffman, Democrat; *ex-officio* Treasurer.

*Town Sergeant*—Frank Rhinehart, Democrat.

*Supt. Water Plant*—Arlie Stiller, Republican.

### Falling Springs—Greenbrier County

(P. O. Renick)

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code in 1906; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population 355, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—J. G. Clendenin, Republican.

*Recorder*—T. W. Henry, Democrat.

**Farmington—Marion County**

Chartered under chapter forty-seven of the code; population 819, census of 1930; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June.

*Mayor*—Lee Toothman, Democrat.

*City Clerk*—J. L. Fletcher, Democrat.

*Town Sergeant*—John Hornyak, Democrat.

*Fire Marshall*—Lynn Bock, Democrat.

*Treasurer*—Delmar Jenkins, Republican.

*Chief of Police*—Lee Chambers, Republican.

*City Engineer*—Manion & McGraw.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—Rees Rees, Independent.

*Supt. Water Plant*—Fred May, Republican.

*Health Officer*—George Yates, Democrat.

**Fayetteville—Fayette County**

Chartered in 1872 under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population 1,143, census of 1930; county seat of Fayette county.

*Mayor*—L. E. Gaines, Republican.

*Recorder*—R. J. Thrift, Democrat.

**Flatwoods—Braxton County**

Chartered in 1902 under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population 299, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—W. B. Golden, Democrat.

*Recorder*—J. B. Jordan, Democrat.

**Franklin—Pendleton County**

Chartered by an act of the assembly of Virginia on December 19, 1794; chartered by the Legislature of West Virginia in 1872; population, 431, census of 1930; county seat of Pendleton county.

*Mayor*—Charles H. Boggs, Democrat.

*Recorder*—George W. Harrisou, Democrat.

*Attorney*—R. M. Hiner, Democrat.

*Town Sergeant*—Robert Ruddle, Democrat.

*Health Officer*—Dr. J. L. Lambert, Democrat.

**Friendly—Tyler County**

Chartered in 1898 under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population 170, census of 1930.

(No data furnished for 1930)

**Flemington—Taylor County**

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; population 617, census of 1930; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June.

*Mayor*—A. N. Stewart, Republican; *ex-officio* Police Judge.

*Recorder*—Stanley Fleming, Republican; *ex-officio* Treasurer.

*Attorney*—W. Merle Watkins, Republican; Grafton.

*Chief of Police*—C. H. Freeze, Republican.

**Follansbee—Brooke County**

Chartered by special act of the legislature February 16, 1915; charter amended in 1921 as to municipal candidates, primary and general elections, and compensation of councilmen; charter again amended in 1925; elections biennially in March; next election in 1931; non-partisan; population 4,841, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—Chas. H. Manion, Republican.

*City Manager*—Delmar Jenkins, Republican.

*City Clerk*—Richard G. Bollinger, Republican.

*City Solicitor*—Walter E. Mahan, Republican.

**Gassaway—Braxton County**

Chartered in 1905 under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population 1,618; census of 1930.

*Mayor*—C. L. Heater, Republican.

*Recorder*—C. L. Perkins, Democrat.

*Attorney*—G. C. Belknap, Democrat.

*Chief of Police*—Asa Carr, Democrat.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—J. L. Barker, Democrat.

*Health Officer*—Dr. J. W. Smith, Republican.

**Gilbert—Mingo County**

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 451, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—Roy Fox, Democrat.

*Recorder*—Wirt Hatfield, Republican; *ex-officio* Treasurer.

**Glasgow—Kanawha County**

Chartered by the circuit court under

chapter forty-seven of the code; population 614, census of 1930; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June.

*Mayor*—W. E. Foster, Republican.

*Recorder*—E. S. Rutledge, Democrat.

*Treasurer*—A. C. Moore, Republican.

*Town Sergeant*—A. C. Moore, Republican.

*Health Officer*—O. E. Cochran, Democrat.

### Glendale—Marshall County

Chartered by the circuit court in 1924 under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 1,493, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—J. C. Caldabaugh, Republican.

*Recorder*—J. D. Holder, Republican.

*Treasurer*—George Gunbee, Republican; *ex-officio* Town Sergeant.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—Robert Chaddock, Democrat.

### Glenville—Gilmer County

Chartered by the general assembly of Virginia in 1856; new charter granted by a special act of the legislature of West Virginia in 1871; elections annually in November; population 799, census of 1930; county seat of Gilmer County; location of Glenville State Normal School.

*Mayor*—R. L. McGee, Democrat; *ex-officio* Treasurer.

*Recorder*—L. N. Hardman, Democrat.

*Attorney*—A. W. Craddock, Democrat.

*Town Sergeant*—Day Langford, Republican.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—Blair Galner, Democrat.

### Grafton—Taylor County

Chartered in 1856 by the general assembly of Virginia. In 1899 the legislature of West Virginia amended, re-enacted and reduced into one the several of its act incorporating the town of Grafton. The act of 1899 was amended in 1913 and a commission form of government provided for; charter amended in 1921; first election under it held on first Tuesday after third Monday in March, 1923, and elections to be held on the same day annually thereafter; amended in 1923 as to changing corporate boundaries; again amended in 1925; elections now held triennially on the first Tuesday in March; next election in 1932; population 7,737, census of 1930; county seat of Taylor county.

*Mayor*—Charles O. King, Republican.  
*Street Commissioner*—D. C. Hinkle.

*City Engineer*—Sam R. Jenkins.

*Recorder*—John A. Newcome, Republican; *ex-officio* Treasurer.

*Attorney*—J. Guy Allender, Republican.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—L. Greenwald, Republican.

*Supt. of Water Plant*—J. O. Mathes, Republican.

*Chief of Police*—Homer Selvey, Republican.

*City Engineer*—Eugene Kersting, Democrat.

*Health Officer*—Dr. F. S. Suddarth, Democrat.

### Grantville—Calhoun County

Chartered in 1896 under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population 1,018, census of 1930; county seat of Calhoun county.

*Mayor*—Amos E. Morgan, Democrat.

*Recorder*—Ola Betts, Democrat.

*Attorney*—Lorentz C. Hamilton, Democrat.

*Town Sergeant*—Dudley Lutz, Democrat.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—James B. Huffman, Democrat.

*Supt. of Water Plant*—C. A. Witte, Democrat.

### Hambleton—Tucker County

Chartered under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population 368, census 1930.

*Mayor*—D. J. Parsons, Democrat.

*Recorder*—T. Alex Gibson, Socialist.

*Attorney*—Chas. Smith, Republican.

*Town Sergeant*—James Barr.

*Supt. of Water Plant*—C. A. Roberts, Republican.

### Hamlin—Lincoln County

Chartered by special act of the legislature in 1869; county seat of Lincoln county; population, 1930 census, 844.

*Mayor*—E. W. Scites, Republican.

*Recorder*—J. R. Darrah, Republican.

### Harpers Ferry—Jefferson County

Chartered under chapter forty-seven of the code; population 705, census of 1930; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June.

*Mayor*—James M. Ranson, Democrat.  
*Recorder*—John J. Faherty, Democrat.  
*Attorney*—James M. Mason, Democrat.  
*Treasurer*—C. D. White, Democrat.  
*Chief of Police*—W. M. Kain, Democrat.  
*Chief of Fire Dept.*—J. W. Ramsdell, Democrat.  
*Supt. of Water Plant*—J. C. Newcomer, Republican.  
*Health Officer*—Dr. B. B. Ranson, Democrat.

#### Harrisville—Ritchie County

Chartered by the general assembly of Virginia in 1822, the town then being in Wood county; new charter granted by special act of the legislature of West Virginia in 1869; elections annually in June; charter amended in 1925, authorizing bond issue for water system; population, 1,192, census of 1930; county seat of Ritchie county.

*Mayor*—J. F. Hatfield, Republican.  
*Recorder*—H. G. Raiguel, Republican;  
*ex-officio* Treasurer.  
*Attorney*—Thomas J. Davis, Republican.  
*Town Sergeant*—C. C. Williams, Republican; *ex-officio* Supt. of Water Plant.  
*Health Officers*—Dr. H. M. Rymer, Republican and T. W. Keith, Democrat.

#### Hartford—Mason County

Chartered in 1868 by special act of the legislature; elections annually in April; population 423, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—Robert Rea, Republican.  
*Recorder*—J. F. Ginther, Democrat.  
*Treasurer*—B. J. Lerner, Democrat.  
*Sergeant*—A. L. Chapman, Republican.  
*Health Officer*—C. W. Petty, Democrat.

#### Hedgesville—Berkeley County

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 361, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—C. W. Keesecker, Republican.  
*Recorder*—A. H. Mitchell, Republican.  
*Treasurer*—J. S. Pitzer, Republican.  
*Town Sergeant*—E. Mussetter, Republican.  
*Asst. Town Sergeant*—Claud Reed, Democrat.  
*Street Supervisor*—C. H. Rickard, Republican.

#### Henderson—Mason County

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population 330, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—Robert C. Darst, Democrat.  
*Recorder*—Harry Birchfield, Republican.  
*Treasurer*—J. A. Daugherty, Republican; *ex-officio* Town Sergeant and Health Officer.

#### Hendricks—Tucker County

Charter granted by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population 484, census of 1930.  
 (No data furnished for 1930)

#### Hillsboro—Pocahontas County

Chartered in 1886 under chapter forty-seven of the code; population, 220, census of 1930; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June.

*Mayor*—Carl G. Beard, Democrat.  
*Recorder*—Geo. L. Clark, Democrat.  
*Sergeant*—R. S. Larue, Democrat.  
*Health Officer*—H. W. McNeill, Democrat.

#### Hinton—Summers County

Chartered in 1897 by special act of the legislature; amended in 1901; amended in 1915 and commission form of government provided for; charter again amended in 1919; and again in 1927 to include the towns of Avis and Bellepoint; population 6,654, census of 1930. Elections biennially on the second Tuesday of December; county seat of Summers county.

*Mayor*—Adney Meadows, Democrat;  
*ex-officio* Police Judge.  
*City Manager*—H. K. Nolan, Democrat.  
*Attorney*—P. J. Carr, Republican.  
*Chief of Police*—R. M. Simms, Republican.  
*Chief of Fire Dept.*—R. L. Conner, Republican.

#### Hollidays Cove—Brooke and Hancock Counties

Chartered September 12, 1919, by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; non-partisan; population, 4,480, census of 1930; new charter granted by the legislature in 1925, incorporating the "City of Hollidays Cove" prescribing its limits and de-



fining the powers, rights and duties of the city and its officers.

*Mayor*—J. W. Moulds, Republican.

*City Clerk*—T. C. McGowan, Republican.

*City Solicitor*—T. C. McGowan, Republican.

*Treasurer*—R. C. Morris, Republican.

*City Engineer*—I. R. Stone, Republican.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—J. A. Ferguson, Republican.

*Supt. of Water Plant*—M. B. Fish.

### Hundred—Wetzel County

Chartered in 1894 under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 788, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—J. B. Snyder, Democrat.

*Recorder*—Frank Hostutler, Democrat.

*Chief of Police*—C. W. Moore, Democrat; *ex-officio* Town Sergeant.

*Treasurer*—O. E. Butcher, Republican.

*Health Officer*—Dr. C. E. Rose, Democrat.

### Huntington—Cabell County

Chartered by special act of the legislature in 1871; new charter granted in 1900, which was amended in 1913, 1915, 1919, and 1921; in 1923 by changing boundaries, adding new sections and re-enacting other sections; elections triennially in May; next election in 1931; charter amended in 1925 creating an independent park district and providing for a board of park commissioners; also prescribing the corporate limits, etc.; charter again amended in 1927; population, 75,572, census of 1930; commission form of government; county seat of Cabell county, location of Marshall College, Huntington State Hospital, Colored Orphans Home and Home for Aged and Infirm Colored Men and Women.

*Mayor*—James Boyce Taylor, Democrat.

*City Clerk*—Homer Fielder, Democrat.

*City Solicitor*—H. L. Ducker, Democrat.

*Police Judge*—C. F. Burrill, Democrat.

*Chief of Police*—John L. Conner, Democrat.

*Treasurer*—J. C. Kiger, Democrat.

*City Engineer*—A. B. Maupin, Democrat.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—T. A. Gilmore, Democrat.

*Supt. of Water Works*—H. E. Watt, Republican.

*Health Officer*—L. T. Vinson, Democrat.

### Hurricane—Putnam County

Chartered in 1888 under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population 1,293, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—J. F. Keeling, Democrat.

*Recorder*—H. A. Erwin, Democrat; *ex-officio* Treasurer.

*Chief of Police*—O. M. Bias, Democrat.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—John Chapman, Democrat.

*City Engineer*—Grover C. Ewing, Democrat. (Huntington)

*Health Officer*—Dr. A. T. Jordan, Republican.

### Huttonsville—Randolph County

Chartered in 1890 under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population 303, census of 1930.

(No data furnished for 1930)

### Iaeger—McDowell County

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 1,066, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—J. A. Hatcher, Democrat.

*Recorder*—W. C. Amos, Democrat.

*Attorney*—Charles A. Tutwiler, Republican.

*Chief of Police*—S. E. Ward, Democrat.

*Fire Chief*—J. K. Cooper, Democrat.

### Jane Lew—Lewis County

Chartered May 27, 1907, by the circuit court, under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population 445, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—Milton Woofter, Republican.

*City Clerk*—J. A. Grant, Democrat.

*Attorney*—Herbert M. Blair, Democrat.

*Chief of Police*—Harry Burkhammer, Republican.

*Health Officer*—Dr. J. E. Corkrean, Democrat.

### Junior—Barbour County

Chartered under chapter forty-seven of the code; election annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 560, cen-

sus of 1930, including West Junior.  
*Mayor*—C. S. Row, Republican.  
*Recorder*—S. H. Arbogast, Republican.  
*Town Sergeant*—A. W. Miller, Democrat.

#### Kenova—Wayne County

Chartered in 1894 under chapter forty-seven of the code; new charter granted by legislature in 1923; charter amended in 1927; elections annually in January; population, 3,680, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—F. E. Way, Republican.  
*City Clerk*—Pharo Osborn, Democrat;  
*ex-officio* City Treasurer.  
*Attorney*—W. T. Lovins, Democrat.  
*Police Judge*—John Beckley, Republican.

*Chief of Police*—Harry Saunders, Democrat.

*City Engineer*—W. S. Tabor, Democrat.  
*Fire Marshall*—Sam Slaughter, Democrat.

*Health Officer*—Dr. Roscoe Stotts, Democrat.

#### Kermit—Mingo County

Chartered by the circuit court in 1909, under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population 749, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—W. M. Compton, Republican.  
*Recorder*—B. W. Thornton, Republican.

*Treasurer*—Wig Preece, Republican.  
*Town Sergeant*—Ursel Maynard, Republican.

*Health Officer*—Dr. E. P. Steep, Democrat.

#### Keyser—Mineral County

"The City of Keyser" was incorporated under a special act of the legislature of 1913, which repealed all former charters and amendments thereto, granted to the "Town of Keyser"; elections annually in June; commission form of government; non-partisan; population, 6,248, census of 1930; county seat of Mineral county; location of the Potomac State School.

*Mayor*—Dr. W. J. Koelz.  
*City Clerk*—John J. Baker; *ex-officio* Police Judge.

*City Solicitor*—Lester Reynolds.  
*Chief of Police*—Troy Alkire.  
*Chief of Fire Dept.*—Oscar Liller.  
*Health Officer*—Dr. T. C. Giffin.

#### Keystone—McDowell County

Chartered by a special act of the legislature in 1909; charter amended in 1925;

elections biennially in February; next election in 1931; population, 1,897, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—C. E. Elliott, Republican; *ex-officio* Police Judge.

*Recorder*—R. E. Doyle, Republican.  
*Attorney*—S. A. Calhoun, Republican.  
*Treasurer*—F. C. Brenard, Democrat;  
*ex-officio* Town Sergeant.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—F. J. Moore, Republican.

*Supt. of Water Plant*—A. J. Simmons, Republican.

*Health Officer*—Dr. J. E. Brown, Republican.

#### Kimball—McDowell County

Chartered in 1911 under chapter forty-seven of the code; new charter granted by the legislature in 1925; elections annually in January; population, 1,467, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—Geo. J. Furnee, Republican.  
*Recorder*—J. H. Miles, Republican.  
*Attorney*—J. M. Crockett, Republican.  
*Treasurer*—Samuel Cridder, Republican;  
*ex-officio* Town Sergeant.

*Health Officer*—Dr. C. R. Hughes, Republican.

#### Kingwood—Preston County

Chartered by the Virginia general assembly in 1853; elections annually on the first Tuesday in January, population, 1,709, census of 1930; county seat of Preston county.

*Mayor*—Bruce Spindler, Republican.  
*Recorder*—J. L. Lanham, Republican.  
*Treasurer*—L. W. Weller, Republican;  
*ex-officio* Town Sergeant.

*City Engineer*—H. E. Wilhelm, Republican.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—C. M. Jackson, Republican.

*Health Officer*—Dr. H. L. Lewis, Democrat.

#### Layopolis—Gilmer County (P. O. Sandfork)

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; population, 198, census 1930; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June.

*Mayor*—Arthur Marks, Democrat.  
*Recorder*—Maude Brannon, Democrat.  
*Attorney*—J. D. Jones, Republican.  
*Treasurer*—Rex Lynch, Democrat.

*Town Sergeant*—A. D. Paugh, Republican.

**Leon—Mason County**

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; population, 283, census 1930; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June.

*Mayor*—C. W. Blackburn, Republican.

*Recorder*—J. W. Ralrden, Republican.

*Treasurer*—Charles Byer, Republican.

*Health Officer*—Dr. B. F. Sommer, Democrat.

**Lester—Raleigh County**

Chartered under chapter forty-seven of the code; population 609, census of 1930; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June.

*Mayor*—Fred Yates, Democrat.

*Recorder*—T. O. Crotty, Republican.

*Attorney*—Ben Ashworth, Democrat.

*Treasurer*—J. Levi Cook, Democrat; *ex-officio* Town Sergeant.

*Health Officer*—Dr. F. S. McChesney, Democrat.

**Lewisburg—Greenbrier County**

Chartered in 1782 by the general assembly of Virginia; new charter granted by special act of the legislature of West Virginia in 1870; elections annually in January; population, 1,293, census of 1930; county seat of Greenbrier county.

*Mayor*—W. W. Foster, Democrat.

*Recorder*—J. M. Preston, Democrat; *ex-officio* Treasurer.

*Attorney*—M. L. Jarrett, Democrat.

*Sergeant*—S. V. Snyder, Democrat.

*City Engineer*—J. V. Snyder, Democrat.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—S. W. McCorkle, Democrat.

*Supt. of Water Plant*—F. H. Campbell, Democrat.

*Health Officer*—Dr. J. D. Arbuckle, Democrat.

**Littleton—Wetzel County**

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 648, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—Frank Knapp, Democrat.

*Recorder*—A. L. Burch, Republican.

*Chief of Police*—S. R. Evans, Republican.

**Logan—Logan County**

Incorporated under a special act of the general assembly of Virginia in 1826 as "Lawnsville." Charter granted to "The City of Logan" by a special act of the

legislature of West Virginia passed at the extraordinary session of 1908, which repealed all former charters granted to the town of Logan; charter of 1908 amended in part in 1909 and again in 1921; charter amended again in 1925, defining corporate boundaries; commission form of government; four commissioners; bi-partisan; commissioner receiving largest number of votes elected Mayor; again amended in 1929, providing for city manager government; elections biennially on the first Thursday in April; next election in 1931; population, 4,396, in 1930.

*Pres. Board of Commissioners*—H. A. Davin, Democrat.

*City Manager*—W. M. Healy, Independent.

*Recorder*—J. C. Aldredge, Republican.

*City Solicitor*—C. A. Joyce, Democrat.

*Police Judge*—C. A. Hatfield, Republican.

*Chief of Police*—Reece Browning, Republican.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—J. W. Beckett, Democrat.

*Health Officer*—Dr. T. B. Wingfield, Democrat.

**Lumberport—Harrison County**

Chartered by the general assembly of Virginia in 1838; new charter granted by the circuit court in 1901, under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 1,289 census of 1930.

*Mayor*—A. S. Powers, Republican.

*Recorder*—F. B. Harrison, Republican.

*Treasurer*—E. O. Alkire, Republican; *ex-officio* Chief of Police and Chief of Fire Department.

*City Engineer*—J. P. Blunden, Republican.

*Supt. of Water Plant*—Henry Bowers, Republican.

*Health Officer*—Dr. Selby, Republican.

**Mabscott—Raleigh County**

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 1,260, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—Dr. Dennis L. Hill, Republican; *ex-officio* Health Officer.

*Recorder*—A. Ray Fink, Democrat; *ex-officio* Treasurer.

*Attorney*—Ben Ashworth, Republican.

*Sergeant*—L. M. Graveley, Democrat.

**Madison—Boone County**

Chartered under chapter forty-seven of the code in 1906; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June, population 1,156 census of 1930; county seat of Boone county.

*Mayor*—Edward Hill, Republican.

*Recorder*—A. C. Griffith, Republican.

*Town Sergeant*—P. G. Gullett, Republican.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—R. C. Atkins, Democrat.

**Man—Logan County**

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code, population, 835, census of 1930; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June.

*Mayor*—E. E. Gill, Republican.

*City Clerk*—Ray Watts, Democrat.

*Attorney*—C. C. Chambers, Democrat.

*City Engineer*—J. C. Hunter, Democrat.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—J. B. Markham, Democrat.

*Supt. of Water Plant.*—G. C. Combs, Democrat.

**Mannington—Marion County**

Chartered in 1871 by a special act of the legislature; charter amended in 1915 and 1917; act "reincorporating or incorporating anew," passed in 1921; commission form of government, non-partisan; elections annually on the first Monday in March; population, 3,261, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—Chas. R. Phillips, Independent.

*City Clerk*—R. Emmett Mockler, Republican.

*Attorney*—H. Clare Hess, Democrat.

*Treasurer*—Exchange Bank of Mannington.

*Chief of Police*—C. E. Sturgeon.

*City Engineer*—C. C. Coffman, Democrat.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—H. C. Anderson, Republican.

*Supt. of Water Plant*—A. B. Baumann, Republican.

**Marlinton—Pocahontas County**

Chartered in 1900 under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 1,586, census of 1930; county seat of Pocahontas county.

*Mayor*—Fred C. Allen, Democrat; *ex-officio* Police Judge.

*City Manager*—Frank King, Democrat; *ex-officio* Treasurer, Town Sergeant and Supt. of Water Plant.

*Recorder*—A. H. McFerrin, Democrat.

*Attorney*—A. P. Edgar, Democrat.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—D. W. Williams, Democrat.

*Health Officer*—Dr. J. M. Yeager, Democrat.

**Marmet—Kanawha County**

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 1,200, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—B. F. Morris, Democrat; *ex-officio* Police Judge.

*Recorder*—Otto Canterbury, Democrat; *ex-officio* Treasurer.

*Attorney*—John T. Simms, Republican.

*Chief of Police*—W. M. Conner, Republican.

**Martinsburg—Berkeley County**

Chartered by the general assembly of Virginia in 1778. New charter granted by the legislature of West Virginia in 1868, which was partly amended in 1872, 1881, 1882, 1883, 1897, 1909, 1911, and 1913; amended in whole in 1915; partly amended and two sections added in 1917; amended again in 1919 and 1921; and again in 1923 amending and re-enacting certain sections; elections biennially; next election the second Monday in May, 1931; population, 14,857, census of 1930; estimated population; county seat of Berkeley county.

*Mayor*—C. H. Dalley, Republican; *ex-officio* Police Judge.

*City Collector and Sergeant*—Hattie L. Zepp, Republican.

*Recorder and Auditor*—S. M. Langford, Republican.

*City Attorney*—H. A. Downs, Republican.

*Treasurer*—E. W. Kline, Republican.

*Capt. of Police*—O. T. Wilson, Republican.

*Engineer*—C. J. Wever, Democrat.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—M. L. Quinn, Democrat.

*Supt. of Water Dept.*—C. B. Grimes, Republican.

*Health Officer*—W. Ross Cameron, Republican.

**Mason—Mason County**

Chartered as "Mason City" by the gen

eral assembly of Virginia in 1856; new charter granted by special act of the legislature of West Virginia in 1869; elections annually in January; population 691, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—A. E. Strode, Democrat.

*Recorder*—Dallas Yeager, Republican.

*Chief of Police*—John Ingles, Republican.

*Health Officer*—C. H. Petty, Democrat.

### Mason Town—Preston County

Chartered in 1902 under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 924, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—E. E. Radabaugh, Republican.

*Recorder*—E. E. Williams, Democrat.

*Town Sergeant*—N. W. Pyles, Republican.

*Treasurer*—L. E. Albright, Republican.

### Matewan—Mingo County

Chartered in 1897 under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 933, census of 1930.

(No data furnished for 1930)

### Matoaka—Mercer County

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; population, 929, census of 1930; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June.

*Mayor*—C. W. Murphy, Republican.

*Recorder*—Zuma C. Haller, Democrat.

*Attorney*—W. G. Burton, Republican.

*Chief of Police*—J. W. Mosby, Democrat.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—J. Hite Bailey, Democrat.

*Supt. of Water Plant*—M. G. Gilmer, Democrat.

*Health Officer*—M. B. Caldwell, Republican.

### McMechen—Marshall County

Chartered originally by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; subsequently by special act of the legislature; charter amended by the legislature, 1919; and again in 1927, also 1929; elections biennially in April; non-partisan; next election in 1932; population, 3,710, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—H. M. McElroy, Citizen's Improvement Party; *ex-officio* Police Judge.

*City Clerk*—Miss Mayme Burke; *ex-officio* Collector.

*Attorney*—Chas. E. Carrigan, Republican (Moundsville)

*Treasurer*—John Filbin, *ex-officio* Chief of Police.

*City Engineer*—C. C. Smith's Sons.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—Russell Gallagher.

*Health Officer*—County Unit.

### Meadow Bridge—Fayette County

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; population, 476, census of 1930; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June.

*Mayor*—C. C. Rose, Democrat.

*Recorder*—F. E. Hicks, Republican; *ex-officio* Treasurer.

*Town Sergeant*—O. H. Kieffer, Republican.

### Middlebourne—Tyler County

Chartered in 1813 by the general assembly of Virginia, the town then being located in the county of Ohio; new charter granted by special act of the legislature of West Virginia in 1871; elections annually in January; population, 769, census of 1930; county seat of Tyler county.

*Mayor*—C. H. Spencer, Republican.

*Recorder*—Irene Rose, Republican.

*City Engineer*—Geo. Clark, Republican.

*Health Officer*—Dr. Baker, Republican.

### Mill Creek—Randolph County

Chartered May 16, 1903, by the circuit court, under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 723, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—G. C. Hammer, Democrat; *ex-officio* Supt. of Water Plant.

*Recorder*—Frank Gum, Democrat; *ex-officio* City Solicitor.

*Chief of Police*—W. W. Shreve, Republican.

*Treasurer*—Bank of Mill Creek.

### Milton—Cabell County

Chartered by the circuit court, under chapter forty-seven of the code, September 16, 1876; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population 1,305, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—J. L. Blackwood, Democrat; *ex-officio* Police Judge.

*City Clerk*—B. L. Kinnard, Democrat.

*City Solicitor*—T. W. Peyton, Democrat.

*Treasurer*—W. G. Conner, Democrat.  
*Fire Marshal*—Earl Owens, Democrat.  
*Supt. of Water Plant*—Paul Blundon, Democrat.  
*Health Officer*—Dr. C. H. Morris, Democrat.

### Monongah—Marion County

Chartered in 1891 under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 1,909, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—J. Lee Janes, Citizens Party.  
*Recorder*—Clarence Spragg, Citizens Party.  
*Attorney*—Harry E. Watkins.  
*Town Sergeant*—P. H. McDonnell, Citizens Party.

### Montgomery—Fayette County

Chartered in 1891 under chapter forty-seven of the code; amended in 1919, 1925 and 1927; elections biennially in January; population, 2,906, census of 1930. Location of New River State School.

*Mayor*—Dr. D. C. Smallridge, Republican; Police Judge.  
*Recorder and Treasurer*—A. K. Bailey, Republican.  
*Attorney*—L. B. O'Neal, Republican.  
*Chief of Police*—Frank Barker, Republican.  
*Town Sergeant*—A. K. Bailey, Republican.  
*City Engineer*—J. H. Jackson, Republican.  
*Chief of Fire Dept.*—Oscar Vickers, Republican.  
*Supt. of Water Plant.*—John Edwards, Republican.  
*Health Officer*—Dr. Ben F. Brugh, Democrat.

### Montrose—Randolph County

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; population, 114, census of 1930; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June.

*Mayor*—C. D. Godwin, Democrat.  
*Recorder*—T. D. Baker, Republican, *ex-officio* Treasurer.

### Moorefield—Hardy County

Chartered by the general assembly of Virginia in 1777; charter amended in part in 1809, 1810, 1853 and 1854; new charter granted by the legislature of West Virginia in 1872; elections annually

in March; population, 734, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—C. C. Wise, Democrat.  
*Recorder*—S. A. McCoy, Democrat.  
*Treasurer*—B. J. McWhorter, Democrat.  
*Attorney*—W. D. McCauley, Democrat.  
*Chief of Police*—G. H. Robinette, Republican.  
*Supt. of Water Plant*—C. L. Dolindexter, Republican.  
*Health Officer*—R. W. Love, Democrat.

### Morgantown—Monongalia County

Original charter granted by the general assembly of Virginia in 1785; last amended by that body in 1860. The West Virginia legislature in 1901 passed an act granting a charter to the municipal corporation of "The City of Morgantown" annulling the charters of the towns of Morgantown, South Morgantown, Greenmont and Seneca and consolidating the four municipalities; charter amended in 1919, and in 1921 providing for ten councilmen, from whom a mayor is appointed and for a city manager; amended again in 1925; elections annually on the first Thursday in January; population, 16,186, census of 1930; county seat of Monongalia county; location of the State University.

*Mayor*—Robert F. Donley, Republican.  
*City Manager*—W. Edwin Brooks, Republican.  
*City Clerk*—Prescott C. White, Republican; *ex-officio* Treasurer.  
*Attorney*—Wm. E. Glasscock, Republican.  
*Police Judge*—R. J. Jamison, Democrat.  
*Chief of Police*—Clete W. Smith, Republican.  
*City Engineer*—Elmer W. Prince, Republican.  
*Chief of Fire Dept.*—John R. Hare, Democrat.  
*Health Officer*—Harry H. Pierce, Republican.

### Moundsville—Marshall County

Chartered by the general assembly of Virginia in 1832; new charter granted by special act of the legislature of West Virginia in 1866; which was amended in 1868, 1899, 1895, 1899, 1903, 1907, 1911, and 1921; amended again in 1923 in certain sections and by adding new section;

elections biennially in March; charter again amended in 1927; population 14,411, census of 1930; county seat of Marshall county; location of State Penitentiary.

*Mayor*—Jess D. H. Sullivan, Republican.

*City Clerk*—LeRoy L. Stidger, Republican.

*Attorney*—J. W. Rickey, Republican.

*Treasurer*—First National Bank.

*Chief of Police*—Herman J. Kidder, Republican.

*City Engineer*—J. J. Sammons, Republican.

*Fire Marshal*—Charles Cunningham, Republican.

*Health Officer*—Dr. C. E. Hutchinson, Republican.

#### Mount Hope—Fayette County

Chartered under chapter forty-seven of the code in 1895; new charter granted by the legislature in 1921 to the "City of Mount Hope"; first election under said charter held on the second Tuesday in May, 1922, and biennially thereafter on the same day; population, 2,361, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—Paul D. Hollen, Democrat; *ex-officio* Police Judge and Supt. of Water Plant.

*City Clerk*—R. C. Simpkins, Democrat.

*Attorney*—C. E. Mahan, Jr., Democrat.

*Chief of Police*—Paul W. Jones, Republican.

*Treasurer*—W. H. Boone, Republican.

*City Engineer*—N. P. Rhinehart, Democrat.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—Herbert Sessler, Democrat.

*Health Officer*—Dr. H. A. Walkup, Democrat.

#### Mullens—Wyoming County

Chartered in 1912 under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections biennially in June; population 2,356, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—O. L. Collier, Republican.

*City Clerk*—Perry C. Cook, Republican.

*City Solicitor*—G. C. Worrell, Democrat.

*Treasurer*—B. L. Depew, Republican.

*Chief of Police*—L. O. Belcher, Republican.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—John Pettett, Republican.

#### Newburg—Preston County

Chartered by the circuit court under

chapter forty-seven of the code; population, 745, census of 1930; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June.

*Mayor*—Allen M. LaRue, Republican.

*Recorder*—Wilbur Lyons, Democrat.

*Treasurer*—O. R. Cassady, Democrat.

*Engineer*—H. G. LaRue, Republican.

*Town Sergeant*—Thomas Loughrie, Democrat.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—James Kelly, Democrat.

*Health Officer*—Dr. L. T. Browning.

#### New Cumberland—Hancock County

Chartered in 1894 by special act of the legislature; charter amended in 1921; elections biennially on Tuesday following the first Monday in August; population, 2,300, census of 1930; county seat of Hancock county.

*Mayor*—H. B. Stewart, Democrat.

*Recorder*—D. G. Stewart, Democrat.

*Attorney*—R. M. Brown, Republican.

*Treasurer*—S. G. Young, Prohibitionist; *ex officio* Town Sergeant.

*Supt. of Water Plant*—S. G. Young.

*Health Officer*—Dr. J. E. Fisher.

#### New Martinsville—Wetzel County

Chartered in 1838 by the general assembly of Virginia as "Martinsville." In 1901 the legislature of West Virginia, by special act granted a new charter, and amended, re-enacted and reduced into one all its several former acts incorporating the "Town of New Martinsville"; charter amended in 1921 and again in 1927; elections biennially on the second Tuesday in January; population 2,814, census of 1930; county seat of Wetzel county.

*Mayor*—Frank C. Berger, Democrat; *ex-officio* Police Judge.

*Recorder*—S. R. Cox, Democrat; *ex-officio* Treasurer.

*Chief of Police*—John Arnett, Democrat.

*Tax Collector*—Mrs. Lula Gorrell, Democrat.

*Supt. Water Plant*—Elmer Fawcett.

*Supt. Elec. Dept.*—J. H. Metry.

*Health Officer*—Dr. John Pyles.

#### Northfork—McDowell County

Chartered in 1901 under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 494, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—W. S. Wray, Democrat.  
*Recorder*—Samuel Rosen, Republican.  
*Treasurer*—L. Washington, Jr., Democrat.  
*Chief of Police*—A. G. Tappy, Republican.

#### Nutter Fort—Harrison County

Established in 1775; chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code, in 1923; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 1,825, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—L. C. Hart, Democrat.  
*Recorder*—E. B. Johnson, Republican;  
*ex officio* Treasurer.  
*Attorney*—Homer Strosnider, Democrat.  
*Town Sergeant*—T. J. Skidmore, Republican.

#### Oak Hill—Fayette County

Chartered in 1905 under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 2,076, census of 1930; new charter granted by the legislature in 1925, creating the "City of Oak Hill."

*Mayor*—C. R. Hill, Republican.  
*Recorder*—W. P. Gregory, Democrat.  
*Attorney*—C. E. Mahan, Jr., Democrat.  
*Treasurer*—J. W. Jones, Democrat.  
*Town Sergeant*—N. W. Garden, Democrat.  
*City Engineer*—G. C. Slaven, Democrat.  
*Chief of Fire Dept.*—T. B. Martin, Democrat.  
*Health Officer*—Dr. J. F. Van Pelt, Republican.

#### Oakvale—Mercer County

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; population, 261, census of 1930; election annually on the first Tuesday in June.

*Mayor*—Dr. J. R. Boyd, Democrat.  
*Recorder*—D. H. Tiller, Democrat.  
*Treasurer*—C. E. Wright, Democrat.  
*Chief of Police*—J. L. Akers, Republican.

#### Osborna—Kanawha County

(P. O. Clendenin)

Population, 167, census of 1930.  
*Mayor*—A. S. Carroll, Democrat.  
*Recorder*—G. F. Waggoner, Republican.

#### Paden City—Tyler and Wetzel Counties

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code, December 15, 1916; chartered by the legislature in 1927; part in Tyler county and part in Wetzel county; population 2,281, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—C. M. Garrett, Democrat.  
*Recorder*—J. C. Morrow, Democrat.  
*Attorney*—Willis & Ball, Republicans.  
*Chief of Police*—J. J. Schmidt, Democrat.  
*City Engineer*—Harry Stansbury, Republican.  
*Chief of Fire Dept.*—Harry Hizer, Republican.  
*Supt. of Water Plant*—D. E. Brown, Democrat.

#### Parkersburg—Wood County

Chartered in 1820 by the general assembly of Virginia as "The Town of Parkersburg"; charter amended in 1826, 1851 and 1860, by a special act extending limits and designating the corporation as a "City"; amended in part in 1868, 1870, 1887, and 1893; new charter granted by special act in 1903; amended in part in 1911 and 1913; amended in whole in 1915; in part in 1917 and 1919; commission form of government; non-political; members of council assigned as heads of departments; elections triennially on the second Tuesday in April; next election in 1932; population 29,623, census of 1930; county seat of Wood county; charter amended in 1925 creating an election board and defining its duties; new charter in 1929.

*Mayor*—Allen C. Murdoch, *ex-officio* Police Judge.  
*City Clerk*—Myrtle L. Hoffman.  
*City Solicitor*—Dan B. Leonard.  
*Treasurer*—C. Gall Hitt.  
*City Engineer*—L. G. Merrill.  
*Chief of Fire Dept.*—L. L. O'Neill.  
*Supt. of Water Plant*—George Huber.  
*Health Officer*—Dr. Arthur D. Knott.

#### Parsons—Tucker County

Chartered in 1907 by special act of the legislature; elections annually in April; charter amended in 1925; population 2,012, census of 1930; county seat of Tucker county.

*Mayor*—Geo. H. Wolf, Republican.  
*Recorder*—F. C. Kalar, Democrat.  
*Attorney*—W. K. Pritt, Republican.



*Town Sergeant*—W. H. Blosser, Democrat.

*Supt. of Water Plant*—H. C. King, Republican.

*Health Officer*—Dr. Calvert, Democrat.

### Paw Paw—Morgan County

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; population 781, census of 1930; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June.

*Mayor*—Geo. S. Filler, Republican.

*Recorder*—Thos. J. Kerns, Republican.

*Treasurer*—C. E. S. Michael, Republican; *ex-officio* Town Sergeant.

*Health Officer*—R. E. S. Taylor, Democrat.

### Pax—Fayette County

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; population, 608, census of 1930; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June.

*Mayor*—H. E. Woolwine.

*Recorder*—N. F. Walkup.

*Attorney*—C. E. Mahan.

*Town Sergeant*—G. C. Moore.

*Health Officer*—Dr. A. L. Hunter.

All elected on Citizens Ticket.

### Pennsboro—Ritchie County

Originally chartered under chapter forty-seven of the code; new charter granted in 1915 by special act of the legislature to "The City of Pennsboro"; charter amended in 1921 and again in 1925; council authorized to issue bonds for paving, etc.; commission form of government; elections biennially; next election on the second Tuesday of May, 1931; population 1,616, census of 1930; charter again amended in 1927.

*Mayor*—John R. Kennedy, Republican.

*Recorder*—Ira Taylor, Democrat.

*Treasurer*—W. H. Lantz, Republican.

*Sergeant*—L. O. Weekly, Republican.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—C. H. Haslin, Democrat.

*Supt. of Water Plant*—B. F. Gilmore, Republican.

*Health Officer*—Dr. L. P. Jones, Republican.

### Petersburg—Grant County

Chartered in 1910 by the circuit court, under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 1,410, census of 1930; county seat of Grant county; location of St. Johns Academy.

*Mayor*—Dr. Glenn Moomau, Democrat.

*Recorder*—Miss Lillian Hill, Democrat; *ex-officio* Treasurer.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—W. C. Vanmeter, Democrat.

*Water Commissioner*—L. W. Rexrode, Democrat.

*Health Officer*—Dr. Glenn Moomau.

### Peterstown—Monroe County

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; population 388, census of 1930; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June.

*Mayor*—T. E. Ballard, Democrat.

*Recorder*—R. B. Ballard, Democrat.

*Attorney*—W. M. LaFon, Democrat.

*Health Officer*—Dr. J. O. Hunter, Democrat.

### Philippi—Barbour County

Chartered by the general assembly of Virginia in 1844; new charter granted by the legislature of West Virginia in 1901, which was amended in 1915; and again amended in its entirety in 1923; elections annually in March; population 1,767, census of 1930; county seat of Barbour county; location of Broadus College.

*Mayor*—W. A. Mason, Republican, *ex-officio* Police Judge.

*Recorder*—Roy J. Moore, Democrat.

*Attorney*—D. R. Stemple, Republican.

*Treasurer*—Roy J. Moore, Democrat.

*Town Sergeant*—Harry Nestor, Democrat.

*City Engineer*—A. N. Humphreys, Republican.

*Supt. Water Plant*—Henry Ralke, Republican.

*Health Officer*—Dr. W. S. Smith, Democrat.

### Piedmont—Mineral County

Chartered originally by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; new charter granted by the legislature in 1913, as the "City of Piedmont"; charter amended in 1925; elections biennially on the second Monday in May; next election in 1931; population 2,241, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—T. D. Campbell, Republican.

*City Clerk*—C. T. Neff, Democrat.

*Attorney*—Arthur Arnold, Republican.

*Chief of Police*—C. E. Dornon, Republican.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—George M. Boyles, Republican.

*Supt. of Water Plant*—J. H. Wolverton, Republican.

*Health Officer*—Dr. Z. T. Kalbaugh, Republican.

#### Pine Grove—Wetzel County

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; population 820, census of 1930; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June.

*Mayor*—G. R. Blanchfill, Republican; *ex-officio* Police Judge.

*Recorder*—W. O. Robinson, Democrat; *ex-officio* Treasurer.

*Attorney*—Larrick & Lemon (New Martinsville.)

*Chief of Police*—C. F. Montgomery, Republican.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—C. F. Montgomery, Republican.

*Health Officer*—Dr. Phelps Stanley.

#### Pineville—Wyoming County

Chartered in 1917 under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population 462, census of 1930; county seat of Wyoming county.

*Mayor*—F. E. Shannon, Republican.

*Recorder*—R. L. Cook, Democrat.

*Town Sergeant*—Dell Cook, Republican.

#### Point Pleasant—Mason County

Charter granted by the general assembly of Virginia in 1794. After the formation of West Virginia this charter was amended by a decree of the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code. In 1891 a new charter was granted by special act of the legislature. In 1915 the legislature passed another special act incorporating "The City of Point Pleasant," annulling the charters granted to the towns of Point Pleasant and North Point Pleasant, and consolidating the two municipalities; charter amended in 1919; elections biennially on the third Saturday in May; population 3,301, census of 1930; charter amended in 1925 submitting boundaries to a vote of the people, and providing for issuing bonds, etc.; county seat of Mason county.

*Mayor*—B. W. Krodel, Republican.

*City Clerk*—W. C. Whaley, Democrat.

*City Solicitor*—B. H. Blagg, Republican.

*Treasurer*—S. C. Wilhelm, Republican.

*City Assessor*—Allanson Dunfee, Republican.

*Street Commissioner*—Harry Slaven, Republican.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—T. D. Waidle, Republican.

#### Pratt—Kanawha County

Chartered in 1905 under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 325, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—Dr. J. A. Wood, Republican.

*City Clerk*—W. H. Baughan, Democrat; *ex-officio* Treasurer.

*Health Officer*—Dr. J. H. Hansford, Democrat.

*Supt. of Water Plant*—J. J. Brown, Democrat.

#### Princeton—Mercer County

Chartered by the general assembly of Virginia in 1837; in 1909 the legislature of West Virginia passed an act to amend the charter of "The Town of Princeton," to incorporate the same as "The City of Princeton," and repealing all other acts relating to the old municipality. This charter was amended in 1913, 1915, and 1917, and in its entirety in 1923; amended again in 1925, as to powers and duties of Treasurer and Recorder; again amended in 1927; elections held biennially in June; population, 6,955, census of 1930; county seat of Mercer county.

*Mayor*—W. A. Brown, Republican.

*Recorder*—E. B. King, Republican.

*Attorney*—E. W. Hale, Republican.

*Chief of Police*—Joseph S. Wynne, Republican.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—D. E. Rumburg, Republican.

*Health Officer*—Dr. I. M. Smith, Republican.

#### Pullman—Ritchie County

Chartered in 1901 under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 184, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—W. P. Ireland, Republican.

*Recorder*—Boyd F. Baker, Democrat.

*Town Sergeant*—J. A. Campbell, Republican.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—E. J. Loudin, Democrat.

#### Rainelle—Greenbrier County

Chartered in 1913 under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 920, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—W. D. Raine, Republican.  
*Recorder*—A. J. Aldridge, Republican.  
*Attorney*—Minor Wilson, Democrat.  
*Town Sergeant*—J. M. McClintle, Republican.  
*Health Officer*—J. E. Hammer, Democrat.

### Ranson—Jefferson County

Charter granted under chapter forty-seven of the code in 1910; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 1,002, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—James F. Casey, Republican.  
*Recorder*—O. L. Watson, Democrat.  
*Treasurer*—E. C. Ronemus, Democrat.  
*Attorney*—F. A. Brown.  
*Health Officer*—Dr. B. F. Haines, Democrat.

### Ravenswood—Jackson County

Chartered by the general assembly of Virginia, March 10, 1852; subsequently chartered under chapter forty-seven of the code of West Virginia; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 1,189, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—M. C. McKay, Democrat.  
*Recorder*—D. E. Cole, Democrat; *ex-officio* Treasurer.  
*Town Sergeant*—J. A. Fling, Democrat.  
*Supt. of Water Plant*—W. J. Grimm, Democrat.

### Reedsville—Preston County

Chartered under chapter forty-seven of the code; population, 345, census of 1930; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June.

*Mayor*—Charles Klsner, Republican.  
*Recorder*—Robert Dill, Republican.  
*Attorney*—Melvin Snyder, Republican (Kingwood).  
*Treasurer*—F. & M. Bank.  
*Chief of Police*—O. P. Squires, Republican.  
*City Engineer*—G. S. Bohem, Republican.

### Reedy—Roane County

Chartered in 1894 under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 405, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—J. B. Lester, Democrat.  
*Recorder*—T. W. Henry, Democrat.

### Renick—Greenbrier County (P. O. Falling Springs)

Chartered in 1906 under chapter forty-seven of the code; population, 365, census

of 1930; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June.

*Mayor*—J. G. Clendenen, Republican.  
*Recorder*—T. W. Henry, Republican.

### Richwood—Nicholas County

Chartered under chapter forty-seven of the code in 1901; new charter granted by the legislature in 1921; amended in 1923; elections biennially in June; next election 1932; population, 5,720, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—Frank Stone, Democrat; *ex-officio* City Manager and Police Judge.  
*Recorder*—C. E. McFadden, Democrat.  
*Attorney*—H. E. Dillinger, Democrat.  
*Treasurer*—L. French Herold, Democrat.

*Town Sergeant*—J. O. Armstrong, Democrat.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—A. B. Campbell, Republican.

*Health Officer*—Dr. Hugh Dunn, Democrat.

### Ridgeley—Mineral County

Chartered December 2, 1914, by the circuit court, under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 1,972, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—R. F. Magruder, Republican; *ex-officio* Health Officer.

*Recorder*—J. H. Simmons, Democrat.  
*Attorney*—R. A. Welch, Democrat.  
*Police Judge*—G. E. Hilsner, Republican.  
*Treasurer*—E. J. Smith, Democrat; *ex-officio* Town Sergeant.

*City Engineer*—J. Paul Blundon, Republican.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—H. M. Brown, Republican.

*Health Officer*—J. H. Simmons, Democrat.

### Ripley—Jackson County

Chartered by the general assembly of Virginia in 1832. New charter granted by an act of the legislature of West Virginia, in 1867; elections annually, in March; population, 609, census of 1930; county seat of Jackson county

*Mayor*—C. R. Kessel, Republican; *ex-officio* Chief of Fire Dept.

*Recorder*—Dr. V. L. Casto, Republican; *ex-officio* Health Officer.

*Attorney*—C. W. Staats, Democrat.  
*Treasurer*—T. Clayton Parsons, Democrat.

*Town Sergeant*—F. S. Ferrell, Democrat.

*Supt. of Water Plant*—Hubert Winters, Democrat.

### Riverside—Monongalia County (P. O. Morgantown)

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; population, 940, census of 1930; non-partisan government; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June.

*Mayor*—Marvin Haines.

*Recorder*—A. L. Hartley.

*City Engineer*—A. C. Hartley.

*Attorney*—Minter L. Wilson.

### Rivesville—Marion County

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code in 1873; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 1,700, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—Charles F. Knight, Democrat.

*Recorder*—R. W. Duvall, Democrat.

*Attorney*—J. V. Blair, Jr., Democrat.

*Treasurer*—Hood Straight, Democrat.

*Chief of Police*—Rex L. LaRue, Republican.

*City Engineer*—W. F. Phillips, Democrat.

*Health Officer*—Dr. W. L. Coogle, Democrat.

### Romney—Hampshire County

Chartered by the assembly of Virginia in 1762; re-chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code of West Virginia; charter amended in 1928; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 1,441, census of 1930; county seat of Hampshire county; location of the School for Deaf and Blind.

*Mayor*—John C. Lanthcum, Republican; *ex-officio* Supt. of Water Plant.

*Recorder*—John L. Lehman, Republican; *ex-officio* Town Sergeant.

*Health Officer*—Dr. J. F. Easton, Republican.

*Chief of Volunteer Fire Co.*—C. J. Powell, Democrat.

### Ronceverte—Greenbrier County

Chartered in 1882 as "The Town of Ronceverte" under chapter forty-seven of the code. In 1909 "The City of Ronceverte" was granted a charter by special act of the legislature; charter amended in 1919 and in one section in 1923; commission form of government; elections annually in June, but officers alternate

and are chosen for three years; population, 2,254, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—D. H. Kauffelt, Republican.

*City Clerk*—S. N. Erwin, Democrat; *ex-officio* Police Judge.

*Depositories*—Ronceverte National Bank and First National Bank.

*Chief of Police*—B. L. Sizer, Democrat.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—George E. Fuller, Democrat.

*Supt. of Water Plant*—E. E. Taylor, Democrat.

*Health Officer*—Dr. J. W. Compton, Democrat.

### Rosedale—Braxton County

Chartered in 1911 under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 175, census of 1930.

(No data furnished for 1930.)

### Rowlesburg—Preston County

Chartered by the Virginia general assembly in 1858; elections annually in January; population, 1,573, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—John O. Fretwell, *ex-officio* Police Judge.

*Recorder*—N. D. Hooton.

*Attorney*—J. V. Gibson.

*Chief of Police*—C. L. Heaton.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—N. C. Dawson.

*Supt. of Water Plant*—J. N. McMillan.

### Sabraton—Monongalia County

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code as Sturgis; population, 1,707, census of 1930; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June.

*Mayor*—V. D. Conley, Republican.

*Recorder*—Roy E. Mayfield, Republican.

*Attorney*—Hale J. Posten, Republican.

*Treasurer*—C. J. Parsons, Republican.

*Chief of Police*—C. D. Zinn, Republican.

### St. Albans—Kanawha County

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; new charter granted by the legislature in 1917; population, 3,254, census of 1930 of 1930.

*Mayor*—Asher M. Johnson, Democrat.

*City Clerk*—O. N. Slater, Democrat.

*City Solicitor*—D. N. Mohler, Republican.

*Police Judge*—G. D. Bryan, Democrat.

*Treasurer*—The Bank of St. Albans.  
*Chief of Police*—W. L. Pratt, Republican.

*City Engineer*—W. A. Burgess, Democrat.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—H. R. Hereford, Democrat.

*Supt. of Water Plant*—A. D. McCormick, Republican.

*Health Officer*—Dr. R. S. Hamrick, Democrat.

### St. Marys—Pleasants County

Chartered in 1851 by the general assembly of Virginia, the town then being located in Wood county; order of incorporation in 1888 by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code of West Virginia; new charter granted by the legislature in 1901; amended in part in 1907; charter amended and re-enacted in 1921; submitted to a vote of the people and ratified; elections biennially on the second Tuesday in June; non-partisan; mayor the only elective officer; next election in 1931; population, 2,182, census of 1930; charter again amended in 1927.

*Mayor*—Chas. Carroll.

*City Manager*—Bernard Riggs, *ex-officio* Supt. of Water Plant.

*City Clerk*—P. O. White.

*Attorney*—J. Frank Barron.

*Treasurer*—Bryan Varner; *ex-officio* Sergeant.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—Ben Cambridge.

*Health Officer*—Dr. C. L. Barron.

### Salem—Harrison County

Chartered originally under chapter forty-seven of the code, and by special act of the legislature in 1905; charter amended in 1921 and 1923; elections annually in April; population 2,943, census of 1930; location of Salem College and of the State Industrial Home for Girls.

*Mayor*—W. L. Joyce, Republican.

*Recorder*—Alma Flanagan, Republican.

*Attorney*—J. Paul Bumgardner, Democrat.

*Chief of Police*—C. W. Brohard, Republican.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—C. R. Powell, Republican.

*Supt. of Water Plant*—H. E. Barnett, Republican.

### Shepherdstown—Jefferson County

Chartered by the general assembly of Virginia in 1762, as "Mecklenburg"; new

charter granted by the legislature of West Virginia in 1867; amended in part in 1882; elections annually in March; population, 888, census of 1930; location of Shepherd College State Normal School.

*Mayor*—J. L. Waldeck, Republican.

*Recorder*—A. S. Lucas, Democrat.

*Chief of Police*—N. P. Crowl, Democrat.

*Treasurer*—W. W. Waddy, Democrat.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—Dr. G. R. Beddow, Republican.

*Supt. of Water Plant*—Carl Hill, Republican.

*Health Officer*—G. W. Banks, Democrat.

### Shinnston—Harrison County

Chartered in 1852 by the general assembly of Virginia; in 1915 the legislature of West Virginia passed a special act creating the municipal corporation of "The City of Shinnston" and repealing all former acts relating to the town of Shinnston; charter amended in 1919 and again in 1921; elections annually on the first Tuesday in March; population, 2,802, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—C. W. Gerrard, Republican.

*Recorder*—Harold M. Jarett, Republican.

*Attorney*—Hardin R. Harmer, Republican.

*Treasurer*—H. H. Carder, Republican; *ex-officio* Town Sergeant.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—A. E. Vassar, Republican.

*Supt. of Water Plant*—George Riffe, Democrat.

### Sistersville—Tyler County

Chartered originally by the general assembly of Virginia, February 3, 1839; chartered by the legislature of West Virginia in 1866, and charter amended in 1899, 1901, 1903 and 1921; elections biennially on the fourth Thursday in March; population 3,072, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—W. L. Sutton, Republican.

*City Clerk*—A. T. Henderson, Democrat.

*Attorney*—W. J. Brennan, Democrat.

*Treasurer*—J. C. Archer, Democrat.

*City Engineer*—H. M. Stanberry, Republican.

*Chief of Police*—George Lawson, Republican.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—E. C. Krug, Republican.

*Supt. Water Plant*—C. R. Sandy, Re-

publican.

*Health Officer*—H. P. West, Democrat.

### Smithfield—Wetzel County

Chartered July 12, 1904, by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population 609, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—C. G. Price, Democrat.

*Recorder*—C. H. Cunningham, Republican; *ex-officio* Treasurer.

*Health Officers*—L. A. Showalter, Democrat; E. P. Jackson, Republican.

### Sophia—Raleigh County

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; population, 611, census of 1930; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June.

*Mayor*—Dr. L. D. Stoner, Republican.

*Recorder*—H. J. Muncey, Republican.

*Treasurer*—J. W. Privett, Republican.

*Attorney*—Douglass Bowers, Republican.

### South Charleston—Kanawha County

Chartered in 1917 by the circuit court of Kanawha county, under chapter forty-seven of the code; new charter granted by special act of the legislature February 15, 1919; charter amended in 1921 and 1927; elections every two years; population, 5,904, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—L. H. Oakes, Democrat; *ex-officio* Police Judge.

*Recorder*—N. R. Henderson, Democrat.

*Treasurer*—W. G. Moore, Democrat.

*Chief of Police*—Frank Skaggs, Democrat.

*City Engineer*—H. J. Burnett, Democrat.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—Charles Schmidt, Democrat.

*Health Officer*—Dr. B. V. Blagg, Republican.

### Spencer—Roane County

Formerly "New California"; chartered by the general assembly of Virginia in 1858; charter amended by special act of the legislature of West Virginia in 1867; again amended in 1921; elections annually in March; population 2,493, census of 1930; county seat of Roane county; location of Spencer State Hospital.

*Mayor*—A. B. Galner, Democrat.

*Recorder*—R. H. Morford, Democrat.

*Attorney*—G. F. Hedges, Democrat.

*Chief of Police*—R. A. Moss, Democrat.  
*Chief of Fire Dept.*—John Ingram, Republican.

### Star City—Monongalia County

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 1,121, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—B. H. Brewer, Democrat.

*Recorder*—E. M. Gaschler, Democrat.

*Attorney*—Minter L. Wilson, Democrat.

*Treasurer*—John Bezner, Democrat.

*Chief of Police*—Harry Clark, Democrat.

### Summersville—Nicholas County

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 536, census of 1930; county seat of Nicholas county.

*Mayor*—H. B. Campbell, Democrat.

*Recorder*—A. E. Dorsey, Democrat.

*Health Officer*—Dr. J. C. McQueen, Democrat.

### Sutton—Braxton County

Chartered as "Suttonville," Nicholas county, in 1826, by the general assembly of Virginia; new charter granted under chapter forty-seven of the code in 1889; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 1,205, census of 1930; county seat of Braxton county.

*Mayor*—J. E. Baughman, Democrat.

*Recorder*—J. Warren Sprigg, Republican.

*Treasurer*—C. E. Humphreys, Democrat; *ex-officio* Town Sergeant.

*Supt. of Water Plant*—H. L. Robinson, Jr., Democrat.

*Health Officer*—Dr. W. H. McCayley, Republican.

### Terra Alta—Preston County

Chartered originally as "Cranberry" under chapter forty-seven of the code; charter amended by a decree of the circuit court in 1890; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; non-partisan government; population, 1,474, census of 1930; altitude, 2,557 feet; State Tuberculosis Sanitarium located at Hope-mont, two miles east of town.

*Mayor*—L. F. Everhart, Republican; *ex-officio* City Attorney.

*Recorder*—H. H. Parsons, Republican.

*Treasurer*—Mrs. O. H. Parsons, Republican.

*Town Sergeant*—O. D. Whetsell, Republican.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—C. T. Fraley, Republican.

*Supt. of Water Plant*—C. E. Trembly, Republican.

#### Thomas—Tucker County

Chartered in 1892 by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; population, 1,660, census of 1930; new charter granted in 1925, creating the "City of Thomas" defining its powers and prescribing its limits. Elections biennially in February.

*Mayor*—D. E. Cuppett, Republican.

*City Clerk*—J. D. Duncan, Republican.

*Attorney*—D. E. Cuppett, Republican.

*Town Sergeant*—L. O. Pase, Democrat.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—G. C. Fausler, Democrat.

*Supt. of Water Works*—Grant Smith, Republican.

*Treasurer*—Miners and Merchants Bank.

#### Thurmond—Fayette County

Chartered January 1, 1900, by the circuit court, under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 462, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—Geo. R. Bullock, Democrat.

*Recorder*—G. S. Daniel, Democrat; *ex-officio* Treasurer.

#### Triadelphia—Ohio County

Chartered in 1840 by the general assembly of Virginia; rechartered by the legislature of West Virginia in 1865; population, 302, census of 1930.

#### Troy—Gilmer County

(No data furnished for 1930.)

Chartered by the circuit court in 1887, under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 101, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—O. G. Talbott, Republican.

*Recorder*—Ira Reed, Democrat.

*Attorney*—B. W. Craddock, Democrat.

*Treasurer*—Stine Varner, Republican; *ex-officio* Town Sergeant.

*City Engineer*—Fred Lewis, Democrat.

#### Tunnelton—Preston County

Chartered in 1927 under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population 595, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—F. A. Hart, Republican.

*Recorder*—E. C. Maler, Republican.

*Attorney*—F. E. Parrack, Republican.

*Treasurer*—C. F. Shaver, Republican.

*Town Sergeant*—E. F. Hill, Republican.

#### Union—Monroe County

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population 331, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—J. A. Campbell, Republican.

*Recorder*—R. M. Humphreys, Republican.

*Treasurer*—H. S. Ellison, Democrat.

*Supt. of Water Plant*—R. W. Neel, Democrat.

#### War—McDowell County

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; population 1,392, census of 1930; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June.

*Mayor*—E. V. Crowder, Republican.

*Recorder*—H. S. Balley, Democrat.

*Town Sergeant*—William Hawkins, Republican.

*Health Officer*—W. C. Hall, Republican.

#### Wardensville—Hardy County

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; population, 189, census of 1930; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June.

*Mayor*—J. Watson Miley, Republican; *ex-officio* Town Sergeant.

*Recorder*—Ella B. Miley, Republican; *ex-officio* Treasurer.

*Health Officer*—Dr. R. E. Lee, Democrat.

#### Wayne—Wayne County

Chartered in 1882 under chapter forty-seven of the code; amended in part in 1911; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 675, census of 1930; county seat of Wayne county.

*Mayor*—Walter L. Cain, Democrat.

*Recorder*—Max E. Lester, Democrat.

*Attorney*—M. J. Ferguson, Democrat.

*Town Sergeant*—W. M. Pauley, Democrat.

#### Webster Springs—Webster County

(Name of Town, Addison; post office, Webster Springs.)

Chartered under chapter forty-seven of the code in 1898; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population,

976, census of 1930; county seat of Webster county.

*Mayor*—John R. Dyer, Democrat.

*Recorder*—J. M. Herold, Jr., Democrat.

*Treasurer*—G. W. Jackson, Democrat.

*City Engineer*—P. B. Cogar, Democrat.

*Supt. Water Plant*—Harry O. Fisher, Democrat.

### Welch—McDowell County

Chartered under chapter forty-seven of the code in 1893; charter amended in 1919; amended again in 1925 as to corporate limits, powers of mayor and taxation; again amended in 1927; elections biennially on first Tuesday in June; population, 5,376, census of 1930; county seat of McDowell county; location of Welch Hospital No. 1, formerly Miner's Hospital No. 1.

*Mayor*—J. W. Blakely, Republican.

*City Clerk*—T. W. Edwards, Republican.

*Attorney*—Ira J. Partlow, Democrat.

*Treasurer*—T. W. Edwards, Republican; *ex-officio* Police Judge.

*City Engineer*—L. A. Osborn, Republican.

*Chief of Police*—H. D. Sly, Republican.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—P. Flint, Republican.

*Supt. of Water Plant*—I. L. Johnson, Republican.

*Health Officer*—W. C. Hall, Republican.

### Wellsburg—Brooke County

Chartered by the Virginia assembly in 1816; charter amended in whole by the legislature of West Virginia in 1887; amended in part in 1895, 1901, 1903, 1907, 1911, 1915, 1919, and 1921; amended again in 1925, as to paving and assessments; elections annually in April; again amended in 1927; population 6,398, census of 1930; county seat of Brooke county.

*Mayor*—Charles F. McGlumphy, Republican.

*City Clerk*—Harry Davis, Republican.

*City Solicitor*—Carl K. Jacob, Republican.

*Treasurer*—Walter E. Lewis, Republican.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—Jesse Reeves, Republican.

*Supt. of Water Plant*—Dave Combs, Republican.

*Health Officer*—Dr. McDonald, Republican.

### West Milford—Harrison County

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 349, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—A. A. Ladwig, Republican.

*Recorder*—George W. Sturm, Republican.

*Treasurer*—Bertie Talbott, Democrat.

### Weston—Lewis County

Chartered in 1847 by the circuit court under the code of Virginia; rechartered by the legislature of West Virginia in 1909; amended in 1913 and again in 1925; elections biennially on the Tuesday after the third Monday in March; next election in 1932; population, 8,646, census of 1930; location of Weston State Hospital; county seat of Lewis county.

*Mayor*—O. L. Harrison, Republican.

*City Clerk*—R. E. McDonald, Democrat.

*Attorney*—Geo. J. Davison, Democrat.

*Treasurer*—A. L. Urbach, Republican.

*Chief of Police*—Roy C. Zobrist, Democrat.

*City Engineer*—M. L. B. Linger, Democrat.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—Gray Marsh, Democrat.

*Health Officer*—Dr. M. D. Cure, Republican.

### Westover—Monongalia County

(P. O. Morgantown)

Chartered in 1911 by the circuit court, under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 1,633, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—Curtis G. Jackson, Democrat.

*Recorder*—E. D. Gall, Republican.

*Attorney*—John Shriver, Republican.

*Town Sergeant*—Hugh Newbrough, Republican.

*City Engineer*—A. C. Hartley, Democrat.

*Supt. of Water Plant*—C. C. Wilson, Republican.

### West Union—Doddridge County

Chartered in 1881 under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 984, census of 1930; county seat of Doddridge county.



*Major*—R. A. Murphy, Republican.  
*Recorder*—Frank F. Leggett, Republican.

*Attorney*—L. A. Henderson, Democrat.  
*Treasurer*—S. P. Smith, Democrat.  
*Town Sergeant*—W. B. Knight, Democrat.

*Supt. of Water Plant*—Oran Scott, Democrat.

*Health Officer*—E. T. Wetzell, Democrat.

### Wheeling—Ohio County

Chartered as "Zanesburg" by the general assembly of Virginia in 1795; Middle Wheeling and South Wheeling incorporated in 1827; charter granted to "The City of Wheeling" in 1836. In 1915 the legislature of West Virginia passed a special act amending its acts of 1907, 1908, 1909, and 1913, and all acts passed prior to 1907 and granted a new charter known as the "Greater Wheeling Charter" which was partly amended in 1917, and again in 1919, 1921, 1923, 1925 and 1927. Commission form of government; partisan; municipal primary; general municipal elections held biennially on the fourth Thursday of May; county seat of Ohio county; West Liberty State Normal School located at West Liberty. Charter amended in 1925 providing for condemnation of property for municipal uses; for laying a levy for parks; creating a park commission, prescribing its duties and how maintained; amended again in 1927 and 1929; population, 61,659, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—T. Y. Beckett, *ex-officio* City Manager.

*City Clerk*—Howard C. Lane, Republican.

*City Solicitor*—Carl O. Schmidt, Republican.

*Police Judge*—Edgar C. Glass, Republican.

*Treasurer*—W. D. Robertson, Republican.

*Chief of Police*—Fred H. Frazier, Republican.

*City Engineer*—Harry O. Conrad, Republican.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—Edw. A. McGranahan, Republican.

*Supt. of Water Plant*—J. W. Shull, Republican.

*Health Officer*—W. H. McLain, M. D., Republican.

### White Sulphur Springs—Greenbrier County

Chartered in 1910 under chapter forty-seven of the code; population 1,484 census of 1930; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June.

*Mayor*—C. B. Bryant, Republican.

*Recorder*—J. P. Burdette, Democrat.

*Town Sergeant*—J. E. Farran, Republican.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—S. J. Rigbtor, Democrat.

*Supt. of Water Plant*—W. E. Myles, Democrat.

### Williamsburg—Greenbrier County

Chartered under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 148, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—F. L. Wallace, Democrat.

*Recorder*—A. R. Handley, Democrat;  
*ex-officio* Treasurer.

### Williamson—Mingo County

Chartered by special act of the legislature in 1905; charter amended in 1915, and provisions made for a commission form of government; elections biennially in June; charter amended in 1919; bipartisan government; amended in one section and a new section added in 1923; amended again in 1927 and 1929; population, 9,410, census of 1930; county seat of Mingo county.

*Mayor*—Wirt F. Hatfield, Republican.

*City Clerk*—O. H. Booton, Republican.

*City Solicitor*—Wm. B. Hogg, Republican.

*Treasurer*—First National Bank.

*Chief of Police*—A. R. Stepp, Republican.

*City Engineer*—D. M. Good, Republican.

*Chief of Fire Dept.*—H. M. Stock, Republican.

*Supt. of Water Plant*—Paul C. Laux, Republican.

*Health Officer*—Dr. W. H. Burgess, Republican.

### Williamstown—Wood County

Chartered originally by the general assembly of Virginia in 1822 as "Williamsville," the town operated for a time under two other charters, each of which was finally dropped; new charter granted in 1901 by a decree of the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code of

West Virginia; new charter granted by the legislature in 1921; elections biennially on the Tuesday after the first Monday in January; population, 1,657, census of 1930; charter amended as to the governing body of the city, consisting of a mayor and four councilmen; also as to issuing of bonds.

*Mayor*—O. E. Gray, Democrat.

*City Clerk*—E. C. Reynolds, Republican.

*City Attorney*—J. S. Wade, Democrat.

*Collector*—Geo. A. Hoover, Republican.

*Chief of Police*—W. C. Bush, Democrat; *ex-officio* Chief of Fire Department.

*Supt. Water Plant*—H. W. Boyd, Republican.

*Health Officer*—W. D. Cline, Democrat.

### Winfield—Putnam County

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code, September 24, 1889; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 294, census of 1930; county seat of Putnam County.

*Mayor*—W. S. Childers, Republican.

*Recorder*—Alice Bayer, Republican.

*Town Sergeant*—A. G. Young, Democrat.

### Womelsdorf—Randolph County (P. O. Coalton)

Chartered in 1895 by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 373, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—P. T. Joyce, Democrat.

*Recorder*—Toney Altierl, Democrat.

*Treasurer*—J. W. Mills, Republican; *ex-officio* Town Sergeant.

### Worthington—Marion County

Chartered by the circuit court under chapter forty-seven of the code in 1893; elections annually on the first Tuesday in June; population, 405, census of 1930.

*Mayor*—Paul K. Tetrick, Democrat; *ex-officio* Chief of Fire Dept.

*Recorder*—Clarence L. Sturm, Republican.

*Attorney*—A. Blake Billingslea, Republican.

*Treasurer*—Glenn McGregor, Democrat.

*Town Sergeant*—J. Russell Snodgrass, Republican.

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COUNTIES	NAME OF BANK	LOCATION	PRESIDENT	CASHIER	CAPITAL	Surplus and Unpaid Profits	Total Resources
BARBOUR.....	*First National Bank.....	Philippi.....	George Waddell.....	E. W. S. Kennedy.....	\$ 50,000	\$ 51,197	\$ 1,140,578
	†Citizens National Bank.....	Philippi.....	E. R. Dyer.....	R. E. Tallott.....	50,000	93,062	1,227,207
	†First National Bank.....	Belington.....	B. B. Rohrbaugh.....	O. H. Gall.....	40,000	21,502	650,479
	Merchants & Miners Bank.....	Junior.....	A. K. Perry.....	C. W. Shomo.....	25,000	7,197	138,712
BERKELEY.....	†Citizens National Bank.....	Martinsburg.....	Thomas W. Martin.....	Edward Rutledge.....	100,000	70,020	1,394,541
	†The Old National Bank.....	Martinsburg.....	H. H. Emmert.....	W. F. McAnney.....	250,000	149,000	3,098,782
	*Merchants & Farmers Bank.....	Martinsburg.....	C. L. Stuckoy.....	John T. Nadenbousch.....	100,000	78,729	1,566,850
	*Peoples Trust Co.....	Martinsburg.....	J. O. Henson.....	Dudley Harley.....	250,000	165,000	2,944,613
BOONE.....	†Boone National Bank.....	Madison.....	H. G. Shaffer.....	E. E. White.....	100,000	151,348	1,385,279
	†Bank of Danville.....	Danville.....	Sirney White.....	H. R. Izard.....	50,000	10,300	401,958
	†Bank of Whitesville.....	Whitesville.....	Homer H. Andrews.....	Joseph E. Johnson.....	25,000	5,809	170,286
BRAXTON.....	(1)*Homo National Bank.....	Sutton.....	G. B. Fisher.....	A. L. Morrison.....	80,000	18,000	1,293,552
	(2)†Bank of Gassaway.....	Gassaway.....	W. P. Bartlett.....	J. B. Fisher.....	50,000	25,000	850,000
	†Bank of Sutton.....	Sutton.....	Fred L. Fox.....	E. Marvin Smith.....	35,000	8,649	415,629
BROOKE.....	†Wellsburg National Bank.....	Wellsburg.....	John C. Palmer.....	Hazlett M. Rodgers.....	100,000	52,392	1,443,315
	*Bank of Follansbee.....	Follansbee.....	R. Humes.....	M. T. Dunlope.....	25,000	61,338	599,872
	†Citizens Bank of Follansbee.....	Follansbee.....	L. A. Diller.....	J. V. Balch.....	25,000	42,886	819,426
	†Wellsburg Banking & Trust Co.....	Wellsburg.....	S. George.....	W. M. George, Treas.....	100,000	129,346	1,651,499
CABELL.....	*First Huntington National Bank.....	Huntington.....	Charles M. Gohen.....	C. A. Boone.....	2,000,000	1,181,787	16,932,018
	†Huntington Banking & Trust Co.....	Huntington.....	H. A. Rolson.....	H. L. O'Brien.....	300,000	300,474	2,519,379
	†Twentieth Street Bank.....	Huntington.....	D. A. Hall.....	A. C. Hinerman.....	100,000	38,703	1,277,122
	*Union Bank & Trust Co.....	Huntington.....	Robert L. Areher.....	A. C. Thomas.....	500,000	112,548	2,937,414
	†First State Bank.....	Barloursville.....	U. S. Stipe.....	P. A. Vallancingham.....	25,000	29,134	220,875
	†Cabell County Bank.....	Huntington.....	J. O. Cunningham.....	H. L. Roloy.....	25,000	200	334,025
	†First Finance & Trust Co.....	Huntington.....	Dave Gileon.....	M. Brob, Sec.-Treas.....	250,000	77,729	498,826
	*Ohio Valley Bank.....	Huntington.....	David Evandoll.....	Erstine McClane.....	150,000	45,371	1,051,888
	†Bank of Milton.....	Milton.....	J. J. Harsharger.....	C. L. Harsharger.....	100,000	38,043	808,559
	†Givandotte Bank.....	Huntington.....	James Murnby.....	H. A. McNeer.....	100,000	8,326	350,670

(1) Exchange Bank, Whitesville, merged with A. S. 25, 1930, statement as of Sept. 22, 1930.

(2) Farmers &amp; Mechanics Bank, Gassaway, merged with, Sept. 11, 1930, statement as of Sept. 20, 1930.

CALHOUN.....	†Calhoun County Bank.....	Grantsville.....	C. A. Jarvis.....	F. F. McCoy.....	80,000	88,077	1,219,070
CLAY.....	†Clay County Bank.....	Clay.....	P. M. Summers.....	S. H. McLane.....	50,000	27,831	533,332
	†Eliz Valley Bank.....	Clay.....	B. B. Wheeler.....	E. R. Reed.....	25,000	11,393	171,321
	†Bank of Widen.....	Widen.....	J. G. Bradley.....	D. F. McMillion.....	25,000	23,921	230,069
DODDRIDGE.....	†First National Bank.....	West Union.....	J. E. Trainer.....	J. A. Freeman.....	50,000	10,404	672,347
	†Doddridge County Bank.....	West Union.....	J. G. Charter.....	J. G. Charter.....	50,000	53,870	802,822
	*West Union Bank.....	West Union.....	W. Brent Maxwell.....	J. H. Langtitt.....	50,000	122,022	617,403
FAYETTE.....	†Fayette County National Bank.....	Fayetteville.....	A. W. Hamilton.....	A. B. Abbot.....	50,000	65,160	678,873
	†National Bank of Thurmond.....	Thurmond.....	J. T. Grose.....	J. Robert Miller.....	50,000	32,569	528,812
	†Ansted National Bank.....	Ansted.....	W. L. Burrus.....	H. F. Thomason.....	35,000	22,733	463,196
	*Merchants National Bank.....	Montgomery.....	S. P. Campbell.....	B. E. Claypool.....	50,000	61,667	1,074,2
	†Montgomery National Bank.....	Montgomery.....	S. H. Montgomery.....	A. G. Newby.....	100,000	122,048	1,592,478
	†Witona National Bank.....	Witona.....	W. S. Woods.....	John R. Hisey.....	25,000	25,400	404,620
	†First National Bank.....	Mt. Hope.....	P. H. Garrett.....	H. L. First inc.....	30,000	25,902	631,874
	†Oak Hill National Bank.....	Oak Hill.....	C. E. Mahan, Sr.....	W. P. Gregory.....	50,000	34,352	610,257
	†Bank of Fayette.....	Fayetteville.....	J. T. Grose.....	Thomas Boone.....	25,000	20,165	311,696
	*Bank of Mt. Hope.....	Mt. Hope.....	P. M. Snyder.....	W. H. Boone.....	100,000	282,500	1,464,746
	†New River Banking & Trust Co.....	Thurmond.....	James F. Prince.....	H. A. Berry.....	50,000	125,077	823,242
	†Bank of Gayley Bridge.....	Gayley Bridge.....	C. E. Mahan, Jr.....	Oscar H. Cranz.....	40,000	11,248	311,601
	†Bank of Glen Jean.....	Glen Jean.....	Wm. McKell.....	Charles Wilburn.....	100,000	64,770	928,518
	*Merchants & Miners Bank.....	Oak Hill.....	Geo. W. Jones.....	W. R. Hayes.....	100,000	124,547	1,064,603
	†Bank of Pax.....	Pax.....	Dr. A. L. Hunter.....	Z. H. Legg.....	25,000	8,513	204,433
GILMER.....	†Glenville Banking & Trust Co.....	Glenville.....	F. G. Rorhbough.....	Howard R. Brannon.....	25,000	34,498	416,215
	†Kanawha Union Bank.....	Glenville.....	S. A. Hayes.....	John E. Arbuckle.....	40,000	40,349	620,149
GRANT.....	†First National Bank.....	Gormanville.....	Charles H. Voesler.....	T. O. Winters.....	25,000	10,739	209,801
	†Bayard National Bank.....	Bayard.....	M. Tamburini.....	I. L. Novillo.....	25,000	19,186	225,502
	*Grant County Bank.....	Petersburg.....	L. J. Forman.....	W. C. Moomau.....	50,000	39,525	547,508
	†Potomac Valley Bank.....	Petersburg.....	J. A. Parks.....	James W. Park.....	50,000	12,042	291,056
GREENBRIER.....	†First National Bank.....	East Rainelle.....	C. H. Thompson.....	L. L. Graycal.....	25,000	2,584	196,351
	†Ronceverte National Bank.....	Ronceverte.....	C. H. Thompson.....	James R. Johnson.....	25,000	30,562	578,798
	**First National Bank.....	Ronceverte.....	P. A. George.....	C. E. Boone.....	75,000	62,160	982,251
	†Allerson National Bank.....	Allerson.....	O. D. Massey.....	C. H. He'rick.....	25,000	27,387	690,077
	*Bank of Greenbrier.....	Lewisburg.....	Thomas W. Shields.....	John J. Masters.....	25,000	25,649	417,039
	†Bank of W. ito Sulphur Springs.....	W. ito Sulphur Springs.....	W. B. Hines.....	E. A. Stjrey.....	50,000	18,375	556,671
	†Bank of Rupert.....	Rupert.....	C. E. Boone.....	J. W. Miller.....	25,000	7,642	229,171
	†Bank of Rainelle.....	Rainelle.....	John Raino.....	B. D. Raino.....	25,000	23,292	269,717
	†Bank of Ronick.....	Ronick.....	C. G. Rader.....	J. W. Baxter.....	25,000	22,894	341,952
	†Bank of Williamsburg.....	Williamsburg.....	J. H. Bransford.....	C. W. Bivens.....	25,000	10,000	262,587
	†Bank of Quinwood.....	Quinwood.....	W. S. Wood.....	N. H. Keller.....	50,000	18,339	371,244
	†Greenbrier Valley Bank.....	Lewisburg.....	Dr. Gory Hogg.....	W. N. Jasper.....	50,000	25,812	587,026

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HAMPSHIRE.....	†First National Bank.....	Romney.....	Amos L. Pugh.....	William Williams.....	50,000	46,398	637,702
	*The Bank of Romney.....	Romney.....	John J. Cornwell.....	J. W. Arnold.....	100,000	99,488	928,056
HANCOCK.....	†First National Bank.....	Chester.....	John E. Newell.....	Robert A. Douglass.....	50,000	108,554	881,854
	*Bank of Weirton.....	Weirton.....	E. T. Weir.....	H. E. Hawkins.....	100,000	305,784	3,605,414
	Peoples Bank.....	Hollis Cove.....	D. M. Peterson.....	E. D. Rothrock.....	50,000	62,995	925,871
HARDY.....	†South Branch Valley Natl. Bank..	Moorefield.....	M. S. Henkle.....	M. Dasher.....	100,000	45,866	746,678
	Hardy County Bank.....	Moorfield.....	Wm. M. Kessel.....	J. C. Trumbo.....	50,000	5,656	151,691
	Capon Valley Bank.....	Wardensville.....	J. V. Warden.....	Jcs. T. Fry.....	25,000	9,751	244,998
HARRISON.....	*Empire National Bank.....	Clarksburg.....	E. B. Deison.....	Oscar C. Wilt.....	250,000	798,711	7,119,885
	†Mercants National Bank.....	Clarksburg.....	George L. Dunean.....	S. H. White.....	100,000	151,474	1,506,585
	*Union National Bank.....	Clarksburg.....	W. Brant Maxwell.....	F. S. Ice.....	500,000	283,400	6,648,027
	†First National Bank.....	Salem.....	Fred D. Powell.....	Fred Diddle.....	60,000	45,978	792,451
	†Bridgeport Bank.....	Bridgeport.....	J. R. Jones.....	A. B. Teter.....	25,000	75,000	616,772
	Lowndes Saving Bank & Trust Co.	Clarksburg.....	Geo. W. Bladen Lowndes.....	George L. Dunean.....	250,000	110,928	1,735,611
				Secretary-Treasurer			
	†West Virginia Bank.....	Clarksburg.....	Geo. L. Dunean.....	R. A. Farland.....	200,000	64,707	1,699,911
†Harrison County Bank.....	Lost Creek.....	Charles Post.....	W. D. Nutter.....	40,000	41,584	373,779	
†The Farmers Bank of Shinnston...	Shinnston.....	C. M. Bartlett.....	Chester W. Jones.....	40,000	29,977	913,471	
JACKSON.....	†First National Bank.....	Ravenswood.....	C. E. Mason.....	F. W. Dickerson.....	35,000	42,719	415,778
	*First National Bank.....	Ripley.....	Geo. B. Crow.....	Geo. E. Straley.....	70,000	24,460	767,915
	Jackson County Bank.....	Ravenswood.....	K. C. Hutchinson.....	C. E. Baker.....	25,000	106,489	470,869
	Bank of Ripley.....	Ripley.....	H. F. Pfost.....	H. F. Pfost.....	50,000	11,059	303,651
JEFFERSON.....	†National Citizens Bank.....	Charles Town.....	G. E. Hughes.....	A. M. S. Morgan.....	50,000	48,177	517,104
	*Bank of Charles Town.....	Charles Town.....	D. S. Hughes.....	John Porterfield.....	50,000	83,718	693,294
	†Farmers & Merchants Deposit Co.	Charles Town.....	Robert L. Withers.....	S. Lee Phillips.....	50,000	81,792	785,456
	Bank of Harpers Ferry.....	Harpers Ferry.....	T. J. Burleigh.....	J. C. Newcomer.....	25,000	7,477	232,177
	The Farmers Bank.....	Shepherdstown.....	Nelson T. Snyder.....	Jos H. Trout.....	25,000	36,277	306,882
	†Jefferson Security Bank.....	Shepherdstown.....	Geo. M. Beltzhoover.....	C. F. Lyne.....	30,000	91,311	433,113
	*Jefferson Bank & Trust Co.....	Charles Town.....	Frank B. Robinson.....	H. N. Watson.....	100,000	21,102	602,363

KANAWHA	*Charleston National Bank	Charleston	Isaac Lowenstein	R. E. Ekins	1,000,000	1,409,857	18,830,818
	Kanawha National Bank	Charleston	E. A. Reid	F. C. Groff	250,000	182,636	4,959,175
	†First National Bank	Clendenin	P. W. Snyder	J. L. Hamilton	25,000	15,000	425,985
	†First National Bank	St. Albans	W. H. Wilson	S. D. McGee	25,000	40,801	580,127
	†First National Bank	South Charleston	K. E. Reid	J. M. Selwender	35,000	14,755	635,030
	*Capital City Bank	Charleston	John Laing	C. B. Early	200,000	96,673	1,843,1
	*Kanawha Banking & Trust Co.	Charleston	Harrison B. Smith	P. A. Herscher	500,000	297,806	4,431,105
	*Kanawha Valley Bank	Charleston	John L. Dickinson	Hayes Piclesimer	1,000,000	1,544,830	16,136,650
	†Peoples Exchange Bank	Charleston	C. A. Young	Paul E. Welrie	50,000	104,304	1,382,454
	†Security Bank and Trust Co.	Charleston	O. F. Payne	P. E. Mann	100,000	145,000	1,496,703
	Central Trust Co.	Charleston	John L. Dickinson	R. C. Teter, Vice-Pres	500,000	256,345	1,539,300
	†Bank of Dunbar	Dunbar	Mason Crickard	C. A. McCarty	25,000	6,902	254,062
	*Charleston Trust Co.	Charleston	Harrison B. Smith, Jr	C. I. Waller	200,000	105,108	2,012,735
	†Bank of St. Albans	St. Albans	James Weimer	C. H. Zerle	50,000	105,010	623,724
	†Farmers & Citizens Bank	Clendenin	D. H. Stephenson	R. C. Andrews	100,000	57,723	1,260,231
	*Kanawha City Bank	Charleston	O. F. Payne	Geo. F. Skidmore	75,000	17,415	385,250
	†Bank of Commerce	Charleston	Guy W. Van Horn	Edward Hees	200,000	35,302	1,469,478
LEWIS	*National Exchange Bank	Weston	E. G. Dalson	J. W. Ross	150,000	06,672	1,851,008
	†Bank of Weston	Weston	Geo. W. Wilson	Walter A. Edwards	60,000	10,000	950,101
	*Citizens Bank	Weston	R. H. Hall	T. A. Whalen	50,000	200,000	3,128,540
	†Union Bank of Jane Lew	Jane Lew	S. G. Hall	B. M. Davidson	60,000	32,861	536,532
LINCOLN	†Lincoln National Bank	Hamlin	John J. Sensoney	Willis H. Reyburn	25,000	57,054	487,055
	†Oil Field National Bank	Griffithsville	H. W. Miller	Frank E. Graas	25,000	60,498	434,258
	†Farmers & Merchants Bank	Hamlin	A. P. Black	H. M. Booth	40,000	17,104	390,853
LOGAN	†First National Bank	Logan	Nanman Jackson	A. D. Dickey	150,000	210,232	2,500,852
	†Guyan Valley Bank	Logan	J. Cary Alderson	L. J. Toothman	100,000	387,193	2,060,591
	†Merchants & Miners Bank	Man	S. E. McDonald	Ira J. Cyfers	25,000	15,707	211,341
MARION	*The National Bank of Fairmont	Fairmont	Brooks Fleming, Jr.	J. R. Smet	400,000	1,024,600	8,310,194
	Union National Bank	Fairmont	G. M. Alexander	C. R. Hall	420,000	131,637	4,742,318
	†First National Bank	Fairview	J. W. Haught	W. H. Coontz	30,000	22,261	510,880
	†First National Bank	Mansington	E. C. Martin	W. L. Jenks	60,000	47,158	951,081
	†First National Bank	Monongah	Carroll Correy	John D. Anthony	25,000	75,250	447,855
	†First National Bank	Worthington	G. W. Millan	A. J. McDaniel	30,000	20,358	343,177
	Bank of Farmington	Farmington	James F. Campbell	I. M. Wittlatch	50,000	25,518	560,422
	†Farmers & Merchants Bank	Fairview	Illias C. Tennant	O. E. Morris	50,000	74,000	680,164
	†Exchange Bank	Mannington	Geo. W. Bowers	W. H. Parsons	80,000	26,624	880,763
MARSHALL	†First National Bank	Cameron	Lloyd Strobe	Harry Ellin	100,000	145,041	1,827,178
	*First National Bank	Moundsville	T. L. Rodgerson	J. D. Burley	50,000	30,283	778,131
	*Bank of Cameron	Cameron	Guy B. Patterson	J. L. Reed	100,000	32,536	828,632
	†City and County Bank	Moundsville	J. W. Garlin	A. D. Ayers	100,000	26,284	601,133
	*Marshall County Bank	Moundsville	James M. Sanders	James A. Sizafosse	150,000	81,493	1,590,916
	†Mercantile Banking & Trust Co.	Moundsville	Thos. Scott	Elmer Reseger	100,000	184,043	1,860,136

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MASON.....	†Mound City Bank.....	Mountsille.....	J. A. Bloyd.....	C. H. Hunter.....	50,000	68,073	800,054
	†Bank of McMechen.....	McMechen.....	J. L. McMechen.....	Chas. R. Lowe.....	60,000	54,903	707,159
	†Union Bank of Benwood.....	Benwood.....	Henry Seabright.....	J. W. Johnson.....	50,000	480	182,985
	*Point Pleasant National Bank.....	Point Pleasant.....	J. O. Shinn.....	H. S. Johnson.....	30,000	15,201	355,740
	†Citizens National Bank.....	Point Pleasant.....	C. C. Lewis.....	H. Sayre.....	100,000	60,344	945,188
	Mason County Bank.....	New Haven.....	Jas. C. Layne.....	Harry L. Dyer.....	25,000	5,000	266,184
MERCER.....	†First National Bank.....	Blaine.....	Edwin Mann.....	L. A. Hooper.....	500,000	426,000	5,380,863
	*Flat Top National Bank.....	Blaine.....	C. C. Frazier.....	L. C. Faulke.....	250,000	304,574	2,854,352
	†First National Bank.....	Princeton.....	C. R. McNutt.....	W. B. McNutt.....	100,000	51,840	1,374,083
	†Blaine National Bank.....	Blaine.....	D. E. French.....	G. H. Lawhead.....	150,000	74,535	1,447,130
	†Matoaka National Bank.....	Matoaka.....	C. E. Hughes.....	F. D. Kelly.....	25,000	3,405	224,413
	†Bank of Athens.....	Athens.....	Donzie Lilly.....	F. V. Cooper.....	25,000	28,094	321,928
	Bank of Bramwell.....	Bramwell.....	Isaac T. Mann.....	J. B. Perry.....	300,000	1,000,000	7,106,323
	†Virginia Bank & Trust Co.....	Princeton.....	W. S. Dargatzfeld.....	John H. Bayne.....	100,000	25,378	450,484
	*The Commercial Bank.....	Blaine.....	Bernard McLaugherty.....	W. C. Given.....	150,000	95,431	1,230,994
	*The Bank of Princeton.....	Princeton.....	J. H. Lilly.....	J. C. Meador.....	100,000	6,929	1,116,114
†Bank of Matoaka.....	Matoaka.....	D. H. Barger.....	W. M. Ferrell.....	25,000	50,000	655,391	
MINERAL.....	†First National Bank.....	Keyser.....	F. M. Reynolds.....	H. L. Arnold.....	80,000	71,557	1,660,742
	†First National Bank.....	Piedmont.....	J. B. Maybury.....	J. D. Thomas.....	75,000	107,336	1,219,723
	†Davis National Bank.....	Piedmont.....	Allen L. Luke.....	C. W. Getty.....	50,000	110,429	1,270,560
	*Farmers & Merchants Bank.....	Keyser.....	Richard Gerstell.....	Geo. R. Davis.....	100,000	127,049	1,215,221
	Peoples Bank.....	Ridgeley.....	H. R. Kight.....	L. P. Walker.....	25,000	13,501	195,747
MINGO.....	*First National Bank.....	Williamson.....	M. Z. White.....	R. M. Roland.....	200,000	122,485	2,630,052
	†National Bank of Commerce.....	Williamson.....	Wells Goodykoontz.....	Joseph B. Smith.....	100,000	159,538	1,504,183
	†Matewan National Bank.....	Matewan.....	E. B. Chambers.....	E. D. Chambers.....	50,000	43,215	614,000
	†Kermit State Bank.....	Kermit.....	Thomas A. Shewey.....	H. Haws.....	30,000	8,164	180,873
	†Williamson State Bank.....	Williamson.....	A. Goodman.....	J. R. Goodman.....	25,000	14,249	300,681
MONONGALIA.....	†Monongalia Second Natl. Bank.....	Morgantown.....	A. J. Garlow.....	H. C. Riggs.....	100,000	277,583	2,601,920

	(1)*Bank of Monongahela Valley...	Morgantown.....	H. A. Abbot.....	W. Ray Taller.....	300,000	245,000	4,709,651
	†Bank of Morgantown.....	Morgantown.....	H. L. Carspecken.....	D. R. Richards.....	100,000	258,407	2,613,953
	†Dunkard Valley Bank.....	Blacksville.....	John W. Scott.....	D. R. Carrell.....	25,000	21,294	275,328
	Bank of Westtown.....	Westtown.....	J. L. Itenon.....	Alex White.....	25,000	33,850	218,887
MONROE.....	†First National Bank.....	Allerson.....	L. E. Johnson.....	H. B. Rowe.....	100,000	78,659	994,000
	†First National Bank.....	Peterstown.....	T. J. Crotehul.....	J. H. Mansharger.....	25,000	40,752	305,801
	†The Bank of Monroe.....	Union.....	H. S. Ellison.....	J. R. McCoy.....	50,000	30,021	600,076
	Bank of Greenville.....	Greenville.....	R. H. Arnott.....	W. M. Comer.....	25,000	17,561	124,507.
MORGAN.....	†Bank of Berkeley Springs.....	Berkeley Springs.....	V. E. Johnson.....	A. M. Mendenhall.....	25,000	49,158	667,732
	Bank of Morgan County.....	Berkeley Springs.....	R. E. Allen.....	V. C. Somers.....	25,000	5,370	309,330
McDOWELL.....	*McDowell County Natl Bank.....	Welch.....	I. J. Rhodes.....	T. A. Johnson.....	250,000	325,000	3,560,649
	†First National Bank.....	Keystono.....	R. L. Builey.....	H. D. Vaurhan.....	50,000	81,542	870,920
	†Gary National Bank.....	Gary.....	R. V. Shanklin.....	J. H. Barker.....	50,000	53,027	1,167,895
	†First National Bank.....	Northfork.....	J. J. Hindjleston.....	W. A. Greager.....	100,000	130,830	1,468,569
	†First National Bank.....	Amawalt.....	C. W. Dick.....	R. A. Wyland.....	60,000	18,260	461,511
	†Clark National Bank.....	Northfork.....	L. H. Clark.....	W. S. Clark.....	50,000	69,008	780,089
	(2)†The Kimball National Bank.....	Kimball.....	W. B. Stevens.....	H. C. Harris.....	25,000	12,577	418,154
	†The Berwind Bank.....	Berwind.....	B. L. Simpson.....	E. S. Thompson.....	100,000	190,000	1,895,909
	(3) The Bank of War.....	War.....	R. L. Page.....	Wm. R. Kiser.....	30,000	16,357	302,327
NICHOLAS.....	†First National Bank.....	Richwood.....	C. S. Badgett.....	T. L. Falor.....	40,000	11,486	640,655
	†Richwood Banking & Trust Co.....	Richwood.....	A. L. Craig.....	J. I. Finlanson.....	50,000	31,311	686,285
	*Nicholas County Bank.....	Summersville.....	H. W. Herold.....	P. N. Wiseman.....	50,000	49,861	630,673
	†Farmers & Merchants Bank.....	Summersville.....	A. A. Hamilton.....	W. P. Kincaid.....	30,000	61,091	898,117
	†The Citizens Bank.....	Richwood.....	W. V. Jarrett.....	L. French Herold.....	25,000	20,530	513,385
OHIO.....	*The National Bank of W. Va.....	Wheeling.....	W. B. Irvine.....	A. E. Schmidt.....	500,000	679,785	7,788,372
	†National Exchange Bank.....	Wheeling.....	J. R. Naylor.....	C. W. Jeffers.....	500,000	713,282	7,187,795
	†First National Bank & Trust Co.....	Elm Grove.....	J. D. Chambers.....	S. C. Kittle.....	100,000	58,225	1,292,452
	†Center Wheeling Savings Bank.....	Wheeling.....	H. J. Schaeffer.....	F. T. Dowler.....	100,000	100,163	2,069,022
	†Citizens Mutual Trust Co.....	Wheeling.....	Alex Glass.....	L. F. Haller.....	600,000	558,185	7,553,871
	*Dollar Savings & Trust Co.....	Wheeling.....	Robert Hazlett.....	W. H. Tracy.....	1,165,600	2,841,376	18,840,150
	*Wheeling Bank & Trust Co.....	Wheeling.....	Samuel W. Harper.....	G. E. Carenbauer, Sec.....	500,000	830,428	8,926,256
	†Half Dollar Trust & Savings Bank.....	Wheeling.....	H. C. Ogden.....	John T. Metzger.....	100,000	25,876	1,641,477
	†Central Union Trust Co.....	Wheeling.....	Seaton Alexander.....	J. F. Ebeling.....	500,000	262,166	2,615,142
	Security Trust Co.....	Wheeling.....	W. E. Stone.....	Harold S. Martin.....	300,000	535,000	5,012,827
	†South Si lo Bank & Trust Co.....	Wheeling.....	A. F. Ulrich.....	J. J. Bonta.....	100,000	171,581	1,730,131
	†Bank of Warwood.....	Warwood (Wheeling).....	Charles F. Schultz.....	W. C. Stetler.....	100,000	22,936	697,770
	†State Bank & Trust Co.....	Elm Grove.....	John D. Dieckmann.....	John T. Carter.....	150,000	161,308	2,154,708
	†Fulton Bank & Trust Co.....	Fulton (Wheeling).....	Otto Schenk.....	Edw. G. Menfemeller.....	200,000	51,341	593,219

(1) Federal Savings & Trust Co., and Union Bank & Trust Co., merged with, Aug. 2, 1930. Statement as of Sept. 20, 1930.

(2) Reorganized. Statement as of Sept. 20, 1930

(3) Reorganized Sept. 8, 1930. Statement as of Sept. 18, 1930.



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COUNTIES	NAME OF BANK	LOCATION	PRESIDENT	CASHIER	CAPITAL	Surplus and Undivided Profits	Total Resources
PENDLETON.....	*Farmers Bank of Pendleton.....	Franklin.....	James Sites.....	Irving Ritchie.....	50,000	32,444	722,317
	†The Franklin Bank.....	Franklin.....	Dr. S. B. Johnson.....	Raymond Boggs.....	40,000	22,369	401,445
	Circleville Bank.....	Circleville.....	John C. Smith.....	Z. M. Nelson.....	30,000	6,434	142,918
PLEASANTS.....	†First National Bank.....	St. Marys.....	W. C. Dotson.....	D. W. Dillon.....	100,000	140,534	1,580,335
	†Pleasants County Bank.....	St. Marys.....	O. C. Barwill.....	Dan B. Fleming.....	75,000	44,473	503,757
POCAHONTAS.....	†First National Bank.....	Marlinton.....	F. T. McClintic.....	J. A. Sydenstricker.....	50,000	23,043	564,580
	*The Bank of Marlinton.....	Marlinton.....	M. J. McNeel.....	Hulert Echols.....	100,000	47,598	978,055
	Bank of Darbin.....	Darbin.....	J. W. Goodsell.....	E. L. Fenton.....	30,000	17,005	188,867
	†Farmers & Merchants Bank.....	Marlinton.....	S. H. Sharp.....	H. L. Byers.....	25,000	26,339	273,996
	†Bank of Hillsboro.....	Hillsboro.....	F. W. Ruckman.....	G. C. Beard, Vice-Pres..	25,000	17,409	207,952
PRESTON.....	†Kingwood National Bank.....	Kingwood.....	George A. Herring.....	Ivan Davis.....	25,000	24,300	354,991
	†First National Bank.....	Terra Alta.....	S. M. Scott, Sr.....	C. A. Miller.....	25,000	47,127	691,140
	†Peoples National Bank.....	Rowlesburg.....	H. R. Hollis.....	Robert White.....	25,000	3,929	223,027
	†First National Bank.....	Newourg.....	W. D. R. Annan.....	H. C. Fream.....	25,000	25,728	471,037
	†First National Bank.....	Albright.....	Elmer E. Watson.....	Dwight L. Foley.....	25,000	14,616	246,403
	*Bank of Kingwood.....	Kingwood.....	P. J. Crogan.....	Felix Elliot.....	75,000	92,095	658,724
	†Terra Alta Bank.....	Terra Alta.....	W. A. Whitehair.....	C. E. Trembly.....	30,000	49,053	676,116
	†Farmers & Merchants Bank.....	Reesville.....	A. W. Lowther.....	Harold Watson.....	25,000	27,500	316,180
	†Bruneton Bank.....	Bruneton Mills.....	Jeremiah Thomas.....	Myron Speelman.....	25,000	64,362	618,429
	Tunnelton Bank.....	Tunnelton.....	J. S. Hunt.....	Harley T. Pyles.....	50,000	50,000	622,504
	†Bank of Mason town.....	Mason town.....	S. L. Cobun.....	Earl Dixon.....	25,000	35,053	537,067
	PUTNAM.....	*Putnam County Bank.....	Hurricane.....	A. S. Alexander.....	H. I. Smith.....	50,000	20,637
†The Buffalo Bank.....		Buffalo.....	John L. Dickinson.....	L. L. Lilly.....	25,000	21,286	267,995
Manufacturers Bank.....		Nitro.....	W. O. Abney.....	W. L. Wintz.....	25,000	39,314	375,940
RALEIGH.....	†Beckley National Bank.....	Beckley.....	Joe L. Smith.....	C. H. Meador.....	200,000	202,087	2,820,472
	†National Exchange Bank.....	Beckley.....	W. C. Agee.....	French Lucas.....	100,000	43,389	1,101,448
	†Bank of Raleigh.....	Beckley.....	I. C. Prince.....	R. M. French.....	100,000	120,283	2,104,205
	*Raleigh County Bank.....	Beckley.....	B. E. Carter.....	G. C. Hedrick.....	250,000	260,958	2,901,538

RANDOLPH	†Elkins National Bank	Elkins	Leo Crouch	E. M. Morris	100,000	126,944	1,574,014
	†Peoples National Bank	Elkins	J. T. Linsamfelter	Wayne Jackson	50,000	67,161	723,816
	*Citizens National Bank	Elkins	H. G. Kump	Joseph P. Heltzel	100,000	28,186	645,306
	†Davis Trust Co	Elkins	Thaddeus Pritt	A. H. Hunter, Treas	250,000	256,914	1,431,266
	†The Beverly Bank	Beverly	Bruce Yokum	J. V. Baker	25,000	5,656	67,585
	†Stoc:mans Bank	Harman	I. M. Groves	Arthur Cooper	25,000	37,671	271,047
	†Bank of Mill Creek	Mill Creek	George Ward	U. B. Painter	25,000	57,427	463,150
	†Bank of Pickens	Pickens	Albert H. Been	Oscar L. Barrackman	25,000	12,200	167,387
RITCHIE	First Citizens National Bank	Pennsboro	M. H. Broadwater	C. B. Summers	100,000	25,000	1,931,810
	Union Bank	Harrisville	W. H. Westfall	A. Hayes Elliott	50,000	11,452	416,345
ROANE	†First National Bank	Spencer	T. V. Foster	John W. Looney	50,000	93,221	1,120,503
	†First National Bank	Reezy	H. C. Cottle	A. L. Thrsh	35,000	36,000	436,770
	*Roano County Bank	Spencer	A. S. Heck	Gay Stalnaker	150,000	50,752	888,131
	*Traders Trust & Banking Co	Spencer	O. R. Hardman	Russell T. Keith	80,000	28,000	774,305
	†Poca Valley Bank	Walton	I. A. Whitte	O. C. Pence	25,000	53,000	404,876
SUMMERS	*First National Bank	Hinton	O. O. Cooper	W. T. Fredeling	100,000	295,807	3,057,624
	†Citizens National Bank	Hinton	J. A. Graham	Oscar P. Vines	50,000	70,603	746,784
	†National Bank of Summers	Hinton	W. H. Sawyers	C. D. Bolton	100,000	160,114	1,637,871
	Sewell Valley Bank	Meadow Creek	J. E. Bass	B. A. Roberts	35,000	7,236	160,550
TAYLOR	†First National Bank	Grafton	Wm. A. Beavers	O. J. Fleming	200,000	214,120	2,804,999
	*Grafton Banking & Trust Co	Grafton	A. B. Corder	W. L. Thomas	100,000	37,603	1,104,092
	Taylor County Bank	Grafton	Martin L. Shields	N. F. Kendall	50,000	29,541	610,841
	Bank of Flemington	Flemington	G. O. Sinsel	Guy E. Williams	25,000	20,779	241,171
TUCKER	National Bank of Davis	Davis	C. E. Smith	C. G. Smith	50,000	62,243	631,130
	†First National Bank	Hendricks	C. A. Roberts	John A. Gillert, Jr.	25,000	32,027	232,467
	†First National Bank	Parsons	Dr. Ford Huff	C. W. Minear	25,000	25,000	418,882
	†Miners & Merchants Bank	Thomas	H. F. E. Hinebaugh	M. C. Feather	30,000	55,021	515,520
	*Tucker County Bank	Parsons	Riley Harper	Walter T. Taylor	25,000	27,100	350,220
TYLER	*First National Bank	Middlebourne	S. G. Pyle	G. L. Morris	30,000	35,331	650,268
	†Union National Bank	Sistersville	W. R. Reitz	Robert Robinson	175,000	140,050	2,253,633
	†Bank of Middlebourne	Middlebourne	C. S. Stealey	S. B. McCoy	25,000	17,231	383,301
	†First Tyler Bank & Trust Co	Sistersville	E. A. Durham	Dana S. Marsh	200,000	178,557	2,365,842
UPSHUR	*Traders National Bank	Buckhannon	William Post	Sanford Graham	50,000	108,824	1,106,565
	†Buckhannon Bank	Buckhannon	Mathew Edmlston	F. J. Farnsworth	100,000	77,272	1,154,524
	Bank of Adrian	Adrian	A. M. Gould	Hill Stump	25,000	15,512	173,578
WAYNE	†First National Bank	Kenova	U. G. Parsley	J. Miller Jackson	40,000	13,506	451,139
	†First National Bank	Ceredo	Henry J. Stark	Fustace Adkins	50,000	60,013	614,583
	Wayno County Bank	Wayno	B. J. Pritchard	Max E. Iester	25,000	14,725	152,950
	†Peoples State Bank	Wayno	Fisher F. Scaggs	Clyde Scaggs	30,000	1,602	188,910

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COUNTIES	NAME OF BANK	LOCATION	PRESIDENT	CASHIER	CAPITAL	Surplus and Undivided Profits	Total Resources
WEBSTER.....	†First National Bank.....	Webster Springs.....	E. H. Morton.....	J. R. Herold, Jr.....	25,000	40,211	620,312
	†First National Bank.....	Cowen.....	J. N. Berthy, Sr.....	M. E. Squires.....	25,000	6,485	164,022
	Peoples Bank.....	Camden on Gauloy.....	L. B. Callahan.....	Austin Brown.....	25,000	1,128	157,381
WETZEL.....	*First National Bank.....	New Martinsville.....	David Fisher.....	H. Koontz.....	65,000	146,206	1,316,919
	†New Martinsville Bank.....	New Martinsville.....	J. B. Clark.....	N. N. Oblinger.....	60,000	98,911	1,325,570
	Bank of Hindroel.....	Hindroel.....	John Mapel.....	C. E. Clovis.....	50,000	20,000	707,284
	Bank of Littleton.....	Littleton.....	S. L. Long.....	B. A. Pyles.....	25,000	16,662	365,886
	West Virginia Title & Trust Co.....	New Martinsville.....	H. M. Phillips, Chrm.....	G. Grant Fish.....	100,000	25,867	304,544
WIRT.....	*Wirt County Bank.....	Elizabeth.....	C. H. Bumgarner.....	Herbert Roberts.....	50,000	14,173	490,621
WOOD.....	*First National Bank.....	Parkersburg.....	E. L. Davidson.....	Geo. E. Work.....	500,000	1,104,053	8,944,031
	†Citizens National Bank.....	Parkersburg.....	S. Logan.....	Frank Good.....	100,000	314,671	2,454,121
	*Parkersburg National Bank.....	Parkersburg.....	Thomas Logan.....	Charles A. Bukey.....	150,000	573,236	3,702,148
	†Farmers & Mechanics Natl. Bank.....	Williamstown.....	F. L. Feston.....	J. J. Lorentz.....	40,000	26,943	444,680
	†Wood County Bank.....	Parkersburg.....	Edward Nelly.....	James D. Fleming.....	200,000	500,000	3,828,594
	†Union Trust & Deposit Co.....	Parkersburg.....	Wilbur E. Davis.....	Ben T. Neal, Jr., Treas.....	450,000	550,000	3,640,654
	†Central Bank & Trust Co.....	Parkersburg.....	Levin Smith, Vice-Pres.....	C. R. Smith, Sec.....	150,000	55,176	1,084,458
*Commercial Bank & Trust Co.....	Parkersburg.....	Reese Blizard.....	J. R. Cooper.....	145,000	262,897	1,754,086	
WYOMING.....	First National Bank.....	Pineville.....	E. W. Worroll.....	C. M. Wikel.....	25,000	28,527	371,277
	†The Peoples Bank of Millers.....	Millers.....	A. C. Early.....	M. H. Lusk.....	50,000	18,975	472,502

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MEMBERS

LOCATION	COUNTY	NAME	PRESIDENT	SECRETARY	Total Resources	Number of Shareholders
Beckley	Raleigh	Cooperative Building & Loan Assn.	Herbert Stansbury	W. A. James	\$ 307,015	\$ 13,081
Blountfield	Mercer	Blountfield Building & Loan Assn.	C. I. Cheynoy	E. S. Parker	71,600	3,350
Buckhannon	Upshur	Buckhannon Building & Loan Assn.	H. Roy Waugh	Jerome V. Hall	200,094	1,584
Charleston	Kanawha	Capitol Building & Loan Assn.	George S. Linley	Robert Watt	1,087,280	
Charleston	Kanawha	Charleston Building & Loan Assn.	Isaiah Loewenstein	M. Bojaraky	1,482,741	48,840
Charleston	Kanawha	Colonial Building & Loan Assn.	Edward M. Surter	John Y. Arter	252,671	2,616
Charleston	Kanawha	Empire Savings & Loan Co.	O. F. Payno	Dellert T. Robinson	907,186	16,601
Charleston	Kanawha	Imperial Building & Loan Assn.	Edgar C. Lawson	H. W. Elliott	225,066	10,635
Charleston	Kanawha	Kanawha Savings & Loan Assn.	J. F. Youse	Paul Sayre	419,816	
Charleston	Kanawha	Virginia Savings & Loan Co.	John Laird	Guy H. Newcomer	639,407	30,281
Charleston	Kanawha	Sun Building & Loan Assn.	John W. Moore	Paul G. Edmunds	140,891	467
Charles Town	Jefferson	Jefferson Permanent Building & Loan Assn.	Miss A. L. Baylor	Frank J. Beckwith	51,123	12,826
Charles Town	Jefferson	Charles Town and Summit Point Building & Loan Assn.	E. B. Reed	C. L. Haines	138,305	15,518
Chester	Hancock	Hancock County Building & Loan Assn.	John E. Newell	Robert A. Douglass	4,824,112	91,084
Clarksburg	Harrison	Clarksburg Building & Loan Assn.	Robert Morris	Ernest S. Swiger	795,372	
Fairmont	Marion	East Side Building & Loan Assn.	John S. Secht	C. D. Springer	458,000	2,172
Fairmont	Marion	Fairmont Building & Loan Assn.	W. H. Spedden	R. C. Miller	2,872,732	4,878
Fairmont	Marion	Marion County Building & Loan Assn.	C. G. Conaway	D. E. Kidd	407,749	6,408
Fairmont	Marion	Standard Building & Loan Assn.	L. S. Schwenek	H. T. Jones	591,720	3,234
Fayetteville	Fayette	Fayetteville Building & Loan Assn.	J. T. Grose	J. T. Grose, Jr.	1,000,831	1,096
Grafton	Taylor	Home Building & Loan Assn.	B. F. Poo	James C. Holt	268,236	1,313
Huntington	Cabell	New Jackson Building & Loan Assn.	W. S. Estler	L. L. McCluro	51,297	37
Kingwood	Preston	Kingwood Building & Loan Assn.	Charles S. Brown	Robert R. Hardesty	322,051	3,245
Lewisburg	Greenbrier	Blue Grass Building & Loan Assn.	H. H. Blackburn	C. E. Boone	150,152	
Logan	Logan	Logan County Building & Loan Assn.	Dr. C. B. Morris	Tom G. Moore	429,785	6,032
Martinsburg	Berkeley	Martinsburg Building & Loan Assn.	T. W. Martin	F. S. Trimble	127,780	8,717
Morgantown	Fayette	Montgomery Building & Loan Assn.	D. C. Smallridge	R. E. Bailey	77,732	7,024
Morgantown	Monongalia	Athens Building & Loan Assn.	Edward G. Donley	E. F. Shults	715,317	
Morgantown	Monongalia	Fidelity Building & Loan Assn.	Columbus J. Long	E. E. Wjito	1,028,750	9,803
Morgantown	Monongalia	Monongalia Building & Loan Assn.	Aaron J. Garlow	M. T. Sisler	3,583,673	48,298
Morgantown	Monongalia	Morgantown Savings & Loan Society	C. R. Huston	E. W. Griffith	1,900,204	10,232
Morgantown	Monongalia	Peoples Building & Loan Assn.	R. C. Smith	H. R. Conoley	351,270	11,411
Morgantown	Monongalia	Sabraton Building & Loan Assn.	Russell L. Morris	Frank P. Corlin	212,323	5,477
Mount Hope	Fayette	Mount Hope Building & Loan Assn.	R. Snyder	R. C. Simpkins	124,681	5,718

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Moundsville.....	Marshall.....	Citizens Savings & Loan Assn.....	B. F. Hodgman.....	Evan G. Roberts.....	1,106,288	.....
Parkersburg.....	Wood.....	Citizens Building Assn.....	W. W. Jackson.....	W. T. Rittenhouse.....	1,135,201	141,558
Parkersburg.....	Wood.....	Exchange Building Assn.....	Olin V. Neal.....	Levin Smith.....	651,826	61,950
Parkersburg.....	Wood.....	Traders Building Assn.....	E. F. Ball.....	John S. McKown.....	566,722	47,198
Point Pleasant.....	Mason.....	Point Pleasant Building & Loan Assn.....	W. H. H. Gardner.....	C. C. Bowyer.....	244,110	50,487
Point Pleasant.....	Mason.....	Progress Building & Loan Assn.....	R. J. Heslop.....	H. S. Johnson.....	215,355	.....
Ravenswood.....	Jackson.....	Farmers Building & Loan Assn.....	D. E. Cole.....	G. W. Park.....	1,539,679	143,780
Wellsburg.....	Brooke.....	Advance Building Assn.....	D. N. Montgomery.....	J. A. Gist.....	342,696	.....
Wellsburg.....	Brooke.....	Brooke County Building & Loan Assn.....	F. A. Chapman.....	G. T. Buchanan.....	310,830	2,779
Weston.....	Lewis.....	Weston Home Building Assn.....	John A. Barnes.....	G. L. Bland.....	359,268	4,079
Wheeling.....	Ohio.....	United Building & Loan Assn.....	E. S. Bippus.....	James R. Flynn.....	393,228	.....
Wheeling.....	Ohio.....	Wheeling Savings & Loan Assn.....	H. L. Kirk.....	Joseph H. Reasa, Jr.....	1,284,606	.....
Williamson.....	Mingo.....	Atlas Building & Loan Assn.....	J. M. Smith.....	H. K. Wheeler.....	55,740	867

THE FOLLOWING BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATIONS ARE NOT MEMBERS OF THE LEAGUE

Beckley.....	Raleigh.....	Beckley Building & Loan Assn.....	Brown W. Payne.....	Harry F. Payne.....	20,416	1,008
Charleston.....	Kanawha.....	Liberty Savings & Loan Co.....	Isaac Loewenstein.....	M. Bojarsky.....	212,059	369
Charleston.....	Kanawha.....	Mountain State Building & Loan Assn.....	C. E. Kimbrough, Sr.....	Anderson H. Brown.....	40,788	222
Grafton.....	Taylor.....	Mutual Building & Loan Assn.....	F. S. Suddarth.....	Harry Freedman.....	135,077	2,365
Fairmont.....	Marion.....	Mountaineer Building & Loan Assn.....	Vincenzo Procopio.....	Dominico Larea.....	9,468	223
Morgantown.....	Monongalia.....	Guardian Investment Co.....	Dr. C. B. Furinton.....	D. S. Clidester.....	119,131	5,759
Morgantown.....	Monongalia.....	State Savings Investment Assn.....	Leopold Sigwart.....	Charles T. Herd.....	123,742	4,746
Morgantown.....	Monongalia.....	Union Building & Loan Assn.....	A. J. Garlow.....	S. A. Posten.....	192,329	.....
Moundsville.....	Marshall.....	American Building & Loan Assn.....	E. W. Lohr.....	C. E. Brown.....	378,904	14,112
New Martinsville.....	Wetzel.....	Dooling Building & Loan Assn.....	G. A. Harman.....	E. E. Headlee.....	115,625	.....
Ripley.....	Jackson.....	Ripley Building & Loan Assn.....	G. B. Crow.....	T. J. Sayre.....	105,734	.....
Shepherdstown.....	Jefferson.....	Potomac Permanent Building & Loan Assn.....	R. G. Miller.....	F. L. Weltzelmer.....	70,264	8,660
Spencer.....	Roane.....	Roane County Building & Loan Assn.....	J. L. Looney.....	A. E. Kenney.....	42,238	2,032
St. Albans.....	Kanawha.....	St. Albans Building & Loan Assn.....	L. J. White.....	Owen G. Stutler.....	44,050	1,960
Westover.....	Monongalia.....	Westover Building & Loan Assn.....	John Shriver.....	J. Earl Selby.....	49,291	321

**INDUSTRIAL LOAN COMPANIES**

Statement as of June 29, 1930

COUNTY	NAME	LOCATION	PRESIDENT	SECRETARY	Class 1 or Capital Stock	Surplus and Undivided Profits	Total Resources
BERKELEY.....	Berkeley Loan & Thrift Corp.....	Martinsburg.....	Otto M. Ramsey.....	E. R. Sigler.....	\$ 54,000	\$ 14,958	\$ 128,800
CABELL.....	Community Savings & Loan Co.....	Huntington.....	Frank Enslow.....	A. L. Gregory.....	200,000	74,220	506,830
	Equitable Finance Corp.....	Huntington.....	F. W. McCullough.....	J. P. Chapman, Vice President.....	45,700	6,010	58,354
	Industrial Savings & Loan Co. of Huntington..	Huntington.....	J. A. Diddle.....	R. D. Powell.....	62,700	5,583	108,033
HARRISON.....	Community Savings & Loan Co.....	Clarksburg.....	L. C. Shingleton.....	Louis A. Johnson.....	150,000	135,323	910,831
KANAWHA.....	Community Savings & Loan Co.....	Charleston.....	T. J. Rolan.....	William T. Lively.....	200,000	8,476	370,028
	Equity Savings & Loan Co.....	Charleston.....	John A. Field.....	Lutler C. Jones.....	80,330	8,090	170,535
	Industrial Savings & Loan Co of Charleston...	Charleston.....	David C. Howard.....	L. G. Lemaster.....	25,500	27,587	211,837
	Liberty Savings & Loan Co.....	Charleston.....	Isaac Lowenstein.....	M. Bojarsky.....	100,000	33,000	283,541
	Mutual Savings & Loan Co.....	Charleston.....	C. E. Mitchell.....	T. G. Nutter.....	23,000	4,286	76,132
MARION.....	Community Savings & Loan Co., of Fairmont..	Fairmont.....	Harry J. Hartley.....	Trevy Nutter.....	350,000	19,291	596,904
MERCER.....	Community Savings & Loan Co.....	Bluefield.....	Clyde E. Elliott.....	K. B. Thomas.....	57,975	8,599	142,07
MONONGALIA.....	Citizens Industrial Loan Co.....	Morgantown.....	Aaron J. Garlow.....	E. L. Camp.....	20,300	491	68,431
OHIO.....	Community Savings & Loan Co. of Wheeling..	Wheeling.....	John B. Gardner.....	B. S. Honecker.....	300,000	41,016	1,200,260
	Morris Plan Savings & Loan Co.....	Wheeling.....	J. A. Blum.....	W. H. Elin.....	100,000	54,309	707,098
WOOD.....	Community Savings & Loan Co.....	Parkersburg.....	Sam M. Dills.....	C. C. Dutton.....	220,000	125,000	1,112,276

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COUNTIES	Name of Publication	Where Published	When Established	Published by	When Published	Politics or Character of Publication	Circulation
BARBOUR.....	Philippi Republican.....	Philippi.....	1880	Philippi Publishing Co.....	Every Thursday.....	Republican.....	1,635
	Barbour Democrat.....	Philippi.....	1893	A. S. Poling.....	Every Thursday.....	Democrat.....	1,700
	The Central State News.....	Belington.....	1930	Fred. E. Thompson.....	Every Thursday.....	Republican.....	776
BERKELEY....	Evening Journal.....	Martinsburg....	1907	Evening Journal Publishing Co...	Every Evening except Sunday.....	Independent.....	5,600 A. B. C. Adit
BOONE.....	Madison Recorder.....	Madison.....	1922	J. D. McNeely, Editor.....	Every Friday.....	Republican.....	1,050
	Coal Valley News.....	Madison.....	1925	Luther R. Jones.....	Every Thursday.....	Democratic.....	1,750
BRAXTON.....	Braxton Central.....	Sutton.....	1883	Central Publishing Co.....	Every Friday.....	Republican.....	1,200
	Braxton Democrat.....	Sutton.....	1883	John A. Grose.....	Every Thursday.....	Democratic.....	3,400
BROOKE.....	Wellsburg Herald.....	Wellsburg.....	Daily—1897 Weekly—1846	Wellsburg Herald Pub. Co.....	Every evening except Sunday and Weekly every Friday.....	Republican.....	{ Daily—1,325 Weekly—450
	Follansbee Review.....	Follansbee.....	1911	George S. Hahne.....	Every Thursday.....	Democratic.....	800
CABELL.....	Advertiser.....	Huntington.....	1889	Huntington Publishing Co.....	Every evening and Sunday morning.....	Democratic.....	13,349 A. B. C. Adit
	Herald-Dispatch.....	Huntington.....	1891	Huntington Publishing Co.....	Every morning.....	Republican.....	20,914
	The Milton News.....	Milton.....	1929	Lee Taylor.....	Every Thursday.....	Democratic.....	1,250
	Tribune.....	Huntington.....	1922	Chapman Printing Co.....	Every Friday.....	Republican.....	5,000
	Cabell Record.....	Milton.....	1916	James R. Dudley.....	Every Thursday.....	Independent.....	975
	Three States Bulletin.....	Huntington.....	1927	Fred G. King.....	Weekly.....	Industrial News.....	3,200
CALHOUN....	Calhoun Chronicle.....	Grantsville.....	1883	Robert L. Hamilton.....	Every Thursday.....	Democratic.....	1,150
	Grantsville News.....	Grantsville.....	1898	Woodyard Publications.....	Every Thursday.....	Republican.....	1,425
CLAY.....	Clay County Press.....	Clay.....	1905	W. C. Bohlitt.....	Every Friday.....	Democratic.....	2,600
	Clay Messenger.....	Clay.....	1903	Woodyard Publications.....	Every Thursday.....	Republican.....	900
DODDRIDGE..	West Union Record.....	West Union.....	1878	H. S. Davis.....	Every Thursday.....	Democratic.....	1,000
	West Union Herald.....	West Union.....	1885	The Herald Publishing Co.....	Every Thursday.....	Republican.....	1,100
	Doddridge Co. Republican...	West Union.....	1909	Woodyard Publications.....	Every Thursday.....	Republican.....	1,600
FAYETTE..	Fayette Journal.....	Fayetteville.....	1876	Woodyard Publications.....	Every Friday.....	Republican.....	1,800
	Fayette Democrat.....	Fayetteville.....	1913	Woodyard Publications.....	Every Friday.....	Democratic.....	2,600

	Fayette Tribune.....	Fayetteville.....	1898	Woodyard Publications.....	Every Wednesday.....	Republican.....	3,619
	Montgomery News.....	Montgomery.....	1920	Luther S. Montgomery.....	Every Friday.....	Republican.....	3,619
	State Sentinel.....	Fayetteville.....	1920	J. Alfred Taylor.....	Every Wednesday.....	Democratic.....	1,050
	The Oak Hill Times.....	Oak Hill.....	1920	Times Publishing Co.....	Every Wednesday.....	Democratic.....	1,890
	The Midnight Sun.....	Oak Hill.....	1920	Times Publishing Co.....	Saturday Night.....	Republican.....	1,200
GILMER.....	Glenville Democrat.....	Glenville.....	1901	C. W. Marsh.....	Every Thursday.....	Democratic.....	1,800
	The Pathfinder (Inc.).....	Glenville.....	1892	Woodyard Publications.....	Every Thursday.....	Republican.....	1,600
GRANT.....	Grant County Press.....	Peteraburg.....	1895	Arch J. Welton.....	Every Thursday.....	Republican.....	1,600
GREENBRIER.....	Greenbrier Independent.....	Lewisburg.....	1866	Greenbrier Pub. Co., Inc.....	Every Friday.....	Democratic.....	2,200
	West Virginia News.....	Ronceverte.....	1897	Blako Brothers.....	Every Saturday.....	Republican.....	3,500
	White Sulphur Sentinel.....	White Sulphur Springs.....	1909	Paul L. Van Stavern.....	Every Friday.....	Democratic.....	1,500
	Greenbrier Dispatch.....	East Rainelle.....	1930	Rainelle Publishing Co.....	Every Friday.....	Independent.....	850
HAMPSHIRE.....	Hampshire Review.....	Romney.....	1884	Cornwell, Dinko & Keller.....	Every Wednesday.....	Democratic.....	1,800
	South Branch Record.....	Romney.....	1929	Woodyard Publications.....	Every Thursday.....	Republican.....	1,000
HANCOCK.....	Hancock County Courier.....	New Cumberland.....	1860	J. R. Plattenburger.....	Every Thursday.....	Democratic.....	3,200
	Independent.....	New Cumberland.....	1877	Robert M. Brown.....	Every Thursday.....	Republican.....	1,425P
	Weirton Daily Times.....	Weirton.....	1928	Weirton Printing & Pub. Co.....	Daily except Sunday.....	Republican.....	4,516
HARDY.....	Moorefield Examiner.....	Moorefield.....	1897	Sam A. McCoy.....	Every Thursday.....	Democratic.....	1,980
	Hardy County News.....	Moorefield.....	1920	Woodyard Publications.....	Every Thursday.....	Republican.....	1,000
HARRISON.....	Clarkaburg Telegram.....	Clarkaburg.....	1861	Clarkaburg Publishing Co.....	Every evening except Sunday.....	Republican.....	16,640
	The Clarkaburg Exponent.....	Clarkaburg.....	1910	Clarkaburg Publishing Co.....	Every morning except Sunday and Monday.....	Democratic.....	13,529
	Sunday Exponent-Telegram.....	Clarkaburg.....	1927	Clarkaburg Publishing Co.....	Sunday morning.....	Independent.....	28,672
	Salem Herald.....	Salem.....	1904	W. Guy Tetrick, Gen. Mgr.....	Every Thursday.....	Republican.....	860
	Shinnston News.....	Shinnston.....	1898	Salem Herald Co.....	Every Thursday.....	Republican.....	860
				W. A. Meredith & Ira C. Hawker.....	Every Thursday.....	Local.....	1,000
JACKSON.....	Ravenswood News.....	Ravenswood.....	1867	Isaac S. Cooper.....	Every Thursday.....	Republican.....	2,700
	The Jackson Herald.....	Ripley.....	1876	Sattis Simmons.....	Every Friday.....	Republican.....	3,878
	The Mountaineer.....	Ripley.....	1893	Fred D. Wolfe.....	Every Thursday.....	Democratic.....	1,850
JEFFERSON.....	Spirit of Jefferson.....	Charles Town.....	1844	J. S. Alfrond, Jr.....	Every Thursday.....	Democratic.....	2,500
	Farmers Advocate.....	Charles Town.....	1885	R. C. Rissler.....	Every Saturday.....	Democratic.....	1,647
	Shepherdstown Register.....	Shepherdstown.....	1840	H. L. Snyder.....	Every Thursday.....	Democratic.....	1,650
	The Independent.....	Shepherdstown.....	1906	C. S. Musser.....	Every Wednesday.....	Republican.....	4,500
KANAWHA.....	Charleston Gazette.....	Charleston.....	Daily—1883 Sunday—1877	Daily Gazette Co.....	Every morning.....	Democratic.....	Weekday—28,000 Sunday 33,000



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	Daily Mail	Charleston	1893	Charleston Mail Association	Every evening and Sunday morning	Republican	25,000
	State Labor Review	Charleston	1928	Frank W. Snyder	Monthly	Labor	5,000
	White Ribbon	Charleston	1897, at Fairmont	W. C. T. U.	Monthly	Temperance	7,000
	Dunbar Advance	Dunbar	1917	Dunbar Advance Co.	Every Friday	Independent-Republican	2,213
	West Virginia Herald	Clenndenin	1907	Herald Printing Co.	Every Friday	Republican	1,200
	West Va. Legionaire	Charleston	1925	American Legion	Monthly	Interest of Veterans	8,500
	West Va. Review	Charleston	1923	West Va. Pub. Co.	Illustrated Monthly	Devoted to W. Va. Interests	6,000
	W. Va. Medical Journal	Charleston	1900	State Medical Association	Monthly	Medical	1,160
	W. Va. School Journal	Charleston	1874	State Education Association	Monthly except June, July and August	Educational	12,000
	W. Va. Wild Life	Charleston	1922	Wild Life League	Monthly	Game and Fish	15,000
	St. Albans Advertiser	St. Albans	1926	Dawson Printing Co.	Every Friday	Republican	2,500
LEWIS	Weston Democrat	Weston	1807	Andrew Edmiston, Jr.	Every Friday	Democratic	4,000
	Weston Independent	Weston	1894	Independent Pub. Co.	Every Wednesday	Republican	2,850
LINCOLN	Lincoln Republican	Hamlin	1903	A. W. Hoff	Every Thursday	Republican	1,050
	Hamlin Democrat	Hamlin	1917	Lee Taylor	Every Thursday	Democratic	2,485
LOGAN	Logan Banner	Logan	1889	Logan Banner Pub. Co.	Every Friday	Republican	3,000
	Logan Democrat	Logan	1906	Logan Printing Co.	Monday and Thursday	Democratic	3,000
MARION	The West Virginian	Fairmont	1845, as a weekly	Fairmont Newspaper Pub. Co.	Every evening except Sunday	Republican	6,660
	Fairmont Times	Fairmont	1900	Fairmont Newspaper Pub. Co.	Daily including Sunday	Democratic	7,796
	Mannington Times	Mannington	1928	West Virginia Pub. Co.	Every Thursday	Republican	2,649
MARSHALL	Daily Echo	Moundsville	1891	S. C. Shaw	Every evening	Independent	3,522
	Weekly Echo	Moundsville	1889	S. D. Shaw	Weekly	Democratic	1,631
	Daily Journal	Moundsville	1910	Moundsville Journal Co. (Inc.)	Every evening except Sunday	Republican	2,327
MASON	Point Pleasant Register	Point Pleasant	1862	Register Pub. Co.	Daily except Sunday	Democratic	1,250
	State Gazette	Point Pleasant	1881	Woodyard Publications	Every Thursday	Republican	2,200
	Methodist Advocate	Point Pleasant	1896	Methodist Pub. Co.	Weekly	Conference M. E. Church South	3,600
MERCER	Bluefield Telegraph	Bluefield	1894	Daily Telegraph Printing Co.	Every morning except Monday	Independent-Republican	Daily—12,63 Sunday—17,226

	Sunset News.....	Bluefield.....	1927	Daily Telegraph Printing Co.....	Daily.....	Democratic.....	2,845
	Mercer Recorder.....	Matoaka.....	1921	Gordon Garner.....	Every Friday.....	Democratic.....	2,000
	Princeton Observer.....	Princeton.....	1917	Kyle McCormick.....	Every Thursday.....	Republican.....	1,800
	Princeton News.....	Princeton.....	1927	Charles B. Hedrick.....	Every Thursday.....	Republican.....	1,600
MINERAL.....	The Mountain Echo.....	Keyser.....	1870	Woodyard Publications.....	Every Thursday.....	Republican.....	2,800
	Mineral Daily News and Keyser Tribune.....	Keyser.....	1800-1912	W. H. Barger.....	Every evening except Sunday.....	Democratic.....	2,835
	Piedmont Herald.....	Fiedmont.....	1905	Mrs F. W. Rose.....	Every Thursday.....	Democratic.....	1,400
MINGO.....	Mingo Republican.....	Williamson.....	1904	O. H. Booten.....	Every Thursday.....	Republican.....	4,150
	Williamson News.....	Williamson.....	Weekly—1890 Daily—1915	The Williamson Daily News.....	Every evening except Sunday.....	Democratic.....	4,184
	Mingo Democrat.....	Williamson.....	1927	Webb Printing Co.....	Every Thursday.....	Democratic.....	2,000
MONONGALIA.....	Morgantown Post.....	Morgantown.....	1800 as a weekly In 1864	W. Va. Newspaper Pub. Co.....	Every evening.....	Republican.....	6,447
	Morgantown Press.....	Morgantown.....	1928	The Press Company.....	Every Thursday.....	Democratic.....	2,500
	The New Dominion.....	Morgantown.....	1870	Dominion News Co., (Inc.).....	Every morning except Sunday.....	Democratic.....	7,187
	W. Va. Women Voter.....	Morgantown.....	1923 at Parkers- burg	W. Va. League Women Voters..	Monthly.....	Non-Partisan.....	2,100
MONROE.....	The Monroe Watchman.....	Union.....	1872	J. M. Johnson.....	Every Thursday.....	Democrat.....	3,400
	Advertiser.....	Allerson.....	1899	E. Don Ballard.....	Every Saturday.....	Prohibition.....	1,227
	The Monroe Mail.....	Union.....	1927	E. D. Ballard & J. M. Johnson..	Every Tuesday.....	Republican.....	700
MORGAN.....	Morgan Messenger.....	Berkeley Springs.....	1893	S. S. Buzzard.....	Every Thursday.....	Republican.....	1,390
	The News.....	Berkeley Springs.....	1885	Irvn W. Dick.....	Every Friday.....	Democratic.....	965
McDOWELL...	The Daily News.....	Welch.....	1923	Welch Publishing Co.....	Every evening except Sunday.....	Republican.....	5,302
	The McDowell Times.....	Keystone.....	1904	Whittle & Hill.....	Every Friday.....	Republican.....	9,700
	Industrial News.....	lacier.....	1927	J. A. Johnson.....	Every Friday.....	Independent.....	820
	The Tri-District News.....	Northfork.....	1928	Tri-District News Pub. Co.....	Every Friday.....	Independent.....	2,200
	McDowell Recorder.....	Welch.....	1891	W. R. Keyser.....	Every Wednesday.....	Republican.....	1,485
NICHOLAS...	Nicholas Chronicle.....	Summersville.....	1880	J. T. Williams.....	Every Thursday.....	Democratic.....	3,000
	Nicholas Republican.....	Richwood.....	1903	Woodyard Publications.....	Every Thursday.....	Republican.....	3,800
OHIO.....	Intelligencer.....	Wheeling.....	1852	Wheeling Intellencer Co.....	Every morning except Sunday.....	Republican.....	12,160
	News-Daily and Sunday.....	Wheeling.....	Daily—1890 Sunday News 1878	News Pub. Co.....	Sunday morning and every evening except Sunday.....	Independent.....	Daily—15,487 Sunday—19,979
	Register—Daily and Sunday.....	Wheeling.....	Daily—1863 Sunday—1882	W. Va. Printing Co.....	Every morning.....	Democratic.....	Daily—11,916 Sunday—10,160

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	W. Va. Workman.....	Wheeling.....	1897	Grand Lodge A. O. U. W. of W. Va.....	Monthly.....	Fraternal Insurance.....	3,500
PENDLETON..	Pendleton Times.....	Franklin.....	1913	William McCoy.....	Every Friday.....	Democratic.....	1,900
	The Herald.....	Franklin.....	1929	Woodyard Publications.....	Every Thursday.....	Republican.....	1,000
PLEASANTS..	St. Marys Oracle.....	St. Marys.....	1881	Oracle Printing Co.....	Every Thursday.....	Democratic.....	1,000
	Pleasants County Leader.....	St. Marys.....	1898	Joe Williams.....	Every Friday.....	Republican.....	2,000
POCHONTAS..	Pocahontas Times.....	Marlinton.....	1881	Calvin W. Price.....	Every Thursday.....	Democratic.....	3,040
	Marlinton Journal.....	Marlinton.....	1918	Woodyard Publications.....	Every Wednesday.....	Republican.....	3,000
PRESTON....	Preston County Journal.....	Kingwood.....	1866	H. S. Whetsell.....	Every Thursday.....	Republican.....	2,475
	W. Va. Argus.....	Kingwood.....	1870	J. T. Spahr.....	Every Thursday.....	Democratic.....	2,475
	Preston Republican.....	Ferris Alta.....	1891	Preston Republican Ptg. Co.....	Every Thursday.....	Republican.....	1,600
	Pythian Banner.....	Kingwood.....	1891	H. S. Whetsell.....	Monthly.....	Knights of Pythias.....	2,000
PUTNAM.....	Putnam Democrat.....	Winfield.....	1876	John W. & Carl B. Miller.....	Every Friday.....	Democratic.....	1,872
	Putnam Leader.....	Winfield.....	1913	H. E. Barrows, Jr.....	Every Thursday.....	Republican.....	1,200
	Hurricane Breeze.....	Hurricane.....	1900	R. F. Froth.....	Every Saturday.....	Progressive-Republican.....	1,100
RALEIGH....	Raleigh Register.....	Beckley.....	1880	Beckley Newspaper Corp.....	Sunday morning and every afternoon except Saturday.....	Democratic.....	4,030
	The Post-Herald.....	Beckley.....	Post—1924 Herald—1900	Beckley Newspaper Corp.....	Every morning except Sunday.....	Republican.....	5,400
RANDOLPH..	Elkins Inter-Mountain.....	Elkins.....	Daily—1907 Weekly—1892	Teter Publishing Co.....	Every evening except Sunday.....	Republican.....	3,700
	Randolph Enterprise.....	Elkins.....	1874	Randolph Enterprise Ptg. Co.....	Every Thursday.....	Democratic.....	3,100
	Randolph Review.....	Elkins.....	1913	James W. Weir.....	Every Thursday.....	Democratic.....	3,300
RITCHIE....	Ritchie Gazette.....	Harrisville.....	1873	Gazette Printing Co.....	Every Friday.....	Republican.....	2,700
	Ritchie Standard.....	Harrisville.....	1895	Robert Morris.....	Every Wednesday.....	Republican.....	2,600
	Cairo Enterprise.....	Cairo.....	1904	Robert Morris.....	Every Thursday.....	Republican.....	750
	Pennsboro News.....	Pennsboro.....	1890	Mrs. Vesta Lea Connell.....	Every Thursday.....	Democratic.....	1,500
ROANE.....	Roane County Reporter.....	Spencer.....	1878	R. W. Casto & Okey R. Harris.....	Every Thursday.....	Democratic.....	5,000
	Times Record.....	Spencer.....	1885	Woodyard Publications.....	Every Wednesday under Thursday date line.....	Republican.....	6,100

SUMMERS.....	Reedy News.....	Reedy.....	1909	Fred E. Craig.....	Every Thursday.....	Independent.....	980
	Weekly Herald.....	Hinton.....	1872	Independent Herald Pub. Co....	Every Thursday.....	Democratic.....	1,500
	The Leader.....	Hinton.....	1804	Hinton Daily News.....	Every Thursday.....	Republican.....	700
	Hinton Daily News.....	Hinton.....	1902	Hinton Daily News.....	Every evening except Sunday.....	Republican.....	1,518
TAYLOR.....	Grafton Sentinel.....	Grafton.....	Daily—1903 Weekly—1868	Grafton Sentinel Pub. Co.....	Every evening except Sunday and every Friday.....	Republican.....	Daily—3,132 Weekly—2,200
	Grafton Press.....	Grafton.....	1911	Grafton Press, (Inc.).....	Every Thursday.....	Democratic.....	2,540
TUCKER.....	Parsons Advocate.....	Parsons.....	1896	G. W. Thurston.....	Every Thursday.....	Republican.....	2,700
	Tucker Democrat.....	Parsons.....	1887	W. R. Morris.....	Every Thursday.....	Democratic.....	2,500
	Davis News.....	Davis.....	1897	W. R. Morris.....	Every Thursday.....	Independent.....	2,000
TYLER.....	Tyler County Journal.....	Middlebourne.....	1900	Mrs Sallie A. Riggle.....	Every Thursday.....	Democratic.....	1,000
	The Tyler Star News.....	Middlebourne.....	Star—1887 News—1909 Daily—1895	Oil Review Publishing Co.....	Every Thursday.....	Republican-Independent	1,700
	Sistersville Review.....	Sistersville.....	Weekly—1885	Cil Review Publishing Co.....	Every evening except Sunday.....	Republican.....	1,700
UPSHUR.....	Republican Delta.....	Buckhannon.....	Buckhannon Delta—1869 Upahur Republi- can—1901	Woodyard Publications.....	Every Thursday.....	Republican.....	7,250
	Buckhannon Record.....	Buckhannon.....	1876	R. S. Rehl.....	Every Thursday.....	Democratic.....	1,240
	Buckhannon News.....	Buckhannon.....	1920	F. E. Harne.....	Every Tuesday and Friday.....	Republican.....	3,100
WAYNE.....	Wayne County News.....	Wayne.....	1874	Herman P. Dean.....	Every Thursday.....	Democratic.....	1,000
	Ceredo Advance.....	Ceredo.....	1885	J. J. McDougal.....	Every Wednesday.....	Republican.....	1,000
	Kenova Reporter.....	Kenova.....	1802	J. J. McDougal.....	Every Friday.....	Independent.....	700
	Wayne County Press.....	Kenova.....	1925	Wayne County Pub. Co., (Inc.)..	Every Friday.....	Republican.....	2,300
WEBSTER.....	Webster Echo.....	Webster Springs..	1883	A. P. Smith.....	Every Wednesday.....	Democratic.....	1,500
	Webster Republican.....	Webster Springs..	1904	J. W. White.....	Every Thursday.....	Republican.....	625
WETZEL.....	Wetzel Democrat.....	New Martinsville..	1877	Wetzel Democrat Pub. Co.....	Every Thursday.....	Democratic.....	2,300
	Wetzel Republican.....	New Martinsville..	1888	Robert Morris.....	Every Friday.....	Republican.....	1,700
WIRT.....	Kanawha News.....	Elizabeth.....	1893	Stirling H. Mitchell.....	Every Friday.....	Republican.....	800
	Wirt County Journal.....	Elizabeth.....	1908	Ross Wilson.....	Every Friday.....	Democratic.....	700
	Wirt County Republican.....	Elizabeth.....	1922	J. G. B. Coberly.....	Every Friday.....	Republican.....	650
WOOD.....	Parkersburg Sentinel.....	Parkersburg.....	1880 as a daily	Parkersburg Sentinel Co.....	Every evening except Sunday.....	Democratic.....	11,600

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WYOMING....	Parkersburg News.....	Parkersburg.....	1897	Parkersburg Publishing Co.....	Every morning.....	Republican.....	Daily—8,927
	Baptist Banner.....	Parkersburg.....	1889	Baptist Banner Pub. Co.....	Every Thursday.....	Denominational.....	Sunday—10,055 7,000
	The Mullens Advocate.....	Mullons.....	1894	Woodyard Publications.....	Every Thursday.....	Republican.....	4,200
	Independent Herald.....	Pineville.....	1899	Wyoming Printing Co.....	Every Friday.....	Democratic.....	2,500

**ASSESSMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITY PROPERTIES BY THE BOARD  
OF PUBLIC WORKS OF WEST VIRGINIA FOR THE YEAR 1930**

**Interstate Steam Railroads**

Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company.....	\$ 99,000,000
Big Sandy & Cumberland Railroad Company.....	5,000
Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Company.....	78,500,000
Cumberland & Pennsylvania Railroad Company.....	10,000
Cumberland Valley & Martinsburg Railroad Company	1,000,000
Kanawha & Michigan Railway Company.....	6,400,000
Monongahela Railway Company.....	4,500,000
Norfolk & Western Railway Company.....	62,000,000
Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis Railroad Company .....	4,700,000
Pittsburgh & West Virginia Railroad Company.....	1,500,000
Preston Railroad Company.....	10,000
Scotts Run Railway Company.....	550,000
Virginian Railway Company .....	23,000,000
Western Maryland Railway Company.....	12,500,000
Wheeling Terminal Railway Company.....	1,400,000
Winchester & Western Railroad Company.....	50,000
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$295,125,000</b>

**Intrastate Steam Railroads**

Benwood & Wheeling Connecting Railroad Company. \$	200,000
Buckhannon Chemical Company (Railroad).....	10,000
Buffalo Creek & Gauley Railroad Company.....	700,000
Cairo & Kanawha Railroad Company.....	(a)
Campbells Creek Railroad Company.....	250,000
Central West Virginia & Southern Railroad Company	(a)
Centralia & Elk Railway Company.....	80,000
Cheat River Railroad Company .....	30,000
Chemical & Helvita Railroad Company .....	30,000
Cherry River Boom & Lumber Company (Railroad Bus) .....	5,000
Guyandotte & Tug River Railroad Company.....	(a)
Harrisville Southern Railroad Company.....	(a)
Indian Creek & Northern Railroad Company .....	200,000
Kanawha Central Railway Company.....	65,000
Kanawha, Glen Jean & Eastern Railroad Company..	600,000
Kanawha & West Virginia Railroad Company.....	1,000,000
Kelleys Creek Improvement Company.....	45,000
Kelleys Creek & Northwestern Railroad Company...	225,000
Kelleys Creek Railroad Company .....	20,000
Manns Creek Railroad (Babcock Coal & Coke Com- pany) .....	20,000
Middle Creek Railroad Company.....	30,000
Panther Railroad Company.....	7,000

Pickens & Webster Springs Railroad Company.....	(bb)
Raleigh & Pocahontas Railroad Company.....	7,500
Rowlesburg & Southern Railroad Company.....	30,000
Strouds Creek & Muddlety Railroad Company.....	45,000
Valley River Railroad Company.....	40,000
Virginian & Western Railroad Company.....	2,500,000
Walkersville & Southern Railroad Company.....	15,000
West Virginia Midland Railroad Company.....	175,000
West Virginia Northern Railroad Company.....	200,000
West Virginia & Southern Railroad Company.....	10,000
Wheeling Coal Railroad Company.....	2,500
White Sulphur & Huttonsville Railroad Company..	20,000
Winifrede Railroad Company.....	40,000
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$ 6,647,000</b>

#### Interstate Street Railroads

Kanawha Traction & Electric Company.....	\$ 350,000
Newell Bridge & Railway Company.....	200,000
Ohio Valley Electric Railway Company.....	800,000
Steubenville, East Liverpool & Beaver Valley Traction Company .....	100,000
Steubenville, Wellsburg & Weirton Railway Company	550,000
Tri-City Traction Company.....	200,000
Wheeling Traction Company.....	1,350,000
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$ 3,550,000</b>

#### Intrastate Street Railroads

Charleston Interurban Railroad Company.....	\$ 2,300,000
Lewisburg & Ronceverte Electric Railway Company	10,000
Monongahela West Penn Public Service Company....	3,500,000
Pan Handle Traction Company.....	500,000
Tygarts Valley Traction Company.....	20,000
Tyler Traction Company.....	20,000
Wheeling Public Service Company.....	800,000
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$ 7,150,000</b>

#### Express Company

Railway Express Agency, Inc.....	\$ 325,000(ii)
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#### Car Line Companies

Acme Petroleum Company.....	\$ 100
American Agricultural Chemical Company.....	100
American Commercial Alcohol Company.....	100
American Extract Company.....	100
American Maize-Products Company.....	200
American Milling Tank Line Company.....	100
American Oil Company.....	900

American Oil Works Company.....	100
American Refining Properties Company, Inc.....	100
American Refrigerator Transit Company.....	22,800
American Solvents & Chemical Corporation.....	100
American Steel Car Lines, Inc.....	200
American Steel & Wire Company of N. J.....	9,300
American Tank Line.....	10,500
American Tar Products Company, Inc.....	11,900
American Zinc and Chemical Company.....	3,200
Andrews Tanning Extract Company.....	300
Ansul Chemical Company.....	100
Archer-Daniels-Midland Company.....	500
Armour and Company.....	41,500
Arms-Yager Railway Car Company.....	400
Armstrong Cork Company.....	900
Armstrong Packing Company.....	100
Ashland By-Product Coke Company.....	1,400
Atlantic Creosoting Company.....	100
Atlas Powder Company.....	800
Baker Castor Oil Company.....	100
Baltimore Gas Engineering Corporation.....	2,400
B. & O. Cash Store.....	100
Barber Asphalt Company.....	5,300
Barnsdall Refiners, Inc.....	100
Barrett Company.....	23,600
Belle Alkali Company.....	7,500
Bent & Company, James S.....	100
Berry Sons Company, James B.....	100
Berwind-White Coal Mining Company.....	100
Best Foods, Inc.....	100
Bethlehem Steel Company.....	500
Bisbee Linseed Company.....	100
Blanton Company.....	100
Bower Chemical Mfg. Company, Henry.....	1,800
Bradford Oil Refining Company.....	100
Brooks-Scanlon Company.....	100
Brown, Charles E.....	100
Buena Vista Extract Company.....	800
Burlington Refrigerator Express Company.....	22,400
Butler County Oil Refining Company.....	100
Calco Chemical Company, Inc.....	500
California Dispatch Line.....	100
Callahan & Company, A. P.....	200
Canfield Tank Line Company.....	1,500
Carbide & Carbon Chemical Corporation.....	117,500
Carnegie Refining Company.....	100
Carnegie Steel Company.....	5,800
Carson Carbon Company.....	100
Cedar Rapids Refrigerator Line.....	300



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Central Commercial Company.....	
Cities Service Oil Company.....	500
Chestnut & Smith Corporation.....	900
Chicago Freight Car Line Company.....	200
Chicago, New York & Boston Refrigerator Company.....	24,000
Chicago Tank Car Company.....	100
Colonial Grape Products Company.....	100
Columbia Naval Stores Company of Delaware.....	400
Columbus Packing Company.....	18,500
Commercial Car Line Company.....	1,000
Commercial Solvents Corporation.....	800
Conewango Refining Company.....	100
Conewango Refining Company.....	100
Conley Tank Car Company.....	1,000
Continental Oil Company.....	3,900
Continental Refining Company.....	100
Continental Tank Car Company.....	400
Continental Turpentine & Rosin Corporation.....	100
Cook Paint & Varnish Company.....	100
Cook Swan Oil Corporation.....	100
Cooper Creek Chemical Company.....	100
Craig Oil Company.....	100
Crew-Levick Company.....	400
Crown Central Petroleum Corporation.....	300
Crystal Car Line Company.....	4,300
Crystal Oil Refining Corporation.....	100
Crystal Oil Works.....	100
Cudahy Packing Company.....	2,400
Dairy Shippers Despatch Company.....	4,300
Darling & Company.....	100
Davies Company, Inc., William.....	900
Davison Chemical Company.....	100
Daugherty & Sons Refining Company, W. H.....	100
Decker & Sons, Jacob E.....	100
Derby Oil Company.....	100
Deepwater Oil Refineries, Inc.....	100
Diamond Alkali Company.....	3,800
Dold Refrigerator Car Line.....	300
Dow Chemical Company.....	100
Du Pont de Nemours & Company, E. I.....	101,200
Eason Oil Company.....	300
East Side Packing Company.....	2,300
East-West Transportation Company, Inc.....	300
Eastern Live Stock Express Company, Inc.....	100
Electro Bleaching Gas Company.....	4,700
Elk Refining Company.....	65,000
Elm Oil Company.....	100
Emery Industries, Inc.....	700
Emery Manufacturing Company.....	700

Emlenton Refining Company.....	100
Empire Oil & Refining Company.....	10,200
Empire Oil Works, Inc.....	100
Evans Milling Company.....	100
Fairmont Creamery Company.....	800
Falling Rock Cannel Coal Company.....	7,000
Fleischmann Transportation Company.....	1,500
Ford Motor Company.....	900
Forest Produce Chemical Company.....	100
Franklin Baker Company, Inc.....	100
Franklin Creek Refining Corporation.....	100
Freedom Oil Works Company.....	23,700
Fruit Growers Express Company.....	170,700
Fuel Supply Company.....	55,900
Garrett & Company, Inc.....	100
General American Refrigerator Line.....	400
General American Tank Car Corporation.....	17,000
General Aniline Works, Inc.....	900
General Chemical Company.....	19,100
General Electric Company.....	100
Georgia Pine Turpentine Company.....	100
Gillican-Chiplew Sales Company.....	500
Gillispie-Roger-Pyatt Company, Inc.....	100
Grace, John H.....	100
Grace & Company, W. R.....	100
Gulf Refining Company.....	600
Haffner-Thrall Car Company.....	200
Hartol Products Corporation.....	100
Hatley Brothers Company.....	100
Headley Good Roads Company.....	100
Heald Company, John H.....	3,400
Heinz Company, H. J.....	1,000
Hooker Electrochemical Company.....	1,200
Hormel & Company, George A.....	1,100
Howard, Oscar R.....	100
Huber Company of Louisiana, Inc., J. M.....	100
Humble Oil & Refining Company.....	100
Hygrade Food Products Corporation.....	300
Hyman-Michaels Company.....	100
Illinois Steel Company.....	700
Imperial Refining Company.....	100
Impervious Varnish Corporation.....	100
Independent Oil & Gas Company.....	100
Independent Refining Company.....	100
Indian Refining Company.....	4,000
Indianapolis Refrigerator Express Company.....	600
International Paper Company.....	100
International Refining Company.....	100
Interstate Tank Car Corporation.....	5,700

Iowa Park Producing & Refining Company.....	100
Island Petroleum Company .....	100
Jackson Lumber Company .....	100
Jennison-Wright Company.....	400
Johnson Oil Refining Company.....	100
Jones & Laughlin Steel Corporation.....	1,500
Kanotex Refining Company .....	2,400
Kansas City Structural Steel Company.....	100
Keith Railway Equipment Company.....	1,300
Kellogg & Miller, Inc.....	100
Kellogg Sons, Inc., Spencer .....	500
Kendall Refining Company .....	100
Keery Company, Inc., Thomas .....	100
Kingan Refrigerator Line .....	33,000
Kingtan Extract Company .....	400
Knadler & Lucas Company .....	100
Kohrs Packing Company .....	100
La Fortune, J. A.....	100
Lazote, Incorporated.....	(dd)
Lenning & Company, Charles.....	800
Lincoln Gas Coal Company.....	800
Lion Oil Refining Company.....	100
Liquids Despatch Line.....	9,600
Lutz & Schramm Company.....	100
Mangels-Herold Company.....	100
Marden Wild Corporation.....	100
Mather Stock Car Company.....	1,600
Mathieson Alkali Works, Inc.....	20,000
Mayer & Company, Inc., Oscar .....	1,300
McCahan Sugar Refining & Molasses Company, W. J.....	200
McKean County Refining Company .....	300
McMan Oil & Gas Company.....	400
Manifee Gasoline Corporation.....	100
Merchants Despatch, Inc.....	65,500
Merrimac Chemical Company, Inc.....	300
Mexican Petroleum Corporation.....	49,000
Michigan Alkali Company.....	100
Mid-Continent Petroleum Corporation.....	4,200
Mid-West Despatch Car Company .....	4,000
Miller Sons Company, A. D.....	100
Mills, H. L.....	100
Miner, Edgar Chemical Corporation.....	10,800
Mineral Point Zinc Company.....	200
Missouri Tank Car Corporation.....	100
Monsanto Chemical Works.....	3,400
Monongahela West Penn Public Service Company.....	3,000
Morrell Refrigerator Car Company.....	3,600
Morris, I. P. & De La Vergne, Inc.....	100
Mutual Refining Company.....	100

National Dairy Despatch Company.....	200
National Fruit Product Company, Inc.....	200
National Car Company.....	7,600
National Molasses Corporation.....	100
National Oil Company, Inc.....	100
National Pipe Line Company (Operator Peerless Transit Line).....	100
National Roofing Manufacturing Company.....	100
National Rosin Oil Size Company.....	100
National Tank Car Company.....	100
National Tube Company.....	3,000
Naugatuck Chemical Company.....	400
Neman Tank Car Company.....	100
Neuhoff Packing Company.....	100
New England Oil Refining Company.....	100
New Jersey Zinc Company of Pa.....	1,500
New River & Pocahontas Consolidated Coal Co.....	209,800
Niacet Chemicals Corporation.....	1,700
Nickle Plate Lackawanna Dairy Line.....	300
North American Car Corporation.....	6,700
North American Despatch Company.....	100
North Western Refrigerator Line.....	7,800
Northern Refrigerator Line, Inc.....	21,600
Norwich Chemical Company.....	100
Ohio Tank Car Company.....	300
Ohio Valley Refining Company.....	40,000
Oil Creek Refining Company.....	100
Oil Transit Company.....	100
Orient Petroleum Company.....	100
Oriental Vegetable Oil Company.....	100
Pacific Fruit Express Company.....	51,600
Palace Poultry Car Company.....	900
Panhandle Refining Company.....	1,300
Paragon Refining Company.....	100
Peerless Oil & Refining Company.....	100
P. & F. Tank Line Company, Inc.....	400
P. & P. Car Line, Inc.....	100
Pennsylvania Coal & Coke Corporation.....	100
Pennsylvania Oil Products Refining Company.....	100
Pennsylvania Refining Company.....	100
Pennsylvania Salt Manufacturing Company.....	1,300
Pennsylvania Sugar Company.....	100
Pennsylvania Tank Line.....	9,400
Pennzoil Company.....	(ee)
Peoples Gas By-Products Corporation.....	100
Peoples Natural Gas Company.....	17,800
Philadelphia Car Line Corporation.....	400
Philadelphia Quartz Company.....	700
Phillips Petroleum Company.....	1,000

Pierce Pipe Line Company.....	100
Pittsburgh By-Products Coke Company.....	221,600
Pittsburgh Crucible Steel Company.....	100
Pittsburgh Provision & Packing Company.....	800
Portsmouth By-Product Coke Company.....	200
Proctor & Gamble Transportation Company.....	17,100
Protane Corporation.....	100
Prudential Oil Corporation.....	(ff)
Publicker Commercial Alcohol Company.....	100
Public Service Electric & Gas Company.....	24,000
Pullman Company.....	579,800
Pure Oil Company.....	64,900
Quaker City Tank Line, Inc.....	7,800
Quaker State Oil Refining Company.....	100
Rainey-Wood Coke Company.....	6,100
Rajah Oil & Refining Company.....	100
Rath Packing Company.....	2,000
Regal Paint & Oil Company.....	100
Refiners Car Corporation.....	100
Republic Creosoting Company.....	100
Republic Iron & Steel Company.....	100
Reserve Petroleum Company.....	300
Riverside Acid Works Company.....	1,300
Robeson Process Company.....	5,600
Roessler & Hasslacher Chemical Company.....	6,900
Root Refining Company.....	1,200
Rossville Commercial Alcohol Corporation.....	200
Safety Refrigeration, Inc.....	400
Saint Ansgar Produce Company.....	100
Saint Louis Independent Packing Company.....	1,700
Schludenberg & T. J. Kurdle Co., Wm.....	100
SCO Tank Line, Inc.....	100
Seaboard Chemical Company.....	100
Seaboard Refining Company.....	400
Semet-Solvay Company.....	900
Shaffer Oil & Refining Company.....	100
Sharples Solvents Corporation.....	1,200
Shell Eastern Petroleum Products, Inc.....	3,700
Shell Oil Company.....	100
Shell Petroleum Corporation.....	2,000
Sherwin-Williams Company.....	100
Sherwood Brothers, Inc.....	(gg)
Shippers' Car Line Corporation.....	25,600
Shippers' Car Line Corporation, Agent for CKRX Cars.....	1,400
Shreveport-Eldorado Pipe Line Company, Inc.....	300
Simms Oil Company.....	1,200
Simonin's Sons, Inc., C. F.....	100
Sinclair Refining Company.....	14,200

Skelly Oil Company .....	2,000
Sloan & Zook Tank Line Company .....	(hh)
Smith Agricultural Chemical Company .....	100
Smith Company, S. Morgan .....	100
Solos Car Line, Inc. ....	100
Solox Car Line Corporation .....	200
Solvey Process Company .....	3,200
South Texas Cotton Oil Company .....	100
Southern Extract Company .....	400
Squire Dingee Company .....	200
Staley Manufacturing Company, A. E. ....	200
Standard Refrigerator Car Company .....	100
Standard Silicate Company .....	400
Standard Tank Car Company .....	1,500
Standard Transit Company .....	1,200
Starlight Refining Company .....	600
Staso Milling Company .....	100
Stauffer Chemical Company .....	600
Stiles, Samuel B. ....	500
Stoll Oil Refining Company .....	200
Stoneham Gasoline Company .....	100
Sun Oil Company .....	14,800
Superior Oil Works .....	100
Swift Refrigerator Transportation Company .....	36,100
Taxman Refining Company, J. J. M. ....	100
Taylor-Lowenstein Company .....	100
Tennessee Coal, Iron & Railroad Company .....	100
Tennessee Eastman Corporation .....	100
Texas Company .....	46,000
Texas-Louisiana Producing & Carbon Company .....	46,000
Texas Refining Company .....	100
Tidal Refining Company .....	1,300
Tidal Western Oil Corporation .....	300
Tidioute Refining Company .....	100
Tiona Refining Company .....	100
Titusville Oil Works .....	100
Thurber Tank Line Company .....	100
Transcontinental Oil Company .....	800
Trinity Cotton Oil Company .....	100
Tri-State Refining Company, Inc. ....	8,500
Trojan Powder Company .....	800
Ugite Sales Corporation .....	200
Union Oil Company of California .....	100
Union Oil Company of Pennsylvania .....	100
Union Refrigerator Transit Company of Wisconsin ..	11,900
Union Starch & Refining Company .....	100
Union Tank Car Company .....	74,700
United Carbon Company .....	17,400
United Refining Company .....	100

United States Industrial Alcohol Company .....	12,000
Universal Atlas Cement Company .....	500
Valvoline Oil Company .....	200
Van Camp Packing Company .....	3,800
Victor Car Line .....	100
Viking Gasoline Corporation .....	2,000
Virginian Gasoline & Oil Company .....	76,500
Virginian Smelting Company .....	300
Wadley Company .....	100
Waggoner Refining Company, Inc. ....	100
Warner Chemical Company .....	1,000
Warner-Quinlon Company .....	900
Warr-Penn Refining Company .....	300
Warren Petroleum Company .....	100
Warren Refining Company .....	100
Warren Tank Car Company .....	100
Waverly Oil Works Company .....	1,400
Westmoreland Coal Company .....	100
Westinghouse Electric & Mfg. Company .....	100
Western Refrigerator Line Company .....	200
Western Fruit Express Company .....	68,200
Westvaco Chlorine Products Company .....	1,800
Wheatcroff Company .....	700
Wheeling Steel Corporation .....	5,000
White Star Refining Company .....	100
White Tank Line .....	100
Wilhoit Refining Company .....	100
Wilcox Oil & Gas Company, H. F. ....	100
Wilson Car Line .....	14,400
Woods Products Company .....	300
Young & Company, J. S. ....	3,700
Youngstown Sheet & Tube Company .....	11,000
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$ 2,908,400</b>

#### Toll Bridges

Clarksburg-Columbus Short Route Bridge Company .. \$	260,000
Harpers Ferry & Loudon Bridge Company .....	25,000
Harpers Ferry & Potomac Bridge Company .....	5,000
Hinton Toll Bridge Company .....	100,000
Huntington & Ohio Bridge Company .....	650,000
Interstate Bridge Company of Kermit, W. Va. ....	16,000
Interstate Bridge Company of Bellaire, Ohio .....	450,000
Kanawha Falls Bridge Company .....	100,000
Kentucky & West Virginia Bridge Company .....	30,000
Louisa & Fort Gay Bridge Company .....	25,000
Marietta-Parkersburg Bridge Company .....	500,000
Midland & Atlantic Bridge Corporation .....	360,000
Midland Trail Kanawha River Bridge Company .....	250,000

Parkersburg Community Bridge Company.....	400,000
Pomeroy-Mason Bridge Company.....	175,000
Steubenville-Weirton Bridge Company.....	350,000
Steubenville Bridge Company.....	500,000
Virginia & Maryland Bridge Company.....	15,000
Washington & Berkeley Bridge Company.....	20,000
West Virginia & Ohio River Bridge Company.....	200,000
Wheeling & Belmont Bridge Company.....	1,525,000
Wheeling Bridge Company.....	350,000
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$ 6,306,000</b>

#### Water Companies

Beckley Water Company.....	\$ 160,000
Benwood & McMechen Water Company.....	140,000
Berkeley Springs Water Works Company.....	20,000
Bethany Improvement Association.....	10,000
B. F. Shomo Water Works Company.....	2,400
Burnsville Supply Company.....	(e)
Catlettsburg, Kenova & Ceredo Water Company ...	80,000
Charles Town Water Company.....	40,000
Clay Water Company.....	1,400
Clendenin Water Company.....	32,000
Dunbar Water Works Company.....	75,000
East Rainelle Water & Plumbing Company.....	25,000
Edgewood Water Company.....	15,000
Follansbee Water & Light Company.....	65,000
Glendale Water Company.....	20,000
Hambleton Water Company.....	2,000
Harpers Ferry & Bolivar Water Company.....	8,000
Hendricks Water Company.....	1,000
Huntington Water Corporation.....	2,150,000
Iaeger Water Works Company.....	15,000
Kanawha Valley Water Company.....	80,000
Kanawha Valley Water Corporation.....	350,000
Logan Water Works Company.....	150,000
Madison Water Works Company.....	25,000
Matoaka Water & Improvement Company.....	12,000
Middlebourne Water Company.....	14,000
Milton Water Company.....	13,500
Mohler Land Company (Water Department).....	(f)
Monongah Service Company.....	60,000
Morgantown Water Company.....	500,000
Moundsville Water Company.....	250,000
Mountain State Utilities Corporation.....	190,000
Mullens Water Works Company.....	45,000
Newell Water & Power Company.....	75,000
Northfork-Clark Water Works, Inc.....	10,000
Oak Hill Water Company.....	25,000



Pine Grove Water Works .....	1,500
Pocahontas Light & Water Company .....	20,000
Pratt Water Works Company .....	3,000
Pure Water Company .....	20,000
Richwood Light & Water Company .....	20,000
St. Albans Public Service Company .....	160,000
South Side Water Works Company .....	90,000
Terra Alta Water Company .....	25,000
West Logan Water Company .....	10,000
West Virginia Public Service Company .....	15,000(nn)
West Virginia Utilities Company .....	(g)
West Virginia Water Service Company .....	3,150,000
Worthington Public Service Corporation .....	3,000
Weston Water Company .....	150,000
United Land Company .....	1,000
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$ 8,329,800</b>

#### Water and Electric Companies

Hamlin Water, Light & Fuel Company .....	\$ 50,000
Kimball Light & Water Company .....	35,000
Pt. Pleasant Water & Light Company .....	150,000
Richwood Light & Water Company .....	(h)
Shepherdstown Light & Water Company .....	130,000
Smithers Utilities Company .....	20,000
Spencer Water & Ice Company .....	125,000
War Light & Water Company .....	30,000
Webster Springs Water Works & Electric Light Co. ....	(i)
West Virginia Utilities Company .....	800,000(ll)
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$ 1,340,000</b>

#### Electric Companies

Appalachian Electric Power Company .....	\$ 45,000,000(kk)
Athens Power Company .....	(j)
Beaver Light & Power Company .....	(j)
Beckley Electric Light & Power Company .....	(l)
Black Diamond Power Company .....	8,500
Bullock Realty Company (Electric Department) ....	(j)
Colcord Light Company .....	2,000
Community Power Company .....	75,000
East Rainelle Light & Power Company .....	20,000
Elk Power Company .....	6,000
Flat Top Power Company .....	80,000
Fort Gay Light & Power Company .....	3,000
Glenville Electric Company .....	20,000
Harpers Ferry Electric Light & Power Company .....	35,000
Hurricane Light & Power Company .....	15,000
Kanawha Traction & Electric Company .....	2,100,000
Keyser Light & Power Company .....	185,000

Mann Power & Light Company.....	14,000
Martin, L. G. ....	(m)
Monongahela West Penn Public Service Company....	15,500,000(mm)
Mount View Milling Company.....	(a)
Northern Virginia Power Company.....	1,200,000
Phillips, J. G.....	(k)
Piedmont Electric Light & Power Company.....	80,000
Potomac Light & Power Company.....	1,400,000
Potomac Transmission Company.....	180,000
Potomac Valley Power Corporation.....	125,000
Preston County Light & Power Company.....	35,000
Ridgeley Light & Power Company.....	28,000
River Counties Power Company.....	90,000
Rich Creek-Peterstown Power Company.....	5,000
Roderfield Light & Power Company.....	(j)
Superior Pocahontas Coal Company.....	(n)
Talcott Electric Light & Power Company.....	1,500
Union-Fort Springs Power Company.....	10,000
Union Power Company.....	35,000
United Light & Power Company.....	20,000
Valley Electric Company.....	35,000
Valley Mercantile & Garage Company.....	700
Virginia Public Service Company.....	1,100,000
West Virginia Light, Heat & Power Company.....	475,000
West Virginia Power & Transmission Company.....	3,500,000
Wheeling Electric Company.....	4,700,000
Winding Gulf Collieries.....	25,000
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$ 76,108,700</b>

**Gas, Oil and Pipe Line Companies**

Acme Oil & Gas Company.....	\$ 35,000
Bailey Gas Company.....	45,000
Beard, Harry W. (Gas).....	45,000
Bluefield Gas & Power Company.....	150,000
Boone County Utilities Company.....	50,000
Bridgeport Natural Gas & Oil Company.....	185,000
Cameron Heat & Light Company.....	100,000
Carnegie Natural Gas Company.....	5,500,000
Charleston-Dunbar Natural Gas Company.....	(o)
Charles Town Heat & Light Company.....	18,000
Cincinnati Gas Transportation Company.....	1,500,000
Clarksburg Light & Heat Company.....	(p)
Clayco Gas Company.....	3,000,000
Comet Oil & Gas Company.....	175,000
Consumers Gas Utility Company.....	100,000
Cumberland & Allegheny Gas Company.....	2,200,000
Domestic Gas Company.....	25,000
Eureka Pipe Line Company.....	4,300,000
Glenville Natural Gas Company.....	(p)

Godfrey L. Cabot, Inc.....	2,750,000	
Harshbarger Oil & Gas Company.....	100,000	
Hope Natural Gas Company.....	46,500,000	
Hope Natural Gas Company.....	46,500,000	(jj)
Huntington Development & Gas Company.....	2,750,000	
Independent Gas Company.....	16,500	
Indian Creek Gas Company.....	25,000	
Inland Gas Distributing Company.....	150,000	
J. B. Cather Gas Company.....	10,000	
Kentucky & West Virginia Gas Company.....	250,000	
Lumberport-Shinnston Gas Company.....	100,000	
Manufacturers Gas & Electric Light Company.....		(q)
Manufacturers Light & Heat Company of Penna.....	10,500,000	
Marmet Gas Company.....	2,500	
Martinsburg Heat & Light Company.....	190,000	
Monongahela West Penn Public Service Company....	1,300,000	
Montgomery Gas Company.....	250,000	
Mountain State Gas Company.....	350,000	
National Pipe Line Company.....	23,000	
Natural Gas Company of West Virginia.....	900,000	
Norris & Mercer.....	1,300	
Ohio Valley Gas Corporation.....	500,000	
Pittsburgh & West Virginia Gas Company.....	12,500,000	
Pt. Pleasant Natural Gas Company.....	20,000	
Pure Oil Pipe Line Company.....		(u)
Ravencliff Fuel & Supply Company.....	1,500	
Reserve Gas Company.....	4,000,000	
Rosedale Fuel & Water Company.....	800	
Shields Oil & Gas Company.....		(r)
Southern West Virginia Oil & Gas Corporation....	50,000	
Standard Gas Company.....	165,000	
United Fuel Gas Company.....	37,000,000	
Utility Gas Company.....		(s)
Valvoline Oil Company.....	900,000	
Wak Company.....	30,000	
W. C. Kingrey Oil & Gas Company.....		(t)
Wetzel Natural Gas Company.....	20,000	
Wheeler Gas Company.....	4,000	
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$138,744,100</b>	

#### Telephone and Telegraph Companies

American Telephone & Telegraph Co. of W. Va.....	\$ 1,250,000	
Athens Telephone Company.....	5,000	
Aurora, Oakland & Terra Alta Telephone Company..	400	
Barboursville Telephone Company.....		(c)
Berea & Slab Telephone Company.....	10,000	
Bethany Improvement Association.....		(a)
Beverly & Marlinton Telephone Company.....	3,000	

Beverly Telephone Company	(d)
Big Four Telephone Company	600
Big Hurricane Telephone Company	400
Bluefield Telephone Company	750,000
Bluestone Mutual Telephone Company	500
Boothsville Telephone Company	1,700
Bridgeport Telephone Company	1,400
Cameron Telephone Company	7,000
Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone Co. of W. Va.	13,000,000
Clay Citizens Telephone Company	300
Clay District Telephone Company	15,000
Clear Fork Telephone Company	100
Cross, L. D. (Telephone)	1,200
Cross Roads Telephone Company	900
Deep Valley Telephone Company	400
Dents Run Telephone Company	100
Duncan Telephone Company	2,000
Egdon Mutual Telephone Company	1,350
Exchange Telephone Company	350
Fairview Telephone Company	400
Farmers Mutual Union Telephone Company	1,300
Farmers Rural Telephone Co. of Vernon, W. Va.	100
Farmers Union Telephone Company	800
Flat Rock Telephone Company	100
Frankfort Telephone Company	1,100
Fraziers Bottom, Upland & Glenwood Telephone Co.	600
Flemington Telephone Company	9,000
Friendship Mutual Telephone Company	1,500
Gauley Telephone Company	4,000
Glade Valley Telephone Company	(a)
Glenville Telephone Company	900
Hackers Creek Telephone Company	100
Hardy Mutual Telephone Company	300
Harman Mutual Telephone Company	700
Harold Telephone Company	900
Hills & Browns Creek Mutual Telephone Company	150
Independent Home Telephone Company	2,000
Inland Telephone & Telegraph Company	7,500
Jefferson County Telephone Company	100,000
Kanawha-Putnam Telephone Company	300
Laurel Creek Telephone Company	100
Lewis Upshur Telephone Company	16,500
Lightburn Telephone Company	200
Lincoln County Telephone Company	800
Littleton Telephone Company	5,000
Lockney Citizens Telephone Company	800
Longdale Independent Telephone Company	2,000
Marie Telephone Company	100
Marion Telephone Company	1,500

Marlinton & Academy Mutual Telephone Company..	1,200	
Marlinton & Clover Lick Telephone Company. ....		(b)
Marlinton & Elk Mutual Telephone Company.....	100	
Marlinton, Knapps Creek & Dilleys Mill Mutual Tele- phone Company .....	400	
Marlinton & Stoney Creek Mutual Telephone Co.....		(b)
Meadow Bluff Mutual Telephone Company .....	4,000	
Mount Lookout Telephone Company .....	400	
Mountain Cove Telephone Company.....	2,250	
North Bend & Southern Telephone Company.....	4,000	
North River Telephone Company .....	200	
Oakland Telephone Company .....	200	
Oakvale Telephone Company.....	600	
Old Bosworth Line.....	100	
Peoples Telephone Company.....	1,500	
Pocahontas Telephone Company.....	15,000	
Postal Telegraph Cable Company.....	20,000	
Preston County Light & Power Company (Telephone)	2,500	
Preston Telephone Company.....	400	
Prichard Telephone Company.....	9,000	
Proctor & Peabody Telephone Company.....		(a)
Pruntytown Telephone Company .....	500	
Public Telephone Company .....	1,400	
Rio & Romney Telephone Company.....	2,500	
Rockville & Kingwood Telephone Company .....	800	
Rosedale Telephone Company .....		(a)
Rowlesburg Telephone Company.....	200	
Rutledge Telephone Company.....	100	
St. Cloud Telephone Company.....	500	
Salem-West Union Telephone Company.....	9,000	
Spring Hill Telephone Company.....	500	
Sardis Telephone Company .....	3,000	
Short Line Telephone Company .....	12,000	
Silver Hill Telephone Company.....		(a)
Slanesville Telephone Company .....	700	
South Branch Telephone Company.....	40,000	
Summers & Mercer Mutual Telephone Company ...	250	
Teays Valley Telephone Company .....	200	
Tennant Central Telephone Company.....		(a)
Tesla Telephone Company.....	500	
United Farmers Telephone Company.....	1,900	
United Telephone Company.....	12,000	
Wadestown Telephone Company .....	2,000	
Waterloo, Buffalo & Winfield Telephone Company....	1,300	
Wayne County Telephone Company.....	6,000	
Webster Telephone Company.....	300	
Western Union Telegraph Company .....	1,350,000	
West Side Telephone Company.....	2,000	

West Virginia Mutual Telephone Association.....	5,600
Total .....	\$ 16,725,550

## Interstate Bus Lines

Athens-Parkersburg Bus Line.....	\$	(w)
Adair & Gwinn.....	1,000	
Batilocchi, Angelo.....		(a)
Beckwith, Ira J.....	8,000	
Cadiz Bus Line.....	1,000	
Cannonball Cab & Bus Company.....	1,000	
Cannonball Transportation Company.....	7,500	
Consolidated Coach Company.....	4,000	
Dixie Bus Line.....	1,000	
F. K. W. Bus Line (Andrew Eye).....		(w)
Greyhound Lines, Inc.....	7,500	
Guinn-Spangler & Dunn.....		(v)
Interstate Motor Transportation Company.....	10,000	
Interstate Transit Company.....	2,500	
Kirk, Roscoe, Lessee.....	100	
Lockhart, C. F. & C. M.....		(a)
L. & A. Bus Line.....	7,000	
Meyer Transit Company, Inc.....	8,400	
Moore Brothers Bus Line, Inc.....	500	
Monongahela Transport Company.....	160,000	
Mountain State Transportation Company.....	20,000	
Ohio River Shore Line, Inc.....	200	
Ohio Valley Bus Company.....	22,000	
Ohio Valley Transit Company.....	25,000	
Otto Brothers Bus Line Company.....	1,500	
Pennsylvania General Transit Company.....	1,000	
Pickwick Greyhound Lines.....		(y)
Pioneer Stages, Inc.....		(y)
Pocahontas Transportation Company.....	75,000	
Red Star Way, Inc.....	2,000	
Ridgeley Bus Company.....	4,000	
Safeway Transit Company.....	1,000	
Sauers Brothers Auto Bus Line.....	3,500	
Seneca Transportatoin Company.....	1,500	
Sparks Brothers Bus Company.....	500	
Stacey, A. C.....	1,300	
Tri-State Transit Company.....	5,000	
Virginia Transportation Company.....		(a)
Washington Transportation Company.....		(x)
West Virginia-Ohio Bus Company.....	1,500	
Wheeling, St. Clairsville & Cambridge Transporta- tion Company.....	1,000	
White Star Bus Line.....	2,000	

White Star Lines, Inc.....	50,000
Total .....	\$ 437,500

## INTRASTATE BUS LINES

Aracoma Taxi Company.....	\$ 6,000	
Athens-Princeton Transportation Company .....	10,000	
Bald Eagle Bus Line .....	2,600	
Bartlett Brothers Bus Company.....		(aa)
Belcher, J. V., Bus Line.....	7,000	
Bell, J. C., Bus Line .....	6,000	
Blue Ridge Transportation Company of West Va....	25,000	
Blue & Gray Transit Company .....	450,000	(oo)
Bus Transportation Company of Wheeling .....	25,000	
Cabin Creek-Montgomery Bus Line.....	7,500	
Cackley, R. M.....	3,000	
Campbell's Creek Bus Company.....	1,000	
Charleston Interurban Railroad Co. (Bus Line) .....	35,000	
Charleston-Ripley Bus Company.....		(w)
Coffman, O. E.....	7,500	
Craft, J. E.....	8,000	
Elk River Transit Company.....		(w)
F. W. C. Transport Company.....	8,000	
Green Bus Line .....	3,500	
Greenbrier Valley Bus Company.....	5,000	
Groves, M. R.....	1,400	
Gulf Transportation Company .....	35,000	
Harper, T. J.....	7,200	
Hatfield, Virgil.....	600	
Hays Brothers Bus Line .....	500	
Heights Bus Line Company.....	5,000	
Hill & Tolbert.....	5,000	
Hill Top Bus Line.....		(z)
Jenkins, Oscar.....	1,000	
Jordan, A. J.....	5,000	
Kanawha-Boone-Logan Bus Company.....	45,000	
Laurel Line, Inc.....	1,000	
Logan Transit Company.....	60,000	
Logan-Williamson Bus Company .....	75,000	
Maloney, C. C.....	1,000	
Monroe Bus Company.....	1,000	
Montgomery-Kingston Bus Company.....	2,500	
Murphy Bus Company.....	25,000	
H. & H. Bus Company .....	2,200	
No. 2 Beckley-Hinton Bus Line.....	21,000	
Grander, R. M.....	2,000	
Point Pleasant Bus Company.....	1,500	
Ray, C. C.....	5,000	
Red Jacket Transportation Company.....	7,000	

Reynolds Bus Line Company.....	(aa)
Reynolds Taxi Company.....	2,100
Sanders, J. B.....	2,000
Seneca Trail Lines.....	60,000
Shelton, George.....	2,500
Stanford Transit Company.....	7,200
Stewart, W. K.....	(a)
Tygart Valley Motor Service.....	10,000
Welch-Roderfield Bus Line.....	2,500
Weston-Glenville Bus Company.....	(w)
West Virginia Transportation Company.....	100,000 (pp)
Wheeling & Parkersburg Transportation Company..	(aa)
Wood, O. J.....	5,000
Glass, H. B.....	7,500
Preston County Bus & Garage Company, Inc.....	15,000
Total.....	\$ 1,133,800

## Recapitulation and Comparison

	Tax Year	
	1929	1930
Steam Railroads, Interstate.....	\$ 263,925,000	\$ 295,125,000
Steam Railroads, Intrastate.....	6,313,000	6,647,000
Street Railroads, Interstate.....	3,350,000	3,550,000
Street Railroads, Intrastate.....	7,650,000	7,150,000
Express Companies.....	325,000	325,000
Car Line Companies.....	2,077,600	2,908,400
Toll Bridges.....	5,882,500	6,306,000
Water Companies.....	7,808,900	8,329,800
Water and Electric Companies.....	500,000	1,340,000
Electric Companies.....	66,118,950	76,108,700
Gas, Oil and Pipe Line Companies.....	128,695,000	138,744,100
Telephone and Telegraph Companies.....	15,829,700	16,725,550
Bus Line Companies, Interstate.....	363,800	437,500
Bus Line Companies, Intrastate.....	893,500	1,133,800
Totals.....	\$ 509,732,950	\$ 564,830,850

## Changes From 1929 Assessments

	Increases	Decreases
Steam Railroads, Interstate.....	\$ 31,200,000	\$
Steam Railroads, Intrastate.....	334,000	
Street Railroads, Interstate.....	200,000	
Street Railroads, Intrastate.....		500,000
Express Companies.....	0	0
Car Line Companies.....	830,800	
Toll Bridges.....	423,500	
Water Companies.....	520,900	
Water and Electric Companies.....	840,000	
Electric Companies.....	9,989,750	



Gas, Oil and Pipe Line Companies.....	10,049,100	
Telephone and Telegraph Companies.....	895,850	
Bus Line Companies, Interstate.....	73,700	
Bus Line Companies, Intrastate.....	240,300	
Totals .....	\$ 55,597,900	\$ 500,000
Total Net Increase .....	\$ 55,097,900	

## Notes

- (a) Out of business.
- (b) Sold to Pocahontas Telephone Company.
- (c) Sold December 6, 1929, to Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone Company.
- (d) Sold to Public Telephone Company.
- (e) Sold to West Virginia Public Service Company.
- (f) Sold to Edgewood Water Company.
- (g) See "Water and Electric Companies."
- (h) See "Water Companies." Sold electric property to Monongahela West Penn Public Service Company.
- (i) Sold water property to West Virginia Public Service Company and electric property to Monongahela West Penn Public Service Company.
- (j) Sold to Appalachian Electric Power Company.
- (k) Now Valley Mercantile & Garage Company.
- (l) Sold to W. Va. Utilities Company.
- (m) Sold to Valley Electric Company.
- (n) Now Winding Gulf Collieries.
- (o) Included in United Fuel Gas Company assessment.
- (p) Included in Hope Natural Gas Company assessment.
- (q) Sold to Cameron Heat & Light Company.
- (r) Sold to Boone County Utilities Company.
- (s) Sold to Independent Gas Company.
- (t) Sold to Domestic Gas Company.
- (u) Sold to Eureka Pipe Line Company.
- (v) See Seneca Transportation Company.
- (w) Sold to Blue & Gray Transit Company.
- (x) Sold to White Star Lines, Incorporated.
- (y) Sold to Greyhound Lines, Incorporated.
- (z) Sold to Heights Bus Line Company.
- (aa) Sold to West Virginia Transportation Company.
- (bb) Sold to Buckhannon Chemical Company.
- (cc) Sold to American Steel Company.
- (dd) Sold to E. I. Dupont de Nemours & Company.
- (ee) Sold to Union Tank Car Company.
- (ff) Included in Continental Oil Company.
- (gg) No mileage in West Virginia in 1929.
- (hh) All car equipment sold in 1928.
- (ii) Formerly American Railway Express Company.
- (jj) Includes properties formerly assessed by Godfrey L. Cabot, Inc., Glenville Natural Gas Company and Clarksburg Light & Heat Company in an aggregate of \$2,585,448

(kk) Includes Bullock Realty Company, Beaver Light & Power Company, Roderfield Light & Power Company and Athens Power Company, separately assessed in 1929 at \$32,100.

(ll) Includes Beckley Electric Light & Power Company, separately assessed in 1929 at \$500,000.

(mm) Includes electric properties of Richwood Light & Water Company and Webster Springs Water Works & Electric Light Company, separately assessed in 1929 at \$56,000.

(nn) Includes water properties of Webster Springs Water Works & Electric Light Company and Burnsville Supply Company, separately assessed in 1929 at \$11,500.

(oo) Includes Athens-Parkersburg Bus Line, F. K. W. Bus Line, Charleston-Ripley Bus Co., Elk River Transit Co., and Weston-Glenville Bus Co., separately assessed in 1929 at \$21,200.

(pp) Includes Reynolds Bus Line Co., Reynolds Taxi Co., Wheeling & Parkersburg Motor Transportation Co., and Bartlett Brothers Bus Co., separately assessed in 1929 at \$55,000.

## GROSS SALES TAX

Net Collections During the State Fiscal Years Ended June 30, 1922 and 1923

YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1922:	Quarter Ended Sept. 30, 1921	Quarter Ended Dec. 31, 1921	Quarter Ended March 31, 1922	Quarter Ended June 30, 1922	Year Ended June 30, 1922	Per Cent
Coal Production.....		\$ 174,965.00	\$ 185,505.00	\$ 156,247.06	\$ 510,777.66	35.3
Oil and Gas Production.....		35,088.00	55,234.00	60,352.05	150,674.05	10.3
Clay, Sand, etc., Production.....		3,618.00	3,442.00	6,017.59	13,077.59	.9
Total Production.....	(Law in effect July 1, 1921 No Collection prior to October 1, 1921.)	\$ 213,671.00	\$ 244,241.00	\$ 222,617.30	\$ 680,529.30	46.5
Manufacturing.....		83,852.00	142,842.00	112,719.39	339,413.39	23.2
Sales—Exclusive of Wholesale.....		55,854.00	154,589.00	59,172.05	209,615.05	18.4
Sales at Wholesale.....		8,563.00	15,649.00	7,160.08	31,362.08	2.2
Banks and Public Utilities.....		20,351.00	27,067.00	20,258.38	68,276.38	4.7
Other Businesses and Professions.....		10,255.00	45,384.00	17,544.08	73,183.08	5.0
TOTALS.....		\$ 392,536.00	\$ 630,372.00	\$ 439,471.28	\$ 1,402,379.28	100.0
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1923:	Quarter Ended Sept. 30, 1922	Quarter Ended Dec. 31, 1922	Quarter Ended March 31, 1923	Year Ended June 30, 1923	Quarter Ended June 30, 1923	Per Cent
Coal Production.....	\$ 164,353.53	\$ 243,328.06	\$ 375,070.55	\$ 301,722.21	\$ 1,084,474.35	40.0
Oil and Gas Production.....	52,829.45	46,169.94	66,649.09	66,053.74	231,702.84	8.6
Clay, Sand, etc., Production.....	4,632.28	3,520.2	5,989.06	3,893.37	18,034.95	.7
Total Production.....	\$ 221,815.26	\$ 293,018.26	\$ 447,709.30	\$ 371,669.32	\$ 1,334,212.14	49.3
Manufacturing.....	142,745.88	151,767.58	188,046.87	174,302.83	656,863.16	24.2
Sales—Exclusive of Wholesale.....	69,833.03	70,009.71	235,155.09	67,179.23	442,177.06	16.3
Sales—Wholesale.....	9,125.40	10,119.82	23,582.99	9,575.96	52,404.17	1.9
Banks and Public Utilities.....	25,451.96	22,298.82	30,713.81	23,395.20	101,859.79	3.8
Other Businesses and Professions.....	18,002.45	17,155.08	72,465.59	13,227.29	120,850.41	4.5
TOTALS.....	\$ 486,973.98	\$ 564,369.27	\$ 997,673.65	\$ 659,349.83	\$ 2,708,366.73	100.0

NOTE—The collections shown above are net, all refunds having been deducted.

**GROSS SALES TAX**

Net Collections During the State Fiscal Years Ended June 30, 1924 and 1925

YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1924:	Quarter Ended Sept. 30, 1923	Quarter Ended Dec. 31, 1923	Quarter Ended March 31, 1924	Quarter Ended June 30, 1924	Year Ended June 30, 1924	Per Cent
Coal Production.....	\$ 303,893.31	\$ 200,170.93	\$ 281,075.77	\$ 218,642.80	\$ 1,003,782.87	35.8
Oil and Gas Production.....	55,013.05	33,358.31	63,730.57	60,500.24	221,621.07	7.2
Clay, Sand, etc., Production.....	6,348.34	6,193.31	7,388.82	4,130.65	24,170.15	.8
<b>Total Production.....</b>	<b>\$ 365,255.60</b>	<b>\$ 329,722.55</b>	<b>\$ 352,304.16</b>	<b>\$ 283,273.69</b>	<b>\$ 1,330,574.09</b>	<b>43.8</b>
Manufacturing.....	195,020.05	179,956.30	213,428.29	190,090.30	780,013.03	25.6
Sales—Exclusive of Wholesale.....	103,861.16	92,425.80	304,070.34	86,392.65	586,755.95	19.2
Sales at Wholesale.....	12,410.08	11,027.30	27,717.25	10,713.03	61,867.65	2.0
Banks and Public Utilities.....	28,109.10	23,593.22	33,518.49	30,123.17	115,344.04	3.8
Other Businesses and Professions.....	24,018.44	18,857.31	101,720.20	24,225.37	172,421.32	5.6
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>\$ 730,183.49</b>	<b>\$ 665,682.57</b>	<b>\$ 1,035,704.76</b>	<b>\$ 634,445.33</b>	<b>\$ 3,055,070.15</b>	<b>100.0</b>
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1925:	Quarter Ended Sept. 30, 1924	Quarter Ended Dec. 31, 1924	Quarter Ended March 31, 1925	Quarter Ended June 30, 1925	Year Ended June 30, 1925	Per Cent
Coal Production.....	\$ 154,047.92	\$ 173,508.45	\$ 213,748.32	\$ 180,614.46	\$ 731,819.15	28.7
Oil and Gas Production.....	51,270.00	32,327.18	57,703.70	58,490.31	190,851.28	7.8
Clay, Sand, etc., Production.....	5,188.42	6,011.34	7,000.02	4,047.05	24,054.33	1.0
<b>Total Production.....</b>	<b>\$ 211,406.43</b>	<b>\$ 212,746.97</b>	<b>\$ 270,418.04</b>	<b>\$ 253,052.72</b>	<b>\$ 956,624.76</b>	<b>37.5</b>
Manufacturing.....	105,742.03	109,720.97	203,000.40	186,750.37	725,880.37	28.5
Sales—Exclusive of Wholesale.....	80,232.43	85,358.00	280,078.50	75,071.20	530,341.14	21.1
Sales at Wholesale.....	11,237.02	10,047.40	25,197.00	9,847.82	56,320.84	2.2
Banks and Public Utilities.....	24,563.57	22,075.11	33,863.00	24,544.22	105,045.90	4.1
Other Businesses and Professions.....	22,634.32	18,424.84	102,223.44	24,594.51	167,877.11	6.6
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>\$ 524,816.40</b>	<b>\$ 518,374.21</b>	<b>\$ 934,047.58</b>	<b>\$ 573,860.93</b>	<b>\$ 2,551,000.12</b>	<b>100.0</b>

NOTE—The collections shown above are net, all refunds having been deducted.

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## GROSS SALES TAX

Net Collections during the State Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1926 and 1927

YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1926:	Quarter Ended Sept. 30, 1925	Quarter Ended Dec. 31, 1925	Quarter Ended March 31, 1926	Quarter Ended June 30, 1926	Year Ended June 30, 1926	Per Cent
Coal Production.....	\$ 165,804.94	\$ 237,414.73	\$ 311,637.97	\$ 254,871.96	\$ 969,729.60	30.7
Oil and Gas Production.....	43,729.10	25,654.20	47,119.64	35,772.66	152,275.60	4.8
Clay, Sand, etc., Production.....	6,584.84	8,971.26	8,145.84	5,659.12	29,261.06	1.0
Timber Production.....				5,418.32	5,418.32	0.2
<b>Total Production.....</b>	<b>\$ 216,118.88</b>	<b>\$ 272,040.19</b>	<b>\$ 366,903.45</b>	<b>\$ 301,622.06</b>	<b>\$ 1,156,084.58</b>	<b>36.7</b>
Manufacturing.....	177,588.65	223,873.01	248,994.96	191,671.66	842,128.28	26.7
Sales—Exclusive of Wholesale.....	82,021.55	98,867.85	293,639.13	80,870.78	655,399.31	17.6
Sales at Wholesale.....	11,261.12	15,275.76	31,627.70	13,493.62	71,658.20	2.2
Banks and Public Utilities.....	23,339.22	80,485.20	97,848.34	96,310.05	297,982.84	9.4
Other Businesses and Professions.....	21,325.36	36,687.74	140,669.29	36,617.22	235,299.61	7.4
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>\$ 531,654.78</b>	<b>\$ 727,229.76</b>	<b>\$ 1,179,682.87</b>	<b>\$ 720,585.42</b>	<b>\$ 3,159,152.82</b>	<b>100.0</b>
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1927:	Quarter Ended Sept. 30, 1926	Quarter Ended Dec. 31, 1926	Quarter Ended March 31, 1927	Quarter Ended June 30, 1927	Year Ended June 30, 1927	Per Cent
Coal Production.....	\$ 227,612.73	\$ 274,935.25	\$ 396,471.51	\$ 283,656.72	\$ 1,182,676.21	29.01
Oil and Gas Production.....	21,866.39	29,473.92	46,445.52	607,764.94	705,550.77	17.32
Clay, Sand, etc., Production.....	8,405.74	9,169.00	8,353.35	5,622.72	31,850.81	.78
Timber.....	5,628.08	5,372.80	8,223.35	6,109.27	25,333.50	.62
<b>Total Production.....</b>	<b>\$ 263,512.94</b>	<b>\$ 319,250.97</b>	<b>\$ 459,493.73</b>	<b>\$ 903,153.65</b>	<b>\$ 1,945,411.25</b>	<b>47.73</b>
Manufacturing.....	189,077.91	199,466.57	218,465.98	184,204.66	791,215.12	19.41
Sales—Exclusive of Wholesale.....	93,810.62	87,858.35	310,947.26	87,534.89	580,151.12	14.23
Sales at Wholesale.....	17,485.63	17,396.28	36,672.39	16,958.89	88,873.16	2.18
Banks and Public Utilities.....	92,453.27	92,174.11	119,750.99	98,129.00	402,507.44	9.88
Other Businesses and Professions.....	41,573.42	42,810.85	141,565.48	42,035.28	267,985.03	6.57
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>\$ 698,273.79</b>	<b>\$ 758,957.20</b>	<b>\$ 1,286,895.83</b>	<b>\$ 1,332,016.37</b>	<b>\$ 4,076,143.19</b>	<b>100.00</b>

NOTE—The collections shown above are net, all refunds having been deducted.

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Net Collections During the Fiscal Years Ended June, 1928 and 1929

YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1928:	Quarter Ended Sept. 30, 1927	Quarter Ended Dec. 31, 1927	Quarter Ended March 31, 1928	Quarter Ended June 30, 1928	Year Ended June 30, 1928	Per Cent
Coal Production.....	\$ 262,314.01	\$ 272,925.03	\$ 260,387.20	\$ 226,382.00	\$ 1,022,010.04	26.86
Oil and Gas Production.....	250,359.09	87,947.93	129,042.30	148,186.15	615,535.47	16.18
Sand, Limestone, etc., Production.....	7,757.93	9,344.90	7,656.01	5,472.87	30,232.31	.70
Timber Production.....	6,697.30	6,364.88	10,376.76	6,751.55	30,100.40	.70
Total Production.....	\$ 527,129.23	\$ 376,582.74	\$ 407,462.87	\$ 386,793.47	\$ 1,607,068.31	44.62
Manufacturing.....	\$ 204,816.59	\$ 180,475.01	\$ 203,922.52	\$ 180,100.04	\$ 787,315.06	20.72
Sales-Exclusive of Wholesale.....	92,185.75	85,810.68	288,558.32	95,622.01	662,176.76	14.77
Sales at Wholesale.....	17,309.46	18,660.08	33,082.90	15,938.47	84,980.91	2.23
Banks and Public Utilities.....	96,625.05	94,115.94	108,145.10	101,302.66	400,279.65	10.50
Other Businesses.....	40,004.05	45,832.30	133,402.75	44,118.14	272,357.33	7.10
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>\$ 987,071.03</b>	<b>\$ 810,467.74</b>	<b>\$ 1,174,574.46</b>	<b>\$ 832,964.70</b>	<b>\$ 3,805,078.02</b>	<b>100.00</b>
<b>YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1929:</b>	<b>Quarter Ended Sept. 30, 1928</b>	<b>Quarter Ended Dec. 31, 1928</b>	<b>Quarter Ended March 31, 1929</b>	<b>Quarter Ended June 30, 1929</b>	<b>Year Ended June 30, 1929</b>	<b>Per Cent</b>
Coal Production.....	\$ 223,070.45	\$ 232,074.12	\$ 250,379.11	\$ 230,640.41	\$ 945,704.06	25.86
Oil and Gas Production.....	114,469.33	95,418.74	141,093.99	169,548.41	520,530.47	14.24
Clay, Sand, etc., Production.....	7,300.48	8,488.91	8,714.06	5,663.30	29,566.75	.81
Timber Production.....	7,885.73	6,047.07	8,057.25	8,468.13	31,058.18	.87
Total Production.....	\$ 353,325.99	\$ 342,028.84	\$ 418,144.41	\$ 413,720.25	\$ 1,527,810.40	41.78
Manufacturing.....	\$ 200,637.23	\$ 200,897.04	\$ 221,041.53	\$ 218,186.39	\$ 855,762.16	23.4
Sales-Exclusive of Wholesale.....	2,186.75	85,810.18	288,558.32	96,622.01	672,176.76	14.77
Sales, Exclusive of Wholesale.....	100,559.90	91,640.30	209,893.99	93,652.38	564,652.54	15.45
Sales at Wholesale.....	10,647.31	15,534.38	28,216.96	15,728.27	70,120.92	2.16
Banks and Public Utilities.....	92,022.72	88,664.38	105,200.56	74,168.30	300,061.96	9.85
Other Businesses.....	52,445.50	45,950.65	118,220.53	52,583.56	260,200.24	7.36
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>\$ 836,838.65</b>	<b>\$ 791,321.50</b>	<b>\$ 1,160,732.95</b>	<b>\$ 867,939.12</b>	<b>\$ 3,656,632.31</b>	<b>100.00</b>

NOTE—The collections shown above are not, all refunds having been deducted.

GROSS SALES TAX

## GROSS SALES TAX

Net Collections During the State Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1930

YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1930:	Quarter Ended Sept. 30, 1929	Quarter Ended Dec. 31, 1929	Quarter Ended March 31, 1930	Quarter Ended June 30, 1930	Year Ended June 30, 1930	Per Cent
Coal Production.....	\$ 211,877.59	\$ 239,713.02	\$ 264,425.53	\$209,901.49	\$ 925,917.63	24.99
Oil and Gas Production.....	130,542.24	103,595.19	143,921.92	141,810.33	519,869.66	14.03
Clay, Sand, etc., Production.....	8,567.25	10,065.77	7,821.75	5,011.86	31,466.63	.85
Timber Production.....	9,259.39	8,580.43	7,924.30	6,350.05	32,114.17	.87
Total Production.....	\$ 360,246.47	\$ 361,954.41	\$ 424,093.50	\$ 363,073.73	\$ 1,509,368.11	40.74
Manufacturing.....	244,605.31	240,874.97	213,277.00	184,474.98	883,232.26	23.84
Sales, Exclusive of Wholesale.....	116,641.31	101,756.72	249,834.11	90,380.66	559,612.80	15.08
Sales, Wholesale.....	18,877.76	17,979.03	27,062.98	17,593.26	81,513.05	2.20
Banks and Public Utilities.....	90,149.46	89,557.18	100,197.35	86,398.61	366,302.66	9.89
Other Businesses.....	59,194.92	59,738.54	120,082.54	6,685.92	305,701.93	8.25
TOTALS.....	\$ 889,715.23	\$ 871,860.85	\$ 1,134,547.48	\$ 808,607.19	\$ 3,704,730.75	100.00

NOTE—The collections shown above are net, all refunds having been deducted.

**ACTIVE STATE FUNDS**  
 Statement Showing the Balance of Active State Funds in the Active Depository Banks of Each Senatorial District  
 for the Quarter Ending June 30, 1930.

	Number of Banks	Amount
First Senatorial District.....	5	\$ 164,798.17
Second Senatorial District.....	5	133,238.91
Third Senatorial District.....	4	477,653.29
Fourth Senatorial District.....	4	129,746.13
Fifth Senatorial District.....	4	560,001.91
Sixth Senatorial District.....	2	672,913.08
Seventh Senatorial District.....	5	755,368.09
Eighth Senatorial District.....	5	856,611.19
Ninth Senatorial District.....	5	275,060.21
Tenth Senatorial District.....	3	55,989.89
Eleventh Senatorial District.....	4	591,932.40
Twelfth Senatorial District.....	5	405,750.53
Thirteenth Senatorial District.....	4	201,798.12
Fourteenth Senatorial District.....	4	123,386.85
Fifteenth Senatorial District.....	5	451,135.02
<b>GRAND TOTAL.....</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>* \$5,860,583.79</b>



## INACTIVE STATE FUNDS

## INACTIVE STATE FUNDS

Statement Showing the Distribution of Inactive Money Among the Counties of the Several Senatorial Districts on a Property Assessment Basis, for the Quarter Ending June 30th, 1930.

COUNTY	% Of Total Assessment of State	Number Inactive Banks	Amount in County	Amount Due County
<b>First Senatorial District</b>				
Brooke.....	.01737	3	245,000.00	147,045.00
Hancock.....	.01235	1	50,000.00	104,975.00
Ohio.....	.06570	9	580,000.00	558,450.00
<b>Total.....</b>			<b>875,000.00</b>	<b>811,070.00</b>
<b>Second Senatorial District</b>				
Marshall.....	.02752	6	292,800.00	233,920.00
Tyler.....	.00811	3	141,080.00	68,935.00
Wetzel.....	.01648	1	67,500.00	140,080.00
<b>Total.....</b>			<b>501,380.00</b>	<b>442,935.00</b>
<b>Third Senatorial District</b>				
Pleasants.....	.00433	2	50,000.00	36,805.00
Ritchie.....	.01220	..	.....	103,700.00
Wirt.....	.00280	..	.....	23,800.00
Wood.....	.03780	5	359,500.00	321,300.00
<b>Total.....</b>			<b>409,500.00</b>	<b>485,605.00</b>
<b>Fourth Senatorial District</b>				
Jackson.....	.00629	1	50,000.00	53,465.00
Mason.....	.00865	1	53,569.09	73,525.00
Roane.....	.01374	3	150,210.91	116,790.00
<b>Total.....</b>			<b>253,780.00</b>	<b>243,780.00</b>
<b>Fifth Senatorial District</b>				
Cabell.....	.06248	5	529,000.00	531,080.00
Lincoln.....	.00830	3	97,250.00	70,550.00
Putnam.....	.00739	1	25,000.00	62,815.00
<b>Total.....</b>			<b>651,250.00</b>	<b>664,445.00</b>
<b>Sixth Senatorial District</b>				
Mingo.....	.01852	4	229,500.00	157,420.00
McDowell.....	.03900	6	340,000.00	331,500.00
Wayne.....	.01890	3	118,500.00	160,650.00
Wyoming.....	.01386	1	50,000.00	117,810.00
<b>Total.....</b>			<b>738,000.00</b>	<b>767,380.00</b>
<b>Seventh Senatorial District</b>				
Mercer.....	.03054	7	299,620.00	259,590.00
Monroe.....	.00486	3	56,280.00	41,310.00
Raleigh.....	.02410	3	235,360.00	205,360.00
Summers.....	.00784	2	81,640.00	66,640.00
<b>Total.....</b>			<b>672,900.00</b>	<b>572,900.00</b>
<b>Eighth Senatorial District</b>				
Boone.....	.01371	2	45,000.00	116,535.00
Kanawha.....	.10236	10	917,700.00	870,060.00
Logan.....	.02247	3	159,700.00	100,995.00
<b>Total.....</b>			<b>1,122,400.00</b>	<b>1,177,590.00</b>
<b>Ninth Senatorial District</b>				
Clay.....	.00644	3	64,740.00	54,740.00
Fayette.....	.02620	12	301,590.00	222,700.00
Greenbrier.....	.01458	9	158,930.00	123,930.00
Nicholas.....	.00883	4	85,055.00	75,055.00
<b>Total.....</b>			<b>610,315.00</b>	<b>476,425.00</b>

INACTIVE STATE FUNDS

Statement Showing the Distribution of Inactive Money Among the Counties of the Several Senatorial District on a Property Assessment Basis, for the Quarter Ending June 30th, 1930.

COUNTY	% Of Total Assessment of State	Number Inactive Banks	Amount in County	Amount Due County
<b>Tenth Senatorial District</b>				
Braxton.....	.00799	2	64,125.00	67,915.00
Calhoun.....	.00473	1	40,000.00	40,205.00
Gilmer.....	.00713	1	77,605.00	60,605.00
Pocahontas.....	.00746	3	73,410.00	63,410.00
Webster.....	.00549	2	53,660.00	46,665.00
<b>Total.....</b>			<b>308,800.00</b>	<b>278,800.00</b>
<b>Eleventh Senatorial District</b>				
Marion.....	.05198	3	122,500.00	441,830.00
Monongalia.....	.04609	4	281,250.00	391,765.00
Taylor.....	.01178	1	150,000.00	100,130.00
<b>Total.....</b>			<b>553,750.00</b>	<b>933,725.00</b>
<b>Twelfth Senatorial District</b>				
Doddridge.....	.01083	2	150,000.00	92,055.00
Harrison.....	.06070	6	450,000.00	515,950.00
Lewis.....	.01719	2	126,200.00	146,115.00
<b>Total.....</b>			<b>726,200.00</b>	<b>754,120.00</b>
<b>Thirteenth Senatorial District</b>				
Barbour.....	.00884	1	50,000.00	75,140.00
Pendleton.....	.00282	1	27,500.00	23,970.00
Randolph.....	.01079	7	172,435.00	91,715.00
Upshur.....	.00866	1	100,000.00	73,610.00
<b>Total.....</b>			<b>349,935.00</b>	<b>264,435.00</b>
<b>Fourteenth Senatorial District</b>				
Grant.....	.00332	2	30,920.00	28,220.00
Harley.....	.00296	1	25,000.00	25,160.00
Mitchell.....	.01071	3	128,745.00	91,035.00
Preston.....	.01475	9	175,125.00	125,375.00
Tucker.....	.00477	3	50,545.00	40,545.00
<b>Total.....</b>			<b>410,335.00</b>	<b>310,335.00</b>
<b>Fifteenth Senatorial District</b>				
Berkeley.....	.01481	2	128,860.00	125,885.00
Hampshire.....	.00479	1	43,740.00	40,715.00
Jefferson.....	.01049	3	93,855.00	89,165.00
Morgan.....	.00714	1	50,000.00	60,690.00
<b>Total.....</b>			<b>316,455.00</b>	<b>316,455.00</b>
<b>GRAND TOTAL.....</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>178</b>	<b>\$8,500,00.00</b>	<b>\$8,500,000.00</b>

NOTE—Due to lack of Bond, some of the Counties could not legally accept all their quota of State Funds due them on an Assessment Basis and same was distributed among banks in other Counties.

## GASOLINE TAX

## The 1923 Law

On April 27, 1923, the Legislature of West Virginia passed an Act imposing a tax on gasoline, which became operative July 26, 1923.

The salient features of the Act were:

A rate of two cents on each gallon of gasoline sold in West Virginia.

Gasoline purchased outside West Virginia and used within the State was subject to tax, the user being deemed a "wholesaler" under the Act, the purchaser being held liable for the tax on all inter-state shipments from points outside West Virginia to points within the State; but the seller was permitted, by office regulation, to assume and pay the tax on such shipments.

The tax applied on all gasoline sold in West Virginia regardless of the purpose for which the same was to be used, no deductions being allowable on account of gasoline sold to be used in the operation of motor boats, agricultural tractors, stationary gasoline engines, gasoline used in the process of manufacturing or dry cleaning, or in air compressors, etc.; no deductions were allowed on account of gasoline sold to the Federal Government.

Office regulations required refiners to pay the tax on all sales made to retail dealers and to consumers, but they were authorized to sell gasoline to wholesale dealers and jobbers, the purchaser to assume the tax. Refunds were allowed to wholesalers to cover the tax previously paid on gasoline sold and delivered outside of West Virginia.

Under the Act, dealers were not required to pay the tax on gasoline used in their own motor equipment, in the conduct of their business (the subject of the tax being the privilege to sell) and wholesale dealers and jobbers handling gasoline on which the tax had been previously paid, were allowed refunds to cover the tax paid on gasoline used and gasoline lost by leakage and evaporation

## The 1925 Law

The extraordinary session of the Legislature of 1925 on June 4th, passed a new gasoline tax law operative July 1, 1925, imposing a license tax on producers and sellers of gasoline—\$25.00 annually for wholesalers or distributors, and \$5.00 annually for retailers; and also an excise tax at the rate of three and one-half cents per gallon on gasoline sold or used in West Virginia. This act repealed the 1923 Act, the former act remaining effective only for the collection of all taxes and penalties accruing thereunder up to and including June 30, 1925.

The important features of this Act were:

- (1) The imposition of a license tax on producers and sellers of gasoline.
- (2) The rate was increased over the old law from two cents to three and one-half cents per gallon
- (3) Gasoline used as well as gasoline sold was made subject to the tax.
- (4) The first seller was required to pay the tax in all instances except where the gasoline was shipped in inter-state commerce.

- (5) Common carriers were required to furnish details regarding deliveries of gasoline made to points in West Virginia.
- (6) Any tax paid on gasoline used for purposes other than in the operation of motor vehicles was made subject to refundment.

The 1927 Law

On April 25, 1927, the Legislature of 1927, at the regular session, passed a new gasoline tax law, in effect from passage, which increased the excise tax from three and one-half to four cents per gallon, effective July 1, 1927. This act reduced the annual license tax on wholesalers or distributors from \$25.00 to \$5.00, and the license tax on retail dealers from \$5.00 to \$1.00. It also repealed the 1925 Act, but left that act in full effect for the collection of all taxes and penalties accruing thereunder up to and including June 30, 1927.

The important changes in this Act are:

- (1) The tax rate is increased from three and one-half to four cents per gallon.
- (2) The license tax is reduced.
- (3) The tax is made a lien.
- (4) The excise tax is made a trust fund and failure to surrender such taxes to the state tax commissioner is made a felony.
- (5) In case of delinquency in payment of tax the state tax commissioner is given power of distraint and sale.
- (6) The state tax commissioner is given power to require surety bonds from dealers.

Under the provisions of these Acts collections have been made and requisitions for refund have been issued as follows:

GASOLINE TAX  
Cash Receipts and Refunds

MONTH OR YEAR	Gross Deposits	Refunds	Net Collections
August, 1923.....	\$ 14,601.91	\$.....	\$ 14,601.91
September, 1923.....	25,118.92	.....	25,118.92
October, 1923.....	119,756.44	.....	119,756.44
November, 1923.....	120,486.49	321.02	120,165.47
December, 1923.....	111,467.96	.....	111,467.96
January, 1924.....	112,581.64	87.56	112,494.08
February, 1924.....	47,211.38	290.48	46,920.00
March, 1924.....	62,446.57	176.14	62,270.43
April, 1924.....	48,700.45	411.78	48,288.67
May, 1924.....	48,317.61	592.60	47,725.01
June, 1924.....	125,774.71	1,979.88	123,794.83
<b>Fiscal Year 1924: Totals.....</b>	<b>\$ 836,464.08</b>	<b>\$ 3,859.46</b>	<b>\$ 832,604.62</b>
July, 1924.....	\$ 76,053.08	\$ 1,643.12	\$ 74,409.96
August, 1924.....	152,593.14	501.74	152,091.40
September, 1924.....	135,562.70	742.54	134,820.16
October, 1924.....	151,894.75	430.74	151,464.01
November, 1924.....	114,490.79	648.58	113,842.21
December, 1924.....	164,564.99	764.02	163,800.97
January, 1925.....	109,820.02	1,361.80	108,458.22
February, 1925.....	81,979.57	395.68	81,583.89
March, 1925.....	71,210.90	336.76	70,874.14
April, 1925.....	62,037.14	208.09	61,829.05
May, 1925.....	81,651.90	56.20	81,595.70
June, 1925.....	122,694.87	197.04	122,497.83
<b>Fiscal Year 1925: Totals.....</b>	<b>\$1,324,553.85</b>	<b>\$ 7,286.31</b>	<b>\$1,317,267.54</b>

## GASOLINE TAX

GASOLINE TAX  
Cash Receipts and Refunds

MONTH OR YEAR	Gross De. osits	Refun'cs	Net Collections
July, 1925.....	\$ 139,678.01	\$ 596.48	\$ 139,081.53
August, 1925.....	191,237.36	343.75	190,893.61
September, 1925.....	322,427.12	6,397.82	316,029.30
October, 1925.....	335,775.07	5,561.30	330,213.77
November, 1925.....	269,249.81	5,831.19	263,418.62
December, 1925.....	414,614.47	8,424.54	406,189.93
January, 1926.....	52,397.45	3,093.32	49,304.13
February, 1926.....	194,255.25	8,450.77	185,804.48
March, 1926.....	214,602.00	4,075.27	210,526.73
April, 1926.....	30,117.63	3,417.70	26,699.93
May, 1926.....	165,212.28	8,788.99	156,423.29
June, 1926.....	252,312.80	849.77	251,463.03
<b>Fiscal Year 1926: Totals.....</b>	<b>\$2,581,879.25</b>	<b>\$ 55,833.99</b>	<b>\$2,526,045.26</b>
July, 1926.....	\$ 303,337.01	\$ 11,029.59	\$ 292,307.42
August, 1926.....	296,843.32	9,402.76	287,440.56
September, 1926.....	331,923.78	8,165.69	323,758.06
October, 1926.....	324,641.69	9,216.87	315,424.82
November, 1926.....	336,676.65	8,276.32	328,400.50
December, 1926.....	314,082.39	6,935.44	307,146.36
January, 1927.....	256,309.71	9,523.91	246,785.83
February, 1927.....	213,047.53	6,509.94	206,537.59
March, 1927.....	170,081.72	4,339.97	165,741.75
April, 1927.....	162,344.99	6,986.33	155,358.66
May, 1927.....	206,716.91	5,956.24	200,760.67
June, 1927.....	311,955.40	8,676.64	303,278.76
<b>Fiscal Year 1927: Totals.....</b>	<b>\$3,227,961.10</b>	<b>\$ 95,019.70</b>	<b>\$3,132,941.40</b>
July, 1927.....	\$ 278,898.66	\$ 10,789.66	\$ 269,109.00
August, 1927.....	376,625.32	7,305.26	369,320.06
September, 1927.....	468,738.00	11,211.83	457,526.17
October, 1927.....	439,373.97	13,031.37	426,342.60
November, 1927.....	439,494.71	12,211.15	427,283.56
December, 1927.....	463,007.24	13,682.45	449,324.79
January, 1928.....	374,305.37	8,145.12	366,160.25
February, 1928.....	275,369.72	7,446.11	267,923.61
March, 1928.....	220,101.82	7,342.70	212,759.03
April, 1928.....	187,397.11	8,837.03	178,560.08
May, 1928.....	294,037.46	12,343.84	271,693.62
June, 1928.....	344,502.98	10,262.76	334,240.22
<b>Fiscal Year 1928: Totals.....</b>	<b>\$4,151,851.36</b>	<b>\$ 122,609.37</b>	<b>\$4,029,241.99</b>
July, 1928.....	\$ 427,732.49	\$ 16,575.66	\$ 411,156.83
August, 1928.....	468,029.47	13,192.19	454,837.28
September, 1928.....	472,513.62	13,644.76	458,868.86
October, 1928.....	470,459.29	18,635.88	451,823.41
November, 1928.....	471,476.84	16,371.13	455,105.71
December, 1928.....	451,883.08	12,907.74	438,975.34
January, 1929.....	389,470.62	11,578.26	377,892.36
February, 1929.....	284,384.28	10,911.26	273,473.02
March, 1929.....	243,352.45	10,795.87	232,556.58
April, 1929.....	241,744.76	10,461.23	231,283.53
May, 1929.....	335,729.27	15,119.56	320,609.71
June, 1929.....	388,175.19	22,808.35	365,366.84
<b>Fiscal Year 1929: Totals.....</b>	<b>\$4,644,951.36</b>	<b>\$ 173,001.89</b>	<b>\$4,471,949.47</b>

**GASOLINE TAX**  
Cash Receipts and Refunds

MONTH OR YEAR	Gross Deposits	Refunds	Net Collections
July, 1929 .....	\$ 472,890.53	\$ 15,096.72	\$ 457,793.81
August, 1929 .....	541,593.44	21,200.30	520,393.14
September, 1929 .....	544,656.08	18,620.54	526,035.54
October, 1929 .....	543,249.17	24,560.38	518,688.79
November, 1929 .....	515,415.32	24,544.58	490,870.74
December, 1929 .....	476,268.80	19,798.93	456,469.87
January, 1930 .....	407,529.68	17,554.90	389,974.78
February, 1930 .....	418,143.03	14,416.57	403,726.46
March, 1930 .....	292,077.60	13,022.37	279,955.23
April, 1930 .....	264,101.97	12,880.66	251,221.28
May, 1930 .....	447,377.53	17,068.69	430,308.84
June, 1930 .....	458,770.54	22,718.85	436,051.69
<b>Fiscal Year 1930: Totals .....</b>	<b>\$5,382,973.69</b>	<b>\$ 221,483.52</b>	<b>\$5,161,490.17</b>

NOTE—The foregoing statement contains complete detailed information relating to gasoline tax collections based on cash receipts and disbursements. Payments are credited to the months in which deposited and refunds are debited to the months in which the requisitions are issued. Payments are due within thirty days after the close of the month. Payments in most cases are mailed on or about the last of the month. If they are not received until after the close of the month, they become receipts for the following month. To illustrate: A payment on sales in July is due August 30th. The remittance is mailed August 30th and received September 1st. In this statement the remittance is credited to September.

In previous editions of the West Virginia Legislative Hand Book the figures given were based on accruals. Where that basis is used the tax is credited to the month or year during which the gasoline was sold regardless of when collected.

**\*PART VII**

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**STATE INSTITUTIONS AND DEPARTMENTS:**

**Half Tones and Biographical Sketches of State Officials Appointed  
in 1930**

**Half Tones of Secretaries and Chief Clerks of Commissions and  
Boards and Heads of Bureaus**

**Half Tones of State Institutions and their Heads**

**Descriptive Articles of State Institutions**



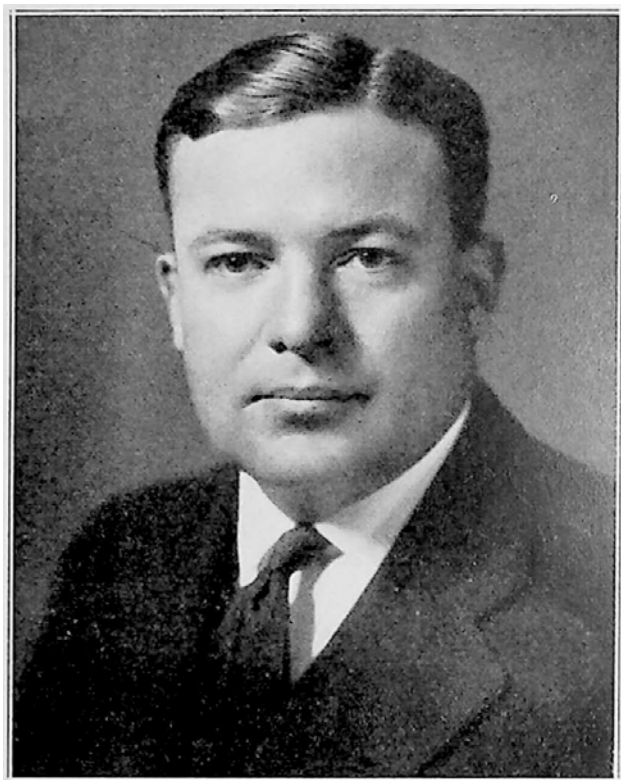
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G. ANDREW NORTHCOTT, (Republican), son of Judge Elliott and Lola B. Northcott, was born in Huntington, West Virginia, September 8, 1895. He was educated in the common schools of Huntington and attended Culver Military Academy, Culver, Indiana, from which he graduated in 1914. He attended West Virginia University during 1915 and 1916. He served as First Lieutenant, Second West Virginia Infantry and saw service on the Mexican Border; also served in 155th Depot Brigade, Camp Dix. He is part owner and manager of the Northcliffe Farms, Le Sage, West Virginia, specializing in Island bred Jersey cattle and Poland China hogs. He is a member of the Izaak Walton League, Wild Life League, and 32nd degree Scottish Rite Mason, Knight Templar, Elk and belongs to the Guyandotte Club. He is Vice-President of the West Virginia State Cattle Club and President of the Ohio Valley Jersey Cattle Club. Mr Northcott has been interested for years in sportsman activities, especially hunting, and is also a breeder of bird dogs, having one of the largest kennels in the state.

He was appointed a member of the Game, Fish and Forestry Commission by Governor Conley on July 1, 1930, for the term ending on June 30, 1933. He comes from a family that has long been identified with the Republican Party of West Virginia, Mr. Northcott himself being active in Republican politics.



**ALEX. M. MAHOOD**  
Member Public Service Commission

## BIOGRAPHY

ALEXANDER M. MAHOOD, (Republican), a member of the Public Service Commission, is a native West Virginian, having been born at Princeton, Mercer County, on September 3, 1899. He is a son of William M. (deceased) and Katherine A. (Straley) Mahood, his father having been a member of the West Virginia Senate.

His early education was obtained in the public schools of Princeton and at Fishburne Military School, Waynesboro, Virginia. He later attended the University of Virginia, from which he graduated and received his degree of Bachelor of Laws in 1922, and was admitted to the Bar in Virginia and West Virginia in that year. While at the University, he was active in athletics and student affairs, being a member of the Phi Kappa Sigma Fraternity and Phi Delta Phi, a national honorary legal fraternity. He was attorney for the City of Princeton from 1925 to 1927, and from 1927 to 1930 was Chairman of the Mercer County Republican Executive Committee. He also served as Assistant Prosecuting Attorney of Mercer County.

Mr. Mahood is an ex-service man, a member of the American Legion, Baptist Church, the Princeton Chamber of Commerce, Kiwanis Club, the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, Knights of Pythias, the Mercer County Bar Association, the West Virginia Bar Association and the American Bar Association.

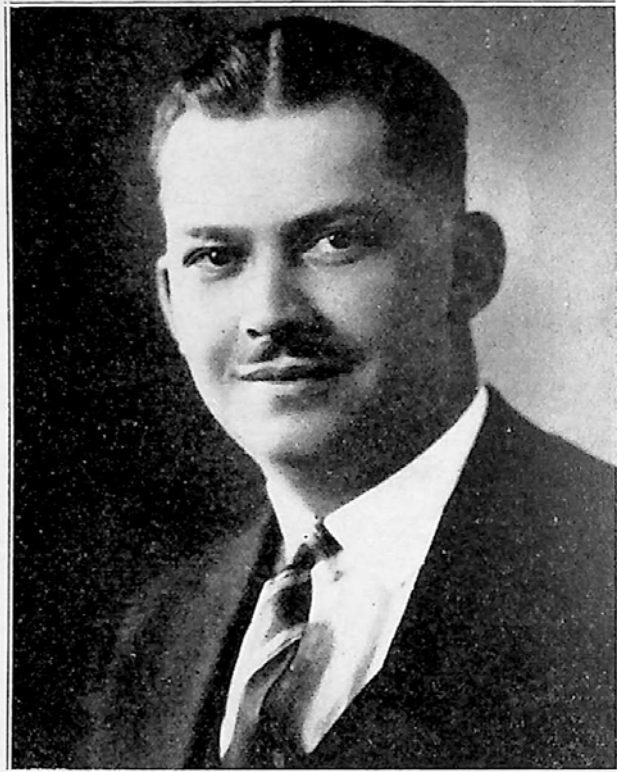


**L. R. CHARTER, JR.**  
Commissioner of Banking

### BIOGRAPHY

LATHROP R. CHARTER, Jr., the son of the late Dr. and Mrs. L. R. Charter, was born at West Union, West Virginia, on January 11., 1875. He graduated from West Virginia University in 1900 and became cashier of the Doddridge County Bank in that year, serving in that capacity until 1918, when he became president of the institution.

He held that office until January 1, 1930, when he resigned to accept appointment from Governor William G. Conley as Commissioner of Banking for the State of West Virginia, for the term ending March 31, 1931.



**JAMES D. SISLER**  
State Geologist

### BIOGRAPHY

JAMES D. SISLER, was born at Morgantown, West Virginia on September 2, 1896, and received his primary education in the public schools of Morgantown. He graduated with the A. B. degree in Geology at West Virginia University in 1919 and then did graduate work in mining engineering and geology at John Hopkins University, 1919-1921.

He served as Assistant Geologist, West Virginia Geological Survey 1919; Assistant Geologist, Maryland Geological Survey 1919-1921, Associate State Geologist, Pennsylvania Topographic and Geologist Survey, 1921 to July 1, 1930, and State Geologist of West Virginia, 1930.

Mr. Sisler was a member of United States Coal Commission 1922-1923, as Engineer in charge of Mining Investigations. He is a member of Committee on Uses of Coal, American Institute of Mining and Metallurgical Engineers, American Petroleum Institute, American Gas Association, Association of American State Geologists, Institute of Mining and Metallurgical Engineers, Fellow, Geological Society of America.



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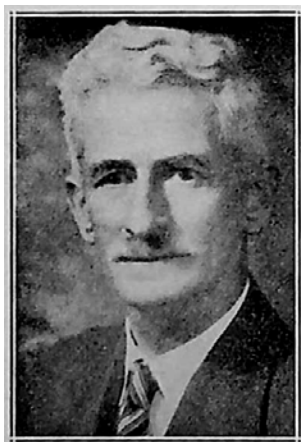
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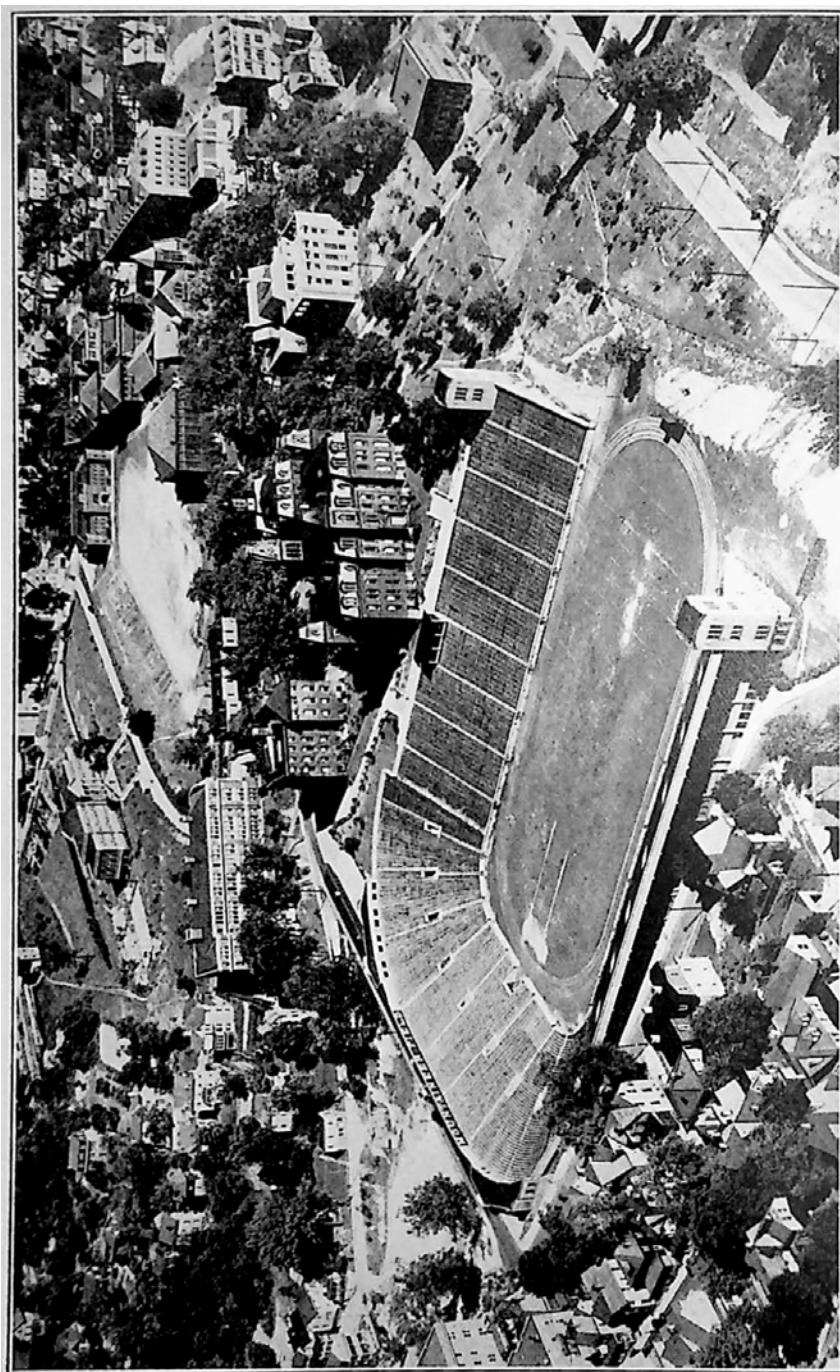
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AIRPLANE VIEW, WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY

# State Educational Institutions

## WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY

MORGANTOWN, WEST VIRGINIA

(By JOHN R. TURNER, *President*)

West Virginia University was established in 1867 as the Land Grant College of this State. Its beginnings were slow and feeble. Bad roads and lack of transportation between sections made the institution local in its scope and influence. The State did not have high schools to supply college students, so that the University for many years maintained a preparatory department. Naturally enough, the preparatory students outnumbered those of college grade. For many years it would appear that the major problem of the University was the disciplining of its students. With the development of the State in population, wealth and means of communication, the dignity and scope of the institution attained the level becoming a state university.



PRESIDENT JOHN R. TURNER

A liberal arts college was established with the founding of the University. Additional colleges were added as follows: College of Law, 1878; College of Engineering, 1887; Agricultural Experiment Station, 1888; College of Agriculture, 1897; School of Music, 1897; School of Medicine, 1902; College of Education, 1927; Division of Physical Education, 1928.

There has been a continuous problem of securing suitable buildings to house the institution. The appropriations for the purpose have never been commensurate with the needs. The total value of the University plant up to 1894 was only \$250,000. Since that time expansion has been more rapid, the present vested interests of the University being approximately \$9,800,000.

The University has suffered the ill consequences of frequent change in its governing board. In 1867, there was a Board of Visitors, in 1868 a Board of Regents of nine members, in 1877 there were twelve members, in 1883 thirteen members, in 1895 nine members, and in 1909 five members, one of whom was the State Superintendent of Free Schools. Also in 1909 the financial and educational affairs of the institution were

divided. The State Board of Control was charged with full responsibility of handling the finances. In 1919 the educational affairs of the University, in common with all the schools of the State system, were placed under the control of the Board of Education. In April, 1927, the Board of Governors, having charge of the educational affairs of the University alone, was created. To assure continuity in plan, purpose and program for the future, it is hoped that frequent changes of the governing board will be discouraged.

Within sixty-two years, there have been ten presidents, four acting presidents and one chairman of the faculty. The average duration of the administrations has been four years and two months. This figure, by the way, corresponds almost exactly with the average duration of administrations in the institutions of higher learning for the country as a whole. It should be noted in contrast, however, that the institutions of greater prestige have enjoyed an average tenure of administration of some fifteen years.

### The Organization of the University

In this institution, as in all other state universities, the Liberal Arts College is the center of the organization. This college has a faculty of 94 members, 55 of whom have the degree of Doctor of Philosophy. What the faculty is, the college is. Only the best talent available is sought for this college.

It has a regular academic department leading to the A. B. degree. It maintains a number of joint courses wherein its work is telescoped with that of professional schools in the preparation of students, culturally and professionally, for their life's work.

This college has just completed a reorganization of its curriculum. The merits of the reorganization were quickly recognized by and found adoption in certain of the leading institutions outside the State. The college now has an upper and a lower division. The first two years, geared to the secondary school system, are devoted to basic instruction. Within these two years, the aptitudes and talents of students are evolved under the observation of trained teachers. The purpose is to detect the fitness and qualifications of students for particular lines of study, in order properly to direct their education.

The last two years are given to intensive study in particular groups of subject matter. The program, arranged in sequential order, is designed to develop the personality of students by continuing their application to the field of work appropriate to their talents, until they gain the mastery to do self-choosing independent thinking.

The Law College enjoys good ranking in the American Law Institute. Its requirements for admission (three years of academic work) have been strengthened until it is virtually of graduate standing.

The College of Engineering has a varied curriculum, offering degrees in the major fields of engineering. Its graduates are sought by industries throughout the country.

The College of Agriculture, with its allied divisions of Extension and Experiment Station, has a threefold program of instruction, research and

service. It is supplied by both State and Federal funds, receiving, in addition to the appropriations by our Legislature, \$250,000 annually from the Federal Government. The faculty and equipment are of such order as to afford to the State educational facilities of the highest standard.

The College of Education, recently established, is devoted primarily to senior college work and graduate instruction. Dr. Jasper Newton Deahl, the beloved old leader of education in this State, is, at the advanced age of seventy-two, resigning his deanship of this college. He will be succeeded by Dr. Earl Hudelson, heretofore Professor of Education at the University of Minnesota, whose proved abilities and national reputation have already attracted the attention of educators throughout the country to this school.

The University offers the first two years of instruction in Medicine, together with a very adequate course in Pharmacy. The school is ill-housed and equipped. Nonetheless, its work is of good grade, having A ranking in the American Medical Association.

The School of Music offers a curriculum leading to degrees in Music. It has good teachers, but is severely handicapped by poor buildings and facilities.

In 1928 a Division of Physical Education was established under the direction of Dr. Carl P. Schott. It has an excellent faculty of four women and three men. It offers a four-year course leading to a bachelor's degree and is supplying a felt need for physical education in connection with the public schools. Prior to the establishment of this division, exercise facilities were not supplied our students. At the present time eighty-five per cent of the entire student body engage in intramural sports under the direction of this division.

Affiliated with the Division of Physical Education is a superior Health Service. It has a splendid staff of physicians and nurses. During the year now ending, it has served 2,123 students. In that many students were treated more than once, some of them for considerable periods of time, the number of cases were many times the number of students served. These cases have ranged in seriousness from colds or slight bruises to major operation. It would be interesting to reflect how the Health Service and exercises provided have furthered the intellectual achievements of our students.

#### Enrollment

The enrollment at the University has tended to exceed the provisions of the University for the accommodation of students. In 1929 the Legislature was informed that "unless an additional class room building is provided, the University, as regards numbers, will have to stand still in its tracks for another three years." Experience has demonstrated the truth of that assertion. Because of limited space, the numbers have been allowed to increase but little. But while there has been a modest growth in the number of students, there has been a vast improvement in the quality of the student personnel. The administration has exercised greater care in the selection of students, particularly as regards the admission of students from outside the State.

An analysis of the data presented in the following tables will show that students from within the State have increased 243 since 1927-1928, while the number from outside West Virginia has diminished 131. It is interesting to note that while the numbers from other states have decreased, to make room for more students from the State, the applications from other states have vastly increased. Were the requirements of admission for students from outside the State the same as they were in 1927-1928, we should have at least a thousand students from the metropolitan district of New York alone. From that district, however, the present enrollment is only 66.

**Regular Students Enrolled in Courses Leading to Degrees**  
(Not including students in Music School or Summer School)

Year	Total Enrollment	From outside W. Va.	From W. Va.
1926-1927	2935	566	2369
1927-1928	3088	589	2499
1928-1929	3128	463	2655
1929-1930	3200	458	2742

The following table presents the grand total for all students registered for instruction furnished by the University, in both residence and extension:

1926-1927.....	5054
1927-1928.....	5384
1928-1929.....	5618
1929-1930.....	5878

**Fellowships and Loan Funds**

During the past two years public-spirited men of means and of vision that becomes the commonwealth have stepped forward in a most encouraging way to support the graduate program of this University by way of loan funds and graduate fellowships.

Five graduate fellowships bearing an annual stipend of \$500 each have been established by the Honorable David Allen Burt, of Wheeling.

Impressed by the character of graduate work proposed in this University, the Chemical Foundation, a national organization, has established a fellowship bearing \$1,000 a year for sewage research.

The National Gas Association, through its natural gas division, made a like recognition of the merits of our graduate program in the establishment of a \$500 fellowship for research in natural gas.

The Honorable James Ellwood Jones, of Switchback, in keeping with his accustomed support of research projects, has established ten graduate fellowships which yield \$1,200 each per year.

Mr. Jones has also donated \$2,000 to establish a loan fund in memory of Theodore Smith, an engineering student whom he financed at the University until the young man's untimely death in April.

Mrs. Winifred South Knutti, a graduate of the University, has established a loan fund in memory of her brother, Walter Haines South, also an alumnus of the University. The fund yields \$500 per annum.



Trustees of the estate of the late J. B. Finley, of Pittsburgh, have, in keeping with the last will and testament of Mr. Finley, thus far provided a loan fund of \$1,000 for deserving students in medicine. It is the intention of the trustees to increase this fund upon the final carrying out of the provisions of the will.

#### Transition

Although this institution has borne the name University through the past sixty-two years, it has in reality been an undergraduate institution in all of its branches. It is, at the present time, in a state of transition, and is rapidly approaching real university standing. During the past two years its major energies have been devoted to the improvement of standards, equipment and plan preparatory to the establishment of a graduate school whose lines of research will be limited to the interests peculiar to this State of natural resources. The program which the people of the State are now developing will be threefold in purpose: to provide instruction which will carry students to the farthest reaches of demonstrated knowledge; to conduct research which will reveal new and greater truths; and to afford a service program suited to the industries, the professions and the governmental life of the State.

In its graduate and service programs, the University should be a research agency to which the industries, the professions and the departments of State may confidently look for scientific information. Facts are unprejudiced and non-partisan, and this agency should hold itself aloof from factions and party politics. It should not assume to sit in judgment on human conduct or choose among motives. It should deal with facts and principles, but not with prescriptions and opinions. It should court no favors and should make no alignments, for its dominating influence requires that its scientific integrity be held absolutely above reproach. Its proper scope is to trace effects back to their causes, and project causes forward to their effects.

The progress of this scientific age is based upon intelligence. It comes from the discovery and application of sound principle to practical affairs.

Some eleven hundred industries maintain research organizations peculiar to their needs. Certain of these expend as high as \$15,000,000 annually upon pure research. It is to this constructive scholarship that they look for new ideas, and they rely upon it almost solely for the developmental program they are carrying forward. The University, as a research agency, should be to the progress of the State what these laboratories are to the prosperity of their industries.

Certain of the most backward societies have vast natural resources, and certain of the most formidable competitors for the world's markets have limited resources. There is not an instance, at home or abroad, of vast industrial accomplishment apart from research scholarship. Realizing the value of science as applied to industry and to good government, this State, in keeping with the more progressive states of the Union, is looking forward to the development of a thoroughly equipped and ably manned University whose graduate program will be aptly geared to the State.

It will serve the State government. Laws must be enacted, judged and

executed; hence, the three departments of State, the legislative, the judicial and the executive. But laws are for a purpose, are to serve the common good; therefore, to be wise laws and workable, they must be based upon intelligence, true to fact and subject to change with changing conditions.

Whence the facts and who shall supply the analysis of changing conditions? Legislation that is guess-work, that rests upon the shifting sands of trial and error, is wanting in the public confidence that makes it real law. It has come to be the place of a state university to severe as the research agency, the fact-finding body ever at the task of amassing, analyzing, interpreting and correlating the facts with life.

Within the recent years our federal and state governments have appointed innumerable boards, commissions and bureaus for the study of this, that, and the other type of needed information. For the most part, however, they are ill-organized, of temporary duration, overlapping in function and wanting in the continuity of service and influence which the continuous problems demand.

Our State University, with its laboratories, library and specialists in the several fields of knowledge, constantly in touch with the State problems, can serve the commonwealth better than any other agency.

In keeping with the service of the University to the State, a Bureau of Government Research has been established. The Law College, in cooperation with the State Bar Association, and jointly with Yale University and the American Law Institute, is devoting itself to a group of legal problems whose wise solution will be of great value. The College of Agriculture, together with the Experiment Station, has conducted a series of experiments, a single one of which resulted in a benefit to the fruit growers, if converted into dollars and cents, would finance the entire University for the year in which the work was done. Services of this character may be further illustrated through the work of the University in mining extension, service to the State highway department, and cooperation with the State Water Commission. As I dictate this paragraph, a letter is received from one of our cities requesting the aid of a University expert in sanitary engineering in the planning of a new municipal sewer system. These but suggest the significance to West Virginia of the service program of this institution which we propose to expand to a degree commensurate with the interests of the State.

**MARSHALL COLLEGE**

HUNTINGTON, WEST VIRGINIA

*(By M. P. SHAWKEY, President)*

Marshall College is one of the oldest educational institutions in central United States. At the recent inauguration of the President of Ohio Wesleyan University, 125 colleges and universities were represented. Of these

only 26 had a longer history than Marshall, and Harvard, Yale, Columbia, and Brown were included in the list.

The present Marshall College had its origin in old "Marshall Academy," which was founded under the authority of the Virginia Assembly in 1837,—shortly after the death of the distinguished jurist, Chief Justice John Marshall, in whose honor the school was named. The institution started out as a private school and so continued with varying fortunes until 1867 when it was taken over by the State of West Virginia and converted into a "Normal School," that is, a teacher training institution. Its proponents dreamed of professional training no doubt, but necessity always rules with a stern hand and the normal school found itself forced to teach language, history, and mathematics to a lot of honest and earnest boys and girls, men and women, who had never had a chance even for



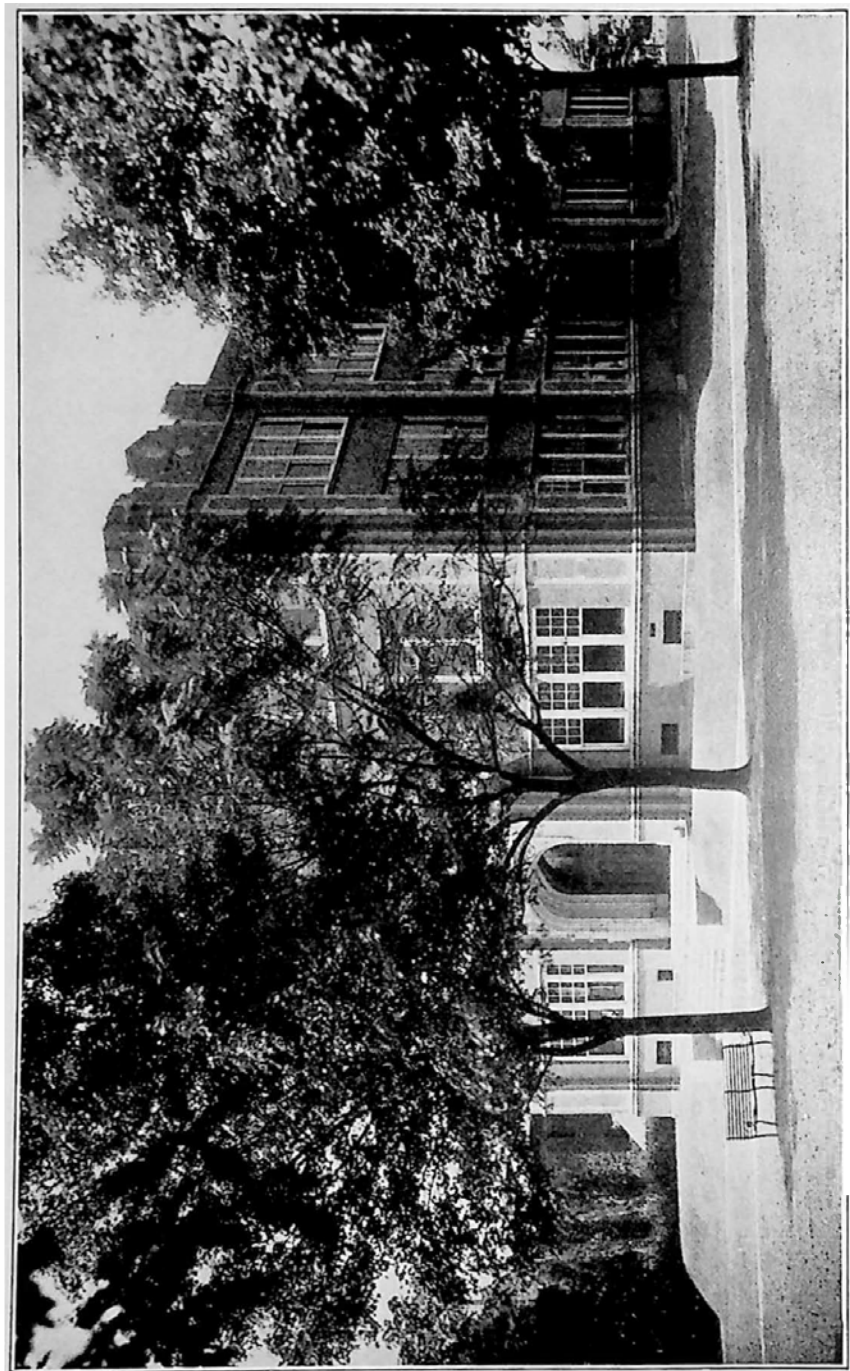
PRESIDENT M. P. SHAWKEY

a high school education. This work it took up with avidity and clung to it for years, earning a reputation for high grade academic and collegiate training.

About the beginning of the present century the school began to stress methods of teaching because conditions in the State had advanced to a point where a start in the professional training of teachers was possible. In later years development in the institution proceeded at a more rapid pace. In 1920 the normal work was raised to the dignity of a "State Teachers College" by action of the State Board of Education. In June, 1924, the work of the institution was still further defined and two colleges, the Teachers College and the College of Arts and Sciences, were organized. Since that date there has been great growth in the school particularly in the College of Arts and Sciences.

**Growth**

The faculty now numbers around 100 members and the average academic training for individual members is much higher than formerly. At present



NORTHCOTT HALL, MARSHALL COLLEGE

a Master of Arts degree is the minimum for any regular faculty teaching position. The men and women who have been assembled and organized into the college teaching body represent a large number of universities in all parts of this country and some of the better known European institutions. Not only does this group include scholars of marked ability, but it includes that diversity of mental and psychological types which tends to develop a spirit of broadmindedness in students.

#### Greater Student Body

The growth in student enrollment has been extraordinary. The report for the fall of 1924 showed 710 students on the campus. That for the fall of 1929 showed 1,521.

In other words, the student enrollment increased 100 per cent in a six-year period. During the school year closing June 30, 1930, a total of 3,124 students were enrolled. At that, the increase in attendance has been slowed up by a lack of facilities. Students were turned away at the opening of the present year because additional classes could not be organized to accommodate them.

#### Campus

The College now owns a site of 25 acres surrounded by broad streets and avenues all graded, drained, and supplied with gas, electricity, and sewers.

This land is so situated that every inch of it is usable and buildings can be constructed upon it with a minimum of expense. The plan is simple yet beautiful. The open spaces are covered with a healthy turf of lawn grass, the walks are shaded by fine old trees, and at strategic points beds of bright colored flowers are located. The whole scene presents a picture of health, comfort, and beauty.

#### Buildings

The Legislature of 1929 provided \$200,000 for a new library and classroom building to which \$25,000 was added by a friend of the institution. That building—the James E. Morrow Library—will be ready for use within a few weeks. It is a splendid, fireproof building of handsome architectural design.

The Legislature also provided for a complete sprinkler system for Main Hall which has been installed, insuring safety from fire hazards.

In all there are nineteen buildings on the campus. A goodly number of these are residences which have been remodeled for institutional uses. They are expensive to keep up and should be replaced with better buildings at as early a date as possible.

#### Advantages of a City Location

There is a great advantage in locating a school in a larger city. First, there are hundreds of students in any large center who can stay at home and thus get their education at a saving of thousands of dollars. Second, the opportunities in a larger city for first hand contact with the business and social activities of the world is a large part of a good education in

itself. Third, many students want employment to pay a part of their school expenses.

Huntington with its varied industries offers abundant opportunities for such employment. As many as three hundred of our student body pay a portion of their expenses each year by working part time.

Moreover there are few cities that offer as good living conditions for students and nowhere may students live at less expense.

### Men of Marshall

Men make an institution as truly as an institution makes men. Today as old Marshall nears her ninetieth birthday and her friends gather together for memory's sake, the list of good men and great throws a magic spell around the name of the old school.

We love John Marshall, America's great Chief Justice, because he gave us such an honored name. Then we recall from the first plans of 1837 till the present hour how men have come and gone. James Beauchamp Clark's one year as our president seemed to be the decisive year in his career. Later "Tommy" Hodges came along but his service was of such a notable character that he was soon called to the presidency of the State University. Then we recall President James E. Morrow, whose distinguished son, Senator Dwight W. Morrow, of New Jersey, has become a world figure. Mrs. A. R. Erskine, wife of the president of the Studebaker company, is recalled as a Marshall girl of the days of yesteryear. Then there is L. W. W. Morrow, former Yale professor and now editor of the Electric World. This distinguished young man is a Marshall graduate. Arthur B. Koontz, of the class of 1907, came within a few hundred votes of being elected Governor of the State. Another alumnus, Harold B. Ritz, was a Judge of the Supreme Court and resigned for a great law practice. George W. Sharp, a member of the class of 1909, is Secretary of State, serving his second term in that important office. Hon. Howard B. Lee has been re-elected as Attorney General of the State. S. H. Sharp is a Circuit Court Judge, and Charles W. Ferguson has been promoted from the office of Prosecuting Attorney to the Judgeship in his circuit. W. W. Trent, an alumnus, has been elected President of Broaddus College, Geo. W. Goode is superintendent of schools at South Charleston and Charles F. Kenney is Principal of the Charleston High School. A. B. Abbot is a Senator from the 9th Senatorial District; H. C. Warth is Judge of the Common Pleas Court, Huntington; Robert C. Spangler is a professor at the West Virginia University, Paul B. Morrow is a professor at the University of Georgia, and Clair L. Cook is superintendent of schools of Wyoming county.

The younger men and women of the more recent classes are doing excellent work and among them there are those who will certainly play important parts in the affairs of state and nation.

**WEST VIRGINIA STATE COLLEGE**

INSTITUTE, WEST VIRGINIA

*(By JOHN W. DAVIS, President)***History**

West Virginia State College, located in Kanawha County at Institute, is the leading institution supported by the State and one of the leading colleges in the United States, for the education of Negro youth. During the 39

years of its existence approximately 15,000 boys and girls have been enrolled and more than 1000 have been graduated. The college has been conducted in such way as to cause some of the foremost educators in the state and in the nation to give high rating to its work. It is the first college in America established for the education of Negro youth and manned by a faculty of Negroes, ever to be fully accredited by one of the nationally known regional accrediting bodies. During the last six years three members of the faculty of this institution have been called to serve on commissions authorized by the President of the United States. The President of the College is now a member of President Hoover's National Advisory Committee on Education. The particular function of this committee, as defined by the Secretary of the Interior, is to give the United States "the proper



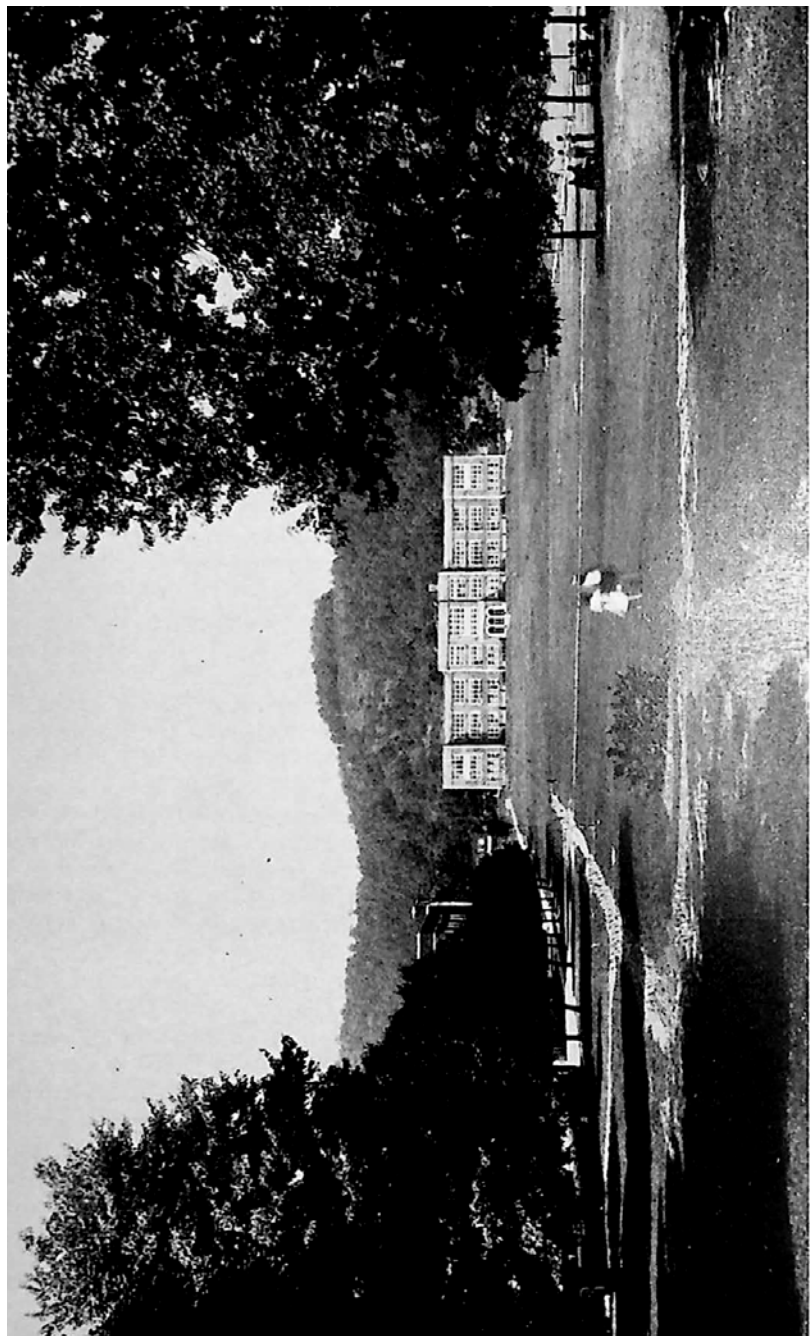
PRESIDENT JOHN W. DAVIS

course." In this and in other ways, West Virginia State College has helped to bring academic prestige and honor to the State.

On March 17, 1891, during the administration of former Governor A. B. Fleming, this institution became a legislative fact. Its doors were opened for the reception of students on May 3, 1892. From that time until now the persons whose names follow have served as heads of the institution:

J. Edwin Campbell, 1892-1894; John H. Hill, 1894-1898; from July, 1898 until September 21, 1898, Mr. James M. Canty acted as principal of the school; J. McHenry Jones, 1898-1909; Byrd Prillerman, 1909-1919. On August 1, 1919, John W. Davis, present president, began his services.

The institution was originally established in order that West Virginia might share the benefits of an appropriation made by Congress on August 30, 1890, through "The Morrill Bill," which provided that no state should enjoy the benefits of said bill unless adequate provisions were made for the



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education of the colored youth of the state. The West Virginia Legislature passed, in 1891, an act establishing the institution. It is under the control and management of the State Board of Control and the State Board of Education as are other state educational institutions. The scope of the work done in the institution may be summarized from the following statement:

"The State Board of Education shall establish and maintain in West Virginia State College, in addition to the departments already established, such professional and graduate schools and college courses of study as may be expedient and possible and shall prescribe the conditions of graduation therein and make rules for conferring degrees and for issuing the proper diplomas to those who complete such courses." Beside this, West Virginia State College has the power and authority to do extension work in agriculture, home economics and such other subjects as the State Board of Education and its Advisory Council may direct, among the Negro population of West Virginia.

#### A Land Grant College

Standardization of school procedure is regarded as necessary by the administration and faculty of the West Virginia State College. Such standardization is not allowed, however, to obviate or subordinate the purpose of the institution. Collegiate standardization, at best, is educational clearance for maximum efforts in work and service. It should never be attempted, when its application removes an institution from the condition or sphere of those to be served. This institution, then, holds as necessary and fundamental the original Land Grant College objectives, even though rethought to fit our present socio-economic order. It regards as its high purpose the training of Negroes for adjustments to their worlds.

A consideration of the Negro's activities emphasizes the need of a philosophy of education which will emancipate him through a greatly improved economic status. With this as an established point of view much emphasis is given to the larger participation on the part of the Negro in industry and increased possession of land. Farming and industry hold the keys to a better day for him. This ideal enthrones a dignity in work and labor as being necessary to any cultural advancement.

The college thinks then of the group and a state to be served. In a more fundamental way, consideration is given also to those persons who, perhaps, will never attain the requirements for collegiate study. For such persons the college promotes a service plan of education. This plan emphasizes its service feature more than traditional school processes which demand much in terms of educational entrance requirements, "prerequisites" and "courses." Through a careful analysis of the student and his vocational needs, he is guided and admitted into this school of service education. Only "matter courses" which are deemed necessary to the student's vocational or citizenship fitness are provided. At present the plan is more thoughtful of a firmer economic outlook for the student than of the so-called organized "school curriculum." Through guidance and evolution, choice may be made later of functional "school courses."

This plan breaks from other cooperative plans now in use in that it supports the ideal of an efficient workman and not the traditional "award for graduation." The position is taken that a simple recommendation involving efficiency to work as a carpenter, brickmason, auditor, office secretary or caterer is as worthy as a "diploma." It points to "readiness to work" and not "graduation."

#### Service to the State

So fundamental has been the desire on the part of West Virginia State College to benefit its constituency that its popular acclaim and growth during the last decade have been unparalleled among institutions in America supported for the education of Negro youth. Popular response now intimated has not been without gain to the State. West Virginia enjoys today almost complete racial harmony. Animosities and outbreaks between races, which disturb the peace of mind of the best citizens of some states, are almost unknown in West Virginia. Much credit for this happy result must be given to the students and graduates of West Virginia State College. Good citizenship is a major ideal in the institution.

It is a matter of compliment and justifiable pride to West Virginians that leading men and women in other States should look to West Virginia for constructive suggestion and example in handling their problems of maladjusted racial differences. This, in itself, shows great returns on money invested by the State in this college.

#### Aims of the Institution

Definite results from administration of curricula as indicated below establish very definitely aims pursued in the institution.

1. The college is a member of the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools; the Association of American Colleges; and the Association of Colleges for Negro Youth.
2. The American Medical Association has given special approval to the pre-medical work offered in the college.
3. The college is most favorably cited in the recent National Land Grant College Survey.
4. The Survey of Education in West Virginia carries a complimentary mention of the academic effectiveness of the work of the college.
5. Unbiased and reputable educational authorities have recommended graduate work for the institution.
6. The college attracts increasingly students of a high mental and social order.
7. Work leading to the short course certificate has been eliminated.
8. Work of the two-year Smith-Hughes course has been eliminated.
9. The High School of the institution is no longer an independent unit but a division of the College of Education.
10. The two-year (above high school) course for training of elementary school teachers has been eliminated.
11. Complete reorganization of work offered in trades and industries has been made.
12. Stabilized efforts in education have been made possible in that the college does not now feel called upon to handle temporary programs designed to serve education emergencies.
13. High School students, now coming into the college, many of whom have been taught by recent graduates of the college, are of a higher order than high school students who enrolled a few years ago.
14. Graduates of the college are received with-

out academic offset into the following colleges and universities: University of Chicago, Columbia University, University of Cincinnati, Cornell University, Ohio State University, Iowa State College, University of Illinois, University of Wisconsin, University of Pennsylvania and University of Pittsburgh. 15. Calls are made regularly for State College faculty people to serve in various ways in the state and nation.

It is the desire on the part of the college to answer in a more definite and effective way the crying need for extension work among the Negroes in the state. Lack of funds to secure proper persons for this work has prevented the college from functioning properly in this well established aim. In a like sense, buildings are now inadequate to enable the college to point out a necessary vocational outlook for young women. The same may be said for our work in Physical Education. Further, in connection with this college, educational pictures of 10, 20 and 25 years periods indicate the necessity of progressive steps in connection with the educational and physical expansion of the college. In a word, the future of this institution calls for a more inclusive, liberal and technical program, a fuller home economic effort, research activities, and a wider application of curricula which will fit into the life of the people of the state, as well as a more effective follow-up program of students and graduates. Such an outlook rightly pursued and operated will guarantee to the State of West Virginia a stabilized, intelligent and industrious citizenry as the natural product of this college. In this the state will be serving its chief assets—boys and girls, who in turn will enrich society.



ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, POTOMAC STATE SCHOOL

**POTOMAC STATE SCHOOL**

KEYSER, WEST VIRGINIA

*(By JOS. W. STAYMAN, President)*

The "Keyser Preparatory Branch of West Virginia University" was opened in 1902. At that time there were few high schools in the Eastern Panhandle of the State, and the purpose of the school, as its name indicates, was to prepare students for the State University. However, it was soon realized that there was a demand for other courses. In 1903 was added a commercial department which, for many years, continued to be one of the largest departments of the school. Next a music department, then a department of elocution brought into the scope of the school the cultural side of education.



PRESIDENT JOS. W. STAYMAN

An effort to serve the agricultural interests of the region resulted in the establishment of an agricultural department.

In 1917 the school experienced a disaster when fire swept away the old "Prep" building. As a result of the destruction of the main building on the campus, the school suffered a depression until, in 1919, when the present building was completed and occupied. By 1919, a number of local high schools had sprung up in the eastern counties and it was apparent that the

school was no longer serving the best interests of the State as a strictly preparatory school. In that year the Legislature empowered the State Board of Education to extend the scope of the institution into the college field. As a result of this act, the school was made a junior college under the name of Potomac State School, taking its name from the beautiful Potomac River on which the school is located. By 1921, the two-year junior college curriculum was worked out and the first college work begun. The junior college experiment has been fully justified. The low rates, the dormitory accommodations afforded, and the advantage of the close personal contacts between the instructors and students soon attracted students, and the college department, in a very short time, became the largest department of the school, and the college atmosphere began to dominate the life of the institution.

The State Legislature and the governing boards have manifested a kindly

spirit toward the school, which has resulted in giving the institution ample appropriations to carry on the work as well as to add new buildings to the plant. Since the addition of the college work in 1921, the physical plant has been enlarged by a new girls' dormitory, opened in 1925, the president's home, a new physical education building, opened in 1928, and the re-conditioning of an old building which serves as a temporary location for the chemical laboratory.

The heads of the institution since the date of its establishment, and term of service of each, are as follows:

Lloyd Lowndes Friend, Principal .....	1902-1905
Thomas William Haught, Principal.....	1905-1908
Lorain Fortney, Principal.....	1908-1909
J. D. Muldoon, Principal.....	1909-1911
Jos. W. Stayman, President.....	1911-

The close of the school year of 1929-30 marks an epochal period in the development of Potomac State School. With the close of this year all secondary work is eliminated. Hereafter all courses are on the college level, which means that entrance will be limited to high school graduates or to those having the equivalent of a high school education. The content of all courses of study will coordinate with those of the university. Courses are limited to those classified as lower division courses in the university catalog. In other words, the grade of work is strictly that of the junior college level.

The work of the school is now organized under the following departments: Arts and sciences, business administration, music. In the arts and sciences, two years are offered towards the A. B. course, also two years each in the pre-professional courses for law and medicine. The basic subjects for engineering are also offered. The course in business administration is designed to give two years' training of a practical nature to those who wish to prepare for managerial or secretarial positions which do not require the technical training offered in a four year course. In the music department, instruction is given in both voice and piano. Heretofore work in agriculture was offered by this school but this was vocational in its nature and on the secondary level. At this writing a definite program for agriculture has not been worked out for the school year 1930-31. It is recommended, however, that a terminal course of two years, practical in its nature, should be worked out which would qualify men to manage or direct farm operations.

Potomac State is a member of the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools. This association is a clearing house for credits, and the fact that this school is a member of the association assures that credits will be recognized by other institutions of higher learning. A triennial inspection is required by the North Central Association. A thorough reinspection was made in the spring of 1930. This was approved, assuring continued membership in this association.

The faculty of Potomac State consists of well trained and experienced instructors. The minimum standard required of all instructors is that of a Master's Degree.

**NEW RIVER STATE SCHOOL**

MONTGOMERY, WEST VIRGINIA

C. H. MARTIN, *President**(Article Prepared by DEAN F. J. PYLE)*

New River State School was founded in 1895 as the Montgomery Preparatory School, a branch of the State University. State Senator T. P. Davies championed the move to have a State school located in Montgomery and was largely instrumental in getting an act through the State Legislature establishing the school and appropriating \$10,000 for it. The Montgomery heirs donated two acres of land for the school and a two-story building, containing two class rooms and a study hall on the first floor and an auditorium on the second floor, was constructed. School opened for the first time in January, 1896. Such was the beginning of the school, but it grew rapidly and from time to time the legislature made appropriations for its enlargement.



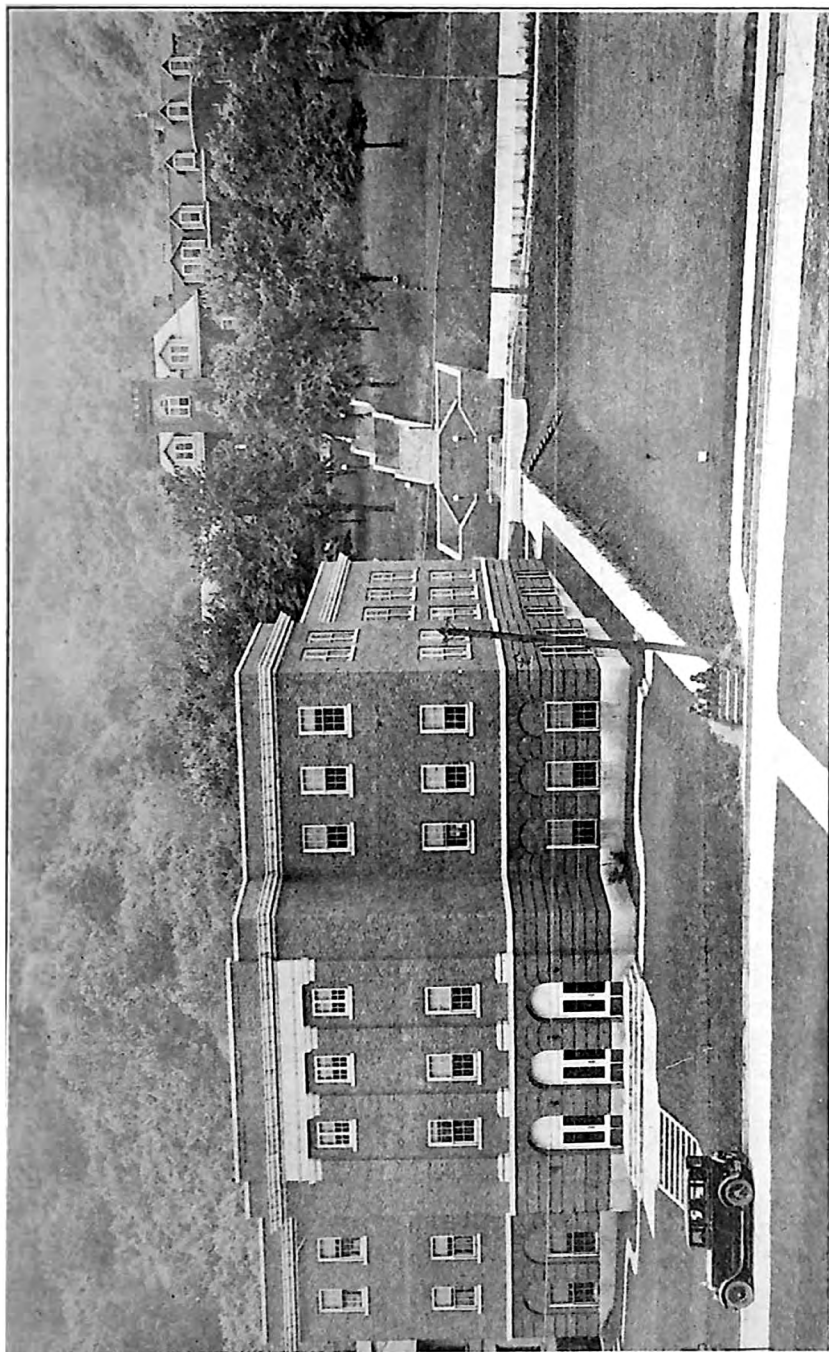
PRESIDENT C. H. MARTIN

The school was established to prepare students for entering West Virginia University, but within a few years high schools began to spring up over the State as if by magic, and it was evident that a State secondary school would not be needed much longer. So it was decided by the school authorities and the State Board of Education to turn the school into a

trade school, and as a result in 1917 the legislature changed the name to that of the West Virginia Trades School.

At that time it was thought the State should begin some work looking to the training of the young men and women of the State to fit into the industrial situation then rapidly becoming a very important part of the development of the State. However, the change was in name only. The legislature failed to appropriate money to purchase equipment and to employ trained teachers. This, coupled with conditions brought on by the war, caused the plan to be abandoned, and the school continued as a high school of the conventional type.

In 1920, when C. H. Martin became president of the school, the institution was at low ebb. Only sixty students presented themselves for enrollment at the beginning of the term. Mr. Martin at once started a campaign for improvements and for an increase in attendance. During his



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second year the enrollment reached 345 and during 1922-23 more than 1,000 students were enrolled in all departments during both regular and summer terms. Realizing that if the school were to live and serve the State most efficiently it must offer more than high school work, Mr. Martin at once set out to have it made a junior college. This was done and the name changed to New River State School by an act of the legislature in 1921. This brought new life to the school and from that time on its growth has been rapid and sure.

By legislature enactment, the State Board of Education was given authority to change the character of work and to add such courses as it thought best for the educational interests of the school. In June, 1927, the State Board of Education authorized the school to offer the junior year of a regular college course and the following June extended this to include the fourth year and authorized the granting of the A. B. degree.

New River State has an unusually strong and well equipped faculty of twenty-three members. Courses offered here coordinate with those of the State University, fitting New River State graduates to continue in the graduate and professional schools of that institution.

In addition to offering the regular standard college courses leading to an A. B. degree, the first two years work of civil, chemical, mechanical and electrical engineering as required by the State University are offered. Pre-medical and pre-law courses are also offered. The college maintains strong departments of biology, English, public speaking, journalism, foreign languages, history and political science, home economics, mathematics and physical science, philosophy and psychology, sociology, economics, business administration, industrial education, music, commerce, physical education and athletics, etc. Each of these departments is headed by one or more instructors having higher degrees and special training in his particular field from the leading colleges and universities of the country.

Among the newer departments is that of printing. A shop has been furnished with all modern equipment and courses are offered which will prepare the students to enter the mechanical departments of modern printing plants and secure important and well paying positions. Special courses are also offered for the training of teachers in this art. These courses are arranged in such a manner as to prepare the student to teach his particular subject and to fit him eventually, after receiving sufficient teaching experience, for administrative positions.

The future work of this college must of necessity be the preparing of young men and women for life in the Kanawha valley and adjoining territory. Since this section of the State is rapidly becoming a great chemical center and of its allied industries, it will be the duty of this institution to give technical and semi-technical training demanded by these industries. If our native population is to profit by these industries, it must be thoroughly trained to take responsible positions in them. Industry has been forced to look for its technically trained men beyond the confines of the State, since we have not had the vision to prepare our youth for such work.

From the two acres of land donated to the State in the beginning as a location for New River State college, the campus has grown until it now consists of ninety-six acres. In 1914, citizens of Montgomery bought and donated two acres of land to the school and since that time the State has made several purchases. Only recently all the land immediately above the college proper, consisting of about seventy-five acres, was purchased and is now being terraced and beautified. The dirt moved from these improvements is being used to fill the hollow back of the college for the purpose of making an athletic field.

The physical plant consists of the administration building, a physical education building, a shop building and the annex. The State owns also owns four good dwelling houses, which are used as homes for faculty members.

The main building has been improved and remodeled until it is now a very good one. The physical education building is of brick and concrete construction, 120x94 feet, two stories high and represents a cost of about \$100,000.00. The annex houses six class rooms and the printing shop in the basement. The shop building is of brick construction and houses the machinery for wood working, forging, machine shop work and physics laboratory.

A mechanical hall has been started but for lack of funds only the foundation has been completed. At the present time a brick library building, two stories above basement, 90x130 feet, is under construction.

The heads of the institution from its beginning to the present time have been as follows:

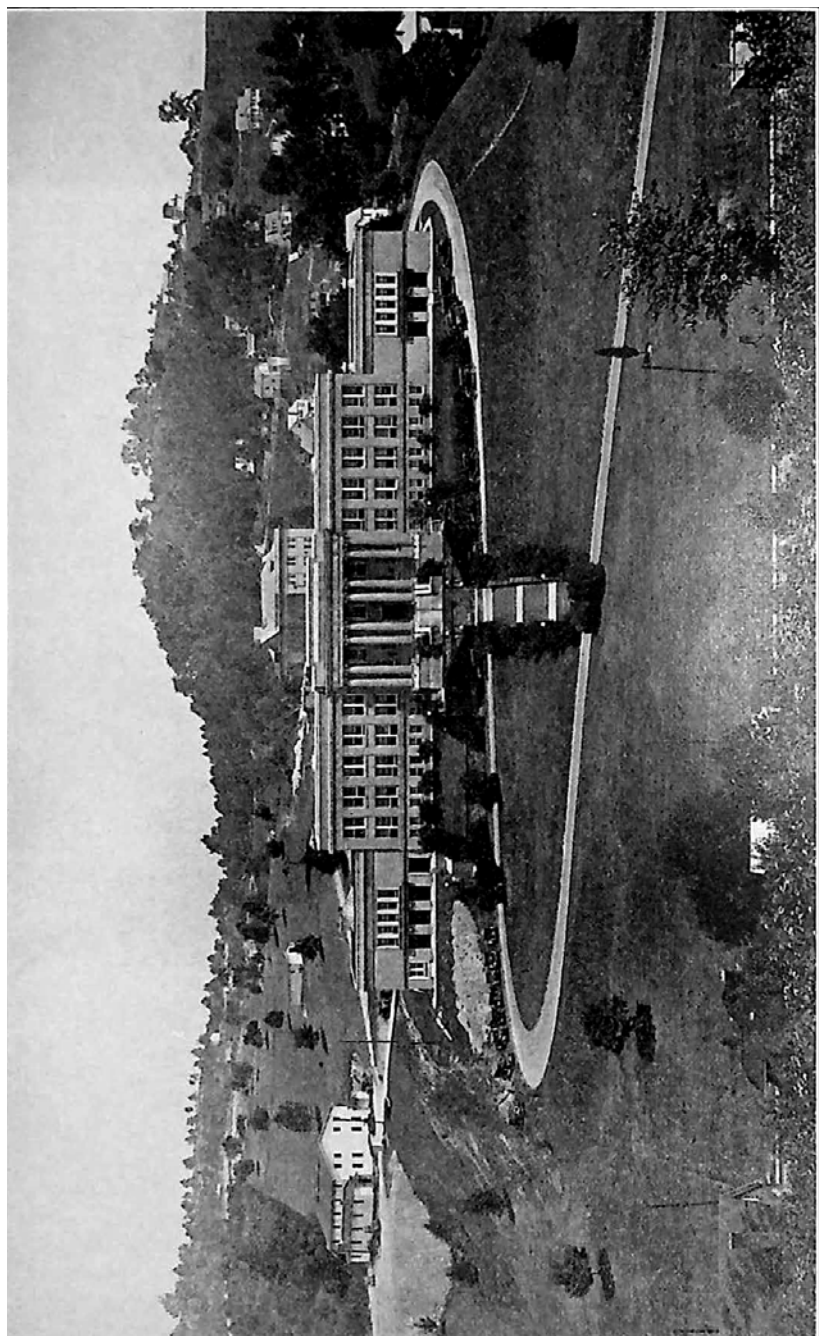
C. E. Bennet	1895-1898
Josiah Keely	1898-1908
Geo. W. Conley	1908-1909
L. W. Burns	1909-1913
A. S. Thorn	1913-1920
C. H. Martin	1920-

New River State has enjoyed a gradual and steady growth. This it owes, among other things, to the particular field which it serves. Being located in Fayette county, in the midst of great industrial developments and in a territory which each year turns out hundreds of boys and girls from its high schools, it seems that the future growth and usefulness of the institution are assured. In former years many students from this section, now served by New River State, sought educational institutions either in Ohio or Virginia.

Situated just above the city of Montgomery, New River State, has an ideal location. When the lands recently purchased have been beautified, no more beautiful spot can be found along the upper Kanawha river. Montgomery is a city of three thousand population, nestled on the bank of the Great Kanawha river, twenty-six miles above Charleston. In this

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little city with every street paved and an abundant supply of good water, one finds all the modern conveniences of much larger cities. Montgomery is accessible by three railroads, the Chesapeake and Ohio, the New York Central, and the Virginian. It is also advantageously located for automobile travel. The Midland Trail crossing the State from east to west passes through Montgomery. So, also, does the famous north and south scenic route, running between Cleveland, Ohio and Florida.



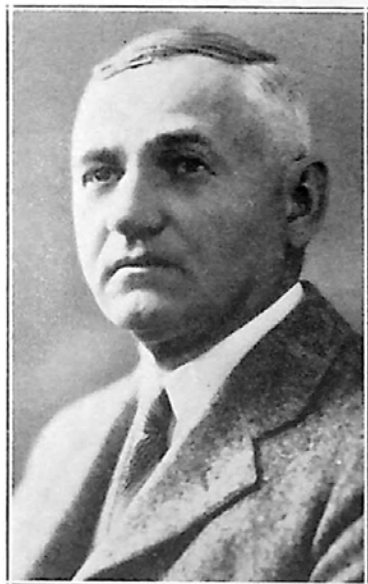
FAIRMONT STATE NORMAL SCHOOL

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FAIRMONT, WEST VIRGINIA

*(By JOSEPH ROSIER, President)*

Provisions for the establishment of the Fairmont State Normal School were made by the State Legislature in 1867. In the Act providing for the school, its purpose was declared to be that of educating and training teachers in the improved methods of instruction and discipline that would be of the best service to the common schools of the State. For sixty years the normal school has striven to carry forward the purpose of its founders. Thousands of young men and women have been enrolled as students and have felt the influence of the instruction which has been given, and thousands have been graduated and are engaged in the different vocations of the State, exerting wide influence in public affairs. From the beginning the normal school gave prominence to the idea of teacher training with the result that the graduates of the school are prominent in the educational work of the State.



PRESIDENT JOSEPH ROSIER

In material equipment the normal school has made steady advancement. In 1872 an appropriation was made by the State Legislature for the erection of a new building in conjunction with the local Board of Education. The

building was completed and occupied in June, 1873. For many years the building standing at the corner of Main and Quincy Streets housed both the Normal School and the Public Schools of Fairmont. In the year 1893 the normal school was moved to a new building on Fairmont Avenue between Second and Third Streets. In 1913 a movement was started to secure a new building site to provide for the future development of the institution. The State Board of Control was authorized by the Legislature to purchase a new site at the far end of Locust Avenue, on the west side of Fairmont. The new site consists of about forty-five acres of ground, ideally located for the institution. In January, 1917, the Normal School was moved into the building, which is to be its home in the future. Since that time a girl's dormitory, and a gymnasium have been erected, and a new science building is now in the course of construction.

The curriculum has been steadily broadened and improved to keep pace with the needs of the times. For many years the curriculum was

on a secondary school level. In 1912 a year's work was added, making it necessary for graduates of a standard high school to spend one year in the Normal. In 1912 another year's work was added, bringing the school up to the standard normal grade. In 1920 the high school, or academic department, was discontinued. The last step in the development of the institution was taken in the spring of 1923 when the State Normal School was authorized by the State Board of Education to offer a four year college course and to grant the A. B. Degree in Education. In the period from 1923 to the present time, the institution has had a remarkable growth in enrollment and its number of graduates has increased from year to year.

The Fairmont State Normal School is located at Fairmont on the Monongahela River, near the junction of the Tygarts Valley and West Fork Rivers. It is on the main line of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad and terminus of the Monongahela Railway. It may be reached on the Monongahela West Penn Public Service Company interurban lines from Weston, Bridgeport, Mannington, and Fairview, and by auto bus from many other localities. The system of good roads connecting Fairmont with other parts of the state has made the institution easy of access.

Fairmont State Normal School exists to prepare teachers and specifically it exists to prepare teachers and supervisors for the elementary and high schools of central and northern West Virginia. It is not in any sense a competitor with the high schools of the state or with liberal arts colleges or professional institutions; it has its own special field of endeavor and is satisfied to cultivate that field. It is graduating about sixty men and women each year in the college course and about one hundred and thirty in the standard two year training course. These men and women go directly into the classrooms of the public schools, and the work of the normal school is thus affecting the educational conditions all over the northern section of the state.

The preparation and training of teachers is an absolute essential to the success of a public system of education. This school has fitted itself into the public school system of the state and articulates with all other schools of the system. It gives graduates of four year high schools entrance without examination or conditions and it sets up no arbitrary standards. It has a special course for those who wish to teach in villages or the country and it encourages specialization in different kinds of teaching.

Every educational institution develops in the course of years a distinctive and characteristic "school spirit." It is this, rather than the buildings or equipment or the faculty, which most clearly distinguishes one school from another and gives each school almost a personal individuality. Fairmont Normal's school spirit is well known; the unusual ideals and traditions of the school are almost immediately perceived by the new students or the visitor. The spirit is attractive and wholesome and it accounts for the feeling of intense loyalty which students and graduates

show for the school. Very prominent in Fairmont Normal is the richness and fineness of the social life of the students. For years it has been the tradition that Fairmont Normal students should engage in many diversified social activities, that they be acquainted with the best usages and trained in good breeding and the social arts. The authorities of the school believe that this is an important part of the education of any young man or woman, particularly of anyone preparing to teach. Finally, as Fairmont Normal is a teachers' school, the atmosphere is distinctly professional. Teaching is the subject most talked about throughout the school. The ambitions and hopes of every student center in teaching, it is the common goal of all. In consequence, there is a unanimity of purpose and effort, a singleness of aim that inspires all who attend the school, and gives them zeal and enthusiasm for teaching.

The faculty is composed of a body of men and women, especially trained in the leading colleges and universities of the country. They accept their responsibility for the training and directing of those who are to be teachers in the public schools of the state. In their own training the members of the faculty represent the best traditions of the teaching profession and they bring into the classrooms of the institution a distinctly professional spirit. With the development of the institution on a collegiate basis, increased emphasis has been placed upon academic training, as a foundation for the development of professional skill. In academic attainments and teaching ability, the members of the faculty will compare favorably in preparation and experience with the faculties of the best institutions of the country.

The courses of the institution are rich and varied and include the collegiate courses which prepare for administrative work in the public schools, and for teaching in the high schools. All of those who complete the college course are qualified for certification by the State Department of Schools for teaching in the public schools. Those who finish the two year college course are prepared for certification to teach in the elementary schools of the State. With the completion and equipment of the new science building, the school will be prepared to give most thorough preparation for those who are to teach the sciences in the public schools of the State and will also be enabled to provide more rich and varied academic courses.

The institution has a library of nearly 15,000 volumes, in charge of a competent librarian and assistants. The new library and reading room is a large and attractive one and is fully furnished with modern library equipment. The books have been selected with care, with the special view of getting together the best books in the different fields of knowledge and literature and specifically in the field of Education. Virtually all the authoritative books on Education, all the classes in English and American Literature and well known reference books are to be found in the library. Modern fiction, drama and poetry are well represented.

The Fairmont State Normal School, being a state institution supported from public revenues, is dedicated to the service of public education in the State. It is the plan and purpose of those now in control of the in-

stitution to develop a great teachers college so that it may give the widest possible service to the young men and women of the State who desire to teach and, through them, to the boys and girls whom they will teach in the public schools. There is a feeling about the Fairmont State Normal School that the greatest work that can be done by any institution is the training and preparation of better teachers for the boys and girls. After sixty-three years of existence the institution is dedicated anew to the purpose of its founders.



**GLENVILLE STATE NORMAL SCHOOL**

GLENVILLE, WEST VIRGINIA

E. G. ROHRBOUGH, *President**(Article Prepared by EVERETT WITHERS)*

In 1931, Glenville State Normal School will grant its first bachelor of arts degrees to about thirty elementary and high school teachers. Since the legislative act of 1872 providing for the establishment of the school until 1931, Glenville State Normal School has pursued a course that has distinguished it from other similar State schools. Despite many disadvantages for a number of years, it has been a pioneering institution with a continually increasing enrollment and with a standard of work always unquestionable. If the success of graduates and the demand for their services are proper criteria for judging the worth of a school, this institution ranks high. The requests for teachers come from various parts of the State and in numbers often greater than there are unengaged graduates.

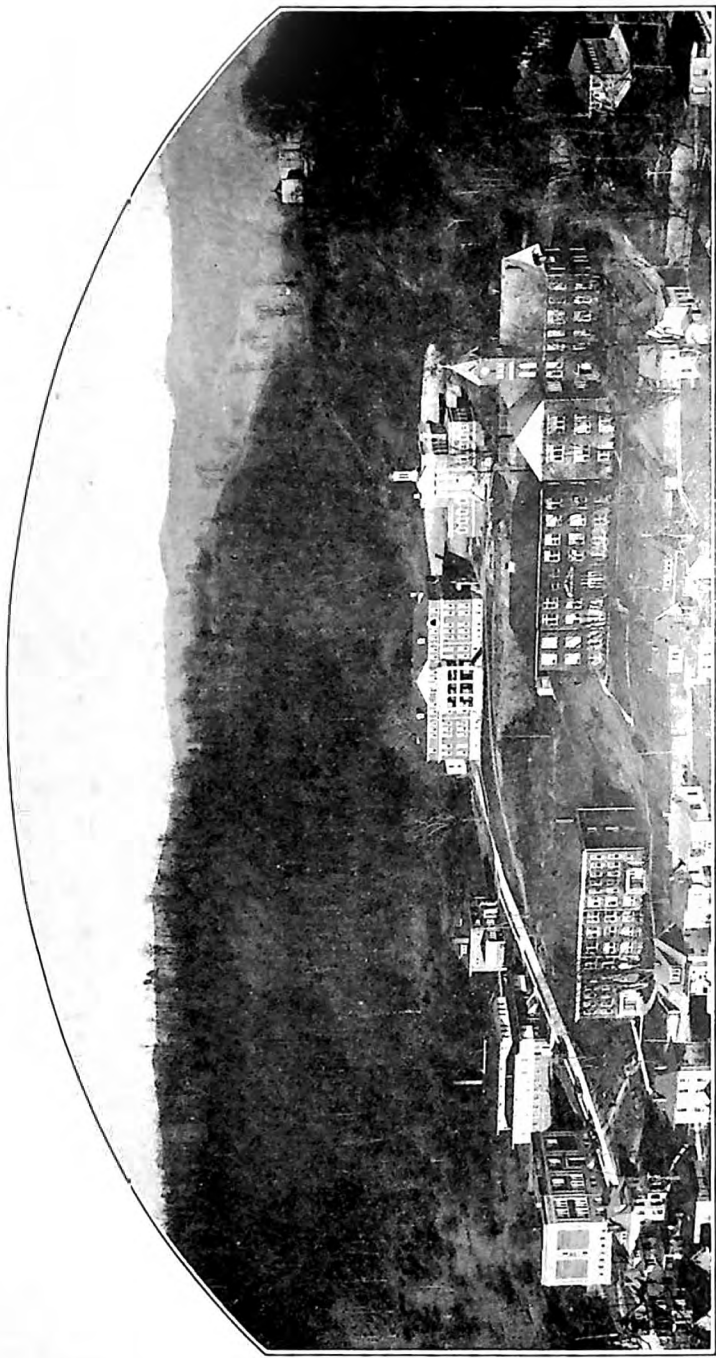


PRESIDENT E. G. ROHRBOUGH

The legislature of West Virginia in 1872 really only gave permission for the founding of a State normal school at Glenville. A course of study was named by the Board of Regents of the Normal Schools of West Virginia, but everything from the selection of the textbooks to the securing of a building and grounds was made the duty of Act-

ing Principal T. Marcellus Marshall and the Normal School Association of Gilmer County, an organization of subscribing citizens; for the legislature had specifically and forcefully decreed that there never should be an appropriation made by the State for grounds or for buildings. Then, as Mr. Marshall said, "After thirteen years of waiting and furnishing its own straw, the Normal School secured through the Hon. R. R. Marshall, my father, an appropriation of \$5,000 for a house." Previously \$300 had been subscribed locally and one State grant of \$500 for books and apparatus had been made. During this thirteen-year period the largest graduating class had no more than ten members.

With the \$5,000, the oldest part of the Administration Building was constructed in 1885. An addition was made to this in 1893, and in 1911 the newest part of the same building was erected. From this time on the



GLENVILLE STATE NORMAL SCHOOL

school has been increasing its physical equipment and curricula, and with the increase have come hard-surfaced roads and hundreds of students. During the spring of 1929 the total number of resident students enrolled was 486, the largest registration in the history of the school. Next year bids fair to see this number increase.

Instead of the borrowed school-house of 1873, Glenville State Normal School today has buildings and equipment that conveniently accommodate its five hundred students. On a hillside overlooking the town of Glenville are the six buildings of the school. The Administration Building contains classrooms and laboratories, an auditorium, and library. The library will be moved, however, before the opening of the 1930-31 school year to the Robert F. Kidd Library, a \$50,000 structure now nearing completion. In it will be a few classrooms. Nearby are two comfortable dormitories—Verona Mapel Hall for women, and Kanawha Hall for men—where one hundred fifty students lodge and two hundred fifty board. A physical education building and the president's home form the northwestern corner of the campus. In the former structure are held classes in physical education, school entertainments, and basketball games. This building is of brick and white stucco and is fully equipped with showers and dressing rooms. The president's home, recently erected, is of tapestry brick, as are Verona Mapel Hall and the Robert F. Kidd Library, and is well finished. A two-story, five-car garage is being built. About twenty students will be lodged on its second floor. A large house near the campus is leased by the school and is used as an annex to the men's dormitory.

Not far from the campus are the school farm and Rohrbough Field. The farm is used as a demonstration one in connection with the department of agriculture. Its products, which have won a number of first prizes at the Gilmer County fairs, are used at the dormitories. Rohrbough Field in south Glenville has recently been graded and has an ideal playing surface for football and baseball.

About \$2,000 was spent during the past year in landscaping the campus. Some trees were removed, shrubs and flowers were set out, and a formal rose garden made at the president's home.

As to the location and accessibility of the school, Glenville is on State Route 5, one hundred miles from Charleston on the south and fifty-three miles from Clarksburg on the north. A year-round bus service makes travel easy between these cities. Glenville is not on a railroad, the nearest station being Gilmer, twelve miles east on the Little Kanawha River. The town, with a population of two thousands, has paved streets, electricity and natural gas, and a sanitary water system.

Students' expenses are probably lower at Glenville State Normal School than at any other school in West Virginia. Room and meals at the dormitories may be had for \$18 a month. A part of the enrollment fee of \$12.50 a semester is used as an athletic fund which enables students to see all athletic contests free of charge. The necessary incidental expenses at Glenville are less than they are in larger towns.

Recreations are diverse, and a healthful emphasis is put upon them by the school. Glenville State Normal School is a member of the West Virginia Athletic Conference and during the year of 1929-30 won twenty of

the twenty-three conference athletic contests in which it engaged; twelve out of thirteen in basketball, five out of seven in football, and three, or all, in baseball. Track, tennis, and boxing teams are also maintained. A yearly social programme consisting of dances, musicales and lectures, and other forms of entertainment, is supervised by faculty members. Clubs of various interests and student publications exist for those persons who are interested in specialized extra-curricular activities.

Of more importance than the physical equipment of a school is the quality of work its students do. Always has Glenville State Normal School insisted upon and maintained a standard of scholarship—and a scholarship balanced by out-of-classroom activities—that is unsurpassed by any other school or college in West Virginia. This is due to two factors: the heads of the school and its instructor, and the students.

While educational theory has endorsed practices varying from extreme to extreme, including perhaps many fads, the principals of Glenville State Normal School have succeeded in keeping a middle course. President E. G. Rohrbough, dean of West Virginia schoolmen and head of the school since 1908, has seen the curriculum gradually change from the required classical to the elective and now start back toward the traditional classical; he has seen the course of study enlarged from one including mostly high school work to one providing for a degree. Yet he has succeeded in maintaining a high standard of work. The standards of this school have always been equal to those of the institutions which grant degrees.

Glenville State Normal School has been particularly fortunate in attracting the type of student it has. From the hill counties of Gilmer, Braxton, Lewis, Nicholas, Clay, and Calhoun come most of its students—persons of a sturdy stock, not particularly well-to-do, but of an unusual seriousness of purpose. One of the best proofs in support of these statements is the fact that between 1874 and 1929, fifty-five years, 1116 students were graduated and 881 of them have taught or are teaching. This is a percentage of seventy-eight.

As heretofore, the primary aim of Glenville State Normal School will be to prepare teachers and principals for the elementary and high schools of the State. It was for this purpose that the institution was established, and to it all other aims are secondary and contributory. In the accomplishment of this aim the development of three major qualities of a good teacher—knowledge of subject matter, training, in methods and principles of instruction, and advanced academic preparations—is planned for and emphasized.

While the conversion of the school into a degree-granting institution was due to natural influences that were state-wide, this school accepts its greater privilege as one that was manifestly due it. It will not attempt to parallel the work of West Virginia University and academic colleges. But, now that Glenville is easily accessible, that buildings are provided for immediate needs, and that material things have been brought nearer to the high quality of work that the school has maintained through many years of difficulties, Glenville State Normal School hopes that it may fulfill completely the additional services which will be expected from it as a teachers' training school.

**WEST LIBERTY STATE NORMAL SCHOOL**

WEST LIBERTY, WEST VIRGINIA

JOHN S. BONAR, *President**(Article Prepared by PROFESSOR D. B. ROGERS)*

Out of the wreckage of Federalist institutions, demolished in the cyclonic onset of an irresistible Jeffersonianism, an adolescent democracy salvaged the fragments of "class" culture, classic learning, and good breeding



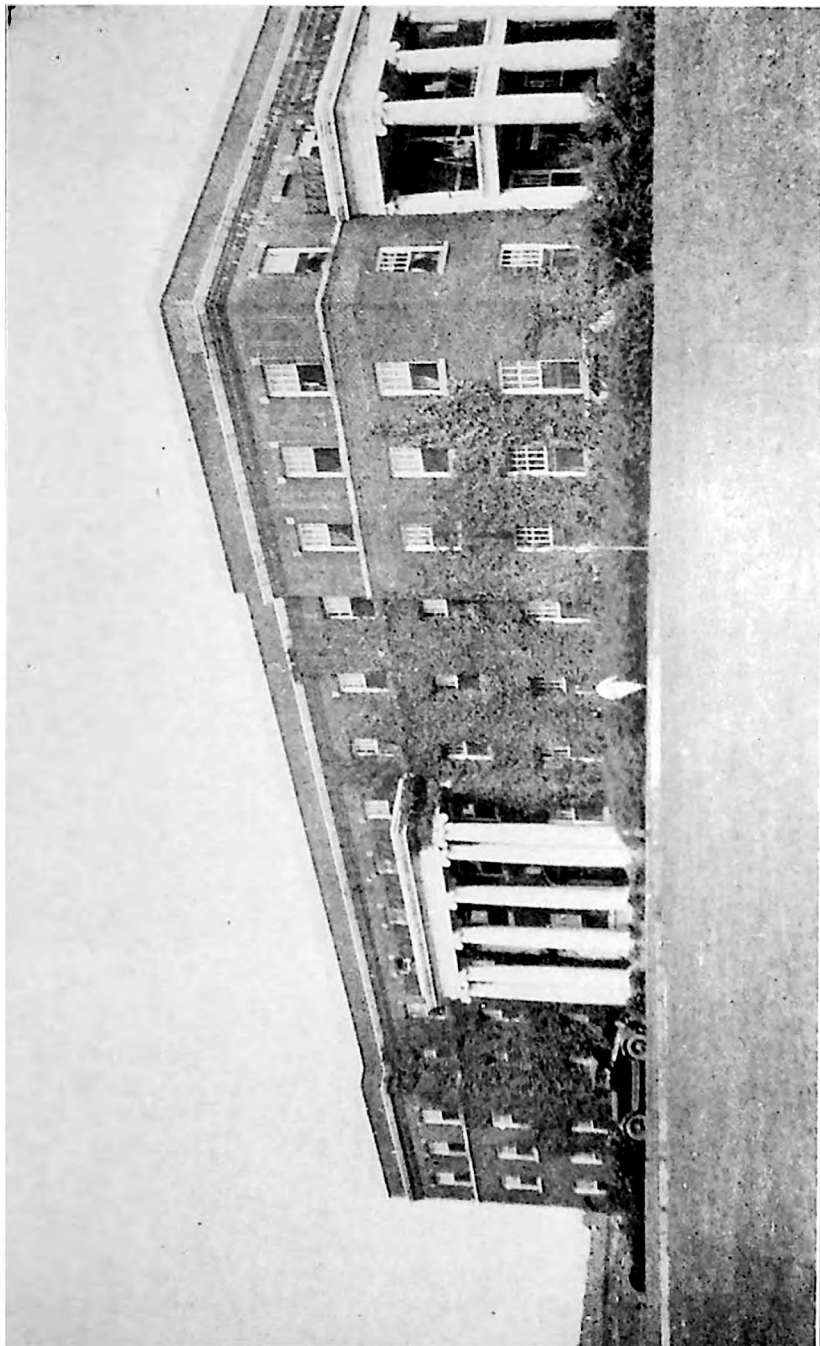
PRESIDENT JOHN S. BONAR

and built them into the foundation of an original, distinctive, and essentially American institution—the Academy. Cubberly in "Public Education in the United States," describing the origin and growth of academies, says, "The colonial Latin grammar school had been almost entirely an English institution, and never well suited to American needs. While essentially a private institution, arising from a church foundation, or more commonly a local subscription or endowment it became customary for towns, counties and states to assist in the maintenance of the new Academies, thus making them semi-public institutions. Their management, though, usually remained in private hands, or under boards or associations."

Precisely ten years after the inauguration of President Andrew Jackson, the sons of the hardy woodsmen, who had erected their cabin homes upon

the slopes of the knoll which marks the site of the first seat of justice in the Ohio Valley, determined to provide the training that would better fit their young men to avail themselves, in a frontier commonwealth "where all men were created equal," of the then numerous opportunities for participation in the social, political and economic life which prevailed at this time. The people of West Liberty were in tune with what Woodrow Wilson, in "Epochs of American History," has called "a great democratic upheaval, the wilful self-assertion of a masterful people." The West Liberty Academy was an expression of this feeling.

In 1838, the Reverend Nathan Shotwell and his wife opened a school of academic grade, in what is now known as the Doyle House, in the village of West Liberty, Ohio County, "For the benefit of young people desiring to secure higher education." From this modest beginning has proceeded the



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long and honorable career of the northern Panhandle's only state educational institution.

Originally a local enterprise supported and governed by public-spirited citizens, housed in a frame dwelling, with a faculty composed of a part-time, pioneer minister of the gospel and his wife, who offered courses in rhetoric, elocution, "public reading" and oratory, orthography, and book-keeping, the institution of higher learning at West Liberty has had a checkered career. Burned out two years after its establishment, it was rebuilt more spaciously—a brick structure being erected. A new building was erected by the friends of the school in 1857, in mistaken anticipation of at least partial State aid from the Old Dominion. The southwest wing of the present "old administration building" was the result.

In 1861 there were seventy-six men and boys enrolled in the academy. Seventy-five of these heard Lincoln's call and rallied to the colors. This answer would have been unanimous had it not been for the fact that one man was physically unable to render military service. Most of these followed Col. W. B. Curtis through the most sanguinary campaigns of four years of internecine conflict.

The Legislature of West Virginia authorized the purchase of West Liberty Academy "on behalf of the regents of the State Normal School," on February 26, 1867, the academy property then consisting of one small brick building and one and one-half acres of land. This was the first purchase of land and buildings made for a Normal School in West Virginia. An act of the Legislature, in 1870, established the West Liberty State Normal School.

Thereafter this Ohio county state educational institution has had a varied career. Suffering many times for want of sufficient funds, the friends and faculty of the school have sacrificed to keep its doors open and its classrooms resounding with the best kind of instruction and learning; its buildings have been reduced by fire only to rise again until today West Liberty State Normal School, a teachers college, stands as a great monument to those who founded, and to those who have supported, the school in the years that have passed, as well as a beacon light to those who would seek opportunities in the fields of learning. Situated a few miles from the great city of Wheeling, on an hilltop whose beauty can not be surpassed, the school is in the most propitious state of well being of its long history.

Since May 24, 1915, West Liberty State Normal School has known a new era. That date marks the appropriation of \$70,000.00 by the State Legislature for the purpose of adding one hundred acres to the campus and erecting, on the new site, a thoroughly modern and adequate dormitory for women. This building, designed to accommodate one hundred students, was begun in 1918 and dedicated on January 3, 1920. Since that time, West Liberty State Normal School has enjoyed almost constant growth in its physical equipment, enrollment and curriculum.

In 1921, \$30,000.00 was appropriated with which to build a gymnasium, to purchase the President's home, and to construct a new water system. A large, modern, frame gymnasium was completed and opened for use

February 8, 1922. The J. E. Emsley property, situated between the main building and the dormitory, was purchased May 20, 1922, as a permanent residence for the head of the school. A five thousand barrel reservoir was completed and connected with the buildings for use in December, 1921.

During the summer of 1927, a large dam was built across the stream in Atkinson Hollow and a modern filtration plant was built. This insures a constant supply of pure water.

The Legislature of 1927 appropriated \$100,000.00 with which to construct the first unit of the much-needed Administration building. The construction of this wing was begun during October of the same year, and was completed and ready for occupancy April 1, 1929. This wing contains two large laboratories, ten classrooms, one lecture room, five offices, and two rest rooms.

In April, 1928, on account of the crowded condition at Shaw Hall and the great need of places for young ladies to stay, the State Board of Control leased the residence of the late Julia Pruell from the trustees of the local Christian Church, who are the present owners. This was remodeled into a girls' dormitory. It contains seven dormitory rooms, a large reception hall and the quarters of the caretakers and matron.

The Legislature next appropriated \$100,000.00 for the second unit of Curtis Hall. This addition will house the Milton McColloch Library, five classrooms and two offices. This feature will add greatly to the facilities at West Liberty. It will be modern in every respect. There will be space for 129,000 volumes. The "stacks" will be made of metal, and sufficient space will be allowed for reference rooms. The foundation is already completed and work is being rushed in an effort to have the building completed by the opening of the second semester.

West Liberty attained collegiate status on March 26, 1930, when the State Board of Education extended West Liberty the authority to grant the A. B. degree in education. The Hilltop school is now recognized as a standard four year college.

Since 1922, the rate of increase in enrollment has been as follows: 1923, 114.6 per cent; 1924, 212.5 per cent; 1925, 268.75 per cent; 1926, 273 per cent; 1927, 370.8 per cent; 1928, 443.75 per cent; 1929, over 500 per cent.

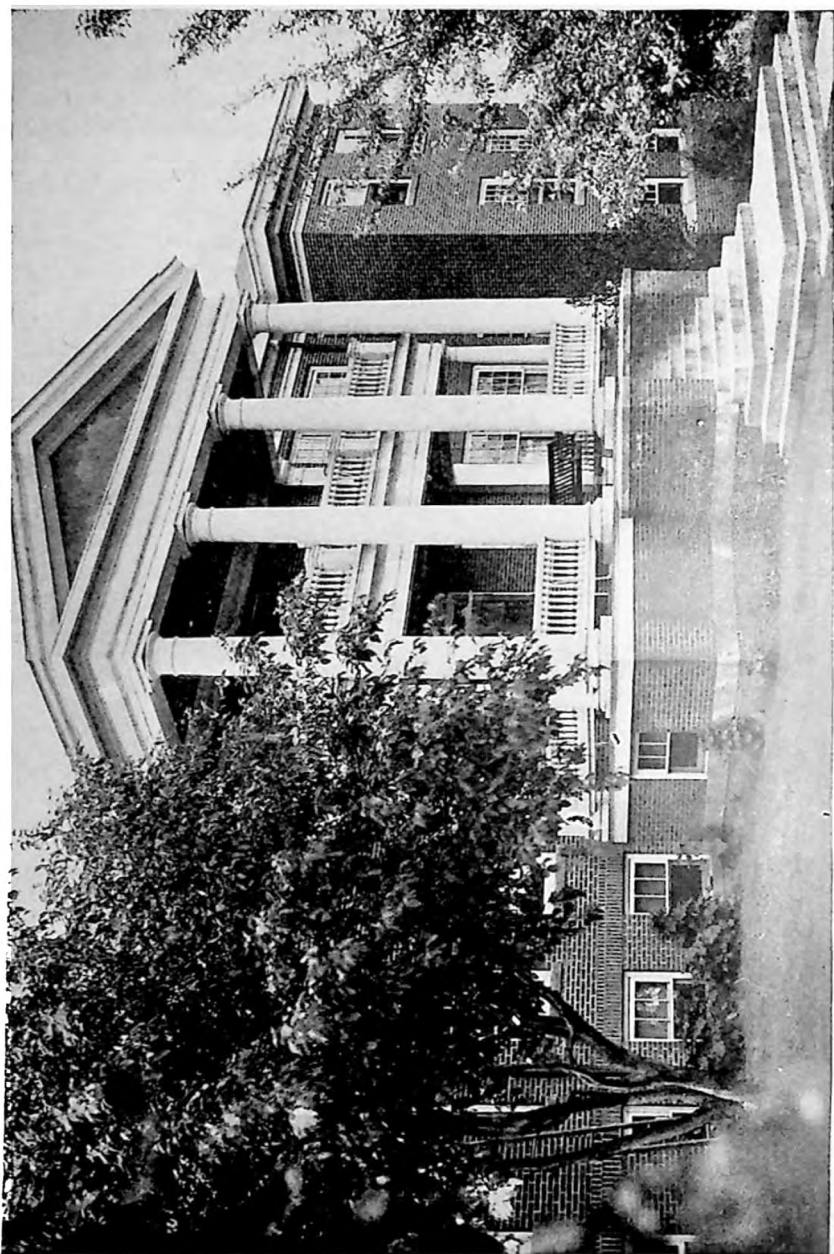
The remarkable progress of the institution is due, no doubt, to several factors, such as the friendly attitude of state boards who have general control and direction of state educational institutions, the contributions of state school officials, the state legislature and faithful friends of the school to its well being. Recognition of these, as well as other helpful sources, is hereby appreciatively made. However, it must be obvious, even to the chance visitor to the campus, that the present administration has been largely responsible for the new vigor and rapid growth which have attracted the attention of the state to this teachers college in its recent forward stride. Much of the credit for the increase in number of students enrolled, the growth of the physical plant and the assemblage of a superior faculty is due to President J. S. Bonar whose ambitions and hopes are such as would, when realized, bring to the northern panhandle



of West Virginia a great institution of learning. These ambitions are being realized, but not without the price of long hours of ceaseless toil and infinite patience.

Since 1920 the school has enjoyed unimpeded growth and progress. With a student body of 417 young men and women of college rank; with a faculty of twenty-four instructors who have acted as assistant professors in the leading colleges of the land; with seven buildings now occupied and a million dollars building program well under way; and with the degree granting authority, beginning with the class of 1931, the friends of the school naturally feel that West Liberty State Normal School has passed the attained status.

Membership in the American Association of Teachers' Colleges makes credit at West Liberty acceptable at its face value at any standard college or university in the country.



GIRLS' DORMITORY, SHEPHERD COLLEGE STATE NORMAL

**SHEPHERD COLLEGE STATE NORMAL SCHOOL**

SHEPHERDSTOWN, WEST VIRGINIA

*(By W. H. S. WHITE, President)*

Within the past decade much real progress has been made at Shepherd College. In 1929 the curriculum was increased from two to three years, all secondary work having been completely eliminated and, by action of the Board of Education in May, 1930, ing as a degree granting teachers' college, empowered to grant the A. B. degree in education. In the decade just closing the school has therefore, progressed from more or less of a preparatory school to full collegiate rank. The American Association of Teachers' Colleges, an association embracing the whole United States, recognized Shepherd College as a Class "A" institution in 1928, after thorough inspection by the officers of the association.



PRESIDENT W. H. S. WHITE

Now that the school has been granted authority to train teachers fully for elementary, junior and senior high school work, a great impetus will undoubtedly be given to the service of teacher training in eastern West Virginia, which territory the College serves. The institution is believed by its friends to be on its way to bigger

and better opportunities of service to the young people of the eastern section of the State.

**Location**

This school is situated in the upper part of the Shenandoah Valley in one of the most beautiful sections of the United States. Shepherdstown is the oldest town in West Virginia, with a continuous history of over two hundred years. The region is rich not only in the fertility of its limestone soil, but also in its historical traditions. The beautiful Potomac runs by the town, where James Rumsey first demonstrated the possibility of steam navigation by water in 1787. Three miles distant is the famous battlefield of Antietam. Gettysburg is little more than an hour's drive. The great caverns of the Shenandoah Valley are within easy reach. The old homes of General Gates, General Lee, and General Darke are in the vicinity. Morgan Morgan, the first white settler in West Virginia, built his first cabin home and place of worship within fifteen miles. Truly, Shepherd

College is in the midst of a region of great historic interest and possesses unusual opportunities for self-culture.

### History

Shepherd College dates its founding as a State Normal School to an act of the Legislature of West Virginia, passed February 27, 1872, but it had its real beginning in a classical and scientific school styled Shepherd College, a certificate of incorporation of which is on record at Charles Town, dated January 12, 1872. As an inducement to secure a normal school here, the trustees of this private school offered the building to the State free of charge for use as a State Normal School, which offer was promptly accepted, and work under State control began in 1872. The founder of the classical and scientific institute was Joseph McMurren, who continued as head of the school after it became a State institution until 1882. Mr. McMurren's thoroughness and high character so impressed themselves upon the school and the students of that earlier day that his influence is felt on the campus to the present day.

### Buildings

Shepherd College has for its work the use of eight buildings besides the local graded school and the high school building which are both used for demonstration purposes and in addition children's cottage and barn, two miniature buildings used for the headquarters of the children of the demonstration school, making a total of really twelve buildings set apart for the school's use. While several of these are inadequate, yet the work of the school is made more efficient by this number of buildings.

The main building, Knutti Hall, has fine symmetry and architectural beauty, and although now twenty-eight years old it is still in excellent condition. The basement contains the old gymnasium, men's retiring room, toilet rooms, and several devoted to physics and geography laboratory. The first floor contains the President's office, general office, library, and study hall, men faculty room, and six class rooms. On the second floor are to be found a fine auditorium, with a seating capacity of about seven hundred, the art studio, teacher-training headquarters rooms, sewing room, and three class rooms, besides the Y. W. C. A. room, the women faculty room, and a small room used for conferences by the teacher-training department.

McMurren Hall is the original building. This is one of the most beautiful buildings architecturally in this section. The entire upper floor, consisting of one main class room and laboratory, with two laboratory rooms on each side, is used for the teaching of biology. On the main floor are located the speech room, the music studio, and a large class room. The other part of the building consists of a little theatre called Reynolds Hall, a commodious auditorium for theatrical work and the public speaking department.

Miller Hall, the girls' dormitory, is located two squares from the main college campus and is located on a four-acre plot purchased in 1915. This building is located just across the street from the home where Admiral

Peary and his wife lived for a short time and where Mrs. Peary spent the time during one of the admiral's trips to the far North. The grounds are carefully planted with fruit trees and shrubbery. Fairfax Athletic Field is in the rear of Miller Hall, and a commodious grandstand adds greatly to the comfort of spectators at all out-door games. Miller Hall contains well appointed and commodious rooms for young wmen students to the number of about forty-five. In this building meals are served to all boarding students to the number of one hundred.

Two years ago a building on Main Street, formerly used as a hotel, was leased by the State and is used for a girls' dormitory annex, accommodating eighteen girls.

At the corner of Main and Princess Streets is located Rumsey Hall, a dormitory for young men, accommodating forty-two. Down Princess Street on the other corner is the White Gymnasium, a commodious, comfortable and adequate physical education building and gymnasium. This building is completely furnished with all modern conveniences for training in physical education and athletics.

Just in the rear of the gymnasium is the miniature farm project, conducted by the training school teachers for demonstration teaching purposes. On the model farm is located a miniature limestone cottage, complete in every respect, together with a model miniature barn. On the small farm are laid out gardens and fields, while across the small stream flowing through are erected rustic bridges. This small project has attracted the attention of educators in every part of the country. Across High Street, north of Knutti Hall, is the home economic cottage on a plot of one acre purchased in 1927. The ground was purchased for the erection of a proposed new class room building. The small cottage, already standing and one of the oldest in the town, was remodelled and is used as a model home for the home-making department. The President's cottage, consisting of about ten rooms, is on the grounds adjoining Miller Hall. It is made of plaster and is complete in every way.

Since 1874, the school has enrolled 12,887 students and issued 1,769 diplomas. The enrollment in 1930 was 641 and in that year there were 97 graduates who received diplomas.

In 1918, the title "Principal" was changed to "President" and the following is a list of the principals and presidents of Shepherd College in its history of fifty-eight years as a State institution:

- \*Joseph McMurran, A. M., 1873-82,
- \*Dudley D. Pendleton, A. M., 1882-85,
- T. J. Woofter, M. E. L., L. I., 1885-87,
- \*Asa B. Bush, A. M., 1887-91,
- E. Mode Vale, A. M., 1891-92,
- A. C. Kimler, A. B., 1892-1901,
- E. F. Goodwin, A. B., L. L. B., 1901-03,
- \*J. G. Knutti, A. B., A. M., 1903-09,
- \*Thos. C. Miller, A. M., 1909-20,
- W. H. S. White, A. B., A. M., 1920—.
- \*Deceased.



MAIN BUILDING, CONCORD STATE NORMAL SCHOOL.

**CONCORD STATE NORMAL SCHOOL**

ATHENS, WEST VIRGINIA

*(By J. FRANK MARSH, President)***History and Scope**

This institution was established by the legislature of West Virginia on February 28, 1872, as a branch of the State Normal School, under the name of "Concord Normal School," the name of the town, then being Concord, but having been changed since to Athens. This school for more than a quarter of a century, served its region as a preparatory academy, giving special attention to subjects for teachers. There was a gradual reduction of the secondary work offered until about 1915, when the school became a two-year professional normal school. It continued to confine its advanced work to the one and two year courses until 1923, when the first collegiate degree was conferred.



PRESIDENT J. FRANK MARSH

It is now a fully recognized four-year teachers' college, belonging to the American Association of Teachers' Colleges and grants the Bachelor of Arts degree for teachers in elementary and high schools. It also gives the Standard Normal School Diploma to those completing the two year professional course as prescribed by the State Board of Education.

**Buildings and Grounds**

Following the destruction of the Normal School by fire, in 1910, the institution was rebuilt on a new site adjoining the town of Athens. The buildings, which are new and modern, are listed and described as follows:

Main School Building, which contains class rooms, science laboratories, library, auditorium and executive offices and has an approximate value of two hundred thousand dollars;

Physical Education Building, containing two gymnasiums, six class rooms, social room, little theatre, examination room and equipment for physical education, with an approximate value of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars;

Hall for Women, accommodating one hundred and twenty-five girls and worth approximately one hundred and fifty thousand dollars;

Hall for Men, accommodating eighty-five students and having an approximate value of one hundred thousand dollars.

In addition to the foregoing buildings, the institution has a series of garages, a pumping station and water system which supplies water for the school and the Town of Athens, which are worth approximately twenty thousand dollars.

The school owns about forty acres of land.

#### Service

The brief space allotted to this article will not permit extended reference to the wide service rendered by the institution through active work, covering more than fifty years of the State's history. Thousands of school teachers have been trained in the spirit of the fundamental purpose of the school. Nearly all of the county, city and district superintendents of southeastern West Virginia have had a part, or all, of their professional training at Concord. The graduates of the institution are found in every school system of the entire section, and represent, perhaps, the greatest force for school progress in this growing area.

That the State has received high returns on its investment in Concord State Normal School is shown by the following partial list of State leaders turned out by the institution:

William C. Cook, State Superintendent of Public Instruction,  
Judge Frank Lively, Supreme Court of Appeals of West Virginia,  
R. Moore Dodrill, Secretary, State Board of Education,  
Dan H. Purdue, State Supervisor of High Schools,  
L. T. Tustin, State Supervisor of Rural Schools,  
George W. Sharp, Secretary of State,  
E. T. England, former Attorney General and Congressman,  
A. A. Lilly, former Attorney General of West Virginia,  
J. Q. Hutchinson, lawyer and State Senator.  
Leonard Echols, former State Tax Commissioner and Congressman,  
L. W. Burns, Superintendent Schools, Martinsburg and for many years  
member of the State Board of Education,  
John R. Pendleton, prominent attorney.

Several members of the faculty of Concord and other institutions of higher learning had their first collegiate training in this school.

#### Extension Service

Not only does the institution give resident instruction, but extends its influence and service over a wide area through an active extension department. Many members of the faculty conduct regular college classes over an area extending approximately one hundred miles from the institution. Instruction is also given to teachers in practically every county in the State, through standard correspondence work. Numerous calls come to the school for addresses and other types of professional service, which are responded to by the president and the members of the official staff and faculty. Information and entertainment are given to the public



through publications and radio programs. The following summary for the year 1929-1930 shows the extent of this type of service:

**Enrollment:**

(1) Extension classes.....	302
(2) Correspondence courses.....	358
	660

**Special Activities:**

(1) Official visits to high schools.....	55
(2) Radio Programs.....	18
(3) Farmers' Week—Attendance.....	300
(4) Educational Conference—Attendance.....	75
(5) Large number of addresses for schools, clubs, churches and community meetings.	
(6) Active publicity and general service throughout the year.	

**Standing of the College**

As stated, this institution belongs to the American Association of Teachers' Colleges. We are meeting the standard of the North Central Association and expected to be admitted within a year. Our graduates have been admitted with full credit to graduate work in such schools as West Virginia University, University of Kentucky, University of Cincinnati, George Peabody College for Teachers, University of Michigan, Medical School of Virginia, Smith College, University of Illinois and University of Chicago.

Our teachers holds master's or doctor's degrees from the best universities and colleges in the United States.

**Growth and Enrollment**

The number attending the institution was reduced for a time by the elimination of work of high school grade. Some ten years ago the number of students of standard college grade enrolled for the regular year was less than one hundred; however, there has been a steady upward trend in both standards and numbers for several years. The demand for progress in the schools of the southern counties, the increasing requirements for teachers and the rapidly growing population in this region, point to further rapid growth in the institution.

The total enrollment for 1929-1930 was 1,664, divided as follows: resident students, 964; extension students, 342; and correspondence students, 358.

**Presidents and Principals**

Captain James Harvey French, a man of forceful personality and deep scholarship, was the first leader of Concord State Normal School and the school was indeed fortunate to have him at its helm in its beginning period. Other devoted leaders, who followed him have upheld the high standard he set. The list of principals and presidents are:

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James Harvey French .....	1875-1891
John D. Sweeney .....	1891-1897
George M. Ford .....	1897-1900
E. F. Goodwin .....	1900-1901
Arthur S. Thorn .....	1901-1906
Isabel Davenport .....	1906-1907
C. L. Bemis .....	1907-1913
L. B. Hill .....	1913-1918
C. C. Rossey .....	1918-1924
George West Diehl .....	1924-1929
J. Frank Marsh .....	1929-

#### Conclusion

The State may well be proud of this institution of learning which it has established and consistently supported. All of the evidence points to increasing honors and opportunities for it.

Concord State Normal School has adopted as its guiding words, "Character, scholarship, wholesome activities and service."

**BLUEFIELD COLORED INSTITUTE**

BLUEFIELD, WEST VIRGINIA

*(By R. P. SIMS, President)*

Bluefield Colored Institute is located in Bluefield, Mercer County, a city of 20,000 population with an elevation of 2,750 feet above sea level.

Hon. William M. Manhood, of Princeton, Mercer County, represented the Seventh Senatorial District in the State Senate of West Virginia during the session of 1895 and, on February first of that year, introduced a bill in the Senate providing for the establishment of a "High Grade School at Bluefield, Mercer County, for Colored Youth of the State." The bill was passed by the Senate on February 15th and by the House of Delegates on February 21st. After receiving the signatures of the Speaker of the House, Hon. William Seymour Edwards and the President of the Senate, the Hon. William G. Worley, it was sent to the Governor, the Hon. William A. MacCorkle, who permitted the bill to become a law without his signature.

Hamilton Hatter, a graduate of Bates College and at that time an instructor in Storer College, was elected Principal and on December first, 1896, with one assistant, he opened school with eighteen pupils present. During the first year the number increased to forty. Prof. Hatter continued as head of the school until 1906, when he was succeeded by R. P. Sims, at that time principal of the Douglass High School of Huntington.

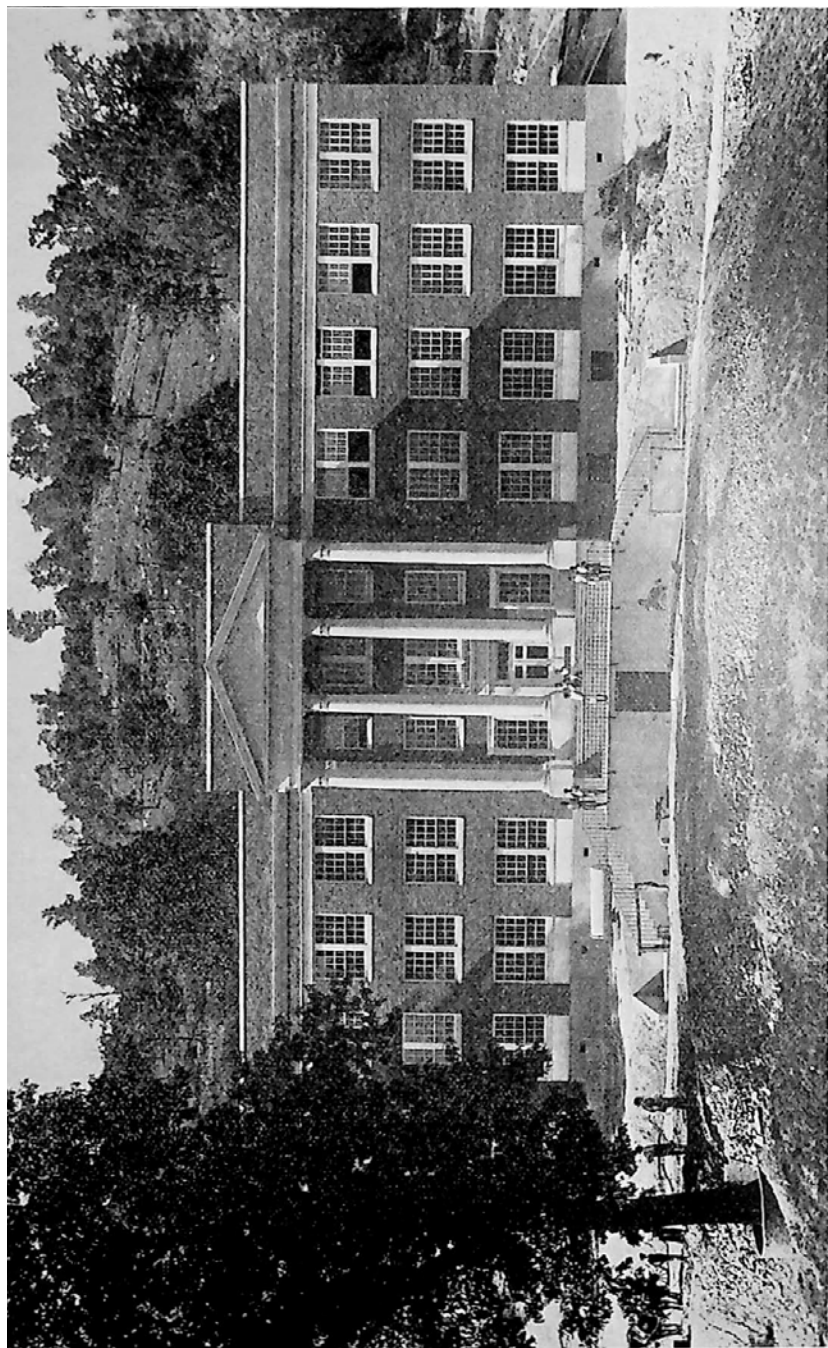
Bluefield Institute started with the purpose of training teachers for West Virginia and this policy is followed now, with the expansions which the educational growth of southern West Virginia has made necessary. The Institution has persisted in its efforts to develop teachers who can make their contribution culturally and educationally to the greater happiness of the boys and girls of West Virginia.

For many years the demand for pre-professional training for the many boys and girls who desired to enter the learned professions of law, medicine, dentistry and the ministry had been evident. In 1920 the State Board of Education approved the installation of a Junior College Department. In the ten years of the existence of the Junior College, the men and women who have graduated and who are now working happily and successfully in their chosen fields and are doing their share in making of our state the wonderful commonwealth it is, have more than justified the expenditure of the money and effort used in training them.

When it was seen that there was a great demand for additional training for our teachers, a policy was organized in 1926 whereby Bluefield Institute would offer four year courses in Education, Home Economics, and Business Administration, along with some vocational courses which were to be introduced when the finances could be found to support them. This new policy was approved by the State Board of Education on August 10, 1928, and the courses are being pursued very enthusiastically by a large number of students.

The courses offered in Bluefield Institute at present are as follows:

Four year courses:



CONLEY HALL (ADMINISTRATION BUILDING) BLUEFIELD COLORED INSTITUTE

In Education, leading to the degree of Bachelor of Science in Education.

In Economics, leading to the degree of Bachelor of Science in Home Economics.

In Business Administration, leading to the degree of Bachelor of Science in Business Administration.

Three year courses:

In Piano, leading to a certificate.

In School Music, leading to a certificate.

In Voice, leading to a certificate.

Two year Courses:

Standard Normal, leading to eligibility for the Standard Normal certificate.

Junior College, leading to a Junior College diploma.

Secretarial, leading to certificate.

Secondary Courses:

English-Science.

Smith-Hughes.

Bluefield Institute has been able to serve a large number of teachers through her extension program. Classes are held on the campus on Saturday mornings and after school hours for those teachers who have easy and inexpensive access to the school. Instructors are sent to other sections in which a number of teachers make request for work. In this way the institution has been able to reach hundreds of teachers who reside and work in southern West Virginia.

Bluefield Institute has labored for many years with just three buildings, a classroom building and two dormitories, neither of which was large enough to properly care for the students and classes it was called upon to handle. The new Conley Hall, which is rapidly nearing completion, and the erection of a president's residence will do much to relieve this congestion.

Ending her first year of existence with forty students, the growth of the school is shown when we consider that nearly eight hundred were enrolled during her thirty-fifth year. In 1901, her first graduating class consisted of three; in the commencement held on June 4th, 1930, a total of 87 students were awarded degrees, diplomas and certificates.

Student life on the campus at Bluefield is pleasant and spent in uplifting and stimulating surroundings. The campus itself is one of the most beautiful school campus to be found in America. There are shaded lawns and walks, gigantic trees, and beautiful flowers, to enhance the natural beauty of the grounds. For recreation, there are four tennis courts, on which also croquet and hockey can be played, and an athletic field for baseball and football. The athletic field and the tennis courts are in natural bowls which make them unusually desirable from the standpoint of the spectator. Then too, an arrangement is made whereby basket ball is played in the auditorium of the classroom building.

In athletics, Bluefield Institute has more than held her own with the other Negro Colleges and Universities. For two years, 1927 and 1928, she was recognized as having the champion Negro football team of America. Her baseball and basket ball teams have not been champions of the nation

but they have represented the school in a way to gladden the hearts of loyal followers of Bluefield.

While a great deal of joy has been secured from the plaudits won by the teams in athletic competition, Bluefield Institute prides itself more upon the men and women who have gone from her halls to win honors in scholarship at other institutions and those who have gone into the classrooms of hundreds of schools, carrying light and life.

Surely, Bluefield Institute has contributed to West Virginia by giving her a more enlightened and a more cultured and self-supporting Negro citizenry. May she be able to do more and better service each year.

## WEST VIRGINIA SCHOOLS FOR THE DEAF AND BLIND

ROMNEY, WEST VIRGINIA

(By PARLEY DE BERRY, *Superintendent*)

### Location

These schools are located just east of the town of Romney, the county seat of Hampshire County. This town is the historic South Branch Valley of the Potomac River and the location is almost ideal. While the town has a population of only about 1500, it numbers among its people an unusual number of refined, well educated, hospitable and kindly citizens. The climatic conditions here are very favorable. The schools are only about 800 feet above sea level and the climate in winter is usually mild. The institution stands about a mile from the Potomac River and is surrounded by well kept grounds and fine play grounds for the children. A range of hills both east and west of the town shield the valley from the storms that sweep higher altitudes. The town is the center of a vast fruit section. Apples, peaches, smaller fruits and berries are grown in abundance throughout this section, and the institution is able to secure an abundant supply of these things for the use of the schools.

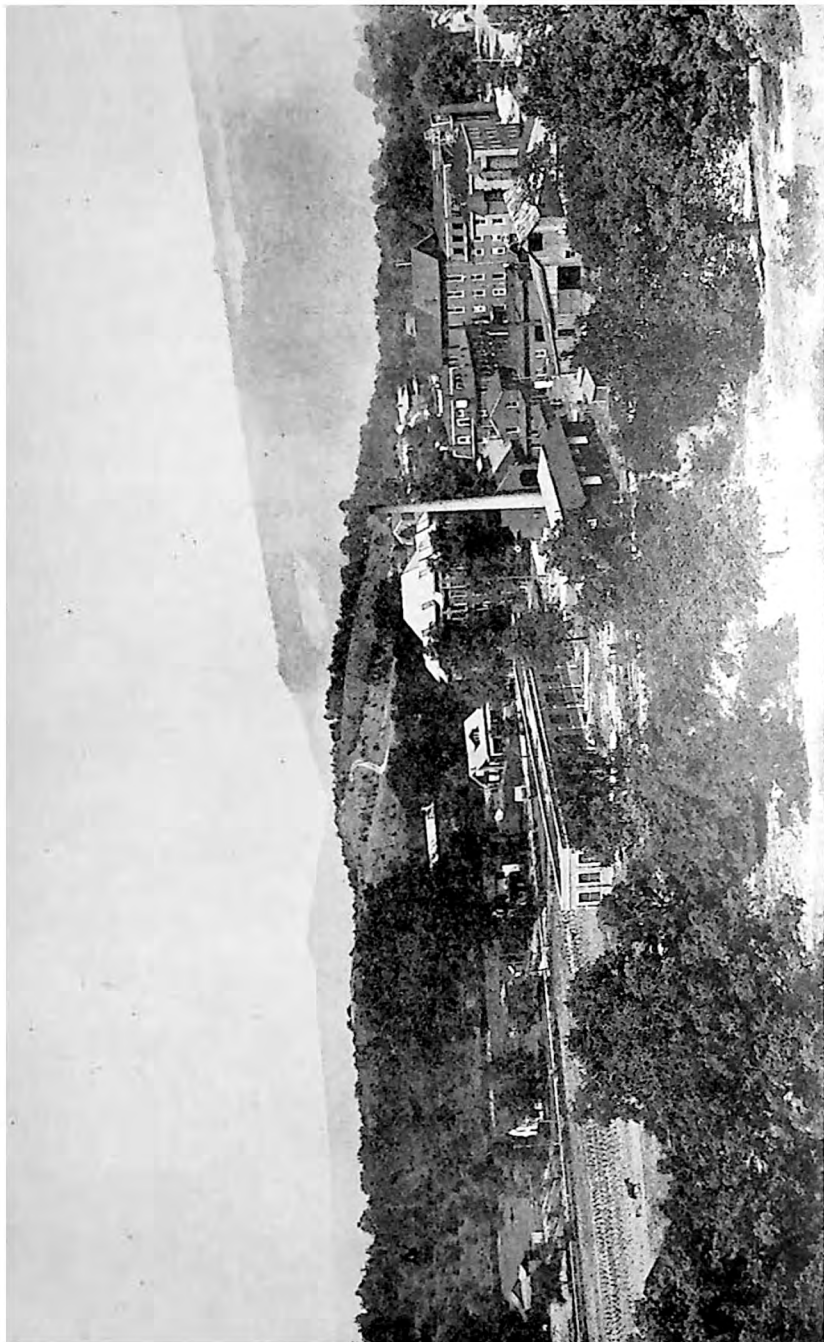


SUPERINTENDENT PARLEY DE BERRY

The town is sixteen miles south of the main line of the Baltimore and Ohio Railway and is on a branch line connecting with the main line at Greenspring and extending fifty miles south to the town of Petersburg, in Grant County. United States Route No. 50, formerly known as the Northwestern Turnpike, runs past the institution grounds. This road has been fully completed and hard surfaced across the State and connects Winchester, Virginia, with Parkersburg, West Virginia. This great road, with its various connecting roads, makes the town and the schools easy of access by automobile from all parts of the State.

### History

The schools were created by an act of the West Virginia Legislature, passed on March 3, 1870. The act carried an appropriation of \$8,000 for providing a site and maintaining a school for the first year. It directed the governor, Hon. William E. Stevenson, to appoint seven representative men, whose duty it would be to find a suitable location for the schools,



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provide buildings for the same and employ a faculty. These men were to be the first Board of Regents of the school. The first meeting of this Board of Regents was held in the city of Wheeling and an effort was made to find a suitable location in that city. However, failing to find a suitable site there, they went next to the city of Parkersburg and examined a site that was offered there. This site, however, was not considered suitable and the citizens of the town of Romney having offered to the commission a building known as the Romney Classical Institute, with fifteen acres of land and \$500 in cash if they would locate the schools there, the offer was accepted and a deed for the building and land was secured and the first school was opened at Romney on September 29, 1870.

Twenty-five pupils were enrolled during this first year, twenty of them deaf and five blind. During the sixty years that have elapsed since the opening of the schools there have been in the School for the Deaf, 1,343 deaf boys and girls and in the School for the Blind, 637 blind boys and girls, a total of 1,980 children. The growth of the schools has been steady and during the year just passed the enrollment reached the highest in the history of the schools, 282 deaf boys and girls and 118 blind, making a total of just 400.

As the schools grew from year to year additional room was provided by adding extensions to the original building until five large wings and a third story have been added to the building, which is now known as the Main or Administration Building, making it a very large one. Not long after the schools were opened a separate building was erected and called the Shop Building, where vocational work was taught. For several years the original building was used not only as a dormitory building but as school rooms. About thirty-five years ago a separate school building became necessary and a large three story and basement brick building was erected.

By the year 1919 the schools had grown to a point where it was deemed expedient and wise to separate them and the Legislature appropriated money for building a separate school for the blind. The State Board of Control purchased a tract of seven and one-half acres, lying about 1,000 feet north of the original school the tract having on it a building known as the Potomac Academy. This building was remodeled and enlarged as a school building for the blind, and two fine dormitory buildings have been erected, one for the blind boys and the other for the blind girls. The original group of buildings has since that time been used as the school for the deaf. The growth of that school has necessitated the erection of a new industrial building and the old industrial building, or Shop Building, has been remodeled and is used as a dormitory for the older boys. All told, there are now six principal buildings at the School for the Deaf and three at the School for the Blind.

The institution owns and cultivates a large farm on which are raised the vegetables for the schools. A dairy herd of thirty cows supplying milk for the institution is housed in a fine new barn constructed last year on the State Farm.

### Purpose and Methods of the School

The schools are a part of the general educational system of the State. The purpose of these schools is to give to all children who do not have sufficient sight or hearing to be educated in the public free schools, a common school education and a knowledge of some useful trade and to send them forth to take their places as useful citizens of the state. The schools run for a regular nine-months term each year and the literary work extends from the kindergarten through the high school. An unusual course in music is given to the blind, as well as an excellent course in industrial arts and in physical education.

That the schools are succeeding in this purpose is proved by the records of many of those who have graduated from them during the past years. Pauperism is a rare thing among those who have attended the schools a sufficient length of time and have completed the courses afforded. Statistics show that 95 percent of the educated deaf are self-supporting. The blind are likely more handicapped in the matter of self-support but a great majority of them do attain it.

The schools are entirely free to all who are eligible to its benefits. The State assumes tuition, maintenance, laundry, medical attention and the transportation of the pupils when coming to school and returning home for the summer vacation. There is no red tape connected with enrollment. An application blank must be filled and signed by the parent or guardian and sent to the superintendent for his approval and his approval rests upon the normality of the child, considered mentally, physically and morally. It is a school and not a home, or hospital or place of detention.

All children between the ages of six and twenty-five years who are physically and mentally normal are entitled to enter. After a child reaches the age of eight years, the law requires that it must be placed in the school if it is too defective in sight or hearing to be educated in the public free schools, and failure to so place the child carries a severe penalty.

There are two crying needs in the life of a deaf or a blind child. First, education, knowledge and the expert ability to make a living. Second, preparation for easy social adjustment when they finish their course here and enter the world to pursue some line of endeavor.

These schools are the only ones in the State where children of this class can be educated and trained. Any citizen of this state having a deaf or blind child that should be in the schools is urged to pay the schools a visit and see for himself what a fine place it is and how carefully the children are cared for and their every want looked after. Anyone knowing of such children will confer a favor on the child and on the schools by reporting the same to the superintendent, giving the name and post office address of the parent or guardian.

## WEST VIRGINIA SCHOOLS FOR COLORED DEAF AND BLIND

INSTITUTE, WEST VIRGINIA

(By JAMES L. HILL, *Superintendent*)

This institution is located on what is known as the old Cabel homestead at Institute, Kanawha County, West Virginia, adjoining the grounds of West Virginia State College. It is composed of thirty-three and half acres of river bottom land, fifteen acres having been purchased in 1929.



SUPERINTENDENT JAMES L. HILL

The first session of school began September 14, 1926, with an enrollment of twenty deaf and seventeen blind, making a total enrollment of 37, ranging in ages from six to twenty-five years.

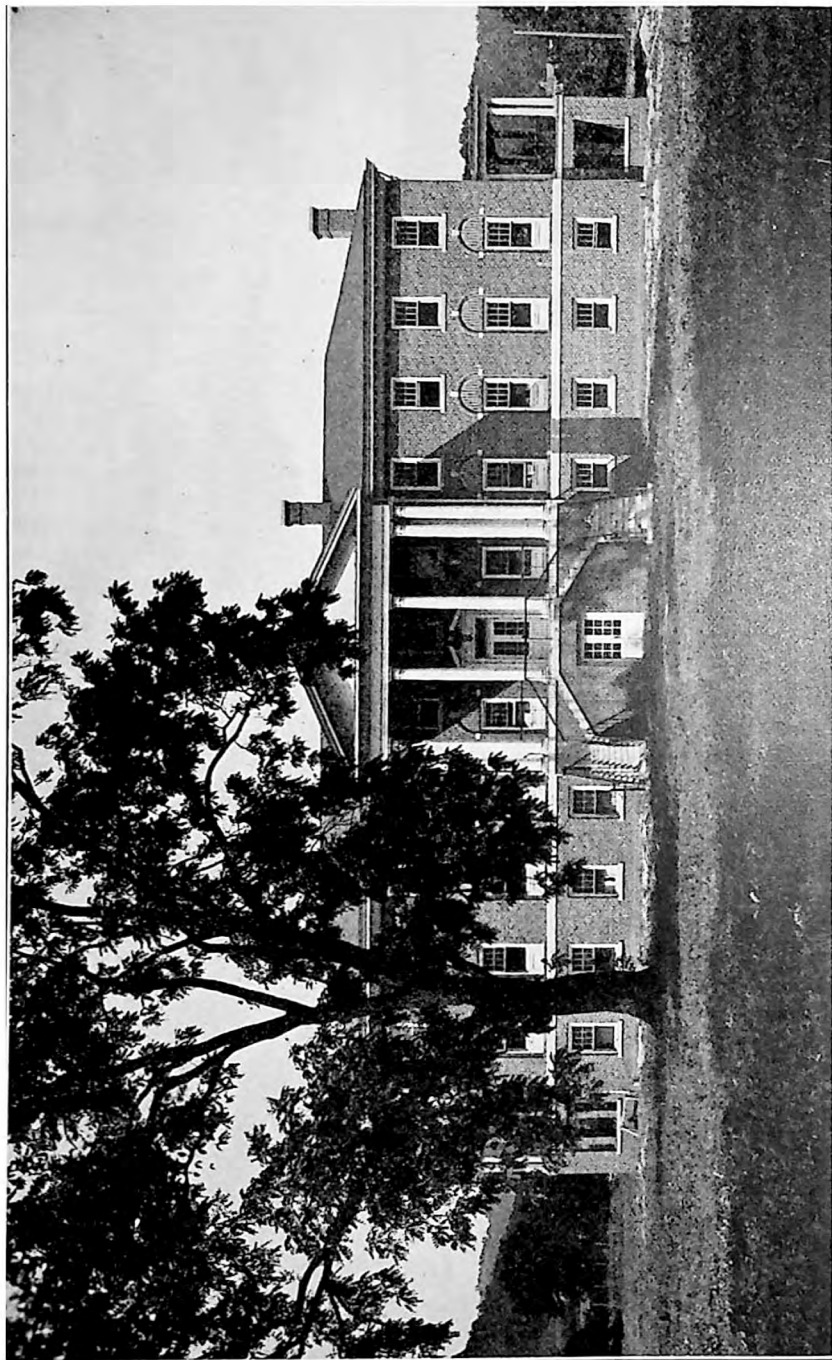
Prior to the opening of this institution, the Negro deaf and blind of West Virginia attended the Deaf and Blind School located at Overlea, Md. At no time was there more than ten enrolled from this state, although transportation both ways and all expenses were paid by the state. Parents and guardians were unwilling to trust their children so far from home and to have them travel alone, few parents being financially able to accompany them.

Since the establishment of these schools the enrollment has gradually increased. Twenty-eight are enrolled in the Deaf School and twenty in the Blind School making a total of forty-eight in

the two schools. Fifteen counties, cities, towns and villages in all sections of West Virginia are represented in this enrollment.

Although, by enactment, we are under control of the State Board of Control, however, we are classified under the State Board of Education and the Advisory Council thereto. The State Schools for Colored Deaf and Blind are maintained entirely as an educational function on the part of the state of West Virginia, and is in no manner to be taken as an activity of a charitable nature for the treatment of such cases; nor as hospitals for the treatment of defective speech, hearing or vision.

It is purely educational, offering an opportunity for the free education of the Negro deaf and blind in schools supported by the state for the benefit of children who do not have enough hearing, speech or sight to attend the public schools—a free education which is the birth-right of every American child.



ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, STATE SCHOOLS FOR COLORED DEAF AND BLIND

The courses of study are similar to those in the public schools. Students are admitted from the ages of eight to twenty-five. This time may be extended if, in the judgment of the Superintendent and the governing boards, a student may be benefitted by further attendance.

The Revised Braille system is taught exclusively to the blind children. They soon become so expert under the careful guidance of capable teachers that they are able to read almost as rapidly as those who have normal sight. It seems that nature compensates for loss of vision by endowing the blind with a keener sense of touch.

In the Blind School, the boys and girls are taught instrumental and vocal music, chorus and glee club singing, and the use of the loom in weaving and rug making. They are taught to make articles from reed and raffia, as well as the use and care of a typewriter and typewriting. The girls are taught sewing.

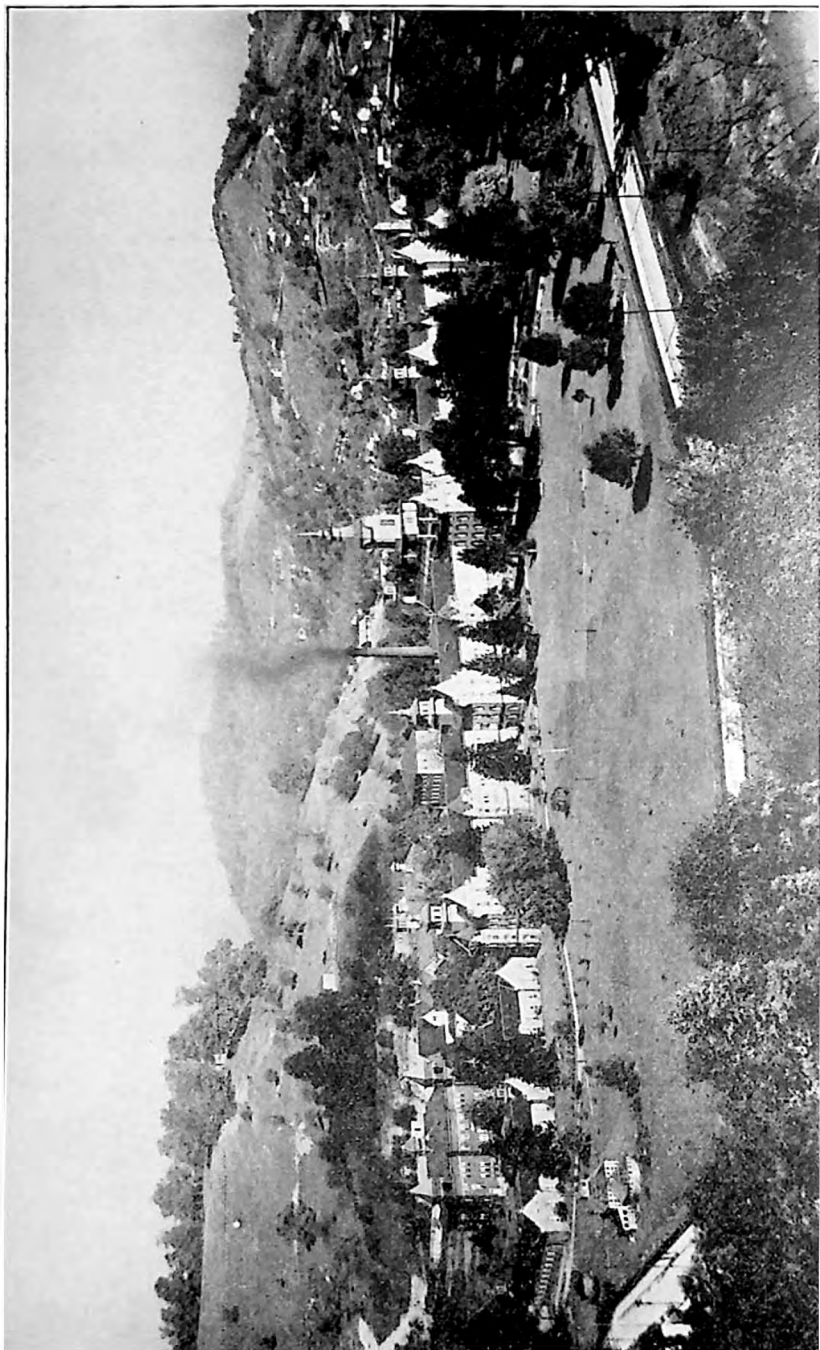
In the Deaf School the Combined system is used. This system includes the Manual, "talking on the hands," lip-reading and the oral method. It is almost uncanny to see how quickly the students are able to interpret the meaning of the teacher's spoken word. However, the children are taught the Manual system so that they will not be handicapped in expressing themselves or communicating with deaf persons who are unable to read the lips.

By a scientific phonetic method the children are trained to speak distinctly. Owing to the fact that they cannot hear their own voices, they often strike false notes that are guttural or high pitched. But the words are distinct enough to be understood.

The following vocations are taught: Barbering, shoe repairing, tailoring, cleaning and pressing and beauty culture. Each shop is equipped with modern electric machinery and each student is taught its use. Girls in deaf and blind schools are taught cooking, and sewing, and are given a course in home making.

The entire program of school activities are courses of instruction planned with the idea in view of giving boys and girls training such that they may go out into the world and successfully compete with others in their struggle for a livelihood.

The vocational subjects are planned so that they will be as practical as possible under the circumstances.



WESTON STATE HOSPITAL.

# State Hospitals and Sanitariums

## WESTON STATE HOSPITAL

WESTON, WEST VIRGINIA

(By C. DENHAM, M. D., *Superintendent*)

On March 22, 1858 the Legislature of Virginia appropriated \$25,000.00 for the purchase of land and material for the beginning of a Lunatic Asylum West of the Alleghenies.



SUPERINTENDENT C. DENHAM

The following year work was started on the building, which was planned by R. Snowden Andrews. On October 22, 1864, the three one story wings at the southern end of the Main Building were completed and the Hospital was opened by Dr. R. Hillis with nine patients brought from the Longview Hospital in Ohio, these patients being residents of West Virginia who had been sent there for treatment.

The work on the Main Building progressed as appropriations were made for the various sections and as the building stands completed, it is said to be the largest hand cut stone building in the United States.

Since the completion of the building, four other buildings have been erected for the reception of patients and a dining room building has been added. This last includes the general dining rooms, the kitchens, cold storage and store room.

A modern Medical Center Building is being constructed at a cost of about \$200,000.00 which, when equipped, will afford the patients the benefit of the most modern methods of treatment available anywhere.

The institution has grown from a small beginning in 1864 to a great hospital, now caring for an average population of 1450 patients.

The medical staff now consists of the Superintendent and four assistant physicians.

There were admitted to the Weston State Hospital during the past year three hundred and nineteen patients; of this number, six were epileptics, twenty-one were mental defectives and two hundred and ninety-two insane. During the year two hundred and ninety-seven of the insane have been released on discharge and parole.



SPENCER STATE HOSPITAL



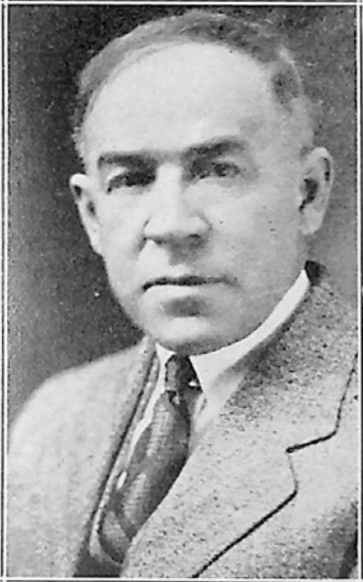
## SPENCER STATE HOSPITAL

SPENCER, WEST VIRGINIA

(By W. D. McCLUNG, M. D., *Superintendent\**)

### History

In 1855 the Legislature was convinced that the West Virginia Hospital for the Insane at Weston had reached its capacity and that there was immediate necessity to provide room for more patients. The matter was given further consideration and May 7, 1887, an Act was passed locating the new institution at Spencer, in Roane County. The Act providing for the location carried with it an appropriation of \$10,000.00. In 1891 appropriations aggregating \$93,393.70 were made out of the revenues of the two ensuing years and the institution was opened for the reception of patients July 18, 1893. Since the opening of Spencer State Hospital until June 30, 1930, there have been three thousand, eight hundred and seventy-two males, and two thousand, five hundred and twenty-six females admitted; making a total of six thousand, three hundred and ninety-eight patients admitted.



SUPERINTENDENT D. D. CHAPMAN

### Superintendents Since Opening of Institution

Dr. B. H. Hoyte, July, 1893—August, 1894; Dr. W. W. Row, August, 1894—June, 1897; Dr. L. V. Guthrie, June, 1897—June, 1901; Dr. A. J. Lyons, June, 1901—June, 1911; Dr. C. A. Barlow, June, 1911—November, 1917; Dr. G. C. Robertson, November, 1917—August, 1918; Dr. E. C. Jones, August, 1918—February, 1919; Dr. S. R. Holyroyd, February, 1919—September, 1921; Dr. W. D. McClung, September, 1921—December 1930; Dr. D. D. Chapman, December, 1930, ———.

### Location

The hospital is located on a tract of land consisting of one hundred and eighty-four acres, adjacent to the city of Spencer and separated therefrom in the main by Spring Creek. The approach to the hospital is from highway No. 5. It is reached by the Blue and Gray Bus Lines from Charleston.

\*Dr. McClung was appointed Superintendent of Huntington State Hospital on Dec. 5, 1930 and was succeeded at Spencer State Hospital by Dr. D. D. Chapman.

Parkersburg, and Clarksburg, and is situated on a branch line of the Baltimore and Ohio Railway Company from Ravenswood.

### Buildings

To care for patients, provide quarters for employees and necessary equipment of the institution there is an Administration Building four stories high, used for offices, living quarters for help entitled to same and chapel; seven male wards and six female wards; congregate dining room annex, three stories high used for kitchen, storage rooms, sewing room, dining rooms, and dormitories for male and female employees; power house and conservatory; laundry; cellar; barn; poultry houses; carpenter shop, four cottages, two for Assistant Physicians, one for Financial Secretary and one for Engineer.

### Scope of Work

At this time, because of crowded conditions in the institution, the State is divided into two districts: Northern and Southern. Spencer State Hospital receives insane of both sexes from the Southern District, which comprises the counties of Boone, Cabell, Calhoun, Clay, Fayette, Greenbrier, Jackson, Kanawha, Lincoln, Logan, McDowell, Mason, Mercer, Mingo, Monroe, Pleasants, Putnam, Raleigh, Roane, Summers, Tyler, Wayne, Wirt, Wood, and Wyoming. All white male idiots, imbeciles and morons from this District are admitted to this institution. No children under sixteen years of age are admitted. Patients from Nicholas and Tyler Counties are sent to Spencer State Hospital or Weston State Hospital as seems best. In past years, at different times, patients have been transferred from both Weston State Hospital and Huntington State Hospital and our hospital report of June 30, 1930, showed that we have patients in this institution from fifty of the fifty-five counties of West Virginia.

A case entering the hospital is received by one of the attending physicians, papers carefully reviewed and patient is questioned grossly examined and the findings reported to attendants so they may be more careful with the patient and realize his mental condition which reduces two undesirable factors in caring for these people; viz, injuring themselves or others, and preventing escapes. When the gross examination reveals any acute condition with which the new patient may be troubled and which might endanger the health of the other patients, they are isolated for further observation and treatment. All modern methods in treating and preventing sickness among the patients are used.

As soon as possible after admission, the patient is classified according to his particular psychosis, and placed in the ward most suited to his class. All patients with suicidal tendencies are placed on wards especially arranged, so they can be watched closely. Maniacs are placed on wards where we have most attendants; this facilitates handling them without mechanical restraint, which is absolutely forbidden in this institution.

The well defined treatments of the insane are used, namely: Hydrotherapy, Occupational Therapy, recreation and entertainment. Hypnotics and narcotics are seldom used. Vigorous use of Salvarsan is resorted to in cases due to syphilis.

### Organization and Administration

For the care and treatment of the patients at this institution we have a Superintendent, two Assistant Physicians, one male and one female supervisor along with a number of male and female attendants, and other employees whose duties are briefly described in the following paragraphs:

The Superintendent has full charge of the hospital, subject to the approval of the State Board of Control. He keeps close watch over the entire personnel of the institution, so as to render the best possible service. He administers the affairs of the institution as economically as is consistent with the comfort and welfare of the patients.

The duties of the Assistant Physicians require their presence at the institution constantly. Aside from the time they spend in caring for the sick, they devote much time to close observation of the patients, for in no other way can the patients be grouped and classified in a manner conducive to their welfare. They visit the wards three or four times daily and are subject to call at all times. They examine all in-coming patients for any infections or contagious disease before admitting them to the wards. They visit all wards together twice each week and daily meet and consult with the Superintendent. This daily consultation and exchange of ideas on questions relating to the betterment of the service at the institution keeps the Superintendent in close touch with all phases of the work. It also creates a healthy spirit of cooperation between him and his assistants.

The two Supervisors have the direct supervision of the attendants and they stay constantly at the institution and see that all attendants do the work assigned them. They visit the wards three or four times daily and the last thing at night they see that everything is in proper condition for the comfort of the patients. They issue all requisitions for clothing, bedding and necessary equipment and supplies, the same to be approved by the Superintendent, and see that all supplies are delivered to the wards and properly distributed.

The attendants have direct charge of the patients on their respective wards. They see that the wards and bedding are kept neat and clean, bathe and feed the patients properly and contribute to the comfort and welfare of the patients individually in so far as it is possible to do so during their hours of duty. Each attendant makes a daily written report to the Supervisor and Superintendent of the condition of all patients on his ward. For the attendants the day is divided into two parts, twelve hours for the day and twelve hours for the night. Through the attendants, the Supervisors, the Assistant Physicians and the Superintendent is kept informed daily as to the condition of all patients.

The Financial Secretary is under the direct supervision of the Superintendent. By requisition through the State Board of Control, he sees that a sufficient supply of provisions, clothing, medicine and supplies in general are kept on hand at all times for the adequate administration of the various services the institution is designed to render. He keeps on file at all times vouchers in their proper form for all bills paid. He keeps his books and vouchers so as to be ready at any time to show the true standing

of the hospital finances and renders such other services as the Superintendent and State Board of Control require. He keeps a record of what is purchased and a daily record showing just how and where everything is used. He also keeps a record of the money and other valuables belonging to the patients.

The Engineer is employed constantly at the institution. He keeps all machinery in use at the power house, ice plant, and laundry in good working order. He sees that the entire institution is adequately heated and lighted.

The Farmer has the immediate supervision of the farm and is charged with the care of all live stock and farm implements. He performs such other duties as are at any time required of him by the Superintendent.

The two Firemen employed operate the power house, one in the day time and the other during the night.

The Matron has charge of the domestic concerns assigned to her by the Superintendent and is responsible to him for order and neatness in every portion of her department and for faithful service and correct deportment of the employees under her control. She personally visits all of the kitchens, bakery, dining rooms, and the store room to see that they are properly taken care of. She does not allow extra meals to be served or other articles to be taken from the kitchen, store room or other departments under her charge without a written order from the Superintendent.

The Night Watchman visits the wards every two hours, and keeps motors and engines, which are not at the power house, in running order during the night.

The Cook is under the supervision of the Matron and has the supervision of the work in the kitchen, the care of all utensils used and has charge of the supplies and provisions within the kitchen premises. She sees that the kitchen and all utensils are kept clean and that good order is preserved there and securely locks her department at night. She sees that all food is prepared as directed, that it is palatable and inviting before it is sent to the dining rooms; she takes special care in preparing meals for the sick and sees that nothing is wasted by her assistants. When food is wasted by the attendants or others she reports such waste to the Matron. When meat, butter or other articles of food of poor quality are furnished her, she immediately notifies the Matron, who in turn notifies the Superintendent.

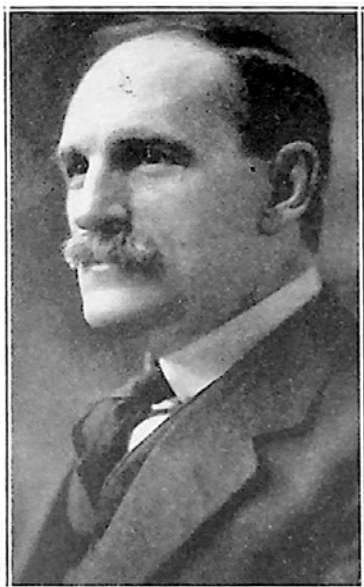
The Stenographer keeps a record of the admission, death, parole, discharge, elopment, and in fact everything pertaining to the recordation of all patients in the institution. She takes all dictation from the Superintendent and the Assistant Physicians in answering letters of inquiry concerning patients in the institution. She answers the telephone and receives all visitors who wish to visit patients and arranges for them to be taken care of as soon as possible.

**THE HUNTINGTON STATE HOSPITAL**

HUNTINGTON, WEST VIRGINIA

*(By L. V. GUTHRIE, M. D., Superintendent)\**

The Huntington State Hospital is located at Huntington, Cabell County, West Virginia, and is reached by the lines of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company, the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Company, the Virginian



DR. L. V. GUTHRIE

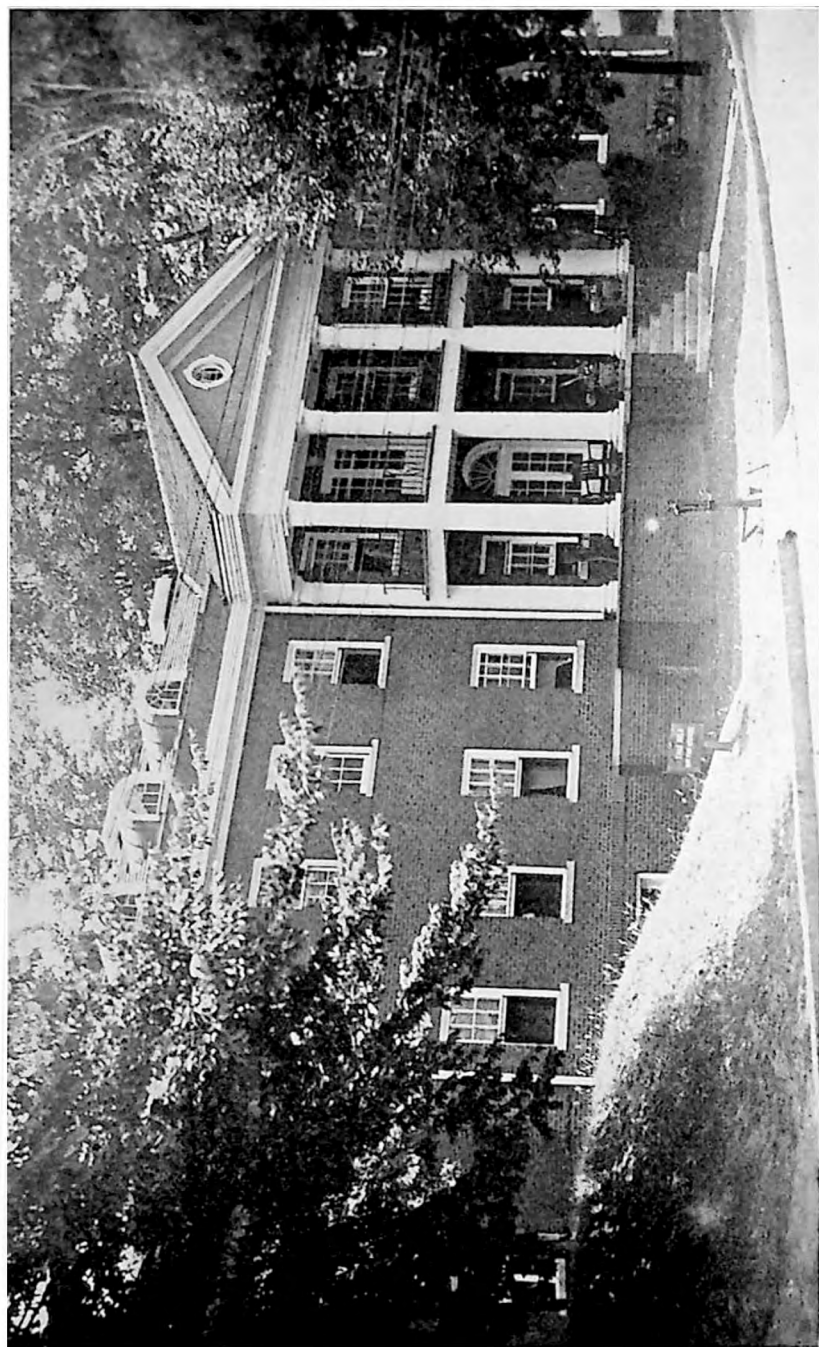


SUPERINTENDENT W. D. MCCLUNG

railroad, the interurban line of the Ohio Valley Electric Railway Company, Ohio River steam boats, and by bus or automobile on State routes Nos. 8, 10 and 62, and United States route No. 60.

The Huntington State Hospital, formerly designated as Home for Incurables, was created by an act of the Legislature of 1897. The Legislature of 1901 changed the name to West Virginia Asylum, and also made important amendments concerning the class of patients to be admitted thereto. In 1916 the name of the hospital was again changed, and made to read Huntington State Hospital, as it now stands. This name brought about a

\*After a service of almost thirty years as Superintendent of the Huntington State Hospital, during which he established a nation-wide reputation in his chosen work, Dr. L. V. Guthrie died on Sept. 20, 1930. Mrs. L. V. Guthrie was acting superintendent of the institution until Dec. 5, 1930 when Dr. W. D. McClung, Superintendent of the Spencer State Hospital, was appointed Superintendent.



WOMEN'S DORMITORY, HUNTINGTON STATE HOSPITAL

better understanding as to the purpose of the institution, and is calculated to inspire hope for cure to those who are received for treatment.

In 1897, at the inception of the hospital, Mary Jackson Ruffner was appointed General Manager. The institution at that time had one building and fifty patients, most of whom were aged women.

On June 1, 1901, under a new Board of Directors, Dr. L. V. Guthrie was appointed Superintendent; and on June 4, 1901, he took charge and has been at the head continuously up to the present. At the time Dr. Guthrie was appointed superintendent, Dr. Homer Wilson was made first assistant physician, and these two doctors did all the work. At the present there are three assistant physicians, all finding plenty to do.

The buildings comprising this institution are situated upon a tract of land consisting of thirty-three acres on the foothills of the eastern section of Huntington, high above the thickly settled portion of the city. The contour of the grounds affords a natural drainage, rendering them suitable sites for the various buildings, which are surrounded by natural forests of more than a thousand magnificent trees. Only about four acres of this land are under cultivation for gardening, as the greater part of it is hilly, rough and unfit for gardening purposes.

The grounds front 721½ feet on Norway Avenue on the south-east side, where there is access to street car service to the city from the main entrance to the grounds. The north side is a rugged and picturesque hillside, down which a rambling drive has been constructed entering Twenty-third street of the City of Huntington. Along the east edge of the grounds is a beautiful ravine, at the bottom of which meanders a rivulet bordered with wild flowers and white blossoms of the dogwood in spring, and their red fruitage in autumn; while on the west border is a deep ravine, thick with honeysuckles and ferns and golden rod in its season. Such surroundings give a wholesome outlook for the unfortunate.

During the last triennial period one thousand, two hundred seventy-five patients have been admitted, and during this same period the hospital has been forced, through lack of room, funds, etc., to reject as many as one thousand applications.

Since June 4, 1901, professional care of the latest approved methods of psychiatry has been administered. The latest treatment (malarial infection) for patients suffering of paresis, a disease developing from syphilis, is being employed in this institution, and for the first time in more than thirty years there is seen a decided improvement in these cases of paresis, many of them being sufficiently recovered to return to their homes. This disease has heretofore been considered incurable, usually lasting about three years and always ending fatally; but there is a ray of hope to offer all cases of paresis in this new treatment by malarial infection, and it is believed that its treatment will still improve.

Many cases of epilepsy are treated in this hospital. No progress has been made in the treatment of epilepsy during the past fifty years, the cause of the disease being as yet unknown; therefore treatment is usually without success. European statistics show only one-half of one percent recovery rate in this disease. It would be worth while to form a foundation for advancement in the knowledge and cure of epilepsy.

Huntington State Hospital is well provided with fine X-ray equipment and hydrotherapeutic outfit of the latest and most approved pattern. The X-ray department is furnished with electrical equipment for the treatment of nervous and mental diseases.

The original intention of this institution was for the hospitalization of idiots, feeble minded, morons and epileptics; but, for the sake of humanity, there was opened a pay patient department for those cases who preferred not to become a charge upon the State of West Virginia and at the same time desired to receive the treatment that has been available in this institution, and being cases unsuitable for handling in a regular hospital. This pay patient department has grown and prospered, but not to the extent that is generally believed, as the average receipts for the month are \$7,500.00. In the past, when World War veterans were housed in this hospital, receipts ran occasionally to \$16,000.00 per month, but all World War veterans have been removed to Government hospitals. This pay patient work brings a nice class of patients and an interesting line of work, but the question arises as to whether it is a good plan for state institution to maintain a pay department.

Several new buildings are needed to accommodate the patients in West Virginia who are urgently in need of institutional treatment and care. All buildings, seven in number, for the housing of patients, these seven buildings containing eighteen wards, are overcrowded, and many desire admittance for whom there is no vacant bed.

The hospital has a good power house and laundry. The laundry is equipped with new machinery, purchased during the last triennial period, the old machinery having collapsed from use and age.

The Recreation Building is a nice feature in the interest of patients who are well enough to enjoy it. There is a bowling alley of the best type, pool tables and outfits, writing desks and materials, reading room with large old English fireplace, comfortable chairs, a piano, flowers and books. Patients who are in condition to enjoy these advantages are taken there by their nurses daily, and allowed to spend a few hours with music, games, reading, writing and chatting with one another.

It is gratifying to note the results of the work done even though comparatively few are cured. If one can be delivered to his family in a normal mental and physical condition it is well worth the effort and expense.

The idea that it is a disgrace to be hospitalized in a State institution is rapidly giving way to thanks for such institutions, and appreciation of them.



## STATE HOSPITAL FOR COLORED INSANE

LAKIN, WEST VIRGINIA

(By C. C. BARNETT, M. D., *Superintendent*)

In the year 1919, T. G. Nutter, Attorney at Law, then a Member of the House of Delegates, introduced House Bill 19, Section 3, Chapter 13, providing for the establishment of a state institution for the care and treatment of persons of the Negro race, residents of this state, who may be insane or mentally afflicted and providing proper management for same.



SUPERINTENDENT C. C. BARNETT

A tract of 667 acres, nine miles above Point Pleasant on State Highway No. 62, was purchased by the State Board of Control. On this tract the State Hospital was erected. Since that time the acreage purchased has been almost doubled.

The first unit of the hospital was begun in 1923 and completed early in the year 1926.

On February 1, 1926, patients to the number of 162—103 women and 59 men—were brought from the Weston State Hospital. The patient population grew with such rapidity that the Legislature hastened to make provision for the erection of a second unit.

The second unit or Women's Hospital Building was completed and ready for use in July 1929. In October of the same year 46 male patients were transferred from the Weston State Hospital.

These were patients that had been left when the first transfer was made because of lack of room to accommodate them.

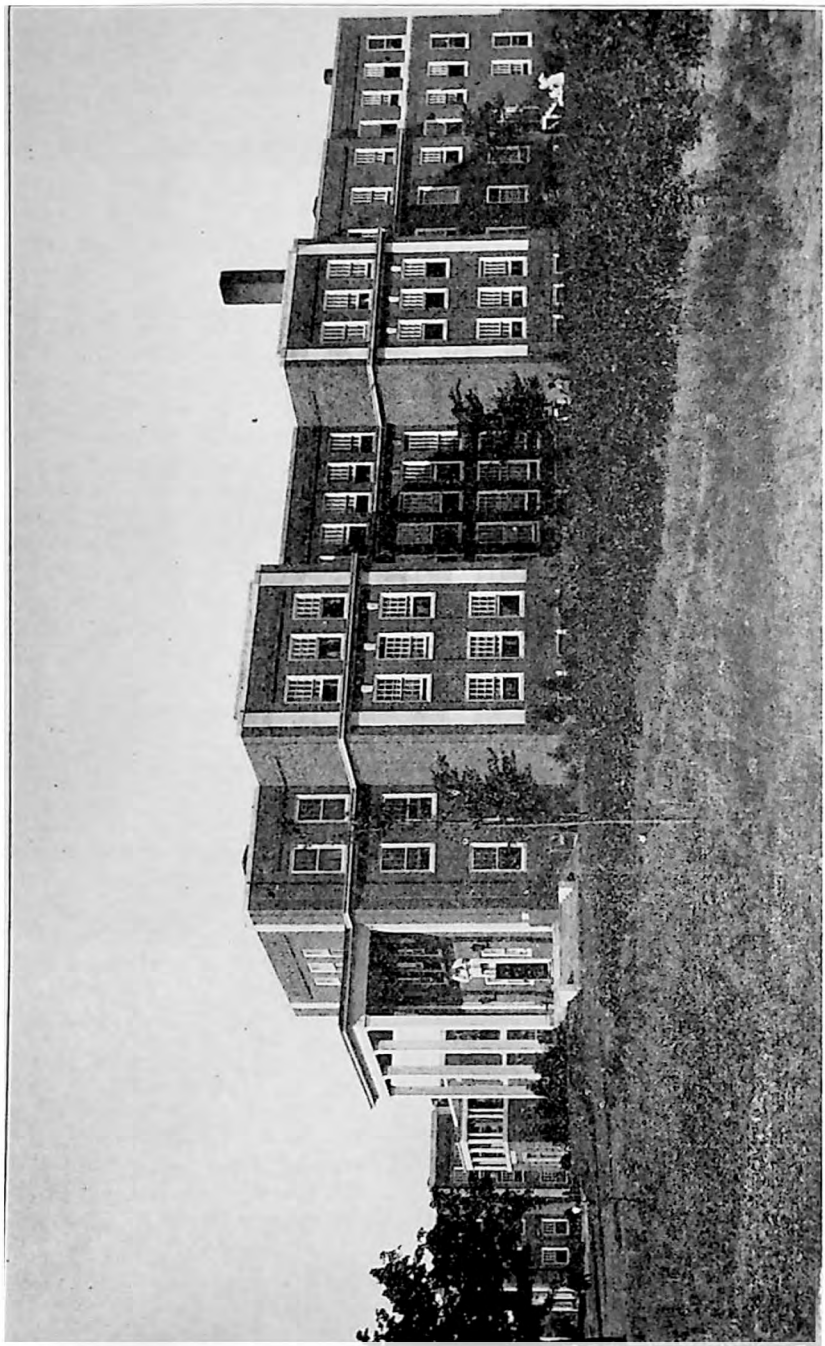
Beginning with a patient population of 162 the institution now has a patient population of 341.

There is now under process of construction an Office and Hospital Building, which, when completed, will house the offices and provide better facilities for the treatment of patients.

The two hospital buildings are 210x45 feet, with three stories and basement and have projecting bays 30x14 feet with a normal capacity of 450. All of this room is not, however, available for patients, as our employees are now housed under the same roof.

The patients are cared for by a capable staff of physicians, nurses and attendants.

When a patient enters the hospital, a preliminary examination is given; the particular and immediate needs of the patient are ascertained and



WOMEN'S WARD BUILDING, STATE HOSPITAL FOR COLORED INSANE

prescribed; a period of observation is had before the case is diagnosed. An attempt is made to secure a complete family and personal history and to learn all we can of the environments in which the patient has lived.

A complete physical examination is made; the reflexes are tested and a general intelligence test is given; then the patient's psychosis is observed, studied and classified. Physical ills are treated, which often means that mental ills are cleared up.

As much as possible has been done in the way of treatment, considering the facilities we now have for treating mental conditions.

Our wards are equipped with continuous bath tubs which render invaluable service in the treatment of highly nervous patients. Hydrotherapy in the form of the tub baths and the showers are used extensively. Bromides, luminals and other sedatives are used; however, more benefit has been derived from the physio therapeutic treatment than from the drugs and we expect greater results when our office and hospital have been completed and equipped.

Occupational Therapy and Recreational Therapy play the greatest role in the methods of treatment now used. The male patients find plenty to do on the farm and in and about the buildings, the kitchens and lawns; the female patients assist in the kitchens, the sewing room, the dining rooms, the laundry and in the wards.

Recreation in the form of walks, exercises and outings are offered to all those who are physically able. This is given under the direction or supervision of nurses or attendants. Some patients who are trustees are given free range of the grounds without the supervision of an attendant. As a patient's psychosis improves, that patient is given more outside privileges; this is one of our methods in determining his fitness to be paroled.

The patients are treated with consideration and kindness; no strong arm methods are allowed and we find that this brings results. One is always impressed with the apparent calmness and contentment that is to be found throughout the wards. The majority of the patients seem satisfied and pleased with their surroundings. A spirit of companionship and friendship exists between the patients and those in charge.

Whenever possible we parole a patient. After his psychosis has cleared up, he goes through a period of observation and if his behavior is normal, he is a fit subject for parole.

At present there are a number of patients who might be paroled if relatives were sufficiently interested to bond them.

After parole we keep in touch with the patient through our field worker, the relatives, the bondsman or bondsmen and if the patient stands the outside test, he is returned to the institution, put through the final test and discharged.

Patients are admitted from all parts of the State. When there was only one building and it became overcrowded, the male employees were housed outside in order to make room for patients, as we knew they would be a menace to the public were they allowed to remain outside of the institution.

We treat all venereal cases of the Girls Industrial School, located at

Huntington, and pronounce them cured before turning them over to the Superintendent there. We do the medical work of the Boys Industrial School, located here at Lakin. We might add that this work is gratis.

We aim to make our services to the citizens of the State of West Virginia well worth the establishment and maintenance of this institution. Whenever and wherever possible we strive to give back to society men and women who will be assets instead of liabilities to the citizenry.

During our four and one half years here we have discharged 10, paroled 45 and not one of the discharged has returned and only five of the paroled.

We find the work fascinating and one that requires a wholehearted sincerity of purpose.

**WELCH HOSPITAL NO. 1**

WELCH, WEST VIRGINIA

*(By A. G. RUTHERFORD, M. D., Superintendent)*

The legislature of 1899 provided for the establishment of three hospitals, one of which was to be located in Pocahontas Coalfields, either in Mercer or McDowell County, and to be named Miners' Hospital No. 1. Hon. James

F. Beavers, a citizen of Welch who represented the Seventh District in the State Senate, was the patron of the bill creating these hospitals.

The Board of Directors, appointed by the Governor, selected Welch for the location of Miners' Hospital No. 1, which is located about the center of McDowell County, directly on the Norfolk and Western Railroad, and has an elevation of one thousand three hundred four feet above sea level. Certain citizens of Welch donated to the State three and one-half acres of land now composing the site where Welch Hospital No. 1 stands.

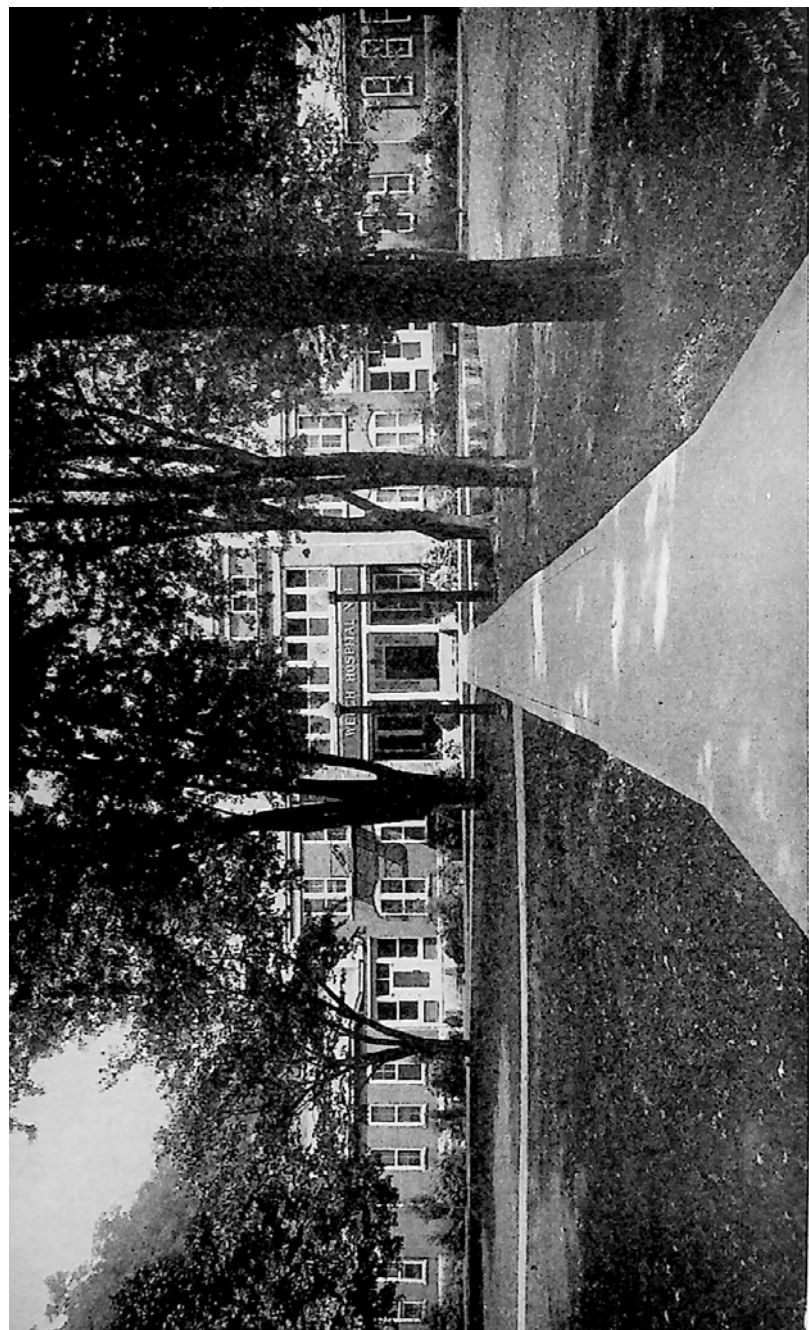
The institution was opened for patients in January, 1902. The location is ideal from a sanitary and building point of view. The legislature of 1915 changed the name of Miners' Hospital to Welch Hospital No. 1, which is now operated as an emergency hospital for the care and treatment of medical and surgical cases.



SUPERINTENDENT A. G. RUTHERFORD

Sickness is no respecter of individuals, and the hospital has always endeavored to render the same service to all, regardless of creed, race or social position. All patients are alike in the eyes of the management. It has been the policy of this institution to try to keep the cost of hospitalization well within the patient's financial abilities, and to arrange for the proper care of those who are in need.

The sick individual is a liability to the community; when restored to health this same individual becomes a public asset. It has been the custom and is a rule of this institution to admit and treat surgical cases, regardless of the occupation of the patient. Patients needing surgical attention and hospital care not due to an accident or injury are charged for hospital expense incurred but in more than seventy-five per cent of these cases the institution is unable to collect. A great number of admissions to this hospital are due to mine injuries, automobile accidents, railroad injuries etc. and these patients are admitted at all hours of the day and night.



MAIN BUILDING, WELCH EMERGENCY HOSPITAL

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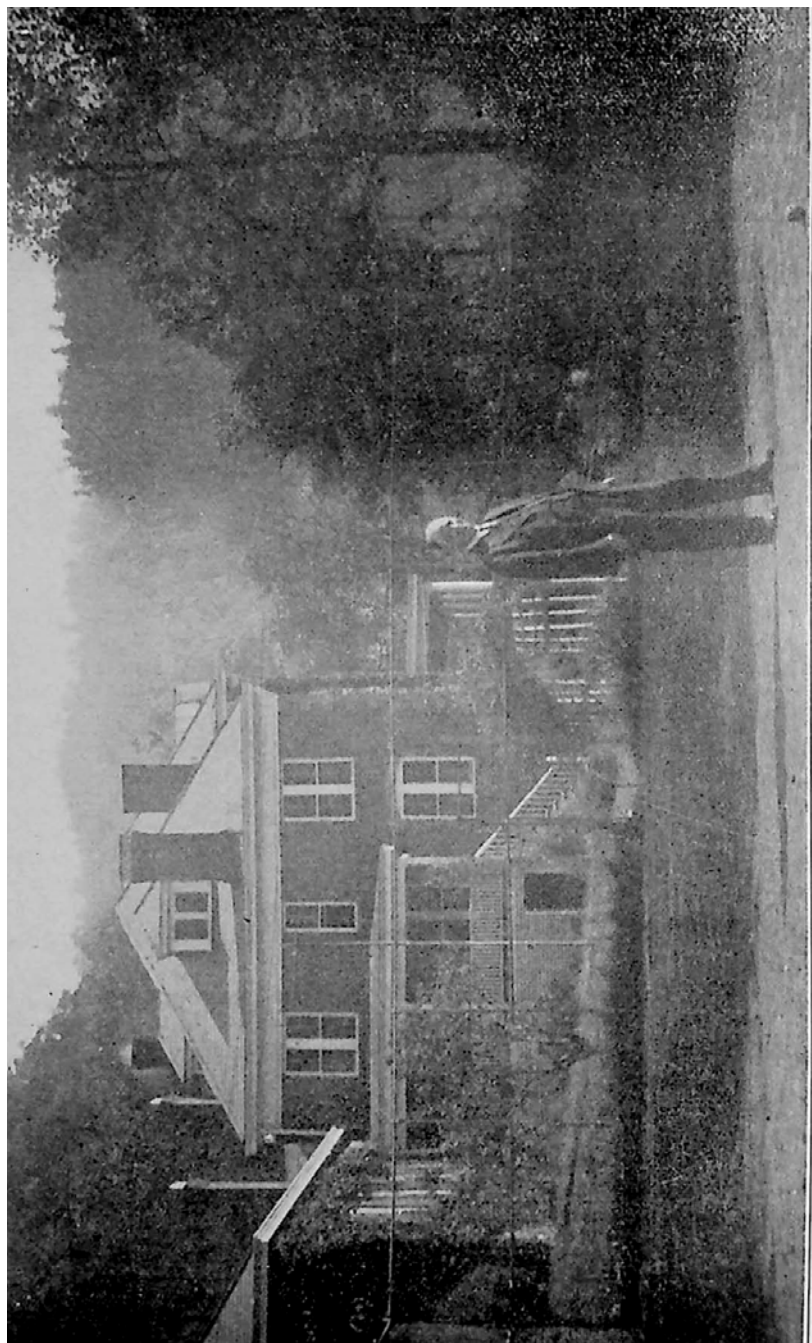
The institution is under the care and direction of Dr. A. G. Rutherford, Superintendent and Surgeon in charge. The hospital is standardized, has met the requirement of the American College of Surgeons, and is a member of the American Hospital Association; this all having been accomplished by the present management in the past few years.

At the present time more than seventy-five per cent of the patients treated in this institution are patients from whom we are unable to collect.

In the past few years we have added many needed and important improvements. The entire hospital, inside and outside, has just been painted. The hospital and all other buildings are in excellent shape. The steam laundry, ice plant and power house are very modern. The hospital has an operating room and an X-ray well equipped.

The lawn is decorated with shrubbery, shade trees and flowers, all of which are well kept and beautiful.

The buildings in use consist of the hospital, nurses home, power house, laundry, garage and two cottages.



MAIN BUILDING, MCKENDREE EMERGENCY HOSPITAL AND M. V. GODFREY, M. D., *Supl.*



**McKENDREE HOSPITAL NO. 2**

McKENDREE, WEST VIRGINIA

(By M. V. GODFREY, M. D., *Superintendent*)**Location**

This institution is located at McKendree, Fayette County, and is on the main line of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway, nine miles east of Thurmond. It is in the New River coal field and is within a reasonable distance of the Winding Gulf and Virginian territory.

The hospital and necessary buildings are on the tract of nine and one-half acres, one-fourth of a mile east of the station, on the side of the mountain, fifty feet above and one hundred feet back from the railroad tracks and are reached by a well kept up road from the station. A road connecting McKendree with the main highways has recently been completed.

The grounds, which are enclosed and well kept, have an abundance of flowers and shrubbery, thus making them especially attractive to both visitors and patients.

The main building has two stories, the ground floor housing the laundry, corner and furnace rooms. On the main floor are the white and colored wards, the white ward being at the east end of the building and the colored ward at the west end. On this floor are also offices, X-ray room, drug room, laboratory, emergency room, kitchen and dining room. On the second floor are a number of rooms for private patients. The third floor contains the operating room, sterilizing room, three small rooms for doctors' dressing rooms, fracture room, diathermy, etc. The building is in good repair and at the present time some painting is being done.

A nurses training school was established in connection with the hospital in 1910.

Col. J. L. Beury was the donor of the McKendree site of six and one-half acres, which later was increased to one hundred and twenty-one acres. The institution began as a miners' hospital but was changed to McKendree Hospital No. 2 in April, 1916. In 1916-1917, there was constructed a nurses' home building, which contains rooms for nurses, as well as quarters for the superintendent and his family.



FAIRMONT EMERGENCY HOSPITAL, FRONT VIEW

**FAIRMONT HOSPITAL NO. 3**

FAIRMONT, WEST VIRGINIA

*(By WILLIAM A. WELTON, M. D., Superintendent)*

Fairmont Hospital No. 3 is located on a prominent eminence, overlooking the City of Fairmont, with an unobstructed view in every direction. The building is of brick with a frontage of 164.3 feet. It has a slate roof, a large front porch, and a basement under the entire building. A beautiful, well kept lawn fronts the hospital, brick driveways surround the entire building, with concrete sidewalks and curb on Guffy street. A concrete walk from Guffy street leads into the building.



SUPERINTENDENT WM. A. WELTON

A two-story brick garage, located in rear of the hospital, is large enough to hold an ambulance and four cars. It has four well equipped rooms overhead to house the orderlies.

The hospital grounds consist of 2.84 acres, fronting on Guffy street 283.6 feet, running back to Morgantown avenue, 415.7 feet, and fronting on Morgantown avenue 311.8 feet.

Shade trees, flowers and a hedge are the only things that have been cultivated on the grounds.

All patients admitted to the hospital are treated and charged without discrimination, according to the law of the state, and the approval of the State Board of Control.

Patients admitted to this hospital for treatment and hospital care, not injured while at their usual employment, are charged for services rendered. Patients covered by private insurance or the Compensation Act, receive special care and are charged according to the laws prescribed by the state.

Numerous patients have been admitted to Fairmont Hospital No. 3 from the Boys and Girls Industrial Schools, from the Children's Home at Elkins, from Weston State Hospital and the State Tuberculosis Sanitarium at Hopemont. The most of these have been admitted for surgical treatment.

The hospital maintains a ward for the treatment of venereal diseases for girls. No patient is admitted to this ward unless she has first been properly committed to the Girls Industrial Home.

This hospital has necessarily done quite a bit of charity work, and in so doing has been a great blessing to a large number, who really needed and deserved help.

Each member of the staff is urged to be especially courteous to, and mindful of, those patients injured at their usual work, as well as all other patients receiving care at the hands of their state.

Like the other two emergency hospitals, this one has met the requirements of the American College of Surgeons for standardization.

#### Nurses Training School

The Training School of Fairmont Hospital No. 3 complies with the law governing the qualifications of pupils entering training for nurses. There is nothing more essential in a first class hospital than a modern, well trained nursing force. The number of pupils has gradually increased, and there are from four to five graduates each year. Their training is such that these graduates have not found it difficult to pass the State Board of Examination for nurses.

**STATE TUBERCULOSIS SANITARIUM**

HOPEMONT, WEST VIRGINIA

*(By GEO. F. EVANS, M. D., Acting Superintendent)*

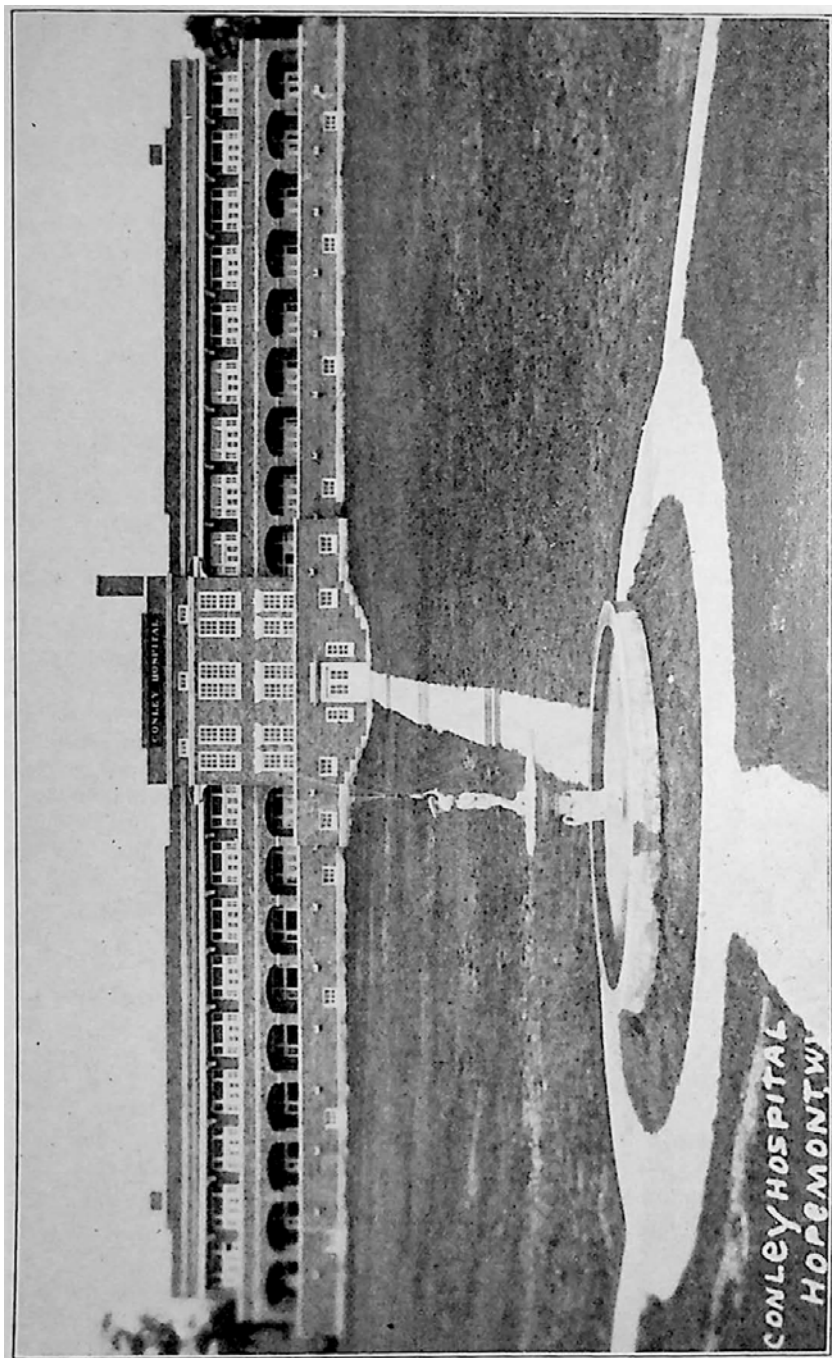
The State Sanitarium at Hopemont was established by legislative enactment pursuant to chapter six, acts of 1911. A special committee was appointed by Governor Glasscock to act in conjunction with the Board of Control in selecting a site. At a joint session, the State Board of Control and the special committee unanimously agreed upon the selection of the Washington Farm near Terra Alta, in Preston County. The reasons for this selection were its accessibility to railroads, an elevation of 2800 feet above sea level, and the proximity of necessary utilities. The original site comprised 535 acres but, from time to time, the farm has been added to until the Institution now has an acreage of 986.



ACTING SUPT. GEO. F. EVANS

Tuberculosis, formerly known as consumption, is a disease of antiquity. It has been faithfully described in the earliest medical writings. Probably the most accurate account of its symptoms was written by Hippocrates. It has been for this long time, and remains today, one of the greatest problems of public health. It was formerly believed that there was no hope for the consumptive and that the disease having become established, the patient was doomed. During

the early part of this century, due especially to the teaching of Dr. Trudeau, of Saranac, it was gradually borne home to the medical profession, that tuberculosis in its earliest stages is curable and that it may be arrested in its ravages even in an advanced state. After this teaching had been proven in the little red sanitarium at Saranac Lake, there gradually spread throughout the country the sanitarium movement for the erection of open air cottages for the care of the tubercular. This movement for the diagnosis, care, and control of tuberculosis become a health movement of the greatest magnitude and resulted in providing more than 65,000 beds in the United States for the treatment of people afflicted with the disease. West Virginia did not lag behind its neighbors, and from a simple beginning in 1911, 800 beds capacity has been provided in the state. The State Sanitarium, Hopemont, with over 450 beds, is by far the largest and best equipped institution of its kind in the state and compares favorably with similar institutions in other states.



CONLEY HOSPITAL, CHILDREN, HOPE MONT SANITARIUM

Situated, as it is, on the slope of a hill and surrounded on all sides by other wooded hills, the Sanitarium has the advantages of an ideal location. The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad and the State Highway both run through the Institution grounds, making the Sanitarium easily accessible and simplifying the problem of transporting supplies. The elevation of 2800 feet adds much to the healthfulness of the location.

The natural beauty of the site has been enhanced by well planned grouping of buildings and effective landscaping. Well kept grounds, beautiful shrubbery, fountains and colorful flower gardens add their contribution to the effect of the handsome brick hospitals and the brown and white of the frame buildings. Driveways wind in and out among the buildings, providing convenient entrance and exit facilities.

The state maintains a fish hatchery on the grounds, and this pond, besides fulfilling its purpose as a hatchery, adds its picturesque touch to the beauty of the sanitarium.

Hopemont has its own postoffice, located in the receiving building and a library which furnishes reading material for the patients is housed in Darst Hospital. McCullough cottage contains a large room which is given over to Occupational Therapy, and in which the recently organized business school has its headquarters.

A new laundry building, said to be one of the best equipped in the state, has been built and put in service during the last year.

Farm buildings, painted brown with white trim, as are all the frame buildings, consist of two dairy barns, and a general barn. A silo affords storage of green feed for the winter months.

Besides the Superintendent's home, there are four cottages to house the men in charge of farm work at the Sanitarium.

Seeing the Sanitarium as it is today, one must not lose sight of the steps by which it reached its present size, adequacy and beauty. In the years since it was opened to patients in 1913, the vision, unceasing work and humanitarian struggle of many forward-looking West Virginians have made possible the result we view with pride today.

After the purchase of land in 1911, there was sufficient appropriation to permit the building of three cottages, which are named Jackson, McCullough and Hatfield, each with a capacity of 20 beds. These buildings soon proved inadequate for the pressing needs of the state and the present receiving building. Lakin and Glasscock cottages were erected. A large congregate dining room was built in 1921, of such size that it still provides ample accommodations for the ambulatory patients. Jones Hospital was opened in 1919 and provided the first beds where proper nursing care might be given to bedfast patients. Cornwell and Stephenson cottages, two open-air porches were constructed and opened for reception of patients in 1921.

Appropriation for a second hospital was made in 1923 and this building, with a patient capacity of 64 beds, was completed and opened in 1924. It was named Darst Hospital after John S. Darst. This gave the Sanitarium a total of 264 beds, 104 of which were situated in hospitals where the necessary tray and bed service might be properly administered.

At this time, there was a change in the ideas of sanitarium construction

and the trend was toward the construction of high class fireproof and permanent buildings. This advance in thought became apparent in West Virginia when the legislature of 1925 appropriated the sum of \$250,000 for the construction and equipment of Gore Hospital. This building, planned along the lines of a General Hospital to give the utmost in service, both from a diagnostic and therapeutic stand point, was dedicated on July 18, 1927. Gore Hospital is a four story structure and houses a diagnostic clinic, and 122 patients on three floors. On the first floor is a small kitchen and dining room for that class of patients, usually termed bathrobe patients, who, while too ill to dress and walk to the large congregate dining hall, nevertheless are able to be taken by elevator to this dining room. This little change provides a welcome relief from the day's monotonous routine. On this floor, are the clinical and X-ray laboratories, often termed the pulse of the Institution. These departments are modern and thoroughly equipped to perform all the methods of precision so necessary to proper medical supervision. All patients pass through a clinic in this building and are thoroughly examined and diagnosed before being assigned a place in the sanitarium.

Conley Hospital, for the treatment of children, was dedicated by His Excellency, the Hon. Wm. G. Conley, Governor of West Virginia, on Sept. 29, 1929. Admissions are restricted to children 16 years and under. This building is practically a complete unit in itself. It is the purpose of the institution to keep the children from contact with the other patients in everyway possible. To this end, they are provided with a separate section of the dining hall, examining rooms, treatment rooms, library, schoolrooms, playground and recreation rooms. This building admits children from tuberculous surroundings, who are in a malnourished or pretuberculous condition. Ordinarily a short period of hospitalization, with proper instruction, suffices to return these children to a normal degree of health.

Morgan Hall, built in 1924, provides quarters for the nursing staff. One floor of this building is occupied by the doctors and their wives.

The greater part of the institutional land was purchased for the protection of the water supplies and only about 200 acres are under cultivation. This cultivation is carried on by a farm superintendent, under the capable supervision and direction of The West Virginia Department of Agriculture and the Department of Agriculture of the State University at Morgantown. The Institution has a large herd of pure bred Holstein cattle, which provides an adequate supply of milk throughout the year.

At the time of establishment, Dr. E. E. Clovis was appointed Superintendent of the Sanitarium and served in that office until May 15, 1924, when he resigned to resume private practice. Dr. Clovis was well trained in the specialty of tuberculosis and much of the early success of the Sanitarium must be attributed to his judgment.

He was succeeded by Dr. J. G. Pettit, who had been in the employ of the state since 1904, and was unusually familiar with institutional management. He was an able physician, a man of rare executive ability and through his vision the Sanitarium came to occupy the high standing it does today. His death occurred in December, 1929 and his loss will be felt for many years among the anti-tuberculosis forces of the state. Since the



death of Dr. Pettit, the Sanitarium has been under the supervision of Dr. Geo. F. Evans, acting superintendent.

The treatment of tuberculosis is built on three great principles, rest, fresh air and diet. The most important of these is rest, either local or general, whether secured by voluntary measures or through various mechanical procedures. The outcome of disease is in some proportion to the amount of rest afforded the diseased lung. All patients at the Sanitarium are kept in bed a minimum of 18 hours daily, and in the hospitals 24 hours a day. The construction of all the buildings is such as to provide a marked hyperventilation, although the idea that one must camp in the open air, if he would recover, is today antiquated. Diet must be generous but not forced, and cure is not favorably affected by the ingestion of great quantities of milk and eggs. Many useful adjuncts to the above treatment are in service at the State Sanitarium. Sunlight therapy is widely practiced, especially among the children. This is supplemented by the use of ultra violet lamps. The various specialties of medicine have been interested in the rehabilitation of the tuberculous. Many operations are performed calculated to put the lung at almost complete rest. In many instances the results have been miraculous. The Institution has a well equipped operating room.

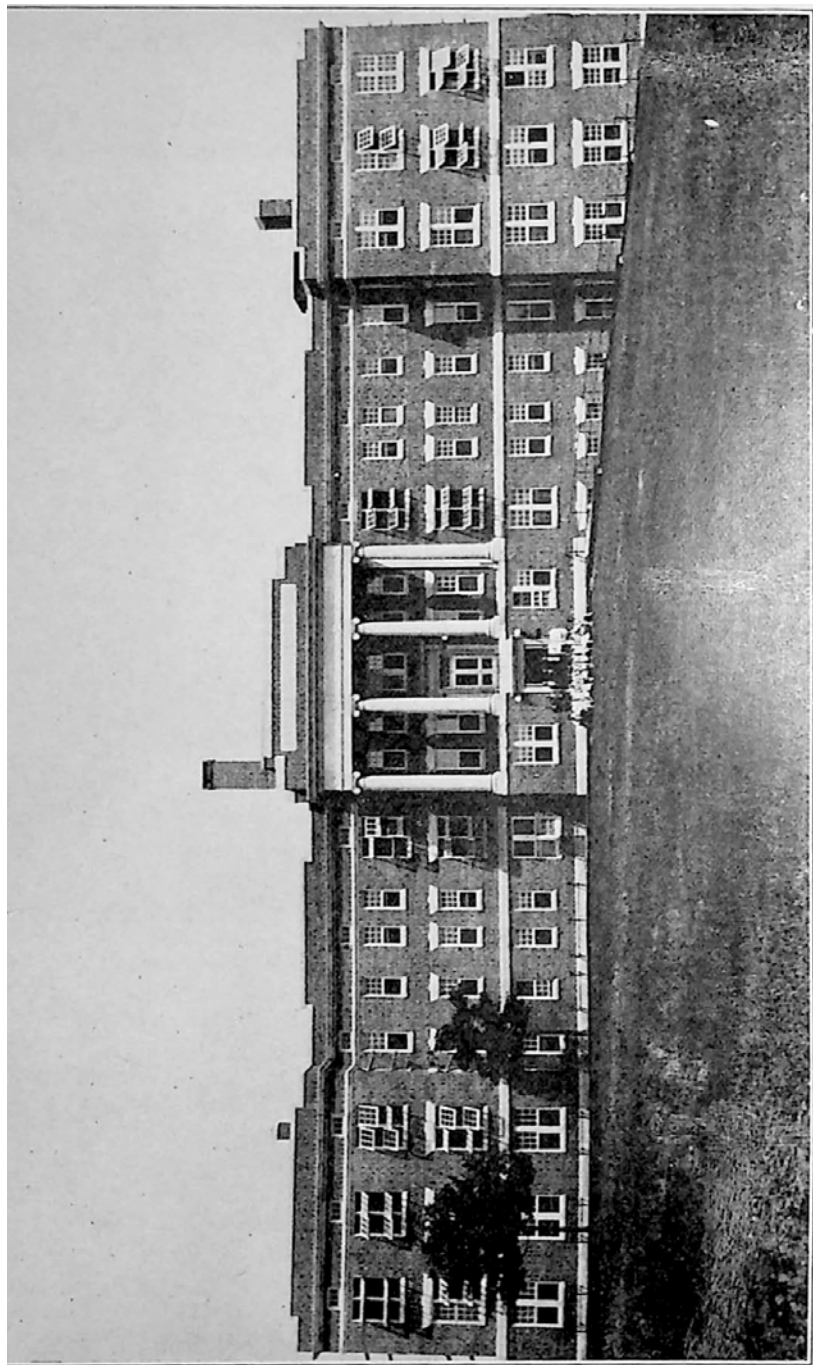
In a mild way, but to as great an extent as possible, the Institution seeks to harden and test its patients before they are discharged. Much of the labor about the Sanitarium is performed by patients. A business college has recently been opened for the teaching of trades to those patients who are able to assimilate the work. This phase of therapy will be greatly enlarged in the future.

From January, 1913 to July, 1930, the Sanitarium has admitted 5,921 patients—a majority of whom have been eventually discharged in condition of apparent arrest or improvement.

The function of the Sanitarium is primarily that of a teaching Institute, where unfortunate tuberculous people may be given instruction in the care and treatment of the disease, tuberculosis, whereby they may be enabled to continue to live as useful and productive citizens. The cure of tuberculosis is a matter of years, and throughout these years the patient must lead an extremely circumspect existence, if he would attain permanent results. The Sanitarium attempts not only to treat disease, but to so impress its patients with the necessities of correct living, self discipline and personal hygiene that they will not relapse into unhealthy habits. In this manner the Sanitarium becomes a center for the propagation of knowledge peculiar to this disease, and its value to the State cannot be computed alone by the number of persons cured while at the Institution.

The Sanitarium furnishes tuberculin for the necessary diagnostic skin tests to physicians throughout the state and the medical staff assists in the formation and management of clinic service.

It is our hope that these extra-curricular activities of the Sanitarium may be widened and extended in the future to encompass school surveys and clinics in every county of the state, because the control of tuberculosis today rests in the prevention of disease among school age children.



RUTHERFORD STATE SANITARIUM, FRONT

## THE RUTHERFORD STATE SANITARIUM

BECKLEY, WEST VIRGINIA

(By GEO. F. GRISSINGER, M. D., *Superintendent*)

Due to the difficulty in obtaining admission to the State Tuberculosis Sanitarium at Hopemont, because of a perpetual and every increasing waiting list, there arose an insistent demand in this state for additional hospital beds for the care and treatment of those afflicted with tuberculosis.



SUPERINTENDENT GEO. F. GRISSINGER

Realizing that something must be done to satisfy this need for more hospital space for this purpose, the 1927 session of the Legislature enacted the law creating the Rutherford State Sanitarium, naming it after Dr. A. G. Rutherford, Superintendent of Welch Hospital No. 1.

The act provided that the site for this institution must be somewhere south of a line drawn east and west through the town of Flatwoods in Braxton County, the geographical center of the state. Numerous sites were offered to the state and, after mature consideration, the State Board of Control, acting jointly with the State Department of Health, accepted the one offered by the town of Beckley, in Raleigh County. This tract consists of three hundred acres of rolling land almost directly east of Beckley and one mile from its corporate limits, in what is known as Gray's Flats. All of

this land is covered with heavy underbrush, except fifty acres on its western margin on which is located the present hospital building. A hard surfaced road extending into Beckley, and known as the Johns Town road, traverses the Sanitarium grounds.

Located 2,500 feet above sea level, with natural drainage and protected from severe storms and high winds by gently sloping hills, the site is ideal. Transportation facilities are good, as branch lines of the Chesapeake and Ohio and Virginian Railways enter the town of Beckley, but one mile distant. U. S. Routes 21 and 19 and State Routes 12, 65 and 21 pass directly through the town.

On this site has been erected a three story and basement hospital building, which is modern in every particular and has a capacity of 125 patients. On March 18, 1930, the institution opened its doors for the admission of patients and within three and one-half months afterward, it was filled to capacity. The institution is a wonderful asset to the people of West Vir-

ginia. For the nominal sum of thirty-five dollars per month, which includes board, room, laundry, medical, nursing, X-ray and laboratory service, the most up to date and modern care is given. In a private institution, this would cost at least four times that amount.

Future plans provide for the erection of four hospital buildings the size of the present one, which, in view of the present tuberculosis situation in West Virginia, would certainly be judicious. Aside from the benefits accruing directly to the people of the state by reason of increased hospital facilities, the larger institution would afford greater opportunities for experimental work, which would prove of inestimable value.

**STATE COLORED TUBERCULOSIS SANITARIUM**

DENMAR, WEST VIRGINIA

*(By B. A. CRICHLow, M. D. Superintendent)***Location and History**

Located at an altitude of over 2000 feet above sea level in one of the most picturesque and interesting spots in the mountains of Pocahontas County on the Greenbrier river, sixteen miles south of Marlinton and forty-three miles north of Ronceverte, lies an institution of unspeakable value for those of the colored race who are struggling with the great white plague known as tuberculosis, the State Colored Tuberculosis Sanitarium.



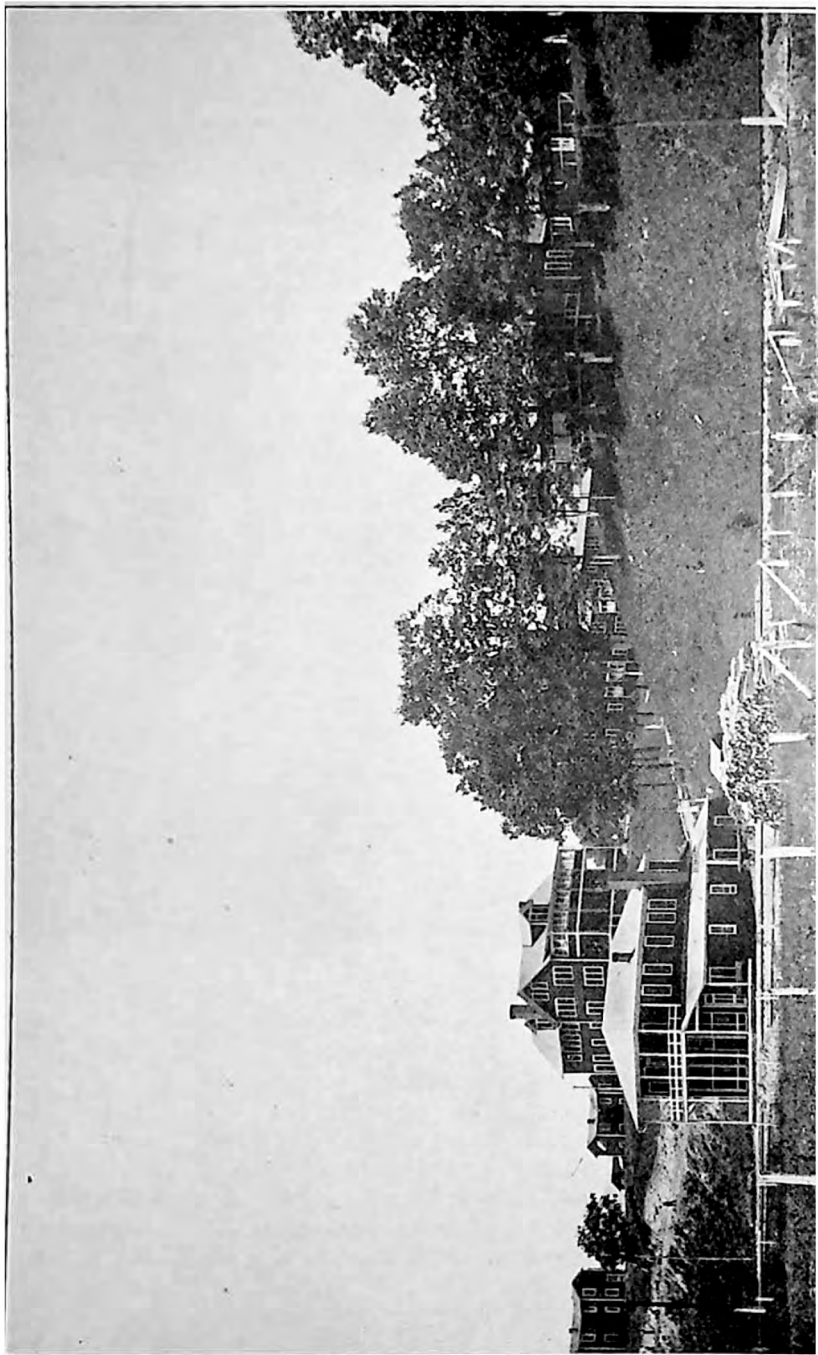
SUPERINTENDENT B. A. CRICHLow

This institution was established by an Act of the Legislature of 1917. A commission, composed of J. S. Lakin, the late Dr. E. B. Stephenson and J. M. Williamson, members of the State Board of Control, together with three Negro physicians, Drs. B. A. Crichlow of Charleston; S. F. Clay of Lewisburg, and the late R. C. Harrison, of Kimball, were appointed by Governor Cornwell to select a site. On March 28, 1918, this commission visited Denmar and, after an inspection, unanimously agreed that it was the best place then available for such an institution. On recommendation of the commission this site was purchased. This beautiful spot, which nature has designed as one of the most restful sights in the state, was formerly

the property of the Maryland Lumber Company. Too much cannot be said of the development which changed this lumber camp into a haven of rest and comfort for those afflicted with tuberculosis. The grounds cover 185 acres of land, much of which is adapted to farming and some of which is under cultivation. The institution was opened to receive patients in January, 1919. Dr. B. A. Crichlow, who was appointed superintendent by Governor Cornwell at the opening, has served in that capacity up to the present time. That this institution was needed and is appreciated is shown by the increase of patients since its foundation. We are in position to accommodate 85 patients and at present have a population of 76.

**Accessibility**

Transportation facilities are greatly improved through the completion of the Seneca Trail, which connects with the Midland Trail at Lewisburg,



STATE COLORED TUBERCULOSIS SANITARIUM

thirty-three miles west of Hillsboro. From Hillsboro, five miles from Denmar, there is a rock-base gravel-surfaced road to the institution, three miles of which have been recently built at a cost of \$13,000.00, of which \$10,000.00 was paid out of the repair and improvement fund of the institution and \$3000.00 by Pocahontas County. There is a bus line between Lewisburg and Elkins making two daily trips. Railroad connections are made at Ronceverte, coming east and at Durbin, going west.

#### Admission

All residents of the State of West Virginia desiring sanitarium treatment should write to the Superintendent for an application blank. This blank must be executed by a physician and returned to the Superintendent, who will notify the patient as to the date of his admission. Under no consideration should patients be sent to the sanitarium before being notified by the Superintendent. To cover the cost of board and treatment, a fee of one dollar per day is charged each patient, which must be paid one month in advance. Patients who are unable to pay their expenses may enter the sanitarium by having some county or charitable organization arrange payment for them. Out-of-state patients are also admitted to the sanitarium upon special arrangements made with the State Board of Control and the Superintendent.

#### Buildings

**Crichlow Hospital:** This is the main building of the institution. It is of frame construction, 40x62 feet, and has two and one-half stories. On the first floor are located the reception room, main office, examining room, kitchen, pantries, dining rooms for nurses and patients and a room which is used for the storage of drugs and Pathological Laboratory. The second floor is used as hospital wards and rooms for bed patients. A sun-porch, which is used for sleeping purposes stretches across the entire front of this floor. The nurses' office is also located on this floor. The third floor is used for storing supplies and as sleeping quarters for women visitors.

**Harrison Cottages:** These cottages are used for our male ambulatory patients. They are of two stories, with sun-porches at the east end and connected by two large sleeping porches. These remodeled cottages are modernly equipped and are well suited for the purpose for which they are used. Owing to the number of men patients in excess of women it was found necessary to remodel two more cottages in our next row of buildings. These are patterned after the Harrison cottages and are being occupied at the present time.

**Clay Cottages:** These cottages are identical with the Harrison cottages and are used for our women ambulatory cases.

**Girls' and Boys' Cottages:** The admission of a number of children has necessitated the remodeling of two two-story, five-room cottages. There is also a building which is utilized for school purposes for the children.

**Superintendent's Cottage:** This cottage is situated east of the administration building and commands full view of the entire sanitarium. It is of similar construction as the other buildings.

**Nurses' Cottage:** A five-room cottage, similar to our other cottages, has been made suitable for the use of our nurses.

**The Store-room:** This is a large two-story building. The first floor is occupied by the American Railway Express Office, post office and store-room for meat and grocery supplies. The second floor is occupied by farm laborers and is also used as sleeping quarters for male visitors.

**Heating System:** The buildings are heated by modern steam heating units and are lighted by Delco Light System.

**Water System:** Water for the sanitarium is abundantly supplied from deep wells from which it is pumped to a large reservoir on the hill back of the buildings. Considerable force from the gravity flow of the water to the buildings gives adequate protection in case of fire.

### Treatment

In addition to dependence upon rest, proper food, fresh air and graduated exercise as remedial measures, the Alpine Lamp and Heliotherapy are used. The Wassermann blood test is given each patient. Should the case be complicated with syphilis, special treatment is given. Rules governing daily activities and general and personal hygiene are enforced. Weekly lectures by the superintendent enable the patients to understand their condition and to care for themselves better.

The aim of the institution is to take care of such patients as can be benefitted by sanitarium treatment, and is not intended for incurables. We regret, however, that the majority of cases sent to the sanitarium are found to be in the advanced stage of the disease; as a result, the mortality rate is far in excess of what it should be. Still there is benefit derived from taking these advanced cases, by separating them from their children and the rest of their families and the community in which they live, thus checking the spread of the disease. That this mortality rate may be reduced by the education of the public, yearly clinics are conducted and health talks given over the state by Dr. Crichlow. He also makes very possible contact with Negroes of the state to impress upon them the importance of early treatment of the disease.

The institution is under the control of the State Board of Control. The Superintendent who is appointed by the Governor, appoints his own assistants, nurses and employees. He is at all times responsible for the efficient discharge of his duties from a professional as well as from a business standpoint. Appropriations are made by the state legislature biennially for the upkeep of the institution, which is conducted along strictest economical lines. These funds are also supplemented by payments from patients on fees for board and treatment.

It is the hope of the Superintendent that knowledge of the institution may be wide-spread, in order that our people may continue to make use of the valuable service rendered.



# State Charitable Institutions

## THE WEST VIRGINIA CHILDREN'S HOME

ELKINS, WEST VIRGINIA

(By MRS. JESSICA PARRY LEHMAN, Superintendent)

The West Virginia Humane Society was established pursuant to chapter 9 of the 1899 Acts of the Legislature of the State of West Virginia. This was virtually the first statewide movement for the care of helpless

children. In 1909 an Act of the Legislature authorized the State to purchase property at Elkins for the establishment of a State Children's Home for white children. In the Biennial Report of the West Virginia Humane Society of 1909 we find that \$20,000.00 was appropriated by the Legislature for this purpose. \$5,000.00 was used for the purchase of 20 acres of what is known as the Heavener Addition. This report states that a balance of \$1,270.47 was unexpended.

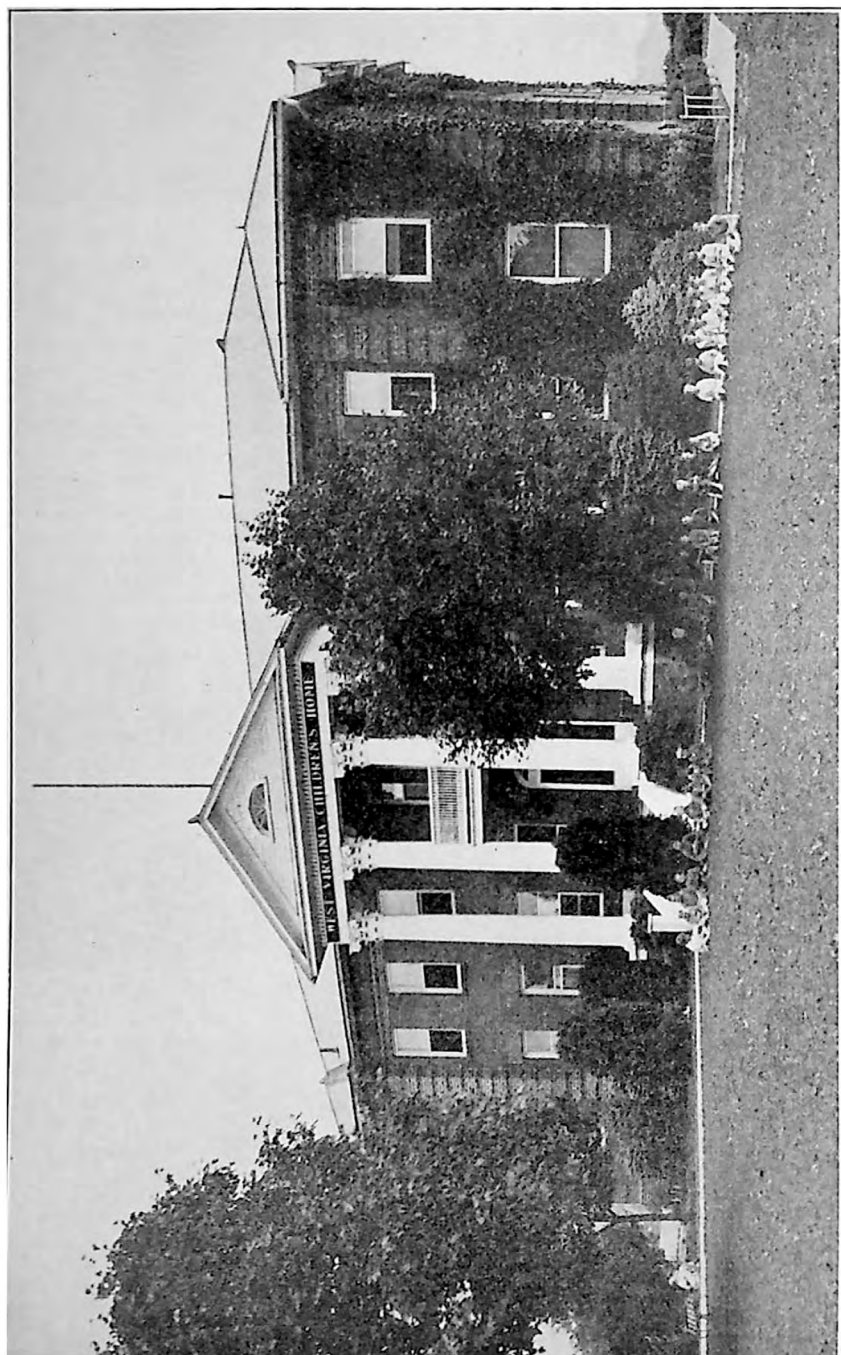


SUPERINTENDENT JESSICA P. LEHMAN

This Home was continued under the management of the West Virginia Humane Society until in 1919, when the State Board of Children's Guardians by chapter 110. of the Acts of the Legislature of 1919 was established for the purpose of having custody and control of the dependent and neglected children of the State, and further to see that they are placed under proper guardianship to be cared for and educated. The Humane Society had begun the work of placing children in private homes. The

agents of the State Board of Children's Guardians make a more careful selection of these foster homes than was formerly made by visiting the child and supervising it in its foster home. These agents are trained in Social Work.

The West Virginia Children's Home is located in the northwestern section of Elkins and is within the corporate limits of the city. It is built on a rising plateau and has an altitude of 2000 feet. It overlooks the Leading Creek and Tygart Valleys and is surrounded by the picturesque and beautiful mountain ranges of the Cheat, Laurel and Rich Mountains. The latter two ranges are of historical interest, owing to the battles fought



MAIN BUILDING, WEST VIRGINIA CHILDREN'S HOME

there, during the Civil War. This location is almost unsurpassed in beauty in the State.

The main building is about 150 feet back from Heavner Avenue. It is a two story structure, with basement. It is built of red brick, with artificial stone trimmings and slate roof. It is 86 by 36 feet with a two-story L in the rear 48 by 30 feet. In the basement, in addition to the boiler room, laundry, canning, fruit and supply rooms, we have a shower bath room and toilets for girls and also for boys. In the main building on the first floor are the halls, offices, reception rooms, five bed rooms, a modern dormitory with ten beds for boys. There is also an enclosed porch for a study room. On this floor, in the L, are the main dining room, the kitchen, and pantries. On the second floor of the main building, we have dormitories for the boys and girls, between which are the bed rooms and a sitting room for the two matrons. In this section are also supply rooms and a large enclosed play room for boys. In the L are the girl's play room, nursery, sewing room, and three bed rooms.

We have a seven room brown shingle residence, for our farmer, a garage, red brick, well equipped barn, machine house, hog pens, and a chicken house built from the approved plans of the West Virginia University, and a cave house and smoke house. A new two-room school building, of the ready-cut type, was erected last year, and equipped with heater, frost-proof toilets, and bubblers and supply and cloak rooms. All the buildings are now in good condition.

The West Virginia Children's Home is the receiving home for the wards of the State Board of Children's Guardians, who have headquarters in Charleston. The State is districted and the agents, who are trained in social work are assigned the different districts. We receive and care for the children they bring us, after proper court action.

The report of the triennial period from July 1, 1927 to June 30, 1930 which has just been completed shows we have cared for 439 children during that period.

Children who are mentally or physically defective and cannot be placed in homes, are barred by statute, as the Home is temporary; otherwise, we would be filled to capacity with unplaceable children. Mental as well as physical tests are given to all children who are received in the Home. If either mentally or physically below normal, they are transferred to other institutions. This often takes too long a period of time, and more care should be taken before the children are committed to the State. If the Home is filled with unplaceable children, we defeat the purpose of the law.

Many of these children are orphaned, abused and neglected, come from broken homes, with vicious environment, bad morals, and they have little or no training in cleanly personal habits or decent living. Poverty, crime and delinquency are large contributing forces, and they are more and more being recognized as diseases and should be treated as such. Our state should know the extent to which it is suffering from these maladjustments and the cost of caring for their victims. Too little attention has been given to mental hygiene. We are more and more of the opinion that men are formed by their circumstances and that the right kind of environment can very often overcome the handicap of unfortunate birth.

The Home has contracts with a local dentist, oculist and barber. A physician comes twice a week, who checks up on the medical blank which accompanies each child, and, as a result, many of the children are taken to Fairmont Hospital No. 3. The number of tonsilectomies far exceeds the number of other operations. We have the blood—Wasserman tests and a Smear is taken if there is any indication of the necessity. After admission each child is given Squibb's Cod-Liver Oil. We have a highly cultivated farm, which supplies us with all our vegetables, pork, beef, poultry and eggs. We have a dairy which supplies us with plenty of whole milk. The older boys assist the farmer in all his work. The older girls are trained in all kinds of domestic art, under the supervision of the matrons. They also take their turns in caring for the younger children, making beds, mending and sewing. They also go into the kitchen, dining room and laundry, for training. It is an ever changing group, and the more apt they are the shorter their stay in the Home.

Too much stress cannot be placed upon the importance of having a staff in sympathy with the training and development of the children who come under our care. It is most essential that we have men and women of character and integrity to deal with children—who are firm but gentle in their conduct and discipline of children. Wonderful improvement in physical condition, as well as in behavior, is soon evidenced in the child. In every way we try to make this institution as nearly a real home as is possible, and, to obtain this result, the individuality of each child must be recognized.

Our school is now standardized and the children of the Home have equal school opportunities with other children of the State. We consider this our greatest accomplishment; for the children formerly had school only a few hours a day during the winter months, in a room without direct light, and, which had poor ventilation and practically no equipment. They now have a two room school building, well equipped and two experienced teachers. In addition to the regular term of nine months, a period of six weeks, from July 1, to August 15th, with morning sessions only, is provided for the children. They are practically all retarded in their school work and need to be pushed in their studies.

Complimentary tickets are given us by the local theatres. The Y. M. C. A. gives memberships to some of our older boys and girls. Many gifts are sent the children, on the various natal days by the Junior Red cross, the Junior League and different Sunday School classes. We observe all holidays both in the school and the Home. Thanksgiving, Christmas, St. Valentines Day, Easter, etc. are happy days for us. For other amusements the children have a radio—Atwater Kent—which was a gift to them, victrolas, games and a fairly equipped library. Our playgrounds have a merry-go-around, see saws, sand box, several croquet sets, and baseball equipment. We try to make the child's stay in the Home a happy memory while we are training him in behaviour and work, so that he may take his place in a foster home and keep it. It is very bad for a child to have to be transferred from one home to another.

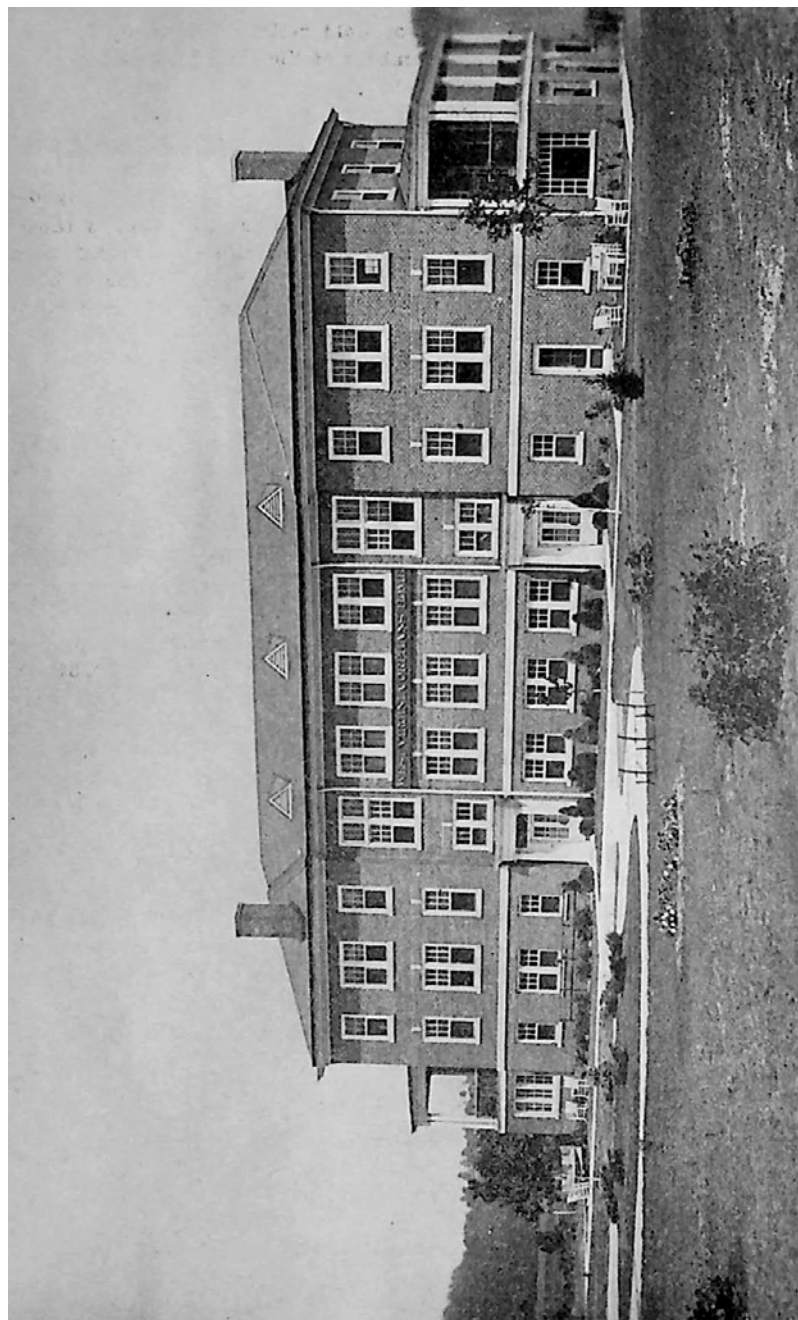
The Y. M. C. A. conducts Sunday School every Sunday afternoon and the

pastors of the different denominations hold religious services frequently. The older boys and girls go with members of the staff to services in town. Our services are held in the school building.

Poverty has become so complex, and the helplessness of the poor is so many sided, that the service of them has become exacting and technical. The social worker has been compelled to specialize in this service, and his training has become just as important as the training of any of the professions. Too much care cannot be taken for the selection of the right child for the right home, and, to make this discrimination, social training and experience is necessary. My observation is that this phase of social training is not sufficiently stressed. The home is paramount, and no home should be broken up on account of poverty, but when circumstances arise, such as illegitimacy, sickness, crime and immorality, and there is no alternative but to separate the members of the family, then the trained social worker is especially necessary. Whenever possible, give financial aid to keep a family together until the crisis is past. The future of the child in such cases must be considered so that he may be trained to take his place in life and maintain it.

We must never forget that poverty and all phases of social work is not only the problem of the individual, but also of society, of the State, and, of Christianity. Any view of it that falls short of these aspects can make no promise of effective service of the poor.

We close the fiscal year with seventy children; which was double the number we had at the end of the fiscal year three years ago. This Home was planned to take care of thirty children; in the last few years we have added 18 beds, which makes us 54 beds, these however are single, and baby beds. No additional provision has been made for the care of dependent children since the purchase of this Home twenty-one years ago. The time has come when additional room is imperative; and we are recommending that an appropriation be asked at the next session of the Legislature. This money would be used to purchase additional land, build a modern kitchen on the rear of the present building, and a modern cottage for boys. This cottage to be equipped with physician's room for examination and minor surgery, dental room, six isolation rooms, three dormitories to each have ten beds, and ten single bed rooms. These of course to have sufficient toilets and dressing rooms. This building should be 60 feet distant from the main building and parallel with it.



MAIN BUILDING, WEST VIRGINIA COLORED ORPHANS' HOME

## WEST VIRGINIA COLORED ORPHANS' HOME

HUNTINGTON, WEST VIRGINIA

(By H. H. RAILEY, Superintendent)

This Institution had its beginning January 31, 1900, when it was incorporated at Bluefield, W. Va., under the name of the West Virginia Normal Industrial School for Colored Orphans.



SUPERINTENDENT H. H. RAILEY

The first location of the Institution was at Central City, now known as West Huntington, under the management of C. E. McGhee, of Huntington. Five years later, it was relocated on the Guyandotte River, six miles east of the business district of the city of Huntington.

For some years, the Institution was supported by private contributions raised by the general manager and other friends, and by income from the boarding hall and the farm. Beginning in 1903, the State Legislature made yearly appropriations ranging from \$1500 to \$3000 in 1910. At this time the property consisted of one main, rudely constructed building, brick and three stories and one hundred ninety acres of land.

The Legislature of 1911 provided for the purchase by the State of all real estate and personal property of the Institution, and appropriated \$10,000 for that purpose; it further provided that the State Board of Control should assume entire management thereof; and that the

name be changed from West Virginia Normal and Industrial School for Colored Orphans to West Virginia Colored Orphans' Home.

This act provides that there shall be admitted to this Home, colored orphans under sixteen years of age and such other children of like age, as may be surrendered by invalid parents, or such children as may be surrendered by authorized agents of the State Humane Society or the overseer of the poor in any city, town or county within the State, and there shall be kept, maintained, educated and trained until they can be placed in foster homes.

### Grounds

The farm consists of one hundred and ninety acres of land mostly hills and rolling and very poor. There are about forty acres in wood land and thirty-five acres under cultivation and the rest is in pasture and grown-up fields.

### Buildings

The main building was destroyed by fire of an unknown origin on April 5, 1920. The children were placed in foster and private homes, under the supervision of I. M. Carper, the Superintendent and Mrs. E. Dorsey, the Matron. The farm was run in connection with the Huntington State Hospital until January 1, 1922.

The destroyed building was replaced in 1922, by a new and more modern structure. It is of red brick, trimmed in Indiana limestone, one hundred and fifteen feet long, thirty-nine feet wide and is three stories high (including the ground floor) with slate roof.

It contains twenty-six rooms, and four dormitories. The basement, thirty-four by twenty-four feet, is used for boiler and fuel rooms only. The building is equipped with the Webster Modulating Heating System.

The building is situated on a beautiful site, overlooking the Guyandotte River, and State Highway, Midland Trail to the North, and Norway Avenue, to the south.

Cottage—The cottage is occupied by the farmer and is situated within two hundred yards of the main building. It contains five rooms and bath, is heated by gas and is a stucco, pebble dash structure with shingle roof.

### Barn

The barn is a frame structure, two stories high, with tile silo attached, and paper roof. It is fitted with the James equipment and is divided into apartments, so that calves, cows and horses are entirely separated from each other.

### Storage House

We were in need of a place to store our vegetables for the winter, so we built a storage house which serves three purposes. The basement is used for vegetables and fruits; the first floor serves as a garage and the second floor for meats and lard. This structure is of brick and cement, situated fifty feet east of the main building, and has a slate roof.

### Poultry House

The poultry house is a one story structure of frame work with apartments for brooder, feed room and hens. It has a paper roof and is situated two hundred feet west of the main building. It will house four hundred hens.

### Hog House

The hog house is built so that different grades and sizes may be cared for on an easy and safe plan. It is a frame structure, situated some five hundred yards west of the main building.

### Object and Work of Institution

The object of this Institution is to receive, care for, and train dependent and neglected colored children of this state. It also acts as a clearing house for the State Board of Children Guardians, as all children come to us through this Board or its agents.

As a rule, the children received are from broken-up homes and from the



slums of the cities and towns. They come dirty, filthy, under-nourished and with little or no morals or manners and many of them are almost destitute of clothing and suffering from lack of food and nourishment.

Our first work is to feed them, as most of them come hungry; bathe and clean them and teach them the use of the tooth brush, comb and hair brush. Then each child that is old enough, is given some little duties to perform each day and is supervised at work and at play by some officer of the Institution. Here, we begin to try to create a real home atmosphere, of which most of the children have been deprived; an atmosphere in which each child can develop, and the abused child can find love and shelter until he can be placed in a foster home and thereby be reclaimed for the State. In addition to general housework, the girls are taught plain and fancy needlework, which may be seen by any one visiting the Institution.

The boys are also taught housework, but we make a specialty in training them in truck gardening, care of the lawn and how to care for hogs and chickens.

#### School

Our schoolroom is well equipped with apparatus and a competent teacher. We teach the same branches and use the same courses of study that are used in the public schools of the State, so that when a child is placed in a foster home, he will fit in the school in the community in which he is to make his future home.

#### Playground

In order that the child may develop physically as well as mentally, we have installed a modern playground outfit, where the children take physical exercises after they have finished their tasks and school work.

#### Religious Services

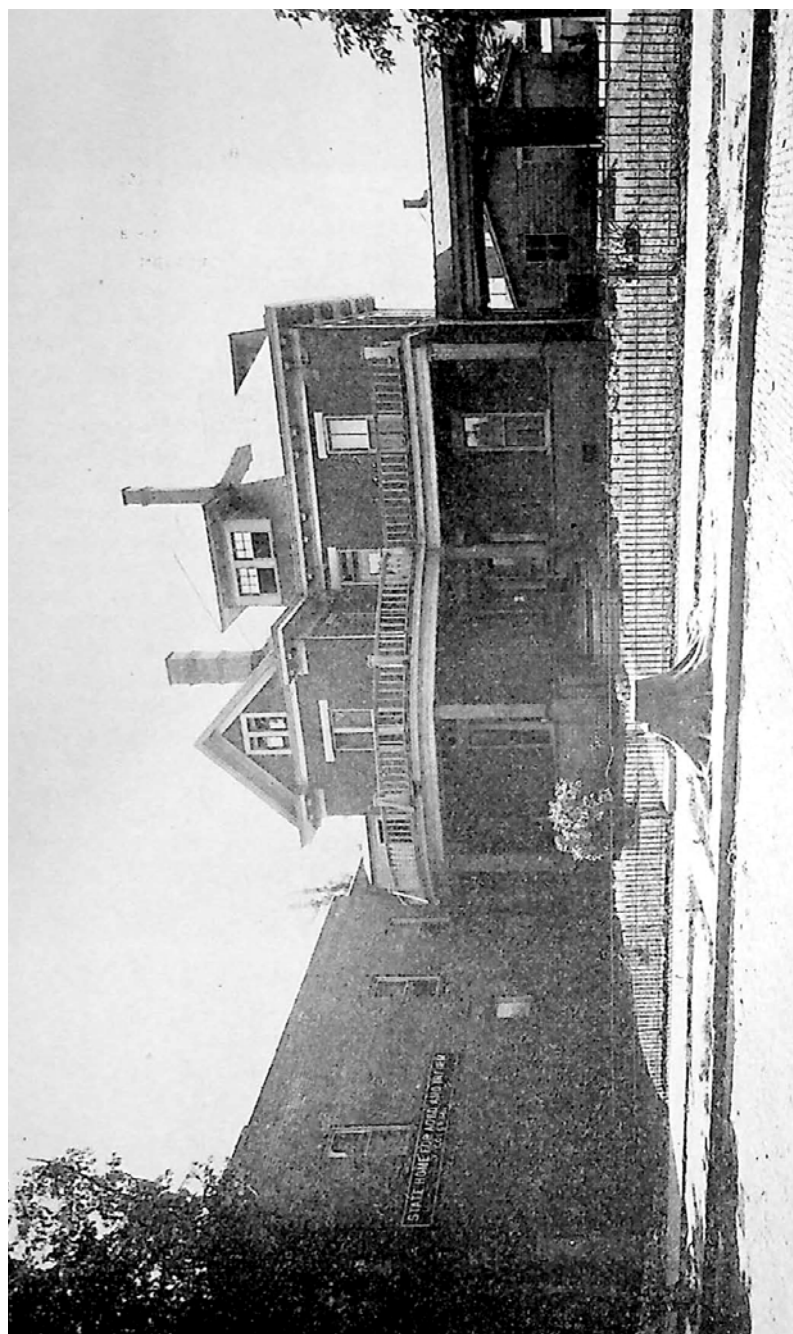
We have Sunday School every Sunday morning and song services every Sunday night. At times ministers of Huntington and other places hold services on Sunday afternoon at the Home.

#### Placement of Children

Our children, for the most part, have been placed in good homes by the agents of the State Board of Children's Guardians and are doing well. In many cases, however, children are placed and this office has no record with whom or where. We feel that our records should show with whom and where each child is placed, so that in after years, brother or sister may be able to trace one or the other from this Home.

Since the beginning of the Institution the following persons have held the office of Superintendent:

- C. E. McGhee, January, 1911—September, 1915;
- James L. Hill, September, 1915—February, 1920;
- I. M. Carper, February, 1920—July, 1921;
- H. H. Railey, July, 1921.



STATE HOME FOR AGED AND INFIRM COLORED MEN AND WOMEN

## STATE HOME FOR AGED AND INFIRM COLORED MEN AND WOMEN

HUNTINGTON, WEST VIRGINIA

(By JACOB H. JOHNSON, *Superintendent*)

The State Home for Aged and Infirm Colored Men and Women was established by the Legislature in 1923.

However, it began as a private enterprise when Isaac Noel visioned such an institution. He was ably assisted in bringing his vision into reality by the co-operation of loyal supporters, who, with him, saw the great need of such a Home.



SUPERINTENDENT JACOB H. JOHNSON

Three sites have domiciled this Institution, viz: 1520 Third Avenue, Charleston, 305 Marion Street, Charleston, and 1635 Eighth Avenue, Huntington.

The population of the Home has more than doubled in the past three years. In 1927 the population was eighteen and in 1930, were those former inmates now deceased still living, the population would be eighty-five. Commitments from a few counties only were recorded for sometime but more counties of the state are now committing inmates, thus distributing representation over a large area.

This service to the citizens of the state is an inestimable one, both to those who become residents of the institution and to the public, in that there is such a splendid provision made for incapacitated citizens.

Service is the slogan of the age and any institution or organization lacking this aim, misses the greatest objective the human race can have.

The infirmary, as it existed twenty years ago and still exists in some sections of the state and country, was and is not only unpleasant, unsanitary and unhomelike, but is positively inadequate to the needs and demands of the present day. A Home such as the state of West Virginia maintains for Aged and Infirm Colored Men and Women is, in every sense, a very necessary and greatly needed investment, as well as a most comfortable and pleasant abode for those who have no other.

The aims of the institution are outlined to meet the purpose of its establishment, that purpose being to provide a "Home" in the true sense of the word for those who were homeless.

With this fact in mind, the first aim of the management is to make the resident feel that he or she is not in a penal or corrective institution.

or a place of confinement as such, but in a real "Home". To this end, kindness and love are shown in thought, speech and action to the residents.

Inmates of this Home are not youths as they are in some institutions of the state. When boys and girls or young men and women have erred, it is the duty of other institutions, where conditions warrant, to correct and properly direct the courses of the erring ones and return them to the paths of rectitude. Neither are the inmates received in this institution middle aged. Although the middle aged may, for various reasons, have had failures in life, yet there is still a chance to succeed and to brighten the places that, for one cause or the other, may have been dark. But in the Institution for Aged and Infirm, for the most part, those who come are nearing the "sunset of life" and since the conditions and circumstances that brought them here can not, perhaps, be altered, it is the duty of those in charge not to chide, question or rebuke, but rather to receive with tenderness and sympathy those committed to their care, and to make them to feel that the great state of West Virginia has provided them a Home where they will receive maintenance and care.

In addition to creating this mental state in the minds of the residents of the Home, it is the aim of the superintendent and his staff to properly care for their physical and moral needs. Not only are the inmates who come to the Institution advanced in years but many are sick and seriously afflicted. It is the objective of the institution to properly administer to their physical needs, so a regularly employed physician visits the Home and whenever the services of a nurse are required, they are promptly furnished.

As far as it is humanely possible, every comfort and convenience is secured for the benefit of the crippled inmates viz. wheel chairs, rolling cots, etc. Sun porches have been added to the building proper in order that those who are bedfast may receive air and sunshine.

When an inmate has been made comfortable as far as his bodily needs are concerned, attention is given to his moral needs and as many of the residents who come to the Home have been accustomed to church service, the Board of Control has provided a splendid chapel where religious services are conducted regularly and are greatly enjoyed by the inmates. As it is not the aim of the superintendent to influence the inmates along the line of any particular denomination, the various ministers of the city are invited to alternate in Sunday services at the Home Chapel.

The Girls of the Industrial School, together with the local choirs, furnish music for these services. Since the lives of the people who dwell in this institution have for the most part been lived, a preparation for future happiness and the life that must yet be lived, should be given.

In this age of advancement and progress, the state is well served when its poor and needy, as well as its sick and suffering are being cared for in a worthy manner. The attention of the county courts and the citizens of the state is called to the moderate price at which the splendid facilities of the Home can be obtained.

In such an Institution as this great state has provided for its Colored

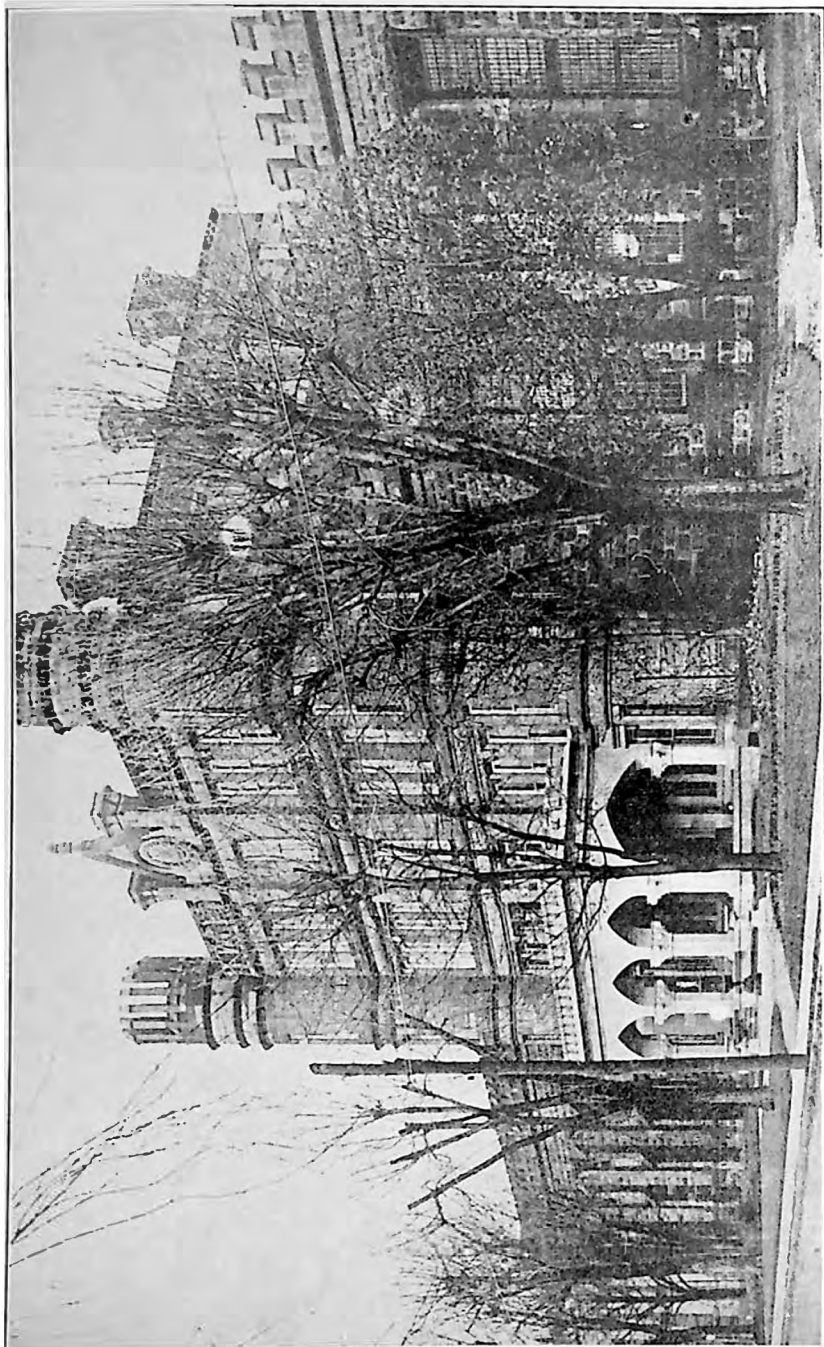
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Aged and Infirm, there is manifested a love and care for suffering humanity, with proper provision for their maintenance.

In so far as the counties co-operate in sending their inmates to a place so well equipped and prepared, in just such proportion is this Institution able to give a fuller and greater measure of service to the state.

The aims that should and do characterize this Institution cannot be realized without love. Sympathy for the unfortunate ones who come for care and protection is outstanding, together with a deep sense of gratitude to the West Virginia Legislature, the Chief Executive of the State and The State Board of Control for making such provisions for its colored citizens.

Labor and toil on the part of the superintendent and staff in the accomplishment of the aims outlined are well repaid when it is realized that such work is that of love and that the reward lies in the doing.



WEST VIRGINIA STATE PENITENTIARY

# State Penal Institutions

## WEST VIRGINIA PENITENTIARY

MOUNDVILLE, WEST VIRGINIA

(By A. C. SCROGGINS, Warden)

In 1866, by an Act of the West Virginia Legislature, the Board of Public Works was authorized to select a site for a State Penitentiary at or near Moundsville and to purchase not less than ten acres of land. The Penitentiary at or near Moundsville and to purchase not less than ten acres of land. The Penitentiary proper covers six of these original ten acres and is surrounded by a wall 675 x 395 feet, of hand-cut sandstone, 25 feet high, 10 feet at its base and tapering to 4 feet at top.



WARDEN A. C. SCROGGINS

The Administration Building of the Penitentiary is occupied by the executive offices, warden's private living apartments, and sleeping quarters for a number of guards. Extending north and south from the central corridor are the cell halls; the north hall contains 416, and the south 424 cells. These cells are arranged in tiers, there being four tiers in each hall. They are of steel construction and are supplied with running water, automatic closets, electric lights, and steel spring bunks.

Additional buildings within the walls accommodate the following: ward for women prisoners, hospital for the tubercular inmates, and hospital for general treatment. There are also bakery, carpenter shop, and the main dining room buildings. The latter serves for many purposes, since the dining hall and kitchen occupy the entire first floor; the second is used for chapel services, library and school-room; the photograph gallery is located over the library; and in the basement of this same building are the ice plant, cold storage room, meat shop, laundry and large shower bath room. In like manner, every available space is utilized throughout the institution.

Various other buildings within the enclosure make possible the operation of the factories employing prison labor and which are known as the Kleeson Company, Gordon-East Coast Company, and the J. C. Bardail Company. The institution has a modified form of contract labor shops,

in which pants, shirts, brooms and whips are manufactured. Prisoners assigned to shops, after the completion of their tasks, are paid for their work and such sums are credited to their respective personal accounts.

Complying with an agreement for the use of prisoners on highway construction, entered into between the State Road Commission and the State Board of Control, and approved by His Excellency, Governor William G. Conley, the Warden of the Penitentiary has endeavored to carry out the provisions of the contract, with the result that 600 prisoners are employed in highway work in Calhoun, Braxton and Clay Counties. Under the supervision of the McDowell County Court a camp employing 50 prisoners has been established. The prisoners employed in the various camps are under the custody of the Warden of the Penitentiary, and he requires daily reports from his guards in order that he may be kept fully informed regarding their activities.

All prisoners when admitted, except those sentenced for life, have a certain amount of time deducted from their original sentences, and this is known as good time allowance. In case of a violation of any of the rules of this institution, the prisoner who thus betrays this trust must forfeit such good time as is deemed right and proper by the Warden and his deputy. This method is quite an incentive toward the promotion of good behavior.

Another influence toward securing good discipline is the operation of the parole law. Only prisoners who have made good records are recommended for parole. About 25 years ago West Virginia was one of the first states of the Union to put this law into operation.

A medical department is maintained under the supervision of two capable physicians. Although handicapped by lack of space and equipment, the health of the inmates has been very good. During the last seven months there have been only three deaths.

Cleanliness is regarded as a paramount necessity and is enforced throughout the institution. A careful study is made of the diet, since it involves both health and efficiency. An X-ray equipment renders valuable assistance, both in hospital cases and dental work, very particular attention being given to the latter.

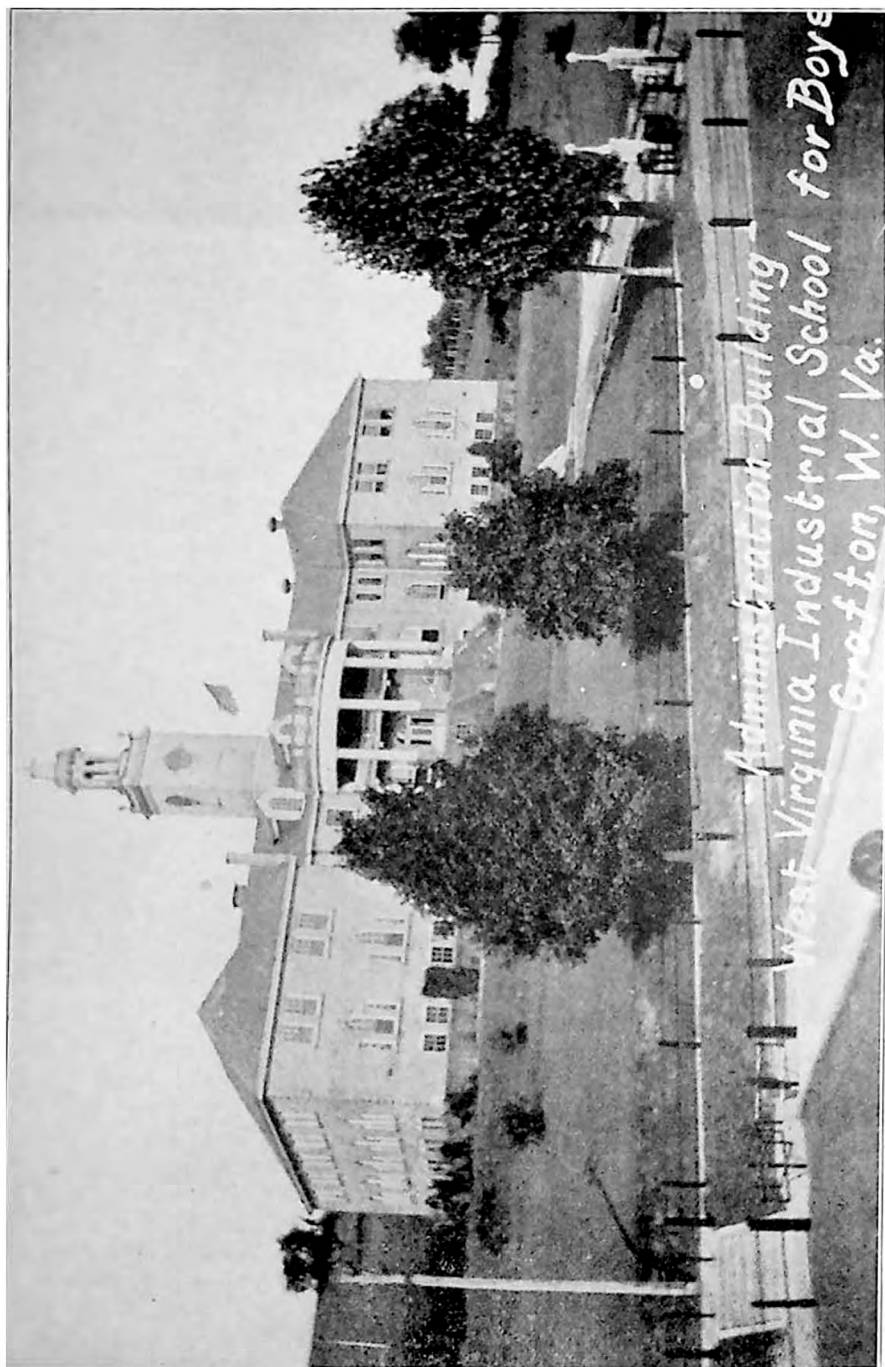
Additional land has been purchased and at the present time the State owns approximately two hundred and fifty acres; two hundred and thirteen acres of this land are known as the Prison Farm. This is a very valuable asset since, by means of this farm, an abundance of vegetables is grown, hogs are raised which supplement the meat supply, and a splendid dairy is maintained; and on this land is located the Prison Coal Mine, operated at an annual saving of approximately \$15,000.00. Adjacent farm and pasture land is leased to further promote the interests of the Institution and to save the state a considerable expenditure of cash, since prisoners perform the labor, under the direction of the superintendent.

In 1909, by a legislative appropriation, the State of West Virginia secured possession of the famous Grave Creek Mound, which lies one block west of the Penitentiary. Under the direction of the Warden of the Penitentiary, prisoners are employed on this property, and it has been made one of the most beautiful and interesting spots of the State. As one



views it, he can not but be impressed by the thought that for more than three thousand years it has stood as a sentinel and a reminder of the great people who once inhabited this valley.

During the past ten years the population of the penitentiary has trebled. At the close of the fiscal year, June 30, 1920, there were only 850 inmates, while on June 30, 1930, there was a population of 2,378. This one fact alone reveals the paramount and pressing need of remedial legislation to take care of West Virginia's serious penal problem.



ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, WEST VIRGINIA INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL FOR BOYS

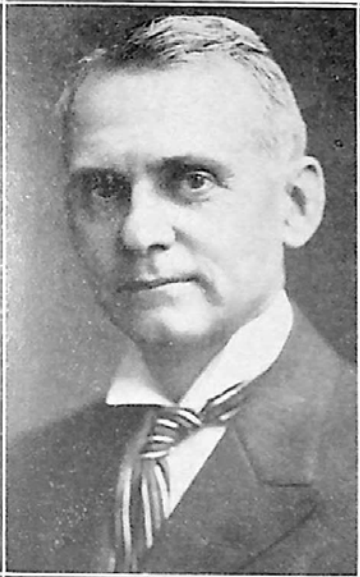
# State Correctional Institutions

## WEST VIRGINIA INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL FOR BOYS

PRUNTYTOWN, WEST VIRGINIA

(By H. E. FLESHER, *Superintendent*)

In 1879 the Legislature provided for the establishment of this institution and in 1890 the West Virginia Reform School was located at Pruntytown, lying five miles west of Grafton on the Northwestern Turnpike, now U. S. Route 50. This town was first settled in 1800 and was formerly the county seat of Taylor County.



SUPERINTENDENT H. E. FLESHER

In locating the institution the state accepted the gift from Taylor County of the former Court House and other real estate and of five thousand dollars in money, which was raised locally by popular subscription.

The first Superintendent was J. T. Whitecarver, one of the leading citizens of the community. He continued in charge until the first of the following July, when C. C. Showalter of Kingwood became Superintendent. During Mr. Showalter's administration, the Court House building was occupied as Kunst Cottage, the vacant jail as dining quarters and an adjoining farm house as Davidson Cottage.

On May 31, 1894, D. W. Law of Barbour County became Superintendent and served until October 1, 1899. In his administration Kunst Cottage was materially added to and the Robinson farm of fifty odd acres was purchased, the home on this farm being occupied as a cottage. Mr. Showalter was succeeded by Maj. J. C. Gluck of Ritchie County, who served until May 21, 1901. During his superintendency the corner stone of the Administration Building was laid with much ceremony and water and sewage lines to Tygart's Valley River were well advanced.

O. E. Darnall of Upshur County was the next Superintendent, serving until in December, 1905. In his administration the central dining room was begun and legislative appropriations for the institution were substantially increased. He was followed by the Rev. D. S. Haymond, of Marshall County, who continued as Superintendent until September 1, 1907. During his administration a shop building was added to the plant.

The present Superintendent has served as such for more than twenty-three years. During this time the land area acquired by the School has

grown to 1,887 acres and, among other betterments of the physical plant there have been built and occupied Lakin and Hatfield Cottages, a residence for the Superintendent, the Jones and Reynolds farms dairy barns and a central school and shops structure. The last are outstandingly attractive in all regards.

The population of the school, on June 30, 1907, was 225 and on June 30, 1930, it was 425. During the year ending on June 30, 1907, the number of those received on all accounts, was 129, and for the year ending on June 30, 1930, was 359.

The staff and personnel of the institution consists of the Superintendent, Assistant Superintendent, Secretary, General Matron, Commanders (7), night watch (4), physician, nurse, dentist, chaplain, pianist, principal of day schools, chief engineer, construction foreman and farm manager.

The vocations which are taught at the school under competent instruction and leadership are: automobile repairing, blacksmithing and wagon repairing, baking, carpentry, concrete working, coal mining, cuisine, dairy, farming, gardening, gas and steam engineering, house keeping, house painting, knitting, laundering, live stock, orcharding, plastering, printing, plumbing and electrical engineering, stone quarrying and working, shoemaking, tailoring and truck operation.

The courses in the day schools are identical with the eight grades of the public schools of the state. The attendance is on alternate days and the term is ten months. The teachers are women of attractive personality and are required to be graduates of some reputable school of academic and professional training and to have had previous successful teaching experience. They are not institutional workers.

Formal religious instruction is offered through the Sunday School and preaching services. The Sunday School assembles every Sunday forenoon, the Protestants and Catholics meeting separately at the same hour. Preaching service, attended by all, is held every Sunday afternoon and is conducted by the chaplain or a visiting minister.

Saturday afternoons and state and national holidays are given over to recreation. When the weather permits baseball and other outdoor sports are indulged in by all. In inclement weather, motion pictures of the better kind are shown weekly.

In a work of this kind the big factor for orderliness and well doing is good morale. This is diligently sought after in this institution. It is an influence that grows out of a spirit of fair, square dealing and a general feeling that all is well and that the thing is going over big. For the rest, the discipline is mild and always reasonable, but never lax.

**THE WEST VIRGINIA INDUSTRIAL HOME FOR GIRLS**

INDUSTRIAL, WEST VIRGINIA

(By Miss JENNIE F. SUTTON, *Superintendent*)

The West Virginia Industrial Home for Girls stands on a beautiful knoll overlooking the town of Salem, and is located on the main line of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, and the Northwestern Turnpike.



SUPERINTENDENT JENNIE F. SUTTON

The establishment of this institution by the Legislature of 1897, was the result of the earnest and energetic efforts of persons who realized the need of a training school in the state for delinquent girls. Governor Atkinson appointed the first Board of Directors, and the institution remained under the direction and supervision of such boards until July 1, 1909. It was then placed in the hands of the newly formed State Board of Control, along with other state institutions and schools.

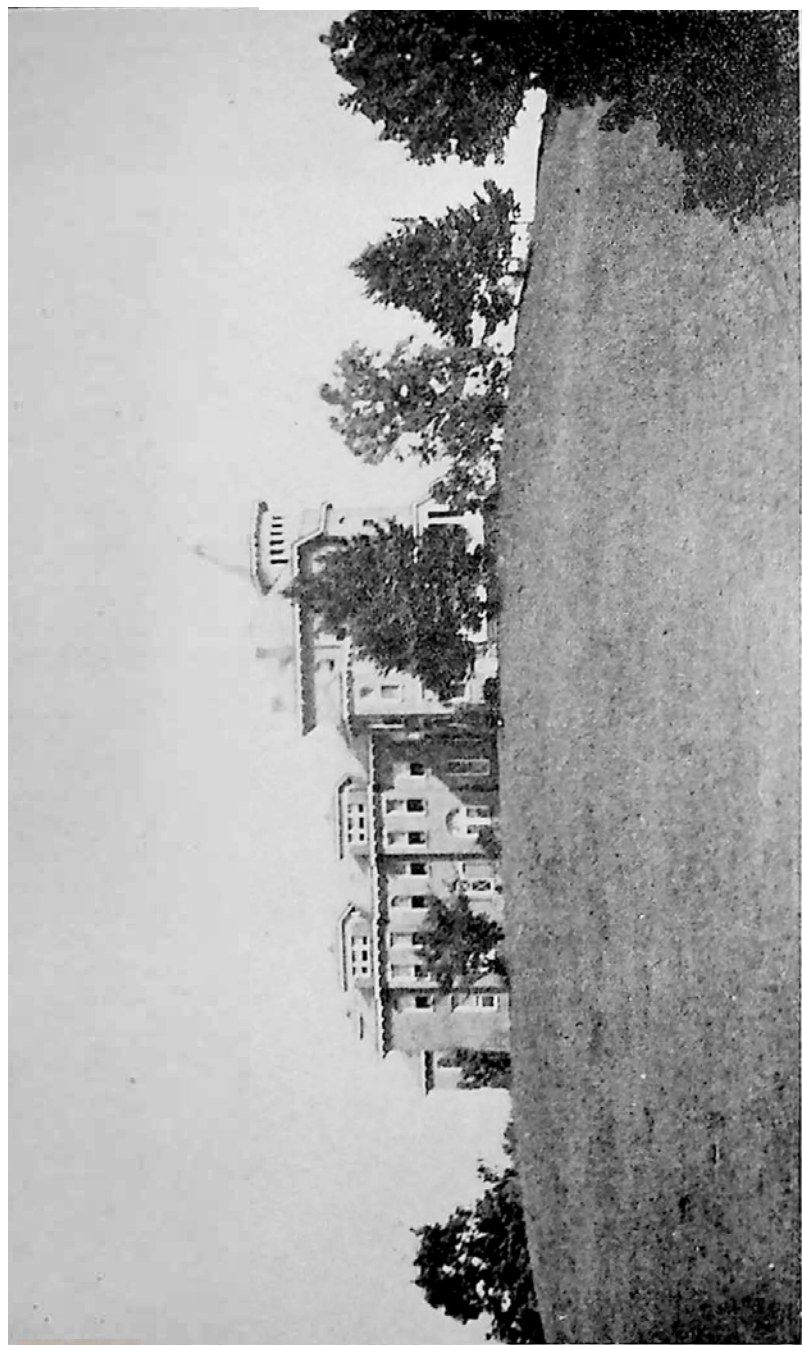
From several sites offered the Board of Directors for the new Industrial Home, Salem seemed to be the best adapted and it was accepted September 2, 1897 as a gift from the citizens of the town.

In 1898 Jones Cottage, the first building, was completed. It was named in honor of Dr. Harriet B. Jones, of Wheeling, who had worked arduously for the establishment of this institution, and was President of the first Board of Directors. It was opened May, 1899, with

Miss Elizabeth Clohan of Wheeling, as the first Superintendent. Fifty girls came under the care of the Home during its first year of service. Miss Clohan continued as Superintendent until January 1, 1903, when she was succeeded by Miss Hilda M. Dungan, of Charleston. Miss Dungan remained until December 31, 1915, when she resigned on account of ill health. She was followed by Miss Jennie F. Sutton of Moundsville, the present Superintendent.

From time to time as the need grew, the numbers of girls increased, and new buildings were erected to take care of them. The present McCullough Hall was completed in 1905; Silver Hall was opened in 1914; and the newest building, Sutton Cottage, was opened July 1, 1928. In the fall of 1917 a modern fireproof school building was erected to replace the older one which had burned in 1914. The cottage system in institutional management has been used in the Home from its beginning.

The Home receives delinquent and incorrigible girls, who will not be



WEST VIRGINIA INDUSTRIAL HOME FOR GIRLS (ADMINISTRATION BUILDING)

controlled by their parents or guardians, who refuse to attend school, or disobey and follow too often a course of waywardness which inevitably leads to their downfall.

They are taught the rudiments of domestic work in a sanitary, hygienic manner, together with the ideals of perfect housekeeping, combined with personal cleanliness, and the development of traits of true womanhood.

When they enter, many know little about work and are unclean in mind and body and without ideals and ambition. These shortcomings we endeavor to overcome by personal interest in them, in both their home training and school. The domestic or industrial training of the girls is first begun by making them familiar with the regular routine of the cottage life. They are at first under the supervision of the assistant matron, who teaches them the proper methods of general housework; making beds, dusting, sweeping, caring for the officers' rooms, polishing floors, etc. Cleanliness and order is thus emphasized from the first, and as time goes on, the girls become quite intolerant of dirt and disorder.

After the general morning work is completed, the girl begins to learn the first steps in sewing, by being taught to mend and darn. Later, after the school year is over, several afternoons each week are devoted to the teaching of sewing by a competent instructor in each cottage. Then the girls become proficient in the actual making of new garments; beginning with the simpler things and progressing until they understand how to cut, fit and complete their entire wardrobe. During the summer months they also do much beautiful handwork, such as embroidering, crocheting lace, basketry and other art novelty work.

When a girl has become thoroughly familiar with general housework, she is transferred to another department, either the kitchen or laundry.

Twenty-eight girls in the institution receive kitchen training at the same time, there being seven girls trained in each cottage. They are under the supervision of the housekeeper, a competent woman who instructs and supervises them in the preparation of food, plain and fancy cooking, bread making, canning, dining room work, and care of the kitchen, dining room, cellars and refrigerators. The girls remain in this department from four to six months, or sometimes longer. All the actual cooking, preparation, etc., is done by the girls, under the direction of the housekeeper.

Six girls receive laundry training at one time in each cottage, making twenty-four in the institution who are under the special supervision of the matron. A period of four months is allotted to this department. The girls become very proficient in both washing and ironing all sorts of garments, linens, etc.

In the summer, a number of girls are engaged in work out of doors which they greatly enjoy. Fifteen or twenty girls are chosen as farmerettes to assist the farmer in planting, hoeing and caring for the gardens; later gathering the fruits and vegetables. They are under the care of a capable woman. Other girls learn to care for the flowers and lawns about the various cottages. Still others become interested in the raising of young chicks, and in the care and feeding of the chickens.

Another group will become equally proficient in painting, and all of the inside painting, varnishing and finishing in the different cottages is done by these girls, supervised by an efficient woman.

Each girl in the institution receives nine months schooling each year, under the training of a staff of excellent teachers. The text books recommended by the State Department of Education are used, and the school is splendidly equipped in every way. The girls have access to a library of several hundred volumes, as well as to a number of the late current magazines.

Our school course completes the eighth grade required work and the girls are advanced as quickly as they cover the essential work; the first second, third and fourth grades attend school six hours per day, morning and afternoon. The girls of the four upper grades receive industrial and domestic training in the mornings, and attend school four hours in the afternoon.

Two principal difficulties are met with in the accomplishment of the educational part of our work. The first is the large number of girls of subnormal mentality, who must receive training and schooling along with girls of average and normal mentality. The second difficulty is the ever changing personnel of the classes, due to new girls entering practically every day, and to the departure of those paroled. These difficulties are handled by the teachers to the best of their abilities.

The method of maintaining discipline in the institution has always been one in which results were obtained by the removal of privileges. We have found this to be most effective and successful. It not only teaches the girls the principles of self discipline and self control, which are most important to their development, but it also affords a means of rewarding the girls who try to do well.

During the past two years, the custom of "Stay-at-Home" parties has been successfully inaugurated in the Home. The cottage which does not have a runaway for three months receives a party or treat of some kind for the entire cottage. This has not only stimulated a friendly rivalry among the cottages for the best record, but also has resulted in a new interest on the part of the older girls toward making the new girls feel contented and satisfied in their new home.

Sunday School, supervised by the Superintendent, is eagerly and pleasantly looked forward to by all the girls. It is in this period that the Superintendent gets close to the girls with a "heart to heart" talk, which leaves a deeper mark and greater impression than all other activities. The older and more advanced girls act as teachers, and they meet each Friday evening in the Administration Building to study the lesson for the following Sunday, under the guidance of the assistant superintendent.

Chapel services are conducted each Sunday afternoon by one of the ministers of Salem. A choir composed of girls having the best voices and deportment record, leads the singing.

These girls are often asked to sing in the churches of Salem.

Every environment and influence conducive to restitution of the mistakes of the past is given to the attainment of the rehabilitation of the girls who come under the care of the Home. Nor is the interest in or

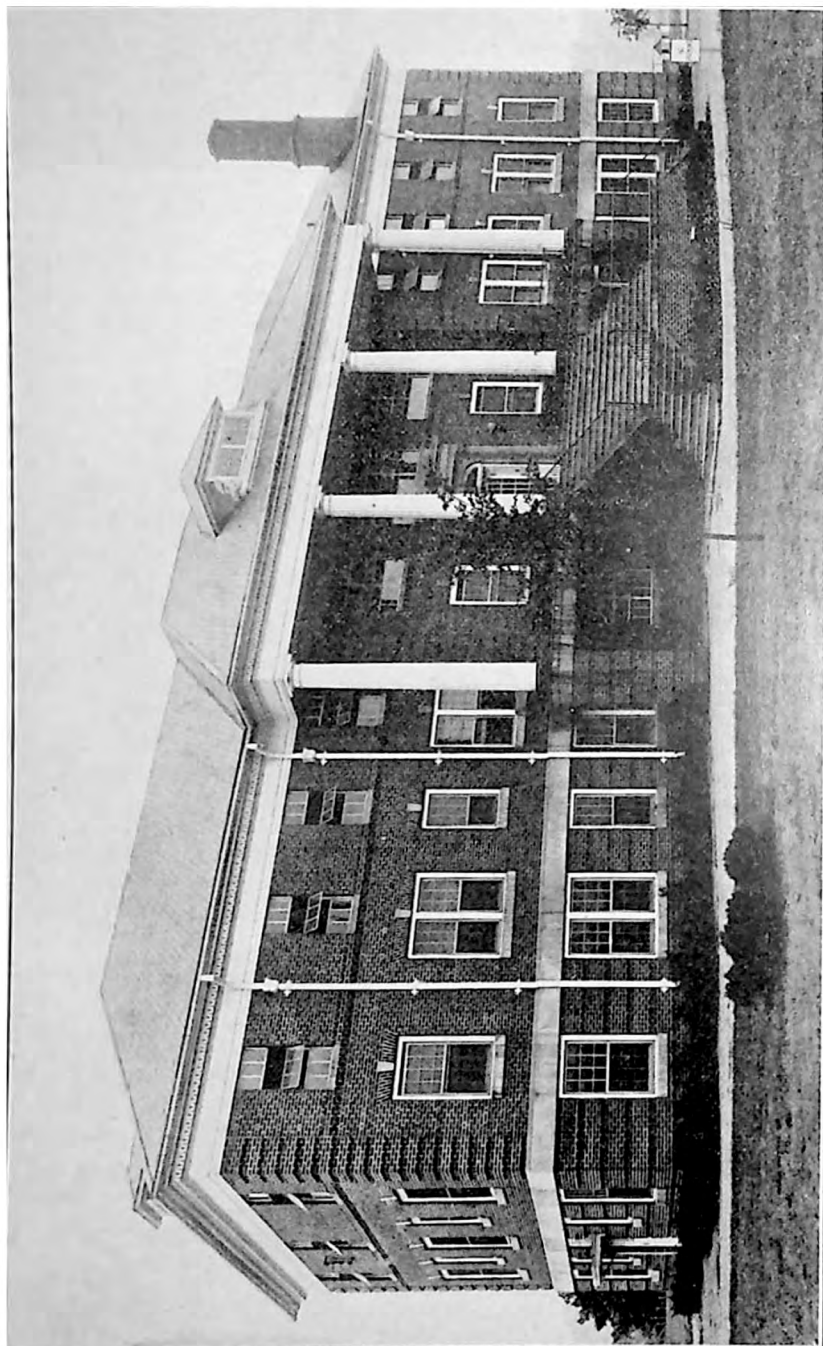


hope for them ended when they leave the institution. Our parole officer does the follow up work after they are placed out; keeps in direct touch through visits or correspondence, and helps them to meet and adjust the many problems with which they are daily faced.

Since the establishment of the Home, 1742 girls have been admitted. Of the many who have gone out, some have become good, worthwhile women through the training received—training they could not have gotten in their native environments. We know of some who are teachers, nurses, and of other vocations, giving back in part to society that which they have received through social endeavors. Others have homes and children of their own, who will doubtless be saved from social evils through the same influence.

With ideal surroundings, splendid buildings and healthful conditions, we endeavor to do our best; not forgetting to keep before us our task to fulfill the chief purpose for which the Home was founded, namely, character building, thus helping the girls to overcome through work, recreation, religious training and love, what heredity and environment have made them.

Of all social projects, the individual work of this institution for the reclaiming of girls, is a worthy monument to those pioneer visualists of more than a quarter of a century ago, who made it possible.



STATE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL FOR COLORED BOYS (ADMINISTRATION BUILDING)

**STATE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL FOR COLORED BOYS**

LAKIN, WEST VIRGINIA

*(By S. S. GORDON, Superintendent)*

The State of West Virginia in working out to its logical conclusion on a fair and equitable basis the dual system of institutions for its white and colored citizens, has made generous provisions for delinquent colored youth by establishing the State Industrial School for Colored Boys at Lakin.



SUPERINTENDENT S. S. GORDON

The school consists of one three-story brick building, 45 ft. x 133 ft., which was erected in 1924 at a cost of approximately \$140,000.00, including equipment. It takes in boys from ten to eighteen years of age and instructs them from the first on through the eighth grade of the public school. At present there are 98 boys in the school, and a staff of 15 people is required to administer to them on the high plane set by the state.

The average age of the boys at the state school is fifteen years, and while they may come from any part of the state, they come mainly from the towns of Huntington, Charleston, Beckley and Welch. The boys may be committed by a Justice of the Peace, a Juvenile Court Judge, or a Circuit Court Judge. They are committed on complaint and proof that the boy is incorrigible and is beyond the control of the parent or guardian, or other person having custody of

the boy. Also any boy under the age of eighteen, convicted in any court of this state of a felony or misdemeanor, may be sent to this institution by the court, in lieu of being sentenced to the West Virginia Penitentiary.

The work given at the School is accredited by the educational authorities the same as instruction given at regular schools. The instruction is given on a basis of half the student body attending class every other day. For instance, of the ninety-eight students, forty-nine will attend classes one day, while the other forty-nine are used on detail duty for work, cleaning dormitories, doing work on the farm and for special duty. Classes begin at 7:30 a. m. and close at 4:30 p. m., and students in the sixth, seventh and eighth grades get a twenty-minute period for each class.

The chief hope for reclaiming boys committed to the State School rests in the superintendent, who is appointed by the governor and is given authority to determine whether a boy, after twelve or eighteen months at the school has the proper outlook on life and is sufficiently changed to permit

him to go out and have a new chance to make of himself a good citizen. In the event it does not seem proper to release them on their good behavior record, the boys must remain until they are twenty-one years of age, unless sooner released by executive clemency, or through the State Board of Control.

This institution is maintained for the moral, industrial and intellectual training of the boys committed to its care, consequently we let no opportunity pass to build character, the first attribute of a successful citizen. It is hoped that through encouragement, help, correction and discipline many boys may be sent back to their homes, to become finer, bigger, and better boys, men and citizens. We are happy to say that the influence of the school is beginning to be felt throughout the state and the communities from which the boys are committed. While we do not wish to appear too optimistic, yet we feel much good has been done since the establishment of the school, by way of curbing delinquency among our boys.

We have never established a fixed code of rules and regulations governing the care and training of the boys given into our temporary keeping, for, as we have 100 boys, it requires 100 individual codes to prescribe for the successful training and instruction of them all. We follow and adhere to certain principles in order that we may achieve the greatest measure of success to the individual, and our highest aim is reformation rather than punishment for its deterrent effect, and we always use methods which are both corrective and preventive.

The boys at this institution are taught habits of obedience and industry through work on the farm in all of its phases. We are careful, however, not to permit the various forms of activities in our institution to obscure the fact that these are only incidental; that they are secondary to the great purpose for which this school was established, which is, the building of character and strengthening of morals.

At the present time the principal occupation is farming and the boys do practically all the work on the farm. It is the intention later, as the institution grows and new resources become available, to teach various trades, such as auto mechanics, carpentry, shoe making, and tailoring.

The superintendent, a former First Lieutenant and a winner of the Croix de Guerre for bravery in action in France, is contributing much to the formation of sterling character in the boys by the military trend he gives their training. All boys who are physically sound receive some military training; not training to prepare them for war or strife, but training that will teach them the meaning of discipline, self-discipline that will help them heart, body and soul, throughout their lives; training that will teach them the necessity of prompt obedience, respect for the rights of others, and the value of cooperation or team work; training that will develop and coordinate their minds and bodies and will send them out of the school stronger physically, quicker mentally, and firmer and more steadfast morally.

Each morning the boys are taken through setting-up exercises and other forms of calisthenics in order to improve their physical and mental status, so that when they leave the school their upstanding manner may do much to win for them the respect of the public. The public, as a rule, does not

look upon these boys as having been sent away to a school of correction or detention, but as having come out of one of the many good boarding schools.

The school building, which is of modern construction and design, has twenty-five rooms on the first two floors. These include administration offices, apartment for the superintendent, beautifully furnished, and inviting rooms for other officers, while on the third floor the building is devoted to only three rooms, two large dormitory rooms for the boys and the night watchman's quarters.

The school is nine miles north of Point Pleasant, on State Highway number 62 and is ideally located for the purpose it serves.

The West Virginia State Farm, on which it is located, contains 1,251 acres of rich land and grows wheat, rye, soy beans, oats, corn and all the garden vegetables, such as cabbage, potatoes, tomatoes, beans, musk-melons, beets, squash, etc. The farm raises its own meat, both beef and pork, and produces its own milk from a pure bred Holstein herd.

Before this new state school was opened Colored boys were committed to West Virginia Industrial School for Boys at Grafton, but as this institution was overcrowded, the proper consideration could not be given them. It was then that sentiment grew in favor of establishing the State Industrial School for Colored Boys at Lakin, Mason County. The school is not yet fully developed so that it reaches the needs of all inmates, still the facilities exist here for partially meeting the deficiencies and early training of our inmates. With the object in view of endeavoring to develop in them the virtues necessary to their welfare in life and to make them better individuals, we have carefully planned and prepared the following course of instruction and development which we aim to follow religiously: 1. Physical development; 2. Mental activity; 3. Social adaptability; 4. Ethical conduct; 5. A standard Moral code; 6. Vocational guidance; 7. Religious training necessary to foursquare development. While we do not expect this course to serve as a cure-all for physical and mental deficiencies, we do think, if properly applied, it will improve the physique and give a foundation for self-confidence, alertness, coordination of mind and body, good address and good citizenship, and in a general way, inspire the desire for improvement and right living.

One of the most important phases of the work done by the school is the parole system. Whether a boy makes good after leaving the school is a test of how much we have been able to help him while an inmate in the school. The supervision of the parole work of our school has heretofore been done by the superintendent and the supervisor of boys, along with their other duties. Very recently, however, a contact man has been appointed by the Board of Education, who will be used as a parole officer out of the office of the school, and while this work has not been fully organized, it will embrace the following three divisions: 1. Investigation of the home from which the boy came, not only so we may have a better understanding of the conditions which brought on the boy's delinquency, but also to gain the confidence of the boy's people, and perhaps influence them to better living conditions and habits for the sake of being helpful

to the boy. 2. Investigation of the home to which the boy must return solely for the purpose of seeing that he has at least a fighting chance to make good. 3. Visiting, or following up paroled boys to help them secure employment, and in short, to assist them in any way possible to overcome the difficulties which they must meet.

The service rendered to the Colored citizenry of the State of West Virginia by the State Industrial School for Colored Boys is immeasurable, and cannot be computed either in dollars or cents. Founded on the theory that every boy is entitled to a fair and equal chance in life, which can come only through an education in its broadest sense, they are given an education and training which will make them not only proficient in the fundamental branches of learning, but also in the intricate theories of his government.

The need for good government, the important part played by its citizen voters, the respect for the traditions of our country, love for the stable elements of life, the purity and sanctity of home, strict adherence to the principles of religion and justice as practiced by the state and church, are some of the important impressions and principles which the Industrial School is earnestly trying to inculcate into the hearts and lives of those boys who come within the sphere of its influence. The great state of West Virginia, its chief executive, the State Board of Control, and all of the fine outstanding citizens of the state are to be congratulated for the influence they have exerted in establishing this and similar institutions, which are doing so much for humanity.

**STATE INDUSTRIAL HOME FOR COLORED GIRLS**

HUNTINGTON, WEST VIRGINIA

*(By Mrs. FANNIE COBB CARTER, Superintendent)*

The establishment of the State Industrial Home for Colored Girls was provided for in an act passed by the Legislature of West Virginia in 1921.

The building housing the Home was erected at a cost of \$95,000.00. It is of brick and tile construction, three stories high, and provides accommodations for forty persons. It is located on Norway Avenue, five miles east of the business section of Huntington, and is surrounded by fifteen acres of cultivated farm land.



SUPERINTENDENT FANNIE C. CARTER

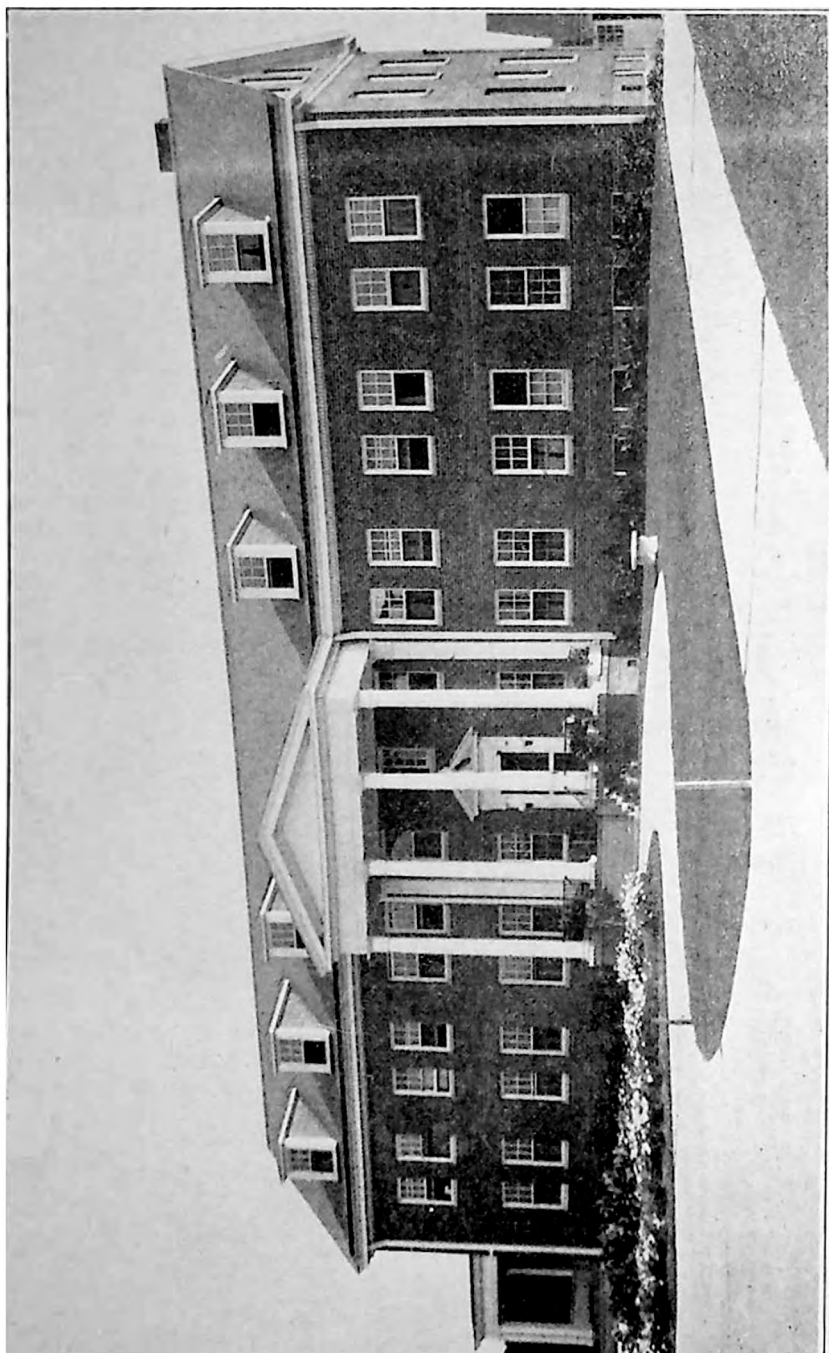
On March 11, 1926, the Home was formally opened with a staff of three officers and five girls. Girls from seven to eighteen years of age are received at the Home, after commitment by juvenile, justice or circuit courts, for incorrigibility, vagrancy, truancy, petty thefts or immorality.

The purpose of the Home, through a trained and wise supervision, is to obviate some of the evil effects which would follow commitment to a jail or prison, and through the influence of the Home to awaken high ideals and make of the girl a finer citizen. To accomplish this, educational, moral, spiritual and physical training is given to correct bad habits and wrong dispositions already

formed through bad environment or unfortunate heredity.

The training given in the institution is planned to equip the girl to face and solve the problems of life. This training cannot be gained through the class room alone, so the institution includes in its program training that supplements that of the class room. This consists of the cleaning and care of the entire building, cooking, canning, laundering, sewing, gardening and poultry raising, and is made very real and practical. Special emphasis is placed on personal cleanliness and care of health. This work is done entirely by the girls, under supervision.

Religious training, to inspire and fit them spiritually, is given through Sunday school, weekly vespers and prayer services. At intervals during the year, ministers, physicians, teachers, nurses, singers and dramatic readers visit the home and give instructive talks to the girls. This keeps them in touch with the activities of the outside world and provides that touch of sympathy which makes the whole world kin. The girls also



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have educational clubs, such as the Literary Society, 4-H Club and the Camp Fire Girls.

Realizing that play as well as work is necessary for their welfare, they are given ample time for play and for physical development. They play tennis, croquet, baseball and other games.

As a part of our social work and a test of the training in the institution and as a mark of confidence, the girls are allowed to work as maids for a weekly wage or they are given an opportunity to go to school. This plan has been very successful and develops thrift and the wise use of money. In this way, twenty-six girls have been sent to high school and boarding schools in this state and the states of Massachusetts, Michigan, New Jersey and Virginia. The educational work given at the institution includes the courses of study from the primary to the ninth grade.

Many of the girls in the institution exhibit splendid talent. Their plays, pageants and cantatas are well conceived and executed. They do beautiful pottery, concrete and wood work, and their sewing and embroidery is neat and well done.

Spring time is circus time and is looked forward to eagerly by the girls, who have been saving up their pennies through the winter for this occasion. No girl misses going to the circus. They are also taken to the best movies. The girls take much pride in themselves and go about their work cheerfully, keeping their rooms and the other parts of the building spic and span. They enjoy planting and watering the flowers around the grounds, gathering vegetables, attending to the chickens and collecting the eggs. They are very kind, helpful and sympathetic to each other. They are intelligent, eager to learn, willing to work and are proud of their institution.

As one observes the whole hearted cooperation of these thirty-two hearty and promising young women, inhabitants of the Home at this time, one feels that they are impressed with the thought that no investment is so desirable as an investment in brains and character; that the state is making a financial outlay for which it expects in return a fine type of womanhood and a worthy citizen with high ideals; that daily they must give evidence of becoming reliable and self supporting citizens. One cannot but feel that the establishment of the Home was not a mistake and that it is an institution of which the state may justly be proud.

## PART VIII

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# United States Government

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

(as of December 1, 1930)

*President*—Herbert Hoover, of California.

*Secretaries to the President*—George Akerson, of Minnesota; Lawrence Richey, of Pennsylvania; Walter H. Newton, of Minnesota.

## THE CABINET

(Arranged in order of succession to the Presidency, as fixed by Acts of Congress).

*Secretary of State*—Henry L. Stimson, of New York.

*Secretary of the Treasury*—Andrew W. Mellon, of Pennsylvania.

*Secretary of War*—Patrick J. Hurley, of Oklahoma.

*Attorney General*—William D. Mitchell, of Minnesota.

*Postmaster General*—Walter F. Brown, of Ohio.

*Secretary of the Navy*—Charles Francis Adams, of Massachusetts.

*Secretary of Interior*—Ray Lyman Wilbur, of California.

*Secretary of Agriculture*—Arthur M. Hyde, of Missouri.

*Secretary of Commerce*—Robert Patterson LaMont, of Illinois.

*Secretary of Labor*—William N. Doak, of Virginia.

## UNITED STATES OFFICIALS FOR WEST VIRGINIA

### District Judges

*Northern District*—W. E. Baker, Elkins.

*Southern District*—George W. McClintic, Charleston.

### District Attorneys

*Northern District*—Arthur Arnold, Parkersburg.

*Southern District*—James Damron, Huntington.

### Marshalls

*Northern District*—Harry A. Weiss, Wheeling.

*Southern District*—John P. Hallanan, Charleston.

### Collector of Internal Revenue

E. A. Brast, Parkersburg.

### Federal Prohibition Department

*Southern District*—A. B. McCutcheon, Federal Bldg., Charleston.

*Northern District*—Harry D. Reynolds, Fairmont.

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**MEMBERS OF CONGRESS FROM WEST VIRGINIA****United States Senators**

Guy D. Goff, Republican; Clarksburg, Harrison County; term expires March 3, 1931.

Henry D. Hatfield, Republican; Huntington, Cabell County; term expires March 3, 1935.

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**First District**

Carl G. Bachman, Republican; Wheeling, Ohio County.

**Second District**

Frank L. Bowman, Republican; Morgantown, Monongalia County.

**Third District**

John M. Wolverton, Republican; Richwood, Nicholas County.

**Fourth District**

\*Robert L. Hogg, Republican; Point Pleasant, Mason County.

**Fifth District**

Hugh Ike Shott, Republican; Bluefield, Mercer County.

**Sixth District**

Joe L. Smith, Democrat; Beckley, Raleigh County.  
Terms of all representatives expire March 3, 1931.

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\*Elected November 4, 1930, to fill vacancy caused by the death of James A. Hughes.

## FEDERAL COURTS

## SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

NAME AND OFFICE	Whence Appointed	Appointed	Salary
<b>CHIEF JUSTICE</b>			
Charles Evans Hughes.....	New York.....	Feb. 3, 1930	\$ 20,500
<b>ASSOCIATE JUSTICES</b>			
Oliver Wendell Holmes.....	Massachusetts.....	Dec. 4, 1902	20,000
Wills Van Devanter.....	Wyoming.....	Dec. 16, 1910	20,000
James Clark Reynolds.....	Tennessee.....	Aug. 29, 1914	20,000
Louis D. Brandeis.....	Massachusetts.....	June 1, 1916	20,000
George Sutherland.....	Utah.....	Sept. 5, 1922	20,000
Pierce Butler.....	Minnesota.....	Nov. 23, 1922	20,000
Harlan Fiske Stone.....	New York.....	Jan. 5, 1925	20,000
Owen D. Roberts.....	Pennsylvania.....	May 9, 1930	20,000

Clerk—CHARLES ELMORE CROPLEY.

Marshal—FRANK KEY GREENE.

Reporter—ERNEST KNAEBEL.

TERMS—Second Monday in October, annually and such adjourned or special terms as it may find necessary for the dispatch of business.

## UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOURTH CIRCUIT

DISTRICTS	District Judges	Circuit Judges	Justice
Maryland.....	William C. Coleman.....		
Maryland.....	Morris A. Soper.....		
North Carolina, eastern.....	Isaac M. Meckins.....		
North Carolina, western.....	Jas. Edmund Boyd.....		
North Carolina, western.....	Edwin Y. Webb.....	Edmund Waddill, Jr.	Charles E. Hughes
North Carolina, middle.....	Johnson J. Hayes.....	John J. Parker	
South Carolina eastern.....	Ernest F. Cochran.....	Elliott Northcott	
South Carolina, western.....	Henry H. Watkins.....		
So. Carolina, eastern and western	J. Lyles J. Glenn.....		
Virginia, eastern.....	D. Lawrence Groner.....		
Virginia, western.....	Henry C. McDowell.....		
West Virginia, northern.....	W. E. Baker.....		
West Virginia, southern.....	George W. McClintic.....		
	Salary \$10,000	Salary \$12,500	Salary \$20,500

Clerk—CLAUDE M. DEAN, Richmond, Virginia.

## REGULAR TERMS OF COURT AT RICHMOND

The second Tuesday in January, the second Tuesday in April and the third Tuesday in October, of each year.

## SPECIAL SESSIONS AT RICHMOND

The second Tuesday of every month except in months in which regular terms are held.

## ANNUAL TERM OF COURT AT ASHEVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA

The second Tuesday in June.

## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURTS OF WEST VIRGINIA

## NORTHERN DISTRICT

Composed of the counties of Barbour, Berkeley, Brooke, Calhoun, Doddridge, Gilmer, Grant, Hampshire, Hancock, Hardy, Harrison, Jefferson, Lewis, Marlon, Marshall, Mineral, Monongalia, Morgan, Ohio, Pendleton, Pleasants, Preston, Randolph, Ritchie, Taylor, Tucker, Tyler, Upshur, Wetzel, Wirt and Wood.

## TERMS COMMENCE

Clarksburg—Second Tuesday in April and the first Tuesday in October.

Elkins—Third Tuesday in June and the third Tuesday in November.

Martinsburg—First Tuesday in April and the third Tuesday in September.

Parkersburg—Second Tuesday in January and the fourth Tuesday in May.

Wheeling—First Tuesday in May and the third Tuesday in October.

W. E. BARKER.....	District Judge.....	Elkins
MISS DORA SHANABERGER.....	Secretary to Judge.....	Elkins
AUSTIN C. MERRILL.....	Clerk.....	Elkins
RUSSELL M. BARRETT.....	Chief Deputy Clerk.....	Parkersburg
JOHN H. CONRAD.....	Deputy Clerk.....	Wheeling
S. R. HARRISON, JR.....	Deputy Clerk.....	Clarksburg
A. C. NADENBOUSCH.....	Deputy Clerk.....	Martinsburg
JOHN W. RINE.....	Deputy Clerk.....	Elkins

ARTHUR ARNOLD.....	District Attorney.....	Parkersburg
DARRELL K. KOONCE.....	Assistant District Attorney.....	Parkersburg

RUSSELL L. FURBEE.....	Assistant District Attorney.....	Clarksburg
F. E. PARRACK.....	Assistant District Attorney.....	Clarksburg
WILLIAM HOWARD.....	Assistant District Attorney.....	Wheeling
MRS. MARGARET W. METTLER.....	Clerk to District Attorney.....	Parkersburg
MISS ADELAIDE PHILLIPS.....	Stenographer.....	Parkersburg

HARRY A. WEISS.....	United States Marshal.....	Wheeling
A. T. BARRETT.....	Chief Office Deputy.....	Parkersburg
HAL M. RAPP.....	Office Deputy.....	Parkersburg
JOHN W. KOONTZ.....	Office Deputy.....	Elkins
ALFRED RICHMOND.....	Office Deputy.....	Fairmont
CHARLES K. WELCH.....	Office Deputy.....	Wheeling
EDWARD L. STEINBECKER.....	Office Deputy.....	Wheeling
MISS ANNA M. DAVIS.....	Office Deputy.....	Wheeling

## UNITED STATES COMMISSIONERS

OLIN C. CARTER.....	Middlebourne	LEWIS J. FORMAN.....	Petersburg
JOHN W. KINDELBERGER.....	Wheeling	GEORGE C. LUDWIG.....	Keyser
FRANCIS B. BURE.....	Parkersburg	M. M. SMITH.....	Elkins
HARRY A. DOWNS.....	Martinsburg	L. T. EDDY.....	Fairmont

## REFEREES IN BANKRUPTCY

ROBERT B. McDOUGLE,....	Parkersburg	O. E. WYCKOFF.....	Grafton
RUSSELL NESBITT.....	Wheeling	RAY L. STROTHER.....	Clarksburg
WILBUR H. THOMAS.....	Martinsburg		

## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT OF WEST VIRGINIA

### SOUTHERN DISTRICT

Composed of the counties of Jackson, Roane, Clay, Braxton, Webster, Nicholas, Pocahontas, Greenbrier, Fayette, Boone, Kanawha, Putnam, Mason, Cabell, Wayne, Lincoln, Logan, Mingo, Raleigh, Wyoming, McDowell, Mercer, Summers and Monroe, with the waters thereof.

### TERMS COMMENCE

Bluefield—Third Tuesday in January and the third Tuesday in June.

Charleston—Third Tuesday in April and the third Tuesday in November.

Huntington—First Tuesday in March and the third Tuesday in Sept.

Lewisburg—First Tuesday in July.

Webster Springs—Fourth Tuesday in August.

Williamson—First Tuesday in February.

GEORGE W. McCLINTIC.....	District Judge.....	Charleston
DOROTHY HUTCHISON.....	Private Secretary.....	Charleston
IRA H. MOTTESHEARD.....	Clerk.....	Charleston
EARL R. CAVENDER.....	Chief Deputy Clerk.....	Charleston
GOLDIE LEE MARTIN.....	Deputy Clerk.....	Charleston
RAYMOND GOSLING.....	Deputy Clerk.....	Huntington
ANDREW J. HEARN.....	Deputy Clerk.....	Bluefield
JAMES DAMERON.....	U. S. Attorney.....	Huntington
OKEY P. KEADLE.....	Assistant.....	Huntington
PHILIP P. ANGEL.....	Assistant.....	Huntington
DAVID F. SHEETS.....	Assistant.....	Huntington
M. F. MATHENY.....	Assistant.....	Charleston
JOHN P. HALLANAN.....	United States Marshal.....	Charleston
FINLEY COOK.....	Chief Office Deputy.....	Charleston
MARGARET C. BARRETT.....	Office Deputy.....	Charleston
E. D. FARLEY.....	Office Deputy.....	Charleston
J. Q. STOVER.....	Office Deputy.....	Charleston
R. R. MOTTESHEARD.....	Office Deputy.....	Charleston
J. E. ROLES.....	Office Deputy.....	Lewisburg
S. T. LAMBERT.....	Office Deputy.....	Williamson
P. L. RUSSELL.....	Office Deputy.....	Huntington
J. H. HUNT.....	Office Deputy.....	Welch

### UNITED STATES COMMISSIONERS

JOSEPH RUFFNER.....	Charleston	W. G. WILES.....	Williamson
ALBERT FITZWATER.....	Charleston	THOMAS H. SCOTT.....	Bluefield
G. R. HEFFLEY.....	Huntington	C. F. STEED.....	Hamlin
E. C. EAGLE.....	Hinton	W. F. BOGGESS.....	Union
A. J. HEARNE.....	Bluefield	W. H. RARDIN.....	Beckley
J. E. BASS.....	Lewisburg	HOAGLAND FRENCH.....	Welch
SAMPSON N. MILLER.....	Webster Springs	JOHN B. HAGER.....	Madison
LEMASTERS B. ROGERS.....	Gienray	T. C. WHITED.....	Logan
L. S. COCHRAN.....	Marlington	J. E. BAUGHMAN.....	Sutton
N. M. LAWHEAD.....	Pt. Pleasant	C. H. CRAIG.....	Summersville
J. L. RYAN.....	Fayetteville		

### REFEREES IN BANKRUPTCY

L. S. ECHOLS, Charleston; Division No. 1—Counties of Boone, Clay, Fayette, Kanawha, Braxton, Nicholas, Webster, Jackson, Putnam and Roane.
PAUL J. CARR, Hinton; Division No. 2—Counties of Greenbrier, Monroe, Pocahontas, Raleigh and Summers.
JOHN L. WHITTEN, Huntington; Division No. 3—Counties of Cabell, Lincoln, Logan, Mingo, Wayne, and Mason.
JAMES H. GOLLEHON, Bluefield; Division No. 4—Counties of Mercer, McDowell and Wyoming.

## OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR OF INTERNAL REVENUE

## HEADQUARTERS : PARKERSBURG

David Burnet, Commissioner of Internal Revenue, Washington, D. C.

Edwin A. Brast, Parkersburg, Collector.

W. E. Kemery, Parkersburg, Assistant to the Collector.

Victor H. Mealy, Parkersburg, Chief of Field Division.

Robert T. Stealey, Parkersburg, Chief Income Tax Division.

B. F. Nern, Parkersburg, Asst. Chief Income Tax Division.

J. M. Deem, Clarksburg, Cashier.

John A. Davis, Parkersburg, Chief Miscellaneous Tax Division.

Paige Westfall, Parkersburg, General Bookkeeper.

C. C. Coffield, Harrisville, Chief Sales Tax Division.

Harry A. Eberling, Wheeling, Stamp Deputy.



## UNITED STATES PROHIBITION SERVICE

## NORTHERN JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF WEST VIRGINIA

## DEPUTY PROHIBITION ADMINISTRATOR

Harry D. Reynolds.....Fairmont

## PROHIBITION AGENTS—FAIRMONT

Leroy L. Gates	Harvey Ruble
Dillen L. Swick	Alva D. Stutler

## PROHIBITION AGENTS—MARTINSBURG

Homer S. Pigott	Roy Hundley
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## PROHIBITION AGENTS—WHEELING

Wilbur H. Grose	Joseph J. Doerr
Perry W. Barr	Joseph Beckett

## CLERK

Charlotte R. Smith.....Fairmont

## SOUTHERN JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF WEST VIRGINIA

## DEPUTY PROHIBITION ADMINISTRATOR

A. B. McCutcheon.....Federal Building, Charleston

## PROHIBITION AGENTS—CHARLESTON

James L. Ash	Virgil L. Skeen
Charles L. Calhoun	R. A. W. Sager
Andrew J. Littleton	Stanton B. White

## PROHIBITION AGENTS—HUNTINGTON

A. C. Allman	Fred E. DeMoss
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## PROHIBITION AGENTS—BLUEFIELD

Everett L. Roach	Charles B. Miles.
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## CLERK

Miss Julia R. Moore.....Charleston

PRESIDENTS OF THE UNITED STATES

No.	NAME	Birthplace	Year	Paternal Ancestry	Residence	Inaugurated		Politics	Died	
						Year	Age		Year	Age
1	George Washington.....	Westmoreland County, Va.....	1732	English.....	Virglna.....	1789	57	Federalist.....	1799	67
2	John Adams.....	Quincy, Mass.....	1735	English.....	Massachusetts.....	1797	62	Federalist.....	1826	90
3	Thomas Jefferson.....	Shadwell, Va.....	1743	Welsh.....	Virginia.....	1801	58	Republican.....	1826	83
4	James Madison.....	Port Conway, Va.....	1751	English.....	Virginia.....	1800	58	Republican.....	1836	85
5	James Monroe.....	Westmoreland County, Va.....	1758	Scotch.....	Virginia.....	1817	59	Republican.....	1831	73
6	John Quincy Adams.....	Quincy, Mass.....	1767	English.....	Massachusetts.....	1825	58	Republican.....	1848	80
7	Andrew Jackson.....	Union County, N. C.....	1767	Scotch-Irish.....	Tennessee.....	1829	62	Democrat.....	1845	78
8	Martin Van Buren.....	Kinderhook, N. Y.....	1782	Dutch.....	New York.....	1837	55	Democrat.....	1862	79
9	*William H. Harrison.....	Berkeley, Va.....	1773	English.....	Ohio.....	1841	68	Whig.....	1841	68
10	John Tyler.....	Greenway, Va.....	1790	English.....	Virginia.....	1841	51	Whig.....	1862	72
11	**James K. Polk.....	Mecklenberg County, N. C.....	1795	Scotch-Irish.....	Tennessee.....	1845	50	Democrat.....	1849	53
12	Zachary Taylor.....	Orange County, Va.....	1784	English.....	Louisiana.....	1849	65	Whig.....	1850	65
13	Millard Fillmore.....	Summerhill, N. Y.....	1800	English.....	New York.....	1850	50	Whig.....	1874	74
14	Franklin Pierce.....	Hillsboro, N. H.....	1804	English.....	New Hampshire.....	1853	49	Democrat.....	1869	64
15	James Buchanan.....	Cove Gap, Pa.....	1791	Scotch-Irish.....	Pennsylvania.....	1857	66	Democrat.....	1868	77
16	†Abraham Lincoln.....	Larue County, Ky.....	1809	English.....	Illinois.....	1861	52	Republican.....	1865	56
17	Andrew Johnson.....	Raleigh, N. C.....	1808	English.....	Tennessee.....	1865	57	Republican.....	1875	66
18	Ulysses S. Grant.....	Point Pleasant, Ohio.....	1822	Scotch.....	Illinois.....	1869	47	Republican.....	1885	63
19	Rutherford B. Hayes.....	Delaware, Ohio.....	1822	Scotch.....	Ohio.....	1877	54	Republican.....	1892	70
20	‡James A. Garfield.....	Cuyahoga County, Ohio.....	1831	English.....	Ohio.....	1881	49	Republican.....	1881	49
21	Chester A. Arthur.....	Fairfield, Vt.....	1830	Scotch-Irish.....	New York.....	1881	51	Republican.....	1886	56
22	Grover Cleveland.....	Calwell, N. J.....	1837	English.....	New York.....	1885	48	Democrat.....	1908	71
23	Benjamin Harrison.....	North Bend, Ohio.....	1833	English.....	Indiana.....	1889	56	Republican.....	1901	67
24	Grover Cleveland.....	Calwell, N. J.....	1837	English.....	New York.....	1893	56	Democrat.....	1908	71
25	‡‡William McKinley.....	1843	Scotch-Irish.....	Ohio.....	1897	54	Republican.....	1901	58	
26	Theodore Roosevelt.....	New York City.....	1858	Dutch.....	New York.....	1901	43	Republican.....	1919	61
27	William Howard Taft.....	Cincinnati, Ohio.....	1857	English.....	Ohio.....	1909	51	Republican.....	1930	73
28	Woodrow Wilson.....	Staunton, Va.....	1856	Scotch-Irish.....	New Jersey.....	1913	56	Democrat.....	1924	68
29	††Warren Gamaliel Harding.....	Near Blooming Grove, Morrow Co., O.....	1865	Scotch-Irishland.....	Ohio.....	1921	56	Republican.....	1923	58
30	Calvin Coolidge.....	Plymouth, Vt.....	1872	English.....	Massachusetts.....	1923	51	Republican.....	.....	.....
31	Herbert Hoover.....	West Branch, Iowa.....	1874	Dutch.....	California.....	1929	55	Republican.....	.....	.....

\*Died in Office April 4, 1841; succeeded by Vice President Tyler  
 \*\*Died in Office July 9, 1850; succeeded by Vice President Fillmore  
 †Assassinated April 14, 1865; succeeded by Vice President Johnson  
 ‡Assassinated; died September 20, 1881; succeeded by Vice President Arthur  
 ‡‡Assassinated September 6, 1901; succeeded by Vice President Roosevelt.  
 ††Died in Office August 2, 1923; succeeded by Vice President Coolidge

## VICE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

No.	NAME	Residence	Qualified	Politics	Place of Death	Year	Age
1	John Adams.....	Massachusetts.....	1789	Federalist.....	Quincy, Mass.....	1826	90
2	Thomas Jefferson.....	Virginia.....	1797	Republican.....	Monticello, Va.....	1826	83
3	Aaron Burr.....	New York.....	1801	Republican.....	Staten Island, N. Y.....	1836	80
4	George Clinton.....	New York.....	1805	Republican.....	Washington, D. C.....	1812	73
5	Elbridge Gerry.....	Massachusetts.....	1813	Republican.....	Washington, D. C.....	1814	70
6	Daniel D. Tompkins.....	New York.....	1817	Republican.....	Staten Island, N. Y.....	1825	51
7	John C. Calhoun.....	South Carolina.....	1823	Republican.....	Washington, D. C.....	1850	68
8	Martin Van Buren.....	New York.....	1833	Democrat.....	Kinderhook, N. Y.....	1862	79
9	Richard M. Johnson.....	Kentucky.....	1837	Democrat.....	Frankford, Ky.....	1850	70
10	John Tyler.....	Virginia.....	1841	Democrat.....	Richmond, Va.....	1862	72
11	George M. Dallas.....	Pennsylvania.....	1845	Democrat.....	Philadelphia, Pa.....	1864	72
12	Millard Fillmore.....	New York.....	1849	Whig.....	Buffalo, N. Y.....	1874	74
13	William R. King.....	Alabama.....	1853	Democrat.....	Dallas County, Ala.....	1853	67
14	John C. Breckinridge.....	Kentucky.....	1857	Democrat.....	Lexington, Ky.....	1875	54
15	Hannibal Hamlin.....	Maine.....	1861	Republican.....	Bangor, Maine.....	1891	82
16	Andrew Johnson.....	Tennessee.....	1865	Republican.....	Carter County, Tennessee.....	1875	66
17	Schuyler Colfax.....	Indiana.....	1869	Republican.....	Mankato, Minn.....	1885	62
18	Henry Wilson.....	Massachusetts.....	1873	Republican.....	Washington, D. C.....	1875	63
19	William A. Wheeler.....	New York.....	1877	Republican.....	Malone, N. Y.....	1887	68
20	Chester A. Arthur.....	New York.....	1881	Republican.....	New York City.....	1886	56
21	Thomas A. Hendricks.....	Indiana.....	1885	Democrat.....	Indianapolis.....	1885	60
22	Levi P. Morton.....	New York.....	1889	Republican.....	Rheintock, N. Y.....	1920	96
23	Adlai E. Stevenson.....	Illinois.....	1893	Democrat.....	Chicago, Ill.....	1914	78
24	Garret A. Hobart.....	New Jersey.....	1897	Republican.....	Patterson, N. J.....	1899	55
25	Theodore Roosevelt.....	New York.....	1901	Republican.....	Oyster Bay, N. Y.....	1919	61
26	Charles W. Fairbanks.....	Indiana.....	1905	Republican.....	Indianapolis.....	1918	66
27	James S. Sherman.....	New York.....	1909	Republican.....	Utica, N. Y.....	1912	57
28	Thomas R. Marshall.....	Indiana.....	1913	Democrat.....	Washington, D. C.....	1925	71
29	Calvin Coolidge.....	Massachusetts.....	1921	Republican.....			
30	Charles G. Dawes.....	Illinois.....	1925	Republican.....			
31	Charles Curtis.....	Kansas.....	1929	Republican.....			

REPRESENTATIVES IN CONGRESS FROM THE FORMATION OF THE STATE

UNITED STATES SENATORS

NAMES	RESIDENCES	Politics	From	To
Peter G. Van Winkle.....	Wood.....	Republican.....	1863	1869
Waltman T. Willey.....	Monongalia.....	Republican.....	1863	1871
Arthur I. Boreman.....	Wood.....	Republican.....	1869	1875
Henry G. Davis.....	Mineral.....	Democrat.....	1871	1883
Allen T. Caperton.....	Monroe.....	Democrat.....	1875	1876
Samuel Price.....	Greenbrier.....	Democrat.....	1876	1877
Frank Hereford.....	Monroe.....	Democrat.....	1877	1881
Johnson N. Camden.....	Wood.....	Democrat.....	1881	1887
John E. Kenna.....	Karawha.....	Democrat.....	1883	1893
Charles J. Faulkner.....	Berkeley.....	Democrat.....	1887	1899
Johnson N. Camden.....	Wood.....	Democrat.....	1883	1885
Stephens B. Elkins.....	Randolph.....	Republican.....	1895	1911
Nathan B. Scott.....	Ohio.....	Republican.....	1899	1911
Davis Elkins.....	Randolph.....	Republican.....	1911	1912
Clarence W. Watson.....	Marion.....	Democrat.....	1911	1913
William E. Chilton.....	Karawha.....	Democrat.....	1911	1917
Nathan Goff.....	Harrison.....	Republican.....	1913	1919
Howard Sutherland.....	Randolph.....	Republican.....	1917	1923
Davis Elkins.....	Monongalia.....	Republican.....	1919	1925
Mansfield M. Neely.....	Marion.....	Democrat.....	1923	1929
Guy D. Goff.....	Harrison.....	Republican.....	1925	....
Henry D. Hatfield.....	Catell.....	Republican.....	1929	....

MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPORTIONMENT ACT OF 1863

By an act of the legislature passed September 10, 1863, the State of West Virginia—for the purposes of congressional representation—was divided into three districts, as follows:

*First District*—Hancock, Brooke, Ohio, Marshall, Wetzel, Tyler, Pleasants, Doddridge, Harrison, Ritchie, Wood, Wirt, Gilmer, Calhoun and Lewis counties.

*Second District*—Taylor, Marion, Monongalia, Preston, Tucker, Barbour, Upshur, Webster, Pocahontas, Randolph, Pendleton, Hardy, Hampshire, Berkeley and Morgan counties.

*Third District*—Kanawha, Jackson, Mason, Putnam, Cabell, Clay, Wayne, Logan, Boone, Braxton, Nicholas, Roane, McDowell, Wyoming, Raleigh, Fayette, Mercer, Monroe and Greenbrier counties.

Under the first apportionment act the State had the following representation in the lower house of congress, the names of the members coming in the numerical order of the districts which they respectively represented, and the same applies to subsequent re-apportionment acts.

REPRESENTATION UNDER THE APPORTIONMENT ACT OF 1863

*Thirty-Eighth Congress*

(March 4, 1863, to March 3, 1865)

Jacob Beeson Blair, of Wood; Unionist  
William Gay Brown, of Preston, Unionist  
Kellian V. Whaley, of Cabell; Unionist

*Thirty-Ninth Congress*

(March 4, 1865, to March 3, 1867)

Chester D. Hubbard, of Ohio; Republican  
George R. Latham, of Upshur; Republican  
Kellian V. Whaley, of Cabell; Republican

*Fortieth Congress*

(March 4, 1867, to March 3, 1869)

Chester D. Hubbard, of Ohio; Republican  
Bethuel M. Kitchen, of Berkeley; Republican  
Daniel Polsley, of Mason; Republican

*Forty-First Congress*

(March 4, 1869, to March 3, 1871)

Isaac Harden Duvall, of Brooke; Republican  
James C. McGrew, of Preston, Republican  
John S. Witcher, of Cabell; Republican

*Forty-Second Congress*

(March 4, 1871, to March 3, 1873)  
 John J. Davis, of Harrison; Democrat  
 James C. McGrew, of Preston; Republican  
 Frank Hereford, of Monroe; Democrat

*Forty-Third Congress*

(March 4, 1873, to March 3, 1875)  
 Benjamin Wilson, of Harrison; Democrat  
 John M. Hagans, of Monongalia; Republican  
 Frank Hereford, of Monroe; Democrat

*Forty-Fourth Congress*

(March 4, 1875, to March 3, 1877)  
 Benjamin Wilson, of Harrison; Democrat  
 Charles J. Faulkner, of Berkeley; Democrat  
 Frank Hereford, of Monroe; Democrat

*Forty-Fifth Congress*

Benjamin Wilson, of Harrison; Democrat  
 (March 4, 1877, to March 3, 1879)  
 Benjamin F. Martin, of Taylor; Democrat  
 John E. Kenna, of Kanawha; Democrat

*Forty-Sixth Congress*

(March 4, 1879, to March 3, 1881)  
 Benjamin Wilson, of Harrison; Democrat  
 Benjamin F. Martin, of Taylor; Democrat  
 John E. Kenna, of Kanawha; Democrat

*Forty-Seventh Congress*

(March 4, 1881, to March 3, 1883)  
 Benjamin Wilson, of Harrison; Democrat  
 John B. Hoge, of Berkeley; Democrat  
 John E. Kenna, of Kanawha; Democrat

## RE-APPORTIONMENT ACT OF 1882

On March 14, 1882, the legislature passed an act dividing the State into four congressional districts, as follows:

*First District*—Hancock, Brooke, Ohio, Marshall, Wetzel, Tyler, Doddridge, Harrison, Gilmer, Lewis and Braxton.

*Second District*—Monongalia, Marion, Preston, Taylor, Barbour, Randolph, Tucker, Pendleton, Hardy, Mineral, Hampshire, Grant, Morgan, Jefferson and Berkeley.

*Third District*—Logan, Wyoming, McDowell, Mercer, Raleigh, Boone, Kanawha, Fayette, Clay, Nicholas, Greenbrier, Monroe, Summers, Webster, Pocahontas and Upshur.

*Fourth District*—Pleasants, Wood, Ritchie, Wirt, Calhoun, Jackson, Roane, Mason, Putnam, Cabell, Lincoln, and Wayne.

## REPRESENTATION UNDER THE RE-APPORTIONMENT ACT OF 1882

*Forty-Eighth Congress*

(March 4, 1883, to March 3, 1885)  
 Nathan Goff, Jr., of Harrison; Republican  
 William L. Wilson, of Jefferson; Democrat  
 Charles P. Snyder, of Kanawha; Democrat  
 Eustace Gibson, of Cabell; Democrat

*Forty-Ninth Congress*

(March 4, 1885, to March 3, 1887)  
 Nathan Goff, Jr., of Harrison; Republican  
 William L. Wilson, of Jefferson; Democrat  
 Charles P. Snyder, of Kanawha; Democrat  
 Eustace Gibson, of Cabell; Democrat

*Fiftieth Congress*

(March 4, 1887, to March 3, 1889)  
 Nathan Goff, Jr., of Harrison; Republican  
 William L. Wilson, of Jefferson; Democrat  
 Charles P. Snyder, of Kanawha; Democrat  
 Charles E. Hogg, of Mason; Democrat

*Fifty-First Congress*

(March 4, 1889, to March 3, 1891)  
 \*\*John O. Pendleton, of Ohio; Democrat  
 George W. Atkinson, of Ohio; Republican  
 William L. Wilson, of Jefferson; Democrat  
 John D. Alderson, of Nicholas; Democrat  
 \*James M. Jackson, of Wood; Democrat  
 Charles B. Smith, of Wood; Republican

\*\*Seat contested by George W. Atkinson, who was seated shortly after Congress convened.

*Fifty-Second Congress*

(March 4, 1891, to March 3, 1893)  
 John O. Pendleton, of Ohio; Democrat  
 William L. Wilson, of Jefferson; Democrat  
 John D. Alderson, of Nicholas; Democrat  
 James Capehart, of Mason; Democrat

*Fifty-Third Congress*

(March 4, 1893, to March 3, 1895)  
 John O. Pendleton, of Ohio; Democrat  
 William L. Wilson, of Jefferson; Democrat  
 John D. Alderson, of Nicholas; Democrat  
 James Capehart, of Mason; Democrat

*Fifty-Fourth Congress*

(March 4, 1895, to March 3, 1897)  
 Blackburn B. Dovener, of Ohio; Republican  
 Alston G. Dayton, of Barbour; Republican  
 James H. Huling, of Kanawha; Republican  
 Warren Miller, of Jackson; Republican

*Fifty-Fifth Congress*

(March 4, 1897, to March 3, 1899)  
 Blackburn B. Dovener, of Ohio; Republican  
 Alston G. Dayton, of Barbour; Republican  
 Charles P. Dorr, of Webster; Republican  
 Warren Miller, of Jackson; Republican

*Fifth-Sixth Congress*

(March 4, 1899, to March 3, 1901)  
 Blackburn B. Dovener, of Ohio; Republican  
 Alston G. Dayton, of Barbour; Republican  
 David E. Johnson, of Mercer; Democrat  
 Romeo H. Freer, of Ritchie; Republican

*Fifty-Seventh Congress*

(March 4, 1901, to March 3, 1903)  
 Blackburn B. Dovener, of Ohio; Republican  
 Alston G. Dayton, of Barbour; Republican  
 Joseph H. Gaines, of Kanawha; Republican  
 James A. Hughes, of Cabell; Republican

\*Seat contested by Charles Brooks Smith, who was seated shortly after Congress convened.

RE-APPORTIONMENT ACT OF 1901

The legislature on February 11, 1901, passed an act re-apportioning the State into five congressional districts as follows:

*First District*—Hancock, Brooke, Ohio, Marshall, Wetzel, Marion, Harrison and Lewis.

*Second District*—Monongalia, Preston, Taylor, Barbour, Tucker, Randolph, Pendleton, Grant, Hardy, Mineral, Hampshire, Morgan, Berkeley and Jefferson.

*Third District*—Kanawha, Fayette, Summers, Monroe, Greenbrier, Nicholas, Clay, Webster, Pocahontas and Upshur.

*Fourth District*—Tyler, Pleasants, Wood, Jackson, Roane, Braxton, Gilmer, Calhoun, Wirt, Ritchie and Doddridge.

*Fifth District*—Mason, Putnam, Cabell, Lincoln, Wayne, Boone, Logan, Mingo, Raleigh, Wyoming, McDowell and Mercer.

REPRESENTATION UNDER RE-APPORTIONMENT ACT OF 1901

*Fifty-Eighth Congress*

(March 4, 1903, to March 3, 1905)  
 Blackburn B. Dovener, of Ohio; Republican  
 Alston G. Dayton, of Barbour; Republican  
 Joseph H. Gaines, of Kanawha; Republican  
 Harry C. Woodyard, of Roane; Republican  
 James A. Hughes, of Cabell; Republican

*Fifty-Ninth Congress*

(March 4, 1905, to March 3, 1907)  
 Blackburn B. Dovener, of Ohio; Republican  
 \*Alston G. Dayton, of Barbour; Republican  
 Joseph H. Gaines, of Kanawha; Republican  
 Harry C. Woodyard, of Roane; Republican  
 James A. Hughes, of Cabell; Republican

\*Resigned 1905 when appointed Judge of the Northern District Federal Court and Thomas B. Davis, Democrat, of Mineral, elected for the unexpired term.

*Sixtieth Congress*

(March 4, 1907, to March 3, 1909)

William P. Hubbard, of Ohio; Republican  
 George C. Sturgiss, of Monongalia; Republican  
 Joseph H. Gaines, of Kanawha; Republican  
 Harry C. Woodyard, of Roane; Republican  
 James A. Hughes, of Cabell; Republican

*Sixty-First Congress*

(March 4, 1909, to March 3, 1911)

William P. Hubbard, of Ohio; Republican  
 George C. Sturgiss, of Monongalia; Republican  
 Joseph H. Gaines, of Kanawha; Republican  
 Harry C. Woodyard, of Roane; Republican  
 James A. Hughes, of Cabell; Republican

*Sixty-Second Congress*

(March 4, 1911, to March 3, 1913)

John W. Davis, of Harrison; Democrat  
 William G. Brown, Jr., of Preston; Democrat  
 Adam B. Littlepage, of Kanawha; Democrat  
 John M. Hamilton, of Calhoun; Democrat  
 James A. Hughes, of Cabell; Republican

Owing to the failure of the legislature in 1913 to pass an act re-districting the State for representatives in the congress of the United States, and West Virginia under the congressional reapportionment act of 1911 being entitled to an additional representative, in 1912 and 1914 a congressman-at-large was voted for and Hon. Howard Sutherland was elected to the position.

## REPRESENTATION PENDING THE RE-DISTRICTING OF THE STATE

*Sixty-Third Congress*

(March 4, 1913, to March 3, 1915)

Mansfield M. Neely, of Marion; Democrat  
 William G. Brown, Jr., of Preston; Democrat  
 Samuel B. Avis, of Kanawha; Republican  
 Hunter H. Moss, Jr., of Wood; Republican  
 James A. Hughes, of Cabell; Republican  
 Howard Sutherland, of Randolph; Republican

*Sixty-Fourth Congress*

(March 4, 1915, to March 3, 1917)

Mansfield M. Neely, of Marion; Democrat  
 \*William G. Brown, Jr., of Preston; Democrat  
 Adam B. Littlepage, of Kanawha; Democrat  
 \*\*Hunter H. Moss, Jr., of Wood; Republican  
 Edward Cooper, of Mercer; Republican  
 Howard Sutherland, of Randolph; Republican

\*Died March 9, 1916; George M. Bowers elected to fill unexpired term.

\*\*Died July 15, 1916; Harry C. Woodyard elected to fill unexpired term.

## RE-APPORTIONMENT ACT OF 1915

On the 20th day of February, 1915, the legislature passed an act re-districting the State for representation in the congress of the United States and made an apportionment among the several counties of the State, arranging them in six districts, as follows:

*First District*—Hancock, Brooke, Ohio, Marshall, Wetzel, Marion and Taylor.

*Second District*—Monongalia, Preston, Barbour, Randolph, Tucker, Pendleton, Grant, Hardy, Mineral, Hampshire, Morgan, Berkeley and Jefferson.

*Third District*—Ritchie, Doddridge, Harrison, Calhoun, Gilmer, Lewis, Upshur, Braxton, Clay, Nicholas and Webster.

*Fourth District*—Tyler, Pleasants, Wood, Wirt, Jackson, Roane, Mason, Putnam and Cabell.

*Fifth District*—Wayne, Lincoln, Mingo, Logan, McDowell, Wyoming, Mercer, Summers and Monroe.

*Sixth District*—Kanawha, Boone, Raleigh, Fayette, Greenbrier and Pocahontas.

REPRESENTATION UNDER THE RE-APPORTIONMENT ACT OF 1915

*Sixty-Fifth Congress*

(March 4, 1917, to March 3, 1919)

Mansfield M. Neely, of Marion; Democrat  
 George M. Bowers, of Berkeley; Republican  
 Stuart F. Reed, of Harrison; Republican  
 Harry C. Woodyard, of Roane; Republican  
 Edward Cooper, of Mercer; Republican  
 Adam B. Littlepage, of Kanawha; Democrat

*Sixty-Sixth Congress*

(March 4, 1919, to March 3, 1921)

Mansfield M. Neely, of Marion; Democrat  
 George M. Bowers, of Berkeley; Republican  
 Stuart F. Reed, of Harrison; Republican  
 Harry C. Woodyard, of Roane; Republican  
 Wells Goodykoontz, of Mingo; Republican  
 Leonard S. Echols, of Kanawha; Republican

*Staty-Seventh Congress*

(March 4, 1921, to March 3, 1923)

Benjamin L. Rosenbloom, of Ohio; Republican  
 George M. Bowers, of Berkeley; Republican  
 Stuart F. Reed, of Harrison; Republican  
 Harry C. Woodyard, of Roane; Republican  
 Wells Goodykoontz, of Mingo; Republican  
 Leonard S. Echols, of Kanawha; Republican

*Seventy-First Congress*

(March 4, 1929, to March 3, 1931)

Carl G. Bachmann, of Ohio; Republican  
 Frank H. Bowman, of Monongalia; Republican  
 John M. Wolverton, of Nicholas; Republican  
 \*James A. Hughes, of Cabell; Republican  
 Hugh I. Shott, of Mercer; Republican  
 Joe L. Smith, of Raleigh; Democrat

\*Deceased. Robert L. Hogg, of Mason County, Republican, elected Nov. 4, 1930, for unexpired term.

*Sixty-Eighth Congress*

(March 4, 1923, to March 3, 1925)

Benjamin L. Rosenbloom, of Ohio; Republican  
 Robert E. Lee Allen, of Monongalia; Democrat  
 Stuart F. Reed, of Harrison; Republican  
 George W. Johnson, of Wood; Democrat  
 T. J. Lilly, of Summers; Democrat  
 J. Alfred Taylor, of Fayette; Democrat

*Sixty-Ninth Congress*

(March 4, 1925, to March 3, 1927)

Carl G. Bachmann, of Ohio; Republican  
 Frank H. Bowman, of Monongalia; Republican  
 John M. Wolverton, of Nicholas; Republican  
 Harry C. Woodyard, of Roane; Republican  
 J. F. Strother, of McDowell; Republican  
 J. Alfred Taylor, of Fayette; Democrat

*Seventieth Congress*

(March 4, 1927, to March 3, 1929)

Carl G. Bachmann, of Ohio; Republican  
 Frank H. Bowman, of Monongalia; Republican  
 William S. O'Brien, of Upshur; Democrat  
 James A. Hughes, of Cabell; Republican  
 J. F. Strother, of McDowell; Republican  
 E. T. England, of Kanawha; Republican



## WEST VIRGINIA PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS FROM 1892.

## 1892—CLEVELAND AND STEVENSON

Samuel S. Vinson, M. D. Post, John A. Preston, C. Wood Dailey, B. L. Butcher, and John G. McClure.

## 1896—MCKINLEY AND HOBART

James P. Fitch, Henry Haymond, John Cooper, S. B. Rathbone, W. A. Chapline, and J. W. Vandervort.

## 1900—MCKINLEY AND ROOSEVELT

W. M. Riggs, W. B. Mathews, Enoch Carver, J. B. Lewis, N. G. Kelm, and Taylor B. McClure.

## 1904—ROOSEVELT AND FAIRBANKS

Dr. George P. Daniels, Jacob W. Heavner, George Wise, Wellington F. Morrison, Tracy L. Jeffords, Dr. Watson Monroe, and James A. Lenhart.

## 1908—TAFT AND SHERMAN

Joseph H. McDermott, Frank W. Clark, Boyd Jarrell, Enoch M. McPeak, William H. Crawford, Milton R. Lowther, and A. A. Lilly.

## 1912—WILSON AND MARSHALL

Ben H. Butcher, Gilbert D. Smith, J. Sloan Kuykendall, Alfred E. Kenny, William H. Savyers, J. J. Kayne, Henry Harold, and O. J. Riffe.

## 1916—HUGHES AND FAIRBANKS

Charles E. Carrigan, C. A. Dunn, Geo. M. Kittle, R. P. Shinn, S. A. Scott, Julian G. Hearne, James Reed, and Meredith J. Simms.

## 1920—HARDING AND COOLIDGE

Wilbur E. Stone, N. Price Whitaker, J. E. Overton, Ira P. Hager, Walter S. Hallannau, Vernon E. Johnson, E. A. Brast and O. H. Kee.

## 1924—COOLIDGE AND DAWES

Mrs. George Poffenbarger, Charles Baird Mitchell, William K. Bright, Howard O'Toole, Mrs. Lydia C. Hearne, Mrs. Blanche Pickering, William S. Blizzard, and John Raine.

## 1928—HOÖVER AND CURTIS

Herschel C. Ogden, Harry C. Comp-ton, J. E. Overton, John J. Lincoln, Mrs. James A. Meredith, Mrs. A. M. Fredlock, John B. Easton and L. Burke O'Neil.

POPULATION OF THE UNITED STATES, 1930, 1920 and 1910

STATE	POPULATION			*Increase 1920-1930		*Increase 1910-1920	
	1930	1920	1910	Number	P. C.	Number	P. C.
United States.....	122,698,190	105,719,620	91,972,266	16,987,570	16.1	13,738,354	14.9
Alabama.....	2,645,297	2,348,174	2,138,093	297,123	12.7	210,081	9.8
Arizona.....	435,833	354,162	204,354	101,671	30.4	179,806	88.0
Arkansas.....	1,853,981	1,752,204	1,574,449	101,777	5.8	177,755	11.3
California.....	5,672,009	3,426,861	2,377,549	2,245,148	65.5	1,049,312	44.1
Colorado.....	1,035,043	939,629	799,024	95,414	10.2	140,665	17.6
Connecticut.....	1,604,711	1,380,631	1,114,756	224,080	16.2	265,875	23.0
Delaware.....	235,380	223,003	202,322	15,377	6.9	20,681	10.2
District of Columbia.....	48,869	47,571	331,069	49,298	11.3	106,502	32.2
Florida.....	1,466,625	968,470	752,619	498,155	51.4	215,257	28.7
Georgia.....	2,902,443	2,895,852	2,609,121	6,611	0.2	286,711	11.0
Idaho.....	445,837	431,866	325,594	13,971	3.2	106,272	32.6
Illinois.....	7,607,684	6,485,280	5,638,591	1,122,404	17.3	846,689	15.0
Indiana.....	3,335,600	2,930,390	2,700,876	295,210	10.1	229,514	8.5
Iowa.....	2,467,900	2,404,021	2,224,771	63,879	2.7	179,250	8.1
Kansas.....	1,879,946	1,769,257	1,690,949	110,689	6.3	78,308	4.6
Kentucky.....	2,623,668	2,416,630	2,289,905	207,038	8.6	126,725	5.5
Louisiana.....	2,094,496	1,798,509	1,656,388	295,987	16.5	142,121	8.6
Maine.....	800,056	768,014	742,371	22,210	5.0	25,643	3.5
Maryland.....	1,629,321	1,449,661	1,295,346	179,660	12.4	154,315	11.9
Massachusetts.....	4,253,646	3,852,356	3,366,416	401,290	10.4	485,840	11.4
Michigan.....	4,842,280	3,663,412	2,810,173	1,173,868	32.0	858,232	30.5
Minnesota.....	2,566,445	2,387,125	2,075,708	179,320	7.5	311,417	15.0
Mississippi.....	2,007,979	1,790,618	1,797,114	217,361	12.1	-6,496	-0.4
Missouri.....	3,620,961	3,404,055	3,293,335	216,906	6.4	110,720	3.4
Montana.....	536,332	548,889	376,053	-12,557	-2.3	172,836	46.0
Nebraska.....	1,378,900	1,296,372	1,192,214	82,528	6.4	104,158	8.7
Nevada.....	90,981	77,407	81,875	13,574	17.5	-4,468	-5.5
New Hampshire.....	465,293	443,083	430,572	22,210	5.0	12,511	2.9
New Jersey.....	4,028,027	3,155,900	2,537,167	872,127	27.6	618,733	24.4
New Mexico.....	427,216	360,350	327,301	66,866	18.6	33,049	10.1
New York.....	12,619,503	10,385,227	9,113,614	2,234,276	21.5	1,271,613	14.0
North Carolina.....	3,170,287	2,559,123	2,206,287	611,164	23.9	352,836	16.0
North Dakota.....	682,448	646,872	577,056	35,576	5.5	69,816	12.1
Ohio.....	6,639,837	5,759,394	4,767,121	880,443	15.3	992,273	20.8
Oklahoma.....	2,391,777	2,028,283	1,657,155	363,494	17.9	371,128	22.4
Oregon.....	952,691	783,389	672,756	169,302	21.6	110,624	16.4
Pennsylvania.....	9,640,802	8,720,017	7,665,111	920,787	10.6	1,054,906	13.8
Rhode Island.....	687,232	604,397	542,610	82,835	13.7	61,787	11.4
South Carolina.....	1,732,567	1,683,724	1,515,400	48,843	2.9	168,324	11.1
South Dakota.....	690,755	636,547	583,888	54,208	8.5	52,659	9.0
Tennessee.....	2,608,759	2,337,885	2,184,789	270,874	11.6	153,096	7.0
Texas.....	5,821,272	4,663,228	3,896,542	1,158,044	24.8	766,686	19.7
Utah.....	502,582	449,396	373,351	53,186	11.8	76,045	20.4
Vermont.....	359,092	352,428	355,956	6,664	1.9	-3,528	-1.0
Virginia.....	2,419,471	2,309,187	2,061,612	110,284	4.8	247,575	12.0
Washington.....	1,561,967	1,356,621	1,141,990	205,346	15.1	214,631	18.8
West Virginia.....	1,728,510	1,463,701	1,221,119	264,809	18.1	242,582	19.9
Wisconsin.....	2,930,282	2,632,067	2,333,860	298,215	11.3	298,207	12.8
Wyoming.....	224,597	194,402	145,965	30,195	15.5	48,437	33.2

\*A minus sign (—) denotes decrease.

## POPULATION OF THE UNITED STATES AND OUTLYING POSSESSIONS

AREA	1930	1920	*Increase 1920-1930	
			Number	Per Cent
TOTAL.....	124,848,664	107,508,855	17,339,809	16.1
Continental United States.....	122,698,190	105,710,620	16,987,570	16.1
Alaska.....	53,758	55,036	3,722	6.8
Hawaii.....	368,336	255,912	112,424	43.9
Porto Rico.....	1,543,913	1,299,801	244,104	18.8
Guam.....	18,521	13,273	5,246	39.5
American Samoa.....	10,055	8,056	1,999	24.8
Panama Canal Zone.....	39,467	22,858	16,609	72.7
Virgin Islands.....	22,012	26,051	-4,039	-15.5
Military and naval service, etc., abroad.....	89,412	117,238	-27,826	-23.7

\* A minus sign (—) denotes decrease.

PARCEL POST RATES

Rates on postage on fourth class matter—to be fully prepaid—are by the pound, according to distance or zone a fraction of a pound being computed as a full pound. These rates, including the 2-cent additional charge, are shown in the following table and paragraph (a).

Weight in Pounds	Local	ZONES							
		1st Up to 50 Miles	2nd Up to 150 Miles	3rd 150 to 300 Miles	4th 300 to 600 Miles	5th 600 to 1,000 Miles	6th 1,000 to 1,400 Miles	7th 1,400 to 1,800 Miles	8th Over 1,800 Miles
1	\$.07	\$.07	\$.07	\$.08	\$.08	\$.09	\$.10	\$.12	\$.13
2	.08	.08	.08	.10	.10	.15	.18	.22	.25
3	.08	.09	.09	.12	.12	.21	.26	.32	.37
4	.09	.10	.10	.14	.14	.27	.34	.42	.49
5	.09	.11	.11	.16	.16	.33	.42	.52	.61
6	.10	.12	.12	.18	.18	.39	.50	.62	.73
7	.10	.13	.13	.20	.20	.45	.58	.72	.85
8	.11	.14	.14	.22	.22	.51	.66	.82	.97
9	.11	.15	.15	.24	.24	.57	.74	.92	1.09
10	.12	.16	.16	.26	.26	.63	.82	1.02	1.21
11	.12	.17	.17	.28	.28	.69	.90	1.12	1.33
12	.13	.18	1.8	.30	.30	.75	.98	1.22	1.45
13	.13	.19	.19	.32	.32	.81	1.06	1.32	1.57
14	.14	.20	.20	.34	.34	.87	1.14	1.42	1.69
15	.14	.21	.21	.36	.36	.93	1.22	1.52	1.81
16	.15	.22	.22	.38	.38	.99	1.30	1.62	1.93
17	.15	.23	.23	.40	.40	1.05	1.38	1.72	2.05
18	.16	.24	.24	.42	.42	1.11	1.46	1.82	2.17
19	.16	.25	.25	.44	.44	1.17	1.54	1.92	2.29
20	.17	.26	.26	.46	.46	1.23	1.62	2.02	2.41
21	.17	.27	.27	.48	.48	1.29	1.70	2.12	2.53
22	.18	.28	.28	.50	.50	1.35	1.78	2.22	2.65
23	.18	.29	.29	.52	.52	1.41	1.86	2.32	2.77
24	.19	.30	.30	.54	.54	1.47	1.94	2.42	2.89
25	.19	.31	.31	.56	.56	1.53	2.02	2.52	3.01
26	.20	.32	.32	.58	.58	1.59	2.10	2.62	3.13
27	.20	.33	.33	.60	.60	1.65	2.18	2.72	3.25
28	.21	.34	.34	.62	.62	1.71	2.26	2.82	3.37
29	.21	.35	.35	.64	.64	1.77	2.34	2.92	3.49
30	.22	.36	.36	.66	.66	1.83	2.42	3.02	3.61
31	.22	.37	.37	.68	.68	1.89	2.50	3.12	3.73
32	.23	.38	.38	.70	.70	1.95	2.58	3.22	3.85
33	.23	.39	.39	.72	.72	2.01	2.66	3.32	3.97
34	.24	.40	.40	.74	.74	2.07	2.74	3.42	4.09
35	.24	.41	.41	.76	.76	2.13	2.82	3.52	4.21
36	.25	.42	.42	.78	.78	2.19	2.90	3.62	4.33
37	.25	.43	.43	.80	.80	2.25	2.98	3.72	4.45
38	.26	.44	.44	.82	.82	2.31	3.06	3.82	4.57
39	.26	.45	.45	.84	.84	2.37	3.14	3.92	4.69
40	.27	.46	.46	.86	.86	2.43	3.22	4.02	4.81
41	.27	.47	.47	.88	.88	2.49	3.30	4.12	4.93
42	.28	.48	.48	.90	.90	2.55	3.38	4.22	5.05
43	.28	.49	.49	.92	.92	2.61	3.46	4.32	5.17
44	.29	.50	.50	.94	.94	2.67	3.54	4.42	5.29
44	.29	.50	.50	.94	.94	2.67	3.54	4.42	5.29
45	.29	.51	.51	.96	.96	2.73	3.62	4.52	5.41
46	.30	.52	.52	.98	.98	2.79	3.70	4.62	5.53
47	.30	.53	.53	1.00	1.00	2.85	3.78	4.72	5.65
48	.31	.54	.54	1.02	1.02	2.91	3.86	4.82	5.77
49	.31	.55	.55	1.04	1.04	2.97	3.94	4.92	5.89
50	.32	.56	.56	1.06	1.06	3.03	4.02	5.02	6.01
51	.32	.57	.57	1.08	1.08				
52	.33	.58	.58	1.10	1.10				
53	.33	.59	.59	1.12	1.12				
54	.34	.60	.60	1.14	1.14				
55	.34	.61	.61	1.16	1.16				
56	.35	.62	.62	1.18	1.18				
57	.35	.63	.63	1.20	1.20				
58	.36	.64	.64	1.22	1.22				
59	.36	.65	.65	1.24	1.24				
60	.37	.66	.66	1.26	1.26				
61	.37	.67	.67	1.28	1.28				
62	.38	.68	.68	1.30	1.30				
63	.38	.69	.69	1.32	1.32				
64	.39	.70	.70	1.34	1.34				
65	.39	.71	.71	1.36	1.36				
66	.40	.72	.72	1.38	1.38				
67	.40	.73	.73	1.40	1.40				
68	.41	.74	.74	1.42	1.42				
69	.41	.75	.75	1.44	1.44				
70	.42	.76	.76	1.46	1.46				

(a) Parcels subject to the pound rates, mailed for delivery within the first or second zone, are, when the distance by the shortest regular mail route from the office of origin to the office of delivery is 300 miles or more, chargeable with postage at the rate of 8 cents for the first pound and 2 cents for each additional pound, a fraction of a pound being computed as full pound.

NOTE.—On parcels mailed on rural delivery routes the postage will be 2 cents less than shown in the foregoing table when for delivery anywhere within the first three zones and 1 cent less when for delivery in any other zone, provided they are endorsed "Mailed on rural route", to show that they are not subject to the additional charge.

WEST VIRGINIA OFFICES OF THE FIRST, SECOND AND THIRD CLASS  
WITH SALARIES OF POSTMASTERS JULY 1, 1930

The postmaster at these offices are appointed by the President and confirmed by the Senate, F, offices having city delivery. G, offices located in Government buildings. V, offices having village delivery.

OFFICE	CLASS	SALARY
Adrian.....	2	1,100
Albright.....	3	1,500
Allerson.....	2	3,000
Amberstale.....	3	1,700
Anawalt.....	3	1,500
Ansted.....	3	2,000
Ashland.....	3	1,300
Athens.....	3	1,900
Bartoursville.....	3	2,100
Barracksville.....	3	1,600
Bayard.....	3	1,300
Beckley (F.).....	1	3,200
Bellington.....	3	2,200
Belle.....	3	1,600
Belleville.....	3	1,100
Berkeley Springs.....	2	2,400
Berwind.....	3	2,000
Bethany.....	3	2,000
Bluefield (G. F.).....	1	3,700
Branwell.....	3	2,000
Branchland.....	3	1,400
Bridgeport.....	3	1,900
Brownton.....	3	1,100
Buckhannon (G. F.).....	2	2,600
Buffalo.....	3	1,400
Burnsville.....	3	1,000
Catircreek.....	3	1,600
Cairo.....	3	2,000
Camden on Gauley.....	3	1,600
Cameron.....	2	2,400
Caretta.....	3	1,400
Cass.....	3	1,900
Cedar Grove.....	3	1,300
Ceredo.....	3	1,600
Charleston (G. F.).....	1	6,000
Charles Town (G. F.).....	2	2,600
Chattaroy.....	3	1,300
Chester (F.).....	2	2,500
Clarksburg (G. F.).....	1	3,800
Clay.....	3	1,900
Clendenin.....	3	2,300
Coalwood.....	3	2,000
Cowen.....	3	1,600
Crumpler.....	3	1,300
Danville.....	3	1,100
Davis.....	3	2,000
Davy.....	3	1,700
Dorothy.....	3	1,100
Dunbar (V.).....	2	2,400
Dunston.....	3	1,600
Durbin.....	3	1,500
East Beckley.....	3	1,200
East Rainelle.....	3	1,600
Edgerton.....	3	1,300
Elwight.....	3	1,300
Elert.....	3	1,400
Elizabeth.....	3	1,600
Elk Horn.....	3	1,700
Elkins (G. F.).....	1	3,200
Willetboro.....	3	1,200
Ethel.....	3	1,100
Everettsville.....	3	1,100
Fairmont (G. F.).....	1	3,700
Fairview.....	3	1,900
Farmington.....	3	1,900
Fayetteville.....	2	2,400
Fireco.....	3	1,100
Flemington.....	3	1,500
Follansteed (F.).....	2	2,500
Fort Gay.....	3	1,300
Franklin.....	3	1,800
Freeman.....	3	1,600

WEST VIRGINIA OFFICES OF THE FIRST, SECOND AND THIRD CLASS  
WITH SALARIES OF POSTMASTERS JULY 1, 1950

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OFFICE	CLASS	SALARY
Gary	3	2,300
Gassaway	3	2,200
Gauley Bridge	3	1,600
Glen Dale	3	1,500
Glen Jean	3	1,400
Glen Rogers	3	1,600
Glenville	3	2,200
Gormania	3	1,200
Grafton (G. F.)	2	3,000
Grantsville	3	2,200
Grant Town	3	1,600
Hamlin	3	1,800
Harpers Ferry	3	2,000
Harrisville	3	2,100
Hastings	3	1,400
Hedgesville	3	1,300
Helen	3	1,400
Hemp Hill	3	1,600
Hendricks	3	1,200
Herdon	3	1,100
Hillsboro	3	1,200
Hinton (G. F.)	2	2,600
Holten	3	2,100
Holladays Cove	2	2,500
Hopemont	3	1,900
Hundred	3	1,900
Huntington (G. F.)	1	4,500
Hurricane	3	1,900
Iaeger	3	2,000
Institute	3	1,500
Jane Lew	3	1,600
Jenkin Jones	3	1,600
Kayford	3	1,300
Kearneysville	3	1,100
Kenova (F.)	2	2,400
Kermit	3	1,400
Keyser (F.)	2	2,800
Keystone	2	2,400
Kimball	3	2,300
Kingston	3	1,600
Kingwood (V.)	2	2,400
Layland	3	1,200
Leon	3	1,200
Lewisburg	2	2,600
Littleton	3	1,600
Logan (F.)	2	3,000
Lorado	3	1,700
Lost Creek	3	1,600
Lumberport	3	1,800
Lundale	3	1,500
McComas	3	1,800
McMechen (V.)	3	2,100
Matscott	3	1,500
MacDonald	3	2,100
Madison	2	2,400
Man	3	1,500
Mannington (F.)	2	2,600
Marlinton (V.)	2	2,500
Martinsburg (G. F.)	1	3,600
Mason	3	1,500
Mason Town	3	1,800
Matewan	3	1,900
Matoaka	3	2,100
Maybury	3	1,300
Middlebourne	3	2,200
Mill Creek	3	1,500
Milton	3	2,000
Minden	3	1,300
Montgomery (F.)	2	27.00
Moorefield	3	2,200
Morgantown (G. F.)	1	3,600
Moundsville (G. F.)	1	3,400
Mount Hope	2	2,400

**WEST VIRGINIA OFFICES OF THE FIRST, SECOND AND THIRD CLASS  
WITH SALARIES OF POSTMASTERS JULY 1, 1930**

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OFFICE	CLASS	SALARY
Mullens.....	2	2,400
Newburg.....	3	1,800
New Cumberland.....	3	2,200
Newell.....	2	2,400
New Martinsville (F.).....	2	2,700
Nitro.....	3	2,200
Northfork.....	2	2,400
Nutter Fort.....	3	1,600
Oak Hill.....	2	2,400
Omar.....	3	2,000
Owens.....	3	2,100
Paden City.....	3	2,100
Pago.....	3	1,100
Parkersburg (G. F.).....	1	3,800
Parsons.....	3	2,300
Paw Paw.....	3	1,700
Pax.....	3	1,100
Peach Creek.....	3	1,800
Pennsboro.....	2	2,400
Petersburg.....	3	2,300
Peterstown.....	3	1,200
Pillippi (V.).....	2	2,600
Pickens.....	3	1,100
Piedmont (F.).....	2	2,400
Pine Grove.....	3	1,800
Pineville.....	3	1,800
Point Pleasant (G. F.).....	2	2,500
Power.....	3	1,200
Princeton (F.).....	2	2,800
Quinwood.....	3	1,700
Rainelle.....	3	2,100
Raleigh.....	3	1,500
Ranson.....	3	1,800
Ravenswood.....	2	2,400
Red Jacket.....	3	1,500
Reedsville.....	3	1,500
Reedy.....	3	1,400
Renick.....	3	1,600
Richwood (F.).....	2	2,600
Ridgeley.....	3	1,600
Ridley.....	3	2,100
Rivesville.....	3	1,600
Romney.....	2	2,400
Ronecverte (V.).....	2	2,600
Rowlesburg.....	3	2,000
Sabraton.....	3	1,400
Saint Albans (F.).....	2	2,500
Saint Marys (F.).....	2	2,500
Salem (F.).....	2	2,400
Sandyville.....	3	1,100
Scarbro.....	3	1,600
Seth.....	3	1,100
Sharnles.....	3	1,600
Shepley town.....	3	2,200
Shirlington (F.).....	2	2,400
Sistersville (G. F.).....	2	2,700
Smithfield.....	3	1,500
Spencer (F.).....	2	2,600
Stotesbury.....	3	1,500
Summersville.....	3	2,000
Sutton.....	2	2,400
Switchback.....	3	1,500
Tams.....	3	1,200
Terra Alta (V.).....	2	2,400
Thomas.....	3	2,100
Thorpe.....	3	1,500
Thurmond.....	3	1,900
Triadelphia.....	3	1,400
Tunnelton.....	3	1,900
Twin Branch.....	3	1,200
Union.....	3	1,800
Wallace.....	3	1,400

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OFFICE	CLASS	SALARY
Walton.....	3	1,500
War.....	3	1,900
Ward.....	3	1,400
WarJensville.....	3	1,500
Wayne.....	3	1,900
Webster Springs.....	3	2,100
Weirton.....	2	2,800
Welch (F.).....	2	3,000
Wellburg (G. F.).....	2	2,900
Weston (F.).....	2	3,000
West Union (V.).....	2	2,400
Wheeling (G. F.).....	1	5,000
White Sulphur Springs.....	2	2,800
Whitesville.....	3	1,900
Winton.....	3	1,600
Williamson (G. F.).....	1	3,200
Williamstown (V.).....	3	2,000
Winning Gulf.....	3	1,500
Winona.....	3	1,400
Worthington.....	3	1,300
Yukon.....	3	1,500



## ALPHABETICAL LIST OF WEST VIRGINIA POST OFFICES

Corrected to September 1, 1930. Capital letters designate county seats.

## A

Abbott ..... Upshur  
 Abney ..... Raleigh  
 Abrabam ..... Raleigh  
 Accoville ..... Logan  
 Acme ..... Kanawha  
 Acup ..... Kanawha  
 Ada ..... Mercer  
 Adam ..... Calhoun  
 Adrian ..... Upshur  
 Advent ..... Jackson  
 Affinity ..... Raleigh  
 Alaska ..... Mineral  
 Albert ..... Tucker  
 Albion ..... Nicholas  
 Albright ..... Preston  
 Alderson ..... Monroe  
 Alexander ..... Upshur  
 Algoma ..... McDowell  
 Alkol ..... Lincoln  
 Allen ..... Lincoln  
 Allingdale ..... Nicholas  
 Allister ..... Wetzel  
 Alma ..... Tyler  
 Almoris ..... Nicholas  
 Alpena ..... Randolph  
 Alpoca ..... Wyoming  
 Altizer ..... Calhoun  
 Altman ..... Boone  
 Alton ..... Upshur  
 Alum Bridge ..... Lewis  
 Alum Creek ..... Kanawha  
 Alvon ..... Greenbrier  
 Alvy ..... Tyler  
 Amblersburg ..... Preston  
 Amboy ..... Preston  
 Ambrosia ..... Mason  
 Ameagle ..... Raleigh  
 Amherstdale ..... Logan  
 Amigo ..... Raleigh  
 Amma ..... Roane  
 Anawalt ..... McDowell  
 Andrew ..... Boone  
 Angerona ..... Jackson  
 Anjean ..... Greenbrier  
 Anmoore ..... Harrison  
 Annamoriah ..... Calhoun  
 Annfred ..... Kanawha  
 Ansted ..... Fayette  
 Anthony ..... Greenbrier  
 Antloch ..... Mineral  
 Apgah ..... Kanawha  
 Apple Farm ..... Calhoun

Apple Grove ..... Mason  
 Arbovale ..... Pocahontas  
 Arbuckle ..... Mason  
 Arcola ..... Webster  
 Arden ..... Barbour  
 Arlsta ..... Mercer  
 Arlee ..... Mason  
 Arlington ..... Upshur  
 Arnett ..... Raleigh  
 Arnettsville ..... Monongalia  
 Arnoldsburg ..... Calhoun  
 Arthur ..... Grant  
 Artie ..... Raleigh  
 Arvilla ..... Pleasants  
 Asbury ..... Greenbrier  
 Asco ..... McDowell  
 Ashford ..... Boone  
 Ashland ..... McDowell  
 Ashley ..... Doddridge  
 Ashton ..... Mason  
 Assurance ..... Monroe  
 Athens ..... Mercer  
 Auburn ..... Ritchie  
 Augusta ..... Hampshire  
 Aurora ..... Preston  
 Auto ..... Greenbrier  
 Avon ..... Doddridge  
 Avondale ..... McDowell

## B

Backus ..... Fayette  
 Baileysville ..... Wyoming  
 Baisden ..... Mingo  
 Baker ..... Hardy  
 Bakerton ..... Jefferson  
 Bald Knob ..... Boone  
 Baldwin ..... Gilmer  
 Ballard ..... Monroe  
 Ballengee ..... Summers  
 Bamboo ..... Nicholas  
 Banco ..... Logan  
 Bancroft ..... Putnam  
 Barboursville ..... Cabell  
 Bardane ..... Jefferson  
 Barn ..... Mercer  
 Barnabus ..... Logan  
 Barnum ..... Mineral  
 Barracksville ..... Marion  
 Barren Creek ..... Kanawha  
 Barrett ..... Boone  
 Bartley ..... McDowell  
 Bartow ..... Pocahontas  
 Basin ..... Wyoming

Bass	Hardy	Big Four	McDowell
Baxter	Marion	Big Isaac	Doddridge
Bayard	Grant	Big Otter	Clay
Bays	Nicholas	Big Run	Wetzel
Beard	Pocahontas	Big Sandy	McDowell
Beards Fork	Fayette	Big Springs	Calhoun
Bearsville	Tyler	Bim	Boone
Bcatrice	Ritchie	Bingham	Greenbrier
Beaver	Nicholas	Birch River	Nicholas
Bebec	Wetzel	Birch Run	Clay
BECKLEY	Raleigh	Bismarck	Grant
Beckwith	Fayette	Blacksville	Monongalia
Bedington	Berkeley	Blaine	Mineral
Bee	Putnam	Blair	Logan
Beech	Calhoun	Blakeley	Kanawha
Beechbottom	Brooke	Blaker Mills	Greenbrier
Beech Fork	McDowell	Blandville	Doddridge
Beech Hill	Mason	Bloomery	Hampshire
Beechwood	Monongalia	Bloomingrose	Boone
Beelick Knob	Fayette	Bloomington	Roane
Beeson	Mercer	Bluecreek	Kanawha
Belfont	Braxton	Bluefield	Mercer
Belgrove	Jackson	Blue Jay	Raleigh
Belington	Barbour	Bluespring	Randolph
Bellburn	Greenbrier	Bluestone	Mercer
Belle	Kanawha	Blue Sulphur Springs	Greenbrier
Bellepoint	Summers	Board Tree	Marshall
Belleville	Wood	Boaz	Wood
Bellton	Marshall	Boggs	Webster
Bellwood	Fayette	Bolair	Webster
Belmont	Pleasants	Bolivar	Jefferson
Belo	Mingo	Bolt	Raleigh
Belt	Hampshire	Bomont	Clay
Belva	Nicholas	Boncar	Fayette
Bemis	Randolph	Bonnie	Braxton
Benbush	Tucker	Boomer	Fayette
Bennett	Gilmer	Boone	Fayette
Bens Run	Tyler	Booth	Monongalia
Bentree	Nicholas	Borderland	Mingo
Benwood	Marshall	Bowden	Randolph
(Branch of Wheeling)		Bower	Braxton
Berea	Ritchie	Bowles	Lincoln
Bergoo	Webster	Bowlm	Fayette
BERKELEY SPRINGS	Morgan	Bownemont	Kanawha
Bernards Town	Webster	Boyd	Roane
Bernie	Lincoln	Boyer	Pocahontas
Berryburg	Barbour	Bozoo	Monroe
Bertha	Summers	Brabant	Wayne
Berwind	McDowell	Brady	Monongalia
Beryl	Mineral	Bradyville	Lincoln
Besoco	Raleigh	Bracholm	Logan
Bethany	Brooke	Bramwell	Mercer
Beverly	Randolph	Branchland	Lincoln
Bias	Mingo	Brandonville	Preston
Bickmore	Clay	Brandywine	Pendleton
Bigbend	Calhoun	Braxton	Braxton
Big Chimney	Kanawha	Bretz	Preston
Bigcoal	Kanawha	Brewsterdale	McDowell
Big Creek	Logan	Bridgeport	Harrison

Bristol ..... Harrison  
 Brohard ..... Ritchie  
 Brood ..... Pendleton  
 Brooklyn ..... Fayette  
 Brosius ..... Morgan  
 Brownland ..... Kanawha  
 Brown ..... Harrison  
 Brownton ..... Barbour  
 Bruce ..... Nicholas  
 Bruceton Mills ..... Preston  
 Brush Creek ..... Boone  
 Brushy Run ..... Pendleton  
 Buck ..... Summers  
 Buckeye ..... Pocahontas  
 BUCKHANNON ..... Upshur  
 Bud ..... Wyoming  
 Buffalo ..... Putnam  
 Bulger ..... Lincoln  
 Bulltown ..... Braxton  
 Bunker Hill ..... Berkeley  
 Burchfield ..... Wetzel  
 Burlington ..... Mineral  
 Burning Springs ..... Wirt  
 Burnsville ..... Braxton  
 Burnt House ..... Ritchie  
 Burnwell ..... Kanawha  
 Burr ..... Pocahontas  
 Burton ..... Wetzel  
 Burnside ..... Putnam

## C

Cabell ..... Boone  
 Cabin Creek ..... Kanawha  
 Cainsburg ..... Roane  
 Cairo ..... Ritchie  
 Caldwell ..... Greenbrier  
 Calvin ..... Nicholas  
 Camden ..... Lewis  
 Camden-on-Gauley ..... Webster  
 Cameron ..... Marshall  
 Camp Allegheny ..... Greenbrier  
 Camp Creek ..... Mercer  
 Campslab ..... Greenbrier  
 Canaan ..... Upshur  
 Canebrake ..... McDowell  
 Canfield ..... Braxton  
 Cannelton ..... Fayetteville  
 Canterbury ..... Mingo  
 Canton ..... Doddridge  
 Canvas ..... Nicholas  
 Capehart ..... Mason  
 Capels ..... McDowell  
 Capon Bridge ..... Hampshire  
 Capon Springs ..... Hampshire  
 Captina ..... Marshall  
 Carbon ..... Kanawha  
 Carbondale ..... Fayette  
 Caress ..... Braxton  
 Caretta ..... McDowell

Carl ..... Nicholas  
 Carlisle ..... Fayette  
 Carolina ..... Marlon  
 Cascade ..... Preston  
 Cashmere ..... Monroe  
 Cass ..... Pocahontas  
 Cassie ..... Wayne  
 Cassity ..... Randolph  
 Cassville ..... Monongalia  
 Catawba ..... Marlon  
 Cave ..... Pendleton  
 Cecil ..... Taylor  
 Cedar Grove ..... Kanawha  
 Cedarville ..... Gilmer  
 Center Point ..... Doddridge  
 Centralia ..... Braxton  
 Central Station ..... Doddridge  
 Century ..... Barbour  
 Ceredo ..... Wayne  
 Champwood ..... Mineral  
 Chap ..... Boone  
 Chapel ..... Braxton  
 Chapmanville ..... Logan  
 CHARLESTON ..... Kanawha

## BRANCH POST OFFICE

South Charleston (Ind.)

## STATIONS

- A, Charleston St., bet. Bigley and Indiana Avenues.  
 B, Charleston St., bet. Stockton and Patrick Streets.

CHARLES TOWN ..... Jefferson  
 Charmco ..... Mingo  
 Chattaroy ..... Mingo  
 Cheylan ..... Kanawha  
 Cherry Grove ..... Pendleton  
 Cherry Run ..... Morgan  
 Chesapeake ..... Kanawha  
 Chester ..... Hancock  
 Chloe ..... Calhoun  
 Christian ..... Logan  
 Cicerone ..... Roane  
 Cinco ..... Kanawha  
 Cinderella ..... Mingo  
 Circleville ..... Pendleton  
 Cirtsville ..... Raleigh  
 Claremont ..... Fayette  
 CLARKSBURG ..... Harrison

## BRANCH POST OFFICES

Eastview

Park

## STATIONS

A, (Manayka)

B, 1422 W. Pike Street

C, 1200 East Main Street

Clator ..... Ohio  
 CLAY ..... Clay  
 Claypool ..... Summers  
 Clayton ..... Summers

Clearco .....Greenbrier  
 Clear Creek .....Raleigh  
 Clear Fork .....Wyoming  
 Clem .....Braxton  
 Clendenin .....Kanawha  
 Cleveland .....Webster  
 Clifftop .....Fayette  
 Clifton .....Mason  
 Clifton Mills .....Preston  
 Clifty .....Fayette  
 Clintonville .....Greenbrier  
 Clio .....Roane  
 Clothier .....Logan  
 Clover .....Roane  
 Clover Lick .....Pocahontas  
 Coalburg .....Kanawha  
 Coal City .....Raleigh  
 Coaldale .....Mercer  
 Coal Fork .....Kanawha  
 Coalton .....Randolph  
 Coalwood .....McDowell  
 Coburn .....Wetzel  
 Coco .....Kanawha  
 Coe .....Nicholas  
 Cokeleys .....Ritchie  
 Coketon .....Tucker  
 Colcord .....Raleigh  
 Coal Stream .....Hampshire  
 Coldwater .....Doddridge  
 Colfax .....Marion  
 Colliers .....Brooke  
 Comfort .....Boone  
 Concho .....Fayette  
 Concord .....Hampshire  
 Confidence .....Putnam  
 Congo .....Hancock  
 Cool Ridge .....Raleigh  
 Coopers .....Mercer  
 Copen .....Braxton  
 Cordova .....Greenbrier  
 Core .....Monongalia  
 Corrine .....Wyoming  
 Corinth .....Preston  
 Corley .....Braxton  
 Corliss .....Fayette  
 Corner .....Grant  
 Cornstalk .....Greenbrier  
 Cornwallis .....Ritchie  
 Corton .....Kanawha  
 Costa .....Boone  
 Cottageville .....Jackson  
 Countsville .....Roane  
 Covegap .....Wayne  
 Covel .....Wyoming  
 Cowen .....Webster  
 Coxs Mills .....Gilmer  
 Crab Orchard .....Raleigh  
 Crag .....Greenbrier  
 Craigsville .....Nicholas

Cranberry .....Raleigh  
 Crawford .....Lewis  
 Crawley .....Greenbrier  
 Creamery .....Monroe  
 Creek .....Pendleton  
 Creekvale .....Hampshire  
 Cremo .....Calhoun  
 Cressmont .....Clay  
 Creston .....Wirt  
 Crichton .....Greenbrier  
 Crickmer .....Fayette  
 Crites .....Logan  
 Crosby .....Clay  
 Crow .....Raleigh  
 Crown .....Logan  
 Crow Summit .....Jackson  
 Crum .....Wayne  
 Crumpler .....McDowell  
 Crumps Bottom .....Summers  
 Crystal .....Mercer  
 Cucumber .....McDowell  
 Culloden .....Cabell  
 Cunard .....Fayette  
 Curry .....Logan  
 Custis .....Braxton  
 Cutlips .....Braxton  
 Cuzzart .....Preston  
 Cuzzle .....Lincoln  
 Cyclone .....Wyoming  
 Czar .....Randolph

## D

Dahmer .....Pendleton  
 Dale .....Tyler  
 Dallas .....Marshall  
 Dameron .....Raleigh  
 Dana .....Kanawha  
 Danese .....Fayette  
 Daniels .....Raleigh  
 Danville .....Boone  
 Darke .....Jefferson  
 Dartmoor .....Barbour  
 Davin .....Logan  
 Davis .....Tucker  
 Davison .....Braxton  
 Davlsville .....Wood  
 Davy .....McDowell  
 Dawes .....Kanawha  
 Dawmont .....Harrison  
 Dawson .....Greenbrier  
 Dean .....Wetzel  
 Decota .....Kanawha  
 Deep Water .....Fayette  
 Deepwell .....Nicholas  
 Deerrun .....Pendleton  
 Dehue .....Logan  
 Dekalb .....Gilmer  
 Delbarton .....Mingo  
 Dellslow .....Monongalia



Evans ..... Jackson  
 Evanwood ..... Randolph  
 Everettville ..... Monongalia  
 Excelsior ..... McDowell  
 Exchange ..... Braxton

## F

Fabius ..... Hardy  
 FAIRMONT ..... Marion

## BRANCH POST OFFICES

Monongah. (Ind.)  
 East Side. (Ind.)

Fairplain ..... Jackson  
 Fairview ..... Marion  
 Falling Waters ..... Berkeley  
 Falls ..... Grant  
 Fallsmill ..... Braxton  
 Fame ..... Pendleton  
 Far ..... Wetzel  
 Farmington ..... Marion  
 Fayette ..... Fayette  
 FAYETTEVILLE ..... Fayette  
 Federal ..... Pleasants  
 Fenwick ..... Nicholas  
 Ferguson ..... Wayne  
 Ferrellsburg ..... Lincoln  
 Fez ..... Lincoln  
 Filbert ..... McDowell  
 Fink ..... Lewis  
 Fireco ..... Raleigh  
 Fire Creek ..... Fayette  
 Fisher ..... Hardy  
 Fitzpatrick ..... Raleigh  
 Flatfork ..... Roane  
 Flats ..... Hardy  
 Flat Top ..... Mercer  
 Flat Woods ..... Braxton  
 Flaxton ..... Mason  
 Flemington ..... Taylor  
 Fletcher ..... Jackson  
 Flint ..... Randolph  
 Floe ..... Clay  
 Flower ..... Braxton  
 Pola ..... Clay  
 Pollansbee ..... Brooke  
 Po'son ..... Wetzel  
 Fonzo ..... Ritchie  
 Forest Hill ..... Summers  
 Forman ..... Grant  
 Fort Branch ..... Logan  
 Fort Gay ..... Wayne  
 Fort Seybert ..... Pendleton  
 Fort Spring ..... Greenbrier  
 Foster ..... Boone  
 Four States ..... Marion  
 Fourteen ..... Lincoln  
 Fowler Knob ..... Nicholas  
 Frame ..... Kanawha  
 Frametown ..... Braxton

Frank ..... Pocahontas  
 Frankford ..... Greenbrier  
 FRANKLIN ..... Pendleton  
 Frazlers Bottom ..... Putnam  
 Freed ..... Calhoun  
 Freeman ..... Mercer  
 Freemansburg ..... Lewis  
 French Creek ..... Upshur  
 Frenchton ..... Upshur  
 Frew ..... Tyler  
 Friars Hill ..... Greenbrier  
 Friendly ..... Tyler  
 Frost ..... Pocahontas  
 Frozen ..... Calhoun

## G

Gad ..... Nicholas  
 Gaines ..... Upshur  
 Gallagher ..... Kanawha  
 Gallipolis Ferry ..... Mason  
 Galloway ..... Barbour  
 Gamoca ..... Fayette  
 Gandeerville ..... Roane  
 Ganotown ..... Berkeley  
 Gap Mills ..... Monroe  
 Gardner ..... Mercer  
 Gar'and ..... McDowell  
 Garnet ..... Kanawha  
 Garretts Bend ..... Lincoln  
 Garrison ..... Boone  
 Griffithsville ..... Lincoln  
 Garten ..... Fayette  
 Gary ..... McDowell  
 Gassaway ..... Braxton  
 Gates ..... Monroe  
 Gauley Bridge ..... Fayette  
 Gauley Mills ..... Webster  
 Gay ..... Jackson  
 Gem ..... Braxton  
 Geneva ..... Roane  
 Genoa ..... Wayne  
 Gerrardstown ..... Berkeley  
 Ghent ..... Raleigh  
 Glatto ..... Mercer  
 Gilbert ..... Mingo  
 Gilbou ..... Nicholas  
 Gill ..... Lincoln  
 Gilliam ..... McDowell  
 Gilmer ..... Gilmer  
 Gip ..... Braxton  
 Girta ..... Ritchie  
 Given ..... Jackson  
 Glace ..... Monroe  
 Glade Farms ..... Preston  
 Gladly ..... Randolph  
 Glasgow ..... Kanawha  
 Glebe ..... Hampshire  
 Glen ..... Clay  
 Glenahum ..... Mingo  
 Glen Dale ..... Marshall

Glen Danel ..... Raleigh  
 Glendon ..... Braxton  
 Glen Easton ..... Marshall  
 Glen Ferris ..... Fayette  
 G'enfork ..... Wyoming  
 Glengary ..... Berkeley  
 Glenhayes ..... Wayne  
 Glen Hedrick ..... Raleigh  
 Glen Jean ..... Fayette  
 Glen Morgan ..... Raleigh  
 Glen Morrison ..... Wyoming  
 Glenray ..... Summers  
 Glen Rogers ..... Wyoming  
 GLEENVILLE ..... Gilmer  
 Glen White ..... Raleigh  
 G'enwood ..... Mason  
 Glovergap ..... Marlon  
 Goffs ..... Ritchie  
 Good ..... Hampshire  
 Goodwill ..... Mercer  
 Gordon ..... Boone  
 Gormanla ..... Grant  
 Gould ..... Upshur  
 Grace ..... Roane  
 GRAFTON ..... Taylor  
 Graham Station ..... Mason  
 Grandview ..... Raleigh  
 GRANTSVILLE ..... Calhoun  
 Grant Town ..... Marlon  
 Grassy ..... Wayne  
 Grassy Meadows ..... Greenbrier  
 Graydon ..... Fayette  
 Great Cacapon ..... Morgan  
 Green Bank ..... Pocahontas  
 Greenland ..... Grant  
 Green Spring ..... Hampshire  
 Green Sulphur Springs ..... Summers  
 Greenview ..... Boone  
 Greenville ..... Monroe  
 Greenwood ..... Doddridge  
 Greer ..... Monongalia  
 Gregory ..... Braxton  
 Greycagle ..... Mingo  
 Griffithsville ..... Lincoln  
 Grimms Landing ..... Mason  
 Guthrie ..... Kanawha  
 Guyan ..... Wyoming  
 Guyandotte ..... (Ind. Sta. Huntington)  
 Gypsy ..... Harrison

## H

Hacker Valley ..... Webster  
 Hager ..... Lincoln  
 Hall ..... Barbour  
 Hallburg ..... Clay  
 Halltown ..... Jefferson  
 Hambleton ..... Tucker  
 Hamlet ..... Raleigh  
 HAMLIN ..... Lincoln

Hammond ..... Marlon  
 Hampden ..... Mingo  
 Handley ..... Kanawha  
 Hanging Rock ..... Hampshire  
 Hanover ..... Wyoming  
 Hansford ..... Kanawha  
 Hany ..... Wayne  
 Harding ..... Randolph  
 Hardman ..... Gilmer  
 Harman ..... Randolph  
 Harmony ..... Roane  
 Harper ..... Raleigh  
 Harpers Ferry ..... Jefferson  
 Harrison ..... Clay  
 HARRISVILLE ..... Ritchie  
 Hartford ..... Mason  
 Hartland ..... Clay  
 Harts ..... Lincoln  
 Harvey ..... Fayette  
 Hastings ..... Wetzel  
 Havaco ..... McDowell  
 Hawks Nest ..... Fayette  
 Haywood ..... Harrison  
 Hazelgreen ..... Ritchie  
 Hazelton ..... Preston  
 Hazy ..... Raleigh  
 Headsville ..... Mineral  
 Heaters ..... Braxton  
 Hebron ..... Pleasants  
 Hedgesville ..... Berkeley  
 Heights ..... Mason  
 Heizer ..... Putnam  
 Helen ..... Raleigh  
 Helvetia ..... Randolph  
 Hemlock ..... Upshur  
 Hemphill ..... McDowell  
 Henderson ..... Mason  
 Hendricks ..... Tucker  
 Henlawson ..... Logan  
 Henning ..... Greenbrier  
 Henrietta ..... Calhoun  
 Henry ..... Grant  
 Hensley ..... McDowell  
 Hepzibah ..... Harrison  
 Herbert ..... Wayne  
 Herndon ..... Wyoming  
 Hershaw ..... Kanawha  
 Herold ..... Braxton  
 Hettle ..... Braxton  
 Hetzel ..... Logan  
 Hewett ..... Boone  
 Hiawatha ..... Mercer  
 Hico ..... Fayette  
 Higginsville ..... Hampshire  
 Highcoal ..... Boone  
 Highland ..... Ritchie  
 High View ..... Hampshire  
 Hillsboro ..... Pocahontas  
 Hilltop ..... Fayette

Hinch .....Mingo  
 HINTON .....Summers  
 Hix .....Summers  
 Hoard .....Monongalia  
 Hogsett .....Mason  
 Ho'comb .....Nicholas  
 Holden .....Logan  
 Hollidays Cove .....Hancock  
 Holly .....Braxton  
 Holly Grove .....Upshur  
 Hollywood .....Monroe  
 Holstead .....Braxton  
 Hominy Falls .....Nicholas  
 Hookersville .....Nicholas  
 Hooks Mills .....Hampshire  
 Hopemont .....Preston  
 Horner .....Lewis  
 Horse Shoe Run .....Preston  
 Hosterman .....Pocahontas  
 Hotchkiss .....Raleigh  
 Hotcoal .....Raleigh  
 Hoult .....Marion  
 Howard .....Marshall  
 Howesville .....Preston  
 Hoy .....Hampshire  
 Hubball .....Lincoln  
 Hudnall .....Kanawha  
 Hudson .....Preston  
 Hughart .....Greenbrier  
 Hugheson .....Kanawha  
 Hundred .....Wetzel  
 Huntersville .....Pocahontas  
 Hunting Ground .....Pendleton  
 HUNTINGTON .....Cabell

## STATIONS

Guyandotte (Ind.)  
 West Huntington  
 Nos. 1, 3, 5 and 6

Hur .....Calhoun  
 Hurricane .....Putnam  
 Hurst .....Lewis  
 Huttonsville .....Raudolph  
 Hyer .....Braxton

## I

Jaeger .....McDowell  
 Idamay .....Marion  
 Imperial .....Upshur  
 Independence .....Preston  
 Index .....Summers  
 Indian Mills .....Summers  
 Indore .....Clay  
 Industrial .....Harrison  
 Industry .....Calhoun  
 Ingleside .....Mercer  
 Ingo .....Lewis  
 Inkerman .....Hardy  
 Institute .....Kanawha  
 Intermont .....Hampshire

Inwood .....Berkeley  
 Ira .....Clay  
 Ireland .....Lewis  
 Irls .....Ritchie  
 Iroquois .....Wyoming  
 Isaban .....McDowell  
 Islandbranch .....Kanawha  
 Itmann .....Wyoming  
 Iuka .....Tyler  
 Ivan .....Wirt  
 Ivanhoe .....Upshur  
 Ivaton .....Lincoln  
 Ivydale .....Clay

## J

Jacksonburg .....Wetzel  
 Jacob .....Pocahontas  
 Jane Lew .....Lewis  
 Jeffery .....Boone  
 JenkinJones .....McDowell  
 Jenky .....Fayette  
 Jenningson .....Tucker  
 Jere .....Monongalia  
 Jesse .....Wyoming  
 Jetsville .....Nicholas  
 Job .....Randolph  
 Jochin .....Kanawha  
 Jodie .....Fayette  
 Joker .....Calhoun  
 Jolo .....McDowell  
 Jouben .....Raleigh  
 Jones Springs .....Berkeley  
 Jordan .....Marion  
 Jordan Run .....Grant  
 Josephs Mills .....Tyler  
 Judson .....Summers  
 Julia .....Greenbrier  
 Julian .....Boone  
 Jumping Branch .....Summers  
 Junction .....Hampshire  
 Junior .....Barbour  
 Jnuta .....Summers  
 Justice .....Mingo

## K

Kale .....Mercer  
 Kanawha Falls .....Fayette  
 Kanawha Head .....Upshur  
 Kanawha Station .....Wood  
 Kason .....Barbour  
 Katheryn .....Fayette  
 Kausooth .....Marshall  
 Kayford .....Kanawha  
 Kay Moor .....Fayette  
 Kearneysville .....Jefferson  
 Kedron .....Upshur  
 Keenan .....Monroe  
 Kegley .....Mercer  
 Keith .....Boone



Kellevsille ..... Mercer  
 Kempton ..... Preston  
 Kendalla ..... Kanawha  
 Kenna ..... Jackson  
 Kenova ..... Wayne  
 Kentuck ..... Jackson  
 Kerens ..... Randolph  
 Kermit ..... Mingo  
 Keslers Cross Lanes..... Nicholas  
 Kessel ..... Hardy  
 Kester ..... Roane  
 Ketterman ..... Pendleton  
 Kettle ..... Roane  
 Key ..... Pendleton  
 Keyrock ..... Wyoming  
 KEYSER ..... Mineral  
 Keystone ..... McDowell  
 Klahsville ..... Wayne  
 Kleffer ..... Greenbrier  
 Killarney ..... Raleigh  
 Kilsyth ..... Fayette  
 Kimball ..... McDowell  
 Kimberly ..... Fayette  
 Kincaid ..... Fayette  
 Kinche'oe ..... Harrison  
 Kingmont ..... Marion  
 Kingston ..... Fayette  
 KINGWOOD ..... Preston  
 Kirhy ..... Hampshire  
 Kirk ..... Mingo  
 Kirkwood ..... Nicholas  
 Kistler ..... Logan  
 Kleenkoal ..... Logan  
 Kline ..... Pendleton  
 Knapp ..... Braxton  
 Knoh Fork ..... Wetzel  
 Knobs ..... Monroe  
 Kodol ..... Wetzel  
 Kovan ..... Webster  
 Kyger ..... Roane  
 Kyle ..... McDowell

## L

La Frank ..... Nicholas  
 Lahmansville ..... Grant  
 Laling ..... Kanawha  
 Lake ..... Logan  
 Lakin ..... Mason  
 Lamar ..... Mercer  
 Lanark ..... Raleigh  
 Landes ..... Grant  
 Landgraft ..... McDowell  
 Landsburg ..... Fayette  
 Landville ..... Logan  
 Lanham ..... Putnam  
 Lansing ..... Fayette  
 Lantz ..... Barbour  
 Larew ..... Preston  
 Largent ..... Morgan

Latrobe ..... Logan  
 Laurelbranch ..... Monroe  
 Laurel Creek ..... Fayette  
 Laurel Dale ..... Mineral  
 Lavalette ..... Wayne  
 Laville ..... Boone  
 Lawford ..... Ritchie  
 Lawn ..... Greenbrier  
 Lawton ..... Fayette  
 Layland ..... Fayette  
 Lead Mine ..... Tucker  
 Leander ..... Fayette  
 Leckle ..... McDowell  
 Leevale ..... Raleigh  
 Leewood ..... Kanawha  
 Left Hand ..... Mineral  
 Legg ..... Kanawha  
 Lego ..... Raleigh  
 Leheuw ..... Hampshire  
 Leivasy ..... Nicholas  
 Lenore ..... Mingo  
 Leon ..... Mason  
 Leonard ..... Greenbrier  
 Leopold ..... Doddridge  
 Lerona ..... Mercer  
 Le Roy ..... Jackson  
 Lesage ..... Cabell  
 Leslie ..... Greenbrier  
 Lester ..... Raleigh  
 Let ..... Gilmer  
 Letart ..... Mason  
 Letherbark ..... Calhoun  
 Letter Gap ..... Gilmer  
 Levels ..... Hampshire  
 Levi ..... Braxton  
 LEWISBURG ..... Greenbrier  
 Lex ..... McDowell  
 Liberty ..... Putnam  
 Lick Creek ..... Summers  
 Lico ..... Kanawha  
 Lilly ..... Summers  
 Lillybrook ..... Raleigh  
 Lochgelly ..... Fayette  
 Loma ..... Tyler  
 Londen ..... Roane  
 Lindsey ..... Mingo  
 Linside ..... Monroe  
 Link ..... Tyler  
 Linn ..... Gilmer  
 Linwood ..... Pocahontas  
 Little Birch ..... Braxton  
 Little Falls ..... Monongalia  
 Little Otter ..... Braxton  
 Littleton ..... Wetzel  
 Litwar ..... McDowell  
 Liverpool ..... Jackson  
 Lizemores ..... Clay  
 Lobata ..... Mingo  
 Lobella ..... Pocahontas

Lockbridge .....Summers  
 Lockney .....Gilmer  
 Lockwood .....Nicholas  
 LOGAN .....Logan  
 Logrow .....Brooke  
 London .....Kanawha  
 Lone Cedar .....Jackson  
 Lonewillow .....Roane  
 Long .....Randolph  
 Longacre .....Fayette  
 Long Bottom .....Raleigh  
 Long Branch .....Fayette  
 Longpole .....McDowell  
 Long Run .....Doddridge  
 Lookout .....Fayette  
 Loom .....Hampshire  
 Looneyville .....Roane  
 Lorado .....Logan  
 Lorentz .....Upshur  
 Lory .....Boone  
 Losle .....Calhoun  
 Lost City .....Hardy  
 Lost Creek .....Harrison  
 Lost River .....Hardy  
 Louise .....Brooke  
 Loveridge .....Greenbrier  
 Lovern .....Summers  
 Lowe .....Mercer  
 Lowell .....Summers  
 Lowgap .....Boone  
 Lowney .....Mingo  
 Lucas .....Fayette  
 Lumberport .....Harrison  
 Lundale .....Logan

## M

McAlpin .....Raleigh  
 McCauley .....Hardy  
 McComas .....Mercer  
 McConnell .....Logan  
 McCorkle .....Lincoln  
 McCreery .....Raleigh  
 McDowell .....McDowell  
 McGraws .....Wyoming  
 McKeefrey .....Marshall  
 McKendree .....Fayette  
 McMechen .....Marshall  
 McNeill .....Hardy  
 McWhorter .....Harrison  
 Maben .....Wyoming  
 Mable .....Randolph  
 Mabscott .....Raleigh  
 MacBeth .....Logan  
 Macdonald .....Fayette  
 MacDunn .....Fayette  
 Mace .....Pocahontas  
 Macfarlan .....Ritchie  
 Macksville .....Pendleton  
 Madam Creek .....Summers  
 Madeleine .....Raleigh  
 MADISON .....Boone  
 Maggie .....Mason  
 Magnolia .....Morgan  
 Mahan .....Fayette  
 Maher .....Mingo  
 Mahone .....Ritchie  
 Madsville .....Monongalia  
 Maitland .....McDowell  
 Maiden .....Kanawha  
 Mallory .....Logan  
 Mammoth .....Kanawha  
 Man .....Logan  
 Mandeville .....Summers  
 Manhelm .....Preston  
 Manila .....Boone  
 Mannington .....Marlon  
 Maplewood .....Fayette  
 Marcus .....Webster  
 Marfrance .....Greenbrier  
 Marie .....Summers  
 Marigold .....Lincoln  
 MARLINGTON .....Pocahontas  
 Marmet .....Kanawha  
 Martln .....Grant  
 Marting .....Fayette  
 MARTINSBURG .....Berkeley  
   Station No. 1  
 Marvel .....Fayette  
 Marytown .....McDowell  
 Mason .....Mason  
 Mason Town .....Preston  
 Masonville .....Grant  
 Matewan .....Mingo  
 Mathias .....Hardy  
 Matonka .....Mercer  
 Matts .....Boone  
 Maud .....Wetzel  
 Maxwell .....Plensants  
 Maxwellton .....Greenbrier  
 Maybeury .....McDowell  
 Maynor .....Raleigh  
 Maysville .....Grant  
 Mead .....Raleigh  
 Meador .....Mingo  
 Meadow Bluff .....Greenbrier  
 Meadow Bridge .....Fayette  
 Meadowbrook .....Harrison  
 Meadow Creek .....Summers  
 Meadville .....Tyler  
 Medley .....Grant  
 Meeker .....Tyler  
 Mellin .....Ritchie  
 Mercers Bottom .....Mason  
 Meriden .....Barbour  
 Merideth .....Wayne  
 Merrimac .....Mingo  
 Metalton .....Raleigh  
 Metz .....Marlon

Miami .....	Kanawha	Mount Zion .....	Calhoun
MIDDLEBOURNE .....	Tyler	Mouth of Seneca .....	Pendleton
Middleton .....	Marlon	Moyers .....	Pendleton
Midkiff .....	Lincoln	Mozer .....	Pendleton
Midway .....	Putnam	Mud .....	Lincoln
Millam .....	Hardy	Mudfork .....	Calhoun
Millburn .....	Fayette	Mullens .....	Wyoming
Miletus .....	Doddridge	Munday .....	Wirt
Millbrook .....	Hampshire	Munition .....	Raleigh
Mill Creek .....	Randolph	Murraysville .....	Jackson
Miller .....	Fayette	Myra .....	Lincoln
Mill Point .....	Pocahontas	Myrtle .....	Mingo
Millstone .....	Calhoun		
Millville .....	Jefferson	<b>N</b>	
Millwood .....	Jackson	Nallen .....	Fayette
Milo .....	Calhoun	Naoma .....	Raleigh
Milroy .....	Braxton	Napier .....	Braxton
Milton .....	Cabell	Nat .....	Mason
Minden .....	Fayette	National .....	Monongalia
Mineralwells .....	Wood	Naugatuck .....	Mingo
Mingo .....	Randolph	Neals Run .....	Hampshire
Minnehaha Springs .....	Pocahontas	Nebo .....	Clay
Minnie .....	Wetzel	Needmore .....	Hardy
Minnora .....	Calhoun	Neibert .....	Logan
Missouri Branch .....	Wayne	Nellis .....	Boone
Mitchell .....	Pendleton	Nemours .....	Mercer
Montsville .....	Barbour	Neola .....	Greenbrier
Mobley .....	Wetzel	Neponset .....	Summers
Mohawk .....	McDowell	Nestorville .....	Barbour
Mohegan .....	McDowell	Nettle .....	Nicholas
Mole Hill .....	Ritchie	New .....	Raleigh
Mona .....	Monongalia	Newark .....	Wirt
Monaville .....	Logan	Newberne .....	Gilmer
Monclo .....	Logan	Newberg .....	Preston
Monongah .....	Marlon	Newcreek .....	Mineral
(Ind. Branch of Fairmont)		<b>NEW CUMBERLAND</b> .....	Hancock
Montana Mines .....	Marlon	Newell .....	Hancock
Montcalm .....	Mercer	New England .....	Wood
Montcoal .....	Raleigh	Newhall .....	McDowell
Monterville .....	Randolph	New Haven .....	Mason
Montgomery .....	Fayette	Newlonton .....	Upshur
Montrose .....	Randolph	Newlyn .....	Fayette
Moore .....	Tucker	<b>NEW MARTINSVILLE</b> .....	Wetzel
<b>MOOREFIELD</b> .....	Hardy	New Milton .....	Doddridge
Mooresville .....	Monongalia	New Thacker .....	Mingo
Morgansville .....	Doddridge	Newton .....	Roane
<b>MORGANTOWN</b> .....	Monongalia	Newtown .....	Mingo
Morris .....	Nicholas	Newville .....	Braxton
Morrisvale .....	Boone	Nicut .....	Calhoun
Moss .....	Gilmer	Nitro .....	Putnam
<b>MOUNDSVILLE</b> .....	Marshall	Nobe .....	Calhoun
Mount Carbon .....	Fayette	Nolan .....	Mingo
Mount Clare .....	Harrison	Normantown .....	Gilmer
Mount Gay .....	Logan	Northfork .....	McDowell
Mount Hope .....	Fayette	North Matewan .....	Mingo
Mount Lookout .....	Nicholas	Northriver Mills .....	Hampshire
Mount Nebo .....	Nicholas	North Mountain .....	Berkeley
Mount Storm .....	Grant	North Ravenswood .....	Jackson
Mountview .....	Summers	North Springs .....	Wyoming

Norton .....Randolph  
 Notomline .....Kanawha  
 Nurlva .....Wyoming  
 Nuttallburg .....Fayette  
 Nutter Fort .....Harrison  
 Nutterville .....Greenbrier

## O

Oak Hill .....Fayette  
 Oakland .....Morgan  
 Oakmont .....Mineral  
 Oakvale .....Mercer  
 Obrion .....Clay  
 Oceana .....Wyoming  
 Odd .....Raleigh  
 Odessa .....Clay  
 Ohley .....Kanawha  
 Oka .....Calhoun  
 Okeeffe .....Mingo  
 Okonoko .....Hampshire  
 Olcott .....Kanawha  
 Old Fields .....Hardy  
 Omar .....Logan  
 Omps .....Morgan  
 Ona .....Cabell  
 Onego .....Pendleton  
 Oneto .....Pocahontas  
 Opekiska .....Monongalia  
 Orchard .....Monroe  
 Organ Cave .....Greenbrier  
 Orgas .....Boone  
 Orlando .....Lewis  
 Orleans Cross Roads.....Morgan  
 Orma .....Calhoun  
 Orndoff .....Webster  
 Orton .....Gilmer  
 Osage .....Monongalia  
 Osbornes Mills .....Roane  
 Osceola .....Randolph  
 Osie .....Clay  
 Oswald .....Raleigh  
 Otsego .....Wyoming  
 Ottawa .....Boone  
 Otto .....Roane  
 Ovapa .....Clay  
 Owens .....Kanawha  
 Owings .....Harrison  
 Ox .....Wyoming  
 Oxford .....Ritchie

## P

Packsville .....Raleigh  
 Pad .....Roane  
 Paden City .....Wetzel  
 Page .....Fayette  
 Pageton .....McDowell  
 Palermo .....Lincoln  
 Palestine .....Wirt  
 Palmer .....Braxton  
 Pansy .....Grant

Panther .....McDowell  
 Paradise .....Putnam  
 Park .....Harrison  
 (Branch Clarksburg)

PARKERSBURG .....Wood  
 (Branch, Vienna)

Parsley .....Mingo  
 PARSONS .....Tucker  
 Pattersons Creek .....Mineral  
 Paw Paw .....Morgan  
 Pax .....Fayette  
 Paxton .....Clay  
 Paynesville .....McDowell  
 Peach Creek .....Logan  
 Pear .....Raleigh  
 Pecks Mill .....Logan  
 Pemberton .....Raleigh  
 Pence Springs .....Summers  
 Pennsboro .....Ritchie  
 Pentacre .....Kanawha  
 Pentress .....Monongalia  
 Perkins .....Gilmer  
 Perry .....Hardy  
 Persinger .....Nicholas  
 Peru .....Hardy  
 PETERSBURG .....Grant  
 Peterstown .....Monroe  
 Petroleum .....Ritchie  
 Pettry .....Mercer  
 P'ettus .....Raleigh  
 Peytona .....Boone  
 PHILIPPI .....Barbour  
 Philoah .....Putnam  
 Pickaway .....Monroe  
 Piekens .....Randolph  
 Pie .....Mingo  
 Piedmont .....Mineral  
 Pierce .....Tucker  
 Pigeon .....Roane  
 Pike .....Ritchie  
 Pinch .....Kanawha  
 Pine Bluff .....Harrison  
 Pine Grove .....Wetzel  
 Pineknob .....Raleigh  
 PINEVILLE .....Wyoming  
 Piney .....Wetzel  
 Pink .....Calhoun  
 Pinoak .....Mercer  
 Pipestem .....Summers  
 Pisgah .....Preston  
 Pleasant Dale .....Hampshire  
 Pliny .....Putnam  
 Plum Orchard .....Jackson  
 Plus .....Kanawha  
 Pluto .....Raleigh  
 Plymouth .....Putnam  
 Poca .....Putnam  
 Pocatallgo .....Kanawha  
 Poe .....Nicholas

POINT PLEASANT ..... Mason  
 Points ..... Hampshire  
 Polemic ..... Braxton  
 Pond Gap ..... Kanawha  
 Pool ..... Nicholas  
 Porter ..... Clay  
 Porters Falls ..... Wetzel  
 Portersville ..... Lincoln  
 Porterwood ..... Tucker  
 Posey ..... Raleigh  
 Powellton ..... Fayette  
 Power ..... Brooke  
 Powhatan ..... McDowell  
 Pratt ..... Kanawha  
 Premier ..... McDowell  
 Prenter ..... Boone  
 Price ..... Lincoln  
 Price Hill ..... Raleigh  
 Prichard ..... Wayne  
 Prince ..... Fayette  
 PRINCETON ..... Mercer  
 Princewick ..... Raleigh  
 Precious ..... Clay  
 Proctor ..... Wetzel  
 Progress ..... Braxton  
 Prosperity ..... Raleigh  
 Prudence ..... Fayette  
 Prunty ..... Ritchie  
 Pughtown ..... Hancock  
 Pullman ..... Ritchie  
 Purgitsville ..... Hampshire  
 Puritan Mines ..... Mingo  
 Pursglove ..... Monongalia  
 Putney ..... Kanawha

## Q

Quaker ..... Wayne  
 Queens ..... Upshur  
 Queen Shoals ..... Clay  
 Queens Ridge ..... Wayne  
 Quick ..... Kanawha  
 Quincy ..... Kanawha  
 Quinimont ..... Fayette  
 Quinwood ..... Greenbrier

## R

Rachel ..... Marion  
 Racine ..... Boone  
 Racket ..... Ritchie  
 Rada ..... Hampshire  
 Radnor ..... Wayne  
 Ragland ..... Mingo  
 Rainelle ..... Greenbrier  
 Raleigh ..... Raleigh  
 Ramage ..... Boone  
 Ramp ..... Summers  
 Ramsey ..... Fayette  
 Ranger ..... Lincoln  
 Rangoon ..... Barbour

Ranson ..... Jefferson  
 Raven Rock ..... Pleasants  
 Ravenswood ..... Jackson  
 Rawl ..... Mingo  
 Raymond City ..... Putnam  
 Raymond ..... Pocahontas  
 Reader ..... Wetzel  
 Rector ..... Lincoln  
 Redcreek ..... Tucker  
 Red Dragon ..... Boone  
 Red House ..... Putnam  
 Red Jacket ..... Mingo  
 Red Rock ..... Upshur  
 Redstar ..... Fayette  
 Red Sulphur Springs ..... Monroe  
 Reedsville ..... Preston  
 Reedy ..... Roane  
 Reeses Mill ..... Mineral  
 Removal ..... Webster  
 Renick ..... Greenbrier  
 Renicks Valley ..... Greenbrier  
 Rensford ..... Kanawha  
 Replete ..... Webster  
 Revere ..... Gilmer  
 Rexrode ..... Pendleton  
 Reynoldsville ..... Harrison  
 Rhodell ..... Raleigh  
 Richardson ..... Calhoun  
 Richlands ..... Greenbrier  
 Richwood ..... Nicholas  
 Ridge ..... Morgan  
 Ridgeley ..... Mineral  
 Ridgeville ..... Mineral  
 Ridgeway ..... Berkeley  
 Riffie ..... Braxton  
 Rig ..... Hardy  
 Riley ..... Raleigh  
 Rinehart ..... Harrison  
 Rio ..... Hampshire  
 RIPLEY ..... Jackson  
 Rippon ..... Jefferson  
 Rita ..... Logan  
 Riverton ..... Pendleton  
 Riverview ..... Kanawha  
 Rivesville ..... Marion  
 Roanoke ..... Lewis  
 Roaring ..... Pendleton  
 Robertsburg ..... Putnam  
 Robinette ..... Logan  
 Robinwood ..... Nicholas  
 Robson ..... Fayette  
 Rock ..... Mercer  
 Rock Camp ..... Monroe  
 Rock Castle ..... Jackson  
 Rock Cave ..... Upshur  
 Rockcliff ..... Greenbrier  
 Rockoak ..... Hardy  
 Rockport ..... Wood  
 Rockridge ..... McDowell

Rockdale .....Calhoun  
 Rock View .....Wyoming  
 Roderfield .....McDowell  
 Romance .....Jackson  
 ROMNEY .....Hampshire  
 Romont .....Fayette  
 Ronceverte .....Greenbrier  
 Ronda .....Kanawha  
 Roneys Point .....Ohio  
 Rorer .....Greenbrier  
 Rosbys Rock .....Marshall  
 Roseda'e .....Braxton  
 Rosemont .....Taylor  
 Rose Siding .....Mingo  
 Rosina .....Kanawha  
 Rossmore .....Logan  
 Rough Run .....Grant  
 Rowlesburg .....Preston  
 Roxalla .....Monroe  
 Ruckman .....Hampshire  
 Ruddle .....Pendleton  
 Rumble .....Boone  
 Runa .....Nicholas  
 Rupert .....Greenbrier  
 Rush Run .....Fayette  
 Russeldale .....Mineral  
 Russellville .....Fayette  
 Rutherford .....Ritchie  
 Rutledge .....Kanawha  
 Ryan .....Roane

## S

Sabraton .....Monongalia  
 Sago .....Upshur  
 Saint Albans .....Kanawha  
 Saint Clara .....Doddridge  
 Saint George .....Tucker  
 SAINT MARYS .....Pleasants  
 Salem .....Harrison  
 Saltpetre .....Wayne  
 Salt Rock .....Cabell  
 Salt Sulphur Springs .....Monroe  
 Sand Creek .....Lincoln  
 Sanderson .....Kanawha  
 Sand Fork .....Gilmer  
 Sand Ridge .....Calhoun  
 Sandrun .....Upshur  
 Sandstone .....Summers  
 Sandyville .....Jackson  
 Sanger .....Fayette  
 Sanoma .....Wirt  
 Sarah Ann .....Logan  
 Sarton .....Monroe  
 Saulsville .....Wyoming  
 Saxman .....Nicholas  
 Saxon .....Raleigh  
 Scarbro .....Fayette  
 Scary .....Putnam  
 Schell .....Mineral  
 Scherr .....Grant  
 Scott .....Braxton  
 Scott Depot .....Putnam  
 Secoal .....Boone  
 Secondcreek .....Monroe  
 Sector .....Hampshire  
 Seebert .....Pocahontas  
 Sel'byville .....Upshur  
 Selwyn .....Mingo  
 Seminole .....Summers  
 Servia .....Braxton  
 Seth .....Boone  
 Sewell .....Fayette  
 Shady Springs .....Raleigh  
 Shanghai .....Berkeley  
 Shanks .....Hampshire  
 Sharon .....Kanawha  
 Sharples .....Logan  
 Shaw .....Mineral  
 Shawver .....Fayette  
 Shenandoah Junction .....Jefferson  
 Shepherdstown .....Jefferson  
 Sheridan .....Lincoln  
 Sherman .....Jackson  
 Sherrard .....Marshall  
 Sherwood .....Doddridge  
 Shinnston .....Harrison  
 Shirley .....Tyler  
 Shively .....Logan  
 Shoals .....Wayne  
 Shock .....Gilmer  
 Short Creek .....Brooke  
 Shrewsbury .....Kanawha  
 Sias .....Lincoln  
 Sidney .....Wayne  
 Sigman .....Putnam  
 Silica .....Randolph  
 Sillush .....Boone  
 Silver Hill .....Wetzel  
 Silverton .....Jackson  
 Simoda .....Pendleton  
 Simon .....Wyoming  
 Simpson .....Taylor  
 Sinks Grove .....Monroe  
 Sir Johns Run .....Morgan  
 Sissonville .....Kanawha  
 Slatersville .....Tyler  
 Six .....McDowell  
 Skelt .....Webster  
 Skelton .....Raleigh  
 Slab Fork .....Raleigh  
 Slagle .....Logan  
 Slanesville .....Hampshire  
 Slate .....Wood  
 Slatyfork .....Pocahontas  
 Sleepy Creek .....Morgan  
 Sleith .....Braxton  
 Smith .....Lincoln  
 Smithburg .....Doddridge

Smithers ..... Fayette  
 Smithfield ..... Wetzel  
 Smithville ..... Ritchie  
 Smoke Hole ..... Pendleton  
 Smoot ..... Greenbrier  
 Snow Hill ..... Nicholas  
 Sod ..... Lincoln  
 Sophia ..... Raleigh  
 South Branch ..... Hampshire  
 South Charleston ..... Kanawha  
 (Ind. Branch of Charleston)  
 Southside ..... Mason  
 Sovereign ..... Logan  
 Spanishburg ..... Mercer  
 Sparks ..... Nicholas  
 Speedway ..... Mercer  
 Spelter ..... Harrison  
 SPENCER ..... Roane  
 Spice ..... Pocahontas  
 Sprague ..... Raleigh  
 Sprigg ..... Mingo  
 Spring Creek ..... Greenbrier  
 Spring Dale ..... Fayette  
 Springfield ..... Hampshire  
 Springgap ..... Hampshire  
 Spring Hill ..... Kanawha  
 Springton ..... Mercer  
 Spurlockville ..... Lincoln  
 Squire ..... McDowell  
 Stanford ..... Raleigh  
 Star City ..... Monongalia  
 Stark ..... Boone  
 Staten ..... Calhoun  
 Statts Mills ..... Jackson  
 Steppe ..... Wayne  
 Stickney ..... Raleigh  
 Stiltner ..... Wayne  
 Stinson ..... Calhoun  
 Stirrat ..... Logan  
 Stoffel ..... Kanawha  
 Stollings ..... Logan  
 Stone Branch ..... Logan  
 Stone Cliff ..... Fayette  
 Stonecoal ..... Wayne  
 Stony Bottom ..... Pocahontas  
 Stotesbury ..... Raleigh  
 Stotlers Cross Roads ..... Morgan  
 Stouts Mills ..... Gilmer  
 Stover ..... Raleigh  
 Strange Creek ..... Braxton  
 Streby ..... Grant  
 Streeter ..... Summers  
 Strouds ..... Webster  
 Stumptown ..... Gilmer  
 Sue ..... Greenbrier  
 Sugar Grove ..... Pendleton  
 Sugartree ..... Lincoln  
 Sugar Valley ..... Pleasants  
 Sullivan ..... Raleigh

Sully ..... Randolph  
 Sumercro ..... Lincoln  
 Summerlee ..... Fayette  
 SUMMERSVILLE ..... Nicholas  
 Summit Point ..... Jefferson  
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