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## INTRODUCTION

Each year, in addition to the complete revision of the various registers, an effort is made to compile for the Blue Book matter of general public interest concerning West Virginia that has never before appeared in print.

In this edition will be found much new material, not the least important of which is information relative to the duties and functions of the various elective and appointive state officials, which is set forth in the state register following the main headings.

The class of cities and towns as fixed by the municipal home rule law with reference to population is shown in the municipal register, in which there is also printed for the first time the date elective city officials take office.

Of particular interest to those vacation bent is the recreational subsection appended to that part of the book which deals with conservation. Topics embraced in this section include recreational facilities to be found in our state forests and parks, a list of boys' and girls' camps located in the state, common trees found in West Virginia, designated trout streams, and game birds and animals with their habitat by counties.

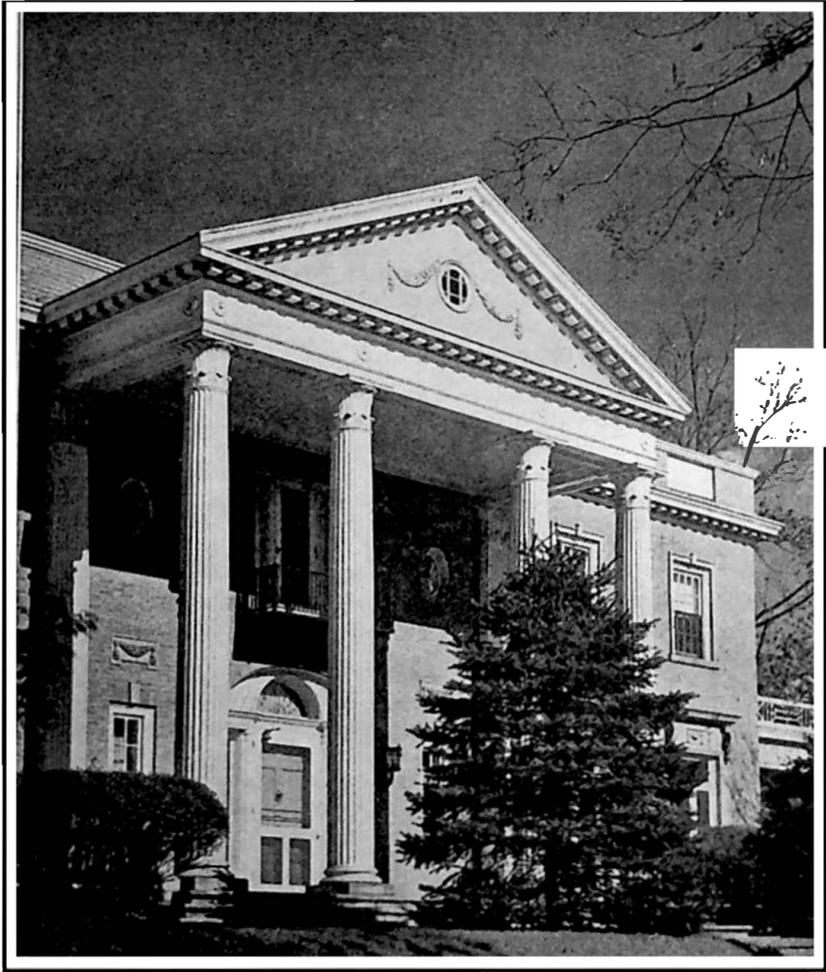
Besides a complete business review of 1939, the industrial section includes data relating to progress made in research in coal. New topics embraced in other sections of the book include the all-time high water records for various cities and towns on the important rivers of the state, the expiration date of the terms of circuit and intermediate judges, a list of all air mail stations, and a complete resume of 1939.

A list of those to whom the Military Board of West Virginia awarded, on January 12, 1940, the West Virginia Distinguished Service Medal is printed in the front of the book, together with a new statistical table containing important facts concerning our State.

Again the editor desires to express his sincere thanks to all those who in any way contributed to the compilation of data for the Blue Book. Without the cooperation of city clerks and recorders, circuit and county clerks, and state and federal officials, it would not have been possible to print registers so complete with information concerning municipal, county, state and federal governments.

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## **THE EXECUTIVE MANSION**

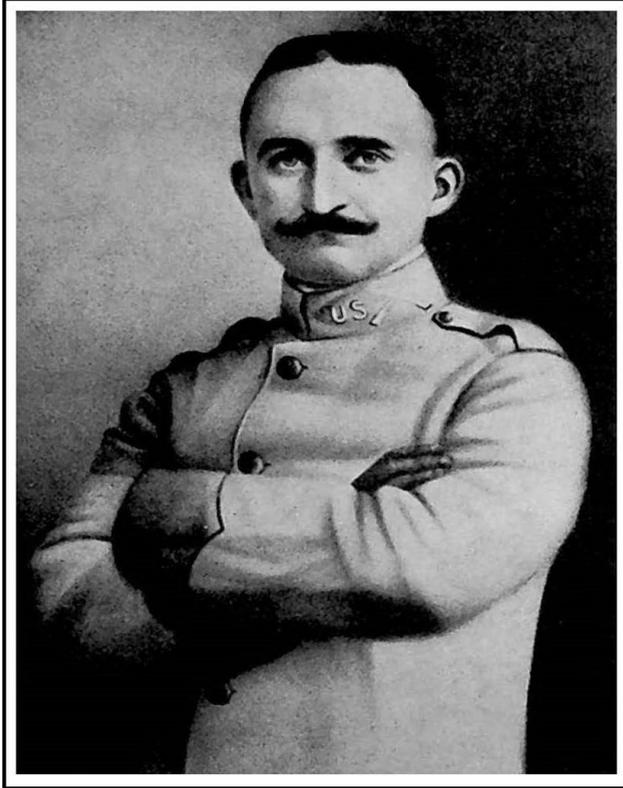
During the administration of Governor MacCorkle (1893-1897), an imposing residence owned by A. Jelenko, situate on the north side of Capitol Street, between Washington and Lee Streets, in Charleston, was bought by the state for use as an executive mansion. Prior to that time each Governor provided his own living quarters while in office.

The present mansion at the corner of Kanawha Boulevard and Duffy Street was completed early in 1925, and was occupied by Governor Ephraim F. Morgan for a few days prior to the end of his term. Besides Governor Morgan, the mansion has been occupied by Governors Howard M. Gore, William G. Conley, Herman Guy Kump, and the incumbent Chief Executive, Homer A. Holt.

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## **LIEUT.-COL. ANDREW SUMMERS ROWAN**

During the Spanish-American War, in 1898, President William McKinley sought the services of some competent person to carry an important message to General Calixto Garcia, Commander of the Cuban forces, whose headquarters were located deep in the Cuban jungles. A young army lieutenant, Andrew Summers Rowan, who was born April 23, 1857, in what is now Monroe County, West Virginia, was chosen for this hazardous undertaking.

Under disguise, Lieutenant Rowan entered the enemy lines at Oriente, and despite untold hardships experienced in the jungles, succeeded not only in delivering President McKinley's message, but also secured valuable information concerning military conditions in Cuba that had an important bearing on the quick ending of the war.

Colonel Rowan's heroic feat was immortalized by the late Elbert Hubbard in "A Message to Garcia," which has been read by millions of people over the entire world, and is today considered a classic.

On January 12, 1940, the Military Board of West Virginia, in recognition of the conspicuous and distinguished service performed by Colonel Rowan in line of duty as a member of the armed forces of the United States in time of war, awarded to him the West Virginia Distinguished Service Medal.

## WEST VIRGINIA DISTINGUISHED SERVICE MEDAL

## MILITARY BOARD OF WEST VIRGINIA

Under the provisions of H. B. 82, passed at the regular session of the Legislature, 1939, (Chap. 152, Acts) Governor Holt appointed the following named persons as members of the Military Board of West Virginia: Colonel George S. Wallace, of Huntington; General F. Guy Ash, of Charleston; and Colonel William E. Eubank, of Welch.

Awards of the West Virginia Distinguished Service Medal are made upon the recommendation of the board, with the approval of the Governor. The first awards of this medal were made by the board early in 1940.

## Awards January 12, 1940

Cornwell, John J., Governor of West Virginia, 1917-1921 \_\_\_\_\_ Romney  
Rowan, Colonel Andrew S., Monroe County \_\_\_\_\_ San Francisco, California

## A

Anderson, Lane S., \_\_\_\_\_ Charleston  
(deceased) \_\_\_\_\_  
Auber, John S. \_\_\_\_\_ Elm Grove

## B

Barber, Thomas M. \_\_\_\_\_ Charleston  
Barnes, Colonel John B. \_\_\_\_\_ Highland  
Birchfield, Kenneth \_\_\_\_\_ Henderson  
Boak, Colonel Seibert D. \_\_\_\_\_ Martinsburg  
Brady, Captain Dalton E., \_\_\_\_\_  
French Creek  
Bragg, James W. \_\_\_\_\_ Boggs  
Brown, George \_\_\_\_\_ Moundsville  
Buchanan, Robert C. \_\_\_\_\_ Maitland

## C

Chafin, Merile \_\_\_\_\_ Williamson  
Clark, Joseph \_\_\_\_\_ Cameron  
Cline, Floyd \_\_\_\_\_ Pineville  
Cline, Jesse L. \_\_\_\_\_ Justice  
Clinton, James B. \_\_\_\_\_ Fairmont

## D

Deskins, Frank \_\_\_\_\_ Myrtle  
Dial, Walter V., \_\_\_\_\_  
(deceased) \_\_\_\_\_ Huntington

## E

Edmiston, Andrew, Jr. \_\_\_\_\_ Weston  
Evans, Edward F. \_\_\_\_\_ Logan

## F

Flanagan, Gordon D. \_\_\_\_\_ Red Creek  
Fox, Wade Herbert \_\_\_\_\_ Lost Creek

## G

Gaujot, Antoine A. \_\_\_\_\_ Williamson  
Gaujot, Captain Julien E. \_\_\_\_\_ Williamson

## H

Hall, Harold De La Monte \_\_\_\_\_  
(deceased) \_\_\_\_\_ Buffalo  
Hamric, Irvin \_\_\_\_\_ Sutton  
Hines, Major General John L. \_\_\_\_\_  
White Sulphur Springs  
Holmes, Captain Felix R. \_\_\_\_\_ Kilsythe  
Hunt, Harmon \_\_\_\_\_ Chauncey

## J

Joyce, Major Kenyon Ashe \_\_\_\_\_ Wheeling

## L

Lickliter, John D. \_\_\_\_\_ Martinsburg

## M

Miller, John C., Jr. \_\_\_\_\_ Huntington  
Milliken, Captain Sayres L. \_\_\_\_\_  
Morgantown  
Moore, James Edward \_\_\_\_\_ Kenova  
Morgan, Francis Mont \_\_\_\_\_ Ravenswood  
Mounts, Wayne D. \_\_\_\_\_ Williamson

## Mc

McGinnis, William H. \_\_\_\_\_ Beckley  
McKinley, Earl M. \_\_\_\_\_ Buffalo  
McNulty, Herman L. \_\_\_\_\_ Huntington

## P

Patrick, Major General Mason M. \_\_\_\_\_  
Lewisburg  
Pauley, Willard E. \_\_\_\_\_ Saint Albans  
Payne, Francis W. \_\_\_\_\_  
(deceased) \_\_\_\_\_ Charleston

## R

Raines, Lester \_\_\_\_\_ Ripley  
Rippetoe, Grover C. \_\_\_\_\_  
(deceased) \_\_\_\_\_ Charleston

## S

Sappington, Captain William F. \_\_\_\_\_  
Clarksburg  
Saplo, Sam \_\_\_\_\_ Marion  
Sargent, Jesse W. \_\_\_\_\_ Crown  
Schulz, Colonel John W. N. \_\_\_\_\_ Wheeling  
Shumate, Carson L. \_\_\_\_\_ Bluefield  
Shumate, John W. \_\_\_\_\_  
(deceased) \_\_\_\_\_ South Charleston  
Siers, Frank \_\_\_\_\_ Nebo  
Stewart, George L. \_\_\_\_\_ Bluefield  
Sweeney, Major General Walter C. \_\_\_\_\_  
Wheeling

## T

Thomas, Fred \_\_\_\_\_ Hundred  
Thompson, Lawrence E. \_\_\_\_\_ Minden

## W

Waldron, Colonel William H. \_\_\_\_\_  
Huntington  
Wales, Wade C. \_\_\_\_\_ Weston  
Weaver, William D. \_\_\_\_\_ Charleston  
White, Jess. \_\_\_\_\_ Cabin Springs  
Woodville, Joseph P. \_\_\_\_\_ Sweet Springs  
Wright, John W. \_\_\_\_\_ Canebrake

## WEST VIRGINIA

### STATISTICAL

Area (sq. mi.)	24,282
Population (1930)	1,729,206
Population (1937 Estimated)	1,865,000
Assessed valuation property	\$1,817,044,173
Taxes levied	\$28,848,104
Total State Revenue	\$44,967,187
Total State Disbursements	\$42,092,098
Counties	55
Congressional districts	6
Senatorial districts	16
Magisterial districts	352
Judicial circuits	24
Voting precincts (January 1, 1940)	2,386
Members House of Delegates	94
Members State Senate	32
Banks	181
Bank deposits	\$289,666,704
Building and loan associations	65
Churches (1926 census)	4,968
Hospitals	101
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Public libraries	36
Red Cross chapters	62
High Schools	270
Junior High Schools	108
Elementary Schools	5,192
Private and Parochial Elementary and High Schools	36
Teachers in public schools	16,173
Enrollment	450,764
Municipalities	203
Fire departments	130
Daily newspapers	32
Weekly newspapers	121
Post offices	1,631
Postal receipts (1938-39)	\$4,921,207.34
Miles primary highway routes improved	4,571
Miles secondary routes	9,661
Automobiles registered	213,086
Trucks	41,742
Motorcycles	982
Trailers	2,343
Fire insurance written (1938)	\$984,430,978
Life insurance	\$162,807,930
Farms	104,747
Value	\$237,643,860
Average size (acres)	90
Horses and mules	109,000
Cattle	606,000
Sheep	536,000
Hogs	217,000
Coal production, 1938, (tons)	9,511,099
Oil (bbls.)	3,684,000
Gas (cu. ft.)	150,000,000,000
Lumber (M. ft. b. m.)	217,104
Tobacco (lbs.)	3,552,000

Youngest county in state—Mingo (formed in 1895)  
 Oldest county in state—Hampshire (formed in 1753)  
 Smallest county in state—Hancock (area 88.58 sq. ml.)  
 Largest county in state—Randolph (area 1,046.34 sq. ml.)  
 Highest point in state—Spruce Knob, Pendleton County (elevation 4,860 ft.)  
 Lowest point in state—Harpers Ferry, Jefferson County (elevation 274 ft.)  
 Geographical center of state—near Sutton, Braxton County  
 Center of population—near Gassaway, Braxton County

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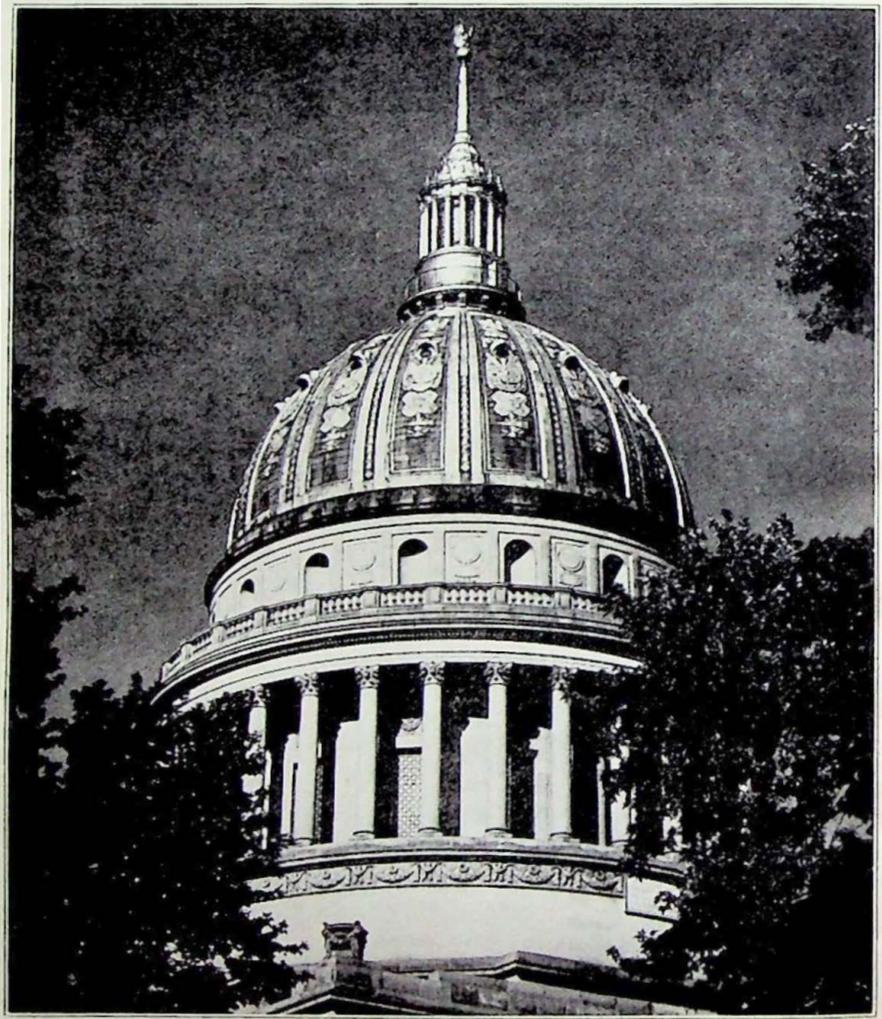
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**DOME OF STATE CAPITOL AT CHARLESTON**

# EXECUTIVE

## OFFICIAL STATE REGISTER

(Corrected to November 15, 1939)

### ELECTIVE OFFICERS

*Governor:* Homer A. Holt,  
Fayette County..... Executive Mansion, 1716 Kanawha Street  
*Secretary of State:* Wm. S. O'Brien, Upshur County ..... 2212 Washington Street  
*Superintendent of Schools:* W. W. Trent, Nicholas County ..... 160-A Villa Route  
*Treasurer:* R. E. Talbott, Barbour County..... 2410 Kanawha Street  
*Auditor:* Edgar B. Sims, Harrison County..... 4100 Staunton Avenue  
*Attorney General:* Clarence W. Meadows,  
Raleigh County..... 200-A 27th Street, S.E.  
*Commissioner of Agriculture:* J. B. McLaughlin, Kanawha County .. Big Chimney

### SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS

Jo N. Kenna, Kanawha County..... 625 Swarthmore Avenue  
J. H. Hatcher, Raleigh County..... 1020 Oakmont Road  
Haymond Maxwell, Harrison County..... 1511 Lee Street  
Fred L. Fox, Braxton County..... 206 Ruffner Avenue  
James B. Riley, Ohio County..... 2022 South Kanawha Street  
B. B. Jarvis, *Clerk*, Harrison County..... 1546 Virginia Street

### APPOINTIVE OFFICERS

#### Members Board of Control

Walter R. Thurmond, *President*, Logan County..... 2025 Quarrier Street  
John Baker White, *Secretary*, Kanawha County..... Cavalier Apartments  
Merrill D. Carrico, *Treasurer*, Preston County..... 1569 Washington Street

#### Members West Virginia Liquor Control Commission

R. E. Kelly, *Chairman*, Fayette County..... Daniel Boone Hotel  
F. M. Peters, Mercer County..... 1603 Virginia Street  
William A. Hannig, Ohio County..... 4007 McCorkle Avenue

#### Members Public Service Commission

John J. D. Preston, *Chairman*, Kanawha County..... 1536 Quarrier Street  
C. E. Nethken, Mineral County..... 1210 Virginia Street  
Alexander M. Mahood, Mercer County..... 501 Nancy Street

*Adjutant General:* William L. Hornor, Lewis County..... 1235 West Avenue  
*Commissioner of Banking:* George Ward,  
Randolph County..... 710 Swarthmore Avenue

<i>Director of the Budget:</i>	H. Isalah Smith, Putnam County	1609 McClung Street
<i>Superintendent of Building and Grounds:</i>	Lawrence M. Cunningham, Marion County	1603 Virginia Street
<i>State Compensation Commissioner:</i>	A. G. Mathews, Calhoun County	424 Elizabeth Street
<i>Director Conservation Commission:</i>	H. W. Shawhan, Raleigh County	6 Swarthmore Drive
<i>Fire Marshal:</i>	Fred B. Watkins, Taylor County	Walton Apartments
<i>State Geologist:</i>	Paul H. Price, Monongalia County	Morgantown
<i>Health Commissioner:</i>	Arthur E. McClue, Hancock County	168 Sunset Drive
<i>State Historian and Archivist:</i>	Mrs. Innis C. Davis, Logan County	1624 Franklin Avenue
<i>Insurance Commissioner:</i>	Harlan Justice, Cabell County	1121 Hickory Avenue
<i>Labor Commissioner:</i>	Frank W. Snyder, Kanawha County	362 Fairview Drive
<i>State Librarian:</i>	J. A. Jackson, Kanawha County	Institute
<i>Central Mailing Office Postmaster:</i>	Charley Goff, Kanawha County	1029 Valley Road
<i>Chief, Department of Mines:</i>	N. P. Rhinehart, Fayette County	2415 Washington Street
<i>Director, Bureau of Negro Welfare and Statistics:</i>	Isaac M. Carper, Kanawha County	415 Bradford Street
<i>Poet Laureate:</i>	Roy Lee Harmon, Raleigh County	Beckley
<i>Director of Probation and Parole:</i>	Stanley E. Dadisman, Barbour County	1430 Quarrier Street
<i>Director, Department of Public Assistance:</i>	A. W. Garnett, Boone County	910 Edgewood Drive
<i>Superintendent of Public Safety:</i>	Charles C. Tallman, Mason County	3815 Staunton Avenue
<i>State Director of Purchases:</i>	Fred M. Hawkins, Cabell County	Cavaller Apartments
<i>Road Commissioner:</i>	Burr H. Simpson, Upshur County	Holley Hotel
<i>State Highway Safety Director:</i>	Will C. Easley, Mercer County	Westmoreland Drive
<i>Secretary to the Governor:</i>	Al Quinn, Kanawha County	105 Oakwood Road
<i>Securities Commissioner:</i>	Robert F. Brown, Ohio County	1700 Virginia Street
<i>State Tax Commissioner:</i>	Ernest K. James, Kanawha County	5 Manor Place
<i>Director Unemployment Compensation:</i>	John S. Stump, Jr., Harrison County	Kanawha Hotel

## GOVERNOR

Main Unit, Capitol

### DUTIES

The Governor is vested with the chief executive power of the State; recommends to the Legislature, by message at the commencement of each session thereof, the passage of such measures as he deems expedient; appoints, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, certain officers of the State Government, who may be removed by him for cause; may remit fines and penalties, grant reprieves, commute punishment and pardon and parole after conviction; is Commander-in-Chief of the military forces of the State and, as such, may call out the National Guard to enforce laws, suppress insurrection and repel invasion. Upon the Governor devolves the responsibility of harmoniously integrating the work of all agencies, departments, and institutions of the State as one of the United States.

**Administration**

*Governor:* Homer Adams Holt, Fayette County; term expires  
 January 13, 1941..... Executive Mansion, 1716 Kanawha Street  
*Secretary:* Al Quinn, Kanawha County.....105 Oakwood Road, Charleston  
*Assistant Secretary:* Lilly P. Duncan, Fayette County.....1559 Virginia Street  
*Stenographers:* Florence S. Frierson, Kanawha County.....1570 Kanawha Street  
 Daisy C. Criser, Pocahontas County..... 502 Nancy Street  
 Martha Mae Vass, Greenbrier County.....1703 Virginia Street  
*Messagegr:* Fred Fields, Greenbrier County.....450 Sentz Street

**SECRETARY OF STATE**

Main Unit, Capitol

**DUTIES**

Issues certificates or charters of incorporation for the creation of all domestic corporations, and certificates of authority to foreign corporations to transact business in West Virginia; is keeper of the executive journal and records state documents therein; supervises and directs elections of all federal and state officials; is the custodian of the Great and Less Seals of the State, being the only official authorized to attach these seals to official papers; and is ex-officio secretary of the Board of Public Works, and a member and secretary of the State Sinking Fund Commission.

**Administration**

*Secretary of State:* William S. O'Brien, Upshur County; term expires  
 January 13, 1941..... 2212 Washington Street  
*Chief Clerk:* D. Pitt O'Brien, Raleigh County..... 2212 Washington Street  
*Charter Clerk:* Frances P. Key, Kanawha County..... 1111 Lee Street  
*Certificate Clerk:* Mrs. Clara Boyd, Kanawha County..... 1219 Baines Street  
*Recorder:* Eva M. Riner, Raleigh County..... 1212 Quarrier Street  
*Stenographer:* Addie Davis, Gilmer County..... Pine Street  
*Record Clerk:* William Harold Lewis, Upshur County..... 906 Washington Street  
*Chief Clerk—Board of Public Works:* Robert E. Alfred,  
 Lewis County..... 1712 Franklin Avenue

**DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**

Unit One, Capitol

**DUTIES**

The Superintendent of Schools is the head of the Department of Education and, as such, has supervision of the free schools of the State, serving as chief executive officer of the West Virginia Board of Education. The Superintendent has power to institute proper proceedings for the removal of school officials, arranges for conferences with local superintendents relating to conditions, needs and improvements of schools; causes to be prepared and published courses of study, school laws, library book lists, and other pamphlets which promote interest in schools; serves as chairman of the State Board of School Finance, which controls the distribution of state aid to local school systems; and interprets school laws and rules of the State Board of Education.

### General Administration

*State Superintendent:* W. W. Trent, Nicholas County; term expires  
January 13, 1941.....160-A Villa Route

*Secretary:* Emma Annis Thayer, Taylor County.....1584 Jackson Street

*Stenographers:* Teresa Tahaney, Mineral County....2226 E. Washington Street  
Bernardine Gibson, Wirt County.....2002 1/2 Quarrier Street

*Assistant State Superintendent:* F. Ray Power,  
Mercer County.....1420 Kanawha Street

*Secretary:* Marie C. Morrow, Kanawha County.....R. F. D. 5, Guthrie

*Administrative Secretary:* O. J. Rife, Wayne County.....409 Broad Street

*Secretary:* Hazel Bayes, Fayette County.....Belle

*Addressograph Operator:* Dixon B. Jeffreys,  
Logan County.....1598 1/2-H Washington Street

*Statistical Clerk:* Kathleen Kerwood, Kanawha County.....7 Maple Terrace

*Secretary:* Ann Hamilton Bartron, Nicholas County.....50th Street

*Specialist in Research:* Richard E. Hyde, Braxton County.....1584 Lee Street

### Division of High Schools

*Supervisor:* A. J. Gibson, Marion County.....1567-A Lee Street

*Secretary:* Ruby Miller, Preston County.....3823 Staunton Avenue

### Division of Elementary Schools

*Supervisor:* H. K. Baer, Logan County.....421 Broad Street

*Assistant Supervisor:* H. Cliff Hamilton, Tyler County.....1715 Quarrier Street

*Secretary:* .....

*Stenographer:* Nora Griffith, Mingo County.....1588-B Lee Street

### Division of Certification

*Supervisor of Certification:* Genevieve Starcher,  
Jackson County.....307 Duffy Street

*Office Secretary:* Orvia Wilson, Roane County.....41 California Apartments

*Secretary:* Genevieve Morris Gates,  
Kanawha County.....1571 East Washington Street

*Clerk:* Emma Collins, Kanawha County.....1586 Lee Street

### Division of Negro Schools

*Supervisor:* I. J. K. Wells, Raleigh County.....1034 Bridge Road

*Secretary:* Agatha Starling Lowe, Kanawha County....906 E. Washington Street

## Divisions under the Control of the State Board of Education

### Division of Rehabilitation

*State Director of Rehabilitation:* W. W. Trent,  
Nicholas County.....160-A Villa Route

*Assistant Director in Charge:* F. Ray Power,  
Mercer County.....1420 Kanawha Street

*Field Agents:* H. F. Farnsworth, Upshur County.....4002 Venable Avenue  
J. Pell Miller, Cabell County.....412 Greenbrier Street  
J. Doyle Yoak, Cabell County.....1419-C E. Washington Street  
Marvin R. Barker, Mason County.....Point Pleasant

*Secretary:* Marie C. Morrow, Kanawha County.....R. D. 5, Guthrie

*Stenographer:* Sarah Taggart, Fayette County.....1588-B Lee Street

**Division of Vocational Education**

*State Director of Vocational Education:* W. W. Trent..... 166-A Villa Route  
*State Supervisor Vocational Agriculture and Assistant Director*  
*Vocational Education:* John M. Lowe, Monongalia  
 County..... 1621-A Quarrier Street  
*Assistant State Supervisor Vocational Agriculture:* H. N. Hansucker,  
 Wayne County..... 35 California Apartments  
*State Supervisor Home Economics:* Lena M. Charter,  
 Jackson County..... 1210 E. Virginia Street  
*State Supervisor of Trade and Industrial Education:* H. K. Hogan,  
 Wood County..... 2301 E. Washington Street  
*Secretary:* Caroline Buchanan, McDowell County..... 1804 Darst Street  
*Stenographers:* Madeline Simon, Marion County..... 213 Beauregard Street  
 Thelma Reese, Cabell County..... LaSalle Apartments

**State Board of Education**

(For members, see "State Boards and Commissions")

*Secretary:* David Kirby, Calhoun County..... 315 Central Street  
*Secretary:* Mary Margaret Barnard,  
 Monongalia County..... 1637-E Franklin Avenue

**Negro Board of Education**

(For members, see "State Boards and Commissions")

**State Board of School Finance**

(For members, see "State Boards and Commissions")

*Director of Transportation:* Homer G. Boshier, Kanawha County... 614 Hall Street  
*Finance Auditor:* Paul Boggs, Braxton County..... Sutton  
*Attendance Auditor:* Sam Lambert, Mercer County..... Bluefield  
*Stenographer:* Virginia Rippetoe Currence,  
 Kanawha County..... 2217 E. Washington Street

**TREASURER**

Unit Two, Capitol

**DUTIES**

Receives and deposits in state depository banks all funds collected by state departments and institutions; affixes his signature to and designates a depository bank on all warrants issued by the State Auditor; holds all securities owned by or required to be deposited with the State, and acts as registrar for all bonds issued by the State; keeps a record of all appropriations made by the legislature and of the several sums drawn thereon; and files and retains in his office all paid checks, bonds, and coupons issued by the State.

**Administration**

<i>Treasurer:</i> R. E. Talbott, Barbour County; term expires January 13, 1941.....	2410 Kanawha Street
<i>Chief Clerk:</i> Fred Diddle, Harrison County.....	2016 Washington Street
<i>Chief Accountant:</i> Fred B. Burk, Gilmer County.....	1208 Stuart Street
<i>Chief Bookkeeper:</i> R. M. Curry, Boone County.....	Madison
<i>Bookkeepers:</i> W. M. Arnold, Wood County.....	1624 McClung Street
Agnes Marshall, Wetzel County.....	1694-A Washington Street
<i>Deposit Clerk:</i> G. N. Wilson, Jr., Randolph County.....	607 Ruffner Avenue
<i>Assistant Deposit Clerk:</i> A. S. J. Southworth, II, Cabell County.....	Massey Circle
<i>Bond Custodians:</i> W. Ralston Shaw, Ohio County.....	310 Duffy Street
A. K. Parker, Jr., McDowell County.....	529-D Nancy Street
<i>Check Clerk:</i> Mabel F. Hutchison, Lewis County.....	1560-B Dixie Street
<i>Stenographer and File Clerk:</i> Blanche M. Barry, Marion County.....	209 Glenwood Avenue

**AUDITOR****Unit One, Capitol****DUTIES**

The Auditor, as the State's official bookkeeper, audits all claims presented against the State for payment; keeps complete record of lands forfeited to the State, sold for delinquent taxes and redeemed; collects delinquent taxes and all taxes from public service corporations, and assesses and collects license taxes and fees from corporations; as attorney-in-fact, accepts service of process directed to all corporations; through the fire marshal, investigates fires and keeps records of fire losses in West Virginia; through the deputy insurance commissioner, issues licenses to insurance agents and companies, and assesses and collects all insurance taxes and fees; and, through the deputy securities commissioner, issues licenses for the sale of securities in West Virginia, approving or rejecting and supervising such sale in the State.

**General Administration**

<i>Auditor:</i> Edgar B. Sims, Harrison County; term expires January 13, 1941.....	4100 Staunton Avenue
<i>Assistant Auditor:</i> Cleveland M. Balley, Harrison County.....	507 Fifty-second Street
<i>Secretary:</i> Ruth Schaffner, Harrison County.....	1569 Dixie Street
<i>Cashier:</i> Valma Wickline, Monroe County.....	1702 Quarrier Street

**Securities Department**

<i>Deputy Securities Commissioner:</i> Robert F. Brown, Ohio County.....	1700 Virginia Street
<i>Field Representative:</i> Hugh N. Mills, Jackson County.....	1142 Hickory Road
<i>Stenographer:</i> Eleanor Fleming, Pleasants County.....	1529 Jackson Street

**Insurance Department**

<i>Deputy Insurance Commissioner:</i> Harlan Justice, Cabell County.....	1121 Hickory Road
<i>Insurance Statistician:</i> D. B. Smith, Roane County.....	1613 Franklin Avenue
<i>Stenographers:</i> Mary Hannon, Marshall County.....	Raven Park Acres, St. Albans
Elsie Truette Lovenstein, Putnam County.....	1614-A Franklin Avenue
Lucile McNeel, Pocahontas County.....	313 1/2 Duffy Street

**Accounting Department**

*Chief Bookkeeper:* Ada Diehl, Ohio County .....1546 Quarrier Street  
*Assistant Bookkeepers:*  
 Sue Knight Graybeal, Greenbrier County .....2018 Kanawha Street  
 Vida Somerville, Roane County .....309-A Duffy Street  
 Helen Barnsgrove, Summers County .....1604½ Franklin Avenue  
 Kathleen Cochran, Kanawha County .....1 California Apartments

**Claims Department**

*Auditor of Claims:* John McConologue, Harrison County .....1519 Lewis Street  
*Clerks:* J. W. Corder, Jr., Harrison County .....916 Stadium Place  
 John M. Thompson, Fayette County .....1810 Washington Street  
 G. E. Rowley, Harrison County .....1596½ Washington Street  
 Nina Somerville Hall, Wirt County .....East Kanawha Estates  
 Regina Cosgrove, McDowell County .....1628 Virginia Street  
 Mary Louise Exley .....313½ Duffy Street

**Criminal Claims Department**

*Bureau Chief:* George L. Bambrick, Hancock County .....1613 Franklin Avenue  
*Stenographer:* Ava C. Beane, Upshur County .....110 Bradford Street

**Corporation Department**

*Bureau Chief:* George L. Bambrick, Hancock County .....1613 Franklin Avenue  
*Stenographer:* Ann Bonnar, Ohio County .....1536 Lee Street

**Garnishee Department**

*Bureau Chief:* George L. Bambrick, Hancock County .....1613 Franklin Avenue  
*Stenographers:* Magdalene Wilkins, Mingo County .....612-A Brooks Street  
 Marthann Toothman, Marion County .....1720 Darst Street

**Utility Tax Department**

*Bureau Chief:* Harry C. Deisher, Kanawha County .....1558 Lee Street  
*Assistant:* A. B. Edmondson, Wood County .....617 Greenbrier Street  
*Stenographer:* Eunice Sindy Locke,  
 Hardy County .....Roosevelt Avenue, Kanawha Estates

**Land Department**

*Chief:* George W. Grove, Hampshire County .....806 Hunt Avenue  
*Stenographer:* Mayme O'Brien Callahan, Barbour County 1622 Franklin Avenue  
*Clerks:* Paul Hardman, Clay County .....1549 E. Washington Street  
 J. W. Lively, Kanawha County .....South Charleston  
 Ivan Davis, Preston County .....1558½ Kanawha Street  
 H. S. Dean, Cabell County .....Spring Hill  
 F. L. Richardson, Lincoln County .....625 Greenbrier Street  
 J. H. Somerville, Mason County .....7 Straughn Court  
 J. F. Burdett, Mason County .....4609 Noyes Avenue  
 John D. Alderson, Nicholas County .....1810 E. Washington Street  
 D. W. Ambrose, Cabell County .....418 Jacob Street  
*Typists:* Fanny Conrad, Pendleton County .....1701 Virginia Street  
 Elva Landacre, Nicholas County .....204 Bradford Street  
 Mabel McKeand, Wayne County .....1532 Piedmont Road  
 Birdy Botkin, Kanawha County .....R. D. 5, Charleston  
 Ada Auville, Tucker County .....1532-A Jackson Street  
 Ellin Magner, Tyler County .....1628 Virginia Street  
 Irene Vaughn, Logan County .....428½ Elizabeth Street

**Fire Marshal's Department**

<i>Fire Marshal:</i>	Fred B. Watkins, Taylor County .....	Walton Apartments
<i>Deputy Fire Marshal:</i>	(Vacancy)	
<i>Assistants:</i>	W. F. Oldham, Kanawha County .....	1720 McClung Street
	Parker Wilson, Mercer County .....	Princeton
	C. A. Raper, Ohio County .....	21 Arlington Court
	Pierce B. Lantz, Monongalia County .....	1558 Lee Street
<i>Secretary:</i>	Athalene Teubert, Raleigh County .....	315 Jefferson Avenue

**ATTORNEY GENERAL****Main Unit, Capitol****DUTIES**

The Attorney General gives his written opinion and advice upon questions of law to state officials and heads of state institutions, and prosecutes and defends all legal proceedings for, and performs all other legal services required by them.

**Administration**

<i>Attorney General:</i>	Clarence W. Meadows, Raleigh County :	
	term expires January 13, 1941 .....	200-A 27th Street, S. E.
<i>Assistant Attorneys General:</i>		
	Ira J. Partlow, McDowell County .....	Daniel Boone Hotel
	Forrest B. Poling, Barbour County .....	1579 Quarrier Street
	Kenneth E. Hines, Braxton County .....	1511 Virginia Street
	Wm. Holt Wooddell, Webster County .....	1554-A Virginia Street
<i>Law and Printing Clerks:</i>		
	Frances Haney Atwood, Monongalia County .....	Elk River Road
	Eston B. Stephenson, Kanawha County .....	1588 Lee Street
<i>Secretary:</i>	Rosalind Carroll Funk, Raleigh County .....	413½ Beauregard Street
<i>Stenographers:</i>	Edith Dodd, Marion County .....	1800 Darst Street
	Lillian E. Sndow, Mercer County .....	1620 Franklin Avenue
	Annabelle Dadisman, Barbour County .....	2030 Kanawha Street

**COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE****Unit Two, Capitol****DUTIES**

The Commissioner of Agriculture lends assistance in the production, processing, and marketing of farm commodities; establishes official standard grades for fruits, vegetables, livestock and processed foods; controls and eradicates communicable diseases in livestock, poultry, and plants, and controls insect crop pests; registers and examines agricultural seeds, feeds, and fertilizers; administers agricultural laws requiring the issuance of permits and licenses; encourages the location within the state of industries which provide markets for farm products; and, generally, disseminates information concerning the resources of the State with the object of advancing its best interests.

## General Administration

<i>Commissioner:</i> J. B. McLaughlin, Kanawha County; term expires	
January 13, 1941.....	Big Chimney
<i>Administrative Assistant:</i> Guy M. Robertson, Kanawha County..... Clendenin	
<i>Director Publications:</i> W. C. Handlan, Ohio County..... 595 Maxwell Street	
<i>Enforcement Officer:</i> C. E. Snodgrass,	
Marion County.....	1702 E. Washington Street
<i>Senior Auditor:</i> Ela A. Burr, Nicholas County..... 5424 Virginia Avenue	
<i>Secretary to Commissioner:</i> Eolyne G. Lee,	
Pocahontas County.....	1515 Virginia Street
<i>Associate Editor, Market Bulletin:</i> Evelyn C. Moore,	
Cabell County.....	1637 Franklin Avenue
<i>Plant Pathologist:</i> *E. C. Sherwood, Monongalia County..... Inwood	
<i>In Charge Laboratories:</i> Marvin H. Snyder,	
Roane County.....	108 Arlington Avenue
<i>Chemists:</i> Sarah K. Thompson, Berkeley County..... 522½ Nancy Street	
H. B. McClung, Fayette County..... 2222 Washington Street	
<i>Seed Analyst:</i> C. Harold Amick, Fayette County..... 1132 Lee Street	
<i>Entomologist:</i> F. Waldo Craig, Preston County..... 1611 Quarrier Street	
<i>Animal Pathologist:</i> **Paul M. Cellar..... California Apartments	
<i>Inspector in Charge, Bureau of Animal Industry, U. S. Department</i>	
<i>of Agriculture:</i> **H. M. Newton... 20 Rhodes Avenue, South Charleston	
<i>State Veterinarian:</i> T. C. Green..... 1260 Piedmont Road	
<i>Agricultural Statistician:</i> **H. M. Brewer..... 502 Greenbrier Street	
<i>Dairy Specialist:</i> J. E. Weber,	
Kanawha County.....	300 Central Avenue, South Charleston
<i>Poultry Specialist:</i> C. C. Blake, Pleasants County..... St. Marys	
<i>Livestock Specialist:</i> E. O. Gregory, Braxton County..... Sutton	
<i>Livestock Marketing:</i> H. R. Rymer, Ritchie County..... Harrisville	
<i>Supervising Inspector (Fruit and Vegetable):</i> **J. J. Gardner..... Martinsburg	
<i>Inspectors:</i>	
Fruit and Vegetable—B. W. Rannels, Hampshire County... Martinsburg	
Livestock—W. O. Thomas, Cabell County..... Huntington	
Poultry—*J. B. Smith..... Morgantown	
<i>Senior Clerk:</i> Luther H. Carson, Kanawha County..... 812 Matthews Avenue	
<i>Intermediate Audit Clerk:</i> Henry F. Weaver, Berkeley County..... Martinsburg	
<i>Supervising Account Clerk:</i> Elsie E. Shahan,	
Monongalia County.....	Jefferson Park, South Charleston
<i>Stenographers and Clerks:</i>	
Kathryn T. Cale, Summers County.....	3613 Noyes Avenue
Anne Helms, Mercer County.....	505½ Greenbrier Street
Dorothy D. DeBell, Fayette County.....	3613 Noyes Avenue
A. R. Arnold, Berkeley County.....	Martinsburg
Frances Harper, Kanawha County.....	202 Oney Street
Ernestine Gedd, Mingo County.....	3613 Noyes Avenue
Mabel Guthrie.....	716 Bigey Avenue
**Mary Johnson.....	2004 Piedmont Road
<i>Junior Clerk:</i> Jack Thomas, McDowell County..... 509 Thompson Street	

\*In cooperation with West Virginia Agricultural Experiment Station and College of Agriculture.

\*\*In cooperation with U. S. Department of Agriculture (Bureau of Animal Industry, Bureau of Agricultural Economics and Pure Food and Drug Administration).

## ° THE ADJUTANT GENERAL

### Unit One, Capitol

#### DUTIES

Serves as a member of the Governor's staff, with the rank of brigadier general; in time of peace performs the duties of chief of the pay, quartermaster and ordnance departments, supervising the expenditures of monies allocated for the maintenance of the different military activities within the State; keeps a full and complete record of the organized militia of the State; and maintains, as a part of his office, a bureau of records of the service of West Virginia troops in the wars of the United States.

#### Administration

*Adjutant General:* William L. Hornor, Lewis County; term expires  
March 4, 1941..... 1235 West Avenue  
*Secretary:* Julia H. Alderson, Greenbrier County..... 1328 Lee Street  
*Bookkeeper:* Bess F. Hall, Kanawha County..... Blue Creek  
*Stenographers:* Clarice Jackson, Harrison County..... 1806 Washington Street  
Mary Jo Crozier, Mercer County..... 1405 Lee Street  
*Clerk Property Record:* Roy D. Osborne,  
Kanawha County..... 308-B Pennsylvania Avenue

*United States Property and Disbursing Officer for West Virginia:*  
Major Osie C. Damewood..... 1593 Quarrier Street

*Senior Instructor, West Virginia National Guard:* Lieut. Col. Theron G.  
Methven, Infantry, U. S. A..... 887 Poplar Road

## DEPARTMENT OF ARCHIVES AND HISTORY

### Unit Two, Capitol

#### FUNCTIONS

The Department of Archives and History maintains an Archives Department for the collection of valuable documents relating to the history of the State, the public records and official reports of the State; an Historical Department for the collection of works of history, biography, and kindred subjects relating to the State, together with the works of West Virginia authors and such others as will properly compose the bibliography of the State; and a Museum illustrative of the history and science of the State, and the social conditions and life of its people, past and present.

\*For West Virginia National Guard, see "Military."

**Administration**

*State Historian and Archivist:* Innis C. Davis, Logan County;  
 term expires September 30, 1941..... 1624 Franklin Avenue  
*Librarian:* Emily Johnston, Cabell County..... 500 Nancy Street  
*Assistant Librarian:* Nan Nash Grosscup,  
 Kanawha County..... 1710 Kanawha Street  
*Cataloguer:* E. Maude Lewis, Cabell County..... Belvedere Apartments  
*Curator of Museum:* Rose McGraw, Taylor County..... Kanawha Hotel  
*Clerk and Stenographer:* Opal C. Nuckols, Kanawha County 635 Central Avenue  
*Messenger:* J. H. Ballengee, Kanawha County..... 1579-A Lee Street

**DEPARTMENT OF BANKING****Unit One, Capitol****DUTIES OF COMMISSIONER**

Administers the laws relating to the supervision, by the Department of Banking, of banking institutions, industrial loan companies, building and loan associations, small loan companies, credit unions and other corporations which have been or may be placed under such supervision.

**General Administration**

*Commissioner:* George Ward, Randolph County; term expires  
 March 31, 1943..... 710 Swarthmore Avenue  
*Bank Examiner:* H. P. Brightwell, Kanawha County..... S45 Edgewood Drive  
*Stenographer:* Bessie M. Smith, Kanawha County..... 1540 Dixie Street  
*Typist:* Jean Gaston Zobrist, Lewis County..... 607 Thompson Street

**Field Force**

<i>Examiners:</i> Marion Workman.....	Keyser
John J. Nash.....	Huntington
A. M. Gilbert.....	Martinsburg
W. R. Fouse.....	Parkersburg
O. V. Wilson.....	Charleston
<i>Receivers:</i> E. L. Morrison.....	Charleston
F. O. Lamb.....	Bluefield
E. A. Rinehart.....	Clarksburg
O. H. Gall.....	Moundsville
Smith Hood.....	Clarksburg

**BOARD OF CONTROL****Unit One, Capitol****FUNCTIONS**

The Board of Control manages, directs and controls all state hospitals and penal, correctional, and eleemosynary institutions, and controls the financial and business affairs of West Virginia University and all state colleges and schools, having vested in it title to the property of all such state institutions. The Board also controls all appropriations for officers, boards, commissions, and institutions not having offices at the State Capitol, unless otherwise provided for by law.

### Members

Walter R. Thurmond, *President*, Logan County; term expires  
June 30, 1941.....2025 Quarrier Street

John Baker White, *Secretary*, Kanawha County; term expires  
June 30, 1943.....Cavaller Apartments

Merrill D. Carrico, *Treasurer*, Preston County; term expires  
June 30, 1945.....1569 Washington Street

*Secretary*: Virginia Wallis, Cabell County.....1625 ½ Washington Street

*Secretaries to Members*:

Vondea H. Bragg, (White), Kanawha County.....204 Oney Street

Ava Lugar, (Carrico), McDowell County.....1588 Lee Street

Elizabeth D. Fontaine, (Thurmond),  
Kanawha County.....1570 Virginia Street

*Auditor*: W. H. Truslow, Kanawha County.....Bridge Avenue

*Traveling Auditors*: Joseph F. Rykoskey, Marshall County.....Nancy Street

Ralph James, Braxton County.....Sutton

*Audit Clerk*: Lisbeth H. Holsclaw, Mason County.....505 Nancy Street

*Bookkeeper*: Nelle F. Joyce, Wood County...35 Rhodes Avenue, South Charleston

*Mechanical Engineer*: R. J. Strock.....881 Chester Road

*Superintendent of Building and Construction*: F. R. Ehrke.....307 Duffy Street

## DIRECTOR OF THE BUDGET

Unit One, Capitol

### OBJECT AND FUNCTIONS

To provide for the efficient and economical management of the financial affairs of the State, to promulgate uniform rules for the preparation of the State budget, and to prescribe methods for the planning, management and control of State expenditures and the equalization of the compensation in personnel.

### General Administration

*Director of Budget*: H. Isaiah Smith, Putnam County.....1609 McClung Street

*Secretary*: Esta G. Swinburne, Kanawha County.....Charleston

*Chief Accountant*: M. F. Moore, Cabell County.....1604 ½ Franklin Avenue

*Auditors*: Elizabeth Reed Williams, Pendleton County.....Cavaller Apartments

Pribble Hanna, Kanawha County.....1516-A Lee Street

Virginia P. Laing, Wood County.....2114 ½ Kanawha Street

*Bookkeepers*: Stephen Popp, McDowell County.....419 Bibby Street

Kathryne C. Marshall, Wood County.....St. Albans

*Intermediate Clerk*: Charlotte Mitchell Wagner,  
Logan County.....1716 Darst Street

## DEPARTMENT OF BUILDING AND GROUNDS

Main Unit, Capitol

### FUNCTIONS

Maintains and keeps in good condition the Capitol building and grounds; provides and supervises the personnel of engineering, guide and janitor forces; assigns office space for the use of state departments, bureaus, and commissions; and, generally, executes the orders of the Board of Public Works with reference to the Capitol building and grounds.

## General Administration

- Superintendent:* L. M. Cunningham, Marion County.....1603 Virginia Street  
*Assistant:* K. C. Simmons, Roane County.....2313 Washington Street  
*Chief Engineer and Electrician:* J. F. Riggs,  
 Calhoun County.....1805 Bigley Avenue  
*Night Engineer:* T. J. Ault, Kanawha County.....Villa Route  
*Day Engineer:* Bliss Holsberry, Jr., Barbour County.  
*Assistant Electrician:* James Quesenberry, Kanawha County.....Fort Hill  
*Boiler Engineer:* Elbert Samson,  
 Cabell County.....Capitol Apartments, Quarrier Street  
*Guards:* D. C. Lovett, Kanawha County.  
 J. T. Arbuckle, Kanawha County.  
*Night Watchman:* Con Murphy, Kanawha County.  
*Scrubbing Machine Operators:* R. J. Wormley, Logan County.  
 T. K. Carter, Fayette County.  
*Elevator Operators:* Ella Cook, Kanawha County.  
 Lizzie Dixie, Fayette County.  
 W. C. Clicker, Kanawha County.  
 Mrs. A. B. Parks, Mercer County.  
*Chief Telephone Operator:* Lillian Rogers, Kanawha County.  
*Telephone Operators:* Genevieve Farry, Kanawha County.  
 M. E. Wampler, Kanawha County.  
*Window Washer:* James Atkinson, Kanawha County.  
*Guides:* J. A. Lowe, Kanawha County.  
 Thomas A. Richardson, Kanawha County.  
*Lawn Foreman:* Jack Finnigan, Kanawha County.  
*Utility Lawn Men:* Cobert Lucado, Kanawha County.  
 Ellis Isaace, Lincoln County.  
 Elliott McCollam, Randolph County.  
 Alphene Campbell, Braxton County.  
 W. J. Hodges, Putnam County.  
*Charwomen:* Rosa Williams, Kanawha County.  
 Wille Mae Ford, Kanawha County.  
*Janitors:* Harold Turner, Fayette County.  
 J. F. Booth, Wayne County.  
 Reginald Conliffe, Fayette County.  
 J. E. Brooks, Kanawha County.  
 A. P. Hart, Randolph County.  
 Angell Medina, Harrison County.  
 L. M. Hutchinson, Kanawha County  
 George Whisner, Mineral County.  
 J. C. Streets, Monongalia County.  
 William Holmes, Mercer County.  
 John Addison, Grant County.  
 Badgett Thomas, McDowell County.  
 J. E. Finnegan, Jr., Kanawha County.  
 Fred Fields, Greenbrier County.  
 W. F. Freeman, Kanawha County.  
 J. H. Ballengee, Kanawha County.  
 B. M. Hagar, Boone County.  
 W. A. Walker, Logan County.  
 Richard Standish, Kanawha County.  
 Marvin Hannah, Raleigh County.

## STATE COMPENSATION COMMISSIONER

Unit One, Capitol

### FUNCTIONS

Provides workmen with hospitalization and medical care for injuries sustained in the course of and growing out of their employment in industry, fixes compensation during their disability, and, in case of death, provides for their dependents.

### Workmen's Compensation Appeal Board

(For members, see "State Boards and Commissions")

#### General Administration

<i>Commissioner:</i> Albert G. Mathews, Calhoun County; term expires	
May 31, 1941.....	424 Elizabeth Street
<i>Assistant to Commissioner:</i> B. C. Downing, Logan County.....	1712 Quarrier Street
<i>Secretary:</i> Ralph M. Hartman, Preston County.....	1715 Quarrier Street
<i>Chief Trial Examiner:</i> Chauncey Browning, Logan County.....	312 Jefferson Street
<i>Trial Examiners:</i> James Jeter, Jr., Monongalia County.....	5207 Virginia Avenue
John Burdette, Kanawha County.....	Coal River Road
<i>Reporter:</i> Kenneth B. Haas, Monongalia County.....	1243 Piedmont Road
<i>Medical Examiner:</i> J. C. Lashle, M. D., Kanawha County.....	1566 Lee Street
<i>Machine Operators:</i> Kathryn Kite, Tucker County.....	1 Chamberlain Court
Elsie H. Weller, Kanawha County.....	1594 Lee Street
<i>Comptroller:</i> F. L. Rippetoe, Kanawha County.....	1592 Quarrier Street
<i>Chief Disbursing Division:</i> C. P. Wilson, Clay County.....	103 Sunset Drive
<i>Assistant:</i> Walter Brooks, Kanawha County.....	1637 Quarrier Street
<i>Actuary:</i> Clyde L. Ferguson, Wayne County.....	R. D. 1, Charleston
<i>Punch Machine Operators:</i>	
Julia Keeney Hill, Kanawha County.....	1924 Washington Street
Martha Lee Hardin, Mercer County.....	529-B Nancy Street
Stella Patterson, Fayette County.....	1625 Quarrier Street
Hazel Sickinger, Cabell County.....	1805 1/2 McClung Street
<i>Statistician:</i> Edward D. Storck, Kanawha County.....	1613 McClung Street
<i>Chief Claims Division:</i> P. V. Sutherland, Logan County.....	123 Sunset Drive
<i>Assistants:</i> J. W. Vencill, Nicholas County.....	1420 1/4 Lewis Street
E. H. Solter, Cabell County.....	6 Hubbard Court
<i>Registrar:</i> Harry Shaffer, Calhoun County.....	Owens
<i>Claim Auditors:</i> Herbert Nottingham, Gilmer County.....	1519 Lewis Street
Ralph Marcum, Lincoln County.....	Spring Hill
M. E. Robertson, Kanawha County.....	St. Albans
<i>Claim Clerks:</i> Jink Nottingham, Boone County.....	Owens
Ena Fordyce Harden, Tyler County.....	28 California Apartments
Frank Cooper, Gilmer County.....	1595 Quarrier Street
Woodrow White, Boone County.....	1554 Jackson Street
Esther Reynolds, Kanawha County.....	1411 Jackson Street
<i>Supply Clerk:</i> Madison Gardner, Kanawha County.....	1213 Baines Street
H. W. Laughorn, Kanawha County.....	1213 Baines Street
<i>Mail Clerk:</i> James Jackson, Marion County.....	906 Rugby Street
<i>Janitors:</i> Oscar Howard, Kanawha County.....	115 1/2 Wertz Avenue
Pearl E. Howard, Kanawha County.....	115 1/2 Wertz Avenue
<i>Auditors:</i> C. M. Agnew, Kanawha County.....	1403 S. Kanawha Street
George P. Smith, Raleigh County.....	Dunbar
A. D. McGinley, Ohio County.....	Elm Grove, Wheeling
C. E. Pratt, Wood County.....	Parkersburg
S. A. Wood, Mercer County.....	Bluefield

<i>Medical Clerks:</i> Jeff Eskew, Kanawha County.....	1691 Quarrier Street
Sabe Howard, Kanawha County.....	1111 Smith Street
<i>Bookkeepers:</i> Leon F. Winter, Jackson County.....	1716½ Washington Street
Evelyne M. Davis, Wood County.....	1514 Lewis Street

### Clerks and Inspectors

<i>Clerks:</i> Mildred Carter, Kanawha County.....	1310-A Quarrier Street
Agathel Sanders Rollyson, Greenbrier County.....	139½ Costello Street
Beulah Lusk, Mercer County.....	1705 McClung Street
H. S. Ferrell, Calhoun County.....	Dunbar
Freda Forbes, Kanawha County.....	906 Price Street
Audra McGhee, Putnam County.....	225 Berkeley Street
Lillian Bowles Stambaugh, Fayette County.....	403 Ruffner Avenue
Clara Fisher, Greenbrier County.....	1594 Lee Street
Augusta Mills, Summers County.....	1568 Virginia Street
Myrtle Snyder, Kanawha County.....	1547 Piedmont Road
Flossie Butts, Kanawha County.....	513 Thayer Avenue
Margaret Rushford Carvere, Wetzel County.....	Elk River Road
Rose Hanley, Marion County.....	1 Chamberlain Court
Hattie M. Fite, McDowell County.....	509 Ruffner Avenue
Marguerite Carroll, Braxton County.....	405½ Elizabeth Street
Stella Giles, Kanawha County.....	1554 Jackson Street
Genevieve Brown, Mineral County.....	1702 Virginia Street
Fay S. Jester, Hancock County.....	1806½ McClung Street
Karl D. Loudin, Marshall County.....	1517 Jackson Street
Estelle Staton Baker, Kanawha County.....	Nitro
W. R. Morris, Kanawha County.....	310 Monongalia Street
H. H. Erwin, Putnam County.....	Hurricane
Lillian Hardman, Wood County.....	303 Ruffner Avenue
James M. Stump, Kanawha County.....	3 Maple Terrace
Virginia Peppers Browder, Wood County.....	424 Elizabeth Street
<i>Inspectors:</i> G. T. Hennen, Marion County.....	Mannington
J. F. Rodheaver, Monongalia County.....	Morgantown
J. A. Blake, Raleigh County.....	Beckley
William Garvey, Marshall County.....	McMechen
Stephen A. Watson, Lewis County.....	1900 Crescent Road
Harry R. Pauley, McDowell County.....	Iaeger
Thomas Tucker, Cabell County.....	Huntington
<i>Associate Inspector:</i> Eugene Twine, Kanawha County.....	Welch

### Stenographers and Typists

<i>Stenographers:</i> Kathryn Toney Smith, Fayette County.....	1527-E Quarrier Street
Lucy Bailey, Raleigh County.....	313½-A Duffy Street
Eileen Holy, Kanawha County.....	208 Oney Street
Clara Proffitt, Mason County.....	1554 Jackson Street
Frances Lynch, Kanawha County.....	2018 Kanawha Street
Donna B. Dorsey, Nicholas County.....	5 Arlington Court
Emily Kozielc, Fayette County.....	416 Delaware Avenue
Isabel Blaine Demanche, Kanawha County.....	South Charleston
Frances Guthrie, Kanawha County.....	1321 Virginia Street
Hlynne Schneider Smith, Kanawha County.....	1617 McClung Street
Parthenia Helmick, Upshur County.....	1250 Farnsworth Drive
Katherine Cutlip, Braxton County.....	43 California Apartments
Marguerite Hanley, Taylor County.....	1584 Dixie Street
Vada Barnett, Doddridge County.....	1544 Lee Street
Vannie B. Wolfes, Kanawha County.....	37 California Apartments
<i>Typists:</i> Marguerite Malfregeot, Wetzel County.....	1705 Virginia Street
Mary Welch, Ritchie County.....	4 Chamberlain Court
Ezelle Carden, Nicholas County.....	529 Wyoming Street

Marie Coleman Simpson, Wyoming County ..... 526-A Maxwell Street  
 Lois Locke Meador, Logan County ..... 1602½ Bigley Avenue

### Industrial Hygiene Engineer and Chemist

*Industrial Hygiene Engineer:* S. C. Rothmann,  
 Kanawha County ..... 2008½ Kanawha Street  
*Chemist:* Ralph W. Ryan, Roane County ..... South Charleston

## THE CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF WEST VIRGINIA

### Main Unit, Capitol

#### OBJECT AND FUNCTIONS

The Conservation Commission is responsible for the protection, beautification, development and use of lands, forests, parks, fish, game, waters, and plant and animal life and the natural and scenic resources of the State, and, in cooperation with the Federal Government and private agencies, provides for the use of forest lands and other natural resources in projects having for their purpose the relief of unemployment in the State.

#### Members

A. B. Brooks, Ohio County; term expires June 30, 1943 ..... Wheeling  
 T. H. Clagett, Mercer County; term expires June 30, 1943 ..... Bluefield  
 Dr. Gory Hogg, Greenbrier County; term expires June 30, 1941 ..... Lewisburg  
 G. W. McCauley, Hardy County; term expires June 30, 1945 ..... Moorefield  
 R. G. Kelly, Kanawha County; term expires June 30, 1941 ..... Charleston

#### General Administration

*Director:* H. W. Shawhan, Raleigh County; term expires  
 June 30, 1945 ..... 6 Swarthmore Drive  
*Executive Secretary:* C. W. Arbogast, Randolph County ..... Grant Hotel  
*Chief, Division of State Parks:* Linn Wilson,  
 Monongalia County ..... 417 Beauregard Street  
*State Forester:* D. B. Griffin, Hardy County ..... 1814 Piedmont Road  
*Assistant State Forester:* T. W. Skuce,  
 Monongalia County ..... 3904 Staunton Avenue  
*Game Technician:* C. B. Pierle, Logan County ..... Lewisburg  
*Fish Technician:* J. W. Hesen, Jr., Monongalia County ..... 1568 Lee Street  
*Chief Game Protector:* H. Prentice Farley, Kanawha County ..... Logan  
*Educational Director:* Paul D. Olejar, Kanawha County ..... 405 Maxwell Street  
*Forest Engineer:* Mason C. Cloud, Kanawha County ..... 814 Beech Avenue  
*Stenographers:* Lena Huffman, Kanawha County ..... 1715 Quarrier Street  
 Pauline Hively, Roane County ..... 215 Roane Street  
 Mary Zirk, Hardy County ..... Aracoma Apartments  
 Juanita Phillips, Upshur County ..... 1422 Virginia Street  
*Bookkeeper:* Ida R. Blagi, Kanawha County ..... 1608 Piedmont Road  
*Superintendent of Game Farm:* M. C. Melton, Kanawha County ..... French Creek  
*Fish Culturist:* L. J. Long, Pocahontas County ..... Marlinton  
*Superintendent of Bass Nursery:* H. Doll Hellsley, Morgan County ..... Ridge  
*Superintendent of Palestine Bass Hatchery:* Bee Hopkins,  
 Wirt County ..... Elizabeth  
*Superintendent of Petersburg Trout Nursery:* H. A. Cokeley,  
 Ritchie County ..... Petersburg  
*Forest Tree Nursery Superintendent:* John B. Heltzel, Hardy County ..... Lesage

*District Foresters:* R. O. Bowen, Wetzel County..... Elkins  
 O. O. Nutter, Greenbrier County..... Charmco  
 H. E. Hutter, Hardy County..... Moorefield  
 F. H. Halstead, Wyoming County..... Beckley  
 W. A. McNees, Cabell County..... Bramwell  
*State Forest Superintendents:* Van Meter Fisher, Hardy County..... Clover Lick  
 E. C. Hirling, Wayne County..... Missouri Branch

#### Division of State Parks Personnel

*Landscape Architect:* C. E. Dill, Ohio County.....1252 Farnsworth Drive  
*Draftsman:* Sterling B. Smeltzer, Kanawha County..... 309 Elm Street  
*Stenographers:* Blanche Dalton, Kanawha County..... 510 Montrose Drive  
 Mrs. Virginia Lett, Kanawha County.....2222 Washington Street  
*Bookkeeper:* Walter Foster, Marion County.....504 Nancy Street

### ° GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

#### Morgantown

#### FUNCTIONS

Prepares and makes distribution of geological and economic maps and reports illustrative of the resources of the State; examines geological formations, with special reference to clays, ores, mineral substances, and fuels, the prevention of waste and the utilization of by-products; classifies soils; establishes and marks true meridian points in each county seat of the State; and gives consideration to other scientific and economic questions deemed of value to the people of the State.

#### General Administration

*State Geologist:* Paul H. Price. *Palentologist:* Dana Wells.  
*Assistant State Geologist:* R. C. Tucker. *Chief Chemist:* John B. McCue.  
*Geologist:* Harry M. Fridley. *Chemists:* Homer A. Hoskins,  
 Charles B. Wagner.  
*Assistant Geologists:* Charles E. Hare, Alvah J. H. Headlee.  
 Edward T. Heck. *Secretary-Bookkeeper:* Marie S. Azure.  
 John P. Nolting, Jr. *Clerk:* Walter J. Hessler.  
 Herbert P. Woodward. *Stenographer-Typist:* Irene Speicher.  
*Mineralogist:* James H. C. Martens.

### STATE HEALTH DEPARTMENT

#### Unit One, Capitol

#### OBJECT AND FUNCTIONS

The State Health Department was created and is maintained primarily for the purpose of aiding in the prevention of disease. It maintains a division of vital statistics, promotes immunization and sanitation, supervises sewage disposal and public water supplies, and enforces the laws concerning the licensing of physicians, chiropractors and chiropodists.

\*For members of Geological and Economic Survey Commission, see "State Boards and Commissions."

### Public Health Council

(For members, see "State Boards and Commissions")

### Chiropractic Board of Examiners

(For members, see "State Boards and Commissions")

### General Administration

*Health Commissioner:* Arthur E. McClue, Hancock County;  
term expires May 31, 1943.....168 Sunset Drive  
*Chief Clerk:* .....  
*Secretary:* Helen Gluesenkamp, Kanawha County.....302 Shawnee Circle  
*Stenographer:* Frances Casebolt, Kanawha County.....1370 Milton Street

### Division of Sanitary Engineering

*Director:* J. B. Harrington, Kanawha County.....24 Washington Street  
*Associate Engineer:* H. K. Gidley, Monongalia County.....2312 Washington Street  
*Assistant Engineer:* A. J. Kranaskas, Tucker County.....8 Gluck Apartments  
*Supervising Sanitarian:* J. B. Baker, Monongalia County.....3613 Noyes Avenue  
*Chemical Engineer:* Kenneth Watson, Monongalia County  
(Fed.).....1703 Washington Street  
*Stenographer:* Virginia Harris, Greenbrier County.....1539 Lee Street

### Division of Vital Statistics

*Director:* F. H. Reeder, M. B., Webster County.....R. D. 2, Charleston  
*Stenographer:* Grace Midkiff, Boone County.....Racine  
*Senior Clerk:* Katherine Wilson, Mason County.....506 Glover Street  
*Punch Card Operator:* Betty C. Lewis, Kanawha County.....1500 Piedmont Road  
*Intermediate Clerks:* Genette Coste, Summers County.....1618 McClung Street  
Angela McDermott, Kanawha County.....1411 Lee Street  
Crystal Blubaugh Beckett, Kanawha County.....906 Grove Avenue  
*Clerk-Typists:* Ruth Bowers, Taylor County (Fed.).....307 Kanawha Turnpike  
Peggy Thomas, Kanawha County (Fed.).....1627-B McClung Street  
Anette Odell, Greenbrier County.....1534 Piedmont Road  
Georgia Fry, Fayette County.....1714 Quarrier Street

### Division of Communicable Diseases

*Director:* Albert M. Price, M. D., Boone County.....910 Edgewood Drive  
*Stenographer:* Nina V. Whitehurst, Kanawha County.....1551 Dixie Street

### Division of Maternal and Child Hygiene

*Director:* Thomas W. Nale, M. D., Monongalia County.....South Ruffner  
*Stenographer:* Margaret Waggener, Putnam County.....2450 Washington Street  
*Educational Director:* Helen M. Howell, R. N., Ohio County.....Morgantown

### Bureau of Public Health Nursing

*Director:* Mrs. Laurene C. Fisher, R. N.....Parsons-Zogg Apartments  
*Stenographer:* Flora Rhodes, Kanawha County.....Charleston

### Bureau of County Health Work

*Director:* Bruce H. Pollock, M. D., Mason County.....805 Grant Street  
*Stenographer:* Mary Lou Stout, Wood County.....Belvedere Apartments

### Bureau of Venereal Diseases

*Director:* John B. Hozler, M. D., (Fed.), (Acting).....Chateau Apartments  
*Stenographer:* Eugenia W. Bond, Kanawha County.....1326 Quarrier Street

**Bureau of Public Health Education**

*Director:* Dorothea Campbell, Morgan County..... Kanawha Two Mile  
*Stenographer:* Annette King, Kanawha County..... California Apartments

**Bureau of Barbers and Beauticians**

*Director:* E. L. Peters, Monongalia County..... 1603 Piedmont Road  
*Stenographers:* Frances Chamberlain, Putnam County..... 1603 Piedmont Road  
 Josephine Zimmerman, Kanawha County..... 1700 Darst Street  
*Inspectors:* A. S. Davenport, Raleigh County..... Beckley  
 Joseph R. Diggs, Marion County..... Fairmont  
 Owen C. Meadows, Summers County..... Hinton  
 Kathleen Kliser, Mineral County..... Weston

**Bureau of Industrial Hygiene**

*Acting Director:* E. T. Roetman, Randolph County, (Fed.)..... St. Albans  
*Stenographer:* Katherine Jones, Kanawha County..... Belknap Apartments

**State Hygienic Laboratory**

*Director:* K. E. Cox, Kanawha County..... 524 Maxwell Street  
*Scrologist:* Margaret K. Riffe, Summers County (Fed.)..... 2114 Kanawha Street  
*Junior Scrologists:* Walter Bowman, Pendleton County..... 208 Oney Street  
 Alston B. Shields, Marshall County (Fed.)..... 3810 Noyes Avenue  
*Assistant in Scrology:* Mildred Frost Brown,  
 Kanawha County (Fed.)..... 1552 Quarrier Street  
*Bacteriologists:* Mark C. Harp, Kanawha County..... 511-A Nancy Street  
 J. Roy Monroe, Kanawha County..... 316 Rosemont Avenue  
*Junior Bacteriologists:* David Dale Johnson,  
 Monongalia County (Fed.)..... 1522 Lee Street  
 Guido Iannarelli, Kanawha County (Fed.)..... 1904 McClung Street  
*Secretary:* Emily W. Lamb, Kanawha County..... 1505-A Jackson Street  
*Stenographers:* Virginia Jones, Kanawha County..... 205 Glen Street  
 Neva Gleason, Kanawha County..... 1623 Bigley Avenue  
 Mary Lengyel, Boone County (Fed.)..... 147 Court Street  
*File Clerk:* Mary Martha Fenimore, Boone County..... 1512 Virginia Street  
*Laboratory Helpers:* Roxie Taylor, Kanawha County..... 504 Bradford Street  
 Helen R. Flagg, Kanawha County..... 438-A Sentz Street  
*Animal Caretaker and Janitor:* Herman Ray,  
 Kanawha County (Fed.)..... 498 Sentz Street

**DEPARTMENT OF LABOR****Main Unit, Capitol****FUNCTIONS**

The Labor Department is the enforcing agency of laws for the safety, health and welfare of workers in all places of employment except mines. The Department is charged with the inspection of weighing and measuring devices, the enforcement of labor laws, and the observance of safety rules and regulations.

**General Administration**

*Commissioner of Labor:* Frank W. Snyder, Kanawha County;  
 term expires February 28, 1941..... 362 Fairview Drive  
*Assistant Chief:* Roy Sutphin, Boone County..... Seth

<i>Intermediatc Audit Clerk:</i>	Nora Oakes,	
	Kanawha County.....	132 Ninth Street, South Charleston
<i>Secretary Boiler Inspection Division:</i>	Clara V. Fox,	
	Kanawha County.....	1201 Quarrier Street
<i>Child Labor Inspector:</i>	Virginia M. Click, Marshall County.....	Cameron
<i>Factory Inspectors:</i>	John Caussain, Harrison County.....	Clarksburg
	E. M. Lee, Marshall County.....	McMechen
	W. M. Rogers, Marlon County.....	Fairmont
	Harry D. Thorniley, Cabell County.....	Huntington
<i>Scale Inspectors:</i>	Edward A. Brookes, Ohio County.....	Wheeling
	S. M. Miller, Berkeley County.....	Martinsburg
	P. J. Pellegrini, Monongalia County.....	Morgantown
<i>Boiler Inspectors:</i>	W. C. Dickerson, Wood County.....	Parkersburg
	L. W. Eubank, Mingo County.....	Williamson
	M. R. Francis, Mercer County.....	Bluefield

## WEST VIRGINIA LIQUOR CONTROL COMMISSION

Unit Two, Capitol

### FUNCTIONS

Controls the manufacture, sale, transportation and distribution of alcoholic liquors through the instrumentality of a state monopoly system created by the legislature, which provides for the sale of alcoholic liquors to the public through state stores and agencies.

### General Administration

#### Members

R. E. Kelly, <i>Chairman</i> , Fayette County; term expires	
February 28, 1941.....	Daniel Boone Hotel
F. M. Peters, Mercer County; term expires February	
28, 1943.....	1603 Virginia Street
Wm. A. Hannig, Ohio County; term expires February	
28, 1942.....	4007 McCorkle Avenue

*Executive Secretary:* William E. Hughes, Monongalia County....8 Grasscup Drive  
*Secretaries to Commissioners:*

Marla Weaver, (Kelly), Kanawha County.....	103 Michigan Avenue
Mary Eliza Noyes, (Peters), Ohio County.....	19 Maple Terrace
Frances S. Goetze, (Hannig), Ohio County.....	1628 Virginia Street

*Senior Stenographers:*

Elsie E. DuPuy, Kanawha County.....	309 Twenty-second Street
Leone F. Thompson, Braxton County.....	1320 Quarrier Street

### Division of Finance and Stock Control

<i>Director:</i>	A. L. Montelth, Fayette County.....	1609 Quarrier Street
<i>Assistant Director:</i>	Guy E. Williams, Taylor County.....	418½ Beauregard Street
<i>Cashier:</i>	Gordon Baxter, Greenbrier County.....	3813 Kanawha Avenue
<i>Chief Accountant:</i>	Harry D. Pollitt, Cabell County.....	1570 Quarrier Street
<i>Assistant Chief Bookkeeper:</i>	Ella Dunkle, Wood County.....	R. D. 1, Charleston
<i>Disbursing Officer:</i>	J. Marlon Stratton,	
	Greenbrier County.....	710 Swarthmore Avenue
<i>Auditor:</i>	Bernard T. Heitz, Harrison County.....	2307½ Washington Street

<i>Travelling Auditors:</i>	H. K. Miller, Kanawha County	Nitro
	Roy Alderson, Nicholas County	Summersville
<i>Audit Clerks:</i>	Harry V. Atkins, Mercer County	1612-C Franklin Avenue
	Edgar Chambers, Kanawha County	4108 Noyes Avenue
<i>Intermediate Audit Clerks:</i>		
	Ocie D. Tinney, Braxton County	841 Edgewood Avenue
	C. Ray Harper, Wood County	1513 Lewis Street
	Gertrude Groves, Nicholas County	1626 McClung Street
	Charles Cooper, Cabell County	1605 Piedmont Road
	Teresa Robertson, Harrison County	517 Nancy Street
	Clara P. Smith, Fayette County	1626 McClung Street
	Frances E. Spaniol, Lewis County	210 Brown Street
<i>Intermediate Clerks:</i>	Frances Jarrett, Kanawha County	1307½ Quarrier Street
	Dorothy P. Mott-Smith, Kanawha County	Cavalier Apartments
	Mary Mullins, Lincoln County	1808 McClung Street
	Georgia Riggs, Kanawha County	1108 Lee Street
	Ruth Cavender, Kanawha County	1009 Edgewood Drive
<i>Senior Stenographers:</i>	Nan McClelland, Fayette County	604 Greenbrier Street
	Marguerite Smith, Harrison County	9 Brookline Court
	Eunice Duffield, Braxton County	1416 Lee Street
	Nell Gillespie, Mingo County	1416 Lee Street
	Grace Calhoun, Mingo County	1530 Virginia Street
<i>Intermediate Stenographers:</i>		
	Claire Alderson, Nicholas County	Parsons-Zogg Apartments
	Frances Stover, Raleigh County	527½ Nancy Street
<i>Supply Officer:</i>	John B. Harris, Jr., Greenbrier County	1539 Lee Street
<i>Assistant Bookkeeper:</i>	George Edmonds, Jr., Summers County	409 Broad Street
<i>Typist and P. B. X. Operator:</i>	Sarah O. Batman, Kanawha County	7 Vine Street
<i>Calculating Machine Operators:</i>		
	Elsie Chambers, Kanawha County	110½ Bradford Street
	Madeline Bsharah, Kanawha County	302 Elizabeth Street
	Louise Jones, Kanawha County	606 Montrose Drive
	Ruth Harris, Kanawha County	208 Berkeley Street
	Cecelia Le Chien, Kanawha County	218 5th Ave., South Charleston
	Ethel Dyer, Upshur County	1250 Farnsworth Drive
	Helen Farris, Kanawha County	1623 Washington Street
	Lillie W. Ryan, Kanawha County	1531½ Jackson Street
	Virginia Hanshaw, Kanawha County	623 Main Street
	Hazel Lynne, Kanawha County	206 Delaware Avenue
	Margaret Williamson, Fayette County	Kanawha Falls
	Helen Henry, Fayette County	1213½ Virginia Street
<i>Machine Operators:</i>	Freda Whetstone, Clay County	1017 Summit Drive
	Drema E. Myers, Raleigh County	1594 Lee Street
	Elizabeth Tucker, Fayette County	305 49th Street
	Nette Barker, Logan County	Parsons-Zogg Apartments
	Winogene Barnette, Kanawha County	South Charleston
<i>Janitors-Messengers:</i>	Jack Thomas, Logan County	1515 First Avenue
	Walter Ferguson, Fayette County	LaSalle Apartments
	Lacy Milton, Kanawha County	230½ Shelton Avenue
	William Hickman, Mingo County	1703½ Railroad Avenue
	Sam White, Monroe County	514 Morris Street

### Statistical Department

<i>Assistant Director:</i>	James R. Cavitt, Mineral County	1524 Piedmont Road
<i>Intermediate Audit Clerk:</i>	Mason Holley, Cabell County	308½ Glenn Street
<i>Senior Clerks:</i>	John Cackley, Jr., Greenbrier County	1521 Lee Street
	Liva Kimberling, Kanawha County	1723 Washington Street
<i>Machine Operators:</i>	Bess Myers, Kanawha County	1709 McClung Street
	Mary Rose Flaherty, Harrison County	409 Morris Street

### Division of Merchandising

<i>Director:</i>	J. A. Washington, Logan County.....	Ruffner Hotel
<i>Assistant Director:</i>	P. M. Summers, Kanawha County.....	1592 Lee Street
<i>Liquor Clerk:</i>	Edith Phillips, Kanawha County.....	Parsons-Zogg Apartments
<i>Audit Clerk and Draftsman:</i>	Roy Key, Randolph County.....	1602 McClung Street
<i>Intermediate Audit Clerks:</i>		
	Woodrow Thurman, Raleigh County.....	310 Ruffner Avenue
	Margaret Rollyson, Putnam County.....	1012 Cleveland Avenue
	Mildred Leadman, Cabell County.....	409 Carolina Street
	Arbutus Fruth, Kanawha County.....	1547 Lee Street
	Alice Chapman, Mercer County.....	1620 Franklin Avenue
<i>Senior Clerks:</i>	Wilda Lloyd, Jackson County.....	527½ Nancy Street
	Emily Massie, Kanawha County.....	1628 Franklin Avenue
<i>Senior Stenographer:</i>	Emma Parker, Ohio County.....	206 California Avenue

### Division of Properties and Enforcement

<i>Director:</i>	George R. C. Wiles, Mingo County.....	110 Brooks Street
<i>Assistant Director:</i>	Edna J. Vorpe, Kanawha County.....	Riverview
<i>Senior Stenographers:</i>	Marjorie Dean, Kanawha County.....	1802 Darst Street
	Ruth Helner, McDowell County.....	1113 Lee Street

### Field Supervision Department

<i>General Field Supervisors:</i>	J. F. Callison, Kanawha County.....	Spring Hill
<i>Senior Stenographers:</i>	Genevieve Fitch, Kanawha County.....	409 Park Avenue
	Thelma Kuhlman, Kanawha County.....	2511½ Washington Street
<i>General Repairman:</i>	Edgar Poling, Randolph County.....	1330 Lee Street
<i>Repairmen:</i>	Virgil Poole, Ohio County.....	Parkersburg

### District Field Supervisors

<i>District No. 1:</i>	E. A. Robertson, Kanawha County.....	Clendenin
<i>District No. 2:</i>	E. M. Peoples, Cabell County.....	Huntington
<i>District No. 3:</i>	M. G. Gilmer, Mercer County.....	Matoaka
<i>District No. 4:</i>	P. M. Harrison, Harrison County.....	Clarksburg
<i>District No. 5:</i>	Leo Hirsch, Wetzel County.....	New Martinsville
<i>District No. 6:</i>	T. C. Ashton, Wood County.....	Parkersburg
<i>District No. 7:</i>	O. R. Bean, Hardy County.....	Moorefield
<i>District No. 8:</i>	W. Morgan Chambers, Randolph County.....	Elkins
<i>District No. 9:</i>	H. L. Walkup, Greenbrier County.....	Renick

### Warehouse (Charleston)

<i>Superintendent:</i>	Grayson D. Thornton, Cabell County.....	Huntington
<i>Assistant Superintendent:</i>	Cecll I. Stump, Kanawha County.....	Clendenin
<i>Traffic Manager:</i>	Harry Frey, Kanawha County.....	Charleston
<i>Chief Stock Clerk:</i>	Fred A. Brand, Jr., Ohio County.....	Wheeling
<i>Stenographer and License Clerk:</i>	Cecll Roberts, Ohio County.....	Wheeling
<i>Stock Clerks:</i>	T. C. Cale, Summers County.....	Hinton
	R. R. Riddle, Mingo County.....	Williamson
<i>Receiving Clerk:</i>	E. A. Miller, Ohio County.....	Wheeling
<i>Shipping Clerk:</i>	Phillip Miller, Boone County.....	Madison
<i>Manager, Case Repair Department:</i>	Phillip J. Riley, Wood County.....	Parkersburg
<i>Manager, Split Case Department:</i>	Frank Knight, Roane County.....	Amma
<i>Supply Clerk:</i>	Harold Hopkins, Boone County.....	Danville
<i>Supply Room Operators:</i>	Miles D. Sage, Randolph County.....	Elkins
	James Lanham, Kanawha County.....	Charleston
	Cecll D. French, Mercer County.....	Princeton
<i>Floor Foremen:</i>	Ben Stephenson, Clay County.....	Clay
	Cline Wilkerson, Lincoln County.....	Alkol
	H. C. Morrison, Kanawha County.....	Charleston
	Chester Johnson, Randolph County.....	Elkins

<i>Guards:</i>	A. O. Scarbro, Kanawha County.....	Charleston
	Z. T. Ramsey, Summers County.....	Hinton
	Fred Thomas, Mingo County.....	Williamson
<i>Stockhandlers:</i>	George Dudley, Jr., Kanawha County.....	Charleston
	Robert Miller, Kanawha County.....	Charleston
	Morris Skidmore, Braxton County.....	Sutton
	Robert Ward, McDowell County.....	Jaeger
	Harold Samples, Clay County.....	Odessa
	Joe Spencer, Jr., Kanawha County.....	Charleston
	Thomas McFarland, McDowell County.....	Welch
	James C. Greene, Kanawha County.....	Charleston
	Herbert Tully, Kanawha County.....	Charleston
	John R. Smith, Kanawha County.....	Chesapeake
	Doniphon H. Riner, Monroe County.....	Rock Camp
	Aubrey Hanna, Kanawha County.....	Charleston
	Benjamin F. Visgatis, Kanawha County.....	Charleston
	William Neal, Fayette County.....	Gauley Bridge
	David Ambler, Putnam County.....	Winfield
	Jesse Asbury, Kanawha County.....	Charleston
	Everette Keesee, Mercer County.....	Princeton
	Raymond Wiginton, Fayette County.....	Fayetteville
	Cecil Cox, Roane County.....	Spencer
	G. W. Starkey, Mason County.....	Glenwood
	S. B. Tinsley, Kanawha County.....	Charleston
	Troy Cunningham, Kanawha County.....	Charleston
	Charles P. Vogel, Jr., Greenbrier County.....	Ronceverte
	Samuel Howie, Kanawha County.....	Charleston
	Clyde Upton, Ohio County.....	Wheeling
	Charles M. Reynolds, Fayette County.....	Fayetteville
	Paul Bayes, Kanawha County.....	Charleston
	Clark Neal, Nicholas County.....	Fenwick
<i>Carpenter:</i>	C. C. Cavender, Kanawha County.....	Pinch
<i>Janitor-Stockhandler:</i>	J. J. Davis, Kanawha County.....	Charleston
<i>Paper Balers:</i>	John Thomas, Kanawha County.....	Charleston
	Major Ellis, Kanawha County.....	Charleston

## State Liquor Stores

<i>City</i>	<i>Manager</i>	<i>City</i>	<i>Manager</i>
Anawalt.....	E. S. Crawford	Elm Grove.....	Alfred Hoose
Beckley.....	Paul Gilmore	Eskdale.....	J. T. Keeney
Benwood.....	Henry C. Healy	Fairmont (No. 34).....	Raymond Greaser
Bluefield (No. 16).....	John B. Harry	Fairmont (No. 78).....	T. F. Robey
Bluefield (No. 88).....	Henry H. Bailey	Farmington.....	B. W. Hagerty
Cameron.....	W. E. Wendell	Fayetteville.....	George T. Myles
Cedar Grove.....	I. I. Johnson	Flemington.....	Lyle Menear
Charleston (No. 1).....	H. S. Stone	Gassaway.....	W. F. Hopkins
Charleston (No. 2).....	Roy C. Goff	Gauley Bridge.....	Richard Kincaid
Charleston (No. 44).....	Harold Tate	Glenville.....	J. Woodford Bush
Charleston (No. 61).....	D. D. Hite	Grafton.....	John Madden
Charleston (No. 84).....	W. H. Fisher	Hinton.....	O. J. Hellem
Charles Town.....	James B. Kemp	Huntington (No. 3).....	J. L. McDaniel
Chester.....	Richard Banfield	Huntington (No. 4).....	T. A. Gilmore
Clarksburg (No. 28).....	W. H. Drummond	Huntington (No. 29).....	E. L. Zihlman
Clarksburg (No. 81).....	H. G. Deison	Huntington (No. 103).....	A. K. Shelton
Clay.....	Frank Asbury	Jaeger.....	John Murphy
Clendenin.....	Melvin Byrd	Kanawha City.....	P. C. Buckley
Delbarton.....	Curtis Curry	Keyser.....	W. C. Pifer
Dunbar.....	John I. Reed	Keystone.....	J. M. Bell
East Rainelle.....	J. E. Conley	Kimball.....	Alvin Webb
Elizabeth.....	C. C. Pettit	Kingwood.....	C. H. Manown
Elkins.....	E. A. Reynolds	Lewisburg.....	E. R. Livesay

<i>City</i>	<i>Manager</i>	<i>City</i>	<i>Manager</i>
Logan.....	P. W. Murphy	Richwood.....	W. H. Odell
Lookout.....	R. N. Miller	Ridgeley.....	H. A. Bean
Madison.....	Glen Thompson	Ripley.....	Boyd Baker
Man.....	I. J. Cook	Rivesville.....	R. Paul Hood
Marllnton.....	E. L. Fenton	Ronceverte.....	Robert Dunn
Marmet.....	E. K. Turner	Saint Marys.....	Fred Cooper
Martinsburg.....	Charles Roush	Shinnston.....	C. E. Stout
Matewan.....	James Hendricks	Sistersville.....	Virgil West
Montgomery.....	M. A. Cunningham	Smithers.....	Norman Burch
Moorefield.....	Woodrow Brill	Sophia.....	C. B. Canterbury
Morgantown.....	Fred R. Glisan	South Charleston.....	I. G. Mills
Moundsville.....	H. S. Stillwell	Spencer.....	Millard Thomasson
Mount Hope.....	Carl Cody	Sutton.....	L. A. Hyre
Mullens.....	B. E. Tolliver	Terra Alta.....	S. M. Scott, Jr.
New Martinsville.....	C. E. Bland	Thomas.....	J. S. Cooper
Northfork.....	W. H. Dalton	War.....	R. G. Barrett
Oak Hill.....	Houston Wilburn	Webster Springs.....	J. M. Herold
Omar.....	C. E. Browning	Weirton (No. 12).....	W. K. Breen
Osage.....	Harry Roling	Weirton (No. 13).....	Stephen Lasch
Parkersburg (No. 7).....	Harry L. Hall	Welch.....	Paul Jackson
Parkersburg (No. 74).....	E. R. Boso	Wellsburg.....	C. L. Green
Parkersburg (No. 97).....	James P. Devine	Weston.....	W. J. Carden
Parsons.....	Gay Hovatter	Wheeling (No. 9).....	W. F. Shaffer
Phillippi.....	Jess Woodford	Wheeling (No. 82).....	W. H. Beuleke
Piedmont.....	T. W. Gocke	Wheeling (No. 94).....	Paul Schiffer
Pineville.....	C. E. Shrewsbury	Wheeling (No. 96).....	Howard Singer
Point Pleasant.....	R. Earle Gibbs	White Sulphur Springs.....	D. S. Wetzell
Powellton.....	E. C. Drennen	Whitesville.....	Troy Jarrell
Princeton.....	J. P. McNutt	Willamson.....	Tedd H. Haynes
Quinwood.....	Mason Perkins		

### State Liquor Agencies

<i>City</i>	<i>Location</i>	<i>Manager</i>
White Sulphur Spring.....	Merriam's Drug Store.....	Geo. B. Merriam
Monongah.....	Monongah Drug Co.....	P. D. Forte
Nitro.....	Carter Drug Store.....	S. L. Carter
Sharples.....	Boone County Coal Corp.....	E. W. Zihler
Durbln.....	Rexrode's Mens Shop.....	Kenna Rexrode
Berkeley Springs.....	Ayers Cash Grocery.....	John B. Ayers
Masontown.....	De Prospero Dry Goods.....	A. De Prospero
Camden-on-Gauley.....	Callahan's Store.....	L. B. Callahan
Kermlt.....	Kermlt Cash Store.....	George D. Preece
Arnoldsburg.....	Price Cash Store.....	J. W. Price
Grant Town.....	Pitrola General Store.....	Joe Pitrola
Cass.....	Meeks General Store.....	H. M. Meeks
Lowsville.....	Hood's General Store.....	A. C. Hood
Grantsville.....	Thompson Drug Co.....	R. E. Thompson
Burnsville.....	Trimble & Son Drug Co.....	Dr. S. Trimble
Valley Head.....	Piggly Wiggly Store.....	Lester Hamrick
Brandywine.....	Joseph Grocery.....	Erwin Joseph
Bridgeport.....	Furbee's Pharmacy.....	Carl E. Furbee
Belington.....	Price Brothers.....	E. C. Price
Harpers Ferry.....	E. L. Pope Groceries.....	E. L. Pope
Mill Creek.....	Bell General Store.....	D. C. Bell
Hansford.....	McSurley Groceries.....	H. M. McSurley
Harman.....	Harman Grocery.....	A. Blake Harman
Follansbee.....	Follansbee Pharmacy.....	August C. Nolte
Nutter Fort.....	Miller Drug Store.....	E. N. Miller
New Cumberland.....	Scott's Drug Co.....	Harvey C. Scott

**CENTRAL MAILING OFFICE**

Main Unit, Capitol

**FUNCTIONS**

Receives and distributes all incoming mail for the various departments, bureaus and commissions of the state government; receives, classifies, rates, meters and dispatches outgoing mail for the State Capitol; and performs all the functions of a government post office, except the issuance of money orders and the handling of postal savings.

**Administration**

*Postmaster:* Charley Goff, Kanawha County.....1029 Valley Road  
*Assistant:* Oren R. Eush, Gilmer County.....535 Wyoming Street  
*Clerks:* Hiram Phillips, Mingo County.....Owens  
 Gladys Farnsworth, Upshur County.....101 Michigan Avenue

**DEPARTMENT OF MINES**

Unit Two, Capitol

**FUNCTIONS**

The Department of Mines provides for the inspection of mines and quarries looking toward the safety of workmen and the protection of property; maintains mine rescue stations and trains mine rescue crews for emergencies; holds examinations and issues certificates of competency in mining; and supervises the drilling, casing, and plugging of oil and gas wells.

**General Administration**

*Chief:* N. P. Rhinehart, Fayette County; term expires  
 December 31, 1941.....2415 Washington Street  
*Secretary to Chief:* Sophia Helen Zimmiski,  
 Fayette County.....12 Stephenson Court  
*Mining Engineer:* H. G. Houtz, McDowell County.....2413 Washington Street  
*Special Inspector:* Ivan O. Shumate.....Mt. Hope  
*Clerks:* William G. Calloway, Cabell County.....Y. M. C. A.  
 Kathleen Shumate, Kanawha County.....East Kanawha Estates  
*Stenographers:* Mary Daugherty Pedigo, Wetzel County.....1318 Quarrier Street  
 Virginia Hornoff, Kanawha County.....536 Wyoming Street  
 Mary Noe, Mercer County.....2 Stephenson Court  
 Mrs. James Rowan, Fayette County.....Charleston  
 Mrs. Mary E. Tomlinson, Kanawha County.....Quarrier Street  
*Examiner:* D. C. Waldlich, McDowell County.....Aracoma Apartments  
*Messenger:* Eugene Tucker.....Charleston

**Mine Rescue Division**

*Directors:* E. Y. McVey, Ohio County.....Wheeling  
 Robert Lilly, Fayette County.....Mt. Hope  
 W. L. Lyons, McDowell County.....Welch  
 Ray Ellis, Logan County.....Logan

C. O. Morris, Kanawha County.....Charleston  
 Peter McLinden, Marion County.....Fairmont

### First-Aid Division

*First-Aid Directors:* Stanley Mooney, Boone County.....Charleston  
 Kenneth Williams, Fayette County.....Clarksburg  
 Dave Ware, Fayette County.....Boomer

### Oil and Gas Division

*Inspectors of Oil and Gas Wells:* J. F. Kent, Cabell County.....Virginia Street  
 D. G. Courtney, Boone County.....Clarksburg  
*Secretary Oil and Gas Division:* Marie E. Griffith,  
 Monongalia County.....2002 Piedmont Road  
*Stenographer:* Alice Reyburn, McDowell County.....1713 Quarrier Street

### Quarries

*Inspector:* F. L. Farley, Monroe County.....Alderson

### Mine Inspection Districts

*First:* Brooke, Hancock, Marshall, Ohio and Pleasants.  
*Second:* Monongalia.  
*Third:* Grant, Mineral, Preston and Tucker.  
*Fourth:* Marlon.  
*Fifth:* Harrison and Taylor.  
*Sixth:* Barbour, Gilmer, Lewis, Randolph, Upshur, Webster and Braxton.  
*Seventh:* Clay, Mason, Kanawha (part), Putnam.  
*Eighth:* Boone.  
*Ninth:* Kanawha (part).  
*Tenth:* Fayette (part) and Nicholas.  
*Eleventh:* Fayette (part), Greenbrier.  
*Twelfth:* Fayette (part).  
*Thirteenth:* Fayette (part).  
*Fourteenth:* Raleigh (part).  
*Fifteenth:* Raleigh (part), Summers (part).  
*Sixteenth:* Raleigh (part).  
*Seventeenth:* Wyoming.  
*Eighteenth:* McDowell (part), Mercer.  
*Nineteenth:* McDowell (part).  
*Twentieth:* McDowell (part).  
*Twenty-first:* McDowell (part).  
*Twenty-second:* Mingo and Wayne.  
*Twenty-third:* Logan (part).  
*Twenty-fourth:* Logan (part).  
*Twenty-fifth:* Boone (part), Raleigh (part), Logan (part), Lincoln.

### Mine Inspectors

District	Address	District	Address
1	G. R. Waddell.....Wellsburg	14	F. S. Houck.....Mullens
2	Alex Bryce.....Mona	15	Hugh D. Lowe.....Bramwell
3	Joseph Bierer.....Morgantown	16	J. W. Hall.....Northfork
4	P. J. McGraw.....Farmington	17	W. W. Jones.....Welch
5	F. L. Griffith.....Hepzibah	18	W. C. Sturgill.....War
6	W. H. Sandridge.....Buckhannon	19	Young Lawson.....Nolan
7	Marvin W. Kessler.....Ansted	20	James Biggs.....Logan
8	R. V. Waldron.....Rainelle	21	Walter Pelter.....Sharples
9	James G. Page.....Fayetteville	22	R. L. Jenkins.....Charleston
10	George Bryan.....Oak Hill	23	Joe Mulligan.....Montgomery
11	J. H. Carter.....Prince	24	C. O. Martin.....Ward
12	L. E. Allen.....Beckley	25	H. E. Taylor.....St. Albans
13	J. L. Bailey.....Beckley		

## Inspectors at Large

William Moore (Districts 1, 2 and 3)	.....	Morgantown
L. S. McGee (Districts 5 and 6)	.....	Shinnston
J. S. Mason (Districts 7, 8, 9 and 10)	.....	Oak Hill
C. M. Meadows (Districts 11, 12, 13 and 14)	.....	Beckley
E. L. Chatfield (Districts 15, 16, 17 and 18)	.....	Welch
John H. Hansford (Districts 19, 20 and 21)	.....	Logan
C. L. Milligan (Districts 22, 23, 24 and 25)	.....	St. Albans

## BUREAU OF NEGRO WELFARE AND STATISTICS

## Unit One, Capitol

## DUTIES OF DIRECTOR

The Director, who is a member of the negro race, serves as coordinator on all questions pertaining to the negro that may be referred to the department by state bureaus and departments, county offices, and other public and private agencies, and recommends solutions thereof; prepares statistics relating to all phases of negro life; and promotes and encourages friendly and harmonious relations between racial groups.

## Administration

*Director* : Isaac M. Carper, Kanawha County.....415 Bradford Street  
*Chief Clerk* : Kermit J. Hall, Fayette County.....1603 1/2 Virginia Street  
*Stenographer* : Ruth E. Mitchell, Kanawha County.....1327 Lewis Street

## DIRECTOR OF PROBATION AND PAROLE

## Main Unit, Capitol

## DUTIES AND FUNCTIONS

Under the probation and parole act, passed at the Regular Session of the Legislature in 1939, provision is made for the selection of probation and parole officers as the basis for a state centralized adult probation and parole program, the chief feature of which is the investigation of the suitability and eligibility of convicted persons for either probation or parole, and the supervision of the conduct of those who are released. The Director, with the approval of the Governor, may release prisoners on parole, and courts of record having original jurisdiction of criminal actions may release offenders on probation.

## Administration

*Director* : Stanley E. Dadisman, Barbour County;  
term expires June 30, 1943.....1430 Quarrier Street  
*Secretary* : Martha Stump.....2301 Washington Street  
*Parole and Record Clerk* : Edgar Lewis Smith.....Moundsville

<i>Probation and Parole Officers:</i>	Andrew C. Black.....	Bluefield
	J. B. Bullington.....	Spencer
	R. M. Knott.....	Shepherdstown
	Byron T. Morris.....	Kenova
	H. Hunter Murdock.....	Charleston
	F. W. Sigler.....	Moundsville

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

### Unit One, Capitol

#### FUNCTIONS

The Department of Public Assistance has charge of general relief and public assistance under the provisions of the Public Welfare Law of 1936; furnishes related services, including commodity distribution, child welfare, and medical care for the indigent and for crippled children; serves as certifying agency to the National Youth Administration and Works Progress Administration, and as selecting agency for the Civilian Conservation Commission.

#### Advisory Board

(For members, see "State Boards and Commissions")

*Secretary to Advisory Board:* Louise Bailey, Wood County...1586-C Lee Street  
*Field Representative:* O. C. Damewood, Greenbrier County...1593 Quarrier Street

#### General Administration

*Director:* A. W. Garnett, Boone County; term expires  
 July 1, 1942.....910 Edgewood Drive  
*Administrative Assistant:* J. R. Blackburn,  
 Monongalia County.....1714 McClung Street  
*Secretary to Director:* Gail White, Kanawha County.....3605 Noyes Avenue  
*Information Service Representative:* Mabel Ann West,  
 Harrison County.....1706 Virginia Street  
*Secretary-Stenographer:* Mary Fenton Wilson,  
 Kanawha County.....6 White Oak Road  
*Intermediate Stenographers:* Emma D. Bender, Kanawha County.....Nitro  
 Helen Payne, Harrison County.....517 Nancy Street  
 Ruby Shott, Raleigh County.....29 ½ Ohio Avenue  
*Intermediate Clerk:* Frances Foster, Kanawha County.....1636 Kanawha Street  
*Typist:* Ethel Moore, Harrison County.....1537-A Washington Street  
*Janitor-Messenger:* George Edmonds, Putnam County.....910 Edgewood Drive

#### Division of Office Management

*Office Manager:* Maurice Wooddell, Webster County.....3808 Noyes Avenue  
*Chief Clerk:* S. K. Lemley, Webster County.....Dunbar  
*Secretary-Stenographer:* Virginia Douglass, Summers County...1584 ½ Lee Street  
*Senior Clerk:* Charles Fulton, Boone County.....Marmet  
*Intermediate Clerk:* Berta Horn, Kanawha County.....1402 Watts Street  
*Junior Clerks:* Margaret Henry, Clay County.....9 California Apartments  
 Frances Crawford, Putnam County.....108 Michigan Avenue  
 Eva Smith, Braxton County.....1593 Washington Street  
 Oleta Stephenson, Kanawha County.....1836 Piedmont Road  
*Intermediate Stenographers:*  
 Virginia Kyle, Greenbrier County.....1703 Virginia Street  
 Virginia Stockley, Kanawha County.....1626 ½ Virginia Street  
*Mechanical Foreman:* Dan Rock, Kanawha County.....507 Maxwell Street

*Mechanic:* Eric Shepherd, Kanawha County..... 114 Randolph Street  
*Duplicating Machine Operators:*  
 Robert Moss, Kanawha County..... Parsons-Zogg Apartments  
 Eli Richmond, Mingo County..... 2509 Washington Street  
*Telephone Operators:* Mrs. F. E. Deitz, Kanawha County..... 110 Roane Street  
 Mrs. J. F. Harshbarger, Kanawha County..... 1616 Virginia Street  
*Messenger:* Joe Canterbury, Mingo County..... 1104 Piedmont Road  
*Janitors-Messengers:* Chester Pettyjohn, Fayette County..... 409 Shrewsbury Street  
 Robert Blake, Fayette County..... Montgomery  
 William Rush, Monongalia County..... 1627 Third Avenue  
 John Wade, Kanawha County..... 709 1/2 Bullitt Street

## Division of Audits and Accounts

*Chief Auditor:* T. J. Ingersoll, Cabell County..... 1531-A Jackson Street  
*Field Examiners:* H. S. Ardell, Pocahontas County..... Marlinton  
 C. A. Bays, Wood County..... Parkersburg  
 R. J. Bussell, Cabell County..... Huntington  
 Herbert Rhodes, Roane County..... Bridgeport  
 Jack Robertson, Cabell County..... Beckley  
 Dennis Stollings, Boone County..... Madison  
*Senior Clerk:* C. M. Sullivan, Kanawha County..... 601 Thompson Street  
*Secretary-Stenographer:* Alice Fisher, Greenbrier County..... 1632 Virginia Street

## Division of Finance

*Disbursing Officer:* G. G. McFerran, Randolph County..... 1606 Franklin Avenue  
*Senior Accountant:* W. E. Deegans, Jr.,  
 Greenbrier County..... 2314 Kanawha Street  
*Senior Accounting Clerks:*  
 Charles Baughman, Barbour County..... 1904 McClung Street  
 Elsie Jane Beatty, Wood County..... 2312 Washington Street  
 Luciel Tozier, Kanawha County..... Rocky Fork Road  
*Senior Clerks:* Mildred Hoffer, McDowell County..... 610 Franklin Avenue  
 Dora Jarvis, Kanawha County..... 608 1/2 Donnally Street  
*Secretary-Stenographer:* Mary Kincaid,  
 Harrison County..... 2016 Washington Street  
*Bookkeeping Machine Operators:*  
 Helen Emory, Summers County..... 3807 Staunton Avenue  
 Ruth Fritts, Jefferson County..... 404 Thompson Street  
 Beatrice Kindrick, Kanawha County..... 904 Bigley Avenue  
 Bernadine Rollyson, Braxton County..... 3807 Staunton Avenue  
 Virginia Thayer, Taylor County..... 1584 Jackson Street  
 Vernon Vande Linde, Logan County..... St. Albans  
*Janitor-Messenger:* C. Lee Pryor, Kanawha County..... 1619 Second Avenue

## Division of Commodity Distribution

*Supervisor:* Peyton H. Bray, Greenbrier County..... 2007 Kanawha Avenue, S. E.  
*Assistant Supervisor:* George Fisher, Kanawha County..... 1618 Quarrier Street  
*Field Agent:* William Waggy, Upshur County..... Buckhannon  
*Senior Statistical Clerk:* C. F. Woodrum, Kanawha County..... Spring Hill  
*Intermediate Clerk:* Donnie Krebs, Kanawha County..... 880 Chester Road  
*Intermediate Stenographer:* Mary W. Crookshanks,  
 Kanawha County..... 1550-A Lewis Street  
*Typists:* Louise Abbott, Fayette County..... 1428 Quarrier Street  
 Evelyn Mayes, Kanawha County..... 1153 Bridge Road

## Division of Research and Statistics

*Statistician:* G. A. Lester, Wayne County..... 1551-A Jackson Street  
*Assistant Statistician:* Anne Groves, Kanawha County..... Argonne Apartments  
*Secretary-Stenographer:* Dorothy Clelland,  
 Kanawha County..... 3906 Kanawha Village

<i>Statistical Clerks:</i> Hilda Brown, Cabell County.....	Aracoma Apartments
Mary McGuire, Pocahontas County.....	Cavalier Apartments
Marian Stanard, Kanawha County.....	1709 Darst Street
A. W. Vickers, Fayette County.....	Montgomery
R. B. Wills, Fayette County.....	1529 Dixie Street

#### Central Clearance Index

<i>Supervisor:</i> Garda Bachell, Brooke County.....	29 Ruffner Avenue
<i>Senior Clerks:</i> Rachel McCue, Harrison County.....	1561 Virginia Street
Paul Nicholas, Lewis County.....	7 Arlington Court
<i>Intermediate Clerks:</i> Marie Hedges, Roane County.....	29 Ruffner Avenue
Jessie Mason, Barbour County.....	211 Greenbrier Street
<i>Intermediate Stenographer:</i> Grace Sebastian, McDowell County.....	206 Oney Street
<i>Junior Clerks:</i> Goldie Cameron, Kanawha County.....	330½ Laidley Street
Margaret Pharr, Mercer County.....	1632 Virginia Street
Dora Van Sickler, Greenbrier County.....	2030 Kanawha Street
<i>Typists:</i> Marie Cassis, Kanawha County.....	232 Truslow Street
Glenna Belle Wiley, Greenbrier County.....	1205 Lee Street

#### Division of CCC Selection

<i>Supervisor:</i> Wilma Holderby, Kanawha County.....	1210 Quarrier Street
<i>Intermediate Stenographer:</i> Vivian Crumb, Kanawha County.....	212 Greenbrier Street
<i>Junior Clerk:</i> V. M. McGrail, Wood County.....	1722½ Darst Street

#### Division of Veterans' Service

<i>State Veterans' Service Officer:</i> W. J. Cunningham, Kanawha County.....	910 Pine Road
<i>Deputy Service Officers:</i> Hugh Maloney, McDowell County.....	Huntington
John W. Stewart, Roane County.....	Romney
<i>Secretary-Stenographer:</i> Ema D. Harless, Wyoming County.....	1809½ McClung Street
<i>Intermediate Stenographer:</i> Mary Lou Brady, Cabell County.....	Barboursville
<i>Junior Stenographer:</i> Ruth Harmison, Hampshire County.....	Romney

#### Bureau of Social Service

<i>Chief:</i> Earl Zook, Brooke County.....	618 Columbia Boulevard
<i>Assistant Chief:</i> Arch Giffin, Cabell County.....	1119 Lee Street
<i>Field Representatives:</i> Helen Beck, Ohio County.....	Parkersburg
Miriam Hart, Kanawha County.....	1672 Lee Street
Frank Hungerford, Monongalia County.....	Romney
Edward A. Lipscomb, Taylor County.....	Parsons
Sara Pollock, Boone County.....	Ramage
L. L. Vincent, Marlon County.....	Fairmont
Theresa White, Mingo County.....	Parkersburg
<i>Case Reviewers:</i> Sam Gilmore, Ohio County.....	1016 Seventh Avenue
Camille Harper, Roane County.....	Cavalier Apartments
Mabel Sutherland, Kanawha County.....	St. Albans
<i>Secretary-Stenographer:</i> Helaine Rotgin, Kanawha County.....	Cavaller Apartments
<i>Intermediate Stenographers:</i> Agnes Flowers, Harrison County.....	400 Beauregard Street
Margaret Hamilton, Raleigh County.....	400 Beauregard Street
Elizabeth Keller, Ohio County.....	1575 Virginia Street
Norma Webster, Kanawha County.....	1321 Virginia Street
Susan Wellar, Jefferson County.....	1217 Lee Street
<i>Junior Clerk:</i> Ethel Hinton, Summers County.....	1634-B Quarrier Street

*Typists:* Cuba McClung, Lincoln County..... 1102 Columbia Boulevard  
 Marie Onestinghel, Harrison County..... 121½ Summers Street  
 Carrie Virginia Paynter, McDowell County..... 1593 Lee Street  
 Jean Rowan, Kanawha County..... 1579 Jackson Street  
 Godlieve Shearer, Lewis County..... 1205 Lee Street  
 Doris Sovine, Putnam County..... Hurricane  
*Messenger:* W. T. Wills, Kanawha County..... 1117 Edgewood Drive

### Bureau of Medical Services

*Chief:* Dr. D. L. Butterfield, Marshall County..... 1405 Ravinia Road  
*Secretary-Stenographer:* Champe Wallace, Cabell County... 1104 Virginia Street  
*Junior Clerks:* Mary E. Catlett, Kanawha County..... Big Chimney  
 Edna Nuttall, McDowell County..... 409 Thompson Street  
 Rosalynd Poling, Boone County..... 2402½ Kanawha Street

### Adult Physical Rehabilitation

*Senior Accounting Clerk:* W. O. Watkins, Boone County..... Seth  
*Intermediate Stenographer:* Virginia Akers, Wyoming County... 10 Reeves Place  
*Typist:* Joyce Solomon, Pendleton County..... 11 Maple Terrace

### Crippled Children

*Physical Therapist:* M. Day Norsworthy, Wayne County..... Huntington  
*Supervisor of Nursing:* Esther N. Walraven,  
 Berkeley County..... Mount Vernon Apartments  
*Supervisor of Education:* Sara L. Glick, Cabell County..... Huntington  
*Nurses:* Mattie B. Clark, Raleigh County..... Beckley  
 Bessie Diefenderfer, Cabell County..... Huntington  
 Virginia Marshall Gale, Jefferson County..... Morgantown  
 Helen Haynes, Jackson County..... Petersburg  
 Kathryn Henderson, Tyler County..... Sistersville  
*Teacher:* Louise Woody, Cabell County..... Huntington  
*Senior Clerk:* Carolyn Treanor, Kanawha County..... St. Albans  
*Intermediate Stenographers:*  
 Alba Frame, Kanawha County..... 600 Shrewsbury Street  
 Virginia Guthrie, Kanawha County..... 118 Delaware Avenue  
*Typist:* Evelyn J. Sidebottom, Kanawha County..... St. Albans  
*Driver:* Kyle McWhorter, Harrison County..... 5 East Washington Street

### Trachoma Unit

*Ophthalmologist:* Dr. J. A. Arbuckle, Greenbrier County..... 1202 Kanawha Street  
*Nurse:* Beverly Nash, McDowell County..... 9-C Brookland Court  
*Driver:* Robert Cochran, Kanawha County..... Highlawn

### Bureau of Child Welfare

*Chief:* Dr. Charles E. Kenney, Kanawha County..... 1616 Virginia Street  
*Supervisor of Child Welfare Services:* Ruth C. Schad,  
 Cabell County..... 1331 Virginia Street  
*Assistant Case Work Supervisor:* Elizabeth Jackson,  
 Marion County..... Belvedere Apartments  
*Child Welfare Consultants:* Elizabeth Bradley, Tyler County..... Sistersville  
 Frances Davis, McDowell County..... 1628 Virginia Street  
 Esther Prunty, Wood County..... Parkersburg  
 Mary Prunty, Ritchie County..... Petersburg  
 Ann Rouse, Wood County..... Argonne Apartments  
 Dora Page Thornhill, Mercer County..... Argonne Apartments  
 Anne C. Tryon, Marion County..... Argonne Apartments  
 Elizabeth Weidner, Harrison County..... 1619½ Quarrier Street  
*Social Worker:* Rosemary Smith, Marion County..... Camp Fairchance

<i>Field Workers:</i>	Leonora Banister, Kanawha County.....	East Bank
	Willie Dandridge, Kanawha County.....	1628 Washington Street
	Hazel Head Boor, Grant County.....	Petersburg
	Mabel Irwin Cook, Logan County.....	Man
	Glyde Cunningham, Marion County.....	Fairmont
	Ethel Gorrell, Pleasants County.....	St. Marys
	Elizabeth Pomeroy, Lewis County.....	Weston
	Hazel Pullin, Mason County.....	Pt. Pleasant
	Frances Preston, Greenbrier County.....	Lewisburg
<i>County Children's Workers:</i>	Melva Culver, Brooke County.....	Wellsburg
	Eleanor Johnson, Raleigh County.....	Fayetteville
	Mrs. Russell Newman, Logan County.....	Logan
	Lillian Serey, Marion County.....	Fairmont
	Frances Stalnaker, Braxton County.....	Weston
	Ida Stanley, Mason County.....	Pt. Pleasant
	Agnes Swint, Lewis County.....	Morgantown
	Ann Sullivan, Kanawha County.....	520-A Nancy Street
	Ellen Taylor, McDowell County.....	Hinton
	Eileen Van Gelsen, Cabell County.....	Madison
	Martha Barnard, Randolph County.....	Madison
<i>Secretary-Stenographer:</i>	Helen Robertson, Monongalia County.....	1409-D Virginia Street
<i>Intermediate Stenographers:</i>	Lahoma B. Champe, Kanawha County.....	107 Duffy Street
	Elizabeth Whitlock, Kanawha County.....	1713 Quarrier Street
	Eunice H. Wright, Mercer County.....	1518½ Jackson Street
<i>Junior Stenographers:</i>	Jenny Malus, Logan County.....	1112 Quarrier Street
	Pauline Shrewsbury, Raleigh County.....	2112-A Kanawha Street
<i>Typist:</i>	Ella Anderson, Kanawha County.....	1121 Kanawha Street

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

(West Virginia State Police)

Department Headquarters: Charleston

Main Unit, Capitol

### OBJECT AND FUNCTIONS

A police department endowed with full state-wide powers, designed and created for the purpose of preserving the peace, protecting life and property, preventing crime, and apprehending criminals.

### Board of Commissioners

(For members, see "State Boards and Commissions")

### General Administration

<i>Superintendent:</i>	Chas. C. Tallman, Mason County; term expires December 31, 1940.....	3815 Staunton Avenue
<i>Captain-Inspector:</i>	Harvey N. Rexroad.....	144 Costello Street
<i>Headquarters Sergeant (Acting):</i>	James N. DuPuy.....	309 22nd Street
<i>Secretary to the Superintendent:</i>	Pauline Barton.....	1536 Piedmont Road
<i>Stenographer:</i>	Gertrude Trout.....	1219 Piedmont Road
<i>Messenger-Janitor:</i>	Russell Hill.....	Saint Albans

**Criminal Identification Bureau**

*Lieutenant-Officer-in-Charge:* Charles W. Ray\_\_\_\_\_1511 Highland Drive  
*First Sergeant, Ballistics:* Carleton R. Cobb\_\_\_\_\_2006 Piedmont Road  
*Corporal-Photography-Questioned Documents:*  
 Raison I. Boone\_\_\_\_\_503 Greenbrier Street  
*Corporal-Chemist:* Karl V. Shanholtzer\_\_\_\_\_2415 E. Washington Street  
*Corporal-Fingerprint Technician:* B. E. Wright\_\_\_\_\_1580 Piedmont Road  
*Trooper-Fingerprint Technicians:* E. J. Newman\_\_\_\_\_1706 E. Washington Street  
 S. L. Warren\_\_\_\_\_307 Ruffner Avenue  
 L. L. Willeford\_\_\_\_\_2105 E. Washington Street  
*Senior Stenographer:* Mildred Armstrong\_\_\_\_\_2006 Piedmont Road  
*Stenographers:* Margaret Butcher\_\_\_\_\_613 Greenbrier Street  
 Harryette Irvin\_\_\_\_\_315 Jefferson Street  
*J. B. M. Operator:* Gertrude Raiguel\_\_\_\_\_1526½ Piedmont Road

**Accident Prevention Bureau**

*First Sergeant:* Ward B. Tyree\_\_\_\_\_516 Nancy Street  
*Stenographers:* Wavalene Arnold\_\_\_\_\_927 Bigley Avenue  
 Frances Robertson\_\_\_\_\_1589 E. Washington Street  
*Intermediate Clerk:* Pearle Wilson\_\_\_\_\_306 Grant Avenue

**Division of Supplies and Accounting**

*Supply Sergeant:* Ernest C. Holmboe, Jr.\_\_\_\_\_1248 Farnsworth Drive  
*Trooper:* S. L. Pierce\_\_\_\_\_903 Miller Street  
*Bookkeeper:* Arthur Elder\_\_\_\_\_1598-C E. Washington Street

**Radio Division**

*Lieutenant-Chief-Communications Officer:* K. C. McGregor\_\_\_\_\_502-B Hall Street  
*Sergeant:* C. A. Marshall\_\_\_\_\_Saint Albans  
*Chief Radio Engineer:* R. G. Beerbower\_\_\_\_\_1422 Lee Street  
*Radio Operators:* Edward F. Lorentz\_\_\_\_\_Moundsville  
 William S. Patrick\_\_\_\_\_Moundsville  
 Harold Sturm\_\_\_\_\_Shinnston  
 John H. Morrison\_\_\_\_\_Shinnston  
 William W. McLain\_\_\_\_\_Shinnston  
 Creed Russell\_\_\_\_\_Beckley  
 A. J. Ginkel\_\_\_\_\_Beckley  
 R. F. Koerner\_\_\_\_\_Beckley  
*Maintenance Man:* Franklin W. Byrer\_\_\_\_\_1598½ E. Washington Street

**Highway Safety Bureau**

*Director:* W. C. Easley\_\_\_\_\_Westmoreland Drive

**Company "A"****Headquarters: Shinnston****Captain:**

D. C. Bailey, Shinnston

**Lieutenant:**

E. E. Stout, Shinnston.

**Sergeants:**

R. P. Harris, St. Marys.

E. R. Martin, Weston.

Paul McClung, Shinnston.

A. J. Morgan, Fairmont.

L. H. Powell, Moundsville.

C. P. Wilson, Clarksburg.

**Corporals:**

A. V. Dodrill, Middlebourne.

L. W. Emrick, Mannington

E. E. Godfrey, Moundsville.

G. S. Knight, New Cumberland.

T. K. Long, Morgantown.

W. E. Murphy, Clarksburg.

C. C. Taylor, Triadelphia.

W. G. Wamsley, Fairmont.

**Troopers:**

D. E. Adams, Morgantown.

M. H. Altare, Shinnston.

G. R. Arbogast, Clarksburg.  
 A. C. Bailey, New Martinsville.  
 R. W. Boyles, Harrisville.  
 A. C. Bryant, Glenville.  
 B. B. Bunn, Triadelphia.  
 C. K. Carson, Triadelphia.  
 O. E. Cox, New Cumberland.  
 R. T. Cummings, Morgantown.  
 W. C. Davis, Kingwood.  
 C. W. Dye, Glenville.  
 W. B. Green, Fairmont.  
 E. C. Guthrie, Clarksburg.  
 E. D. Hamilton, Fairmont.  
 L. E. Haught, Weston.  
 Claude Hefner, West Union.  
 A. M. Hurst, Middlebourne.  
 J. B. Jack, Wellsburg.

M. F. Jordan, Clarksburg.  
 F. W. Lanham, Kingwood.  
 R. L. Maddex, Wellsburg.  
 W. E. Oldham, New Martinsville.  
 G. H. Osborne, Moundsville.  
 S. O. Perrine, West Union.  
 G. F. Randall, Grafton.  
 R. W. Rule, Mannington.  
 W. D. Sergent, Morgantown.  
 W. D. Snodgrass, Triadelphia.  
 W. E. Stark, Fairmont.  
 D. D. Skidmore, Mannington.  
 P. B. Swiger, Harrisville.  
 S. E. Tribett, Weston.  
 J. R. Weese, Wellsburg.  
 P. P. Waugh, St. Marys.

### Company "B"

#### Headquarters: Charleston

##### *Captain:*

George H. Skeen, Charleston.

##### *Lieutenant:*

James H. Fillingier, Charleston.

##### *First Sergeant:*

M. M. Rardon, Charleston.

##### *Sergeants:*

E. S. Duckworth, Barboursville.  
 N. L. Sidebottom, Spencer.  
 N. T. Sites, Parkersburg.  
 P. F. Thomas, Pt. Pleasant.

##### *Corporals:*

W. M. Beckett, Ripley.  
 F. C. Bennett, Madison.  
 R. C. Dilley, Wayne.  
 C. L. Hawkins, Grantsville.  
 H. E. Pomroy, Nitro.  
 P. H. Vassar, Nitro.  
 D. G. Wilfong, Hamlin.

##### *Troopers:*

O. C. Bowles, Parkersburg.  
 H. H. Burke, Charleston.  
 D. E. Carson, Hamlin.  
 H. D. Coyner, Pt. Pleasant.  
 T. A. Donahue, Clay.  
 P. E. Ebbert, Charleston.

Jim Ellis, Barboursville.  
 H. C. Fullmer, Parkersburg.  
 D. J. Gilbert, Nitro.  
 L. E. Hampton, Parkersburg.  
 J. R. Hogg, Charleston.  
 C. R. Holbert, Charleston.  
 J.M. Hutchinson, Charleston.  
 W. M. Karr, Charleston.  
 O. R. Kincaid, Charleston.  
 Beryl Langford, Charleston.  
 Ellis Lea, Charleston.  
 R. E. Lester, Charleston.  
 L. P. Mullins, Barboursville.  
 M. A. Murphy, Charleston.  
 C. E. Musgrave, Parkersburg.  
 T. S. Myers, Carlesten.  
 F. J. Patton, Parkersburg.  
 P. R. Pritchard, Ripley.  
 N. C. Reger, Charleston.  
 R. M. Reger, Elizabeth.  
 M. B. Salyers, Clay.  
 G. M. Scott, Madison.  
 H. M. Starbuck, Charleston.  
 Edwin Starcher, Barboursville.  
 C. C. Stewart, Spencer.  
 R. D. Trumbo, Wayne.  
 C. L. Walker, Charleston.  
 N. V. Warner, Madison.  
 W. E. Webb, Charleston.  
 Oscar Keenan, Civilian Mechanic,  
 Charleston.

### Company "C"

#### Headquarters: Elkins

##### *Captain:*

Arnold Moore, Elkins.

##### *Lieutenant:*

Ermil Clark, Elkins.

##### *First Sergeant:*

J. W. Wooddell, Elkins.

##### *Sergeants:*

H. D. Ancell, Phillippl.  
 J. P. Horne, Martinsburg.  
 Jay Rowe, Elkins.  
 V. C. Ware, Petersburg.  
 L. L. Waugh, Sutton.

**Corporals:**

Troy Alkire, Buckhannon.  
 G. W. Busch, Franklin.  
 A. O. Harper, Marlinton.  
 J. M. Johnson, Berkeley Springs.  
 G. F. Parsons, Webster Springs,  
 H. R. Shields, Moorefield.  
 W. L. Wolford, Keyser.

A. T. Hodges, Martinsburg.  
 R. R. Karickhoff, Keyser.  
 C. F. Klug, Berkeley Springs.  
 C. E. Mays, Marlinton.  
 L. V. Minnick, Martinsburg.  
 W. W. Murphy, Elkins.  
 W. L. Pratt, Philippi.  
 F. D. Roberts, Buckhannon.  
 E. L. Roush, Webster Springs.  
 J. A. Smith, Franklin.  
 F. E. Springer, Elkins.  
 F. H. Tribett, Sutton.  
 E. R. Turner, Petersburg.  
 O. G. Webley, Charles Town.  
 S. J. Whitman, Elkins.  
 J. B. Wills, Romney.  
 J. R. Wolf, Charles Town.

**Troopers:**

R. G. Coen, Thomas.  
 R. C. Culp, Sutton.  
 F. C. Cunningham, Elkins.  
 S. S. Fleck, Elkins.  
 L. L. Gum, Martinsburg.  
 C. R. Hawkins, Romney.  
 C. G. Hamrick, Thomas.

**Company "D"****Headquarters: Beckley****Captain:**

H. C. Myers, Beckley.

**Lieutenant:**

F. C. Crawford, Beckley.

**First Sergeant:**

C. P. Taylor, Beckley.

**Sergeants:**

W. E. DeMoss, Logan.  
 Evan Hall, Beckley.  
 H. E. Locke, East Rainelle.  
 L. A. Taylor, Montgomery.  
 C. S. Wilson, Welch.

**Corporals:**

S. C. Ballard, Hinton.  
 J. E. Childers, Princeton.  
 Walter Hampton, Whitesville.  
 C. E. Hawks, Union.  
 R. D. Platt, Mullens.  
 Anthony Scalise, Beckley.  
 J. O. Tutwiler, Fayetteville.  
 R. L. Woofter, Williamson.  
 E. A. L. Zirkle, Lewisburg.

**Troopers:**

F. R. Armstrong, Montgomery.  
 E. D. Bazzle, East Rainelle.  
 W. R. Callaghan, Fayetteville.  
 S. A. Clinton, Beckley.  
 Elmer Cubine, Williamson.

G. T. Davis, Princeton.  
 C. B. Dye, Berwind.  
 H. D. Gibbs, Beckley.  
 C. R. Graley, Northfork.  
 J. H. Griffith, Mullens.  
 M. S. Hofstetter, Welch.  
 T. W. Harrison, Beckley.  
 M. B. Hyer, Montgomery.  
 L. W. Kelly, Williamson.  
 G. A. Lucas, Logan.  
 H. E. Martin, Princeton.  
 T. A. Maupin, Berwind.  
 C. G. McClain, East Rainelle.  
 H. A. McClung, Logan.  
 C. C. McGraw, Beckley.  
 B. F. McLaughlin, Richwood.  
 Jack Milam, Lewisburg.  
 R. G. Norman, Logan.  
 C. H. Padden, Beckley.  
 W. L. Pence, Richwood.  
 L. E. Proudfoot, Whitesville.  
 W. R. Seal, Montgomery.  
 J. L. Springer, Beckley.  
 R. L. Tabscott, Mullens.  
 C. A. Thompson, Beckley.  
 O. E. Thompson, Northfork.  
 G. B. Walker, Montgomery.  
 Foster Wilkerson, Fayetteville.  
 Earl Yeager, Welch.  
 M. C. Yoak, East Rainelle.

**Detachment Headquarters, Company "A"**

Fairmont  
 Clarksburg  
 Glenville  
 Grafton  
 Harrisville  
 Kingwood

Mannington  
 Middlebourne  
 Morgantown  
 Moundsville  
 New Cumberland  
 New Martinsville

St. Marys  
 Triadelphia  
 Wellsburg  
 Weston  
 West Union

**Detachment Headquarters, Company "B"**

Charleston	Grantsville	Point Pleasant
Barboursville	Hamlin	Ripley
Clay	Madison	Spencer
Elizabeth	Nitro	Wayne
	Parkersburg	

**Detachment Headquarters, Company "C"**

Elkins	Keyser	Phillippi
Berkeley Springs	Marlinton	Romney
Buckhannon	Martinsburg	Sutton
Charles Town	Moorefield	Thomas
Franklin	Petersburg	Webster Springs

**Detachment Headquarters, Company "D"**

Beckley	Logan	Union
Berwind	Montgomery	Welch
East Rainelle	Mullens	Whitesville
Fayetteville	Northfork	Williamson
Hinton	Princeton	
Lewisburg	Richwood	

**Motor Transportation**

Automobiles \_\_\_\_\_ 116      Motorcycles \_\_\_\_\_ 27

**Radio Stations**

WPWV \_\_\_\_\_ Charleston      WMWV \_\_\_\_\_ Moundsville  
 Wbsp \_\_\_\_\_ Beckley      WRMP \_\_\_\_\_ Romney  
 WSWV \_\_\_\_\_ Shinnston      WRPC \_\_\_\_\_ Portable  
 JHCYQ \_\_\_\_\_ Huntington

**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

**Unit Two, Capitol**

**FUNCTIONS**

Supervises and regulates rates, charges, service, and facilities of all public utilities, including municipalities, and of all common and contract carriers of passengers and property by railroads, highways and streets, water, and air; hears and acts upon complaints against utilities and common carriers, and passes upon applications for increases in rates and for discontinuances of service or facilities, and upon applications for the privilege of installing plants and facilities; prescribes systems of accounts to be used by utilities and carriers; and fixes valuations of properties of and requires the submission of reports by utilities and carriers.

**Commissioners Offices**

John J. D. Preston, *Chairman*, Kanawha County; term expires  
 May 31, 1945 \_\_\_\_\_ 1536 Quarrier Street  
 C. E. Nethken, *Commissioner*, Mineral County; term expires  
 May 31, 1943 \_\_\_\_\_ 1210 Virginia Street  
 Alexander M. Mahood, *Commissioner*, Mercer County; term  
 expires May 31, 1941 \_\_\_\_\_ 501 Nancy Street

**Secretaries to Commissioners:**

Elizabeth Hooker Lee, (Preston), Upshur County \_\_\_\_\_ South Park  
 Ada B. Oates, (Nethken),  
 Mineral County \_\_\_\_\_ 9 Madison Hall, Maple Terrace  
 Hannah Massing, (Mahood), Kanawha County \_\_\_\_\_ 412 Ruffner Avenue

**Secretary's Office**

**Commission Secretary:** N. R. Henderson, Kanawha County \_\_\_\_\_ 800 Park Avenue  
**Assistant Secretary:** J. F. Bedell, Kanawha County \_\_\_\_\_ 3 Brookland Court  
**Chief Clerk:** M. F. Wright, Jr., Mineral County \_\_\_\_\_ 1592 Dixie Street  
**Recording Clerk:** Agnes Noyes, Kanawha County \_\_\_\_\_ 2022 Kanawha Avenue  
**Railroad Rate Clerk:** W. L. Loury, Randolph County \_\_\_\_\_ 307 Columbia Avenue

**Stenographers:**

Margaret Ann Feinstein, Kanawha County \_\_\_\_\_ 208 ½ Clendenin Street  
 Beulah E. Robinson, Kanawha County \_\_\_\_\_ 721-A Indiana Avenue  
**Shorthand Reporter:** L. W. Stanard, Kanawha County \_\_\_\_\_ 1702 Quarrier Street  
**Messenger and Janitor:** Calep Lenard, Kanawha County \_\_\_\_\_ Chesapeake

**Accounting Department**

**Chief Accountant:** J. Donald Murray, Kanawha County.

**Accountants:** W. F. Barnes, Kanawha County.

Leo H. Helline, Kanawha County.

J. H. Brown, Lewis County.

F. T. Burke, Kanawha County.

J. Mortimer Imlay, Lewis County.

W. H. Heermans, Jr., Wood County.

Joseph A. Moreland, Monongalia County.

Guy R. Charlesworth, Kanawha County.

V. P. Russell, Kanawha County.

D. D. Hamilton, Monongalia County.

E. B. Wade, Kanawha County.

Fred T. Schweitzer, Logan County.

Jimmy Cobun, Marion County.

C. B. Barker, Kanawha County.

George R. Heath, Brooke County.

Harry F. Grinstead, Jr., Kanawha County.

John M. Garber, Braxton County.

**Rate Analyst:** A. Byron Carver, Cabell County.

**Stenographers:**

Louetta Biddle Berry,

Kanawha County \_\_\_\_\_ 207 ½ Fifth Avenue, South Charleston

Eleanor Linn, Marlon County.

Mary Burgraph, Kanawha County \_\_\_\_\_ East Bank

**Messenger and Janitor:** John Saunders, Fayette County \_\_\_\_\_ Plus

**Engineering Department**

**Chief Engineer:** Earle H. Morris, Kanawha County \_\_\_\_\_ 843 Edgewood Drive

**Office Engineer:** W. Baker Hall, Jefferson County \_\_\_\_\_ 207 Ruffner Avenue

**Chief-Civil and Research Sections:**

Martin F. Hopkins, Marshall County \_\_\_\_\_ 1715 Quarrier Street

**Senior Civil Engineer:** Wm. D. Kelley, Mercer County \_\_\_\_\_ 1108 First Avenue

**Civil Engineer:** C. Aubrey Ray, Kanawha County \_\_\_\_\_ Pocatigo

**Research Engineer (Civil):**

L. E. Langfitt, Ritchie County \_\_\_\_\_ 1628 Franklin Avenue

**Chief Electrical and Mechanical Sections:**

George R. Wood, Kanawha County \_\_\_\_\_ 305 Jefferson Avenue

**Senior Electrical Engineer:**

Hugh H. Hunter, Berkeley County \_\_\_\_\_ 203 Lovell Drive

**Electrical Engineers:** Thomas R. Cooper, Tucker County \_\_\_\_\_ 3900 Staunton Avenue

J. A. Millard, Brooke County \_\_\_\_\_ 4103 Noyes Avenue

<i>Assistant Electrical Engineer:</i>	
Max N. Goldfarb, Kanawha County.....	1116 Lee Street
<i>Senior Mechanical Engineer:</i>	
V. G. McGraw, Berkeley County.....	876 Anaconda Avenue
<i>Assistant Mechanical Engineer:</i>	
H. B. Brown, Clay County.....	1002 Mathews Avenue
<i>Telephone Engineer:</i>	L. E. Traver, Kanawha County.....
	321 Michigan Avenue
<i>Senior C. P. R. Analyst:</i>	E. G. Terrell, Kanawha County.....
	1608-B McClung Street
<i>C. P. R. Analysts:</i>	Arch A. Dawson, Monongalia County.....
	206 Oney Street
	Willis G. Tetrick, Harrison County.....
	407-A Maxwell Street
<i>Chief-Natural Gas Section:</i>	
H. J. Wagner, Kanawha County.....	1613-A Virginia Street
<i>Senior Natural Gas Engineer:</i>	
B. P. Stockwell, Kanawha County.....	1810 Wehrle Street
<i>Natural Gas Engineer:</i>	
R. H. Lussky, Kanawha County.....	2 California Apartments
<i>Assistant Natural Gas Engineer:</i>	
J. H. Edgell, Jefferson County.....	1627-B McClung Street
<i>Natural Gas Assistant:</i>	W. Richard Patton, Harrison County.....
	312 Duffy Street
<i>Chief Clerk:</i>	L. E. Carter, Summers County.....
	34 California Apartments
<i>Machine Operator:</i>	A. T. Pedigo, Kanawha County.....
	1318 Quarrier Street
<i>Assistant Machine Operator:</i>	H. Melton, Kanawha County.....
	Pocataligo
<i>Stenographer:</i>	Cora B. Whiddon, Kanawha County.....
	218-B Roane Street
<i>Typists:</i>	Elizabeth C. Pool, Kanawha County.....
	3905 Kanawha Avenue
	Freda Barton, Kanawha County.....
	1556-D Washington Street
	Ada Burke, Kanawha County.....
	Malden

### Stream Gauging—United States Geological Survey

#### *Stenographer and Clerk:*

Stella Catlette, Kanawha County.....Glendale Avenue, South Charleston

### Motor Carrier Division

<i>Director:</i>	Mortimer W. Smith, Harrison County.....	2023 Quarrier Street
<i>Chief Clerk:</i>	A. C. Eckstein, Cabell County.....	1724 McClung Street
<i>Clerk:</i>	William G. Strouss, Monongalia County.....	223 Oney Street
<i>Assistant Clerk:</i>	John M. Slack, Jr., Kanawha County.....	3902 Staunton Avenue
<i>Inspectors:</i>	C. Edward Smith, Kanawha County.....	Chelyan
	W. O. Roseberry, Mason County.....	Point Pleasant
	Arthur M. Martin, Cabell County.....	Huntington
<i>Field Men:</i>	O. J. Carroll, Nicholas County.....	Calvin
	Milo F. Cooper, Wetzel County.....	New Martinsville
	Harold Galner, Gilmer County.....	Glenville
	J. L. McFarland, McDowell County.....	Kimball
<i>Stenographers:</i>	Arisba Frazier, Kanawha County.....	1113 Central Avenue
	Mila Carson Dodd, Summers County.....	2 Sidney Avenue
	Mildred Dean Parrish, Kanawha County.....	1715 Quarrier Street
	Betty Ellen Pritchard, Pocahontas County.....	1705 Virginia Street
<i>Typist:</i>	Yvoare O'Dell, Kanawha County.....	315 Jefferson Avenue

## DEPARTMENT OF PURCHASES

### Unit One, Capitol

#### OBJECT

To effect, through a system of centralized purchasing, every possible economy in the purchase of commodities, printing and contractual services for all state departments, schools, and institutions.

### Standardization Committee

(For members, see "State Boards and Commissions")

#### General Administration

*State Director of Purchases:* Fred M. Hawkins, Cabell

County.....Cavalier Apartments.

*Secretary to Director:* Mrs. Mary E. Goff, Kanawha

County.....25 W. 8th Avenue, South Charleston

#### *Departmental Buyers:*

(Food Supplies, Dry Goods and Clothing):

J. H. Smith, Cabell County.....1616 Virginia Street

(Drugs, Hospital and Laboratory Supplies):

R. L. Chapman, Lewis County.....2010 Washington Street

(Road Materials, Supplies and Hardware):

D. T. Rafferty, Lewis County.....1703 Quarrier Street

(Printing and Stationery Supplies):

Jerry Mitchell, Kanawha County.....1127 Lee Street

*Stock Clerk, Printing Department:* Howard Hyre, Wood

County.....1425 Quarrier Street

#### *Stenographers and Typists:*

Hazel Preston, Wayne County.....1516-A Quarrier Street

Grace Jasper, Greenbrier County.....1532 Quarrier Street

Emma Gaughan, Harrison County.....1622 Quarrier Street

Henrietta Leonard.....1530 Lewis Street

Mary Elizabeth Eads, Lewis County.....1712 Virginia Street

Mrs. Bonnie Allen, Gilmer County.....1625 Washington Street

Mrs. Eunice Ballengee Helms, Cabell County.....1521 Lewis Street

Mrs. Genevieve Poe Clower, Lewis County.....1503 Dixie Street

Julia Adams, Marion County.....1521 Jackson Street

Mrs. Florence Pike Eberly, Kanawha County.....1591 Jackson Street

Ruby Reynolds, Barbour County.....404 Ruffner Avenue

Florence E. Dalton, Fayette County.....1551 Washington Street

## THE STATE ROAD COMMISSION

### Unit Two, Capitol

#### FUNCTIONS

The State Road Commission's jurisdiction extends to the construction, reconstruction and maintenance of the 4,800 miles of designated primary roads, and the 29,550 miles of designated secondary roads, and the State Road Commissioner is empowered by law to supervise the fiscal affairs of the Commission to provide for such construction, reconstruction and maintenance. In addition, the Commission registers automotive vehicles, regulates traffic on state roads, regulates outdoor advertising contiguous to its roads, operates state-owned toll bridges, engages in roadside development and maintains a department to supply highway information.

#### Members

Dr. John B. Grove, Grant County; term expires June 30, 1941.....Petersburg

Harlow Davin, Logan County; term expires June 30, 1941.....Logan

Dr. O. W. Burdats, Ohio County; term expires June 30, 1943.....Wheeling

Jos. Z. Terrell, Harrison County; term expires June 30, 1943.....Clarksburg

**General Administration**

**Commissioner:** Burr H. Simpson, Upshur County; term expires  
June 30, 1941.....Holley Hotel

**Secretary:** M. R. Hamill, Randolph County.....806 West Washington Street

**Chief Clerk:** E. Allen Russell, Mineral County.....St. Albans

**Staff Engineer of Office:** Earl W. Campbell, Kanawha County.....506 Glover Street

**Secretary to the Commissioner:** Mrs. G. E. Hale, Hampshire  
County.....Virginia Street

**Information Clerk:** Edith Gates, Kanawha County.....1625 Franklin Avenue

**Record Clerk:** Eleanor B. Barker, Wetzel County.....Spring Hill

**Intermediate Clerk:** Quentin Grose Bullock, Fayette  
County.....308 Duffy Street

**Senior Stenographers:** Kathryn Martin Keeney, Kanawha  
County.....Chesapeake

Esther C. Workman, Kanawha  
County.....526 Second Avenue South Charleston

Joyce Dougherty, Randolph County.....1633 Franklin Avenue

Ruth Thompson Shaw, Boone County.....1705 Virginia Street

Mary Snidow Thompson, Mercer County.....Villa Route

**Supply Clerk:** Fred W. Grabowski, Ohio County.....Elk River Road

**Junior Clerks:** Harry Murphy, Upshur County.....Parsons-Zogg Apartments

Isabel Brown, Kanawha County.....314 Duffy Street

Freeda Huffman, Wetzel County.....110 Bradford Street

Arietta Gillisple, Kanawha County.....Dunbar

**Director of Outdoor Advertising Department:**

**Reporters-Stenographers:** Elizabeth Lloyd, Randolph  
County.....1660 McClung Street

Viola Brockwell, Kanawha County.....301 Beaufregard Street

**Senior Clerk-Stenographer:** Mary M. Smith, Mercer  
County.....1513 Lewis Street

**Chief of Fire Division:** A. Lyle Fleshman, Fayette  
County.....South Charleston

**Chief, Safety Responsibility Department:** George C. Leslie, Kanawha  
County.....1325-A Quarrier Street

**Junior Stenographer:** C. Virginia Beaty, Wood  
County.....2312 Washington Street

**Janitor:** Walter Mayes, Kanawha County.....4 Young Street

**Accounting Department**

**Chief Accountant:** J. G. Midkiff, Boone County.....512 Columbia Boulevard

**Assistant To Chief Accountant:** O. B. LeFevre, Berkeley  
County.....110 Elizabeth Street

**Chief Bookkeeper:** Clarence H. Henderson, Mercer County.....106 Michigan Avenue

**Auditors:** S. E. Young, Upshur County.....1906 Washington Street

Robert M. Hall, Braxton County.....1315 Virginia Street

**Senior Bookkeepers:** H. L. Bowling, Greenbrier County.....308 Duffy Street

John S. Long, Tucker County.....Spring Hill

E. H. Morris, Kanawha County.....Spring Hill

J. R. Dunn, Mason County.....Spring Hill

Robert A. Bratton, Pocahontas County.....907 Kyle Court

A. B. Jackson, Nicholas County.....1507 Lee Street

Woodrow Hardin, McDowell County.....529-B Nancy Street

**Senior Stenographers:** Ellen McCooile, Mineral County.....2226 Washington Street

Josephine Roy, Kanawha County.....4112 Virginia Avenue, S. E.

**Junior Stenographers:** Dora Corley, Barbour County.....1409 Lee Street

Garnett Londeree, Roane County.....LaSalle Apartments

Mildred Brown, Fayette County.....307 Jefferson Street

Virginia Herold, Nicholas County.....307 Jefferson Street

**Intermediate Clerks:** Aida G. Shoulte, Mineral County.....108½-B Morris Street

Ruth Shelton, Clay County.....414 Morris Street

Mildred S. Reger, Gilmer County.....1206 Stuart Street

## Statistical Division of Accounting Department

Senior Statistical Clerk: C. K. Payne, Kanawha County—1601 Virginia Street  
 Junior Stenographer: Nancy B. Larrick, Wetzel County—1528-B Lee Street  
 Intermediate Clerk: Warren V. Wilkerson, Kanawha  
 County—Box 7, North Charleston  
 Junior Clerk: Houston Perry, Greenbrier County—1120 Lee Street

## Automobile Bureau

Registrar of Motor Vehicles: C. J. Powell, Hampshire  
 County—4401 Noyes Avenue  
 Supervisor of Checkers: B. T. Mitchell, Monroe County—1809 McClung Street  
 Supervisor of Supplies: A. G. Mathews, Jr., Calhoun County—Elk River Road  
 Adjustment Clerk: C. G. Jackson, Wood County—1620 McClung Street  
 Supervisor of Motor Files: C. C. Brinkley, Boone County—1808 Darst Street  
 Senior Clerks: F. J. Massau, Fayette County—923 6th Street  
 Allen Temple, Kanawha County—R. D. 4 Charleston  
 Morgan Bailey, Kanawha County—1217 Charleston Street  
 Ralph Ballard, Monroe County—1809 McClung Street  
 James Leeber, Jr., Raleigh County—418 Carolina Street  
 W. M. Abbot, Kanawha County—29th and Hart Streets  
 Claude Saunders, Kanawha County—210 Joseph Street  
 Intermediate Clerks: N. S. McClung, Cabell County—6 California Apartments  
 Rhea Kee, Gilmer County—1532 Quarrier Street  
 Lucille Wood, Kanawha County—1598-H Washington Apartments  
 Cleo Shawver, Fayette County—Riverview  
 Charles F. Berlin, Raleigh County—4807 Venable Avenue  
 Mrs. Laura Payne Lewis, Kanawha County—26 Brooks Street  
 Eileen Burke, Hampshire County—1316 Quarrier Street  
 Robert Dan Walker, Kanawha County—1427 Sixth Avenue  
 Mrs. William Salzgeber, Mercer County—403 Nancy Street  
 Mrs. Warden B. Martin, Cabell County—306-A Duffy Street  
 Arnold Beane, Kanawha County—139 Costello Street  
 Junior Clerks: Mamie Berry, Braxton County—2 Broad Street  
 Hope Simmons Cox, Roane County—3 California Apartments  
 Helen F. Barnett, Roane County—1806 Wehrle Avenue  
 Ethel Doyle, Randolph County—405½ Elizabeth Street  
 Veda Kelly, Kanawha County—2006½ Quarrier Street  
 Maude Schoonover, Tucker County—303 LaSalle Apartments  
 Agnes Craig, Lewis County—1908 Washington Street  
 Helen M. Link, Jefferson County—1318½ Quarrier Street  
 Clida Surbaugh, Kanawha County—207 E. Washington Street  
 Rebecca Salmond, Kanawha County—1314 Bridge Road  
 Grayce M. Hughart, Marshall County—1701 Darst Street  
 Nan Jones, Kanawha County—Malden  
 Sylvia Elkins, Boone County—200 Aletha Street  
 Helen Nease, Kanawha County—1314 Bridge Avenue  
 Hazel Artis Webb, Mingo County—1586 Washington Street  
 Mrs. Helen Payne, Berkeley County—1633 Franklin Avenue  
 Helen Chancey, Kanawha County—1618 Bigley Avenue  
 Doris Jester, Hancock County—1621-B Quarrier Street  
 Lella Parsons, Kanawha County—847 Maple Road  
 Dorothy Winkler, Kanawha County—1567½ Lee Street  
 Jennie Skaff, Kanawha County—513 Donnally Street  
 John Arbuckle, Kanawha County—505 Greenbrier Street  
 Jane Ballard, Greenbrier County—25 Maple Terrace  
 Imogene Bussey, Marion County—212 Oney Street  
 Nell Byrne, Brooke County—1551 Lewis Street  
 Carrie Casto, Kanawha County—1808 Darst Street  
 Evelyn Christian, Fayette County—1557 Lee Street  
 Evelyn Dearlen, Kanawha County—Reed

	Leerese Haddad, Kanawha County.....	411 Ross Street
	Mary F. McDowell, Kanawha County.....	234 5th Avenue
	Marshall McNeer, Monroe County.....	1 Kirby Street
	Mrs. Mary Meador, Kanawha County.....	312 15th Street, S. E.
	H. T. Riddick, Mercer County.....	1316 Kanawha Street
	Adaline Riddleberger, Kanawha County.....	1331 Virginia Street
	Mrs. Anna Rippetoe, Kanawha County.....	2217 Washington Street
	Irma Schaffer, Kanawha County.....	1012 Valley Road, Edgewood
	Janet Wright, Kanawha County.....	404 Wyoming Street
	Jean Zirk, Hardy County.....	305 Aracoma Apartments
<i>Graphotype Operators:</i>	Roseline Cassis, Kanawha County.....	232 Truslow Street
	Bertha Mae Nelson, Kanawha County.....	9 Moores Court
	Lucille White, Kanawha County.....	Malden
	Billie Wright, Putnam County.....	1633 Franklin Avenue
	Oma Neeley, Summers County.....	315 Jefferson Street
	Lucille Dooley, Kanawha County.....	1704 Quarrier Street
<i>Senior Stenographers:</i>	Mary Keller, Ohio County.....	1575 Virginia Street
	Luclinda Baldwin, Monongalia County.....	5 California Apartments
<i>Junior Stenographers:</i>	Mary E. Brown, Randolph County.....	1213 Lee Street
	Ethel Queen Floyd, Braxton County.....	328 Tremont Avenue
	Leota Hardman, Roane County.....	2222 Washington Street
	Olga Howard, Kanawha County.....	1599 1/2 Washington Street
	Nelle Gray, Nicholas County.....	1318 Quarrier Street
	Mary Nutter, Boone County.....	900-B Thompson Street
	Selma Jaffee, Kanawha County.....	529 1/2 Nancy Street

### Toll Bridge Division

(Under Supervision of Chief Clerk)

<i>Junior Bookkeeper:</i>	Effie Lacy, Kanawha County.....	Bownemont
<i>Senior Clerk:</i>	Leona Betty Early, Monroe County.....	2006 Quarrier Street
	Roger A. Young, Kanawha County.....	1706 Virginia Street

### \*Engineering Division

#### Construction

<i>State Construction Engineer:</i>	E. N. Blackwood, Kanawha County.	
<i>Construction Engineers:</i>	C. M. Binford, Cabell County.	
	F. D. McEnteer, Harrison County.....	Clarksburg
	G. W. McAlpin, Mason County.	
	B. D. Johnson, Mineral County.....	Elkins
<i>Assistants to State Construction Engineer:</i>	L. B. White, Kanawha County.	
	Harry McGraw, Brooke County.....	Follansbee
<i>Reporter-Stenographer:</i>	Louise Dillon, Greenbrier County.	
<i>Senior Stenographers:</i>	Opal M. Wolfe, McDowell County.	
	Cornelia Sterrett, Mason County.	
<i>Intermediate Stenographer:</i>	Blanche Timbers, Kanawha County.	
<i>Resident Engineer:</i>	E. W. Ripley, Kanawha County.....	1336 Wilson Street
<i>Junior Engineers:</i>	P. V. Bonnett, Cabell County.....	1336 Wilson Street
	C. H. Cotts, Monongalia County.....	1336 Wilson Street
	Lee F. Brooks, Kanawha County.....	1336 Wilson Street
	Phillip Konrad, Kanawha County.....	1336 Wilson Street
	M. C. Bailey, Kanawha County.....	1336 Wilson Street
<i>Junior Stenographer:</i>	Edna Dunaway, Kanawha County.	
<i>Resident Engineer:</i>	Howard A. Levering, Wayne County.....	Huntington
<i>Junior Engineers:</i>	F. W. Kennedy, Cabell County.....	Huntington
	J. A. Blankenship, Cabell County.....	Huntington
<i>Senior Stenographer:</i>	Beulah M. Slinnock, Cabell County.....	Huntington
<i>Resident Engineer:</i>	J. H. Lentz, Wood County.....	Parkersburg
<i>Junior Engineers:</i>	T. A. Thompson, Pleasants County.....	Parkersburg
	O. S. Rhodes, Jackson County.....	Parkersburg

\*All offices 1340 Wilson Street, except as otherwise indicated.

*Senior Stenographer:* Wilma Miller, Putnam County.....Parkersburg  
*Resident Engineer:* A. L. Bouton, Monongalia County.....Clarksburg  
*Junior Engineer:* C. A. Rothrock, Wood County.....Clarksburg  
*Senior Stenographer:* Ruth K. Wetzel, Harrison County.....Clarksburg  
*Resident Engineer:* C. R. Nuzum, Harrison County.....Keyser  
*Junior Engineer:* T. J. Pfeifer, Mineral County.....Keyser  
*Intermediate Stenographer:* Irene Stemple, Mineral County.....Keyser  
*Resident Engineer:* W. C. Dick, Marshall County.....Moundsville  
*Junior Engineer:* Chas. J. Kaltenbach, Ohio County.....Moundsville  
*Senior Stenographer:* Mary B. Richey, Brooke County.....Moundsville  
*Resident Engineer:* Frank Baritell, Monongalia County.....Weston  
*Junior Stenographer:* Nellie Bassel, Lewis County.....Weston  
*Resident Engineer:* J. D. Jordan, Randolph County.....Elkins  
*Junior Engineer:* E. K. Bowman, Webster County.....Elkins  
*Junior Stenographer:* Kathleen C. Satterfield, Randolph County.....Elkins  
*Resident Engineer:* M. H. Stickler, Fayette County.....Lewisburg  
*Junior Engineers:* B. O. Lilly, Summers County.....Lewisburg  
                   J. N. Wallace, Nicholas County.....Lewisburg  
                   Wilson Ward, Clay County.....Lewisburg  
*Intermediate Stenographer:* Lena Loudermilk, Greenbrier County.....Lewisburg  
*Resident Engineer:* Chas. H. Boggs, Ritchie County.....Princeton  
*Junior Engineers:* A. Scott Blankenship, McDowell County.....Princeton  
                   Glen T. Lowe, McDowell County.....Princeton  
*Junior Stenographer:* Mrs. Lena T. Jones, Mercer County.....Princeton

#### \*Department of Contracts

*Office Engineer:* Geo. H. Hill, Mercer County.  
*Junior Engineer:* D. D. Teets, Upshur County.....Capitol Building  
*Statistical Clerk:* Boyd E. Hornor, Jr., Harrison County.  
*Senior Auditor:* E. E. Given, Kanawha County.  
*Intermediate Account Clerk:* Leighton Lair, Kanawha County.  
*Intermediate Stenographers:* Irene Salisbury, Kanawha County.  
                   Sallie C. Caperton, Kanawha County.  
*Junior Stenographer:* Mary Feather, Marion County.

#### Department of Plans and Surveys

*Engineer Plans and Surveys:* L. C. Madden, Ohio County.  
*Senior Engineers:* J. R. Akins, Wetzel County.  
                   Wm. C. Fisher, Monongalia County.  
                   Stanley P. Freeman, Monongalia County.  
*Junior Engineers:* Robert R. Anderson, Kanawha County.  
                   O. A. Trout, Wood County.  
*Intermediate Stenographer:* Jaunita Mullens, Roane County.

#### Department of Tests

##### Morgantown

*Materials Engineer:* Fred A. Davis, Monongalia County.  
*Assistant Materials Engineer:* A. M. Miller, Monongalia County.  
*Senior Engineer:* T. J. Cochrane, Monongalia County.  
*Laboratory Superintendent:* G. K. Simmons, Monongalia County.  
*Senior Stenographers:* Edna Hare, Monongalia County.  
                   Mary E. Sullivan, Monongalia County.  
*Junior Stenographer:* Hazel B. Sisler, Monongalia County.

#### Bridge Department

*Bridge Engineer:* L. L. Jemison, Tyler County.  
*Assistant Bridge Engineer:* C. L. Lewis, Kanawha County.

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*Senior Engineers:* A. A. Brown, Kanawha County.

P. W. Early, Greenbrier County.

James B. Lorentz, Braxton County.

W. L. Cottle, Jr., Monongalia County.

*Junior Engineers:* C. S. Carden, Kanawha County.

Paul C. Vickers, Kanawha County.

*Intermediate Stenographer:* Ruth Field, Kanawha County.

#### \*Maintenance Division

*State Maintenance Engineer:* E. L. Worthington, Greenbrier County.

*Senior Engineer:* Harry Radcliffe, Summers County.

*Assistant to State Maintenance Engineer:* C. D. Shahan, Monongalia County.

*Senior Stenographers:* Mary E. Hall, Kanawha County.

May C. Larrick, Wetzel County.

Maye Baxa, Upshur County.

#### Department of Information

*Chief Department of Information:* Mrs. Lois P. Ford, Kanawha County.

*Senior Stenographer:* James Deane, Kanawha County.

#### Department of Roadside Development

*Supervisor of Roadside Development:* Maurice A. Mendel, Greenbrier County.

#### Department of Auto Tags and Road Signs

##### Tag Plant: Nitro

*Superintendent:* Albert M. Harmon, Putnam County..... Nitro

#### Department of Equipment and Supplies

*General Superintendent of Equipment and Supplies:* E. J. McClaskey, Ritchie County.

*General Superintendent of Equipment:* C. E. Leinweber, Ohio County.

*Assistant Superintendent of Equipment:* Sylvester Mazzella, Webster County.

*Requisition Supervisor:* John C. Board, Kanawha County.

*Intermediate Stenographer:* Emily Kincaid, Lewis County.

#### Administrative Assistant

*Administrative Assistant:* Dice Harper, Randolph County.

*Secretary to Administrative Assistant:* Lola West, Braxton County.

*Intermediate Account Clerk:* Ella White Kliger, Kanawha County.

*Intermediate Clerk:* Mrs. Anna Neff, Randolph County.

*Intermediate Typists:* Mrs. Virgie Lude, Kanawha County.

Mrs. Martha McClung, Kanawha County.

*Junior Account Clerk:* William A. Woods, Fayette County.

#### Prison Labor Division

(Harman)

*Prison Labor Engineer:* F. Y. Hornor, Marlon County.

*Secretary to Prison Labor Engineer:* Mrs. Ann Rady, Harrison County.

*Superintendent of Prison Labor:* Hunter Wethered, Webster County.

*Equipment Superintendent:* Hugh Hedrick, Pendleton County.

*District Clerk:* D. O. Evans, Harrison County.

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**\*Highway Planning Division****(Professional Buildings)**

*Division Engineer:* Thos. B. Pringle, Kanawha County.  
*Senior Statistician:* W. R. Dunman, Wyoming County.  
*Senior Statistical Clerk:* Cline T. Jackson, McDowell County.  
*Junior Engineer:* B. M. Higginbotham, Monongalia County.  
*Senior Stenographer:* Bettie Taylor, Pocahontas County.  
*Junior Clerk:* Dorothy D. Donnally, Kanawha County.

**Right of Way Division**

*State Right of Way Agent:* Ross J. Leader, Randolph County.  
*Right of Way Auditor:* W. E. Thomas, Kanawha County.  
*Senior Stenographers:* Eva Petrey, Raleigh County.  
 Mary Elizabeth Fitzwater, Nicholas County.  
*Assistant Right of Way Agents:* Arden Trickett, Preston County.  
 Henry W. Early, Lewis County.

**District Road Offices**

<i>District</i>	<i>City</i>	<i>District Engineer</i>	<i>Right of Way Agent</i>
No. 1	Charleston	Ray Cavendish	W. H. Bell
No. 2	Huntington	J. N. Smith	Ray E. Smith
No. 3	Parkersburg	Robb Gover	Carl J. Knotts
No. 4	Clarksburg	C. L. Churchill	Glenn E. Shaver
No. 5	Keyser	W. H. Schimmel	H. M. Shawen
No. 6	Moundsville	John B. Archer	C. A. Newman
No. 7	Weston	Fred Lewis	O. L. Given
No. 8	Elkins	Frank Baxter	Arnold R. Morton
No. 9	Lewisburg	C. L. Hundley	Alton P. Yeater
No. 10	Princeton	L. R. Taylor	H. F. Day

**STATE SINKING FUND COMMISSION****Main Unit, Capitol****OBJECT AND FUNCTIONS**

The State Sinking Fund Commission is charged with the administration of interest and sinking funds created to service the bond issues of the State and each subdivision thereof, the proceeds of all local levies for debt purposes being remitted to the Commission for investment and disbursement to take care of interest coupons and maturities of each particular bond issue.

**Members**

*Chairman:* Ernest K. James, Tax Commissioner,  
 Kanawha County \_\_\_\_\_ 5 Manor Place  
*Secretary:* William S. O'Brien, Secretary of State,  
 Upshur County \_\_\_\_\_ 2212 Washington Street  
 Edgar B. Sims, Auditor, Harrison County \_\_\_\_\_ 4100 Staunton Avenue  
 R. E. Talbott, Treasurer, Barbour County \_\_\_\_\_ 2410 Kanawha Street

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### Administration

*Assistant Secretary:* J. A. Dickson .....2301 Washington Street  
*Chief Accountant:* O. R. Shreve, Harrison County.....No. 4 Straughan Court  
*Senior Bookkeeper:* Herbert Marsh, Barbour County.....1712 Darst Street  
*Senior Stenographer:* Mildred Smith, Lewis County.....1706 Virginia Street

## STATE TAX COMMISSIONER

Unit One, Capitol

### DUTIES

The Tax Commissioner is charged with the collection of all state taxes on licenses, privileges and incomes; enforces laws relating to assessment and collection of all state, county, district and municipal property taxes; assists the Board of Public Works in matters of assessment and revenue; and supervises, inspects and audits the accounts and records of all public offices in the state.

### General Administration

*Tax Commissioner:* Ernest K. James, Kanawha County;  
 term expires February 28, 1941.....5 Manor Place  
*Assistants:* Flossie Dyer, Webster County.....1527 Quarrier Street  
 E. A. Hansbarger, Mingo County.....1637 Quarrier Street  
*Consultant:* E. A. Dover, Kanawha County.....Buena Vista Place  
*Research Assistant:* J. Ross Hunter, Kanawha County.....1571 Quarrier Street  
*Secretaries:*  
 Ruth Mary Thompson, (James), Putnam County...2018 Kanawha Street  
 Martha Hill, (Dyer), Pocahontas County.....1542 Washington Street  
 Ruth Crosson, (Hansbarger), Wayne County.....2030 Kanawha Street  
*Stenographer:* Esther Richardson, Nicholas County.....856 Mathews Avenue  
*Supervisor, Mail Division:* Julia Green,  
 Kanawha County.....1542 Washington Street  
*Mail Clerk and Messenger:* Spencer R. Roberts, Marlon County...714 Young Street  
*Supply Clerk:* Stephen H. Perry, Kanawha County.....1715 Piedmont Road

### Accounting Division

*Supervisor Office Auditors:* Thomas J. Osborne,  
 Greenbrier County.....403 Park Avenue  
*Office Auditors:* Homer A. Moss, Putnam County.....Hurricane  
 Karl L. Henderson, Kanawha County.....24 Hillcrest Drive  
 E. R. Milligan, Kanawha County.....740 Madison Street  
 George O'Leary, Mercer County.....4000 Venable Avenue  
 Robert Ewing, Ohio County.....1634 Franklin Avenue  
*Supervisor Field Auditors:* C. H. Koontz, Wyoming County.....1567 Lee Street  
*Field Auditors:* R. U. Adams, Tyler County.....Sistersville  
 A. Brown, Nicholas County.....Glenville  
 G. T. Brown, Wood County.....Parkersburg  
 L. G. Burns, Greenbrier County.....Crawley  
 C. C. Campbell, Monroe County.....Clarksburg  
 C. C. Clendenin, Pocahontas County.....Marlinton  
 E. H. Cochran, Marshall County.....Moundsville  
 W. S. Dunkle, Pendleton County.....Charleston  
 D. L. Gainer, Calhoun County.....Charleston  
 Aaron H. Gum, Braxton County.....Frametown

E. O. Harrah, Kanawha County	Charleston
Wallace Hefner, Braxton County	Burnsville
E. L. Hill, Hancock County	New Cumberland
H. G. Hodges, Upshur County	Buckhannon
C. F. Johnson, Fayette County	Ansted
F. G. Jolliffe, Marshall County	McMechen
Mirth H. Kuhl, Harrison County	Clarksburg
James Martin, Cabell County	Huntington
Paul Noel, McDowell County	Pratt
C. N. Puffenbarger, Mercer County	Charleston
C. A. Riley, Cabell County	Huntington
Roy G. Romine, Doddridge County	Morgansville
C. A. Templeton, Summers County	Hinton
<i>Secretary:</i> Elizabeth I. Williams, (Koontz), Raleigh County	501 Thompson Street
<i>Stenographers:</i> Margaret Culliney, Mercer County	1511 ½ Quarrier Street
Hazel Martin, Kanawha County	1705 Piedmont Road
Miriam Rubin, Kanawha County	1506 Virginia Street

### Addressograph Division

<i>Supervisor:</i> Ruth Frazer, Mercer County	1533 Quarrier Street
<i>Clerk:</i> T. G. Clarke, Kanawha County	1026 Glen Road

### Assessment and Levy Division

<i>Supervisor:</i> Howard J. Gibson, Preston County	Elk River Road
<i>Statisticians:</i> Frank R. Hickman, Tyler County	4 Hubbard Court
Lyle Hoffman, Putnam County	11 Hubbard Court
<i>Special Field Deputies:</i> V. R. Krueger, Ohio County	418 Broad Street
J. L. Van Verth, Cabell County	Huntington
<i>Secretary:</i> Alma Greenlee, Kanawha County	1703 Darst Street
<i>Stenographer:</i> Katherine Bartholomew, Pocahontas County	St. Albans

### Beer Division

<i>Supervisor:</i> James P. Mace, Webster County	1517-B Lee Street
<i>Auditor:</i> E. S. White, Kanawha County	717 Beech Avenue
<i>Secretary:</i> Mamie Johnston, Randolph County	703 ½ Grace Avenue
<i>Stenographer:</i> Virginia O'Dell, Braxton County	Welton Apartments

### Cashier's Division

<i>Cashier:</i> G. R. Powell, Pleasants County	916 Garden Street
<i>Assistant Cashier:</i> Joseph Popp, Kanawha County	4 Sidney Avenue
<i>Clerks:</i> Etta Chenoweth, Calhoun County	41 California Apartments
Miriam Carroll, Kanawha County	1563 Virginia Street
Vergie Gibson, Kanawha County	1111 Quarrier Street
<i>Journal Machine Operators:</i> Virginia Campbell, Kanawha County	816 ½ W. Washington Street
Margaret Kingan, Mercer County	1703 Darst Street
<i>Mimcograph Operator:</i> Louis Farris, Kanawha County	211 Goshorn Street

### Consumers' Sales Tax Division

<i>Supervisor:</i> Noble F. Conner, Kanawha County	1219 Bigley Avenue
<i>Chief Auditor:</i> T. C. Gilmore, Kanawha County	1541 Washington Street
<i>Auditors:</i> Clayton Brittingham, Barbour County	1654 McClung Street
John Wiles, Kanawha County	110 Brooks Street
Fred Ruddell, Wood County	1582 Lee Street
J. E. Morris, Kanawha County	307 27th Street
Anne Crawford, Summers County	1542 Washington Street
Mrs. H. V. Arkle, Ohio County	Holley Hotel
<i>Special Field Deputies:</i> Dean T. Jackson, Tyler County	Middlebourne
James Graham, Kanawha County	Charleston
C. H. Casto, Kanawha County	Charleston

<i>Secretary:</i>	Mrs. Dale Thomas, Kanawha County	111 Randolph Street
<i>Stenographers:</i>	Aleda McComb, Putnam County	1620 McClung Street
	Oveda Maberry, Mingo County	Belvedere Apartments
	Margaret McGee, Putnam County	Hurricane
	Gene Reed, Doddridge County	2406 Washington Street
<i>Clerks:</i>	Nita Kincaid, Kanawha County	1540½ Washington Street
	Alfreda McCoy	1614-B Franklin Avenue
	Maxine Hunter Smith, Wayne County	404½ Duffy Street

### Field Deputies

<i>Supervisor:</i>	Graves H. Perry, Monongalia County	Morgantown
<i>Deputies:</i>	C. R. Burford, Kanawha County	Charleston
	H. A. Cropp, Harrison County	Clarksburg
	C. G. Davis, Hampshire County	Yellow Springs
	Worthy Davis, Gilmer County	Glenville
	R. L. Drown, Cabell County	Huntington
	Phillip Erwin, Marion County	Fairmont
	Waltman D. Gall, Jr., Barbour County	Phillippi
	Bernard Hays, Calhoun County	Arnoldsburg
	Artie Holley, Cabell County	Huntington
	C. E. Jacobs, Brooke County	Wellsburg
	Roy W. Jolliffe, Marshall County	Cameron
	Robert Kessler, Fayette County	Oak Hill
	Sam Lambert, Mercer County	Bluefield
	R. E. McDonald, Lewis County	Weston
	C. E. McLaughlin, Greenbrier County	Lewisburg
	H. P. Meadows, Raleigh County	Beckley
	Edward T. Moler, Berkeley County	Martinsburg
	N. J. Moore, Monongalia County	Morgantown
	M. W. Older, Kanawha County	North Charleston
	Wm. R. Shelton, Jr., McDowell County	Northfork
	Wm. T. Springston, Jackson County	Ravenswood
	Earl Stone, Logan County	Logan
	C. W. Stuart, Wood County	Parkersburg
	Joseph Wagner, Ohio County	Wheeling
	J. H. Weirich, Preston County	Kingwood

### Gasoline Sales Tax Division

<i>Supervisor:</i>	H. E. Dillinger, Nicholas County	123 Monongalia Street
<i>Auditors:</i>	R. C. Ferrell, Mingo County	1567-B Washington Street
	M. S. Lambert, Cabell County	1426-A Washington Street
<i>Secretary:</i>	Wanda Phillips, Raleigh County	East Kanawha Estates

### Gross Sales Tax Division

<i>Supervisor:</i>	Ernest H. Gilbert, Jr., Monongalia County	1125 Edgewood Drive
<i>Auditors:</i>	A. B. Greenlee, Fayette County	1619 Quarrier Street
	Russell Ohlinger, Mason County	408 Carolina Street
<i>Special Field Deputies:</i>		
	G. Herold Berthy, Webster County	Charleston
	Page Hamrick, Jr., Pocahontas County	Charleston
	Victor West, Kanawha County	Charleston
<i>Secretary:</i>	Marguerite Clark, Kanawha County	314 Jefferson Street
<i>Stenographer:</i>	Dorothy Glasscock, Kanawha County	1543 Washington Street
<i>Clerks:</i>	Susan Hoover, Braxton County	1718 Virginia Street
	Nell Bartlett, Braxton County	1902½ Washington Street
	Anna Belle Stack Green, Fayette County	1713-B Quarrier Street
	Bonnie Frame Amick, Nicholas County	Plus
	Violet Lusk, Mingo County	1507 Washington Street
	Della Tabor, McDowell County	9-C Brookland Court

**Income Tax Division**

<i>Supervisor:</i>	Hugh R. Ferrell, Wood County	Dunbar
<i>Assistant Supervisor:</i>	A. C. Tabor, Lincoln County	Jefferson Park
<i>Chief Auditor:</i>	Walter W. Reynolds, Kanawha County	852 Greendale Drive
<i>Secretary:</i>	Mary Holbrook, McDowell County	1713 Quarrier Street
<i>Stenographer:</i>	Mildred Mullen, Wood County	1625 Washington Street
<i>Auditors:</i>	E. B. Parrish, Roane County	313½ Duffy Street
	W. E. R. Bryne, Jr., Kanawha County	1422 Quarrier Street
	Adoline Herrell, Berkeley County	407 Carolina Street
	Eloise Jarrett, Kanawha County	313½ Fayette Street
	Edith A. Hoover, Webster County	Belle
	Eleanor Simms, Cabell County	1317 Virginia Street
	Augusta Barrick, Harrison County	1537A Washington Street
	Almeda Seamon, Calhoun County	1552½ Lee Street
	Irene Starcher, Roane County	404 Greenbrier Street
	Louise Kernan, Cabell County	1620 McClung Street
	Mary Jo Dick, Kanawha County	La Salle Apartments
<i>Clerks:</i>	Mildred Clark, Pocahontas County	406 Ruffner Avenue
	Lyda Day, Kanawha County	Handley
	Annette Evans, Nicholas County	1713 Quarrier Street
	Violet Morris, Kanawha County	Marmet
	Nakoma Grass, Cabell County	1552½ Lee Street
	Mary Courtney, Kanawha County	1119 Edgewood Drive
	Blanche Romine, Harrison County	1613 Franklin Avenue

**Inheritance Tax Division**

<i>Supervisor:</i>	John H. Clifford, Harrison County	404 Duffy Street
<i>Special Field Deputy:</i>	H. G. Willamson, Mingo County	2224 Washington Street
<i>Secretary:</i>	Mary Wunschel, Preston County	1515½ Lee Street
<i>Clerk:</i>	Elsie Q. Wilson, Kanawha County	1631 Franklin Avenue

**DEPARTMENT OF UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION****Unit Three, Capitol****OBJECT AND FUNCTIONS**

The West Virginia Department of Unemployment Compensation was created for the purpose of providing reasonable and effective means for the promotion of social and economic security by reducing, as far as practicable, the hazards of unemployment. Through the establishment of a compulsory system of unemployment reserves, it provides a measure of security to the families of unemployed persons, and guards against the menace to health, morals, and welfare arising from unemployment.

**Advisory Council**

(For members, see "State Boards and Commissions")

**Board of Review**

(For members, see "State Boards and Commissions")

<i>Examiners:</i>	Fred B. Haught, Upshur County	Buckhannon
	Henry Sims, Cabell County	Huntington
<i>Secretaries:</i>	Mary Jane Moore, (Hiner), Ohio County	1204 Lewis Street
	Waneta Miller, (Hall), Kanawha County	South Charleston
	Frances Mearns, (Freeman), Kanawha County	1336 Virginia Street, East
<i>Court Reporter:</i>	Georgia Kee Nash, Tucker County	105 Michigan Avenue

### Office of the Director

*Director:* John S. Stump, Jr., Harrison County, term expires  
December 31, 1942..... Kanawha Hotel

*Legal Assistant:* John H. Fox, Braxton County.....1402 Jackson Street

*Secretary to Director:* Leo G. Palmer, Harrison  
County.....4-AParsons-Zogg Apartments

*Public Relations Assistant:* W. S. Roberts, Upshur County.....415 Broad Street

*Senior Stenographers:* Dorothy Murphy, Kanawha County.....1531 Lewis Street

Dorothy Lory, Kanawha County.....515 Florida Avenue

Eileen O'Brien, Marshall County.....1309½ Quarrier Street

*Investigators:* J. S. Shaver, Braxton County.....Charleston

Richard Amick, Cabell County.....Holley Hotel

### Fiscal Section

*Fiscal Supervisor:* C. M. Mohl, Monongalia County.....3802 Staunton Avenue

*Accounting Clerks:*

Leslie Thompson, Pendleton County.....3414 Virginia Avenue, S. E.

W. H. Ashcraft, Kanawha County

### Division of Unemployment Compensation

*Chief:* C. S. Davis, Kanawha County.....1708 Franklin Avenue

*Secretary:* Talma Baldwin, Harrison County.....1546 Virginia Street

### Office Management Section

*Property Custodian:*

George A. Bettinger, Kanawha County.....3809 Kanawha Avenue

*Receptionist:* Daisy M. Howery, Boone County.....1626 Kanawha Street

### Accounting Section

*Accountant:* Michael F. Breslin, Kanawha County.....1528½ Lee Street

*Cashier:* Paul E. Spurgeon, Monongalia County.....1223 Lee Street

*Field Auditors:* Walter Lawman, Harrison County.....Clarksburg

E. M. Caperton, Raleigh County.....Beckley

Ralph E. George, Harrison County.....Clarksburg

Dorr M. Tucker, Kanawha County.....2321 Washington Street

Oscar B. Conner, Kanawha County.....Clarksburg

W. B. Poling, Wood County.....Parkersburg

### Wage Record Section

*Employment Record Supervisor:* J. R. McWhorter, Greenbrier  
County.....1528½ Lee Street

### Benefit Record Section

*Benefit Record Supervisor:* Isaac McNeel, Pocahontas  
County.....911-B Bigley Avenue

### Statistical Section

*Statistical Clerk:* Richard Jackson, Lincoln  
County.....2005½ Quarrier Street

### Disbursement Section

*Supervisor:* Dudley P. Walker, Kanawha County.....1515½ Dixie Street

### Adjustment Section

*Supervisor:* Ralph L. Ostrander, Kanawha County.....Littlepage Place

## Deputy Supervising Section

*Chief Deputy:* A. H. Reynolds, Wood County\_\_\_\_\_1631 Washington Street, East  
*Field Supervisors:* Walter M. Given, Jr., Kanawha County\_\_\_\_\_Charleston  
 George E. Baker, Harrison County\_\_\_\_\_Clarksburg  
 Fred D. Wolfe, Jackson County\_\_\_\_\_Ripley  
 E. O. Fling, Randolph County\_\_\_\_\_Elkins

## Area Offices

<i>City</i>	<i>Senior Deputy</i>	<i>City</i>	<i>Senior Deputy</i>
Beckley_____	Z. A. Petty	Morgantown_____	*James A. Broderick
Bluefield_____	John Anthony Donohue	Moundsville_____	†Edward E. Koontz
Charleston_____	W. C. Bobbitt	New Martinsville	†Oscar Errington Higginbotham
Chelyan_____	*Ben F. Morris	Northfork_____	*Dewey W. Mentz
Clarksburg_____	James Pickens	Oak Hill_____	†Charles Phillip Renick
Elkins_____	*William S. Hamby	Parkersburg_____	Thomas D. Armstrong
Fairmont_____	Howard E. Woodward	Phillippi_____	†W. L. Morrison
Grafton_____	*J. I. Booth	Pineville_____	†Edna Good Barr Scott
Hinton_____	†Mary Elizabeth Paul	Pt. Pleasant_____	†Albert L. Neale
Huntington_____	James Brady	South Charleston_____	†Carl D. Hopkins
Keyser_____	*Thomas B. Cunningham	War_____	*Joe Ofsa
Kingwood_____	†W. I. G. Harned	Weirton_____	Lloyd Clem Runkle
Lewisburg_____	†John A. Jackson	Welch_____	Nolan E. Isom
Logan_____	Cecil Charles Evans	Weston_____	†Sidney M. Morrison
Madison_____	†John Adam Vande Linde	Wheeling_____	Joseph B. Doyle
Martinsburg_____	Joseph W. Short	Williamson_____	*P. A. West
Montgomery_____	†Ray Richards		

## State Employment Service Division

Offices: 805 Peoples Bank Building

## Administrative Staff

*Chief:* C. P. McKenna, Cabell County\_\_\_\_\_947 Edgewood Avenue  
*Administrative Assistant:* S. Key Dickinson, Harrison  
 County\_\_\_\_\_808 Orchard Street  
*Veteran's Placement Representative:* Charles L. Rolfe,  
 Cabell County\_\_\_\_\_718 4th Street, W., Huntington  
 (Offices: 615 Peoples Bank Building)  
*Field Supervisors:* Walter G. Francis, Logan County\_\_\_\_\_McConnell  
 Thomas E. Jeffers, Kanawha County\_\_\_\_\_Kanawha City  
 Fred D. Knapp, Roane County\_\_\_\_\_810 Garden Street  
*Reporting Supervisor:* Richard R. Zoekler, Ohio County\_\_\_\_\_Dunbar  
*Accountant:* Charles G. Englehardt, Taylor County\_\_\_\_\_1511-A Washington Street  
*Secretary to the Chief:* Marie H. Chafin, Logan County\_\_\_\_\_1586 Quarrier Street  
*Reporting Clerk:* Ray W. Harkins, Kanawha County\_\_\_\_\_1632 Virginia Street  
*Secretary-Stenographers:* Ruth Young Hall, Harrison  
 County\_\_\_\_\_8 Walton Apartments  
 Grace K. Bracken, Kanawha County\_\_\_\_\_1331 Virginia Street  
 Hilda F. Wiggins, Kanawha County\_\_\_\_\_510 Pennsylvania Avenue  
 Helen Hendricks, Mercer County\_\_\_\_\_1326 Quarrier Street  
*Receptionist-Operator:* Fairfax DeBell, Kanawha County\_\_\_\_\_Malden  
*Clerk-Typist:* James E. McClay, Kanawha County\_\_\_\_\_1529 Dixie Street  
*Operator-Stockroom Clerk:* James R. Dunn, Kanawha County\_\_\_\_\_St. Albans

\*Claims Clerk  
 †Clerk-Typist  
 ‡Junior Deputy

## Field Offices

<i>City</i>	<i>District Manager</i>	<i>City</i>	<i>District Manager</i>
Beckley.....	W. W. Vines	Montgomery.....	<sup>1</sup> Jack S. Donnachle
Bluefield.....	Elmer C. Smith	Morgantown.....	<sup>1</sup> Patrick M. Connell
Charleston.....	Arte M. Starling (Acting)	Moundsville.....	<sup>2</sup> Mary J. Rusen
Chelyan.....	<sup>1</sup> Kenneth W. Heyl	New Martinsville	<sup>2</sup> Walter W. Houghton
Clarksburg.....	J. Thomas Lane	Oak Hill.....	<sup>1</sup> Harley T. Marsh
Elkins.....	<sup>1</sup> Edna W. McNelsh	Parkersburg.....	Raymond V. Nolan
Fairmont.....	H. Strader Phares	Pineville.....	<sup>2</sup> Larry E. Dodd
Grafton.....	<sup>2</sup> Stuart S. Whitling	Point Pleasant.....	<sup>3</sup> J. Emory Rayburn
Hinton.....	<sup>2</sup> Fred B. Hedrick	South Charleston.....	<sup>1</sup> John M. Priest
Huntington.....	George H. Gunnoe	Weirton.....	<sup>1</sup> Robert N. Cochran
Keyser.....	<sup>2</sup> Frank Mauzy	Welch.....	<sup>1</sup> John O. Crawford
Lewisburg.....	<sup>2</sup> John G. Hamrick	Weston.....	<sup>1</sup> John E. Fischer
Logan.....	Henry D. Moore	Wheeling Edw. G. Paulovicks (Acting)	
Madison.....	<sup>3</sup> N. B. Underwood	Williamson.....	<sup>2</sup> Charles S. Brown
Martinsburg.....	Layne H. Ford		

## \* STATE INSTITUTIONS

## CHARITABLE

West Virginia Children's Home, Elkins. Established in 1899 by act of the Legislature. Superintendent, Mrs. Olita W. Hooker; Financial Secretary, Mary Harris. Inmates: female, 54; total 54.

West Virginia Colored Children's Home, Huntington. Incorporated in 1900 as West Virginia Normal and Industrial School for Colored Orphans. Purchased by the State in 1911 and name changed to West Virginia Colored Orphans' Home. Name later changed to West Virginia Colored Children's Home. Superintendent, W. B. Fox; Financial Secretary, Nelle Reynolds. Inmates: Male, 30, female, 13; total 43.

West Virginia Home for Aged and Infirm Colored Men and Women, Huntington. Established in 1923 by act of the Legislature. Superintendent, Clayton E. Kimbrough; Secretary, Bernice Ware. Inmates: Male, 33; female, 11; total 44.

West Virginia Training School (Mentally Defective Children), St. Marys (Spring Run). Established in 1921 by act of the Legislature. Superintendent, Dr. R. H. Paden; Financial Secretary, Ralph J. Higgins. Inmates: Male, 66; total 66.

## CORRECTIONAL

West Virginia Penitentiary, Moundsville. Established in 1866 by act of the Legislature. Warden, Leo Callison; Financial Secretary, Mary R. Callison. Inmates: Male, 2,667; female, 80; total, 2,747.

Medium Security Prison, Huttonsville. Established in 1939 by act of the Legislature. Deputy Warden, Frank W. Tuckwiller.

West Virginia Industrial School for Boys, Grafton (Pruntytown). Established in 1889 by act of the Legislature. Formerly known as West Virginia Reform School. Superintendent, R. P. Bell; Financial Secretary, Hazel Meadows. Inmates: 450.

West Virginia Industrial Home for Girls, Industrial. Established in 1897 by act of the Legislature. Superintendent, Mrs. Ava Stanard; Financial Secretary, Eva L. Marteney. Inmates: 234.

<sup>1</sup>Branch Manager

<sup>2</sup>Senior Interviewer

<sup>3</sup>Junior Interviewer

\*For state educational institutions, see "Educational" section.

West Virginia Industrial School for Colored Boys, Lakin. Established in 1921 by act of the Legislature. Superintendent, M. T. Obie; Financial Secretary, S. B. Briggs. Inmates: 96.

West Virginia Industrial Home for Colored Girls, Huntington. Established in 1921 by act of the Legislature. Superintendent, Mary E. Brooks; Financial Secretary, Mary A. Kimbrough. Inmates: 40.

## HOSPITALS AND SANITARIUMS

Weston State Hospital (Insane), Weston. Established in 1858 by act of the Virginia Assembly. Superintendent, Dr. J. E. Offner; Financial Secretary, J. C. McWhorter. Patients: Male, 942; female, 715; total, 1,657.

Spencer State Hospital (Insane), Spencer. Established in 1887 by act of the Legislature. Superintendent, Dr. G. D. Johnson; Financial Secretary, Marian F. Matheny. Patients: Male, 524; female, 392; total, 916.

Huntington State Hospital (Insane), Huntington. Established in 1897 by act of the Legislature as Home for Incurables. Name changed in 1901 to West Virginia Asylum and in 1916 to Huntington State Hospital. Superintendent, Dr. C. T. Taylor; Financial Secretary, M. B. Herold. Patients: Male, 411; female, 524; total, 935.

Lakin State Hospital (Colored Insane), Lakin. Established in 1919 by act of the Legislature as State Hospital for Colored Insane. Superintendent, Dr. E. L. Youngue; Financial Secretary, F. G. Blackman. Patients: Male, 200; female, 181; total, 381.

Welch Emergency Hospital (Surgical), Welch. Established in 1899 by act of the Legislature. First known as Miners' Hospital, then as State Hospital No. 1, then as Welch Hospital No. 1. Name changed to Welch Emergency Hospital in 1931. Superintendent, Dr. F. E. LaPrade; Financial Secretary, Jeannette Scott.

Fairmont Emergency Hospital (Surgical), Fairmont. Established in 1899 by act of the Legislature. Superintendent, Dr. C. M. Ramage; Financial Secretary, Rae Carroll.

McKendree Emergency Hospital (Surgical), McKendree. Established in 1899 by act of the Legislature. Superintendent, Dr. Herman G. Patterson; Financial Secretary, Edith Reynolds.

Hopemont Sanitarium (Tuberculosis), Hopemont. Established in 1911 by act of the Legislature. Superintendent, Dr. A. V. Cadden; Financial Secretary, G. E. Wilson. Patients: Male, 208; female, 261; total, 469.

Pinecrest Sanitarium (Tuberculosis), Beckley. Established in 1927 by act of the Legislature as Rutherford Sanitarium. Name changed in 1934 to Pinecrest Sanitarium. Superintendent, Dr. K. M. Jarrell; Financial Secretary, George W. Ballard. Patients: Male, 186; female, 175; total, 311.

Denmar Sanitarium (Colored Tuberculosis), Denmar. Established in 1917 by act of the Legislature. Superintendent, Dr. S. J. Bampfield; Financial Secretary, M. J. Roane. Patients: Male, 47; female, 40; total, 87.

Berkeley Springs Sanitarium (Bath), Berkeley Springs. State assumed control of property in 1866. Superintendent, Dr. E. H. Willard.

## STATE BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS

### GENERAL PROVISIONS

Under Chapter 30, article one, Code 1931, all boards of examination and registration are governed by the following general rules, unless otherwise specifically provided:

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 certificate 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, 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 1931 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

Okey K. Hayslip, Cabell County; term expires June 30, 1941.....Huntington  
 Carl F. Bauman, Kanawha County; term expires June 30, 1940.....Charleston  
 S. Charles Steele, Marion County; term expires June 30, 1942.....Fairmont

### STATE BOARD OF AERONAUTICS

Created by Chapter 4, Acts 1931; to consist of three members, to be appointed by the Governor for a term of two years, and to serve without compensation; bi-partisan; board to have general supervision and control over all airports and landing fields used for commercial purposes and over all state, county and municipal airports, schools of aviation and all other phases of aerial activities.

#### Members

David M. Giltinan, Kanawha County; term expires June 30, 1941.....Charleston  
 Edward W. Stifel, Ohio County; term expires June 30, 1941.....Wheeling  
 Burr H. Simpson, Upshur County; term expires June 30, 1941.....Buckhannon

### AGRICULTURAL ADVISORY BOARD

Created in 1923; consists of the Governor, the Commissioner of Agriculture and the Director of the Agricultural Extension Division of the West Virginia University, *ex-officio*; board to meet at the seat of government at least four times each year at regular intervals, to consider the conditions and needs of the agricultural interests of the state and to prevent overlapping, duplication or interference of, by or with the work of one department of agriculture with that of the other. (Code, 19-1-9.)

**Members**

Homer A. Holt, Governor, *ex-officio*.....Charleston  
 J. B. McLaughlin, Commissioner of Agriculture, *ex-officio*.....Charleston  
 J. O. Knapp, Director, Agricultural Extension Division of  
 West Virginia University, *ex-officio*..... Morgantown

**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**

Chas. L. Hickman, Harrison County; term expires June 30, 1942.....Clarksburg  
 H. Rus Warne, Kanawha County; term expired June 30, 1939.....Charleston  
 Martin J. Garry, Mercer County; term expires June 30, 1943.....Bluefield  
 A. F. Dickey, Cabell County; term expires June 30, 1940.....Huntington  
 Edward Franzhelm, Ohio County; term expires June 30, 1941.....Wheeling

**STATE ARMORY BOARD**

Consists of the Governor, Secretary of State and State Auditor; duties to approve the selection of all armory sites and plans and specifications, to contract for the erection of all armories, for the purchase of buildings suitable for armories; to have control of all arsenals, armories or other quarters of the national guard, camp grounds and rifle ranges owned by the state; may procure by purchase or condemnation armories, arsenals, camp grounds, etc., when state reimbursed, may transfer title of camp grounds and rifle ranges to United States.

**Members**

Homer A. Holt, Governor, *ex-officio*.....Charleston  
 William S. O'Brien, Secretary of State, *ex-officio*.....Charleston  
 Edgar B. Sims, Auditor, *ex-officio*.....Charleston

**STATE ATHLETIC COMMISSION**

Created under Chapter 3, Acts 1931; to consist of three members to be appointed by the Governor, for a term of three years; bi-partisan; no two to be residents of the same county at the same time; to serve without compensation; the commission to have sole direction, management and jurisdiction over all boxing, wrestling and sparring matches and exhibitions held within the state; to license clubs, corporations or associations to hold such matches or exhibitions and to appoint all referees.

**Members**

Kenna Clark, Marion County; term expires June 30, 1942.....Fairmont  
 Douglas L. Freutel, Cabell County; term expires June 30, 1940.....Huntington  
 Dr. Ward Wylie, Wyoming County; term expires June 30, 1941.....Mullens

**\* STATE COMMITTEE OF BARBERS AND BEAUTICIANS**

Created under Chapter 82, Acts Second Extraordinary Session, 1933; non-partisan; not salaried; composed of the commissioner of health, *ex-officio*, and four other members to be appointed by the Governor by and with the consent of the senate, for a term of four years, one such member to be an employing barber,

\*For administrative staff, see State Health Department in "Official State Register."

one an employee barber, one an employing beautician and one an employee beautician, and one of the four to be a member of the colored race; committee to examine all applicants for certificates of registration, issue certificates, collect examination and registration fees and promulgate rules and regulations covering the operation of barber and beauty shops and schools of barbering and beauty culture.

#### Members

Arthur E. McClue, Commissioner of Health, Chairman, *ex-officio*.....Charleston  
 Willis J. Burke, barber employer, Monongalia County; term expires June 30, 1942.....Morgantown  
 Mrs. Lella Wendell, beautician employer, Mineral County; term expires June 30, 1941.....Keyser  
 Mrs. Myrtle E. Norton, beautician employee, Kanawha County; term expires June 30, 1940.....Charleston  
 Alfred E. Goodwyn, barber employee, (colored), Mercer County; term expires June 30, 1943.....Bluefield

### CARNIFEX FERRY BATTLE GROUND PARK COMMISSION

Created under Chapter 9, Acts 1931; commission to consist of three members appointed by the Governor for a term of four years; to serve without compensation; commission authorized to examine, survey and locate lines for a state park, in Nicholas County, opposite the mouth of Meadow River, said site to include the location of the battery, rifle pits and terrain upon which the battle of Carnifex Ferry was fought in the Civil War; commission is authorized to procure options, contract for the payment of the purchase price, survey and place battle-ground markers at a cost not to exceed five thousand dollars; vacancies on commission to be filled by the Governor.

#### Members

Pat D. Koontz, Kanawha County; term expires June 30, 1943.....Charleston  
 C. A. Goddard, Fayette County; term expires June 30, 1943.....Fayetteville  
 W. G. Brown, Nicholas County; term expires June 30, 1943.....Summersville

### CHIROPRACTIC BOARD OF EXAMINERS

Created under Chapter 20, Acts 1925; consists of the members of the Public Health Council, with the addition of two resident course graduated practicing chiropractors of integrity and ability, for the examination of applicants for license to practice chiropractic; length of term, four years; vacancy filled by appointment by the Governor for unexpired term.

#### Members

Dr. R. E. Tripp, Chiropractor, Marion County; term expires June 30, 1941.....Fairmont  
 Dr. K. A. Rosenberg, Chiropractor, Ohio County; term expires June 30, 1943.....Wheeling  
 Dr. A. H. Hoge, *ex-officio*.....Bluefield  
 Dr. Wm. C. D. McCuskey, *ex-officio*.....Wheeling  
 Dr. W. E. Vest, *ex-officio*.....Huntington  
 Dr. W. P. Bittinger, *ex-officio*.....Summerlee  
 Dr. M. T. Morrison, *ex-officio*.....Sutton  
 Dr. B. H. Swint, *ex-officio*.....Charleston

### 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 the unexpired term; members eligible to reappointment for one additional term; elects own officers. (Code, 30-4.)

### Members

Dr. H. A. Erwin, Putnam County; term expires June 30, 1940.....Hurricane  
 Dr. Nathaniel Barnard, Monongalia County; term expires  
 June 30, 1941.....Morgantown  
 Dr. Henry C. Hill, Kanawha County; term expires June 30, 1941.....Charleston  
 Dr. J. H. Mayo, Upshur County; term expires June 30, 1940.....Buckhannon  
 Dr. L. L. Belcher, McDowell County; term expires June 30, 1942.....Welch

### 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  
 (Vacancy.)

### 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 Capitol 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. W. Trent, *ex-officio*; term expires January 13, 1941.....Charleston  
 Mrs. Mary Bachtler Boyd, Ohio County; term expires June 30, 1945.....Wheeling  
 Dr. S. T. Bird, Mercer County; term expires June 30, 1940.....Princeton  
 Dan N. Mohler, Kanawha County; term expires June 30, 1941.....Charleston  
 Philip P. Gibson, Cabell County; term expires June 30, 1943.....Huntington  
 A. B. White, Wood County; term expires June 30, 1944.....Parkersburg  
 Frank J. Beckwith, Jefferson County; term expires June 30, 1942.....Charles Town

### WEST VIRGINIA NEGRO BOARD OF EDUCATION

Composed of the State Superintendent of Schools, *ex-officio*, the State Supervisor of Negro Schools (secretary) and two members of the Negro race, appointed by the Governor with the consent of the senate; appointees under act take office July 1, 1934, one serving for a term of four years and one for a term of two years, appointees thereafter to serve for a term of four years; salaried; has general control, management and supervision, with the State Board of Education, of negro schools in the state; act abolishes advisory council to State Board of Education. (Chap. 12, Acts 1933; first extraordinary session.)

### Members

W. W. Trent, State Superintendent of Schools, *ex-officio*.....Charleston  
 Ira James K. Wells, State Supervisor of Negro Schools.....Charleston  
 E. L. Powell, Kanawha County; term expired June 30, 1939.....Charleston  
 D. T. Murray, McDowell County; term expires June 30, 1941.....Keystone

### WEST VIRGINIA BOARD OF EMBALMERS AND FUNERAL DIRECTORS

Consists of six members, appointed by the Governor with the consent of the senate; must be licensed embalmers and practicing funeral directors with a minimum of five consecutive years experience in West Virginia immediately preceding appointment; appointees under act take office July 1, 1933, one member serving for one year, one for two years, one for three years, and three for four years each, appointees thereafter to serve for a term of four years; authorized to examine applicants and to license as embalmers or funeral directors or assistant funeral directors those found qualified and to revoke licenses for cause; abolishes state board of embalmers. (Chap. 49, Acts 1933, first extraordinary session.)

#### Members

Earl B. Thrush, Hardy County, *President*; term expires June 30, 1943..... Moorefield  
E. H. Shanklin, Monroe County; term expires June 30, 1942.....Unlon  
John C. Quinn, Kanawha County; term expires June 30, 1940.....Charleston  
James P. Altmeyer, Ohio County; term expires June 30, 1941.....Wheeling  
Newell J. Hayman, Harrison County; term expires June 30, 1941.....Clarksburg  
C. A. Ruttencutter, Pleasants County; term expires June 30, 1941.....St. Marys

### STATE BOARD OF REGISTRATION FOR PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS

Non-partisan; not salaried; self-sustaining; composed of five registered engineers of at 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

John R. Seckman, Harrison County; term expires June 30, 1943.....Clarksburg  
Owen M. Jones, Fayette County; term expires June 30, 1944.....Glen Ferris  
Ira F. Davis, Cabell County; term expires June 30, 1940.....Huntington  
E. H. Venable, Kanawha County; term expires June 30, 1941.....Charleston  
William Wellington Hodge, Monongalia County; term expires  
June 30, 1942.....Morgantown

### FARM DEBT ADJUSTMENT COMMITTEE FOR THE STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA

Committee named by the Governor at the request of the Secretary of Agriculture to assist the United States Department of Agriculture in the administration of farm debt adjustment activities.

#### Members

J. B. McLaughlin, *Chairman*.....Charleston  
J. L. Alexander.....Bluefield  
George L. Hively.....Walton  
J. A. Sydenstricker.....Marlinton  
Clyde Bonar.....Keyser  
L. F. Haller.....Wheeling  
Marvin Watts.....Lewisburg  
R. G. Ellyson.....Morgantown

### 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**Homer A. Holt, Governor, *Chairman*.Edgar B. Sims, Auditor, *Secretary*.Richard E. Talbott, *Treasurer*.**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**

Homer A. Holt, Governor	Charleston
J. B. McLaughlin, Commissioner of Agriculture	Big Chimney
J. O. Knapp, Director of Agriculture Extension	Morgantown
Paul H. Price, State Geologist	Morgantown
H. W. Shawhan, Director of Conservation	Charleston

**\*GEOLOGICAL AND ECONOMIC SURVEY COMMISSION**

Created 1897; composed of the Governor, the Treasurer, 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.)

**Members**

Homer A. Holt, Governor, <i>ex-officio</i>	Charleston
Richard E. Talbott, Treasurer, <i>ex-officio</i>	Charleston
C. E. Lawall, President West Virginia University, <i>ex-officio</i>	Morgantown
J. B. McLaughlin, Commissioner of Agriculture, <i>ex-officio</i>	Charleston
C. R. Orton, Director West Virginia State Experiment Station, <i>ex-officio</i>	Morgantown

**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 West Virginia University; 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**

Arthur B. Koontz, <i>President</i> , Kanawha County; term expires June 30, 1940	Charleston
J. R. Poland, Berkeley County; term expires June 30, 1940	Martinsburg
Wright Hugus, Ohio County; term expires May 31, 1942	Wheeling
John B. Hoblitzell, Jr., Wood County; term expires June 30, 1941	Parkersburg
Harriet French, Mercer County; term expires June 30, 1941	Bluefield
John J. Cornwell, Hampshire County; term expires June 30, 1941	Romney
Robert H. Pritchard, Lewis County; term expires May 31, 1942	Weston
<i>Secretary</i> : C. T. Neff, Jr., Monongalia County; West Virginia University	Morgantown

\*For administrative staff, see "Official State Register."

## PUBLIC HEALTH COUNCIL

Non-partisan; non-political; self-sustaining; composed of the Commissioner of Health, *ex-officio*, six physicians, graduates of a reputable medical school and with five years active practice and one dentist, graduate of a reputable dental college and with at least five years experience in the practice of dentistry; 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 Capitol, 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 laws; 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 as amended by Chap. 2, Acts 1933, Regular Session.)

## Members

Dr. A. H. Hoge, <i>President</i> , Mercer County; term expires June 30, 1941.....	Bluefield
Dr. Wm. C. D. McCuskey, Ohio County; term expires June 30, 1943.....	Wheeling
Dr. W. E. Vest, Cabell County; term expires June 30, 1943.....	Huntington
Dr. W. P. Bittinger, Fayette County; term expires June 30, 1943.....	Summerlee
Dr. M. T. Morrison, Braxton County; term expires June 30, 1941.....	Sutton
Dr. B. H. Swint, Kanawha County; term expires June 30, 1941.....	Charleston
Dr. Norman H. Baker, Dentist, Kanawha County; term expires June 30, 1941.....	Charleston
Dr. R. E. Tripp, Chiropractor, Marlon County; term expires June 30, 1941.....	Fairmont
Dr. K. A. Rosenberg, Chiropractor, Ohio County; term expires June 30, 1943.....	Wheeling

## COMMISSION ON HISTORIC AND SCENIC MARKERS

Appointed by Governor Kump to study historical traditions of the state and to select points of authentic historical interest in order that the same may be suitably marked. Markers erected under Works Progress Administration project in cooperation with State Road Commission.

## Members

H. W. Shawhan, Director of Conservation, <i>Chairman</i> .....	Charleston
Burr H. Simpson, State Road Commissioner.....	Charleston
C. L. Allen.....	Charleston
Roy Bird Cook.....	Charleston
Mrs. Eunice Proctor Perkins.....	Huntington
A. Spates Brady.....	Elkins
Calvin W. Price.....	Marlinton
Tom B. Foulk.....	Wheeling
Carney M. Layne.....	Huntington
Francis W. Daniels.....	Shenandoah Junction
W. Guy Tetrick.....	Clarksburg
T. H. S. Curd.....	Welch

## WEST VIRGINIA COMMITTEE ON INTERSTATE COOPERATION

Composed of fifteen members, five of whom shall be members of the Senate Committee on Interstate Cooperation, five of the House Committee, and five of the Governor's Committee; Governor's Committee to consist of the Budget Director or the corresponding official of the State, Attorney General, and three other administrative officials or employees of the state government; the chairman of the Governor's Committee on Interstate Cooperation to be *ex-officio* chairman

of the commission, and the Governor, President of the Senate and Speaker of the House of Delegates to be *ex-officio* honorary non-voting members; Senate and House members to serve until their successors are designated and each administrative member to serve until the first day of February next following his appointment and thereafter until his successor is appointed; members to serve without compensation; commission to carry forward the participation of this state as a member of the Council of State Governments; to assist officials and employees in the development and maintenance of friendly contact with those of other states and the federal government; to endeavor to advance cooperation between this state and the other units of government; and, to help this state to do its part in forming a more perfect union among the various governments in the United States, and in developing the Council of State Governments for that purpose. (Chap. 15, Acts, First Extraordinary Session, 1936, as amended by Chap. 39, Acts, Regular Session, 1937.)

### Members

#### (Governor's Committee)

John J. D. Preston, Chairman Public Service Commission, *Chairman* .....Charleston  
 Clarence W. Meadows, Attorney General .....Charleston  
 Ernest K. James, State Tax Commissioner .....Charleston  
 Burr H. Simpson, State Road Commissioner .....Charleston  
 H. Isalah Smith, Director of the Budget .....Charleston

#### (Senate Committee)

Byron B. Randolph .....Clarksburg  
 Fred C. Allen .....Marlinton  
 A. L. Helmick .....Thomas  
 W. Broughton Johnston .....Princeton  
 B. Cleo Casto .....Kenna

#### (House Committee)

W. T. Brotherton .....Charleston  
 Orren L. Jones .....Middlebourne  
 Forest L. McNeer .....Hinton  
 J. C. Cooper .....Thomas  
 E. E. White .....Madison

### JUDICIAL COUNCIL

Created under Chapter 71, Acts Second Extraordinary Session, 1933; non-partisan; not salaried; composed of one judge of the supreme court of appeals, three circuit judges, four practicing attorneys and one member of the faculty of the college of law of West Virginia University; appointed by the Governor; not more than two judges and two attorneys to be members of any one political party; three appointees under act to serve for two years, three for four years, and three for six years; appointees thereafter to serve for a term of six years; chairman to be selected by the council from its members; act provides for continuous study by council of organization, rules and methods of procedure in practice of the judicial system of the state; report with recommendations, to be made annually to the Governor, and to the legislature at the beginning of each regular session.

### Members

Haymond Maxwell, Judge Supreme Court of Appeals, *Chairman*;  
 term expires May 9, 1942 .....Charleston  
 J. Harold Brennan, Judge Circuit Court; term expires May 9, 1940 .....Wheeling  
 Jake Fisher, Judge Circuit Court; term expires May 9, 1940 .....Sutton  
 D. M. Easley, Judge Circuit Court; term expires May 9, 1944 .....Bluefield  
 Clarence E. Martin, attorney; term expires May 9, 1944 .....Martinsburg  
 Paul W. Scott, attorney; term expires May 9, 1944 .....Huntington  
 Thomas B. Jackson, attorney, *Secretary*; term expires May 9, 1942 .....Charleston  
 Jesse M. Jaco, attorney; term expires May 9, 1940 .....Morgantown  
 Leo Carlin, professor, College of Law, West Virginia University;  
 term expires May 9, 1942 .....Morgantown

### PUBLIC LAND CORPORATION OF WEST VIRGINIA

Consists of the Governor, as chairman, the Commissioner of Agriculture as secretary, the Auditor as State Commissioner of Forfeited Lands, the Attorney General, and the Director of the Engineering Experimental Station at West Virginia University, with no additional compensation authorized for their services; vested with the title of the state in public lands; may acquire from individuals or the State Commissioner of Forfeited Lands, by purchase, lease or agreement, any lands that may be necessary for the public use; empowered to sell, purchase or exchange lands or stumpage; income to be used for the liquidation of obligations incurred by the corporation, after which all income to be paid into the general school fund. (Chap. 54, Acts 1933, First Extraordinary Session.)

#### Members

Homer A. Holt, Governor, *Chairman*.

J. B. McLaughlin, Commissioner of Agriculture, *Secretary*.

Edgar B. Sims, Auditor, *State Commissioner of Forfeited Lands*.

Clarence W. Meadows, Attorney General.

W. W. Hodge, Director Engineering Experimental Station, West Virginia University.

### 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

Etta M. Roberts, Ohio County; term expired June 30, 1939.....Wheeling  
 Arthur S. Dayton, Kanawha County; term expires June 30, 1941.....Charleston  
 Mrs. Otis G. Wilson, Cabell County; term expires June 30, 1940.....Huntington  
 Mrs. D. E. French, Mercer County; term expires June 30, 1940.....Bluefield  
 Mrs. R. C. Ringgold, Jefferson County; term expires  
 June 30, 1941.....Shepherdstown

### MILITARY BOARD OF THE STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA

Created under Chapter 152, Acts, Regular Session, 1939. Composed of three members, two of whom must be members of the West Virginia National Guard on active duty; four-year term; no compensation except for necessary expenses; secretary to be selected by board; to award West Virginia Distinguished Service Medal and West Virginia Service Medal.

#### Members

George S. Wallace, Cabell County; term expires June 30, 1943.....Huntington  
 F. Guy Ash, Monongalia County; term expires June 30, 1943.....Morgantown  
 William E. Eubank, McDowell County; term expires June 30, 1943.....Welch

### NEW YORK WORLD FAIR COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA

Created under Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 13, adopted by the legislature March 10, 1937; consists of twelve members, composed of the Governor, Commissioner of Agriculture, President of the Senate, Speaker of the House of Delegates, three members of the Senate to be designated by the President, three

members of the House of Delegates to be designated by the Speaker, and two members to be designated by the Governor; commission authorized to erect at the New York World Fair in 1939 a suitable exhibit portraying the advantages of the state, its natural resources, scenic and recreational advantages, its agricultural, industrial, educational and historical features, displaying the highways of the state in order to encourage tourists to travel to and through the state.

### Members

Homer A. Holt, Governor, <i>Chairman ex-officio</i> .....	Charleston
J. B. McLaughlin, Commissioner of Agriculture .....	Charleston
William M. LaFon, President of the Senate .....	Union
James K. Thomas, Speaker of the House of Delegates .....	Charleston
Emma K. Davis .....	Clarksburg
C. W. Martin .....	Charleston
Fred C. Allen .....	Marlinton
Dan B. Fleming (Resident Commissioner) .....	St. Marys
A. L. Helmick .....	Thomas
Mike Casey .....	Huntington
Fleming A. Jones, Jr. ....	Welch
L. Reed Clark .....	Wellsburg

### 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 applicants and register those qualified; to accredit training schools for nurses and to revoke licenses by unanimous vote for cause; elects own officers. (Code, 30-7.)

### Members

Sister M. Zita, Wood County; term expires June 30, 1941.....	Parkersburg
Irene Tobin, Logan County; term expires June 30, 1942.....	Logan
Mrs. Frances W. Bromberg, Fayette County; term expires June 30, 1943.....	Montgomery
Dr. E. F. Heiskell, Monongalia County; term expires June 30, 1940.....	Morgantown
Dr. Arthur A. Shawkey, Kanawha County; term expires June 30, 1944.....	Charleston
<i>Secretary:</i> Mrs. Andrew Wilson .....	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 such certificates for cause; elects own officers. (Code, 30-8.)

### Members

Dr. Noble D. Whitacre, Berkeley County; term expires June 30, 1942.....	Martinsburg
Dr. C. Cole, Cabell County; term expires June 30, 1940.....	Huntington
Dr. Charles C. Wilson, Harrison County; term expires June 30, 1941.....	Clarksburg
Dr. L. G. Stortz, Marion County; term expires June 30, 1940.....	Fairmont
Dr. D. L. Gallagher, Marshall County; term expires June 30, 1941.....	Moundsville

### 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 for cause; elects own officers. (Code, 30-14.)

#### Members

Dr. Robert B. Thomas, Cabell County; term expires June 30, 1941.....Huntington  
 Dr. B. Harwood James, Raleigh County; term expires June 30, 1942.....Beckley  
 Dr. Guy E. Morris, Harrison County; term expires June 30, 1940.....Clarksburg

### 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

Louis Hawkins, Cabell County; term expires June 30, 1943.....Huntington  
 Fred C. Allen, Pocahontas County; term expires June 30, 1942.....Marlinton  
 S. M. Scott, Jr., Preston County; term expires June 30, 1944.....Terra Alta  
 Roy B. Cook, Kanawha County; term expires June 30, 1940.....Charleston  
 C. W. Collins, Wood County; term expires June 30, 1941.....Parkersburg

### 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.....Elkins  
 Dr. C. P. Crawford, Randolph County.....Elkins  
 Dr. George F. Hull, Pocahontas County.....Durbin  
 (Vacancy.)

### STATE PLANNING BOARD

Members appointed by Governor Kump in March, 1935, at the request of President Roosevelt, transmitted through the National Resources Board; board suggests projects in West Virginia to be considered by the Works Progress Administration.

#### Members

W. P. Wilson, *Chairman*.....Wheeling  
 Burr H. Simpson, State Road Commissioner.....Charleston  
 W. W. Trent, State Superintendent of Schools.....Charleston  
 H. W. Shawhan, Director of Conservation.....Charleston  
 Dr. Arthur E. McClue, State Health Commissioner.....Charleston  
 J. B. McLaughlin, Commissioner of Agriculture.....Charleston

Trammell Hollis.....	Martinsburg
Dr. C. R. Orton, West Virginia University.....	Morgantown
Dr. Paul H. Price, State Geologist.....	Morgantown
S. L. Galpin.....	Morgantown

### 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

Charles O. Weissenburger, Mason County.....	Point Pleasant
A. S. Alexander, Kanawha County.....	Charleston
Perry S. Poffenbarger, Mason County.....	Charleston

### 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 Ray Dille, Monongalia County; term expires June 30, 1943.....	Morgantown
C. L. Musgrave, Marion County; term expires June 30, 1943.....	Fairmont
E. L. Lively, Marion County; term expires June 30, 1943.....	Fairmont

### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC ASSISTANCE ADVISORY BOARD

Created under Chapter 1, Acts Extraordinary Session, 1936; consists of five members to be appointed by the Governor, with the consent of the senate; two appointees under act to serve for six years; two for four years and one for two years; appointees thereafter to serve for a term of six years; vacancy to be filled by the Governor; bi-partisan; chairman to be selected by board; compensation of members, ten dollars per day; four regular meetings of board to be held each year; board to study and consider legislation and administration concerning public assistance and serve as an advisory board to the state director.

#### Members

John T. Morgan, <i>Chairman</i> , Kanawha County; term expires June 30, 1942.....	Charleston
A. S. Wilson, Logan County; term expires June 30, 1940.....	Sharples
J. A. Booth, Cabell County; term expires June 30, 1940.....	Huntington
Dr. C. W. Waddell, Marion County; term expires June 30, 1942.....	Fairmont
Tom B. Foulk, Ohio County; term expires June 30, 1944.....	Wheeling

### 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, 1941..... Charleston  
 John L. Hatfield, Monongalia County; term expires June 30, 1941....Morgantown

### 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 workmens compensation fund and assessing the values of public service utilities. (Code, 5-4 and 23-3.)

### Members Ex-Officio

Homer A. Holt, Governor, *Chairman*.  
 William S. O'Brien, Secretary of State, *Secretary*.  
 Edgar B. Sims, Auditor.  
 W. W. Trent, State Superintendent of Schools.  
 Richard E. Talbott, State Treasurer.  
 Clarence W. Meadows, Attorney General.  
 J. B. McLaughlin, Commissioner of Agriculture.

### BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Created under Chapter 88, Acts 1937; composed of five members to be appointed by the Governor; chairman to be designated by the Governor; secretary to be selected by committee from among own members; to serve without compensation, but to be reimbursed for expenses; to meet upon the call of the Governor, and to render advice and assistance to the Board of Public Works in the development of the state capitol grounds.

### Members

C. K. Payne, Kanawha County..... Charleston  
 M. Z. White, Mingo County..... Williamson  
 Herbert Fitzpatrick, Cabell County..... Huntington  
 James P. Heltz, Harrison County..... Clarksburg  
 Carl O. Schmidt, Ohio County..... Wheeling

### WEST VIRGINIA PUBLICITY COMMISSION

Created under Chapter 42, Acts 1939; consists of the governor, Commissioner of Agriculture, State Road Commissioner, Director Conservation Commission, and Superintendent of the Department of Public Safety; to serve without compensation; may appoint secretary and such additional help as may be necessary and fix compensation; empowered to plan and conduct a program or campaign of information, advertising and publicity concerning the scenic and historic attractions, the industrial, educational and agricultural facilities, the natural resources, advantages and attractions of the State of West Virginia, which publicity may include newspaper, magazine, outdoor and radio advertising, both within and without the state.

### Members Ex-Officio

Homer A. Holt, Governor, *Chairman*..... Charleston  
 J. B. McLaughlin, Commissioner of Agriculture..... Charleston  
 Burr H. Simpson, State Road Commissioner..... Charleston  
 H. W. Shawhan, Director Conservation Commission..... Charleston  
 C. C. Tallman, Superintendent Department of Public Safety..... Charleston

### WEST VIRGINIA RACING COMMISSION

Bi-partisan; composed of three members; appointed by the Governor by and with the consent of the Senate; one appointee under act to serve for two years, one for three years and one for four years; appointees thereafter to serve for the term of four years; compensation of members to be fixed by the Governor; principal office of commission in state capitol at Charleston; meetings annually in January and at such other times and places as may be designated by the chairman; commission to prescribe rules, regulations and conditions for horse racing in West Virginia. (Chap. 71, Acts 1935.)

#### Members

Frank Brooke, Jefferson County; term expires March 21, 1942 ..... Charles Town  
 Beverley Broun, Kanawha County; term expires March 21, 1943 ..... Charleston  
 Carl O. Schmidt, Ohio County; term expires March 21, 1941 ..... Wheeling

### WEST VIRGINIA REAL ESTATE COMMISSION

Created under Chapter 127, Acts 1937, to consist of three members to be appointed by the Governor by and with the advice and consent of the senate; bi-partisan; one appointee under act to serve two years, one, three years, and one, four years; appointees thereafter to serve for a term of four years; chairman to be designated by the Governor; secretary to be selected by Commission from among own members; members to receive ten dollars per day for time actually spent in the work of the commission, and to be reimbursed for expenses incurred; commission to supervise and regulate the business of buying and selling of real estate and to have charge of the issuance and revocation of licenses to real estate brokers.

#### Members

Hans Watts, Cabell County, *Chairman*; term expires April 30, 1940 .....Huntington  
 John F. Ferrell, Ohio County; term expires April 30, 1943 .....Wheeling  
 J. D. Woodroe, Kanawha County, *Secretary*; term expires  
 April 30, 1941 ..... Charleston

### STATE BOARD OF SCHOOL FINANCE

Consists of the State Superintendent of Schools, State Tax Commissioner and the Director of the Budget; advises and assists county boards of education and county superintendents in the planning and management of school finances; formulates and prescribes a uniform system of school district budgeting for use of all county school districts; required to approve county school budgets before final adoption by county boards of education; no additional compensation authorized for their services.

#### Members Ex-Officio

W. W. Trent, State Superintendent of Schools, *Chairman* .....Charleston  
 Ernest K. James, State Tax Commissioner ..... Charleston  
 H. Isaiah Smith, Director of the Budget, *Secretary* ..... Charleston

### 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

Homer A. Holt, Governor, *Chairman*.  
 Edgar B. Sims, Auditor, *Secretary*.  
 Richard E. Talbott, State Treasurer.

### STATE SOIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Created under Chapter 5, Acts, 1939; consists of seven members, including the Director of the State Agricultural Extension Division, the Director of the State Agricultural Experiment Station, the Director of the State Conservation Commission, the State Commissioner of Agriculture (all of whom serve *ex-officio*), and three representative citizens to be appointed by the Governor; term of office for citizen members, four years; of first members appointed, one shall serve two years, one three years, and one four years; to serve without compensation, but to be reimbursed for expenses; majority to constitute quorum; authorized to employ administrative officer and other technical experts; to offer assistance to supervisors and coordinate the programs of the several districts; to disseminate information throughout the state concerning the activities and programs affecting soil conservation and to accept and receive donations, gifts, contributions, grants and appropriations from the United States and from the State of West Virginia or other sources, and to use the same for the purpose of carrying on the administrative duties of the commission.

#### Members Ex-Officio

J. B. McLaughlin, Commissioner of Agriculture, *Chairman*.....Charleston  
 H. W. Shawhan, Director Conservation Commission.....Charleston  
 J. O. Knapp, Director State Agricultural Extension Division.....Morgantown  
 Dr. C. R. Orton, Director Agricultural Experiment Station.....Morgantown

#### Members

Col. H. B. Moore, Greenbrier County; term expires September 6, 1942...Lewisburg  
 F. F. McIntosh, Jr., Roane County; term expires September 6, 1943.....Spencer  
 Burton M. Davisson, Lewis County; term expires September 6, 1941.....Jane Lew

### STANDARDIZATION COMMITTEE OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF PURCHASES

Composed of not more than seven members, including the director of purchases, as chairman, and one representative of each of the following: The state road commission, the departments of the state government other than institutions, the state educational institutions, and the state charitable and correctional institutions; members to serve without additional compensation, and, other than the chairman, to be designated by the Governor from among the officers and employees of the state who are best informed with regard to the requirements of their department and of the state government; committee to advise the director and the governor in the adoption of regulations prescribing the purchasing policy of the state, classify the requirements of the state government for commodities and contractual services, adopt as standards the minimum number of qualities, sizes and varieties of commodities and contractual services consistent with the successful operation of state government, and prepare and adopt written specifications describing such standards. (Ch. 76, Art. I, Sec. 13, Acts, 1935.)

#### Members

Fred M. Hawkins, Director of Purchases, *Chairman*.....Charleston  
 Burr H. Simpson, State Road Commissioner.....Charleston  
 Merrill D. Carrico, Member of the State Board of Control.....Charleston  
 R. P. Davis, Dean, College of Engineering, West Virginia University Morgantown  
 Dr. K. M. Jarrell, Superintendent, Pinecrest Sanitarium.....Beckley

### UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ADVISORY COUNCIL

Created under Chap. 1, Acts Second Extraordinary Session, 1936; composed of six members, two to be selected as representatives of employer interests, two as representatives of employee interests and two to represent the interests of the general public; appointed by the Governor, by and with the advice and consent

of the Senate; two appointed under act to serve for a term of six years, two for four years and two for two years; appointees thereafter to serve for a term of six years; members to receive fifteen dollars per day for time actually spent in attendance at meetings of the council and to be reimbursed for traveling expenses incurred; members not to be compensated for more than thirty days service in any year; council to serve as an advisory body to the director of unemployment compensation.

#### Members

W. P. Wilson, Ohio County; term expires December 31, 1942 ..... Wheeling  
 Bruce B. Burns, Cabell County; term expires December 31, 1942 ..... Huntington  
 Brooks Fleming, Jr., Marion County; term expires December 31, 1940... Fairmont  
 S. Austin Caperton, Raleigh County; term expires December 31, 1944 \_Slab Fork  
 J. R. Miller, Kanawha County; term expires December 31, 1944 ..... Charleston  
 (Vacancy)

### UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION BOARD OF REVIEW

Created under Chap. 1, Acts Second Extraordinary Session, 1936; non-partisan; to be composed of three members to be appointed by the Governor October 1, 1937, by and with the advice and consent of the senate; one appointee to serve for six years, one for four years, and one for two years; appointees thereafter to serve for a term of six years; one member of board to be designated chairman by the Governor; members to receive a salary of four thousand dollars per annum and to be reimbursed for traveling expenses; board to hear and determine disputed claims, appoint examiners, organize appeal tribunals, establish procedure for the hearing of disputed claims, and exercise such additional powers as may be necessary for the proper conduct of a system of administrative review of disputed claims.

#### Members

Ralph M. Hiner, Pendleton County; term expires September 30, 1945..... Franklin  
 C. W. Freeman, Cabell County; term expires September 30, 1943 ..... Huntington  
 Grant P. Hall, Kanawha County; term expires September 30, 1941..... Charleston

### COMMISSION ON UNIFORM STATE LAWS

Created under Chapter 5, Acts 1931; to consist of three members, to be appointed by the Governor from a list of seven recommended by the executive council of the West Virginia Bar Association; bi-partisan; to be members of the judiciary or of the bar of this state, in good standing; vacancies filled by the Governor upon like recommendation; to serve without compensation for services, but to receive reimbursement for actual expenses; term of office, four years; eligible to reappointment; to meet at least once in two years at the state capitol and to select from their number a chairman and secretary for the term of two years; commission to promote uniformity in state laws, where uniformity may be deemed desirable and practicable; to report to each regular session of the legislature.

#### Members

J. W. Vandervort, Wood County; term expires June 30, 1943 ..... Parkersburg  
 Clarence E. Martin, Berkeley County; term expires June 30, 1943... Martinsburg  
 George S. Richardson, Mercer County; term expires June 30, 1943..... Bluefield

### 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. D. R. Nickell, Greenbrier County; term expires June 30, 1943..... Lewisburg  
 Dr. H. B. Langdon, Jefferson County; term expires June 30, 1945... Charles Town  
 Dr. G. W. Stevens, Monongalia County; term expires June 30, 1941... Blacksville

### STATE WATER COMMISSION

Created 1933, after Supreme Court of Appeals of West Virginia held unconstitutional Act of 1929, creating State Water Commission (*Danielly et al. v. City of Princeton*, No. 464, January 24, 1933); consists of the State Commissioner of Health, the Chairman of the Public Service Commission and the Chairman of the West Virginia Conservation Commission; duties, to prevent the pollution of the waters of the state, including rivers, streams, water courses, ponds and lakes. (Chap. 6, Acts 1933, Regular Session.)

### Members Ex-Officio

Arthur E. McClue, Commissioner of Health..... Charleston  
 John J. D. Preston, *Chairman*, Public Service Commission..... Charleston  
 H. W. Shawhan, Director of Conservation..... Charleston

### WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION APPEAL BOARD

Bi-partisan; composed of three members, appointed by the Governor; one appointee to serve for two years, one for four years, and one for six years; appointees thereafter to serve for a term of six years; compensation of members, twenty dollars per day; board to meet in regular session, but no more than six sessions to be held during any one year, and no session to continue more than twenty consecutive calendar days; board to review action of compensation commissioner upon appeal by any employer, employee, claimant or dependent. (Chap. 78, Acts 1935.)

### Members

E. F. Holbert, Marion County, *Chairman*; term expires June 14, 1941....Fairmont  
 G. G. Davis, Braxton County; term expires June 14, 1945..... Sutton  
 H. L. Van Sickler, Greenbrier County; term expires June 14, 1943..... Lewisburg

## STATE ELECTIVE OFFICERS 1863-1939

### GOVERNORS

NAME	RESIDENCE	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, 1871	March 3, 1885
Emanuel Willis Wilson	Kanawha	Democrat	March 4, 1885	Feb. 5, 1890
Aretas 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	March 3, 1933
Herman Guy Kump	Randolph	Democrat	March 4, 1933	Jan. 17, 1937
Homer A. Holt	Fayette	Democrat	Jan. 18, 1937	

\*President of the state senate. Served as governor for the unexpired term of Governor Boreman, who was elected to the United States Senate in 1869.

### STATE AUDITORS

NAME	RESIDENCE	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. Scherr	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 18, 1927	March 3, 1929
Edgar G. Lawson	Kanawha	Republican	March 4, 1929	March 3, 1933
Edgar B. Sims	Harrison	Democrat	March 4, 1933	

\*Resigned March 15, 1927; Sam T. Mallison appointed March 18, 1927, to fill the vacancy.

### STATE TREASURERS

NAME	RESIDENCE	Politics	From	To
Campbell Tarr	Brooke	Republican	June 20, 1863	March 3, 1867
Jacob H. Brister	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. Keedall	Wood	Republican	March 4, 1897	March 3, 1901
Peter Silman	Kanawha	Republican	March 4, 1901	March 3, 1905
Newton Oxden	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	March 3, 1933
R. E. Talbott	Barbour	Democrat	March 4, 1933	

## ATTORNEYS GENERAL

NAME	RESIDENCE	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
Romeo 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	Logan	Republican	March 4, 1917	March 3, 1925
Howard B. Lee	Mercer	Republican	March 4, 1925	March 3, 1933
Homar A. Holt	Fayette	Democrat	March 4, 1933	Jan. 17, 1937
Clarence W. Meadows	Raleigh	Democrat	Jan. 18, 1937	

\*Died during term of office.

## STATE SUPERINTENDENTS OF FREE SCHOOLS

NAME	RESIDENCE	Politics	From	To
William R. White	Marion	Republican	June 20, 1863	March 3, 1869
H. A. G. Zeigler	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 K. 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	Upshur	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	March 3, 1933
William Woodson Trent	Nicholas	Democrat	March 4, 1933	

## \*SECRETARIES OF STATE

NAME	RESIDENCE	Politics	From	To
Jacob Edgar Boyers	Tyler	Republican	June 20, 1863	March 3, 1865
Granville D. Hall	Ohio	Republican	March 4, 1865	March 3, 1867
John H. Witcher	Cabell	Republican	March 4, 1867	March 3, 1869
James M. Pipes	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	Marion	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	March 3, 1933
William E. Smith O'Brien	Upshur	Democrat	March 4, 1933	

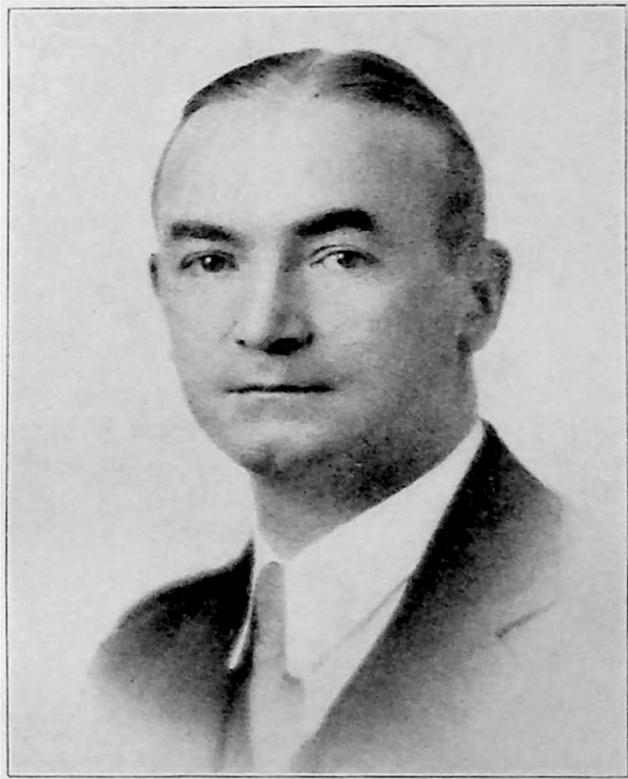
\*Elected officer since March 4, 1905, under provisions of Executive Department amendment adopted in 1902; appointive officer prior to that time.

## \*COMMISSIONERS OF AGRICULTURE

NAME	RESIDENCE	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	Jan. 30, 1931
†Howard M. Gore	Harrison	Republican	Feb. 4, 1931	March 3, 1932
J. B. McLaughlin	Kanawha	Democrat	March 4, 1933	

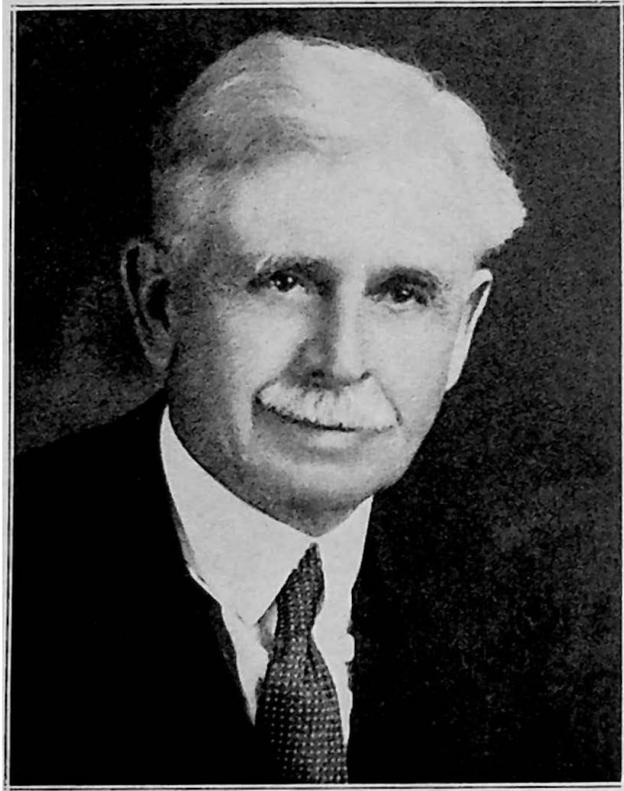
\*Office created by act of the legislature passed February 24, 1911 (Acta 1911, Chapter 35).

†Died Jan. 30, 1931. †Appointed to fill the vacancy caused by the death of John W. Smith.



HOMER ADAMS HOLT  
Governor of West Virginia

HOMER ADAMS HOLT, (D), of Fayetteville, twentieth Governor of West Virginia, was born March 1, 1898, at Lewisburg, Greenbrier County, son of Robert Byrne and Emma McWhorter Holt; graduated from Greenbrier Military School in 1915; graduated from Washington and Lee University, with the degree of A. B., in 1918, and received degree of LL. B. from the same institution in 1923; honorary degree of LL. D. conferred by West Virginia University in 1937; served as second lieutenant in the Coast Artillery during the World War; married Isabel Wood, March 22, 1924; has two daughters, Julia and Isabel; Presbyterian; professor of law at Washington and Lee University, 1923-1925; actively engaged in the practice of law at Fayetteville, 1925-1933; elected Attorney General at the general election in 1932; elected Governor at the general election in 1936.

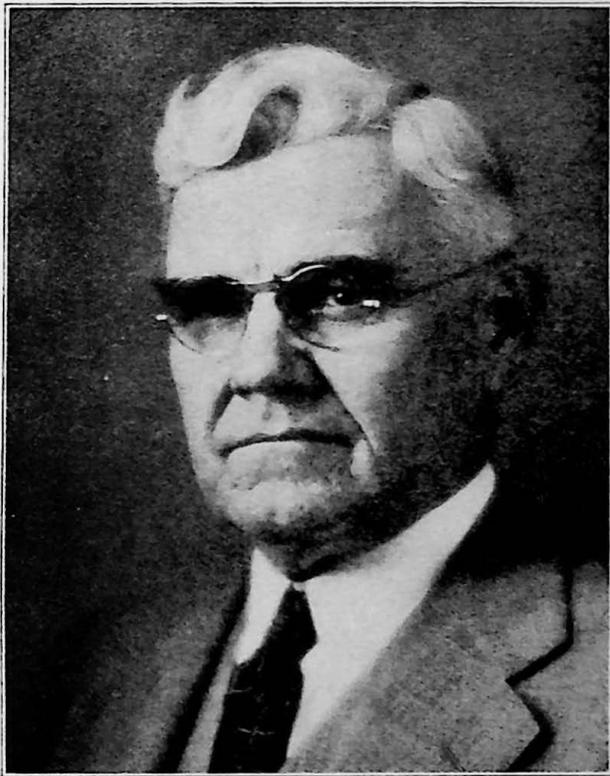


WILLIAM SMITHE O'BRIEN

Secretary of State

WILLIAM SMITHE O'BRIEN, (D), of Buckhannon, was born in Barbour County, West Virginia, January 8, 1862, son of Col. Emmet J. O'Brien and Martha Ann (Hall) O'Brien of the Skin Creek Halls, of Lewis County; moved with his parents to Weston, Lewis County, in 1867; educated in the public schools of Lewis County and West Virginia University; graduated at West Virginia University, 1891, with the degree of B. L.; admitted to practice at the Lewis County Bar; moved to Buckhannon in 1892, where he has since engaged actively in the practice of law; served as captain in the West Virginia National Guards; married October 14, 1896, to Emma White, daughter of A. Perry and Mary Fetty White, of Lewis County; three sons and a daughter; Methodist, Mason and Knights of Pythias; has taught school and served as editor of newspapers; judge of the Twelfth Judicial Circuit, 1913-1920; elected member of Congress from the Third District, 1926; elected Secretary of State at the general election in 1932, and reelected in 1936.

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**WILLIAM WOODSON TRENT****Superintendent of Free Schools**

WILLIAM WOODSON TRENT, (D), of Nicholas County, was born January 31, 1878, near Summersville, son of Thomas Wood and Mary Agnes (McClung) Trent; graduate of Marshall College State Normal School, Huntington, 1902; A. B., West Virginia University, 1912; A. M., Teachers College, Columbia, 1921; Ped. D., Salem College, 1931; married August 5, 1909, to Isabel Carmichael, of Wellsburg; Baptist; Kiwanian; Kappa Delta Pi; Phi Beta Kappa; member National Education Association; teacher in rural schools of West Virginia, 1896-1900; principal high school at New Martinsville, 1903-1906; superintendent Central City schools, 1908-1909; St. Albans, 1909-1910; Davis, 1910-1915; and Elkins, 1915-1926; Democratic nominee for state superintendent of schools in 1920 and 1924; secretary State Education Association, 1919-1927; editor West Virginia School Journal, 1923-1924, and 1926-1927; president West Virginia Baptist State Convention, 1927 and 1928; president Broadus College, Phillippi, 1927-1933; elected State Superintendent of Free Schools at the general election in 1932; and reelected in 1936.



RICHARD EDWARD TALBOTT

Treasurer

RICHARD EDWARD TALBOTT, (D), of Philippi, was born near that city, son of Richard T. and Margaret (Weber) Talbott; educated in the public schools and at West Virginia University, graduating from the latter institution with the degree of LL. B.; married Etta Strickler; Baptist; Mason, Odd Fellow and Knights of Pythias; practiced law for a short time, but engaged in banking for over twenty-five years, having served as president of the West Virginia Banker's Association; member of executive council of American Banker's Association for three years; president of West Virginia University Alumni Association for two years; clerk of circuit court of Barbour County for one term; member and president Board of Education of Philippi Independent School District for twelve years; mayor of Philippi for one term; member of West Virginia Senate, 1914-1918; elected Treasurer of West Virginia at the general election in 1932, and reelected in 1936.



EDGAR B. SIMS

Auditor

EDGAR B. SIMS. (D), of Clarksburg, was born in Roane County, January 29, 1882, son of Benjamin and Susan (Smith) Sims; resided in Wirt County until twenty-five years of age; educated at Glenville and West Liberty Normal Schools; graduated at Ohio University with the degree of B. A.; teacher and traveling salesman; taught school for fourteen years; superintendent of schools at West Union for two years; superintendent of schools, Wood County, 1911-1915; elected Auditor of West Virginia at the general election in 1932, and reelected in 1936.



CLARENCE W. MEADOWS  
Attorney General

CLARENCE W. MEADOWS, (D), of Beckley, was born February 11, 1904, son of Isadore and Ida (Williams) Meadows; educated in the public schools; graduated at Georgia Military Academy, 1921; academic and pre-law work at Washington and Lee University, 1921-25; graduated at the University of Alabama in 1927 with the degree of LL. B.; served in the West Virginia National Guard for four years; married April 27, 1935, to Nancy Ryals Massie; one child—Helen Watson; Baptist; Elk; Moose; Pi Kappa Alpha; actively engaged in the practice of law since 1927; member House of Delegates from Raleigh County, 1931-32; prosecuting attorney of Raleigh County, 1933-36; elected Attorney General at the general election in 1936.



**JAMES BLAINE McLAUGHLIN**  
Commissioner of Agriculture

JAMES BLAINE McLAUGHLIN, (D), of Big Chimney, was born March 25, 1884, at Glendon, Braxton County, son of James Buckhannon and Elizabeth Mary McLaughlin; educated in the public schools and attended Valparaiso College, Indiana; married December 26, 1911, to Allie Ballengee; farmer; Southern Methodist; Mason; member of Future Farmers of America (honorary); Farm Bureau; Alpha Gamma Rho; Wild Life League; extension specialist in rural organization during the World War; organized West Virginia Farm Bureau, 1920, and served as its executive secretary, 1920-1927; promoted and published the Farm Bureau News; organized and served as secretary-treasurer and manager of the West Virginia Farm Bureau Service Company; appointed member of the State Board of Education in 1925 and reappointed in 1931; Secretary, New York World's Fair Commission of the State of West Virginia; Chairman, West Virginia Committee, Seventh World's Poultry Congress and Exposition, 1939; chairman, West Virginia Soil Conservation Commission; member, West Virginia Publicity Commission; elected Commissioner of Agriculture at the general election in 1932, and re-elected in 1936.



WILLIAM LESLIE HORNOR, (D), Adjutant General, was born at Lost Creek, Harrison County, son of Charles James and Attie Louise Hornor; educated at Jane Lew High School and at West Virginia Business College, Clarksburg; Baptist; Mason; member of American Legion; enlisted October 17, 1917, serving during the World War with Co. D, 48th Inf.; first lieutenant Co. E., 201st Inf., West Virginia National Guard, 1927-1936; commissioned captain in March, 1936; married March 18, 1918, to Gertrude Blake Bishop; engaged for years in wholesale grocery business; member council, city of Weston, 1932-1934; appointed acting Adjutant General by the Governor September 27, 1936; appointed Adjutant General, March 11, 1937, for the term ending March 4, 1941.

INNIS COCKE DAVIS, (D), of Logan, State Historian and Archivist, was born in Virginia, daughter of William J. and Charmian Cocke; educated in public schools and at Marshall College; teacher; married to Thomas Boyd Davis, who died in 1935; Baptist; past president of West Virginia Federation of Women's Clubs; member Daughters of American Revolution and the United Daughters of the Confederacy; appointed Chief of Crippled Children's Division, Department of Public Welfare, March 1, 1935, resigning June 1, 1935, to accept appointment as State Historian and Archivist; term expires September 30, 1941.

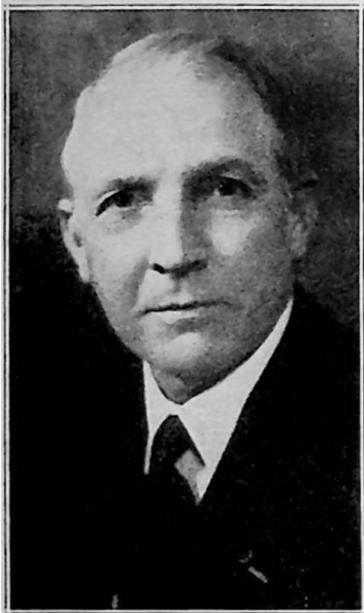




GEORGE WARD, (D), of Mill Creek, Commissioner of Banking, was born September 19, 1894, near Huttonsville, son of Wirt Casselman and Rose (White) Ward; educated in the public schools; graduated from Greenbrier Military School in 1912; attended Washington & Lee University, 1912-15, and Carnegie Institute of Technology, 1915-16; served in Army Air Corps during World War; married November 17, 1920, to Flora Davisson; have five sons; Presbyterian; Sigma Nu; Elk; member of American Legion; employed by Bank of Mill Creek as clerk, cashier and president, resigning in 1934 to accept appointment by Governor Kump as Commissioner of Banking, to succeed W. C. Given, resigned; reappointed by Governor Kump for full term ending March 31, 1939; reappointed by Governor Holt for present term which expires March 31, 1943.

WALTER RIPPETOE THURMOND, (D), of Logan, President of the Board of Control, was born April 30, 1881, at Minden, Fayette County, son of Joseph S. and Bettie (Rippetoe) Thurmond; graduated at West Virginia University in 1905 with the degree of B. S.; married September 5, 1907, to Innis Irene Dils; Baptist; mining engineer; managed and operated coal mines and engaged in civil and mining engineering in southern West Virginia since 1905; Collector of Internal Revenue for West Virginia, 1933-1937; appointed member of the Board of Control by Governor Holt October 21, 1937; term expires June 30, 1941.

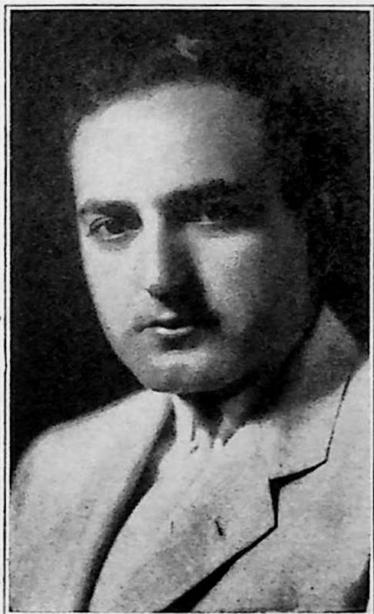




JOIN BAKER WHITE, (D), of Charleston, Secretary of the Board of Control, was born August 24, 1868, at Romney, son of Capt. C. S. and Elizabeth J. (Schultze) White; educated in the public schools; served as captain in company B, West Virginia Volunteer Infantry, during the Spanish-American War and as major and lieutenant-colonel, J. A. G. Department, in England, France and Germany during the World War; decorated by King George V with British Distinguished Order; commissioned Colonel in United States Army Reserves in 1922; Presbyterian; lawyer; 32° Mason; Shriner; Elk; member of American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Army and Navy Club; Order Cincinnati, Sons of the Revolution, honorary member of Middle Temple, Lincoln's Inn, Grey's Inn, Atheneum Club, American Officers Club, London; secretary to Governor MacCorkle, 1893-1897; member, Board of Affairs, city of Charleston, 1907-1911; appointed member of Board of Control by Governor Kump in 1932, and reappointed by Governor Holt for the term ending June 30, 1943.

MERRILL D. CARRICO, (R), of Terra Alta, Treasurer of the Board of Control, was born December 31, 1899, at Baltimore, Maryland; educated in the public schools of Terra Alta and at West Virginia University; Methodist; Mason; Elk; American Legion; was engaged in the banking business for a number of years at Terra Alta; elected to the House of Delegates from Preston County in 1932; appointed member of the Board of Control by Governor Kump, August 3, 1934 for the term ending June 30, 1939, and reappointed by Governor Holt for the term ending June 30, 1945.

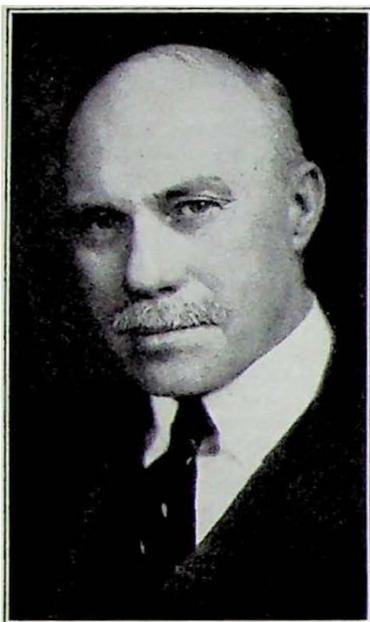




H. ISAAH SMITH, (D), Director of the Budget, was born December 31, 1902, at Scott Depot, Putnam County, son of Gabe and Martha O. Smith; educated in the public and normal schools and at business college; married June 2, 1926, to Lillian M. Rodgers, of Saint Albans; Baptist; Mason; teacher; bookkeeper; engaged in the banking business, 1925-1933; elected to the House of Delegates from Putnam County in 1924; chief clerk, State Treasurer's office, 1933-1934; chief, Revenue Department, State Tax Commissioner's office, 1934-1937; appointed Director of the Budget by the Governor May 1, 1937, and reappointed July 5, 1939.

LAWREN E MAYERS UNNINGHAM, (D), of Fairmont, Superintendent of Building and Grounds, was born July 12, 1887, at Fairmont, son of Robert Lindsay and Annie V. Cunningham; educated in the public schools; graduated at Washington and Jefferson Academy in 190 , at Washington and Jefferson College in 1912, and at Renouard Training School, New York City, in 1916; served as First Lieutenant in the 324th Field Artillery, A. E. F., during the World War; with the Army of occupation for five months; has served two terms as commander of Fairmont Post American Legion; past commander of Forty and Eight; Methodist; Mason; Elk; Phi Delta Theta; in undertaking business at Fairmont; deputy sheriff, Marion County, 1933-1934.





ALBERT G. MATHEWS, (D), of Grantsville, Calhoun County, was born at MacFarland, Ritchie County, on July 31, 1872, son of John James and Sarah Elizabeth (Hodges) Mathews; educated in public and private schools; married September, 1896, to Mattie Thomas; Southern Methodist; attorney, having read law under Captain Abastom Knotts; associated with S. P. Bell, and later with Walter Pendleton, actively engaging in the practice of law at Grantsville, Spencer, Point Pleasant and Glenville; served as deputy clerk of the circuit and county courts; prosecuting attorney of Calhoun County, 1904-1912; president Bank of Grantsville from its organization in 1902, to 1929, when it was consolidated with the Calhoun County Bank, and now chairman of the board of directors of that bank; chairman local draft board, Calhoun County, and inspector of draft boards during the World War; chairman of Century of Progress Commission, (Chicago World's Fair), 1933; elected to the Senate from the Tenth District in 1928, and reelected in 1932, serving as president of that body at the regular and extraordinary sessions of the Legislature, 1933. Appointed by the Governor March 9, 1935, as State Compensation Commissioner to succeed George T. Watson, deceased, and reappointed June 20, 1936 for the term ending May 31, 1941.

HUBBARD W. SHAWHAN, (D), of Beckley, Director of Conservation, was born November 28, 1890, at Cynthiana, Kentucky, son of Hubbard W. and Helen (Musselman) Shawhan; educated in the public schools at Asheville, North Carolina, University of Kentucky, and graduated in 1913 at Biltmore Forest School with degrees of B. F. and F. E.; married April 18, 1917, to Mary Kaye Alves, of Henderson, Kentucky; served overseas in World War with Sixth Trench Mortar Battalion; holds commission of major in coast artillery, reserve corps; Episcopalian; Kappa Alpha; member American Legion, Reserve Officers Association, The Society of American Foresters; member executive committee International Association of Game, Fish and Conservation Commissioners; engaged for two years in forest work in Oregon and served as forest engineer for lumber companies in West Virginia for sixteen years prior to appointment as State Forester; appointed Director of Conservation by Governor Kump in February, 1934, and reappointed by Governor Holt July 5, 1939, for the term ending June 30, 1945.





MRS. MARY BACHTLER BOYD, (D), of Wheeling, member of the State Board of Education, was born in that city, daughter of John and Agnes Bachtler; educated in the public schools; married October 19, 1909, to Robert Lee Boyd; Episcopalian; member of Woman's Club of Wheeling and Oglebay Institute; member Cypress Twig Ohio Valley General Hospital Association; member Woman's Auxiliary, St. Luke's Church; appointed member State Board of Education by Governor Kump, November 21, 1933, and reappointed by Governor Holt for the term ending June 30, 1945.

FRANK J. BECKWITH, (D), of Charles Town, member of the State Board of Education, was born May 19, 1892, son of Frank and L. McD. Beckwith; educated at Shenandoah Valley Academy and at Washington and Lee University, graduating from the latter institution in 1915 with the degree of LL. B.; served in the U. S. Army during the World War; married August 31, 1935, to Margaret Shannon Denny; Episcopalian; Mason; Phi Kappa Sigma; Delta Theta Phi; actively engaged in the practice of law at Charles Town; elected to the House of Delegates from Jefferson County in 1920; member state executive committee of American Legion, 1921; commissioner in chancery, 1920-1935; appointed general receiver of circuit court in 1936; appointed member State Board of Education March 11, 1937, for the term ending June 30, 1942.





STEPHEN TRINKLE BIRD, (D), of Princeton, member of State Board of Education, was born July 8, 1883, at Athens, son of John S. H. and Elizabeth (Vermillion) Bird; educated in the public schools; graduated at Concord State Teachers College in 1904 and at Central University of Kentucky in 1909 with the degree of D. D. S.; served with the American Expeditionary Forces during the World War; married January 11, 1922, to Jessie Lee Perkins; Baptist; Mason; Elk; member American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Military Order of the Purple Heart, American Dental Association and West Virginia Dental Association; elected to the House of Delegates from Mercer County in 1924; mayor of Princeton, 1932-34; chairman Mercer County Relief Board, 1934-36; appointed member of the State Board of Education by Governor Holt July 5, 1939, to fill the unexpired term of Bernard McLaugherty; deceased; present term expires June 30, 1940.

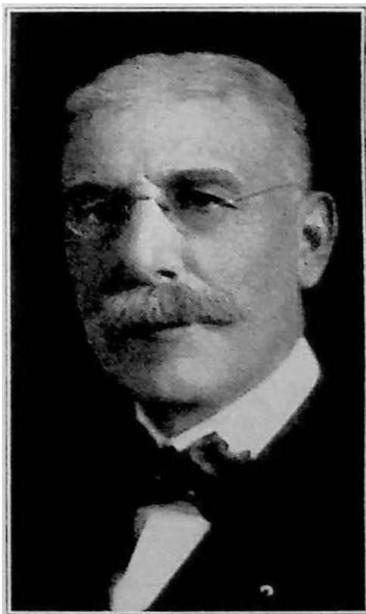
PHILIP PENDLETON GIBSON, (D), of Huntington, member State Board of Education, was born June 29, 1890, in Jefferson County, son of the Rev. John S. and Illecia (Davis) Gibson; educated in the public schools, and at Marshall College; graduated at Washington and Lee University, degree of B. A., 1913, and degree of LL. B., 1915; married September 10, 1929, to Morrell S. Jones; Episcopalian; Phi Delta Phi, Pi Kappa Alpha, Omicron Delta Kappa; engaged in the practice of law since 1916; city attorney Huntington, 1925-28; president Cabell County Bar Association, 1935-36; special counsel for city of Huntington, 1939; appointed in 1935 as member of the State Board of Education, and reappointed for the term ending June 30, 1943.





DANIEL N. MOHLER, (R), of Charleston, member of the State Board of Education, was born January 16, 1892, at St. Albans, West Virginia, son of W. E. Mohler; educated at Fishburne Military School, Washington and Lee University and West Virginia University, graduating from the latter institution with the degree of LL. B.; served in the United States Marine Corps throughout the World War; married January 17, 1920, to Barbara B. Byrne; engaged in the practice of law since 1915, being a member of the firm of Mohler, Peters & Snyder; president Charleston National Bank; appointed member of the State Board of Education November 21, 1933, and re-appointed June 19, 1936, for the term ending June 30, 1941.

ALBERT BLAKESLEE WHITE, (R), of Parkersburg, member State Board of Education, was born September 22, 1856, at Cleveland, Ohio, son of Emerson E. and Mary A. (Sabin) White; educated in the public schools; graduated at Marietta College in 1877; degrees of A. B., A. M., and LL. D.; degree of LL. D. also conferred at West Virginia University; married October 2, 1879, to Agnes Ward, of Marietta, Ohio; served overseas during the World War as Y. M. C. A. secretary and director; Presbyterian; Mason; Rotarian; editor and publisher of daily newspaper for twenty-two years; manufacturer and banker; Governor of West Virginia, 1901-1905; State Tax Commissioner, 1906-7; member of State Senate, sessions of 1927-29; appointed by Governor Kump November 2, 1935, as a member of the State Board of Education, and reappointed by Governor Holt for the term ending June 30, 1944.





DAVID KIRBY, (D), of Calhoun County, secretary of the State Board of Education, was born February 27, 1896, at Grantsville, son of William A. and Clara M. (Kimble) Kirby; educated in public schools; graduated from Morris-Harvey College, 1921, with A. B. degree, and from West Virginia University, 1922, with the degree of A. M.; post graduate work at State University of Iowa and University of Cincinnati; married September 20, 1922, to Vennie Mae Copley, of Madison; Methodist; Mason; Kappa Delta Pi; taught school in Calhoun County, 1913-1914; student at Morris-Harvey College, 1918-1921; professor of history, 1923-1927; professor of education, 1928-1931; head department education Davis-Elkins College, 1931-1933.

DOUGLASS THOMPSON MURRAY, (D), of Keystone, member of West Virginia Negro Board of Education, was born July 6, 1900, at New Haven, Connecticut, son of George Thompson and Katherine (Douglass) Murray; educated in the public schools, at Tufts College and University of Pennsylvania, graduating from the latter institution in 1928 with the degree of D. D. S.; married August 12, 1934, to Ruth Inez Motley, of Kimball; served in the United States Navy during the World War; Episcopalian; Alpha Phi Alpha; actively engaged in the practice of dentistry for the past eleven years; president of Flat Top Medical Association; associate of McDowell County Dental Clinic for Children; member of American Legion and McDowell County Civic League; associate chairman of McDowell County Democratic Executive Committee; secretary City Democratic Executive Committee at Keystone; member executive committee of Young Democratic Clubs of West Virginia; assistant secretary of State Central Democratic Executive Committee; appointed July 22, 1938, by Governor Holt, as a member of the West Virginia Negro Board of Education for the term ending June 30, 1941.





**ENNIS L. POWELL** (D), of Charleston, President West Virginia Negro Board of Education, was born March 2, 1889, at Eutaw, Alabama, son of Charles W. and Addie Hall Powell; graduated at Fisk University, Nashville, in 1917, with degree of A. B.; studied business administration at the University of Illinois; married February 19, 1921, to Vera Bythewood Ford; Baptist; Elk; Kappa Alpha Psi; state manager for Supreme Liberty Life Insurance Company of Chicago since 1923; principal DuBois High School of Mt. Hope for six years; president of Fisk Alumni Association, 1926-1928; Grand Sire Archon of Sigma Pi Phi Fraternity, 1931-1933; executive secretary and director of "Al mith for President" associated clubs, 1928; executive secretary of entral Negro Democratic Committee, 1932.

**IRA JAMES K. WELLS**, (D), of Beckley, state supervisor of Negro Schools, was born July 1, 1898, at Tamo, Arkansas, son of William James and Emma (Brown) Wells; educated at Arkansas state College Normal School; graduated with degree of A. B. at Lincoln University; post-graduate work at Columbia, 1931, Ohio State University, 1935, and University of Pittsburgh, 1939; married in 1935 to Edna C. Wells; Baptist; Elk; Kappa Alpha Psi; staff member of Pittsburgh Courier, 1923; welfare worker United States Steel Company, Duquesne Works, 1924-25; member faculty Stratton High School, Beckley, 1927-33; president Falt Top Teachers Round Table, 1931; lecturer in popular astronomy, 1932; chairman Negro Democratic State Executive Committee, 1932; life member American Teachers Association; ex-officio secretary of West Virginia Negro Board of Education.





ISAAC MORDECAI CARPER, (D), of Charleston, Director Negro Welfare and Statistics, was born March 1, 1869, son of James P. and Amanda Carper; educated in the public schools of Charleston; married September 10, 1888, to Nancy Cuzzens; Methodist; grand master A. F. & A. M. (colored) for three years and grand treasurer for twenty-one years; past grand High Priest, grand commander, of West Virginia; contractor, painting and decorating; first negro mail carrier in Charleston; has served as health inspector; superintendent West Virginia Colored Orphan's Home under Governor Cornwell; assistant doorkeeper at the National Democratic Convention at Houston, Texas, and reappointed to the same position in Chicago, 1932; chairman Kanawha County Negro Democratic Committee, 1932; assistant Marshal at the National Democratic Convention at Philadelphia, 1936.

FRED B. WATKINS, (D), of Grafton, State Fire Marshal, was born August 6, 1888, in Marion County; educated in the public schools and at Fairmont State Normal School; moved to Grafton in 1907 and engaged in the drug business, being a registered pharmacist; has served as president of the West Virginia Pharmaceutical Association; elected to the House of Delegates from Taylor County in 1922 and again in 1930.





PAUL HOLLAND PRICE, (R), of Morgantown, State Geologist, was born September 1, 1898, at Uffington, Monongalia County, son of John C. and Sarah Kinkaïd Price; graduated with degrees of A. B., and M. Sc., at West Virginia University and Ph. D., at Cornell University; served as 2nd Lieut., Infantry, U. S. Army during the World War; married June 11, 1923, to Helen Tapp; assistant geologist, West Virginia Geological Survey, 1923-1934; Professor and Head of the Department of Geology, West Virginia University.

ARTHUR E. M. CLUE, (D), of New Cumberland, State Health Commissioner, was born at Horton, June 26, 1898, son of Arthur M. and Blanche M. (Stotler) McClue; graduated from the West Virginia University in 1923 with the degree of B. S., and from the University of Louisville in 1925 with the degree of M. D.; married February 7, 1931, to Wilma Householder; Episcopalian; physician and surgeon.





HARLAN JUSTICE, (D), of Huntington, Deputy Insurance Commissioner, was born at Logan, January 22, 1901, son of Scott and Mary Justice; college education; married June 21, 1926, to Emmeline Shively Payne; member Christian Church; engaged in general insurance business; secretary West Virginia Association of Insurance Agents, 1928-1933; appointed Deputy Insurance Commissioner, March 4, 1933.

FRANK WILLIAM SNYDER, (D), of Charleston, Commissioner of Labor, was born at Warm Springs, Virginia, December 14, 1873; son of Henry E. and Mollie D. (Adams) Snyder; educated in the public schools; served as a musician for several years in the 2nd Regiment Band, West Virginia National Guard; married October 24, 1897; to Katherine Elizabeth Hennosy; Presbyterian; member Charleston Typographical Union since 1892; journeyman printer and printer and publisher, being engaged for several years in the commercial printing business and as publisher of labor papers; secretary-treasurer of West Virginia State Federation of Labor, 1909-1912; secretary Kanawha Valley Central Labor Union for twenty-six years; chief clerk, State Department of Labor, 1933-35; assistant labor commissioner, 1935-39; appointed Commissioner of Labor by Governor Holt, June 20, 1939, to succeed Clarence L. Jarrett, deceased; term expires February 28, 1941.





R. E. KELLY, (D), of Oak Hill, Chairman, West Virginia Liquor Control Commission, was born July 21, 1897, in Wise County, Virginia, son of W. J. and Lura A. Kelly; educated in the public schools and at West Virginia University, completing course in pharmacy at that institution in 1917; married June 2, 1926, to Rene Massey, of Richmond; Presbyterian; Mason; Shriner; Elk; banker; engaged in drug business at Oak Hill for past fifteen years; served two terms as councilman at Oak Hill; Justice of the Peace, 1929-1932; appointed by Governor Holt, March 11, 1937, as Chairman of the West Virginia Liquor Control Commission for the term ending February 2, 1941.

FRANCIS M. PETERS, (D), of Bluefield, member of the West Virginia Liquor Control Commission, was born in Wayne County, son of Jacob L. and Virginia (Vinson) Peters; attended Marshall College and the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis, and graduated from the law school of West Virginia University; married in 1907 to Trixy McClaugherty; member of Christian Church; lawyer and bank official has served as mayor, postmaster, treasurer and city attorney at Bluefield; elected to the House of Delegates from Mercer County in 1928, 1930, and 1932; appointed by Governor Kump December 4, 1936, as member of the West Virginia Liquor Control Commission; reappointed by Governor Holt for two successive terms; present term expires February 28, 1943.





WILLIAM A. HANNIG, (R), of Elm Grove, member of the West Virginia Liquor Control Commission, was born October 8, 1892, at Wheeling, son of Franz and Josefa (Parg) Hannig; educated in parochial and commercial schools; married February 18, 1914, to Agnes Devan; Catholic; Knights of Columbus; Elk; member of Fraternal Order of Police; engaged in trucking, transfer and storage business for twenty years; elected to the House of Delegates from Ohio County in 1938; appointed July 19, 1939, by Governor Holt as a member of the West Virginia Liquor Control Commission; term expires February 28, 1942.

CHARLEY GOFF, (D), of Charleston, Postmaster, Central Mailing Office, was born June 28, 1889, in Kanawha County, son of James L. and Rebecca (Wallace) Goff; educated in the public schools and at the Preparatory School of West Virginia University at Montgomery (now New River State College); married in 1911 to Clyde Roberts, who died in 1928; married in 1931 to Bess Shirkey; Methodist; taught school for five years; rural mail carrier for six years; clerk in Charleston post office for three years; manager of the Big Four Storage and Transfer Company for twelve years; appointed postmaster at the Central Mailing Office, State Capitol, May 5, 1934.





STANLEY EVERETT DADISMAN, (D), of Belington, Director of Probation and Parole, was born July 27, 1908, in Barbour County, son of Charles G. and Cora (Poling) Dadisman; educated in the public schools; graduated from Broadus College in 1930 with the degree of A. B. and from West Virginia University in 1934 with the degree of LL. B.; Baptist; Knights of Pythias; Phi Alpha Delta; member West Virginia Bar Association; lawyer; law and printing clerk, office of Attorney General, 1934-1936; assistant secretary to the governor and Acting Pardon Attorney, 1937-1939; appointed Director of Probation and Parole by Governor Holt, July 5, 1939, for the term ending June 30, 1943.

N. PORTER RHINEHART, (D), of Mount Hope, Chief, Department of Mines, was born at Bon Air, Tennessee, April 17, 1892, son of S. A. and Jane Weaver Rhinehart; educated at Webb School, Bell Buckle, Tennessee; mine engineering course at University of Tennessee; married August 29, 1916, to Myrtle Coutts; Baptist; mining engineer; engineer for coal company for four years; consulting mining engineer, Mount Hope, 1917-1933; served as County Commissioner of Fayette County for eight months; mayor of Mount Hope, 1922-192.



ALFRED WILKS GARNETT, (D),  
 of Madison, Director, Department of  
 Public Assistance, was born June 26,  
 1897, at Rapidan, Virginia, son of John  
 Milton and Hatlie (Willis) Garnett;  
 graduated from the University of Rich-  
 mond in 1919, with the degree of A. B.,  
 and from the University of Virginia in  
 1922, with the degree of LL. B.; en-  
 listed in the Motor Transport service  
 during the World War; married June  
 28, 1924, to Berta Price; Baptist;  
 Mason; Elk; Pi Kappa Alpha; ad-  
 mitted to the bar in Virginia in 1921  
 and in West Virginia in 1922; engaged  
 in the practice of the law at Madison,  
 Boone County; Chairman Democratic  
 County Executive Committee, 1929-34;  
 prosecuting attorney of Boone County,  
 1925-1933; state pardon attorney, 1933-  
 1935; secretary to Governor Kump,  
 1935-1936; appointed Director of the  
 Department of Public Assistance July 1,  
 1936, for the term ending July 1,  
 1942.



CHARLES CAMBRON TALLMAN,  
 (D), of Beech Hill, Mason County,  
 Superintendent of the Department of  
 Public Safety, was born September 18,  
 1900, at Tariff, Roane County, son of  
 Peter A. and Martha (Terrell) Tall-  
 man; graduated from West Virginia  
 University with degrees of A. B. and  
 LL. B.; formerly engaged in farming;  
 elected to the House of Delegates from  
 Mason County in 1932; head coach  
 West Virginia University football team,  
 1934-1937; appointed Superintendent of  
 the Department of Public Safety by  
 Governor Holt June 24, 1937, for the  
 term ending December 31, 1940.





JOHN J. D. PRESTON, (D), of Charleston, Chairman of the Public Service Commission of West Virginia, was born at Lewisburg, December 1, 1892, son of John A. and Lilly (Davis) Preston; educated at Greenbrier Military School; graduated from Washington and Lee University, 1913, with degree of A. B. and from Washington and Lee Law School in 1917, with degree of LL. B.; served as second lieutenant of Field Artillery during the World War; practiced law for fourteen years in Charleston as member of the firm of Price, Smith and Spilman, until appointed member of the Public Service Commission, by Governor Kump, June 3, 1933; reappointed by Governor Holt for the term ending May 31, 1945.

HARLES E. NETIKEN, (D), of Keyser, member of the Public Service Commission, was born at Elk Garden, Mineral County; educated in the public schools, at Shenandoah Normal College, Reliance, Virginia, and at West Virginia University, graduating from the latter institution with degree of LL. B.; practiced law at Keyser; served three terms as sheriff of Mineral County; appointed member of the Public Service Commission by Governor Howard M. Gore in 1925, for the term ended May 31, 1931; reappointed by Governor William G. Conley for the term ended May 31, 1937; reappointed by Governor Homer A. Holt for the term ending May 31, 1943.





ALEXANDER M. MAHOOD, (R), of Princeton, member of the Public Service Commission, was born at Princeton, Mercer County, September 3, 1900, son of William M. and Katherine A. (Straley) Mahood; educated in the Princeton public schools, Fishburne Military School, and the University of Virginia, graduating from the latter institution in 1922 with the degree of LL. B.; married in 1928 to Gladys E. Shumate, of Athens; Baptist; Elk; Knights of Pythias; L. O. O. M.; Phi Kappa Sigma; Phi Delta Phi; member Princeton Post No. 51, American Legion; engaged in the practice of law at Princeton, 1922-1930; member State Bar Association; chairman Mercer County Republican Committee, 1927-1930; President of National Association of Railroad and Utilities Commissioners, 1937-38, appointed member of the Public Service Commission December 31, 1929; reappointed June 1, 1935, for the term ending May 31, 1941.

FRED M. HAWKINS, (D), of Huntington, State Director of Purchases, was born at Lexington, Kentucky, son of J. L. and Virginia E. Hawkins; educated in the public schools, at Marshall College and at Georgetown College; married to Anna White; Baptist; Mason; heretofore engaged in business as salesman, merchant, jobber and manufacturer; assistant State Director of Purchases, 1934-35; appointed State Director of Purchases June 19, 1936.





BURR HENRY SIMPSON, (D), of Buckhannon, State Road Commissioner, was born January 6, 1855, son of Allen A. and Elizabeth L. Simpson; educated in the public schools and at West Virginia Wesleyan College; studied civil engineering at Ohio State University; Mason; member of West Virginia Society of Professional Engineers, American Society of Civil Engineers; engaged in highway engineering and associated activities since 1913; appointed State Road Commissioner August 22, 1935, and reappointed March 11, 1937, for the term ending June 30, 1941.

WILL C. EASLEY, (D), of Bluefield, State Highway Safety Director, was born May 16, 1891, at Parisburg, Virginia, son of John H. and Julia P. Easley; educated in the public schools; graduated at Concord State Normal School, Athens; married June 16, 1908, to Vera M. Bennett, of Pennsylvania; Methodist; Mason; S. A. R.; Past Counsellor U. C. T.; Safety Chairman, National Congress of Parents and Teachers; sales manager; elected to the House of Delegates from Mercer County in 1930; appointed State Highway Safety Director in 1934.





AL QUINN, (D), Secretary to the Governor, was born September 2, 1904, at Jermyn, Pennsylvania, son of Thomas J. and Mary Ellen (Kennedy) Quinn; educated in the public schools and at Archbald Post-Graduate School; married July 2, 1936, to Madge Little, of Charlotte, North Carolina; Catholic; engaged for seventeen years in newspaper work, being connected with the Brooklyn Daily Eagle, Scranton Sun, Political Digest, Clarksburg Exponent, and Charleston Gazette; appointed secretary to Governor Homer A. Holt in January, 1937.

ROBERT FIELDING BROWN, (D), of Wheeling, Deputy Securities Commissioner, was born at Columbus, Ohio, son of J. E. and Anna (Fielding) Brown; educated in the Wheeling Public Schools; graduated from Washington and Jefferson College in 1925 with the degree of B. S., and from Harvard School of Business Administration in 1927 with the degree of M. B. A.; Presbyterian; Mason; Shriner; Elk; Kappa Sigma; engaged in insurance, commercial banking and securities business, 1927-1935; Secretary National Association of Securities Commissioners.





ERNEST K. JAMES, (D), of Charleston, State Tax Commissioner, was born June 29, 1895, at Wilmington, North Carolina, son of Gibson and Annabelle James; educated in the public schools, graduated from Maryville (Tennessee) College in 1920 with the degree of A. B. and from the University of Chicago in 1923 with the degree of J. D.; served in aviation forces during the World War; married July 6, 1929, to Mary Summers; Presbyterian; Mason; Phi Alpha Delta; actively engaged in the practice of law in Charleston since 1923; member Democratic State Executive Committee; elected to the House of Delegates from Kanawha County in 1934; appointed by Governor Kump January 1, 1937, as acting State Tax Commissioner to succeed Fred L. Fox, resigned; appointed by Governor Holt March 11, 1937, as State Tax Commissioner for the unexpired term ending February 28, 1941.

JOHN S. STUMP, JR., (D), of Clarksburg, Director of Unemployment Compensation, was born September 8, 1897, at Parkersburg, son of John S. and Lily Ragland (Budwell) Stump; educated in the public schools; graduated at Washington and Lee University in 1924 with the degree of LL. B.; served in the United States Marine Corps throughout the World War; married August 9, 1927, to Helen Frances Mannix, of Clarksburg; Baptist; Mason; Elk; actively engaged in the practice of law at Clarksburg since 1924; appointed by Governor Holt January 26, 1937, as Director of Unemployment Compensation, and reappointed March 11, 1937, for the term ending December 31, 1942.



## WEST VIRGINIA STATE FLAG

The present design for the West Virginia state flag was adopted by the legislature March 7, 1929. The proportions are the same as those of the United States ensign.

The field is pure white, upon the center of which is emblazoned in proper colors the coat-of-arms of the state, upon which appears the date of the admission of West Virginia into the Union and the motto "Montani Semper Liberi" (Mountaineers Always Freemen).

Above the coat-of-arms of the State of West Virginia there is a ribbon lettered, "State of West Virginia," and a wreath of *rhododendron maximum* in proper colors is arranged appropriately around the lower part thereof. The field of pure white is bordered by a strip of blue on four sides.

## THE STATE FLOWER

The rhododendron, or big laurel (*rhododendron maximum*), was named as the official state flower under the provisions of a joint resolution adopted by the legislature of West Virginia January 23, 1903, during the administration of Governor Albert Blakeslee White.

## THE GREAT SEAL OF WEST VIRGINIA

(See Frontispiece)

The seal, adopted by the legislature September 26, 1863, was designed by Diss Debar, of Saint Clara, Doddridge County, who served as Commissioner of Immigration under Governor Boreman, and who was a member of the Legislature of 1864.

## LEGAL HOLIDAYS IN WEST VIRGINIA

Under the provisions of Section 1, Article 2, Chapter 2 of the Code, 1931, the following days are observed as legal holidays in West Virginia:

New Year's Day.....	January 1st
Lincoln's Birthday.....	February 12th
Washington's Birthday.....	February 22nd
Memorial Day.....	May 30th
West Virginia Day.....	June 20th
Independence Day.....	July 4th
Labor Day.....	First Monday in September
Columbus Day.....	October 12th
Armistice Day.....	November 11th
*Thanksgiving Day.....	Last Thursday in November
Christmas.....	December 25th

The section also provides that, in addition to the holidays listed, any national, state or other election day shall be observed as a holiday throughout the district or municipality where held.

\*Pursuant to proclamations of President Roosevelt and Governor Holt, Thanksgiving Day in 1939 was observed on November twenty-third.

# FEDERAL

## UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS

### EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

(November 15, 1939)

*President:* Franklin Delano Roosevelt, of New York.

*Secretaries to the President:* Marvin Hunter McIntyre, Stephen Early and Brigadier General Edwin M. Watson.

*Personal Secretary:* Marguerite A. LeHand.

*Executive Clerk in Charge of White House Executive Offices:* Rudolph Forster.

### THE CABINET

(Arranged in order of succession to the Presidency)

*Secretary of State:* Cordell Hull, of Tennessee.

*Secretary of the Treasury:* Henry Morgenthau, Jr., of New York.

*Secretary of War:* Harry H. Woodring, of Kansas.

*Attorney General:* Frank Murphy, of Michigan.

*Postmaster General:* James A. Farley, of New York.

*Secretary of the Navy:* Charles Edison (Acting), of New Jersey.

*Secretary of the Interior:* Harold L. Ickes, of Illinois.

*Secretary of Agriculture:* Henry Agard Wallace, of Iowa.

*Secretary of Commerce:* Harry Hopkins, of Iowa.

*Secretary of Labor:* Frances Perkins, of New York.

### OFFICERS OF THE SENATE

*President of the Senate:* John N. Garner, (Vice President of the United States), of Texas.

*President pro tempore:* Key Pittman, of Nevada.

*Secretary:* Edwin Alexander Halsey.

*Sergeant-at-Arms:* Chesley W. Jurney.

### OFFICERS OF THE HOUSE

*The Speaker:* William B. Bankhead, of Alabama.

*Clerk:* South Trimble.

*Sergeant-at-Arms:* Kenneth Romney.

*Doorkeeper:* Joseph J. Sinnott.

## PRESIDENTS OF THE UNITED STATES

No.	NAME	Birthplace	Born	Paternal Ancestry	Residence	Inaugurated		Politics	Died	
						Year	Ago		Year	Age
1	George Washington.....	Westmoreland, Va.....	1732	English.....	Virginia.....	1789	57	Federalist.....	1799	67
2	John Adams.....	Quincy, Mass.....	1735	English.....	Massachusetts.....	1797	62	Federalist.....	1826	80
3	Thomas Jefferson.....	Shadwell, Va.....	1743	Welch.....	Virginia.....	1801	58	Republican.....	1826	83
4	James Madison.....	Port Conway, Va.....	1751	English.....	Virginia.....	1809	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. J.....	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.....	1789	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.....	1869	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.....	Caldwell, 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.....	Caldwell, N. J.....	1837	English.....	New York.....	1893	56	Democrat.....	1908	71
25	††William McKinley.....	Niles, Ohio.....	1843	Scotch-Irish.....	Ohio.....	1897	54	Republican.....	1901	58
26	(a) 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, Ohio.....	1865	Scotch-Holland.....	Ohio.....	1921	56	Republican.....	1923	58
30	(b) Calvin Coolidge.....	Plymouth, Vt.....	1872	English.....	Massachusetts.....	1923	51	Republican.....	1933	60
31	Herbert Hoover.....	West Branch, Iowa.....	1874	Dutch.....	California.....	1929	55	Republican.....	.....	.....
32	Franklin D. Roosevelt.....	Hyde Park, N. Y.....	1882	Dutch.....	New York.....	1933	51	Democrat.....	.....	.....

\*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 19, 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.  
 (a) Elected President November 8, 1904.  
 (b) Elected President November 4, 1924.

## VICE PRESIDENTS OF THE UNITED STATES

No.	NAME	Residence	Qualified	Politics	Place of Death	Year	Age
1	John Adams	Massachusetts	1789	Federalist	Quincy, Mass	1820	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	70
9	Richard M. Johnson	Kentucky	1837	Democrat	Frankfort, Ky.	1850	70
10	John Tyler	Virginia	1841	Democrat	Richmond, Va.	1862	72
11	George M. Dallas	Pennsylvania	1845	Democrat	Philadelphia, Pa.	1804	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	60
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, Ind.	1885	60
22	Levi P. Morton	New York	1889	Republican	Rheinbeck, N. Y.	1920	90
23	Adlai E. Stevenson	Illinois	1893	Democrat	Chicago, Ill.	1914	78
24	Garrett A. Hobart	New Jersey	1897	Republican	Patterson, N. J.	1899	55
25	Theodore Roosevelt	New York	1901	Republican	Oyster Bay, N. Y.	1910	61
26	Charles W. Fairbanks	Indiana	1905	Republican	Indianapolis, Ind.	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	Northampton, Mass.	1932	60
30	Charles G. Dawes	Illinois	1925	Republican			
31	Charles Curtis	Kansas	1929	Republican	Washington, D. C.	1936	70
32	John Nance Garner	Texas	1933	Democrat			

## GOVERNORS OF STATES

STATE	GOVERNOR	Term (Years)	Term Expires	Salary
Alabama.....	Frank M. Dixon (D).....	4	Jan., 1943	\$ 6,000
Arizona.....	R. T. Jones (D).....	2	Jan., 1941	6,000
Arkansas.....	Carl E. Bailey (D).....	2	Jan., 1941	6,000
California.....	Culbert L. Olson (D).....	4	Jan., 1943	10,000
Colorado.....	Ralph L. Carr (R).....	2	Jan., 1941	5,000
Connecticut.....	Raymond E. Baldwin (R).....	2	Jan., 1941	12,000
Delaware.....	Richard C. McMullen (D).....	4	Jan., 1941	7,500
Florida.....	Fred P. Cone (D).....	4	Jan., 1941	7,500
Georgia.....	E. D. Rivers (D).....	2	Jan., 1941	7,500
Idaho.....	C. A. Bottolfsen (R).....	2	Jan., 1941	3,000
Illinois.....	Henry Horner (D).....	4	Jan., 1941	12,000
Indiana.....	M. Clifford Townsend (D).....	4	Jan., 1941	8,000
Iowa.....	George Wilson (R).....	2	Jan., 1941	7,500
Kansas.....	Payne H. Ratner (R).....	2	Jan., 1941	5,000
Kentucky.....	Keen Johnson, (D).....	4	Dec., 1943	6,500
Louisiana.....	Earl K. Long (D).....	4	May, 1940	7,500
Maine.....	Lewis O. Barrows (R).....	2	Jan., 1941	5,000
Maryland.....	Herbert R. O'Connor (D).....	4	Jan., 1943	4,500
Massachusetts.....	Leverett Saltonstall (R).....	2	Jan., 1941	10,000
Michigan.....	Frank D. Fitzgerald (R).....	2	Jan., 1941	5,000
Minnesota.....	Harold E. Stassen (R).....	2	Jan., 1941	7,000
Mississippi.....	Paul B. Johnson (D).....	4	Jan., 1944	7,500
Missouri.....	Lloyd C. Stark (D).....	4	Jan., 1941	5,000
Montana.....	Roy E. Ayers (D).....	4	Jan., 1941	7,500
Nebraska.....	R. L. Cochran (D).....	2	Jan., 1941	7,500
Nevada.....	E. P. Carville (D).....	4	Jan., 1943	7,000
New Hampshire.....	Francis F. Murphy (R).....	2	Jan., 1941	5,000
New Jersey.....	A. Harry Moore (D).....	3	Jan., 1941	20,000
New Mexico.....	John E. Miles (D).....	2	Jan., 1941	5,000
New York.....	Herbert H. Lehman (D).....	2	Jan., 1941	25,000
North Carolina.....	Clyde R. Hoey (D).....	4	Jan., 1941	10,500
North Dakota.....	John Moses (D).....	2	Jan., 1941	4,000
Ohio.....	John W. Bricker (R).....	2	Jan., 1941	10,000
Oklahoma.....	Leon C. Phillips (D).....	4	Jan., 1943	6,500
Oregon.....	Charles A. Sprague (R).....	4	Jan., 1943	7,500
Pennsylvania.....	Arthur H. James (R).....	4	Jan., 1943	18,000
Rhode Island.....	William H. Vanderbilt (R).....	2	Jan., 1941	8,000
South Carolina.....	Burnett R. Maybank (D).....	4	Jan., 1943	7,500
South Dakota.....	Harlan J. Bushfield (R).....	2	Jan., 1941	3,000
Tennessee.....	Prentice Cooper (D).....	2	Jan., 1941	4,000
Texas.....	W. Leo O'Daniel (D).....	2	Jan., 1941	12,000
Utah.....	Henry H. Blood (D).....	4	Jan., 1941	6,000
Vermont.....	George D. Aiken (R).....	2	Jan., 1941	5,000
Virginia.....	James H. Price (D).....	4	Jan., 1942	10,000
Washington.....	Clarence D. Martin (D).....	4	Jan., 1941	6,000
West Virginia.....	Homer A. Holt (D).....	4	Jan., 1941	8,000
Wisconsin.....	Julius P. Heil (R).....	2	Jan., 1941	6,000
Wyoming.....	Nels H. Smith (R).....	4	Jan., 1943	8,000

## STATE GOVERNMENTS

STATE	Next Regular Session of Legislature	Limit of Regular Session in Days	When Sessions Are Held	Senators		Representatives		Salaries of Members
				No.	Term of Office	No.	Term of Office	
Alabama.....	Jan. 1943	50	Quad.	35	4	107	4	\$ 4 per diem
Arizona.....	Jan. 1941	60	Bien.	19	2	51	2	8 per diem
Arkansas.....	Jan. 1941	60	Bien.	35	4	100	2	1,000 per annum
California.....	Jan. 1941	No limit	Bien.	40	4	80	2	2,400 biennially
Colorado.....	Jan. 1941	No limit	Bien.	35	4	65	2	1,000 biennially
Connecticut.....	Jan. 1941	5 Mo.	Bien.	35	2	267	2	300 biennially
Delaware.....	Jan. 1941	60	Bien.	17	4	35	2	10 per diem
Florida.....	April 1941	60	Bien.	36	4	95	2	6 per diem
Georgia.....	July 1941	60	Bien.	51	2	205	2	7 per diem
Idaho.....	Jan. 1941	60	Bien.	44	2	59	2	5 per diem
Illinois.....	Jan. 1941	No limit	Bien.	51	4	153	2	5,000 biennially
Indiana.....	Jan. 1941	61	Bien.	50	2	100	2	10 per diem
Iowa.....	Jan. 1941	No limit	Bien.	50	4	108	2	1,000 biennially
Kansas.....	Jan. 1941	50	Bien.	40	4	125	2	3 per diem
Kentucky.....	Jan. 1940	60	Bien.	38	4	100	2	10 per diem
Louisiana.....	May 1940	60	Bien.	39	4	100	4	10 per diem
Maine.....	Jan. 1941	No limit	Bien.	33	2	151	2	600 biennially
Maryland.....	Jan. 1941	90	Bien.	29	4	120	4	5 per diem
Massachusetts.....	Jan. 1940	No limit	Annually	40	2	240	2	2,000 per annum
Michigan.....	Jan. 1941	No limit	Bien.	32	2	100	2	3 per diem
Minnesota.....	Jan. 1941	90	Bien.	67	4	131	2	1,000 biennially
Mississippi.....	Jan. 1940	No limit	Bien.	49	4	140	4	1,000 biennially
Missouri.....	Jan. 1941	No limit	Bien.	34	4	150	2	5 per diem
Montana.....	Jan. 1941	60	Bien.	56	4	102	2	10 per diem
Nebraska.....	Jan. 1941	No limit	Bien.	43	2	..	..	1744.18 biennially
Nevada.....	Jan. 1941	60	Bien.	17	4	40	2	10 per diem
New Hampshire.....	Jan. 1941	No limit	Bien.	24	2	418	2	200 per annum
New Jersey.....	Jan. 1940	No limit	Annually	21	3	60	1	500 per annum
New Mexico.....	Jan. 1941	60	Bien.	24	4	49	2	5 per diem
New York.....	Jan. 1940	No limit	Annually	51	2	150	1	2,500 per annum
North Carolina.....	Jan. 1941	No limit	Bien.	50	2	120	2	600 per annum
North Dakota.....	Jan. 1941	60	Bien.	49	4	113	2	5 per diem
Ohio.....	Jan. 1941	No limit	Bien.	36	2	138	2	2,000 per annum
Oklahoma.....	Jan. 1941	No limit	Bien.	44	4	117	2	6 per diem
Oregon.....	Jan. 1941	40	Bien.	30	4	60	2	3 per diem
Pennsylvania.....	Jan. 1941	No limit	Bien.	50	4	208	2	3,000 biennially
Rhode Island.....	Jan. 1940	60	Annually	42	2	100	2	5 per diem
South Carolina.....	Jan. 1940	No limit	Annually	46	4	124	2	400 per annum
South Dakota.....	Jan. 1941	60	Bien.	45	2	103	2	5 per diem
Tennessee.....	Jan. 1941	75	Bien.	33	2	99	2	4 per diem
Texas.....	Jan. 1941	No limit	Bien.	31	4	150	2	10 per diem
Utah.....	Jan. 1941	60	Bien.	32	4	60	2	4 per diem
Vermont.....	Jan. 1941	No limit	Bien.	30	2	248	2	400 biennially
Virginia.....	Jan. 1940	60	Bien.	40	4	100	2	720 biennially
Washington.....	Jan. 1941	60	Bien.	45	4	99	2	5 per diem
West Virginia.....	Jan. 1941	60	Bien.	32	4	94	2	500 per annum
Wisconsin.....	Jan. 1941	No limit	Bien.	33	4	100	2	2,400 biennially
Wyoming.....	Jan. 1941	40	Bien.	27	4	56	2	10 per diem

\*—Unicameral Legislature. Membership: 43.

## STATES OF THE UNITED STATES

State	Earliest Permanent Settlement			Admitted To Union	Capital	*Area Sq. Miles
	Year	Locality	By Whom			
Alabama.....	1702	Mobile Bay.....	French.....	1819	Montgomery.....	61,279
Arizona.....	1776	Tucson.....	Spaniards.....	1912	Phoenix.....	113,610
Arkansas.....	1686	Arkansas Post.....	French.....	1836	Little Rock.....	52,525
California.....	1769	San Diego.....	Spaniards.....	1850	Sacramento.....	155,652
Colorado.....	1858	Denver.....	Americans.....	1876	Denver.....	103,658
Connecticut.....	1633	Hartford.....	Dutch.....	1788	Hartford.....	4,820
Delaware.....	1631	Lewes.....	Dutch.....	1787	Dover.....	1,965
Florida.....	1565	St. Augustine.....	Spaniards.....	1845	Tallahassee.....	54,861
Georgia.....	1733	Savannah.....	English.....	1788	Atlanta.....	58,725
Idaho.....	1860	Oro Fino.....	Americans.....	1890	Boise.....	83,354
Illinois.....	1675	Kaskaskia.....	French.....	1818	Springfield.....	56,043
Indiana.....	1731	Vincennes.....	French.....	1816	Indianapolis.....	36,045
Iowa.....	1833	Dubuque.....	Americans.....	1846	Des Moines.....	55,586
Kansas.....	1827	Ft. Leavenworth.....	Americans.....	1861	Topeka.....	81,774
Kentucky.....	1774	Harrodsburg.....	Americans.....	1792	Frankfort.....	40,181
Louisiana.....	1718	New Orleans.....	French.....	1812	Baton Rouge.....	45,409
Maine.....	1623	Saco.....	English.....	1820	Augusta.....	29,895
Maryland.....	1634	St. Marys.....	English.....	1776	Annapolis.....	9,941
Massachusetts.....	1620	Plymouth.....	English.....	1788	Boston.....	8,039
Michigan.....	1668	Sault St. Marie.....	French.....	1837	Lansing.....	57,480
Minnesota.....	1824	Ft. Snelling.....	Americans.....	1858	St. Paul.....	80,858
Mississippi.....	1609	Biloxi.....	French.....	1817	Jackson.....	46,362
Missouri.....	1735	St. Genevieve.....	French.....	1821	Jefferson City.....	68,727
Montana.....	1846	Ft. Benton.....	Americans.....	1889	Helena.....	146,131
Nebraska.....	1823	Bellevue.....	Americans.....	1867	Lincoln.....	76,808
Nevada.....	1849	Carson Valley.....	Americans.....	1864	Carson City.....	109,821
New Hampshire.....	1623	Little Harbor.....	English.....	1788	Concord.....	9,031
New Jersey.....	1617	Bergen.....	Dutch.....	1787	Trenton.....	7,514
New Mexico.....	1640	Santa Fe.....	Spanish.....	1910	Santa Fe.....	122,503
New York.....	1623	Manhattan Island.....	Dutch.....	1788	Albany.....	47,654
North Carolina.....	1660	Albemarle.....	Virginians.....	1789	Raleigh.....	48,740
North Dakota.....	1812	Pembina.....	Scotch.....	1889	Bismarck.....	70,183
Ohio.....	1788	Marietta.....	Americans.....	1803	Columbus.....	40,740
Oklahoma.....	1890	Guthrie.....	Americans.....	1907	Oklahoma City.....	69,414
Oregon.....	1811	Astoria.....	Americans.....	1859	Salem.....	95,007
Pennsylvania.....	1638	Chester.....	Swedes.....	1787	Harrisburg.....	44,832
Rhode Island.....	1636	Providence.....	English.....	1790	Providence.....	1,067
South Carolina.....	1670	Ashley River.....	English.....	1788	Columbia.....	30,495
South Dakota.....	1832	Ft. Pierre.....	Americans.....	1889	Pierre.....	76,868
Tennessee.....	1757	Ft. London.....	Americans.....	1796	Nashville.....	41,867
Texas.....	1685	Matagorda Bay.....	French.....	1845	Austin.....	262,398
Utah.....	1847	Salt Lake City.....	Americans.....	1896	Salt Lake City.....	82,184
Vermont.....	1724	Ft. Dummer.....	Americans.....	1791	Montpelier.....	9,124
Virginia.....	1607	Jamestown.....	English.....	1788	Richmond.....	40,262
Washington.....	1845	Turnwater.....	Americans.....	1889	Olympia.....	66,836
West Virginia.....	1872	Shepherdstown.....	Penn. Dutch.....	1863	Charleston.....	124,282
Wisconsin.....	1718	Green Bay.....	French.....	1848	Madison.....	55,256
Wyoming.....	1832	Ft. Laramie.....	Americans.....	1890	Cheyenne.....	97,548

\*—Land area only.

†—Includes water area of approximately 148 square miles.

## ORIGIN OF NAMES OF STATES—STATE FLOWERS

(Compiled from Data Obtained from State Departments of History and Other Reliable Sources)

State	State Flower	Origin and Meaning of Name
Alabama	Goldenrod	Indian (Choctaw): Vegetation gatherers or thicket clearers.
Arizona	Saguaro cactus	Indian: Small, everflowing spring.
Arkansas	Apple blossom	Indian (Illini): Down-stream people.
California	Golden poppy	Name of an imaginary island in old Spanish romance.
Colorado	Columbine	Spanish: Red or ruddy.
Connecticut	Mountain laurel	Indian: Long River, or River of Pines.
Delaware	Peach blossom	Named for Lord de la Warr, Governor of Virginia.
Florida	Orange blossom	Spanish: Flowers.
Georgia	Cherokee rose	Named for King George II, of England.
Idaho	Syringa	Indian (Shoosbone): Gem of the mountains.
Illinois	Wood violet	Named for the Illini Indians.
Indiana	Zinnia	Indian's grounds.
Iowa	Wild rose	Indian: This is the place.
Kansas	Sunflower	Indian (Kansas): People of the south wind.
Kentucky	Goldenrod	Indian (Iroquois): Meadow land.
Louisiana	Magnolia	Named for Louis XIV, of France.
Maine	Pine cone	The main land.
Maryland	Black-eyed Susan	Named for Queen Henrietta Maria, of England.
Massachusetts	May flower	Indian (Algonquin): Place of great hills.
Michigan	Apple blossom	Indian: Great lake.
Minnesota	Moccasin dower	Indian (Sioux): Cloudy or sky-colored water.
Mississippi	Magnolia	Indian (Creek): Great water.
Missouri	Hawthorn	Indian: The town of large canoes.
Montana	Bitter root	Spanish: Mountainous.
Nebraska	Goldenrod	Indian (Ote): Flat or shallow water.
Nevada	Sage brush	Spanish: Snow-clad.
New Hampshire	Purple lilac	Named for the County of Hampshire, England.
New Jersey	Violet	Named for the Island of Jersey.
New Mexico	Yucca	Named for Mexitli, Aztec God of War.
New York	Rose	Named for the Duke of York.
North Carolina	Goldenrod	Named for Charles I, of England.
North Dakota	Wild prairie rose	Indian (Sioux): Alliance of friends.
Ohio	Scarlet carnation	Indian (Iroquois): Great river.
Oklahoma	Mistletoe	Indian (Choctaw): Red people.
Oregon	Oregon grape	Indian (Algonquin): Beautiful water.
Pennsylvania	Mountain laurel	Named for Admiral William Penn (Penn's Woods).
Rhode Island	Violet	Named for Isle of Rhodes.
South Carolina	Jessamine	(See North Carolina).
South Dakota	Pasque flower	(See North Dakota).
Tennessee	Iris	Indian named for the capital of the Cherokees.
Texas	Bluebonnet	Indian: Friends or allies.
Utah	Sage lily	Indian (Ute): In the tops of the mountains.
Vermont	Red clover	French: Green mountain.
Virginia	American dogwood	Named in honor of Queen Elizabeth, of England.
Washington	Rhododendron	Named for George Washington.
West Virginia	Rhododendron	(See Virginia).
Wisconsin	Violet	Indian (Chippewa): the gathering of the waters.
Wyoming	Indian paintbrush	Mountains and valleys alternating.

## WEST VIRGINIA DELEGATION IN CONGRESS

### UNITED STATES SENATORS

Mansfield M. Neely, (D) ; term expires 1943.....Fairmont  
 Rush D. Holt, (D) ; term expires 1941.....Weston

### MEMBERS HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*First District:* A. C. Shiffer, (R) .....Wheeling  
*Second District:* Jennings Randolph, (D) .....Elkins  
*Third District:* Andrew Edmiston, (D) .....Weston  
*Fourth District:* George W. Johnson, (D) .....Parkersburg  
*Fifth District:* John Kee, (D) .....Bluefield  
*Sixth District:* Joe L. Smith, (D) .....Beckley

### UNITED STATES SENATORS, 1863-1939

NAME	County	Politics	From	To
Peter G. Van Winkle.....	Wood.....	Republican.....	1863	1869
Waitman T. Willey.....	Monongalia.....	Republican.....	1863	1871
Arthur I. Boreman.....	Wood.....	Republican.....	1869	1875
Henry G. Davis.....	Mineral.....	Democrat.....	1871	1883
Allon 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.....	Kanawha.....	Democrat.....	1883	1893
Charles J. Faulkner.....	Berkeley.....	Democrat.....	1887	1899
Johnson N. Camden.....	Wood.....	Democrat.....	1893	1895
Stephen 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.....	Kanawha.....	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	1931
Henry D. Hatfield.....	Cabell.....	Republican.....	1929	1935
Mansfield M. Neely.....	Marion.....	Democrat.....	1931	....
Rush D. Holt.....	Lewis.....	Democrat.....	1935	....

### MEMBERS OF HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, 1863-1939

#### APPORTIONMENT ACT OF 1863

**First District**—Hancock, Brooke, Ohio, Marshall, Wetzell, Tyler, Pleasants, Doddridge, Harrison, Ritchie, Wood, Wirt, Gilmer, Calhoun and Lewis counties.

**Second District**—Taylor, Marion, Monongalia, Preston, Tucker, Barbours, 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.

**REPRESENTATION UNDER THE APPORTIONMENT ACT OF 1863**

(Members Listed in Numerical Order of Districts)

**38th Congress, 1863-65**

Jacob Beeson Blair, (Unionist), Wood  
 William Gay Brown, (Unionist), Preston  
 Kellian V. Whaley, (Unionist), Cabell

**39th Congress, 1865-67**

Chester D. Hubbard, (R), Ohio  
 George R. Latham, (R), Upshur  
 Kellian V. Whaley, (R), Cabell

**40th Congress, 1867-69**

Chester D. Hubbard, (R), Ohio  
 Bethuel M. Kitchan, (R), Berkeley  
 Daniel Polesley, (R), Mason

**41st Congress, 1869-71**

Isaac Harden Duvall, (R), Brooke  
 James C. McGrew, (R), Preston  
 John S. Witcher, (R), Cabell

**42nd Congress, 1871-73**

John J. Davis, (D), Harrison  
 James C. McGrew, (R), Preston  
 Frank Hereford, (D), Monroe

**43rd Congress, 1873-75**

John J. Davis, (D), Harrison  
 John M. Hagans, (R), Monongalia  
 Frank Hereford, (D), Monroe

**44th Congress, 1875-77**

Benjamin Wilson, (D), Harrison  
 Charles J. Faulkner, (D), Berkeley  
 Frank Hereford, (D), Monroe

**45th Congress, 1877-79**

Benjamin Wilson, (D), Harrison  
 Benjamin F. Martin, (D), Taylor  
 John E. Kenna, (D), Kanawha

**46th Congress, 1879-81**

Benjamin Wilson, (D), Harrison  
 Benjamin F. Martin, (D), Taylor  
 John E. Kenna, (D), Kanawha

**47th Congress, 1881-83**

Benjamin Wilson, (D), Harrison  
 John B. Hoge, (D), Berkeley  
 John E. Kenna, (D), Kanawha

**REAPPORTIONMENT ACT OF 1882**

**First District**—Hancock, Brooke, Ohio, Marshall, Wetzell, 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 REAPPORTIONMENT ACT OF 1882****48th Congress, 1883-85**

Nathan Goff, Jr., (R), Harrison  
 William L. Wilson, (D), Jefferson  
 Charles P. Snyder, (D), Kanawha  
 Eustace Gibson, (D), Cabell

**49th Congress, 1885-87**

Nathan Goff, Jr., (R), Harrison  
 William L. Wilson, (D), Jefferson  
 Charles P. Snyder, (D), Kanawha  
 Eustace Gibson, (D), Cabell

**50th Congress, 1887-89**

Nathan Goff, Jr., (R), Harrison  
 William L. Wilson, (D), Jefferson  
 Charles P. Snyder, (D), Kanawha  
 Charles E. Hogg, (D), Mason

**51st Congress, 1889-91**

\*John O. Pendleton, (D), Ohio  
 \*George W. Atkinson, (R), Ohio  
 William L. Wilson, (D), Jefferson  
 John D. Alderson, (D), Nicholas  
 †James M. Jackson, (D), Wood  
 †Charles B. Smith, (R), Wood

**52nd Congress, 1891-93**

John O. Pendleton, (D), Ohio  
 William L. Wilson, (D), Jefferson  
 John D. Alderson, (D), Nicholas  
 James Capehart, (D), Mason

**53rd Congress, 1893-95**

John O. Pendleton, (D), Ohio  
 William L. Wilson, (D), Jefferson  
 John D. Alderson, (D), Nicholas  
 James Capehart, (D), Mason

**54th Congress, 1895-97**

Blackburn B. Dovener, (R), Ohio  
 Alston G. Dayton, (R), Barbour  
 James H. Huling, (R), Kanawha  
 Warren Miller, (R), Jackson

**55th Congress, 1897-99**

Blackburn B. Dovener, (R), Ohio  
 Alston G. Dayton, (R), Barbour  
 Charles P. Dorr, (R), Webster  
 Warren Miller, (R), Jackson

\*Seat of John O. Pendleton contested by George W. Atkinson, (R), of Ohio  
 County, who was seated shortly after Congress convened.

†Seat of James M. Jackson contested by Charles Brooks Smith, (R), of Wood  
 County, who was seated shortly after Congress convened.

**56th Congress, 1899-1901**

Blackburn B. Dovener, (R), Ohio  
 Alston G. Dayton, (R), Barbour  
 David E. Johnson, (D), Mercer  
 Romeo H. Freer, (R), Ritchie

**57th Congress, 1901-03**

Blackburn B. Dovener, (R), Ohio  
 Alston G. Dayton, (R), Barbour  
 Joseph H. Gaines, (R), Kanawha  
 James A. Hughes, (R), Cabell

**REAPPORTIONMENT ACT OF 1901**

**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 THE REAPPORTIONMENT ACT OF 1901****58th Congress, 1903-05**

Blackburn B. Dovener, (R), Ohio  
 Alston G. Dayton, (R), Barbour  
 Joseph H. Gaines, (R), Kanawha  
 Harry C. Woodyard, (R), Roane  
 James A. Hughes, (R), Cabell

**59th Congress, 1905-07**

Blackburn B. Dovener, (R), Ohio  
 ••Alston G. Dayton, (R), Barbour  
 ••Thomas B. Davis, (D), Mineral  
 Joseph H. Gaines, (R), Kanawha  
 Harry C. Woodyard, (R), Roane  
 James A. Hughes, (R), Cabell

**60th Congress, 1907-09**

William P. Hubbard, (R), Ohio  
 George C. Sturgiss, (R), Monongalia  
 Joseph H. Gaines, (R), Kanawha  
 Harry C. Woodyard, (R), Roane  
 James A. Hughes, (R), Cabell

**61st Congress, 1909-11**

William P. Hubbard, (R), Ohio  
 George C. Sturgiss, (R), Monongalia  
 Joseph H. Gaines, (R), Kanawha  
 Harry C. Woodyard, (R), Roane  
 James A. Hughes, (R), Cabell

**62nd Congress, 1911-13**

John W. Davis, (D), Harrison  
 William G. Brown, Jr., (D), Preston  
 Adam B. Littlepage, (D), Kanawha  
 John M. Hamilton, (D), Calhoun  
 James A. Hughes, (R), Cabell

**REPRESENTATION PENDING THE REDISTRICTING OF THE STATE****63rd Congress, 1913-15**

Mansfield M. Neely, (D), Marion  
 William G. Brown, Jr., (D), Preston  
 Samuel B. Avis, (R), Kanawha  
 Hunter H. Moss, Jr., (R), Wood  
 James A. Hughes, (R), Cabell  
 •Howard Sutherland, (R), Randolph

**64th Congress, 1915-17**

Mansfield M. Neely, (D), Marion  
 †William G. Brown, Jr., (D), Preston  
 †George M. Bowers, (R), Berkeley  
 Adam B. Littlepage, (D), Kanawha  
 †Hunter H. Moss, Jr., (R), Wood  
 †Harry C. Woodyard, (R), Roane  
 Edward Cooper, (R), Mercer  
 •Howard Sutherland, (R), Randolph

••Alston G. Dayton resigned in 1905 when appointed Judge of the U. S. District Court for the Northern District of West Virginia. Thomas B. Davis, (D), of Mineral County, elected for the unexpired term.

•Under the congressional reapportionment act of 1911, West Virginia was entitled to an additional representative, but a redistricting act was not passed by the legislature until 1915. Howard Sutherland was elected Congressman-at-Large in 1912 and again in 1914.

†William G. Brown, Jr., died March 9, 1916; George M. Bowers, (R), of Berkeley County, elected to fill unexpired term.

‡Hunter H. Moss died July 15, 1916; Harry C. Woodyard, (R), of Roane County, elected to fill unexpired term.

## REAPPORTIONMENT ACT OF 1915

**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 REAPPORTIONMENT ACT OF 1915

## 65th Congress, 1917-19

Mansfield M. Neely, (D), Marion  
George M. Bowers, (R), Berkeley  
Stuart F. Reed, (R), Harrison  
Harry C. Woodyard, (R), Roane  
Edward Cooper, (R), Mercer  
Adam B. Littlepage, (D), Kanawha

## 66th Congress, 1919-21

Mansfield M. Neely, (D), Marion  
George M. Bowers, (R), Berkeley  
Stuart F. Reed, (R), Harrison  
Harry C. Woodyard, (R), Roane  
Wells Goodykoonz, (R), Mingo  
Leonard S. Echols, (R), Kanawha

## 67th Congress, 1921-23

Benjamin L. Rosenbloom, (R), Ohio  
George M. Bowers, (R), Berkeley  
Stuart F. Reed, (R), Harrison  
Harry C. Woodyard, (R), Roane  
Wells Goodykoonz, (R), Mingo  
Leonard S. Echols, (R), Kanawha

## 68th Congress, 1923-25

Benjamin L. Rosenbloom, (R), Ohio  
Robert E. Lee Allen, (D), Monongalia  
Stuart F. Reed, (R), Harrison  
T. J. Lilly, (D), Summers  
George W. Johnson, (D), Wood  
J. Alfred Taylor, (D), Fayette

## 73rd Congress, 1933-35

Robert L. Ramsay, (D), Brooke  
Jennings Randolph, (D), Randolph  
†Lynn S. Hornor, (D), Harrison  
‡Andrew Edmiston, (D), Lewis  
George W. Johnson, (D), Wood  
John Kee, (D), Mercer  
Joe L. Smith, (D), Raleigh

## REAPPORTIONMENT ACT OF 1934

**First District**—Hancock, Brooke, Ohio, Marshall, Wetzel, Marion and Taylor.

**Second District**—Monongalia, Preston, Barbour, Webster, Pocahontas, Randolph, Tucker, Pendleton, Grant, Hardy, Mineral, Hampshire, Morgan, Berkeley and Jefferson.

**Third District**—Ritchie, Doddridge, Harrison, Calhoun, Gilmer, Lewis, Upshur, Braxton, Clay, Nicholas and Fayette.

**Fourth District**—Tyler, Pleasants, Wood, Wirt, Jackson, Roane, Mason, Putman, Cabell, Wayne and Lincoln.

**Fifth District**—Mingo, Wyoming, McDowell, Mercer, Summers, Monroe and Greenbrier.

**Sixth District**—Kanawha, Boone, Logan and Raleigh.

\*James A. Hughes died March 2, 1930, and Robert L. Hogg, (R), of Mason County, elected November 4, 1930, to fill the unexpired term.

†Lynn S. Hornor died September 23, 1933, and Andrew Edmiston, (D), of Lewis County, elected November 21, 1933, to fill the unexpired term.

## 69th Congress, 1925-27

Carl G. Bachmann, (R), Ohio  
Frank L. Bowman, (R), Monongalia  
John M. Wolverton, (R), Nicholas  
Harry C. Woodyard, (R), Roane  
J. F. Strother, (R), McDowell  
J. Alfred Taylor, (D), Fayette

## 70th Congress, 1927-29

Carl G. Bachmann, (R), Ohio  
Frank L. Bowman, (R), Monongalia  
William S. O'Brien, (D), Upshur  
James A. Hughes, (R), Cabell  
J. F. Strother, (R), McDowell  
E. T. England, (R), Kanawha

## 71st Congress, 1929-31

Carl G. Bachmann, (R), Ohio  
Frank L. Bowman, (R), Monongalia  
John M. Wolverton, (R), Nicholas  
\*James A. Hughes, (R), Cabell  
\*Robert L. Hogg, (R), Mason  
Hugh I. Shott, (R), Mercer  
Joe L. Smith, (D), Raleigh

## 72nd Congress, 1931-33

Carl G. Bachmann, (R), Ohio  
Frank L. Bowman, (R), Monongalia  
Lynn S. Hornor, (D), Harrison  
Robert L. Hogg, (R), Mason  
Hugh I. Shott, (R), Mercer  
Joe L. Smith, (D), Raleigh

## REPRESENTATION UNDER THE REAPPORTIONMENT ACT OF 1934

## 74th Congress, 1935-37

Robert L. Ramsay, (D), Brooke  
 Jennings Randolph, (D), Randolph  
 Andrew Edmiston, (D), Lewis  
 George W. Johnson, (D), Wood  
 John Kee, (D), Mercer  
 Joe L. Smith, (D), Raleigh

## 75th Congress, 1937-39

Robert L. Ramsay, (D), Brooke  
 Jennings Randolph, (D), Randolph  
 Andrew Edmiston, (D), Lewis  
 George W. Johnson, (D), Wood  
 John Kee, (D), Mercer  
 Joe L. Smith, (D), Raleigh

## 76th Congress, 1939-41

A. C. Schiffler, (R), Ohio  
 Jennings Randolph, (D), Randolph  
 Andrew Edmiston, (D), Lewis  
 George W. Johnson, (D), Wood  
 John Kee, (D), Mercer  
 Joe L. Smith, (D), Mercer

## WEST VIRGINIA PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS, 1864-1936

## 1864—Lincoln and Johnson

Ellery R. Hall, Marion  
 William E. Stevenson, Wood  
 John H. Atkinson, Hancock  
 Edward C. Bunker, Monongalia  
 Robert S. Brown, Jackson

## 1868—Grant and Colfax

A. W. Campbell, Ohio  
 R. S. Brown, Jackson  
 Benjamin Stanton, Ohio  
 J. Marshall Hagans, Monongalia  
 Gen. Wm. H. Powell, Ohio

## 1872—Grant and Wilson

Thomas B. Swann, Kanawha  
 Charles F. Scott, Ritchie  
 Thomas R. Carskadon, Mineral  
 Romeo H. Freer, Kanawha  
 \*O. G. Schofield, Wood

## \*\*1876—Hayes and Wheeler

William H. Travers, Jefferson  
 Nicholas Fitzhugh, Kanawha  
 John Hanson Good, Ohio  
 Daniel B. Lucas, Jefferson  
 Albert Peyser, Kanawha

## †1880—Garfield and Arthur

E. G. Cracraft, Ohio  
 William L. Wilson, Jefferson  
 D. D. Johnson, Tyler  
 James Morrow, Jr., Marion  
 Eustace Gibson, Cabell

## 1884—Cleveland and Hendricks

Daniel B. Lucas, Jefferson  
 John J. Davis, Harrison  
 Marshall T. Frame, Ohio  
 Benjamin F. Martin, Taylor  
 John W. Harris, Greenbrier  
 Charles E. Hogg, Mason

## ††1888—Harrison and Morton

W. H. Travers, Jefferson  
 W. C. Handlan, Ohio  
 Lewis S. Newman, Marshall  
 P. J. Crogan, Preston  
 Frank Hereford, Monroe  
 R. S. Brown, Jackson

## 1892—Cleveland and Stevenson

Samuel S. Vinson, Wayne  
 M. C. Post, Harrison  
 John A. Preston, Greenbrier  
 C. Wood Dailey, Mineral  
 E. L. Butcher, Randolph  
 John G. McClure, Wood

\*The electors certified that William E. Stevenson, one of the electors chosen and named in the certificate of Governor Jacobs, failed to attend by the hour appointed for the meeting and they filled the vacancy by appointing O. G. Schofield, of the County of Wood, who signed the certificate.

\*\*The vote of the West Virginia presidential electors in 1876 was cast for Tilden and Hendricks, Democratic candidates for president and vice president, respectively.

†In 1880 the West Virginia presidential electors cast their votes for the Democratic candidates, Hancock and English.

††The presidential electors cast their votes for the Democratic candidates, Cleveland and Thurman, in 1888.

**1896—McKinley and Hobart**

James P. Fitch, Monongalia  
Henry Haymond, Harrison  
John Cooper, Mercer  
S. B. Rathbone, Wirt  
W. A. Chapline, Jefferson  
J. W. Vandervort, Wood

**1900—McKinley and Roosevelt**

W. M. Riggs, Marshall  
W. B. Mathews, Marshall  
J. B. Lewis, Kanawha  
N. G. Keim, Randolph  
Taylor B. McClure, Wayne  
Enoch Carver, Kanawha

**1904—Roosevelt and Fairbanks**

Dr. George P. Daniels, Raleigh  
Jacob W. Heavener, Upshur  
George Wise, Ohio  
Wellington F. Morrison, Braxton  
Tracy L. Jeffords, Jefferson  
Dr. Watson Monroe, Wood  
James A. Lenhart, Preston

**1908—Taft and Sherman**

Joseph H. McDermott, Monongalia  
Frank W. Clark, Wetzel  
Enoch M. McPeak, Fayette  
William H. Crawford, Berkeley  
A. A. Lilly, Raleigh  
Floyd Jarrett, Greenbrier  
Milton R. Lowther, Wood

**1912—Wilson and Marshall**

Ben H. Butcher, Wood  
Gilbert D. Smith, Pleasants  
J. Sloan Kuykendall, Hampshire  
Alfred E. Kenney, Calhoun  
William H. Sawyers, Summers  
J. J. O'Kane, Ohio  
Henry Herold, Nicholas  
O. J. Rife, Wayne

**1916—Wilson and Marshall**

Charles E. Carrigan, Marshall  
C. A. Dunn, Monroe  
George M. Kittle, Barbour  
R. P. Shinn, Jackson  
Orlando DePue, Roane  
Julian G. Hearne, Ohio  
James Reed, Clay  
Meredith J. Simms, Fayette

**1920—Harding and Coolidge**

Wilbur E. Stone, Ohio  
N. Price Whitaker, Ohio  
Ira P. Hager, Logan  
J. E. Overton, Ritchie  
Walter S. Hallanan, Kanawha  
Vernon E. Johnson, Morgan  
E. A. Brast, Wood  
O. H. Kee, Pocahontas

**1924—Coolidge and Dawes**

Mrs. George Poffenbarger, Kanawha  
Charles Baird Mitchell, Marion  
William K. Bright, Braxton  
Howard O'Toole, McDowell  
Mrs. Lydia C. Hearne, Ohio  
Mrs. Blanche Pickering, Preston  
William S. Blizzard, Wood  
John Raine, Greenbrier

**1928—Hoover and Curtis**

Herschel C. Ogden, Ohio  
Harry C. Compton, Taylor  
J. E. Overton, Ritchie  
John J. Lincoln, McDowell  
Mrs. James A. Meredith, Marion  
Mrs. A. M. Fredlock, Randolph  
John B. Easton, Wood  
L. Burke O'Neal, Fayette

**1932—Roosevelt and Garner**

William L. Brice, Ohio  
J. Alfred Taylor, Fayette  
H. H. Rose, Marion  
Minter L. Wilson, Monongalia  
W. Guy Tetrick, Harrison  
Clyde A. Wellman, Cabell  
George W. Crawford, Mingo  
J. L. Bumgardner, Raleigh

**1936—Roosevelt and Garner**

Mrs. Lynn S. Hornor, Harrison  
Mrs. Anne F. Woolwine, Mercer  
Harry E. Watkins, Marion  
Ralph M. Hiner, Pendleton  
Lorentz G. Hamilton, Calhoun  
Buford C. Tynes, Cabell  
John S. Hall, Mingo  
Charles G. Peters, Kanawha

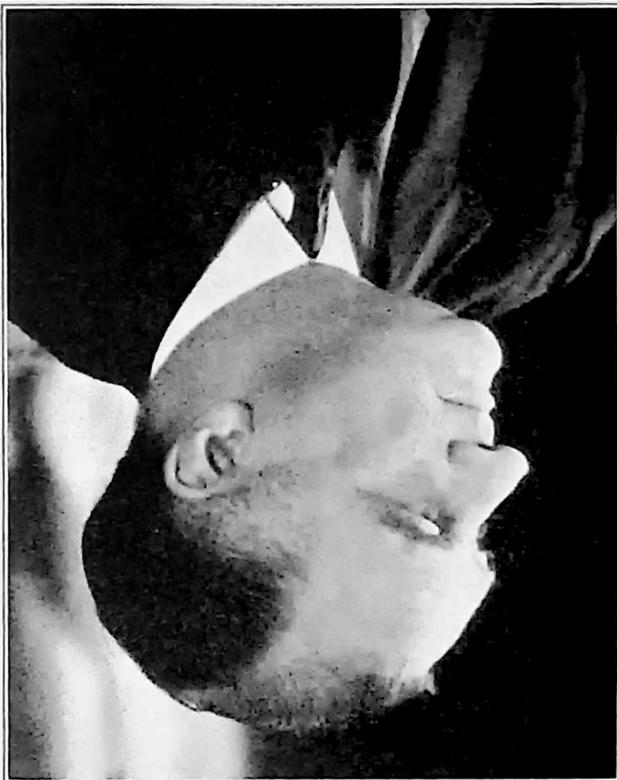
<sup>1</sup>The electors certified that Benson B. McMechen, O. W. O. Hardman and C. C. Beury, three of the electors chosen and named in the certificate of Governor Atkinson, failed to attend by the hour appointed for the meeting and they filled the vacancies by appointing W. M. Riggs and W. B. Mathews of the County of Marshall, and Enoch Carver of the County of Kanawha, who signed the certificate.

<sup>2</sup>In 1916 all of the West Virginia presidential electors with the exception of Orland DePue voted for the Republican candidates, Hughes and Fairbanks.

<sup>3</sup>J. W. Dawson, of Kanawha County, withdrew from the Republican electoral ticket, announcing that he would support Woodrow Wilson. S. A. Scott, of Fayette County, was named in his stead, but too late for his name to appear on all the ballots in the state, and he was defeated at the general election by Orland DePue, (D), of Roane County, who cast his vote for Woodrow Wilson.

FRANKLIN DELANO ROOSEVELT, (D), of Hyde Park, New York, President of the United States, was born January 30, 1872, son of James and Sara (Delano) Roosevelt; A. B., Harvard, 1904; Columbia University Law School, 1904-1907; married Anna Eleanor Roosevelt, of New York, March 17, 1905; children—James, Anna, Elliott, Franklin D., John A.; was admitted to the New York bar in 1907; practiced with Carter, Ledyard & Milburn, New York, 1907-1910; member of firm of Roosevelt & O'Connor, 1921-1933; member of New York Senate, 1910, to March 17, 1913 (resigned); Assistant Secretary of Navy, 1913-1920; Democratic nominee for Vice President of the United States in 1920; elected Governor of New York in 1928, and reelected in 1930; member of the Hudson-Fulton Celebration Commission, 1909, and the Plattsburg Centennial, 1913; member of National Commission, Panama-Pacific Exposition, 1915; overseer of Harvard University, 191-21; Diplomatic Inspection of United States naval forces in European waters, July-September, 1918, and of demobilization in Europe, January-February, 1919; member of Naval History Society, New York Historical Society, Holland Society, Alpha Delta Phi, Phi Beta Kappa; Mason. Clubs: Harvard, Knickerbocker, Century. Legal residence: Hyde Park, Dutchess County, New York. Elected President, November 8, 1932; reelected President November 3, 1936.

FRANKLIN DELANO ROOSEVELT





MATTHEW M. NEELY

United States Senator

MATTHEW M. NEELY, (D), of Fairmont, was born at Grove, Doddridge County, son of Alfred and Mary (Morris) Neely; served as an enlisted man in the 1st West Virginia Volunteer Infantry throughout the Spanish-American War; was graduated from the academic and law departments of West Virginia University; admitted to the Marion County Bar in 1902, and since that time has been continuously engaged in the practice of law at Fairmont; was married October 21, 1903, to Miss Alberta Claire Ramage, of Fairmont; they have two sons—Alfred R. Neely and John Champ Neely, and one daughter, Corrine Neely; mayor of Fairmont, 1908-1910; clerk of the House of Delegates of West Virginia, 1911-1913; was elected to the Sixty-third Congress, October 14, 1913, to fill an unexpired term; reelected to the Sixty-fourth, Sixty-fifth, and Sixty-sixth Congresses; elected United States Senator in 1922; unsuccessful candidate for reelection in 1928; elected to the United States Senate in 1930, and reelected in 1936.



RUSH DEW HOLT  
United States Senator

RUSH DEW HOLT, (D), of Weston, was born in that city June 19, 1905, son of Dr. Matthew S. and Lela (Dew) Holt; educated at Weston High School, West Virginia University and Salem College, graduating from the latter institution in 1924, with the degree of A. B.; Elk; Moose; elected to the House of Delegates from Lewis County in 1930, and reelected in 1932 without opposition; elected United States Senator in 1934, the youngest United States Senator ever elected by popular vote of the people.



ANDREW C. SCHIFFLER

Congressman from the First District

ANDREW C. SCHIFFLER, (R), of Wheeling, was born in that city August 10, 1889, son of Andrew J. and Emma (Frantz) Schiffler; educated in the public schools; married March 30, 1910, to Emma Muldrew; Presbyterian; Odd Fellow; Elk; Eagle; Knights of Pythias; completed the study of law in law offices; actively engaged in practice at Wheeling since 1913; Referee in Bankruptcy, 1918-22; Prosecuting Attorney, Ohio County, 1925-33; elected to Congress from the First Congressional District in 193 .

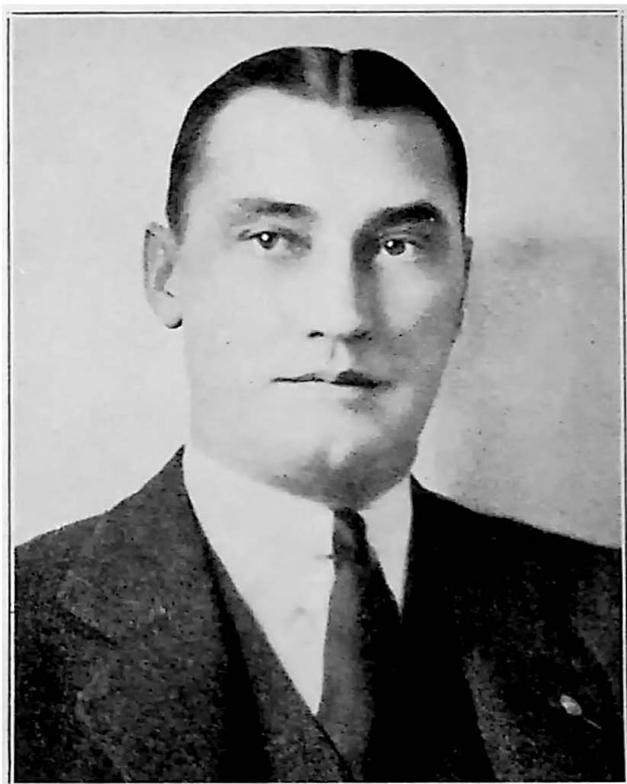
Counties in District: Hancock, Brooke, Ohio, Marshall, Wetzel, Marion and Taylor. Population (1930), 273,185.



JENNINGS RANDOLPH  
Congressman from the Second District

JENNINGS RANDOLPH, (D), of Elkins, was born at Salem, March 8, 1902, son of Ernest and Idell (Bingman) Randolph; attended public schools at Salem and was graduated from Salem Academy in 1920 and from Salem College in 1924; honorary degree of Doctor of Laws from Davis and Elkins College in 1930; became a member of the editorial staff of the *Charlottesville Daily Telegraph* and later associate editor of the *West Virginia Review*; head of department of public speaking and journalism and director of athletes at Davis and Elkins College, 1926-32; lectured with Redpath Chautauqua during summer of 1929; district Governor of Lions International (West Virginia), 1931; married February 18, 1933, to Mary Katherine Babb, of Keyser; they have two sons; member of Salem Seventh Day Baptist Church; member boards of directors of both Salem College and Davis and Elkins College; member West Virginia State Newspaper Council, National Press Club, and University Club of Washington; unsuccessful candidate for Congress in 1930; elected to the Seventy-third Congress and reelected to the Seventy-fourth, Seventy-fifth and Seventy-sixth Congresses. Assistant Whip of the House Majority; Chairman District of Columbia Committee; member of Civil Service, Labor and Roads Committees of House.

Candidates in District: Barbour, Berkeley, Grant, Hampshire, Hardy, Jefferson, Mineral, Monongalia, Morgan, Pendleton, Pocahontas, Preston, Randolph, Tucker and Webster. Population (1930), 277,001.



ANDREW EDMISTON

Congressman from the Third District

ANDREW EDMISTON, (D), of Weston, was born November 13, 1892, son of Matthew and Ella (Jackson) Edmiston; educated in the public schools of Lewis and Upshur counties and at Friends School, Washington, D. C.; attended Kentucky Military Institute and West Virginia University; married April 21, 1921, to Merle Williams, of Clarksburg; Episcopalian; Delta Tau Delta; Rotarian; Mason; member Army and Navy Club and National Press Club; served with American Expeditionary Forces, Company A, 39th Infantry, 4th Division; awarded Distinguished Service Cross; interested in glass industry and newspaper and real estate business; state commander American Legion, 1921-1922; mayor of Weston, 1924-1926; chairman Democratic State Executive Committee, 1923-1932; elected to Congress from the Third Congressional District in 1933, to fill the unexpired term of Lynn S. Hornor, deceased, and reelected in 1934, 1936 and 1938.

Counties in District: Ritchie, Doddridge, Harrison, Calhoun, Gilmer, Lewis, Upshur, Braxton, Clay, Nicholas and Fayette. Population (1930), 294,334.



GEORGE WILLIAM JOHNSON

Congressman from the Fourth District

GEORGE WILLIAM JOHNSON, (D), of Parkersburg, was born on a farm near Charles Town, Jefferson County, in the Shenandoah Valley, son of George Dallas and Anne Elizabeth (Henry) Johnson; educated in the public schools; attended Shepherd College State Normal School, Shepherds-town; graduated from West Virginia University with the degrees of A. B. and LL. B.; began the practice of law at Martinsburg but later moved to Parkersburg, and has practiced there ever since; has served as referee in bankruptcy and as general counsel for the West Virginia Public Service Commission; Episcopalian; 32° Mason; married Mary A. McKendree of Cabell County; have two children—Mildred Elizabeth Vorberg and George McKendree Johnson; member of the Sixty-eighth Congress; elected to the Seventy-third Congress from the Fourth Congressional District in 1932, and reelected in 1934, 1936 and 1938.

Counties in District: Tyler, Pleasants, Wood, Wirt, Jackson, Roane, Mason, Putnam, Cabell, Wayne and Lincoln. Population (1930), 296,484.

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JOHN KEE

Congressman from the Fifth District

JOHN KEE, (D), of Bluefield, was born at Glenville, Gilmer County, August 22, 1874, son of Jasper N. and Louisa (Campbell) Kee; educated at Glenville State Normal School and at the law school of the West Virginia University; lawyer; assistant counsel of the Virginian Railway, 1903-1910; in professional practice at Bluefield, 1910-1916; special legal work in Mexico, 1916-1918; engaged since in practice of profession at Bluefield; member of the State Senate, 1923-1927; married September 7, 1926; one son, James Kee; Episcopalian; life member of Elks and Moose, and member of other fraternities; Phi Sigma Kappa; honorary member Veterans of Foreign Wars; elected to the Seventy-third Congress from the Fifth Congressional District in 1932, and reelected overwhelmingly in 1934, 1936 and 1938. Member Committee on Foreign Affairs.

Counties in District: Mingo, Wyoming, McDowell, Mercer, Summers, Monroe and Greenbrier. Population (1930), 261,342.



JOE L. SMITH

Congressman from the Sixth District

JOE L. SMITH, (D), of Beckley, was born May 22, 1880, at Marshes (now Glen Daniel), Raleigh County, son of Hulett A. and Angeline (McMillon) Smith; attended the public schools; engaged for twenty years in the printing and publishing business, owning and editing the Raleigh Register at Beckley; mayor of Beckley for four terms; elected to the West Virginia Senate in 1908; married September 9, 1914, to Christine Carlson, of Annapolis, Maryland; they have two sons—Joe L. Smith, Jr., and Hulett C. Smith; president of the Beckley National Exchange Bank; Presbyterian; Mason; Elk; elected to the Seventy-first Congress from the Sixth Congressional District in 1928, and reelected to succeeding Congresses.

Counties in District: Boone, Kanawha, Logan and Raleigh. Population (1930), 308,859.

## FEDERAL COURTS

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN  
DISTRICT OF WEST VIRGINIA

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 OF COURT**

**Clarksburg**—First Tuesday in January and fourth Tuesday in August.  
**Elkins**—First Tuesday in June and third Tuesday in November.  
**Martinsburg**—First Tuesday in April and fourth Tuesday in September.  
**Parkersburg**—Third Tuesday in March and first Tuesday in October.  
**Wheeling**—Third Tuesday in April and October.  
**Fairmont**—First Monday after fourth Tuesday in August.

*District Judges:* W. E. Baker.....Elkins  
 †Harry E. Watkins.....Fairmont  
*Secretary to Judge W. E. Baker:* Marcella B. Burkett.....Elkins  
*Secretary to Judge Harry E. Watkins:* Heber H. Curry.....Fairmont  
*Clerk:* Wm. C. Howard.....Elkins  
*Chief Deputy Clerk:* Russell M. Barrett.....Clarksburg  
*Deputy Clerks:* Robert Perrar.....Wheeling  
 S. R. Harrison, Jr.....Clarksburg  
 John W. Rine.....Elkins  
 Johnson Sites.....Elkins  
 Mrs. Irma Sivert Detwiler.....Elkins  
 Robert W. Burk.....Parkersburg  
*United States Attorney:* Joe V. Gibson.....Parkersburg  
*Assistant United States Attorneys:* Bantz W. Craddock.....Clarksburg  
 Jacob S. Hyer.....Elkins  
 Wayne T. Brooks.....Clarksburg  
*Clerk to United States Attorney:* Mrs. Malle W. Mettler.....Clarksburg  
*Excepted Clerk to United States Attorney:* Mrs. Daisy B. Murdock.....Clarksburg  
*Stenographer-Clerk:* Mrs. Cora H. Boone.....Clarksburg  
*United States Marshal:* Albert M. Rowe.....Fairmont  
*Chief Deputy Marshal:* J. Pietro Repep.....Fairmont  
*Office Deputies:* Del Galner.....Elkins  
 Harold Ridgely.....Fairmont  
 Mrs. Osa Hefner Lynch.....Clarksburg  
 Robert C. McConaughy.....Clarksburg  
 George I. Simons.....Clarksburg  
 Verna Parker.....Fairmont

**United States Commissioners**

Nell Moran, Wheeling  
 Francis B. Burk, Parkersburg  
 H. Marshall Homer, Martinsburg  
 George C. Ludwig, Keyser  
 M. M. Smith, Elkins  
 L. T. Eddy, Fairmont  
 F. Evan Parrack, Kingwood

**Referees in Bankruptcy**

Robert B. McDougle, Parkersburg  
 Thomas H. Duval, Wheeling  
 Wilbur H. Thomas, Martinsburg  
 O. E. Wyckoff, Grafton  
 Ray L. Strother, Clarksburg

\*Terms of Court at Elkins, Martinsburg, and Wheeling are held by Judge Baker, and at Clarksburg, Fairmont and Parkersburg by Judge Watkins.  
 †Serves as Judge for both Northern and Southern Districts.

## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF WEST VIRGINIA

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 OF COURT

**Bluefield**—Third Tuesday in January and June.

**Charleston**—Second Tuesday in April and third Tuesday in November.

**Huntington**—Second Tuesday in May and third Tuesday in October.

**Lewisburg**—First Tuesday in March and September.

<i>District Judges:</i> George W. McClintic.....	Charleston
†Harry E. Watkins.....	Fairmont
<i>Secretary to Judge George W. McClintic:</i> Dorothy Hutchlnson.....	Charleston
<i>Secretary to Judge Harry E. Watkins:</i> Heber H. Curry.....	Fairmont
<i>Clerk:</i> Ira H. Mottesheard.....	Charleston
<i>Chief Deputy Clerk:</i> Earl R. Cavender.....	Charleston
<i>Deputy Clerks:</i> Henry N. Graves.....	Charleston
Charlotte S. Graves.....	Charleston
Raymond Gosling.....	Huntington
Goldie Ayers.....	Bluefield
<i>United States Attorney:</i> Lemuel R. Vla.....	Huntington
<i>Assistant United States Attorneys:</i> John W. Hereford.....	Huntington
Charles M. Love, Jr.....	Charleston
Thornton G. Berry, Jr.....	Welch
<i>Special Attorneys, Department of Justice:</i> John R. Dyer.....	Charleston
Ralph J. Luttrell.....	Charleston
Leslie E. Given.....	Charleston
<i>United States Marshal:</i> Geo. P. Alderson.....	Charleston
<i>Chief Office Deputy:</i> L. French Herold.....	Charleston
<i>Office Deputies:</i> Margaret C. Barrett.....	Charleston
J. Robert Miller.....	Beckley
J. H. Hoffman.....	Charleston
Wyatt W. Thompson.....	Lewisburg
M. E. Ketchum.....	Huntington
Luclan Fry.....	Welch
D. J. Rogers.....	Charleston
Edward H. Crowder.....	Charleston

### United States Commissioners

Albert Fitzwater, Charleston	J. L. Ryan, Fayetteville
Joseph P. Douglass, Huntington	W. G. Wiles, Williamson
E. C. Eagle, Hinton	Thomas H. Scott, Bluefield
J. E. Bass, Lewisburg	C. F. Steed, Hamlin
Sampson N. Miller, Webster Springs	James M. Henderson, Beckley
Lemaster B. Rogers, Glen Ray	Hoagland French, Welch
C. H. Craig, Summersville	T. C. Whited, Logan
A. A. Browning, Pineville	Will Davis, Sutton
Edward E. McComas, Madison	

### Referees in Bankruptcy

Leonard S. Echols, Charleston	Cyrus B. Van Bibber, Huntington
Luther G. Scott, Bluefield	

\*Terms of Court at Bluefield, Charleston and Lewisburg are held by Judge McClintic, and at Huntington by Judge Watkins.

†Serves as Judge for both Northern and Southern Districts.

UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS  
FOURTH CIRCUIT

Districts	District Judges	Circuit Judges	Justice
Md.....	William C. Coleman .....		Charles E. Hughes
Md.....	W. Calvin Chesnut .....		
N. C., Eastern.....	Isaac M. Meekins.....	John J. Parker, Charlotte, N. C. Morris A. Soper, Baltimore, Md. Elliott Northcott, Huntington, W. Va.	
N. C., Western.....	Etwin Y. Webb .....		
N. C., Middle.....	Johnson J. Hayes.....		
S. C., Eastern.....	Frank K. Myers.....		
S. C., Western.....	Henry H. Watkins.....		
S. C., Western.....	C. C. Wyche.....		
S. C., Eastern and Western.....	Alva M. Lumpkin.....		
Va., Eastern.....	Luther B. Way.....		
Va., Eastern.....	Robert N. Pollard.....		
Va., Western.....	John Paul.....		
Va., Western.....	Armistead M. Dobie.....		
W. Va., Northern.....	W. E. Baker.....		
W. Va., Southern.....	George W. McClintic.....		
W. Va., Northern and Southern.....	Harry E. Watkins.....		

Clerk: Claude M. Dean, Richmond, Virginia.

Terms of Court

- Richmond:** The first Monday in April and October.
- Asheville:** The first Monday in June.
- Charlotte:** The first Monday in January.
- Baltimore:** The first Monday in November.

SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

Name of Office	Appointed from	Appointed
<b>CHIEF JUSTICE</b>		
Charles Evans Hughes.....	New York.....	Feb. 3, 1930
<b>ASSOCIATE JUSTICES</b>		
James Clark McReynolds.....	Tennessee.....	Aug. 29, 1914
Harlan Fiske Stone.....	New York.....	Jan. 5, 1925
Owen J. Roberts.....	Pennsylvania.....	May 9, 1930
Hugo Lafayette Black.....	Alabama.....	Aug. 17, 1937
Stanley Reed.....	Kentucky.....	Jan. 15, 1938
Felix Frankfurter.....	Massachusetts.....	Jan. 5, 1939
William O. Douglas.....	Connecticut.....	Mar. 20, 1939
*(Vacancy)		

Clerk: Charles Elmore Cropley.  
Marshal: Thomas E. Waggaman.  
Reporter: Ernest Knaebel.

Terms: First Monday in October, annually, and such adjourned or special terms as may be found necessary for the dispatch of business.

\*Associate Justice Pierce Butler died November 16, 1939.

## JUSTICES OF THE SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES 1789-1939

NAME	State	Service	Born	Died	Appointed By
*John Jay	N. Y.	1789-1795	1745	1829	Washington
John Rutledge	S. C.	1789-1791	1739	1800	Washington
William Cushing	Mass.	1789-1810	1732	1810	Washington
James Wilson	Pa.	1789-1798	1742	1798	Washington
John Blair	Va.	1789-1796	1732	1800	Washington
James Iredell	N. C.	1790-1799	1751	1799	Washington
Thomas Johnson	Md.	1791-1793	1732	1819	Washington
*William Paterson	N. J.	1793-1806	1745	1806	Washington
John Rutledge	S. C.	1795-1795	1739	1800	Washington
Samuel Chase	Md.	1796-1811	1741	1811	Washington
*Oliver Ellsworth	Conn.	1796-1800	1745	1807	Washington
Bushrod Washington	Va.	1798-1829	1762	1829	John Adams
Alfred Moore	N. C.	1799-1804	1755	1810	John Adams
*John Marshall	Va.	1801-1835	1755	1835	John Adams
William Johnson	S. C.	1804-1834	1771	1834	Jefferson
Brockholst Livingston	N. Y.	1800-1823	1757	1826	Jefferson
Thomas Todd	Ky.	1807-1820	1765	1826	Jefferson
Joseph Story	Mass.	1811-1845	1779	1845	Madison
Gabriel Duval	Md.	1811-1836	1752	1844	Madison
Smith Thompson	N. Y.	1823-1843	1769	1843	Monroe
Robert Trimble	Ky.	1826-1828	1777	1828	J. Q. Adams
John McLean	Ohio	1829-1861	1785	1861	Jackson
Henry Baldwin	Pa.	1830-1844	1780	1844	Jackson
James M. Wayne	Ga.	1835-1867	1790	1867	Jackson
Roger B. Taney	Md.	1836-1864	1777	1864	Jackson
Philip P. Barbour	Va.	1836-1841	1783	1841	Jackson
John Catron	Tenn.	1837-1865	1786	1865	Van Buren
John McKinley	Ala.	1838-1852	1780	1852	Van Buren
Peter V. Daniel	Va.	1841-1860	1784	1860	Van Buren
Samuel Nelson	N. Y.	1845-1872	1792	1873	Tyler
Levi Woodbury	N. H.	1845-1851	1789	1851	Polk
Robert C. Grier	Pa.	1846-1870	1794	1870	Polk
Benji. R. Curtis	Mass.	1851-1857	1809	1874	Fillmore
John A. Campbell	Ala.	1853-1861	1811	1880	Pierce
Nathan Clifford	Me.	1858-1881	1803	1881	Buchanan
Noah H. Swayne	Ohio	1862-1881	1804	1884	Lincoln
Samuel F. Miller	Iowa	1862-1890	1810	1890	Lincoln
David Davis	Ill.	1862-1877	1815	1886	Lincoln
Stephen J. Field	Cal.	1863-1897	1816	1899	Lincoln
*Samuel P. Chase	Ohio	1864-1873	1808	1873	Lincoln
William Strong	Pa.	1870-1880	1808	1895	Grant
Joseph P. Bradley	N. J.	1870-1892	1813	1892	Grant
Ward Hunt	N. Y.	1872-1882	1810	1886	Grant
Morrison R. Waite	Ohio	1874-1888	1816	1888	Grant
John M. Harlan	Ky.	1877-1911	1833	1911	Hayes
William B. Woods	Ga.	1880-1887	1824	1887	Hayes
Stanley Matthews	Ohio	1881-1889	1824	1889	Garfield
Horace Gray	Mass.	1881-1902	1828	1902	Arthur
Samuel Blatchford	N. Y.	1882-1893	1820	1893	Arthur
Lucius Q. C. Lamar	Miss.	1888-1893	1825	1893	Cleveland
*Melville W. Fuller	Ill.	1888-1910	1833	1910	Cleveland
David J. Brewer	Kan.	1889-1910	1837	1910	Harrison
Henry J. Brown	Mich.	1890-1908	1836	1913	Harrison
George Shiras, Jr.	Pa.	1892-1903	1832	1924	Harrison
Howell E. Jackson	Tenn.	1893-1895	1832	1895	Harrison
Edward D. White	La.	1894-1910	1845	1921	Cleveland
Rufus W. Peckham	N. Y.	1896-1909	1838	1909	Cleveland
Joseph McKenna	Cal.	1898-1925	1843	1926	McKinley
Oliver W. Holmes	Mass.	1902-1932	1841	1935	T. Roosevelt
William R. Day	Ohio	1903-1922	1849	1923	T. Roosevelt
William H. Moody	Mass.	1900-1910	1853	1917	T. Roosevelt
Horace H. Lurton	Tenn.	1910-1914	1844	1914	Taft
Charles E. Hughes	N. Y.	1910-1916	1862	....	Taft
† Willis Van Devanter	Wyo.	1911-1937	1859	....	Taft
Joseph R. Lamar	Ga.	1911-1916	1857	1916	Taft
*Edward D. White	La.	1910-1921	1845	1921	Taft
Mahlon Pitney	N. J.	1912-1922	1858	1924	Taft
Jas. C. McReynolds	Tenn.	1914-....	1862	....	Wilson
† Louis D. Brandeis	Mass.	1916-1939	1856	....	Wilson
John H. Clarke	Ohio	1910-1922	1857	....	Wilson
*William H. Taft	Conn.	1921-1930	1857	1930	Harding
†† George Sutherland	Utah	1922-1938	1862	....	Harding
Perce Butler	Minn.	1922-1939	1860	1939	Harding
Edward T. Sanford	Tenn.	1923-1930	1865	1930	Harding
Harlan F. Stone	N. Y.	1925-....	1872	....	Coolidge
*Charles E. Hughes	N. Y.	1930-....	1862	....	Hoover
Owen J. Roberts	Penn.	1930-....	1875	....	Hoover
Benjamin N. Cardozo	N. Y.	1932-1938	1870	1938	Hoover
Hugo F. Black	Ala.	1937-....	1886	....	Roosevelt
Stanley Reed	Ky.	1938-....	1884	....	Roosevelt
Felix Frankfurter	Mass.	1939-....	1882	....	Roosevelt
William O. Douglas	Conn.	1939-....	1898	....	Roosevelt

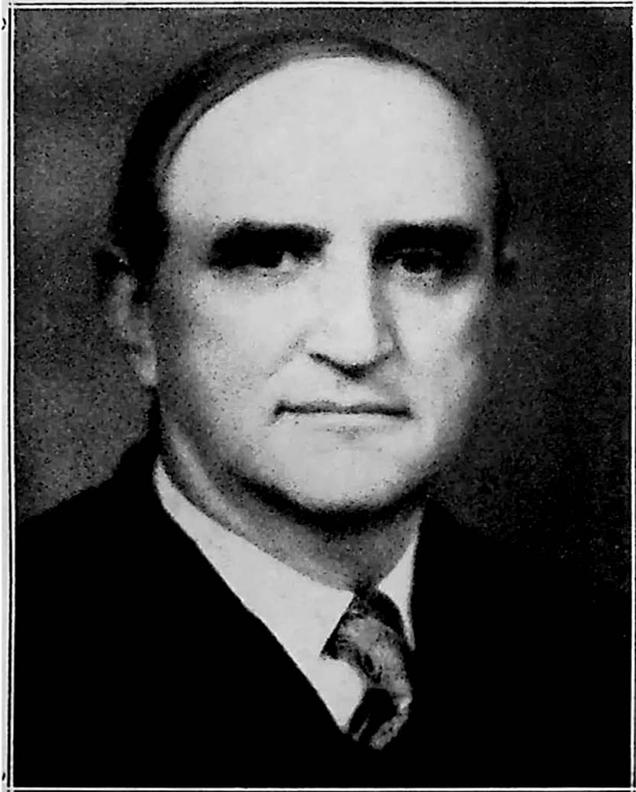
\*—Chief Justices. †—Retired June 2, 1937. ††Retired Feb. 13, 1939. †††Retired Jan. 5, 1938.



WILLIAM E. BAKER

Judge of the United States District Court for the Northern District  
of West Virginia

WILLIAM E. BAKER, (R), of Elkins, Judge of the United States District Court for the Northern District of West Virginia, was born February 25, 1873, in Randolph County, son of Eli and Margaret Sexton Baker; graduated at Wesleyan College in 1893, with the degree of B. S., and at West Virginia University in 1896, with degrees of A. B. and LL. B.; married March 28, 1896, to Martha R. Davidson, of Evansville, Indiana; appointed United States District Judge, April 4, 1921.



GEORGE W. McCLINTIC

Judge of the United States District Court for the Southern District  
of West Virginia

GEORGE W. McCLINTIC, (R), of Charleston, Judge of the United States District Court for the Southern District of West Virginia, was born January 14, 1866, in Pocahontas County, West Virginia, son of William H. and Mary (Mathews) McClintic; graduate of Roanoke College, A. B., 1883, A. M., 1888, LL. D., 1928; University of Virginia, B. L., 1886; married October 17, 1907, to Ethel Knight, of Charleston, who died August 19, 1934; city attorney, Charleston, 1915-17; member House of Delegates, 1919-21; appointed United States District Judge, Southern District, West Virginia, in 1921; member A. F. & A. M.; Knight Templar, Shriner, Scottish Rite, Mason (Past Grand Master, Grand Lodge West Virginia).



HARRY E. WATKINS

Judge of the United States District Court for the Northern and Southern Districts of West Virginia

HARRY E. WATKINS. (D), of Fairmont. Judge of the United States District Court for the Northern and Southern Districts of West Virginia, was born November 6, 189 . at Watson, Marion County, son of Jesse T. and Molly R. Watkins; educated in the public schools, attending Fairmont State Teachers College in 1917, and graduating from West Virginia University in 1923 with the degree of LL. B.; served with the 13th Service Company, U. S. Signal Corps, during the World War; married August 20, 1927, to Margaret Lehman; Presbyterian; Mason; Delta Tau Delta; Phi Delta Phi; member American Legion and Forty and Eight; actively engaged in the practice of law at Fairmont, 1923-1937; vice president West Virginia Bar Association, 1935-36; presidential elector, 1936; appointed March 2, 1937, by President Roosevelt, as Judge of the United States District Court for the Northern and Southern Districts of West Virginia.

**FARM SECURITY COMMISSION**

**West Virginia Advisory Committee**

Frederick H. Barron, Elkins  
 Milton Burr, Bardane  
 Denny M. Callison, Beard  
 J. O. Knapp, Morgantown

Victor F. Lloyd, Exchange  
 J. M. Lowe, Charleston  
 Leonard Riggleman, Charleston  
 Ralph Smith, Buckhannon  
 Dayton R. Stemple, Philippi

*State Director Rural Rehabilitation Division:* R. G. Ellyson — Morgantown

**HOME OWNERS' LOAN CORPORATION**

**WEST VIRGINIA AGENCY**

**State Headquarters: Charleston**



MATTHEW EDMISTON, (D), of Buckhannon, State Manager of Home Owners' Loan Corporation, was born May 25, 1890, son of George B. and Anna M. Edmiston; educated in public schools; attended Kentucky Military School and West Virginia Wesleyan College; married August 30, 1916, to Nellie McWhorter; engaged for years in farming, banking and real estate business; has served as district manager, state service supervisor and assistant state manager of the HOLC; appointed state manager June 26, 1936.

**Administrative Staff**

*State Manager:* M. Edmiston..... Upshur  
*State Counsel:* H. Clare Hess ..... Marion  
*State Service Supervisor:* C. H. Green..... Mercer  
*State Appraiser:* B. H. McCulloch..... Mercer  
*Assistant State Appraiser:* N. W. Pritchard..... Kanawha  
*State Reconditioning Supervisor:* E. C. Taylor..... Mingo

<i>Property Management Field Supervisors:</i>	John W. Dyer	Kanawha
	John R. Evans	Cabell
<i>Property Management Representatives:</i>	Francis J. Deegan	Marshall
	Wm. C. Sandridge	Barbour
<i>Service Representatives:</i>	Charles H. Newton	Kanawha
	Thomas W. Curry	Upshur
	J. Robert O'Malley	Monongalia
	Russell Rollins	Upshur
	Harry W. Pollock	Cabell
	D. E. Shldts	Marshall
	Mansfield Stealey	Randolph
<i>Reconditioning Inspector:</i>	Vernon D. Page	Randolph
<i>Senior Clerk:</i>	F. J. Farnsworth	Upshur
<i>Senior Clerk-Stenographer:</i>	Flora Breeding Hudson	Mercer
<i>Secretary to State Manager:</i>	Lutle H. Amos	Kanawha
<i>Receiving Teller:</i>	Martha Chapman	Gilmer
<i>Assistant Clerk:</i>	John W. Hannon	Summers
<i>Assistant Clerk-Stenographers:</i>	Angela K. Huch	Ohio
	Dorothy Macfarlane	Kanawha
	Mabel M. Howie	Braxton
	Leona Davis	Gilmer
	Rebecca Ferimer	Kanawha
<i>Junior Clerk:</i>	Margaret E. Parker	Ohio
<i>Junior Clerk-Stenographers:</i>	Mary Virginia Warder Smith	Marion
	Hawes E. Brown	Kanawha
	Estella B. Brackman	Cabell
	Ruth Miles	Upshur
	Vieva Steertz	Kanawha
	Olga Stewart	Lincoln
<i>Junior Clerk-Typist:</i>	Lucille K. Murray	Kanawha
<i>Under Clerk:</i>	S. W. Allen	Mercer

## HOME OWNERS' LOAN CORPORATION

### HOLC LOANS IN WEST VIRGINIA

(Tabulated from the Beginning of Operations to September 15, 1939)

COUNTY	LOANS GRANTED		LOANS PAID IN FULL	
	Number	Amount	Number	Amount
Barbour.....	92	\$ 179,277.56	8	\$ 5,660.56
Berkeley.....	110	244,207.83	11	21,818.96
Boone.....	76	149,023.05	8	15,506.31
Braxton.....	77	119,975.95	6	4,033.85
Brooke.....	176	444,718.74	17	33,877.56
Cabell.....	1,023	2,816,372.31	95	220,066.19
Calhoun.....	5	9,389.07	1	910.00
Clay.....	9	19,340.64	.....	.....
Doddridge.....	22	42,112.47	3	5,066.35
Fayette.....	165	312,079.61	14	19,157.64
Gilmer.....	12	12,922.85	1	178.25
Grant.....	8	8,952.29	1	423.50
Greenbrier.....	56	181,095.76	3	11,427.16
Hampshire.....	21	34,447.87	5	10,255.33
Hancock.....	202	516,764.56	11	26,049.71
Hardy.....	5	7,015.04	.....	.....
Harrison.....	377	902,019.97	43	58,625.84
Jackson.....	12	23,173.46	1	968.50
Jefferson.....	76	107,961.02	4	10,705.36
Kanawha.....	1,490	4,249,617.59	102	427,726.09
Lewis.....	113	210,884.48	12	29,271.86
Lincoln.....	18	24,615.63	2	836.98
Logan.....	48	131,510.23	7	9,217.78
Marion.....	486	1,186,999.13	37	62,100.13
Marshall.....	402	910,643.09	41	101,204.34
Mason.....	71	132,587.44	7	9,216.75
Mercer.....	567	1,404,956.79	62	131,678.74
Mineral.....	90	147,787.44	11	14,063.57
Mingo.....	108	313,673.72	5	5,295.98
Monongalia.....	637	1,493,483.02	31	44,877.71
Monroe.....	12	24,165.21	1	2,540.60
Morgan.....	30	52,033.14	4	5,721.32
McDowell.....	67	247,522.53	8	22,327.66
Nicholas.....	42	93,618.99	2	1,863.86
Ohio.....	685	1,894,526.85	52	138,005.53
Pendleton.....	27	53,821.56	6	7,712.58
Pleasants.....	47	113,349.37	4	6,174.18
Pocahontas.....	19	35,810.64	3	3,746.22
Preston.....	35	76,959.17	1	745.54
Putnam.....	39	59,339.11	4	3,127.73
Raleigh.....	164	401,580.84	8	19,507.47
Randolph.....	73	162,191.06	7	17,203.49
Ritchie.....	22	47,154.15	3	3,939.00
Roane.....	61	199,971.24	6	10,421.62
Summers.....	195	545,507.68	11	23,216.25
Taylor.....	127	244,240.37	3	4,231.19
Tucker.....	41	57,760.31	1	1,448.40
Tyler.....	40	72,856.61	3	4,213.67
Upshur.....	78	202,089.27	11	24,275.79
Wayne.....	140	254,171.95	14	19,875.34
Webster.....	8	10,579.93	1	1,823.11
Wetzel.....	76	140,089.67	8	11,658.48
Wirt.....	7	8,746.27	1	1,170.51
Wood.....	504	1,486,954.44	70	151,487.55
Wyoming.....	16	38,331.95	7	12,470.85
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>9,139</b>	<b>\$ 22,871,370.92</b>	<b>846</b>	<b>\$ 1,779,188.74</b>

## FEDERAL HOUSING ADMINISTRATION

State Headquarters: Charleston



FRANCIS GUY ASH, (D), of Morgantown, State Director of the Federal Housing Administration, was born November 13, 1893, at Elizabethton, Tennessee, son of Benton and Hattie Virginia Ash, of Doddridge County; educated in the public schools of Doddridge County and at West Virginia University; married December 21, 1926, to Margaret Sturgiss; Mason; Elk; Knights of Pythias; engaged in real estate, mortgage, and insurance business for more than twenty years; elected to the House of Delegates from Monongalia County in 1922; member city council at Morgantown, 1925-26; member board of education, Monongalia County, 1930-31; appointed Adjutant General March 9, 1935, resigning September 15, 1936, to accept appointment as State Director of the Federal Housing Administration.

## Administrative Staff

<i>State Director:</i> F. Guy Ash	Monongalia County
<i>Office Manager:</i> Lyle T. West	— Gilmer County
<i>Chief Underwriter:</i> William H. Heermans	— Wood County
<i>Chief Valuator:</i> Forris C. Groff	Kanawha County
<i>Chief Architectural Supervisor:</i> Jesse D. Folwell	Wood County
<i>Chief Mortgage Risk Examiner:</i> Phillip E. Hyre	Wood County
<i>Preliminary Examiner:</i> George W. Dunbar	Cabell County
<i>Valuators:</i> Joseph D. Boone	Harrison County
John E. Ruise	—
Harry S. Price	Marion County
<i>Architectural Inspectors:</i> Crawford Latson	Monongalia County
H. I. Bond	— Lewis County
<i>Chief Record Clerk:</i> Mary E. McQuain	— Boone County
<i>Under Clerk:</i> Lawrence W. Burdette	Summers County
<i>Stenographers:</i> Kathleen Mitchell	Harrison County
Margaret E. Payne	Wood County
Garnette Roberts	Gilmer County
Harriet Russell	—
Helen C. Tierney	Cabell County
Virginia Q. Waskey	— Lewis County
Nancy Lee Hayes	— Mingo County
	Kanawha County

## OFFICE OF GOVERNMENT REPORTS

Charleston



ERNEST L. BAILEY, (D), of Charleston, State Director for the Office of Government Reports, was born at Dott, Mercer County, son of Winton E. and Josephine (Mastin) Bailey; educated at Virginia Polytechnic Institute; married September 16, 1914, to Minniebell Atkins; Episcopalian; civil and mining engineer; formerly engaged in banking and coal business; Chief, West Virginia Department of Mines, 1933; State Road Commissioner, 1933-35; State Director, National Emergency Council, 1937-39; appointed State Director for the Office of Government Reports for West Virginia, July 1, 1939.

### Administrative Staff

*State Director:* E. L. Bailey.....Chamber of Commerce Building, Charleston  
*Junior Administrative Assistant:*  
 Io Boone.....Chamber of Commerce Building, Charleston  
*Junior Stenographer:*  
 Gretis Ratliff.....Chamber of Commerce Building, Charleston

UNITED STATES INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE

DISTRICT OF WEST VIRGINIA

Headquarters: Parkersburg



FRANK ROY YOKE, (D), of Morgantown, Collector of Internal Revenue, was born July 3, 1880, in Lewis County, son of S. G. and Helen A. Yoke; graduated from West Virginia University with degrees of A. B. and LL. B.; married August 21, 1916, to Edna Jenkins; Episcopalian; served as school superintendent for fifteen years, and as alumni secretary of West Virginia University for ten years; elected to the House of Delegates from Monongalia County in 1932, resigning to accept appointment as Chief Field Deputy under the Collector of Internal Revenue, at Parkersburg; appointed Collector of Internal Revenue October 1, 1937.

Administrative Staff

Collector: F. Roy Yoke..... Parkersburg  
 Secretary to the Collector: Helen H. Beckwith.....Wood  
 Assistant to the Collector: Robb N. Keyser.....Barbour  
 General Bookkeeper: John B. Mitchell.....Lewis  
 Disbursing Clerk: Edith Smoot.....Wood  
 Supply Officer: Robert C. Cook.....Wood

Income Tax Division

Chief of Division: L. G. Stanley.....Logan  
 Assistant Chief of Division: Robert L. Jack.....Gilmer  
 Auditor: Mark B. Condry.....Harrison  
 Control Chief: Ruth McGuinness.....Wood  
 Claims Clerk: Nancy Davis.....Wood  
 Bookkeeper: Rita M. Barrett.....Wood  
 Assistant Bookkeeper: Joy Berdine.....Wood  
 Comptometer Operator: Audrey L. Pennington.....Cabell  
 Stenographers: Chelsea Conaway.....Wood  
                   Sara Jane Mc Nerney.....Wood  
                   Helen Nolan.....Wood

## Miscellaneous Tax Division

<i>Chief of Division:</i> Clyde E. Knapp.....	Marshall
<i>Section Chiefs:</i> Lina R. Forbes.....	Raleigh
Elizabeth McCormick.....	Wood
<i>Comptometer Operator:</i> Eleanor R. Morgan.....	Cabell
<i>Stenographers:</i> Geraloine T. Ross.....	Lewis
Annabelle Arthur.....	Lewis
Lena Moroni.....	Wood
Mildred Williams.....	Taylor
Marlalyce Keene.....	Wood

## Social Security Tax Division

<i>Chief of Division:</i> Emmet C. Jeffrey.....	Wood
<i>Assistant Chief of Division:</i> Carl D. Jackson.....	Wood
<i>Chief of Assessment and Control Section:</i> John W. Peppers, Jr.....	Wood
<i>Assistant Chief of Assessment and Control Section:</i> J. Arlan Hartsook.....	Greenbrier
<i>Control Clerk:</i> John Curtis Wolfe, Jr.....	Berkeley
<i>Chief of Verification Section:</i> G. Kenneth Haines.....	Hampshire
<i>Examiners and Sorters:</i> Juanita Sutton.....	Doddridge
Ashley Chappell.....	Wood
Edward Gillespie.....	Braxton
<i>Calculating Machine Operator:</i> Madelon Donaldson.....	Ritchie
<i>Billing Machine Operator:</i> Mary M. Ronning.....	Wood
<i>Stenographers:</i> Kathleen C. Kemper.....	Greenbrier
Thelma E. Hovermale.....	Wood
Margaret Chapman.....	Wetzel
Jean Thrasher Cobb.....	Greenbrier
Elizabeth P. Burdette.....	Mason

## Cashier's Office

<i>Cashier:</i> F. Marion Loudin.....	Wood
<i>Assistant Cashier:</i> Justin L. Cottle.....	Roane
<i>Stenographer:</i> Lois Hayes Kinney.....	Wood

## Field Division

<i>Chief of Division:</i> Harrison Everett.....	Logan
<i>Special Zone Deputy:</i> Andrew H. McCutcheon.....	Webster
<i>Clerk to Chief of Division:</i> Nelle G. Curry.....	Wood

## Deputy Collectors

<i>Parkersburg:</i> A. W. Brown.....	Wood
Carl E. Troy.....	Wetzel
<i>Wheeling:</i> John J. Minkemyer.....	Ohio
Walter S. Bambrick.....	Hancock
J. D. Eller.....	Marshall
J. J. Snively.....	Marlon
<i>Morgantown:</i> F. M. Lucas.....	Monongalia
<i>Fairmont:</i> Eugene C. Taylor.....	Marlon
<i>Martinsburg:</i> Holly Gainer.....	Gilmer
<i>Clarksburg:</i> May F. Connell.....	Harrison
John O. McNeeley.....	Tucker
<i>Elkins:</i> C. H. Marstiller.....	Randolph
<i>Beckley:</i> Grover C. Gebhardt.....	Cabell
<i>Ronceverte:</i> Herbert M. Pennington.....	Greenbrier

*Oak Hill:* C. Lance Marshall ..... Fayette  
*Welch:* J. Harmon Sites ..... McDowell  
 Kenneth D. Swope ..... McDowell  
*Bluefield:* H. R. McNeer ..... Kanawha  
*Charleston:* Emory Kirby ..... Boone  
 T. Thayer Rhodes ..... Roane  
 Harry A. Tardy ..... Kanawha  
 P. Sloan Powers ..... Randolph  
*Huntington:* Preston A. Cave, Jr. .... Logan  
 William R. Wortham ..... Kanawha

INTERNAL REVENUE COLLECTIONS, 1931-1939

*YEAR	Social Security	Income	Miscellaneous	Total
1931.....	\$.....	\$ 8,669,578.36	\$ 2,481,822.13	\$ 11,151,400.49
1932.....	.....	4,982,273.39	2,094,997.51	7,077,270.90
1933.....	.....	3,025,815.80	2,790,941.82	5,816,757.62
1934.....	.....	3,582,747.40	4,251,212.42	7,833,959.88
1935.....	.....	5,305,394.59	4,391,541.65	9,696,936.24
1936.....	.....	7,363,696.21	5,418,757.73	12,782,453.94
1937.....	2,036,912.95	11,055,464.10	5,030,863.94	18,123,240.99
1938.....	5,074,461.89	13,805,274.71	5,412,021.37	24,291,757.97
1939.....	5,296,593.23	11,636,885.15	5,319,636.80	22,253,115.18

\*—Fiscal Year.

SOCIAL SECURITY BOARD

Bureau of Old-Age and Survivors Insurance

(West Virginia Offices)

City	Manager	City	Manager
Bluefield .....	Everett H. Smith	Huntington .....	Bernard B. James
Charleston .....	Ulysses A. Knapp	Martinsburg .....	William W. Wood
Clarksburg .....	Raymond Kenney	Parkersburg .....	Samuel W. Shingleton
	Wheeling .....	Joseph A. Morrison	

## UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE WEATHER BUREAU

### Weather Bureau Stations in West Virginia

- Elkins:** Harris A. Jones, Meteorologist, in charge.  
Meteorological observations and reports. Pilot balloon observations. Supervision Climatological Checking Station. Center for Tygart River District above Tygart Dam, Grafton. Direct supervision meteorological observations and reports, Municipal Airport, Elkins, and Mouth of Seneca.
- Parkersburg:** Stanley S. Schworm, Meteorologist, in charge.  
General and airways weather service and research. Center for climatological and agricultural meteorological service in West Virginia. Center for river district embracing the Ohio River and southern tributaries from McMechen to and including Point Pleasant.

### SUBSTATIONS AND OBSERVERS—RIVER AND AIRWAY

#### River Substations

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|--------------------------------------|--|
| Bellington: Bedie Poling             | Hinton: Mrs. M. L. McClung             |
| Camden-on-Gauley: William F. Compton | Logan: Paul Simonds                    |
| Charleston: Robert W. Jackson        | Midvale: P. A. Darnall                 |
| Clarksburg: Perkins Boynton          | Phillippi: Mrs. Maxine Leach           |
| Clay: L. E. Woofter                  | Point Pleasant: Mrs. Abigail N. Henson |
| Creston: John L. Ledsome             | Rowlesburg: Walter H. Bolyard          |
| Dalley: Mrs. M. B. Chenoweth         | Wayne: Mrs. Laura J. Dean              |
| Glenville: Howard R. Brannon         | Weston: J. Arthur Henry                |
| Hall: Mrs. Opal Ruth Jackson         | Williamson: J. E. Dotson               |
| Harpers Ferry: Eleanor White         |  |

#### River (Rainfall) Substations

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|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Bayard: Lewis T. Clark      | Knobly Mountain: David A. Arnold |
| Bluefield: O. C. Keeney     | Renick: David Simmons            |
| Brushy Run: John B. Shreve  | Sharples: R. W. Howard           |
| Buckhannon: Mrs. Ada Bailey | Spruce Knob: Moses R. Bennett    |
| Gary: E. F. Ketter          | Thomas: Wm. Sleeman              |
| Kermit: H. S. Evans         | Valley Head: Kent Swecker        |

#### Airway Substations

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|---|--|
| Flat Top: Robert B. Lilly               | Mathias: Raymond P. Daugherty                        |
| Gassaway: Mrs. Goldia B. Caruthers      | Mouth of Seneca (North Fork Mountain): Virgil Kimble |
| Harrison Co. Airport: John T. Corpening | Petersburg: J. W. Harmon                             |
| Institute: Civil Aeronautics Authority  |  |

## UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPARTMENT

### State Accounts Office

*Accountant-in-Charge:* B. Walter King \_\_\_\_\_ 221 Peoples Exchange Building

### Division of Procurement

*State Procurement Officer:* H. A. Hetz \_\_\_\_\_ 409 Davidson Building

### Division of Disbursement

*Disbursing Clerk:* H. F. Helsey \_\_\_\_\_ 203 Peoples Exchange Building

**WAR DEPARTMENT****ENGINEER DEPARTMENT AT LARGE****(Huntington, West Virginia, District)***District Engineer:* J. D. Arthur, Jr., Lt. Col., Corps of Engineers.*Executive Officer:* F. H. Falkner, Captain, Corps of Engineers.**Engineering Division***Chief:* Harry Pockras, Principal Engineer.*Assistant:* Raymond W. Sauer, Senior Engineer.*Reports and Studies:* Robert J. Pafford, Junior, Associate Engineer.*Land Acquisition:* Conrad M. Ross, Civil Engineer.*Design:* Joseph M. Cooke, Civil Engineer.**Administration Division***Chief:* P. W. Patterson, Chief Administrative Assistant.*Finance:* Harry N. Robinson, Associate Accountant.*Personnel:* Raymond H. Carlock, Junior Administrative Assistant.*Supplies:* Adrian B. May, Associate Administrative Assistant.*Cost:* Guy O. Barrett, Associate Accountant.*Mail and Records:* Walter L. Roehr, Senior Clerk.**Operations Division***Chief:* H. M. Underwood, Captain, Corps of Engineers.*Assistant:* Rowland R. Castle, Civil Engineer.*Construction:* G. A. Sisson, Civil Engineer.*Navigation:* William C. Steele, Associate Engineer.*Surveys:* Nathaniel F. Dortch, Civil Engineer.*Plant:* R. P. Bruns, Associate Engineer.**Inspection Division***Chief:* J. M. Belknap, Senior Engineer.*Assistant:* Robert B. Jenkinson, Assistant Engineer.**Operations Area Office****(Marietta, Ohio)**

(Supervision of operation of all Little Kanawha River Locks and Dams; all Muskingum River Locks and Dams; and Locks Nos. 14 to 23, Ohio River, inclusive.)

*Area Chief:* John Y. Newhard, Associate Engineer.*Assistant:* Forester Farley, Overseer.*Repair Station:* A. T. Hartman, Associate Superintendent.*Supply Depot:* R. W. Wening, Principal Clerk.

**WORKS PROGRESS ADMINISTRATION****Huntington**

JOSEPH NEWMAN ALDERSON, (D), of Alderson, was born June 8, 1887, son of Joseph N. and Lillie (Putney) Alderson; educated at Allegheny Collegiate Institute and Alderson Academy, Alderson, at Pantops Academy, Charlottesville, Virginia, and Dunsmore Business College, Staunton, Virginia; married February 15, 1911, to Frances Lucille Richardson; Presbyterian; Mason; Modern Woodman; engaged in mercantile business at Alderson since 1910; connected with First National Bank, Alderson, 1910-1914; past president Alderson Chamber of Commerce; member board of education Alderson Independent District for eight years, and served two years as member of Monroe County Board of Education; postmaster at Alderson for nine years; Director, Works Progress Administration, Third District, Lewisburg, 1935-1937; appointed Works Progress Administrator for West Virginia May 21, 1937.

**Administrative Staff**

*State Administrator:* Joseph N. Alderson

*Deputy Administrator:* M. L. O'Neale

*Office Manager:* W. H. Yeager

**Division of Finance**

*Director:* Ben H. Puckett

*State Compensation Officer:* Charles L. Heaberlin

**Division of Operations**

*Director:* Harold F. Kramer

*Assistant Director:* Henry M. Cogan

*State Safety Consultant:* Frank H. Rhea

**Division of Employment**

*Director:* Harry B. Colebank

*Assistant Director:* Maxine M. Adams

**Professional and Service Division**

*Director:* Mrs. Florence H. Wilkinson

*Assistant Director:* Dean L. Ricketts

**Dollar-a-Year-Men**

*Consultant, Labor Relations, Safety and Compensation:* Robert M. Lambie, Kanawha Valley Building, Charleston

*Consultant on Education:* Dr. Joseph Rosler, Fairmont

**NATIONAL YOUTH ADMINISTRATION OF WEST VIRGINIA**

Charleston



GLENN S. CALLAGHAN, (D), of Craigsville, State Administrator of the National Youth Administration, was born in that town, son of D. T. and Nancy (Rader) Callaghan; married to Isabel Johnson; educated at Fairmont State Teachers College and West Virginia University, graduating from the former institution in 1926 with the degree of A. B.; Kappa Delta Pi; member Lions Club; taught school for nineteen years, having served as principal of Fairview High School and Calhoun County High School; formerly employed in mines and lumber camps; actively engaged in work with young people for past twenty years; appointed State Director of Adult Education and Recreation (WPA), July, 1935, resigning a year later to devote full time to the work of the National Youth Administration, having been appointed State Youth Administrator in August, 1935.

**General Administration**

State Youth Administrator.....	Glenn S. Callaghan
Deputy State Youth Administrator.....	Thomas E. Miles
Office Manager .....	Goldie P. Scott
Stenographer .....	Vivian I. Beckett
Stenographer .....	Madeline Rosenlieb
Clerk-Stenographer.....	Kate C. Cochran
Supervisor Mimeograph Unit.....	Norman Knapp
Stenographer .....	Faye Virginia Drodgy
Clerk.....	George L. Price
Administrative Assistant.....	Charles S. Keefer

**Division of Operations**

Director Division of Operations .....	Thomas E. Miles
Secretary.....	Frances N. Dermit
Stenographer.....	Mary Alice Humphries
Supervisor Girls' Work.....	Gladys McGillicuddy
Supervisor Architectural Design.....	Kelsey Y. Saint
Assistant.....	Archie T. Butts
Construction Engineer.....	Donald W. Foster
Supervisor Negro Projects .....	Charles B. Moore
Stenographer .....	Velva R. Thompson

**Division of Finance and Statistics**

Director Division of Finance and Statistics.....	Maurice Liplan
Secretary.....	Margaret Kosmin
Senior Stenographer.....	Juliet M. Rathbone

<i>Chief Accounting Section</i> .....	William C. Reddy
<i>Clerk, Miscellaneous</i> .....	Elvira T. Dell Signore
<i>Accountant</i> .....	Archie D. Suddeth
<i>Clerk, Typist</i> .....	Opal Dietz
<i>Travel Section—Supervisory Clerk</i> .....	George B. White
<i>Chief Property Accounting Section</i> .....	Ernest C. Smith
<i>Clerk, Stenographer</i> .....	Cleopatra Walker
<i>Chief Pay Roll Section</i> .....	Bernard T. Beazley
<i>Clerk, Stenographer</i> .....	Celia F. Persinger
<i>Pay Roll Typist</i> .....	Avis O. Eggleton
<i>Pay Roll Typist</i> .....	Inez M. Taylor
<i>Comptometer Operator</i> .....	Rena F. Weaver
<i>Comptometer Operator</i> .....	Mary E. Cassis
<i>Pay Roll Examiner</i> .....	Morton V. Levin

### Division of Youth Personnel

<i>Director Division of Youth Personnel</i> .....	Luther E. Bledsoe
<i>Secretary</i> .....	Geraldine L. Trickett
<i>Assignment Supervisor</i> .....	Rothwell L. Calfee
<i>Stenographer</i> .....	Marjorie H. Courtney
<i>State Youth Counsellor</i> .....	Larry T. Hamby
<i>Stenographer</i> .....	Mary J. Waugaman
<i>Stenographer</i> .....	Helen Louise Given
<i>Assistant Supervisor Educational Aid</i> .....	Otis H. Milam, Jr.
<i>Secretary</i> .....	M. Elva Pitchford
<i>Junior Counselors: Alice M. Knight</i> .....	Charleston
<i>Pauline Marsh Morrison</i> .....	1229 Main Street, Wheeling

### District Supervisors

District No. 1, Elkins: C. Wood	District No. 4, Parkersburg: Francis G. Gainer
District No. 2, Fairmont: Eugene M. Watkins	District No. 5, Huntington: John T. Watson
District No. 3, Lewisburg: Frank J. Pietro	District No. 6, Charleston: C. Pell Lewis

## MISCELLANEOUS FEDERAL AGENCIES IN WEST VIRGINIA

### DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

**Agricultural Marketing Service**, Division of Agricultural Statistics, H. M. Brewer Statistician in Charge, Charleston.

**Bureau of Animal Industry**, Division of Tuberculosis Eradication, H. M. Newton, Inspector in Charge, Charleston; Division of Meat Inspection, Dr. L. A. Licking, Meat Inspector in Charge, Wheeling; Beef Cattle Investigation in Cooperation with West Virginia Experiment Station, R. H. Tuckwiller, Agent in Animal Husbandry, Lewisburg.

**Bureau of Dairy Industry**, Division of Cattle Breeding, Feeding and Management, R. A. Ackerman, Superintendent, Reymann Memorial Farms, Wardensville.

**Bureau of Entomology and Plant Quarantine**, Division of Plant Disease Control, White Pine Blister Rust Control, Southern Appalachian Region, Dr. J. M. Ashcroft, West Virginia Agent in Charge, Marlinton; Barberry Eradication, Tom VanZanden, Leader, Morgantown; Japanese Beetle Control, M. B. Woodson, Agent, Clarksburg.

**Bureau of Public Roads, Division of Construction, West Virginia District, William Brewster, Senior Engineer in Charge, Charleston.**

**Bureau of Plant Industry, Tobacco and Plant Nutrition Division, State Agricultural Experiment Station (Cooperative Investigation), Lakin.**

**Forest Service, District Forest Rangers, Monongahela National Forest: Potomac District, Walter B. Averill, Petersburg; Gauley District, Clare R. Carr, Richwood; White Sulphur District, William L. Maule, Marlinton; Greenbrier District, Ephe M. Olliver, Durbin; Cheat District, Ralph L. Rowland, Parsons.**

### DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

**Bureau of Fisheries, Propagation of Food Fishes Division, Fish Cultural Station for Propagation of Food and Game Fishes, C. H. Van Atta, Superintendent, White Sulphur Springs; Experimental Fish Culture Station for Propagation of Food and Game Fishes, E. W. Surber, Special Investigator in Charge, Leetown.**

**Bureau of Marine Inspection and Navigation, Point Pleasant; Harry E. Pullem, Local Inspector of Hulls; John W. Lozier, Local Inspector of Boilers; W. E. Monroe, Clerk**

### DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

**Geological Survey, William Kessler, District Engineer, Naval Ordnance Plant, South Charleston.**

**National Park Service (See "Conservation" Section).**

### INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION

**Bureau of Motor Carriers, Geo. E. White, District Supervisor, Charleston.**

### DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

**Federal Bureau of Investigation, J. W. Warnes, Special Agent in Charge, Huntington.**

**Bureau of Prisons, Federal Industrial Institution for Women, Dr. Mary B. Harris, Superintendent, Alderson; John W. Bollick, Chief Probation Officer, Charleston.**

### NAVY DEPARTMENT

**Bureau of Navigation, U. S. Navy. Recruiting Substations and Personnel: Bluefield, Clyde T. Bair, CTC, and James R. Allbritton, CQM; Charleston, John K. Lowe, CWT, and Archie W. Rice, CEM; Clarksburg, Hosch N. Bennett, CMM, and Melvin C. McCorkle, CMM; Elkins, John H. Thomson, CSM; Huntington, John Massey, CMM; Martinsburg, Eugene R. Richardson, CMM; Parkersburg, Volle D. Conn, CBM; Wheeling, Donald P. Martin, MMic.**

**Naval Ordnance Plant, Lieut Commander, Theodore G. Hafl, Inspector of Ordnance in Charge, South Charleston; Herman D. Lay, Executive Assistant.**

### SOIL CONSERVATION SERVICE

**Soil Conservation Service, L. L. Lough, State Coordinator, Morgantown.**

### TREASURY DEPARTMENT

**Bureau of Narcotics, Field Enforcement Division, F. Elmer Niebuhr, Narcotic Agent, Clarksburg.**

**Alcohol Tax Unit, Donald S. Tydings, Investigator in Charge, Charleston.**

### WAR DEPARTMENT

**Office of the Adjutant General, Enlisted Division. Recruiting Substations and Personnel: Charleston, Sgt. Lloyd Williams; Huntington, Sgt. J. J. Francis; Wheeling, Corporal Carless R. Smith; Bluefield, Sgt. Fred M. Lawson.**

## DEPARTMENT OF STATE

### FOREIGN SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES

#### Ambassadors Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary

**Argentina, Buenos Aires**—Norman Armour, New Jersey.  
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**Brazil, Rio de Janeiro**—Jefferson Caffrey, Louisiana.  
**Chile, Santiago**—Claude G. Bowers, New York.  
**China, Peking**—Nelson T. Johnson, Oklahoma.  
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**France, Paris**—William C. Bullitt, Pennsylvania.  
**Germany, Berlin**—Hugh R. Wilson, Illinois.  
**Great Britain, London**—Joseph P. Kennedy, New York.  
**Italy, Rome**—William Phillips, Massachusetts.  
**Japan, Tokyo**—Joseph C. Grew, New Hampshire.  
**Mexico, Mexico City**—Josephus Daniels, North Carolina.  
**Peru, Lima**—(Vacancy).  
**Poland, Warsaw**—Anthony J. Drexel Biddle, Jr., Pennsylvania.  
**Spain, Madrid**—Alexander W. Weddell, Virginia.  
**Turkey, Ankara**—John Van A. MacMurray, Maryland.  
**Union of Soviet Socialist Republics, Moscow**—Laurence A. Steinhardt, New York.

#### Envoys Extraordinary and Ministers Plenipotentiary

**Afghanistan, Kabul**—(Vacancy).  
**Bolivia, La Paz**—Douglas Jenkins, South Carolina.  
**Bulgaria, Sofia**—Ray Atherton, Illinois.  
**Canada, Ottawa**—Daniel C. Roper, South Carolina.  
**Columbia, Bogota**—Sprulle Braden, New York.  
**Costa Rica, San Jose**—William H. Hornibrook, Utah.  
**Denmark, Copenhagen**—Alvin Mansfield Owsley, Texas.  
**Dominican Republic, Ciudad Trujillo**—R. Henry Norweb, Ohio.  
**Ecuador, Quito**—Boaz Long, New Mexico.  
**Egypt, Carlo**—Bert Fish, Florida.  
**El Salvador, San Salvador**—Robert Frazer, Pennsylvania.  
**Estonia, Tallinn**—†John C. Wiley, Indiana.  
**Finland, Helsinki**—H. F. Arthur Schoenfeld, District of Columbia.  
**Greece, Athens**—Lincoln MacVeagh, Connecticut.  
**Gautemala, Gautemala**—Fay A. Des Portes, South Carolina.  
**Haiti, Port-au-Prince**—Ferdinand L. Mayer, Indiana.  
**Honduras, Tegucigalpa**—John D. Erwin, Tennessee.  
**Hungary, Budapest**—John Flournoy Montgomery, California.  
**Iran (Persia), Teheran**—(Vacancy).  
**Ireland, Dublin**—John Cudahy, Wisconsin.  
**Latvia, Riga**—†John C. Wiley, Indiana.  
**Liberia, Monrovia**—Lester A. Walton, New York.  
**Lithuania, Kaunas**—Owen J. C. Norem, Montana.  
**Luxemburg, Luxemburg**—\*Joseph E. Davies, District of Columbia.  
**Netherlands, The Hague**—George A. Gordan, New York.  
**Nicaragua, Managua**—Meredith Nicholson, Indiana.  
**Norway, Oslo**—Mrs. Florence Jaffray Harriman, District of Columbia.  
**Panama, Panama**—William Dawson, Minnesota.  
**Paraguay, Asuncion**—Findley B. Howard, Nebraska.  
**Persia**—(See Iran).  
**Portugal, Lisbon**—Herbert Claiborne Pell, Rhode Island.  
**Rumania, Bucharest**—Franklin Mott Gunther, Florida.

\*Accredited to Belgium and Luxemburg.

†Accredited to Estonia and Latvia; resident at Riga.

Salvador—(See El Salvador).

Siam, Bangkok—Edwin L. Neville, Ohio.

Sweden, Stockholm—Frederick A. Sterling, Texas.

Switzerland, Bern—Leland Harrison, Illinois.

Union of South Africa, Pretoria, Transvaal—Leo J. Keena, Michigan.

Uruguay, Montevideo—Edwin C. Wilson, Florida.

Venezuela, Caracas—Frank P. Corrigan, Ohio.

Yugoslavia, Belgrade—Arthur Bliss Lane, New York.

### Minister Resident and Consul General

Iraq (Mesopotamia), Baghdad—Paul Knabenshue, Ohio.

### Diplomatic Agent and Consul General

Morocco, Tangier—Maxwell Blake, Missouri.

## FOREIGN DIPLOMATIC REPRESENTATIVES

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Finland—Hjalmar J. Procope, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary.

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- Ireland—Robert Brennan, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary.
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- Lithuania—Povilas Zadelkis, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary.
- Mexico—Dr. Don Francisco Castillo Najera, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary.
- Netherlands—Dr. A. Loudon, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary.
- Nicaragua—Dr. Don Leon De Bayle, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary.
- Norway—Wilhelm Munthe de Morgenstjerne, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary.
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# THE CONSTITUTION OF WEST VIRGINIA

Ratified in 1872

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## ARTICLE I

### Relation 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; in 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 a 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; and Mingo County, 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 rightly 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 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 Seizure Prohibited**

6. The rights of the 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 by 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 the common law.

[This section, prior to its amendment, 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."]

The amendment as set forth above was proposed by joint resolution of March 7, 1879, and was adopted at the general election in 1880. Vote on the amendment: For ratification, 56,482; against ratification, 34,073; majority, 22,409.]

### **Trial of Crimes—Provisions in Interest of Accused**

14. Trials of crimes, and 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 Inviolable**

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 inviolable.

### **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

\*The woman suffrage amendment to the Constitution of the United States, declared in force August 26, 1920, provides that "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."

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.

### 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 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.

### Provisions 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 law, 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—Term 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 herein, 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 original section provided that the general election should be held on "the second Tuesday of October," and the change was made in order that the election of state officers would fall on the same day as the presidential election. The original section also provided that the terms of office of members of the legislature should begin on the first day of November next succeeding their election, but the amendment provided that the term should begin on the first day of December.

The amendment as set forth above was proposed by joint resolution of February 21, 1883, and ratified at the general election in 1884. Vote on the amendment: For ratification, 66,181; against ratification, 25,422; majority, 40,759.]

### 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.

[This section, prior to its amendment, 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."

The amendment was proposed by joint resolution of February 22, 1901, and adopted at the general election in 1902. Vote on the amendment: For ratification, 55,196; against ratification, 25,379; majority, 29,817.]

**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.

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

**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.

[There are now sixteen senatorial districts, as provided by Acts of 1937, Ch. 128.]

**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 Jefferson, the twelfth.

[By the provisions of the reapportionment act of 1937 (Acts 1937, Ch. 128) the number of senatorial districts was increased to sixteen, the number of senators to thirty-two, and the counties rearranged in the various districts.]

### Provision for Delegate Representation

6. For the election of Delegates, every county containing a population of 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. Since the general election of 1916, the House of Delegates has consisted of ninety-four members, each county having at least one member. See Ch. 30, p. 270, Acts 1916, Regular Session.]

### Delegate Apportionment After Census

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 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 Apportionments

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, Marlon, Marshall, Mason, Monongalia and Preston counties, two Delegates each.

To Kanawha County, three Delegates.

To Ohio County, four Delegates.

[Many changes have been made in this apportionment. Kanawha County, the largest in population, now has eight 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.

### **Residence Requirements for Senators and Delegates**

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 crimes, 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 of 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, 1875, 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.

### Provisions 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.

\*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 the provisions of Senate Joint Resolution No. 3, adopted February 12, 1919, and ratified at the general election in 1920, the section was amended to read as follows: "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 bills 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." Vote on the amendment: For ratification, 160,929; against ratification, 122,744; majority, 38,185.

Under Joint Resolution No. 9, adopted in 1927, and ratified at the general election in 1928, the section was again amended to read as set forth in the text. Vote on the amendment: For ratification, 275,374; against ratification, 85,123; majority, 190,251.

### 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 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 so 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 journal; 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 provision 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.

[The amendment of sections 22 and 33, Art. VI, was proposed by Senate Joint Resolution No. 3 adopted February 12, 1919, 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.” Vote on the amendment: For ratification, 160,929; against ratification, 122,744; majority, 38,186.]

### 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 the 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, except the State of West Virginia, including any subdivision

thereof or any municipality therein, or any officer, agent, or employee thereof, may be made defendant in any garnishment or attachment proceeding, as garnishee or suggestee.

[This section, prior to its amendment, read as follows: "The State of West Virginia shall never be made defendant in any court of law or equity." The amendment as above set forth was proposed by House Joint Resolution No. 3, adopted March 8, 1935, Acts 1935, p. 662, and was ratified at the general election in 1936.]

### 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 Not to 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;
- 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 law 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.

39-(a). No local or special law shall hereafter be passed incorporating cities, towns or villages, or amending their charters. The Legislature shall provide by

general laws for the incorporation and government of cities, towns and villages and shall classify such municipal corporations, upon the basis of population, into not less than two nor more than five classes. Such general laws shall restrict the powers of such cities, towns, and villages to borrow money and contract debts, and shall limit the rate of taxes for municipal purposes, in accordance with section one, article ten of the Constitution of the State of West Virginia. Under such general laws, the electors of each municipal corporation, wherein the population exceeds two thousand, shall have power and authority to frame, adopt and amend the charter of such corporation, or to amend an existing charter thereof, and through its legally constituted authority, may pass all laws and ordinances relating to its municipal affairs, provided that any such charter or amendment thereto, and any such law or ordinance so adopted, shall be invalid and void if inconsistent or in conflict with this Constitution, or the general laws of the State then in effect, or thereafter from time to time enacted.

[This section (39-a), added to Art. VI, was proposed by Senate Joint Resolution No. 3, adopted March 9, 1935, Acts 1935, p. 706, and was ratified at the general election in 1936.]

#### **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.

#### **Viva Voce Vote Necessary in Election of Certain 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 of 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 Liquors

46. The Legislature shall, by appropriate legislation, regulate the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors within the limits of this State, and any law authorizing the sale of such liquors shall forbid and penalize the consumption and the sale thereof for consumption in a saloon or other public place.

[This section, prior to its amendment, read as follows: "On and after the first day of July, one thousand nine hundred 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."

The amendment as set forth above, which became effective March 1, 1935, was proposed by Senate Committee Substitute for Engrossed House Joint Resolution No. 1, adopted March 9, 1933, Acts Regular Session, 1933, p. 532, and was ratified at the general election in 1934. Vote on the amendment: For ratification, 276,978; against ratification, 237,559; majority, 39,419.]

### Incorporation of Religious Denominations Prohibited

47. No charter of incorporation shall be granted to any church or religious denomination. Provisions 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 purpose 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 effect 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 sessions 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 of 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 the 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 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 officer 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 modification of or a substitute for any item of said bill such amendment or supplement may effect.

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,

\*This section, known as "The Budget Amendment," added to Article VI, was proposed by Senate Joint Resolution No. 1, adopted May 23, 1917, (Acts 1917, Extraordinary Session), and was ratified at the general election in 1918. Vote on the amendment: For ratification, 51,405; against ratification, 26,661; majority, 24,764.

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 of 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 expenditure of, and all institutions applying for state monies and appropriations, such itemized estimates and other information, in such form and at such time 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 monies. 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.

## ARTICLE VII

### Executive Department

1. The executive department shall consist of a 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 shall be four years, and shall commence on the first Monday after the second Wednesday of January next after their election. They shall 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.

[This section, prior to its amendment, read as follows: "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.

The amendment as set forth above was proposed by House Joint Resolution No. 7, adopted June 3, 1933, Acts First Extraordinary Session, 1933, p. 506, and was adopted at the general election in 1934. Vote on the amendment: For ratification, 251,965; against ratification, 145,787; majority, 106,178.]

### 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.

[This section, prior to its amendment, 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."

The amendment as set forth above was proposed by House Joint Resolution of February 15, 1901, and adopted at the general election in 1902. Vote on the amendment: For ratification, 59,509; against ratification, 22,022; majority, 37,487.]

### 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 House Joint Resolution of February 15, 1901 (Acts 1901, p. 460) and ratified at the general election in 1902. 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." For the vote on the adoption of the amendment, see note following section 2.]

### 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 House Joint Resolution of February 15, 1901 (Acts 1901, p. 460) and ratified at the general election in 1902. 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." For the vote on the adoption of the amendment, see note following section 2.]

### 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 the 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 nomi-

nated 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.

#### **Remission of Fines and Penalties By Governor**

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 in 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 monies 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 House Joint Resolution of February 15, 1901 (Acts 1901, p. 460) and ratified at the general election in 1902. The only change in the original section was the insertion of the words "Secretary of State" in the first line and by substitution of the word "prescribed" for the word "provided." For the vote on the adoption of the amendment, see note following section 2 of this article.]

### 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 conditions, 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 office 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.

[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."

The amendment as set forth above was proposed by House Joint Resolution adopted February 13, 1901 (Acts 1901, p. 459) and was ratified at the general election in 1902. Vote on the amendment: For ratification, 56,280; against ratification, 23,513; majority 32,767.]

## 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 general election in 1880. Vote on the amendment: For ratification, 57,941; against ratification, 34,270; majority, 23,671.]

## 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 judge 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 wills, the appointment and 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 under 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

\*The supreme court of appeals now consists of five judges, under the provisions of the "Judicial Amendment" set forth at the end of the Constitution, and Acts 1903, ch. 19, amending and reenacting section 1 of chapter 113 of Warth's Code of 1899.

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.

### Provision 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 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 circuit 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.

\*Now twenty-four.

### 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, Marion 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, authorized by section 14 following, the division of the State into circuits has been changed and the number increased to twenty-four.]

### Rearrangement 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 eighty-eight, may, at any 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 court, where from any cause the judge shall fail to attend, or, if in attendance, can not properly preside.

### Salaries of and Limitation on Judges

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 practise 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.

\*The "Judicial Amendment" proposed by House Joint Resolution No. 15, adopted by the Legislature in 1901, providing that the Supreme Court of Appeals shall consist of five judges, who shall receive such salaries as shall be fixed by law, was ratified at the general election in 1902. Vote on the amendment: For ratification, 54,676; against ratification, 24,710; majority, 29,966.

### Clerk of Circuit Courts

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 this 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 rendered, or otherwise, because of any act done in accordance with the usages 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 prescribed 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 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 ruling 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 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 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—Election of Justices of the Peace

27. Each county shall be laid off into districts, not less than three nor more than ten in number, and 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 such 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 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 acknowledgement 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.

### Reformation 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 cases 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.

### County Court to Fill Vacancies

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.

### **Malfesance and Misfeasance in Office**

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

### **Commissioning of Officers Not Otherwise Provided for in Constitution**

5. The legislature shall provide for commissioning such of the officers herein mentioned, as it may deem proper, not provided for in the 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. Subject to the exceptions in this section contained, 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; except that the aggregate of taxes assessed in any one year upon personal property employed exclusively in agriculture, including horticulture and grazing, products of agriculture as above defined, including live stock, while owned by the producer, and money, notes, bonds, bills and accounts receivable, stocks and other similar intangible personal property shall not exceed fifty cents on each one hundred dollars of value thereon and upon all property owned, used and occupied by the owner thereof exclusively for residential purposes and upon farms occupied and cultivated by their owners or bona fide tenants, one dollar; and upon all other property situated outside of municipalities, one dollar and fifty cents; and upon all other such property situated within municipalities, two dollars; and the legislature shall further provide by general law for increasing the maximum rates authorized to be fixed by the different levying bodies upon all classes of property by submitting the question to the voters of the taxing units affected, but no increase shall be effective unless at least sixty percent of the qualified voters shall favor such increase, and such increase shall not continue for a longer period than three years at any one time, and shall never exceed by more than fifty percent the maximum rate herein provided and prescribed by law; and the revenue derived from this source shall be apportioned by the legislature among the levying units of the state in proportion to the levy laid in said units upon real and other personal property; but property used for educational, literary, scientific, religious or charitable purposes, all cemeteries, public property, the personal property, including live stock, employed exclusively in agriculture as above defined and the products of agriculture as so defined while owned by the producers may by law be exempted from taxation; household goods to the value of two hundred dollars shall be exempt from taxation. The legislature shall have authority to tax privileges, franchises and incomes of persons or corporations and to classify and graduate the tax on all incomes according to the amount thereof and to exempt from taxation incomes below a minimum to be fixed from time to time, and such revenues as may be derived from such tax may be appropriated as the legislature may provide. After the year nineteen hundred thirty-three, the rate of the state tax upon property shall not exceed one cent upon the hundred dollars valuation, except to pay the principal and interest of bonded indebtedness of the state now existing.

[This section, prior to its amendment, read as follows: "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."

The amendment as above set forth was proposed by House Joint Resolution No. 3, adopted August 6, 1932 (Acts Ex. Sess., 1932, p. 16) and was ratified at the general election in 1932. Vote on the amendment: For ratification, 335,482; against ratification, 43,931; majority, 291,551.]

### 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 monies shall be published annually.

### Limitation on Contracting 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 the 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, Etc.

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 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 law 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 law for the creation, organization, and regulation of banking institutions.

[This section, prior to its amendment, read as follows: "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."

The amendment as set forth above was proposed by House Joint Resolution No. 3, adopted February 16, 1937, (Acts 1937, p. 581), and was ratified at the general election in 1938. Vote on the amendment: For ratification, 139,985; against ratification, 62,241; majority, 77,744.]

### 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 discrimination 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 corporation: all monies that may be paid as an equivalent for 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 for 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 settlements 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 improvement; it shall, whenever it may be practicable, make suitable provisions 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 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 or 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 whereto 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 Privilege

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, or of an undivided interest therein, to have such land, or such undivided interest therein, 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 taxes legally levied thereon and pay the same. When, for any five successive years, the owner of any tract of land, or undivided interest therein, shall not have been charged on such land books with state, county and district taxes thereon, then, by operation hereof, the land, or undivided interest therein, shall be forfeited and title vested in the state. But if, for any one or more of such five years, the owner of such land, or of any undivided interest therein, shall have been charged with state, county and district taxes on any part of such land, such part thereof, or undivided interest therein, 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 land 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 one thousand eight hundred sixty-three, and every year thereafter, with interest at the rate of ten per centum per annum, and pay all taxes and interest thereon for such years, and thereby redeem the land or interest therein: *Provided*, That such right to redeem shall in no case extend beyond twenty years from the time such land was forfeited.

[This section, prior to its amendment, read as follows: "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."

The amendment as set forth above was proposed by House Joint Resolution No. 4, adopted January 22, 1934 (Acts Second Ex. Sess. 1933, p. 583) and was ratified at the general election in 1934. Vote on the amendment: For ratification, 257,090; against ratification, 177,796; majority, 79,294.]

## 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

[Proposed by House Joint Resolution No. 15 (Acts 1901, p. 462). Ratified in November, 1902. Vote on the amendment: For ratification, 54,676; against ratification, 24,710; majority, 29,966.]

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 terms 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 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 five. The judges of the Supreme Court of Appeals and of the circuit court 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

[Proposed by House Joint Resolution No. 28 (Acts 1901, p. 465). Ratified in November, 1902. Vote on the amendment: For ratification, 56,694; against ratification, 24,763; majority, 31,931.]

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 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 provisions 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. Vote on the amendment: For ratification, 248,689; against ratification, 130,569; majority, 118, 120.]

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. Vote on the amendment: For ratification, 360,597; against ratification, 92,885; majority, 267,712.]

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 "Budget Amendment" of 1918, see Art. VI, §51, page 165.

For the "Legislative Amendments" of 1920 and 1928, see Art. VI, §§ 22, 33, pages 159 and 161.

For the "Tax Limitation Amendment" of 1932, see Art. X, §1, page 177.

For the "Lame Duck Amendment" of 1934, see Art. VII, §1, page 167.

For the "Land Book Assessment Amendment" of 1934, see Art. XIII, §6, page 184.

For the "Prohibition Repeal Amendment" of 1934, see Art. VI, §46, page 164.

For the "Garnishee Amendment" of 1936, see Art. VI, §35, page 161.

For the "Municipal Home Rule Amendment" of 1936, see Art. VI, §39-(a), page 162.

For the "Banking Institutions Amendment" of 1938, see Art. XI, §6, page 180.

**PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS**

**(To be Submitted at the General Election, Nov. 5, 1940)**

**JUDICIARY AMENDMENT**

**(H. J. R. No. 1, adopted February 9, 1939)**

Proposing an amendment to Article VIII of the constitution, providing for the establishment by the Legislature of a summary court in each county in the state.

**ELECTIVE OFFICERS AMENDMENT**

**(S. J. R. No. 2, adopted March 11, 1939)**

Proposing an amendment to Article VIII of the constitution, providing for the election of a governor, auditor and attorney general, and for the appointment by the governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, of the heads of such executive departments as may be established by law.

**BUDGET BILL AMENDMENT**

**(S. J. R. No. 3, adopted March 10, 1939)**

Proposing an amendment to Article VI of the constitution, relating to the biennial budget bill.

**CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS SUBMITTED, 1880-1938**

**1880**

Judicial system amendment, providing for the reorganization of the judicial system. Adopted. Vote for, 57,941; against, 34,270.

Jury and justices' courts amendment, relating to trial by jury in justices' courts. Adopted. Vote for, 56,482; against, 34,073.

**1884**

General elections amendment, providing for the holding of general elections on the Tuesday after the first Monday in November, instead of on "the second Tuesday in October." Adopted. Vote for, 66,181; against, 25,422.

**1888**

Jury and justices' courts amendment, relating to right of trial by jury. Rejected. Vote for, 47,963; against, 62,443.

Prohibition amendment, prohibiting forever the manufacture and sale of all intoxicating liquors within the state. Rejected. Vote for, 41,668; against, 76,555.

Legislative amendment, providing that no session of the legislature should continue longer than sixty days without the concurrence of two-thirds of the members elected to each house. Rejected. Vote for, 30,445; against, 79,631.

**1902**

Registration law amendment, providing for the enactment of registration laws by the legislature. Adopted. Vote for, 55,196; against, 25,379.

Executive department amendment, providing for the election and qualification of a secretary of state. Adopted. Vote for, 59,509; against, 22,022.

Salary amendment, providing for the payment of such salaries to officials as may be established by law. Adopted. Vote for, 56,280; against, 23,513.

Judicial amendment, providing that the Supreme Court of Appeals shall consist of five judges, who shall receive such salaries as shall be fixed by law. Adopted. Vote for, 54,676; against, 24,710.

Irreducible school fund amendment, relating to the permanent and invested school fund. Adopted. Vote for, 56,694; against, 24,763.

### 1908

Qualification amendment, eliminating appointive officials from the provisions of section 4, Article IV of the Constitution. Rejected. Vote for, 39,162; against, 40,626.

Salary increase amendment, providing for an increase in compensation for county commissioners. Rejected. Vote for, 31,059; against, 51,445.

### 1910

Qualification amendment, providing for the appointment of female citizens to certain offices within the state. Rejected. Vote for, 44,168; against, 45,044.

Supreme Court amendment, increasing the number of supreme court judges to seven. Rejected. Vote for, 36,427; against, 52,578.

### 1912

Prohibition amendment, prohibiting the manufacture and sale of intoxicating, malt, vinous or spirituous liquors. Adopted. Vote for, 164,945; against, 72,603.

### 1916

County court amendment, providing for increase in compensation for county commissioners. Rejected. Vote for, 80,674; against, 130,023.

### 1918

Budget amendment, providing for adoption of a budget system. Adopted. Vote for, 51,405; against, 26,651.

### 1920

Good roads amendment, providing for a fifty million dollar bond issue for the construction and maintenance of good roads. Adopted. Vote for, 248,689; against, 130,569.

### 1922

Legislative amendment, providing for a split session of the legislature, and for payment to each member of five hundred dollars per annum. Adopted. Vote for, 160,929; against, 122,744.

### 1926

Budget amendment, providing for amendment to section 51 of Article VI. Rejected. Vote for, 126,125; against, 134,842.

Property qualification amendment, providing for collection of taxes on money, notes, accounts receivable, and bonds, at a rate not to exceed fifty cents on each one hundred dollars actual value. Rejected. Vote for, 111,927; against, 159,653.

### 1928

Good roads amendment, providing for a bond issue of thirty-five million dollars for the construction of good roads. Adopted. Vote for, 360,597; against, 92,885.

Legislative amendment, providing for a legislative session of sixty days. Adopted. Vote for, 276,374; against, 85,123.

**1930**

Lieutenant-governor amendment, providing for the election of a lieutenant-governor. Rejected. Vote for, 48,781; against, 172,703.

Probate commissioner amendment, providing for the appointment of a probate commissioner in each county. Rejected. Vote for, 50,674; against, 173,447.

Budget amendment providing for an amendment to section 51, Article VI. Rejected. Vote for, 50,226; against, 171,464.

Circuit court amendment, providing for the division of the state into circuits by the legislature. Rejected. Vote for, 49,902; against, 170,220.

**1932**

Tax limitation amendment, providing for the classification of property for taxation purposes. Adopted. Vote for, 335,482; against, 43,931.

**1934**

Prohibition amendment, providing for the repeal of the prohibition amendment. Adopted. Vote for, 276,978; against, 237,559.

Capitation tax amendment, providing that the payment of capitation tax may be made a qualification for voting in elections. Rejected. Vote for, 124,232; against, 313,330.

Lame duck amendment, providing that terms of the governor and other members of the executive department shall commence on the first Monday after the second Wednesday of January next after their election. Adopted. Vote for, 251,965; against, 145,787.

Land book assessment amendment, providing for the separate assessment of individual interests in lands. Adopted. Vote for, 257,090; against, 177,796.

**1936**

Garnishee amendment, providing for the garnishment of wages of officers, agents, or employees of the state, including any subdivision thereof and municipality therein. Adopted. Vote for, 161,386; against, 61,472.

Municipal home rule amendment, providing uniform law for incorporation of municipalities with population in excess of two thousand, and for amendment of existing charters by municipal corporations. Adopted. Vote for, 150,370; against, 59,580.

**1938**

Banking institutions amendment, providing for the creation, organization and regulation of banking institutions. Adopted. Vote for, 139,985; against, 62,241.



*Photo by Conservation Commission*

Sycamore growing out of wine cellar of the old Blennerhasset Mansion, and stones from the gateway of the estate, on Blennerhasset Island, near Parkersburg

# LEGISLATIVE

## SENATE OF WEST VIRGINIA

(Regular Session, 1939)

### OFFICERS

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(By Senatorial Districts)

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J. Robert Anderson, (D), Northfork.  
\*John H. Greene, (D), Williamson.

#### Seventh

(Boone, Lincoln and Logan)

C. N. Hall, (D), Hamlin.  
John J. Pelter, (D), Stollings.

#### Eighth

(Kanawha)

Roy S. Jimison, (D), Kayford.  
\*S. H. Robertson, (D), Clendenin.

#### Ninth

(Raleigh and Wyoming)

Ward Wylie, (D), Mullens.  
\*T. E. Bibb, (D), Beckley.

†For alphabetical list of members from 1863 to 1935, inclusive, see West Virginia Blue Book, 1935, and for list of members, by counties, from 1863 to 1933, inclusive, see Blue Book, 1933.

\*Hold-over Senators who will serve in the 1941 session.

**Tenth**

(Mercer, Monroe and Summers)  
 W. Broughton Johnston, (D), Princeton.  
 \*William M. LaFon, (D), Union.

**Eleventh**

(Fayette and Greenbrier)  
 Emmett O. Wiseman, (D), Fayetteville.  
 ‡William N. Jasper, (D), Lewisburg.

**Twelfth**

(Braxton, Nicholas, Pendleton, Pocahontas, Randolph and Webster)  
 Fred C. Allen, (D), Marlinton.  
 J. Buhl Shahan, (D), Elkins.

**Thirteenth**

(Doddridge, Harrison and Lewis)  
 George Jackson, (D), Jane Lew.  
 \*Byron B. Randolph, (D), Clarksburg.

**Fourteenth**

(Marion, Monongalia and Taylor)  
 Earl H. Smith, (D), Fairmont.  
 \*William J. Hussion, (D), Grafton.

**Fifteenth**

(Barbour, Grant, Preston, Tucker and Upshur)  
 A. L. Helmick, (R), Thomas.  
 \*G. O. Young, (R), Buckhannon.

**Sixteenth**

(Berkeley, Hampshire, Hardy, Jefferson, Mineral and Morgan)  
 D. Grove Moler, (D), Martinsburg.  
 \*J. A. Proctor, (D), Berkeley Springs.

**ROSTER OF THE SENATE**

(December 1, 1939)

**OFFICERS**

*President:* William M. LaFon, (D), Union.  
*President Pro Tempore:* Dan B. Fleming, (D), St. Marys.  
*Clerk:* Charles Lively, (D), Weston.  
*Sergeant-at-Arms:* Alfred K. Hays, (D), Parkersburg.  
*Doorkeeper:* Arthur M. Martin, (D), Huntington.

**MEMBERS**

Allen, Fred C., (D), Marlinton.	Morris, L. J., (D), Grantsville.
Anderson, J. Robert, (D), Northfork.	Paull, James, (D), Wellsburg.
Bibb, T. E., (D), Beckley.	Pelter, John J., (D), Stollings.
Casto, B. Cleo, (D), Kenna.	Proctor, J. A., (D), Berkeley Springs.
Ealy, D. B., (R), Moundsville.	Randolph, Byron B., (D), Clarksburg.
Fleming, Dan B., (D), St. Marys.	Robertson, S. H., (D), Clendenin.
Greene, John H., (D), Williamson.	Shahan, J. Buhl, (D), Elkins.
Hall, C. N., (D), Hamlin.	Smith, Earl H., (D), Fairmont.
Helmick, A. L., (R), Thomas.	Sweeney, Thomas, (R), Wheeling.
Hussion, William J., (D), Grafton.	Snyder, L. B., (D), New Martinsville.
Jackson, George, (D), Jane Lew.	Wiseman, Emmett O., (D), Fayetteville
Jimison, Roy F., (D), Kayford.	Wyllie, Ward, (D), Mullens.
Johnson, Howard S., (R), Pt. Pleasant.	Young, G. O., (R), Buckhannon.
Johnston, W. Broughton, (D), Princeton.	
LaFon, William M., (D), Union.	
Martin, A. M., (D), Barboursville.	
Millender, C. Frank, (D), Wayne.	
Moler, D. Grove, (D), Martinsburg.	

Democrats	_____	26
Republicans	_____	6
Vacancy	_____	1

\*Hold-over Senators who will serve in the 1941 session.  
 ‡Died April 26, 1939.

**STANDING COMMITTEES OF THE SENATE**

(Regular Session, 1939)

**Rules**

Messrs. LaFon (Mr. President) (*Chairman ex-officio*), Paull, Fleming, Allen and Helmick.

**Privileges and Elections**

Messrs. Moler (*Chairman*), Morris, Millender, Greene, Hall, Shahan, Randolph, Sweeney and Helmick.

**The Judiciary**

Messrs. Paull (*Chairman*), Fleming, Casto, Martin, Greene, Hall, Pelter, Jimison, Wylie, Johnston (of Mercer), Allen, Randolph, Hussion, Jackson, Moler, Ealy, Helmick and Young.

**Finance**

Messrs. Allen (*Chairman*), Paull, Snyder, Fleming, Morris, Millender, Martin, Greene, Hall, Robertson, Bibb, Jasper, Jackson, Smith, Proctor, Johnson (of Mason), Helmick and Young.

**Education**

Messrs. Smith (*Chairman*), Paull, Fleming, Martin, Pelter, Robertson, Wiseman, Johnson (of Mason) and Helmick.

**Counties and Municipal Corporations**

Messrs. Anderson (*Chairman*), Jasper, Robertson, Casto, Wylie, Paull, Martin, Helmick and Ealy.

**Roads and Navigation**

Messrs. Bibb (*Chairman*), Snyder, Morris, Casto, Millender, Anderson, Pelter, Jimison, Johnston (of Mercer), Wiseman, Jackson, Randolph, Hussion, Proctor, Sweeney, Ealy and Helmick.

**Banks and Corporations**

Messrs. Jasper (*Chairman*), Snyder, Pelter, Robertson, Allen, Randolph, Proctor, Helmick and Young.

**Public Buildings and Humane Institutions**

Messrs. Jackson (*Chairman*), Snyder, Fleming, Martin, Jimison, Bibb, Jasper, Hussion, Randolph, Johnson (of Mason) and Young.

**The Penitentiary**

Messrs. Fleming (*Chairman*), Snyder, Hall, Jimison, Wiseman, Smith, Moler, Ealy and Young.

**Railroads**

Messrs. Proctor (*Chairman*), Morris, Jimison, Bibb, Johnston (of Mercer), Jasper, Jackson, Ealy and Helmick.

**Militia**

Messrs. Pelter (*Chairman*), Anderson, Wylie, Johnston (of Mercer), Shahan, Hussion, Moler, Sweeney and Johnson (of Mason).

**Federal Relations**

Messrs. Snyder (*Chairman*), Fleming, Casto, Jimison, Bibb, Johnston (of Mercer), Wiseman, Johnson (of Mason) and Young.

**Insurance**

Messrs. Johnston (of Mercer) (*Chairman*), Paull, Martin, Hall, Pelter, Wiseman, Moler, Johnson (of Mason) and Young.

**Agriculture**

Messrs. Casto (*Chairman*), Morris, Millender, Hall, Wiseman, Allen, Proctor, Ealy and Johnson (of Mason).

**Mines and Mining**

Messrs. Hall (*Chairman*), Jasper, Anderson, Greene, Bibb, Allen, Hussion, Ealy and Helmick.

**Medicine and Sanitation**

Messrs. Wylie (*Chairman*), Snyder, Greene, Pelter, Wiseman, Allen, Moler, Johnson (of Mason) and Young.

**Labor**

Messrs. Greene (*Chairman*), Snyder, Casto, Pelter, Wylie, Hussion, Proctor, Johnson (of Mason) and Young.

**Claims and Grievances**

Messrs. Morris (*Chairman*), Paull, Millender, Hall, Pelter, Wiseman, Allen, Ealy and Helmick.

**Forfeited, Delinquent and Unappropriated Lands**

Messrs. Hussion (*Chairman*), Morris, Greene, Robertson, Johnston (of Mercer), Jackson, Moler, Sweeney and Young.

**Public Library**

Messrs. Martin (*Chairman*), Snyder, Hall, Bibb, Shahan, Jackson, Proctor, Sweeney and Johnson (of Mason).

**Public Printing**

Messrs. Jimlson (*Chairman*), Fleming, Millender, Anderson, Wiseman, Jackson, Moler, Johnson (of Mason) and Young.

**Examine Clerk's Office**

Messrs. Moler (*Chairman*), Hall and Young.

**Temperance**

Messrs. Martin (*Chairman*), Casto, Greene, Jasper, Shahan, Jackson, Moler, Sweeney and Helmick.

**Forestry and Conservation**

Messrs. Robertson (*Chairman*), Morris, Casto, Millender, Wylie, Wiseman, Allen, Smith, Proctor, Sweeney and Young.

**Redistricting**

Messrs. Millender (*Chairman*), Paull, Fleming, Anderson, Bibb, Wiseman, Randolph, Helmick and Young.

**Interstate Cooperation**

Messrs. Randolph (*Chairman*), Allen, Johnston (of Mercer), Casto and Helmick.

**Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the Senate**

Messrs. Wiseman (*Chairman*), Millender, Johnston (of Mercer), Jackson and Young.

**Joint Committee on Joint Rules on the Part of the Senate**

Messrs. LaFon (Mr. President) (*Chairman ex-officio*), Fleming and Helmick.

## RULES OF THE SENATE

(Regular Session, 1939)

### Presiding Officer

1. The President of the Senate may appoint a President *pro tempore*, who during the absence of the President shall preside and perform all the duties of the President. 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 his 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.

### Admittance to Senate Chamber

4. No person except members of the House of Delegates, the heads of the executive departments, the governor's private secretary, ex-members of the legislature, judges of the supreme court of appeals, circuit courts and of other courts of record, representatives of the press duly accredited to the Committee on Rules, and legislative attaches engaged in the proper discharge of their duties, shall be admitted within the Senate chamber while the Senate is in session. No person, not a member of the Senate, shall, while within the chamber when the Senate is in session, seek in any manner whatsoever to influence the vote or opinion of any Senator on any subject of legislative consideration, under penalty of disbarment from the chamber for the remainder of the legislative session. No attache of the Senate shall, at any time, engage in such activity, under penalty of immediate dismissal by the Committee on Rules.

### Duties of the Clerk—Official Journal

5. The Journal of the Senate shall be daily drawn up by the Clerk and 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 6 x 9 heavy weight bond paper, with a certificate at the end thereof signed by the President and Clerk of the Senate certifying that the same is the official Journal of the Senate. They shall be bound in flexible binding 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, 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 order 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 of 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 Senate chamber, 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.

### Roll Calls

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.

### Absence Without Leave

22. If any member of the Senate absent himself from the services thereof without leave, except in case of 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.

### Absence With Leave

23. No member of the Senate shall absent himself from its service without leave first obtained.

### Standing Committees

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 and Humane Institutions which shall each consist of not less than eleven, and not more than fifteen members, the Committee on Roads and Navigation which shall consist of seventeen members and the committees on Judiciary and on Finance, which shall each consist of eighteen 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 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 Joint Rules (to be composed of the President of the Senate as *ex-officio* Chairman, and two members of the Senate to be appointed by the President.)
- XXIII. On Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate (to consist of five members.)
- XXIV. On Public Library.
- XXV. To Examine Clerks Office (to consist of three members.)
- XXVI. On Temperance.
- XXVII. On Forestry and Conservation.
- XXVIII. On Redistricting.

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 committees, other than executive session, 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.

### Select Committees

26. Select committees shall consist of not less than three nor more than five members unless the Senate shall direct otherwise.

### Committee on Privileges and Elections

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.

### Committee to Examine Clerk's Office

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 on 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 order of business of the Senate shall be:

- 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.
- X. Miscellaneous business.

### Bills to be Read on Three Separate Days

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.)

### Title of Bills

34. In this 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.)

### Consideration of Bills

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.

### Resolutions to Lie on Table

37. All resolutions, when introduced, shall lie on the table at least one day.

### Appropriation Bills

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 provisions on any other subject.—(Const., art. 6, sec. 42.)

### Reference to Committees

39. 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.

40. On each reading of a bill, the Clerk shall state whether it is the first, second or third reading of such bill.

41. On the demand of any two members when a bill is being read for amendment, 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 re-printed, 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 amendments shall appear in the Senate Journal.

42. 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.

### Messages

43. 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.

### Passage of Bills and Joint Resolutions

44. 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 is upon striking out, the President shall propound the question: "Shall these words be stricken out?"

### Motions

45. 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.

46. On the first reading of a bill, a motion to reject the bill shall be in order.

### Adverse Report by Committee

47. If a Committee shall have reported adversely to a bill, the President immediately after the report of said committee is read shall put the question: "Shall the bill be rejected?", which question shall have precedence over all motions, except a motion to adjourn.

### Reconsideration of Vote

48. 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.

49. 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

50. 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.

51. In filling blanks, the largest sum and the longest time shall be first put.

### Previous Question

52. 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

53. 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.

54. 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.

55. 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. 6, sec. 31.)

56. 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.

57. 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 Session

58. 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.

59. 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.

60. 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 unanimous affirmative vote of the members present, remove the injunction of secrecy.

61. All information and remarks touching the character or qualification 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**

62. When an amendment to be proposed 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**

63. When the Senate adjourns each day, it shall stand adjourned to 2 o'clock P. M. the next day, unless the Senate otherwise direct.

64. When the Senate adjourns each day, every member shall keep his seat until the President leaves the chair.

### **Parliamentary Practice**

65. In all cases not provided for by the Rules of the Senate or the Joint Rules of the Senate and House of Delegates, the Senate shall be governed by the practice in the House of Representatives of the United States.

### **Suspension of Rule**

66. 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.

### **Withdrawal of Bills from Committee**

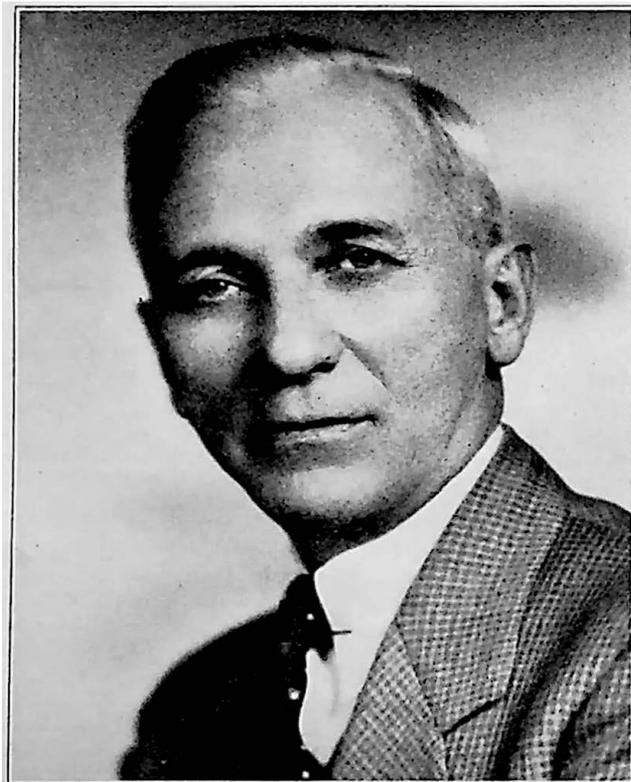
67. Any bill, resolution or business may, by a vote of the majority of the members present, be withdrawn from the committee to which it had been referred or be taken from the table, and placed upon the regular or special calendar of the Senate in such order of business as the Senate may direct.

**MAP, WEST VIRGINIA SENATORIAL DISTRICTS**  
Apportionment of 1937



**SENATORIAL DISTRICTS**

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| <b>First District—</b><br>Brooke, Hancock, Ohio. Population, 125,251                            | <b>Tenth District—</b><br>Mercer, Monroe, Summers. Population, 93,740.  |
| <b>Second District—</b><br>Marshall, Tyler, Wetzel. Population, 74,950.                         | <b>Eleventh District—</b><br>Fayette, Greenbrier. Population, 107,928.  |
| <b>Third District—</b><br>Calhoun, Gilmer, Pleasants, Ritchie, Wirt, Wood. Population, 106,525. | <b>Twelfth District—</b><br>Braxton, Nicholas, Pendleton, Pocahontas, Randolph, Webster. Population, 106,745. |
| <b>Fourth District—</b><br>Clay, Jackson, Mason, Putnam, Roane. Population, 86,252.             | <b>Thirteenth District—</b><br>Doddridge, Harrison, Lewis. Population, 110,849.                               |
| <b>Fifth District—</b><br>Cabell, Wayne. Population, 121,992.                                   | <b>Fourteenth District—</b><br>Marion, Monongalia, Taylor. Population, 135,852.                               |
| <b>Sixth District—</b><br>McDowell, Mingo. Population, 128,798.                                 | <b>Fifteenth District—</b><br>Barbour, Grant, Preston, Tucker, Upshur. Population, 87,430.                    |
| <b>Seventh District—</b><br>Boone, Lincoln, Logan. Population, 102,276.                         | <b>Sixteenth District—</b><br>Berkeley, Hampshire, Hardy, Jefferson, Mineral, Morgan. Population, 93,952.     |
| <b>Eighth District—</b><br>Kanawha. Population, 157,667.  |   |
| <b>Ninth District—</b><br>Raleigh, Wyoming. Population, 88,998.                                 |   |



WILLIAM MADISON LaFON

President of the Senate

WILLIAM MADISON LaFON, (D), of Union, was born March 20, 1888, at Waiteville, Monroe County, son of Sylvester Seburg and Sena Ann (Williams) LaFon; educated in the public schools, at Montavista Seminary, Craig Healing Springs, Virginia, Delphian Seminary, New Castle, Virginia, Piedmont Business College, Lynchburg, Virginia, and Washington & Lee University, Lexington, graduating from the latter institution with the degree of LL. B.; member of Christian Church; has had several year: experience in farming; bookkeeper for banks at Lynchburg and Roanoke; former school teacher; engaged in the practice of law at Union for several years; prosecuting attorney of Monroe County, 1917-21; elected to the House of Delegates from Monroe County in 1932, 1934 and 1936; elected to the Senate from the Tenth District in 1938; elected president of the Senate at the regular session of the Legislature in 1939.

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CHARLES LIVELY, (D), of Weston, was born in that city, son of William E. and Emily North (Shaw) Lively; educated in the public schools at Weston; graduated from West Virginia Wesleyan College in 1906; studied law at West Virginia University and admitted to practice in 1909; married November 16, 1920, to Mamie Williams, of Weston; Episcopalian; Sigma Chi; Sphinx; secretary to then Congressman M. M. Neely, 1913-14; postmaster at Weston, 1915-19; federal prohibition director, 1919-21; engaged in real estate and auction land business, 1921-33; vice chairman Democratic State Executive Committee since 192; elected Clerk of the Senate at the regular session of the Legislature in 1933 and reelected in 1935, 1937 and 1939.

ALFRED K. HAYS, (D), of Parkersburg, was born November 9, 1914, at Grantsville, son of R. E. and Kate (Cain) Hays; educated in the public schools and at West Virginia Wesleyan College; Methodist; Elk; Moose; member Artist's Club and Junior Chamber of Commerce; storekeeper for State Road Commission; president Young Democratic Club of Wood County, 1937-38; treasurer Young Democratic Clubs of West Virginia, 1937-39; elected Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate at the regular session in 1939.





ARTHUR M. MARTIN, (D), of Huntington, was born January 10, 1901, at Camden-on-Gauley, Webster County, son of Alpheus Mack and Fannie (Holcomb) Martin; educated in the public schools at Midland, Sweetwater and Anson, Texas, at Stanford College, Stanford, Texas, and at Tyler College, Tyler, Texas; married November 17, 1936, to Thelma Clevinger; Southern Methodist; bookkeeper and stenographer; elected Doorkeeper of the 'enate at the regular session of the legislature in 1939.

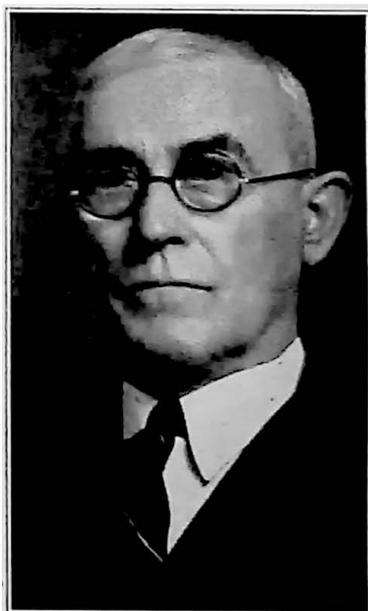
FRED CLAY ALLEN, (D), of Marlinton, Pocahontas County, was born April 18, 1888, at Lima, Tyler County, son of Stephan A. and Dorcas R. (Stoneking) Allen; educated in the public schools and at Valparaiso University, where he graduated from the College of Pharmacy; served overseas with the 80th Division during the World War; married in June, 1926, to Mary Jo Berry; member American Legion, West Virginia Board of Pharmacy, State Pharmaceutical Association and West Virginia Affiliated Sportsmen's Association; pharmacist and banker; engaged in drug business since 1909; mayor of Marlinton, 1928-1932; elected to the Senate in 1936 from the then Tenth District.





J. R. ANDERSON, (D), of Northfork, was born July 27, 1887, at Shanklin's Ferry, Monroe County, son of John M. and Mary (Pack) Anderson; educated in the public schools of Bluefield and at Concord State Normal School (now Concord State Teachers College); married April 12, 1911, to Virginia H. Carr, who died March 27, 1926; married January 1, 1934, to Essie White; Baptist; Mason; Kiwanian; member United Mine Workers of America; engaged in electrical business; elected to the House of Delegates from McDowell County in 1934; elected to the Senate from the Sixth District in 1938.

T. E. BIBB, (D), of Beckley, was born August 12, 1865, at Gatewood, Fayette County, son of Benjamin and Mary Bibb; educated in the public schools; married April 10, 1888, to Ella M. Love; Baptist; actively identified with the development of coal in the New River region and in Raleigh County from 1888 to 1904; engaged in wholesale and retail hardware and mine supply business at Beckley since that date; elected to the House of Delegates from Raleigh County in 1932, 1934 and 1936; elected to the Senate from the Ninth District in 1938.





BOYD CLEO CASTO, (R), of Kenna, was born in that town May 9, 1902, son of Dr. F. S. and Dora Belle (Simmons) Casto; educated in the public schools and at Marietta Business College; married June 22, 1913, to Verna Valeria Poisley; Baptist; Mason; Odd Fellow; farmer; engaged in the mercantile business, 1913-24; traveling salesman, 1925-26; postmaster at Kenna, 1915-21; clerk Circuit Court of Jackson County, 1927-32; clerk County Court, 1933-37; elected to the Senate from the Fourth District in 1938.

L. B. EALY, (R), of Moundsville, was born August 14, 1885, at Schellsburg, Pennsylvania, son of Dr. Taylor F. and Mary (Ramsay) Ealy; educated in the public schools, at Schellsburg Classical Seminary and Maryland Medical College, graduating from the latter institution in 1912 with the degree of M. D.; married June 12, 1913, to Lennis Blanche Irwin; served as captain in the medical corps, American Expeditionary Forces, during the World War; Presbyterian; Mason; Shriner; Elk; Eagle; member American Legion, serving as post commander in 1930; has been actively engaged in the practice of medicine and surgery for the past twenty-seven years; coroner of Marshall County, 1927-37; elected to the Senate from the Second District in 1938.





DAN B. FLEMING, (D), of St. Marys, Pleasants County, was born November 15, 1885, at Ravenswood, son of Henry C. and Lillian Rhodes Fleming; educated in public schools of Ravenswood and at Marshall College, Marietta College and West Virginia University; married August 2, 1914, to Katherine Ruth Sayre; Episcopalian; 32° Mason; Shriner; Maccabee; served three years in Company "B", Second Infantry, West Virginia National Guard; with Lincoln and Redpath Chautauquas for three seasons; principal and superintendent of t. Marys schools, 1910-1920; secretary Board of Education, Washington District, Pleasants County, for ten years; cashier of the Pleasants County Bank, 1921-1933; junior executive, Federal Land Bank of Baltimore, 1933-34; Assistant State Manager, Home Owner's Loan corporation, 1934-35; Resident Commissioner in charge of West Virginia exhibit at New York World's Fair, 1939; elected to the Senate from the then Third District in 1932 and reelected in 1936, serving as president pro tempore of that body at the regular and extraordinary sessions in 1935, 1936, 1937 and 1939

JOHN H. GREENE, (D), of Williamson, Mingo County, was born near Fairplain, Jackson County, son of Searles F. and Minerva (Foglesong) Greene; educated in the public schools; graduated in 1899 from Glenville State Normal School (now Glenville State Teachers College); studied law at Southwestern Baptist University at Jackson, Tennessee; married September 21, 1904, to Adelia Belle Pfost; Southern Methodist; taught school for a number of years; actively engaged in the practice of law since 1908; vice president of Matewan National Bank, Matewan; assistant prosecuting attorney of Mingo County, 1917-18; elected to the Senate from the Sixth District in 1934 and reelected in 1938.





CALVIN N. HALL, (D), of Hamlin, was born March 5, 1899, in Lincoln County, son of Rev. W. T. and Polly (Moore) Hall; educated in the public schools; married October 14, 1917, to Oma Roberts, who died in June, 1928; married August 31, 1930, to Eva Burton; Baptist; Mason; Eastern Star; Knights of Pythias; Elk; Red Man; engaged in work in oil and gas fields; served as justice of the peace at Hamlin for nine years; elected to the Senate in 1936 from the then Fifth District.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN HELMICK, (R), of Thomas, Tucker County, was born in Pendleton County, August 31, 1864, son of A. B. and Catherine Helmick; educated in the public schools of Tucker County; married in 1890 to Catherine Flynn, who died in 1902; married in 1904 to Fannie E. Liller, of Mineral County; has served as postmaster at Thomas, president of the county court and sheriff of Tucker County, and as mayor and member of the council at Thomas; banker, coal and sand mine operator; served as member of the Yorktown Commission; member of Century of Progress Commission, 1933; serving his fifth consecutive term in the Senate, having been elected from the then Fourteenth District in 1920 and reelected in 1924, 1928, 1932 and 1936; president pro tempore of the Senate in 1931, and named minority leader at the regular sessions in 1935, 1937 and 1939.





WILLIAM JENNINGS HUSSION, (D), of Grafton, was born in that city April 26, 1896, son of Patrick Henry and Catherine (McLaughlin) Hussion; educated in the public schools of West Virginia and Washington, D. C.; married January 2, 1939, to Nellie M. McGrady, daughter of Patrick Henry and Rebecca Jane McGrady; Catholic; Moose; Elk; Kiwanian; past dictator of Grafton and Fairmont Moose; served in the United States Navy; served as treasurer (two terms) and president (four terms) of Machinists' Union and as president of Federated Shop Crafts' Union; machinist for Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company; member Advisory Committee Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Relief Department for ten years, and at present serving as a member of the Operating Committee; elected to the House of Delegates from Taylor County in 1936; elected to the Senate from the Fourteenth District in 1938.

GEORGE JACKSON, (D), of Jane Lew, was born August 12, 1903, son of M. E. and Alsinda Blake (Cookman) Jackson; married in 1932 to Julia Bates Welch; engaged in the practice of law; elected to the Senate in 1936 from the then Twelfth District.



WILLIAM NICHOLAS JASPER, (D), of Lewisburg, was born in England, August 10, 1867, son of Richard and Caroline Jasper; educated in the public schools; married October 15, 1890, to Ida Johnson; Presbyterian; Mason; banker; engaged for many years in the banking and coal mining business; appointed member of the House of Delegates from Greenbrier county by Governor Holt, November 9, 1937, to succeed H. L. Van Sickler, resigned; elected to the Senate from the Eleventh District in 1938; died April 26, 1939.

ROY F. JIMISON, (D), of Kayford, was born April 10, 1900, near Hamlin, Lincoln County, son of James Wm. and Ruth I. Jimison; educated in the public schools; married May 3, 1936, to Sybil Gibson; Baptist; Knights of Pythias; formerly engaged in farming; employed in transportation department of the C. & O. Railway Company; elected to the House of Delegates from Kanawha County in 1934 and 1936; elected to the Senate from the Eighth District in 1938.





HOWARD S. JOHNSON, (R), of Point Pleasant.

W. BROUGHTON JOHNSTON, (D), of Princeton, was born May 21, 1905, at McDowell, son of Dr. Walter Lee and Nellie F. (Keating) Johnston; educated in the public schools and at Culver Military Academy, Culver, Indiana; graduated from West Virginia University in 1927 with the degree of A. B., and in 1931 with the degree of LL. B.; post-graduate work at Cornell and University of North Carolina; Pi Kappa Alpha; Phi Alpha Delta; member of Mountain; Elk; Rotarian; actively engaged in the practice of law at Princeton; elected to the House of Delegates from Mercer County in 1934; elected to the Senate in 1936 from the then Seventh District.





A. M. MARTIN, (D), of Barboursville, was born October 28, 1873, near Meadow Bluff, Greenbrier County, son of Thomas M. and Rebecca J. Martin; educated in the public and normal schools of the State, at Marshall College, and at Southwestern University and Training School of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South; married December 25, 1892, to Fannie Elizabeth Holcomb of Blue Sulphur Springs; Southern Methodist; Mason; Odd Fellow; taught school for seven years; actively engaged in the ministry of the Southern Methodist Church for the past forty years, serving as pastor, presiding elder, commissioner of education, and missionary secretary; chaplain of the House of Delegates, 1933-34; elected to the House of Delegates from Cabell County in 1934 and 1936; elected to the Senate from the Fifth District in 1938.

CORNELIUS FRANKLIN MILLENDER, (D), of Wayne County, was born at Trenton, Maryland, son of John H. and Elizabeth Millender; educated in the public schools; married November 12, 1888, to Irene Fowble, who died July 30, 1938; Lutheran; Mason; charter member Beni Kedem Temple; salesman and automobile dealer; has served as councilman at Ceredo and Huntington; member House of Delegates, 1899-1901; elected to the Senate from the then Sixth District in 1932 and reelected in 1936.





DANIEL GROVE MOLER, (D), of Martinsburg, was born December 16, 1903, at Shepherdstown, son of Edward T. and Anna Mary (Grove) Moler; educated in the public schools; graduated from Shepherd College in 1926, and from West Virginia University in 1928 with the degree of A. B., and from the College of Law of that institution in 1931 with the degree of J.L. E.; married June 29, 1932, to Katherine Watson Hirst; Episcopalian; Theta Chi; Phi Delta Phi; member Sons of Confederate Veterans; secretary to Congressman Jennings Randolph, 1933; secretary Farm Debt Adjustment Council, 1934-35; engaged in the practice of law at Martinsburg for past six years; elected to the Senate in 1936 from the then Fifteenth District.

L. J. MORRIS, (D), of Grantsville, was born near that city February 16, 1890, son of Peter and Elizabeth (Johnson) Morris; educated in the public schools; married September 6, 1913, to Edith Jane Marshall; Baptist; Mason; Shriner; engaged in oil and gas business as division superintendent for Godfrey L. Cabot, Inc.; director in The Calhoun County Bank; served for eight years as chairman of the Democratic County Executive Committee; member of the Board of Education for eight years and chairman of the Public Assistance Council for two years; has also served as a member of the town council of Grantsville and welfare board of Calhoun County; elected to the Senate from the Third District in 1938.

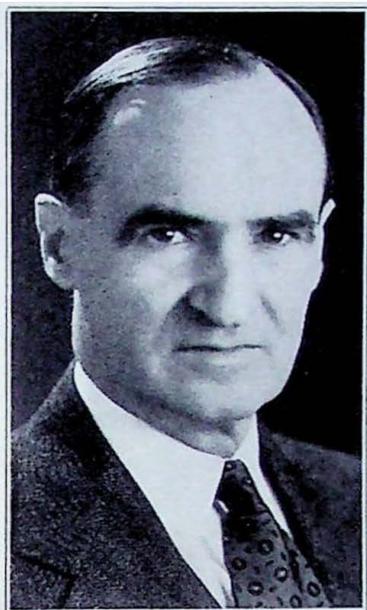




JAMES PAUL, JR., (D), of Wellsburg, Brooke County, was born May 3, 1901; son of James and Mariana (Jacob) Paul; graduated from Washington and Jefferson College in 1923 with the degree of A. B., and from Yale University in 1928 with the degree of LL. B.; married September 5, 1934, to Helen Catherine Prugh, of Pittsburgh; two children; Presbyterian; Mason; Beta Theta Pi; member Lions Club; attorney; assistant prosecuting attorney of Brooke County, 1928-1930; elected to the Senate from the First District in 1932 and reelected in 1936.

JOHN JOSEPH PELTER, (D), of Dehue.





JOHN A. PROCTOR, (D), of Berkeley Springs, was born at Bel Air, Maryland, son of Charles Wesley and Sophia Elizabeth (Spencer) Proctor; educated in the public schools of Maryland; married June 11, 1914, to Cecil Alline Speer; Presbyterian; Mason; Shriner; Elk; Kiwanian; banker; farmer; engaged for past twenty-nine years in the production of silica sand; elected to the House of Delegates from Morgan County in 1923; elected to the Senate from the Sixteenth District in 1938.

BYRON BENEDUM RANDOLPH, (D), of Clarksburg, was born June 12, 1906, at Burnsville, Braxton County, son of Ormon F. and Ella (Benedum) Randolph; educated in the public schools of Braxton, Webster and Harrison counties; graduated from West Virginia University with degrees of A. B. and LL. B.; married September 16, 1933, to Cathryn E. Thompson; Southern Methodist; lawyer; Delta Sigma Rho, Phi Delta Phi, Phi Beta Kappa and Order of the Coif; elected to the House of Delegates from Harrison County in 1930 and reelected in 1932; elected to the Senate from the then Twelfth District in 1934, and reelected from the newly created Thirteenth District in 1938.

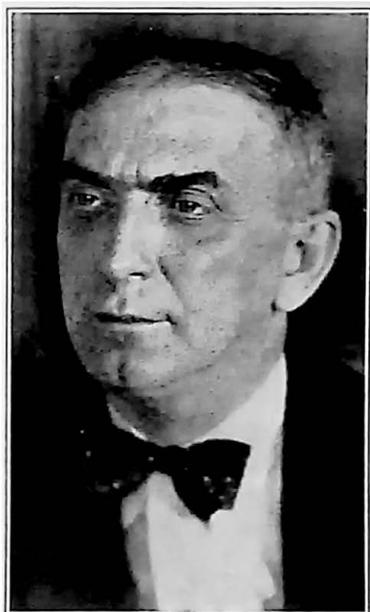




SIDNEY HAMPTON ROBERTSON, (D), of Clendenin, was born July 3, 1877, in Roane County, son of George W. and Delilah E. (Melton) Robertson; educated in the public schools; married December 26, 1900, to Gladys M. Grubb; Southern Methodist; 32° Mason; Shriner; banker; merchant; engaged in oil and gas business; member of Clendenin City Council for ten years; appointed by Governor Holt November 9, 1937, as member of the Senate from the Eighth Senatorial District to succeed the late Alvin J. Barnhart, and elected to that body from the newly created Eighth District at the general election in 1938.

J. RUHL SHAHAN, (D), of Elkins, was born October 23, 1908, in Randolph County, son of Charles and Katherine (Scott) Shahan; educated in the public schools of Middle Fork District, Randolph County, and at Elkins High School; graduated at Davis and Elkins College with the degree of B. A., and from West Virginia University with the degree of M. A.; unmarried; United Brethren; Alpha Sigma Phi; member Randolph County Rod and Gun Club; has taught school five years; author of the book, "Poems of Life"; served three terms as vice president of the Randolph County Council of Christian Education; elected to the House of Delegates from Randolph County in 1932 and re-elected in 1934; elected to the Senate in 1936 from the then Thirteenth District.





EARL H. SMITH, (D), of Fairmont, Marion County, son of the late Clarence L. and Margaret Virginia Smith; educated in public schools, at Fairmont State Normal School (now Fairmont State Teachers College), and West Virginia University; served with American Expeditionary Forces in the World War; was first elected department commander, American Legion, in West Virginia; Elk; Phi Kappa Sigma; newspaper man; founded The Fairmont Times and was its editor for twenty-five years; elected member House of Delegates from Marion County in 1930; elected to the Senate from the then Eleventh District in 1932, and reelected in 1936.

L. B. SNYDER, (D), of New Martinsville, Wetzel County, was born October 24, 1893, at Glovers Gap, Marion County, son of H. C. and Mary A. (Murray) Snyder; educated in the public schools; Mason; Scottish Rite; Shriner; Elk; Odd Fellow; Knights of Pythias; Moose; business executive; engaged in general contracting and supply business; has served as member of council at New Martinsville and president of the Board of Education of Wetzel County; sheriff of Wetzel County, 1929-32; elected to the Senate from the Second District in 1936.





THOMAS SWEENEY, (R), of Wheeling, was born in that city November 18, 1903, son of Thomas B. and Nellie Katherine (Zurmuehlen) Sweeney; graduated from Yale University in 1926 with the degree of Ph. E.; Presbyterian; Elk; Alpha Delta Phi; Sigma Delta Rho; Kiwanian; engaged in insurance business; elected to the Senate from the First District in 1938.

EMMETT O. WISEMAN, (D), of Fayetteville, was born in that city April 9, 1903, son of W. E. and Lena Wiseman; educated in the public schools and at Louisville College of Pharmacy, graduating from that institution in 1925, with the degree of Ph. G.; married August 9, 1928, to W. Clarissa Winslow; Southern Methodist; Mason; Shriner; Phi Delta Phi; druggist; president West Virginia State Pharmaceutical Association, 1936-1937; elected member of district board of Education in 1932; appointed member of Fayetteville town council in 1934; elected to the House of Delegates from Fayette County in 1934; elected to the Senate in 1936 from the then Ninth District.





WARD WYLIE. (D), of Mullens, was born March 30, 1909, at Pedro, son of Andrew Price and Maggie Day (Leach) Wylie; educated in the public schools; graduated at West Virginia University in 1926, with the degree of B. S., and at Emory University School of Medicine in 1928, with the degree of M. D.; first lieutenant, 77th Field Hospital, Medical Reserve Corps; married March 19, 1929, to Amilee Hall of Atlanta; Mason; Knights of Pythias; J. O. U. A. M.; surgeon, and now serving as surgeon-in-charge at Mullens Hospital; chairman West Virginia Athletic Commission since 1934; elected to the House of Delegates from Wyoming County in 1934; elected to the Senate from the Ninth District in 193 .

G. O. YOUNG. (R), of Buckhannon, Upshur County, was born December 26, 1 73, at Fairmont, son of Rev. William H. and Eleanor (Patton) Young; married March 28, 1 95, to Emma C. Windon; 32° Mason; Rotarian; graduate of Pittsburgh College of Pharmacy; engaged in the wholesale and retail drug business at Buckhannon since 1902; author of "Alaskan Trophies Won and Lost"; charter member and past president of West Virginia Pharmaceutical Association; vice president of and West Virginia state agent for The American Druggists' Fire Insurance Company, Cincinnati; vice president of Central National Bank, Buckhannon; member West Virginia Game, Fish and Forestry Commission, 1921-25, serving as the first chairman of that Commission; member executive committee of board of directors of the West Virginia Chamber of Commerce; elected to the Senate from the Thirteenth District in 1934; reelected from the newly created Fifteenth District in 1938.



# HOUSE OF DELEGATES

(Regular Session, 1939)

## OFFICERS

*Speaker:* James Kay Thomas, (D), Charleston.

*Clerk:* John S. Hall, (D), Williamson.

*Sergeant-at-Arms:* Harry Holswade, (D), Spencer.

*Doorkeeper:* Joe B. Crozier, (D), Iaeger.

## MEMBERS

(By Counties)

County	Member	Address
Barbour	Wm. Taylor George, Jr., (D)	Phillippi
Berkeley	Charles R. Beard, (R)	Martinsburg
Boone	E. E. White, (D)	Madison
Braxton	L. T. Harvey, (D)	Frametown
Brooke	L. Reed Clark, (R)	Wellsburg
Cabell	Mike Casey, (D)	Huntington
	John G. Hudson, (D)	Huntington
	Charles G. Rhodes, (D)	Huntington
	Claude V. Swann, (D)	Huntington
	Andrew R. Winters, (D)	Huntington
Calhoun	C. A. Jarvis, (D)	Grantsville
Clay	Ralph R. Lockhart, (D)	Clay
Doddridge	S. L. Smith, (R)	West Union
Fayette	R. L. Matthews, (D)	Montgomery
	Magee McClung, (D)	Fayetteville
	J. Alex Tinsley, (D)	Ansted
	Mrs. Nell W. Walker, (D)	Winona
Gilmer	Paul H. Kidd, (D)	Glenville
Grant	Melvin C. Muntzing, (R)	Petersburg
Greenbrier	John H. Bowling, (D)	White Sulphur Springs
	Charles L. McClung, (D)	Quinwood
Hampshire	William T. Milleson, (D)	Springfield
Hancock	George E. Loucas, (R)	Weirton
Hardy	C. C. Helshman, (D)	Wardensville
Harrison	Howard J. James, (D)	Clarksburg
	Edgar E. Righter, (D)	Shinnston
	Fred L. Shinn, (D)	Clarksburg
Jackson	E. L. Simpson, (D)	Clarksburg
	Jack W. Walker, (R)	Ripley
	Wm. Fontaine Alexander, (D)	Charles Town
Kanawha	John E. Amos, (D)	Charleston
	W. T. Brotherton, (D)	Charleston
	Carl C. Calvert, (D)	Chelyan
	I. L. Cavender, (D)	Charleston
	William T. Hanlin, (D)	St. Albans
	Walter L. Hurley, (D)	Mammoth
	K. L. McClung, (D)	Charleston
James K. Thomas, (D)	Charleston	
Lewis	*Kenneth S. Kurtz, (R)	Weston
Lincoln	Frank M. Adkins, (D)	Hamlin

\*Died July 10, 1939.

County	Member	Address
Logan	Lonnie E. Butcher, (D)	Logan
	Carl McCoy, (D)	Man
	Lester Perry, (D)	Logan
Marion	Haymond A. Alltop, (D)	Fairmont
	John L. Gill, (D)	Fairmont
	Russell D. Meredith, (D)	Fairmont
Marshall	Everett F. Moore, (R)	Moundsville
	Floyd R. Yoho, (R)	Moundsville
Mason	George A. Rairden, (R)	Leon
Mercer	O. H. Ballard, (D)	Princeton
	John W. Haldren, (D)	Bluefield
	A. A. Hopkins, (D)	Bluefield
Mineral	John I. Rogers, (R)	Keyser
Mingo	Mark Russell, Jr., (D)	Williamson
	Glenn Taylor, (D)	Matewan
Monongalia	Harold D. Slaven, (D)	Morgantown
	Junius M. Strouss, (D)	Morgantown
Monroe	J. O. Mitchell, (D)	Union
Morgan	Harvey D. Beeler, (R)	Berkeley Springs
McDowell	J. C. Hansbarger, (D)	Kyle
	Fleming A. Jones, Jr., (D)	Welch
	Harry R. Pauley, (D)	Jaeger
	George Wilson Vick, (D)	Anawalt
	Cecil W. Wilson, (D)	Elkhorn
Nicholas	J. A. Neal, (D)	Fenwick
Ohio	J. Wm. Cummins, (R)	Wheeling
	Cuyler E. Ewing, (R)	Wheeling
	*Wm. A. Hannig, (R)	Elm Grove
	Tom H. Johnson, (R)	Wheeling
Pendleton	William D. Anderson, (D)	Franklin
Pleasants	J. C. Powell, (R)	St. Marys
Pocahontas	June McElwee, (D)	Marlinton
Preston	Clarence B. Bishoff, (R)	Manhelm
Putnam	Homer A. Erwin, (D)	Hurricane
Raleigh	O. C. Flint, (D)	Beckley
	J. Leroy Huffman, (D)	Beckley
	B. E. Meadows, (D)	Winding Gulf
Randolph	John W. Bosworth, (D)	Elkins
Ritchie	Robert Morris, (R)	Harrisville
Roane	Everett Starcher, (D)	Spencer
Summers	Forest L. McNeer, (D)	Hinton
Taylor	Lloyd Lawrence Shriver, (D)	Grafton
Tucker	J. C. Cooper, Jr., (D)	Thomas
Tyler	Orren L. Jones, (R)	Middlebourne
Upshur	Perce J. Ross, (R)	Buckhannon
Wayne	Epsilon A. Cole, (D)	Ceredo
	Frank C. Lake, (D)	Kenova
Webster	H. Clay Mace, (D)	Webster Springs
Wetzel	Herbert Schupbach, (D)	New Martinsville
Wirt	Robert F. Hickman, (R)	Elizabeth
Wood	Francis H. Bickel, (D)	Parkersburg
	Spencer K. Creel, (R)	Parkersburg
	Ben F. Nern, (R)	Parkersburg
Wyoming	Fred Deal, (D)	Glen Morrison

\*Appointed by Governor Holt, July 19, 1939, as a member of the West Virginia Liquor Control Commission.

## ROSTER OF THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES

(December 1, 1939)

### OFFICERS

*Speaker:* James Kay Thomas, (D), Charleston.

*Clerk:* John S. Hall, (D), Williamson.

*Sergeant-at-Arms:* Harry Holswade, (D), Spencer.

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### MEMBERS

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(Regular Session, 1939)

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Messrs. White (*Chairman*), Mrs. Walker (of Fayette) (*Vice Chairman*), Messrs. Ballard, Calvert, Cole, Erwin, Jarvis, McClung (of Kanawha), McElwee, McNeer, Rhodes, Russell, Beeler, Ewing, Hannig, Johnson and Walker (of Jackson).

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### Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the House

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### Joint Committee on Joint Rules on the Part of the House

Messrs. Thomas (Mr. Speaker) (*Chairman ex-officio*), Amos and Kurtz.

## **RULES OF THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES**

(Regular Session, 1939)

### **ELECTION AND DUTIES OF OFFICERS**

#### **Officers and Their Compensation**

1. The House, at the commencement of each Legislature, shall elect a Speaker, Clerk, Sergeant-at-Arms, and Doorkeeper. All officers, except the Speaker, shall receive such compensation as the House may determine.

#### **Vote to be Viva Voce**

2. 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, a quorum being present, 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.

### **DUTIES AND RIGHTS OF THE SPEAKER**

#### **Call to Order**

3. The Speaker shall take the chair on each legislative day precisely at the hour to which the House shall have adjourned; shall immediately call the members to order and, after prayer, if a quorum is present, proceed to the order of business.

#### **Preservation of Order**

4. The Speaker shall preserve order and decorum while the House is in session; enforce the rules and orders of the House; prescribe the order in which business shall come up for consideration, subject to the rules and orders of the House; announce the question of business before the House when properly requested by any member; receive all messages and communications; put to vote all questions which are properly moved; announce the result of all votes and authenticate, when necessary, the acts and proceedings of the House.

#### **Decorum in Debate**

5. In debate, the Speaker shall prevent personal reflections and confine members to the question under discussion, but he shall not engage in any debate, or propose his opinion on any question without first calling some other member to the chair. When two or more members arise at the same time, he shall name the one entitled to the floor.

#### **Questions of Order**

6. The Speaker shall decide all questions of order subject to an appeal to the House when demanded by any ten members. 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 members shall speak more than once on such appeal without leave of the House.

When properly requested by a member, the Speaker shall inform the House upon any point of order or practice pertinent to the business before it.

### Preserving Order in Galleries

7. The Speaker shall have general control of the House Chamber, lobbies, and rooms and of the corridors and passages in that part of the Capitol assigned to the use of the House. In case of any disorderly conduct or disturbance in the galleries, corridors or passages, he shall have the power to order the same to be cleared, and may cause any person guilty of such disturbance or disorderly conduct to be brought before the bar of the House. In all such cases the members present may take such measures to prevent a repetition of such misconduct, either by the infliction of censure or such other penalty, as may be authorized by law, on the parties thus offending, as the House may deem best.

### Presiding Officer in Absence of Speaker

8. The Speaker may designate by an appointment in writing entered upon the Journal of the House, any member to perform the duties of the chair for a period not exceeding three consecutive legislative days, but for no longer period, except by special consent of the House, and the member so designated shall be during the time for which he is designated, vested with all the powers and duties conferred by these rules, or by law, upon the Speaker. The Speaker shall have the right to call any member to the chair to perform the duties of Speaker but such substitution shall not extend beyond an adjournment.

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 tempore selected by the House. The Speaker pro tempore shall preside over the House until such time as the Speaker shall be present.

### Appointment of Attaches

9. The Speaker shall as soon as practicable after being authorized, appoint for the House such committee clerks, stenographers, pages and other attaches and employees 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. He shall appoint an official Chaplain whose duty it shall be to be present at the convening of each day's session for the purpose of opening the session with prayer.

### Appointment of Committees

10. The Speaker shall appoint all committees, except where the House shall otherwise order. In appointing standing committees he shall designate the chairman and vice chairman of same. In the absence of the chairman of a committee the vice chairman shall preside. When the House authorizes the appointment of a committee the Speaker may wait until the next legislative day to make the appointment.

### Chairman of Committee on Rules

11. The Speaker shall be *ex-officio* member and chairman of the Committee on Rules.

### Acts and Writs Signed by the Speaker

12. All acts shall be signed by the Speaker as required by the Constitution; and all writs, warrants and subpoenas issued by the order of the House or any committee having authority to issue same, shall be under his hand and attested by the Clerk.

### Putting the Question

13. The Speaker shall rise to put a question but may state it sitting.

### Vote of the Speaker

14. In all cases of a call of the yeas and nays, the Speaker shall vote, unless excused; in other cases he shall not be required to vote, unless the House is

equally divided, or unless his vote, if given to the minority, will make the division equal and in case of such equal division the question shall be lost. When the yeas and nays are taken the Speaker's name shall be called last.

### **Examination of Journal**

15. It shall be the duty of the Speaker to examine the Journal of the House, daily, before it is read and cause all errors and omissions therein to be corrected.

## **CLERK**

### **Clerk to Have Charge of Clerical Business of House**

16. The Clerk shall have charge and supervision of all the clerical business of the House. He shall perform the duties imposed on him by law and the rules of the House. He shall have charge of the Clerk's desk and shall see that no one is permitted therein except himself and those assisting him.

### **Duties of Clerk**

17. 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. He shall attest all writs, warrants and subpoenas issued by order of the House and shall certify to the passage of all bills, and to the adoption of all joint and concurrent resolutions by the Legislature. In addition to his other duties the Clerk shall keep the accounts for pay and mileage of members, officers and attaches, and for printing and other contingent expenses of the House, and prepare and sign warrants or requisitions for the same.

The Clerk shall superintend the recording of the Journal of the proceedings, the engrossing and enrolling of bills, and shall cause to be kept and prepared for the printer the Daily Journal of the proceedings of the House.

### **Clerk to Have Custody of All Records**

18. 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 the chairman of a committee to which they may have been referred and then he shall take a proper receipt therefor. 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.

### **Clerk to Appoint Assistants**

19. The Clerk shall appoint such assistants as are authorized by law or by resolution of the House and shall have power to suspend or remove any of his appointees and appoint others in their stead. He may also appoint without resolution a secretary to himself and a stenographer who shall be the official stenographer for the House. The per diem of the assistants and employees of the Clerk shall be fixed by the Committee on Rules.

### **Clerk to Have Charge of All Printing**

20. The Clerk shall have supervision and charge of all printing done for the House, and the public printer shall print only such documents and other matter as the Clerk authorizes.

**Payment for Printing**

21. The public printer shall have all bills for printing approved by the supervisor of public printing and then present the same to the Clerk who shall draw his warrant or requisition for same upon the Auditor payable from the Legislative Printing Fund. The supervisor of public printing shall see that all bills are in accordance with the state contract for legislative printing before he approves their payment. A copy of all bills for printing shall be furnished the Clerk by the public printer.

**SERGEANT-AT-ARMS**

**Duties**

22. It shall be the duty of the Sergeant-at-Arms to attend the House and the Committee of the Whole during their sittings and to maintain order under the direction of the Speaker. He shall execute the commands of the House from time to time, together with such process, issued by the authority thereof, as shall be directed to him by the Speaker.

Under the direction of the Speaker, he shall superintend the distribution of all documents and papers to be distributed to the members. He shall see that no person, except those authorized to do so, disturbs or interferes with the desks of the members, or with the books, papers, etc., thereat.

He shall have charge under the Speaker for the purpose of maintaining order, of the Hall of the House, its lobby, galleries and other rooms in the Capitol assigned for its use, and shall exclude from the floor all persons not entitled to the privilege of the same. He shall attend to seating visitors, and shall see that the janitors and cloak-room attendants perform their duties, and see that the house chamber is properly ventilated, heated, and lighted.

**DOORKEEPER**

**Duties**

23. It shall be the duty of the Doorkeeper to attend the House during its sessions, and to announce all messages. He shall have charge of the main door of the Chamber during the sittings of the House, and shall see that the other doors are properly attended; have general charge and oversight of the assistant doorkeepers; detail such assistant doorkeepers for such general or special duties as the Sergeant-at-Arms may deem proper; assist the Sergeant-at-Arms in seeing that the rules relating to admission to the floor are strictly enforced, and shall perform such other duties as the Speaker of the House may order.

**RIGHTS AND DUTIES OF MEMBERS**

**Absence From the House**

24. 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.

**Every Member to Vote**

25. Every member present when a question is put, or when his name is called, 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 therefor.

### Members Shall Be in Places When Voting

26. While the yeas and nays are being taken every member shall be in his seat, and during the session of the House no person other than a member shall occupy the chair of a member.

### Quorum

27. A majority of all the members elected to the House shall be necessary to proceed to business; seven members may adjourn, and ten members may order a call of the House, send for absentees, and make any order for their censure or discharge. On a call of the House, the doors shall not be closed against any member until his name shall have been called twice.

### When Less Than Quorum Present

28. In case a number less than a quorum of the House 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 nonattendance shall be made as the House, when a quorum is convened, shall judge sufficient; and, in that case, the expense shall be paid out of the contingent fund of the House. This rule shall apply to the first meeting of the House, at the legal time of meeting, as well as to each day of the session after the hour has arrived to which the House stood adjourned.

### Taking Members Into Custody

29. No member of the House shall be taken into custody by the Sergeant-at-Arms, on any question of complaint or breach of privilege, until the matter is examined by the Committee on Elections and Privileges, and reported to the House of Delegates, unless by order of the Speaker of the House of Delegates.

### Punishment of Members

30. The House of Delegates 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.)

### Providing for Undisturbed Transaction of Business

31. The House of Delegates 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 their duties, or for any assault, threat or abuse of any member for words spoken in debates; but such imprisonment shall not extend beyond the termination of the session.

## ORDER AND DECORUM IN DEBATE

### Recognition and Decorum

32. When a member is about to speak in debate or deliver any matter to the House, he shall rise in his place and respectfully address the presiding officer, as "MR. SPEAKER," and, upon being recognized, shall proceed, confining himself to the question under debate, avoiding all personalities and indecorous or disrespectful language.

When a member arises and addresses the Chair, the Speaker may recognize him by name; but no member in debate shall designate another by name.

### Recognition by the Chair

33. When two or more members shall rise at the same time, the Speaker shall name the one who is to speak first, and his decision shall be final and not open to debate or appeal. However, in all other cases the member who shall rise first and addresses the Chair shall be first recognized.

### Mover of Question to Have Preference in Debate

34. No question shall be debated until it has been propounded by the Speaker and then the mover of the question shall have the right to open and close the debate thereon.

### Member Out of Order

35. When any member, in speaking or otherwise, transgresses 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, but may be permitted, with leave of the House, to explain; and the House shall, if appealed to, decide the case, but without debate. If there be no appeal, the decision of the Chair shall be submitted to: if the decision be in favor of the member so called to order, he is at liberty to proceed; if the decision be against him, and the case requires it, he shall be liable to the censure of the House, or such other punishment as the House may properly impose.

### Calling to Order for Words Spoken in Debate

36. 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 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.

### Decorum During Debate

37. While the Speaker is putting a question, ascertaining the result, or addressing the House, no one shall walk out of or across the House; and when a member is speaking, no one shall engage in conversation or pass between him and the Speaker.

### Limitation on Debate

38. No member shall speak except in his place, and not more than twice on a question, except by leave of the House. And if a question be pending at the time of an adjournment and is renewed on the succeeding day, no member who shall have spoken twice on the preceding day shall be permitted again to speak without leave of the House. The House by majority vote may limit debate on any question.

### Members Not to Be Disturbed While Speaking

39. 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.

### Speaking Before Negative is Put

40. 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.

## PUTTING QUESTIONS AND VOTING

### Putting Question; Division

41. All questions shall be put distinctly in this form, to-wit: "*As many as are in favor* [as the question may be] *say 'Aye,'*" and after the affirmative vote is expressed, "*As many as are opposed say 'No'.*" If the Speaker be in doubt as to the result, or if a division is called for by any member, the House shall divide. Those in the affirmative of the question shall first rise from their seats and be counted, and afterward those in the negative. The count may be made by the Speaker, or, if he so directs, 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. Such vote shall not be printed in the Journal unless the yeas and nays are called for by not less than nine members of the House prior to the announcement of the decision by the Speaker.

#### **Yeas and Nays**

42. 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 present shall answer "Aye" or "No" when his name is called, unless excused. 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 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. The Journal shall also show those absent and not voting.

Upon calls of the House, in taking the yeas and nays, the names of the members shall be called alphabetically, except the Speaker shall be called last.

#### **Pairs**

43. Members may pair on any question by filing a signed statement of the same with the Clerk, who shall read the same to the House before the vote is taken. A blank form of pair for use of members shall be provided by the Clerk. No pair shall be recognized unless made in person by the member signing the same, or unless one or both of the parties thereto are absent.

#### **Division of Question**

44. Any member may call for a division of any question 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. A motion to strike out and insert shall be deemed indivisible, but a motion to strike out being lost, shall preclude neither amendment nor motion to strike out and insert.

#### **Calling of Yeas and Nays**

45. No member or any person shall visit or remain by the Clerk's table while the yeas and nays are being called.

#### **Tie Vote Loses Question**

46. In all cases when the House is equally divided, the question shall be lost.

#### **Verification of Vote**

47. When a question upon which the yeas and nays have been taken has prevailed or failed by not more than five votes, the Speaker may, upon request of five members, order a verification of the vote. During such verification, no member shall change his vote unless it was erroneously recorded, nor may any member not having voted cast a vote. A verification must be called for immediately after a vote is announced and before any other business has intervened.

#### **Explanation of Vote**

48. No member shall be allowed to make any explanation of his vote during the taking of the yeas and nays; but after the roll has been called and the vote

announced, any member may explain his vote and the explanation shall be recorded in the Journal if he requests it. The Speaker may limit the time allowed members for explaining votes.

### When Members Not to Vote

49. Any member who has a personal or private interest in any measure or bill proposed or pending before the House shall disclose the fact and not vote thereon.

### Voting Machine

49-a. A voting machine may be used in taking the yeas and nays on any question, for quorum calls and for determining the result when a division is demanded. When a vote is to be taken on the voting machine the Speaker shall announce the question to be voted upon and direct the Clerk to prepare the machine. The Clerk shall then sound the gong which shall be notice to all members to vote. After reasonable time has been given all members to vote the Speaker shall ask the question: "Have all members voted?" vote himself, if the vote being taken is upon a question on which he is required to vote, and then direct the Clerk to close the machine and ascertain the result. As soon as this is done, the Clerk shall hand the record of the vote to the Speaker and he shall promptly announce the result. No vote may be changed after it has been recorded.

No member shall vote for another member, nor shall any person not a member cast a vote for a member. In addition to such penalties as may be prescribed by law, any member who shall vote or attempt to vote for another member may be expelled as a member of the House or punished in such other manner as the House may determine. If a person not a member shall vote or attempt to vote for any member, he shall be barred from the floor of the House for the remainder of the session and may be further punished in such manner as the House may deem proper, in addition to such punishment as may be prescribed by law.

All other rules governing voting and the taking of the yeas and nays, insofar as applicable, shall apply to taking votes by means of the voting machine.

## MOTIONS

### Stating the Question

50. When a motion is made, it shall be stated by the Speaker; or, being in writing, it shall be passed to the desk and read aloud by the Clerk before debate.

### Form of Motion

51. Every motion, except subsidiary, or incidental motions, shall be reduced to writing, if the Speaker or any member desires it; but this exception shall not apply to motions to amend.

### Withdrawal of Motions

52. After a motion is stated by the Speaker or read by the Clerk, it is deemed to be in possession of the House, but may be withdrawn at any time before a decision or amendment, unless the previous question has been ordered, in which case it can only be withdrawn by leave of the House.

### Order of Precedence of Motions

53. When a question is under debate, no motion shall be received except:

1. To adjourn.
2. To lay on the table.
3. For the previous question.
4. To postpone to a day certain.

5. To go into a Committee of the Whole on the pending question immediately.
6. To commit to a Committee of the Whole.
7. To commit to a Standing Committee.
8. To commit to a Select Committee.
9. To amend.
10. To postpone indefinitely.

These several motions shall have precedence in the order in which they are arranged. A motion to strike out the enacting clause of a bill shall have precedence of another motion to amend; and if carried, the bill is rejected.

### **Motion to Adjourn**

54. A motion to adjourn shall always be in order, except when the House is voting, or while a member is addressing the House, or when no business has been transacted since the motion to adjourn has been defeated.

### **Motions Not Debatable**

55. The following motions shall be decided without debate, and shall not be amended:

1. To adjourn.
2. To fix the time to which the House shall adjourn.
3. To lay on the table.
4. For the previous question.
5. To suspend the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days.
6. To recess.

### **Motions Not in Order**

56. No motion directing the appropriation or payment of money shall be in order.

### **Effect of Indefinite Postponement**

57. When a question is postponed indefinitely, it shall not be again acted on during the session.

### **Motion to Reconsider**

58. A motion to reconsider any question may be made by any member who voted with the majority, or in case of a tie vote, by any member. This motion shall be made on the same or next succeeding legislative day of the House. Such a motion, if seconded, shall take precedence of all other questions, except the consideration of a conference report or a motion to adjourn, and unless by motion postponed until some future time shall be acted upon at once. A motion to reconsider 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. A motion to reconsider a question, having been put and lost, shall not be renewed.

### **Debate on Motions to Reconsider**

59. Debate shall be allowed on a motion to reconsider only when the question which it is proposed to reconsider is debatable. Where debate upon a motion to reconsider is in order, no member shall speak more than once nor for a longer period than three minutes.

### **Reconsideration of Question Requiring More Than Majority Vote**

60. 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.

**Effect of Motion to Table**

61. A motion to lay on the table shall only have the effect of disposing of the matter temporarily, and may be taken from the table at any time after the eighth order of business has been passed.

**Motion Must Be Germane**

62. No motion on a subject different from that under consideration shall be admitted under color of amendment.

**Previous Question**

63. When any question is before the House, any member being in order and having the floor may move the previous question, but such motion to be put must be sustained by being seconded by ten members. The question being moved, the Speaker shall say, "*Is the motion sustained?*" and those favoring the motion shall rise. If a sufficient number arise, the previous question shall be thereby seconded, and the question shall then be put in this form, "*Shall the main question be now put?*" If this question be decided in the affirmative by a majority of the members voting, a quorum being present, it shall have the effect of cutting off all debate and bringing the House to a direct vote upon the immediate question or questions upon which it has been asked and ordered, except when the motion applies to the main question, the members in charge of the measure under consideration, shall have five minutes to close the discussion before the vote is taken; and when the motion applies to an amendment the person proposing the amendment shall have three minutes to close the discussion on the amendment. Should the previous question be decided in the negative, the House shall proceed with the matter before it as though the previous question had not been moved.

When a member moves the previous question he shall specifically state in his motion whether it shall apply to the main question and the amendments or to the amendment or amendments only.

The previous question shall not be admitted in the Committee of the Whole.

**MEETING OF THE HOUSE**

**Time of Meeting**

64. The House shall meet every day, except Sunday, unless it shall be otherwise directed by special order, precisely at the hour to which it shall have adjourned at its last sitting; but if no hour were fixed at such sitting, then at two o'clock p. m.

**ORDER OF BUSINESS**

**Daily**

65. The daily order of business shall be as follows:
- I. To read, correct, and approve the Journal.
  - II. To act upon leave of absence for members.
  - III. To receive and consider reports of standing committees.
  - IV. To receive and consider reports of select committees.
  - V. To receive and consider messages from the Executive, state officials, and other communications and remonstrances.
  - VI. To receive messages from the Senate, and consider amendments proposed by the Senate to bills passed by the House.
  - VII. To receive (a) resolutions, (b) petitions, (c) motions.
  - VIII. Bills introduced on motion for leave and referred to appropriate committees.
  - IX. To act on unfinished business of the preceding day, and resolutions lying over from previous day, but no resolution shall lose its place on the calendar by not being acted upon on the day following on which it was offered.

- X. House and Senate Bills on third reading.
- XI. House and Senate Bills on second reading.
- XII. House and Senate Bills on first reading.
- XIII. Miscellaneous business.

### Priority of Business

66. All questions relating to priority of business shall be decided without debate.

### Special Orders

67. Any subject made a special order of business shall be laid before the House by the Speaker, or may be called up by any member, when the time fixed for its consideration arrives. If not called up or acted upon at the time fixed, it shall lose its standing as a special order.

### Reports and Messages Receivable at Any Time

68. Messages from the Governor and Senate, communications and reports from state officers, reports from the Committee on Elections and Privileges, which involve the right of a member to his seat, reports from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports from the Committee on Rules, and reports of Conference Committees may be received at any time when the House is not 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 be disposed of as the House may direct.

### Consideration of Local Bills

69. Local bills shall be placed upon a special calendar to be known as the Local Bill Calendar, and on Friday of each week, after the ninth order of business is passed, shall be taken up and disposed of before any other business is acted upon.

### Special Calendar

70. The House may by resolution authorize the Committee on Rules to arrange a special daily calendar and the consideration of bills on this calendar shall take precedence over the Regular House calendar.

## COMMITTEES

### Kinds of Committees

71. Committees may be of four kinds, namely: Committee of the Whole House, Standing Committees, Select or Special Committees, and Conference Committees.

### Committee of the Whole

72. The House may resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole at any time on the motion of any member, and in forming a Committee of the Whole, the Speaker shall leave the chair and a chairman shall be appointed by him to preside over said committee. It shall consider and report on such subjects as may be committed to it by the House. The proceedings in Committee of the Whole shall not be recorded on the Journal except so far as reported to the House by the Chairman of the Committee.

### Rules of Proceeding in the Committee of the Whole

73. The rules of proceeding in the House shall be observed, as far as practicable, in Committee of the Whole, except that any member may speak oftener than twice on the same subject, but he shall not speak a second time until every member desiring to speak shall have spoken; nor shall a motion for the previous question nor a motion to lay on the table or to adjourn be made therein. The yeas and nays need not be taken in Committee of the Whole.

**Consideration of Bills in Committee of the Whole**

74. Upon demand by any member, bills committed to a Committee of the Whole House shall, in committee of the whole, be read by sections. All amendments made shall be noted by the Clerk and reported to the House by the Chairman. After being reported to the House, the bill shall again be subject to amendment before a vote on the report is taken.

**Motion to Rise Decided Without Debate**

75. A motion that the Committee of the Whole rise shall always be in order, and shall be decided without debate.

**Standing Committees**

76. The following standing committees, to consist of not less than seven nor more than twenty-five members, shall be appointed at the commencement of each session and to them respectively shall be referred all bills or resolutions pertaining to the subject indicated by the names of said respective committees, to-wit:

- Agriculture.
- Arts, Science, and General Improvements.
- Banks and Corporations.
- Claims and Grievances.
- Counties, Districts, and Municipal Corporations.
- Education.
- Elections and Privileges.
- Executive Offices and Library.
- Federal Relations.
- Forestry and Conservation.
- Forfeited, Delinquent and Unappropriated Lands.
- Game and Fish.
- Humane Institutions and Public Buildings.
- Insurance.
- Judiciary.
- Labor.
- Medicine and Sanitation.
- Military Affairs.
- Mines and Mining.
- Penitentiary.
- Printing and Contingent Expenses.
- Railroads.
- Redistricting.
- Roads.
- Rules.
- State Boundaries.
- Taxation and Finance.
- Temperance.

**Committee on Elections and Privileges**

77. 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 the 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.

**Committee on Rules**

78. At the beginning of each session the Speaker shall appoint a Committee on Rules, to consist of seven members. The Speaker shall be *ex-officio* Chair-

man of said Committee. The Committee on Rules shall report to the House, from time to time, rules for the government thereof, and amendments to such rules. The Committee shall be privileged to report at any time and said report shall be adopted by a majority vote.

All resolutions authorizing the appointment of attaches or relating to the appointment of persons, or prescribing the salary or pay of such attaches or persons, shall originate in and come from the Committee on Rules.

### **Committee on Taxation and Finance**

79. 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 matters and propositions relating to taxation and finance as shall be referred to them by the House.

### **Committee on Claims and Grievances**

80. 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.

### **Committee on Executive Offices and Library**

81. 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 necessary to add to the economy of the executive offices and the accountability of their officers.

### **Reports of Committees**

82. The several standing committees shall have leave to report by bill or otherwise. All committees shall submit their reports to the House in writing, and the same shall be printed in the Journal. Reports of committees shall be advisory only. Committee chairmen shall see that the originals of all bills, resolutions, and such other documents as are referred to them, are returned to the House, with the report upon the matter to which they pertain.

### **Discharging Committee from Consideration of Bill**

83. When a bill or resolution has been in the hands of a committee five legislative days after having been referred to it, the committee may be discharged from further consideration of the bill or resolution by a majority vote of all the members present. The chairman of a committee may move that his committee be discharged from consideration of the matter at any time after commitment and after the fiftieth day of the session any member may move to discharge a committee from consideration of any bill or resolution at any time after the same has been referred to it.

### **Committee Meetings**

84. Meetings of all committees shall be upon a call of the chairman, but no committee shall sit during a session of the House without leave of the House. It shall be the duty of the chairmen of committees to announce, or have announced, from the floor of the House, or by the Speaker or Clerk, during the

session of the House, committee meetings, and at such time, if practicable, the number of all bills to be considered at such meetings. In case of failure of the chairman of any committee to call a meeting of such committee upon the request of a member, then fifty per cent or more of the members of such committee shall have a right to call a meeting of such committee.

### Committee Hearings

85. The introducer of a bill, and all other persons who shall so request of the chairman or clerk of the committee, shall be given an opportunity to be heard upon a measure referred to a committee, but no one not a member of the committee shall be present when the final vote is taken on any matter under consideration. Every committee hearing shall be open to the public.

### Committee Clerks

86. The Speaker shall assign to the various committees such clerks and other clerical and stenographic help as may be necessary to properly carry on the work of the committees. Committee clerks shall keep such records and perform such duties as the chairman of the respective committees may direct.

### Committee Records

87. The chairman of each committee shall keep, or cause to be kept, a record in which there shall be entered:

(a) The time and place of each hearing, and of each meeting of such committee.

(b) The attendance of committee members at each meeting.

(c) The names and addresses of all persons appearing before the committee, with the name of person, persons, firm or corporation, and addresses, in whose behalf such appearance is made.

(d) The vote of each member on all motions, bills, resolutions and amendments acted upon, when a yea and nay vote is taken.

Such a record shall be read and approved at the next regular meeting of the committee. The committee records shall be open to inspection of the public at proper times and places and at the close of the session shall be filed with the Clerk of the House.

### Committee Quorum—Sub-Committees

88. A majority of any committee shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. A sub-committee, which shall report to the regular committee, may be appointed to consider and report to the committee on any matter referred to it.

### Minority Views

89. The minority of any committee may present its recommendations in writing with the report of the Committee, and the same shall be printed in the Journal, and said recommendations may, by a vote of the House, be substituted for and become the report of the committee.

### House Rules to Govern Committee

90. The rules governing the proceedings of the House shall apply to the proceedings of the committee, insofar as the same are applicable.

### Select or Special Committees

91. Select or special committees may be provided for on motion or resolution, designating the number and object, and, unless otherwise ordered, shall be appointed by the Speaker.

### Conference Committees and Reports

92. All reports of conference committees shall be presented after having been signed by a majority of the conferees of each House and be printed in the Journal. No matter shall be considered by said committee, or reported upon by it, except that in disagreement between the two houses.

## BILLS, RESOLUTIONS AND PETITIONS

### BILLS

#### Method of Introducing

93. All bills to be introduced in the House shall be filed with the Clerk not later than 4:00 o'clock p. m. on the preceding legislative day. Before the next meeting of the House the Clerk shall number such bills as are presented and edit and correct them as to form. When the time for introducing bills is reached in the regular order of business the Clerk shall report each of said bills by title in the same manner as if the bills were introduced from the floor. This rule shall not deny a member the right to introduce a bill from the floor in case of urgency.

#### To Be Presented in Triplicate

94. All bills shall be presented in triplicate and signed by the member introducing the same, the original copy for the use of the committee and for the permanent files of the House, the second for printing and copying, and the third for the use and accommodation of the members of the press, which shall be kept by the Clerk in some convenient place for this purpose.

#### Reference to Committees

95. Bills introduced by any member, on motion for leave, or by any standing committee, shall be read by their titles and 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, either by amendment or substitution, such bills shall be received and treated by the House as the original bill, and the committee report and Journal of the House shall show that the bill was either amended or substituted in committee.

#### Contents

96. Bills proposing laws or changes in laws shall consist of a title, beginning with the words "A BILL TO," and contain a brief statement of the object of the proposed measure, and if it amends or changes a law, a reference to the law proposed to be changed. The bill proper shall begin with the enacting clause, "*Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia,*" and state at large the measure proposed.

#### Not to Embrace More Than One Object

97. No bill shall embrace more than one object, and that shall be stated in the title, 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. (See Const., Art. 6, Sec. 30.)

#### Reporting from Committee

98. When a bill is reported from committee with the recommendation that it do pass, it shall be placed on the calendar for the succeeding day and come up on first reading unless the House by action otherwise directs. If on the calendar when referred, it shall be replaced on the reading from which it was taken.

If a bill be reported favorably with amendments, the report and Journal shall so show, and when the bill reaches second reading the committee amendments shall be acted upon before other amendments are offered, except amendments to the committee amendments.

If a committee to which a bill has been referred reports that the same ought not to pass, the Speaker shall immediately propound the question, "*Shall the bill be rejected?*" If this question is decided in the negative, the bill shall be disposed of in the same manner as if reported favorably.

### Printing

99. The Clerk shall have all bills printed that are ordered to second reading, and such other bills as the House may order printed.

### Recommitment

100. A bill may be recommitted at any time before it passes. Should such recommitment take place after its engrossment, and an amendment be reported, the bill shall be placed on second reading when reported back.

### Reading

101. Before any bill is read by the Clerk, he shall state to the House whether it is on first, second or third reading.

### To Have Three Readings

102. 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*, That in all cases there shall be three readings on each bill, and that an engrossed bill shall be fully and distinctly read. (See Const., Art. 6, Sec. 29.)

### First Reading

103. 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 directs. On the first reading of a bill, it may at any stage of the reading be rejected on motion.

### Second Reading

104. 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 case of emergency.

### Amending and Engrossment

105. On the second reading of a bill on the demand of any two members, it shall be read section by section for amendments, 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 shall 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 House bill is 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.

### Time to Go Into Effect

106. 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. (See Const., Art. 6, Sec. 30.)

### Senate Bills

107. Senate bills passed by the Senate and reported to the House shall be referred to the appropriate committee unless the House otherwise directs. After this they shall be treated in the same manner as House bills.

## RESOLUTIONS

108. Resolutions shall be of three classes, as follows:

(1) *Joint Resolutions*: All proposed amendments to the Constitution shall take the form of a joint resolution, which shall be subject to the rules which govern the proceedings on bills, except that it shall be read on three several days, and, to be adopted, must on its third reading be agreed to by a two-thirds vote of the members elected to the House. (Const., Art. 14, Sec. 2.) When a proposed amendment to the Constitution is under consideration, the vote of a majority of the members present shall be sufficient to decide an amendment thereto or any collateral or incidental questions thereto short of the final question.

[NOTE: Joint resolutions are used only for amendments to the State Constitution and to ratify amendments to the Federal Constitution. Such resolutions do not have to be submitted to the Governor for his approval.]

(2) *Concurrent Resolutions*: Concurrent resolutions shall be used for the purpose of expressing the sentiments of the Legislature, for authorizing expenditures incidental to the sessions and business of the Legislature, for agreeing upon adjournments beyond the constitutional limitation, for creating special joint committees, for raising a joint assembly and other inferior and incidental purposes of legislation, and such other purposes as the Legislature may deem proper. The adoption of such resolutions must be concurred in by both houses.

(3) *House Resolutions*: These simple resolutions shall be used for expressing the will or order of the House on matters in which the concurrence of the Senate is not necessary. A House resolution shall be proper to express the sentiments of the body, to authorize expenditures from its contingent fund, for agreeing upon any question, and for all incidental purposes pertaining to the organization and work of the House.

### Introduction

109. All resolutions to be introduced in the House shall be filed with the Clerk not later than two hours prior to the convening of the session at which they are to be introduced. They shall be presented in triplicate and copies

shall be for the same purpose as that of bills. When the proper order of business is reached, the Clerk shall proceed in the same manner as if they were introduced from the floor. This rule does not deny a member the right to introduce a resolution from the floor in case of urgency. The different classes of resolutions shall be numbered by the Clerk and entered in full in the Journal.

**Action on in House**

110. All joint resolutions shall be referred to the appropriate committee, and when any other resolution is presented, containing no reference of the subject thereof to a committee, it shall lie over for one day, to come up under the ninth order of business unless a majority of the House orders otherwise.

**Petitions**

111. All petitions, remonstrances, memorials and other papers addressed to the House shall be filed by the members with the Clerk prior to the convening of the House. When in the regular order of business the time is reached for presenting petitions or any such papers, the Clerk shall read a list of those on file, giving the member's name presenting same and a brief resume of the contents thereof, and the same shall be referred to the Committee of the member's selection unless otherwise ordered by the House. Each member upon filing any such petition, remonstrance or other paper, shall endorse thereon his name, and if not so endorsed it shall not be received. The Journal shall show the name of the member presenting such papers, a brief resume of the contents thereof, and the disposition made of same.

**AMENDMENTS**

**Forms For**

112. The Clerk shall furnish to members sheets with a proper heading printed in blank upon which amendments shall be written, and all amendments offered shall be on such blanks and bear the name of the member offering the same.

**Must Be Germane**

113. No amendment shall be in order that is not germane to the matter under consideration; and the Speaker, when the question is raised, shall rule as to the admissibility of the proposed amendment.

**Time for Offering**

114. Amendments may be offered to any bill or joint resolution and acted upon on their second reading and before they are ordered to their engrossment and third reading. No bill shall be amended on third reading, except by unanimous consent of the members present. Amendments to resolutions other than joint resolutions shall be in order at any time the same are being considered. Committee amendments shall be subject to amendment and shall be disposed of before any other amendments are in order.

**Reading and Stating**

115. Amendments shall be read by the Clerk and stated by the Speaker before being acted upon.

**By Striking Out Enacting Clause**

116. A motion to amend by striking out the enacting clause of a bill shall have precedence over another motion to amend, and, if carried, the bill or resolution is rejected.

### Amendment to an Amendment

117. 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.

### Amendment to Have Precedence Over Substitute

118. If a substitute for a bill or resolution be offered, a motion to amend the original bill or resolution shall have precedence.

### Motion to Amend to Have Precedence Over One to Strike Out

119. 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.

### Filling Blanks

120. 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.

### No Amendment by Way of Rider

121. No amendment by way of rider shall be received to any bill after engrossment.

### Agreeing to Senate Amendments

122. 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.)

### Amendment by Section

123. If a bill is being considered section by section, only amendments to the section under consideration shall be in order. After all sections have been considered separately, the whole bill shall be open for amendment except that an amendment seeking to strike out matter previously inserted and containing substantially no new proposition shall not be in order.

### Amending Titles

124. After the passage of a bill or joint resolution, amendments to its title may be offered when the title is read for approval.

### Amendments to Senate Bills

125. Any Senate bill or resolution may be amended in the same manner as a House bill or resolution. If a Senate bill or resolution is amended the same shall be noted by the Clerk on the jacket containing same before it is reported to the Senate.

After the reading of a Senate amendment to a House bill or resolution the question shall be, "*Will the House concur in the Senate amendment?*" But it shall be in order to move that the House concur in the Senate amendment with an amendment; or that the House refuse to concur and ask the Senate to recede.

If the Senate shall refuse to concur in a House amendment to a Senate bill or resolution, the following motions shall be in order and shall be privileged in the order named: *First*, That the House recede; *Second*, That the House insist and ask for a committee of conference; *Third*, That the House adhere.

### Amendments to be Printed in Journal

126. All amendments proposed, unless withdrawn, shall be printed in the Journal.

### Speaking on Amendments

127. On an amendment being moved, a member who has spoken to the main question may speak again to the amendment.

## JOURNAL

### Clerk to Keep

128. The Clerk of the House, under the direction of the Speaker, shall keep a full and correct Journal of the proceedings.

### Approval and Correction

129. 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 objection 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.

### Printing Official Copies

130. 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, which shall be properly indexed. In addition thereto six copies shall be printed on 6x9 heavy-weight bond paper, with a certificate at the end thereof, certifying that the same is the official Journal of the House and the same shall be signed by the Speaker and Clerk. Such printed Journal shall be the official record 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 of Archives and History, and one with the Clerk of the Senate.

### To Be Printed Daily

131. 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.

### Inserting Motions

132. 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.

## CHANGE OR SUSPENSION OF RULES

### Rescinding or Amending Rules

133. All propositions to amend or rescind any standing rule or order of the House shall be by resolution and be at once referred, without debate, to the Committee on Rules, and shall be reported therefrom within two days. Any such resolution may be adopted by a majority vote, a quorum being present.

[NOTE: The power to make its rules of procedure is given the House under Sec. 24, Art. 6 of the Constitution.]

### Suspension of Rules

134. These rules shall not be suspended, except by a vote of at least two-thirds of the members present. Unless there be a unanimous consent for the suspension of rules, the vote shall be determined by yeas and nays.

[NOTE: The motion to suspend the rules is usually preceded by a member requesting unanimous consent of the House to do a particular thing. If no one objects the House is deemed to assent, and what is desired is allowed accordingly. If objection is made, then the member may move that the rules be suspended for the specific purpose or object he has in view. A motion to lay on the table may not be applied to a motion to suspend the rules. (Hind's Precedents, Sec. 5405.)]

### Manual and Rules

135. On any question of order or parliamentary practice where the rules of the House or the joint rules of the House and Senate are silent or inexplicit, *Jefferson's Manual* and the *Digest of the Rules and Practices of the House of Representatives of the United States Congress* shall be considered as authority.

[NOTE: Jefferson's Manual was prepared by Thomas Jefferson for his own guidance as President of the United States Senate in the years he was Vice-President, from 1797 to 1801. The House of Representatives, in 1837, by rule which still exists, provided that the provisions of the Manual should "govern the House in all cases to which they are applicable and in which they are not inconsistent with the standing rules and orders of the House." The Manual is regarded by English parliamentarians as the best statement of what the law of Parliament was at the time Jefferson wrote it. (House Manual and Digest), 70th Congress, 1st Sess., Sec. 278.]

## MISCELLANEOUS RULES

### Persons Admitted to the Floor

136. No person except Senators, elective state officers, heads of state departments, ex-Governors, members of Congress, Judges of the Supreme Court of Appeals, Judges of Circuit and other Courts of record, former members and officers of the House and Senate, members of other State Legislatures, the Governor's secretary, members of the press when properly accredited, attaches when actually engaged in work for the House or a member thereof, the Clerk of the Senate and his assistants, may be admitted upon the floor of the House, except by permission of the Speaker. At the convening of the House, the Sergeant-at-Arms shall see that all persons, except those covered by this rule, retire from the floor of the House.

### Lobbying in the House Chamber

137. No person engaged in lobbying shall be permitted upon the floor of the House at any time while the House is in session, and any person transgressing this rule shall be removed from the floor of the House, and be debarred from the privilege of the floor during the remainder of the entire session. The Speaker is charged with the enforcement of this rule and it shall be the duty of any member, officer or employee of the House to inform the Speaker of any violation of this rule.

### Newspaper Correspondents

138. (a) Any person accorded the privilege of a newspaper correspondent must be the telegraphic correspondent of a daily newspaper, or of a recognized press association, who is not engaged in any department of the state government, or in any other business, or must be the official reporter of a Charleston daily newspaper; and no more than one representative of each newspaper shall be admitted to the press tables or press gallery at one time.

(b) All applications for admission to the press gallery or press table must be made to the Speaker. Such applications shall state the name of the newspaper, its location, times of publication, and be signed by the applicant.

(c) The Speaker shall verify the statements made in such application, and if the application is approved by him, he shall issue a correspondent's card, signed by him.

(d) The correspondents shall not visit the members in their seats during the session of the House, and shall abide by such rules and regulations as may be adopted by the Rules Committee of the House.

(e) The card issued by the Speaker must be presented when required by any Sergeant-at-Arms. It shall not be transferable. The transfer or loan of such card to any one shall be followed by its cancellation and the withdrawal of all its privileges from the correspondent so offending.

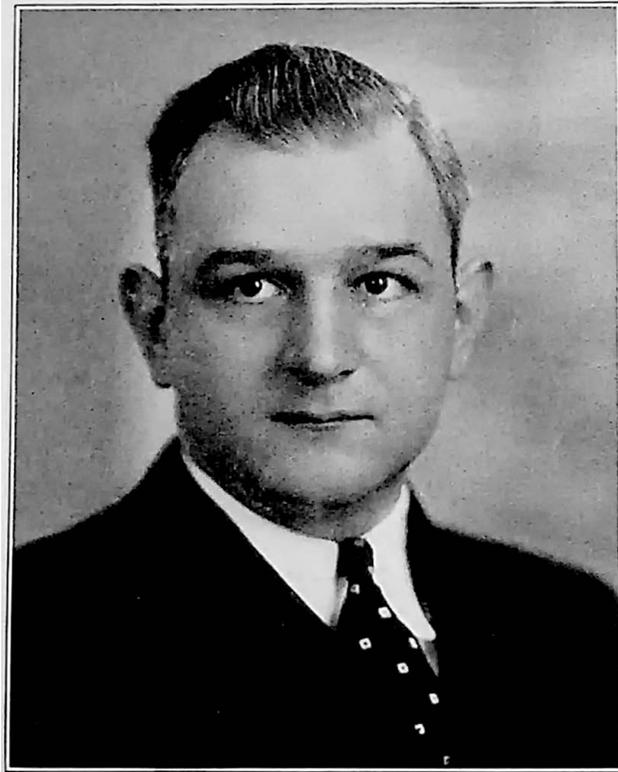
(f) The galleries or press tables allotted to newspaper correspondents shall be for their exclusive use, and persons not holding correspondents cards shall not be entitled to admission thereto.

### **Lounging Prohibited in the Hall of the House**

139. It shall be the duty of the Sergeant-at-Arms to prevent all persons not connected with the Legislature from assembling in the halls at any time when the House is not in session for the purpose of lounging or loafing. For the purpose of enforcing this rule, the Sergeant-at-Arms or his assistants shall be in attendance at all times, and the persistent neglect or disregard of this rule shall be the cause for dismissal by the Speaker, or removal.

### **Peddling Prohibited**

140. No person shall be permitted to hawk, peddle or offer for sale any article of traffic at any time within the hall of the House; and it shall be the duty of the Sergeant-at-Arms to strictly enforce this rule.



JAMES KAY THOMAS

Speaker of the House of Delegates

JAMES KAY THOMAS, (D), of Charleston, was born February 23, 1902, son of George E. and Jean (Kay) Thomas; educated in the public schools and at Washington and Lee University, graduating from the latter institution with degree of LL. B.; married June 6, 1934, to Julia Lewis Roseberry, of Point Pleasant; Methodist; member local, state and American Bar Associations; Shriner; Elk; Moose; National Democratic Club, Washington, D. C.; engaged in the practice of law since 1926; serving his fourth consecutive term as a member of the House of Delegates from Kanawha County, having been elected in 1932, 1934, 1936 and 1938; elected Speaker of the House of Delegates at the regular session of the Legislature in 1937, and reelected in 1939, being the first person to serve two consecutive terms as Speaker of that body.



JOHN SMITH HALL, (D), of Williamson, was born March 26, 1883, at Canterbury, son of W. D. and Lucretia Hall; educated in the public schools and at Concord State Normal School (now Concord State Teachers College); married December 30, 1904, to Vinia E. Preece; school teacher; employee of N. & W. at Williamson for eight years; has served as city clerk, city treasurer and deputy sheriff; elected to the House of Delegates from Mingo County in 1920, 1922, 1924 and again in 1926; secretary Williamson Chamber of Commerce, 1927-1930; assistant clerk of the House of Delegates during the sessions of 1931-1932; serving his fourth consecutive term as clerk of the House of Delegates, having been elected in 1933, 1935, 1937 and again in 1939.

HARRY HOLSWADE, (D), of Spencer, was born in that city September 26, 18 5, son of John M. and Emma Kate (Goff) Holswade; educated in the public schools; member Company "D", Second West Virginia National Guard, 1906-18, serving on the Mexican Border and with the A. E. F. during the World War; discharged with rank of captain; married November 15, 1920, to Goldie Bly Reed; Methodist Protestant; Mason; farmer; president Poca Valley Bank at Walton; elected to the House of Delegates from Roane County in 1934; elected Sergeant-at-Arms of the House of Delegates at the regular session of the legislature in 1937 and reelected in 1939.





JOE B. CROZIER, (D), of Iaeger, was born August 22, 1906, at Elizabethton, Tennessee, son of Donald Lee and Bessie (Leonard) Crozier; educated in the public schools at Abingdon, Virginia, at Bowling Green Business University, Bowling Green, Kentucky, and at Martha Washington College, Abingdon; married July 2, 1932, to Laike Elizabeth Sebastian; served three years in the Virginia National Guard; Southern Methodist; Mason; store manager at Iaeger, 1926-28; now engaged as a hauling contractor; city recorder at Iaeger, 1937-39; elected Doorkeeper of the House of Delegates at the regular session of the legislature in 1939.

FRANK M. ADKINS, (D), of Hamlin, was born March 12, 1898, at West Hamlin, son of Herbert and Cora (Petit) Adkins; educated in the public schools; married May 18, 1917, to Ora Mahone; United Baptist; Mason; employed as driller in oil and gas fields for many years; member of county court, 1937-38; elected to the House of Delegates from Lincoln County in 1938.





WILLIAM FONTAINE ALEXANDER, (D), of Charles Town, was born March 19, 1873, in Jefferson County, son of Dr. William Fontaine and Ann Catherine (Henkle) Alexander; educated in private schools and at Charles Town Academy; married November 29, 1898, to Cicely deG Woolley; Episcopalian; Mason; Kiwanian; engaged in the insurance business; clerk county court of Jefferson County, 1897-1909; elected to the House of Delegates from Jefferson County in 1938.

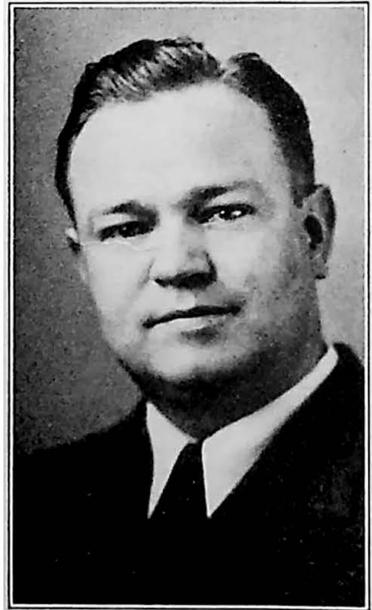
HAYMOND ALPHEUS ALLTOP, (D), of Fairmont, was born June 14, 1892, at Cedarville, Gilmer County, son of Alpheus and Rebecca Jane (Miller) Alltop; educated in the public schools and at West Virginia Business College; married May 15, 1912, to Mona Ann Satterfield; United Brethren; Moose; Woodmen of the World; employed as machinist by the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company for the past nineteen years; member of International Association of Machinists; vice president, West Virginia Industrial Union Council; served four years as vice president of West Virginia Federation of Labor and five years as president of The Monongahela Valley Trades and Labor Council; elected to the House of Delegates from Marion County in 1938.





JOHN E. AMOS, (D), of Charleston, was born in that city July 16, 1905, son of J. Ellis and Lutie H. Amos; educated in the public schools, at Augusta Military Academy and West Virginia University, graduating from the latter institution in 1929, with the degree of LL. B.; married October 5, 1935, to Mary Edith Johnston; Methodist; Sigma Nu; Phi Delta Phi; actively engaged in the practice of law at Charleston since 1929; elected to the House of Delegates from Kanawha County in 1934 and again in 1938.

WILLIAM D. ANDERSON, (D), of Franklin, was born in that city December 18, 1908, son of William B. and Katherine (Dyer) Anderson; educated in the public schools, at Augusta Military Academy, Fort Defiance, Virginia, and at Strayer Business College, Baltimore; married December 19, 1935, to Evelyn Dolly; Presbyterian; farmer and stockman; elected to the House of Delegates from Pendleton County in 1938.





OSCAR HAMPTON BALLARD, (D), of Princeton, was born September 13, 1881, at Ballard, Monroe County, son of Millard F. and Lydia Keatley Ballard; educated in public schools and at Marshall College; married October, 1921, to Ruth Snead; Southern Methodist; served in ordnance department during World War; engaged in general insurance business since 1920; serving his third term as a member of the House of Delegates from Mercer County, having been elected in 1930, 1932 and again in 1934.

CHARLES R. BEARD, (R), of Martinsburg, was born November 30, 1879, in Berkeley County, son of John O. and Ella Beard; educated in the public schools; married June 17, 1904, to Elizabeth Robbins, of Hedgesville, who died December 27, 1935; ordained minister of United Brethren Church; Odd Fellow; J. O. U. A. M.; blacksmith for eighteen years; active in the evangelistic field for many years; serving his sixth term as a member of the House of Delegates from Berkeley County, having been elected in 1914, 1921, 1926, 1928, 1934 and again in 1938.





HARVEY D. BEELER, (R), of Berkeley Springs, was born November 9, 1883, at Omps, son of Anious and Rebecca (Dawson) Beeler; educated in the public schools; married February 18, 1920, to Helen M. Ambrose; United Brethren; Mason; Shriner; engaged in automobile and coal business, and also interested in horticulture and agriculture; serving his fourth consecutive term in the House of Delegates from Morgan County, having been elected in 1932, 1934, 1936 and again in 1938.

FRANCIS H. BICKEL, (D), of Parkersburg, was born September 12, 1900, at Grantsville, son of Louis P. and Annie (Holliday) Bickel; educated in the public schools of Parkersburg, West Virginia University and the University of Oklahoma; specialized in geology and petroleum engineering; married May 26, 1929, to Mary Bowser; two children—Robert Frank and Barbara Ann; United Brethren; Elk; Sigma Phi Epsilon; member of the American Legion; petroleum engineer for Department of the Interior, Washington, 1924; purchasing agent for oil company in Trinidad, 1925; producer of oil and gas in West Virginia since 1925; elected to the House of Delegates from Wood County in 1938.





CLARENCE B. BISHOFF, (R), of Manheim, was born June 25, 1892, near Rowlesburg, son of George W. and Bedelia C. Bishoff; educated in the public schools; married March 17, 1912, to Iva M. Lantz, of Aurora; Methodist Protestant; Mason; Odd Fellow; Moose; Maccabee; J. O. U. A. M.; employed for four years in railroad work and for sixteen years in cement mill and stone mine work, serving four years as safety inspector and first aid instructor; served as inspector of quarries and of sand, stone and clay mines and cement works for the Department of Mines, 1930-1933; serving his third consecutive term as a member of the House of Delegates from Preston County, having been elected in 1931, 1936 and again in 1938, being the second person in the history of Preston County to be elected to serve three consecutive terms in that body.

JOHN W. BOSWORTH, (D), of Elkins, was born August 8, 1908, at Huttonsville, son of Dr. J. L. and Rachel (Hutton-Crouch) Bosworth; educated in public schools; graduated from Davis and Elkins College with the degree of A. B., and from West Virginia University with the degree of M. A.; studied law at the University of Paris (France), Tulane University, University of Georgia, University of Michigan, and West Virginia University; Chi Beta Phi; Pi Bataar Cappar; Chi Omicron Delta; Knights of Pythias; member Randolph County Rod and Gun Club; journalist; author of short stories and articles in magazines and author of the book, "The Birth of a Boy," published in 1939; instructor of Business Law, English, Public Speaking and Journalism; elected to the House of Delegates from Randolph County in 1936 and reelected in 1938.





JOHN H. BOWLING, (D), of White Sulphur Springs, was born November 21, 1894, at Lewisburg, son of George W. and Sarah Ann (Brewster) Bowling; educated in the public schools; married May 8, 1920, to Urzula Coffman; served in the United States Navy during the World War; Southern Methodist; Mason; Rotarian; member of American Legion; engaged in the hardware and furniture business; mayor of White Sulphur Springs, 1926; sheriff of Greenbrier County, 1929-32; United States deputy marshal, 1934-37; elected to the House of Delegates from Greenbrier County in 1938.



W. T. (SUEY) BROTHERTON, (D), of Charleston, was born at Goldtown, September 4, 1892, son of George William and Mary Virginia Bro'her-ton; educated in public schools at Charleston; Southern Methodist; Mason; served in the army during the World War; married June 22, 1925, to Kathryn S. Slack; merchant and farmer; serving his third term as a member of the House of Delegates from Kanawha County, having been elected in 1934, 1936 and again in 1938.



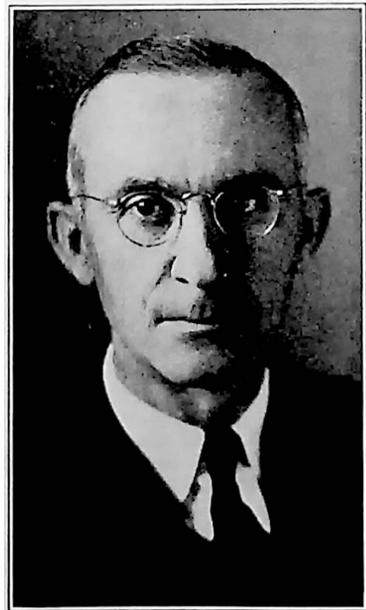
LONNIE F. BUTCHER. (D), of Logan, was born September 3, 1906, at Shively, Logan County, son of Thomas and Edna (Dingess) Butcher; educated in the public schools; married May 31, 1930, to Lula May Robinett; barber; elected to the House of Delegates from Logan County in 1938.

CARL C. CALVERT (D). of Chelvan, was born in that town September 27, 1.94, son of J. W. and Iva C. Calvert; attend d Morris Hurvey College, Southern College and West Virginia University; served in the navy during the World War; married June 15, 1921, to Erma D. Andrews; Methodist; 32° Mason; Phi Sigma Kappa; member American Legion; first aid director; appointed by Governor Holt July 6, 1939, as a member of the county court of Kanawha County, to succeed Ben F. Watson, deceased; serving his fifth consecutive term as a member of the House of Delegates from Kanawha County, having been elected in 1930, 1932, 1934, 1936, and again in 1938.





MIKE CASEY, (D), of Huntington, was born July 29, 1899, at Ona, Cabell County, son of William Sinclair and Sydna A. (Lewis) Casey; educated in the public schools; married July 1, 1920, to Sadie Louise Coffman; Baptist; Odd Fellow; Knights of Pythias; J. O. U. A. M.; member of Brotherhood of Railway Clerks; active in Boy Scout work; employed by C. & O. Railway Company; elected to the House of Delegates from Cabell County in 1938.



I. L. CAVENDER, (D), of Charleston, was born July 6, 1894, at Kanawha Two Mile, son of James E. and Melissa (Edens) Cavender; educated in the public schools; married April 11, 1914, to Gertrude Lee Durbin; Baptist; engaged in real estate and insurance business; member of Charleston City Council, 1927-31; elected to the House of Delegates from Kanawha County in 1938.



L. REED CLARK, (R), of Wellsburg, was born October 8, 1907, at Leechburg, Pennsylvania, son of Lewis G. and Ida (Rankin) Clark; educated in the public schools; graduated at Muskingum College in 1928 with the degree of A. B., and from the University of Pittsburgh in 1937 with the degree of M. E.; married December 24, 1931, to Virginia McCracken; elected to the House of Delegates from Brooke County in 1938.

EPSION A. COLE, (D), of Ceredo, was born February 6, 1898, in Wayne County, son of Albert and Dicy (Skaggs) Cole; educated in the public schools; married October 9, 1918, to Frankie Helen Damron; Baptist; Mason; superintendent and production manager for Kenova Mine Car Company for eleven years; employed by Appalachian Electric Power Company for eight years; now engaged in mercantile business; served as member of council at Ceredo for eight years; elected to the House of Delegates from Wayne County in 1938.





J. C. COOPER, JR., (D), of Thomas, was born December 5, 1902, at Davis, son of J. Calvin and Zorah (Smith) Cooper; educated in the public schools; married June 23, 1929, to Louise Johnson; Lutheran; Knights of Pythias; Elk; engaged in coal mining for two years; salesman, 1922-25; engaged in mercantile business at Thomas since 1925; elected to the House of Delegates from Tucker County in 1938.

SPENCER K. CREEL, (R), of Parkersburg, was born April 27, 1896, at Freeport, son of John A. and Isabella (Foutty) Creel; educated in the public schools; married November 28, 1918, to Bertha Gillman; Lutheran; 32° Mason; Knight Templar; Shriner; has served as post commander of the American Legion; formerly engaged in oil business; licensed aviator; vocational instructor in Parkersburg High School for several years; business executive and construction engineer; manager and owner of Parkersburg Welding Company; elected to the House of Delegates from Wood County in 1938.





J. WILLIAM CUMMINS, (R), of Wheeling, was born in that city July 24, 1881, son of John and Annie (Campbell) Cummins; educated in the public schools; graduated at West Virginia University in 1905 with the degree of A. B., and from Georgetown University Law School with the degree of LL. B.; married April 25, 1912, to Jean Welty; Elk; A. O. U. W.; Kiwanian; served as 1st Lieutenant in the air service of the United States Army, 191-19; now serving as Captain in the reserve corps of the United States Army; past commander Wheeling Post No. 1, American Legion; member Capitol Building Commission, 1929-32; member Board of Managers, American Legislators Association, 1932-33; member American Academy of Political Science; actively engaged in the practice of law at Wheeling; affiliated with Ohio County and West Virginia Bar Associations; member American Bar Association; serving his fourth term as a member of the House of Delegates from Ohio County, having been elected in 1926, 1928, 1930, and 1938, serving as Speaker at the 1929 session and as Minority Leader at the sessions of 1931 and 1939.

FRED DEAL, (D), of Kopperston, was born December 4, 1902, at Wilksboro, North Carolina, son of R. A. and Maymie (Wallace) Deal; educated in the public schools; married March 19, 1931, to Grace Brooks; Methodist; member United Mine Workers of America; engaged in coal mining, having served as president of local for three successive terms, and as representative to the International Convention at Washington; deputy assessor of Wyoming County, 1937-3; elected to the House of Delegates from Wyoming County in 1938.





HOMER A. ERWIN, (D), of Hurricane, was born February 25, 1892, son of Joseph C. and Martha L. (Miller) Erwin; educated in the public and normal schools and at Ohio College of Dental Surgery, graduating from that institution in 1915 with the degree of D. D. S.; married September 16, 1915, to Vernie Gibson; Baptist; Mason; engaged in the practice of dentistry for the past twenty-four years; member West Virginia State Board of Dental Examiners since 1933; vice president West Virginia State Dental Society; member Democratic State Executive Committee; has served as recorder of Hurricane and as chairman of Democratic County Executive Committee; elected to the House of Delegates from Putnam County in 1938.

CUYLER E. EWING, (R), of Wheeling, was born June 13, 1908, son of I. E. and Minnie E. (Zuver) Ewing; educated in the public schools and at Wooster College, graduating from that institution in 1930 with the degree of B. S.; married September 19, 1936, to Hazel Borek; Presbyterian; Mason; Shriner; Phi Beta Kappa; purchasing agent; elected to the House of Delegates from Ohio County in 1938.





O. C. FLINT, (D), of Beckley, was born October 22, 1885, at Russellville, Greenbrier County, son of William P. and Irene (Dotson) Flint; educated in the public schools and at the Capital City Commercial College, Charleston; married April 28, 1913, to Lula Dillard; member of Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen; railroad conductor; elected to the House of Delegates from Raleigh County in 1936 and reelected in 1938.

WILLIAM TAYLOR GEORGE, JR., (D), of Philippi, was born July 17, 1904, son of William Taylor and Dora (Howell) George; educated in the public schools, at Broadus College, Mountain State Business College, and West Virginia University, graduating from the latter institution in 1935 with the degree of LL. B.; married October 26, 1929, to Louise Boyles, of Philippi; Methodist; Elk; engaged in the practice of law at Philippi; elected to the House of Delegates from Barbour County in 1936 and reelected in 1938.





JOHN L. GILL, (D), of Fairmont, was born November 28, 1891, at Clarksburg, son of Peter J. and Mary Ellen (Hanley) Gill; educated in the public schools and at West Virginia Business College, Clarksburg; married October 24, 1928, to Helen A. Riggins; Catholic; Knights of Columbus; Elk; engaged in the automobile, tire and accessories business at Fairmont; chairman Democratic City Executive Committee; treasurer Marion County Democratic Executive Committee; elected to House of Delegates from Marion County in 1938.

JOHN W. HALDREN, (D), of Bluefield, was born July 26, 1886, at Pocahontas, Virginia, son of Lee and Ella (Tinsley) Haldren; educated in the public schools of Virginia and at Massey Business College, Richmond; Presbyterian; Elk; membership director for Loyal Order of Moose; member of B. L. E. and B. L. F. & E.; locomotive engineer; deputy sheriff of Mercer County, 1924-29 and 1932-36; elected to the House of Delegates from Mercer County in 1936 and reelected in 1938.





WILLIAM T. HANIFIN, (D), of St. Albans, was born May 8, 1894, at Caldwell, Greenbrier County, son of John M. and Ellen (Harrington) Hanifin; educated in the public schools of Greenbrier County; married August 21, 1919, to Mary E. Coughlin; served with Company M, 145th Infantry, 37th Division, American Expeditionary Forces, during the World War; Catholic; member American Legion; Forty and Eight and St. Albans Business Men's Club; employed by C. & O. Railway Company as car distributor; elected to the House of Delegates from Kanawha County in 1938.

J. C. HANSBARGER, (D), of Kyle, was born August 17, 1908, at Peters-town, Monroe County, son of John Echols and Julia (Clark) Hansbarger; educated in the public schools of Monroe county and at Eastman School of Business, Foughkeepsie, New York; married March 22, 1930, to Thelma Pilkenton; Presbyterian; Mason; accountant; served as postmaster at Premier in 1937; elected to the House of Delegates from McDowell County in 1938.

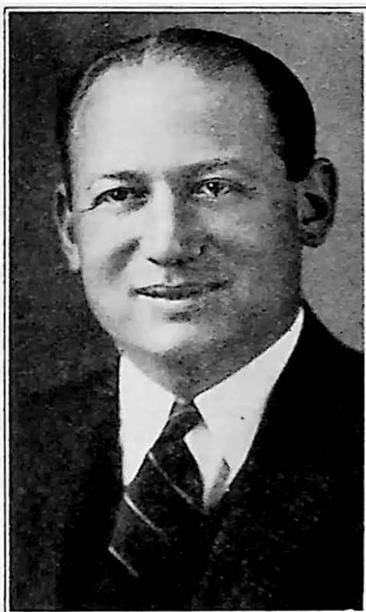




L. T. HARVEY, (D), of Frametown, was born at Center Point, Doddridge County, son of John Robert and Annie (Moore) Harvey; educated in the public schools and at Glenville State Teachers College; married to Georgia Hughes, of Gilmer County; Baptist; farmer; minister of the Baptist Church, having served for twenty years as moderator of the Elk Valley Baptist Association; has served as member of the board of education; delegate to World League Against Alcoholism, Winona Lake, Indiana, 1927; serving his seventh term as a member of the House of Delegates from Braxton County, having been elected in 1916, 1918, 1922, 1924, 1926, 1928, and again in 1938; served as minority floor leader at the session of 1927.



C. C. HEISHMAN, (D), of Warden-ville, was born November 23, 1884, at Perry, Hardy County, son of Noah and Virginia Heishman; educated in the public schools; married June 6, 1908, to Lottie E. Hishman; Lutheran; farmer; oil and gas distributor; formerly engaged in lumber business; has served as justice of the peace in Capon District and as deputy assessor of Hardy County; elected to the House of Delegates from Hardy County in 1938.



ROBERT F. HICKMAN, (R), of Elizabeth, was born in that city August 24, 1906, son of Robert Franklin and Emberzenia (Ferrell) Hickman; educated in the public schools and at Marietta College, graduating from that institution in 1929 with the degree of A. B.; post graduate work at West Virginia University; married September 9, 1933, to Jean Crile, of Clarksburg; Presbyterian; Mason; Alpha Tau Omega; taught in West Virginia high schools for five years; publisher and owner of the Kanawha News since 1932; elected to the House of Delegates from Wirt County in 1938.

A. A. HOPKINS, (D), of Bluefield, was born September 28, 1873, at Lerona, Mercer County, son of Lewis Madison and Mary Elizabeth (Keaton) Hopkins; educated in the public schools, at Marshall College and at Concord State Teachers College, receiving standard normal diploma from the latter institution in 1900 and the degree of A. B. in 1931; married August 3, 1903, to Sadie Clair Caldwell, who died in 1914; married to Pearl Bray in 1925; Southern Methodist; Odd Fellow; has taught school in West Virginia for past forty-five years; member National Education Association, State Education Association and Class Room Teachers Association; elected to the House of Delegates from Mercer County in 1938.





JOHN G. HUDSON, (D), of Huntington, was born May 11, 1906, at Fort Chiswell, Wythe County, Virginia, son of Charles Layton and Dixie Belle (Smith-Lessfew) Hudson; educated in the public schools of Virginia, at Hiwassee College, Tennessee, and the University of Alabama, graduating from the latter institution with degrees of A. B., LL. B., and M. A.; Elk; Moose; Eagle; Phi Rho Pi; Phi Alpha Delta; Theta Chi; lawyer; chairman and executive director, Huntington Housing Authority; elected to the House of Delegates from Cabell County in 1938.

J. LEROY HUFFMAN, (D), of Beckley, was born August 30, 1878, at Washington College, Tennessee, son of H. B. and Martha Ellen (Ball) Huffman; educated in the public schools; married June 24, 1904, to Lula A. Bennett; Southern Methodist; Mason; Shriner; Kiwanian; retail lumber dealer, having been engaged in the lumber business for past thirty-nine years; member Raleigh County Board of Education, 1935-38, resigning that office upon his election as a member of the House of Delegates from Raleigh County at the general election in 1938.





WALTER L. HURLEY, (D), of Mammoth, was born May 29, 1899, at Cheylan, son of Lon and Louise Elizabeth (Bradley) Hurley; educated in the public schools; married December 24, 1918, to Mary W. Morris; Baptist; Moose; weighmaster; formerly engaged in the insurance business and employed as salesman and checkweighman; elected to the House of Delegates from Kanawha County in 1938.

HOWARD J. JAMES, (D), of Clarksburg, was born in Doddridge county, son of Dr. Austin Alexander and Frances Elizabeth (Arder) James; educated in the public schools of Doddridge County, at Broadus Classical and Scientific Institute (now Alderson-Broadus College) and West Virginia University; post-graduate work at a creditable university in Washington, D. C., and later received the degree of LL. M.; married August 17, 1919, to Willa M. Righter; Baptist; actively engaged in the practice of law; elected to the House of Delegates from Harrison county in 1936 and reelected in 1938.





C. A. JARVIS, (D), of Grantsville, was born May 2, 1877, at Minnora, Calhoun County, son of J. S. and Malissa E. (Miller) Jarvis; educated in the public schools; married November 11, 1902, to Osia Duffield, who died March 27, 1938; Southern Methodist; Mason; engaged in banking and oil and gas business; sheriff of Calhoun County, 1909-1912; serving his second term as member of the House of Delegates from Calhoun County, having been elected in 1932 and again in 1938.

TOM H. JOHNSON, (R), of Wheeling, was born in that city August 1, 1908, son of Samuel Kelsey and Annie (Jones) Johnson; educated in the public schools and at West Virginia University, graduating from that institution with degrees of A. B. (1930) and LL. B. (1933); married November 19, 1931, to Ireta Hawley; Presbyterian; Mason; Elk; actively engaged in the practice of Law in Wheeling; elected to the House of Delegates from Ohio County in 1938.





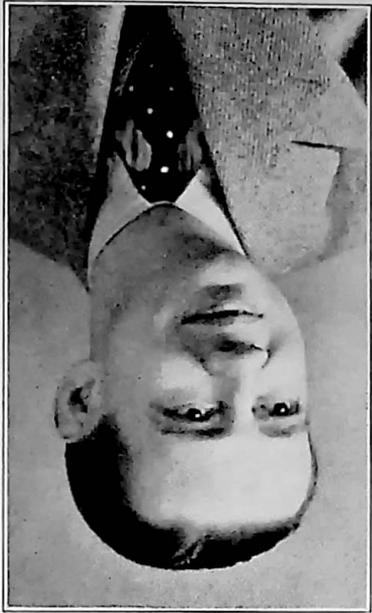
FLEMING ADOLPHUS JONES, JR., (D), of Welch, was born October 10, 1895, at Gaffney, South Carolina, son of Felix and Emeline (Young) Jones; educated in the public schools; attended Fisk University, Nashville; graduated from the Academy of Howard University in 1917, and from Howard University in 1922 with the degree of LL. B., and in 1923 with the degree of A. B.; served as a corporal in the 325th Field Signal Battalion during the World War; married June 15, 1921, to H. Preston Mills, of Spartanburg, South Carolina; 32° Mason; Elk; Odd Fellow; Phi Beta Sigma; member of American Legion; actively engaged in the practice of law at Welch; past vice-commander-at-large of the Department of West Virginia, American Legion; vice-president-at-large of the Young Democratic Club of McDowell County; associate member-at-large of the state executive committee, fifth district, Young Democratic Clubs of West Virginia; serving his third consecutive term as a member of the House of Delegates from McDowell County, having been elected in 1934, 1936 and again in 1938, being the first negro ever elected to that body on the Democratic ticket.

ORREN L. JONES, (R), of Middlebourne.





PAUL H. KIDD, (D), of Glenville, was born March 12, 1907, son of Senator R. F. and Lelia R. Kidd; graduated from Glenville State Teachers' College in 1928, College of Law, West Virginia University, 1930, and College of Law, University of Virginia, 1933; Southern Methodist; Theta Chi; married June 1, 1932, to Marie Timney; lawyer; member Democratic State Executive Committee; president Young Democratic Club of Gilmer County, 1933-35; appointed by Governor Kump June 13, 1936, as member of the House of Delegates from Gilmer County, and elected to that body at the general election in 1938.



KENNETH S. KURTZ, (R), of Weston, was born October 16, 1903, son of Harry W. and Blanche (Swan) Kurtz; educated in the public schools and at West Virginia University, graduating from the latter institution in 1924 with the degree of A. B., and in 1926 with the degree of L. B.; married August 17, 1928, to Virginia Dent Reay, of Morgantown; Presbyterian; Mason; Theta Chi; Phi Alpha Delta; was engaged in the practice of law at Weston; District Governor, 24th District, Rotary International, 1933-34; elected to the House of Delegates from Lewis County in 1936, and reelected in 1938; died July 10, 1939.



FRANK C. LAKE, (D), of Kenova, was born in that city December 20, 1904, son of Charles H. and Laura Lee (Miranda) Lake; educated in the public schools, at Concord State Teachers College and Marshall College; married January 24, 1931, to Mary Jane Stewart; Presbyterian; Elk; employed by the Appalachian Electric Power Company; elected to the House of Delegates from Wayne County in 1938.

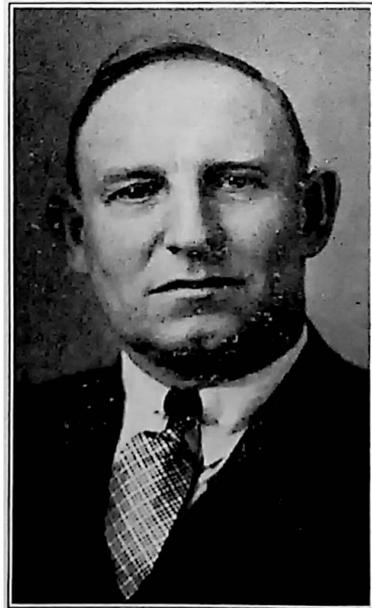


RALPH R. LOCKHART, (D), of Clay, was born October 16, 1893, at Looneyville, Roane County, son of Dr. J. P. and Rebecca (Jones) Lockhart; educated in the public schools and at Cincinnati College of Dental Surgery, graduating from that institution in 1919; married March 19, 1915, to Myrtle Reed; actively engaged in the practice of dentistry at Clay; mayor of Clay, 1919-1923; sheriff of Clay County, 1932-1936; serving his third term as a member of the House of Delegates from Clay County, having been elected in 1924, 1926 and again in 1938.



GEORGE E. LOUCAS, (R), of Weirton, was born July 20, 1907, at Palea Focea, Asia Minor, son of Emmanuel and Harriet Loucas; educated in the public schools, at the University of Kentucky, George Washington University and West Virginia University, graduating from the latter institution in 1931 with the degree of LL. B.; married July 1933, to Herma Karnoupakis; 1st Lt., R. O. T. C.; Greek Orthodox; Order of Ahepa, serving as district governor of Ohio, Kentucky and West Virginia, 1936-38, and as supreme governor for America and Canada, 1938-1939; actively engaged in the practice of law at Weirton for the past seven years; elected to the House of Delegates from Hancock County in 1938.

H. CLAY MACE, (D), of Webster Springs, was born May 13, 1888, at Hacker Valley, son of William F. and Willie Ann (Berry) Mace; educated in the public schools and at preparatory schools for teachers; married July 26, 1914, to Maude M. Rose; Methodist; Odd Fellow; J. O. U. A. M.; Modern Woodman; taught school for eight years; served as bookkeeper for lumber company for one year; road contractor, having been actively engaged in construction of roads for twenty years; secretary Board of Education, Hacker Valley district, 1913; elected to the House of Delegates from Webster County in 1938.





R. L. MATTHEWS, (D), of Montgomery, was born September 23, 1870, at Buffalo, son of L. W. and Prudence (Williams) Matthews; educated in the public schools; Mason; registered pharmacist; taught school for a number of years; retired banker, having been engaged in the banking business for more than twenty-seven years; serving his fifth term in the House of Delegates from Fayette County, having been elected in 1928, 1930, 1932, 1936 and again in 1938.

R. E. MEADOWS, (D), of Winding Gulf, was born July 19, 1855, near Beckley, son of Malinda F. Meadows; educated in the public schools; married April 22, 1886, to Virginia E. Cole, who died February 27, 1924; married January 19, 1931, to Willie Helmly, of Girard, Georgia; Missionary Baptist; Mason; Shriner; employed for twenty years as timber cruiser for W. M. Ritter Lumber Company; served eight years as justice of the peace, eight years as member of the Board of Equalization and Review and four years as jury commissioner; elected to the House of Delegates from Raleigh County in 1938.





RUSSELL D. MEREDITH, (D), of Fairmont, was born in that city June 27, 1897, son of H. Brady and Myrtle (Hill) Meredith; educated in the public schools and at West Virginia University, graduating from that institution with the degree of B. S.; married October 12, 1933, to Helen Dale Devol; Methodist; Mason; Sigma Chi; motor truck distributor and vice president of Meredith Lumber Company; athletic director and coach at East Fairmont High School, 1923-1924; athletic director and head coach at Marshall College, 1924-1925; assistant football and basketball coach at West Virginia University, 1925-1927; head football coach at Salem College, 1929; president, Young Democratic Club of Marion County, 1936; elected to the House of Delegates from Marion County in 1938.

WILLIAM THOMAS MILLESON, (D), of Springfield, was born September 16, 1907, son of Silas C. and Susie French (Taylor) Milleson; educated in the public schools, at Potomac State School and at West Virginia University, graduating from the latter institution in 1931 with the degree of B. S. in Agriculture; Southern Methodist; Mason; Theta Chi; Alpha Zeta; taught school for one year; stockman and farmer; aviator; director First National Bank of Romney; elected to the House of Delegates from Hampshire County in 1936 and reelected in 1938.





J. O. MITCHELL, (D), of Union, was born August 22, 1886, in Monroe County, son of Thomas Riley and Nannie E. (Smith) Mitchell; educated in the public schools and at various preparatory schools; married December 2, 1925, to Katherine D. Gilliam; Baptist; Mason; member of American Legion; taught school for ten years in Monroe and Greenbrier counties; real estate auctioneer; farmer and stockman; member of council at Union for several years; has served as chairman of the Monroe County Welfare Board, and vice chairman of the Monroe County Democratic Executive Committee; elected to the House of Delegates from Monroe County in 1938.

EVERETT F. MOORE, (R), of Moundsville, was born April 29, 1885, at Beeler Station, Marshall County, son of F. T. and Eldora (Redd) Moore; educated in the public schools, at Wheeling Business College, University of Virginia and West Virginia University, graduating in law from the latter institution; married April 15, 1914, to Gertrude M. Redd, of Denver, Colorado, who died April 21, 1938; Methodist; Elk; Knights of Pythias; actively engaged in the practice of law since 1906, practicing in the courts of West Virginia, Ohio, Pennsylvania and Illinois; member of the Bar of the Supreme Court of the United States since 1912; member of American Bar and West Virginia Bar Associations; city attorney at Moundsville, 1913-1925; serving his sixth term as a member of the House of Delegates from Marshall County, having been elected in 1908, 1910, 1918, 1920, 1922 and 1938, and serving as Minority Leader at the sessions in 1911 and 1923, and as Chairman of the Judiciary Committee in 1919.





ROBERT MORRIS, (R), of Harrisville, was born March 27, 1873, son of Presley W. and Lydia Ellen (Patton) Morris; educated in the public schools; graduated from Peabody Normal College, Nashville, Tennessee, in 1895, from the University of Nashville in 1897 with the degree of A. B., from West Virginia University in 1899 with the degree of A. B., and from the same institution in 1900 with the degrees of A. M. and LL. B.; degree of A. M. conferred upon him by Harvard University in 1902; has served as instructor of economics at West Virginia University, Washington and Lee University, and University of Chicago; married to Lila K. McChesney, of Charleston; has been engaged for years in the newspaper business in West Virginia, owning and publishing newspapers in many cities and towns; now owner and editor of the Calro (Ritchie County) Enterprise, and The Gazette and Ritchie Standard, both of which are published at Harrisville; serving his fifth term as a member of the House of Delegates from Ritchie County, having been elected in 1922, 1924, 1926, 1936 and 1938.

MELVIN C. MUNTZING, (R), of Petersburg, was born July 22, 1901, at Davis, son of A. G. and Lydia A. (Cosner) Muntzing; educated in the public schools, at Potomac State School, Shenandoah College, Detroit Business Institution, West Virginia University and University of Richmond; married November 16, 1935, to Mary Katherine Koontz; United Brethren; 32° Mason; Scottish Rite; has had six years of professional police training with the city of Detroit, being instrumental in perfecting the first police broadcasting shortwave system in that city; vice president of Pennsylvania State Commercial College, Washington, Pa.; engaged in farming; elected to the House of Delegates from Grant County in 1936 and reelected in 1938.

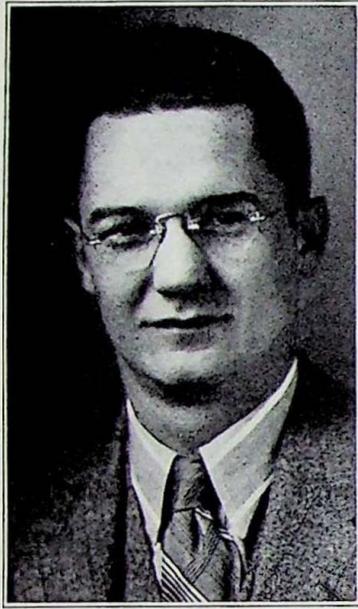




CHARLES L. McCLUNG, (D), of Quinwood, was born January 20, 1897, at McClungs, Greenbrier County, son of Otey Grigsby and Rebecca Susan (Jefferies) McClung; educated in the public schools and at Morris Harvey College; married December 1, 1921 to Alma A. McClung; Methodist; Mason; member of Lions Club and the American Legion; served as Justice of the Peace, 1928-32; elected to the House of Delegates from Greenbrier County in 1938.

KENNETH LOGAN McCLUNG, (D), of Charleston, was born at Harvey, Fayette County, son of . W. and Myrtle (Norris) McClung; educated in the public schools and at Greenbrier Military School; married July 25, 1931, to Martha Hays Graham; Southern Methodist; employed by United Fuel Gas Company; elected to the House of Delegates from Kanawha County in 1936 and reelected in 193 .





MAGEE McCLUNG, (D), of Fayetteville, was born in that city August 4, 1916, son of Magee and Rachel B. (Selvey) McClung; educated in the public schools; married August 17, 1934, to Cleopatra Beck; Baptist; Moose; statistician, having served for over two years as accountant for the United States government; served as page in West Virginia Senate, 1931; elected to the House of Delegates from Fayette County in 1938.

CARL McCOY, (D), of Man, was born February 11, 1904, at Ranger, Lincoln County, son of A. J. and Mary (McComas) McCoy; educated in the public schools; married September 22, 1923, to R. Mildia McClellan; Baptist; Moose; member United Mine Workers of America, serving as president of local for over five years; actively engaged in coal mining; elected to the House of Delegates from Logan County in 1938.





JUNE HOPKINS McELWEE, (D), of Marlinton, was born October 20, 1888, at Dunmore, son of Bernard F. and Mollie (Siple) McElwee; educated in the public schools, at Greenbrier Military Academy, Lewisburg, and at Blackstone Military Academy, Blackstone, Virginia; married November 12, 1913, to Mary Lucile Pritchard; Presbyterian; Mason; engaged in the banking business at Marlinton for past seventeen years; served three terms as member of the town council at Marlinton; elected to the House of Delegates from Pocahontas County in 1936 and reelected in 1938.

FOREST L. McNEER, (D), of Hinton, was born September 10, 1912, at Green Sulphur Springs, son of Dr. Frank Luther and Sally (Withrow) McNeer; graduated from Jefferson High School, Roanoke, Virginia, in 1929, from Roanoke College in 1933, with the degree of A. B., and from West Virginia University in 1934, with the degree of M. A.; Southern Methodist; Kappa Alpha; Blue Key; law student; elected to the House of Delegates from Summers County in 1936 and reelected in 1938.





JACOB ALEXANDER NEAL, (D), of Fenwick, was born June 15, 1881, at Lizemore, Clay County, son of Cyrus and Lydia (Fitzwater) Neal; educated in the public schools of Clay County; married April 15, 1905, to Ora Woods, who died in 1917; married August 6, 1932, to Mrs. Lula McClung; Baptist; band sawyer for thirty years; served four years as member of Board of Education of Webster County; elected president Board of Education, Kentucky District, Nicholas County in 1930, serving for a term of two years; serving his fifth term as a member of the House of Delegates, having been elected from Webster County in 1918, and from Nicholas County in 1932, 1934, 1936 and again in 1938.

BEN F. NERN, (R), of Parkersburg, was born in that city September 10, 1874, son of Henry and Frances (Peppers) Nern; educated in the public schools and at Mountain State Business College, Parkersburg; married March 28, 1936, to Mary C. De Bussey; Presbyterian; Knights of Pythia; Elk; auditor and bookkeeper; police desk sergeant at Parkersburg, 1912-1916; city inspector, 1916-1922; bank teller, 1922-1924; has served as deputy collector of internal revenue and assistant income tax chief; municipal judge at Parkersburg, 1935-1938; elected to the House of Delegates from Wood County in 1938.





HARRY R. PAULEY, (D), of Jaeger, was born February 19, 1907, at Keystone, son of Emory Preston and Mary Etta (Redmond) Pauley; educated in the public schools; married August 3, 1927, to Jessie May Lambert; Mason; charter member Jaeger Rotary Club; drilling contractor; formerly engaged in show business and railroad construction; elected to the House of Delegates from McDowell County in 1936 and reelected in 1938.

LESTER PERRY, (D), of Logan, was born September 6, 1910, at Milton, son of G. C. and Hattie Perry; educated in the public schools at Napoleon, Ohio, at Bowling Green University and at Marshall College; married December 20, 1936, to Ethel Marie White, of Holden; Baptist; J. O. U. A. M.; member of executive committee, West Virginia Division of Young Democratic Clubs of America; teacher, now serving as principal of Dehue School; elected to the House of Delegates from Logan County in 1936 and reelected in 1938.





J. C. POWELL, (R), of St. Marys, was born November 9, 1891, son of J. B. and Alice J. (Lucas) Powell; educated in the public schools, at Marietta College, Fairmont State Teachers College, and West Virginia University, graduating from the latter institution in 1917, with the degree of LL. B.; served with the United States forces during the World War; married July 20, 1918, to Lillian G. Hackney; member of the American Legion; actively engaged in the practice of law at St. Marys; prosecuting attorney of Pleasants County, 1917-1924; secretary Republican County Executive Committee; elected to the House of Delegates from Pleasants County in 1935 and again in 1938.



GEORGE A. RAIRDEN, (R), of Leon, was born January 9, 1892, son of Harvey C. and Rachel McDaniel Rairden; educated in the public schools; married in 1919, to Wretha Parsons; served in the World War; merchant; justice of the peace for two terms; serving his sixth term as a member of the House of Delegates from Mason County, having been elected in 1926, 1928, 1930, 1932, 1934 and again in 1938.



CHARLES G. RHODES, (D), of Huntington, was born July 23, 1885, near Ripley, Jackson County, son of Isom C. and Mary Jane (Wolfe) Rhodes; educated in the public schools and at Ripley Normal School; married June 12, 1918, to Josie B. Searls; Baptist; Elk; engaged in real estate insurance business for twenty-five years; has served as assistant superintendent of streets at Huntington; elected to the House of Delegates from Cabell County in 1938.

EDGAR ELWOOD RIGHTER, (D), of Shinnston, was born February 18, 1867, near Salt Well, Harrison County; Baptist; farmer and stockman; serving his sixth term as a member of the House of Delegates from Harrison County, having been elected in 1922, 1930, 1932, 1934, 1936, and again in 1938.





JOHN I. ROGERS, (R), of Keyser, was born in that city July 10, 1910, son of Alvin I. and Dessie Grace (Alt) Rogers; educated in the public schools and at Potomac State School of West Virginia University, completing a pre-law course at that institution in 1930, and a course in business administration two years later; married October 21, 1931, to Hazel B. Shumaker; United Brethren; Lion; Phi Rho Pi; Sigma Phi Omega; owner and manager of transfer business; funeral director; secretary-treasurer of Mineral County Republican Executive Committee since 1936; elected to the House of Delegates from Mineral County in 1938.

PERCE J. ROSS, (R), of Buckhannon, was born October 16, 1905, at Selbyville, son of Samuel and Lillie Florence (Crites) Ross; educated in the public schools, at Irvin School of Speech, New York, and West Virginia Wesleyan College, graduating from the latter institution in 1927 with the degree of A. B.; Methodist; Lion; Kappa Alpha; Alpha Psi Omega; associated with men's clothing store for past thirteen years; director of pageant for Central West Virginia Strawberry Festival for four years; city recorder at Buckhannon, 1934-1936; appointed city recorder in August, 1939; has served as member of council since 1937; elected to the House of Delegates from Upshur County in 1938.





MARK RUSSELL, JR., (D), of Williamson, was born October 8, 1910, in that city, son of Mark and Starr (Kennett) Russell; graduated at Staunton Military Academy in 1927; attended West Virginia University, and University of Virginia, graduating from the latter institution in 1933 with the degree of LL. B.; married January 11, 1936, to Lois Chapman Smith; Presbyterian; Moose; actively engaged in the practice of law; serving his third consecutive term as a member of the House of Delegates from Mingo County, having been elected in 1934, 1936 and again in 1938.

HERBERT SCHUPBACH, (D), of New Martinsville, was born in that city June 27, 1906, son of George S. and Della (Swigard) Schupbach; educated in the public schools and at West Liberty State Teachers College, graduating at that institution in 1932 with the degree of A. B.; married May 15, 1935, to Evelyn Morris, of Paden City; Methodist; member New Martinsville Chamber of Commerce and member board of directors of West Virginia Junior Chamber of Commerce; has taught school and served as assistant football coach for past six years at Magnolia High School, New Martinsville; employed as automobile salesman during summer months; elected to the House of Delegates from Wetzel County in 1938.





FRED LAWRENCE SHINN, (D), of Clarksburg, was born at Adamsville, Harrison County, son of Joseph M. and Ella (Short) Shinn; educated in the public schools, at Fairmont Normal and West Virginia University, graduating from the law school of the latter institution in 1906; served in West Virginia National Guard, 1904-1913; married October 20, 1913, to Ruth Martin Hyde; Presbyterian; Knights of Pythias; actively engaged in the practice of law; city attorney, 1921-1929; elected to the House of Delegates from Harrison County in 1936 and reelected in 1938.

LLOYD LAWRENCE SHRIVER, (D), of Grafton, was born September 20, 1896, at Valley Falls, son of Thomas and Alice (Keener) Shriver; educated in the public schools and at Fairmont State Teachers College; married June 19, 1929, to Lelia Withers; served as 1st Sergeant in the 426th Telegraph Battalion during the World War; Southern Methodist; Mason; Odd Fellow; Kiwanian; member of American Legion; engaged in automobile business; county superintendent of schools, 1927-35; has served as member of Federal Crop Control Loan Board and Taylor County Welfare Board; chairman Taylor County Unit of Upper Monongahela Valley Association; elected to the House of Delegates from Taylor County in 1938.





E. L. SIMPSON, (D), of Clarksburg, was born September 9, 1895, in Pendleton County, son of Joseph L. and Cora D. (Keister) Simpson; educated in the public and normal schools and at the Naval Training School, Norfolk, Virginia; married August 28, 1921, to Lela A. Sommerville; served in the United States Navy during the World War; member of Church of Christ; Mason; Odd Fellow; member of American Legion; manager Simpson Motor Truck Company, Clarksburg; taught school for seven years; member of city council, 1937-39; elected to the House of Delegates from Harrison County in 1938.

HAROLD D. SLAVEN, (D), of Morgantown, was born November 26, 1909, at Altoona, Pennsylvania, son of M. S. and Sophia Slaven; graduated from Morgantown High School in 1926, and from West Virginia University in 1931, with the degree of A. B., and from the College of Law of that institution in 1932 with the degree of L.L. B.; Hebrew; married January 2, 1935, to Elsa Wolff; engaged in the practice of law at Morgantown since 1932; has served as Commissioner of Accounts since 1933; elected to the House of Delegates from Monongalia County in 1936 and reelected in 1938.





S. L. SMITH, (R), of West Union, was born February 18, 1874, in Doddridge County, son of John L. and Harriet E. (Davis) Smith; educated in the public schools and at Salem College; married January 1, 1902, to Mary E. Marshall; Baptist; Knights of Pythias; treasurer West Union Business Men's Club; taught school; engaged in mercantile business for a number of years; employed as traveling salesman for eighteen years; now engaged in general insurance business; has served as member of the Board of Education and as a member of council, town of West Union; elected to the House of Delegates from Doddridge County in 1936 and reelected in 1938.

EVERETT STARCHER, (D), of Spencer, was born November 3, 1879, at Rocksdale, Calhoun County, son of Wesley and Julia Ann (Lynch) Starcher; educated in the public schools and in select and summer normal schools; married August 19, 1906, to Icy L. Nicholson; Methodist Protestant; Odd Fellow; J. O. U. A. M.; farmer; oil and gas producer; served as postmaster at Rocksdale, 1911-32; elected to the House of Delegates from Roane County in 1938.





**JUNIUS MORRISON STROUSS**, (D), of Morgantown, was born May 29, 1880, at Harshaville, Beaver County, Pennsylvania, son of David M. and Della Patterson Strouss; educated in the public schools, at Piersol's Academy, West Bridgewater, Pennsylvania, and at Frankfort Springs Academy, Frankfort Springs, Pennsylvania; Presbyterian; Mason; Elk; vice president and general manager Deckers Creek Sand Company; engaged in building supply business since 1905; Director, National Industrial Sand Producers Association; chairman Monongalia County Democratic Committee; served two terms as member of Council at Morgantown; served unexpired term as Mayor, in 1933; appointed by the Governor, November 20, 1933, as a member of the House of Delegates from Monongalia County to succeed F. Roy Yoke, resigned; elected a member of that body in 1934, and again in 1938.

**CLAUDE V. SWANN**, (D), of Huntington, was born July 30, 1887, at Salt Rock, son of F. M. and Beulah A. (Ferry) Swann; educated in the public schools; married January 6, 1909, to Grace M. Cornell; Baptist; Mason; Scottish Rite; Shriner; Jr. O. U. A. M.; past president of Huntington Lions Club; member Huntington City Council, 1935-36; master plumber; served as president of the Master Plumbers' Association of West Virginia, 1926-27, and as Secretary-Treasurer of that Association since 1928; elected to the House of Delegates from Cabell County in 1936, and reelected in 1938.





GLENN TAYLOR, (D), of Matewan, was born December 21, 1904, at Jacksonburg, son of Homer and Alice (Bland) Taylor; educated in the public schools, at West Virginia University and Salem College, graduating from the latter institution in 1928 with the degree of A. B.; married September 6, 1929, to Lella Robey, of Fairmont; Mason; teacher, coach and director of athletics; elected to the House of Delegates from Mingo County in 1936 and reelected in 1938.

J. ALEX TINSLEY, (D), of Montgomery, was born August 8, 1892, at Ansted, son of Dr. Addison B. and Martha Ann (Parker) Tinsley; educated in the public schools; non-commissioned officer in the United States Infantry during the World War, graduating from bayonet school and serving as instructor; married June 17, 1936, to Virginia M. Griffith, of Montgomery; Methodist; member American Legion and B. L. F. & E.; locomotive engineer, having been an employee of the C. & O. Railway Company since 1911; elected justice of the peace for Mountain Cove District in 1932; elected to the House of Delegates from Fayette County in 1936 and reelected in 1938.





GEORGE WILSON VICK, (D), of Anawalt, was born August 22, 1911, at Thorpe, McDowell County, son of Dr. Clyde Whitley and Mattie Ellen (Self) Vick; educated in public schools, at Randolph Macon Preparatory School, Davidson College and William and Mary College; married August 9, 1933, to Stella Floss Rector; served for three years in Junior R. O. T. C. and two years in Senior R. O. T. C.; Methodist; Beta Theta Pi; Kiwanian; member of McDowell County Chamber of Commerce; has been engaged in real estate and mercantile business and served as payroll clerk for coal companies; now engaged as salesman; elected to the House of Delegates from McDowell County in 1938.

JACK W. WALKER, (R), of Ripley, was born in that city February 9, 1912, son of William E. and Minnie D. (Williamson) Walker; educated in the public schools, at Staunton Military Academy and West Virginia University; 1st Lieutenant U. S. Inf.-Res.; Episcopalian; Mason; Sigma Nu; employed as clerk in bank; elected to the House of Delegates from Jackson County in 1938.

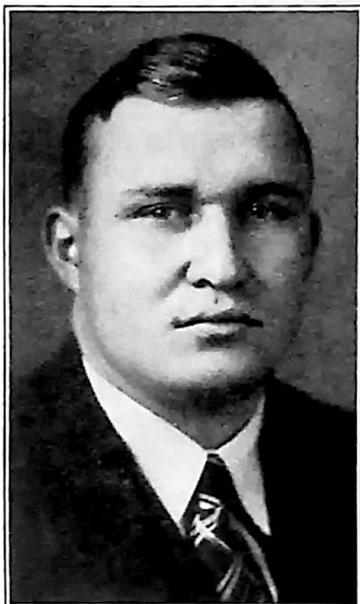




MRS. NELL W. WALKER, (D), of Winona, was born February 7, 1889, at Sewell, daughter of Dr. John Wallace and Martha J. (Hagerman) Walker; educated in the public schools, at New River State College and at Columbia University; married May 10, 1910, to James Venable Walker, of Lynchburg, Virginia, who was killed in a railroad accident May 13, 1913; served as a Red Cross worker with the A. E. F. in France; Presbyterian, member of Women's Overseas Service League; member Democratic State Executive Committee and associate chairman of Fayette County Democratic Executive Committee; vice president and assistant cashier of The Winona National Bank; elected to the House of Delegates from Fayette County in 1936 and reelected in 1938.

EVERETT EDISON WHITE, (D), of Madison, was born September 28, 1881, at Gordon, Boone County, son of Asa and Amanda (Brown) White; educated in the public schools and at Marshall College; married on December 24, 1912, to Lula Burdette; Southern Methodist; 32° Mason; Shriner; Odd Fellow; past president Rotary Club and Madison Chamber of Commerce; engaged in banking business for the past thirty years; now cashier of the Boone National Bank; elected to the House of Delegates from Boone County in 1928, 1930, and 1932; appointed member of that body by Governor Kump June 16, 1936, to succeed Arnold G. Breedlove, resigned; again elected at the general election in 1936 and 1938.





CECIL W. WILSON, (D), of Elkhorn, was born February 19, 1913, at Pageton, McDowell County, son of John William and Mabel (Linkous) Wilson; educated in the public schools; Baptist; president and checkweighman of local union, United Mine Workers of America; served as member of Appalachian Wage Conference in 1937; elected to the House of Delegates from McDowell County in 1938.



ANDREW R. WINTERS, (D), of Huntington, was born January 11, 1900, at Bluefield, son of Ernest E. and Gabriella (Robey) Winters; educated in the public schools, at Marshall College and at the University of Florida, graduating from the latter institution with the degree of A. B.; Episcopalian; Elk; member of the American Legion; teacher; elected to the House of Delegates from Cabell County in 1938.



FLOYD R. YOHO, (R), of Moundsville, was born at Woodlands, Marshall County, May 21, 1893, son of John and Catherine (Franklin) Yoho; educated in the public schools; served with the 150th Infantry during the World War; married July 20, 1918, to Rose Shepherd; member of the American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars; has been actively engaged in the mercantile business for the past twenty years; elected member of Moundsville City Council in 1937; elected to the House of Delegates from Marshall County in 1938.

**JOINT RULES OF THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF DELEGATES****(Regular Session, 1939)****Joint Assembly**

1. Whenever there shall be a joint assembly of the two houses, a brief account of the proceedings shall be entered upon the Journal of each house, except in the joint assembly for counting votes for state officers.

[NOTE: It is the custom to hold joint assemblies in the House chamber and they are presided over by the Speaker. In such sessions the Clerk of the House acts as Clerk, assisted by the Clerk of the Senate. The President of the Senate is given a seat to the right of the Speaker and seats are arranged for the members of the Senate.]

**Joint Assembly to Open and Publish Election Returns**

2. As soon as the Senate, being organized, 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 its 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 elections 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 candidates for any of said offices 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.

**Disagreement and Conference**

3. Whenever a measure of one house is amended in the other and the house in which it originated shall refuse to concur in the amendment, the house amending the measure may either insist or recede therefrom. But when a measure originating in one house is amended in the other, the house in which it originated may amend such amendment and a motion therefor shall take precedence of a motion to concur. If said house refuses to concur, the other house may either recede from or insist upon its amendment, and a motion to recede shall take precedence of a motion to insist. The motion to lay on the table or to postpone indefinitely shall not be in order in respect to the motion to recede from or to insist.

A motion to recede having failed shall be equivalent to the adoption of a motion to insist and shall be so entered upon the Journal. A motion to insist being decided in the negative shall be equivalent to the adoption of a motion to recede and shall be so entered upon the Journal. If the motion to insist prevails, the house so insisting shall request a committee of conference on the subject of disagreement, and shall appoint a committee therefor. The other house may thereupon appoint such committee. Unless a different number is agreed upon, such conference committee shall consist of five members from each house.

Such committee shall consider and report upon, only the subject matter of the amendment or amendments which were in disagreement, with necessary consequential changes. The committee shall meet at a convenient time, to be agreed upon by their chairman, and having conferred freely, shall report to their respective houses the result of the conference. In case of agreement, the report shall be first made, with the papers referred accompanying it, to the house which refused to concur, and there acted upon; and such action, with the papers referred, shall be immediately reported by the Clerk to the other house. In case of disagreement, the papers shall remain with the house in which the measure originated. If an agreement is reached, the report shall be made and signed in duplicate by at least a majority of the conferees from each house, one of the duplicates being retained by the conferees of each house.

### **Messages Between the Houses**

4. 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**

5. 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.

### **One House to Notify Other of Rejection of Bill**

6. When a bill or resolution passed in one house is rejected in the other, notice thereof shall be sent to the house in which the same shall have been passed.

### **Record of Bills**

7. The Clerks of the two houses shall keep separate records or registers, in which shall be recorded every action taken by the Senate and House on each bill and resolution.

### **Clerk to Endorse Bills**

8. The Clerks of the two houses shall endorse on each bill a statement of any action taken by their respective bodies.

### **Notice to Be in Writing**

9. Notice to either House of the action of the other shall be in writing, signed by the Clerk of the House giving such notice.

### **Each House to Have Control of Own Printing**

10. Each House may order the printing of bills, resolutions, reports and other documents without the consent of the other.

### **Joint Committees**

11. Joint standing committees of the Senate and House shall be appointed as follows:

(1) Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to consist of five members from each House.

(2) Committee on Joint Rules, to consist of the presiding officers and two members of each House, to be appointed by the presiding officers.

(3) Such other joint committees as may be provided for by concurrent resolutions. A bill or resolution referred to a joint committee may be recalled from such committee by the House in which it originated.

### **Engrossed Bills to Be Filed With Clerk of House**

12. All engrossed bills passed by, and joint and concurrent resolutions adopted by, both houses shall be filed with the Clerk of the House to be kept with the rolls of the Legislature and to be used by him in printing and publishing the acts of the Legislature.

### **Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills**

13. 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 reports to their respective houses from time to time, of the correctly enrolled bills or joint resolutions. It shall be in order for the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills to report at any time.

### **Printing Enrolled Bills**

14. 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 previously have been corrected and to include any amendments that may have been made by either house since the last printing of the bill. After the type has been so corrected two hundred copies of the bill shall be printed (except charter bills, of which only twenty-five of each shall be printed). Twelve of these copies shall be on seven and one-fourth by ten bond paper, twenty pound basis of at least fifty per cent rag content, for the use of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, one of which copies when properly authenticated, shall become the enrolled bill, and the remainder shall be on twenty pound basis, sulphite bond paper. From these copies all judges shall be furnished enrolled bills as provided for in section fourteen, article one, chapter four of the code.

### **Authentication of Enrolled Bills**

15. Enrolled bills 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. A certificate, showing in which House the bill originated and the date it takes effect, signed by the Clerks of the two Houses, shall be endorsed on the bill. 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.

### **Presenting Bills to Governor**

16. After a bill shall have thus been signed in each house, it shall be presented by the said committee to the Governor, for his approval. The said committee shall report the day of presentation to the Governor, which time shall be entered on the Journal of each house.

### Record of Enrolled Bills

17. It shall be the duty of the Committee on Enrolled Bills to keep a record book of all bills presented to the Governor for his approval. The title and number of each bill presented to the Governor shall be entered in this book and when a bill is presented to him, the date presented and the signature of the Governor, showing receipt of same, shall be entered at the side of each title.

### Action of Governor on Bills

18. Every bill disapproved by the Governor shall be returned by him to the house in which it originated, with his objection 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.

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.

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. The Governor shall notify the house in which the bill originated of each bill becoming a law without his approval.

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, if any, of their respective houses on the reconsideration and passage of said bill, and sign the same.

### Joint Meetings of Committees

19. Whenever any bill has been referred by the Senate to one of its standing committees, and the same or like bill has been referred by the House to one of its committees, the chairman of the respective committees, when in their judgment the interest of legislation or the expedition of business will be better served thereby, may arrange for a joint meeting of their committees for the consideration of such bill. All joint committee meetings shall be presided over by the chairman of the Senate committee.

### What Shall Be Printed in the Journal

20. The following shall always be printed in the Journal of each House:

- (a) Messages from the Governor and messages from other House, the titles of all bills, and the title and text of all resolutions.
- (b) Every vote taken by yeas and nays in each House, and a brief statement of the contents of each petition, memorial, or paper presented to each House.
- (c) A true and accurate account of the proceedings of each House.

### Manner of Printing the Journal and Bills

21. In printing the daily Journal 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.

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 and the date of introduction; and at the top of each page, except the first, shall be printed the number of the bill.

### Use of Legislative Halls and Offices

22. Permission to use other than for statutory purposes, either Legislative chamber or offices used by the two houses may be granted by the President of the Senate or Speaker of the House as the case may be. During legislative sessions, the Speaker of the House and the President of the Senate shall have power to regulate the use of the halls and stairways of the parts of the capitol building used by their respective houses, for any purpose whatsoever.

### Resolutions

23. Resolutions requiring concurrent action may originate in either House, and shall be of two kinds, namely:

*Joint Resolutions:* These resolutions shall be used for proposing amendments to the State Constitution and for ratifying amendments to the Federal Constitution. Joint resolutions shall be adopted as provided in section two, article fourteen of the Constitution.

*Concurrent Resolutions:* Such resolutions shall be used for all purposes not covered by joint resolutions as defined above.

### Suspension of Joint Rules

24. No Joint Rule shall be suspended except by a two-thirds vote of each House, unless there be unanimous consent, such vote to be taken by yeas and nays.

## LEGISLATIVE PRESS CORRESPONDENTS

(Regular Session, 1939)

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*Charleston Gazette*

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*Herald-Dispatch, Huntington*

**CONNELL, W. E., JR.**  
*Charleston Gazette*

**DISHER, LEO F., JR.**  
*Associated Press*

**EAST, CLYDE H.**  
*Charleston Gazette*

**ESTILL, CALVERT L.**  
*Wheeling Intelligencer and associated newspapers*

**FULLERTON, MAX**  
*Associated Press*

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*Associated Press*

**MORSE, CHARLES L.**  
*Charleston Gazette*

**O'BRIEN, MRS. MARIE BEYER**  
*Parkersburg News*

**PETERS, LEO**  
*Charleston Daily Mail*

**SEHON, JOHN L.**  
*Associated Press*

**STEWART, RUSSELL H.**  
*Associated Press*

**WEIR, JAMES W.**  
*Randolph Review, Elkins*

**WELCH, LEWIS T.**  
*Charleston Daily Mail*

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# LEGISLATIVE ENACTMENTS

## REGULAR SESSION, 1939

The forty-fourth session of the Legislature of West Virginia convened January 11, 1939, and adjourned March 11, 1939.

During the session, 749 bills were introduced, 290 originating in the Senate and 459 in the House. The Legislature passed and sent to the Governor 185 bills. Of this number, one, Senate Bill No. 57 (relating to the state sinking fund commission), was vetoed by the Governor.

The following is a synopsis of all the bills passed which became laws with or without the approval of the Governor:

### Agriculture

Chap. 1, page 1, Acts (S. B. 243, by Mr. Fleming)—Authorizes Commissioner of Agriculture to accept donations, gifts and contributions from the United States Department of Agriculture.

Chap. 2, page 2, Acts (H. B. 197, by Mr. Brotherton)—Provides for the establishment and regulation of public markets.

Chap. 3, page 9, Acts (H. B. 192, by Mr. Milleson)—Regulates sale of agricultural products by commission merchants.

Chap. 4, page 16, Acts (H. B. 139, by Mr. Brotherton)—Regulates sale of nursery stock.

Chap. 5, page 19, Acts (S. B. 199, by Mr. President, Mr. LaFon)—Soil conservation districts law.

### Appropriations

Chap. 6, page 48, Acts (H. B. 93, by Mr. Speaker, Mr. Thomas)—General appropriation bill (Budget Bill).

Chap. 7, page 113, Acts (Com. Sub. for House Bill No. 405—Originating in the House Committee on Taxation and Finance)—Amends 1937 budget bill, relating to appropriations for West Virginia University.

### Assessments of Property

Chap. 118, page 509, Acts (H. B. 424, by Mr. Speaker, Mr. Thomas)—Relates to assessment of property of building and loan associations.

Chap. 123, page 563, Acts (S. B. 52, by Mr. Paull)—Relates to relief by county courts from erroneous assessments.

### Banks and Banking

Chap. 8, page 117, Acts (H. B. 212, by Mr. White)—Relates to declaration and payment of dividends by banking institutions.

Chap. 9, page 118, Acts (H. B. 213, by Mr. White)—Limits liability of stockholders of banking institutions.

### Barbering and Beauty Culture

Chap. 30, page 183, Acts (H. B. 40, by Mr. Calvert)—Relates to the practice of barbering and beauty culture.

### Budget Office

Chap. 39, page 217, Acts (S. B. 117, by Mr. Allen)—Creates state budget office.

### Circuit Courts

Chap. 10, page 120, Acts (H. B. 57, by Mr. Hudson and Mr. Casey)—Provides additional compensation for special judges of the circuit court of Cabell county.

Chap. 11, page 121, Acts (H. B. 122, by Mr. Amos, by request)—Changes dates for holding terms of court in thirteenth and eighteenth judicial circuits.

Chap. 12, page 121, Acts (S. B. 132, by Mr. Young, by request)—Changes dates for holding terms of court in twentieth judicial circuit.

Chap. 13, page 122, Acts (Com. Sub. for House Bill No. 285—Originating in the House Committee on the Judiciary)—Changes dates for holding terms of court in twenty-first judicial circuit.

### Commissions

Chap. 42, page 239, Acts (S. B. 20, by Mr. Randolph)—Creates West Virginia Publicity Commission.

Chap. 43, page 241, Acts (H. B. 414, by Mr. Speaker, Mr. Thomas)—Creates state office building commission.

### Conservation

Chap. 64, page 313, Acts (S. B. 204, by Mr. President, Mr. LaFon)—Relates to game, fish and forests of the state.

### Constitutional Amendments

Chap. 14, page 123, Acts (S. B. 258, by Mr. President, Mr. LaFon)—Submits budget amendment.

Chap. 15, page 123, Acts (S. B. 257, by Mr. President, Mr. LaFon)—Submits elective state officials amendment.

Chap. 16, page 133, Acts (H. B. 300, by Mr. Speaker, Mr. Thomas)—Submits judiciary amendment.

### County Officials

Chap. 17, page 149, Acts (S. B. 24, by Mr. Wylie)—Fixes salaries of assessors.

Chap. 18, page 151, Acts (S. B. 211, by Mr. Young)—Fixes salaries of clerks of county courts and circuit courts.

Chap. 19, page 154, Acts (Com. Sub. for Senate Bill No. 104—Originating in the Senate Committee on the Judiciary)—Relates to appointments and compensation of deputies and assistants of sheriffs and clerks of courts.

Chap. 20, page 156, Acts (H. B. 99, by Mr. Mace)—Relates to compensation of county commissioners for services other than services in court.

Chap. 21, page 159, Acts (H. B. 53, by Mr. Matthews)—Fixes salaries of prosecuting attorneys' assistants, clerks and stenographers.

Chap. 22, page 164, Acts (S. B. 55, by Mr. Paull)—Requires county clerks to furnish assessors monthly with lists of transfers of title.

### Crimes and Punishment

Chap. 23, page 165, Acts (H. B. 9, by Mr. Speaker, Mr. Thomas)—Relates to further confinement of convicts for second and third offenses.

Chap. 24, page 166, Acts (H. B. 7, by Mr. Speaker, Mr. Thomas)—Relates to indeterminate sentence for felony.

Chap. 25, page 167, Acts (S. B. 119, by Mr. Johnston, of Mercer)—"Numbers" and "policy" law.

Chap. 26, page 170, Acts (H. B. 8, by Mr. Speaker, Mr. Thomas)—Relates to punishment for second and third offenses.

Chap. 27, page 171, Acts (Com. Sub. for House Bill No. 6—Originating in the House Committee on the Judiciary)—Probation and parole law.

Chap. 28, page 180, Acts (Com. Sub. for House Bill No. 221—Originating in the House Committee on the Judiciary)—Fixes penalties for robbery or attempted robbery.

### Distinguished Service Medal

Chap. 152, page 710, Acts (H. B. 82, by Mr. Swann)—Provides for decorations to be known as West Virginia Distinguished Service Medal and West Virginia Service Medal.

### Drugs and Narcotics

Chap. 44, page 248, Acts (S. B. 18, by Mr. Young)—Requires licenses for manufacturing, compounding and wholesaling of narcotic drugs.

Chap. 45, page 254, Acts (S. B. 106, by Mr. Allen)—Relates to equipment of drug stores and to manufacture of drugs, medicines and toilet articles.

### Education

Chap. 46, page 257, Acts (H. B. 1, by Mr. Speaker, Mr. Thomas)—Provides for distribution of state aid to schools, and creates board of school finance.

Chap. 47, page 276, Acts (S. B. 255, by Mr. Pelter)—Relates to the issuance of high school, superintendents' and high school principals' certificates.

Chap. 48, page 277, Acts (S. B. 229, by Mr. Smith, by request)—Relates to compulsory school attendance and authorizes establishment of continuation and evening schools.

Chap. 49, page 285, Acts (H. B. 277, by Mr. Taylor)—Authorizes purchase by county boards of education of insurance against negligence.

Chap. 50, page 287, Acts (H. B. 62, by Mr. Smith, by request)—Provides for the enumeration of the physically and mentally handicapped and the illiterate.

Chap. 51, page 289, Acts (H. B. 204, by Mr. Speaker, Mr. Thomas)—Directs county boards of education to provide free textbooks for pupils in free and private schools whose parents are unable to provide same.

Chap. 52, page 291, Acts (H. B. 205, by Mr. Speaker, Mr. Thomas)—Empowers county boards of education to provide free textbooks for pupils in the free schools.

Chap. 53, page 292, Acts (H. B. 303, by Mr. Speaker, Mr. Thomas)—Teachers' tenure law.

Chap. 54, page 294, Acts (H. B. 200, by Mr. Hopkins)—Establishes retirement system for aged and incapacitated teachers.

Chap. 55, page 298, Acts (H. B. 299, by Mr. Speaker, Mr. Thomas)—Fixes salaries for teachers.

Chap. 56, page 301, Acts (S. B. 247, by Mr. Anderson)—Authorizes sheriffs to transfer to the building and maintenance fund of boards of education any unused funds collected for the retirement of school bonds.

### Elections

Chap. 57, page 302, Acts (H. B. 194, by Mr. Cooper)—Relates to nomination of candidates for county commissioners and members of boards of education.

Chap. 58, page 304, Acts (S. B. 273, by Mr. President, Mr. LaFon)—Directs that names of candidates for president be printed on ballots at general primary elections.

Chap. 59, page 305, Acts (H. B. 222, by Mr. Haldren)—Requires employers to allow employees time to cast their votes at elections.

Chap. 95, page 457, Acts (H. B. 328, by Mr. Speaker, Mr. Thomas)—Prohibits police officers from serving as election officials or engaging in any political activity.

### Fair Trade Law

Chap. 151, page 703, Acts (S. B. 134, by Mr. Allen, by request)—Relates to unfair methods of competition and provides minimum resale prices.

### Fireworks

Chap. 143, page 683, Acts (S. B. 58, by Mr. Hussion, by request)—Prohibits sale of fireworks except for public display by municipalities, fair associations, amusement parks or other similar organizations.

### Garnishment of Wages

Chap. 66, page 338, Acts (S. B. 4, by Mr. President, Mr. LaFon)—Provides for garnishment of wages of public employees.

Chap. 67, page 347, Acts (S. B. 5, by Mr. President, Mr. LaFon)—Provides for garnishment of salaries and wages of persons engaged in private employment.

### Insurance

Chap. 68, page 353, Acts (S. B. 160, by Mr. Wylle)—Relates to burial insurance.

Chap. 69, page 354, Acts (Com. Sub. for Senate Bill No. 207—Originating in the Senate Committee on Insurance)—Permits fraternal beneficiary societies to provide for the payment of insurance upon the lives of children.

Chap. 70, page 358, Acts (S. B. 105, by Mr. Wylle)—Authorizes issuance of group and family expense accident and health insurance.

Chap. 71, page 364, Acts (S. B. 177, by Mr. Johnston, of Mercer, by request)—Provides for assignment of insurance policies by married women.

Chap. 72, page 366, Acts (Com. Sub. for House Bill No. 163—Originating in the House Committee on Insurance)—Creates fire insurance statistical or actuarial service bureaus.

### Justices and Constables

Chap. 73, page 370, Acts (S. B. 287, by Mr. President, Mr. LaFon)—Relates to costs in criminal cases before justices of the peace, including compensation of jailers.

Chap. 74, page 371, Acts (S. B. 240, by Mr. Paull)—Fixes fees of justices and constables in civil and criminal cases.

### Labor

Chap. 75, page 375, Acts (H. B. 234, by Mr. Flint)—Relates to child labor.

Chap. 76, page 383, Acts (H. B. 233, by Mrs. Walker)—Relates to the regulation and control of industrial homework.

Chap. 77, page 386, Acts (S. B. 196, by Mr. President, Mr. LaFon)—Relates to laborers' liens against corporations.

Chap. 78, page 387, Acts (S. B. 38, by Mr. Fleming)—Authorizes West Virginia library commission to accept federal funds for library purposes.

Chap. 79, page 389, Acts (S. B. 39, by Mr. Fleming)—Authorizes establishment of regional library areas in West Virginia.

### Legislative Printing

Chap. 37, page 207, Acts (H. B. 444, by Mr. Matthews)—Relates to legislative printing.

### Liquor Control

Chap. 40, page 232, Acts (H. B. 253, by Mr. Speaker, Mr. Thomas)—Relates to state control of alcoholic liquors.

Chap. 41, page 238, Acts (H. B. 254, by Mr. Speaker, Mr. Thomas)—Authorizes State Liquor Control Commission to purchase warehouse.

### Marriage

Chap. 80, page 392, Acts (H. B. 160, by Mr. Winters)—Relates to desertion or non-support of a wife or child.

Chap. 81, page 394, Acts (H. B. 117, by Mrs. Walker)—Provides that before marriage license is issued each applicant must file with county clerk certificate from a licensed physician stating that applicant named is not infected with syphilis.

### Medium Security Prison

Chap. 103, page 474, Acts (H. B. 302, by Mr. Speaker, Mr. Thomas)—Establishes West Virginia medium security prison near Huttonsville, in Randolph County.

### Mines and Mining

Chap. 82, page 398, Acts (Com. Sub. for Senate Bill No. 45—Originating in the Senate Committee on Mines and Mining)—Provides for the issuance of certificates of experience and qualification to coal miners.

Chap. 83, page 400, Acts (H. B. 257, by Mr. Pauley)—Relates to the hauling of explosives into mines.

Chap. 84, page 402, Acts (H. B. 390, by Mr. Clark)—Regulates "strip mining."

Chap. 85, page 403, Acts (S. B. 249, by Mr. Hall)—Relates to the testing of the correctness of scales and measures used to weigh and measure coal.

### Motor Vehicles

Chap. 86, page 405, Acts (Com. Sub. for House Bill No. 65—Originating in the House Committee on the Judiciary)—Confers upon public service commission of West Virginia regulatory powers of transportation on public highways of passengers and property for hire.

Chap. 87, page 416, Acts (Com. Sub. for House Bill No. 241—Originating in the House Committee on Roads)—Provides for the renewal every four years of licenses for chauffeurs and motor vehicle operators.

Chap. 88, page 432, Acts (S. B. 130, by Mr. Bibb)—Regulates the use of highways by motor vehicles carrying other vehicles.

Chap. 89, page 433, Acts (H. B. 313, by Mr. Taylor)—Empowers road commissioner and the department of public safety with authority to inspect motor vehicles operated on the public streets and highways.

Chap. 90, page 435, Acts (H. B. 314, by Mr. Taylor)—Requires adequate brakes on vehicles operated on public streets and highways.

### Municipalities

Chap. 91, page 437, Acts (S. B. 267, by Mr. Randolph)—Authorizes municipalities to create boards of park commissioners.

Chap. 92, page 445, Acts (H. B. 324, by Mr. Bickel)—Authorizes municipalities to utilize money, work, labor or material furnished by the United States for the construction of streets, sidewalks and sewers.

Chap. 93, page 453, Acts (H. B. 259, by Mr. Rhodes, by request)—Authorizes municipalities to fight fires outside corporate limits.

Chap. 94, page 456, Acts (Com. Sub. for Senate Bill No. 83—Originating in the Senate Committee on the Judiciary)—Relates to charter board under municipal home rule act.

Chap. 96, page 459, Acts (S. B. 51, by Mr. Johnston, of Mercer)—Provides that sanitary board in charge of construction of municipal sewage disposal plant must include registered professional engineer only during construction period.

Chap. 97, page 460, Acts (S. B. 36, by Mr. Allen)—Authorizes municipalities to purchase, construct, extend and operate, or lease to others for operation, water-works systems within area included in a five-mile extension of the corporate limits.

Chap. 98, page 461, Acts (Com. Sub. for Senate Bill No. 120—Originating in the Senate Committee on the Judiciary)—Authorizes municipalities to combine water-works and sewerage systems for purpose of funding and refunding bonded indebtedness.

### Outdoor Advertising

Chap. 145, page 687, Acts (Com. Sub. for House Bill No. 263—Originating in the House Committee on the Judiciary)—Regulates outdoor advertising outside corporate limits of municipalities.

### Pleading and Practice

Chap. 99, page 468, Acts (H. B. 418, by Mr. Ballard, by request)—Provides for amendment of affidavit by substitution of new affidavit.

Chap. 100, page 469, Acts (S. B. 210, by Mr. Moler)—Provides for appointment of special commissioners of accounts.

Chap. 101, page 470, Acts (H. B. 130, by Mr. Shinn)—Relates to expenditure and investment of trust funds by fiduciaries.

Chap. 102, page 473, Acts (H. B. 291, by Mr. Amos, by request)—Provides for removal of civil causes from one circuit to another and from a court of limited jurisdiction to the circuit court.

### Prison-made Goods

Chap. 104, page 475, Acts (H. B. 322, by Mr. Speaker, Mr. Thomas)—Authorizes manufacture or production in prison of articles needed for the construction, operation, maintenance or use of any office, department, institution or agency of the state and political subdivision.

### Public Health

Chap. 31, page 193, Acts (H. B. 198, by Mr. Bowling, by request)—Relates to duties of State Department of Health and Public Health Council.

Chap. 32, page 195, Acts (H. B. 171, by Mr. Loucas)—Relates to issuance of birth and death certificates by the state registrar of vital statistics.

### Public Safety

Chap. 33, page 197, Acts (H. B. 11, by Mr. George)—Authorizes Department of Public Safety to settle claim of Frank Cavalleri against Everett E. Stout.

Chap. 34, page 198, Acts (H. B. 91, by Mr. Speaker, Mr. Thomas)—Relates to death, disability and retirement fund for members of the department of public safety and provides for pensions for retired or disabled members.

Chap. 35, page 202, Acts (H. B. 92, by Mr. Speaker, Mr. Thomas)—Relates to the organization of the department of public safety.

Chap. 36, page 204, Acts (S. B. 88, by Mr. Anderson)—Relates to the powers of the superintendent and members of the department of public safety.

### Public Welfare

Chap. 105, page 482, Acts (H. B. 332, by Mr. Speaker, Mr. Thomas)—Relates to public welfare.

Chap. 106, page 492, Acts (H. B. 29, by Mr. Brotherton)—Enlarges powers of department of public assistance with reference to providing relief for the blind.

Chap. 107, page 494, Acts (H. B. 304, by Mr. Speaker, Mr. Thomas)—Relates to general relief.

### Real Estate

Chap. 146, page 697, Acts (Com. Sub. for Senate Bill No. 193—Originating in the Senate Committee on the Judiciary)—Relates to partition of real estate.

Chap. 142, page 682, Acts (H. B. 262, by Mr. Taylor, by request)—Relates to condemnation of real estate by state or political subdivision.

### Redemption of Real Estate

Chap. 60, page 306, Acts (Com. Sub. for Senate Bill No. 53—Originating in the Senate Committee on the Judiciary)—Requires real estate purchased for the state at tax sales to be continued on land books.

Chap. 61, page 307, Acts (S. B. 41, by Mr. Paull)—Extends until June 30, 1939, moratorium for the redemption of lands forfeited for the nonpayment of taxes prior to 1933.

Chap. 62, page 310, Acts (S. B. 42, by Mr. Paull)—Continues until June 30, 1939, moratorium for reports required to be made by state commissioners of forfeited lands and for the institution and prosecution of suits for the sale of forfeited lands.

Chap. 63, page 311, Acts (H. B. 244, by Mr. White)—Provides that persons redeeming real estate delinquent for nonpayment of taxes thereon may be subrogated to the lien of the state.

### Roads and Bridges

Chap. 110, page 496, Acts (H. B. 240, by Mr. Taylor)—Designates freeways and provides for their construction and maintenance by the state road commission.

Chap. 111, page 498, Acts (H. B. 356, by Mr. Taylor)—Relates to contracts for road construction or material, and provides for use of convict labor.

Chap. 112, page 500, Acts (H. B. 407, by Mr. Taylor)—Relates to purchase or condemnation of toll bridges.

Chap. 113, page 501, Acts (H. B. 363, by Mr. Taylor)—Provides that two or more toll bridges may be included in one issue of revenue bonds.

Chap. 114, page 503, Acts (H. B. 189, by Mr. Taylor)—Relates to traffic regulations and right-of-way on highways.

Chap. 108, page 495, Acts (H. B. 28, by Mr. Haldren)—Designates bridge on state route fifty-two, in Bluefield, as the Frank S. Easley Bridge.

Chap. 109, page 496, Acts (H. B. 281, by Mr. Alexander)—Designates interstate bridge on state route forty-five, in Shepherdstown, as the James Rumsey Bridge.

### Taxation

Chap. 119, page 513, Acts (H. B. 136, by Mr. Strauss)—Fixes license fees for certain businesses.

Chap. 120, page 555, Acts (H. B. 135, by Mr. Strauss)—Relates to privilege tax on business and occupations.

Chap. 121, page 558, Acts (H. B. 108, by Mr. Strouss)—Relates to consumers sales tax.

Chap. 122, page 561, Acts (H. B. 49, by Mr. White)—Relates to payment of corporation license tax by domestic corporation upon voluntary dissolution.

Chap. 124, page 565, Acts (Senate Com. Sub. for House Bill No. 186—Originating in the Senate Committee on Finance)—Provides for refund of tax on gasoline used for certain purposes.

Chap. 125, page 570, Acts (H. B. 107, by Mr. Strouss)—Reenacts gasoline tax law providing for state tax of five cents per gallon.

Chap. 126, page 572, Acts (Com. Sub. for House Bill No. 272—Originating in the House Committee on Taxation and Finance)—Relates to inheritance and transfer taxes.

Chap. 127, page 576, Acts (H. B. 442, by Mr. McClung, of Kanawha)—Provides for division of gross sales tax proportionally by the producers and owners of royalties.

Chap. 128, page 577, Acts (H. B. 137, by Mr. Strouss)—Relates to personal net income tax.

Chap. 129, page 604, Acts (S. B. 56, by Mr. Paull)—Relates to refunds of taxes erroneously collected.

Chap. 130, page 606, Acts (H. B. 288, by Mr. Strouss, by request)—Authorizes state tax commissioner to prepare and make public tax and revenue statistics.

Chap. 131, page 607, Acts (S. B. 3, by Mr. President, Mr. LaFon)—Relates to payment from county-wide levy of remaining amounts of principal and interest on road or school districts bonded obligations incurred prior to the adoption of the tax limitation amendment.

Chap. 132, page 612, Acts (S. B. 2, by Mr. President, Mr. LaFon)—Reallocates tax levies under tax limitation amendment.

Chap. 133, page 626, Acts (H. B. 409, by Mr. Speaker, Mr. Thomas)—Relates to the use of debt levies for current expenses.

### Unemployment Compensation

Chap. 134, page 627, Acts (H. B. 275, by Mr. Speaker, Mr. Thomas)—Amends and reenacts unemployment compensation law.

Chap. 135, page 644, Acts (H. B. 219, by Mr. White)—Authorizes use of mechanical or electrical device for affixing signature of unemployment compensation director to warrants for payment of benefit.

Chap. 136, page 646, Acts (H. B. 274, by Mr. Speaker, Mr. Thomas)—Provides for the transfer to the railroad unemployment insurance account of certain funds from the unemployment trust fund of this state.

### Workmen's Compensation

Chap. 137, page 647, Acts (Com. Sub. for House Bill No. 157—Originating in the House Committee on the Judiciary)—Relates to workmen's compensation.

Chap. 138, page 675, Acts (H. B. 354, by Mrs. Walker)—Authorizes state compensation commissioner to reopen case of M. W. Dunning.

Chap. 139, page 676, Acts (H. B. 398, by Mr. Taylor)—Relates to custody, investment and disbursement of workmen's compensation fund.

Chap. 140, page 678, Acts (H. B. 201, by Mr. Speaker, Mr. Thomas)—Specifies employers and employees subject to workmen's compensation.

### Miscellaneous

Chap. 29, page 182, Acts (H. B. 220, by Mr. White)—Authorizes treasurer and auditor to use mechanical and electrical devices for the purpose of affixing signatures to checks and warrants.

Chap. 38, page 208, Acts (H. B. 369, by Mr. Brotherton)—Ratifies Ohio River Valley Water Sanitation Compact for the prevention, abatement, and control of pollution of the rivers and streams in the Ohio river drainage basin.

Chap. 65, page 337, Acts (S. B. 165, by Mr. Casto)—Provides for the possession and use of ferrets.

Chap. 115, page 504, Acts (S. B. 145, by Mr. Proctor)—Authorizes state board of control to lease property at Berkeley Springs.

Chap. 116, page 506, Acts (H. B. 373, by Mr. Speaker, Mr. Thomas)—Authorizes the Governor to exchange, for use in the construction of the Kanawha boulevard extension, real estate owned by the state of West Virginia for real estate owned by the city of Charleston.

Chap. 117, page 507, Acts (S. B. 288, by Mr. Johnson, of Mason)—Grants to the United States government the right to erect beacon light in Tu-Endi-Wel Park, Point Pleasant, at the junction of the Ohio and Kanawha rivers.

Chap. 141, page 681, Acts (S. B. 159, by Mr. Wylie)—Limits use of prefix "Doctor" or "Dr."

Chap. 144, page 686, Acts (H. B. 126, by Mr. Gill)—Provides for disposition of property of subordinate lodges of Odd Fellows and Knights of Pythias.

Chap. 147, page 698, Acts (Com. Sub. for Senate Bill No. 143—Originating in the Senate Committee on the Judiciary)—Relates to rewards, detection of crime and bounties.

Chap. 148, page 699, Acts (S. B. 250, by Mr. Robertson)—Classifies notes as securities when deposited as collateral with state treasurer.

Chap. 149, page 701, Acts (S. B. 212, by Mr. Allen)—Fixes time for beginning of terms of state and county officers.

Chap. 150, page 702, Acts (S. B. 213, by Mr. Allen, by request)—Requires use of manufacturers' trade-mark or insignia on jewelry, silverware, glassware and chinaware offered for sale in West Virginia.

### Local Laws

Chap. 153, page 714, Acts (H. B. 391, by Mr. Harvey)—Authorizes Braxton county court to transfer funds.

Chap. 154, page 715, Acts (S. B. 206, by Mr. Martin, by request)—Creates Domestic Relations Court in Cabell county.

Chap. 155, page 717, Acts (H. B. 336, by Mr. Lockhart)—Authorizes Clay county court to postpone payment of certificates of indebtedness and use revenue in construction of new jail.

Chap. 156, page 718, Acts (S. B. 289, by Mr. Smith)—Cedes to the federal government jurisdiction of this state over lands purchased by the government for post office and federal building site at Fairmont.

Chap. 157, page 719, Acts (S. B. 189, by Mr. Jimison, by request)—Authorizes Kanawha county court to pay certain sums to George Dudley, former deputy sheriff, wounded while in the performance of his duties.

Chap. 158, page 720, Acts (S. B. 190, by Mr. Jimison, by request)—Authorizes Kanawha county court to provide compensation for Flora Razella Shamblin, widow of Roy Shamblin, former deputy sheriff, killed while in the performance of his duties.

Chap. 159, page 721, Acts (S. B. 81, by Mr. Hall)—Authorizes board of education of Lincoln county to transfer funds.

Chap. 160, page 722, Acts (S. B. 183, by Mr. Hall)—Authorizes county court of Lincoln county to transfer funds.

Chap. 161, page 722, Acts (H. B. 175, by Mr. Perry)—Authorizes county court of Logan county to transfer funds.

Chap. 162, page 723, Acts (H. B. 147, by Mr. Perry)—Authorizes county court of Logan county to transfer unexpended balances in the dog tax fund to the general county fund.

Chap. 163, page 723, Acts (H. B. 453, by Mr. Meredith)—Authorizes board of education of Marion county to construct stadium at South Side Park in Fairmont.

Chap. 164, page 727, Acts (H. B. 127, by Mr. Meredith)—Authorizes the county court and the board of education of Marion county to establish public library.

Chap. 165, page 729, Acts (H. B. 334, by Mr. Alltop, by request)—Authorizes county court of Marion county to pay certain sums to John F. Phillips, former clerk of the county court.

Chap. 166, page 730, Acts (S. B. 66, by Mr. Smlth)—Authorizes county court of Marion county to pay certain sums to A. C. West, sheriff.

Chap. 167, page 730, Acts (S. B. 246, by Mr. Anderson)—Authorizes sheriff of McDowell county to transfer certain funds.

Chap. 168, page 731, Acts (Senate Com. Sub. for House Bill No. 48—Originating in the Senate Committee on the Judiciary)—Repeals act authorizing judge of circuit court of Monongalia county to appoint court stenographer and page.

Chap. 169, page 732, Acts (H. B. 358, by Mr. Strouss)—Authorizes county court of Monongalia county to use certain funds for building new courthouse.

Chap. 170, page 732, Acts (H. B. 435, by Mr. Neal)—Authorizes state road commission to refund certain sums to the county court of Nicholas county.

Chap. 171, page 733, Acts (S. B. 162, by Mr. Sweeney, by request)—Authorizes the board of commissioners of Ohio county to settle claim of Winfield S. Eshelman.

Chap. 172, page 734, Acts (H. B. 143, by Mr. Johnson)—Authorizes board of education of Ohio county to pay certain sums for Naomi Hartley.

Chap. 173, page 735, Acts (Com. Sub. for House Bill No. 411—Originating in the House Committee on Counties, Districts and Municipal Corporations)—Relates to application of state civil service to the fire department of Parkersburg and abolishes the civil service commission for the city of Bluefield.

Chap. 174, page 736, Acts (S. B. 179, by Mr. Fleming)—Authorizes county court of Pleasants county to issue drafts in anticipation of certain revenue.

Chap. 175, page 737, Acts (H. B. 297, by Mr. Erwin)—Authorizes county court of Putnam county to pay certain sums to A. M. Brown, clerk of the county court.

Chap. 176, page 738, Acts (H. B. 226, by Mr. Flint)—Provides further financial relief for the county court of Raleigh county.

Chap. 177, page 741, Acts (H. B. 217, by Mr. Bosworth)—Authorizes county court and board of education of Randolph county to establish public library and museum.

Chap. 178, page 743, Acts (S. B. 264, by Mr. Fleming)—Authorizes county court of Ritchie county to establish Four-H camp.

Chap. 179, page 743, Acts (H. B. 75, by Mr. Starcher)—Authorizes county court of Roane county to construct Four-H camp and community building.

Chap. 180, page 744, Acts (H. B. 119, by Mr. McNeer)—Authorizes county court of Summers county to purchase site for Four-H camp.

Chap. 181, page 744, Acts (S. B. 135, by Mr. Allen)—Authorizes county court of Webster county to postpone payment of certificates of indebtedness and to use levies in the construction of courthouse and jail.

Chap. 182, page 746, Acts (S. B. 290, by Mr. Anderson)—Authorizes city of Welch to compromise and settle certain unpaid paving assessments.

Chap. 183, page 747, Acts (H. B. 459, by Mr. Jones, of McDowell)—Authorizes the city of Welch to sell city hall.

Chap. 184, page 747, Acts (H. B. 56, by Mr. Schupbach)—Authorizes county court of Wetzel county to purchase site for Four-H camp.

### Joint Resolutions

House Joint Resolution No. 1, page 758, Acts, (by Mr. Speaker, Mr. Thomas)—Proposed judiciary amendment.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 2, page 799, Acts, (by Mr. President, Mr. LaFon)—Proposed elective officers amendment.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 3, page 801, Acts, (by Mr. President, Mr. LaFon)—Proposed budget bill amendment.

**LEGISLATIVE APPROPRIATIONS  
1940-1941**

**Regular Session, 1939**

(Total Amounts Appropriated for All Purposes, Regular Session, 1939)

LEGISLATIVE	1939-40	1940-41
<b>State Senate:</b>		
Salaries of members.....	\$ 17,000.00	\$ 16,000.00
Mileage.....	*913.20	
Compensation of officers and attaches.....	*44,512.00	
Contingent fund.....	*47,000.00	
<b>House of Delegates:</b>		
Salaries of members.....	47,000.00	47,000.00
Mileage.....	*2,706.60	
Compensation of officers and attaches.....	*75,957.00	
Miscellaneous appropriations.....	*9,900.04	
Contingent fund.....	*65,000.00	
West Virginia Blue Book.....	10,000.00	8,000.00
Legislative Printing.....	*90,000.00	
<b>JUDICIAL</b>		
<b>Circuit Courts.....</b>	<b>183,500.00</b>	<b>183,500.00</b>
Supplemental appropriation.....	*14,840.00	
Compensation of Special Judges.....	7,500.00	7,500.00
Supplemental appropriation.....	*10,979.00	
Criminal Charges.....	125,000.00	125,000.00
Supreme Court of Appeals.....	111,930.00	101,930.00
State Law Library.....	11,300.00	11,300.00
<b>STATE DEPARTMENTS</b>		
Adjutant General—State Militia.....	117,819.00	117,819.00
Agriculture, Department of.....	164,550.00	164,550.00
Agricultural Fairs and Association Awards.....	12,300.00	12,300.00
Soil conservation.....	5,000.00	5,000.00
Archives and History, Department of.....	14,790.00	15,190.00
Attorney General's Office.....	49,250.00	49,250.00
Auditor's Office.....	97,815.00	99,330.00
Fire Marshal.....	26,540.00	26,540.00
Land Department.....	46,500.00	46,500.00
Supplemental appropriation.....	*13,840.00	
Banking, Department of.....	46,075.00	46,075.00
Board of Control.....	47,400.00	47,400.00
Budget, Director of.....	25,300.00	27,000.00
Compensation Commission.....	315,340.00	315,423.00
Silicosis Fund, Administration of.....	35,000.00	35,000.00
Capitol Building and Grounds.....	111,740.00	110,960.00
Conservation Commission:		
Division of Game, Fish and Forestry.....	51,200.00	51,200.00
State Parks.....	125,000.00	125,000.00
State Forests.....	25,000.00	25,000.00
Qualification for Federal Reimbursement under Clarke-McNary Act.....	50,000.00	50,000.00
Education, State Board of.....	23,565.00	25,435.00
Vocational division.....	49,795.00	49,795.00
Rehabilitation division.....	26,075.00	26,075.00
Education, Department of.....	170,500.00	170,500.00
State Aid to Schools.....	13,300,000.00	13,300,000.00
Text books for schools.....	150,000.00	150,000.00
Teacher's retirement.....	50,000.00	50,000.00
Supplemental appropriation.....	*750,000.00	
Geological Survey.....	44,070.00	44,070.00
Governor's Office:		
Salary, Personal Services of Secretaries, etc.....	23,000.00	23,000.00
Civil Contingent Fund.....	20,000.00	20,000.00
Custodial Fund.....	13,500.00	13,500.00
Emergency Fund.....	100,000.00	100,000.00
Health, Department of, and Public Health Council.....	155,400.00	155,400.00
Labor, Bureau of, and Department of Weights and Measures.....	48,455.00	48,455.00
Liquor Control Commission, West Virginia.....	383,000.00	383,000.00
Mailing Office, Central.....	69,510.00	69,510.00
Mines, Department of.....	254,200.00	246,700.00
Negro Welfare and Statistics, Bureau of.....	8,300.00	8,300.00
Pardon Attorney.....	6,000.00	6,000.00

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<b>Public Assistance, Department of:</b>		
Old Age Assistance and Aid to Blind and Dependent Children.....	3,150,000.00	3,150,000.00
General Relief Grants and Maintenance of Camps.....	3,100,000.00	2,800,000.00
Education of Children of Deceased World War Veterans.....	1,800.00	1,800.00
<b>Public Safety, Department of.....</b>	<b>575,000.00</b>	<b>575,000.00</b>
Radio Division.....	100,000.00	50,000.00
Traffic Violations.....	30,000.00	30,000.00
<b>Public Service Commission.....</b>	<b>247,000.00</b>	<b>247,000.00</b>
<b>Purchasing Department.....</b>	<b>44,500.00</b>	<b>44,500.00</b>
<b>Secretary of State.....</b>	<b>23,422.00</b>	<b>23,422.00</b>
<b>State Road Commission.....</b>	<b>2,564,000.00</b>	<b>2,540,000.00</b>
<b>State Sinking Fund Commission.....</b>	<b>9,800.00</b>	<b>9,800.00</b>
<b>Tax Commissioner.....</b>	<b>409,040.00</b>	<b>409,040.00</b>
Gasoline Department.....	19,832.00	19,832.00
<b>Treasurer's Office.....</b>	<b>43,000.00</b>	<b>46,500.00</b>
<b>Unemployment Compensation Commission:</b>		
Reemployment Division.....	45,000.00	45,000.00
<b>EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS</b>		
Bluefield State Teachers College.....	93,528.00	75,000.00
Concord State Teachers College.....	121,500.00	114,000.00
Fairmont State Teachers College.....	155,000.00	155,000.00
Glenville State Teachers College.....	86,000.00	86,000.00
Marshall College.....	334,280.00	328,000.00
New River State College.....	118,400.00	107,500.00
Potomac State School of West Virginia University.....	61,599.00	61,599.00
Shepherd State Teachers College.....	72,000.00	71,000.00
Storer College.....	10,000.00	10,000.00
West Liberty State Teachers College.....	73,500.00	72,000.00
West Virginia Schools for Deaf and Blind.....	167,500.00	162,500.00
West Virginia Schools for Colored Deaf and Blind.....	28,100.00	28,100.00
West Virginia State College.....	218,500.00	218,500.00
4-H Camp for Colored Boys and Girls.....	4,000.00	6,000.00
<b>West Virginia University:</b>		
Personal Services, etc.....	1,041,775.00	1,041,775.00
Mining and Industrial Extension.....	35,320.00	35,320.00
Agricultural, Horticultural and Home Economics Extension.....	50,645.00	50,645.00
State 4-H Camp at Jackson's Mill.....	26,000.00	26,000.00
Oglebay Institute.....	2,730.00	2,730.00
County Agents.....	60,000.00	60,000.00
Agricultural Experiment Station.....	42,110.00	42,110.00
Experiment Farm at Kearneysville.....	1,195.00	1,195.00
Reymann Memorial Farm.....	14,195.00	1,195.00
Inwood Apple Packing Plant.....	3,900.00	3,900.00
<b>PENAL AND CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTIONS</b>		
West Virginia Industrial Home for Colored Girls.....	11,500.00	11,500.00
West Virginia Industrial School for Colored Boys.....	25,290.00	25,290.00
West Virginia Industrial Home for Girls.....	59,000.00	59,000.00
West Virginia Industrial School for Boys.....	98,690.00	98,690.00
West Virginia Penitentiary.....	388,280.00	433,280.00
Supplemental appropriation.....	*173,200.00	.....
<b>HOSPITALS, SANITARIUMS AND HOMES</b>		
Berkeley Springs Sanitarium.....	9,000.00	9,000.00
Denmar Sanitarium.....	72,400.00	72,400.00
Supplemental appropriation.....	*15,520.00	.....
Fairmont Emergency Hospital.....	48,201.00	48,201.00
Home for the Aged and Infirm Colored.....	17,640.00	17,640.00
Hopemont Sanitarium.....	321,332.00	321,332.00
Huntington State Hospital.....	109,800.00	109,800.00
Lakin State Hospital.....	70,000.00	70,000.00
McKondree Emergency Hospital.....	44,850.00	44,850.00
Pinecrest Sanitarium.....	321,360.00	334,360.00
Supplemental appropriation.....	*11,045.00	.....
Spencer State Hospital.....	148,500.00	148,000.00
Tuberculosis Field Clinic.....	10,000.00	10,000.00
Welch Emergency Hospital.....	48,325.00	48,325.00
West Virginia Children's Home.....	26,467.25	25,720.00
West Virginia Colored Children's Home.....	14,700.00	14,700.00
West Virginia Training School.....	32,140.00	32,140.00
Weston State Hospital.....	284,000.00	281,000.00
<b>BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS</b>		
Accountants, State Board of Examiners of.....	1,000.00	1,000.00
Aeronautics, Bureau of.....	15,000.00	15,000.00
Architects, State Board of.....	2,000.00	2,000.00

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Athletic Commission, State.....	3,500.00	3,500.00
Barbers and Beauticians, State Committee of.....	27,900.00	27,900.00
Dental Examiners, State Board of.....	1,000.00	1,000.00
Droop Mountain Battlefield Commission.....	100.00	100.00
Embalmers and Funeral Directors, State Board.....	5,000.00	5,000.00
Grafton, G. A. R. Post.....	500.00	500.00
Interstate Cooperation, Commission on.....	3,500.00	3,500.00
Law Examiners, State Board of.....	1,500.00	1,500.00
Library Commission.....	2,500.00	2,500.00
Morgan Morgan Memorial.....	25.00	25.00
Nurses, Board of Examiners for Registered.....	3,700.00	3,700.00
Optometry, State Board of Examiners in.....	1,500.00	1,500.00
Osteopathy, Board of.....	500.00	500.00
Pharmacy, State Board of.....	5,000.00	5,000.00
Point Pleasant Battle Monument Commission.....	1,000.00	1,000.00
Professional Engineers, State Board of Registration for.....	3,500.00	3,500.00
Publicity Commission.....	25,000.00	25,000.00
Racing Commission.....	15,000.00	15,000.00
Rumseyan Society.....	100.00	100.00
Uniform State Laws, Commission for.....	600.00	600.00
Veterinary Examining Board, State.....	500.00	500.00
Water Commission.....	4,000.00	4,000.00
<b>MISCELLANEOUS</b>		
Engineers on Hinton Bridge.....	*3,988.33	.....
Fire Insurance:		
Insurance premiums on state institutions.....	20,000.00	20,000.00
Replacing losses by fire.....	*40,000.00	.....
New York World's Fair, State participation in.....	20,000.00	20,000.00
Parole and Probation Investigation and Supervision.....	50,000.00	50,000.00
Refunding consumer's sales tax.....	*188.33	.....
Refunding inheritance, transfer and estate taxes.....	*41,058.49	.....
Refunding gross sales tax.....	*14,765.14	.....
Refunding real estate license tax.....	*1,000.00	.....
Claims against State Road Commission.....	*39,303.75	.....
Principal and interest requirements of Funding Bonds.....	397,188.00	385,938.00

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## SESSIONS OF WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE \*1863-1939

Number of Legislature	Character of Session	Convened	Adjourned
First	Regular	June 20, 1863	December 11, 1863
Second	Regular	January 19, 1864	March 3, 1864
Third	Regular	January 17, 1865	March 3, 1865
Fourth	Regular	January 16, 1866	March 1, 1866
Fifth	Regular	January 15, 1867	February 28, 1867
Sixth	Regular	January 21, 1868	March 5, 1868
	Extra	June 2, 1868	July 28, 1868
	Adjourned	November 10, 1868	December 30, 1868
Seventh	Regular	January 19, 1869	March 4, 1869
Eighth	Regular	January 18, 1870	March 4, 1870
Ninth	Regular	January 17, 1871	March 2, 1871
Tenth	Regular	January 16, 1872	February 20, 1872
Eleventh	Regular	November 19, 1872	April 7, 1873 (1)
	Adjourned	October 20, 1873	December 22, 1873
Twelfth	Regular	January 13, 1875	February 26, 1875
	Adjourned	November 10, 1875	February 8, 1876 (2)
Thirteenth	Regular	January 10, 1877	March 2, 1877 (3)
Fourteenth	Regular	January 8, 1879	March 10, 1879 (4)
Fifteenth	Regular	January 12, 1881	March 15, 1881 (5)
	Adjourned	January 11, 1882	March 28, 1882
Sixteenth	Regular	January 10, 1883	February 23, 1883
Seventeenth	Regular	January 14, 1885	February 27, 1885
Eighteenth	Regular	January 12, 1887	February 25, 1887
	Extra	April 20, 1887	May 9, 1887
Nineteenth	Regular	January 9, 1889	February 22, 1889
	Extra	January 15, 1890	February 26, 1890
Twentieth	Regular	January 14, 1891	March 14, 1891 (6)
Twenty-first	Regular	January 11, 1893	February 24, 1893
	Extra	February 25, 1893	March 8, 1893
Twenty-second	Regular	January 9, 1895	February 22, 1895
Twenty-third	Regular	January 13, 1897	February 26, 1897
Twenty-fourth	Regular	January 11, 1899	February 25, 1899
Twenty-fifth	Regular	January 9, 1901	February 22, 1901
Twenty-sixth	Regular	January 14, 1903	February 27, 1903
	Extra	July 26, 1904	August 12, 1904
Twenty-seventh	Regular	January 11, 1905	February 24, 1905
	Extra	February 25, 1905	March 1, 1905
Twenty-eighth	Regular	January 9, 1907	February 22, 1907
	Extra	February 23, 1907	March 5, 1907
	Extra	January 28, 1908	March 3, 1908
Twenty-ninth	Regular	January 13, 1909	February 26, 1909
Thirtieth	Regular	January 1, 1911	February 24, 1911
	Extra	May 16, 1911	May 30, 1911
Thirty-first	Extra	January 2, 1913	January 7, 1913
	Regular	January 8, 1913	February 21, 1913
Thirty-second	Regular	January 13, 1915	February 26, 1915
	Extra	February 27, 1915	March 13, 1915
	Extra	May 18, 1915	May 24, 1915
	Extra	November 20, 1916	November 28, 1916
Thirty-third	Regular	January 10, 1917	February 23, 1917
	Extra	February 24, 1917	March 3, 1917
	Extra	May 14, 1917	May 26, 1917
Thirty-fourth	Regular	January 8, 1919	February 21, 1919
	Extra	March 11, 1919	March 31, 1919
	Extra	February 27, 1920	March 11, 1920
	Extra	September 14, 1920	September 17, 1920
Thirty-fifth	Initial	January 12, 1921	January 26, 1921
	Regular	March 16, 1921	April 29, 1921
	Extra	April 30, 1921	May 3, 1921
Thirty-sixth	Initial	January 10, 1923	January 24, 1923
	Regular	March 14, 1923	April 27, 1923
	Extended	April 28, 1923	June 14, 1923 (7)
Thirty-seventh	Initial	January 14, 1925	January 28, 1925
	Regular	March 11, 1925	April 24, 1925
	Extended	April 25, 1925	April 28, 1925 (8)
	Extra	April 29, 1925	June 6, 1925
Thirty-eighth	Initial	January 12, 1927	January 26, 1927
	Regular	March 17, 1927	April 29, 1927
	Extended	April 30, 1927	May 2, 1927 (9)
	Extra	May 3, 1927	June 15, 1927 (10)
Thirty-ninth	Regular	January 9, 1929	March 9, 1929
	Extended	March 10, 1929	March 16, 1929 (11)
	Extra	November 20, 1929	April 4, 1930 (12)
	Extra	April 4, 1930	April 4, 1930 (13)

Number of Legislature	Character of Session	Convened	Adjourned
Fortieth.....	Regular.....	January 14, 1931.....	March 14, 1931
	Extended.....	March 15, 1931.....	April 15, 1931 (14)
	Extra.....	July 12, 1932.....	August 27, 1932
Forty-first.....	Regular.....	January 11, 1933.....	March 11, 1933
	Extended.....	March 12, 1933.....	March 13, 1933 (15)
	Extra.....	April 10, 1933.....	June 3, 1933
Forty-second.....	Regular.....	November 21, 1933.....	March 24, 1934
	Extended.....	January 9, 1935.....	March 9, 1935
	Extra.....	March 10, 1935.....	March 11, 1935 (16)
Forty-third.....	Regular.....	June 15, 1936.....	June 20, 1936
	Extended.....	December 14, 1936.....	December 16, 1936
	Extra.....	January 13, 1937.....	March 13, 1937
Forty-fourth.....	Regular.....	January 11, 1939.....	March 11, 1939

## NOTES

- \*—The capital of West Virginia was located at Wheeling from 1863 to 1870; at Charleston from 1870 to 1875; and, at Wheeling from 1875 to 1885. It has been located permanently at Charleston since 1885.
- All sessions of the legislature were held at Wheeling from 1863 to 1870; at Charleston from 1871 to 1875; at Wheeling from 1877 to 1885; and at Charleston from 1887 to the present date.
- (1)—Length of session 1872-3 not limited by the new constitution.
  - (2)—House adjourned December 23, 1875, but Senate sat as a court of impeachment until February 8, 1876.
  - (3)—Session of 1877 extended by joint resolution from February 23 to March 2.
  - (4)—Session of 1879 extended by joint resolution from February 22 to March 10.
  - (5)—Session of 1881 extended by joint resolution from February 26 to March 15.
  - (6)—Session of 1891 extended by joint resolution from February 28 to March 14.
  - (7)—Session of 1893 extended by proclamation of the Governor; first extension from April 28 to May 7, second extension from May 8 to May 17; third extension from May 18 to June 14.
  - (8)—Session of 1925 extended by proclamation of the Governor; first extension from April 24 to April 25; second extension from April 26 to April 28.
  - (9)—Session of 1927 extended by proclamation of the Governor from April 30 to May 2.
  - (10)—Legislature in recess from May 4 until June 6.
  - (11)—Session of 1929 extended by proclamation of the Governor from March 10 to March 16.
  - (12)—Legislature in recess from November 23, 1929, to March 12, 1930.
  - (13)—Upon adjournment April 4, 1930, of the extraordinary session of 1929, the legislature immediately convened in extraordinary session, and adjourned the same day.
  - (14)—Session of 1931 extended by several proclamations of the Governor from March 15 to April 15.
  - (15)—Session of 1933 extended by proclamation of the Governor from March 12 to March 13.
  - (16)—Session of 1935 extended by proclamation of the Governor from March 10 to March 11.

## ELECTIVE OFFICERS OF THE SENATE 1863-1939

### PRESIDENTS OF THE SENATE

Name	County	Politics	When Elected
Phelps, John M.	Mason	Republican	1863
Stevenson, William E.	Wood	Republican	1864-68
Farnsworth, D. D. T.	Upshur	Republican	1869-70
Baker, Lewis	Ohio	Democrat	1871
*Sperry, Carlos A.	Greenbrier	Democrat	1872
*Johnson, Daniel D.	Tyler	Democrat	1872-75
Arnett, Ulysses N.	Marion	Democrat	1877
Johnson, Daniel D.	Tyler	Democrat	1879
Summers, Albert E.	Kanawha	Democrat	1881
Farnsworth, Thomas J.	Upshur	Democrat	1883
Price, George E.	Mineral	Democrat	1885-87
Carr, Robert S.	Kanawha	Democrat	1889
McCreary, John W.	Raleigh	Democrat	1891
Wiley, Rankin, Jr.	Mason	Democrat	1893
Worley, William G.	Preston	Republican	1895
Whitaker, Nelson E.	Ohio	Republican	1897
Marshall, Oliver S.	Hancock	Republican	1899
Smith, Anthony	Tyler	Republican	1901
May, Clarke W.	Lincoln	Republican	1903
Northcott, Gustavus A.	Cabell	Republican	1905
McDermott, Joseph H.	Monongalia	Republican	1907
Foreman, L. J.	Grant	Republican	1909
Hatfield, Dr. H. D.	McDowell	Republican	1911
Woods, Samuel V.	Barbour	Democrat	1913
England, E. T.	Logan	Republican	1915
Goodykoontz, Wells	Mingo	Republican	1917
Sinscl, Dr. Charles A.	Taylor	Republican	1919
Arnold, Gohen C.	Upshur	Republican	1921
Shaffer, Harry G.	Boone	Republican	1923
†Coffman, Charles G.	Harrison	Republican	1925
White, M. Z.	Mingo	Republican	1925-27-29-31
Mathews, A. G.	Calhoun	Democrat	1933
Hodges, Chas E.	Monongalia	Democrat	1935-37
La Fon, Wm. M.	Monroe	Democrat	1939

\*Two Presidents of the Senate were elected in 1872. After the new constitution was adopted in that year a special session of the newly elected members of the legislature was held and Daniel D. Johnson was elected President to succeed Carlos A. Sperry.

†Charles G. Coffman was elected President at the beginning of the 1925 session, but was unable to serve on account of illness, and on April 15, 1925, M. Z. White was elected as his successor.

### CLERKS OF THE SENATE

Name	County	Politics	Time of Service
Hall, Ellery R.	Marion	Republican	1863 to 1868
Moore, Edward W. S.	Marion	Republican	1869 to 1871
Miller, Joseph S.	Cabell	Democrat	1872 to 1875
Cunningham, E. A.	Pendleton	Democrat	1877-79
Johson, D. D.	Tyler	Democrat	1881
Alderson, John D.	Nicholas	Democrat	1883 to 1887
Walker, George J.	Jackson	Democrat	1889
Armstrong, Holly G.	Jackson	Democrat	1891
Byrne, William E. R.	Braxton	Democrat	1893
Harris, John T.	Wood	Republican	1895 to 1928
Hodges, M. S.	Pendleton	Republican	1929-31
Lively, Charles	Lewis	Democrat	1933-

## SERGEANTS-AT-ARMS OF THE SENATE

Name	County	Politics	When Elected
Kyle, Edmund	Wetzel	Republican	1863
Hazans, Alpheus	Preston	Republican	1864-65-66-67-68-69
Collett, William H.	Wood	Republican	1870
Clark, N. S.	Wood	Democrat	1871-72-73
Alderson, John D.	Nicholas	Democrat	1875-77-79-81
Vandiver, Charles H.	Mineral	Democrat	1883
Hays, S. A.	Gilmer	Democrat	1885
Marcum, J. H.	Wayne	Democrat	1887
Hawkins, Steele R.	Kanawha	Democrat	1889
Tracy, M. E.	Ohio	Democrat	1891
Bungardner, W. S.	Wirt	Democrat	1893
Willey, Cyrus	Summers	Republican	1895
Devore, J. N.	Jackson	Republican	1897
Swisher, Charles W.	Marion	Republican	1899
Pitch, E. H.	Cabell	Republican	1901
Largent, Lewis	Morgan	Republican	1903
O'Brien, Thomas, Jr.	Ohio	Republican	1905
Long, Will E.	Tyler	Republican	1907
Simms, John T.	Fayette	Republican	1909
Mehen, James R.	Wood	Democrat	1911-13
Long, Will E.	Tyler	Republican	1915
Petty, O. A.	Kanawha	Republican	1917
Hill, Bonner H.	Kanawha	Republican	1919
Smith, Jack	Cabell	Republican	1921
Kindleberger, M. C.	Ohio	Republican	1923
*Skeen, Herbert	Jackson	Republican	1925
*Hallanan, John	Cabell	Republican	1925
Bennett, D. C.	Wetzel	Republican	1927
Mullens, Roscoe C.	Putnam	Republican	1929-31
†Dotson, C. D.	Wood	Democrat	1933
‡Elliott, C. D.	Braxton	Democrat	1933
Wolfe, Fred D.	Jackson	Democrat	1935
Dent, C. P.	Fayette	Democrat	1937
Hays, Alfred K.	Wood	Democrat	1939

\*Herbert Skeen resigned April 30, 1925, John Hallanan being elected to fill the vacancy.

†C. D. Dotson resigned as Sergeant-at-Arms at the beginning of the second extraordinary session in 1933, C. D. Elliott being elected to fill the vacancy.

## DOORKEEPERS OF THE SENATE

Name	County	Politics	When Elected
Dunnington, W. M.	Marion	Republican	1863
Bogges, Thomas L.	Marion	Republican	1864-65
Mahon, Richard G.	Jackson	Republican	1866-67-68
Hager, Robert	Boone	Republican	1869
Charnock, John H.	Ohio	Republican	1870
Cook, Ballard	Wyoming	Republican	1871
Ball, Augustus	Boone	Democrat	1872
Alderson, John D.	Nicholas	Democrat	1872-73
Roach, F. D.	Wyoming	Democrat	1875
Percival, Thomas H.	Jefferson	Democrat	1877
Chilton, George S.	Kanawha	Democrat	1879
Kelley, David O.	Greenbrier	Democrat	1881-83-85
Grass, Thomas J.	Lincoln	Democrat	1887
Madison, James A.	Wood	Democrat	1889
Dent, Willis	Fayette	Democrat	1891
Burton, W. S.	Putnam	Democrat	1893
Campbell, Hiram	Calhoun	Republican	1895
Hamrick, C. C.	Webster	Republican	1897
Hayes, C. C.	Fayette	Republican	1899
Pettigrew, David S.	Nicholas	Republican	1901-03
Dorsey, J. M.	Clay	Republican	1905
Gough, C. V.	Taylor	Republican	1907-09
Thurman, W. C.	Raleigh	Democrat	1911
Dorsey, J. M.	Clay	Republican	1913
Smith, Jack	Cabell	Republican	1915-17-19
Stewart, James P.	Marshall	Republican	1921-23
Meservie, W. R.	Ritchie	Republican	1925
Blizzard, John W.	Fayette	Republican	1927
McDougal, A. S.	Ritchie	Republican	1929
Marschner, A. E.	Ohio	Republican	1931
Bell, C. W.	Nicholas	Democrat	1933
Tripplett, G. W.	Cabell	Democrat	1935
Hefner, M. H.	Braxton	Democrat	1937
Martin, Arthur M.	Cabell	Democrat	1939

## ELECTIVE OFFICERS OF THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES 1863-1939

### SPEAKERS OF THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES

Name	County	Politics	When Elected
Patrick, Spicer.....	Kanawha.....	Republican.....	1863
Kramer, Leroy.....	Monongalia.....	Republican.....	1864-65
Pinnell, David S.....	Upshur.....	Republican.....	1866-67
McWhorter, Henry C.....	Kanawha.....	Republican.....	1868
Fleming, Solomon S.....	Harrison.....	Republican.....	1869
Welch, William M.....	Mineral.....	Republican.....	1870
Cracraft, Elbridge G.....	Ohio.....	Democrat.....	1871
*Summer, Albert E.....	Kanawha.....	Democrat.....	1872
*Miller, W. W.....	Ohio.....	Democrat.....	1872
Monroe, Alexander.....	Hampshire.....	Democrat.....	1875
Gibson, Eustace.....	Cabell.....	Democrat.....	1877
Moffett, Geo. H.....	Pocahontas.....	Democrat.....	1879
Wilson, E. Willis.....	Kanawha.....	Democrat.....	1881
Woods, Joseph J.....	Ohio.....	Democrat.....	1883
Dennis, Thomas H.....	Greenbrier.....	Democrat.....	1885
Rowan, John M.....	Monroe.....	Democrat.....	1887
Woods, Joseph J.....	Ohio.....	Democrat.....	1889
Bennett, Louis.....	Lewis.....	Democrat.....	1891
Shaw, David W.....	Barbour.....	Democrat.....	1893
Edwards, William Seymour.....	Kanawha.....	Republican.....	1895
Hanen, Samuel R.....	Marshall.....	Republican.....	1897
McKinney, Owen S.....	Marion.....	Democrat.....	1899
Wilson, William G.....	Randolph.....	Republican.....	1901
Moats, Frank P.....	Wood.....	Republican.....	1903
Grosscup, Fred Paul.....	Kanawha.....	Republican.....	1905
Seaman, James A.....	Jackson.....	Republican.....	1907
Strickling, J. H.....	Tyler.....	Republican.....	1909
Wetzel, C. M.....	Jefferson.....	Democrat.....	1911
George, William T.....	Barbour.....	Republican.....	1913
Johnson, Vernon E.....	Morgan.....	Republican.....	1915
Thurmond, Joseph S.....	Greenbrier.....	Democrat.....	1917
Wolfe, J. Luther.....	Jackson.....	Republican.....	1919
Keatley, Edwin M.....	Kanawha.....	Republican.....	1921
Byrne, W. E. R.....	Kanawha.....	Democrat.....	1923
Keatley, Edwin M.....	Kanawha.....	Republican.....	1925
Johnson, Vernon E.....	Morgan.....	Republican.....	1927
Cummings, J. William.....	Ohio.....	Republican.....	1929
Taylor, J. Alfred.....	Fayette.....	Democrat.....	1931
Hiner, Palpb M.....	Pendleton.....	Democrat.....	1933
Pelter, John J.....	Logan.....	Democrat.....	1935
Thomas, James Kay.....	Kanawha.....	Democrat.....	1937-39

\*Two Speakers of the House of Delegates were elected in 1872. After the Constitution was adopted in that year, a special session of the newly elected members of the legislature was held and W. W. Miller was elected Speaker to succeed Albert E. Summers.

### CLERKS OF THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES

Name	County	Politics	Time of Service
Hall, Granville D.....	Harrison.....	Republican.....	1863-64-65
Hubbard, Wm. P.....	Ohio.....	Republican.....	1866-67-68-69-70
Burdett, William T.....	Kanawha.....	Democrat.....	1871
Peyton, J. Bernard.....	Kanawha.....	Democrat.....	1872-73-75-77-79-81-83-85-87-91-93
Hamilton, John M.....	Calhoun.....	Democrat.....	1889
Dawson, William M. O.....	Preston.....	Republican.....	1895
Hood, E. E.....	Kanawha.....	Republican.....	1897
Byrne, Wm. E. R.....	Kanawha.....	Democrat.....	1899
Shaw, Harry.....	Marion.....	Republican.....	1901-03-05
Topping, C. L.....	Kanawha.....	Republican.....	1907-09-19
Neely, M. M.....	Marion.....	Democrat.....	1911
Pritchard, John Guy.....	Marion.....	Republican.....	1913-15
Hamilton, Robert L.....	Calhoun.....	Democrat.....	1917-23
Hodges, M. S.....	Pendleton.....	Republican.....	1921-25-27
Reed, L. V.....	Tyler.....	Republican.....	1929
Kidd, R. H.....	Taylor.....	Democrat.....	1931
Hall, John S.....	Mingo.....	Democrat.....	1933-

## SERGEANTS-AT-ARMS OF THE HOUSE DELEGATES

Name	County	Politics	When Elected
Morrison, S. G. W.	Ohio	Republican	1863-64-65-66-67-68
Dunnington, J. W.	Ritchie	Republican	1869
Davis, D. L.	Wood	Republican	1870
Horner, John W.	Wood	Democrat	1871-72-73
Moffitt, W. L.	Kanawha	Democrat	1875
French, Napoleon B.	Mercer	Democrat	1877
Clark, Nathaniel S.	Wood	Democrat	1879
Cain, Harrison	Gilmer	Democrat	1881
Sargeant, George P.	Barbour	Democrat	1883
Henshaw, Thornton	Berkeley	Democrat	1885
Dorr, Charles P.	Webster	Democrat	1887
Gibbs, W. Brown	Roane	Democrat	1889-91
Lynch, C. F.	Lewis	Democrat	1893
Morris, M. B.	Gilmer	Republican	1895
Crislip, Cyrus A.	Roane	Republican	1897
Morton, E. H.	Webster	Democrat	1899
Ramsey, W. H.	Fayette	Republican	1901
Worden, H. N.	Tucker	Republican	1903-05-07
Sutphin, Dr. S. B.	Raleigh	Republican	1909
Wood, E. L.	Kanawha	Democrat	1911
Statts, Edgar R.	Roane	Republican	1913
Otto, George W.	Ohio	Republican	1915
Kenna, John E.	Kanawha	Democrat	1917
Curtis, W. H. C.	Ohio	Republican	1919-21
Riffe, W. A.	Raleigh	Democrat	1923
*Curtis, W. H. C.	Ohio	Republican	1925
*Johnston, J. J.	Mineral	Republican	1925
Hutchinson, W. H.	Roane	Republican	1927-29
DePue, Hal	Kanawha	Democrat	1931
Martin, W. W.	Greenbrier	Democrat	1933
DePue, Hal	Kanawha	Democrat	1935
Holswade, Harry	Roane	Democrat	1937-39

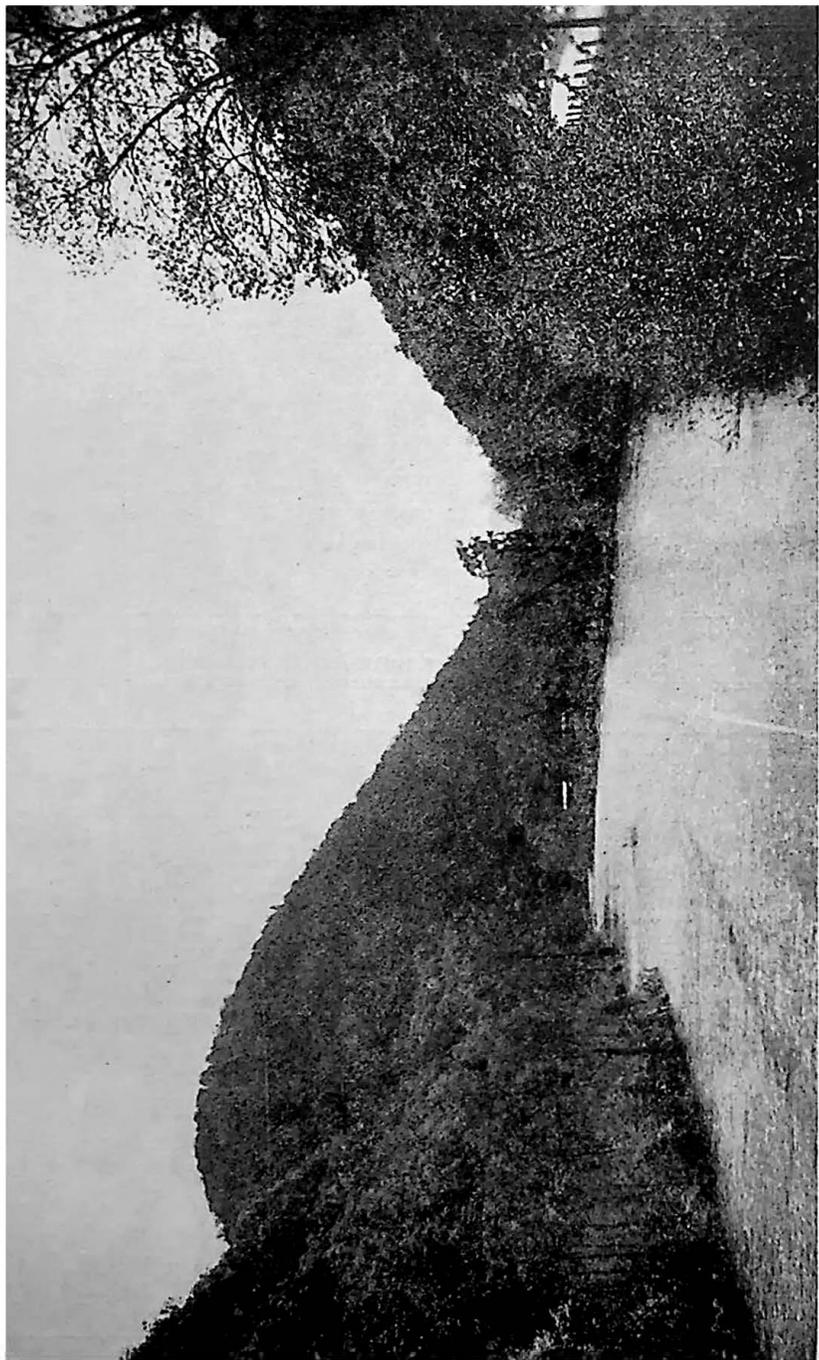
\* W. H. C. Curtis died May 26, 1925, and J. J. Johnston was elected to fill the vacancy.

## DOORKEEPERS OF THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES

Name	County	Politics	When Elected
Holliday, Wm. W.	Ohio	Republican	1863-64
Wheat, Joseph H.	Morgan	Republican	1865-66
Bellville, John Q.	Ohio	Republican	1867-68-69-70
Washburne, O. H.	Lewis	Democrat	1871
Campbell, S. H.	Gilmer	Democrat	1872-73
Patton, William M.	Harrison	Democrat	1875
Campbell, S. H.	Gilmer	Democrat	1877
Nealis, James P.	Hampshire	Democrat	1879-81-83
Werniger, A. N.	Onio	Democrat	1885
Devine, Michael B.	Tyler	Democrat	1887
Knotts, A. N.	Marion	Democrat	1889
Teamster, Thomas L.	Greenbrier	Democrat	1891
Vickers, E. M.	Boone	Democrat	1893
Edmonds, William	Wood	Republican	1895
Allen, Joseph M.	Taylor	Republican	1897
Mitchell, Shirley H.	Wirt	Democrat	1899
Ripley, J. A.	Jackson	Republican	1901
Mayzard, J. M.	Fayette	Republican	1903
Edmonds, William	Wood	Republican	1905-07
Buckley, John M.	Wood	Republican	1909
Lemon, James H.	Raleigh	Democrat	1911
Fletcher, W. N.	Tyler	Republican	1913
Davis, A. W.	Harrison	Republican	1915
Kidd, J. W.	Braxton	Democrat	1917
Shriver, J. H.	Ritchie	Republican	1919
Morris, Walter M.	Harrison	Republican	1921
Combs, T. F.	Cabell	Democrat	1923
Hutchinson, William	Roane	Republican	1925
Morrison, F. A.	Mason	Republican	1927
Knabenshue, E. H.	Upshur	Republican	1929
*Allison, O. O.	Hancock	Democrat	1931
†Gilbert, A. M.	Berkeley	Democrat	1933
†Kincaid, James B.	Kanawha	Democrat	1933
Finley, J. N.	Hancock	Democrat	1935
Ncal, Clark	Nicholas	Democrat	1937
Crosier, Joe B.	McDowell	Democrat	1939

\*Died March 16, 1931. Vacancy not filled.

†A. M. Gilbert resigned at the beginning of second extraordinary session and James B. Kincaid was elected to fill the vacancy.



South Branch of the Potomac River, Grant County, Showing Petersburg Gap

# JUDICIAL

## SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS

(Corrected to January 1, 1940)

(Charleston)

Regular terms of Court are held on the second Wednesday in January and on the first Wednesday in September.

Special terms are held at such times and places as may be designated by the Court.

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Applications and motions for admissions of attorneys should be listed on the Motion Docket before Court convenes on the day such motions are made.

### JUDGES

James B. Riley, (D), *President*, Wheeling, Ohio County; term expires December 31, 1948..... 2618 South Kanawha Avenue  
John H. Hatcher, (R), Raleigh County; term expires December 31, 1940..... 1020 Oakmont Road  
Jo N. Kenna, (D), Kanawha County; term expires December 31, 1944..... 625 Swarthmore Avenue  
Haymond Maxwell, (R), Clarksburg, Harrison County; term expires December 31, 1940..... 1511 Lee Street  
Fred L. Fox, (D), Sutton, Braxton County; term expires December 31, 1948..... 206 Ruffner Avenue

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To Judge Kenna—Herbert W. Bryan,  
Kanawha County..... 102 Church Street, St. Albans  
To Judge Maxwell—Kelcel M. Ross, Upshur County..... 1507-B Virginia Street  
To Judge Riley—Ralph D. Woods, Ritchie County..... The Hickories, Fort Hill

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John O. Henson, *President*, Berkeley County.....Martinsburg  
 Berkeley Minor, Jr., *Vice President*, Kanawha County.....Charleston  
 James W. Vandervort, Wood County.....Parkersburg  
 D. J. F. Strother, McDowell County.....Welch  
 Joseph R. Curl, Ohio County.....Wheeling

Wm. B. Mathews, *Secretary*, Kanawha County.....Charleston

Two years of college academic work or its equivalent and three years full work as a resident student in an accredited law school are required for admission to the state bar examination.

\*Appointed by the Supreme Court of Appeals.

## CLERKS OF THE SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS, 1863-1939

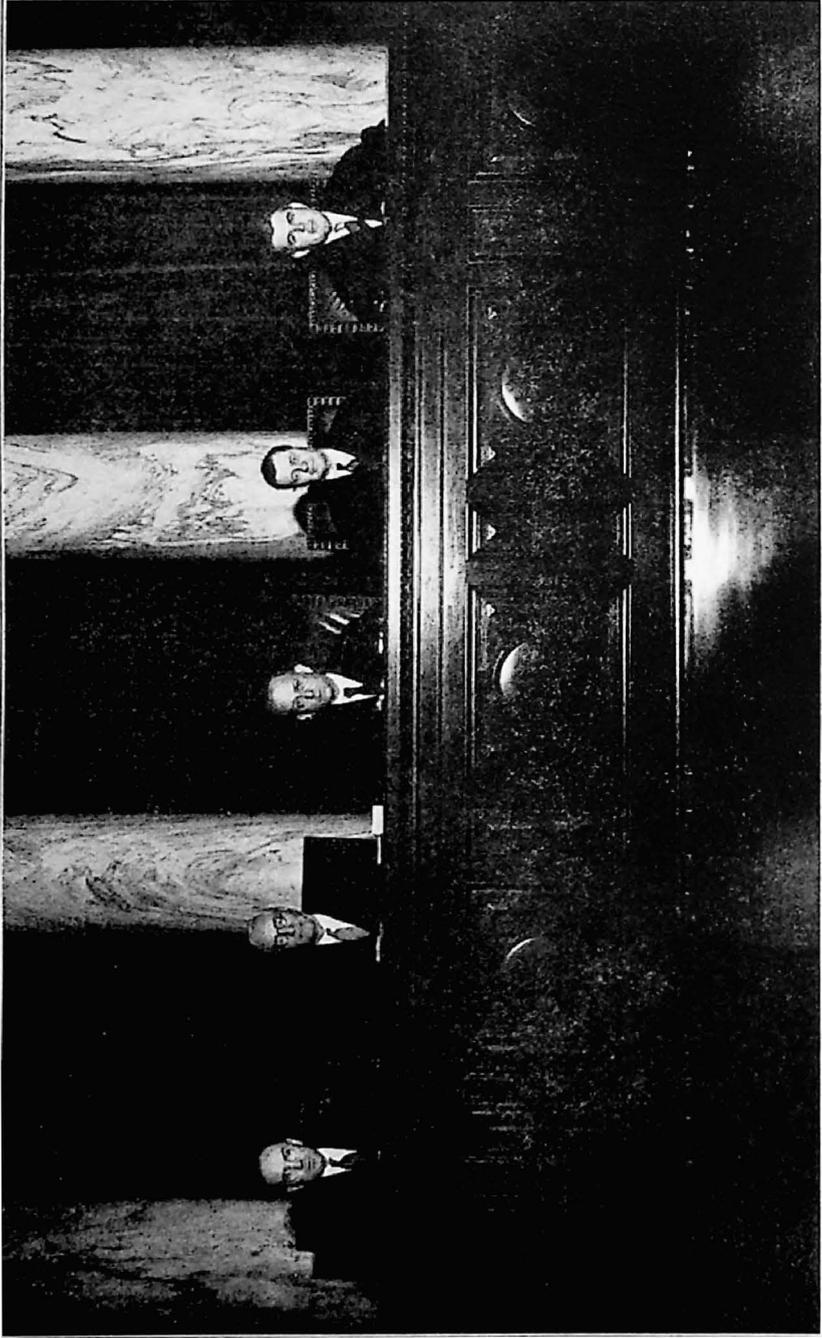
Name	County	Politics	Time of Service
Sylvanus W. Hall.....	Marion.....	Republican.....	1863-1874
Odell S. Long.....	Ohio.....	Democrat.....	1874-1897
James A. Holley.....	Kanawha.....	Democrat.....	1898-1902
Wm. B. Mathews.....	Kanawha.....	Republican.....	1902-1937
W. E. R. Byrne.....	Kanawha.....	Democrat.....	1937
Wm. B. Mathews.....	Kanawha.....	Republican.....	1938
Benjamin B. Jarvis.....	Harrison.....	Democrat.....	1938-

\*Appointed by the Supreme Court of Appeals.

JUDGES OF THE SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS OF WEST VIRGINIA, 1863-1939

No.	NAME	COUNTY	POLITICS	Service	Born	Appointed or Resigned	Elected	Died
1	Ralph Lasier Berkshire.....	Monongalia.....	Republican.....	1863-66 1869-72	April 8, 1816	*Sept. 10, 1869	1863	Nov. 8, 1902
2	William A. Harrison.....	Harrison.....	Republican.....	1863-68	Aug. 27, 1795	†Sept. 1, 1868	1863	Dec. 31, 1870
3	James H. Brown.....	Kanawha.....	Republican.....	1863-70	Dec. 25, 1818	.....	1863	Oct. 28, 1900
4	Edwin Maxwell.....	Harrison.....	Republican.....	1867-72	July 16, 1825	.....	1866	Feb. 5, 1903
5	Charles P. T. Moore.....	Mason.....	Democrat.....	1871-81	Feb. 8, 1831	†June 1, 1881	1870 1872	July 7, 1904
6	John S. Hoffman.....	Harrison.....	Democrat.....	1873-75	June 25, 1821	†June 1, 1876	1872	Nov. 18, 1877
7	James Paull.....	Ohio.....	Democrat.....	1873-75	July 6, 1818	.....	1872	May 11, 1875
8	Alpheus F. Haymond.....	Marion.....	Democrat.....	1873-82	Dec. 15, 1823	†Jan. 1, 1883	1872 1876	Dec. 15, 1893
9	Matthew Edmiston.....	Lewis.....	Democrat.....	1876	Sept. 0, 1814	*June 13, 1876	1876	June 29, 1887
10	Thomas C. Green.....	Jefferson.....	Democrat.....	1876-80	Nov. 5, 1820	*Dec. 24, 1876	1876	Dec. 4, 1880
11	Okey Johnson.....	Wood.....	Democrat.....	1877-88	Mar. 24, 1834	.....	1876	June 10, 1903
12	James French Patton.....	Monroe.....	Democrat.....	1881-82	Sept. 19, 1843	*June 1, 1881	1882	Mar. 30, 1882
13	Adam C. Snyder.....	Greenbrier.....	Democrat.....	1882-90	Mar. 20, 1834	*June 1, 1882	1882	June 24, 1890
14	Samuel Woods.....	Barbour.....	Democrat.....	1883-88	Sept. 19, 1822	*Jan. 1, 1883	1884	Feb. 17, 1897
15	Henry Brannon.....	Lewis.....	††Dem.—Rep.....	1889-12	Nov. 27, 1837	.....	1888 1900	Nov. 24, 1914
16	John W. Engliab.....	Mason.....	Democrat.....	1889-90	Jan. 31, 1831	.....	1888	July 12, 1916
17	Daniel B. Lucas.....	Jefferson.....	Democrat.....	1890-92	Mar. 16, 1836	*Dec. 11, 1889	1890	July 24, 1909
18	Homer A. Holt.....	Greenbrier.....	Democrat.....	1890-93	April 27, 1831	*Nov. 8, 1890	1892	Jan. 7, 1898
19	Marmaduke H. Dent.....	Taylor.....	Democrat.....	1893-04	April 18, 1840	.....	1892	Sept. 11, 1900
20	Henry C. McWorter.....	Kanawha.....	Republican.....	1897-08	Feb. 20, 1836	.....	1896	April 15, 1913
21	George Poffenbarger.....	Mason.....	Republican.....	1901-22	Nov. 24, 1861	.....	1900 1912	.....
22	Warren Miller.....	Jackson.....	Republican.....	1903-04	April 2, 1848	*Jan. 17, 1903	.....	Dec. 29, 1920
23	Frank Cox.....	Monongalia.....	Republican.....	1905-07	June 18, 1862	†Jan. 28, 1907	1904	.....
24	Joseph M. Sanders.....	Mercer.....	Republican.....	1905-07	Aug. 20, 1860	†Oct. 1, 1907	1904	Feb. 17, 1927
25	William N. Miller.....	Wood.....	Republican.....	1907-28	Oct. 18, 1855	*Jan. 20, 1907	1908 1916	Aug. 7, 1928
26	Ira E. Robinson.....	Taylor.....	Republican.....	1907-15	Sept. 16, 1860	*Oct. 15, 1907 †Oct. 26, 1915	1908	.....
27	L. Judson Williams.....	Greenbrier.....	Republican.....	1909-20	Oct. 18, 1856	.....	1908	Oct. 28, 1931
28	Chas. W. Lynch.....	Harrison.....	Republican.....	1913-21	Mar. 11, 1851	†Dec. 31, 1921	1912	Sept. 9, 1932
29	John W. Mason.....	Marion.....	Republican.....	1915-16	Jan. 13, 1842	*Nov. 1, 1915	.....	April 23, 1917
30	Harold A. Ritz.....	Mercer.....	Republican.....	1917-22	July 25, 1873	†Nov. 30, 1922	1916	.....
31	Frank Lively.....	Kanawha.....	Republican.....	1921-32	Nov. 18, 1864	.....	1920	.....
32	James A. Meredith.....	Marion.....	Republican.....	1922-24	Jan. 27, 1876	*Jan. 2, 1922	.....	.....
33	William H. McGinnis.....	Raleigh.....	Democrat.....	1923-24	Dec. 22, 1855	.....	1922	Aug. 12, 1930
34	M. O. Lits.....	McDowell.....	Republican.....	1923-30	Aug. 4, 1874	*Jan. 1, 1923	1924	.....
35	John H. Hatcher.....	Raleigh.....	Republican.....	1924	June 20, 1875	.....	1924	.....
36	Homer B. Woods.....	Ritchie.....	Republican.....	1925-36	July 16, 1860	.....	1924	.....
37	Haymond Maxwell.....	Harrison.....	Republican.....	1928	Oct. 24, 1870	*Aug. 24, 1928	.....	.....
38	Jo N. Kenna.....	Kanawha.....	Democrat.....	1933	Jan. 10, 1888	.....	1932	.....
39	Fred L. Fox.....	Braxton.....	Democrat.....	1937	Oct. 24, 1876	.....	1936	.....
40	James B. Riley.....	Ohio.....	Democrat.....	1937	July 26, 1894	.....	1936	.....

\*Appointed. †Resigned. ††Elected in 1888 on the Democratic ticket and reelected in 1900 on the Republican ticket.



**JUDGES OF THE SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS, 1910**

**Jo N. Kenna**

**John H. Hatcher**

**Fred L. Fox**

**Haymond Maxwell**

—*Photo by Hazleton*  
**James B. Riley**  
**President**

**BIOGRAPHIES OF MEMBERS OF SUPREME COURT  
OF APPEALS**

**JAMES B. RILEY, (D)**, of Wheeling, was born July 26, 1894, son of T. S. and Minnie B. Riley; graduated from West Virginia University with the degree of A. B., and from Columbia University with the degrees of LL. B. and A. M. (in public law); served as captain in the United States Marine Corps during the World War; married in 1925 to Frances Wood; Catholic; member American Law Institute, and Ohio County, West Virginia and American Bar Association; lawyer; city solicitor of Beewood, 1930-1936; legal adviser Ohio County Board of Commissioners, 1933-36; member Democratic State Executive Committee, 1932-36; elected Judge of the Supreme Court of Appeals in 1936 for a term of twelve years.

**JOHN H. HATCHER, (R)**, of Beckley, was born June 29, 1875, at Bland, Virginia, son of W. C. and Anne Bulman Hatcher; educated at Emory and Henry College and West Virginia University; served in the army during the Spanish-American War; married April 12, 1900, to Leona L. Bowman; Methodist; lawyer; judge Tenth Judicial Circuit, 1921-1924; elected Judge of the Supreme Court of Appeals in 1924 and reelected to same office in 1928 for a term of twelve years.

**JOSEPH NORRIS KENNA, (D)**, of Charleston, was born in that city January 10, 1888, son of John E. and Annie Benninghaus Kenna; educated in public schools, at Mt. St. Mary's College and at the University of Virginia, graduating from the college of law at the latter institution in 1910; married June 22, 1916, to Louise Mountcastle, of Knoxville, Tennessee; elected to House of Delegates from Kanawha County in 1930; elected Judge of the Supreme Court of Appeals in 1932 for a term of twelve years.

**HAYMOND MAXWELL, (R)**, of Clarksburg, was born October 24, 1879, son of Edwin and Loretta (Shuttleworth) Maxwell; graduated from West Virginia University in 1900, with A. B. degree, and from same institution with degree of LL. B. in 1901; married June 28, 1905, to Carrie V. Maxwell; Methodist; Mason; Phi Beta Kappa, Phi Sigma Kappa, Phi Alpha Delta; admitted to the bar in 1901 and practiced law with his father under the firm name of Maxwell & Maxwell; member House of Delegates, 1904-1906; judge Criminal Court, Harrison County, 1909-1912; judge Circuit Court, Fifteenth Judicial Circuit, 1913-1925; appointed Judge of the Supreme Court of Appeals in August, 1928, and elected to same office in November, 1928, for a term of twelve years.

**FRED LEE FOX, (D)**, of Sutton, was born October 24, 1876, at the mouth of Birch River, Braxton County, son of Camden and Caroline (McMorrow) Fox; educated in the public schools; graduated from West Virginia University with the degree of LL. B.; married June 27, 1900, to Annie Lee Frame, of Sutton; Presbyterian; engaged in the practice of law at Sutton since 1899; member of West Virginia Senate, 1912-1920, serving as Democratic leader of that body for six years; chairman Democratic County Executive Committee of Braxton County for eighteen years; member of Democratic State Executive Committee, 1924-1936; State Tax Commissioner, March, 1933, to December, 1936; elected Judge of the Supreme Court of Appeals at the general election in 1936 for a term of twelve years.

## MAP, WEST VIRGINIA JUDICIAL CIRCUITS



## JUDICIAL CIRCUITS

- First Judicial Circuit—**  
Ohio, Brooke, Hancock.
- Second Judicial Circuit—**  
Marshall, Tyler, Wetzel.
- Third Judicial Circuit—**  
Doddridge, Pleasants, Ritchie.
- Fourth Judicial Circuit—**  
Wirt, Wood.
- Fifth Judicial Circuit—**  
Calhoun, Jackson, Mason, Roane.
- Sixth Judicial Circuit—**  
Cabell, Lincoln, Putnam.
- Seventh Judicial Circuit—**  
Logan.
- Eighth Judicial Circuit—**  
McDowell.
- Ninth Judicial Circuit—**  
Mercer, Wyoming.
- Tenth Judicial Circuit—**  
Boone, Raleigh.
- Eleventh Judicial Circuit—**  
Greenbrier, Monroe, Pocahontas, Summers.
- Twelfth Judicial Circuit—**  
Fayette, Nicholas.
- Thirteenth Judicial Circuit—**  
Kanawha.
- Fourteenth Judicial Circuit—**  
Braxton, Clay, Gilmer, Webster.
- Fifteenth Judicial Circuit—**  
Lewis, Harrison.
- Sixteenth Judicial Circuit—**  
Marion.
- Seventeenth Judicial Circuit—**  
Monongalia.
- Eighteenth Judicial Circuit—**  
Preston.
- Nineteenth Judicial Circuit—**  
Barbour, Taylor.
- Twentieth Judicial Circuit—**  
Randolph, Upshur.
- Twenty-first Judicial Circuit—**  
Grant, Mineral, Tucker.
- Twenty-second Judicial Circuit—**  
Hampshire, Hardy, Pendleton.
- Twenty-third Judicial Circuit—**  
Berkeley, Jefferson, Morgan.
- Twenty-fourth Judicial Circuit—**  
Wayne, Mingo.

## CIRCUIT COURTS

(Corrected to December 1, 1939)

## \*JUDGES AND TERMS OF COURTS

**First Judicial Circuit—J. J. P. O'Brien, (D), and J. H. Brennan, (R),  
Judges, Wheeling**

<i>Counties</i>	<i>Terms of Court</i>
Ohio.....	Second Monday in January, April and September.
Brooke.....	First Monday in March, June and November.
Hancock.....	First Tuesday after the second Monday in January, April and September.

**Second Judicial Circuit—James F. Shipman, (D), Judge, Moundsville**

<i>Counties</i>	<i>Terms of Court</i>
Marshall.....	Second Tuesday in February, June and October.
Tyler.....	Third Tuesday in March, July and November.
Wetzel.....	First Tuesday in January, May and September.

**Third Judicial Circuit—S. O. Prunty, (R), Judge, Harrisville**

<i>Counties</i>	<i>Terms of Court</i>
Doddridge.....	First Tuesday in April and 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, June and October.

**Fourth Judicial Circuit—E. B. Pennybacker, (D), Judge, Parkersburg**

<i>Counties</i>	<i>Terms of Court</i>
Wood.....	Fourth Monday in January and April, and second Monday in October.
Wirt.....	First Monday in January and June, and second Monday in September.

**Fifth Judicial Circuit—Lewis H. Miller, (R), Ripley**

<i>Counties</i>	<i>Terms of Court</i>
Calhoun.....	Third Monday in April, August and November.
Jackson.....	First Monday in April, August and November.
Mason.....	First Monday in January, May and September.
Roane.....	Third Monday in January, May and September.

**Sixth Judicial Circuit—Carney M. Layne, (D), Judge, Huntington**

<i>Counties</i>	<i>Terms of Court</i>
Cabell.....	First Monday in January and 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—C. C. Chambers, (D), Judge, Logan**

<i>County</i>	<i>Terms of Court</i>
Logan.....	Second Monday in January, May and September.

\*The terms of all Circuit Judges expire December 31, 1944.

**Eighth Judicial Circuit—Thos. H. S. Curd, (D), Judge, Welch**

<i>County</i>	<i>Terms of Court</i>
McDowell.....	Second Monday in March and June, and first Monday in September and December.

**Ninth Judicial Circuit—D. M. Easley, (D), Judge, Bluefield**

<i>Counties</i>	<i>Terms of Court</i>
Mercer.....	Second Monday in March, May and August, and fourth Monday in November.
Wyoming.....	Second Monday in February, April, July and October.

**Tenth Judicial Circuit—\*W. H. File, (D), Judge, Beckley**

<i>Counties</i>	<i>Terms of Court</i>
Boone.....	First Monday in February, May and August, and second Monday in November.
Raleigh.....	Third Monday in February and May, fourth Monday in August, and first Monday in December.

**Eleventh Judicial Circuit—Mark L. Jarrett, (D), Judge, Lewisburg**

<i>Counties</i>	<i>Terms of Court</i>
Greenbrier.....	Third Tuesday in April and fourth Tuesday in July and November.
Monroe.....	First Tuesday in April, and second Tuesday in July and November.
Pocahontas.....	Second Tuesday in March, and first Tuesday in June and October.
Summers.....	Second Tuesday in January, May and September.

**Twelfth Judicial Circuit—H. E. Dillon, Jr., (D), Judge, Fayetteville**

<i>Counties</i>	<i>Terms of Court</i>
Fayette.....	First Tuesday in January, April and July, and third Tuesday in September.
Nicholas.....	Third Tuesday in February, May, August and November.

**Thirteenth Judicial Circuit—Julian F. Bouchelle, (D), Judge, Charleston**

<i>County</i>	<i>Terms of Court</i>
Kanawha.....	Fourth Monday in January, and second Monday in May and September.

**Fourteenth Judicial Circuit—Jake Fisher, (D), Judge, Sutton**

<i>Counties</i>	<i>Terms of Court</i>
Braxton.....	Second Monday in March, July and November.
Clay.....	First Monday in February, June and October.
Gilmer.....	Third Monday in February, June and October.
Webster.....	Second Monday in January, May and September.

**Fifteenth Judicial Circuit—Homer Strosnider, (D), Judge, Clarksburg**

<i>Counties</i>	<i>Terms of Court</i>
Lewis.....	First Monday in March, third Monday in June and first Monday in November.
Harrison.....	First Monday in January, May and September.

**Sixteenth Judicial Circuit—†Frank C. Haymond, (D), Judge, Fairmont**

<i>County</i>	<i>Terms of Court</i>
Marion.....	Second Monday in March, June and November.

\*Appointed July 19, 1939, by Governor Holt to succeed C. M. Ward, who died May 20, 1939.

†Walter R. Haggerty, Judge of the Circuit Court of Marion County, died May 10, 1939, and Frank C. Haymond was appointed by Governor Holt, May 18, 1939, to fill the vacancy.

**Seventeenth Judicial Circuit—Minter L. Wilson, (D), Judge, Morgantown**

<i>County</i>	<i>Terms of Court</i>
Monongalia.....	First Thursday after the first Monday in January, April, July and October.

**Eighteenth Judicial Circuit—A. G. Hughes, (R), Judge, Kingwood**

<i>County</i>	<i>Terms of Court</i>
Preston.....	Second Tuesday in March and June, and fourth Tuesday in October.

**Nineteenth Judicial Circuit—Herbert W. Dent, (D), Judge, Grafton**

<i>Counties</i>	<i>Terms of Court</i>
Barbour.....	Fourth Monday in February, May and October.
Taylor.....	Second Monday in January, April and September.

**Twentieth Judicial Circuit—John F. Brown, (R), Judge, Elkins**

<i>Counties</i>	<i>Terms of Court</i>
Randolph.....	Third Tuesday in February and May, and second Tuesday in October.
Upshur.....	Second Monday in January, April and September.

**Twenty-First Judicial Circuit—Robt. McV. Drane, (D), Judge, Piedmont**

<i>Counties</i>	<i>Terms of Court</i>
Grant.....	First Tuesday in April, second Tuesday in July and third Tuesday in November.
Mineral.....	Third Tuesday in January and April, fourth Tuesday in July and third Tuesday in October.
Tucker.....	First Monday in March and June, and third Tuesday in September and December.

**Twenty-Second Judicial Circuit—Harlan M. Calhoun, (D), Judge, Moorefield**

<i>Counties</i>	<i>Terms of Court</i>
Hampshire.....	First Tuesday in January, March, and July, and third Tuesday in September.
Hardy.....	Third Tuesday in February, June and October.
Pendleton.....	Third Tuesday in March, fourth Tuesday in July and first Tuesday in December.

**Twenty-Third Judicial Circuit—Decatur H. Rodgers, (R), Judge, Martinsburg**

<i>Counties</i>	<i>Terms of Court</i>
Berkeley.....	Third Tuesday in February, May and October.
Jefferson.....	Third Tuesday in January, April and September.
Morgan.....	First Tuesday in January, April and September.

**Twenty-Fourth Judicial Circuit—Charles W. Ferguson, (D), Judge, Wayne**

<i>Counties</i>	<i>Terms of Court</i>
Mingo.....	First Monday in January, May and October.
Wayne.....	Second Monday in March and July, and fourth Monday in November.

## INTERMEDIATE AND CRIMINAL COURTS

### JUDGES AND TERMS OF COURT

#### CABELL COUNTY

- Common Pleas Court.....H. Clay Warth, (D), Judge, Huntington; term expires December 31, 1944. Terms of Court: First Monday in February, June and October.
- Domestic Relations Court.....Ira P. Baer, (D), Judge, Huntington; term expires December 31, 1946. Terms of Court: Second Monday in April, and first Monday in June, September and December.

#### HARRISON COUNTY

- Criminal Court.....Arlos Jackson Harbert, (D), Judge, Clarksburg; term expires December 31, 1940. Terms of Court: First Tuesday in March and June, and second Tuesday in November.

#### KANAWHA COUNTY

- Common Pleas and Domestic Relations Court.....Andrew S. Alexander, (D), Judge, Charleston, term expires December 31, 1940. Terms of Court: Third Monday in February, June and October.
- Intermediate Court.....D. Jackson Savage, (D), Judge, Charleston; term expires December 31, 1942. Terms of Court: First Monday in January and April, and second Monday in June and October.

#### MARION COUNTY

- Criminal Court.....Charles E. Miller, (D), Judge, Fairmont; term expires December 31, 1940. Terms of Court: Second Tuesday in January and May, and third Tuesday in September.

#### MERCER COUNTY

- Criminal Court.....John M. McGrath, (D), Judge, Princeton; term expires December 31, 1942. Terms of Court: First Monday in January, April, July and October.

#### McDOWELL COUNTY

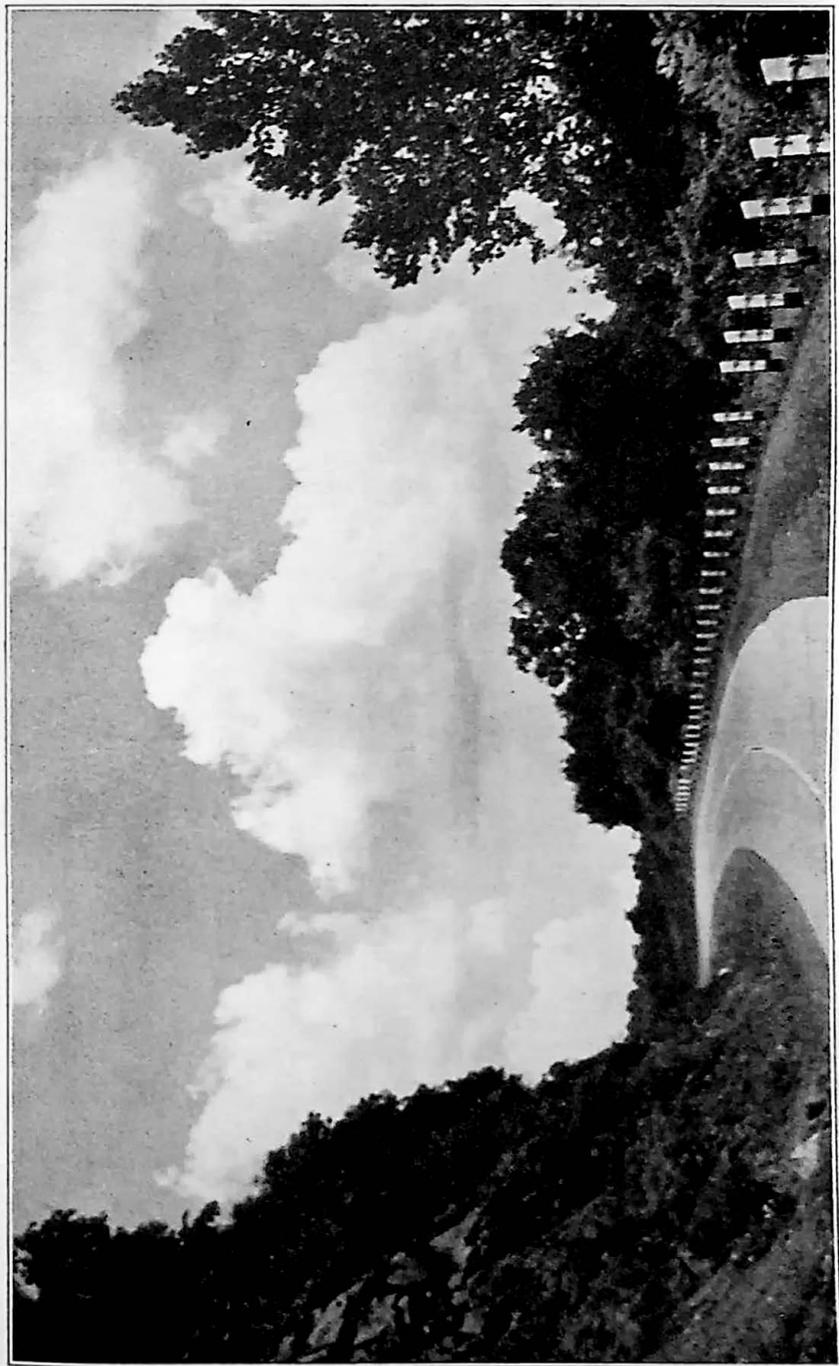
- Criminal Court.....E. C. Marshall, (D), Judge, Welch; term expires January 1, 1943. Terms of Court: Second Monday in January, April and July, and first Monday in October.

#### OHIO COUNTY

- Intermediate Court.....William B. Casey, (D), Judge, Wheeling; term expires December 31, 1942. Terms of Court: Second Monday in February, third Monday in May and first Monday in October.

#### RALEIGH COUNTY

- Criminal Court.....Harley M. Kilgore, (D), Judge, Beckley; term expires December 31, 1944. Terms of Court: Second Monday in January, third Monday in March, second Monday in June and third Monday in October.



Looking West on U. S. 60, near White Sulphur Springs

Photo by S. N. Johnston

## COUNTIES IN WEST VIRGINIA—STATISTICAL

County	County Seat	Formed	Area (Sq. Mi.)	Magis-terial Districts	Voting Precincts	Congres-sional District	Sena-torial District	Judicial Circuit
Barbour	Philippi	1843	345.41	8	34	2	15	19
Berkeley	Martinsburg	1772	324.78	7	41	2	16	23
Boone	Madison	1847	506	5	34	6	7	10
Braxton	Sutton	1836	519.70	4	45	3	12	14
Brooke	Wellsburg	1797	92.50	3	25	1	1	1
Cabell	Huntington	1809	285.95	7	104	4	5	6
Calhoun	Grantsville	1856	280.20	5	18	3	3	5
Clay	Clay	1858	346.61	5	23	3	4	14
Doddridge	West Union	1845	321.61	8	19	3	13	3
Fayette	Fayetteville	1831	666.50	7	107	3	11	12
Gilmer	Glenville	1845	342.40	4	25	3	3	14
Grant	Petersburg	1866	478	3	14	2	15	21
Greenbrier	Lewisburg	1778	1,022.80	10	56	5	11	11
Hampshire	Romney	1753	641.44	7	27	2	16	22
Hancock	New Cumberland	1848	88.55	3	24	1	1	1
Hardy	Moorefield	1786	575.52	4	11	2	16	22
Harrison	Clarksburg	1784	417.85	10	96	3	13	15
Jackson	Ripley	1831	471.98	5	34	4	4	5
Jefferson	Charles Town	1801	212.41	5	23	2	16	23
Kanawha	Charleston	1788	913.38	10	197	6	8	13
Lewis	Weston	1816	391.35	5	47	3	13	15
Lincoln	Hamlin	1867	437.04	8	30	4	7	6
Logan	Logan	1824	455.82	3	66	6	7	7
Marion	Fairmont	1842	313.55	7	68	1	14	16
Marshall	Moundsville	1835	316.26	9	51	1	2	2
Mason	Point Pleasant	1804	445.75	10	36	4	4	5
Mercer	Princeton	1837	423.91	5	79	5	10	9
Mineral	Keyser	1866	330	6	28	2	16	21
Mingo	Williamson	1895	423.50	7	34	5	6	24
Monongalia	Morgantown	1776	368.82	7	57	2	14	17
Monroe	Union	1799	473.80	6	19	5	10	11
Morgan	Berkeley Springs	1820	231.26	6	20	2	16	23
McDowell	Welch	1858	538.40	6	77	5	6	8
Nicholas	Summersville	1818	656.77	7	33	3	12	12
Ohio	Wheeling	1776	109	10	99	1	1	1
Pendleton	Franklin	1788	696.88	6	14	2	12	22
Pleasants	St. Marys	1851	134.05	6	14	4	3	3
Pocahontas	Marlinton	1821	942.61	4	30	2	12	11
Preston	Kingwood	1818	653.88	8	53	2	15	18
Putnam	Winfield	1848	350.67	6	31	4	4	6
Raleigh	Beckley	1850	610.15	7	78	6	9	10
Randolph	Elkins	1787	1,046.34	9	45	2	12	20
Ritchie	Harrisville	1843	455.27	4	28	3	3	3
Roane	Spencer	1856	486.20	7	26	4	4	5
Summers	Hinton	1871	367.76	6	31	5	10	11
Taylor	Grafton	1844	177.19	6	23	1	14	19
Tucker	Parsons	1856	421.67	7	18	2	15	21
Tyler	Middlebourne	1814	260.12	6	26	4	2	2
Upshur	Buckhannon	1851	354.86	6	37	3	15	20
Wayne	Wayne	1842	617.88	7	44	4	5	24
Webster	Webster Springs	1860	558.60	4	22	2	12	14
Wetzel	New Martinsville	1846	360.47	7	36	1	2	2
Wirt	Elizabeth	1848	234.41	7	17	4	3	4
Wood	Parkersburg	1798	377.82	10	79	4	3	4
Wyoming	Pineville	1850	507.30	7	33	5	9	9
Totals			24,282.45	352	2,386			

# OFFICIAL COUNTY REGISTER

## WEST VIRGINIA

Capitol: Charleston      Area: 24,282 Square Miles.  
Magisterial Districts: 352      Assessed Valuation of Prop-  
Voting Precincts: 2,386      erty, All Classes (1939),  
Population: (1930) 1,729,205      \$1,817,044,173.

### BARBOUR COUNTY

Formed in 1843 from Randolph and parts of Harrison and Lewis Counties; named in honor of Philip Pendleton Barbour, distinguished jurist of Virginia.

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Coal, lumber, woolen fabrics; buckwheat, dairying, livestock, fruit, poultry, grain.

County Seat: Philippi.

Magisterial Districts (8): Barker, Cove, Elk, Glade, Philippi, Pleasant, Union and Valley.

Voting Precincts: 34.

Area: 345.41 square miles.

Population (1930): 15,628.

Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1939), \$12,118,995.

### COUNTY OFFICIALS

(Post office address, Philippi, unless otherwise indicated)

#### Circuit Court (19th Judicial Circuit)

Judge: Herbert W. Dent, (D), Grafton.

Terms of Circuit Court: Fourth Monday in February, May and October.

Clerk: Roscoe D. Zinn, (R).

Court Reporter: Bertha G. Thacker, (R).

Commissioners in Chancery: H. J. Wilcox, (R); Charles M. Murphy, (D); Herman J. Poling, (D); William T. George, Jr., (D).

### County Officers

Assessor: Otto Simon, (R).

Board of Education: A. D. Hudkins, (D), Flemington; Roy J. Moore, (D); A. R. Parrish, (D), Belington; F. V. Brandon, (D), Belington; Waitman D. Gall, Sr., (D).

Circuit Clerk: Roscoe D. Zinn, (R).

County Clerk: Waitman D. Corder, (R).

County Superintendent: E. A. Hunt.  
Assistant: Obed Poling.

Prosecuting Attorney: Herman J. Poling, (D).

Sheriff: J. N. Forman, (R).

County Surveyor: Isaiah Johnson, (D), Montrose.

Coroner: Luke Boyles.

Commissioners of Accounts: H. J. Wilcox, (R); E. Wayne Talbott, (R); Harry Mason, (R); C. M. Murphy, (D).

County Commissioners: Andy Booth, (R); Marvin J. Gainer, (D), Belington; C. E. Corder, (D).

Terms of County Court: Fourth Monday in February, May and October.  
Public Assistance Council: A. T. Hershman, (D); C. Ray Sigley, (D), Volga; H. J. Wilcox, (R); C. E. Corder, (D), member County Court, *ex-officio*.

Director of Public Assistance: Mrs. Sue Warne.

Road Maintenance Superintendent: George Coontz.

County Agent: J. C. Boggess.

Assistant: Roy M. Nixon.

**Home Demonstration Agent:** Carol Ashby.  
**President Farm Bureau:** Carl B. Harvey.  
**President Farm Women's Bureau:** Mrs. L. G. Zinn.  
**County Health Officer:** Dr. W. Scott Smith.  
**Superintendent County Infirmary:** Jacob Daugherty.

## JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES

(By Magisterial Districts)

### Barker District

**Justices of the Peace:**

A. G. Jones, (D), Belington.  
 Walter Hillyard, (D), Belington.

**Constables:**

J. J. Coontz, (D), Belington.  
 Delbert Steerman, (D), Belington.

### Cove District

**Justice of the Peace:**

O. C. Denison, (R), Kasson.

**Constable:**

Dewey Bolyard, (R), Kasson.

### Elk District

**Justice of the Peace:**

O. D. Wright, (D), Flemington.

**Constable:**

(Vacancy)

### Glade District

**Justice of the Peace:**

(Vacancy)

**Constable:**

(Vacancy)

### Phillippi District

**Justices of the Peace:**

Guy Bennett, (D), Phillippi.  
 Ben M. Wilson, (D), Phillippi.

**Constables:**

A. C. Simon, (D), Phillippi.  
 A. G. Baughman, (D), Phillippi.

### Pleasant District

**Justice of the Peace:**

Laco B. Corder, (R), Flemington.

**Constable:**

T. H. Lake, (R), Flemington.

### Union District

**Justice of the Peace:**

(Vacancy)

**Constable:**

(Vacancy)

### Valley District

**Justices of the Peace:**

J. A. Viquesney, (R), Belington.  
 S. J. Kittle, (R), Belington.

**Constables:**

Lafe Koontz, (R), Belington.  
 George Edmond, (R), Belington.

## ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Phillippi)

Dadisman, Stanley E., (D)  
 (Charleston)

George, Wm. T., (R)

George, Wm. T., Jr., (D)

Janes, William, (R)

Jenkins, A. G., (R)

Kittle, Frank G., (R), (K&K)

Kittle, George M., (R), (K&K)

Kittle and Kittle

Kittle, Frank G., (R)

Kittle, George M., (R)

Mason, Harry, (R)

Murphy, Charles M., (D)

Poling, Forrest B., (D)

(Assistant Attorney General)

Poling, Herman J., (D)

(Prosecuting Attorney)

Robinson, Ira E., (R)

Stemple, Dayton R., (R)

Stemple, D. D., (R)

Talbott, E. Wayne, (R)

Viquesney, J. A., (R), (Belington)

Waddell, Richard Lee, (R)

Ware, J. Blackburn, (R), (W&W)

Ware, Paul Blackburn, (R), (W&W)

Ware and Ware

Ware, J. Blackburn, (R)

Ware, Paul Blackburn, (R)

Wilcox, H. J., (R)

## DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

**Chairman:** A. P. Stewart, Phillippi.

**Secretary:** Viri Andrick, Phillippi.

**Treasurer:** C. E. Corder, Phillippi.

**Members**

**Barker District:** Clark Shelton, Belington; Mrs. Pearl Gainer, Belington.  
**Core District:** D. J. Bennett, Moatsville; Mrs. Hazel Nestor, Philippi.  
**Elk District:** John Carlin, Flemington; Mrs. Minnie Dickenson, Philippi.  
**Glade District:** Emory Phillips, Belington; Mrs. Hattie Hershman, Belington.  
**Phillippi District:** Dolph Dadisman, Philippi; Mrs. Ella Murphy, Philippi.  
**Pleasant District:** Douglas Basford, Brownton; Mrs. Amanda Murphy, Arden.  
**Union District:** Daryl Windom, Volga; Mrs. Bessie Marteney, Volga.  
**Valley District:** Fred Moore, Belington; Mrs. Dona Gall, Belington.

**REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

**Officers**

**Chairman:** Dr. Guy H. Michael, Belington.  
**Vice Chairman:** Sherman Lindsey, Philippi.  
**Treasurer:** E. W. S. Kennedy, Philippi.

**Members**

**Barker District:** Adonis Hunt, Belington; Mrs. Ralph Teter, Belington.  
**Core District:** George Martin, Moatsville; Mrs. Hazel Wolf, Moatsville.  
**Elk District:** C. C. Crim, Philippi; Mrs. N. C. Hardin, Philippi.  
**Glade District:** Vernin Boyles, Philippi; Mrs. Virgil Hershman, Philippi.  
**Phillippi District:** Dr. J. R. Weekley, Philippi; Mrs. Hubert Ward, Philippi.  
**Pleasant District:** C. H. Weaver, Moatsville; Mrs. E. L. Young, Philippi.  
**Union District:** Mrs. French Trimble, Volga; Mrs. W. L. Boylen, Volga.  
**Valley District:** John W. Keyser, Belington; W. L. Boyles, Volga.

**BERKELEY COUNTY**

Second oldest county in West Virginia. Created in 1772 from the northern third of Frederick County (Virginia), and named for Norborne Berkeley, (Baron de Botetourt) Colonial Governor of Virginia from 1768 to 1770.

At Bunker Hill, in this county, in 1726, Morgan Morgan founded the first permanent settlement of record in Western Virginia. In commemoration of this event, the State of West Virginia has erected a monument in Bunker Hill State Park, and has placed a marker at the grave of Morgan Morgan, which is in a cemetery near the park.

**Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products:** Men's hosliery, canneries, clothing, cement and road materials, woolen fabrics; fruit, vegetables, hay and grain, dairying, livestock, poultry.

**County Seat:** Martinsburg.

**Magisterial Districts (7):** Arden, Falling Waters, Gerrardstown, Hedgesville, Martinsburg, Mill Creek, Opequon.

**Voting Precincts:** 41.

**Area:** 324.78 square miles.

**Population (1930):** 28,030.

**Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1939),** \$27,234,105.

**COUNTY OFFICIALS**

(Post office address Martinsburg, unless otherwise indicated)

**Circuit Court (23rd Judicial Circuit)**

**Judge:** Decatur H. Rodgers, (R).

**Terms of Circuit Court:** Third Tuesday in February, May and October.

**Clerk:** William C. Morton, (D).

**Court Reporter:** Mrs. R. E. Watson, (D).

**Commissioners in Chancery:** L. DeW. Gerhardt, (R); R. H. Boyd, (D); R. Jacob Schleuss, (R); H. Marshall Homer, (R).

**Divorce Commissioner:** None.

**General Receiver:** The Old National Bank of Martinsburg.

**County Officers**

**Assessor:** W. Strong Lewis, (D).

**Board of Education:** Charles W. Siler, (D); B. A. Barney, (D); L. DeWitt Gerhardt, (R); C. Stewart Cline, (D), Bunker Hill; C. E. Riley, (D).

**Circuit Clerk:** William C. Morton, (D).

**County Clerk:** Harold O. Keedy, (R).

**County Superintendent:** G. William Ropp.

**Assistants:** D. Banks Wilburn; E. W. Miller.

**Prosecuting Attorney:** C. G. Galn,  
(D).

**Assistant:** Hugh S. Byrer, (D).

**Sheriff:** J. Howard Myers, (D).

**County Surveyor:** Willlam C. Morgan,  
(D).

**Coroner:** Dr. Curtis G. Power.

**Commissioners of Accounts:** Hugh S.  
Byrer, (D); L. DeW. Gerhardt, (R);  
Wilbur H. Thomas, (R); A. H.  
Shipper, (R).

**County Commissioners:** Garland E.  
Johnson, (D); Phillip V. Strline,  
(R); R. S. Ballenger, (D), Bunker  
Hill.

**Terms of County Court:** First Mon-  
day in March, June, September and  
December.

**Public Assistance Council:** P. W.  
Leiter, (D); Trammell Hollis, (D);  
Earl F. Gardner, (R), Bunker Hill;  
Dr. S. R. Diehl, (R); R. S. Ballenger,  
(D), Bunker Hill, member County  
Court, *ex-officio*.

**Director of Public Assistance:** Justus  
M. Pentony.

**Road Maintenance Superintendent:** H.  
Garnett Small.

**County Agent:** W. N. McClung.  
**Assistant:** E. J. Edeburn.

**Home Demonstration Agent:** Velma  
Bergdoll.

**Club Agent:** Ernest C. VanMetre,  
Shepherdstown.

**President Farm Bureau:** James E.  
McDonald.

**President Farm Women's Bureau:**  
Dorothy Small.

**County Health Officer:** Dr. Claude A.  
Thomas.

**County Health Nurses:** Geraldine Wil-  
liams; Catherine Campion.

**Superintendent County Infirmary:** At-  
well C. Russler.

## JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES

(By Magisterial Districts)

### Arden District

**Justices of the Peace:**

J. D. Smith, (D), Martinsburg.

L. H. DeHaven, (D), Martinsburg.

**Constables:**

Lewis M. Prather, (D), Martinsburg.

Charles W. Kettering, (D), Martins-  
burg.

### Falling Waters District

**Justice of the Peace:**  
(Vacancy)

**Constable:**  
(Vacancy)

### Gerrardstown District

**Justice of the Peace:**

W. E. Gordon, (R), Gerrardstown.

**Constable:**

A. M. Teets, (D), Gerrardstown.

### Hedgesville District

**Justice of the Peace:**

(Vacancy)

**Constable:**

(Vacancy)

### Martinsburg District

**Justices of the Peace:**

C. D. Jack, (R), Martinsburg.

J. C. Wolf, (D), Martinsburg.

**Constables:**

C. M. Wilson, (D), Martinsburg.

Lee Lewis, (D), Martinsburg.

### Mill Creek District

**Justice of the Peace:**

(Vacancy)

**Constable:**

(Vacancy)

### Opequon District

**Justices of the Peace:**

Fred H. Baker, (R), Martinsburg.

G. W. Wolfe, (D), Martinsburg.

**Constables:**

H. I. Allen, (D), Martinsburg.

Harry DeHaven, (R), Martinsburg.

## ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Martinsburg)

Alles, Stephen, (D)

Beall, Chas. R., (D), (MS&B)

Boyd, R. H., (D)

Byrer, Harry H., (D)

Byrer, Hugh S., (D)

(Assistant Prosecuting Attorney)

Byrer, S. Woods, (D)

Downey, W. W., (D)

Downs, Harry A., (R)

Emmert, Rice and Hannis

Rice, L. I., (R)

Hannis, Herbert E., (R)

Faulkner, P. O., (D)

Faulkner, Whiting C., (D), (F&M)

Faulkner and Moler

Faulkner, Whiting C., (D)

Moler, D. Grove, (D)  
 Gain, C. G., (D)  
 (Prosecuting Attorney)  
 Gerhardt, L. DeW., (R)  
 Hannis, Herbert E., (R), (ER&H)  
 Henson, J. O., (R)  
 Homer, H. Marshall, (R)  
 Killmer, J. Nevin, (D)  
 Luttrell, E. L., (D)  
 Martin, C. E., (D), (MS&B)  
 Martin, C. E., Jr., (D)  
 Martin, Seibert and Beall  
   Martin, C. E., (D)  
   Beall, Chas. R., (D)  
 Martin, Morgan V., (D)  
 Martin, Paul H., (R)  
 McIntire, A. C., (D)  
 McKown, Gilbert C., (D)  
 Moler, D. Grove, (D), (F&M)  
 Rice, I. I., (R), (ER&H)  
 Rodgers, Decatur H., (R)  
   (Judge Circuit Court)  
 Schleuss, R. J., (R)  
 Sencindiver, C. T., (D)  
 Shipper, A. H., (R)  
 Silver, Gray, (D)  
 Thomas, Wilbur H., (R)  
 Watson, Roger E., (D)

### DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

Chairman: J. Nelson Hicks, Martinsburg.  
 Secretary: Mrs. M. G. Maisel, Martinsburg.  
 Treasurer: Bernard F. Fulk, Martinsburg.

#### Members

Arden District: Raymond Shirley, Martinsburg; Mrs. E. C. Tabb, Martinsburg.  
 Falling Waters District: F. M. Lloyd, Falling Waters; Ruth V. Stickel, Nipetown.  
 Gerrardstown District: (Vacancy); Mrs. Harley Gain, Glengary.  
 Hedgesville District: Joseph D. Fry, Hedgesville; Miss E. L. Kilmer, Martinsburg.  
 Mill Creek District: (Vacancy); Bertha Carter, Inwood.  
 Opequon District: W. W. Downey, Martinsburg; Mary V. Yoe, Martinsburg.

#### City of Martinsburg

First Ward: (Vacancy); Mrs. Bessie Broy.

Second Ward: John N. Parks; Mrs. Minnie DeHaven.  
 Third Ward: J. Nelson Hicks; Hattie Snyder.  
 Fourth Ward: J. W. Thomas; Ida R. Robinson.  
 Fifth Ward: John Hess; Mrs. M. G. Maisel.  
 Sixth Ward: Carroll Cumiskey; Mrs. Louise Sigafoose.  
 Seventh Ward: Clinton Rogers; Mrs. Nellie Eubanks.

### REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

Chairman: J. Wm. Kastle, Martinsburg.  
 Vice Chairman: H. Marshall Homer, Martinsburg.  
 Associate Chairman: (Vacancy).  
 Secretary: Mrs. Floyd Fauver, Martinsburg.  
 Treasurer: Dr. S. M. Langford, Martinsburg.

#### Members

Arden District: E. F. McDonald, Inwood; Mrs. Emma Gosnell, Martinsburg.  
 Falling Waters District: George R. Beall, Falling Waters; (Vacancy).  
 Gerrardstown District: (Vacancy); Mrs. Daisy I. Catrow, Martinsburg.  
 Hedgesville District: James P. Crowell, North Mountain; (Vacancy).  
 Mill Creek District: Harry May, Inwood; Mrs. Goff Clark, Inwood.  
 Opequon District: Ira Tabler, Martinsburg; (Vacancy).

#### City of Martinsburg

First Ward: M. Wesley Shockley; (Vacancy).  
 Second Ward: C. A. Yontz; Mrs. Ella Gerhardt.  
 Third Ward: J. A. Welmer; Mrs. Emma Couchman.  
 Fourth Ward: Dr. S. M. Langford; Mrs. Floyd Fauver.  
 Fifth Ward: H. Marshall Homer; (Vacancy).  
 Sixth Ward: A. M. Staubly; Mrs. Sallie Armstrong.  
 Seventh Ward: Lawrence M. Gano; Mrs. Elizabeth Townsend.

## BOONE COUNTY

Formed in 1847 from parts of Kanawha, Cabell and Logan Counties, and named for Daniel Boone, noted hunter and explorer, whose home was in the great Kanawha Valley from 1789 to 1795.

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Coal, lumber, natural gas; tobacco, livestock, corn.

County Seat: Madison.

Magisterial Districts (5): Crook, Peytona, Scott, Sherman and Washington.

Voting Precincts: 34.

Area: 506 square miles.

Population (1930): 24,586.

Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1930), \$23,298,380.

### COUNTY OFFICIALS

(Post office address Madison, unless otherwise indicated)

#### Circuit Court (10th Judicial Circuit)

Judge: W. H. File, Sr., (D), Beckley.

Terms of Circuit Court: First Monday in February; first Monday in May; first Monday in August; second Monday in November.

Clerk: B. L. Allen, (D).

Court Reporter: Irma Sutphin, (D), Beckley.

Commissioners in Chancery: G. W. Mitchell, (R); A. W. Garnett, (D); H. W. B. Mullins, (D); Earl M. Hall, (D).

Divorce Commissioner: Earl M. Hall, (D).

General Receiver: Robert Ferrell, (D), Danville.

#### County Officers

Assessor: Clyde H. Kellog, (D).

Board of Education: Tilden Hendrick, (D), Orgas; Michael M. Woodrum, (D), Ridgeview; Earl Miller, (D), Greenview; Dennie M. Ferrell, (D), Van; W. L. Covert, (D).

Circuit Clerk: B. L. Allen, (D).

County Clerk: Lloyd Estep, (D).

County Superintendent: Albert W. Nelson.

Assistant: Malcolm R. Arnold.

Prosecuting Attorney: Lilburn Fulton, (D).

Assistant: Gordon Linville, (D).

Sheriff: Dell White, (D).

County Surveyor: A. B. Mitchell, (D), Greenview.

Commissioners of Accounts: Edward Hill, (R); Clyde H. Kellog, (D).

County Commissioners: K. G. Hill, (D), Ramage; George C. Courtney, (D), Ashford; Lem Jarrell, (D), Van.

Terms of County Court: First Monday in January, April, July and October.

Public Assistance Council: L. E. Perry, (R); Leff Sutphin, (D), Seth; Charles W. Conner, (R), Nellis; Dr. Arthur E. Glover, (D); George C. Courtney, (D), Ashford, member County Court, *ex-officio*.

Director of Public Assistance: Mrs. Jessie C. Callihan.

Road Maintenance Superintendent: H. Byrd Myers.

President Farm Bureau: Curtis Miller, Turtle Creek.

County Health Officer: Dr. R. L. Hunter.

County Health Nurses: Hettie Workman Barker; Glenna Whitt.

Superintendent County Infirmary: Leonard Atkins, Danville.

### JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES

(By Magisterial Districts)

#### Crook District

Justices of the Peace:

William Dingess, (D), Van.  
Homer Wills, (D), Wharton.

Constables:

Ira Scott, (D), Van.  
(Vacancy)

#### Peytona District

Justices of the Peace:

Carl Estep, (D), Ridgeview.  
J. T. Mallory, (D), Nellis.

Constables:

E. H. Kinder, (D), Ridgeview.  
Austin Triplett, (D), Ashford.

#### Scott District

Justices of the Peace:

E. E. McComas, (D), Madison.  
G. W. Roberts, (D), Morrisvale.

Constables:

Howard Dolin, (D), Danville.  
L. F. Bell, (D), Morrisvale.

**Sherman District****Justices of the Peace:**

W. C. Foster, (D), Racine.  
J. F. Clendenin, (D), Whitesville.

**Constables:**

Lon Hendricks, (D), Whitesville.  
E. L. Pittsonberger, (D), Prenter.

**Washington District****Justices of the Peace:**

J. F. Sullivan, (D), Jeffrey.  
J. H. Roberts, (D), Turtle Creek.

**Constables:**

Scott Nelson, (D), Jeffrey.  
(Vacancy)

**ATTORNEYS**

(Post office address Madison)

Burnside, John H., (R)  
Fulton, Lilburn, (D)  
(Prosecuting Attorney)  
Garnett, A. W., (D)  
(State Director of Public Assistance)  
Hall, E. Clarence, (D)  
Hall, Earl M., (D)  
Leftwich, F. C., (R), (L&S)  
Leftwich and Shaffer  
Leftwich, F. C., (R)  
Shaffer, H. G., (R)  
Mullins, H. W. B., (D)  
Riddle, S. P., (D)  
Shaffer, H. G., (R), (L&S)

**DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE****Officers**

**Chairman:** F. T. Miller, Madison.  
**Vice Chairman:** D. A. Shiplett, Whitesville.  
**Associate Chairman:** Mrs. Earl Hall, Madison.  
**Secretary-Treasurer:** Walter Hendrick, Madison.

**Members**

**Crook District:** Delmas Ferrell, Van; Mrs. Howard R. Jarrell, Gordon.  
**Peytona District:** Frazier Atkins, Ashford; Mrs. Gertrude Harless, Peytona.  
**Scott District:** W. R. White, Danville; Mrs. Maudie Dolin, Madison.  
**Sherman District:** (Vacancy); Mrs. Bingham Asbury, Madison.

**Washington District:** R. B. Allen, Low Gap; Mrs. Hazel Miller, Turtle Creek.

**REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE****Officers**

**Chairman:** R. Harry Ball, Seth.  
**Vice Chairman:** (Vacancy).  
**Secretary:** G. W. Mitchell, Madison.  
**Treasurer:** O. C. Chambers, Madison.

**Members**

**Crook District:** J. C. Vaught, Van; Mrs. Ora Perry, Van.  
**Peytona District:** H. D. Parnell, Nellis; Mrs. C. O. Harless, Costa.  
**Scott District:** John S. Williams, Madison; Mrs. Esta Ball, Madison.  
**Sherman District:** H. J. Banks, Comfort; Mrs. Neola Bartlett, Whitesville.  
**Washington District:** Roy R. Hager, Ramage; Mrs. Lena J. Webb, Ramage.

**BRAXTON COUNTY**

Formed in 1836 from parts of Lewis, Kanawha and Nicholas Counties, and named for Carter Braxton, Virginia statesman and signer of the Declaration of Independence.

Important salt works were formerly located at Bulltown, and here, in 1772, Captain Bull and his family, friendly Delaware Indians, were massacred by frontiersmen.

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Lumber, natural gas; livestock, poultry, dairying, hay and grain.

**County Seat:** Sutton.  
**Magisterial Districts (4):** Birch, Holly, Otter and Salt Lick.  
**Voting Precincts:** 45.  
**Area:** 519.70 square miles.  
**Population (1930):** 22,579.  
**Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1939),** \$14,134,840.

**COUNTY OFFICIALS**

(Post office address Sutton, unless otherwise indicated)

**Circuit Court (14th Judicial Circuit)**

**Judge:** Jake Fisher, (D).  
**Terms of Circuit Court:** Second Mon-

day in March, July and November.  
Clerk: C. B. Eakle, (D).

Court Reporter: Raymond Allman,  
(D).

Commissioners in Chancery: W. L.  
Armstrong, (D); G. G. Davis, (R);  
James E. Cutlip, (D); John H. Fox,  
(D).

Divorce Commissioner: None.

General Receiver: Van B. Hall, (D).

### County Officers

Assessor: O. D. Queen, (D).

Board of Education: J. B. Fisher, (D),  
Gassaway; Frank R. Holt, (D),  
Strange Creek; Brady F. Randolph,  
(D); W. H. Cutlip, (D); Henry  
Hosey, (D), Flatwoods.

Circuit Clerk: C. B. Eakle, (D).

County Clerk: Frank Fisher, (D).

County Superintendent: Virgil B.  
Harris.

Assistant: Bryan W. Stonestreet.

Prosecuting Attorney: Charles A.  
Duffield, Jr., (D).

Sheriff: R. W. Brosius, (D).

County Surveyor: W. A. Dennison,  
(D).

Commissioners of Accounts: W. L.  
Armstrong, (D); Charles A. Duffield,  
Jr., (D); James E. Cutlip, (D).

County Commissioners: Smith Marks,  
(D), Progress; C. S. Haymond, (D),  
Frametown; A. J. Knight, (D), Or-  
lando.

Terms of County Court: First Tues-  
day in January, April, July and  
October.

Public Assistance Council: Dr. Carl  
Walker, (R), Gassaway; D. L. Long,  
(D), Canfield; Okey W. Hall, (R),  
Glendon; Charles A. Wade, (D),  
Burnsville; A. J. Knight, (D), Or-  
lando, member County Court, *ex-*  
*officio*.

Director of Public Assistance: Hal W.  
Boggs.

Road Maintenance Superintendent:  
Fred Lough.

County Agent: F. W. D. Parsons.

Home Demonstration Agent: Eva K.  
Bauer.

President Farm Bureau: H. K. Skid-  
more, Centralia.

President Farm Women's Bureau: Mrs.  
E. L. Perkins, Little Otter.

County Health Officers: Dr. M. T.  
Morrison; Dr. W. E. McIlvain.

County Health Nurse: Ruth Bunker.

## JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES

(By Magisterial Districts)

### Birch District

Justices of the Peace:

Elliott White, (D), Mavis.  
(Vacancy)

Constables:

Greydon Duffield, (D), Frametown.  
(Vacancy)

### Holly District

Justices of the Peace:

J. Lee Fox, (D), Sutton.  
Will Davis, (D), Sutton.

Constables:

C. Curt Ellison, (D), Sutton.  
L. H. Humphreys, (D), Sutton.

### Otter District

Justice of the Peace:

P. G. Cutlip, (D), Gassaway.

Constables:

Delbert Frame, (D), Gassaway.  
Dale Beane, (D), Gassaway.

### Salt Lick District

Justices of the Peace:

John H. Long, (D), Heaters.  
W. C. Kuhn, (D), Burnsville.

Constables:

John Posey, (D), Gem.  
E. C. Heater, (D), Burnsville.

## ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Sutton, unless  
otherwise indicated)

Armstrong, G. B., (D)

Armstrong, W. L., (D)

Belknap, G. C., (D)

Berry, Edward Oldham, (D), (C&B)

Cutlip and Berry

Cutlip, James E., (D)

Berry, Edward Oldham, (D)

Cutlip, James E., (D), (C&B)

Davis, G. G., (R), (H&D)

Duffield, Chas. A., Jr., (D&H)

(Prosecuting Attorney)

Duffield and Hyer

Duffield, Chas. A., Jr., (D)

Hyer, Charles Johnson, (D)

Fisher, F. C., (D), (Charleston)

Fisher, Jake, (D)

(Judge Circuit Court)

Flesher, C. W., (R), (Gassaway)

Fox, Fred L., (D), (H&F)

(Judge Supreme Court of Appeals)

Fox, John H., (D), (H&F)  
 Hall, Van B., (D), (HH&H)  
 Haymond and Fox  
     Fox, Fred L., (D)  
     Fox, John H., (D)  
 Hines, Cary C., (D), (H&D)  
 Hines, Kenneth E., (D), (HH&H)  
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 Hines, W. E., (D), (HH&H)  
 Hines and Davis  
     Hines, Cary C., (D)  
     Davis, G. G., (R)  
 Hines, Hall and Hines  
     Hines, W. E., (D)  
     Hall, Van B., (D)  
     Hines, Kenneth E., (D)  
 Hyer, Charles Johnson, (D), (D&H)  
 Sutton, O. O., (R)

**DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

**Officers**

Chairman: Dr. M. T. Morrison, Sutton.  
 Associate Chairman: Mrs. Nannie Long James, Wire Bridge.  
 Secretary: H. B. McLaughlin, Gassaway.

**Members**

Birch District: J. N. Reip, Frametown; Mrs. Nannie Long James, Wire Bridge.  
 Holly District: John A. Grose, Sutton; Mrs. Orpha Skidmore Hyer, Newville.  
 Otter District: Ned Hopkins, Gassaway; Mrs. Bessie Perkins, Gassaway.  
 Salt Lick District: W. P. Knight, Burnsville; Mina Singleton, Heaters.

**REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

**Officers**

Chairman: Don P. Simmons, Gassaway.  
 Secretary: M. H. Squires, Flatwoods.  
 Treasurer: A. L. Rose, Sutton.

**Members**

Birch District: J. E. Pierson, Frametown; Mrs. T. P. Rollyson, Frametown.  
 Holly District: Clarence D. Marple, Flatwoods; Mrs. P. W. Bright, Sutton.

Otter District: Austin D. Duckworth, Gassaway; Mrs. Pearl Bright, Gassaway.

Salt Lick District: Staunton C. Trimble, Burnsville; Mrs. H. B. Marshal, Burnsville.

**BROOKE COUNTY**

Created in 1797 from part of Ohio County, and named in honor of Robert Brooke, Governor of Virginia from 1794 to 1796.

Monument two miles north of Wellsburg marks spot where stood the first Grimes Golden apple tree.

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Sheet steel and tinplate, sheet metal and tin containers, coal, paper bags and board, tar and chemicals, electric power, glass and glassware; sheep, dairying, fruit.

County Seat: Wellsburg.  
 Magisterial Districts (3): Buffalo, Cross Creek and Wellsburg.  
 Voting Precincts: 25.  
 Area: 92.50 square miles.  
 Population (1930): 24,663.  
 Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1939), \$40,400,675.

**COUNTY OFFICIALS**

(Post office address Wellsburg, unless otherwise indicated)

**Circuit Court (1st Judicial Circuit)**

Judges: J. H. Brennan, (R), Wheeling; J. J. P. O'Brien, (D), Wheeling.  
 Terms of Circuit Court: First Monday in March, June and November.  
 Clerk: Mrs. Newton W. Shannon, (R).

Court Reporter: Louis Walters, (R), Wheeling.

Commissioners in Chancery: James R. Wilkin, (R); E. E. Carter, (R); C. K. Jacob, (R).

Divorce Commissioner: J. A. Gist, (R).  
 General Receiver: Wellsburg Banking & Trust Co.

**County Officers**

Assessor: Wheeler Hercules, (D).  
 Board of Education: Henry L. Doak, (D); Leroy Shipley, (D), Follansbee; Claude R. Carey, (D); Herman J. Zimmerman, (R), Beech Bottom; Edward J. Nolte, (D), Follansbee.

**Circuit Clerk:** Mrs. Newton W. Shannon, (R).

**County Clerk:** Charlotte Calderwood, (R).

**County Superintendent:** Olen Rutan.

**Assistant:** A. F. Young.

**Prosecuting Attorney:** Patrick J. McGuire, (D).

**Assistant:** R. E. Hagberg, (D).

**Sheriff:** Herbert Traubert, (D).

**Coroner:** Dr. Starling D. Steiner.

**Commissioners of Accounts:** J. A. Gist, (R); E. E. Carter, (R); C. K. Jacob, (R); P. J. McGuire, (D).

**County Commissioners:** Dr. V. C. Wells, (D); George W. Armistead, (D), Follansbee; George Mewha, (R).

**Terms of County Court:** Second Friday in January, April, July and October.

**Public Assistance Council:** George Park, (D), Follansbee; Mrs. J. H. Zillken, (D); J. E. Wallace, (R), Beech Bottom; Robert Cash, Sr., (R), Follansbee; Dr. V. C. Wells, (D), member County Court, *ex-officio*.

**Director of Public Assistance:** Robert McMahon.

**Road Maintenance Superintendent:** A. S. Craig.

**County Agent:** William C. Gist.

**Home Demonstration Agent:** Mary C. Diemer.

**President Farm Bureau:** J. W. McGinnis.

**President Farm Women's Bureau:** Mrs. Emmett Barr, Follansbee.

**County Health Officer:** Dr. J. M. Coram.

**County Health Nurses:** Alberta Morgan; Mary Murray.

#### Constables:

Oscar S. Romick, (D), Follansbee.

Jack Schwertfeger, (D), Follansbee.

#### Wellsburg District

##### Justices of the Peace:

George Patterson, (R), Wellsburg.

C. K. Jacob, (R), Wellsburg.

##### Constables:

David B. Cross, (R), Wellsburg.

(Vacancy)

#### ATTORNEYS

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Carter, E. E., (R)

George, E. M., (R)

Gist, J. A., (R)

Hagberg, R. E., (D)

(Assistant Prosecuting Attorney),  
(Follansbee)

Jacob, C. K., (R)

Mahan, Walter E., (R), (P&M)

Minnich, E. R., (R)

McGuire, P. J., (D)

(Prosecuting Attorney)

Palmer, John C., Jr., (D)

(Wheeling)

Paull, James, Jr., (D)

Pinsky, Abraham, (D), (P&M)

Pinsky and Mahan

Pinsky, Abraham, (D)

Mahan, Walter E., (R)

Ramsay, R. L., (D), (R&W)

Ramsay and Wilkin

Ramsay, R. L., (D)

Wilkin, W. S., (R)

Scott, Harry Eugene, (D)

Wilkin, James R., (R)

Wilkin, W. S., (R), (R&W)

#### JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES

(By Magisterial Districts)

##### Buffalo District

##### Justices of the Peace:

M. J. Messar, (D), Windsor Heights.

Jennings E. Ashcraft, (D), Short Creek.

##### Constables:

Jimmie Inman, (D), Beech Bottom.

Robert C. Mazingo, (D), Wellsburg.

##### Cross Creek District

##### Justices of the Peace:

Frank Basil, (D), Follansbee.

Edwin M. Dunlevy, (D), Follansbee.

#### DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

##### Officers

**Chairman:** W. R. Curtis, Wellsburg.

**Secretary:** Nell V. Byrne, Wellsburg.

**Treasurer:** Frank Sprowl, Wellsburg.

##### Members

**Buffalo District:** Frank Sprowl, Wellsburg; Lorraine Schoonmaker, Bethany.

**Cross Creek District:** D. J. Steiner, Follansbee; Bertha Simpson, Follansbee.

**Wellsburg District:** W. R. Curtis, Wellsburg; Nell V. Byrne, Wellsburg.

**REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

**Officers**

**Chairman:** Edgar R. Minnich, Wellsburg.  
**Vice Chairman:** Ruth Thomas Lucas, Wellsburg.  
**Secretary:** Constance Cash, Follansbee.  
**Treasurer:** D. K. Shallenberger, Power.

**Members**

**Buffalo District:** D. K. Shallenberger; Margaret Plumber, Power.  
**Cross Creek District:** Harry Briggs, Follansbee; Constance Cash, Follansbee.  
**Wellsburg District:** Edgar R. Minnich, Wellsburg; Ruth Thomas Lucas, Wellsburg.

**CABELL COUNTY**

Created in 1809 from Kanawha County, and named in honor of William H. Cabell, Governor of Virginia from 1805 to 1808. County seat moved from Barboursville to Huntington in 1887.

The West Virginia Tree Nursery is located in this county.

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Glass and glassware, alloys of nickel and its products, railway and mine cars, clothing, steel rails, chemicals, shoes, lumber and its products, natural gas; tobacco, dairying, fruit, poultry, sorghum.

**County Seat:** Huntington.  
**Magisterial Districts (7):** Barboursville, Gideon, Grant, Guyandotte, Kyle, McComas and Union.  
**Voting Precincts:** 104.  
**Area:** 285.95 square miles.  
**Population (1930):** 90,786.  
**Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1939),** \$126,118,040.

**COUNTY OFFICIALS**

(Post office address Huntington, unless otherwise indicated)

**Circuit Court (6th Judicial Circuit)**

**Judge:** Carney M. Layne, (D).  
**Terms of Circuit Court:** First Monday in January; first Monday in May; and second Monday in September.

**Clerk:** M. C. Blake, (D).  
**Court Reporter:** Elizabeth G. Huston, (D).  
**Commissioners in Chancery:** B. C. Sharitz, (D); F. C. Leftwich, (R); T. W. Peyton, (D); Daniel Dawson, (R); R. L. Beuhring, (R); Walter M. Parker, (D); L. W. Blankenship, (R); Thos. R. Shepherd, (R).  
**Divorce Commissioner:** (Vacancy).  
**General Receiver:** Wilbur C. Perry, (R).

**Common Pleas Court**

**Judge:** H. Clay Warth, (D).  
**Terms of Court:** First Monday in February, June and October.  
**Clerk:** M. C. Blake, (D).  
**Court Reporter:** Marie S. Yost, (D).  
**Commissioners in Chancery:** Walter M. Parker, (D); H. L. Ducker, (D); W. K. Cowden, (D); Joe W. Dingess, (D); David F. Sheets, (R); Duncan W. Daugherty, (R); Okey P. Keadle, (R); L. W. Blankenship, (R).  
**General Receiver:** J. R. Marcum, (D).

**Domestic Relations Court**

**Judge:** Ira P. Baer, (D).  
**Terms of Court:** Second Monday in April, and first Monday in June, September and December.  
**Clerk:** M. C. Blake, (D).  
**Court Reporter:** Fern Runion, (D).  
**Divorce Commissioner:** W. K. Cowden, Jr., (D).

**County Officers**

**Assessor:** William M. Martin, (D).  
**Board of Education:** H. B. Daniel, (D); R. F. Mallory, (D), Barboursville; Luther O. Griffith, (D); W. T. Toney, (D); Harry Pollack, (D).  
**Circuit Clerk:** M. C. Blake, (D).  
**County Clerk:** Fred A. Ware, (D).  
**County Superintendent:** Olin C. Nutter.  
**Assistants:** R. F. Brooks; C. N. Fannin.  
**Prosecuting Attorney:** Ernest E. Winters, Jr., (D).  
**Assistants:** T. W. Peyton, (D); H. H. Darnall, Jr., (D).  
**Sheriff:** O. M. Phipps, (D).  
**County Surveyor:** James Doss, (R).  
**Coroner:** Dr. F. X. Schuller.  
**Commissioners of Accounts:** Walter M. Parker, (D); Joseph L. Shiffette, (D); J. H. Harshbarger, (R), Milton; Douglas C. Tomkies, (D).

**County Commissioners:** J. M. Ross, Jr., (D); T. H. Nash, (D), Barboursville; W. Arch Leap, (D).

**Terms of County Court:** First Monday in January, April, July and October.

**Public Assistance Council:** A. B. Rawn, (R); Charles R. Wood, (D); Mrs. J. L. Patterson, (D); Robert L. Archer, (R); T. H. Nash, (D), Barboursville, member County Court, *ex-officio*.

**Director of Public Assistance:** W. H. Patton.

**Road Maintenance Superintendent:** J. H. Blume.

**County Agent:** W. D. Click.

**Home Demonstration Agent:** Mabel F. Best.

**President Farm Bureau:** U. S. Williams, Glenwood.

**President Farm Women's Bureau:** Mrs. Walter F. Smith, Lesage.

**County Health Officer:** Dr. R. H. Curry, Barboursville.

**County Health Nurse:** Mrs. Eva B. Green.

**Superintendent County Infirmary:** G. F. Cabell, Ona.

**Superintendent County Detention Home:** Samuel M. Owens.

**President Park Board:** George S. Wallace, (D).

## JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES

(By Magisterial Districts)

### Barboursville District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
George Perry, (D), Barboursville.  
J. S. Dodds, (D), Barboursville.

**Constables:**  
F. L. Bradberry, (D), Barboursville.  
(Vacancy)

### Gideon District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
Ezra Midkiff, (D), Huntington.  
Ezra Knight, (D), Huntington.

**Constables:**  
James V. Ours, (D), Huntington.  
George E. Holley, (D), Huntington.

### Grant District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
Carl J. McDonie, (D), Yates.  
Tom Casey, (D), Milton.

**Constables:**  
W. G. Connor, (D), Milton.  
George Knight, (D), Milton.

### Guyandotte District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
Irvin Topping, (D), Huntington.  
Edw. R. Cole, (D), Huntington.

**Constables:**  
William E. Orwig, (D), Huntington.  
John B. Rice, (D), Huntington.

### Kyle District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
Carl S. Mynes, (D), Huntington.  
Claude Spurlock, (D), Huntington.

**Constables:**  
B. C. Meredith, (D), Huntington.  
John Bond, (D), Huntington.

### McComas District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
J. H. Adkins, (D), Salt Rock.  
H. L. Fraley, (D), Salt Rock.

**Constables:**  
W. Pat Bledsoe, (D), Salt Rock.  
Emmett Childers, (D), Salt Rock.

### Union District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
I. M. McComas, (D), Lesage.  
J. Mat Newman, (R), Lesage.

**Constables:**  
John Cooper, (D), Lesage.  
A. H. Nowlin, (R), Ona.

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Ambrose, D. W., (D)  
Asbury, R. P., (D)  
Ayers, George Raymond (R)  
Baer, Ira P., (D)  
(Judge Domestic Relations Court)  
Baer, Peter H., (D), (VH&Q)  
Baer, Phillip A., (D)  
Baker, Thomas T., (D), (FB&D)  
Beuhring, R. L., (R)  
Biern, Samuel, (D)  
Blankenship, L. W., (R)  
Bolen, Amos, (D), (FB&D)  
Broh, E. Henry, (R)  
Brown, John E., (D), (FB&D)  
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Campbell, Rolla D., (D), (C&McN)  
Campbell and McNear  
Campbell, Rolla D., (D)  
McNear, S. S., (D)

- Cowden, W. K., (D), (C&C)  
 Cowden, W. K., Jr., (D), (C&C)  
 Cowden and Cowden  
     Cowden, W. K., (D)  
     Cowden, W. K., Jr., (D)  
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 Daugherty, Russell L., (R)  
 Daugherty, T. G., (R), (D&D)  
 Daugherty and Daugherty  
     Daugherty, T. G., (R)  
 Dawson, Daniel, (R)  
 Dean, Cecil B., (R)  
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 Douthitt, Carl C., (R)  
 Ducker, H. L., (D), (S&D)  
 Duncan, H. C., Jr., (D)  
 Eaton, Frank, (R)  
 Ferguson, W. L., (R)  
 Fesenmeier, George A., (D), (FB&D)  
 Fitchett, J. W., (D)  
 Fitzpatrick, Herbert, (D), (FB&D)  
 Fitzpatrick, Brown and Davis  
     Fitzpatrick, Herbert, (D)  
     Strickling, C. William, (R)  
     Marshall, Edmund A., (R)  
     Brown, Walter L., (D)  
     Brown, John E., (D)  
     Huddleston, Jackson N., (D)  
     Baker, Thomas T., (D)  
     Bolen, Amos, (D)  
     Fesenmeler, George A., (D)  
 Flesher, M. W., (R)  
 Foose, A. M., (D)  
 Francis, J. D., (D)  
 Freeman, C. W., (D)  
 Gibson, P. P., (D), (M&G)  
 Graham, Wm. C., (R)  
 Hall, Connor, (D)  
 Hamrick, J. J., (D)  
 Hammock, Jess, (R)  
 Hardwick, D. B., (D), (VH&Q)  
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     County)  
 Hart, Phyllis, (D)  
 Harvey, Thos. W., (D)  
 Heffley, G. R., (R)  
 Henderson, M. B., (D)  
 Hereford, John W., (D), (PW&H)  
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 Hersman, M. R., (D)  
 Hill, C. B., (D)  
 Hogsett, E. L., (R), (H&S)  
 Hogsett and Smith  
     Hogsett, E. L., (R)  
     Smith, Robert R., (R)  
 Huddleston, Jackson N., (D), (FB&D)  
 Hudson, John G., (D)  
 Jenkins, John E., (D)  
 Jones, T. Selden, (D)  
 Keadle, O. P., (R)  
 Ketchum, Chad W., (D)  
 Layne, C. M., (D)  
     (Judge Circuit Court)  
 Leckie, E. Loyd, (D)  
 Leftwich, F. C., (R)  
 Livezey, F. M., (R)  
 Loar, Fred S., (D)  
 Lovins, William T., (D)  
 Lucas, Raymond, (R)  
 MacDonald, F. A., (R)  
 Marcum, Arnold R., (D), (M&Y)  
 Marcum, J. R., (D), (M&G)  
 Marcum and Gibson  
     Marcum, J. R., (D)  
     Gibson, P. P., (D)  
 Marcum and York  
     Marcum, Arnold R., (D)  
     York, William E., (R)  
 Marshall, Edmund A., (R), (FB&D)  
 Mathews, D. E., (R)  
 Meek, Howard F., (R), (VTM&S)  
 Meek, John B., (R), (VTM&S)  
 Meek, J. H., (R), (VTM&S)  
 Meisel, L. J., (R)  
 Mitchell, C. W., (D)  
     (Washington, D. C.)  
 Morgan, C. M., (D)  
 Morris, Russell W., (D)  
 Mosley, Emmett L., (D)  
 Mossman, Rolland C., (D)  
 McClure, L. L., (R)  
 McCullough, F. W., (D)  
 McLaughlin, G. Minor, (D)  
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 McVay, Joe A., (D), (PW&H)  
 Neal, George I., (D)  
 Norton, W. H., (D)  
 Parker, W. M., (D)  
 Perry, Fred L., (R), (P&P)  
 Perry, Wilbur C., (R), (P&P)  
 Perry and Perry  
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     Perry, Fred L., (R)  
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     Peyton, Thomas W., (D)  
     Winters, Ernest E., Jr., (D)  
     Hereford, John W., (D)  
     McVay, Joe A., (D)  
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 Shepherd, Thos. R., (R)  
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 Switzer, Rufus, (D)  
 Todd, Lucile, (R)  
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   Tomkles, D. C., (D)  
   Tomkles, Frank H., (D)  
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 Van Bibber, Cyrus, (R)  
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   Vinson, Taylor, (R)  
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## DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

**Chairman:** Abe Forsythe, Huntington.  
**Vice Chairman:** J. M. Donohoe, Huntington.  
**Associate Chairman:** Mrs. Lee Wilson, Huntington.  
**Secretary:** W. K. Cowden, Jr., Huntington.  
**Treasurer:** Paul Walker Long, Huntington.  
**Vice Treasurer:** Sol J. Hyman, Huntington.

### Members

**Barboursville District:** John T. Dillon, Barboursville; Mrs. L. T. Anderson, Barboursville.  
**Grant District:** Grover C. Reynolds, Milton; Mrs. E. K. Wilson, Milton.  
**Guyandotte District:** C. J. Arthur, Huntington; Mrs. Eva Topping Davis, Huntington.  
**McComas District:** Talmadge McKendree, Salt Rock; Mrs. Ollie Ross, Salt Rock.  
**Union District:** Steve Spurlock, Glenwood; Mrs. C. C. Clutts, Lesage.

### City of Huntington

**Gideon District (At Large):** W. B. Sargent, Huntington; Mrs. Lee Wilson, Huntington.  
**Kyle District (At Large):** Paul Walker Long, Huntington; Mrs. Geo. W. Sidebottom, Huntington.  
**First Ward:** Boone B. Arthur; Mrs. Eliza LaFayette.  
**Second Ward:** Homer E. Peyton; Mrs. Lillian Hope Davis.  
**Third Ward:** W. K. Cowden, Jr.; Mrs. Lillian Yost.  
**Fourth Ward:** Claude Rutherford; Catherine B. Enslow.  
**Fifth Ward:** Clyde Slater; Goldie Harrison.  
**Sixth Ward:** Douglas C. Tomkles; Mrs. Frank Conner.  
**Seventh Ward:** Earl Conner; Mrs. E. G. Strank.  
**Eighth Ward:** Clarence R. Sanders; Mrs. Marle Carson.  
**Ninth Ward:** Ezra Knight; Mrs. J. F. Wright.

## REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

**Chairman:** David F. Sheets, Huntington.  
**Associate Chairman:** Mrs. Maude T. Gerlach, Huntington.  
**Vice Chairmen:** Hubert S. Ellis, Huntington; Frank F. McCallister, Huntington; Mrs. Lyle Clay, Barboursville; Mrs. Marie Cazad, Huntington; Mrs. Mrs. Damon Fetty, Lesage; Mrs. Lula Morris, Milton; Mrs. Katie Cremeans, Branchland.  
**Secretary:** George R. Ayers, Barboursville.  
**Treasurer:** Eugene L. Neale, Huntington.

### Members

**Barboursville District:** George R. Ayers, Barboursville; Mrs. Lyle Clay, Barboursville.  
**Grant District:** Frank Woodard, Milton; Mrs. Lula Morris, Milton.  
**Guyandotte District:** Alfred H. Earl, Huntington; Mrs. Marie Cazad, Huntington.  
**McComas District:** Linzy Gue, Salt Rock; Mrs. Katie Cremeans, Branchland.  
**Union District:** Jasper T. Rider, Lesage; Mrs. Damon Fetty, Lesage.

### City of Huntington

**Gideon District (At Large):** C. W. Kitts; Mrs. Paul L. Russell.  
**Kyle District (At Large):** John P. Hallanan; Mrs. Edna Heinisch.  
**First Ward:** Elzie Haney; Mrs. L. W. S. O'Brien.  
**Second Ward:** D. C. Casto; Mrs. J. B. Noble.  
**Third Ward:** Otho Guthrie; Mrs. M. P. Wiswell.  
**Fourth Ward:** Howard Carr; Mrs. Floyd Chapman.  
**Fifth Ward:** Emory E. Waugh; Mrs. P. A. Brockman.  
**Sixth Ward:** T. C. Preston; Mrs. W. E. Bee.  
**Seventh Ward:** W. A. Hughes; Mrs. Bell Johnson.  
**Eighth Ward:** A. N. Rowsey; Mrs. Maude T. Gerlach.  
**Ninth Ward:** Eugene L. Neale; Mrs. Eljje Gwinn.

## CALHOUN COUNTY

Created in 1856 from Gilmer County, and named for John C. Calhoun, eminent statesman of South Carolina. In early years the county seat was located at Arnoldsburg, Brooksville, and at the mouth of Pine Creek.

**Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products:** Petroleum, natural gas, lumber; hay and grain, livestock, poultry, dairying.

**County Seat:** Grantsville.

**Magisterial Districts (5):** Center, Lee, Sheridan, Sherman and Washington.

**Voting Precincts:** 18.

**Area:** 280.20 square miles.

**Population (1930):** 10,366.

**Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1939),** \$10,805,510.

### COUNTY OFFICIALS

(Post office Grantsville, unless otherwise indicated)

#### Circuit Court (5th Judicial Circuit)

**Judge:** Lewis H. Miller, (R), Ripley.  
**Terms of Circuit Court:** Third Monday in April, August and November.  
**Clerk:** P. P. Gunn, (D).  
**Court Reporter:** Minnie Ball, (D), Spencer.

**Commissioners in Chancery:** Louis Reed, (R); Bruce Ferrell, (D); Lorentz C. Hamilton, (D).

**Divorce Commissioner:** None.

**General Receiver:** J. A. C. Smith, (R).

#### County Officers

**Assessor:** Victor Brannon, (R).

**Board of Education:** Carl H. Howard, (D); Ernest Mollohan, (D); Kenna Lester, (D), Pink; D. E. Bailey, (D), Milo; Howard Burns, (D).

**Circuit Clerk:** P. P. Gunn, (D).

**County Clerk:** R. P. Mollohan, (D).

**County Superintendent:** Harold B. Proudfoot.

**Assistant:** Glendon W. Yoak.

**Prosecuting Attorney:** Lorentz C. Hamilton, (D).

**Assistant:** Louis Reed, (R).

**Sheriff:** R. J. Knotts, (D).

**County Surveyor:** Bruce Ferrell, Jr., (D).

**Coroner:** Gerald Stump.

**Commissioner of Accounts:** L. L. Ferrell, (D).

**County Commissioners:** W. Ellsworth, Stump, (D), Staten; Walter C. Farrar, (D), Losie; Lloyd J. Wright, (D).

**Terms of County Court:** First Monday in each month.

**Public Assistance Council:** Fred Hickel, (D); Mrs. Lorentz Hamilton, (D); Clay McDonald, (R), Mt. Zion; L. B. Carroll, (R), Big Bend; Lloyd J. Wright, (D), member County Court, *ex-officio*.

**Director of Public Assistance:** Gordon E. Wick.

**Road Maintenance Superintendent:** Ira Hardman.

**County Agent:** Harlan B. Hogue.

**Home Demonstration Agent:** Lavonia Hilbert.

**President Farm Bureau:** Kester Divers, White Pine.

**County Health Officers:** Dr. J. A. Morford; Dr. J. A. Markley, (Weston).

**County Health Nurse:** Matilda Ann Wade.

## JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES

(By Magisterial Districts)

### Center District

#### Justices of the Peace:

Harry Stevens, (D), Grantsville.  
M. A. C. Board, (D), Grantsville.

#### Constables:

C. E. Ofutt, (D), Grantsville.  
J. C. Carpenter, (D), Grantsville.

### Lee District

#### Justices of the Peace:

Don Altizer, (D), Arnoldsburg.  
F. M. Connolly, (D), Richardson.

#### Constables:

Homer Lynch, (D), Arnoldsburg.  
Oral C. Clark, (D), Letherbark.

### Sheridan District

#### Justice of the Peace:

(Vacancy)

#### Constable:

(Vacancy)

### Sherman District

#### Justices of the Peace:

James S. Boatright, (D), Apple Farm.  
(Vacancy)

#### Constables:

C. A. White, (D), Sandridge.  
Harriel Bennett, (D), Apple Farm.

### Washington District

#### Justices of the Peace:

Andrew Cottrell, (D), Oka.  
William McKown, (D), Stinson.

#### Constables:

W. E. Ellis, (D), Milo.  
(Vacancy)

## ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Grantsville)

Ferrell, Bruce, (D)

Hamilton, Lorentz C., (D)  
(Prosecuting Attorney)

Jackson, J. A., (D)

Mathews, A. G., (D)

(State Compensation Commissioner)

Reed, Louis, (R)

Smith, J. A. C., (R)

## DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

**Chairman:** W. J. Sturm, Hur.

**Vice Chairman:** R. P. Mollohan, Grantsville.

**Secretary:** L. L. Ferrell, Grantsville.

**Treasurer:** L. J. Morris, Grantsville.

### Members

**Center District:** Everett Proudfoot, Grantsville; Gladys Stump, Grantsville.

**Lee District:** Earl Knotts, Orma; Elah Edwards, Arnoldsburg.

**Sheridan District:** John W. Yoak, Big Bend; Mrs. Denna Cronnin, Big Bend.

**Sherman District:** Fred Robinson, Staten; Mrs. R. J. Knotts, Grantsville.

**Washington District:** W. C. Sampson, Minnora; Zenna Balley, Milo.

## REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

**Chairman:** E. L. Hays, Arnoldsburg.

**Vice Chairman:** D. W. Wilson, Apple Farm.

**Secretary:** Holly Barr, Grantsville.

**Treasurer:** Lyle S. Ayers, Grantsville.

**Members**

**Center District:** C. D. Haddox, Big Springs; Alma Ayers, Grantsville.  
**Lee District:** A. P. Walker, Creston; Mrs. Shirley McKown, Millstone.  
**Sheridan District:** Emery Rogers, Big Bend; Mrs. Lena Snider, Freed.  
**Sherman District:** Bradford Gainer, Apple Farm; Mrs. Minnie Grimm, White Pine.  
**Washington District:** J. F. Conrad, Orma; Mrs. Nannie Parsons, Minora.

**CLAY COUNTY**

Formed in 1858 from parts of Braxton and Nicholas Counties, and named in honor of Henry Clay, Kentucky statesman.

On Porter's Creek, the original Golden Delicious apple tree is still standing and bearing fruit.

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Coal, lumber, natural gas, petroleum; hay and grain, livestock, poultry, dairying.

**County Seat:** Clay.

**Magisterial Districts (5):** Buffalo, Henry, Otter, Pleasant and Union.

**Voting Precincts:** 23.

**Area:** 346.61 square miles.

**Population (1930):** 13,125.

**Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1939),** \$9,332,710.

**COUNTY OFFICIALS**

(Post office address Clay, unless otherwise indicated)

**Circuit Court (14th Judicial Circuit)**

**Judge:** Jake Fisher, (D), Sutton.

**Terms of Circuit Court:** First Monday in February, June and October.

**Clerk:** Howard E. Wilson, (D).

**Court Reporter:** Raymond Allman, (D), Sutton.

**Commissioners in Chancery:** E. G. Pierson, (R); S. W. Bryant, (D).

**Divorce Commissioner:** None.

**General Receiver:** None.

**County Officers**

**Assessor:** C. N. Ashley, (D).

**Board of Education:** J. V. Hinshelwood, (R), Widen; Andy Starcher, (D), Dille; James A. Sirk, (D); J. B. Vaughan, (D), Proclous; R. C. Summers, (D), Wallback.

**Circuit Clerk:** Howard E. Wilson, (D).

**County Clerk:** Levy D. Friend, (D).

**County Superintendent:** C. M. Young.  
**Assistant:** Mrs. Icie Hope Clark McCune.

**Prosecuting Attorney:** Henry McLane, (D).

**Sheriff:** W. S. Triplett, (D).

**County Surveyor:** G. C. Butler, (D), Ivydale.

**Commissioners of Accounts:** S. W. Bryant, (D); Dana C. Eakle, (D).

**County Commissioners:** Albert Mullins, (D), Bentree; I. O. Boggs, (D), Osie; Dr. D. T. Nutter, (D), Ivydale.

**Terms of County Court:** First Monday in each month.

**Public Assistance Council:** S. H. McLane, (D); M. L. Foreman, (R), Proclous; B. C. Eakle, (D); F. E. Friend, (R), Dundon; Albert Mullins, (D), Bentree, member County Court, *ex-officio*.

**Director of Public Assistance:** Lon Earl Rogers.

**Road Maintenance Superintendent:** J. M. Lorentz.

**County Agent:** George C. Deems.

**President Farm Bureau:** George W. Ball, Big Otter.

**County Health Officer:** Dr. W. E. McIlvain, (Sutton).

**County Health Nurse:** Charlotte Thrift.

**JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES**

(By Magisterial Districts)

**Buffalo District**

**Justices of the Peace:**

H. L. Butcher, (D), Widen.  
 Charley Bailey, (D), Widen.

**Constables:**

Chilton Wilson, (D), Widen.  
 Leo Lykens, (D), Dille.

**Henry District**

**Justices of the Peace:**

Belle C. Hamrick, (D), Clay.  
 W. B. Young, (D), Clay.

**Constables:**

Wilson Samples, (D), Clay.  
 Perry Douglas, (R), Clay.

**Otter District**

**Justices of the Peace:**

H. C. King, (D), Ivydale.  
 M. S. Douglas, (D), Osie.

**Constables:**

W. E. Fitzwater, (D), Ivydale.  
(Vacancy)

**Pleasant District****Justices of the Peace:**

Frank Black, (R), Bickmore.  
Ed Foster, (R), Bickmore.

**Constables:**

(Vacancy)  
(Vacancy)

**Union District****Justices of the Peace:**

T. R. Hanson, (R), Odessa.  
Geo. W. Woody, (R), Bomont.

**Constables:**

(Vacancy)  
(Vacancy)

**ATTORNEYS**

(Post office address Clay)

Bryant, S. W., (D)  
Eakle, B. C., (D), (E&E)  
Eakle, E. L., (D), (E&E)  
Eakle and Eakle  
Eakle, B. C., (D)  
Eakle, E. L., (D)  
Eakle, Dana C., (D)  
McLane, Henry, (D)  
(Prosecuting Attorney)  
Pierson, E. G., (R)

**DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE****Officers**

Secretary: (Vacancy).  
Treasurer: C. B. Mullins, Glen.

**Members**

**Buffalo District:** Raymond Bragg, Harrison; Mrs. J. F. Morgan, Ira.  
**Henry District:** Fred A. Hamrick, Clay; Mrs. Buren Stephenson, Clay.  
**Otter District:** Lambert H. Cooper, Nebo; Mrs. Rosa Starcher, Osie.  
**Pleasant District:** Reuben H. Neal, Bickmore; Mrs. Sybell Brown, Indore.  
**Union District:** J. C. Boggs, Porter; Mrs. Hattie Dye, Odessa.

**REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE****Officers**

Chairman: E. G. Pierson, Clay.  
Vice Chairmen: V. E. Thompson, Bomont; Vera G. Reed.  
Secretary: W. S. Dodrill, Clay.  
Treasurer: John G. Young, Clay.

**Members**

**Buffalo District:** Robert H. Taylor, Widen; Mrs. A. H. Hamrick, Widen.  
**Henry District:** Mark C. King, Clay; Mrs. George Ward, Clay.  
**Otter District:** C. W. Slack, Duck; Maysel Ilyer, Obrlon.  
**Pleasant District:** Jess Fitzwater, Lizenore; Mrs. Howard Morton, Hartland.  
**Union District:** E. Dow Samples, Odessa; Mrs. V. E. Thompson, Bomont.

**DODDRIDGE COUNTY**

Created in 1845 from parts of Harrison, Tyler, Ritchie and Lewis Counties, and named for Philip Doddridge, a distinguished statesman of western Virginia, who spent the greater part of his life in Brooke County, West Virginia. Home county of J. H. Diss Debar, who designed the great Seal and Coat of Arms of West Virginia.

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Petroleum, natural gas, lumber; livestock, poultry.

County Seat: West Union.  
Magisterial Districts (8): Central, Cove, Grant, Greenbrier, McClellan, New Milton, Southwest and West Union.

Voting Precincts: 19.

Area: 321.61 square miles.

Population (1930): 10,488.

Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1930), \$19,098,700.

**COUNTY OFFICIALS**

(Post office address West Union, unless otherwise indicated)

**Circuit Court (3rd Judicial Circuit)**

Judge: S. O. Prunty, (R), Harrisville.  
Terms of Circuit Court: First Tuesday in April and August and fourth Tuesday in November.

**Clerk:** Earl L. Davis, (R).  
**Court Reporter:** F. H. Mayne, (R), Parkersburg.  
**Commissioners in Chancery:** H. L. Hammond, (R); Clay D. Hammond, (R); P. Douglas Farr, (R); Earl L. Davis, (R).  
**Divorce Commissioner:** W. S. Stuart, (R).  
**General Receiver:** Earl L. Davis, (R).

### County Officers

**Assessor:** P. D. Holden, (R).  
**Board of Education:** D. M. Flick, (R), Auburn; W. L. Rollins, (R); Russell Bonnell, (R); C. T. Darnall, (R), Greenwood; C. H. Waldo, (R), Greenwood.  
**Circuit Clerk:** Earl L. Davis, (R).  
**County Clerk:** Hall Maxwell, (R).  
**County Superintendent:** William Rollins.  
**Assistant:** C. I. Elder.  
**Prosecuting Attorney:** James B. Smith, (R).  
**Sheriff:** Ell Marshall Nutter, (R).  
**Coroner:** D. J. Cunningham.  
**Commissioners of Accounts:** James B. Smith, (R); P. M. Ireland, (R); P. Douglas Farr, (R); H. L. Hammond, (R).  
**County Commissioners:** C. O. Smith, (R); C. W. Garner, (R), Central Station; Ralph Givens, (R).  
**Terms of County Court:** First Monday in January, April, July and October.  
**Public Assistance Council:** Mrs. Walter Stuart, (D); Stokes A. Hurst, (D), Blandville; D. A. Shinn, (R); Ben H. Maulsby, (R); Charles O. Smith, (R), member County Court, *ex-officio*.  
**Director of Public Assistance:** George F. Bland.  
**Road Maintenance Superintendent:** L. C. Morris.  
**County Agent:** A. W. Hamilton.  
**Home Demonstration Agent:** Bryanna Burton.  
**President Farm Bureau:** Ross Leatherman, Morgansville.  
**President Farm Women's Bureau:** Mrs. Ruth Underwood.  
**County Health Officer:** Dr. A. Poole.  
**Superintendent County Infirmary:** Henry F. Ahouse.

### JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES

(By Magisterial Districts)

#### Central District

**Justice of the Peace:**  
(Vacancy)  
**Constable:**  
(Vacancy)

#### Cove District

**Justice of the Peace:**  
(Vacancy)  
**Constable:**  
(Vacancy)

#### Grant District

**Justice of the Peace:**  
(Vacancy)  
**Constable:**  
(Vacancy)

#### Greenbrier District

**Justice of the Peace:**  
G. W. Burnside, (R).  
**Constable:**  
(Vacancy)

#### McClellan District

**Justice of the Peace:**  
C. C. Sees, (R), Center Point.  
**Constable:**  
(Vacancy)

#### New Milton District

**Justice of the Peace:**  
(Vacancy)  
**Constable:**  
(Vacancy)

#### Southwest District

**Justice of the Peace:**  
(Vacancy)  
**Constable:**  
(Vacancy)

#### West Union District

**Justice of the Peace:**  
D. J. Cunningham, (R).  
**Constable:**  
T. E. Ash, (R).

**ATTORNEYS**

(Post office address West Union)

Chapman, L. W., (D)  
 Farr, Paul Douglas, (R)  
 Hammond, Clay D., (R)  
 Hammond, H. L., (R)  
 Heinze, James H., (R)  
 Henderson, Louis A., (D)  
 Ireland, P. M., (R)  
 Smith, James B., (R)  
 (Prosecuting Attorney)  
 Stuart, W. S., (R)

**DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE****Officers**

**Chairman:** W. C. Compton, Salem.  
**Associate Chairman:** Mrs. Walter Stewart, West Union.  
**Secretary:** Mrs. Idell Sutton, Blandville.  
**Treasurer:** Mrs. Idell Sutton, Blandville.

**Members**

**Central District:** (Vacancy); Mrs. Addle J. Pickens, Greenwood.  
**Cove District:** W. C. Cole, New Milton; Mrs. Thelma Rymer, Troy.  
**Grant District:** Lawrence Davis, Salem; Mrs. Marjorie Pope, Morgansville.  
**Greenbrier District:** Charley Corder, Milletus; Beatrice Marks, Milletus.  
**McClellan District:** W. C. Compton, Salem; Mrs. Ruth Underwood, West Union.  
**New Milton District:** Stokes A. Hurst, Blandville; Mrs. Idell Sutton, Blandville.  
**Southwest District:** A. A. Bode, Blandville; Mrs. Cletha Osborne, Oxford.  
**West Union District:** Charles Longacre, West Union; Mona Bond, West Union.

**REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE****Officers**

**Chairman:** W. D. Gribble, West Union.  
**Vice Chairman:** V. G. Stinespring, West Union.  
**Secretary:** P. Douglas Farr, West Union.  
**Treasurer:** Ancil Tucker, West Union.

**Members**

**Central District:** John C. Lewis, Central Station; Mrs. Gussie Waldo, Greenwood.  
**Cove District:** S. L. Gray, Troy; Mrs. Gay Ruppert, Blandville.  
**Grant District:** Ray Richards, Morgansville; Mrs. Essie D. McClain, West Union.  
**Greenbrier District:** Oral G. Freeman, Salem; Mrs. H. A. Snider, Salem.  
**McClellan District:** Harley P. Baker, Salem; Mrs. Emma Ash, Ashley.  
**New Milton District:** W. C. Willis, New Milton; Mrs. Lola V. Swisher, Coldwater.  
**Southwest District:** Wallace Haught, Oxford; Mrs. Eliza Maxwell, Auburn.  
**West Union District:** B. H. Maulsby, West Union; Mrs. Hattie V. Christie, Smithburg.

**FAYETTE COUNTY**

Created in 1831 from parts of Greenbrier, Kanawha, Nicholas, and Logan Counties, and named in honor of the Marquis de Lafayette. First court held at New Haven, near Ansted.

McKendree Emergency Hospital located at McKendree, (unincorporated). Babcock and Hawk's Nest State Parks are located in this county.

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Coal, ferro alloys, lumber; livestock, dairying.

**County Seat:** Fayetteville.

**Magisterial Districts (7):** Falls, Fayetteville, Kanawha, Mountain Cove, Nuttall, Quinimont, and Sewell Mountain.

**Voting Precincts:** 108.

**Area:** 666.50 square miles.

**Population (1930):** 72,050.

**Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1930),** \$58,397,930.

**COUNTY OFFICIALS**

(Post office address Fayetteville, unless otherwise indicated)

**Circuit Court (12th Judicial Circuit)**

**Judge:** H. E. Dillon, Jr., (D).

**Terms of Circuit Court:** First Tuesday in January, April, July, and third Tuesday in September.

Clerk: Mrs. L. S. Tully, (D).  
 Court Reporter: Ben D. Keller.  
 Commissioners in Chancery: R. J. Thrift, (D); O. R. Davis, (R); W. L. Lee, (D); J. W. Eary, (R); Harold G. McClung, (R); Frank Love, (R); T. A. Myles, (D); A. M. Vickers, (D).  
 Divorce Commissioner: T. A. Myles, (D).  
 General Receiver: W. H. Haynes, (R).

**County Officers**

Assessor: K. K. Warden, (D).  
 Board of Education: W. G. Potter, (D), Mt. Hope; J. T. Cashion, (D), Ansted; B. C. Peters, (D), Oak Hill; W. H. Vickers, (D), Montgomery; Alva W. Orndorff, (D), Gauley Bridge.  
 Circuit Clerk: Mrs. L. S. Tully, (D).  
 County Clerk: H. R. Beckleheimer, (D).  
 County Superintendent: E. R. Vawter, Assistants: Otway Gunnoe; H. F. Frazier; Frank Shipe; E. C. Smith, (colored).  
 Prosecuting Attorney: Carl B. Vickers, (D).  
 Assistants: R. J. Thrift, Jr., (D); C. H. Vencill, (D).  
 Sheriff: J. R. Aliff, (D).  
 County Surveyor: Garnet Slaven, (D), Oak Hill.  
 Commissioners of Accounts: C. T. Dyer, (D), Montgomery; W. H. Haynes, (R); Thelma Light, (R); R. J. Thrift, Sr., (D).  
 County Commissioners: Okey L. Patteson, (D), Mt. Hope; Guy Douglas, (D), Lookout; Dr. J. F. Reed, (D), Gauley Bridge.  
 Terms of County Court: First Wednesday after first Monday in April, July, October and December.  
 Public Assistance Council: Gilbert Smith, (R); Kenneth H. Martin, (R), Montgomery; Rev. W. W. Pharr, (D), Mt. Hope; J. G. Page, (D); Okey L. Patteson, (D), Mt. Hope, member County Court, *ex-officio*.  
 Director of Public Assistance: J. G. Ridinger.  
 Road Maintenance Superintendent: William Wise.  
 County Agent: J. Haynes Miller.  
 Home Demonstration Agent: Genevieve Hawkins.  
 Club Agent: Charles T. Shackelford.  
 President Farm Bureau: G. A. Stickler, Sanger.

President Farm Women's Bureau: Mrs. Allie Arnick.  
 County Health Officer: Dr. Leon A. Dickerson.  
 County Health Nurses: Wanda Shomo; Anna Lee Hedrick; Mozetta Wright, (colored).  
 Superintendent County Infirmary: John James, Oak Hill.

**JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES**

(By Magisterial Districts)

**Falls District**

Justices of the Peace:  
 H. E. Dillon, (D), Smithers.  
 W. B. Cabell, (D), Gauley Bridge.  
 Constables:  
 Eugene Rader, (D), Gauley Bridge.  
 Carl Myers, (D), Smithers.

**Fayetteville District**

Justices of the Peace:  
 R. C. Godsey, (D), Glen Jean.  
 W. H. Level, (D), Oak Hill.  
 Constables:  
 Robert Richards, (D), Oak Hill.  
 C. E. Duncan, (D), Oak Hill.

**Kanawha District**

Justices of the Peace:  
 Montgomery Hancock, (D), Montgomery.  
 C. A. Harler, (D), Montgomery.  
 Constables:  
 Jimmy Soulsby, (D), Montgomery.  
 H. B. Praither, (D), Montgomery.

**Mountain Cove District**

Justices of the Peace:  
 W. C. Cole, (D), Ansted.  
 C. M. Hughes, (D), Lansing.  
 Constables:  
 L. L. Rogers, (D), Ansted.  
 H. E. Kessler, (D), Victor.

**Nuttall District**

Justices of the Peace:  
 E. E. Miller, (D), Nallen.  
 C. R. Young, (D), Lookout.  
 Constables:  
 Everett Hampton, (D), Winona.  
 M. D. Hall, (D), Winona.

**Quinnimont District****Justices of the Peace:**

F. R. Small, (D), Quinnimont.  
W. F. Whitten, (D), Quinnimont.

**Constables:**

Peter McKay, (D), Prince.  
C. L. Fitzpatrick, (D), Lawton.

**Sewell Mountain District****Justices of the Peace:**

E. R. Daniels, (D), Thurmond.  
J. T. Kincaid, (D), Clifftop.

**Constables:**

John Moses, (D), Thurmond.  
G. W. Tolley, (D), Clifftop.

**ATTORNEYS**

(Post office address Fayetteville, unless otherwise indicated)

Bacon, F. N., (R), (MB&W)  
Brazle, F. H., (R)  
Carson, H. W., (D)  
(Montgomery)  
Darnall, Herbert L., (R)  
(Mt. Hope)  
Davis, O. R., (R)  
Dillon, H. E., Jr., (D)  
(Judge Circuit Court)  
Dyer, C. T., (D)  
(Montgomery)  
Eary, J. W., (R), (ET&V)  
Eary, Thompson & Vickers  
Eary, J. W., (R)  
Thompson, Wm. G., (R)  
(Montgomery)  
Vickers, A. M., (D)  
(Montgomery)  
Ellis, J. M., (R)  
(Oak Hill)  
Funt, Morris Sidney, (D)  
(Montgomery)  
Gaines, L. Ebersole, (R)  
Hamilton, A. W., (R)  
Hamilton, J. C., (R)  
Higgins, S. C., Jr., (D)  
Haynes, W. H., (R)  
Holt, Homer A., (D)  
(Governor of West Virginia)  
Hubard, R. T., (D)  
Jacobs, William J. B., (D)  
(Montgomery)  
Lee, W. L., (D)  
Love, Frank, (R), (L&L)  
Love, George R., (R), (L&L)  
Love, J. H., (R)  
(Montgomery)  
Love and Love  
Love, George, (R)  
Love, Frank, (R)

Mahan, Chas. E., (D), (MB&W)  
Mahan, Bacon & White  
Bacon, F. N., (R)  
Mahan, Chas. E., (D)  
White, J. H., (D)  
Martin, Kenneth H., (R)  
(Montgomery)  
Montgomery, Lawrence C., (D)  
(Montgomery)  
Montgomery, William L., (D)  
(Montgomery)  
Myles, T. A., (D)  
McClung, Harold G., (R)  
Price, Samuel W., Jr., (D)  
(Oak Hill)  
Price, Wm. C., (D)  
Pyle, William L., (R)  
(Oak Hill)  
Renick, Myron R., (R)  
Russell, A. L., (D)  
Ryan, J. L., (Ind.)  
Selbert, Janice Boone, (D)  
(Mt. Hope)  
Smith, A. D., (D)  
Summerfield, C. R., (D)  
Summerfield, Ellison St. Clair, (D)  
Sweeney, T. L., (D)  
Thompson, Wm. G., (R), (ET&V)  
(Montgomery)  
Thrift, R. J., Jr., (D)  
(Assistant Prosecuting Attorney)  
Thrift, R. J., (D)  
Vencill, Claude H., (D)  
(Assistant Prosecuting Attorney)  
Vickers, A. M., (D), (ET&V)  
(Montgomery)  
Vickers, C. B., (D)  
(Prosecuting Attorney)  
Walkup, Homer A., Jr., (D)  
(Mt. Hope)  
White, J. H., (D), (MB&W)  
Wiseman, Marrs, (D)  
Withrow, George C., (D)  
(Montgomery)

**DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE****Officers**

**Chairman:** J. Alfred Taylor, Fayetteville.  
**Vice Chairman:** Thomas E. Gallagher, Fayetteville.  
**Secretary:** H. A. Walkup, Jr., Mount Hope.  
**Treasurer:** Karl K. Warden, Fayetteville.

**Members**

**Falls District:** Harry Clark, Glen Ferris; Mrs. Charles Lavender, Cannelton.

**Fayetteville District:** Dr. E. M. Harris, Mount Hope; Mrs. Pete Amole, Oak Hill.

**Kanawha District:** J. C. R. Taylor, Page; Mrs. Anna L. Grannon, Montgomery.

**Mountain Cove District:** W. Guy Ferguson, Ansted; Ruth McGraw, Lansing.

**Nuttall District:** John H. Hatcher, Edmond; Mrs. Edith V. Miller, Nallen.

**Quinnimont District:** R. I. Webb, Laurel Creek; Mrs. Daislelee Kessler, Meadow Bridge.

**Sewell Mountain District:** J. W. Cavendish, Rainelle; Mrs. Ida McClure, Thurmond.

## REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

**Chairman:** W. H. Haynes, Fayetteville.

**Vice Chairman:** Dr. D. C. Smallridge, Montgomery.

**Secretary:** William M. Harnsberger, Mt. Hope.

**Treasurer:** C. R. Hill, Oak Hill.

### Members

**Falls District:** J. F. Dean, Gauley Bridge; Mrs. L. M. Reynolds, Smithers.

**Fayetteville District:** Geo. S. Bishop, Summerlee; Mrs. C. R. Hill, Oak Hill.

**Kanawha District:** Willis Kincaid, Montgomery; Mrs. Julia Wilkerson, Montgomery.

**Mt. Cove District:** Dr. G. W. Fox, Ansted; Hallie Legg, Ansted.

**Nuttall District:** R. L. Hash, Edmond, Mrs. Edgar Kessler, Nallen.

**Sewell Mountain District:** E. E. Smith, Corliss; Mrs. J. H. Zinn, Fire Creek.

**Quinnimont District:** G. E. Callison, Springdale; Mrs. J. W. Richards, Quinnimont.

ral gas, lumber; hay and grain, livestock, poultry, dairying.

**County Seat:** Glenville.

**Magisterial Districts (4):** Center, DeKalb, Glenville and Troy.

**Voting Precincts:** 25.

**Area:** 342.40 square miles.

**Population (1930):** 10,641.

**Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1939),** \$13,727,880.

## COUNTY OFFICIALS

(Post office address Glenville, unless otherwise indicated)

### Circuit Court (14th Judicial Circuit)

**Judge:** Jake Fisher, (D), Sutton.

**Terms of Circuit Court:** Third Monday in February, June and October.

**Clerk:** Homer G. Woodford, (D).

**Court Reporter:** Raymond Allman, (D), Sutton.

**Commissioners in Chancery:** Haymon H. Boggs, (D); Paul H. Kidd, (D).

**Divorce Commissioner:** None.

**General Receiver:** C. T. Whiting, (R).

### County Officers

**Assessor:** Alfred Rhoades, (D).

**Board of Education:** Guy B. Young, (D); Howard Stump, (D), Stumptown; Harley Wolf, (D); Wayne D. Keith, (D), Sand Fork; Roy F. Fitzpatrick, (D), Lockney.

**Circuit Clerk:** Homer G. Woodford, (D).

**County Clerk:** W. B. Lynch, (D).

**County Superintendent:** Marvin Cooper.

**Prosecuting Attorney:** Haymon H. Boggs, (D).

**Sheriff:** Gilbert Rhoades, (D).

**County Surveyor:** L. L. Miller, (D).

**Commissioners of Accounts:** Ivan H. Bush, (D); Mrs. Cesa Johnson, (D); Paul H. Kidd, (D).

**County Commissioners:** Alfred Vanhorn, (D), Orton; Earl Hardman, (D), Tanner; Homer B. Powell, (D), Cox's Mills.

**Terms of County Court:** First Monday in each month.

**Public Assistance Council:** Thomas Cooper, (D), Tanner; J. S. Stalnaker, (D), Hardman; Mrs. Fred Whiting, (R); J. H. Hall, (R); Homer B. Powell, (D), Cox's Mills, member County Court, *ex-officio*.

**Director of Public Assistance:** Mrs. Ina Hupp.

## GILMER COUNTY

Formed in 1845 from parts of Lewis and Kanawha Counties, and named for Thomas Walter Gilmer, Governor of Virginia, 1840-1841, later a representative in Congress, and Secretary of the Navy in President Taylor's Cabinet.

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Petroleum, natu-

**Road Maintenance Superintendent:**  
Blair Gainer.

**County Agent:** I. N. Fetty.

**Club Agent:** Adele Harpold.

**President Farm Bureau:** J. O. Marks.

**County Health Officer:** Dr. J. A. Markley (Weston).

**County Health Nurse:** Bernice Cridlin.

## JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES

(By Magisterial Districts)

### Center District

**Justices of the Peace:**

J. N. Gregory, (D), Cedarville.

Sam Minigh, (D), Moss.

**Constables:**

E. S. Pritt, (D), Cedarville.

(Vacancy)

### DeKalb District

**Justices of the Peace:**

C. O. Rafferty, (D), Withers.

L. V. Crites, (R), Tanner.

**Constables:**

Everett Collins, (D), Withers.

Frank Gainer, (D), Tanner.

### Glenville District

**Justices of the Peace:**

Will Kee, (D), Glenville.

J. B. Moss, (D), Glenville.

**Constables:**

I. H. Murphy, (D), Glenville.

J. H. Greenleaf, (D), Glenville.

### Troy District

**Justices of the Peace:**

F. B. Wilfong, (D), Linn.

(Vacancy)

**Constables:**

(Vacancy)

(Vacancy)

## ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Glenville, unless  
otherwise indicated)

Barnett, Fred H., (D)

Bennett, C. M., (D)

Berry, Arlan W., (D)

Boggs, Haymon H., (D)

Prosecuting Attorney

Brown, Gordon H., (D)

Craddock, B. W., (D)

(Assistant U. S. Attorney)

Hendrick, John J., (R)

Kidd, Paul H., (D)

McQuain, George W., (D)

Wilson, Frank M., (D)

(Normantown)

Young, Guy B., (D)

## DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

**Chairman:** C. W. Marsh, Glenville.

**Treasurer:** William Nottingham, Glenville.

### Members

**Center District:** Ben F. Miller, Shock;  
(Vacancy).

**DeKalb District:** G. C. Bennett, DeKalb; Mrs. Ross Hardman, Tanner.

**Glenville District:** W. Nottingham, Glenville; Mrs. Hazel Bويلon, Linn.

**Troy District:** John M. White, Troy;  
Mrs. Ethel Linger, Cox's Mills.

## REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

**Chairman:** Dr. Waltman T. Smith, Glenville.

**Secretary:** A. E. Burkehouse, Glenville.

### Members

**Center District:** Roscoe Boggs, Normantown; Mrs. Pearl Williams, Normantown.

**DeKalb District:** Hall Wilson, Tanner; Mrs. Oren Radabaugh, DeKalb.

**Glenville District:** G. C. Fisher, Glenville; Mrs. Hope Lohan Poole, Glenville.

**Troy District:** L. K. Matheny, Troy;  
Mrs. Bonnie Williams Erwin, Linn.

## GRANT COUNTY

Created from Hardy County in 1866, and named for General Ulysses Simpson Grant.

The Fairfax Stone, marking the southwestern limit of Maryland, which is determined by the head spring or fountain of the Potomac River, is situated in the extreme western angle of the county.

Part of the Monongahela National Forest is located in this county.

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Lumber, tannery (sole leather); livestock, hay and grain, poultry, fruit, maple sugar.

County Seat: Petersburg.

Magisterial Districts (3): Grant, Milroy and Union.

Voting Precincts: 14.

Area: 478 square miles.

Population (1930): 8,441.

Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1939), \$4,896,403.

## COUNTY OFFICIALS

(Post office address Petersburg, unless otherwise indicated)

### Circuit Court (21st Judicial Circuit)

Judge: Robert McV. Drane, (D), Piedmont.

Terms of Circuit Court: First Tuesday in April; second Tuesday in July; third Tuesday in November.

Clerk: Paul A. Leatherman, (R).

Court Reporter: C. H. Graham, (D), Parsons.

Commissioners in Chancery: Paul A. Leatherman, (R); K. C. Van Meter, Jr., (D); John L. Boor, (R).

Divorce Commissioner: None.

General Receiver: H. E. Schell, (R).

### County Officers

Assessor: W. F. Hiser, (R).

Board of Education: I. S. Alt, (R); A. N. Brown, (R), Bayard; Robert N. Oates, (R), Gormanina; E. G. Feaster, (R); W. H. Muntzing, (R), Maysville.

Circuit Clerk: Paul A. Leatherman, (R).

County Clerk: Paul A. Leatherman, (R).

County Superintendent: Clarence P. Hott.

Prosecuting Attorney: D. E. Cuppett, Jr., (R).

Sheriff: W. A. Veach, (R).

Commissioners of Accounts: D. E. Cuppett, Jr., (R); B. F. Mitchell, (R); Paul A. Leatherman, (R); J. M. K. Reid, (R).

County Commissioners: Allen Foley, (R); Evers Bergdoll, (R), Rough Run; T. W. May, (R), Maysville.

Terms of County Court: Third Tuesday in January; first Tuesday in March; first Tuesday in June and third Tuesday in October.

Public Assistance Council: Dr. Hugh Allen, (D); Garrett Van Metre, (D); Otis Fout, (R), Arthur; Ralph Snell, (D); T. W. May, (R), Maysville, member County Court, *ex-officio*.

Director of Public Assistance: William T. Moomau.

Road Maintenance Superintendent: A. N. Clower.

County Agent: C. L. Stickler.

Home Demonstration Agent: Annie Handley Shobe.

Assistant: Werneth L. Wilson.

President Farm Bureau: T. J. Grove.

County Health Officer: Dr. W. H. Riheldaffer, (Romney).

County Health Nurse: Kathleen Hisghman.

## JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES

(By Magisterial Districts)

### Grant District

Justices of the Peace:

A. A. Dettinburn, (R), Martin.  
H. H. Haslacker, (R), Medley.

Constables:

Homer Lyon, (R), Martin.  
(Vacancy)

### Milroy District

Justices of the Peace:

John L. Boor, (R), Petersburg.  
Charles H. Park, (R), Petersburg.

Constables:

Noah Swick, (R), Petersburg.  
D. W. Alt, (R), Petersburg.

### Union District

Justices of the Peace:

Joe Halterman, (R), Greenland.  
M. Aronholt, (R), Mt. Storm.

Constables:

Lindsay Frazier, (R), Bayard.  
(Vacancy)

## ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Petersburg)

Baker, R. W., (D)

Cuppett, D. E., Jr., (R)

(Prosecuting Attorney)

Judy, E. L., (R)

Smith, I. D., (R)

Mitchell, B. F., (R)

Van Meter, K. C., Jr., (D)

Welton, A. J., (R)

## DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

**Chairman:** S. L. Hyre, Petersburg.  
**Treasurer:** T. J. Grove, Petersburg.  
**Secretary:** W. C. VanMeter, Petersburg.

### Members

**Grant District:** Homer Cassidy, Williamsport; Ed V. Smith, Arthur; Mary H. Macewicz, Laymansville; Jean Neadele, Medley.  
**Milroy District:** S. L. Hyre, Petersburg; T. J. Grove, Petersburg; Eleanor C. Moomau, Petersburg; Catherine Harness, Petersburg.  
**Union District:** Harry E. Renn, Bayard; Nay Blocher, Bayard; Nellie M. Elrick, Gormanla; Mrs. Joe Dean, Bayard.

## REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

**Chairman:** C. H. Hood, Petersburg.  
**Secretary:** Constance Davis, Petersburg.  
**Treasurer:** Julius Thompson, Petersburg.

### Members

**Grant District:** C. H. Hood, Petersburg; Mrs. H. L. Stallings, Medley.  
**Milroy District:** Julius Thompson, Petersburg; Constance Davis, Petersburg.  
**Union District:** H. B. Cottrill, Gormanla; Mrs. H. G. Duling, Gormanla.

## GREENBRIER COUNTY

Second largest county in West Virginia. Created in 1778 from parts of Montgomery and Botetourt Counties, (Virginia), and named for the principal river which drains the county. The first permanent settlement was established in 1769 at Frankford, (unincorporated).

Part of the Monongahela National Forest is located in this county.

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Coal, lumber, road materials; livestock, hay and grain, poultry, fruit, dairying.

**County Seat:** Lewisburg.  
**Magisterial Districts (10):** Anthony Creek, Blue Sulphur, Falling Spring, Fort Spring, Frankford, Irish Corner, Lewisburg, Meadow Bluff, White Sulphur and Williamsburg.  
**Voting Precincts:** 56.  
**Area:** 1022.80 square miles.  
**Population (1930):** 35,878.  
**Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1939),** \$23,886,840.

## COUNTY OFFICIALS

(Post office address Lewisburg, unless otherwise indicated)

### Circuit Court (11th Judicial Circuit)

**Judge:** Mark L. Jarrett, (D).  
**Terms of Circuit Court:** Third Tuesday in April, and fourth Tuesday in July and November.  
**Clerk:** Thomas W. Henry, (D).  
**Court Reporter:** B. H. Twyford, (R).  
**Commissioners in Chancery:** Francis S. Davis, (D); Harry L. Van Sickler, (D); John A. Lille, (D); Sheldon E. Haynes, (R), White Sulphur Springs.  
**Divorce Commissioner:** S. M. Austin, (D).  
**General Receiver:** Ira D. Humphreys, (D), Ronceverte.

### County Officers

**Assessor:** D. W. Watts, (D).  
**Board of Education:** Wood W. Wickline, (D), Rainelle; J. Frank Nash, (D), Alderson; W. E. Burns, (D), Kelffer; James W. Knight, (D), Williamsburg; Dr. J. W. Compton, (D), Ronceverte.  
**Circuit Clerk:** Thomas W. Henry, (D).  
**County Clerk:** Paul C. Hogsett, (D).  
**County Superintendent:** W. E. Scott.  
**Assistant:** Herbert M. Harr.  
**Prosecuting Attorney:** Hunter Nickell Kramer, (D).  
**Sheriff:** John L. Campbell, (D).  
**Commissioners of Accounts:** H. L. Van Sickler, (D); J. E. Bass, (D); F. M. Arbuckle, (D); A. M. Tressell, (D), White Sulphur Springs.  
**County Commissioners:** Lewis A. Fleshman, (D), Alderson; Dr. Carl C. Jackson, (D), East Rainelle; W. Rufus Bowling, (D), White Sulphur Springs.  
**Terms of County Court:** First Tuesday in each month.

**Public Assistance Council:** R. J. Walkup, (D), Renick; S. B. Rodgers, (R), Ronceverte; H. H. Blackburn, (D); J. A. Rigg, (R), Fort Spring; Dr. Carl C. Jackson, (D), East Rainelle, member County Court, *ex-officio*.

**Director of Public Assistance:** Leslie E. Hendrickson.

**Road Maintenance Superintendent:** M. E. Hennessy.

**County Agent:** William S. Miller.

**Club Agent:** Virginia Parsons.

**President Farm Bureau:** Ross H. Tucker-willer.

**County Health Officer:** Dr. Herbert Duncan.

**County Health Nurse:** Anne C. Myers.

## JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES

(By Magisterial Districts)

### Anthony Creek District

**Justice of the Peace:**  
(Vacancy)

**Constable:**  
(Vacancy)

### Blue Sulphur District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
A. M. McNeer, (D), Alderson.  
(Vacancy)

**Constables:**  
(Vacancy)  
(Vacancy)

### Falling Spring District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
M. M. Burr, (D), Renick.  
J. E. Whiting, (D), Renick.

**Constable:**  
(Vacancy)

### Fort Spring District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
E. S. Coffman, (D), Ronceverte.  
(Vacancy)

**Constables:**  
H. S. Patterson, (D), Ronceverte.  
(Vacancy)

### Frankford District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
G. G. Clendennen, (D), Maxwelton.  
W. R. Blankenship, (D), Frankford.

**Constable:**  
(Vacancy)

### Irish Corner District

**Justice of the Peace:**  
(Vacancy)

**Constable:**  
(Vacancy)

### Lewisburg District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
Finley M. Arbuckle, (D), Lewisburg.  
J. W. Hutcheson, (D), Lewisburg.

**Constables:**  
(Vacancy)  
(Vacancy)

### Meadow Bluff District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
J. W. Legg, (D), Rainelle.  
R. G. Martin, (D), East Rainelle.

**Constables:**  
(Vacancy)  
R. H. Martin, (D), East Rainelle.

### White Sulphur District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
A. M. Tressel, (D), White Sulphur Springs.  
J. C. Burr, (D), White Sulphur Springs.

**Constables:**  
R. E. Smith, (D), White Sulphur Springs.  
V. H. Fogus, (D), White Sulphur Springs.

### Williamsburg District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
J. S. Wilkinson, (D), Williamsburg.  
J. D. Hume, (R), Williamsburg.

**Constable:**  
T. A. Knight, (R), Williamsburg.

## ATTORNEYS

(Pot office Lewisburg, unless otherwise indicated)

Austin, Samuel M., (D)  
Brackman, Mason C., (R)  
Davis, Francis S., (D)  
Detch, John L., (D)  
(East Rainelle)  
Dickson, Richard R., (D)  
Easley, G. Gilmer, (D)

Haynes, Sheldon, (R)  
 (White Sulphur Springs)  
 Kramer, Nickell, (D)  
 (Prosecuting Attorney)  
 Lille, John A., (D)  
 McWhorter, Charles N., (R), (P&Mc)  
 McWhorter, J. Scott, (D)  
 (Rupert)  
 Preston, Samuel P., (D)  
 Price, Samuel, (D), (P&Mc)  
 Price and McWhorter  
 Price, Samuel, (D)  
 McWhorter, Charles N., (R)  
 Van Sickler, H. L., (D)

### DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

**Chairman:** Dr. W. E. Myles, White Sulphur Springs.  
**First Vice Chairman:** Mrs. S. A. McFerrin, Renick.  
**Second Vice Chairman:** Mrs. A. J. Caraway, Alderson.  
**Secretary:** Mrs. John H. Stratton, Lewisburg.  
**Treasurer:** Stuart Creigh, Ronceverte.

#### Members

**Anthony Creek District:** W. H. White, Alvon; Mrs. Flora J. Hefner, Neola.  
**Blue Sulphur District:** W. B. Rodgers, Alderson; Mrs. A. J. Caraway, Alderson.  
**Falling Spring District:** John McClung, Renick; Mrs. S. A. McFerrin, Renick.  
**Fort Spring District:** Stuart Creigh, Ronceverte; Mrs. Mark Gee, Ronceverte.  
**Frankford District:** Emmet R. Livesay, Frankford; Mrs. Chas. H. Gillilan, Frankford.  
**Irish Corner District:** John M. Corkrean, Fort Springs; Mrs. Myrtle E. Dolan, Ronceverte.  
**Lewisburg District:** (Vacancy); Mrs. John H. Stratton, Lewisburg.  
**Meadow Bluff District:** H. R. Harrah, Clintonville; Mrs. Vernie O'Dell, Quinwood.  
**White Sulphur District:** Dr. W. E. Myles, White Sulphur Springs; Mrs. Harry G. Gillespie, White Sulphur Springs.  
**Williamsburg District:** R. C. Knight, Williamsburg; Mrs. H. H. Hartsook, Hughart.

### REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

**Chairman:** Martyn Rodgers, Ronceverte.  
**Vice Chairman:** Mrs. C. E. Frazier, White Sulphur Springs.  
**Secretary:** L. Mark Withrow, Lewisburg.  
**Treasurer:** O. D. Higginbotham, Frankford.

#### Members

**Anthony Creek District:** Robert Wolverton, Neola; Mrs. Layton Hanna, Alvon.  
**Blue Sulphur District:** Clifford Wills, Grassy Meadow; Mrs. I. N. Meadows, Alderson.  
**Falling Spring District:** Lake M. Brown, Renick; Mrs. M. P. Hanna, Renick.  
**Fort Spring District:** C. W. Graves, Ronceverte; Eleanor G. Frazier, Ronceverte.  
**Frankford District:** K. W. Snedegar, Renick; Mrs. Elizabeth Bennett, Frankford.  
**Irish Corner District:** C. L. Wilson, Organ Cave; Mrs. Martyn Rodgers, Ronceverte.  
**Lewisburg District:** L. Mark Withrow, Lewisburg; Mrs. Pauline McDowell Stuart, Lewisburg.  
**Meadow Bluff District:** Dr. C. I. Wall, East Rainelle; Mrs. Mildred Vance, East Rainelle.  
**White Sulphur District:** J. G. Peacock, White Sulphur Springs; Mrs. S. A. Swann, White Sulphur Springs.  
**Williamsburg District:** F. S. Bennett, Clintonville; Mackie C. Hume, Williamsburg.

### HAMPSHIRE COUNTY

Oldest county in West Virginia. Formed from parts of Frederick and Augusta Counties (Virginia), in 1753, and named for the English shire of the same name.

Part of the George Washington National Forest is located in this county.

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Lumber, wood creosoting; sheep, fruit, buckwheat, hay and grain, livestock, dairying.

**County Seat:** Romney.  
**Magisterial Districts (7):** Bloomery, Capon, Gore, Mill Creek, Romney Sherman and Springfield.  
**Voicing Precincts:** 27.  
**Area:** 641.44 square miles.  
**Population (1930):** 11,836.  
**Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1930),** \$9,452,770.

### COUNTY OFFICIALS

(Post office address, Romney, unless otherwise indicated)

#### Circuit Court (22nd Judicial Circuit)

**Judge:** Harlan M. Calhoun, (D), Moorefield.

**Terms of Circuit Court:** First Tuesday in January; first Tuesday in March; first Tuesday in July and Third Tuesday in September.

**Clerk:** Edgar G. Shanholtzer, (D).

**Court Reporter:** Constance Davis, (R), Petersburg.

**Commissioners in Chancery:** J. S. Zimmerman, (D); L. V. Thompson, (D); William H. Poling, (D); George H. Williams, (D); G. K. Kump, (D).

**Divorce Commissioner:** William H. Poling, (D).

**General Receiver:** W. M. Williams, (D).

#### County Officers

**Assessor:** A. P. Peters, (D).

**Board of Education:** Henry W. Campbell, (D), Springfield; Carson B. Davis, (D), Yellow Springs; Edward M. Nealls, (D), Augusta; George W. Stewart, (D), Augusta; Aven C. Ruckman, (D).

**Circuit Clerk:** Edgar G. Shanholtzer, (D).

**County Clerk:** R. E. Stewart, (D).

**County Superintendent:** A. C. Loy.

**Prosecuting Attorney:** L. V. Thompson, (D).

**Sheriff:** N. B. Guthrie, (D).

**County Surveyor:** H. J. Compton, (D), Augusta.

**Commissioners of Accounts:** J. S. Zimmerman, (D); William H. Poling, (D); L. V. Thompson, (D); G. K. Kump, (D).

**County Commissioners:** O. B. Calohan, (D), Springfield; C. H. Parsons, (D); C. A. Loy, (D), Kirby.

**Terms of County Court:** First Monday in April; fourth Tuesday in July; fourth Tuesday in October; and, third Tuesday in December.

**Public Assistance Council:** John F. Arnold, (R); Marvin Hook, (R), Capon Bridge; Mrs. Wessie Lehman, (D); Denzil Powell, (D), Augusta; C. H. Parsons, (D), member County Court, *ex-officio*.

**Director of Public Assistance:** Robert A. Gibson.

**Road Maintenance Superintendent:** J. G. McCauley.

**County Agent:** D. I. Law.

**Home Demonstration Agent:** Nina Spiggle.

**President Farm Bureau:** Samuel R. Pancake.

**President Farm Women's Bureau:** Mrs. I. M. Dicken, Levels.

**County Health Officers:** Dr. J. F. Easton; Dr. W. H. Riheldaffer.

**County Health Nurse:** Jessie Roach.

### JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES

(By Magisterial Districts)

#### Bloomery District

**Justice of the Peace:**

Adam Mitchell, (D), Capon Bridge.

**Constable:**

(Vacancy)

#### Capon District

**Justices of the Peace:**

J. F. Rudolph, (D), Intermont.

(Vacancy)

**Constables:**

H. L. Brill, (D), Intermont.

(Vacancy)

#### Gore District

**Justice of the Peace:**

(Vacancy)

**Constables:**

(Vacancy)

(Vacancy)

#### Mill Creek District

**Justice of the Peace:**

(Vacancy)

**Constable:**

(Vacancy)

**Romney District****Justices of the Peace:**

George H. Johnson, (D), Romney.  
T. E. Pownall, (D), Romney.

**Constables:**

John F. Carder, (D), Romney.  
William P. Russell, (D), Romney.

**Sherman District****Justice of the Peace:**

Leo R. Combs, (D), Augusta.

**Constable:**

(Vacancy)

**Springfield District****Justice of the Peace:**

Pressley Allen, (R), Springfield.

**Constable:**

(Vacancy)

**ATTORNEYS**

(Post office address Romney, unless otherwise indicated)

Arnold, Geo. S., (D)  
Cornwell, John J., (D)  
Halnes, Ralph W., (D)  
Kump, G. K., (D)  
Lehman, John L., (R)  
Polling, W. H., (D)  
Pownall, T. E., (D)  
Singhass, W. F., (D)  
Thompson, L. V., (D)  
(Prosecuting Attorney)  
Williams, Geo. H., (D)  
Zimmerman, J. S., (D)

**DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE****Officers**

**Chairman:** J. B. Saville, Romney.  
**Associate Chairman:** Mrs. Brady Gunn, Romney.  
**Secretary:** Edgar G. Shanholtzer, Romney.  
**Treasurer:** R. E. Stewart, Romney.

**Members**

**Bloomery District:** Ira Eaton, Bloomery; Gertrude Spald, Capon Bridge.  
**Capon District:** C. G. Davis, Yellow Springs; Mrs. Fred Oates, Capon Bridge.  
**Gore District:** L. E. Shanholtzer, Higginville; Mrs. Kate Orndorff, Higginville.

**Mill Creek District:** E. G. Ruckman, Purgittsville; (Vacancy).

**Romney District:** J. B. Saville, Romney; Mrs. Brady Gunn, Romney.

**Sherman District:** John W. Daugherty, Hanging Rock; Mrs. George Combs, Kirby.

**Springfield District:** H. A. Mully, Romney; Mrs. Mabel Rannels, Romney.

**REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE****Officers**

**Chairman:** O. M. Keckley, Romney.  
**Secretary:** Mrs. Harry Adams, Romney.  
**Treasurer:** W. M. Dicken, Levels.

**Members**

**Bloomery District:** Herbert Hutchinson, Paw Paw; Mrs. Asa Kidwell, Paw Paw.  
**Capon District:** R. L. Carrier, Lehew; Mrs. L. F. Carrier, Lehew.  
**Gore District:** W. M. Dicken, Levels; Mrs. Mabel Snyder, Levels.  
**Mill Creek District:** I. L. Hockman, Purgittsville; Mrs. Kate F. Parker, Junction.  
**Romney District:** John L. Lehman, Romney; Mrs. Harry Adams, Romney.  
**Sherman District:** O. M. Keckley, Romney; Mrs. Lethia Hott, Kirby.  
**Springfield District:** T. E. Dicken, Levels; Mrs. Eva Heare, Levels.

**HANCOCK COUNTY**

Smallest county in the state. Created from Brooke County in 1848, and named for John Hancock, first signer of the Declaration of Independence.

Cannon balls manufactured at iron foundry of Peter Tarr, on King's Creek, were used by Commodore Perry at the battle of Lake Erie.

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Iron and steel, chinaware, pottery, brick and fire clay, sheet metal, tin products; apples, dairying, livestock.

**County Seat:** New Cumberland.  
**Magisterial Districts (3):** Butler, Clay and Grant.  
**Voting Precincts:** 24.

Area: 88.55 square miles.  
 Population (1930): 28,511.  
 Assessed Valuation of Property, All  
 Classes (1939), \$37,064,830.

### COUNTY OFFICIALS

(Post office address New Cumberland  
 unless otherwise indicated)

#### Circuit Court (1st Judicial Circuit)

Judges: J. H. Brennan, (R), Wheel-  
 ing; J. J. P. O'Brien, (D), Wheeling.  
 Terms of Circuit Court: The Tuesday  
 after the second Monday in January,  
 April and September.

Clerk: R. M. Brown, (R).

Court Reporter: Grace Creamer, (R),  
 Wheeling.

Commissioners in Chancery: Frank  
 L. Bradley, (R); G. L. Bambrick,  
 (D); E. A. Hart, (R); R. M. Brown,  
 (R).

Divorce Commissioner: E. A. Hart,  
 (R).

General Receiver: D. G. Stewart, (D).

#### County Officers

Assessor: Kenneth H. Hill, (D).

Board of Education: William G.  
 Phillips, (D), Weirton; R. G.  
 Stewart, (D); Alvin W. Eckleberry,  
 (D), Newell; W. A. Collins, (D),  
 Hollidays Cove; Leslie P. Turley,  
 (D).

Circuit Clerk: R. M. Brown, (R).

County Clerk: Don G. Stewart, (D).

County Superintendent: A. L. Raben-  
 stein.

Assistant: Robert H. Hall.

Prosecuting Attorney: William J.  
 Moore, (D).

Sheriff: W. Dan Ferguson, (D).

County Surveyor: Thomas W. Mine-  
 singer, (R).

Coroner: Dr. Thomas H. Bruce.

Commissioners of Accounts: Frank  
 L. Bradley, (R); R. M. Brown, (R);  
 Armour S. Cooper, (R); E. A. Hart,  
 (R).

County Commissioners: T. J. Garlick,  
 (R); J. P. Rice, (D), Chester; L. H.  
 Hill, (D), Weirton.

Terms of County Court: First Tues-  
 day in January, April, August and  
 December.

Public Assistance Council: Alfred  
 Mildren, (D), Hollidays Cove; Mrs. E.  
 Clapperton, (R), Chester; E. D. Roth-  
 rock, (R), Hollidays Cove; C. D.  
 Eckleberry, (D), Newell; J. P. Rice,

(D), Chester, member County Court,  
*ex-officio*.

Director of Public Assistance: R. R.  
 Gray.

Road Maintenance Superintendent: Ray  
 Kelly.

County Agent: T. R. Hash.

Club Agent: Garnet Protzman Bren-  
 neman.

President Farm Bureau: J. B. Porter,  
 Jr.

County Health Officer: Dr. Thomas  
 H. Bruce.

County Health Nurse: Elizabeth  
 Somerville.

### JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES

(By Magisterial Districts)

#### Butler District

Justices of the Peace:

Dick Wright, (D), Weirton.

Roy Pilette, (R), Weirton.

Constables:

Norman Ferrari, (D), Weirton.

Steve Barron, (D), Weirton.

#### Clay District

Justices of the Peace:

J. H. Beatty, (R), New Cumberland.

Clifford Reynolds, (R), New Cumber-  
 land.

Constables:

Frank Foss, (R), New Cumberland.

Sam Swain, (D), New Cumberland.

#### Grant District

Justices of the Peace:

O. C. Reynolds, (R), Chester.

John Talbott, (R), Newell.

Constables:

Lee Allison, (R), Chester.

William Smith, (R), Chester.

### ATTORNEYS

(Post office address New Cumberland  
 unless otherwise indicated)

Bambrick, G. L., (D)

Bambrick, W. Lewis, (D)

(Hollidays Cove)

Bradley, Frank L., (R)

Brown, R. M., (R)

Fahey, W. T., (R), (Hollidays Cove)  
 Frankovich, Carl, (R), (Weirton)  
 Hart, E. A., (R)  
 Hearst, David S., (D)  
 (Hollidays Cove)  
 Ingram, W. W., (R), (Chester)  
 Levy, J. B., (R), (Hollidays Cove)  
 Lincoff, Aaron, (R), (Weirton)  
 Loucas, George E., (R), (Weirton)  
 Moore, Wm. J., (D), (Weirton)  
 (Prosecuting Attorney)  
 McKenzie, T. F., (R)  
 (Hollidays Cove)  
 Tonry, Charles E., (R)  
 Yandala, Gust J., (D), (Weirton)

### DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

**Chairman:** Paul S. Cullen, New Cumberland.  
**Secretary:** (Vacancy).  
**Treasurer:** W. S. Bambrick, Weirton.

#### Members

**Butler District:** Walter S. Bambrick, Weirton; (Vacancy).  
**Clay District:** Paul S. Cullen, New Cumberland; Mrs. Louise Fleckenstine, New Cumberland.  
**Grant District:** J. C. Cunningham, Chester; Ruth Baxter, Chester.

### REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

**Chairman:** R. M. Brown, New Cumberland.  
**Vice Chairman:** Mrs. Carrie Mountjoy, Chester.  
**Secretary:** Mrs. Blanche Baker Rothrock, Hollidays Cove.  
**Treasurer:** G. A. Arner, Chester.

#### Members

**Butler District:** W. C. Barr, Hollidays Cove; Mrs. Blanche Rothrock, Hollidays Cove.  
**Clay District:** R. M. Brown, New Cumberland; Mrs. Elizabeth Crisler, New Cumberland.  
**Grant District:** G. A. Arner, Chester; Mrs. Carrie Mountjoy, Chester.

## HARDY COUNTY

Created from Hampshire County in 1786, and named for Samuel Hardy, a distinguished Virginian.

Lost River State Park and part of the George Washington National Forest are located in this county.

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Lumber, tannery, (sole leather); hay and grain, livestock, poultry, dairying.

**County Seat:** Moorefield.

**Magisterial Districts (4):** Capon, Lost River, Moorefield and South Fork.

**Voting Precincts:** 11.

**Area:** 575.52 square miles.

**Population (1930):** 9,816.

**Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1930),** \$5,655,505.

### COUNTY OFFICIALS

(Post office address Moorefield, unless otherwise indicated)

#### Circuit Court (22nd Judicial Circuit)

**Judge:** Harlan M. Calhoun, (D).

**Terms of Circuit Court:** Third Tuesday in February, June and October.

**Clerk:** C. C. Wise, (D).

**Court Reporter:** Constance Davis, (R), Petersburg.

**Commissioners in Chancery:** W. D. McCauley, (D); C. C. Wise, (D); Ralph J. Bean, (D).

**Divorce Commissioner:** (Vacancy)

**General Receiver:** M. Dasher, (D).

#### County Officers

**Assessor:** William Keller, (D).

**Board of Education:** O. G. Bean, (D); Mrs. Rosamond McWhorter, (D); John C. Burch, (D). Fabius; E. Pitt McKeever, (D), Wardensville; T. A. Foltz, (D), Mathias.

**Circuit Clerk:** C. C. Wise, (D).

**County Clerk:** C. C. Wise, (D).

**County Superintendent:** G. R. Kira-cofe.

**Prosecuting Attorney:** Ralph J. Bean, (D).

**Sheriff:** P. D. DeLawder, (D).

**County Surveyor:** A. D. Wood, (D).

**Commissioners of Accounts:** W. D. McCauley, (D); Ralph J. Bean, (D); C. C. Wise, (D).

**County Commissioners:** F. C. Welton, (D); T. W. Mathias, (D), Mathias; D. W. Heishman, (D), Perry.

**Terms of County Court:** First Tuesday in January; second Tuesday in June; first Tuesday in August; and first Tuesday in November.

**Public Assistance Council:** Dr. R. W. Love, (D); M. A. Bean, (D); C. V. Funkhouser, (R); F. C. Welton, (D), member County Court, *ex-officio*.

**Director of Public Assistance:** William T. Moomau, (Petersburg).

**Road Maintenance Superintendent:** C. E. Hott.

**County Agent:** S. L. Dodd.

**Home Demonstration Agent:** Ollie B. McKinney.

**President Farm Bureau:** Winfred S. Park, (Inkerman).

**Superintendent County Infirmary:** Jesse Hose.

**County Health Officer:** Dr. W. H. Riheldaffer, (Romney).

**County Health Nurse:** Kathleen Highman.

## JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES

(By Magisterial Districts)

### Capon District

**Justices of the Peace:**

Abe Heishman, (D), Wardensville.  
K. H. McKeever, (D), Wardensville.

**Constables:**

(Vacancy)  
(Vacancy)

### Lost River District

**Justices of the Peace:**

W. S. Marshall, (D), Lost City.  
A. D. Walker, (D), Lost River.

**Constables:**

(Vacancy)  
(Vacancy)

### Moorefield District

**Justices of the Peace:**

J. Harry Dolan, (D), Moorefield.  
M. L. Riggelman, (D), Rock Oak.

**Constables:**

J. G. Woerner, (D), Moorefield.  
I. L. Park, (D), Moorefield.

### South Fork District

**Justices of the Peace:**

G. H. W. Simon, (D), Moorefield.  
A. G. Hutter, (D), Moorefield.

**Constables:**

(Vacancy)  
(Vacancy)

## ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Moorefield, unless otherwise indicated)

Bean, Ralph J., (D)

(Prosecuting Attorney)

Calhoun, H. M., Jr., (D)

(Judge Circuit Court)

Muntzing, H. G., (R)

McCauley, G. W., (D), (Mc&Mc)

McCauley, W. D., (D), (Mc&Mc)

McCauley and McCauley

McCauley, G. W., (D)

McCauley, W. D., (D)

## DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

**Chairman:** Ralph J. Bean, Moorefield.

**Secretary:** Mrs. Helen Paskel, Moorefield.

**Treasurer:** George M. Sherman, Mathias.

### Members

**Capon District:** W. Voight Didawick, Wardensville; Mrs. Lillie M. Swisher, Rio.

**Lost River District:** George S. Mathias, Mathias; Mrs. Gladys Hawse, Lost River.

**Moorefield District:** Julian B. Chipley, Moorefield; Mrs. A. E. Friddle, Moorefield.

**South Fork District:** Sloan Parsons, Moorefield; Mrs. Bernice Heltzel, Moorefield.

## REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

**Chairman:** Herman Sions, Moorefield.

**Vice Chairman:** H. Riley Heishman, Lost City.

**Secretary:** Mrs. Evelyn D. Grover, Moorefield.

**Treasurer:** E. A. Kessel, Kessel.

### Members

**Capon District:** F. P. Baker, Wardensville; Mrs. Virginia Doyle, Wardensville.

**Lost River District:** H. Riley Helshman, Lost City; Mrs. Verdle E. Teets, Baker.

**Moorefield District:** Herman Sions, Moorefield; Mrs. Evelyn D. Grover, Moorefield.

**South Fork District:** E. A. Kessel, Kessel; Mrs. K. H. Vance, Peru.

## HARRISON COUNTY

Created in 1784 from Monongalia County, and named for Benjamin Harrison, 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.

West Virginia Industrial Home for Girls located at Industrial (unincorporated).

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Glass and glassware, coal, chemicals, petroleum, natural gas, lumber, chinaware, pottery; livestock, hay and grain, poultry, dairying.

**County Seat:** Clarksburg.

**Magisterial Districts (10):** Clark, Clay, Coal, Eagle, Elk, Grant, Sardis, Simpson, Tenmile and Union.

**Voting Precincts:** 96.

**Area:** 417.85 square miles.

**Population (1930):** 78,567.

**Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1939),** \$99,411,450.

## COUNTY OFFICIALS

(Post office address Clarksburg, unless otherwise indicated)

### Circuit Court (15th Judicial Circuit)

**Judge:** Homer Strosnider, (D).

**Terms of Circuit Court:** First Monday in January, May and September.

**Clerk:** Raymond C. Wolfe, (D).

**Court Reporter:** O. L. Haight, (D).

**Commissioners in Chancery:** Wm. G. Johnson, (R); Homer W. Williams, (R); Taney Harrison, (D); John B. Wyatt, (R); Lafayette C. Crille, (R); Stewart McReynolds, (D).

**Divorce Commissioner:** Cornelius C. Davis, (D).

**General Receiver:** E. B. Delson, (R).

### Criminal Court

**Judge:** Arlos J. Harbert, (D).

**Clerk:** Raymond C. Wolfe, (D).

**Court Reporter:** O. L. Haight, (D).

**Terms of Court:** First Tuesday in March; first Tuesday in June; second Tuesday in November.

### County Officers

**Assessor:** J. Lee Hornor, (D).

**Board of Education:** Walter S. Hursey, (D), Shinnston; Dr. Edward Davis, (D), Salem; Harold M. Garrett, (D), Bridgeport; Dr. Carl Chandler, (R), Bridgeport; Patrick H. Shields, (R).

**Circuit Clerk:** Raymond C. Wolfe, (D).

**County Clerk:** Charles P. Furbee, (D).

**County Superintendent:** Arthur V. Upton.

**Assistants:** Wade H. Coffindaffer; Clyde R. McCarty.

**Prosecuting Attorney:** J. Phillip Clifford, (D).

**Assistant:** Frank M. Powell, (D).

**Sheriff:** Moore M. Reynolds, (D).

**County Surveyor:** J. A. Helm, (D).

**Coroner:** Dr. William T. Gocke.

**Commissioners of Accounts:** Fred L. Shinn, (D); J. O. T. Tidler, (R); John B. Wyatt, (R); Howard J. James, (D).

**County Commissioners:** Carl J. White, (R); A. Leeman Knight, (D); Harley A. Wolfe, (D).

**Terms of County Court:** Second Monday in March, June, September and December.

**Public Assistance Council:** James S. Rodney, (D); Emma K. Davis, (D); Isadore Aaron, (R); Mrs. W. A. Meredith, (R), Shinnston; A. Leeman Knight, (D), member County Court, *ex-officio*.

**Director of Public Assistance:** Mrs. Josephine Williams.

**Road Maintenance Superintendent:** Harold E. Ross, (Acting).

**County Agent:** John M. Pierpoint.

**Assistant:** Virgil G. Brookover.

**Home Demonstration Agent:** Mabel Hiller.

**Club Agent:** Helen E. Davis.

**President Farm Bureau:** Charles S. Hornor, Nutter Fort.

**President Farm Women's Bureau:** Mrs. V. R. Harbert, Lumberport.

**County Health Officer:** Dr. A. J. Kemper.

**County Health Nurse:** Bess Hair.

**Superintendent County Infirmary:**  
Howard Lamb.

**JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND  
CONSTABLES**

(By Magisterial Districts)

**Clark District**

**Justices of the Peace:**  
Charles D. Smith, (D), Clarksburg.  
Jesse Jones, (D), Clarksburg.

**Constables:**  
Thomas C. Friend, (D), Clarksburg.  
J. C. Lawson, (D), Clarksburg.

**Clay District**

**Justices of the Peace:**  
O. Hamric, (D), Shinnston.  
Henry H. Haught, (D), Shinnston.

**Constables:**  
Joe Akers, (D), Shinnston.  
George F. Dorsey, (D), Shinnston.

**Coal District**

**Justices of the Peace:**  
Brantly Rittenhouse, (D), Clarksburg.  
Mrs. Frances Flint, (D), Clarksburg.

**Constables:**  
Winfred Losh, (D), Clarksburg.  
Thomas R. Kearns, (D), Clarksburg.

**Eagle District**

**Justices of the Peace:**  
Ersal C. Taylor, (D), Lumberport.  
John B. Hannah, (D), Lumberport.

**Constables:**  
Ralph Y. Fortney, (R), Lumberport.  
C. H. Fiber, (D), Lumberport.

**Elk District**

**Justice of the Peace:**  
(Vacancy)

**Constable:**  
Carl Wilson, (D), Mt. Clare.

**Grant District**

**Justices of the Peace:**  
G. W. Prince, (D), Mt. Clare.  
G. Manley Curry, (D), Lost Creek.

**Constable:**  
Marvin D. Harrison, (D), Lost Creek.

**Sardis District**

**Justices of the Peace:**  
M. O. Whiteman, (R), Wallace.  
B. F. Linville, (R), Wilsonburg.

**Constables:**  
(Vacancy)  
(Vacancy)

**Simpson District**

**Justice of the Peace:**  
Kenneth W. Hart, (D), Bridgeport.

**Constables:**  
Victor A. Shock, (D), Anmoore.  
Enoch M. Powell, (D), Bridgeport.

**Tenmile District**

**Justices of the Peace:**  
Guy Goodwin, (R), Salem.  
John E. Helmick, (R), Salem.

**Constables:**  
P. L. Maxson, (R), Salem.  
Harvey Steele, (R), Salem.

**Union District**

**Justice of the Peace:**  
R. C. Helmick, (D), West Milford.

**Constable:**  
(Vacancy)

**ATTORNEYS**

(Post office address Clarksburg, unless otherwise indicated)

Abruzzino, David A., (R), (Shinnston)  
Adamek, Edmund J., (D)  
Andre, Oscar J., (R), (S&J)  
Ash, Ray, (D)  
Baker, Edward M., (D), (R&B)  
Bartlett, E. A., (R)  
Bland, George W., (D)  
Brooks, Wayne T., (D)  
(Assistant U. S. Attorney)  
Burnside, Guy H., (R), (B&H)  
Burnside and Hall  
Burnside, Guy H., (R)  
Hall, Anderson W., (D)  
Bumgardner, J. Paul, (D), (Salem)  
Brown, Mary Frances, (D), (SS&C)  
Cann, James, (R)  
Cantrall, Arch M., (R), (SS&C)  
Caplan, Howard, (D)  
(Assistant U. S. Attorney)  
Carney, Chesney M., (R), (S&J)  
Caulfield, Leo P., (D), (S&J)

- Clemans, Melvin S., (D)  
 Clifford, J. Phillip, (D), (P&C)  
     (Prosecuting Attorney)  
 Crile, Lafayette C., (R)  
 Davis, Cornelius C., (D)  
 Davis, John W., (D)  
     (New York City)  
 Deem, Fred B., (R)  
 Downs, Harry R., (D)  
 Duncan, George L., Jr., (R)  
 Eardley, Edward W., (D), (P&C)  
 Elliott, Norman S., (D), (S&J)  
 Ferrell, Linn B., (Ind.), (Salem)  
 Ford, Frederick W., (R), (SS&C)  
     (Washington, D. C.)  
 Franz, Gerrard A., (R)  
 Garrett, Harold M., (D)  
 Goff, Fred H., (D)  
 Gore, Claude W., (R)  
 Gribble, W. B., (R)  
 Griffith, Stephen D., (R), (W&R)  
 Guher, James M., (R), (S&J)  
 Hall, Anderson W., (D), (B&H)  
 Hamrick, Blain, (R)  
 Harbert, Arlos J., (D)  
     (Judge Criminal Court)  
 Harmer, Hardin R., (R), (Shinnston)  
 Harmer, Harvey W., (R)  
 Harnish, Douglas H., (R)  
 Harrison, S. R., Jr., (R)  
     (Deputy Clerk U. S. District Court)  
 Harrison, Taney, (D)  
 Hess, Bernard L., (R), (K&H)  
 Hiller, Woodrow Wilson, (D)  
 Hoffheimer, George M., (D), (H&S)  
 Hoffheimer and Stotler  
     Hoffhelmer, George M., (D)  
     Stotler, Robert B., (R)  
     McReynolds, Stewart, (D)  
 Holt, J. M., (D), (R&S)  
     (Washington, D. C.)  
 Hopkins, Oakley J., (R)  
     (Salem)  
 Hutton, Donald M., (R), (H&Z)  
 Hutton and Ziegler  
     Hutton, Donald M., (R)  
     Ziegler, Robert R., (D)  
 Jackson, George, (D)  
 James, Howard J., (D)  
 Jarvis, Benjamin B., (D)  
     (Clerk Supreme Court of Appeals)  
 Johnson, Charles B., (R), (J&J)  
 Johnson, Louis A., (D), (S&J)  
     (Assistant Secretary of War)  
 Johnson, William G., (R), (J&J)  
     (City Attorney)  
 Johnson and Johnson  
     Johnson, Charles B., (R)  
     Johnson, William G., (R)  
 Jones, W. Lyle, (R)  
 Keeney, Kendall H., (R)  
 Kyle, Karl B., (R), (K&H)
- Kyle and Hess  
     Kyle, Karl B., (R)  
     Hess, Bernard L., (R)  
 Landacre, Arthur S., (D)  
 Law, James Edward, (R)  
 Lawson, Robert W., (D), (S&J)  
     (Charleston)  
 Leavitt, I. Martin, (D), (S&J)  
 Long, E. L., (R)  
 Louchery, Charles W., (R)  
 Lynch, G. Berk, (R), (R&S)  
 Lynch, Lawrence R., (R)  
 Maxwell, Haymond, Jr., (R), (S&J)  
 Maxwell, Haymond, (R)  
     (Judge Supreme Court of Appeals)  
 Merendino, Biagio, (R), (M&M)  
 Merendino, S. Norman, (D), (M&M)  
 Merendino and Merendino  
     Merendino, Biagio, (R)  
     Merendino, S. Norman, (D)  
 Miller, William E., (D), (S&J)  
     (Charleston)  
 Michael, Joseph T., (R)  
 Moist, Ronald F., (R)  
 Moore, Charles W., (R)  
 Morgan, Haze, (R)  
 Morris, Stanley C., (R), (S&J)  
     (Charleston)  
 Morris, John R., (R), (SS&C)  
 Morris, Will E., (R)  
 McCue, A. F., (R)  
 McIntire, Dennis S., (D)  
 McManaway, J. C., (D)  
 McQuain, George W., (D), (S&J)  
 McReynolds, Stewart, (D), (H&S)  
 McWhorter, W. Paul, (D), (R&S)  
 Nottingham, William P., (D), (S&J)  
     (Charleston)  
 Powell, Frank M., (D), (P&C)  
 Powell and Clifford  
     Powell, Frank M., (D)  
     Clifford, J. Phillip, (D)  
     Eardley, Edward W., (D)  
 Randolph, Byron B., (D), (W&R)  
 Robinson, Howard L., (D), (R&S)  
 Robinson and Stump  
     Robinson, Howard L., (D)  
     Stump, John S., Jr., (D)  
     Wilson, James W., (R)  
 Holt, J. M., (D)  
 McWhorter, W. Paul, (D)  
 Lynch, G. Berk, (R)  
 Rosenshine, A. Jacob, (R), (R&B)  
 Rosenshine and Baker  
     Rosenshine, A. Jacob, (R)  
     Baker, Edward M., (D)  
 Ross, H. M. G., (R)  
 Scott, Charles C., (R)  
 Shinn, Fred L., (D)  
 Simons, Creed S., (R)  
 Sinsel, Rupert A., (R)  
 Smith, Edward G., (D), (S&S)  
 Smith, Harvey F., (D)

Smith, John Blackshere, (D), (S&S)  
 Smith and Smith  
   Smith, Edward G., (D)  
   Smith, John Blackshere, (D)  
 Snider, Clifford R., (D), (S&S)  
 Snider, Millard F., (D)  
 Southern, John C., (R)  
 Sperry, Melvin G., (R), (S&S)  
 Sperry and Snider  
   Sperry, Melvin G., (R)  
   Snider, Clifford R., (D)  
 Stathers, Birk S., (R)  
 Stathers, Willam G., (R)  
 Stathers, Stathers & Cantrall  
   Stathers, Birk S., (R)  
   Stathers, William G., (R)  
   Cantrall, Arch M., (R)  
   Ford, Frederick W., (R)  
   Brown, Mary Frances, (D)  
   Morris, John R., (R)  
 Steptoe, Phillip P., (D), (S&J)  
 Steptoe, Thomas W., (D), (S&J)  
 Steptoe and Johnson  
   Steptoe, Phillip P., (D)  
   Johnson, Louis A., (D), (Washington)  
   Caulfield, Leo P., (D)  
   Guiher, James M., (R)  
   Morris, Stanley C., (R), (Charleston)  
   Carney, Chesney M., (R)  
   Andre, Oscar J., (R)  
   Elliott, Norman S., (D)  
   Miller, William E., (D), (Charleston)  
   Maxwell, Haymond, Jr., (R)  
   McQuain, George W., (D)  
   Lawson, Robt. W., Jr., (D)  
   (Charleston)  
   Wunschel, William F., (R)  
   (Charleston)  
   Nottingham, William P., (D)  
   (Charleston)  
   Leavitt, I. Martin, (D)  
   Steptoe, Thomas W., (D)  
 Stotler, Robert B., (R), (H&S)  
 Stout, W. Frank, (R)  
 Strosnider, Homer, (D)  
   (Judge Circuit Court)  
 Strother, Ray L., (R), (S&McD)  
   (Referee in Bankruptcy)  
 Strother and McDonald  
   Strother, Ray L., (R)  
   Wetzel, Columbus L., (R)  
   Williams, Leonard Gray, (R)  
 Stump, John S., Jr., (D), (R&S)  
   (State Director of Unemployment  
   Compensation)  
 Swiger, Ernest C., (R)  
 Tidler, J. O. T., (R)  
 Tierney, James P., (D), (Charleston)  
 Tyler, John W., (R)  
 Walters, William W., (R)

Wetzel, Columbus L., (R), (S&Mc)  
 White, Kemble, (R)  
 Williams, David, (R), (W&W)  
 Williams, Homer W., (R), (W&W)  
 Williams, Leonard Gray, (R), (S&Mc)  
 Williams and Williams  
   Williams, Homer W., (R)  
   Williams, David, (R)  
 Wilson, James W., Jr., (R), (R&S)  
 Wilson, Robert R., (R)  
 Winer, Aaron, (R)  
 Wunschel, William F., (R), (S&J)  
   (Charleston)  
 Wyatt, John B., (R), (W&R)  
 Wyatt and Randolph  
   Wyatt, John B., (R)  
   Randolph, Byron B., (D)  
   Griffith, Stephen D., (R)  
 Young, Lloyd H., (R)  
 Ziegler, Robert B., (D), (H&Z)

## DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

**Chairman:** Maurice L. Loudin, Clarksburg.  
**Vice Chairman:** Frank H. Berry, Clarksburg.  
**Associate Chairman:** Mrs. Mamie K. Connell, Clarksburg.  
**Secretary:** Rita A. Wlek, Anmoore.  
**Treasurer:** Stewart McReynolds, Clarksburg.

### Members

**Clark District:** George L. Jenkins, Park; Mrs. Loretta Cunningham, Clarksburg.  
**Clay District:** Arch W. Tetrick, Shinnston; Mrs. Augusta Barrick, Shinnston.  
**Coal District:** W. Howard Drummond, Hepzibah; Mrs. Fred Flint, Clarksburg.  
**Eagle District:** E. Payson Boggess, Lumberport; Mrs. D. Ray Rogers, Lumberport.  
**Elk District:** Fred Stewart, Mt. Clare; Mrs. Garnett C. Lewis, Lost Creek.  
**Grant District:** E. F. Allman, Lost Creek; Mrs. Porter M. Rogers, Mt. Clare.  
**Sards District:** Alton Flttro, Wilsonburg; Mrs. Mary M. Robey, Wallace.  
**Simpson District:** Joseph A. Deegan, Bridgeport; Rita A. Wlek, Anmoore.  
**Tea Mile District:** Herschel D. Wade, Salem; Mrs. Myrtle B. Hudkins, Wolf Summit.

**Union District:** Ford Gaston, Lost Creek; Mrs. Evelyn Holmes Post, West Milford.

### City of Clarksburg

**First Ward:** William Wanstreet; Rose K. Coughlin.  
**Second Ward:** Clarence Gresham; Mrs. W. A. Broadwater.  
**Third Ward:** John J. Reiser; Mrs. E. Sue Woofter.  
**Fourth Ward:** Robert Farrell; Ethel Martin.  
**Fifth Ward:** Uel W. Jarvis; Mrs. Pansy Wyatt Mason.  
**Sixth Ward:** Robert B. Ziegler; Mrs. Marie R. Long.  
**Seventh Ward:** James B. Supler; Mrs. Grace Oldaker.  
**Eighth Ward:** Forest Poling; Mrs. W. W. Carr.  
**Ninth Ward:** M. S. Robinson; Mrs. Gay Kidd.

## REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

**Chairman:** Late B. Davisson, Clarksburg.  
**Associate Chairman:** Mrs. Alma Hess Ferguson, Clarksburg.  
**Secretary:** W. Lyle Jones, Clarksburg.  
**Treasurer:** Mrs. Clyde H. Huffman, Clarksburg.

### Members

**Clark District:** Charles T. Custer, Clarksburg; Lorene Shuttleworth, Nutter Fort.  
**Clay District:** Charles L. Price, Shinnston; Mrs. Jessie Hess Bowman, Shinnston.  
**Coal District:** W. T. Strother, Wilsonburg; Mrs. Bessie L. Bates, Clarksburg.  
**Eagle District:** S. L. Wolfe, Lumberport; Mrs. Martha Haislip, Lumberport.  
**Elk District:** Cecil Hinkle, Mt. Clare; Jessie Shuttleworth, Lost Creek.  
**Grant District:** Herbert L. Cork, Mt. Clare; Freda G. Post, Lost Creek.  
**Sardis District:** Guy Robinson, Wallace; Mrs. Blanche Smallwood, Wallace.  
**Simpson District:** W. W. Cornwell, Bridgeport; Mrs. Ginevra Brannon, Bridgeport.  
**Tennile District:** Claude Pepper, Salem; Mrs. Rose Meredith, Salem.

**Union District:** A. A. Ladwig, West Milford; Mary W. Morris, Bristol.

### City of Clarksburg

**First Ward:** Patrick H. Judge; Mrs. Ruth Pew Jones.  
**Second Ward:** Harry H. Esker; Mrs. Helen B. Heflin.  
**Third Ward:** John J. Denham; Mrs. Audra A. McOlvin.  
**Fourth Ward:** Frank L. Paladino; Caroline Sandy.  
**Fifth Ward:** John R. Morris; Mrs. Ruth G. Williams.  
**Sixth Ward:** Lawrence R. Lynch; Mrs. Charles Sinsel.  
**Seventh Ward:** Fred S. Thompson; Mrs. Margaret M. Swiger.  
**Eighth Ward:** George R. Criss; Mrs. Minnie Cox.  
**Ninth Ward:** W. H. Nicholson; Mrs. Maxie Matson.

## JACKSON COUNTY

Formed in 1831 from parts of Kanawha, Wood and Mason Counties, and named for Andrew Jackson, seventh President of the United States.

Jesse Hughes, noted Indian fighter, is buried in this county.

**Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products:** Chinaware, pottery, stone quarrying, oil and gas; poultry livestock, hay and grain, dairying, tobacco.

**County Seat:** Ripley.

**Magisterial Districts (5):** Grant, Ravenswood, Ripley, Union and Washington.

**Voting Precincts:** 34.

**Area:** 471.98 square miles.

**Population (1930):** 16,124.

**Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1930),** \$10,811,501.

## COUNTY OFFICIALS

(Post office address Ripley, unless otherwise indicated)

### Circuit Court (5th Judicial Circuit)

**Judge:** Lewis H. Miller, (R).  
**Terms of Circuit Court:** First Monday in April, August and November.  
**Clerk:** Okey Ellison, (R).  
**Court Reporter:** A. B. Moore, (R), Charleston.  
**Commissioners in Chancery:** J. B. Hellman, (R); W. F. Boggess, (R);

Carter W. Staats, (D); B. F. Rader, (D).

Divorce Commissioner: None.

General Receiver: John Shinn, (R).

**County Officers**

Assessor: Guy Dudgeon, (R).

Board of Education: Enoch Staats, (R); George Walker, (R), Gay; Dr. T. E. Rymer, (R); W. S. Ritchie, (R), Logan A. Beymer, (R), Sandyville.

Circuit Clerk: Okey Ellison, (R).

County Clerk: Donald Ferguson, (R).

County Superintendent: R. P. Kiser.

Prosecuting Attorney: M. C. Archer, (R).

Sheriff: Clarence F. Myers, (R).

County Surveyor: D. D. Parsons, (R), Kentuck.

Coroner: C. Royal Kessel.

Commissioners of Accounts: Oliver D. Kessel, (R); W. F. Boggess, (R); M. C. Archer, (R); J. B. Hiehman, (R).

County Commissioners: J. A. Shinn, (R); Frank Blackshire, (R), Advent; J. C. Fisher, (R).

Terms of County Court: Second Monday in January, April and July, and first Monday in October.

Public Assistance Council: J. W. Blankenship, (R); Camden Starcher, (D); Elmer H. Flinn, (D); Ravenswood; W. E. Derenburger, (D), Sherman; Frank Blackshire, (R), Advent, member County Court, *ex-officio*.

Director of Public Assistance: E. H. Butts.

Road Maintenance Superintendent: D. W. Derenburger.

County Agent: D. L. Cottrill.

President Farm Bureau: L. M. Parsons, Jr.

County Health Officers: Dr. T. E. Rymer; Dr. M. F. Raine, (Point Pleasant).

Superintendent County Infirmary: W. D. Kiser.

**JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES**

(By Magisterial Districts)

**Grant District**

Justice of the Peace:  
(Vacancy)

Constable:  
(Vacancy)

**Ravenswood District**

Justices of the Peace:

C. A. Dye, (R), Ravenswood.  
C. A. Jewell, (R), Ravenswood.

Constables:

Carl Pyatt, (R), Ravenswood.  
(Vacancy)

**Ripley District**

Justices of the Peace:

James L. Rhodes, (R), Ripley.  
A. A. Shinn, (R), Ripley.

Constables:

E. T. Hatcher, (R), Kenna.  
Marion Lanham, (R), Ripley.

**Union District**

Justice of the Peace:  
(Vacancy)

Constable:

Fred Webster, (R), Cottageville.

**Washington District**

Justices of the Peace:

Kenna P. Casto, (R), Kentuck.  
Lewis E. Lanham, (R), Romance.

Constables:

Asberry Good, Romance.  
(Vacancy)

**ATTORNEYS**

(Post office address Ripley)

Archer, M. C., (R)

(Prosecuting Attorney)

Boggess, W. F., (R)

Crow, George Burton, (D)

Heilman, J. B., (R)

Kessel, Oliver D., (R)

Miller, Lewis H., (R)

(Judge Circuit Court)

O'Brien, Perry E., (D)

Staats, Carter W., (D)

Rader, B. F., (D)

**DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

**Officers**

Chairman: B. Cleo Casto, Ripley.

Vice Chairmen: D. F. Sayre, Ravenswood; H. J. Casto, Ripley.

Secretary: Brown A. King, Ripley.

Treasurer: A. C. Skeen, Fletcher.

**Members**

Grant District: T. H. Argabrite, Sherman; Mrs. Emma Davis, Sandyville.

**Ravenswood District:** D. P. Curry, Sandyville; Mrs. Edna McGuglin, Ravenswood.  
**Ripley District:** Early J. Moore, Rockcastle; Mrs. Tessie Burke, Ripley.  
**Union District:** Floyd Durst, Cottageville; Irene Warth, Millwood.  
**Washington District:** Orel Kiser, Kentuck; Mrs. C. C. Walters, Gay.

## REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

**Chairman:** Oliver D. Kessel, Ripley.  
**Vice Chairman:** C. F. Wilson, Ravenswood.  
**Secretary:** Georgia Stone, Ripley.  
**Treasurer:** Foster Morris, Staats Mills.

### Members

**Grant District:** J. H. Toncray, Windy; Mrs. Nelle H. Alexander, Ravenswood.  
**Ravenswood District:** C. F. Wilson, Ravenswood; Mrs. L. P. Somerville, Ravenswood.  
**Ripley District:** C. A. Hill, Evans; Mrs. Georgia Stone, Ripley.  
**Union District:** W. T. Lloyd, Cottageville; Mrs. Donald Ferguson, Cottageville.  
**Washington District:** R. B. Walker, Kenna; Mrs. Iva Parsons, Fletcher.

## JEFFERSON COUNTY

Formed from Berkeley County in 1801, and named for Thomas Jefferson, author of the Declaration of Independence and third President of the United States.

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Cement and road material, clothing, paper boxboard, lumber, brass, rock wool, lime-marl, dolomite, fertilizer; fruit, livestock, hay and grain, dairying.

**County Seat:** Charles Town.  
**Magisterial Districts (5):** Charles Town, Harpers Ferry, Kabetown, Middleway and Shepherdstown.  
**Voting Precincts:** 23.  
**Area:** 212.41 square miles.  
**Population (1930):** 15,780.  
**Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1939),** \$18,329,015.

## COUNTY OFFICIALS

(Post office address Charles Town, unless otherwise indicated)

### Circuit Court (23rd Judicial Circuit)

**Judge:** Decatur H. Rodgers, (R), Martinsburg.

**Terms of Circuit Court:** Third Tuesday in January, April and September.

**Clerk:** W. M. Jones, (D).

**Court Reporter:** Mrs. Catherine Watson, (D), Martinsburg.

**Commissioners in Chancery:** Louise Briscoe, (D); Mary M. Shirley, (D); Darrell K. Koonce, (R); John C. Skinner, (D).

**Divorce Commissioner:** None.

**General Receiver:** Frank J. Beckwith, (D).

### County Officers

**Assessor:** F. L. Watson, (D).

**Board of Education:** Herbert C. Miller, (D), Kearneysville; Melvin T. Strider, (D); H. G. Moffatt, (D), Rippon; Harry L. Lyne, (D), Shepherdstown; Gilbert E. Perry, (D), Bolivar.

**Circuit Clerk:** W. M. Jones, (D).

**County Clerk:** Emily A. M. Stanley, (D).

**County Superintendent:** Henry M. Sydnor.

**Prosecuting Attorney:** John C. Skinner, (D).

**Sheriff:** R. J. Madison, (D).

**Commissioners of Accounts:** Louise Briscoe, (D); Mrs. Mary McGill Shirley, (D); O. L. Hoffman, (D); Wm. B. Snyder, (D), Shepherdstown.

**County Commissioners:** Dr. W. J. Melvin, (D), Darke; G. T. Shirley, (D), Summit Point; J. E. Tabb, (D), Kearneysville; J. M. Garrott, (D), Shenandoah Junction; J. E. Fritts, (D), Harpers Ferry.

**Terms of County Court:** First Monday in May and November; second Tuesday in August; and, last Monday in January.

**Public Assistance Council:** Milton Burr, (D), Bardane; H. K. Ambler, (D); Dr. Henry T. McDonald, (R), Harpers Ferry; Charles J. Derr, (R), Harpers Ferry; J. M. Garrott, (D), Shenandoah Junction, member County Court, *ex-officio*.

**Director of Public Assistance:** Mrs. Mary Sweeney Terry.

**Road Maintenance Superintendent:**  
Charles Lynch.  
**County Agent:** Nell Bolton.  
**Home Demonstration Agent:** Frances Mae Lafferty.  
**President Farm Bureau:** C. Wilson Moler, Shenandoah Junction.  
**President Farm Women's Bureau:** Mrs. R. P. McGarry, Shenandoah Junction.  
**County Health Officer:** Dr. J. M. Miller.  
**Superintendent County Infirmary:** Mrs. Daisy D. Fritts, Kearneysville.

**JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES**

(By Magisterial Districts)

**Charles Town District**

**Justices of the Peace:**  
Garland H. Moore, (D), Charles Town.  
James A. Smith, (D), Charles Town.  
**Constables:**  
Taylor M. Dodson, (D), Charles Town.  
T. W. Allen, (D), Charles Town.

**Harpers Ferry District**

**Justice of the Peace:**  
C. E. Marlatt, (D), Harpers Ferry.  
**Constable:**  
(Vacancy)

**Kabletown District**

**Justice of the Peace:**  
(Vacancy)  
**Constable:**  
(Vacancy)

**Middleway District**

**Justice of the Peace:**  
(Vacancy)  
**Constable:**  
(Vacancy)

**Shepherdstown District**

**Justices of the Peace:**  
C. E. Griffith, (D), Shepherdstown.  
C. E. Jones, (D), Shepherdstown.  
**Constables:**  
(Vacancy)  
(Vacancy)

**ATTORNEYS**

(Post office address Charles Town, unless otherwise indicated)

Alexander, W. F., (D)  
Beckwith, Frank J., (D)  
Beltzhoover, George M., Jr., (D)  
Brown, Forrest A., (D), (B&B)  
Brown and Brown  
Brown, Forrest A., (D)  
Bushong, Lee, Jr., (D), (B&B)  
Bushong and Bushong  
Bushong, Lee, Jr., (D)  
Edwards, Donald G., (R)  
Getzendanner, H. C., (D)  
Gibson, B. D., (D)  
Green, T. C., (D)  
Jeffords, Tracy L., (R)  
Koonce, D. K., (R)  
Lugar, Marlyn E., (D)  
Mason, James M., Jr., (D), (M&M)  
Mason, James M., III, (D), (M&M)  
Mason and Mason  
Mason, James M., Jr., (D)  
Mason, James M., III, (D)  
Shirley, George P., (D)  
Skinner, John C., (D)  
(Prosecuting Attorney)

**DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

**Officers**

**Chairman:** Chas. R. Langdon, Charles Town.  
**Vice Chairman:** J. W. Lynch, Harpers Ferry.  
**Associate Chairman:** Mrs. Margaret P. Williams, Shepherdstown.  
**Secretary:** Mrs. Geo. M. Beltzhoover, Charles Town.  
**Treasurer:** A. S. Lucas, Shepherdstown.

**Members**

**Charles Town District:** (Vacancy); Mrs. George M. Beltzhoover, Charles Town.  
**Harpers Ferry District:** J. W. Lynch, Harpers Ferry; Beatrice McSkimmon, Harpers Ferry.  
**Kabletown District:** Charles R. Langdon, Charles Town; Imogene Thomson, Summit Point.  
**Middleway District:** R. L. McCoughtry, Kearneysville; Mrs. W. B. Hammond, Kearneysville.  
**Shepherdstown District:** A. S. Lucas, Shepherdstown; Mrs. Boyd Link, Shenandoah Junction; Mrs. Margaret P. Williams, Shepherdstown.

## REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

**Chairman:** J. A. Eyster, Halltown.  
**Vice Chairman:** Blanche Cameron, Harpers Ferry.  
**Secretary:** Mrs. Frances B. Sechrist, Charles Town.  
**Treasurer:** John W. Irvin, Charles Town.

### Members

**Charles Town District:** Charles Reininger, Charles Town; Mrs. Frances B. Sechrist, Charles Town.  
**Harpers Ferry District:** Henry T. McDonald, Harpers Ferry; Blanche Cameron, Harpers Ferry.  
**Kabletown District:** C. B. Clendenning, Charles Town; Mrs. Hanna Howell, Charles Town.  
**Middleway District:** J. Frank Gardner, Leetown; Mrs. Floyd Owens, Leetown.  
**Shepherdstown District:** Thomas Turner, Shepherdstown; Mrs. Edward Stanley, Shepherdstown.

## KANAWHA COUNTY

Formed from parts of Greenbrier and Montgomery Counties (Virginia) in 1788. Named for the River Kanawha, which received its name from the Indian tribe which once dwelt in the territory now embraced within the county.

West Virginia State College (for Negroes) and West Virginia School for the colored Deaf and Blind, both located at Institute (unincorporated).

**Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products:** Chemicals and acids, coal, glass and glassware, petroleum, natural gas, axes and tools, electric power, enamelware, lumber, mine machinery and equipment; dairying, poultry, hay and grain, fruit, vegetables, livestock.

**County Seat:** Charleston.  
**Magisterial Districts (10):** Big Sandy, Cabin Creek, Charleston, Elk, Jefferson, Loudon, Malden, Poca, Union and Washington.  
**Voting Precincts:** 197.  
**Area:** 913.38 square miles.

**Population (1930):** 157,667.  
**Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1939),** \$233,292,280.

## COUNTY OFFICIALS

(Post office address Charleston, unless otherwise indicated)

### Circuit Court (13th Judicial Circuit)

**Judge:** Julian F. Bouchelle, (D).  
**Terms of Circuit Court:** Fourth Monday in January and second Monday in May and September.  
**Clerk:** M. H. Hix, (D).  
**Court Reporter:** R. L. Stevenson, (D).  
**Law Clerk:** Maurice J. Crocker, (R).  
**Commissioners in Chancery:** Beverley Broun, (D); Ben Moore, (D); Berkeley Minor, Jr., (D); Leo Loeb, (D); R. N. Stephens, Jr., (D); A. P. Hudson, (R); Frank Lively, (R); Jas. A. McWhorter, (R).  
**Divorce Commissioner:** John Amos, (D).  
**General Receiver:** Sam Silverstein, (R).

### Common Pleas and Domestic Relations Court

**Judge:** Andrew S. Alexander, (D).  
**Terms of Court:** Third Monday in February, June and October.  
**Clerk:** M. H. Hix, (D).  
**Court Reporter:** Chas. V. Price, (D).  
**Commissioners in Chancery:** Steele Trotter, (R); J. T. Reynolds, (R); Wm. F. Blue, (R); John N. Charnock, (R); Wm. M. Woodroe, (D); H. L. Snyder, Jr., (D); Harry P. Porter, (D); Leo Loeb, (D).  
**Divorce Commissioner:** Henry S. Cato, (D).

### Intermediate Court

**Judge:** D. J. Savage, (D).  
**Terms of Court:** Second Monday in January; first Monday in April; second Monday in June; first Monday in September.  
**Clerk:** M. H. Hix, (D).  
**Court Reporter:** R. E. Sherwood, (R).

### County Officers

**Assessor:** J. H. Abbott, (D).  
**Board of Education:** Tom J. Grizzell, (D), Kayford; N. N. Snyder, (D), Clendenin; H. L. Snyder, (D); R. A. Robertson, (D); Harry T. Crawford, (D), St. Albans.

Circuit Clerk: M. H. Hix, (D).  
 County Clerk: Paul E. Wehrle, (D).  
 County Superintendent: Virgil L. Flinn.  
 Assistants: Earl Fields; C. C. Caudill; M. R. Dodd; Elizabeth Goodall; Rocco J. Gorman; A. H. Calloway, (colored).  
 Prosecuting Attorney: J. Blackburn Watts, (D).  
 Assistants: Staige Davis, (D); Frank L. Taylor, (D).  
 County Attorney: Dale G. Casto, (D).  
 Sheriff: J. M. Slack, (D).  
 County Surveyor: H. J. Burtnett, (D), South Charleston.  
 Coroner: Dr. C. F. Sayre.  
 Commissioners of Accounts: Charles P. McCabe, (D); Grant P. Hall, Jr., (R); Beverley Broun, (D); Marion C. Gilchrist, (R).  
 County Commissioners: J. C. Blackwood, (D); Dr. C. A. Ray, (D); Carl C. Calvert, (D), Chelyan.  
 Terms of County Court: First fifteen working days of each month.  
 Public Assistance Council: George L. Coyle, (D); Thomas Cairns, (R); Mrs. W. S. Shepherd, (D); F. L. Thomas, (R); Dr. C. A. Ray, (D), member County Court, *ex-officio*.  
 Director of Public Assistance: James I. Pratt.  
 Road Supervisor: E. W. Quick.  
 County Agent: T. H. McGovran.  
 Home Demonstration Agent: Eleanor Bigelow.  
 Club Agent: Mabel Marks Vickers.  
 President Farm Bureau: G. C. Hoy.  
 President Farm Women's Bureau: Mrs. W. H. Gillespie, Dunbar.  
 County Health Officer: Dr. T. E. Cato.  
 County Health Nurses: Charlotte McLaughlin; Mrs. Rose W. Laning.  
 Superintendent County Infirmary: Howard Cunningham, Institute.

## JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES

(By Magisterial Districts)

### Big Sandy District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
 W. W. Rader, (R), Clendenin.  
 Bruce Young, (R), Clendenin.  
**Constables:**  
 W. M. Mick, (R), Clendenin.  
 M. V. Jarrett, (R), Clendenin.

### Cabin Creek District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
 George E. Cochran, (D), East Bank.  
 Jerry Keeney, (D), Eskdale.  
**Constables:**  
 Frank Carlin, (D), Cabin Creek.  
 L. E. Enicks, (D), Miami.

### Charleston District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
 Chase P. Loury, (D), Charleston.  
 Edwin S. Watson, (D), Charleston.  
**Constables:**  
 Howard Donnally, (D), Charleston.  
 Forest E. Sevy, (D), Charleston.

### Elk District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
 Lon Huffman, (R), Big Chimney.  
 J. A. Greenway, (D), Elkview.  
**Constables:**  
 S. L. Teal, (R), Big Chimney.  
 N. H. Carte, (D), Frame.

### Jefferson District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
 G. C. Berridge, (D), St. Albans.  
 H. O. Meadows, (D), St. Albans.  
**Constables:**  
 G. P. Toney, (D), Spring Hill.  
 Hubert Lynch, (D), Spring Hill.

### Loudon District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
 G. J. Finney, (D), Charleston.  
 H. G. Thayer, (D), Charleston.  
**Constables:**  
 Walker Casey, (D), So. Charleston.  
 C. E. Brishaber, (D), So. Charleston.

### Malden District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
 S. G. Hastings, (D), Belle.  
 Frank Selbe, (D), Rensford.  
**Constables:**  
 (Vacancy)  
 Millard Stone, (D), Reed.

### Poca District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
 J. F. Slater, (R), Charleston.  
 E. F. Vandine, (R), Sissonville.

**Constables:**

F. C. Monk, (R), Sissonville.  
(Vacancy)

**Union District****Justices of the Peace:**

Walter Bryant, (D), Dunbar.  
W. D. Reedy, (D), Charleston.

**Constables:**

Darrell Cavender, (D), Charleston.  
J. P. Tinsley, (D), Charleston.

**Washington District****Justices of the Peace:**

Roy E. Craddock, (D), Olcott.  
Charles A. DeBoard, (D), Lico.

**Constables:**

Walter Holstein, (D), Olcott.  
H. W. Woods, (D), St. Albans.

**ATTORNEYS**

(Post office address Charleston, unless  
otherwise indicated)

Albertson, U. S., (R)  
Alderson, F. N., (D)  
Alexander, A. S., Sr., (D)  
(Judge Court of Common Pleas)  
Alexander, A. S., Jr., (D)  
Allebach, Leroy, (R)  
Allen, H. C., (D)  
Ambrose, Daniel W., Jr., (D), (BD&A)  
Amos, John E., (D), (KC&A)  
Anderson, H. Rummel, (R), (RB&S)  
Anderson, Harry McC., (D)  
Andre, Oscar J., (R), (S&J)  
(Clarksburg)  
Angel, Harry H., (R), (A&A)  
Angel, Phillip, (R), (A&A)  
Angel and Angel  
Angel, Harry H., (R)  
Angel, Phillip, (R)  
Atkinson, U. B., (R)  
Avis, S. B., Jr., (R)  
Barnes, Virginia C., (D)  
Battle, Hawthorne D., (D), (PS&S)  
Belcher, William H., (D)  
Bennett, Herman L., (D)  
Benson, Clarence J., (D)  
Bibby, James A., (D), (BD&C)  
Blagg, Donald O., (R), (RB&S)  
Blalock, James A., (D), (S&J)  
(Clarksburg)  
Blessing, R. A., (R), (LB&S)  
Blizzard, Homer, (R), (E&E)  
Blue, Fred O., (R), (BD&C)  
Blue, William F., (R), (BD&C)  
Blue, Dayton and Campbell  
Blue, Fred O., (R)  
Blue, William F., (R)  
Campbell, Harry V., (D)  
Dayton, Arthur S., (R)  
Love, Charles M., (D)  
Bibby, James A., (D)  
Shepherd, Walton S., Jr., (D)  
Bobbitt, O. B., (R)  
Bock, E. S., (R), (C&B)  
Bock, E. S., Jr., (R), (C&B)  
Boiarsky, Mose E., (R), (RH&T)  
Bouchelle, J. F., (D)  
(Judge Circuit Court)  
Bowers, H. W., (R)  
Bowles, Martin C., (D), (W&P)  
Bowyer, M. H., (R)  
Broun, Beverley, (D)  
Brown, Benjamin B., (D), (BJ&K)  
Brown, A. Charles, (R)  
Brown, Willard L., (R)  
Brown, Jackson and Knight  
Brown, Benj. B., (D)  
Jackson, Thos. B., (R)  
Kelly, Robert G., (D)  
Morrison, John C., (R)  
Moxley, Charles W., (D)  
O'Farrell, W. T., (D)  
Field, John A., Jr., (R)  
Lyon, Frank R., Jr., (D)  
Carr, Jerome P., (D)  
Buchanan, William M., (R), (BD&A)  
Buchanan, Dickerson and Ambrose  
Buchanan, William M., (R)  
Dickerson, C. W., (D)  
Ambrose, Daniel W., Jr., (D)  
Bunting, J. G., (D)  
Burdette, E. M., (R), (RB&S)  
Burdette, Frank C., (R)  
Burdette, John S., (D)  
Buster, H. B., (R)  
Butts, Henry P., (R), (CW&B)  
Caldwell, Charles W., (R)  
Campbell, Harry V., (D), (BD&C)  
Campbell, J. E., (R), (CM&J)  
Campbell, McClintic and James  
Campbell, J. E., (R)  
McClintic, J. H., (R)  
James, Ernest K., (D)  
Wise, Charles C., Jr., (D)  
Carney, Chesney M., (R), (S&J)  
(Clarksburg)  
Carney, Herbert L., (R)  
Carr, Jerome P., (D), (BJ&K)  
Carskadon, E. B., (R)  
Casto, Dale G., (D), (KC&A)  
Cato, Henry S., (D)  
Caufield, Leo P., (D), (S&J)  
(Clarksburg)  
Chaney, Vincent V., (D), (KC&A)

- Charnock, John N., (R)  
 Chilton, Sam, (D)  
 Clark, T. S., (D), (CW&B)  
 Clark, Woodroe and Butts  
     Clark, T. S., (D)  
     Woodroe, W. M., (D)  
     Butts, Henry P., (R)  
     Sherwood, R. Edwin, Jr., (R)  
     Kizer, John, (D)  
 Cohen, Charles, (R)  
 Cohen, Hyman C., (R)  
 Conley, James S., (R), (CT&N)  
 Conley, Wm. G., (R), (CT&N)  
 Conley, Thompson and Neff  
     Conley, Wm. G., (R)  
     Thompson, A. Garnett, (D)  
     Conley, James S., (R)  
     Neff, Harold H., (R)  
 Copenhaver, John T., (R), (C&B)  
 Copenhaver and Bock  
     Copenhaver, John T., (R)  
     Bock, E. S., (R)  
     Bock, E. S., Jr., (R)  
     Thomas, Joseph, (R)  
 Cork, Donald L., (D)  
 Crocker, Maurice J., (R)  
     (Law Clerk, Circuit Court)  
 Daugherty, W. J., (R)  
 Davis, Carl L., (R), (OS&D)  
 Davis, D. C. T., Jr., (D), (D&P)  
 Davis, J. Hornor, II, (D), (PMR&D)  
 Davis, Staige, (D), (D&P)  
     (Assistant Prosecuting Attorney)  
 Davis and Painter  
     Davis, Staige, (D)  
     Painter, Graham, (D)  
     Davis, D. C. T., Jr., (D)  
     Viersteiner, C. J., (D)  
     Solof, Richard G., (D)  
 Dawson, D. Boone, (R), (D&M)  
     (Mayor of Charleston)  
 Dawson and Morgan  
     Dawson, D. Boone, (R)  
     Morgan, Albert M., (R)  
 Dayton, Arthur S., (R), (BD&C)  
 Dickerson, C. W., (D), (BD&A)  
 Dodson, Raymond, (R)  
 Douglas, F. D., (R)  
 Duduit, A. D., (R)  
 Dunbar, David W., (D)  
 Eastwood, Harry, (D)  
 Echols, L. S., (R)  
 Edwards, L. A., (R)  
 Elliott, Norman S., (D), (S&J)  
     (Clarksburg)  
 Ellison, J. B., (R), (E&E)  
 Ellison, John F., (R), (E&E)  
 Ellison and Ellison  
     Ellison, J. B., (R)  
     Ellison, John F., (R)  
     Blizzard, Homer, (R)  
 Ferguson, H. C., (R)  
 Field, John A., Jr., (R), (BJ&K)  
 Fitzhugh, J. Stuart, (D)  
 Flesher, C. W., (R)  
 Flournoy, A. W., (D)  
 Flournoy, R. P., (D)  
 Flournoy, S. L., (D)  
 Frame, Wilbur C., (R)  
 Gadd, Cyrus H., (R)  
 Gates, Alexander P., (R)  
 Gilchrist, M. C., (R)  
 Gillespie, John L., (R)  
 Given, Harold C., (R)  
 Given, L. E., (D)  
 Goad, John H., (R), (G&G)  
 Goad, Sidney E., (R), (G&G)  
 Goad, Trixie, (D), (G&G)  
 Goad and Goad  
     Goad, Sidney E., (R)  
     Goad, Trixie, (D)  
     Goad, John H., (D)  
 Goldsmith, W. W., (D), (K&H)  
 Good, Albert F., (D)  
 Good, Chas. W., (R)  
 Gordon, J. Raymond, (R)  
 Gore, Charles F., (R)  
 Grimm, H. G., (D)  
 Gronninger, James D., (R)  
 Grove, Percival K., (D)  
 Guiter, James M., (R), (S&J)  
     (Clarksburg)  
 Hackney, Orville, (R), (SH&L)  
 Hall, Cyrus W., (R)  
     (Police Judge)  
 Hall, Grant P., Sr., (R)  
 Hall, Grant P., Jr., (R)  
 Hark, Hershel R., (R)  
 Hark, I. L., (R)  
 Harless, F. H., (D)  
 Hatcher, John H., Jr., (R)  
 Hawkins, John L., (D)  
 Heavener, C. Paul, (R)  
 Hill, F. Duane, (R)  
 Hill, Philip H., (R), (RH&T)  
 Hiserman, Edward W., (D)  
 Hodges, Arthur B., (D)  
 Homberg, William T., (R)  
 Hooper, A. F., (D), (PS&S)  
 Hudson, A. P., (R)  
 Hughes, R. E., (R)  
 Hundley, J. Howard, (R)  
 Hunter, Joseph Ross, Jr., (D)  
 Jackson, Thos. B., (R), (BJ&K)  
 James, Ernest K., (D), (CM&J)  
     (State Tax Commissioner)  
 Jenkins, A. G., (R)  
 Johnson, Louis A., (D), (S&J)  
     (Assistant Secretary of War)  
     (Washington)  
 Jones, J. B., (D)  
 Kay, Robert H. C., (R), (KC&A)  
 Kay, Casto and Amos

- Kay, Robert H. C., (R)  
 Casto, Dale G., (D)  
 Amos, John E., (D)  
 Chaney, Vincent V., (D)  
 Kelly, Robert G., (D), (BJ&K)  
 Kenna, Jo N., (D)  
 (Judge Supreme Court of Appeals)  
 Klmbrough, C. E., (D)  
 Klizer, John, (D), (CW&B)  
 Klostermeyer, Howard R., (R), (PS&S)  
 Koontz, Arthur B., (D), (K&K)  
 Koontz, Patrick D., (D), K&K)  
 Koontz and Koontz  
   Koontz, Arthur B., (D)  
   Koontz, Patrick D., (D)  
   Goldsmith, W. W., (D)  
   Thomas, Ross B., (D)  
   Lambert, Harry B., (R)  
   Neffen, W. Elliott, (R)  
 LaFollette, L. M., (R)  
 LaFollette, L. M., Jr. (R)  
 LaFollette, Robt. B., (R)  
 Lake, Nelson, (D), (L&L)  
 Lambert, Harry B., (R), ((K&K)  
 Lawson, Robert W., Jr., (D), (S&J)  
 Leavitt, I. Martin, Jr., (D), (S&J)  
 Lee, H. B., (R), (LB&S)  
 Lee, Blessing and Steed  
   Lee, H. B., (R)  
   Blessing, R. A., (R)  
   Steed, R. Dennis, (R)  
 Legg, Vincent, (R)  
 Lilly, A. A., (R), (L&L)  
 Lilly, David G., Jr., (R), (L&L)  
 Lilly, R. G., (R), (L&L)  
 Lilly and Lilly  
   Lilly, A. A., (R)  
   Lilly, R. G., (R)  
   Lilly, David G., Jr., (R)  
 Litton, Frank T., (D)  
 Litz, M. O., (R)  
 Lively, Frank, (R), (L&L)  
 Lively, Wm. T., (R), (L&L)  
 Lively and Lively  
   Lively, Frank, (R)  
   Lively, Wm. T., (R)  
   Lake, Nelson, (D)  
   Stambaugh, Fred M., (R)  
 Loeb, Leo, (D)  
 Lopinsky, Frances, (R)  
 Lopinsky, Sam D., (R), (SH&L)  
 Love, Chas. M., (D), (BD&C)  
 (Assistant U. S. Attorney)  
 Love, Julius H., (R)  
 Luckey, Howard N., (R), (McK&L)  
 Lyon, Frank R., Jr., (D), (BJ&K)  
 Maler, William J., Jr., (R)  
 Mansour, Paul, (R)  
 Marks, Lon G., (R)  
 Mauzy, M. Harper, (D), (RB&S)  
 Maxwell, Haymond, Jr., (R), (S&J)  
 (Clarksburg)  
 Meador, P. G., (R)  
 Merricks, Roderick G., (R)  
 Merricks, Robert L., (D), (MP&S)  
 Michie, Beverly L., (D)  
 Miller, William E., (D), (S&J)  
 Minor, Berkeley, Jr., (D), (PMR&D)  
 Mohler, Daniel N., (R), (MP&S)  
 Mohler, Peters and Snyder  
   Mohler, Daniel N., (R)  
   Peters, Charles G., (D)  
   Snyder, H. L., (D)  
   McWhorter, James A., (R)  
   Merricks, Robert L., (D)  
 Moore, Ben., (D), (TM&T)  
 Moore, Thomas S., (R)  
 Morgan, Albert M., (R), (D&M)  
 Morris, Langdon C., (R), (RH&T)  
 Morris, Stanley C., (R), (S&J)  
 Morrison, John C., (R), (BJ&K)  
 Moses, E. S., (D)  
 Moxley, Charles W., (D), (BJ&K)  
 Murphy, P. H., (D)  
 MacCorkle, W. G., (D)  
 MacDonald, Angus, (D)  
 McCabe, Charles P., (D)  
 McCabe, Robert E., (D)  
 McChesney, Alice J., (D)  
 McClintic, J. H., (R), (CM&J)  
 McCrum, A. Bliss, (R)  
 McKee, W. C., (R), (McK&L)  
 McKee and Luckey  
   McKee, W. C., (R)  
   Luckey, Howard N., (R)  
 McQuain, George W., (D), (S&J)  
 (Clarksburg)  
 McWhorter, James A., (R), (MP&S)  
 Neff, Harold, (R), (CT&N)  
 Neffen, W. Elliott, (R), (K&K)  
 Nottingham, William P., (D), (S&J)  
 (Clarksburg)  
 Nutter, T. G., (R)  
 O'Connor, R. E., (R)  
 O'Dell, Loren W., (R)  
 O'Farrell, W. T., (D), (BJ&K)  
 Orth, J. Malcomb, (R)  
 Owen, Silverstein and Davis  
   Silverstein, Joe L., (R)  
   Silverstein, Sam, (R)  
   Davis, Carl L., (R)  
   Rich, Wayne A., (R)  
   Wells, Frances, (R)  
   Trotter, L. Steele, (R)  
 Painter, Graham, (D), (D&P)  
 Payne, Andrew A., (D)  
 Payne, Minor, Ray and Davis  
   Minor, Berkeley, Jr., (D)  
   Ray, John V., (D)  
   Davis, J. Hornor, II, (D)

- Price, Walter C., Jr., (R)  
 Smith, Ralph H., (R)  
 Penhale, Harry E., (R)  
 Peters, Charles G., (D), (MP&S)  
 Pettigrew, Bernard, (R)  
 Pettry, W. H., (R)  
 Poffenbarger, George, (R), (P&P)  
 Poffenbarger, L. F., (R), (W&P)  
 Poffenbarger, Nathan S., (R), (P&P)  
 Poffenbarger, Perry S., (R), (P&P)  
 Poffenbarger and Poffenbarger  
   Poffenbarger, George, (R)  
   Poffenbarger, Nathan S., (R)  
   Poffenbarger, Perry S., (R)  
 Porter, Harry P., (D)  
 Preston, John J. D., (D)  
   (Chairman Public Service Commission)  
 Price, T. Brooke, (D), (PS&S)  
 Price, Smith and Spilman  
   Smith, Harrison B., (D)  
   Spilman, R. S., (D)  
   Spilman, R. S., Jr., (D)  
 Price, T. Brooke, (D)  
   Battle, Hawthorne D., (D)  
   Thomas, F. L., (R)  
   Klostermeyer, Howard R., (R)  
   Woods, J. M., (D)  
   Ross, Victor, (R)  
   Hooper, A. F., (D)  
 Price, Walter C., Jr., (R), (PMR&D)  
 Ray, John V., (D), (PMR&D)  
 Revercomb, W. C., (R)  
 Reynolds, J. T., (R)  
 Rich, Wayne A., (R), (OS&D)  
 Richardson, Herbert W., (D)  
 Ritchie, Chas., (R), (RH&T)  
 Ritchie, Hill and Thomas  
   Ritchie, Chas., (R)  
   Hill, Philip H., (R)  
   Thomas, James Kay, (D)  
   Bolarsky, Mose E., (R)  
   Morris, Langdon C., (R)  
   Thomas, John H., (D)  
 Ritz, Harold A., (R)  
 Robinson, Delbert T., (R)  
 Robertson, Lillian S., (R)  
 Ross, Victor, (R), (PS&S)  
 Rollins, H. D., (R), (R&R)  
 Rollins, Lawrence E., (R), (R&R)  
 Rollins and Rollins  
   Rollins, H. D., (R)  
   Rollins, Lawrence E., (R)  
 Rubin, Herman E., (D)  
 Rummel, Blagg and Stone  
   Blagg, Donald O., (R)  
   Stone, Arthur G., (R)  
   Anderson, H. Rummel, (R)  
   Burdette, E. M., (R)  
   Mauzy, M. Harper, (D)  
   Sclove, Bernard, (R)  
 Ryan, John S., (D)  
 Salisbury, D. L., (R), (SH&L)  
 Salisbury, Emerson W., (R), (SH&L)  
 Salisbury, Hackney and Lopinsky  
   Salisbury, D. L., (R)  
   Hackney, Orville, (R)  
   Lopinsky, Sam D., (R)  
   Salisbury, Emerson W., (R)  
 Samms, Roy, Jr., (R)  
 Savage, D. J., (D)  
   (Judge Intermediate Court)  
 Schmidt, Geo., (R), (S&S)  
 Sclove, Bernard, (R), (RB&S)  
 Seaton, W. H., Jr., (R)  
 Shannon, F. B., (R)  
 Shepherd, Walton S., Jr., (D), (BD&C)  
 Sherwood, Reuel E., Jr., (R), (CW&B)  
 Silverstein, Joe L., (R), (OS&D)  
 Silverstein, Sam, (R), (OS&D)  
 Simms, Henry, (D)  
 Simms, John T., (R), (S&S)  
 Simms, Philip R., (R), (S&S)  
 Simms and Simms  
   Simms, John T., (R)  
   Simms, Philip R., (R)  
   Schmidt, George, (R)  
 Sloman, Henry, (R)  
 Smith, Claude L., (R)  
 Smith, Harrison B., (D), (PS&S)  
 Smith, Ralph H., (R), (PMR&D)  
 Smith, S. Grover, Jr., (D)  
 Snyder, H. L., Jr., (D), (MP&S)  
 Solof, Richard G., (D), (D&P)  
 Spilman, R. S., Sr., (D), (PS&S)  
 Spilman, R. S., Jr., (D), (PS&S)  
 Springston, J. E., (D)  
 Stambaugh, F. M., (R), (L&L)  
 Steed, R. Dennis, (R), (LB&S)  
 Stephens, R. N., Jr., (D)  
 Stephenson, Eston Byrne, (D)  
 Steptoe, Philip P., (D), (S&J)  
   (Clarksburg)  
 Steptoe, Thomas W., (D), (S&J)  
   (Clarksburg)  
 Steptoe and Johnson  
   Steptoe, Philip P., (D), (Clarksburg)  
   Johnson, Louis A., (D)  
   (Washington)  
   Caulfield, Leo P., (D), (Clarksburg)  
   Guiher, James M., (R), (Clarksburg)  
   Morris, Stanley C., (R)  
   Carney, Chesney M., (R)  
   (Clarksburg)  
   Andre, Oscar J., (R)  
   (Clarksburg)  
   Elliott, Norman S., (D)  
   (Clarksburg)  
   Miller, William E., (D)  
   (Clarksburg)  
   Maxwell, Haymond, Jr., (R)

McQuain, George W., (D)  
(Clarksburg)

Lawson, Robert W., Jr., (D)

Wunschel, William F., (R)

Nottingham, William P., (D)

Leavitt, I. Martin, Jr., (D)

Steptoe, Thomas W., (D)  
(Clarksburg)

Stewart, Melville, (R)

Stone, Arthur G., (R), (RB&S)

Surber, Edward M., (D)

Swartz, Osman E., (D)

Talbott, R. K., (D)

Taylor, D. W., (D), (T&T)

Taylor, Frank L., (D), (T&T)  
(Assistant Prosecuting Attorney)

Taylor, W. E., Jr., (D)

Taylor and Taylor  
Taylor, D. W., (D)  
Taylor, Frank L., (D)

Thomas, F. L., (R), (PS&S)

Thomas, James Kay, (D), (RH&T)  
(Speaker House of Delegates)

Thomas, John H., (D), (RH&T)

Thomas, Joseph, (R), (C&B)

Thomas, Ross B., (D), (K&K)

Thomas, W. M., (R)

Thompson, A. Garnett, (D), (CT&N)

Thornhill, Edwin O., (D)

Townsend, Hillis, (R), (TM&T)

Townsend, T. C., (R), (TM&T)

Townsend, Moore and Townsend  
Townsend, T. C., (R)  
Moore, Ben, (D)  
Townsend, Hillis, (R)

Trotter, L. Steele, (R), (OS&D)

Watts, J. Blackburn, (D), (W&P)  
(Prosecuting Attorney)

Watts and Poffenbarger  
Watts, J. Blackburn, (D)  
Poffenbarger, L. F., (R)  
Bowles, Martin C., (D)

Wehrle, John, (R)

Wells, Frances, (R), (OS&D)

Wertz, W. W., (R)

Wiersteiner, C. J., (R), (D&P)

Wiles, Geo. R. C., (D)

Williams, J. Chesley

Williamson, George H., (R)

Wilson, J. W., (D)

Wise, Charles C., Jr., (D), (CMc&J)

Wood, Chas. A., Jr., (R)

Wood, Geo. W., (R)

Wood, Stuart M., (R)

Woodroe, W. M., (D), (CW&B)

Woods, J. M., (D), (PS&S)

Woods, Ralph D., (R)

Wunschel, William F., (R), (S&J)

Young, Houston G., (R)

## DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

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**Secretary:** Dr. G. C. Robertson, Charleston.

**Treasurer:** R. J. Carroll, Charleston.

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**Elk District:** Roy Reed, Pinch; Stella Quick, Quick.

**Jefferson District:** Guy Escue, St. Albans; Mrs. John Long, Spring Hill.

**Loudon District:** J. P. McDowell, South Charleston; Mrs. Anna Morris, Marmet.

**Malden District:** Grover Dearlen, Reed; Ruth Toney, Reed.

**Poca District:** O. L. Gibson, Sissonville; (Vacancy).

**Union District:** Mont Cavender, Guthrie; Mrs. Verna Staton, Dunbar.

**Washington District:** Foster Griffith, Olcott; Nelle Akers, Olcott.

### City of Charleston

**First Ward:** Adam Burford; Mrs. John Clark.

**Second Ward:** Everett Shamblin; Edith Snyder.

**Third Ward:** Charles Goff; Mrs. A. M. Ray.

**Fourth Ward:** John Moore; Mrs. Nina Wilson.

**Fifth Ward:** (Vacancy); Freda Forbes.

**Sixth Ward:** J. N. Cart; Mrs. Bell Singleton.

**Seventh Ward:** John Baker; (Vacancy).

**Eighth Ward:** Fred Lanham; Mrs. Mae Lance.

**Ninth Ward:** Sam Leadman; (Vacancy).

**Tenth Ward:** J. B. Crockett; Mrs. Fannie Fields.

**Eleventh Ward:** Joe Miller; (Vacancy).

Twelfth Ward: H. W. Laughorn; Mrs. Clara Boyd.  
 Thirteenth Ward: H. W. Adams; Jennie Goshorn.  
 Fourteenth Ward: Roy Frist; (Vacancy).  
 Fifteenth Ward: Beverley Broun; Flossie Butts.  
 Sixteenth Ward: J. E. Finnegan; Ethel Morris.  
 Seventeenth Ward: Silas Halstead; Marie Buckley.

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#### Officers

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 P. G. Meador, Charleston.  
 Mrs. Lena Harrah Byrd, Charleston.  
 Florence Reynolds, Elkview.  
 Secretary: Mrs. Frances Ogden Stubblefield, Charleston.  
 Treasurer: Dr. W. L. Price, Charleston.

#### Members

Big Sandy District: Carl W. Ross, Clendenin; Mrs. Maggie Naylor, Clendenin.  
 Cabin Creek District: Lester M. Platt, Crown Hill; Mrs. Dave Wilson, Laing.  
 Charleston District (At Large): P. G. Meador, Charleston; Mrs. Ernest Beckwith, Charleston.  
 Elk District: M. F. Crowder, Big Chimney; Florence Reynolds, Elkview.  
 Jefferson District: H. T. Rogers, St. Albans; Alice Higginbotham, St. Albans.  
 Loudon District: Stanley E. Nease, South Charleston; Mrs. C. D. Harless, Marmet.  
 Malden District: James Blount, Coal Fork; Mrs. Lena Layton, Reed.  
 Poena District: Hayden Walker, Legg; Mrs. Alberta Burdette, Legg.  
 Union District: John Hall, Dunbar; Mrs. C. L. Whittington, Guthrie.  
 Washington District: Carl Hudson, Spring Hill; Mrs. R. S. Hager, Ruth.

#### City of Charleston

First Ward: Joe Thomas; Mrs. Myrtle Stevens Thomas.  
 Second Ward: George H. Ewing; Mrs. Dessa Moles.

Third Ward: Dr. W. L. Price; Mrs. Lena Byrd.  
 Fourth Ward: Ed. G. Scheer; (Vacancy).  
 Fifth Ward: Charles W. Jarrett; Mrs. W. L. Medley.  
 Sixth Ward: Dan W. Cunningham; Mrs. John Britton.  
 Seventh Ward: William Flood; Mary Dixon.  
 Eighth Ward: John Wooster; Mrs. Julia Grant.  
 Ninth Ward: Rome Spradling; Mrs. Hugh Hartinger.  
 Tenth Ward: John Goshorn; Roxie Robinson.  
 Eleventh Ward: Capt. G. E. Ferguson; Kathryn Seaton.  
 Twelfth Ward: Joe H. Taylor; (Vacancy).  
 Thirteenth Ward: W. W. Wertz; Myrtle Cannon.  
 Fourteenth Ward: Friend Cochran; Pearle Satterthwait.  
 Fifteenth Ward: Joe Hudson; Mrs. Arthur Hill.  
 Sixteenth Ward: Harry E. Penhale; Frances Ogden Stubblefield.  
 Seventeenth Ward: Henry Gay; Mrs. R. H. Walker.

## LEWIS COUNTY

Created in 1816, from Harrison County and named for Colonel Charles Lewis, famous soldier and leader among the Virginia pioneers, who was killed at the Battle of Pt. Pleasant in 1774.

Jackson's Mill, five miles north of Weston, the boyhood home of the famous Confederate General, Thomas J. ("Stonewall") Jackson, is the location of the state-owned 4-H camp for boys and girls.

The first Methodist Protestant Church in the United States was organized by John Mitchell and David Smith at Old Harmony Church, near Jane Lew, in 1829.

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Glass and glassware, petroleum, natural gas, lumber; livestock, dairying, hay and grain, poultry.

County Seat: Weston.

Magisterial Districts (5): Collins Settlement, Court House, Freeman's Creek, Hacker's Creek, and Skin Creek.

**Voting Precincts:** 47.  
**Area:** 391.35 square miles.  
**Population (1930):** 21,794.  
**Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1939),** \$29,623,430.

### COUNTY OFFICIALS

(Post office address Weston, unless otherwise indicated)

#### Circuit Court (15th Judicial Circuit)

**Judge:** Homer Stronsider, (D), Clarksburg.

**Terms of Circuit Court:** First Monday in March, third Monday in June and first Monday in November.

**Clerk:** Ernest G. Smith, (D).

**Court Reporter:** Elizabeth Stonestreet, (R), (Clarksburg).

**Commissioners in Chancery:** James H. Brewster, Jr., (R); DaCosta Smith, (D); Linn Mapel Brannon, (R); Charles N. Bland, (D).

**Divorce Commissioner:** DaCosta Smith, (D).

**General Receiver:** Linn Mapel Brannon, (R).

#### County Officers

**Assessor:** Joe Steinbeck, (R).

**Board of Education:** F. W. Porter, (R) Henry Rohrbough,, (D), Camden; Geo. O. Harrison, (R); Loyd G. Losh, (R); Ellis L. Smith, (R).

**Circuit Clerk:** Ernest G. Smith, (D).

**County Clerk:** J. O. Bleigh, (R).

**County Superintendent:** Robert T. Crawford.

**Assistant:** Marlon G. Rogers.

**Prosecuting Attorney:** James H. Brewster, Jr., (R).

**Sheriff:** Robert C. Blair, (D).

**County Surveyor:** James B. Peterson, (R).

**Coroner:** W. T. Connolly.

**Commissioners of Accounts:** DaCosta Smith, (D); Linn Mapel Brannon, (R); Audra R. Sutton, (R); George I. Davisson, (D).

**County Commissioners:** Zed P. Hammer, (D); Ralph W. See, (R), Roanoke; E. A. Crawford, (D), Ireland.

**Terms of County Court:** First Monday in January, April, June and September.

**Public Assistance Council:** Frank Whelan, (D); Mrs. J. W. Wilson, (Ind); W. L. Hudnall, (D); Cecil F. Feeny, (D); Ralph W. See,

(R), Roanoke, member County Court, *ex-officio*.

**Director of Public Assistance:** Louise Zobrist.

**Road Maintenance Superintendent:** F. S. Matthews.

**County Agent:** Lynn Spiker,

**Assistant:** James A. Corrick, Jr.

**Homo Demonstration Agent:** Alpha Hartley.

**President Farm Bureau:** E. D. Darnall.

**President Farm Women's Bureau:** Mrs. Nell Conley.

**County Health Officer:** Dr. J. A. Markley.

**County Health Nurse:** Ona Haslebacher.

**Superintendent County Infirmary:** A. L. McClain.

### JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES

(By Magisterial Districts)

#### Collins Settlement District

**Justices of the Peace:**

G. J. Arnold, (D), Roanoke.

**Constable:**

Raymond N. Arnold, (D), Roanoke.

#### Court House District

**Justices of the Peace:**

L. D. Mick, (R), Weston.

R. V. Malloy, (D), Weston.

**Constable:**

(Vacancy).

#### Freeman's Creek District

**Justices of the Peace:**

W. W. Chapman, (R), Weston.

H. H. Leigh, (R), Weston.

**Constables:**

Hugh Clem, (R), Weston.

A. E. Dunn, (R), Weston.

#### Hacker's Creek District

**Justices of the Peace:**

W. T. Connolly, (D), Weston.

W. C. Davidson, (D), Weston.

**Constable:**

Richard Radcliff, (D), Weston.

#### Skin Creek District

**Justice of the Peace:**

(Vacancy)

**Constable:**

(Vacancy)

**ATTORNEYS**

(Post office address Weston)

- Bennett, Hunter M., (D)
- Blair, Andrew Lane, (D)
- Blair, Herbert M., (D)
- Bland & Bland
  - Bland, Charles N., (D)
  - Bland, Robert L., (D)
- Brannon, Edward A., (D)
- Brannon, Linn Mapel, (R)
- Brewster, James H., Jr., (R)
  - (Prosecuting Attorney)
- Davisson, George I., (D)
- Lively, Charles, (D)
  - (Charleston)
- Malloy, John P., (D)
- Smith, DaCosta, (D)
- Smith, Emerson, (R)
- Smith, Kingsley R., (R)
- White, George E., (R)
  - (Charleston)

**DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

**Officers**

- Chairman: DaCosta Smith, Weston.
- Vice Chairman: Edythe Rohrbough, Camden.
- Secretary: Mary C. Drummond, Jane Lew.
  - Assistant Secretary: Marzee Linger, Horner.
- Treasurer: S. P. D. Tierney, Weston.
  - Assistant Treasurer: Lillian Toothman, Weston.

**Members**

- Collins Settlement District: Frank M. Groves, Roanoke; Mrs. Doris Heflin, Roanoke.
- Court House District: S. P. D. Tierney, Weston; Mrs. Lillian Toothman, Weston.
- Freeman's Creek District: George C. Fahey, Freemansburg; Edythe Rohrbough, Camden.
- Hacker's Creek District: French S. Smith, Weston; Mrs. Mary C. Drummond, Jane Lew.
- Skin Creek District: Wade Warner, Horner; Marzee Linger, Horner.

**REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

**Officers**

- Chairman: Gilbert J. Hersman, Weston.
- Vice Chairman: (Vacancy).

Secretary: Lawrence B. Harris, Weston.

Treasurer: J. E. Griffin, Weston.

**Members**

- Collins Settlement District: Raymond F. McQuain, Ireland; Margaret E. Wilson, Crawford.
- Court House District: James Gillooly, Roanoke; Mrs Bess Jennings, Weston.
- Freeman's Creek District: Dr. O. L. Hudkins, Weston; (Vacancy).
- Hacker's Creek District: Joe Martenev, Weston; Grace Stalnaker, Jane Lew.
- Skin Creek District: R. Clyde Taylor, Weston; Mina Linger, Horner.

**LINCOLN COUNTY**

Formed in 1867 from parts of Cabell, Putnam, Kanawha and Boone Counties, and named in honor of Abraham Lincoln, the sixteenth President of the United States.

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Petroleum, natural gas, lumber; tobacco, corn, potatoes.

County Seat: Hamlin.

Magisterial Districts (8): Carrol, Duval, Harts Creek, Jefferson, Laurel Hill, Sheridan, Union and Washington.

Voting Precincts: 30.

Area: 437.04 square miles.

Population (1930): 19,156.

Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1939), \$17,506,810.

**COUNTY OFFICIALS**

(Post office address Hamlin, unless otherwise indicated)

**Circuit Court (6th Judicial Circuit)**

Judge: Carney M. Layne, (D), Huntington.

Terms of Circuit Court: Third Monday in March; fourth Monday in July; third Monday in November.

Clerk: L. E. Thacker, (D).

Court Reporter: Elizabeth G. Huston, (D), Huntington.

Commissioner in Chancery: Grant Cremans, (R).

Divorce Commissioner: A. F. Morris, (D).

General Receiver: J. S. Pridemore, (R).

**County Officers**

**Assessor:** J. M. Sanford, (D).  
**Board of Education:** Homer Hall, (D);  
 Ira M. Hill, (D), Yawkey; Elza B. Adkins, (D), Fez; B. O. Henderson, (D), West Hamlin; Ove Hill, (D), McCorkle.  
**Circuit Clerk:** L. E. Thacker, (D).  
**County Clerk:** J. M. Marcum, (D).  
**County Superintendent:** Garcia D. Pauley.  
**Assistant:** Geo B. Prunty.  
**Prosecuting Attorney:** W. F. Damron, (D).  
**Sheriff:** D. M. Vandellnde, (D).  
**County Surveyor:** W. T. Watts, (D), Sod.  
**Commissioners of Accounts:** Grant Cremans, (R); Charles C. Ashworth, (D).  
**County Commissioners:** Randolph Sias, (D), Alum Creek; Jesse Manns, (D), Harts; Elza Vickers, (D).  
**Terms of County Court:** First Monday in each month.  
**Public Assistance Council:** J. T. Vickers, (D); Louie Midkiff, (R), Midkiff; C. A. Martin, (D); C. W. Smith, (R), West Hamlin; Jesse Manns, (D), Harts, member County Court, *ex-officio*.  
**Director of Public Assistance:** Willlam L. Chafin.  
**Road Maintenance Superintendent:** A. C. Hilbert.  
**County Agent:** L. Perry, Holden.  
**County Health Officer:** Dr. Robert S. Barrett.  
**County Health Nurse:** Margaret Arbuckle.  
**Superintendent County Infirmary:** M. F. Adkins.

**JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES**

(By Magisterial Districts)

**Carroll District**

**Justices of the Peace:**  
 D. J. Johnson, (D), Hamlin.  
 C. C. Ashworth, (D), Hamlin.

**Constables:**  
 D. W. Pullen, (D), West Hamlin.  
 Walter Sowards, (D), Hamlin.

**Duval District**

**Justices of the Peace:**  
 Claude May, (R), Griffithsville.  
 F. J. Shepherd, (D), Griffithsville.

**Constables:**

Lon Stowars, (R), Griffithsville.  
 George Tackett, (R), Griffithsville.

**Harts Creek District**

**Justices of the Peace:**  
 Milton Vance, (D), Harts.  
 John E. Fry, (D), Rector.

**Constables:**  
 Curtis Dempsey, (D), Harts.  
 K. F. Ramsey, (D), Harts.

**Jefferson District**

**Justices of the Peace:**  
 B. E. Spurlock, (R), Spurlocksville.  
 A. H. Hager, (R), Spurlocksville.

**Constable:**  
 (Vacancy)

**Laurel Hill District**

**Justices of the Peace:**  
 Ora Clay, (D), Midkiff.  
 Sam Enochs, (D), Ranger.

**Constable:**  
 Stewart Adkins, (D), Ranger.

**Sheridan District**

**Justices of the Peace:**  
 Joe Midkiff, (D), Branchland.  
 Martin Fugate, (D), West Hamlin.

**Constables:**  
 Otis McComas, (D), West Hamlin.  
 E. L. Jones, (D), Branchland.

**Union District**

**Justices of the Peace:**  
 J. V. Pack, (R), Sias.  
 (Vacancy)

**Constables:**  
 M. N. Yeager, (R), Myra.  
 (Vacancy)

**Washington District**

**Justices of the Peace:**  
 C. M. Cecil, (R), McCorkle.  
 W. J. Purdy, (R), Sod.

**Constables:**  
 Wood Hensley, (R), McCorkle.  
 (Vacancy)

**ATTORNEYS**

(Post office address Hamlin)

Damron, W. F., (D)  
 (Prosecuting Attorney)  
 Morris, A. F., (D)  
 McComas, Carl A., (D)  
 Smith, Houston A., (R)  
 Smith, Jacob D., (R)  
 Wilkinson, D. E., (D)

**DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

**Officers**

**Chairman:** Calvin N. Hall, Hamlin.  
**Vice Chairman:** G. H. Jackson, Hamlin.  
**Associate Chairman:** Mrs. Maggie Burns, Hamlin.  
**Secretary-Treasurer:** W. R. Adkins Hamlin.

**Members**

**Carroll District:** Crede Wysong, Hamlin; Mrs. Rannell Petrie, Hamlin.  
**Duval District:** Roy Bowles, Garretts Bend; Della Lawson, Yawkey.  
**Harts Creek District:** W. C. DeHaven, Leet; Mrs. Watson Adkins, Harts.  
**Jefferson District:** George Chandler, Bugler; Mary Miller, Spurlocksville.  
**Laurel Hill District:** Dave Vance, Ranger; Mrs. Eunice McCoy, Ranger.  
**Sheridan District:** S. V. Rousey, West Hamlin; May Isaacs, West Hamlin.  
**Union District:** Will Adkins, Sias; Estelle Hill, Branchland.  
**Washington District:** Elwood Runyon, Alum Creek; Lulu Priestley, Alum Creek.

**REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

**Officers**

**Chairman:** W. C. Kingery, Hamlin.  
**Vice Chairman:** Mrs. M. V. Fisher, Hamlin.  
**Secretary-Treasurer:** B. B. Jaynes, Hamlin.

**Members**

**Carroll District:** C. E. Smith, Hamlin; Mrs. M. V. Fisher, Hamlin.  
**Duval District:** Harvey Smith, Griffithsville; Mrs. W. B. Waggoner, Griffithsville.  
**Harts Creek District:** Kyle Toppings, Harts; Mrs. James Lucas, Toney.  
**Jefferson District:** (Vacancy); Mrs. E. G. Stone, Bernie.  
**Laurel Hill District:** George Klander, Midkiff; Mrs. Bertie Adkins, Midkiff.  
**Sheridan District:** A. L. Davidson, Branchland; Mrs. Maude T. Ray, West Hamlin.  
**Union District:** Leander Adkins, Sias; Mrs. Verchie Adkins, Sias.  
**Washington District:** E. A. Gillenwater, Sod; Mrs. Daisy Stevens, Alum Creek.

**LOGAN COUNTY**

Formed in 1824 from parts of Giles, Tazewell, Cabell and Kanawha Counties (Virginia), and named for Logan, famous Indian chief of the Mingo tribe.

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Coal, lumber, electric power; livestock, dairying, corn, potatoes.

**County Seat:** Logan.

**Magisterial Districts (3):** Chapmanville, Logan and Triadelphia.

**Voting Precincts:** 66.

**Area:** 455.82 square miles.

**Population (1930):** 58,534.

**Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1939),** \$44,483,225.

**COUNTY OFFICIALS**

(Post office address Logan, unless otherwise indicated)

**Circuit Court (7th Judicial Circuit)**

**Judge:** C. C. Chambers, (D).  
**Terms of Circuit Court:** Second Monday in January, May, and September.

**Clerk:** Simon A. Dingess, (D).

**Court Reporter:** Herman N. Fugh, (R), Huntington.

**Commissioners in Chancery:** Jas. E. Greever, (D); E. F. Scaggs, (D); C. A. Hatfield, (R); Paul E. Botome, (R); J. E. Peck, (D); Oscar Tabory, (R).

**Divorce Commissioner:** R. H. Casto, (D).

**General Receiver:** G. W. Raike, (R).

**County Officers**

**Assessor:** William C. Turley, (D).

**Board of Education:** R. L. Shelton, (D), Earling; Geo. Vincen, (D), Man; Louden H. White, (D), Henlawson; P. C. Dingess, (D), Chapmanville; Frank White, (D), Logan.

**Circuit Clerk:** Simon A. Dingess, (D).

**County Clerk:** J. G. McNeely, (D).

**County Superintendent:** Paul C. Winters.

**Assistants:** Earl V. Parsons; Alvin B. Gore; James P. Cleveland (Colored).

**Prosecuting Attorney:** Claude A. Joyce, (D).

**Assistant:** Robert Bland, (D).

**Sheriff:** Everett Workman, (D).  
**County Surveyor:** Hershel White, (D).  
**Coroner:** R. B. Harris.  
**Commissioners of Accounts:** James E. Greever, (D); Paul E. Bottome, (R).  
**County Commissioners:** Dr. S. B. Lawson, (D); G. C. Combs, (D); R. E. Vickers, (D).  
**Terms of County Court:** Fifth day in each month.  
**Public Assistance Council:** George W. Raike, (R); S. E. McDonald, (D); J. E. Reed, (R); Dr. C. B. Morris, (D); Dr. S. B. Lawson, (D), member County Court, *ex-officio*.  
**Director of Public Assistance:** R. A. Barker.  
**Road Maintenance Superintendent:** V. A. Snow.  
**County Health Officer:** Dr. W. P. Hamilton.  
**County Health Nurses:** Mrs. Bertie J. Ferrell; Frances Tivey; Sarah Switzer; Eleanor McDonald Davis.

## JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES

(By Magisterial Districts)

### Chapmanville District

#### Justices of the Peace:

W. H. Ellis, (D), Chapmanville.  
 Frank Adams, (D), Whirlwind.

#### Constables:

Virgil Farley, (D), Chapmanville.  
 Wallace Bryant, (D), Chapmanville.

### Logan District

#### Justices of the Peace:

Claude Gore, (D), Logan.  
 Elbert Smith, (D), Logan.

#### Constables:

Andy McNeely, (D), Logan.  
 J. E. Browning, (D), Logan.

### Triadelphia District

#### Justices of the Peace:

I. S. Asbury, (D), Man.  
 Charles Estep, (D), Man.

#### Constables:

A. B. Tilley, (D), Man.  
 Ozie Staten, (D), Man.

## ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Logan)

Bland, Robert, (D)  
 (Assistant Prosecuting Attorney)  
 Bottome, Paul E., (R)  
 Browning, Chauncey H., (D)

Casto, R. H., (D)  
 Chambers, C. C., (D)  
 (Judge Circuit Court)  
 Chambers, F. Paul, (R)  
 Estep, Chas. L., (D)  
 Glenn, Joe M., (R)  
 Greever, Jas. E., (D)  
 Hager, Ira P., (R)  
 Hager, Lloyd P., (R)  
 Hatfield, Coleman A., (R)  
 Hatfield, Eileen, (R)  
 Holland, R. Paul, (R)  
 Jackson, Naaman, (R)  
 Joyce, C. A., (D)  
 (Prosecuting Attorney)  
 Parsons, E. V., (D)  
 Peck, J. E., (D)  
 Scaggs, E. F., (R)  
 Tabory, Oscar, (R)  
 Valentine, Mark T., (R)  
 Vickers, Walter H., (R)  
 Waugh, N. D., (R)

## DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

**Chairman:** Paul C. Winters, Chapmanville.  
**Associate Chairman:** P. C. Dingess, Chapmanville.  
**Secretary:** Mrs. Elsie Beddow, Logan.  
**Treasurer:** W. L. Burdette, Logan.

### Members

**Chapmanville District:** John Vickers, Chapmanville; Mrs. O. C. Winters, Chapmanville.  
**Logan District:** Geo. C. Steele, Logan; Mrs. V. B. Browning, Logan.  
**Triadelphia District:** Ray Watts, Man; Mrs. R. W. Roberts, Man.

## REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

**Chairman:** Naaman Jackson, Logan.  
**Vice Chairmen:** F. Paul Chambers, Logan; Joe Abbott, Man, (colored).  
**Secretary:** Eva May Ferrell, Chapmanville.  
**Treasurer:** G. W. Raiké, Logan.

### Members

**Chapmanville District:** T. G. McCarty, Chapmanville; Lottie Burwell, Big Creek.  
**Logan District:** I. C. Wheeler, Logan; Maude Steele, Logan.  
**Triadelphia District:** Dr. J. W. Thornbury, Man; Phyllena Gilman, Man.

## MARION COUNTY

Created in 1842 from parts of Monongalia and Harrison Counties, and named in honor of General Francis Marion, of Revolutionary War fame, known in history as "The Swamp Fox."

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Coal, glass and glassware, petroleum, natural gas, aluminum sheets, mining machinery, plumbing fixtures, electric power; livestock, hay and grain, dairying, poultry.

County Seat: Fairmont.

Magisterial Districts (7): Fairmont, Grant, Lincoln, Mannington, Paw Paw, Union and Winfield.

Voting Precincts: 68.

Area: 313.55 square miles.

Population (1930): 66,655.

Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1939), \$71,477,210.

## COUNTY OFFICIALS

(Post office address Fairmont, unless otherwise indicated)

### Circuit Court (16th Judicial Circuit)

Judge: Frank C. Haymond, (D).

Terms of Circuit Court: Second Monday in March, June and November.

Clerk: Clarence Currey, (D).

Court Reporter: Lawrence Holbert, (D).

Commissioners in Chancery: John Henshaw, (R); J. Harper Meredith, (D); Tucker Moroose, (D); L. C. Musgrave, (D); Louis Schoolnic, (D); Kennis K. Snodgrass, (D); C. Brooks Deveney, (D).

Divorce Commissioner: Alfred Neely, (D).

General Receiver: M. E. Ashcraft, (D).

### Criminal Court

Judge: Charles E. Miller, (D).

Terms of Court: Second Tuesday in January and May, and third Tuesday in September.

Clerk: Clarence Currey, (D).

Court Reporter: Lawrence Holbert, (D).

### County Officers

Assessor: James W. Davis, (D).

Board of Education: E. L. Lively, (D); Ray Horner, (D); T. J. Downs, (D); Farmington; Ira G. Ice, (D),

Mannington; Kennis K. Snodgrass, (D), Mannington.

Circuit Clerk: Clarence Currey, (D).

County Clerk: Kenna Clark, (D).

County Superintendent: J. J. Straight.

Assistants: H. E. Odgers; Otis H. Millam.

Prosecuting Attorney: Harrison Conway, (D).

Assistant: A. Hale Watkins, (D).

Sheriff: A. C. West, (D).

County Surveyor: S. H. Rudy, (D), Hammond.

Coroner: C. J. Urbaniak.

Commissioners of Accounts: James F. Burns, (D); Robert S. Reed, (D); Robert C. Morris, (D); Marion Meredith, (D).

County Commissioners: H. D. Martin, (D), Monongah; S. L. Ash, (D), Metz; Russell Nichols, (D), Colfax.

Terms of County Court: First Monday in January, April, July and September.

Public Assistance Council: L. O. Shingleton, (D); Lawrence Conway, (D), Barrackville; Howard Coleman, (R), Farmington; Ben Garrison, (R); S. L. Ash, (D), Metz, member County Court, *ex-officio*.

Director of Public Assistance: Hugh B. Wellman.

Road Maintenance Superintendent: Vincent Ryder.

County Agent: W. E. McComas.

Assistant: Oliver Johnson.

Home Demonstration Agent: Margaret Rexroad.

President Farm Bureau: C. R. Burgreen, Watson.

County Health Officer: Dr. J. W. Davis.

County Health Nurses: Mary Jane Minnis; Ada Krugar; Mary Hicks; Marion D. Bell; Madeline McGinnis; Rachel Blain.

Sanitarian: E. J. Powell.

Milk Sanitarian: W. P. Galner.

Matron Children's Home: Velma G. Manley.

Superintendent County Infirmary: T. W. Davis.

## JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES

(By Magisterial Districts)

### Fairmont District

Justices of the Peace:

Guy W. Utterback, (D), Fairmont.  
H. Pete Hamilton, (D), Fairmont.

**Constables:**

Clay E. Metz, (D), Fairmont.  
Ray Bowen, (D), Fairmont.

**Grant District****Justices of the Peace:**

C. E. Hewitt, (D), Monongah.  
M. L. Haney, (R), Watson.

**Constables:**

Troy Charles Herron, (D), Monongah.  
Jesse Jarrett, (D), Watson.

**Lincoln District****Justices of the Peace:**

J. Lane Parrish, (D), Worthington.  
A. G. Morgan, (D), Fairmont.

**Constables:**

Harry Cooper, (D), Farmington.  
W. B. Plaster, (D), Worthington.

**Mannington District****Justices of the Peace:**

Stephen J. Lane, (D), Mannington.  
H. B. Moran, (R), Mannington.

**Constables:**

John A. Sandy, (R), Mannington.  
Jesse Kendall, (D), Mannington.

**Paw Paw District****Justices of the Peace:**

James Wilson, (D), Rivesville.  
Lora Yeager, (D), Baxter.

**Constables:**

Frank C. Woodard, (D), Rivesville.  
Asa Mercer, (D), Fairview.

**Union District****Justices of the Peace:**

Vance Keener, (D), Fairmont.  
John W. Mason, Jr., (R), Fairmont.

**Constables:**

Carl West, (D), Klingmont.  
Harry C. Connor, (D), Fairmont.

**Winfield District****Justices of the Peace:**

Francis Vincent, Jr., (D), Fairmont.  
H. E. Moran, (R), Fairmont.

**Constables:**

S. M. Bucklew (D), Fairmont.  
Joseph Farcin, (D), Fairmont.

**ATTORNEYS**

(Post office address Fairmont, unless otherwise indicated)

Alexander, George M., (D)  
Amos, Clay D., (R)  
Amos, Curt E., (R), (A&A)  
Amos, Frank R., (R), (A&A)  
Amos and Amos  
Amos, Curt E., (R)  
Amos, Frank, (R)  
Apple, J. D., (D)  
Bell, Ernest R., (R), (M&B)  
Billingslea, A. Blake, (R)  
Boggess, Howard, (R), (S&B)  
Burns, James F., (D)  
Carroll, Logan, (D)  
Colborn, A. J., (D)  
Conaway, Harrison, (D)  
(Prosecuting Attorney)  
Conley, Joseph G., (R)  
Conley, Rollo J., (R)  
Crockett, George W., Jr., (D)  
Cronin, Harry R., (R)  
Deveny, C. Brooks, (D)  
Eddy, L. T., (R)  
Fleming, Allison S., (R)  
Hartley, E. F., (R)  
Haymond, Frank C., (D)  
(Judge Circuit Court)  
Henshaw, John, (R)  
Hess, H. Clare, (D)  
(Mannington)  
Himelick, Betty, (D)  
Hite, Thomas A., (R)  
(Mannington)  
Hoge, P. M., (D)  
Hoult, Charles S., (R)  
Johnson, L. E., (R)  
Jones, Carter D., (R)  
Kennedy, William M., (D)  
Kern, Albert J., (D)  
Lanham, Ward, (R)  
Lehman, William P., (R)  
Lemley, Fred, (D)  
Lowe, Robert W., (D)  
Lowe, Scott C., (D)  
Mason, John W., Jr., (R)  
Miesel, Louis D., (R)  
Meredith, J. Harper, (D)  
Meredith, James A., (R), (M&B)  
Meredith, Jamison (R), (M&B)  
Meredith, Marlon, (D)  
Meredith and Bell  
Meredith, James A., (R)  
Bell, Ernest R., (R)  
Meredith, Jamison, (R)  
Miller, Charles E., (D)  
(Judge Criminal Court)  
Moroose, Tucker, (D)  
Morris, Robert C., (D)

Morris, Tusca, (D)  
 Morgan, E. F., (R)  
 Morgan, M. E., (R)  
 Musgrave, L. C., (D)  
 McCray, French, (R)  
 Neely, Alfred, (D)  
 Neely, M. M., (D)  
 (United States Senator)  
 Nutter, Trevey, (R)  
 Ogden, H. Leland, (R), (O&O)  
 Ogden, Marshall W., (R), (O&O)  
 Ogden and Ogden  
 Ogden, H. Leland, (R)  
 Ogden, Marshall W., (R)  
 Olliker Frederick B., (D)  
 Powell, J. Worley, (R)  
 Powell, Michael, (D)  
 Prichard, John G., (R)  
 Putnam, Alfred R., (R)  
 Reed, Robert S., (D)  
 Rose, H. H., (D)  
 Rose, Herschel, Jr., (D)  
 Schoolnic, Louis, (D)  
 Schwenck, L. S., (D)  
 Shaw, Harry, (R)  
 Shaw, Victor H., (R)  
 Showalter, E. M., (R), (S&B)  
 Showalter and Boggess  
 Showalter, E. M., (R)  
 Boggess, Howard, (R)  
 Snodgrass, Kennis K., (D)  
 (Mannington)  
 Steele, Lorentz, (R)  
 Stubbs, Raleigh Lee, (D)  
 Wadsworth, Howard J., (R)  
 Watkins, A. Hale, (D)  
 (Assistant Prosecuting Attorney)  
 Watkins, Harry E., (D)  
 (Judge U. S. District Court)

### DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

**Chairman:** Homer C. Toothman, Fairmont.  
**Associate Chairman:** Margaret Ice, Barrackville.  
**Secretary:** Mrs. Helen Norris, Fairmont.  
**Treasurer:** John Gill, Fairmont.

#### Members

**Fairmont District:** Henry E. Mulligan, Fairmont; Margaret Ice, Barrackville.  
**Grant District:** D. Price Smith, Shinnston; Jessie Hughes, Shinnston.  
**Lincoln District:** Blake McIntire, Worthington; Mrs. Wayne Bainbridge, Farmington.

**Mannington District:** (Vacancy); Mrs. Ray Thomas, Mannington.  
**Paw Paw District:** Chas. F. Knight, Rivesville; Mrs. Arthur Ammons, Fairview.  
**Union District:** Hubert Barnes, Hammond; Mrs. Virgil Harr, Fairmont.  
**Winfield District:** Fred Stanton, Fairmont; Mrs. J. E. Carrol, Fairmont.

### City of Fairmont

**First Ward:** James S. Kellar; Lelah Hatfield.  
**Second Ward:** W. Claude Davis; Mrs. Myra Morris.  
**Third Ward:** Sam Fox; Patricia M. Ryder.  
**Fourth Ward:** (Vacancy); (Vacancy).  
**Fifth Ward:** Charles M. Bainbridge; Mrs. Madge Gainor.  
**Sixth Ward:** Jesse Lampkin; Alma Weinberg.  
**Seventh Ward:** James Brown; Edith M. Snider.  
**Elighth Ward:** John L. Gill; Mrs. J. I. Snoderly.  
**Ninth Ward:** J. J. McLinden; Hilda Grottendek.  
**Tenth Ward:** Phillip Johnson; Bessie R. Sample.  
**Eleventh Ward:** R. E. Knight; Goldie S. Acker.  
**Twelfth Ward:** Ernest Sherwood; Thelma Brand Loudin.

### REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

**Chairman:** M. Earle Morgan, Fairmont.  
**Vice-Chairmen:** Thomas Hite, Mannington; Elizabeth H. Stone, Fairmont.  
**Secretary:** Linn V. Hall, Fairmont.  
**Treasurer:** Ward M. Downs, Fairmont.

#### Members

**Fairmont District:** James S. Hawkins, Fairmont; Mrs. Lessie B. Shackelford, Barrackville.  
**Grant District:** S. Monroe Kisner, Watson; Mrs. Alice L. Moran, Watson.  
**Lincoln District:** O. E. Brammer, Worthington; Mrs. Grace Rusk, Farmington.

**Mannington District:** C. D. Helmick, Mannington; Mrs. Jennie L. Thorne, Mannington.

**Paw Paw District:** James P. Morris, Rivesville; Mrs. Arlena Fortney, Grant Town.

**Union District:** Lawrence R. Linn, Fairmont; Mrs. Effie L. Vandergrift, Fairmont.

**Winfield District:** Harmon L. Vangilder, Fairmont; Mrs. Ruth Merrifield Miller, Catawba.

### City of Fairmont

**First Ward:** Roy F. Bobet; Leota Gaskins.

**Second Ward:** Dean Morrison; Mrs. Dessie May Reaser.

**Third Ward:** C. Ralph Snowden; Mrs. Bertha Jenkins.

**Fourth Ward:** J. Walter Layman; Mrs. Jettie G. Balnbridge.

**Fifth Ward:** Joseph B. Toothman; Mrs. Margaret Wilburn.

**Sixth Ward:** Wilbur M. Jones; Mrs. Leona Zundell.

**Seventh Ward:** Lawrence McCray; Mrs. Regina A. McAteer.

**Eighth Ward:** Thomas F. Wilshire; Mrs. Mary K. Tidwell.

**Ninth Ward:** Alex S. Knox; Mrs. Margaret Noble.

**Tenth Ward:** Lewis E. Johnson; Olive M. Phillips.

**Eleventh Ward:** Lloyd C. Fitzhugh; Mrs. Edith A. Closson.

**Twelfth Ward:** Walter M. Garrison; Mrs. Ada H. Benedict.

## MARSHALL COUNTY

Formed from Ohio County in 1835 and named for John Marshall, for thirty-four years Chief Justice of the United States Supreme Court. Elizabethtown, named as the county seat in the act creating the county, was combined with Moundsville in 1866.

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Iron and steel, glass and glassware, coal, clothing, mechanical toys, enamelware, natural gas; hay and grain, dairying, fruit, vegetables, sheep.

**County Seat:** Moundsville.

**Magisterial Districts (9):** Cameron, Clay, Franklin, Liberty, Meade, Sand Hill, Union, Washington and Webster.

**Voting Precincts:** 51.

**Area:** 315.26 square miles.

**Population (1930):** 39,831.

**Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1930),** \$39,856,790.

### COUNTY OFFICIALS

(Post office address Moundsville, unless otherwise indicated)

#### Circuit Court (2nd Judicial Circuit)

**Judge:** James F. Shipman, (D).

**Terms of Circuit Court:** Second Tuesday in February, June and October.

**Clerk:** Frank M. Ferrell, Sr., (R).

**Court Reporter:** Delf Norona, (D).

**Commissioners in Chancery:** Walter A. McGlumphy, (R); John C. Hopkins, (D); James T. Miller, (R); Everett F. Moore, (R).

**Divorce Commissioner:** Thomas E. Wilkison, (D).

**General Receiver:** J. D. Burley, (R).

#### County Officers

**Assessor:** Paul A. Dechan, (R).

**Board of Education:** Guy Alexander, (R), Moundsville; Dr. J. E. Arnold, (D), Cameron; George B. Dakan, (D), Rosbys Rock; Ralph Riggs, (R), Moundsville; Kenneth Harblson, (R), McMechen.

**Circuit Clerk:** Frank M. Ferrell, Sr., (R).

**County Clerk:** J. Randall Crow, (R).

**County Superintendent:** Louis R. Potts.

**Assistant:** C. B. Allman.

**Prosecuting Attorney:** J. W. Rickey, (R).

**Assistant:** John K. Chase, (R).

**Sheriff:** Frank H. Patton, (D).

**County Surveyor:** Lewis M. Magers, (R).

**Coroner:** Dr. H. B. Ashworth.

**Commissioners of Accounts:** John C. Hopkins, (D), Cameron; Chauncey D. Hinerman, (R), Cameron; A. L. Hooton, (R); Walter A. McGlumphy, (R).

**County Commissioners:** B. W. Brown, (R); Charles Howard, (R), Cameron; J. L. Maxwell, (R).

**Terms of County Court:** First Tuesday in January, April, July and October.

**Public Assistance Council:** Dr. J. A. Streibich, (D); Harry S. Wilson, (R); J. I. Husk, (D), McMechen; John B. Richea, (R), Glen Easton;

J. L. Maxwell, (R), member County Court, *ex-officio*.  
**Director of Public Assistance:** W. Paul Ryan.  
**Road Maintenance Superintendent:** Wiley E. Games.  
**County Agent:** R. S. Virtue.  
 Assistant: C. W. Thorniley.  
**Home Demonstration Agent:** Mary Louise Heflin.  
**President Farm Bureau:** Carlton W. Harris, Glen Easton.  
**President Farm Women's Bureau:** Mrs. John Ingram, Cameron.  
**County Health Officer:** Dr. W. G. C. Hill.  
**County Health Nurses:** Margaret E. Prunty; Hilda Sayre.  
**Matron Children's Home:** Clara Busby.  
**Superintendent County Infirmary:** Raymond W. Parriott.

## JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES

(By Magisterial Districts)

### Cameron District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
 J. Howard Ganoc, (R), Cameron.  
 Clyde L. Loper, (R), Cameron.

**Constables:**  
 Richard Marling, (R), Cameron.  
 C. M. Hinerman, (R), Cameron.

### Clay District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
 A. E. Cecil, (D), Moundsville.  
 W. E. Clayton, (R), Moundsville.

**Constables:**  
 Roy Richmond, (D), Moundsville.  
 Stanley Minor, (D), Moundsville.

### Franklin District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
 (Vacancies)

**Constables:**  
 S. L. Baker, (R), Woodland.  
 (Vacancy)

### Liberty District

**Justice of the Peace:**  
 (Vacancy)

**Constable:**  
 (Vacancy)

### Meade District

**Justice of the Peace:**  
 (Vacancy)

**Constable:**  
 (Vacancy)

### Sand Hill District

**Justice of the Peace:**  
 (Vacancy)

**Constable:**  
 (Vacancy)

### Union District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
 James W. Smith, (D) Benwood.  
 Harvey Rhude, (D), McMechen.

**Constables:**  
 Otis W. Peoples, (D), Benwood.  
 George T. Smith, (D), Benwood.

### Washington District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
 T. L. F. Tweedlie, (R), Moundsville.  
 Chester A. Burks, (R), Moundsville.

**Constables:**  
 A. R. Daugherty, (R), Moundsville.  
 Elmer Henthorne, (R), Moundsville.

### Webster District

**Justice of the Peace:**  
 (Vacancy)

**Constable:**  
 John Lehew, (D), Moundsville.

## ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Moundsville, unless otherwise indicated)

Arnold, J. Lloyd, (R)  
 Brown, Martin, (R)  
 Carrigan, C. E. (R)  
 Carrigan, John Edgar, (R)  
 Chase, John K., (R)  
 Evans, D. B., (R)  
 Evans, Lawrence M., (R)  
 Fitzsimmons, John M., (R)  
 Hinerman, Chauncey D., (R)  
 (Cameron)  
 Hooton, A. L., (R)  
 Hopkins, John C., (D)  
 McCamic, Charles, (R)  
 McGlumphy, Walter A., (R)  
 Miller, James T., (R)  
 Moore, Everett F., (R)

Newman, Charles A., (D)  
 Potts, Thos. J., (R)  
 Rickey, J. W., (R)  
 (Prosecuting Attorney)  
 Ritz, J. M., (R)  
 Rogerson, Charles Clinton, (R)  
 Shlpman, James F., (D)  
 (Judge Circuit Court)  
 Tinker, Wesley R., (R)  
 Wilkison, Thomas E., (D)  
 Wilson, Stanley B., (D)

### DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

**Chairman:** Dr. James J. Campbell, Moundsville.  
**Associate Chairman:** Mrs. Frank Stilwell, Moundsville.  
**Secretary:** Mrs. Mary Brown, Mc-Mechen.  
**Treasurer:** C. L. Strmons, Cameron.

#### Members

**Cameron District:** C. L. Simmons, Cameron; Mrs. Lucy Powers, Cameron.  
**Clay District:** L. E. Holmes, Moundsville; Nelle B. Rex, Moundsville.  
**Franklin District:** Boyd Shank, Woodland; Mrs. Grace McHenry, Woodland.  
**Liberty District:** George E. Fish, Cameron; Mrs. Ethel Conoway, Woodruff.  
**Meade District:** L. W. Fronaphfel, Proctor; Mrs. Sadie Carmichaels, Glen Easton.  
**Sand Hill District:** Charles E. Riggle, Dallas; Lenora Harsh, Dallas.  
**Union District:** Joseph George, Benwood; Mrs. Mary Brown, Mc-Mechen.  
**Washington District:** Dr. James J. Campbell, Moundsville; Mrs. Frank Stilwell, Moundsville.  
**Webster District:** W. S. Wolfe, Cameron; Mrs. Opal Gettings, Cameron.

#### City of Moundsville

**First Ward:** Lawrence Miller; Mrs. Nellie A. Kimes.  
**Second Ward:** H. J. Calhoun; Mrs. Pearl Ruckman.  
**Third Ward:** Jerome F. Rykosky; Mrs. Emile V. Riggs.  
**Fourth Ward:** Millard Cooper; Mrs. Alma Phipps.

### REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

**Chairman:** T. W. Keffer, Moundsville.  
**Vice Chairman:** C. O. Masters, Cameron.  
**Secretary:** Mrs. Nancy Bardall, Moundsville.  
**Treasurer:** Alfred Neidermyer, Benwood.

#### Members

**Cameron District:** C. O. Masters, Cameron; Edna Wells, Cameron.  
**Clay District:** C. L. Woods, Moundsville; Luella Utter, Moundsville.  
**Franklin District:** George Wolfe, Captina; Julia Darrah, Captina.  
**Liberty District:** Nelson M. Richards, Woodruff; Nettle Buzzard, Cameron.  
**Meade District:** B. H. Bonar, Glen Easton; Mrs. Rhoda McDowell, Kausooth.  
**Sand Hill District:** H. C. Dague, Dallas; Mrs. Bertha Williams, Elm Grove.  
**Union District:** Alfred Neldermyer, Benwood; Mrs. Elizabeth Arthurs, McMechen.  
**Washington District:** W. W. Dowler, Moundsville; Hattie B. Terrell, Moundsville.  
**Webster District:** E. A. Doman, Cameron; Ella S. Brown, Cameron.

#### City of Moundsville

**First Ward:** E. R. Parsons; Mrs. R. Wellman.  
**Second Ward:** T. W. Keffer; Mabel Tagg.  
**Third Ward:** L. O. Jones; Mrs. Nancy Bardall.  
**Fourth Ward:** William Graffius; Mrs. Edna Dobbs.

### MASON COUNTY

Formed in 1804 from the western portion of Kanawha County and named for George Mason, author of the Constitution of Virginia and a member of the convention that framed the Constitution of the United States.

This county comprised a part of the proposed colony of Vandalla, the capital of which was to have been Point

Pleasant. Among the earliest visitors here were LaSalle (1669); Celoron (1749); Gist (1750); and Washington (1770).

Lakin State Hospital (colored insane), and West Virginia Industrial School for Colored Boys located at Lakin (unincorporated).

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Coal, boat building, malleable iron castings, clothing, salt and bromine; hay and grain, tobacco, livestock, dairying, poultry, fruit, vegetables.

County Seat: Point Pleasant.

Magisterial Districts (10): Arbuckle, Clendenin, Cologne, Cooper, Graham, Hannan, Lewis, Robinson, Union and Waggener.

Voting Precincts: 36.

Area: 445.75 square miles.

Population (1930): 20,788.

Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1939), \$15,330,800.

## COUNTY OFFICIALS

(Post office address Point Pleasant, unless otherwise indicated)

### Circuit Court (5th Judicial Circuit)

Judge: Lewis H. Miller, (R), Ripley, Terms of Circuit Court: First Monday in January, May, and September.

Clerk: Vernon Jones, (R).

Court Reporter: Junia Jo Hite, (R).

Commissioners in Chancery: Wm. H. Rardin, (R); George G. Somerville, (D); F. G. Musgrave, (R); J. G. F. Johnson, (R).

Divorce Commissioner: (Vacancy).

General Receiver: Donald I. Smith, (R), Hartford.

### County Officers

Assessor: F. E. Bletner, (R).

Board of Education: Gilbert Rogers, (R), Gallipolis Ferry; Henry C. White, (R); Russell Starkey, (R), Glenwood; E. H. Burdette, (R), Leon; John Rice, (R), Point Pleasant.

Circuit Clerk: Vernon Jones, (R).

County Clerk: John G. Aten, (R).

County Superintendent: Walden F. Roush.

Assistant: Delbert Staats.

Prosecuting Attorney: William H. Rardin, (R).

Sheriff: W. W. Rowsey, (R).

County Surveyor: Oley H. Little, (R), Capehart.

Coroner: Dr. J. M. Fadely.

Commissioners of Accounts: J. G. F. Johnson, (R); William H. Rardin, (R); W. L. Poling, (R); F. G. Musgrave, (R).

County Commissioners: D. E. Wedge, (R), Cottageville; T. P. Bumgarner, (R), Letart; W. E. Hesson, (R), Glenwood.

Terms of County Court: Each Monday.

Public Assistance Council: Dr. Ed. McElfresh, (R); G. A. Meadows, (D), Ashton; Pat M. Wilson, Sr., (D); Rev. Wm. Mead, (D); Dorsel E. Wedge, (R), Cottageville, member County Court, *ex-officio*.

Director of Public Assistance: Mrs. Mary Middleton.

Road Supervisor: Charles Dunn.

County Agent: A. F. Wilson.

Home Demonstration Agent: Hortense Hogue.

President Farm Bureau: B. E. Somerville.

County Health Officer: Dr. M. F. Raine.

County Health Nurse: Dorothy Watkins.

Superintendent County Infirmary: Robert Foglesong.

## JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES

(By Magisterial Districts)

### Clendenin District

Justices of the Peace:

Harry William Daughtery, (R), Henderson.

Freeman Wallace, (R), Apple Grove.

Constables:

(Vacancy)

(Vacancy)

### Cologne District

Justices of the Peace:

O. C. Cossin, (R), Leon.

W. G. Boswell, (R), Leon.

Constables:

(Vacancy)

(Vacancy)

**Cooper District****Justice of the Peace:**

W. M. Ball, (R), Letart.

**Constable:**

(Vacancy)

**Graham District****Justices of the Peace:**Jacob Phillips, (D), Hartford.  
W. Z. Rollins, (R), New Haven.**Constables:**W. S. Gress, (D), New Haven.  
Wayne Phillips, (D), Hartford.**Hannan District****Justice of the Peace:**

George Fletcher, (R), Ashton.

**Constable:**

W. F. Johnson, (R), Milton.

**Lewis District****Justices of the Peace:**Franklin Quillen, (R), Pt. Pleasant.  
Sam Taylor, (R), Pt. Pleasant.**Constables:**J. A. Rodgers, (R), Pt. Pleasant.  
Toral Morrison, (R), Pt. Pleasant.**Robinson District****Justice of the Peace:**

(Vacancy)

**Constable:**

J. C. Colley, (D), Pt. Pleasant.

**Union District****Justices of the Peace:**C. W. Schultz, (R), Elmwood.  
A. C. Higginbotham, (R), Arbuckle.**Constables:**(Vacancy)  
(Vacancy)**Waggener District****Justice of the Peace:**

Les Ingles, (R), Mason.

**Constable:**

Henry Nease, (D), Mason.

**ATTORNEYS**(Post office address Point Pleasant,  
unless otherwise indicated)Blessing, R. A., (R), (Charleston)  
Burdette, Jack C., (D)  
Johnson, J. G. F., (R)

Musgrave, F. G., (R)

Poling, W. L., (R)

Rardin, William H., (R)

(Prosecuting Attorney)

Somerville, E. J., (D), (S&amp;S)

Somerville, Geo. G., (D), (S&amp;S)

Somerville and Somerville.

Somerville, E. J., (D)

Somerville, Geo. G., (D)

Vaught, Stephen K., (D)

Weissenburger, Jason, (R)

Whitten, O. E., (R)

**DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE****Officers****Chairman:** Harry Layne, New Haven.**Associate Chairman:** George Wilson,  
Point Pleasant.**Secretary:** Juliet Smith, Point Pleasant.**Treasurer:** Matt Stribbling, Ashton.**Members****Arbuckle District:** Otho Lainer, Beech Hill; Mrs. Dove Dunn, Pliney.**Clendenin District:** C. V. Bechtle, Gallipolis Ferry; Mrs. Flora B. Lasley, Henderson.**Cologne District:** Dr. B. F. Sommers, Leon; Mrs. Rosa Click, Cottageville.**Cooper District:** C. E. Fry, Letart; Mrs. C. E. Pullins, Ambrosia.**Graham District:** Harry Layne, New Haven; Sevilla Ohlinger, New Haven.**Hannan District:** Phillip Holley, Glenwood; Mrs. Cleveland Edmonds, Glenwood.**Lewis District:** J. Wallace Burdett, Point Pleasant; Juliet Smith, Point Pleasant.**Robinson District:** James R. Stewart, Point Pleasant; Julie Guthrie, Point Pleasant.**Union District:** Charles E. Woodall, Elmwood; Mrs. Rhoda Forbis, Arbuckle.**Waggener District:** J. A. Diehl, Mason; Mrs. Jessie Cartwright, Clifton.**REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE****Officers****Chairman:** E. Bartow Jones, Point Pleasant.**Secretary:** Mrs. Ora C. Gibbs, Hartford.

**Treasurer:** Mrs. W. T. Stone, Hartford.

### Members

**Arbuckle District:** John McCausland, Henderson; Helen Dabney, South Side.

**Clendenin District:** B. E. Pearson, Gallipolis Ferry; Mrs. Maxine Nowlin, Pliney.

**Cologne District:** T. A. Childers, Leon; Faye Shinn Smith, Leon.

**Cooper District:** Bert E. Sayre, Letart; Elizabeth Pullin, Point Pleasant.

**Graham District:** Henry Johnson, New Haven; Ora Cartmill Gibbs, Hartford.

**Hannan District:** Ernest Hesson, Glenwood; Florence Starkey, Glenwood.

**Lewis District:** E. Bartow Jones, Point Pleasant; Mrs. Rush Burnside, Point Pleasant.

**Roblson District:** Robert H. Gaskins, Point Pleasant; Jennie M. Hussell, Point Pleasant.

**Union District:** Okey Keefer, Leon, Bertha Bailes, Leon.

**Waggener District:** C. L. Ingles, Mason; Mrs. W. T. Stone, Hartford.

## MERCER COUNTY

Established in 1837 from parts of Giles and Tazewell Counties (Virginia), and named in honor of General Hugh Mercer, of Revolutionary War fame.

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Coal, lumber; hay and grain, dairying, livestock, poultry.

**County Seat:** Princeton.

**Magisterial Districts (5):** Beaver Pond, East River, Jumping Branch, Plymouth and Rock.

**Voting Precincts:** 79.

**Area:** 423.91 square miles.

**Population (1930):** 61,323.

**Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1939),** \$52,300,656.

### COUNTY OFFICIALS

(Post office address Princeton, unless otherwise indicated)

**Circuit Court (9th Judicial Circuit)**

**Judge:** D. M. Easley, (D), Bluefield.

**Terms of Circuit Court:** Second Monday in March, May and August, and

fourth Monday in November.

**Clerk:** L. T. Reynolds, (D).

**Court Reporter:** L. D. Wilmore, (R), Bluefield.

**Commissioners in Chancery:** W. Broughton Johnston, (D); H. E. DeJarnette, (R); Irvin A. Downey, (D); Walter V. Ross, (D), Bluefield; Bernard McClaugherty, Jr., (D), Bluefield; Paul S. Hudgins, (D), Bluefield; Sidney J. Kwass, (D) Bluefield; Clark M. Thornton, (D).

**Divorce Commissioner:** Harriet L. French, (D), Bluefield.

**General Receiver:** L. T. Reynolds, (D).

### Criminal Court

**Judge:** John M. McGrath, (D), Princeton.

**Terms of Court:** First Monday in January, April, July and October.

**Clerk:** L. T. Reynolds, (D).

**Court Reporter:** L. D. Wilmore, (R), Bluefield.

### County Officers

**Assessor:** R. C. McClaugherty, (D).  
**Board of Education:** A. J. Cole, (D), Bluefield; Dr. John H. Bird, (D), Rock; D. J. Sexton, (D), Freeman; C. V. Foland, (D); Dr. Levi Vermillion, (D).

**Circuit Clerk:** L. T. Reynolds, (D).

**County Clerk:** Lowery G. Bowling, (D).

**County Superintendent:** C. H. Archer.  
**Assistants:** J. S. Bobbitt; Brooks Hardy; J. S. Saundie, (colored).

**Prosecuting Attorney:** Roscoe H. Pendleton, (D).

**Assistant:** F. Morton Wagner, (D), Bluefield.

**Sheriff:** G. H. Crumpecker, (D).

**County Surveyor:** A. G. Booth, (D), Bluefield.

**Coroner:** Dr. S. R. Holroyd.

**Commissioners of Accounts:** C. M. Thornton, (D); C. B. Martin, (R); H. F. Day, (D), Bluefield; W. T. Hancock, (D), Bluefield.

**County Commissioners:** A. C. White, (D), Athens; C. I. Johnston, (D), Oakvale; R. G. Thomason, (D), Bluefield.

**Terms of County Court:** Second Monday in March, June, September and December.

**Public Assistance Council:** J. L. Alexander, (D), Bluefield; H. F.

Warden, (R), McComas; L. B. Parker, (D), Athens; S. N. Worley, (R), Bluefield; C. J. Johnston, (D), Oakvale, member County Court, *ex-officio*.

**Director of Public Assistance:** John W. Mastin.

**Road Maintenance Superintendent:** C. E. Hughes.

**County Agent:** F. L. Miles.

**Home Demonstration Agent:** Mabel Spray.

**President of Farm Bureau:** E. F. Bratton.

**President Farm Women's Bureau:** Mrs. W. T. Bratton, Bluefield.

**County Health Officer:** Dr. Samuel R. Holroyd, Athens.

**Superintendent County Infirmary:** T. C. Hedrick.

## JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES

(By Magisterial Districts)

### Beaver Pond District

**Justices of the Peace:**

W. W. McNeal, (D), Bluefield.  
H. B. Kitts, (D), Bluefield.

**Constables:**

J. Earl Bailey, (D), Bluefield.  
John H. Lloyd, (D), Bluefield.

### East River District

**Justices of the Peace:**

D. T. Carr, (D), Princeton.  
Carl J. Jones, (D), Princeton

**Constables:**

E. Dale Bailey, (D), Princeton.  
C. C. Christian, (D), Princeton.

### Jumping Branch District

**Justice of the Peace:**

J. W. Ferguson, (D), Dunns.

**Constable:**

(Vacancy)

### Plymouth District

**Justices of the Peace:**

Perry E. Martin, (R), Athens.  
N. L. White, (R), Athens.

**Constables:**

Elmer White, (R), Athens.  
E. Wiley, (D), Athens.

## Rock District

**Justices of the Peace:**

E. L. Davidson, (D), Matoaka.  
Russell J. Nelson, (D), Montcalm.

**Constables:**

J. B. Boyd, (D), McComas.  
J. P. McKinney, (D), McComas.

## ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Princeton, unless otherwise indicated)

Burton, Walter G., (R)  
Dangerfield, W. S., (R)  
Day, Henley F., (R)  
DeJarnette, H. E., (R)  
Downey, I. A., (D)  
Fletcher, Wm. C., (R)  
Gadd, J. H., (R)  
Johnston, Walter Broughton, (D)  
Martin, C. B., (R), (M&M)  
Martin, James Harold, (R), (M&M)  
(Bluefield)  
Martin and Martin  
Martin, C. B., (R)  
Martin, James Harold, (R)  
(Bluefield)  
McGrath, John M., (D)  
(Judge Criminal Court)  
Pendleton, John R., (D)  
Pendleton, Roscoe H., (D)  
(Prosecuting Attorney)  
Rogers, W. W., (R)  
Sanders, Hartley, (R)  
Shrewsbury, J. B., (D)  
(Postmaster)  
Smith, Ajax T., (R)  
Straley, H. W., (R)  
Thornton, Clark M., (D)  
Tomchin, Harold, (R)  
Woods, Hugh G., (R)

(Post office address Bluefield, unless otherwise indicated)

Armistead, Charles Spencer, (D)  
Ashworth, S. R., (D), (Montcalm)  
Bailey, Richard L., (D)  
Baker, Robert, (D)  
Barnes, John F., (D)  
Day, Franklin K., Jr., (R), (S&D)  
Easley, D. M., (D)  
(Judge Circuit Court)  
Early, Willard L., (R)  
Fox A. G., (R)  
French, Harriet L., (D)  
Gardner, James P. D., (R)  
Hancock, William T., (D), (R&K)  
Hudgins, Paul S., (D), (R&K)  
Katz, Jerome, (R)

Kahle, James S., (R)  
 Kee, John, (D)  
 (Member of Congress)  
 Kell, William L., (R)  
 Kemper, Albert S., Jr., (D), (R&K)  
 Kingdon, Arthur F., (R)  
 Kingdon, A. Ritz, (R), (K&K)  
 Kingdon, Frederick T., (R), (K&K)  
 (Mullens)  
 Kingdon and Kingdon  
 Kingdon, Frederick T., (R)  
 (Mullens)  
 Kingdon, A. Ritz, (R)  
 (Bluefield)  
 Kwass, Sidney J., (D)  
 Lewis, J. M. B., Jr., (R)  
 Litz, J. Edward, (R)  
 Lubliner, A. J., (D)  
 Maynard, J. Frank, Jr., (R)  
 McClaugherty, Bernard, Jr., (D)  
 McQuail, Mrs. Elinora Ritz, (R)  
 Parsons, R. L., (D), (Bramwell)  
 Peters, F. M., (D)  
 (Member West Virginia Liquor Control Commission)  
 Phillips, E. L., (R), (Matoaka)  
 Porterfield, Harold F., (R)  
 Redmond, James S., (D)  
 Richardson, George, Jr., (D), (R&K)  
 Richardson and Kemper  
 Richardson, George, Jr., (D)  
 Kemper, Albert S., Jr. (D)  
 Hancock, William T., (D)  
 Hudgins, Paul S., (D)  
 Ross, Walter Vergil, (D)  
 Sanders, Joseph M., (R), (S&D)  
 Sanders, Robert C., (R)  
 Sanders and Day  
 Sanders, Joseph M., (R)  
 Day, Franklin K., Jr., (R)  
 Smoot, Frank, (D)  
 Scott, Luther G., (R)  
 Scott, Thomas H., (R)  
 Smoot, Frank, (D), (S&D)  
 Stone, Edmund Crispin, Jr., (D)  
 Sutherland, L. B., (R)  
 Tanner, Howell M., (R)  
 Turk, Max, (R)  
 Wagner, F. Morton, (D)  
 (Assistant Prosecuting Attorney)  
 Wooldridge, J. B., Jr., (D)  
 Wooldridge, Paige, (D)

### DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

**Chairman:** Albert S. Kemper, Jr., Bluefield.  
**Vice Chairman:** Don McClaugherty, Princeton.

**Associate Chairman:** Mrs. Blanche Gooch, Bluefield.  
**Secretary:** Mrs. Muriel B. Kerfoot, Bluefield.  
**Treasurer:** George L. Hall, Princeton.

#### Members

**Beaver Pond District:** M. L. Carter, Nemours; Mrs. Virginia K. Bailey, Bluefield.  
**East River District:** Joe P. McNutt, Princeton; Mrs. L. C. Porter, Princeton.  
**Jumping Branch District:** (Vacancy); Mrs. Annie L. Rose, Camp Creek.  
**Plymouth District:** Dr. Uriah Vermillion, Athens; (Vacancy).  
**Rock District:** Harry G. Fulford, Montcalm; Zuma Haller, Matoaka.

#### City of Bluefield

**First Ward:** C. N. Wilson; Mrs. W. L. McMullin.  
**Second Ward:** S. O. White; Mrs. A. S. Booker.  
**Third Ward:** W. L. Mullin; Mrs. Mary D. Burgess.  
**Fourth Ward:** Joseph H. Hoge; Mrs. J. E. Hatcher.  
**Fifth Ward:** C. W. Godsey; Mrs. Annie D. Woolwine.  
**Sixth Ward:** W. J. Hayton; Mrs. Nora Lazenby.  
**Seventh Ward:** T. K. Thompson; Mrs. B. E. Davidson.  
**Eighth Ward:** J. A. Donahue; Mrs. Muriel B. Kerfoot.

### REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

**Chairman:** Jim H. Shott, Bluefield.  
**Associate Chairmen:** Mrs. Thomas H. Scott, Bluefield; Mrs. W. O. Moore, Bluefield.  
**Secretary:** E. Bernard Jarrett, Bluefield.  
**Treasurer:** W. W. Rogers, Princeton.

#### Members

**Beaver Pond District:** C. O. Stahlman, Bluefield; Mary G. Bowling, Princeton.  
**East River District:** G. K. White, Princeton; Mrs. Walter G. Burton, Princeton.  
**Jumping Branch District:** E. B. Meadows, Dunns; Eva Ellison, Camp Creek.

**Plymouth District:** A. B. White, Athens; Mae G. Reed, Athens.  
**Rock District:** Roy A. Cole, Montcalm; Catholhne Hawks, Matoaka.

### City of Bluefield

**First Ward:** R. C. Lilly; Mrs. R. B. Ferguson.  
**Second Ward:** E. E. Lilly; Mrs. Russell S. Ritz.  
**Third Ward:** Tas P. Howard; Mae Maynard.  
**Fourth Ward:** C. R. Hawley; Mrs. E. F. Porterfield.  
**Fifth Ward:** J. C. Akers; Mrs. W. H. Shupe.  
**Sixth Ward:** Q. A. Goff; Mrs. H. T. Totten.  
**Seventh Ward:** H. L. Morrison; Mrs. Charles Stewart.  
**Eighth Ward:** Clyde E. Elliott; Mrs. J. B. Belcher.

## MINERAL COUNTY

Created in 1866 from Hampshire County, and so named because of the mineral resources found there. Important frontier forts located in county during Indian Wars.

Monument erected on Mike's Run, near Keyser, at birthplace of Nancy Hanks, mother of Abraham Lincoln.

Fort Ashby, at Frankfort (unincorporated), built in 1755, is the only Indian fort in West Virginia and one of the few east of the Mississippi left standing.

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Coal, lumber; fruit, hay and grain, livestock, dairying, buckwheat, maple sugar.

County Seat: Keyser.

Magisterial Districts (6): Cabin Run, Elk, Frankfort, New Creek, Piedmont and Welton.

Voting Precincts: 28.

Area: 330 square miles.

Population (1930): 20,084.

Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1939), \$18,407,320.

### COUNTY OFFICIALS

(Post office address Keyser, unless otherwise indicated)

**Circuit Court (21st Judicial Circuit)**

**Judge:** Robt. McV. Drane, (D), Piedmont.

**Terms of Circuit Court:** Third Tuesday in January; third Tuesday in April; fourth Tuesday in July; third Tuesday in October.

**Clerk:** Paul W. Dayton, (R).

**Court Reporter:** C. H. Graham, (D), Parsons.

**Commissioners in Chancery:** R. A. Welch, (D); H. G. Shores, (D); Harry R. Taylor, (D); G. H. Reynolds, (R).

**Divorce Commissioner:** None.

**General Receiver:** P. J. Davis, (R).

### County Officers

**Assessor:** Harry O. Rogers, (R).

**Board of Education:** Geo. Boyd, (R), Piedmont; I. N. Lyons, (R), Blaine; Dr. Robert W. Bess, (R), Piedmont; Wilford Drake, (D); Charles Derner, (R).

**Circuit Clerk:** Paul W. Dayton, (R).

**County Clerk:** T. T. Huffman, (R).

**County Superintendent:** Paul C. Rouzer.

**Assistant:** J. C. Saunders.

**Prosecuting Attorney:** Vernon E. Rankin, (R).

**Sheriff:** Harley O. Staggers, (D).

**County Surveyor:** Wallace C. Brown, (R).

**Commissioners of Accounts:** G. H. Reynolds, (R); William MacDonalld, (D); R. A. Welch, (D); J. Clark Bright, (R).

**County Commissioners:** T. M. Cannon, (R); J. Frank Junkins, (R), Shaw; Sam S. Smith, (D).

**Terms of County Court:** First Tuesday in each month.

**Public Assistance Council:** Wm. B. Wolf, (D); J. H. Simmons, (D), Ridgeley; Fred Hamill, (R); Dr. E. V. Romig, (R); Sam S. Smith, (D), member County Court, *ex-officio*.

**Director of Public Assistance:** Richard H. White.

**Road Maintenance Superintendent:** Charles F. Rice.

**County Agent:** J. E. Prettyman.

**Club Agent:** Florence Howard.

**President Farm Bureau:** W. A. Leatherman, New Creek.

**President Farm Women's Bureau:** Mrs. R. E. Carskadon, Burlington.

**County Health Officers:** Dr. James H. Wolverton, Piedmont; Dr. W. H. Rheldaffer, Romney.

**County Health Nurse:** Blanche Evans.

**Matron Children's Home:** Ruth Hutter, Burlington.  
**Superintendent County Infirmary:** Fred H. Alt.

**JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES**

(By Magisterial Districts)

**Cabin Run District**

**Justice of the Peace:**  
(Vacancy)

**Constable:**  
(Vacancy)

**Elk District**

**Justice of the Peace:**  
H. R. Dixon, (R), Elk Garden.

**Constables:**  
Thomas Bray, (R), Elk Garden.  
(Vacancy)

**Frankfort District**

**Justices of the Peace:**  
G. E. Hiser, (R), Ridgeley.  
C. A. Jewell, (D), Ridgeley.

**Constables:**  
R. C. Baker, (D), Ridgeley.  
C. V. Barncord, (R), Ridgeley.

**New Creek District**

**Justices of the Peace:**  
C. C. Compton, (R), Keyser.  
J. E. Aronhalt, (R), Keyser.

**Constables:**  
L. O. Kesner, (R), Keyser.  
R. W. Adams, (R), Keyser.

**Piedmont District**

**Justices of the Peace:**  
J. C. Samuels, (D), Piedmont.  
Paul S. Thomas, (D), Piedmont.

**Constables:**  
Wm. A. Brayant, (D), Piedmont.  
(Vacancy)

**Welton District**

**Justice of the Peace:**  
(Vacancy)

**Constable:**  
Morris Dantzie, (R), Burlington.

**ATTORNEYS**

(Post office address Keyser, unless otherwise indicated)

Arnold, Arthur, (R)  
(Piedmont)  
Athey, Herndon R., (R)  
Bright, J. Clark, (R)  
Drane, Harry, (D), (Piedmont)  
Drane, Robert McV., (D)  
(Judge Circuit Court)  
(Piedmont)  
Gower, Elmo B., (R)  
(Ridgley)  
Hodgson, Joseph E., (D)  
MacDonald, Wm., (D)  
Nefflen, W. Elliott, (R)  
(Charleston)  
Nethken, C. E., (D)  
(Member of Public Service Commission)  
Rankin, Kathryn, (R)  
Rankin, Vernon E., (R)  
(Prosecuting Attorney)  
Reynolds, Lester, (R)  
Rogers, N. Howard, (R)  
See, Ernest A., (R)  
Shores, H. G., (D)  
Taylor, Harry R., (D)  
Thomas, Paul Stewart, (D)  
(Piedmont)  
Tyler, Emory, (R)  
Welch, R. A., (D)

**DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

**Officers**

**Chairman:** C. A. Millar, Keyser.  
**Vice Chairman:** John W. Barger, Keyser.  
**Secretary:** Mrs Jessie Matlick, Keyser.

**Members**

**Cabin Run District:** Guy Adams, Keyser; Mrs. Jessie Matlick, Keyser.  
**Elk District:** Bernie Fuller, Elk Garden; Mrs Prestley Harris, Elk Garden.  
**Frankfort District:** C. A. Waggoner, Fort Ashby; Mrs. Lulu Bean, Ridgley.  
**New Creek District:** Francis P. Naughton, Keyser; Mrs L. E. Mastellar, Keyser.  
**Piedmont District:** George R. Davis, Piedmont; Mrs. Toia Samuels, Piedmont.  
**Welton District:** G. B. Shank, Burlington; Alma Pancake, Burlington.

## REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

Chairman: H. E. Oss, Keyser.  
 Vice Chairman: (Vacancy)  
 Secretary and Treasurer: John I. Rogers, Keyser.

### Members

Cabin Run District: E. B. Staggs, Burlington; Mrs. Bertha Urice, Keyser.  
 Elk District: G. D. Dick, Elk Garden; Mary Mason, Elk Garden.  
 Frankfort District: Charles Deremer, Fort Ashby; Mrs. Charles Carvey, Fort Ashby.  
 New Creek District: J. H. Roderick, Keyser; Della Hardy, Keyser.  
 Piedmont District: J. H. Wolverton, Piedmont; Mrs. Mary Rizer, Piedmont.  
 Welton District: J. H. Leatherman, Antioch; (Vacancy).

## MINGO COUNTY

Youngest county in the state. Formed from Logan County in 1895, and named for the Indian tribe of which Logan was chief.

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Coal, lumber; livestock, corn, potatoes.

County Seat: Williamson.

Magisterial Districts (?): Hardee, Harvey, Kermit, Lee, Magnolia, Stafford, and Williamson.

Voting Precincts: 34.

Area: 423.50 square miles.

Population (1930): 38,319.

Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1930), \$34,849,280.

### COUNTY OFFICIALS

(Post office address Williamson, unless otherwise indicated)

#### Circuit Court (24th Judicial Circuit)

Judge: Charles W. Ferguson, (D), Wayne.

Terms of Circuit Court: First Monday in January, May and October.

Clerk: W. A. Curry, (D).

Court Reporter: Bert Shumate, (D).

Commissioners in Chancery: Chlide Nelms, (D); Wade H. Bronson, Sr., (D); Mark Russell, Jr., (D); S. Clay Whitt, (R).

Divorce Commissioner: John H. Greene, (D).

General Receiver: M. Z. White, (R).

### County Officers

Assessor: Fred E. Blair, (D).

Board of Education: Roy Fox, (D), Gilbert; William C. Adair, (D), Delbarton; Chlide Nelms, (D); S. A. Ferrell, (D); Thurman Chambers, (D), Matewan.

Circuit Clerk: W. A. Curry, (D),

County Clerk: Elmer Ferrell, (D).

County Superintendent: C. O. Batson.

Assistants: W. T. Floyd, Jr.;

Glenn Taylor.

Prosecuting Attorney: Lafe B. Chaffin, (D).

Assistant: O. C. VanCamp, (D).

Sheriff: W. E. Burchett, (D).

County Surveyor: W. E. Good, (R).

Coroner: Gobel K. Ball.

Commissioners of Accounts: J. E.

Wilkinson, (R); Scott Whitt, (D);

W. H. Bronson, (D); Chlide Nelms,

(D).

County Commissioners: T. B. Varney,

(D), Matewan; W. A. Myers, (D),

Chattaroy; H. G. Clark, (D).

Terms of County Court: First Tuesday in January, April, July and October.

Public Assistance Council: M. W.

Gilliam, (D); H. M. Persinger, (D);

George W. Bishop, (R); Tom Han-

kins, (R); T. B. Varney, (D), Mate-

wan, member County Court, *ex-*

*officio*.

Director of Public Assistance: Mrs. Mae S. Straton.

Road Maintenance Superintendent:

John W. Yost.

County Health Officer: Dr. E. P.

Stepp.

County Health Nurse: Mrs. Georgia

H. Lyles.

### JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES

(By Magisterial Districts)

#### Hardee District

Justices of the Peace:

Sol Baisden, (D), Naugatuck.

Pat Sheppard, (D), Belo.

Constables:

Walter Mounts, (D), Belo.

Lewis White, (D), Lenore.

**Harvey District**

**Justices of the Peace:**

Julius Adams, (D), Dingess.  
W. L. Dent, (D), Breeden.

**Constables:**

Lewis Balsden, (D), Breeden.  
Gid Smith, (D), Breeden.

**Kermit District**

**Justices of the Peace:**

I. Lee Baach, (D), Kermit.  
Melvin Hall, (D), Kermit.

**Constables:**

L. D. Meade, (D), Kermit.  
Leroy Brewer, (D), Kermit.

**Lee District**

**Justices of the Peace:**

M. C. Kirkendal, (D), Delbarton.  
Alex Ritchie, (D), Chattaroy.

**Constables:**

Andy Marcum, (D), Nolan.  
Hobart Browning, (D), Delbarton.

**Magnolia District**

**Justices of the Peace:**

W. E. Kiser, (D), North Matewan.  
J. L. Justice, (D), Matewan.

**Constables:**

Willard Smith, (D), Matewan.  
Adrian Kennedy, (D), O'Keefe.

**Stafford District**

**Justices of the Peace:**

Burgoyne Cline, (D), Gilbert.  
Homer Bragg, (D), Gilbert.

**Constables:**

Jessie Cline, (D), Baisden.  
Allen Cline, (D), Baisden.

**Williamson District**

**Justices of the Peace:**

R. E. Clifton, (D), Williamson.  
David G. Phillips, (D), Williamson.

**Constables:**

George Ward, (D), Williamson.  
Clarence Tingler, (D), Williamson.

**ATTORNEYS**

**Bias and Bias**

Bias, Randolph, (R)  
Bias, E. Gaujot, (R)  
Bronson, Wade H., (D), (B&G)

**Bronson and Greene**

Bronson, Wade H., (D)  
Greene, John H., (D)  
Chafin, Lafe B., (D)  
(Prosecuting Attorney)  
Copley, J. W., (R)  
Friedberg, S. N., (R)  
Goodykoontz, Wells, (R), (G&S)  
Goodykoontz and Slaven  
Goodykoontz, Wells, (R)  
Slaven, Lant R., (D)  
Greene, J. H., (D), (B&G)  
Hansbarger, E. A., (D)  
Hatfield, Greenway, Jr., (R)  
Hill, Harry Weller, (D)  
Hogg, William B., (R)  
Jordan, James M., (R)  
Kopp, Fred, (R)  
Lawson, J. Brooks, (R)  
Nelms, Chlide, (D)  
Preece, W. H. D., (R), (P&V)  
Preece and Van Camp  
Preece, W. H. D., (R)  
Van Camp, O. C., (D)  
(Assistant Prosecuting Attorney)  
Russell, Mark, Jr., (D), (H&R)  
Slater, Ersel L., (D)  
Slaven, Lant R., (D), (G&S)  
Trent, McKinley, (R)  
Van Camp, O. C., (D), (P&V)  
Whitt, W. E., (R)  
Wilkinson, J. E., (R)

**DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

**Officers**

**Chairman:** Elmer Ferrell, William-  
son.  
**Secretary:** Chlide Nelms, Williamson.  
**Treasurer:** Roy Fox, Gilbert.

**Members**

**Hardee District:** Ed Ferrell, Wil-  
liamson; Ida Newsome, Williamson.  
**Harvey District:** Paul Dingess, Din-  
gess; Grace Damron, Dingess.  
**Kermit District:** (Vacancy); Callie  
Preece, Kermit.  
**Lee District:** James H. Varney; Lake  
Evans, Delbarton.  
**Magnolia District:** (Vacancy); Verda  
Varney, Matewan.  
**Stafford District:** C. H. Peake, Gil-  
bert; June Depue, War Eagle.  
**Williamson District:** Chlide Nelms,  
Williamson; Mary Williamson, Wil-  
liamson.

## REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

**Chairman:** G. W. Hatfield, Williamson.  
**Vice Chairman:** W. E. Hatfield, Williamson.  
**Secretary:** O. H. Booton, Williamson.  
**Treasurer:** James R. Davis.

### Members

**Hardee District:** Joe Maynard, Goody, (Kentucky); Ellza Deskins, Naugatuck.  
**Harvey District:** Wm. C. Marcum, Dingess; Mrs. Dixie Clay, Breeden.  
**Kermit District:** M. C. Blackburn, Kermit; Mrs. Norma K. Hale, Kermit.  
**Lee District:** N. A. Stepp, Chattaroy; Mrs. Martha Farley, Delbarton.  
**Magnolia District:** W. M. Copley, Matewan; Mrs. Chloe Belle Winn, Vulcan.  
**Stafford District:** Craig Hatfield, Wharnclyffe; Mrs. Murlie B. Perry, Justice.  
**Williamson District:** Guy White, Williamson; Mrs. Eleanor K. Hurt, Williamson.

## MONONGALIA COUNTY

Formed in 1776 from the \*District of West Augusta (Virginia), and named for the Monongahela River.

**Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products:** Coal, glass and glassware, petroleum, lumber; livestock, hay and grain, dairying, fruit, vegetables, poultry.

**County Seat:** Morgantown.

**Magisterial Districts (7):** Battelle, Cass, Clay, Clinton, Grant, Morgan and Union.

**Voting Precincts:** 57.

**Area:** 368.82 square miles.

**Population (1930):** 50,083.

**Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1930),** \$55,881,870.

\*For description of the territory embraced in the District of West Augusta see Ohio County register.

## COUNTY OFFICIALS

(Post office address Morgantown, unless otherwise indicated)

### Circuit Court (17th Judicial Circuit)

**Judge:** Minter L. Wilson, (D).  
**Terms of Circuit Court:** First Thursday after first Monday in January, April, July, and October.  
**Clerk:** Mrs. Evelyn H. Yorke, (D).  
**Court Reporter:** Brooks B. Bosworth, (D).  
**Commissioners in Chancery:** Frank P. Weaver, (D); Kermit R. Mason, (R); James R. Moreland, (D); Don J. Eddy, (D); John N. Simpson, Jr., (D).  
**Divorce Commissioner:** Jesse M. Jaco, (D).  
**General Receiver:** Ruth C. Wood, (D).

### County Officers

**Assessor:** C. W. Perlne, (D).  
**Board of Education:** D. O. Morris, (R); Mrs. Rebecca C. Conoway, (R); Charles V. Hare, (D); R. S. Tibbs, (D); L. S. Hildreth, (D), Mona.  
**Circuit Court:** Mrs. Evelyn H. Yorke, (D).  
**County Clerk:** A. R. Martin, (D).  
**County Superintendent:** Robert B. Clark.  
**Assistants:** Floyd B. Cox; F. Morrison.  
**Prosecuting Attorney:** John V. Sanders, (D).  
**Assistant:** Robert E. Guy, (D).  
**Sheriff:** Thomas A. O'Hara, (D).  
**County Surveyor:** Boyce W. Reynolds, (D).  
**Coroner:** Dr. Edwin Cameron.  
**Commissioners of Accounts:** Harold Slaven, (D); William French Hunt, (D); Ernest H. Gilbert, Jr., (D); Don J. Eddy, (D).  
**County Commissioners:** F. M. McQuay, (D); J. F. Loving, (D); George W. Jamison, (D).  
**Terms of County Court:** First Monday in January, April, July and October.  
**Public Assistance Council:** L. J. Wilson, (D); Everette Copeland, (R); E. G. Donley, (D); Mrs. H. O. Henderson, (R); Frank M. McQuay, (D), Blacksville, member County Court, *ex-officio*.

**Director of Public Assistance:** Mrs. Anna J. Camisa.  
**Road Maintenance Superintendent:** B. M. Chaplin.  
**County Sanitary Inspector:** H. D. Martin.  
**County Agent:** H. P. Muffly.  
**Home Demonstration Agent:** Katherine Stump.  
**President Farm Bureau:** Wayne F. Parker, Maidsville.  
**President Farm Women's Bureau:** Mrs. J. Wayne Reiner.  
**County Health Officer:** Dr. Edwin Cameron.  
**County Health Nurses:** Alice I. Duff; Marie Isselstein.  
**Superintendent County Infirmary:** P. J. Mehlinger.

**Constables:**  
 Ben Massie, (D), Everettville.  
 Hugh Newbrough, (R).

**Morgan District**

**Justices of the Peace:**  
 D. F. Dusenberry, (D), Morgantown.  
 John P. Shale, (R), Morgantown.

**Constables:**  
 M. B. Coleman, (D), Morgantown.  
 Carl Schiffbauer, (R), Morgantown.

**Union District**

**Justice of the Peace:**  
 (Vacancy)

**Constable:**  
 Lee Jenkins, (R), Morgantown.

**JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES**

(By Magisterial Districts)

**Battelle District**

**Justice of the Peace:**  
 George DeGarmo, (R), Wadestown.  
**Constable:**  
 O. G. Toothman, (D), Wadestown.

**Cass District**

**Justices of the Peace:**  
 C. D. Bean, (D), Morgantown.  
 Stanley Ponek, (D), Osage.  
**Constables:**  
 James Feathers, (D) Pursglove.  
 Frank L. Stutler, (D), Cassville.

**Clay District**

**Justices of the Peace:**  
 C. T. Emery, (R), Core.  
 Fleming E. Tennant, (R), Fairview.  
**Constables:**  
 Clinton C. Moore, (R, Cassville).  
 Walter Core, (R), Core.

**Clinton District**

**Justice of the Peace:**  
 (Vacancy)  
**Constable:**  
 (Vacancy)

**Grant District**

**Justices of the Peace:**  
 J. B. Rifle, (D), Morgantown.  
 (Vacancy)

**ATTORNEYS**

(Post office address Morgantown, unless otherwise indicated)

Armistead, Charles S., (D)  
 Atwood, Frances Haney, (D)  
 (Charleston)  
 Baker, Chas. G., (R)  
 Baker, George C., (R)  
 Barbe, Leslie A., (D)  
 Brand, F. M., (R)  
 Bufano, M. G., (R)  
 Burchinal, Robert L., (R)  
 Campbell, J. E., (D)  
 Cummuntzis, Peter George, (D)  
 Corbin, Frank P., (D)  
 Cox, Frank, (R), (C&C)  
 Cox, Stanley R., (R), (C&C)  
 Cox and Cox  
 Cox, Frank, (R)  
 Cox, Stanley R., (R)  
 Davis, R. E., (R)  
 Dille, Thomas Ray, (R)  
 Donley, E. G., (D), (D&H)  
 Donley, Robert T., (R)  
 Donley and Hatfield  
 Donley, E. G., (D)  
 Hatfield, J. L., (D)  
 Downes, John D., (R)  
 Eddy, Don J., (D)  
 Farmer, George R., (R)  
 Gilbert, Ernest H., Sr., (D)  
 Gilbert, Ernest H., Jr., (D)  
 (Charleston)  
 Glasscock, S. F., (R)  
 Glasscock, Wm. E., Jr., (R), (G&S)  
 Glasscock and Stewart  
 Glasscock, Wm. E., Jr., (R)  
 Stewart, T. Nelson, (R)  
 Goodwin, Charles A., (R)

Guy, Robert E., (D), (M&G)  
 Hamstead, E. E., (R), (S&H)  
 Hatfield, J. L., (D), (D&H)  
 Herd, Charles T., (R)  
 Hott, George David, (R)  
 Hughes, William T., Jr., (R)  
 Hunt, W. F., (D)  
 Hunter, Glenn, (R), (H&P)  
 Hunter and Price  
   Hunter, Glenn, (R)  
   Price, Chauncey M., (R)  
 Jaco, Jesse M., (D)  
 John, W. S., (R)  
 Kiger, Marvin, (R)  
 Largent, H. W., (R)  
 Lazelle, Donald G., (R)  
 Lemley, W. Corbley, (R)  
 Long, E. H., (R)  
 Mason, Kermit, R., (R)  
 Moreland, James R., (D), (M&G)  
 Moreland and Guy  
   Moreland, James R., (D)  
   Guy, Robert E., (D)  
 Posten, Hale J., (R), (P&P)  
 Posten, Roscoe P., (R), (P&P)  
 Posten and Posten  
   Posten, Roscoe P., (R)  
   Posten, Hale J., (R)  
 Price, Chauncey M., (R), (H&P)  
 Reay, David C., (D)  
 Reeder, Benj. G., (R)  
 Roby, Clarence, (R)  
 Rose, C. C., (R)  
 Sanders, John Vernon, (D)  
   (Prosecuting Attorney)  
 Shriver, John, (R)  
 Shuman, Albert, (R)  
 Simpson, John N., (D)  
 Slaven, Harold D., (D)  
 Stewart, T. D., (D), (S&H)  
 Stewart, T. Nelson, (R), (G&S)  
 Stewart and Hamstead  
   Stewart, T. D., (D)  
   Hamstead, E. E., (R)  
 Stone, Ward, (R)  
 Summers, Paul O., (R)  
 Taylor, R. Shirley, (R)  
 Walker, Arthur E., (D)  
 Weaver, Frank P., (D)  
 Wellen, Clyde W., (R)  
 White, DeWitt, (R)  
 White, Ralph M., (R)  
 Willson, Minter L., (D)  
   (Judge Circuit Court)  
 Yorke, Evelyn Hughes, (D)  
   (Clerk Circuit Court)  
 Zevely, John G., (R)

## DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

**Chairman:** Junius M. Strouss, Morgantown.  
**Vice Chairman:** E. H. Gilbert, Jr., Morgantown.  
**Associate Chairman:** Mrs. Elizabeth Cramer, Morgantown.  
**Secretary:** Mrs. O. J. White, Morgantown.  
**Treasurer:** Dr. E. F. Heiskell, Morgantown.

### Members

**Battelle District:** Harry L. Tennant, Wadestown; Ruth Tennant, Wadestown.  
**Cass District:** J. W. Tepebaugh, Cassville; Mrs. Zeta E. John, Maidsville.  
**Clay District:** (Vacancy); Mrs. Margie I. Sayre, Core.  
**Clinton District:** John P. Foster, Uffington; Naomi Corruthers, Little Falls.  
**Grant District:** J. L. Jamison, Morgantown; Mrs. Edna Coda, Morgantown.  
**Morgan District:** E. H. Gilbert, Jr., Morgantown; Mrs. Harry Huggins, Morgantown.  
**Union District:** (Vacancy); Mrs. Helen St. Clair, Morgantown.

### City of Morgantown

**First Ward:** Dr. George W. Phillips; Mrs. J. L. Grayson.  
**Second Ward:** Dr. E. F. Heiskell; Mrs. Catherine L. Lemley.  
**Third Ward:** W. B. Richards; (Vacancy).  
**Fourth Ward:** F. L. Mackey; Mrs. Leorna B. Grayson.  
**Fifth Ward:** William Simpson; Mrs. R. S. Tibbs.

## REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

**Chairman:** Henry C. Davis, Morgantown.  
**Vice Chairman:** William A. Shuman, Blacksville; Mrs. Mary L. Loar, Morgantown.  
**Secretary:** Mary E. Bowlby, Morgantown.  
**Treasurer:** L. E. Smith, Morgantown.

**Members**

**Battelle District:** Alex White, Wadestown; Mrs. Sarah Wiley, Wana.  
**Cass District:** John L. McGovern, Osage; Mrs. Mabel Davis Molnar, Purslove.  
**Clay District:** William A. Shuman, Blacksville; Mrs. Ella Wilson, Fairview.  
**Clinton District:** Lawrence V. Blaney, Little Falls; Mrs. Thomas S. Faulkner, Opekiska.  
**Grant District:** Rex Williams, Morgantown; Mrs. Hazel Feck, Morgantown.  
**Morgan District:** Henry C. Davis, Morgantown; Mary E. Bowlby, Morgantown.  
**Union District:** James Cartwright, Morgantown; Alice Jennewine, Lake Lynn, Penna.

**City of Morgantown**

**First Ward:** C. C. Cashman; Mrs. Mary L. Loar.  
**Second Ward:** Donald G. Lazzelle; Mary Forbes.  
**Third Ward:** Henry (Red) Bennett; Mrs. Ellen Kennedy.  
**Fourth Ward:** L. E. Smith; Mrs. Ira Koontz.  
**Fifth Ward:** Floyd De Vaughn; Mrs. Cyrus Johnson.

**MONROE COUNTY**

Created from Greenbrier County in 1799, and named for James Monroe, fifth President of the United States.

Rehobeth Church, near Union, erected in 1786, is the oldest Methodist Church west of the Alleghenies.

Home county of Andrew S. Rowan, of Spanish-American War fame, immortalized in Elbert Hubbard's classic, "A Message to Garcia."

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Lumber; hay and grain, livestock, poultry, dairying.

County Seat: Union.

**Magisterial Districts (6):** Red Sulphur, Second Creek, Springfield, Sweet Springs, Union, and Wolf Creek.

**Voting Precincts:** 19.

**Area:** 473.80 square miles.

**Population (1930):** 11,949.

**Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1939),** \$8,864,100.

**COUNTY OFFICIALS**

(Post office address Union, unless otherwise indicated)

**Circuit Court (11th Judicial Circuit)**

**Judge:** Mark L. Jarrett, (D), (Lewisburg).

**Terms of Circuit Court:** First Tuesday in April, and second Tuesday in July and November.

**Clerk:** W. R. Fullen, (D).

**Court Reporter:** B. H. Twyford, (D), Lewisburg.

**Commissioners in Chancery:** Mrs. Kate Tomlinson, (D); Alexander Falconer, (R).

**Divorce Commissioner:** (Vacancy).

**General Receiver:** J. R. McCoy, (D).

**County Officers**

**Assessor:** Clark Peters, (D).

**Board of Education:** C. H. Doss, (D), Sinks Grove; Ray Garrett, (D), Wolf Creek; Dr. T. G. Matney, (D), Lindside; W. O. Raines, (D), Gap Mills; E. I. Terry, (R), Peterstown.

**Circuit Clerk:** W. R. Fullen, (D).

**County Clerk:** Arnold H. Broyles, (R).

**County Superintendent:** Guy H. Briggs.

**Prosecuting Attorney:** Forrest Roles, (R).

**Sheriff:** Charles McNeer, (D).

**County Surveyor:** M. Z. Whorley, (D), Rock Camp.

**Commissioners of Accounts:** A. W. Boon, (D); O. A. Brown, (R).

**County Commissioners:** W. J. Cook, (D), Gap Mills; J. R. Johnson, (D), Greenville; J. W. Canterbury, (D), Wayside.

**Terms of County Court:** First Monday in each month.

**Public Assistance Council:** Asa A. Hedrick, (R), Sinks Grove; Mrs. R. R. Gray, (D); Clarence Skaggs, (D), Wolf Creek; A. D. Ellison, (R), Greenville; J. R. Johnson, (D), Greenville, member County Court, *ex-officio*.

**Director of Public Assistance:** R. R. Dodd.

**Road Maintenance Superintendent:** Marlon Gilchrist.

**County Agent:** C. R. Ripley.

**Home Demonstration Agent:** Carrie V. Callison.

**President Farm Bureau:** R. W. Johnson.  
**County Health Officer:** Dr. Herbert Duncan, (Lewisburg).  
**County Health Nurse:** Nellie M. Renick.  
**Superintendent County Infirmary:** Mrs. A. J. Leach.

## JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES

(By Magisterial Districts)

### Red Sulphur District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
 D. H. Cassell, (D), Lindside.  
 (Vacancy)  
**Constables:**  
 (Vacancy)  
 (Vacancy)

### Second Creek District

**Justice of the Peace:**  
 (Vacancy)  
**Constable:**  
 (Vacancy)

### Springfield District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
 W. W. Sims, (R), Rock Camp.  
 J. M. Canterbury, (R), Greenville.  
**Constables:**  
 J. W. Parker, (R), Sarton.  
 W. M. Mahan, (R), Rock Camp.

### Sweet Springs District

**Justice of the Peace:**  
 (Vacancy)  
**Constable:**  
 (Vacancy)

### Union District

**Justice of the Peace:**  
 Mrs. Kate Tomlinson, (D), Union.  
**Constable:**  
 (Vacancy)

### Wolf Creek District

**Justice of the Peace:**  
 A. P. Pence, (D), Sarton.  
 R. C. Lemons, (D), Wolf Creek.  
**Constable:**  
 P. R. Raines, (D), Wayside.

## ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Union, unless otherwise indicated)

Ballard, E. E., (R)  
 (Peterstown)  
 Ballard, S. H., (R)  
 (Peterstown)  
 Falconer, Alexander, (R)  
 LaFon, W. M., (D)  
 Roles, Forrest, (R)  
 (Prosecuting Attorney)

## DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

**Chairman:** Roy C. Hill, Lindside.  
**Vice Chairman:** Clarence Clark, Union.  
**Associate Chairman:** Mrs. Annie Miller, Peterstown.  
**Secretary:** Mrs. E. V. Core, Alderson.  
**Treasurer:** Gladys Patton, Gap Mills.

### Members

**Red Sulphur District:** Lyman Ballard, Bozoo; Mrs. Frank Canterbury, Red Sulphur Springs; Mrs. Annie Miller, Peterstown.  
**Second Creek District:** W. P. McNeill, Sinks Grove; Harry Vance, Caldwell; Mrs. Madeline Gilchrist, Sinks Grove; Mrs. Lura Hoke, Second Creek.  
**Springfield District:** E. P. Pence, Sarton; Mrs. Lockie Raines, Rock Camp; Sally Johnson, Greenville; D. H. Rinier, Wickel.  
**Sweet Springs District:** E. B. LaFon, Waitville; H. O. McClung, Zenith; Gladys Patton, Gap Mills; Dr. B. L. Traynham, Sweet Springs.  
**Union District:** Clarence Clark, Union; Oliver McNeill, Pickaway; Mrs. Sue Young, Union; Mrs. E. V. Core, Alderson.  
**Wolf Creek District:** R. E. Rinier, Creamery; Mrs. Pauline Skaggs, Sinks Grove; Mrs. Mattie Bondurant, Alderson; C. H. Bivens, Alderson.

## REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

**Chairman:** Carl G. Eades, Alderson.  
**Vice Chairman:** Mrs. Ross Henderson, Alderson.  
**Secretary:** Gladys Looney, Roxalla.  
**Treasurer:** George Baro, Alderson.

**Members**

**Red Sulphur District:** J. H. Dickson, Cashmere; Mrs. Kenna Coulter, Lindside.

**Second Creek District:** W. M. Scott, Sinks Grove; Mrs. Ruth McDowell, Second Creek.

**Springfield District:** J. D. Porterfield, Greenville; Mrs. Mary Hedrick, Greenville.

**Sweet Springs District:** Burke Porterfield, Waitville; Gladys Looney, Roxalla.

**Union District:** E. Don Ballard, Union; B. W. Raines, Salt Sulphur Springs.

**Wolf Creek District:** Homer Walkup, Wolf Creek; L. H. Ballard, Jr., Alderson.

**MORGAN COUNTY**

Formed in 1820 from parts of Hampshire and Berkeley Counties and named in honor of General Daniel Morgan, prominent soldier of the Revolution. Cacapon State Park is located in this county.

**Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products:** Canneries, tannery (sole leather), men's hosiery, glass sand; tomatoes, fruit, rye.

**County Seat:** Berkeley Springs.

**Magisterial Districts (6):** Allen, Bath, Cacapon, Rock Gap, Sleepy Creek and Timber Ridge.

**Voting Precincts:** 20.

**Area:** 231.26 square miles.

**Population (1930):** 8,403.

**Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1939),** \$11,965,420.

**COUNTY OFFICIALS**

(Post office address Berkeley Springs, unless otherwise indicated)

**Circuit Court (23rd Judicial Circuit)**

**Judge:** Decatur H. Rodgers, (R), Martinsburg.

**Terms of Circuit Court:** First Tuesday in January, April and September.

**Clork:** George H. Allemong, (R).

**Court Reporter:** Mrs. Catherine Watson, (D), Martinsburg.

**Commissioners in Chancery:** Mrs. Pearl O. Allen, (R); J. Hammond Siler, (R); May Harmison, (R).

**Divorce Commissioner:** None.

**General Receiver:** V. E. Johnson, (R).

**County Officers**

**Assessor:** Cecil R. Ambrose, (R).

**Board of Education:** W. D. Ambrose, (R), Paw Paw; Geo. A. Goller, (R), Cherry Run; Joseph J. Hawvermale, (R); Roy P. Widmyer, (R); Rumsey Hovermale, (R), Ridge.

**Circuit Clerk:** George H. Allemong, (R).

**County Clerk:** R. E. Allen, (R).

**County Superintendent:** Price E. Clark.

**Prosecuting Attorney:** H. D. Allen, (R).

**Sheriff:** Ed. C. Ambrose, (R).

**Coroner:** N. H. Hobday.

**Commissioners of Accounts:** R. E. Allen, (R); J. M. Dawson, (R); George H. Allemong, (R).

**County Commissioners:** C. G. Mechem, (R), Great Cacapon; Ward M. Dawson, (R); Guy F. Spriggs, (R).

**Terms of County Court:** Fourth Monday in January and March, last Monday in June and third Monday in October.

**Public Assistance Council:** W. Jack Hunter, (D); Clarence N. Bohrer, (D), Stotlers Cross Roads; Harry C. Lawyer, (D); C. B. Michael, (R); Ward M. Dowson, (R), member County Court, *ex-officio*.

**Director of Public Assistance:** C. L. McDonald.

**Road Maintenance Superintendent:** J. R. Unger.

**County Agent:** H. C. C. Willey.

**Home Demonstration Agent:** Edna Cole.

**President Farm Bureau:** P. M. Hawkins.

**President Farm Women's Bureau:** Mrs. W. B. Simmons.

**County Health Officers:** Dr. J. S. Coughlan; Dr. W. H. Riheldaffer, (Romney).

**County Health Nurse:** Laura S. Justice,

**Superintendent County Infirmary:** J. H. Myers.

**JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND  
CONSTABLES**

(By Magisterial Districts)

**Allen District****Justice of the Peace:**  
(Vacancy)**Constable:**  
(Vacancy)**Bath District****Justices of the Peace:**H. W. Elchelberger, (R), Berkeley  
Springs.

C. C. Dyche, (R), Berkeley Springs.

**Constables:**B. S. Studenwalt, (R), Berkeley  
Springs.

(Vacancy)

**Cacapon District****Justice of the Peace:**E. E. Allemong, (R), Great Caca-  
pon.**Constables:**

(Vacancy)

(Vacancy)

**Rock Gap District****Justice of the Peace:**  
(Vacancy)**Constable:**  
(Vacancy)**Sleepy Creek District****Justice of the Peace:**

A. J. Kesecker, (R), Cherry Run.

**Constable:**

(Vacancy)

**Timber Ridge District****Justice of the Peace:**  
(Vacancy)**Constable:**  
(Vacancy)**ATTORNEYS**

(Post office address Berkeley Springs)

Allen, H. D., (R)

(Prosecuting Attorney)

Siler, J. Hammond, (R)

Trump, Chas. S., (R)

**DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXEC-  
UTIVE COMMITTEE****Officers****Chairman:** J. A. Proctor, Berkeley  
Springs.**Secretary:** (Vacancy).**Treasurer:** Mrs. Marie Miller, Berke-  
ley Springs.**Members****Allen District:** George Leighty,  
Berkeley Springs; Mrs. Turesa  
Grove, Berkeley Springs.**Bath District:** J. A. Proctor, Berke-  
ley Springs; Mrs. Marie Miller, Berke-  
ley Springs.**Cacapon District:** Henry Norton, Paw  
Paw; Mrs. Sadie Ambrose, Lar-  
gent.**Rock Gap District:** Ashton Mechem,  
Berkeley Springs; Mrs. Willie Fear-  
now, Stotlers Cross Roads.**Sleepy Creek District:** Hiner Spiel-  
man, Cherry Run; Mrs. Silas Ran-  
kin, Sleepy Creek.**Timber Ridge District:** (Vacancy);  
Mrs. Doil Helsley, Ridge.**REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXEC-  
UTIVE COMMITTEE****Officers****Chairman:** M. R. Davison, Berkeley  
Springs.**Vice Chairman:** Pauline Rockwell,  
Berkeley Springs.**Secretary:** Kathryn Stuckey, Ridge.**Treasurer:** Theodore Hovermale,  
Berkeley Springs.**Members****Allen District:** S. E. Michael, Berke-  
ley Springs; Mrs. Hattie Cain,  
Berkeley Springs.**Bath District:** M. R. Davison, Berke-  
ley Springs; Mrs. Pauline Rockwell,  
Berkeley Springs.**Cacapon District:** J. D. Kifer, Paw  
Paw; Mrs. Anna Kidwell, Great  
Cacapon.**Rock Gap District:** Charles Rankins,  
Berkeley Springs; (Vacancy).**Sleepy Creek:** J. W. J. Kesecker,  
Sleepy Creek; (Vacancy).**Timber Ridge District:** Theodore  
Hovermale, Berkeley Springs; Mrs.  
Kathryn Stuckey, Ridge.

**McDOWELL COUNTY**

Created in 1858 from Tazewell County (Virginia), and named in honor of James McDowell, Governor of Virginia, 1843-1846.

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Coal, lumber; live-stock, corn, potatoes.

County Seat: Welch.

Magisterial Districts (6): Adkin, Big Creek, Browns Creek, Elkhorn, Northfork, Sandy River.

Voting Precincts: 77.

Area: 538.40 square miles.

Population (1930): 90,479.

Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1930), \$72,190,975.

**COUNTY OFFICIALS**

(Post office address Welch, unless otherwise indicated)

**Circuit Court (8th Judicial Circuit)**

Judge: Thos. H. S. Curd, (D).

Terms of Circuit Court: Second Monday in March; second Monday in June; first Monday in September; first Monday in December.

Clerk: Alex D. Cyphers, (D).

Court Reporter: Maud Christian, (D).

Commissioners in Chancery: D. L. Auvil, (D), Iaeger; Thornton G. Berry, Jr., (D); Graham Sale, Jr., (D); I. Mann Litz, (R); Zeb H. Herndon, (R); Albert A. Barley, (R); M. D. Herzbrun, (R); Fleming A. Jones, Jr., (D).

Divorce Commissioner: Otis E. St. Clair, (D).

General Receiver: Charles A. Tutwiler, (R).

**Criminal Court**

Judge: E. C. Marshall, (D).

Terms of Court: Second Monday in January, April and July, and first Monday in October.

Clerk: Alex D. Cyphers, (D).

Court Reporter: Maud Christian, (D).

**County Officers**

Assessor: L. H. Hardin, (D).

Board of Education: Dr. H. S. Shumate, (D); J. P. Fanning, (D), Iaeger; Oscar A. Duff, (D), Maybeury; L. H. Atwell, (D), Anawalt; P. H. Lawless, (D), Berwind.

Circuit Clerk: Alex D. Cyphers, (D).

County Clerk: Don S. Renn, (D).

County Superintendent: George W. Bryson.

Assistants: J. E. Batten, Jr.; I. J. Powell; W. O. Staunton; L. A. Watkins, (colored).

Prosecuting Attorney: Samuel A. Christie, (D).

Assistant: D. Robert Tomlison, (D).

County Investigator: Gilbert Bank, (D).

Sheriff: Fred L. Ray, (D).

Coroner: Dr. J. A. Bennett.

Commissioners of Accounts: Hoagland French, (R); Albert Barley, (R); Graham Sale, Jr., (D); Randolph Tucker, (D).

County Commissioners: A. L. Moses, (D), Iaeger; T. F. Henritze, (D); B. M. Stone, (D), English.

Terms of County Court: First Monday in January, April, August and October.

Public Assistance Council: R. F. Gammon, (D), Northfork; Chester Harman, (R); Oliver Beckner, (D), Elkhorn; Meyer Bell, (R); A. L. Moses, (D), Iaeger, member County Court, *ex-officio*.

Director of Public Assistance: Mrs. Pauline C. Elliot.

Road Maintenance Superintendent: F. J. Vance.

Home Demonstration Agent: Alice Hamilton.

County Health Officer: Dr. J. A. Bennett, Algoma.

County Health Nurse: Mrs. Joe C. Gillespie.

Superintendent County Infirmary: Mrs. G. C. Warfe.

**JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES**

(By Magisterial Districts)

**Adkin District**

Justices of the Peace:

Geo. W. Taylor, (D), Anawalt.  
W. E. Basham, (D), Wilcoe.

Constables:

E. L. Billlps, (D), Anawalt.  
Grat Rose, (D), Wilcoe.

**Big Creek District**

Justices of the Peace:

W. D. Liddle, (D), War.  
Wm. Oscar Frintz, (D), War.

**Constables:**

Lee Altizer, (D), War.  
Melvin Yost, (D), War.

**Browns Creek District****Justices of the Peace:**

J. A. Henchey, (D), Welch.  
W. R. Lockhart, (D), Welch.

**Constables:**

Loney Mitchell, (D), Welch.  
M. M. Day, Jr., (D), Welch.

**Elkhorn District****Justices of the Peace:**

S. W. Graham, (D), Maybeury.  
N. B. Gardner, (D), Maybeury.

**Constables:**

R. W. King, (D), Elkhorn.  
Paul T. Hayes, (D), Maybeury.

**Northfork District****Justices of the Peace:**

W. R. Jones, (D), Northfork.  
W. S. Kirkpatrick, (D), Northfork.

**Constables:**

Jess B. Hughes, (D), Northfork.  
Altomont Ganaway, (D), McDowell.

**Sandy River District****Justices of the Peace:**

I. S. Cline, (D), Iaeger.  
S. E. Ward, (D), Iaeger.

**Constables:**

Okey Stafford, (D), Jaeger.  
Merdeth Lockhart, (D), Panther.

**ATTORNEYS**

(Post office address Welch, unless otherwise indicated)

Auvll, D. L., (D)

(Iaeger)

Ballard, W. H., (R), (S&B)

Bank, Gilbert, (D)

(Assistant Prosecuting Attorney)

Barley, Albert A., (R)

Berry, Thornton G., Jr., (D), (SH&B)

Budnick, Merrell Ira, (D), (Keystone)

Calhoun, S. A., (R)

(Keystone)

Capehart, Harry J., (R), (C&M)

Capehart and Miller

Capehart, Harry J., (R)

Miller, Leon P., (R)

Christie, S. A., (D), (C&C)  
(Prosecuting Attorney)  
(Keystone)

Christie, Sidney L., (D), (C&C)  
(Keystone)

Christie and Christie

Christie, S. A., (D)

(Keystone)

Christie, Sidney L., (D)

(Keystone)

Cook, F. C., (R)

(Northfork)

Counts, G. L., (R)

Crockett, Joseph M., (R), (C&T)

Crockett and Tutwiler

Crockett, Joseph M., (R)

Tutwiler, Charles A., (R)

Curd, Thos. H. S., (D)

(Judge Circuit Court)

Duty, E. Z., (R)

(Bradshaw)

Flannagan, Patrick J., (R)

French, Hoagland, (R)

Harman, J. N., Jr., (R)

Hatfield, Oliver D., (D)

(English)

Henritze, T. F., (D)

(County Commissioner)

Herndon, Zeb., H., (R), (SH&B)

Herzbrun, M. D., (R), (H&H)

Howard, B. F., (R), (H&H)

Howard, G. W., (D), (H&H)

Howard and Howard

Howard, B. F., (R)

Howard, G. W., (D)

Herzbrun, M. D., (R)

Jones, Fleming A., Jr., (D)

Kearns, William P., Jr., (R)

(Elbert)

Lanzl, Angelo L.

(Keystone)

Litz, I. Mann, (R)

Marinari, Jack, (R)

(War)

Marshall, E. C., (D)

(Judge Criminal Court)

Miller, Leon P., (R), (C&M)

Partlow, I. J., (D)

(Assistant Attorney General)

Payne, W. Burbridge, Jr., (R)

St. Clair, Otis E., (D), (SS&S)

Sale, W. Goodridge, Jr., (R), (SS&S)

Sale, Graham, Jr., (D), (SS&S)

Sale, St. Clair and Sale

St. Clair, Otis E., (D)

Sale, W. Goodridge, Jr., (R)

Sale, Graham, Jr., (D)

Solins, Samuel, (R), (S&B)

Solins and Ballard

Solins, Samuel, (R)

Ballard, W. H., (R)

Strother, D. J. F., (R), (SH&B)  
 Strother, Herndon and Berry  
 Strother, D. J. F., (R)  
 Herdon, Zeb. H., (R)  
 Berry, Thornton G., Jr., (D)  
 Tomlison, D. Robert, (D)  
 (Assistant Prosecuting Attorney)  
 Travis, Joseph G., (R)  
 Tucker, J. Randolph, (D)  
 Tutwiler, Charles A., (R), (C&T)

### DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

Chairman: Fred L. Ray, Keystone.  
 Secretary: Thomas F. Henritze, Welch.  
 Treasurer: William Mitchell, Welch.

#### Members

Adkin District: R. L. Martin, Anawalt; Mrs. W. J. Beard, Wilcoe.  
 Big Creek District: Jim Fry, War; Mrs. P. H. Lawless, Berwind.  
 Browns Creek District: Jess Hill, Davy; Mrs. R. C. Puckett, Keystone.  
 Elkhorn District: Jack Calloway, Maybeury; Mrs. Oliver Beckner, Elkhorn.  
 Northfork District: James O. Keiser, Crumpler; Mrs. W. R. Shelton, Northfork.  
 Sandy River District: Frank C. Hopkins, Iaeger; Mrs. Gladys Bingham, Iaeger.

### REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

Chairman: S. G. Kilburn, Welch.  
 Secretary: Hobart E. Payne, Welch.  
 Treasurer: S. G. Kilburn, Welch.

#### Members

Adkin District: E. F. Ketter, Gary; Mattie V. Moon, Gary.  
 Big Creek District: W. M. Geissinger, Berwind; Mrs. Walter Rye, English.  
 Browns Creek District: Dr. R. K. Bragonier, Keystone; Mrs. Julia Washington, Keystone.  
 Elkhorn District: James Hamilton, Maybeury; Mrs. C. B. Moore, Maybeury.  
 Northfork District: Sandy W. Cobbs, Northfork; Mrs. C. E. Parnell, Worth.  
 Sandy River District: S. F. Addair, Jolo; Mrs. Lydia Steinka, Iaeger.

## NICHOLAS COUNTY

Formed in 1818 from parts of Kanawha, Greenbrier and Randolph Counties, and named for Wilson Cary Nicholas, Governor of Virginia, 1814-1816. Carnifex Ferry Battlefield Park, and part of the Monongahela National Forest, are located in this county.

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Lumber, paper and pulp, clothes pins; potatoes, buckwheat, oats, livestock, poultry.

County Seat: Summersville.

Magisterial Districts (7): Beaver, Grant, Hamilton, Jefferson, Kentucky, Summersville and Wilderness.

Voting Precincts: 33.

Area: 656.77 square miles.

Population (1930): 20,686.

Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1939), \$12,649,510.

### COUNTY OFFICIALS

(Post office address Summersville, unless otherwise indicated)

#### Circuit Court (12th Judicial Circuit)

Judge: H. E. Dillon, Jr., (D), Fayetteville.

Terms of Circuit Court: Third Tuesday in February, May, August and November.

Clerk: Haymond V. Summers, (D).

Court Reporter: Ben D. Keller, Fayetteville.

Commissioners in Chancery: O. C. Lewis, (D); G. D. Herold, (D); R. E. Horan, (R); H. E. Dillinger, (D), Richwood; Brooks Callaghan, (D).

Divorce Commissioner: G. G. Duff, (D).

General Receiver: Roland A. Clapperton, (D).

#### County Officers

Assessor: Dock L. O'Dell, (D).

Board of Education: Charles McQueen, (D), Persinger; Z. B. McClung, (D), Mt. Lookout; Dr. W. E. Echols, (D), Richwood; Brooks B. Callaghan, (D), Richwood; A. Lee Stewart, (D).

Circuit Clerk: Haymond V. Summers, (D).

County Clerk: Ira E. Hill, (D).

County Superintendent: James L. Creasy.

Assistant: Ocelus Fitzwater.

**Prosecuting Attorney:** George Dana Herold, (D).  
**Sheriff:** F. C. Perkins, (D).  
**County Surveyor:** A. B. Rader, (R).  
**Commissioners of Accounts:** Roland A. Clapperton, (D), Richwood; O. C. Lewis, (D); R. E. Horan, (R).  
**County Commissioners:** J. L. Fitzwater, (D), Calvin; David McClung, (D), Enon; Oscar H. O'Dell, (D), Persinger.  
**Terms of County Court:** First Monday in each month.  
**Public Assistance Council:** T. L. Falor, (R), Richwood; O. J. Carroll, (D), Tioga; Austin Bryant, (R); James Campbell, (D), Kesslers Cross Lanes; O. H. O'Dell, (D), Persinger, member County Court, *ex-officio*.  
**Director of Public Assistance:** Mason G. Cyrus.  
**Road Maintenance Superintendent:** John C. McClung.  
**County Agent:** Robert M. Snyder.  
**Home Demonstration Agent:** Sara R. Warren.  
**President Farm Bureau:** Mark Hanna.  
**County Health Officer:** Dr. W. E. McIlvain, (Sutton).  
**County Health Nurse:** Ruth Smith.

## JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES

(By Magisterial Districts)

### Beaver District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
 Geo. A. Matheny, (D), Richwood.  
 A. F. Bredon, (D), Richwood.

**Constables:**  
 Otis Armstrong, (D), Richwood.  
 Guy Curry, (D), Calvin.

### Grant District

**Justice of the Peace:**  
 Floyd Halstead, (D), Kesslers Cross Lanes.

**Constable:**  
 (Vacancy)

### Hamilton District

**Justice of the Peace:**  
 J. P. Murphy, (D), Strange Creek.

**Constable:**  
 (Vacancy)

### Jefferson District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
 Howard R. Williams, (D), Vaughan.  
 W. R. Morris, (D), Dixie.

**Constables:**  
 R. L. Davls, (D), Swiss.  
 Alfred Dial, (D), Dixie.

### Kentucky District

**Justice of the Peace:**  
 W. H. O'Dell, (D), Leivasy.

**Constable:**  
 W. H. O'Dell, (D), Leivasy.

### Summersville District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
 M. J. Maloney, (D), Summersville.  
 J. O. McMillion, (D), Summersville.

**Constable:**  
 C. P. Sweeney, (D), Summersville.

### Wilderness District

**Justice of the Peace:**  
 C. A. McClung, (D), Mt. Lookout.

**Constable:**  
 S. H. Boley, (D), Mt. Lookout.

## ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Summersville, unless otherwise indicated)

Alderson, E. P., (D)  
 Alderson, John D., (D)  
 (Richwood)  
 Bell, C. W., (D)  
 (Zela)  
 Breckenridge, A. N., (D)  
 Brown, W. G., (R)  
 Callaghan, Brooks B., (D), (W&C)  
 (Richwood)  
 Clapperton, Roland A., (D)  
 Dillinger, H. E., (D)  
 (Richwood)  
 Duff, G. G., (D)  
 Hart, Phyllis, (D)  
 Herold, G. D., (D)  
 (Prosecuting Attorney)  
 Horan, R. E., (R)  
 Lewis, O. C., (D)  
 Wolverton, J. M., (R), (W&C)  
 (Richwood)  
 Wolverton and Callaghan  
 Wolverton, J. M., (R)  
 Callaghan, Brooks B., (D)

## DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

**Chairman:** W. E. Morton, Calvin.  
**Vice Chairman:** Mrs. Audra Hamilton, Richwood.  
**Secretary:** D. M. Isner, Summersville.  
**Treasurer:** Bernice Meadows, Summersville.

### Members

**Beaver District:** H. E. Dillinger, Richwood; Mrs. Audra Hamilton, Richwood.  
**Grant District:** H. D. Cavendish, Zela; Mrs. Mary Dunbar, Kesslers Cross Lanes.  
**Hamilton District:** Brent Monroe, Kirkwood; Mrs. Maggie Robertson, Birch River.  
**Jefferson District:** R. M. Campbell, Lockwood; Mrs. Ruby Vencill, Dixie.  
**Kentucky District:** W. H. O'Dell, Leivasy; Mrs. Runa B. Nell, Canvass.  
**Summersville District:** J. D. Peck, Summersville; Bernice Meadows, Summersville.  
**Wilderness District:** G. C. McClung, Runa; Mrs. Hattie A. McClung, Hominy Falls.

## REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

**Chairman:** Ray Lambert, Summersville.  
**Secretary:** Madge Sparks, Persinger.  
**Treasurer:** Sterling Groves, Richwood.

### Members

**Beaver District:** Edward Buck, Richwood; Mrs. Ada White, Richwood.  
**Grant District:** John Bennett, Poe; Mrs. Maynie Reckhart, Zela.  
**Hamilton District:** Martin Dodrill, Birch River; Madge Sparks, Persinger.  
**Jefferson District:** Wiley Mason, Vinton; Mrs. Arly Scholl, Swiss.  
**Kentucky District:** R. D. Groves, Canvass; Stella Chapman, Fenwick.

**Summersville District:** Roland Hart, Gad; (Vacancy).

**Wilderness District:** W. J. Wiseman, Hominy Falls; Mrs. Ida Ramsey, Mt. Nebo.

## OHIO COUNTY

Formed in 1776 from the \*District of West Augusta (Virginia), and named for the county's principal river, the Ohio, Indian name for "great river." One of the first counties in Virginia organized west of the Allegheny Mountains.

West Liberty (unincorporated), established in 1787, was the county seat from 1776 to 1797.

West Liberty State Teachers College, a state institution, was established there in 1870 and was a continuation of West Liberty Academy, which was founded in 1838.

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Sheet metal and tin containers and ware, iron and steel, coal, building tile, stogies, chewing tobacco, meat packing, bakery products, proprietary medicines; dairying, fruit, vegetables, hay and grain, poultry.

**County Seat:** Wheeling.

**Magisterial Districts (10):** Center, Clay, Liberty, Madison, Richland, Ritchie, Triadelphia, Union, Washington and Webster.

**Voting Precincts:** 99.

**Area:** 109 square miles.

**Population (1930):** 72,077.

**Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1939),** \$123,108,225.

## COUNTY OFFICIALS

(Post office address Wheeling, unless otherwise indicated)

### Circuit Court (1st Judicial Circuit)

**Judges:** J. H. Brennan, (R); J. J. P. O'Brien, (D).

**Terms of Circuit Court:** Second Monday in January, April and September.

**Clerk:** L. L. Nightengale, (R).

**Court Reporters:** Louis Walters, (R); Grace A. Creamer, (R); and Wm. N. Zimmerman, (R).

\*The District of West Augusta originally included all of the lands in old Virginia from the Blue Ridge west with the southern boundary of that state to the Mississippi River, embracing much of the territory that now comprises the southwestern part of Pennsylvania and most of the states of Ohio, Indiana and Illinois. From the original territory, eighteen or more counties in West Virginia and three in Pennsylvania have been carved.

**Commissioners in Chancery:** J. T. McCamic, (R); Charles H. Bonnesen, (R); J. W. Cummins, (R); Henry M. Russell, (D); Joseph R. Curl, (D); Alan McKee, (R); W. F. Keefer, (D); P. J. McGlinley, (D).

**Divorce Commissioner:** Geo. C. Beneke, (R).

**General Receiver:** Louis J. Yaeger, (R).

### Intermediate Court

**Judge:** William B. Casey, (D).

**Terms of Court:** Second Monday in February; third Monday in May; first Monday in October.

**Clerk:** L. L. Nightengale, (R).

**Court Reporter:** Wm. N. Zimmerman, (R).

### County Officers

**Assessor:** Karl G. Saller, (R).

**Board of Education:** M. L. Tustin, (D); William F. Garden, (D); L. Budd Haberstick, (D); Louis Armbrrecht, (R); Fred E. Cowl, (R).

**Circuit Clerk:** L. L. Nightengale, (R).

**County Clerk:** Raymond J. Falland, (D).

**County Superintendent:** J. P. McHenry.

**Assistant:** C. B. Montgomery.

**Prosecuting Attorney:** C. Lee Spillers, (D).

**Assistants:** John D. Phillips, (D); Charles Ihlenfeld, (D).

**Sheriff:** J. C. Burkhardt, (D).

**County Surveyor:** Lloyd C. Bagby, (R).

**Coroner:** Dr. S. S. Bobes.

**Commissioners of Accounts:** William J. Gompers, (R); George C. Beneke, (R); Frank A. McMahon, (R); Robert J. Riley, (D).

**County Commissioners:** Edward J. Lally, (D); Thomas F. Gavin, (D); Thomas J. Garden, (D).

**Clerk Board of Commissioners:** I. T. Killeen, (D).

**Terms of County Court:** First Monday in each month.

**Public Assistance Council:** Wilbur C. McGregor, (R); Mrs. A. W. Paull, (D); Robert Lee Boyd, (D); Adam Martin, (R); Thomas F. Gavin, (D), member County Court, *ex-officio*.

**Director of Public Assistance:** W. M. Morel.

**Road Maintenance Superintendent:** Harold E. O'Leary.

**County Agent:** G. S. Myers.

**Home Demonstration Agent:** Margaret Cookman Stricklin.

**President Farm Bureau:** R. P. White, Triadelphia.

**President Farm Women's Bureau:** Mrs. Guy McCammon, West Alexander, Pa.

**County Health Officer:** Dr. Harry A. Smith.

**County Health Nurses:** Virginia Hand; Elizabeth Curren; Cecilia Robrecht.

**Superintendent County Infirmary:** William E. Kiger.

**Superintendent County Tuberculosis Sanitarium:** Dr. E. E. Clovis.

### JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES

(By Magisterial Districts)

#### Center District

**Justices of the Peace:**

Carl J. Fisher, (D), Wheeling.  
Frank McGinnis, (D), Wheeling.

**Constables:**

Steve Vallis, (D), Wheeling.  
Kenneth O'Connell, (D), Wheeling.

#### Clay District

**Justices of the Peace:**

J. Ed. Vensel, (D), Wheeling.  
Lee F. Dobbs, (R), Wheeling.

**Constables:**

C. E. McNabb, (R), Wheeling.  
G. R. Spindler, (R), Wheeling.

#### Liberty District

**Justices of the Peace:**

Jean Groppe, (R), Valley Grove.  
William Hagedorn, (R), Valley Grove.

**Constables:**

Frank J. Muth, (R), Valley Grove.  
Roney Vermillion, (R), Valley Grove.

#### Madison District

**Justices of the Peace:**

Alonzo Watson, (D), Wheeling.  
Charles G. Cook, (R), Wheeling.

**Constables:**

Eugene E. Schriber, (R), Wheeling.  
David J. McSwain, (R), Wheeling.

**Richland District****Justices of the Peace:**

Paul A. Hilmes, (D), Warwood.  
Walter Whaley, (D), Wheeling.

**Constables:**

L. C. Drielehorst, (R), Wheeling.  
Elmer E. Inman, (D), Short Creek.

**Ritchie District****Justice of the Peace:**

C. N. Metzger, (R), Wheeling.

**Constable:**

Frank Schewinski, (D), Wheeling.

**Triadelphia District****Justices of the Peace:**

Galla Mitchell, (D), Elm Grove.  
S. M. Baird, (R), Wheeling.

**Constables:**

Louis Lagomarcino, (R), Elm Grove.  
L. O. Vermillion, (R), Elm Grove.

**Union District****Justices of the Peace:**

John V. Moran, (D), Wheeling.  
H. J. Voellinger, (D), Wheeling.

**Constable:**

George N. Voellinger, (D), Wheeling.

**Washington District****Justices of the Peace:**

Charles Everett, (D), Wheeling.  
Bernard Hoffman, (D), Wheeling.

**Constables:**

James Carrigan, (D), Wheeling.  
William McEwan, (R), Wheeling.

**Webster District****Justices of the Peace:**

James A. Bailey, (D), Wheeling.  
Fred Gellinger, (D), Wheeling.

**Constable:**

Wm. A. Andrey, (D), Wheeling.

**ATTORNEYS**

(Post office address Wheeling, unless  
otherwise indicated)

Ahrens, Chas. B., (R)  
Allison, J. B., (R)  
Bachmann, Carl G., (R)  
Baer, J. Leonard, (R)  
Bailey, George, (D), (McGP&P)

Beneke, Geo. C., (R)  
Beneke, George F., (R)  
Blackford, Geo. A., (R)  
Blumenberg, Hugo F., (R)  
Bonnesen, Chas. H., Jr., (R)  
Brennan, James B., Jr., (R)  
Brennan, J. H., (R)  
(Judge Circuit Court)  
Brinkman, Fred H., (R)  
Broglie, John, (R)  
Bruce, J. E., (R)  
Bryant, A. E., (R)  
Butler, A. Bates, Jr., (D)  
Caldwell, Wm. G., (R), (CK&M)  
Caldwell, Kline and Mead  
Caldwell, Wm. G., (R)  
Kline, Edwin F., (R)  
Mead, Chas. P., (R)  
Callahan, William O., (R)  
Camilletti, D. Paul, (R)  
Campbell, Clinton R., (R)  
Casey, William B., (D)  
(Judge Intermediate Court)  
Clarke, James Morgan, (R), (Mc&C)  
Coleman, Leo A., (D)  
Coniff, Chas. J., (D)  
Cooey, Edward R., (D)  
Cotton, Wm. J., (R)  
Cummins, J. Wm., (R)  
Curl, Joseph R., (D), (EP&C)  
Dobbs, Lee F., (R)  
D'Orazio, Stanley, (D)  
Duval, T. H., (R), (O'B&O'B)  
Erskine, Palmer and Curl  
Palmer, John C., Jr., (D)  
Curl, Joseph R., (D)  
Palmer, J. Campbell, III, (R)  
Ewing, James Rogers, (D)  
Fitzsimmons, W. Day, (R), (SH&L)  
Fouk, Tom B., (D)  
Friedrichs, Howard W., (R)  
Galbraith, Carl B., (D)  
Garden, G. Alan, (D), (HG&M)  
Gompers, Howard W., (D)  
Gompers, Wm. J., (R)  
Goodwin, Russell B., (D), (HG&P)  
Grimes, W. C., (R)  
Habermehl, John, (R)  
Hall, Kent B., (R), (HG&P)  
Hall, Goodwin and Paul  
Hall, Kent B., (R)  
Goodwin, Russell B., (D)  
Paul, Charles F. Jr., (R)  
Spillers, C. Lee, (D)  
Keefer, W. F., (D)  
Phillips, John D., (D)  
Handlan, Garden and Matthews  
Garden, G. Alan, (D)  
Matthews, Howard D., (R)  
Hess, Lester C., (D)  
Harrison, E. L., (R)

- Hearne, Julian G., Jr., (R)  
 Herndon, Richard G., (D)  
 Hess, Lester C., (D), (HG&M)  
 Hesse, Harry R., (R)  
 Honecker, B. S., (R)  
 Howard, John A., Jr., (D)  
 Howard, Wm. C., (R)  
 Hubbard, Chester R., (R)  
 Hugus, Wright, (R), (SH&L)  
 Hundt, Herman A. (R)  
 Ihlenfeld, Chas. L., (D)  
 Jones, Edmund Lee, (D)  
 Jones, Harry, (R)  
 Johnson, Thomas, (R)  
 Kahle, Melvin W., (D)  
 Kaltenbach, Harold, (R)  
 Keefer, W. F., (D), (HG&P)  
 Klives, Russell A., (D)  
 Kline, Edwin F., (R), (CK&M)  
 Koller, John R., (R), (R&R)  
 Laas, A. W., (R), (SH&L)  
 Love, Francis J., (R)  
 Matthews, Howard D., (R), (HG&M)  
 Maury, Fred, (D)  
 Mead, Chas. P., (R), (CK&M)  
 (City Attorney)  
 McCamic, Charles, (R), (Mc&C)  
 McCamic, Jay T., (R), (Mc&C)  
 McCamic and Clarke  
 McCamic, Charles (R)  
 Clarke, James Morgan, (R)  
 McCamic, Jay T., (R)  
 Tinker, Wesley R., Jr., (R)  
 McClure, James G., (R)  
 McGinley, P. J., (D), (McGP&P)  
 McGinley, Paul and Petroplus  
 McGinley, P. J., (D)  
 Paull, James, Jr., (D)  
 Petroplus, A. W., (D)  
 Bailey, George, (D)  
 Sonneborn, Herbert M., Jr., (D)  
 McKee, Alan, (R), (McK&McK)  
 McKee, David A., (R)  
 McKee, Donald, (R), (McK&McK)  
 McKee, Edward F., (R)  
 McKee and McKee  
 McKee, Alan, (R)  
 McKee, Donald, (R)  
 McMahan, Frank A., (R)  
 McNeil, A. C., (R)  
 Miller, Ralph L., (R)  
 Morris, Warren F., (R)  
 Nesbitt, Frank W., (R), (N&N)  
 Nesbitt, Russell G., (R), (N&N)  
 Nesbitt and Nesbitt  
 Nesbitt, Frank W., (R)  
 Nesbitt, Russell G., (R)
- Noyes, S. M., (D)  
 O'Brien, Frank A., (R), (O'B&O'B)  
 O'Brien, Frank A., Jr., (R), (O'B&O'B)  
 O'Brien, J. J. P., (D)  
 (Judge Circuit Court)  
 O'Brien, Thos. P., (D), (O'B&O'B)  
 O'Brien and O'Brien  
 O'Brien, Frank A., (R)  
 O'Brien, Thos. P., (D)  
 Duval, Thomas H., (R)  
 O'Brien, Frank A., Jr., (R)  
 Paul, Charles F., Jr., (R), (HG&P)  
 Paull, James, Jr., (D), (McGP&P)  
 Palmer, J. Campbell, III, (R), (EP&C)  
 Palmer, John C., Jr., (D), (EP&C)  
 Petroplus, A. W., (D), (McGP&P)  
 Phillips, John D., (D), (HG&P)  
 Piper, William C., (R)  
 Porter, A. J., (D)  
 Prager, Eugene, (R)  
 Reiter, S. Robert, (Ind.)  
 Richards, H. C., (R)  
 Riley, James B., (D)  
 (Judge Supreme Court of Appeals)  
 Riley, Robert J., (D), (R&R)  
 Riley and Riley  
 Riley, Robert J., (D)  
 Koller, John R., (R)  
 Ritz, John S., (R)  
 Ritz, J. M., (R)  
 Robinson, Myer, (R)  
 Rogers, Geo. J., (D)  
 Rosenbloom, Ben L., (D)  
 Russell, Henry M., (D)  
 Schiffler, A. C., (R)  
 (Member of Congress)  
 Schmidt, Carl O., (R), (SH&L)  
 Schmidt, Hugus and Laas  
 Schmidt, Carl O., (R)  
 Hugus, Wright, (R)  
 Laas, A. W., (R)  
 Fitzsimmons, W. Day, (R)  
 Schrader, Henry S., (D)  
 Schrader, Henry S., (D), (SH&L)  
 Schuck, Charles J., (R)  
 Seibert, George H., Jr., (R)  
 Smith, Charles J., (R)  
 Sonneborn, Herbert M., Jr., (D),  
 (McGP&P)  
 Spillers, C. Lee, (D), (HG&P)  
 (Prosecuting Attorney)  
 Spillers, W. B., (D)  
 Tinker, Wesley R., Jr., (R), (Mc&C)  
 Tyler, John W., (D)  
 Ulrich, Julian, (R)  
 Westwood, Felix E., (R)  
 Wilson, John B., (D)  
 Wood, Austin V., (R)  
 Wunschel, Wm. F., (R)  
 Young, Francis, (R)  
 Zwicker, Julius, (R)

## DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

**Chairman:** Carl B. Galbraith, Wheeling.  
**Vice Chairman:** William H. Frohme, Wheeling.  
**Associate Chairman:** Mrs. Anna Graner, Edgedale, Wheeling.  
**Secretary:** George N. Peters, Elm Grove.  
**Treasurer:** Edward A. Brooks, Warwood, Wheeling.

### Members

**Center District:** Wm. M. McDermott, Wheeling; Cecilia Holmes, Wheeling.  
**Clay District:** John E. Heneke, Wheeling; (Vacancy).  
**Liberty District:** J. R. McColloch, West Liberty; Minnie M. Folmar, West Alexander.  
**Madison District:** (Vacancy); Sarah M. White, Wheeling.  
**Richland District:** Edward A. Brooks, Warwood, Wheeling; Louise Lutz, Warwood, Wheeling.  
**Ritchie District:** Frank W. Lakomy, Wheeling; Evelyn Capps, Wheeling.  
**Triadelphia District:** Dr. J. E. McCutcheon, Wheeling; (Vacancy).  
**Union District:** Charles W. Wasemann, Wheeling; Margaret Nesbitt, Wheeling.  
**Washington District:** John J. Rentzschler, Wheeling; Ethel M. Hopwood, Wheeling.  
**Webster District:** W. Bill Crisswell, Wheeling; Bertha Winesdoerffer, Wheeling.

### City of Wheeling

**First Ward:** William H. Frohme; Cecilia Nesline.  
**Second Ward:** J. J. Miller; Margaret Frame.  
**Third Ward:** (Vacancy); Clara Mountford.  
**Fourth Ward:** J. L. Darby; (Vacancy).  
**Fifth Ward:** Jos. B. Doyle; Eleanor Hogl.  
**Sixth Ward:** John Prohaska; Laura Wagner.  
**Seventh Ward:** Wm. F. Garden; Emma Hull.  
**Eighth Ward:** Perry Fisher; Mrs. James H. Connors.

**Ninth Ward:** Ernest L. Norteman; Clara O'Leary.  
**Tenth Ward:** Donald Layton; (Vacancy).  
**Eleventh Ward:** (Vacancy); Anna Graner.  
**Twelfth Ward:** George N. Peters; Helen Yoder.

## REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

**Chairman:** Dan Herd, Wheeling.  
**Vice Chairman:** Mrs. Anna Spindler, Elm Grove.  
**Secretary:** Mrs. Florence Bippus, West Alexander, Pa.  
**Treasurer:** Wm. Brasch, Wheeling.

### Members

**Center District:** Richard T. Cresap, Wheeling; Mrs. Rose M. Sheldon, Wheeling.  
**Clay District:** Thos. V. Bishop, Wheeling; Mrs. Frank Jones, Wheeling.  
**Liberty District:** Geo. C. Steinmetz, Triadelphia; Mrs. Florence Bippus, West Alexander, Pa.  
**Madison District:** John V. Pixler, Wheeling; Mrs. S. R. Warffuel, Wheeling.  
**Richland District:** Ralph C. Wagner, Wheeling; Mrs. Margaret Mazingo, Warwood, Wheeling.  
**Ritchie District:** Guy Bell; Mrs. Adella Oberle Welch, Wheeling.  
**Triadelphia District:** Tom Barnes, Triadelphia; Mrs. Ford Pogue, Triadelphia.  
**Union District:** William Atken, Wheeling; Mrs. Myrtle Norman, Wheeling.  
**Washington District:** George C. Danner, Wheeling; Mrs. Rose Kindelberger, Wheeling.  
**Webster District:** Edward Ritz, Wheeling; Ella M. Heinlein, Wheeling.

### City of Wheeling

**First Ward:** G. W. Otto; Maud Murrin.  
**Second Ward:** Ben O. Taylor; Mrs. Laura Briggs.  
**Third Ward:** O. T. Rine; Mrs. Bertha Boecker.  
**Fourth Ward:** John Kunz; Mrs. Bertha Leiner.

**Fifth Ward:** Robert M. Johns; Mrs. Ed. Glesey.  
**Sixth Ward:** Russell G. Riggs; Mrs. Kathleen Reinhardt.  
**Seventh Ward:** L. L. Nightengale; Mrs. Emma B. Hawkins.  
**Eighth Ward:** William Doyle; Mrs. Margaret Miller.  
**Ninth Ward:** Lee Wilkins; Mrs. Ruth Byard.  
**Tenth Ward:** Wm. Brasch; Mrs. Julia Dreyfuss.  
**Eleventh Ward:** H. C. Crago; Mrs. R. A. Walters.  
**Twelfth Ward:** Bob Grimes; Mrs. Anna Spindler.

## PENDLETON COUNTY

Created in 1788 from parts of Augusta, Hardy and Rockingham Counties (Virginia), and named for Edmund Pendleton, a distinguished statesman and jurist of Virginia.

Two Indian massacres occurred in 1758 at Fort Upper Tract and Fort Seybert, 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. Parts of the Monongahela and George Washington National Forests are located in this county.

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Lumber; livestock, hay and grain.

**County Seat:** Franklin.

**Magisterial Districts (6):** Bethel, Circleville, Franklin, Mill Run, Sugar Grove, Union.

**Voting Precincts:** 14.

**Area:** 696.88 square miles.

**Population (1930):** 9,660.

**Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1939),** \$5,045,210.

## COUNTY OFFICIALS

(Post office address Franklin, unless otherwise indicated)

### Circuit Court (22nd Judicial Circuit)

**Judge:** Harlan M. Calhoun, (D), Moorefield.

**Clerk:** Luther H. Eye, (D).

**Terms of Circuit Court:** Third Tuesday in March; fourth Tuesday in July, first Tuesday in December.

**Court Reporter:** Constance Davis, (D), Petersburg.

**Commissioners in Chancery:** William McCoy, (D), R. M. Hiner, (D); E. W. Dolly, (D).

**Divorce Commissioner:** None.

**General Receiver:** R. M. Hiner, (D).

## County Officers

**Assessor:** Ed. S. Johnson, (D).

**Board of Education:** Charles E. Zicafoose, (D), Circleville; Glenn Ruddle, (D), Riverton; John M. Hedrick, (D), Ruddle; Whitney A. Propst, (D), Doe Hill, (Virginia); R. Mahlon Lambert, (D).

**Circuit Clerk:** Luther H. Eye, (D).

**County Clerk:** Luther H. Eye, (D).

**County Superintendent:** I. L. Bennett.

**Prosecuting Attorney:** Kay C. Van Meter, Jr., (D), Petersburg.

**Sheriff:** George D. Moyers, (D).

**County Surveyor:** Lafayette Judy, (R).

**Commissioners of Accounts:** William McCoy, (D); R. M. Hiner, (D).

**County Commissioners:** George A. Bennett, (D), Macksville; B. C. Eye, (D), Dahmer; Jay Bennett, (D), Cherry Grove.

**Terms of County Court:** First Monday in January, March and July; second and fourth Tuesdays in August; last Monday in November.

**Public Assistance Council:** Elmer Keister, (D), Brandywine; Mrs. Glenn Ruddle, (R), Riverton; Thomas J. Bowman, (D); Byron Boggs, (R); B. C. Eye, (D), Dahmer, member County Court, *ex-officio*.

**Director of Public Assistance:** William T. Moomau, (Petersburg).

**Road Maintenance Superintendent:** V. R. Homan.

**County Agent:** D. W. McFarland.

**Home Demonstration Agent:** Annie Handley Shobe.

**Assistant:** Werneth L. Wilson.

**President Farm Bureau:** M. L. Rains, Teterton.

**President Farm Women's Bureau:** Mrs. Grant Alt, Upper Tract.

**County Health Officer:** Dr. W. H. Rheldaffer, (Romney).

**Superintendent County Infirmary:** Isalah Murphy.

**JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND  
CONSTABLES**

(By Magisterial Districts)

**Bethel District**

**Justice of the Peace:**

L. Arthur Propst, (D), Brandywine.

**Constable:**

(Vacancy)

**Circleville District**

**Justices of the Peace:**

P. C. Warner, (D), Franklin.

Cornelia F. Dyhre, (D), Circleville.

**Constables:**

(Vacancy)

(Vacancy)

**Franklin District**

**Justices of the Peace:**

Dewey H. Moyers, (D), Franklin.

Zelle B. Moyers, (D), Franklin

**Constables:**

Cleveland Propst, (D), Franklin

Fred Smith, (D), Ruddle.

**Mill Run District**

**Justices of the Peace:**

John R. Alt, (R), Brushy Run.

Walter S. Kesmer, (R), Kline.

**Constables:**

C. O. Painter, (R), Upper Tract.

(Vacancy)

**Sugar Grove District**

**Justices of the Peace:**

Byron Mitchell, (D), Sugar Grove.

(Vacancy)

**Constables:**

(Vacancy)

(Vacancy)

**Union District**

**Justices of the Peace:**

M. L. Raines, (R), Teterton.

D. K. Harman, (R), Riverton.

**Constables:**

(Vacancy)

(Vacancy)

**ATTORNEYS**

(Post office address Franklin)

Hiner, R. M., (D)

Hodges, M. S., (R)

McCoy, William, (D)

**DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXEC-  
UTIVE COMMITTEE**

**Officers**

**Chairman:** R. M. Hiner, Franklin.

**Vice Chairman:** Mrs. L. R. Byrd, Franklin.

**Secretary:** Lois Dunkle, Deer Run.

**Members**

**Bethel District:** Henry D. Hahn, Brandywine; Mrs. Salina Simmons, Brandywine.

**Circleville District:** William Dunkle, Circleville; Mrs. Mattie Thompson, Circleville.

**Franklin District:** McClure Anderson, Franklin; Mrs. L. R. Byrd, Franklin.

**Mill Run District:** Leslie A. Keister, Upper Tract; Lois Dunkle, Deer Run.

**Sugar Grove District:** Oliver Sinnett, Moyers; Mrs. V. R. Homan, Sugar Grove.

**Union District:** Vernon Nelson, Riverton; Mrs. Byron Bland, Mouth of Seneca.

**REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXEC-  
UTIVE COMMITTEE**

**Officers**

**Chairman and Secretary:** M. S. Hodges, Franklin.

**Treasurer:** Marie Dolly, Franklin.

**Members**

**Bethel District:** E. T. Miller, Fort Seybert; Mrs. Julia A. Propst, Brandywine.

**Circleville District:** Waitman T. Bennett, Cherry Grove; Mrs. John Arbogast, Circleville.

**Franklin District:** Kenny Judy, Cave; Mrs. Elsie Boggs, Franklin.

**Mill Run District:** W. J. Harold, Upper Tract; Mrs. A. I. Lough, Kline.

**Sugar Grove District:** Harry H. Judy, Moyers; Mrs. Arthur Eckard, Sugar Grove.

**Union District:** F. M. Boggs, Macks-ville; Mrs. D. C. Harper, Mouth of Seneca.

## PLEASANTS COUNTY

Created in 1851 from Wood, Tyler and Ritchie Counties, and named for James Pleasants, Jr., who represented Virginia in the United States Senate, and who was its Governor, 1822-1825.

West Virginia Training School is located at Spring Run, two miles north of St. Marys.

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Petroleum, glass and glassware; poultry, livestock, dairying, hay and grain.

County Seat: St. Marys.

Magisterial Districts (6): Grant, Jefferson, Lafayette, McKim, Union, and Washington.

Voting Precincts: 14.

Area: 134.65 square miles.

Population (1930): 6,545.

Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1939), \$7,322,125.

### COUNTY OFFICIALS

(Post office address St. Marys, unless otherwise indicated)

#### Circuit Court (3rd Judicial Circuit)

Judge: S. O. Prunty, (R), Harrisville.

Terms of Circuit Court: Second Tuesday in January; fourth Tuesday in April; second Tuesday in September.

Clerk: R. J. Virden, (D).

Court Reporter: F. H. Mayne, (R), Parkersburg.

Commissioners in Chancery: H. F. Simonton, (R); G. D. Smith, (D); Frank J. Barron, (D); John R. Hickel, (D).

Divorce Commissioner: Thomas J. Hickel, (D).

General Receiver: John R. Hickel, (D).

#### County Officers

Assessor: P. E. Cox, (R).

Board of Education: A. W. Locke, (D); Allen Powell, (D), Sugar Valley; James W. Jemison, (D), Willow; Richard S. Foley, (D), Waverly; L. E. Alley, (D).

Circuit Clerk: R. J. Virden, (D).

County Clerk: O. Rolla Williams, (D).

County Superintendent: Lewis F. Rosenlieb.

Prosecuting Attorney: John R. Hickel, (D).

Sheriff: J. E. Heilman, (R).

County Surveyor: John Triplett, (R).

Coroner: C. F. Rutten cutter.

Commissioners of Accounts: D. W. Dillon, (D); John R. Hickel, (D); H. F. Simonton, (R).

County Commissioners: J. W. Ruckman, (D); G. C. Mitchell, (D); W. P. Jones, (R), Hebron.

Terms of County Court: First Monday in each month.

Public Assistance Council: H. M. Locke, (R); Guy Triplett, (D); Rev. C. B. Johnson, (R); Dr. Richard Hamilton, (D); J. W. Ruckman, (D), member County Court, *ex-officio*.

Director of Public Assistance: Charles H. Rice.

Road Maintenance Superintendent: Fred Oliver.

County Agent: H. M. Taylor.

President Farm Bureau: Richard Foley, Waverly.

President Farm Women's Bureau: Mrs. Esther Cornell, Belmont.

County Health Officer: Dr. O. L. Quillen.

### JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES

(By Magisterial Districts)

#### Grant District

Justice of the Peace:  
(Vacancy)

Constable:  
(Vacancy)

#### Jefferson District

Justice of the Peace:  
(Vacancy)

Constable:  
(Vacancy)

#### Lafayette District

Justice of the Peace:  
(Vacancy)

Constable:  
(Vacancy)

#### McKim District

Justice of the Peace:  
(Vacancy)

Constable:  
(Vacancy)

**Union District**

**Justice of the Peace:**  
(Vacancy)

**Constable:**  
(Vacancy)

**Washington District**

**Justices of the Peace:**  
S. A. Barron, (D), St. Marys.  
John W. Dotson, (D), St. Marys.

**Constables:**  
T. L. Mercer, (D), St. Marys.  
B. E. Cumblidge, (R), St. Marys.

**ATTORNEYS**

(Post office address St. Marys, unless otherwise indicated)

Barron, Frank J., (D)  
Haden, Charles H., (R)  
Hickel, John R., (D)  
(Prosecuting Attorney)  
Hickel, Tom J., (D)  
(Belmont)  
Powell, John C., (R)  
Smith, G. D., (D)

**DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE****Officers**

**Chairman:** O. C. Barkwill, St. Marys.  
**Associate Chairman:** Ruth Hart, St. Marys.  
**Secretary:** C. T. McCullough, St. Marys.  
**Treasurer:** C. A. Ruckman, St. Marys.

**Members**

**Grant District:** Earl Snyder, Eureka;  
Mrs. Ora G. Foley, Waverly.  
**Jefferson District:** C. B. Ingram, St. Marys;  
Mrs. Nellie Matheny, St. Marys.  
**Lafayette District:** Webb May; Mrs. Bernice Dutton, St. Marys.  
**McKim District:** Harley Higgins, St. Marys;  
Mrs. Elva Cunningham, St. Marys.  
**Union District:** Perley Smith, St. Marys;  
Mrs. W. E. Bradfield, St. Marys.  
**Washington District:** Joe Safety;  
Ruth Hart, St. Marys.

**REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE****Officers**

**Chairman:** Dr. J. Riley McCollum, St. Marys.  
**Vice Chairman:** Mazie Williams, St. Marys.  
**Secretary:** Dr. J. C. Wilcoxen.  
**Treasurer:** Mrs. L. D. Shreeves.

**Members**

**Grant District:** John Cronin, St. Marys;  
Mrs. Ethel Fauss, Belmont.  
**Jefferson District:** W. P. Moreland, St. Marys;  
Bulah Malone, St. Marys.  
**Lafayette District:** H. W. Campbell, Meadville;  
Mrs. Louise Beal, Hebron.  
**McKim District:** J. D. Wiley, Maxwell;  
Rose Myers, Maxwell.  
**Union District:** T. C. Gorrell, Arvilla;  
Mrs. Addie Wagner, Arvilla.  
**Washington District:** M. C. Harper, St. Marys;  
Mrs. Alice Brown, St. Marys.

**POCAHONTAS COUNTY**

Established in 1821 from parts of Bath, Pendleton and Randolph Counties (Virginia), and named for Pocahontas, the Indian princess.

The site of the battle of Droop Mountain, in this county, the most extensive Civil War conflict in the state, which occurred on November 6, 1863, was acquired by the state in 1929, and is now a Battlefield Park.

Watoga State Park, Seneca State Forest and part of the Monongahela National Forest are located in this county.

Denmar Sanitarium, state owned, is located at Denmar (unincorporated).

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Lumber, tannery (sole leather); livestock, potatoes, oats, maple sugar, honey, poultry.

**County Seat:** Marlinton.

**Magisterial Districts (4):** Edray, Greenbank, Huntersville and Little Levels.

**Voting Precincts:** 30.

**Area:** 942.61 square miles.

**Population (1930):** 14,555.

**Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1939),** \$10,174,150.

**COUNTY OFFICIALS**

(Post office address Marlinton, unless otherwise indicated)

**Circuit Court (11th Judicial Circuit)**

**Judge:** Mark L. Jarrett, (D), Lewisburg.

**Terms of Circuit Court:** Second Tuesday in March; first Tuesday in June; first Tuesday in October.

**Clerk:** Grady K. Moore, (D).

**Court Reporter:** Bernard H. Twyford, (D), Lewisburg.

**Commissioners in Chancery:** Richard F. Currence, (D); P. T. Ward, (D); J. E. Buckley, (R).

**Divorce Commissioner:** T. S. McNeel, (D).

**General Receiver:** E. C. Smith, (R).

**County Officers**

**Assessor:** H. W. Beard, (D).

**Board of Education:** Frank King, (D); John S. Hannah, (D), Green Bank; Clarence Sheets, (D), Green Bank; Elmer McLaughlin, (D), Huntersville; S. D. Kirk, (D), Hillsboro.

**Circuit Clerk:** Grady K. Moore, (D).

**County Clerk:** Moody Kincaid, (D).

**County Superintendent:** Eric S. Clutter.

**Assistant:** Mack H. Brooks.

**Prosecuting Attorney:** Richard F. Currence, (D).

**Sheriff:** R. N. Nottingham, (D).

**County Surveyor:** R. W. Brown, (D), Arbovale.

**Coroner:** T. S. McNeel.

**Commissioners of Accounts:** T. S. McNeel, (D); P. T. Ward, (D); J. E. Buckley, (R).

**County Commissioners:** Z. S. Smith, Jr., (D); F. A. Pritchard, (D), Durbin; M. C. Smith, (R), Hillsboro.

**Terms of County Court:** First Tuesday in each month.

**Public Assistance Council:** Wm. H. Cackley, (D), Millpoint; J. F. Ashford, (D), Greenbank; E. C. Smith, (R); Arden G. Killingsworth, (R); Zed S. Smith, Jr., (D), member County Court, *ex-officio*.

**Director of Public Assistance:** R. W. Harper.

**Road Maintenance Superintendent:** D. W. Williams.

**County Agent:** Herman M. Bowers.

**Assistant:** I. J. Williams.

**Home Demonstration Agent:** M. Barbara Bragg.

**President Farm Bureau:** G. M. Sharp, Frost.

**President Farm Women's Bureau:** Mrs. George Hanna, Arbovale.

**County Health Officer:** Dr. Herbert Duncan, (Lewisburg).

**County Health Nurse:** Edna Mason.

**JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES**

(By Magisterial Districts)

**Edray District**

**Justices of the Peace:**

T. S. McNeel, (D), Marlinton.

A. R. Gay, (R), Marlinton.

**Constables:**

Frank Young, (D), Edray.

(Vacancy)

**Greenbank District**

**Justice of the Peace:**

C. Forest Hull, (D), Durbin.

**Constables:**

J. A. Belcher, (D), Cass.

J. R. Simmons, (D), Durbin.

**Huntersville District**

**Justices of the Peace:**

Wm. R. Pierson, (R), Huntersville.

John Perry, (R), Marlinton.

**Constable:**

Andy Gay, (R), Marlinton.

**Little Levels District**

**Justice of the Peace:**

W. E. Hayes, (D), Splice.

**Constable:**

Clyde Cochran, (R), Lobelia.

**ATTORNEYS**

(Post office address Marlinton)

Buckley, J. E., (R)

Cooper, A. E., (R)

Currence, Richard F., (D)

(Prosecuting Attorney)

McNeel, T. S., (D)

Shald, Lloyd R., (R)

Sharp, S. H., (R)

Ward, P. T., (D)

## DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

**Chairman:** Fred C. Allen, Marlinton.  
**Secretary:** Gladys Hudson, Marlinton.  
**Treasurer:** Z. S. Smith, Jr., Marlinton.

### Members

**Edray District:** Z. S. Smith, Jr., Marlinton; Gladys Hudson, Marlinton.  
**Green Bank District:** Dr. U. H. Hannah, Cass; Mrs. Isabel Pritchard, Dunmore.  
**Huntersville District:** (Vacancy); Mrs. Margaret Herold, Huntersville.  
**Little Levels District:** Dick McNeel, Millpoint; Lucy Auldridge, Hillsboro.

## REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

**Chairman:** D. C. Adkison, Marlinton.  
**Associate Chairman:** Mrs. J. Hobbs Rose, Cass.  
**Secretary:** Mrs. H. E. Hiner, Marlinton.  
**Treasurer:** Amos Wooddell, Marlinton.

### Members

**Edray District:** D. C. Adkison, Marlinton; Mrs. H. E. Hiner, Marlinton.  
**Green Bank District:** R. W. Fox, Cass; Lelia Little, Durbin.  
**Huntersville District:** W. R. Pierson, Huntersville; Mrs. C. P. McElwee, Minnehaha Springs.  
**Little Levels District:** J. M. Workman, Seebert; Mrs. H. M. Elmore, Seebert.

## PRESTON COUNTY

Formed in 1818 from Monongalia County and named in honor of James Patton Preston, Revolutionary hero and Governor of Virginia, 1816-1819, Hopemont Sanitarium, state owned, is located at Hopemont (unincorporated).

Parts of Cooper's Rock State Forest and the Monongahela National Forest are located in this county, and Arthur-

dale Homestead, a federal project, is located at Arthurdale (unincorporated).

**Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products:** Coal, lumber, cement; buckwheat, hay and grain, potatoes, livestock, dairying, poultry, maple sugar.

**County Seat:** Kingwood.

**Magisterial Districts (8):** Grant, Kingwood, Lyon, Pleasant, Portland, Reno, Union and Valley.

**Voting Precincts:** 53.

**Area:** 653.88 square miles.

**Population (1930):** 29,043.

**Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1939),** \$21,792,195.

## COUNTY OFFICIALS

(Post office address Kingwood, unless otherwise indicated)

### Circuit Court (18th Judicial Circuit)

**Judge:** A. G. Hughes, (R).

**Terms of Circuit Court:** Second Tuesday in March and June, and fourth Tuesday in October.

**Clerk:** Hobart Spindler, (R).

**Court Reporter:** Efa Duvall, (R).

**Commissioners in Chancery:** Charles P. Wilhelm, (R); James T. Dailey, (R); R. Doyne Halbritter, (R); F. Ewan Parrack, (R).

**Divorce Commissioner:** (Vacancy).

**General Receiver:** Felix Elliott, (R).

### County Officers

**Assessor:** C. E. Gustkey, (R).

**Board of Education:** H. G. Crogan, (R); R. H. Fretwell, (R), Mannheim; M. Porter Jenkins, (R), Masonstown; Dr. F. D. Fortney, (R), Newburg; Dr. A. G. DeFoe, (R), Bruceton Mills.

**Circuit Clerk:** Hobart Spindler, (R).

**County Clerk:** P. F. King, (R).

**County Superintendent:** Paul W. Watson.

**Assistant:** Kenneth W. Shaffer.

**Prosecuting Attorney:** Melvin C. Snyder, (R).

**Sheriff:** W. C. Roth, (R).

**County Surveyor:** H. S. Laird, (R).

**Coroner:** H. Foster Hartman.

**Commissioners of Accounts:** R. Doyne Halbritter, (R); H. G. Crogan, (R); Frank B. Everhart, (R); Charles P. Wilhelm, (R).

**County Commissioners:** A. L. Reed, (R), Newburg; John M. Harsh, (R), Eglon; Charles W. Cale, (D), Masontown; Jesse DeBerry, (R), Terra Alta; Vincent Howell, (R), Newburg; John F. Miller, (D), Albright; F. M. Cunningham, (R), Bruceton Mills; G. E. Borgman, (D).

**Terms of County Court:** First Monday in each month.

**Public Assistance Council:** L. U. Wingate, (D); Mrs. Beatrice MacIver, (D), Tunnelton; Joe VanZandt, (R), Tunnelton; M. W. McGinnis, (D), Howesville; A. L. Reed, (R), Newburg, member County Court, *ex-officio*.

**Director of Public Assistance:** James C. Frame.

**Road Maintenance Superintendent:** B. T. Gibson.

**County Agent:** F. J. Reed.

**Home Demonstration Agent:** Eleanor E. Hoard.

**President Farm Bureau:** J. M. Brown.  
**County Health Officer:** Dr. C. Y. Moser.

**County Health Nurses:** Madeline Pershing; Frances Sturm.

**Matron Children's Home:** Mrs. Freeman Miller.

**Superintendent County Infirmary:** Freeman Miller.

## JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES

(By Magisterial Districts)

### Grant District

**Justices of the Peace:**

J. D. Evans, (R), Hazelton.  
C. R. Michaels, (R), Bruceton Mills.

**Constable:**  
(Vacancy)

### Kingwood District

**Justices of the Peace:**

I. R. Mattingly, (R), Kingwood.  
Troy A. Wilson, (D), Kingwood.

**Constables:**  
Paul Gidley, (R), Kingwood.  
James J. Elliott, (R), Kingwood.

### Lyon District

**Justices of the Peace:**

Clarence E. Chidester, (R), Newburg.  
(Vacancy)

**Constable:**  
(Vacancy)

### Pleasant District

**Justices of the Peace:**

Frank C. Rodeheaver, (R), Hazelton.  
Ben C. Reckard, (R), Cuzzart.

**Constables:**

D. C. Feather, (R), Hazelton.  
Ivan Friend, (R), Cuzzart.

### Portland District

**Justices of the Peace:**

Grant Whitehair, (R), Terra Alta.  
(Vacancy)

**Constables:**

Paul Tasker, (R), Terra Alta.  
C. H. Bucklew, (R), Terra Alta.

### Reno District

**Justices of the Peace:**

Ira A. Proudfoot, (R), Rowlesburg.  
B. F. Woodward, (R), Newburg.

**Constables:**

(Vacancy)  
J. B. Britton, (R), Rowlesburg.

### Union District

**Justices of the Peace:**

Gay L. Wotring, (R), Aurora.  
John Slabaugh, (R), Horse Shoe Run.

**Constables:**

H. S. Myers, (R), Aurora.  
Frank Stemple, (R), Aurora.

### Valley District

**Justices of the Peace:**

Virgil McMillin, (R), Reedsville.  
J. P. Hundley, (R), Masontown.

**Constables:**

H. B. Jackson, (R), Reedsville.  
Earl Forman, (D), Reedsville.

## ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Kingwood, unless otherwise indicated)

Crogan, H. G., (R)  
Crogan, P. J., (D)  
Dailey, James T., (R)  
Everhart, Frank, (R)  
(Terra Alta)  
Everhart, L. F., (R)  
(Terra Alta)  
Gibson, H. J., (D)  
Gibson, J. V., (D)  
(United States Attorney)

Gibson, Cramer, (D)  
 Halbritter, R. Doyne, (R)  
 Hughes, A. G., (R)  
 (Judge Circuit Court)  
 Hundley, J. P., (R)  
 (Masonstown)  
 Mattingly, I. R., (R)  
 Parrack, Deets, (R)  
 (Terra Alta)  
 Parrack, F. Evan, (R)  
 Parrack, Frank E., (R)  
 Pierce, C. C., (R)  
 Snyder, Melvin C., (R)  
 (Prosecuting Attorney)  
 Trickett, Arden, (D)  
 (Gladesville)  
 Wilhelm, Charles P., (R)

**DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

**Officers**

Chairman: (Vacancy)  
 Secretary: (Vacancy)  
 Treasurer: (Vacancy)

**Members**

Grant District: P. H. Cuppett, Glade Farms; Mrs. A. A. Rudd, Bruceton Mills.  
 Kingwood District: R. E. Hunt, Tunnelton; (Vacancy).  
 Lyon District: H. A. Bailey, Independence; (Vacancy).  
 Pleasant District: Ralph Kelly, Brandonville; Evelyn Lawson, Hazelton.  
 Portland District: C. Harland Jenkins, Hopemont; Mrs. Pearl Lawson, Terra Alta.  
 Reno District: Gail Gray, Tunnelton; Mrs. M. V. Pugh, Rowlesburg.  
 Union District: (Vacancy); Bernice C. Long, Aurora.  
 Valley District: W. E. Smith, Masonstown; Mrs. Irene Alsopp, Bretz.

**REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

**Officers**

Chairman: Charles P. Wilhelm, Kingwood.  
 Secretary: Melvin C. Snyder, Kingwood.  
 Treasurer: Leslie C. Halbritter, Tunnelton.

**Members**

Grant District: Jesse H. Benson, Bruceton Mills; Mrs. May Darby, Bruceton Mills.  
 Kingwood District: Leslie C. Halbritter, Tunnelton; Mrs. Mary C. Brady, Kingwood.  
 Lyon District: Ben H. Wolfe, Newburg; Meryl Densmore, Newburg.  
 Pleasant District: Herman Dillow, Albright; Mrs. Glenn Crane, Valley Point.  
 Portland District: C. T. Kelly, Terra Alta; Mrs. Zona McI. Faulkner, Terra Alta.  
 Reno District: H. R. Hollis, Rowlesburg; Mrs. Jessie Funk, Rowlesburg.  
 Union District: Mrs. Elizabeth Fike, Eglon; Tom Teets, Aurora.  
 Valley District: C. G. Gibson, Reedsville; Mrs. Luella McMillen, Masontown.

**PUTNAM COUNTY**

Created in 1848 from parts of Kanawha, Mason and Cabell Counties, and named in honor of General Israel Putnam, New England soldier and patriot.

At Scary Creek, on July 17, 1861, was fought the first engagement of any note of the Civil War in the Kanawha Valley.

Red House Farms, a federal project, located at Eleanor (unincorporated).

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Coal, chemicals, rayon pulp; tobacco, hay and grain, livestock, dairying.

County Seat: Winfield.

Magisterial Districts (6): Buffalo, Curry, Poca, Scott, Teays Valley, and Union.

Voting Precincts: 31.

Area: 350.57 square miles.

Population (1930): 16,737.

Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1939), \$16,516,000.

**COUNTY OFFICIALS**

(Post office address Winfield, unless otherwise indicated)

**Circuit Court (6th Judicial Circuit)**

Judge: Carney M. Layne, (D), Huntington.

Terms of Circuit Court: First Monday in March; fourth Monday in June; third Monday in October.

**Clerk:** J. W. Anderson, (R).  
**Court Reporter:** Elizabeth G. Huston, (D), Huntington.  
**Commissioners in Chancery:** J. W. Anderson, (R); J. E. Billups, (D), Hurricane.  
**Divorce Commissioner:** B. T. Clayton, (D).  
**General Receiver:** None.

### County Officers

**Assessor:** J. H. Matthews, (D).  
**Board of Education:** Curtis Pickens, (D), Winfield; E. Anderson, (D), Poca; A. N. Sumner, (R), Hurricane; P. K. Fravel, (R), Winfield; C. C. Billups, (D), Hurricane.  
**Circuit Clerk:** J. W. Anderson, (R).  
**County Clerk:** A. M. Brown, (D).  
**County Superintendent:** O. O. White.  
**Assistant:** S. R. Wood.  
**Prosecuting Attorney:** C. E. Copen, (R).  
**Assistant:** H. W. Bayer, (R).  
**Sheriff:** F. H. Moss, (D).  
**County Surveyor:** C. E. Ellis, (D).  
**Hurricane.**  
**Coroner:** A. G. Young.  
**Commissioners of Accounts:** A. G. Young, (D); H. W. Bayer, (R).  
**County Commissioners:** E. S. Cartmill, (D); James Utt, (D), Poca; C. A. Neal, (D), Frazlers Bottom.  
**Terms of County Court:** First Monday in March, June, October and December.  
**Public Assistance Council:** Mrs. Roy O. Good, (R), Poca; Wilbur Billups, (D), Hurricane; Walter Foster, (R), Hurricane; Mrs. J. S. Frazier, (D), Scott Depot; E. S. Cartmill, (D), member County Court, *ex-officio*.  
**Director of Public Assistance:** W. E. Thompson.  
**Road Maintenance Superintendent:** J. C. Slack.  
**County Agent:** B. A. Hensley.  
**President Farm Bureau:** Wayne W. Cannon, Hurricane.  
**County Health Officer:** Dr. M. F. Raine, (Point Pleasant).  
**County Health Nurse:** Ruth Barco.  
**Superintendent County Infirmary:** Homer Duke, Scott Depot.

### JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES

(By Magisterial Districts)

#### Buffalo District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
 Walter H. Lavender, (R), Buffalo.  
 T. J. McGinnis, (R), Robertsburg.

**Constables:**  
 Harry Jones, (R), Robertsburg.  
 (Vacancy)

#### Curry District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
 J. F. Keeling, (D), Hurricane.  
 L. L. Burdette, (D), Hurricane.

**Constables:**  
 W. R. Pate, (D), Hurricane.  
 L. E. Chaney, (D), Hurricane.

#### Poca District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
 J. W. Johnson, (D), Nitro.  
 J. T. Lett, (D), Bancroft.

**Constable:**  
 (Vacancy)

#### Scott District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
 A. G. Young, (D), Winfield.  
 W. S. Childers, (R), Winfield.

**Constables:**  
 J. R. Meadows, (D), Scott Depot.  
 (Vacancy)

#### Teays Valley District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
 G. P. Foster, (R), Hurricane.  
 George W. Sovine, (R), Hurricane.

**Constables:**  
 (Vacancy)  
 (Vacancy)

#### Union District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
 F. M. Rairden, (R), Red House.  
 Riley B. Gunnoe, (R), Red House.

**Constables:**  
 Curtis Kelley, (R), Plymouth.  
 Richard McClanahan, (D), Plymouth.

**ATTORNEYS**

(Post office address Winfield, unless otherwise indicated)

- Bayer, H. W., (R)  
(Assistant Prosecuting Attorney)
- Beckett, O. G., (R)  
(St. Albans)
- Billups, J. E., (D)  
(Hurricane)
- Clayton, B. T., (D)  
(Hurricane)
- Copen, C. E., (R)  
(Prosecuting Attorney)
- Musgrave, R. F., (R)

**DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

**Officers**

- Chairman: C. A. Henderson, Hurricane.
- Associate Chairman: Mrs. Grace Craddock, Nitro.
- Secretary: C. B. Miller, Winfield.
- Treasurer: J. T. Garrett, Hurricane.

**Members**

- Buffalo District: Robert G. Flite, Buffalo; Levada Sheets, Pliny.
- Curry District: Everett McGhee, Hurricane; Mrs. Roscoe Mitchell, Hurricane.
- Poca District: J. A. Goodwin, Poca; Mrs. Grace Craddock, Nitro.
- Scott Depot: (Vacancy); Mrs. Ruth Cartmill, Winfield.
- Teays Valley District: Clarence Gibson, Hurricane; Mrs. Pearlle Frazier, Fraziers Bottom.
- Union District: D. L. Ambler, Red House; Mrs. Andy Huffman, Red House.

**REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

**Officers**

- Chairman: C. E. Copen, Winfield.
- Secretary: W. Z. Cash, Winfield.
- Treasurer: A. N. Sumner, Hurricane.

**Members**

- Buffalo District: W. E. Lewis, Buffalo; Frances Nease, Buffalo.
- Curry District: A. N. Sumner, Hurricane; Mrs. H. F. Henson, Hurricane.

- Poca District: Carl Carruthers, Poca; Vergie Harrison, Paradise.
- Scott District: W. Z. Cash, Winfield; Mrs. Leslie Childers, Winfield.
- Teays Valley District: W. S. Sovine, Hurricane; Mrs. C. E. Foster, Hurricane.
- Union District: A. L. Knapp, Bee; Mary Jividen, Buffalo.

**RALEIGH COUNTY**

Created in 1850 from the southern portion of Fayette County, and named for Sir Walter Raleigh, the English adventurer and soldier.

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Coal, lumber; potatoes, oats, buckwheat.

- County Seat: Beckley.
- Magisterial Districts (7): Clear Fork, Marsh Fork, Richmond, Shady Springs, Slab Fork, Town and Trap Hill.
- Voting Precincts: 73.
- Area: 610.15 square miles.
- Population (1930): 68,072.
- Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1939), \$47,124,572.

**COUNTY OFFICIALS**

(Post office address Beckley, unless otherwise indicated)

**Circuit Court (10th Judicial Circuit)**

- Judge: W. H. File, Sr., (D).
- Terms of Circuit Court: Third Monday in February; third Monday in May; fourth Monday in August; first Monday in December.
- Clerk: Van Hunter, (D).
- Court Reporter: Irma Sutphin, (D).
- Commissioners in Chancery: M. L. Painter, (R); Kyle D. Harper, (D); Fletcher W. Mann, (R); Harry E. McCreery, (D); A. D. Preston, (D); Millard F. French, (R).
- Divorce Commissioner: Herbert Stansbury, (D).
- General Receiver: Dr. K. M. Jarrell, (D).

**Criminal Court**

- Judge: Harley M. Kilgore, (D), Beckley.
- Clerk: Van Hunter, (D).
- Court Reporter: Mrs. G. Evelyn Thompson, (D).

**Terms of Court:** Second Monday in January; third Monday in March; second Monday in June; third Monday in October.

### County Officers

**Assessor:** Ira Whitlock, (D).  
**Board of Education:** Dr. F. J. Moore, (D), Affinity; Golden L. Meadows, (D), Princetown; J. Q. Cooper, (D), Coal City; K. O. Green, (D), Ghent; Frank Billups, (D).

**Circuit Clerk:** Van Hunter, (D).

**County Clerk:** Harry Anderson, (D).

**County Superintendent:** E. Van Dorsey.

**Assistants:** D. W. Bryson; R. C. Swim; E. M. Ashworth; John B. Elliott, (colored).

**Prosecuting Attorney:** W. A. Thornhill, Jr., (D).

**Assistant:** W. H. McGinnis, Jr., (D).

**Sheriff:** H. G. Farmer, (D).

**County Surveyor:** Phillip Wilson, (R).

**Coroner:** Dr. W. W. Hume.

**Commissioners of Accounts:** J. E. Summerfield, (D); M. L. Painter, (R); Floyd M. Sayre, (R); Ned H. Ragland, (D).

**County Commissioners:** John R. Smith, (D), Daniels; Ash Mankin, (D); E. E. Justice, (D), Princetown.

**Terms of County Court:** First Tuesday in April, July, October and December.

**Public Assistance Council:** E. E. Bibb, (D); E. L. Colcord, (R), Montcoal; C. A. Byus, (R); Perry A. Cook, (D); John R. Smith, (D), Daniels, member County Court, *ex-officio*.

**Director of Public Assistance:** Edgar Worrell, Jr.

**Road Maintenance Superintendent:** M. J. Meadows.

**County Agent:** H. B. Thomas (Assistant).

**President Farm Bureau:** R. C. Skaggs, Shady Springs.

**County Health Officer:** Dr. W. W. Hume.

**County Health Nurses:** Blanche Cameron; Ann O. Skaggs.

**Superintendent County Infirmary:** Mrs. Maude Bryant.

## JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES

(By Magisterial Districts)

### Clear Fork District

**Justices of the Peace:**

F. H. Stewart, (D), Dorothy.  
 C. H. Workman, (D), Colcord.

**Constables:**

Azel Stover, (D), Clear Creek.  
 Quincy Burgess, (D), Artie.

### Marsh Fork District

**Justices of the Peace:**

C. R. Clay, (R), Pettus.  
 B. P. Pettry, (R), Naomi.

**Constables:**

Carl Jarrell, (R), Naomi.  
 Virgil Adams, (R), Edwight.

### Richmond District

**Justices of the Peace:**

J. J. Richmond, (R), Pluto.  
 J. Clyde Hogan, (R), Hinton.

**Constables:**

Oscar Jones, (R), Pear.  
 C. O. Smith, (R), Abraham.

### Shady Springs District

**Justices of the Peace:**

E. E. Lilly, (D), Shady Springs.  
 Frank McClain, (D), Beaver.

**Constables:**

W. W. Brammer, (D), Coalridge.  
 Ed. Kincaid, (D), Beaver.

### Slab Fork District

**Justices of the Peace:**

J. K. Cole, (D), Besoco.  
 E. T. Hardaway, (D), Killarney.

**Constables:**

Everett A. Shutt, (D), Rhodell.  
 C. C. Walker, (D), Lillybrook.

### Town District

**Justices of the Peace:**

James P. Meadows, (D), Beckley.  
 Frank E. Lemon, (D), Beckley.

**Constables:**

George O. Mills, (D), Beckley.  
 Clyde McDowell, (D), Glen White.

**Trap Hill District**

**Justices of the Peace:**

L. W. Worley, (D), Bolt.  
Hugh Brooks, (D), Glen Daniel.

**Constables:**

Mack B. Streagle, (D), Eccles.  
Earl Smith, (D), Eccles.

**ATTORNEYS**

(Post office address Beckley, unless otherwise indicated)

Ashworth, Ben H., (D)  
Ashworth, David D., (R), (A&S)  
Ashworth, R. J., (R)  
Ashworth and Sanders  
    Ashworth, David D., (R)  
    Sanders, Carl C., (R)  
Ballard, George L., (R)  
Bowers, K. D., (R), (S&B)  
Bumgardner, J. L., (D)  
Butts, J. S., (R)  
Clay, W. S., (R)  
    (Raleigh)  
Crouse, Clay S., (D), (HC&T)  
Cunningham, Kenneth, (R)  
Dunn, Hugh A., (R)  
Edmundson, J. K., (R)  
File, Ashton, (D), (FS&F)  
File, Dwight A., (D), (FS&F)  
File, W. H., (D)  
    (Judge Circuit Court)  
File, W. H., Jr., (D), (FS&F)  
File, Scherer and File  
    File, Ashton, (D)  
    Scherer, L. L., (D)  
    File, W. H., Jr., (D)  
    File, Dwight A., (D)  
French, Millard F., (R)  
French, Robert M., (R)  
Harless, C. R., (R)  
Harper, Kyle D., (D)  
Hatcher, John H., (R)  
    (Judge Supreme Court of Appeals)  
Hedrick, Opplø L., (R)  
Henderson, James M., (R)  
Hutchinson, John Q., (R), (HC&T)  
Hutchinson, Crouse and Trail  
    Hutchinson, John Q., (R)  
    Crouse, Clay S., (D)  
    Trail, Grover C., (R)  
Kilgore, Harley M., (D)  
    (Judge Criminal Court)  
Lilly, David, (R)  
    (Beaver)

Lilly, Londa, (D)  
    (Ghent)  
Locke, Kermit A., (R)  
Luchini, Joseph, (R)  
Mann, Fletcher W., (R), (McG&M)  
Massey, W. A., (R)  
    (Packsville)  
Massie, E. R., Jr., (D)  
Maxwell, J. W., (R)  
Maxwell, Louise, (R)  
Meadows, Clarence W., (D)  
    (Attorney General)  
McCreery, Harry L., (D)  
McGinnis, J. D., (R)  
McGinnis, James H., (D), (McG&M)  
McGinnis, W. H., (D), (McG&M)  
    (Assistant Prosecuting Attorney)  
McGinnis and Mann  
    McGinnis, James H., (D)  
    McGinnis, W. H., (D)  
    Mann, Fletcher W., (R)  
Painter, M. L., (R)  
Payne, Brown W., (R)  
Preston, A. D., (D)  
Ragland, Ned H., (D)  
Renshaw, W. C. W., (D), (W&R)  
Riffe, W. A., (D)  
Ross, C. T., (R)  
Sanders, Carl C., (R), (A&S)  
Sayre, Floyd M., (R), (S&B)  
Sayre and Bowers  
    Sayre, Floyd M., (R)  
    Bowers, K. D., (R)  
Scherer, L. L., (D), (FS&F)  
Scott, Hal M., (R)  
Scott, S. Verne, (R)  
Stansbury, Herbert, (D)  
Summerfield, J. E., (D)  
Thornhill, W. A., Jr., (D)  
    (Prosecuting Attorney)  
Trail, Grover C., (R), (HC&T)  
Williams, George W., (D), (W&R)  
Williams and Renshaw  
    Williams, George W., (D)  
    Renshaw, W. C. W., (D)

**DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

**Officers**

**Chairman:** Dr. K. M. Jarrell, Beckley.  
**Associate Chairmen:** Mrs. Harry Anderson, Beckley; L. L. Scherer, Beckley.  
**Secretary-Treasurer:** Mrs. Lessie Phipps, Beckley.

**Members**

- Clear Fork District:** John Kirk, Dorothy; Mrs. Mabel Thompson, Am-eagle.
- Marsh Fork District:** George F. Baxter, Eunice; (Vacancy).
- Richmond District:** E. E. Fox, Abraham; Mrs. Pansy Plumley, Pear.
- Shady Springs District:** Carlton Lilly, Beaver; Mrs. John McGinnis, Blue Jay.
- Slab Fork District:** Dr. W. C. Covey, Winding Gulf; Mrs. Ida Church, Coal City.
- Town District:** L. L. Scherer, Beckley; Mrs. Estelle Thornhill, Beckley.
- Trap Hill District:** Vinson Snuffer, Surveyor; Mrs. Lannie Lacy Sellers, Eccles.

**City of Beckley**

- Isaac McKinney, Beckley; Mrs. Leslie Phipps, Beckley.

**REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE****Officers**

- Chairman:** John Q. Hutchinson, Beckley.
- Vice Chairmen:** Mrs. Robt. Reardon, Beckley; Mrs. Sarah Jones, East Beckley; Brown W. Payne, Beckley; Wm. T. Blakeley, Beckley.
- Secretary:** Mrs. Edith Bailey Sneed, Beckley.
- Treasurer:** Robert M. French, Beckley.

**Members**

- Clear Fork District:** Harloe Stover, Artie; Mrs. Delphia Jarrell, Colcord.
- Marsh Fork District:** John Burnside, Marfork; Mrs. Sylvia Pettry, Naomi.
- Richmond District:** Jackson Plumley, Abraham; Mrs. Calvin Richmond, New.
- Shady Springs District:** W. O. McGinnis, Ghent; Mrs. Lillie McKinney, Ghent.
- Slab Fork District:** W. F. Clark, East Gulf; Mrs. Troy Claytor, McAlpin.
- Town District:** Everette Sayre, Beckley; Mrs. Iva Williams, Beckley.
- Trap Hill District:** H. P. Stanley, Eccles; Mrs. Maude Millam, Glen Daniel.

**RANDOLPH COUNTY**

Largest county in the state. Created from Harrison County in 1787, and named for Edmund Jennings Randolph, a distinguished jurist and Governor of Virginia, 1786-1788.

Kumbrabow State Forest and part of the Monongahela National Forest are located in this county, and Tygart Valley Homestead, a federal project, is located at Valley Bend (unincorporated).

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Lumber, coal, tannery (sole leather); potatoes, hay and grain, livestock, dairying.

**County Seat:** Elkins.

**Magisterial Districts (9):** Beverly, Dry Fork, Huttonsville, Leadsville, Middle Fork, Mingo, New Interest, Roaring Creek, and Valley Bend.

**Voting Precincts:** 45.

**Area:** 1046.34 square miles.

**Population (1930):** 25,049.

**Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1930),** \$18,532,180.

**COUNTY OFFICIALS**

(Post office address Elkins, unless otherwise indicated)

**Circuit Court (20th Judicial Circuit)**

- Judge:** John F. Brown, (R).
- Terms of Circuit Court:** Third Tuesday in February and May, and second Tuesday in October.
- Clerk:** F. E. Tallman, (R).
- Court Reporter:** P. H. Markley, (R).
- Commissioners in Chancery:** C. W. Harding, (D), Beverly; J. J. Madden, (R); Keith Cunningham, (R).
- Divorce Commissioner:** C. W. Maxwell, (R).
- General Receiver:** Davis Trust Company.

**County Officers**

- Assessor:** Oliver C. Daniels, (D).
- Board of Education:** Dr. J. L. Bosworth, (D), Mill Creek; Phil Williams, (D); Fred Chenoweth, (D); Wilson Ware, (D), Valley Head; Mrs. T. O. McVane, (D).
- Circuit Clerk:** F. E. Tallman, (R).
- County Clerk:** John S. Caplinger, (D).

**County Superintendent:** Bryan Hamilton.

**Assistants:** Emily J. Wilmoth;  
Henry Hamilton.

**Prosecuting Attorney:** Stanley S. Bosworth, (D).

**Sheriff:** D. W. Crawford, (D).

**County Surveyor:** Owen Crickard, (D), Beverly.

**Commissioners of Accounts:** C. W. Harding, (D), Beverly; J. F. Strader, (D), Beverly; LeRoy See, (D); A. E. Florentino, (R).

**County Commissioners:** Lee J. Kelley, (D), Huttonsville; Ray Ward, (D); Wade H. Hart, (D).

**Terms of County Court:** First Tuesday in March, June, October and December.

**Public Assistance Council:** C. W. Maxwell, (R); Dr. W. G. Harper, (D); Otto S. Russell, (R), Mill Creek; Dr. Fred H. Barron, (D); Lee J. Kelly, (D), Huttonsville, member County Court, *ex-officio*.

**Director of Public Assistance:** Mrs. B. M. Hoover.

**Road Maintenance Superintendent:** J. L. Goddin.

**County Agent:** Robert L. Hammer.

**Home Demonstration Agent:** Margaret E. Garvin.

**Club Agent:** Werner Wegman.

**President Farm Bureau:** Nelson Pingley.

**President Farm Women's Bureau:** Mrs. Wilson Sharpless.

**County Health Officer:** Dr. A. K. Fidler.

**Superintendent County Infirmary:** A. C. Woodford, Beverly.

**JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES**

(By Magisterial Districts)

**Beverly District**

**Justices of the Peace:**  
J. Loman Hartsaw, (D), Beverly.  
C. C. Crickard, (D), Beverly.

**Constables:**  
C. E. Wees, (D), Beverly.  
Rembert Yoakum, (D), Beverly.

**Dry Fork District**

**Justices of the Peace:**  
Frank Warner, (D), Job.  
Asa Harman, (D), Harman.

**Constables:**  
Lloyd Coberly, (D), Job.  
(Vacancy)

**Huttonsville District**

**Justices of the Peace:**  
Lewis Luther, (D), Mill Creek.  
(Vacancy)

**Constable:**  
(Vacancy)

**Leadsville District**

**Justices of the Peace:**  
R. B. Caplinger, (D), Elkins.  
G. W. L. Doyle, (D), Elkins.

**Constables:**  
O. K. Isner, (D), Elkins.  
Stanley Russell, (D), Elkins.

**Middle Fork District**

**Justice of the Peace:**  
U. C. Shock, (D), Helvetia.

**Constable:**  
(Vacancy)

**Mingo District**

**Justices of the Peace:**  
Ellet Hogan, (D), Monterville.  
C. N. Fowler, (D), Valley Head.

**Constables:**  
Clinton McGhee, (D), Valley Head.  
Geo. Doerflein, (D), Valley Head.

**New Interest District**

**Justice of the Peace:**  
(Vacancy)

**Constable:**  
(Vacancy)

**Roaring Creek District**

**Justices of the Peace:**  
Floyd Pennington, (D), Ellamore.  
(Vacancy)

**Constables:**  
Thomas Richardson, (R), Coalton.  
Ervin Stalnaker, (R), Norton.

**Valley Bend District**

**Justice of the Peace:**  
(Vacancy)

**Constable:**  
Earl Currence, (D), Valley Bend.

**ATTORNEYS**

(Post office address Elkins, unless otherwise indicated)

Arnold, D. H. Hill, (D)  
Bolton, Alan G., (R)  
Bosworth, Stanley, (D)  
(Prosecuting Attorney)  
Bowers, E. A., (R)  
Brown, Bonn, (D)  
Brown, John F., (R)  
(Judge Circuit Court)  
Cain, John A., (D)  
Crawford, Donald K., (D)  
Cunningham, M. Keith, (R)  
Fiorentino, A. E., (R)  
Fowler, L. Baker, (D)  
Gibson, Milford L., (D)  
Harding, C. W., (D)  
(Beverly)  
Higginbotham, H. K., (D)  
Hoover, B. M., (D)  
Hyer, Jacob S., (D)  
(Assistant U. S. Attorney)  
Kump, Cyrus S., (D)  
Kump, H. G., (D)  
Madden, Joseph J., (R)  
Mather, John C., (D)  
Maxwell, C. W., (R)  
Maxwell, E. L., (D)  
Scott, Cyrus H., (D)  
See, LeRoy, (D)  
(Assistant Prosecuting Attorney)  
Strader, J. Floyd, (D)  
(Beverly)  
Striebly, C. O., (D)  
Tallman, F. E., (R)  
(Circuit Clerk)

**DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE****Officers**

**Chairman:** Dr. Blair E. Simons, Elkins.  
**Associate Chairman:** Bonn Brown.  
**Secretary:** (Vacancy).  
**Treasurer:** Edna Wood, Mingo.

**Members**

**Beverly District:** Donald Crawford, Beverly; Mrs. Carrie Triplett, Elkins.

**Dry Fork District:** Richard Armstrong, Harman; Mrs. Jay Montoney, Gladly.

**Huttonsville District:** D. C. Bell, Mill Creek; Mrs. H. C. Wamsley, Huttonsville.

**Lendsville District:** Dr. Blair Simons, Elkins; Mrs. Harry Moore, Elkins.

**Middle Fork District:** B. M. O'Donnel, Pickens; Mrs. James Phillips, Adolph.

**Mingo District:** J. Ernest Conrad, Monterville; Edna Wood, Mingo.

**New Interest District:** Guy E. Coberly, Montrose; Mrs. Lelah V. Baker, Kerens.

**Roaring Creek District:** Warren Powers, Norton; Mrs. Harvey Winters, Norton.

**Valley Bend District:** C. L. Phares, Valley Bend; Alice Wamsley, Valley Bend.

**REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE****Officers**

**Chairman:** Dr. A. M. Fredlock, Elkins.  
**Associate Chairman:** Mrs. Gettie Shaver, Elkins.  
**Vice Chairman:** Merritt Wilson, Jr., Elkins.  
**Secretary:** H. C. Kesling, Elkins.  
**Treasurer:** Howard Keim, Elkins.

**Members**

**Beverly District:** John Nelson, Beverly; Mrs. Eula Barlow, Beverly.  
**Dry Fork District:** Herbert Roy, Harman; Mrs. C. B. Rouse, Evanwood.  
**Huttonsville District:** Dan Carr, Mill Creek; Mrs. J. A. Cox, Huttonsville.  
**Lendsville District:** H. H. Kerr, Elkins; Mrs. Rose V. Fredlock, Elkins.  
**Middle Fork District:** A. W. Ewing, Pickens; Mrs. Mabel Daetyler, Helvetia.  
**Mingo District:** F. L. Hannah, Valley Head; Mrs. Eva Wamsley, Valley Head.  
**New Interest District:** C. E. Johnson, Montrose; Mrs. Grace Cross, Kerens.  
**Roaring Creek District:** E. F. Carr, Coalton; Mrs. Jean Kemp, Norton.  
**Valley Bend District:** Hugh Currence, Valley Bend; Mrs. Esther Stanley, Valley Bend.

## RITCHIE COUNTY

Formed in 1843 from parts of Wood, Harrison and Lewis Counties, and named in honor of Thomas Ritchie, a distinguished journalist of Richmond, Virginia, whose mother was a sister of Judge Spencer Roane, for whom Roane County was named.

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Petroleum, natural gas, clothing, glass and glassware; livestock, hay and grain.

County Seat: Harrisville.

Magisterial Districts (4): Clay, Grant, Murphy and Union.

Voting Precincts: 23.

Area: 455.27 square miles.

Population (1930): 15,594.

Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1939), \$20,591,690.

### COUNTY OFFICIALS

(Post office address Harrisville, unless otherwise indicated)

#### Circuit Court (3rd Judicial Circuit)

Judge: S. O. Prunty, (R).

Terms of Circuit Court: Second Tuesday in February, June and October.

Clerk: L. H. Summers, (R).

Court Reporter: F. H. Mayne, (R), Parkersburg.

Commissioners in Chancery: R. S. Blair, Jr., (D); L. L. Cokeley, (R); Thomas J. Davis, (R); Dewey S. Wass, (R).

Divorce Commissioner: H. B. Woods, (R).

General Receiver: Icy L. Netser, (R).

#### County Officers

Assessor: C. S. Black, (R).

Board of Education: Michael Ayers, (R), Smithville; F. S. McCullough, (R), Pennsboro; H. B. Bartlett, (R), Berea; W. H. Hoover, (R), Harrisville; G. S. Flesher, (R), Cairo.

Circuit Clerk: L. H. Summers, (R).

County Clerk: Olin V. Wilson, (R).

County Superintendent: Orval P. Hill.

Assistant: Mark P. Snyder.

Prosecuting Attorney: Max DeBerry, (R).

Sheriff: W. C. Taylor, (R).

County Surveyor: D. G. McGregor, (R).

Coroner: Dr. T. W. Keith.

Commissioners of Accounts: S. A. Powell, (R); Thomas J. Davis, (R); Max DeBerry, (R); R. S. Blair, (D).

County Commissioners: A. R. Douglass, (R), Pike; Harry C. Bee, (R), Pennsboro; M. H. Cox, (R), Pullman.

Terms of County Court: First Monday in January, April, July and October.

Public Assistance Council: Carl Beckner, (D), Smithville; George Connell, (D), Pennsboro; H. G. Raiguel, (R); Arden Wilson, (D); Harry C. Bee, (R), Pennsboro, member County Court, *ex-officio*.

Director of Public Assistance: Archie J. Bruffey.

Road Maintenance Superintendent: C. A. Wilson.

County Agent: Ben Morgan.  
Assistant: Paul A. Miller.

Home Demonstration Agent: Hazel C. Usner.

President Farm Bureau: R. S. Patton.

President Farm Women's Bureau: Mrs. Beatrice Sheets, Holbrook.

County Health Officer: Dr. T. W. Keith.

Superintendent County Infirmary: E. H. Snodgrass.

### JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES

(By Magisterial Districts)

#### Clay District

Justices of the Peace:

J. A. Wooddell, (D), Pennsboro.  
(Vacancy)

Constables:

J. W. Ankrom, (R), Pennsboro.  
Henry M. Cottrill, (D), Pennsboro.

#### Grant District

Justices of the Peace:

R. O. Robinson, (R), Cairo.  
D. W. Satterfield, (R), Pike.

Constables:

G. W. Shook, (R), Cairo.  
(Vacancy)

#### Murphy District

Justice of the Peace:

S. W. Lewis, (R), Girta.

Constable:

(Vacancy)

**Union District****Justices of the Peace:**

A. P. Hatfield, (R), Harrisville.  
W. E. Brake, (R), Auburn.

**Constables:**

R. B. Jett, (R), Harrisville.  
Walter Summerville, (R), Auburn.

**ATTORNEYS**

(Post office address Harrisville, unless otherwise indicated)

Blair, R. S., Jr., (D)  
Davis, Thomas J., (R)  
DeBerry, Max, (R)  
(Prosecuting Attorney)  
Moats, Harry E., (R)  
(Assistant Prosecuting Attorney)  
Morris, Robert, Sr., (R)  
McGinnis, B. F., Sr., (R)  
(Pennsboro)  
Powell, S. A., (R)  
Prunty, S. O., (R)  
(Judge Circuit Court)  
Rymer, H. F., (D)  
(Pennsboro)  
Wass, Dewey S., (R)  
Woods, Homer B., (R)  
Woods, Ralph Davis, (R)  
(Charleston)

**DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE****Officers**

**Chairman:** Waltman T. Snodgrass,  
Pullman.  
**Secretary:** Mrs. Mary G. Pepper,  
Calro.  
**Treasurer:** Mrs. Adda Pribble, Harrisville.

**Members**

**Clay District:** James A. Hogue, Pennsboro; May Loftus, Pennsboro.  
**Grant District:** (Vacancy); Mrs. Mary G. Pepper, Calro.  
**Murphy District:** Earl Stanley, Mellin; Mrs. Ora M. Pribble, Macfarlan.  
**Union District:** John G. Patton, Harrisville; Mrs. Adda Pribble, Harrisville.

**REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE****Officers**

**Chairman:** Icy L. Netser, Harrisville.  
**Vice Chairman:** B. P. Ayers, Smithville.

**Secretary:** E. M. Pierpoint, Harrisville.

**Treasurer:** Mrs. Mattie E. Alkire, Calro.

**Members**

**Clay District:** J. I. Fleming, Pennsboro; Mrs. Dess I. Stealey, Pennsboro.

**Grant District:** John L. Davis, Calro; Mrs. Mattie E. Alkire, Calro.

**Murphy District:** B. P. Ayers, Smithville; Mrs. Flora M. Bonnett, Burnt House.

**Union District:** F. E. Somerville, Pullman; Icy L. Netser, Harrisville.

**ROANE COUNTY**

Created in 1856 from parts of Kanawha, Jackson and Gilmer Counties, and named in honor of Judge Spencer Roane, a distinguished judge of the Supreme Court of Appeals of Virginia, whose wife, Anne, was the daughter of Patrick Henry.

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Petroleum, natural gas; hay and grain, livestock, dairying, poultry.

**County Seat:** Spencer.

**Magisterial Districts (7):** Curtis, Geary, Harper, Reedy, Smithfield, Spencer and Walton.

**Voting Precincts:** 26.

**Area:** 486.20 square miles.

**Population (1930):** 19,478.

**Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1930),** \$22,749,580.

**COUNTY OFFICIALS**

(Post office address Spencer, unless otherwise indicated)

**Circuit Court (5th Judicial Circuit)**

**Judge:** Lewis H. Miller, (R), Ripley.

**Terms of Circuit Court:** Third Monday in January, May and September.

**Clerk:** E. M. Sিনnett, (D).

**Court Reporter:** Minnie Ball, (D).

**Commissioners in Chancery:** A. E. Kenney, (D); Clair Smith, (R); John M. Baker, (R).

**Divorce Commissioner:** None.

**General Receiver:** William Woodyard, (R).

**County Officers**

**Assessor:** Lester H. Drake, (R).  
**Board of Education:** George W. Bowen, (R), Looneyville; Asbury Walker, (R); J. H. Smith, (D), Kester; J. W. Webb, (D); Charles W. Walker, (D), Walton.  
**Circuit Clerk:** E. M. Sinnett, (D).  
**County Clerk:** E. R. Lester, (D).  
**County Superintendent:** Orton R. Karickhoff.  
**Assistant:** L. D. Moore.  
**Prosecuting Attorney:** Clair Smith, (R).  
**Sheriff:** Phil D. Phillips, (R).  
**County Surveyor:** L. B. Greathouse, (R).  
**Coroner:** Dr. F. K. Stewart.  
**Commissioners of Accounts:** John M. Baker, (R); S. P. Bell, (D); Clair Smith, (R).  
**County Commissioners:** Hugh H. Boggs, (D), Wallback; Robert I. Miller, (D); George M. Walker, (R), Walton.  
**Terms of County Court:** First Tuesday in each month.  
**Public Assistance Council:** Harry Holswade, (D); Carl Sergeant, (D), Walton; Pitt Rogers, (R), Wanego; Robert I. Miller, (D), member County Court, *ex-officio*.  
**Director of Public Assistance:** Nina E. Ball.  
**Road Maintenance Superintendent:** I. D. Looney.  
**County Agent:** Paul W. Perrine.  
**Club Agent:** John M. Curry.  
**President Farm Bureau:** Roy G. Hildreth, (Acting), Triplett.  
**County Health Officer:** Dr. M. F. Ralne, (Point Pleasant).  
**County Health Nurse:** Sophia Thomas.  
**Superintendent County Infirmary:** G. A. Mullins, Reedy.

**JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES**

(By Magisterial Districts)

**Curtis District**

**Justice of the Peace:**  
 Hestel Neely, (R), Gay.  
**Constable:**  
 (Vacancy)

**Geary District**

**Justices of the Peace:**  
 E. E. Lloyd, (R), Elana.  
 Snow Cook, (R), Amma.  
**Constables:**  
 (Vacancy)  
 (Vacancy)

**Harper District**

**Justices of the Peace:**  
 John C. Hunt, (R), Walton.  
 (Vacancy)  
**Constables:**  
 W. A. Harper, (R), Ryan.  
 (Vacancy)

**Reedy District**

**Justices of the Peace:**  
 C. S. McClung, (D), Reedy.  
 J. B. Lester, (D), Reedy.  
**Constables:**  
 L. V. Tennant, (R), Reedy.  
 (Vacancy)

**Smithfield District**

**Justice of the Peace:**  
 Asbury Webb, (D), Clover.  
**Constables:**  
 (Vacancy)  
 (Vacancy)

**Spencer District**

**Justices of the Peace:**  
 P. F. Cottle, (D), Spencer.  
 Dennie Wolfe, (D), Spencer.  
**Constables:**  
 George Mace, (D), Spencer.  
 S. J. Young, (D), Spencer.

**Walton District**

**Justices of the Peace:**  
 H. L. Hammack, (R), Gandeeville.  
 (Vacancy)  
**Constables:**  
 J. D. Phillips, (R), Walton.  
 (Vacancy)

**ATTORNEYS**

(Post office address Spencer)

Bell, S. Paris, (D)  
 DePue, Robert, (D)  
 Harper and Baker  
 Harper, J. M., (D)  
 Baker, John M., (R)  
 Hedges, Grover F., (D)  
 Keeney, A. E., (D)

Ryan, Thos. P., (D)  
 Ryan, Wm. S., (R)  
 Smith, Clair, (R)  
 (Prosecuting Attorney)

### DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

**Chairman:** Grover F. Hedges, Spencer.  
**Vice Chairman:** Charley Rogers, Clover.  
**Secretary:** L. F. Dye, Spencer.  
**Treasurer:** F. E. Vandale, Spencer.

#### Members

**Curtis District:** Brooks Ball, Kyger; Sally Cummings, Spencer.  
**Geary District:** George F. Keen, Newton; Nell White, Newton.  
**Harper District:** Willis Reed, Harmony; (Vacancy).  
**Reedy District:** Jarrett Foster, Reedy; Fannie Alderman, Reedy.  
**Smithfield District:** (Vacancy); Bess Looney, Tariff.  
**Spencer District:** Perry Depue, Spencer; Mrs. Leona Goff, Spencer.  
**Walton District:** C. L. Bird, Walton; Mrs. Melissa Dillard, Walton.

### REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

**Chairman:** O. R. Karlickhoff, Spencer.  
**Vice Chairman:** Mrs. Gertrude Bishop, Spencer.  
**Secretary:** Leon Rishel, Clover.  
**Treasurer:** J. W. Boggs, Spencer.

#### Members

**Curtis District:** Oma Atkinson, Reedy; Mrs. Florence Radabaugh, Spencer.  
**Geary District:** Floyd Smith, Uler; Mrs. Virgie Nester, Amma.  
**Harper District:** D. Mason Jones, Harmony; Mrs. Ora Harper, Ryan.  
**Reedy District:** Donald Garrett, Liverpool; Audra Horton, Reedy.  
**Smithfield District:** Carl Sarver, Clover; Mina Samples, Linden.  
**Spencer District:** George W. Garrett, Spencer; Mrs. Joda Kelley, Spencer.  
**Walton District:** W. J. Marks, Walton; Mrs. J. M. Henderson, Walton.

## SUMMERS COUNTY

Formed in 1871 from parts of Monroe, Mercer, Greenbrier and Fayette Counties, and named in honor of George W. Summers, a prominent jurist of Kanawha County.

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Lumber; livestock, hay and grain.

**County Seat:** Hinton.

**Magisterial Districts (6):** Forest Hill, Greenbrier, Green Sulphur, Jumping Branch, Pipestem and Talcott.

**Voting Precincts:** 31.

**Area:** 367.76 square miles.

**Population (1930):** 20,468.

**Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1939),** \$15,867,990.

### COUNTY OFFICIALS

(Post office address Hinton, unless otherwise indicated)

#### Circuit Court (11th Judicial Circuit)

**Judge:** Mark L. Jarrett, (D), Lewisburg.

**Terms of Circuit Court:** Second Tuesday in January, May and September.

**Clerk:** G. J. Hughes, (D).

**Court Reporter:** B. H. Twyford, (D), Lewisburg.

**Commissioners in Chancery:** Thomas L. Read, (D); W. C. Haythe, (D); F. W. Sawyers, (D); P. H. Brown, (R).

**Divorce Commissioner:** T. J. Lilly, (D).

**General Receiver:** O. P. Vines, (D).

#### County Officers

**Assessor:** H. A. Shumate, (D).

**Board of Education:** Mrs. Bessie Deeds, (D); L. G. Dodd, (D), True; Mark Sims, (D), Alderson; W. F. Thompson, (D), Jumping Branch; Adney Meadows, (D).

**Circuit Clerk:** G. J. Hughes, (D).

**County Clerk:** Harold E. Price, (D).

**County Superintendent:** Margaret Nicely Leidig.

**Assistant:** C. N. Gwinn.

**Prosecuting Attorney:** T. L. Read, (D).

**Sheriff:** L. E. Dickinson, (D).

**County Surveyor:** C. J. Lilly, (D).

**Commissioners of Accounts:** W. H. Sawyers, (D); W. A. Brown, (R); W. M. Elswick, (D); T. J. Lilly, (D).

**County Commissioners:** A. L. Butler, (D), Lick Creek; R. H. Ford, (D), Green Sulphur Springs; J. W. Graham, (R).

**Terms of County Court:** First Monday in each month.

**Public Assistance Council:** A. L. Campbell, (D); O. P. Vines, (D); B. S. Hulne, (R); J. M. Roles, (R); John W. Graham, (R), member County Court, *ex-officio*.

**Director of Public Assistance:** Mrs. Mary E. Rice.

**Road Maintenance Superintendent:** W. E. Dougher.

**County Agent:** A. H. Lough.

**Club Agent:** Bonnie Peck.

**President Farm Bureau:** E. C. Harvey, Bellepoint.

**County Health Officer:** Dr. J. W. Stokes.

**Superintendent County Infirmary:** E. H. Neely, True.

## JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES

(By Magisterial Districts)

### Forest Hill District

**Justices of the Peace:**

P. J. Ellison, (D), Marie.  
G. W. Hall, (D), Junta.

**Constable:**

J. F. Webb, (R), Bellepoint.

### Greenbrier District

**Justices of the Peace:**

I. E. Briers, (D), Hinton.  
J. H. Miller, (D), Hinton.

**Constables:**

H. C. Vess, (D), Hinton.  
R. H. Crookshanks, (D), Hinton.

### Green Sulphur District

**Justices of the Peace:**

C. H. Harris, (D), Green Sulphur.  
J. B. Wingfield, (D), Sandstone.

**Constables:**

J. E. Patterson, (D), Elton.  
Frank Welch, (D), Elton.

### Jumping Branch District

**Justice of the Peace:**

S. C. Nichols, (D), Hinton.

**Constables:**

M. H. Lilly, (D), Jumping Branch.  
Paul S. Lilly, (D), Hinton.

### Pipestem District

**Justice of the Peace:**

S. P. Weatherford, (D), Lick Creek.

**Constable:**

(Vacancy)

### Talcott District

**Justices of the Peace:**

John M. Maddy, (D), Talcott.  
Roscoe Hoke, (D), Talcott.

**Constable:**

M. H. Fox, (D), Pence Springs.  
(Vacancy)

## ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Hinton)

Brown, Percy H., (R)  
Brown, W. A., (R)  
Carr, Paul C., (R)  
Eagle, E. C., (R), (E&E)  
Eagle, Harold B., (R), (E&E)  
Eagle and Eagle  
Eagle, E. C., (R)  
Eagle, Harold B., (R)  
Elswick, Walter M., (D)  
Haythe, W. C., (D)  
Lilly, T. J., (D)  
Read, Thomas L., (D)  
(Prosecuting Attorney)  
Sawyers, Frederick W., (D)  
Sawyers, W. H., (D)  
Wise, J. C., (D)

## DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

**Chairman:** Z. Earl Angell, Hinton.  
**Vice Chairman:** George Utterback, Clayton.  
**Secretary:** Lillian Seldomridge, Hinton.  
**Treasurer:** Mrs. Bertie Farley, Hinton.

### Members

**Forest Hill District:** Roy M. Crawford, Forest Hill; Mrs. Truesby Walthall, Indian Mills.  
**Greenbrier District:** F. W. Sawyers, Hinton; Lillian Seldomridge, Hinton.  
**Green Sulphur District:** C. W. Rhodes, Sandstone; Mrs. Clara L. Simmons, Sandstone.  
**Jumping Branch District:** Z. E. Angell, Hinton; Frances Deeds, Jumping Branch.

**Pipestem District:** C. E. Hopkins, Lerona; Mrs. Bertie Farley, Pipestem.  
**Talcott District:** George Utterback, Clayton; Nellie Wallace, Pence Springs.

**Voting Precincts:** 23.  
**Area:** 177.19 square miles.  
**Population (1930):** 19,114.  
**Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1930),** \$19,071,625.

## REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

**Chairman:** Dr. R. S. Neely, Hinton.  
**Vice Chairman:** Mrs. Margaret H. Miller, Lowell.  
**Secretary:** Mrs. Effie M. Meadows, Hinton.  
**Treasurer:** J. M. Roles, Hinton.

### Members

**Forest Hill District:** Orus Sims, Junta; Pauline Keatley, Junta.  
**Greenbrier District:** Dr. R. S. Neely, Hinton; Mrs. Effie M. Meadows, Hinton.  
**Green Sulphur District:** F. E. Huddleston, Sandstone; Mrs. Clyde Gillian, Sandstone.  
**Jumping Branch District:** Taylor Farley, Lilly; Mrs. Hattie Boggs, Madam Creek.  
**Pipestem District:** (Vacancy); (Vacancy).  
**Talcott District:** John W. Wallace, Talcott; Mrs. Margaret H. Miller, Lowell.

## TAYLOR COUNTY

Created in 1844 from parts of Harrison, Barbour and Marion Counties, and named for Senator John Taylor (1750-1824), distinguished soldier and statesman of Caroline County, Virginia.

Tygart River flood control dam, built by the government at a cost of \$18,300,000, is located near Grafton.

West Virginia Industrial School for Boys located at Pruntytown, (unincorporated), which, established in 1801 under the name of Williamsport, was the original county seat.

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Coal, glass and glassware, chinaware; livestock, hay and grain, dairying, poultry.

**County Seat:** Grafton.

**Magisterial Districts (6):** Booth's Creek, Court House, Fetterman, Flemington, Grafton and Knottsville.

## COUNTY OFFICIALS

(Post office address Grafton, unless otherwise indicated)

### Circuit Court (19th Judicial Circuit)

**Judge:** Herbert W. Dent, (D).  
**Terms of Circuit Court:** Second Monday in January, April and September.  
**Clerk:** F. M. Hollis, Jr., (D).  
**Court Reporter:** Mrs. Bertha Thacker, (R), Philippi.  
**Commissioners in Chancery:** J. Guy Allender, (R); Wm. P. Samples, (R).  
**Divorce Commissioner:** None.  
**General Receiver:** Harry Friedman, (D).

### County Officers

**Assessor:** Harry B. Batson, (D).  
**Board of Education:** Dr. Paul P. Warden, (R); P. W. Robinson, (D); J. Gus Lambert, (D); Arthur G. Yates, (R); J. Lee Evans, (D).  
**Circuit Clerk:** F. M. Hollis, Jr., (D).  
**County Clerk:** Ed C. St. Clair, (R).  
**County Superintendent:** E. G. Kuhn.  
**Assistant:** R. Virgil Rohrbough.  
**Prosecuting Attorney:** Francis L. Warden, (D).  
**Sheriff:** Herbert Evans, (D).  
**Coroner:** Dr. Paul P. Warden.  
**Commissioners of Accounts:** W. P. Samples, (R); J. Guy Allender, (R); John K. Burdett, (R); Harry Friedman, (D).  
**County Commissioners:** Harvey A. Poe, (D), Thornton; O. J. Bartlett, (D), Simpson; D. I. Bayley, (R).  
**Terms of County Court:** First Monday in each month.  
**Public Assistance Council:** Lawson D. Delaney, (R); Donley Matthews, (D); Wait Tucker, (D); Charles Brinkman, (R); Harvey A. Poe, (D), Thornton, member County Court, *ex-officio*.  
**Director of Public Assistance:** Fred Lewin.  
**Road Maintenance Superintendent:** W. O. Bolln.  
**County Agent:** Carroll R. Hawkins.

**President Farm Bureau:** A. B. Shroyer.  
**County Health Officer:** Dr. R. D. Stout.  
**Superintendent County Farm:** M. J. Bennett.

## JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES

(By Magisterial Districts)

### Booth's Creek District

**Justice of the Peace:**  
(Vacancy)

**Constable:**  
(Vacancy)

### Court House District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
W. D. Driver, (D), Wendel.  
S. L. Wolfe, (D), Simpson.

**Constables:**  
(Vacancy)  
(Vacancy)

### Fetterman District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
C. P. Lucas, (D), Grafton.  
Levi J. Wilson, (D), Grafton.

**Constable:**  
(Vacancy)

### Flemington District

**Justice of the Peace:**  
John Marks, (D), Flemington.

**Constable:**  
M. T. Lawson, (D), Flemington.

### Grafton District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
Hoye G. White, Sr., (D), Grafton.  
A. B. Knabenshue, (D), Grafton.

**Constables:**  
John W. Snider, (R), Grafton.  
(Vacancy)

### Knottsville District

**Justices of the Peace:**  
Arthur J. Boylen, (D), Grafton.  
J. A. Cunningham, (R), Grafton.

**Constables:**  
E. M. Heaton, (D), Grafton.  
(Vacancy)

## ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Grafton)

Allender, J. Guy, (R)  
 Burdett, John K., (R)  
 Curry, Harry, (D)  
 Dent, H. W., (D)  
 (Judge Circuit Court)  
 Ford, G. W., (R)  
 Ford, Layne H., (D)  
 Friedman, Harry, (D)  
 Gibson, William B., (R)  
 Hechmer, Antionette, (R)  
 Hechmer, John L., (R)  
 Holt, J. C., (R)  
 Holt, James F., (R)  
 Kunst, G. H. A., (R)  
 McPhail, Hugh R., (R)  
 Robinson, Ira E., (R)  
 Robinson, James P., (R)  
 Robinson, Jed W., (R)  
 Samples, W. P., (R)  
 Sommerville, Eugene, (D)  
 Warder, Francis P., (D)  
 (Prosecuting Attorney)  
 Warder, H. R., (R)  
 Watkins, W. M., (R)  
 Wyckoff, E. Bailey, (R)  
 Wyckoff, O. E., (R)

## DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

**Chairman:** Harry Friedman, Grafton.  
**Associate Chairman:** Mrs. Dale Scranage, Grafton.  
**Secretary:** (Vacancy).  
**Treasurer:** Brady Curry, Grafton.

### Members

**Booths Creek District:** Brady Curry, Grafton; Mrs. Dale Scranage, Grafton.  
**Court House District:** Smith W. Wince, Grafton; Mrs. Neva Feltner, Grafton.  
**Fetterman District:** Lucius W. Arble, Thornton; (Vacancy).  
**Flemington District:** Lonzel B. Thomas, Flemington; Mrs. Mary Snyder, Flemington.  
**Grafton District:** John A. Pickett, Grafton; Mrs. Eddie McC. Suddarth, Grafton.  
**Knottsville District:** Murray T. Mason, Grafton; Mrs. Marie Means, Grafton.

## REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

**Chairman:** Thornton W. Beall, Grafton.

**Vice Chairman:** Thomas M. Beall, Grafton.

**Secretary:** Blanche Swisher, Grafton.

**Treasurer:** Pearl Felton, Grafton.

### Members

**Booths Creek District:** Thornton W. Beall, Grafton; Mrs. J. M. Harr, Grafton.

**Court House District:** H. D. Leach, Simpson; Pearl Felton, Grafton.

**Fetterman District:** Guy Meaner, Grafton; Mrs. Irene White, Grafton.

**Flemington District:** Fred Kelley, Rosemont; Mrs. Helen Ross Flemington.

**Grafton District:** Thomas M. Beall Grafton; Mrs. Myrtle M. Thayer Grafton.

**Knottsville District:** Frank Fawcett Grafton; Blanche Swisher, Grafton.

## TUCKER COUNTY

Formed in 1856 from Randolph County and named for Henry St. George Tucker (1780-1848) an eminent jurist and statesman of Virginia. Part of the Monongahela National Forest is located in this County.

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Coal, tannery (sole leather), lumber, woolen fabrics; potatoes, maple sugar, buckwheat, livestock.

**County Seat:** Parsons.

**Magisterial Districts (7):** Black Fork, Clover, Davis, Dry Fork, Fairfax, Licking and St. George.

**Voting Precincts:** 18.

**Area:** 421.67 square miles.

**Population (1930):** 13,374.

**Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1930),** \$7,791,770.

## COUNTY OFFICIALS

(Post office address Parsons, unless otherwise indicated)

**Circuit Court (21st Judicial Circuit) Judge:** Robt. McV. Drane, (D), Piedmont.

**Terms of Circuit Court:** First Tuesday in March and June, and third Tuesday in September and December.  
**Clerk:** Clara Rightmire, (D).

**Court Reporter:** C. H. Graham, (D), Parsons.

**Commissioners in Chancery:** A. F. Phillips, (R); R. D. Heironimus, (D); C. D. Smith, (R); Denny F. Scott, (D).

**Divorce Commissioner:** None.

**General Receiver:** A. F. Phillips, (R).

### County Officers

**Assessor:** J. Harold Felton, (D).

**Board of Education:** John R. Yeager, (D), Thomas; A. Smith Hockman, (D); Mike Ferruso, (R), Thomas; Porter L. Marsh, (D); G. W. Harper, (D), Dry Fork.

**Circuit Clerk:** Clara Rightmire, (D).

**County Clerk:** Ernest L. Moon, (R).

**County Superintendent:** Shirley Cooper.  
**Assistant:** Jesse E. Riley.

**Prosecuting Attorney:** Denny F. Scott, (D).

**Sheriff:** Stark L. Coberly, (D).

**County Surveyor:** John B. Carwell, (D), Hendricks.

**Commissioners of Accounts:** A. F. Phillips, (R); W. M. Harman, (R); R. D. Heironimus, (D); Denny F. Scott, (D).

**County Commissioners:** J. F. Robinson, (D); Harry DePollo, (D), Thomas; Walter Hovatter, (D), St. George.

**Terms of County Court:** First Wednesday after the first Monday in January, April, July and October.

**Public Assistance Council:** A. G. Fansler, (D), Hendricks; Reardon S. Cuppett, (R), Thomas; George Phillips, (R), St. George; J. E. Poling, (D), Hendricks; J. F. Robinson, (D), member County Court, *ex-officio*.

**Director of Public Assistance:** Delbert C. Phillips.

**Road Maintenance Superintendent:** Forrest Armentrout.

**Club Agent:** Arnett L. Kidd.

**President Farm Bureau:** Clay Long.

**County Health Officer:** Dr. F. K. Lyon.

## JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES

(By Magisterial Districts)

### Black Fork District

#### Justices of the Peace:

Andrew Hedrick, (D), Parsons.  
H. A. Ridgeway, (D), Parsons.

#### Constables:

Samson Pennington, (D), Parsons.  
James W. Parsons, (D), Parsons.

### Clover District

#### Justice of the Peace:

Hugh I. Phillips, (D), St. George.

#### Constable:

Harry P. Sommerville, (D), St. George.

### Davis District

#### Justices of the Peace:

P. A. Hamby, (D), Davis.  
J. B. Shreve, (R), Davis.

#### Constables:

Frank Windle, (R), Davis.  
(Vacancy)

### Dry Fork District

#### Justice of the Peace:

(Vacancy)

#### Constable:

Matthew C. Collins, (D), Dry Fork.

### Fairfax District

#### Justices of the Peace:

O. B. Collins, (D), Thomas.  
Henry H. Huffman, (D), Thomas.

#### Constables:

Charles Nichols, (D), Thomas.  
D. E. Crosten, (R), Thomas.

### Licking District

#### Justice of the Peace:

Chas. T. Shahan, (D), St. George.

#### Constable:

(Vacancy)

### St. George District

#### Justice of the Peace:

(Vacancy)

#### Constable:

(Vacancy)

## ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Parsons, unless otherwise indicated)

Bolton, Alan G., (R)

Cuppett, D. E., (R)

(Thomas)

Cuppett, D. E., Jr., (R)

(Thomas)

Harman, J. W., (R)

Harman, Wm. M., (R)

Heironimus, R. D., (D)

(Davis)

Meyer, F. G., (D)

(Davis)

Pritt, W. K., (R)

Scott, Denny F., (D)

(Prosecuting Attorney)

Smith, C. D., (R)

Suder, A. F., (D)

(Thomas)

## DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

**Chairman:** Stark L. Coberly, Parsons.

**Associate Chairman:** Mrs. D. G. Good, Davis.

**Secretary:** Mrs. Emma Campbell, Davis.

**Treasurer:** (Vacancy).

### Members

**Black Fork District:** Darrell Stalnaker, Parsons; Mrs. Tacy Carwell, Hendricks.

**Clover District:** John R. Walton, Montrose; Mrs. Cora Nestor, St. George.

**Davis District:** John Gaver, Davis; Mrs. Emma Campbell, Davis.

**Dry Fork District:** Geo. Harper, Hendricks; Ruth Raines, Dry Fork.

**Fairfax District:** D. J. Moran, Thomas; Mrs. Louise Cooper, Thomas.

**Licking District:** Jerry Nestor, St. George; Mrs. Nelson Williams, St. George.

**St. George District:** Clyde Shaffer, Lead Mine; Icy Shahan, St. George.

## REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

**Chairman:** W. K. Pritt, Parsons.

**Vice Chairman:** Lawrence Lipscomb, Hambleton; Mrs. Salena Raese, Davis.

**Secretary:** D. W. Thurston, Parsons.  
**Treasurer:** H. B. Lake, Parsons.

### Members

**Black Fork District:** Osee Bible, Parsons; Mrs. Laura Vere Lambert, Parsons.  
**Clover District:** Earl Flke, St. George; Mrs. Emma Sturns, Montrose.  
**Davis District:** Ed. Miller, Jr., Davis; Mrs. Ruth Deahl, Davis.  
**Dry Fork District:** C. U. Bonner, Red Creek; Mrs. Dexter Hady, Dry Fork.  
**Fairfax District:** William Close, Thomas; Mrs. Mary Helmick, Thomas.  
**Licking District:** Robert Cline, St. George; Mrs. Idelia White, St. George.  
**St. George District:** Alston White, St. George; (Vacancy).

## TYLER COUNTY

Created from Ohio County in 1814, and named in honor of John Tyler, eighth Governor of Virginia and father of John Tyler, tenth President of the United States.

The world's greatest gas well, "Big Moses," producing 100,000,000 cubic feet of gas per day, was drilled in this county in 1894.

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Glass and glassware, chinaware and pottery, petroleum, natural gas; dairying, poultry.

**County Seat:** Middlebourne.  
**Magisterial Districts (6):** Centerville, Ellsworth, Lincoln, Meade, McElroy and Union.

**Voting Precincts:** 26.

**Area:** 260.12 square miles.

**Population (1930):** 12,785.

**Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1930),** \$14,033,010.

### COUNTY OFFICIALS

(Post office address Middlebourne, unless otherwise indicated)

#### Circuit Court (2nd Judicial Circuit)

**Judge:** James F. Shipman, (D), Moundsville.

**Terms of Circuit Court:** Third Tuesday in March, July and November.

**Clerk:** Donald Van Camp, (R).

**Court Reporter:** Delf Norono, (R), Moundsville.

**Commissioners in Chancery:** O. C. Carter, (R); K. S. Boreman, (R); W. J. Brennan, (D), Sistersville.

**Divorce Commissioner:** O. C. Carter, (R).

**General Receiver:** Mrs. Lynna M. Jemison, (D).

### County Officers

**Assessor:** Chauncy D. Twyford, (R).

**Board of Education:** P. P. Berkley, (R); A. D. Arnett, (R), Wick; H. D. Racer, (R), Friendly; C. M. Knowlton, (R), Sistersville; Arch F. McMullen, (R), Wick.

**Circuit Clerk:** Donald VanCamp, (R).

**County Clerk:** Ray F. Henderson, (R).

**County Superintendent:** Ward E. Gamble.

**Prosecuting Attorney:** Henry P. Snyder, (R).

**Sheriff:** C. D. Eastman, (R).

**County Surveyor:** J. S. Haught, (R).

**Commissioners of Accounts:** Henry P. Snyder, (R), Sistersville; Frank A. Young, (R), Sistersville; Olin C. Carter, (R); Gertrude K. Owens, (R).

**County Commissioners:** Harvey Lawson, (R); John W. Smith, (R); C. S. Sutton, (R), Sistersville.

**Terms of County Court:** First Tuesday in each month.

**Public Assistance Council:** Mrs. Ralph Amos, (D), Meadville; Walter Furbee, (D), Alma; James T. Fonner, (R); Charles Conway, (D), Sistersville; Harvey Lawson, (R), member County Court, *ex-officio*.

**Director of Public Assistance:** Lawrence M. Archer.

**Road Maintenance Superintendent:** F. R. Amos.

**County Agent:** H. H. Huff.

**Home Demonstration Agent:** Jessie F. Lemley.

**President Farm Bureau:** L. C. Keys, Wilbur.

**County Health Officer:** Dr. G. M. Harsha, Sistersville.

**Superintendent County Infirmary:** L. R. Ferrell.

**JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND  
CONSTABLES**

(By Magisterial Districts)

**Centerville District**

**Justice of the Peace:**

Lotus Smith, (R), Alma.

**Constable:**

Ben Jones, (R), Alma.

**Ellsworth District**

**Justices of the Peace:**

H. M. Adams, (R), Middlebourne.

M. W. Reed, (R), Middlebourne.

**Constables:**

R. M. Carpenter, (R), Middlebourne.

J. W. Gregg, (R), Middlebourne.

**Lincoln District**

**Justices of the Peace:**

Roy C. Heinlein, (R), Sistersville.

P. A. Shriver, (R), Sistersville.

**Constables:**

Joe Edmonds, (R), Sistersville.

(Vacancy)

**Meade District**

**Justice of the Peace:**

(Vacancy)

**Constable:**

Harris Smith, (R), Meadville.

**McElroy District**

**Justice of the Peace:**

(Vacancy)

**Constable:**

(Vacancy)

**Union District**

**Justices of the Peace:**

Everett Garrison, (R), Friendly.

P. J. Frum, (R), Friendly.

**Constables:**

Charley Flesher, (R), Friendly.

Oscar Northcraft, (R), Friendly.

**ATTORNEYS**

(Post office address Middlebourne,  
unless otherwise indicated)

Boreman, K. S., (R)

Brennan, W. J., (D), (Sistersville)

Carter, Olin C., (R)

Conaway, O. B., (R)

Heslip, U. G., (R), (Sistersville)

Kimball, Charles N., (R), (Sistersville)

Snyder, Henry P., (R)

(Prosecuting Attorney), (Sistersville)

Underwood, I. M., (R)

**DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

**Officers**

**Chairman:** Harry F. Jackson, Middlebourne.

**Associate Chairman:** Gertrude Morgan, Sistersville.

**Secretary:** Fay Doak, Middlebourne.

**Treasurer:** Camilla Brown, Sistersville.

**Members**

**Centerville District:** D. D. Davis, Josephs Mills; Ruby Pierson, Wilbur.

**Ellsworth District:** Fred Folger, Middlebourne; Fay Doak, Middlebourne.

**Lincoln District:** H. C. Griffith, Sistersville; Camilla Brown, Sistersville.

**Meade District:** (Vacancy); Gladys Morgan, Wick.

**McElroy District:** L. V. Lemasters, Alvy; Mrs. Thomas Furbee, Alma.

**Union District:** Ben Ward, Bens Run; Gertrude Morgan, Friendly.

**REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

**Officers**

**Chairman:** Paul Neuenschwander, Sistersville.

**Vice Chairman:** Dr. J. A. Baker, Middlebourne.

**Secretary:** Cecil Nichols, Alma.

**Treasurer:** Mrs. Ethel Gregg, Middlebourne.

**Members**

**Centerville District:** Lloyd Yoho, Alma; Mrs. Alice Groves, Joseph Mills.

**Ellsworth District:** Dr. J. A. Baker, Middlebourne; Mabel Nichols, Middlebourne.

**Lincoln District:** L. F. Buck, Sistersville; Mrs. Grace Richards, Sistersville.

**Meade District:** C. B. Robinson, Middlebourne; Mrs. Ercellne Henderson, Wick.

**McElroy District:** David C. Spencer, Alma; Mrs. Ethel Gregg, Middlebourne.

**Union District:** A. E. Heintzman, Sistersville; Mrs. Ethel F. Dancer, Friendly.

## UPSHUR COUNTY

Formed in 1851 from Randolph, Barbour and Lewis Counties, and named for Abel Parker Upshur, distinguished statesman and jurist of Virginia.

The State Game Farm is located near French Creek (unincorporated).

**Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products:** Lumber, coal, men's clothing; buckwheat, potatoes, livestock, dairying, strawberries.

**County Seat:** Buckhannon.

**Magisterial Districts (6):** Banks, Buckhannon, Meade, Union, Warren and Washington.

**Voting Precincts:** 37.

**Area:** 354.86 square miles.

**Population (1930):** 17,944.

**Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1939):** \$12,269,358.

## COUNTY OFFICIALS

(Post office address Buckhannon, unless otherwise indicated)

### Circuit Court (20th Judicial Circuit)

**Judge:** John F. Brown, (R), Elkins.

**Terms of Circuit Court:** Second Monday in January, April and September.

**Clerk:** O. B. Phillips, (R).

**Court Reporter:** P. H. Markley, (R), Elkins.

**Commissioners in Chancery:** U. G. Young, Jr., (R); Lycurgus Hyre, (R); Fred B. Haight, (R); John H. Waugh, (R).

**Divorce Commissioner:** J. D. Jennings, (R).

**General Receiver:** C. R. Byrne, (D).

### County Officers

**Assessor:** H. V. Tenney, (R).

**Board of Education:** Dr. G. O. Brown, (R); Charles Tenney, (R); B. M. Harper, (R), Frenchton; Wade H. Young, (R); Cecil G. Brown, (R).

**Circuit Clerk:** O. B. Phillips, (R).

**County Clerk:** Allen B. Cutright, (R).

**County Superintendent:** R. Worth Shumaker.

**Assistant:** Carl R. Beer.

**Prosecuting Attorney:** A. Jerome Dalley, (R).

**Sheriff:** H. A. Zickefoose, (R).

**County Surveyor:** C. B. Wilson, (R), Frenchton.

**Commissioners of Accounts:** A. Jerome Dalley, (R); Lycurgus Hyre, (R); U. G. Young, Jr., (R); J. D. Jennings, (R).

**County Commissioners:** Ira V. Rexroad, (R), French Creek; Paul Poundstone, (R); Willis Norvell, (R), Sago.

**Terms of County Court:** First and third Monday in each month.

**Public Assistance Council:** Vernon B. Ball, (D); Mrs. Reta B. Maxwell, (D); Floyd A. Reed, (R), Tallmansville; Dr. Lewis H. Chrisman, (D); Ira V. Rexroad, (R), French Creek, member County Court, *ex-officio*.

**Director of Public Assistance:** Thornton A. Berry.

**Road Maintenance Superintendent:** E. C. Hartman.

**County Agent:** Glenn L. Ford.

**Home Demonstration Agent:** Abbie Russell.

**President Farm Bureau:** Ralph Smith.

**President Farm Women's Bureau:** Mrs. Ralph E. Stump.

**County Health Officers:** Dr. John C. McCoy; Dr. J. A. Markley, (Weston).

**County Health Nurse:** Mary E. Smith.

## JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES

(By Magisterial Districts)

### Ranks District

**Justices of the Peace:**

B. B. Rexroad, (R), Rock Cave.

C. S. Harper, (R), Frenchton.

**Constables:**

Clovis Brake, (R), Rock Cave.

L. H. Rexroad, (R), Rock Cave.

### Buckhannon District

**Justices of the Peace:**

R. T. Evans, (R), Buckhannon.

C. F. Fitzwater, (R), Buckhannon.

**Constables:**

C. J. Crites, (R), Buckhannon.

Roy Reppert, (R), Buckhannon.

**Meade District**

**Justices of the Peace:**

A. D. Casto, (R), Adrian.  
J. L. Fultz, (R), Imperial.

**Constables:**

(Vacancy)  
(Vacancy)

**Union District**

**Justice of the Peace:**

S. L. Hoffman, (R), Buckhannon.

**Constables:**

G. O. Jack, (R), Lantz.  
B. F. Lantz, (D), Buckhannon.

**Warren District**

**Justice of the Peace:**

(Vacancy)

**Constable:**

(Vacancy)

**Washington District**

**Justices of the Peace:**

D. J. Hanifan, (R), Queens.  
(Vacancy)

**Constables:**

(Vacancy)  
(Vacancy)

**ATTORNEYS**

(Post office address Buckhannon,  
unless otherwise indicated)

Coleman, James H., Jr., (R), (Y&Y)  
Dalley, A. Jerome, (R)  
(Prosecuting Attorney)  
Hall, Jerome V., (D), (O&H)  
Haught, Fred B., (R)  
Hymes, Myron B., (R)  
Hyre, Lycurgus, (R)  
Jennings, J. D., (R)  
O'Brien, Wm. S., (D), (O&H)  
(Secretary of State)  
O'Brien and Hall  
O'Brien, Wm. S., (D)  
Hall, Jerome V., (D)  
Ross, Kelcel M., (R)  
(Charleston)  
Waugh, H. Roy, (R), (W&W)  
Waugh, John H., (R), (W&W)  
Waugh and Waugh  
Waugh, H. Roy, (R)  
Waugh, John H., (R)  
Withers, H. H., (D)  
Young, U. G., Jr., (R), (Y&Y)  
Young and Young  
Young, U. G., Jr., (R)  
Coleman, James H., Jr., (R)

**DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

**Officers**

**Chairman:** Arthur L. Hodges, Buckhannon.  
**Associate Chairman:** Mrs. Clara Farnsworth, Buckhannon.  
**Secretary:** Charles E. Roberts, Buckhannon.  
**Treasurer:** Mrs. Ruth Marple, Buckhannon.

**Members**

**Banks District:** H. H. Woodford, Arlington; Pearl Pritt, Rock Cave.  
**Buckhannon District:** Dr. L. W. Deeds, Buckhannon; Lucie Queen, Buckhannon.  
**Meade District:** William Cowger, Adrian; Mrs. Aulta Lane, Adrian.  
**Union District:** Charles Hinzman, Buckhannon; Mrs. Tressie Carothers, Buckhannon.  
**Warren District:** Guy Wood, Volga; Mrs. Ruth Marple, Buckhannon.  
**Washington District:** Reed Shipman, Tallmansville; Sylvia Greathouse, Buckhannon.

**REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

**Officers**

**Chairman:** Charles Tenney, Buckhannon.  
**Associate Chairman:** Mrs. Lela Talbott, Buckhannon.  
**Secretary:** Edna L. Bartlett, Buckhannon.  
**Treasurer:** Mrs. Vada Beer, Ten Mile.

**Members**

**Banks District:** O. J. Wilson, Rock Cave; Mrs. Grace Curry, Kanawha Head.  
**Buckhannon District:** M. M. Brooks, Buckhannon; Edna L. Bartlett, Buckhannon.  
**Meade District:** Basil Loudin, French Creek; Mrs. Nelle Phillips, French Creek.  
**Union District:** Harvey Wentz, Hall; Mrs. Stacy Davis, Buckhannon.  
**Warren District:** Dr. H. L. Post, Buckhannon; Mrs. Esther L. Smith, Buckhannon.  
**Washington District:** Brown Trussler, Buckhannon; Mrs. Vada Beer, Ten Mile.

## WAYNE COUNTY

Formed from Cabell County in 1842, and named in honor of General Anthony Wayne, of Revolutionary War fame.

Cabwaylingo State Forest is located in this county.

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Porcelain insulators, natural gas, lumber, cement and concrete; hay and grain, tobacco, livestock, dairying, poultry, fruit, vegetables, sorghum.

County Seat: Wayne.

Magisterial Districts (7): Butler, Ceredo, Grant, Lincoln, Stonewall, Union and Westmoreland.

Voting Precincts: 44.

Area: 517.88 square miles.

Population (1930): 31,206.

Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1939), \$35,368,535.

### COUNTY OFFICIALS

(Post office address Wayne, unless otherwise indicated)

#### Circuit Court (24th Judicial Circuit)

Judge: Charles W. Ferguson, (D).

Terms of Circuit Court: Second Monday in March and July, and fourth Monday in November.

Clerk: S. S. Plymale, (D).

Court Reporter: Herman N. Pugh, (R), Huntington.

Commissioners in Chancery: J. T. Lambert, (D); M. J. Ferguson, (D); W. Earl Burgess, (R).

Divorce Commissioner: J. T. Lambert, (D).

General Receiver: Byron S. Smith, (D).

#### County Officers

Assessor: Henry Mullins, (D).

Board of Education: G. W. Staley, (D), Prichard; Eustace Adkins, (D), Ceredo; Eugene Plymale, (D), Ceredo; Fletcher Lloyd, (D), East Lynn; Byron Smith, (D).

Circuit Clerk: S. S. Plymale, (D).

County Clerk: J. G. Lambert, (D).

County Superintendent: M. J. Robnett.

Assistant: Ruth E. Staley.

Prosecuting Attorney: D. B. Hardwick, (D).

Assistant: F. F. Scaggs, (D).

Sheriff: C. L. Booton, (D).

County Surveyor: G. M. Johnson, (D), Huntington.

Coroner: P. H. Osborn.

Commissioners of Accounts: W. Earl Burgess, (R); F. F. Scaggs, (D); J. T. Lambert, (D); M. J. Ferguson, (D).

County Commissioners: Dr. C. E. Romans, (D), Fort Gay; W. B. Smith, (D); Oscar Watts, (D), Huntington.

Terms of County Court: First Monday in each month.

Public Assistance Council: P. P. Chapman, (R), Kenova; Curtis Thompson, (D), Prichard; Dr. C. E. Romans, (D), Fort Gay, member County Court, *ex-officio*.

Director of Public Assistance: William D. Bolling.

Road Maintenance Superintendent: Cay Booth.

County Agent: Paul S. Oshel.

President Farm Bureau: D. P. Plymale.

County Health Officer: Dr. A. G. Wilkinson.

County Health Nurse: Neva Doak.

### JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES

(By Magisterial Districts)

#### Butler District

Justices of the Peace:

William Dean, (D), Fort Gay.

Henry Wellman, (D), Fort Gay.

Constables:

E. R. Mays, (D), Sidney.

M. L. Varney, (D), Fort Gay.

#### Ceredo District

Justices of the Peace:

A. P. Adkins, (D), Kenova.

J. L. Malcolm, (D), Shoals.

Constables:

Henderson Bartram, (D), Kenova.

Clyde Handley, (D), Kenova.

#### Grant District

Justices of the Peace:

Luther Manns, (R), Queens Ridge.

Millard Maynard, (R), Stiltner.

Constables:

Tracy Toppins, (R), Dunlow.

Jay Manard, (R), Klahsville.

**Lincoln District****Justices of the Peace:**

John B. Hardwick, (D), Crum.  
Flem Crum, (D), Missouri Branch.

**Constables:**

Howard Clay, (D), Genoa.  
Herman Crum, (D), Crum.

**Stonewall District****Justices of the Peace:**

Tilden Parsons, (D), East Lynn.  
Jay Finley, (D), Stiltner.

**Constables:**

(Vacancy)  
Taylor Carey, (D), East Lynn.

**Union District****Justices of the Peace:**

George Ross, (D), Wayne.  
Paris Adkins, (D), Wayne.

**Constables:**

W. L. Clay, (D), Wayne.  
Roscoe Horn, (D), Wayne.

**Westmoreland District****Justices of the Peace:**

A. Carter, (D), Huntington.  
Curtis Ward, (D), Huntington.

**Constables:**

Oliver Farris, (D), Huntington.  
John Frasher, (D), Huntington.

**ATTORNEYS**

(Post office address Wayne, unless  
otherwise indicated)

Burgess, W. Earl, (R)  
Clay, J. M., (D), (East Lynn)  
Ferguson, C. W., (D)  
(Judge Circuit Court)  
Ferguson, M. J., (D)  
Hammock, J. E., (R), (Huntington)  
Hardwick, D. B., (D)  
(Prosecuting Attorney)  
(Huntington)  
Harriston, J. Floyd, (D)  
Ketchum, Chad. W., (D)  
Lambert, J. T., (D)  
Lovins, W. T., (D), (Huntington)  
Meek, J. H., (R), (Huntington)  
Prichard, B. J., (D)  
Scaggs, Fisher F., (D)  
(Assistant Prosecuting Attorney)  
Wilcox, E. J., (D), (Huntington)

**DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE****Officers**

Chairman: G. W. Staley, Prichard.  
Vice Chairman: C. L. Booton, Huntington.  
Associate Chairman: Mrs. Elizabeth Messinger, Westmoreland, Huntington.  
Secretary: O. J. Rife, Kenova.  
Treasurer: Cay Booth, Wayne.

**Members**

Butler District: C. C. Robinett, Fort Gay; Mrs. Florence Thompson Ferguson, Sidney.  
Ceredo District: Owen Wheeler, Ceredo; Mrs. L. B. Staley, Kenova.  
Grant District: Lindsey Queen, Queens Ridge; Mrs. Robert Osburn, Klahsville.  
Lincoln District: John B. Crum, Jr., Crum; Mrs. Myrtle Stepp, Crum.  
Stonewall District: Lonnie Adkins, East Lynn; Mrs. Fletcher Lloyd, East Lynn.  
Union District: Emmett Ferguson, Wayne; Tokie Sanson, Wayne.  
Westmoreland District: Chaucey Ward, Westmoreland, Huntington; Mrs. Dewey Queen, Westmoreland, Huntington.

**REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE****Officers**

Chairman: Chas. K. Stewart, Ceredo.  
Secretary: S. C. Beale, Fort Gay.  
Treasurer: Dr. Glen Johnson, Wayne.

**Members**

Butler District: Wayne Dawson, Fort Gay; Georgia Wellman, Fort Gay.  
Ceredo District: James Shingleton, Kenova; Davetta Cyrus, Whites Creek.  
Grant District: H. K. Williamson, Wewanta; Hester Maynard, Dunlow.  
Lincoln District: Wayne Meade, Dunlow; Nary Perry, Crum.  
Stonewall District: Dallas Frazier, East Lynn; Laura Maynard, Stiltner.  
Union District: Edgar Newman, Lavallette; Myrtle Allen, Wayne.  
Westmoreland District: L. L. Dial, Huntington; Laura Green, Huntington.

## WEBSTER COUNTY

The last county in West Virginia to be created before the separation from Virginia. Created in 1860 from Nicholas, Braxton and Randolph Counties, and named in honor of Daniel Webster, New England orator and statesman.

Part of the Monongahela National Forest is located in this county.

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Lumber, coal; potatoes, buckwheat, oats, livestock, poultry, honey.

County Seat: Webster Springs.

Magisterial Districts (4): Fork Lick, Glade, Hacker Valley and Holly.

Voting Precincts: 22.

Area: 558.60 square miles.

Population (1930): 14,216.

Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1939), \$8,677,503.

### COUNTY OFFICIALS

(Post office address Webster Springs, unless otherwise indicated)

#### Circuit Court (14th Judicial Circuit)

Judge: Jake Fisher, (D), Sutton.

Terms of Circuit Court: Second Monday in January, May and September.

Clerk: G. W. Jackson, (D).

Court Reporter: Raymond Allman, (D), Sutton.

Commissioners in Chancery: Amos Cogar, (D); L. L. Dyer, (D); W. S. Wysong, (D); E. L. Cutlip, (D).

Divorce Commissioner: None.

General Receiver: E. L. Cutlip, (D).

#### County Officers

Assessor: P. D. Morton, (D).

Board of Education: W. L. McCourt, (D); Dr. J. M. Coffey, (D), Bergoo; S. W. Cutlip, (D), Diana; Frank Jordan, (D), Replete; Lawrence Miller, (D), Cowen.

Circuit Clerk: G. W. Jackson, (D).

County Clerk: Charles Herold, (D).

County Superintendent: Fritz J. Stemple.

Assistant: John Shock.

Prosecuting Attorney: Wendell W. Hoover, (D).

Sheriff: Dock Cutlip, (D).

County Surveyor: R. L. Rose, (D), Bergoo.

Coroner: E. L. Cutlip.

Commissioners of Accounts: E. L. Cutlip, (D); Amos Cogar, (D); John R. Dyer, (D); W. P. Wysong, (D).

County Commissioners: A. F. Scott, (D), Erbacon; D. W. Cutlip, (D), Diana; C. L. Hines, (D).

Terms of County Court: First Tuesday in each month.

Public Assistance Council: Mrs. F. K. Day, (D); O. B. Townsend, (D), Diana; A. L. Hartman, (R), Hacker Valley; Mrs. Helen Hunter, (R); A. F. Scott, (D), Erbacon, member County Court, *ex-officio*.

Director of Public Assistance: A. F. Gregory.

Road Maintenance Superintendent: John E. Mace.

County Agent: H. A. Burton.

Club Agent: Mary McFarlane Whitman.

President Farm Bureau: D. L. Ellyson, Cowen.

County Health Officers: Dr. E. H. Hunter; Dr. W. E. McIlvalne, (Sutton).

County Health Nurse: Frances R. Hunter.

### JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES

(By Magisterial Districts)

#### Fort Lick District

Justices of the Peace:

W. S. Hamrick, (D), Webster Springs.

G. W. Chapman, (D), Webster Springs.

Constables:

M. V. Hammons, (D), Webster Springs.

M. W. McCourt, (D), Webster Springs.

#### Glade District

Justices of the Peace:

Wayne Hoover, (D), Cowen.

M. W. Case, (D), Camden-on-Gauley.

Constables:

E. H. Hinkle, (D), Camden-on-Gauley.

A. J. McCartney, (R), Cowen.

#### Hacker Valley District

Justice of the Peace:

B. B. Herron, (D), Cleveland.

Constable:

(Vacancy)

**Holly District****Justices of the Peace:**

J. W. Dobbins, (D), Diana.  
Harmon F. Ware, (R), Diana.

**Constables:**

M. F. Miller, (D), Diana.  
E. D. Perrine, (D), Diana.

**ATTORNEYS**

(Post office address Webster Springs,  
unless otherwise indicated)

Cutlip, E. L., (D)  
Dyer, John R., (D), (D&D)  
Dyer, L. L., (D), (D&D)  
Dyer and Dyer  
Dyer, L. L., (D)  
Dyer, John R., (D)  
Hoover, John Clay, (D)  
Hoover, J. M., (D), (H&H)  
Hoover, W. W., (D), (H&H)  
(Prosecuting Attorney)  
Hoover and Hoover  
Hoover, J. M., (D)  
Hoover, W. W., (D)  
Morton, E. H., (D), (M&W)  
Morton and Wooddell  
Morton, E. H., (D)  
Wooddell, W. L., (D)  
Sycamore, F. N., (D)  
Wooddell, W. H., (D)  
(Assistant Attorney General)  
Wooddell, W. L., (D), (M&W)  
Wysong, W. P., (D), (W&W)  
Wysong, W. S., (D), (W&W)  
Wysong and Wysong  
Wysong, W. S., (D)  
Wysong, W. P., (D)

**DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE****Officers**

**Chairman:** A. L. Gregory, Webster Springs.  
**Secretary:** George R. Morton, Webster Springs.

**Members**

**Fork Lick:** A. L. Gregory, Webster Springs; Mrs. Tom Bickel, Webster Springs.  
**Glade District:** B. F. Riley, Cowen; Mrs. L. T. Morton, Camden-on-Gauley.

**Hacker Valley District:** Bruce Barbe, Cleveland; Mrs. Myrtle Jordan, Replete.

**Holly District:** Bert Cool, Diana; Mrs. Waldon Cutlip, Diana.

**REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE****Officers**

**Chairman:** Boyd Dotson, Webster Springs.  
**Secretary-Treasurer:** Ernest Miller, Cowen.

**Members**

**Fork Lick District:** Tam Gregory, Webster Springs; Mrs. Cecil Adkins, Webster Springs.  
**Glade District:** Lem Fur, Camden-on-Gauley; Mrs. Sena Pearson, Cowen.  
**Hacker Valley District:** Grover Claypool, Hacker Valley; Mrs. Lizzie Hartman, Hacker Valley.  
**Holly District:** Bias Ware, Diana; Mrs. Maude Clifton, Diana.

**WETZEL COUNTY**

Created in 1846 from Tyler County, and named for Lewis Wetzel, famous frontier character and Indian fighter.

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Petroleum, natural gas, glass and glassware; livestock, dairying, poultry, vegetables, fruit.

**County Seat:** New Martinsville.  
**Magisterial Districts (7):** Center, Church, Clay, Grant, Green, Magnolia and Proctor.  
**Voting Precincts:** 36.  
**Area:** 360.47 square miles.  
**Population (1930):** 22,334.  
**Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1939),** \$28,175,780.

**COUNTY OFFICIALS**

(Post office address New Martinsville,  
unless otherwise indicated)

**Circuit Court (2nd Judicial Circuit)**  
**Judge:** James F. Shipman, (D), Moundsville.

**Terms of Circuit Court:** First Tuesday in January, May and September.  
**Clerk:** Archie Leo Yeater, (D).

**Court Reporter:** Delf Norona, (R),  
Moundsville.

**Commissioners in Chancery:** W. J.  
Postlethwait, (D); Paul J. Shibben,  
(R); L. S. Hall, (D); A. C. Chap-  
man, (D).

**Divorce Commissioner:** W. L. New-  
man, (D).

**General Receiver:** R. C. Leap, (D).

### County Officers

**Assessor:** W. S. Myers, (D).

**Board of Education:** John C. Froelich,  
(D); B. Hafer, (D), Proctor; L. G.  
McIntire, (D), Hastings; Luther  
Postlethwait, (D), Reader; Hugh  
Sapp, (D), Uniontown.

**Circuit Clerk:** Archie Leo Yeater, (D).

**County Clerk:** G. A. Harman, (D).

**County Superintendent:** Leslie Garrett.

**Assistant:** B. M. Snodgrass.

**Prosecuting Attorney:** G. W. Coffield,  
(D).

**Sheriff:** Frank C. Berger, (D).

**County Surveyor:** J. M. Cochran, (D),  
Porter's Falls.

**Commissioners of Accounts:** G. W.  
Coffield, (D); A. C. Chapman, (D);  
L. S. Hall, (D); W. J. Snyder, (D).

**County Commissioners:** W. F. Ander-  
son, (D), Hundred; E. W. Frel,  
(D); W. B. Snodgrass, (D), Smith-  
field.

**Terms of County Court:** First Tues-  
day in January; first Tuesday in  
April; third Tuesday in July; and,  
first Tuesday in October.

**Public Assistance Council:** Albert Gar-  
ner, (D), Proctor; D. C. Bennett,  
(R); L. R. Barth, (R); Edward W.  
Frel, (D), member County Court,  
*ex-officio*.

**Director of Public Assistance:** Mrs.  
Anna Lemon.

**Road Maintenance Superintendent:**  
Francis C. Poe.

**County Agent:** Brooks Daugherty.

**Home Demonstration Agent:** Kathleen  
Stephenson, (Assistant).

**President Farm Bureau:** L. E. An-  
thony.

**County Health Officer:** Dr. Don V.  
Hatton.

**County Health Nurses:** Olive Ward;  
Elizabeth Funfrock; Katherine Rush;  
Virtue Wriston.

**Superintendent County Infirmary:**  
Lonzy Wade.

## JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES

(By Magisterial Districts)

### Center District

**Justices of the Peace:**

W. T. Huggins, (D), Wileyville.  
(Vacancy)

**Constables:**

(Vacancy)

(Vacancy)

### Church District

**Justices of the Peace:**

D. C. Tustin, (D), Glovergap.  
C. L. Scritchfield, (D), Hundred.

**Constables:**

D. O. Murphy, (R), Hundred.  
W. E. Morris, (D), Hundred.

### Clay District

**Justices of the Peace:**

M. F. Blodgett, (R), Littleton.  
I. N. Pettit, (D), Littleton.

**Constables:**

A. V. Henderson, (D), Littleton.  
(Vacancy)

### Grant District

**Justices of the Peace:**

J. L. Price, (D), Smithfield.  
W. O. Gallagher, (D), Pine Grove.

**Constables:**

Elza Anderson, (D), Smithfield.  
Carl F. Montgomery, (D), Pine  
Grove.

### Green District

**Justices of the Peace:**

Ben Headley, (D), Reader.  
Oran Gray, (D), Piney.

**Constables:**

P. L. Fluharty, (R), New Martins-  
ville.  
Charles Tennant, (D), Reader.

### Magnolia District

**Justices of the Peace:**

L. W. Dulaney, (D), New Martins-  
ville.  
M. R. Daugherty, (D), New Martins-  
ville.

**Constables:**

N. S. Postlethwait, (D), New Martinsville.

Grover Longwell, (D), New Martinsville.

**Proctor District****Justices of the Peace:**

J. T. Richardson, (D), Proctor.

F. M. Furbee, (D), Bebee.

**Constables:**

Sherman Eller, (D), Proctor.  
(Vacancy)

**ATTORNEYS**

(Post office address New Martinsville, unless otherwise indicated)

Anderson, J. L., (R)  
(Littleton)

Ball, Walter F., (R)

Chapman, A. C., (D)

Coffield, G. W., (D)  
(Prosecuting Attorney)

Hall, L. S., (D)

Iams, F. V., (R)

Larrick, A. E., (D)

Lemon, W. E., (D)

McEldowney, Sam G., (D)

McIntire, E. E., (R)  
(Smithfield)

McIntire, L. V., (R)

McIntire, Mont, (R)

Newman, W. L., (D)

Postlethwait, W. J., (D)

Robinson, John, Jr., (D)

Shiben, Paul J., (R)

Van Camp, Theodore, (R)  
(Paden City)

Yost, E. H., (R)

**Green District:** Ward Parson, Reader;  
Mrs. Susan Headley, Pine Grove.

**Magnolia District:** Robert Rist, New Martinsville; Lillian Stone, New Martinsville.

**Proctor District:** J. R. Estep, Proctor;  
Mrs. Thomas Parsons, Proctor.

**REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE****Officers****Chairman:**

C. M. Founds, New Martinsville.

**Vice Chairman:** Mrs. Twila Fridley Wiley, Proctor; Mrs. Anna Showalter, Smithfield.

**Secretary:** A. A. Merryfield, Smithfield.

**Treasurer:** C. R. Palmer, Bebee.

**Members**

**Center District:** Paul Cosgray, Littleton; Cora Adams, Wileyville.

**Church District:** Carl Devine, Hundred; Mrs. Stella Johnson, Burton.

**Clay District:** J. W. Stewart, Littleton; Mrs. Lizzie McNary, Littleton.

**Grant District:** A. A. Merrifield, Smithfield; Mrs. Anna Showalter, Smithfield.

**Green District:** J. H. Mason, Maud; Mrs. Cassie Conley, Porters Falls.

**Magnolia District:** C. M. Founds, New Martinsville; Mrs. Lucy Allen Bennet, New Martinsville.

**Proctor District:** C. R. Palmer, Bebee; Mrs. Twila Fridley Wiley, Proctor.

**WIRT COUNTY**

Formed in 1848 from Wood and Jackson Counties and named for William Wirt, of Maryland, who gained fame as an author, orator and lawyer in his adopted state of Virginia.

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Lumber, petroleum; hay and grain, livestock, poultry, dairying.

**County Seat:** Elizabeth.

**Magisterial Districts (7):** Burning Springs, Clay, Elizabeth, Newark, Reedy, Spring Creek and Tucker.

**Voting Precincts:** 17.

**Area:** 234.41 square miles.

**Population (1930):** 6,358.

**Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1939),** \$4,407,235.

**DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE****Officers**

**Chairman:** Frank T. Sapp, Wheat.

**Vice Chairman:** Lillian Stone, New Martinsville.

**Secretary:** Mrs. Thomas Parsons, Proctor.

**Treasurer:** Mrs. Susan Headley, Pine Grove.

**Members**

**Center District:** Frank T. Sapp, Wheat; (Vacancy)

**Church District:** D. A. Null, Hundred; Mrs. Mary Carson, Hundred.

**Clay District:** George Lemley, Littleton; Gertrude Bogard, Littleton.

**Grant District:** Zack Wyatt, Smithfield; Mildred Monger, Hastings.

## COUNTY OFFICIALS

(Post office address Elizabeth, unless otherwise indicated)

## Circuit Court (4th Judicial Circuit)

**Judge:** E. B. Pennybacker, (D), Parkersburg.

**Terms of Circuit Court:** First Monday in January and June, and second Monday in September.

**Clerk:** Walter Hoffman, (D).

**Court Reporter:** Mrs. Marion C. Greer, (R), Parkersburg.

**Commissioners in Chancery:** Walter Hoffman, (D); E. D. Ball, (R).

**Divorce Commissioner:** James L. Smith, (D).

**General Receiver:** The Union Trust & Deposit Co., Parkersburg.

## County Officers

**Assessor:** French Robinson, (D).

**Board of Education:** Bee Hopkins, Jr., (D), Creston; D. Lee Deever, (D); Floyd F. Anderson, (D); F. J. Mills, (D), Brohard; B. D. Williams, (R).

**Circuit Clerk:** Walter Hoffman, (D).

**County Clerk:** Frank D. Thorne, (D).

**County Superintendent:** Clarence Ray.

**Prosecuting Attorney:** Willie Fought, (D).

**Sheriff:** Fred Morehead, (D).

**County Surveyor:** Frank Daniell, (D).

**Coroner:** J. H. Smith.

**Commissioners of Accounts:** James L. Smith, (D); Walter Hoffman, (D).

**County Commissioners:** W. D. Smith, (D), Sanoma; Charles E. Mace, (D); C. A. Daniell, (D).

**Terms of County Court:** Third Monday in each month.

**Public Assistance Council:** Herbert Roberts, (D); J. P. Campbell, (R), Creston; L. L. Mace, (D); O. C. Williams, (R); Charles E. Mace, (D), member County Court, *ex-officio*.

**Director of Public Assistance:** Mrs. Russell Thorne.

**Road Maintenance Superintendent:** G. G. Munday.

**County Agent:** Paul M. Hess.

**President Farm Bureau:** Carl E. McCoy.

**County Health Officer:** Dr. O. W. Coplin.

**Superintendent County Infirmary:** M. L. Hickman.

## JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES

(By Magisterial Districts)

## Burning Springs District

**Justice of the Peace:**  
(Vacancy)

**Constable:**  
(Vacancy)

## Clay District

**Justice of the Peace:**  
(Vacancy)

**Constable:**  
(Vacancy)

## Elizabeth District

**Justices of the Peace:**

J. E. Boston, (D), Elizabeth.  
Clark King, (D), Elizabeth.

**Constables:**  
(Vacancy)  
(Vacancy)

## Newark District

**Justice of the Peace:**  
(Vacancy)

**Constable:**  
(Vacancy)

## Reedy District

**Justice of the Peace:**  
(Vacancy)

**Constable:**  
(Vacancy)

## Spring Creek District

**Justice of the Peace:**  
(Vacancy)

**Constable:**  
(Vacancy)

## Tucker District

**Justice of the Peace:**  
(Vacancy)

**Constable:**  
(Vacancy)

## ATTORNEYS

(Post office address Elizabeth, unless otherwise indicated)

Archer, L. D., (R)  
(Windy)

Fought, Willie, (D).  
(Prosecuting Attorney)

Smith, James L., (D)  
Smith, J. H., (D)

## DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

**Chairman:** James Burton, Palestine.  
**Associate Chairman:** J. H. Smith, Elizabeth.  
**Secretary:** Walter Hoffman, Elizabeth.  
**Treasurer:** Herbert Roberts, Elizabeth.

### Members

**Burning Springs District:** J. P. Deever, Elizabeth; Mrs. L. C. Underwood, Brohard.  
**Clay District:** Floyd Joy, Elizabeth; Ethel Darnal, Walker.  
**Elizabeth District:** J. P. Young, Elizabeth; Mrs. Cecil Pettitt, Elizabeth.  
**Newark District:** Everett Foutty, Elizabeth; Nellie Fought, Newark.  
**Reedy District:** Park Smith, Reedy; Grover Nay, Reedy.  
**Spring Creek District:** H. H. Hanna, Palestine; Gladys Depue, Creston.  
**Tucker District:** Ray Ott, Elizabeth; Mrs. Clara Ayers, Elizabeth.

## REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Officers

**Chairman:** H. I. Shears, Elizabeth.  
**Associate Chairman:** Mrs. Dora S. Evans, Elizabeth.  
**Secretary:** Mary J. Hulscher, Elizabeth.  
**Treasurer:** Harry L. James, Elizabeth.

### Members

**Burning Springs District:** Homer Starcher, Burning Springs; Mrs. Mamie Taylor, Burning Springs.  
**Clay District:** Enoch Pickering, Elizabeth; Mrs. Alice McCauley, Elizabeth.  
**Elizabeth District:** Frank Cox, Elizabeth; Mrs. Lydia Parks, Elizabeth.  
**Newark District:** D. W. Buck, Newark; Mrs. Myrtle Riddle, Elizabeth.  
**Reedy District:** Albert Showalter, Leroy; Della Wells, Sandyville.  
**Spring Creek District:** (Vacancy); Mrs. H. L. McCutcheon, Reedy.  
**Tucker District:** Sam Amos, Rockport; Mrs. Carl McCoy, Elizabeth.

## WOOD COUNTY

Formed in 1798 from Kanawha and Harrison Counties, and named in honor of James Wood, Governor of Virginia, 1796-1799.

Blennerhassett Island, in the Ohio River, near Parkersburg, is well known because of Harman Blennerhassett's participation in Aaron Burr's conspiracy.

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Rayon, shovels and tools, glass and glassware, porcelain and electrical equipment, oil field equipment, steel and metal products, shoes, petroleum; dairying, poultry, livestock, fruit, hay and grain.

**County Seat:** Parkersburg.

**Magisterial Districts (10):** Clay, Harris, Lubeck, Parkersburg, Slate, Steele, Tygart, Union, Walker and Williams.

**Voting Precincts:** 79.

**Area:** 377.82 square miles.

**Population (1930):** 56,521.

**Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1939),** \$67,315,030.

## COUNTY OFFICIALS

(Post office address Parkersburg, unless otherwise indicated)

### Circuit Court (4th Judicial Circuit)

**Judge:** E. B. Pennybacker, (D), Vienna.

**Terms of Circuit Court:** Fourth Monday in January and April, and Second Monday in October.

**Clerk:** Fritz Grimm, (R).

**Court Reporter:** Mrs. Marion C. Greer, (R).

**Commissioners in Chancery:** Levin Smith, (D); J. W. Vandervort, (R); J. S. Wade, (D); Abijah Hayes, (R); I. M. Adams, (R); James B. Randolph, (D).

**Divorce Commissioner:** J. F. Throckmorton, (D).

**General Receiver:** Union Trust and Deposit Co., Parkersburg.

### County Officers

**Assessor:** Peter Jackson, (D).

**Board of Education:** E. L. Hamrick, (R); E. F. Ball, (R); Frank Athey, (R); H. N. Henrie, (D), Williams-town; H. D. Wigal, (D).

Circuit Clerk: Fritz Grimm, (R).  
 County Clerk: Earl S. Wolfe, Jr., (D).  
 County Superintendent: John A. Davis,  
 Jr.

Assistant: Lloyd H. Wharton.  
 Prosecuting Attorney: Walter T. Crof-  
 ton, Jr., (D).

Assistant: Claude P. Light, (D).  
 Sheriff: R. E. Hays, (D).

County Surveyor: J. E. Anderson, (R).  
 Coroner: Dr. Ben O. Robinson.

Commissioners of Accounts: James S.  
 Wade, (D); A. D. Ireland, (R);  
 H. O. Hiteshew, (R); Jas. B. Ran-  
 dolph, (D).

County Commissioners: J. B. Yeager,  
 (R); Earl Eaton, (D); N. B. Biddle,  
 (D).

Terms of County Court: First Monday  
 in January, April, July and October.

Public Assistance Council: Rev. Gill  
 I. Wilson, (R); C. N. Bumgarner,  
 (D); M. M. Spence, (D); John R.  
 Cooper, (R); Earl Eaton, (D), New  
 England, member County Court, *ex-*  
*officio*.

Director of Public Assistance: J. C.  
 B. Coberly.

Road Maintenance Superintendent: W.  
 C. Cooper.

County Agent: W. H. Sill.  
 Assistant: Douglas M. Foley.

Home Demonstration Agent: May  
 Prichard.

Club Agent: Arnold Hutson.

President Farm Bureau: C. L. Pohl.

President Farm Women's Bureau:  
 Mrs. Charles J. Johnson, Williams-  
 town.

County Health Officer: Dr. W. A.  
 Bevacqua.

County Health Nurses: Isabelle Mc-  
 Gregor; Edith Rawe.

Matron Children's Home: Nellie Clay-  
 ton.

Superintendent County Infirmary:  
 Henry Hale.

## JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES

(By Magisterial Districts)

### Clay District

Justices of the Peace:

Ralph Thayer, (R), Davilsville.  
 R. L. Pritchard, (D), Davilsville.

Constable:  
 (Vacancy)

### Harris District

Justice of the Peace:

M. S. Foutty, (D), Belleville.

Constable:

M. V. Wilson, (D), Belleville.

### Lubeck District

Justices of the Peace:

Marion Bradley, (D), Parkersburg.  
 C. Ray Murray, (D), Parkersburg.

Constables:

H. H. Jackson, (D), Parkersburg.  
 Lawrence M. Osborne, (D), Parkers-  
 burg.

### Parkersburg District

Justices of the Peace:

Ray A. Miller, (D), Parkersburg.  
 Louis E. Pickens, (D), Parkersburg.

Constables:

John H. Richmond, (D), Parkers-  
 burg.  
 W. C. Cochran, (R), Parkersburg.

### Slate District

Justice of the Peace:

(Vacancy)

Constable:

(Vacancy)

### Steele District

Justice of the Peace:

(Vacancy)

Constable:

(Vacancy)

### Tygart District

Justices of the Peace:

Floyd H. Rexroad, (D), Parkersburg.  
 Brooks Curry, (D), Parkersburg.

Constables:

C. C. Houchen, (D), Parkersburg.  
 W. O. Cochran, (R), Parkersburg.

### Union District

Justice of the Peace:

(Vacancy)

Constable:

(Vacancy)

### Walker District

Justice of the Peace:

(Vacancy)

Constable:

(Vacancy)

**Williams District****Justices of the Peace:**

O. G. Bush, (D), Vienna.  
Lyle Dawson, (D), Vienna.

**Constables:**

James E. White, (D), Vienna.  
William Lucas, (D), Vienna.

**ATTORNEYS**

(Post office address Parkersburg, unless otherwise indicated)

Adams, I. M., (R), (RH&A)  
Ambler, Mason G., (D), (AMc&A)  
Ambler, McCluer and Ambler  
  McCluer, James S., (D)  
  Ambler, Mason G., (D)  
  Davis, Fred L., (R)  
Bills, R. E., (R)  
Black, Donald, (R)  
Black, Mrs. McDonald Bland, (D)  
Blizzard, Reese, (R)  
Blizzard, W. S., (R)  
Boreman, H. S., (R)  
Burk, F. B., (R)  
Burk, Robert W., (R)  
Cain, S. W., (D)  
Carter, W. H., (R)  
Casto, Dorr, (D)  
Chase, George P., (R)  
Crofton, Walter T., Jr., (D)  
  (Prosecuting Attorney)  
Davis, Fred L., (R), (AM&A)  
Davis, H. O., (D)  
Donald, Griffin, (D)  
Feeney, James L., (R)  
Ford, C. N., (R)  
Forrer, C. D., (D)  
Griffin, Donald, (D)  
Hague, Eugene T., (R)  
Hays, Abijah, (R)  
Hiehle, Forbes R., (D)  
Hiteshew, H. O., (R), (RH&A)  
Hoff, William B., (D)  
Ireland, A. D., (R)  
Johnson, George W., (D)  
  (Member of Congress)  
Kingsley, Edwin R., (R)  
Leonard, Dan B., (D)  
Light, Claude P., (D)  
  (Assistant Prosecuting Attorney)  
Macklin, E. W., (R)  
Marsh, Harvey, (R)  
Marshall, John, (R)  
  (Washington, D. C.)  
McCluer, James S., (D), (AM&A)  
McDougle, Robt. B., (R)  
McHenry, Eileen, (Ind)  
McIntyre, T. M., (R)

Mitchell, D. Orval, (R)  
Moats, Benjamin, (R)  
Moore, K. C., (R)  
Moore, Richard C., (R)  
Pennybacker, E. B., (D)  
  (Judge Circuit Court)  
Peterkin, W. G., (D)  
Piggott, R. H., (R)  
Radenbaugh, Frances I., (R)  
Randolph, Jas. B., (D)  
Russell, H. W., (R), (RH&A)  
Russell, Hiteshew and Adams  
  Russell, H. W., (R)  
  Hiteshew, H. O., (R)  
  Adams, I. M., (R)  
Shedan, George, (R)  
Showalter, C. M., (R)  
Smith, Levin, (D)  
Staats, E. R., (R)  
Stealey, Evans, (R)  
Straus, Wm. M., (R)  
Summers, Fred L., Jr., (D)  
Tavener, L. N., (D)  
Throckmorton, J. F., (D)  
Turner, David F., (D)  
Turner, Smith D., (D)  
Vandervort, J. W., (R)  
Wade, James S., (D)  
Wells, Ross, (R)  
Wolfe, W. H., (R)  
Yankiss, J. J., (R)

**DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE****Officers**

Chairman: Kenner B. Stephenson,  
Parkersburg.  
Treasurer: Mrs. Virginia King, Parkersburg.  
Secretary: L. N. Pickens, Parkersburg.

**Members**

Clay District: (Vacancy): Mrs. Laura J. Willis, Kanawha Station.  
Harris District: W. C. Keever, Belleville; Mrs. Anna Stephens, New England.  
Lubeck District: B. F. Butcher, Washington; Mrs. Elizabeth Bradley, Parkersburg.  
Slate District: E. S. Cooper, Mineral Wells; Ella Merrill, Slate.  
Steele District: C. A. Barnett, Rockport; (Vacancy).  
Tygart District: Cecll Jordan, Parkersburg; Mrs. Mary Ward, Mineral Wells.

**Union District:** J. E. Sinclair, Waverly; Mrs. Mary Martin, Waverly.  
**Walker District:** J. W. Durkin, Eatons; Mrs. Maggie Petty, Eatons.  
**Williams District:** Carl J. Ruf, Williamstown; Mrs. Anna N. Keller, Williamstown.

### City of Parkersburg

**First Ward:** (Vacancy); Mrs. Blanche F. Smith.  
**Second Ward:** J. O. Mead; (Vacancy).  
**Third Ward:** L. S. Pease; Mrs. Florence Debald.  
**Fourth Ward:** C. M. Farnsworth; Mrs. Isabelle Armstrong.  
**Fifth Ward:** A. F. Parsons; Mrs. Myrtle Wigal.  
**Sixth Ward:** V. E. Braden; Kathryn Buckley.  
**Seventh Ward:** (Vacancy); Mrs. George Thornton.  
**Eighth Ward:** G. W. Pratt; Mrs. Nina Wilson.  
**At Large:** Simon Knotts; (Vacancy).

### REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### Officers

**Chairman:** Eugene T. Hague, Parkersburg.  
**Vice Chairman:** Louise Bullock, Parkersburg.  
**Secretary:** Lucille Shank, Parkersburg.  
**Treasurer:** C. C. Bee, Parkersburg.

#### Members

**Clay District:** Earl McPherson, Parkersburg; Mrs. John Holweden, Parkersburg.  
**Harris District:** Cliff Sellers, Belleville; Grace Wigal, Belleville.  
**Lubeck District:** Holly Parsons, Parkersburg; (Vacancy).  
**Slate District:** W. H. Deem, Chesterville; Mildred Tippens, Slate.  
**Steele District:** J. L. Amos, Belleville; Sylvia Pfalzgraf, Rockport.  
**Tygart District:** Frank W. Hains, Parkersburg; Virginia A. Poling, Parkersburg.  
**Union District:** Charles Freshwater, Walker; Margaret E. Christopher, Parkersburg.

**Walker District:** M. F. Stephens, Walker; Lora V. Tait, Walker; Edna G. Steele, Walker.

**Williams District:** K. F. Owens, Williamstown; Mrs. Daisy F. Gates, Parkersburg.

### City of Parkersburg

**First Ward:** T. M. Price; Edith Rosser.  
**Second Ward:** J. A. Park; Mayre L. Spencer.  
**Third Ward:** Frank Treadway; Laura Treadway.  
**Fourth Ward:** J. W. Sommerville; Helen McVey.  
**Fifth Ward:** F. B. Burk; Martha Reys.  
**Sixth Ward:** Frank H. Heydenreich; Elizabeth Burns.  
**Seventh Ward:** John O. Funk; Mrs. C. E. Kingsbury.  
**Eighth Ward:** Claude Sayre; Anna Lewis.  
**At Large:** C. C. Bee; Georgia F. Hill.

### WYOMING COUNTY

Created in 1850 from Logan County, and named for the Wyoming tribe of Indians.

Leading Industries and Chief Agricultural Products: Coal, lumber; livestock, poultry, hay and grain.

**County Seat:** Pineville.

**Magisterial Districts (7):** Baileysville, Barkers Ridge, Center, Clear Fork, Huff Creek, Oceana and Slab Fork.

**Voting Precincts:** 33.

**Aron:** 507.30 square miles.

**Population (1930):** 20,926.

**Assessed Valuation of Property, All Classes (1930),** \$28,254,605.

### COUNTY OFFICIALS

(Post office address Pineville, unless otherwise indicated)

#### Circuit Court (9th Judicial Circuit)

**Judge:** D. M. Easley, (D), Bluefield.

**Terms of Circuit Court:** Second Monday in February, April, July and October.

**Clerk:** John S. Lambert, (D).

**Court Reporter:** L. D. Wilmore, (R), Bluefield.

**Commissioners in Chancery:** F. T. Kingdon, (R), Mullens; Mrs. Hallie W. Dushkoff, (R), Mullens; Paul D. Blackshear, (R); Clarence S. Worrell, (D).

**Divorce Commissioner:** W. Clyde Senter, (D).

**General Receiver:** Clarence S. Worrell, (D).

### County Officers

**Assessor:** Henry Clay, (D).

**Board of Education:** Jack K. Shipman, (D); Everette G. Bailey, (D), Lamar; Grover C. Dooley, (D), Mullens; Asa Hurst, (D), Ravenscliff; Bert Short, (D), Clear Fork.

**Circuit Court:** John S. Lambert, (D).

**County Clerk:** F. Pierce Cook, (D).

**County Superintendent:** W. C. Bailey, Jr.

**Assistant:** Virgil H. Stewart.

**Prosecuting Attorney:** R. D. Bailey, (D).

**Assistant:** R. D. Bailey, Jr., (D).

**Sheriff:** Lon F. Byrd, (D).

**County Surveyor:** Ray Bailey, (D), Baileysville.

**Coroner:** H. E. Foglesong.

**Commissioners of Accounts:** Mrs. H. W. Dushkoff, (R), Mullens; Mary K. Bowman, (R).

**County Commissioners:** Murvian Walker (D); John W. Shufflebarger, (D), Itman; Virgil L. Morgan, (D), Guyan.

**Terms of County Court:** First Tuesday in each month.

**Public Assistance Council:** C. V. Feller, (D), Mullens; G. C. McGraw, (D), Ravenscliff; Dr. Joseph E. Robins, (R), Glen Morrison; M. H. Lusk, (R), Mullens; John W. Shufflebarger, (D), Itman, member County Court, *ex-officio*.

**Director of Public Assistance:** S. D. Hutchinson.

**Road Maintenance Superintendent:** William Rezzonico.

**County Health Officer:** Dr. Ward Wylie.

**County Health Nurse:** Isabelle Durie.

## JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND CONSTABLES

(By Magisterial Districts)

### Baileysville District

**Justices of the Peace:**

Herbert Graham, (D), Baileysville.

Harry Straley, (D), Baileysville.

**Constables:**

Dewey Bailey, (D), Baileysville.

N. B. Birchfield, (D), Baileysville.

### Barkers Ridge District

**Justices of the Peace:**

Wm. R. Haga, (D), Mullens.

E. L. Reece, (R), Herndon.

**Constables:**

D. E. Laxton, (D), Allen Junction.

George L. McKinney, (R), Herndon.

### Center District

**Justices of the Peace:**

A. A. Browning, (R), Pineville.

W. B. Wilson, (D), Pineville.

**Constables:**

Kade Cooper, (R), Pineville.

E. L. Harvey, (R), Pineville.

### Clear Fork District

**Justices of the Peace:**

Bernie Lawrence, (D), Guyan.

Clyde Morgan, (R), Guyan.

**Constable:**

W. O. Hinkle, (D), Clear Fork.

### Huff Creek District

**Justices of the Peace:**

J. E. Morgan, (D), Hanover.

Larkin Lockhart, (D), Iaeger.

**Constables:**

J. R. Green, (D), Hanover.

Robert A. Wilson, (D), Justice.

### Oceana District

**Justices of the Peace:**

Roy Brown, (R), Cyclone.

Epson Cook, (R), Oceana.

**Constables:**

Dock Brown, (R), Cyclone.

I. O. Stewart, (R), Jesse.

### Slab Fork District

**Justices of the Peace:**

Leonard E. Staton, (D), Mullens.

Walter Brooks, (D), Glen Rogers.

**Constables:**

Bill Worley, (D), Mullens.

G. C. McGraw, (D), Ravenscliff.

**ATTORNEYS**

(Post office address Pineville, unless otherwise indicated)

Bailey, R. D., (D)  
 (Prosecuting Attorney)  
 Bailey, Robert, (D)  
 Blackshear, P. D., (R)  
 Blake, John E., (R)  
 (Oceana)  
 Duchkoff, Mrs. Hallie W., (R)  
 (Mullens)  
 Holroyd, Wm. M., (R)  
 (Mullens)  
 Kingdon and Kingdon  
 Kingdon, Frederick T., (R)  
 (Mullens)  
 Kingdon, A. Ritz, (R)  
 (Bluefield)  
 Senter, W. Clyde, (D)  
 Shannon, F. E., (R)  
 Worrell, Clarence S., (D)  
 Worrell, Grover C., (D)  
 (Mullens)  
 Worrell and Worrell  
 Worrell, Grover C., (D)  
 (Mullens)  
 Worrell, Clarence S., (D)

**DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE****Officers**

**Chairman:** Dr. Ward Wylie, Mullens.  
**Vice Chairman:** J. W. Shufflebarger, Itman.  
**Secretary:** John D. Farmer, Mullens.

**Members**

**Balleysville District:** L. R. Gore, Balleysville; Mrs. Goldie Short, Balleysville.

**Barkers Ridge District:** W. J. Meadowell, Herndon; Mrs. W. L. Kelly, Herndon.

**Center District:** Walter C. Byrd, Pineville; Mrs. Merlie Rutherford, Rockview.

**Clearfork District:** James Christian, Simon; Mrs. Ote Hatfield, Simon.

**Huff Creek District:** Eli Mullens, Jaeger; Rebecca Lester, Hanover.

**Oceana District:** Ward Lewis, Oceana; Margaret Roach, Oceana.

**Slab Fork District:** John D. Farmer, Mullens; Mrs. B. E. Tolliver, Mullens.

**REPUBLICAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE****Officers**

**Chairman:** Don D. Cook, Oceana.  
**Vice Chairman:** Mrs. Cora Glover, Herndon.  
**Secretary:** Clair L. Cook, Itman.

**Members**

**Balleysville District:** George Pate, Balleysville; Mrs. Lee Cook, Balleysville.

**Barkers Ridge District:** Elzy Green, Herndon; Cora L. Glover, Herndon.

**Center District:** Alvah Cooper, Windom; Mrs. M. B. Cook, Pineville.

**Clear Fork District:** Norvell Toler, Clear Fork; Mrs. W. F. Blankenship, Guyan.

**Huff Creek District:** Marvin Davis, Hanover; Mrs. Queenie Keneda, Hanover.

**Oceana District:** Don D. Cook, Oceana; Mrs. Nellie Toler, Cyclone.

**Slab Fork District:** W. H. Ruby, Mullens; Mrs. Ollie Tolliver, Maben.

## TABULATED LISTS OF COUNTY OFFICIALS

(Corrected to December 1, 1939)

County	Assessor	Circuit Clerk	*Address
Barbour	Otto Simon, (R)	Roscoe D. Zinn, (R)	Philippi
Berkeley	W. Strong Lewis, (D)	William C. Morton, (D)	Martinsburg
Boone	Clyde H. Kellogg, (D)	B. L. Allen, (D)	Madison
Braxton	O. D. Queen, (D)	C. B. Eakle, (D)	Sutton
Brooke	Wheeler Hercules, (D)	Mrs. Newton W. Shannon, (R)	Wellsburg
Cabell	William M. Martin, (D)	M. C. Blake, (D)	Huntington
Calhoun	Victor Brannon, (R)	P. P. Gunn, (D)	Grantsville
Clay	C. N. Ashley, (D)	Howard E. Wilson, (D)	Clay
Doddridge	P. D. Holden, (R)	Earl L. Davis, (R)	West Union
Fayette	K. K. Warden, (D)	Mrs. L. S. Tully, (D)	Fayetteville
Gilmer	Alfred Rhoades, (D)	Homer G. Woodford, (D)	Glenville
Grant	W. F. Hiser, (R)	†Paul A. Leatherman, (R)	Petersburg
Greenbrier	D. W. Watts, (D)	Thomas W. Henry, (D)	Lewisburg
Hampshire	A. P. Peters, (D)	Edgar G. Shanoltzer, (D)	Romney
Hancock	Kenneth H. Hill, (D)	R. M. Brown, (R)	New Cumberland
Hardy	William Keller, (D)	†C. C. Wise, (D)	Moorefield
Harrison	J. Lee Hornor, (D)	Raymond C. Wolfe, (D)	Clarksburg
Jackson	Guy Dudgeon, (D)	Okey Ellison, (R)	Ripley
Jefferson	F. L. Watson, (D)	W. M. Jones, (D)	Charles Town
Kanawha	J. H. Abbott, (D)	M. H. Hix, (D)	Charleston
Lewis	Joe Steinbeck, (R)	Ernest G. Smith, (D)	Weston
Lincoln	J. N. Sanford, (D)	L. E. Thacker, (D)	Hamlin
Logan	William C. Turley, (D)	Simon A. Dinzess, (D)	Locan
Marion	James W. Davis, (D)	Clarence Curry, (D)	Fairmont
Marshall	Paul A. Dechan, (R)	Frank M. Ferrell, Sr., (R)	Moundsville
Mason	F. E. Bletner, (R)	Vernon Jones, (R)	Point Pleasant
Mercer	R. C. McClaugherty, (D)	L. T. Reynolds, (D)	Princeton
Mineral	Harry O. Rogers, (R)	Paul W. Dayton, (R)	Keyser
Mingo	Fred E. Blair, (D)	W. A. Curry, (D)	Williamson
Monongalia	C. W. Perine, (D)	Mrs. Evelyn E. Yorke, (D)	Morgantown
Monroe	Clark Peters, (D)	W. R. Fullen, (D)	Union
Morgan	Cecil R. Ambrose, (R)	George H. Allemons, (R)	Berkeley Springs
McDowell	L. H. Hardin, (D)	Alex D. Cyphers, (D)	Welch
Nicholas	Dock L. O'Dell, (D)	Haymond V. Summers, (D)	Summersville
Ohio	Karl G. Sailer, (R)	L. L. Nightengale, (R)	Wheeling
Pendleton	Ed. S. Johnson, (D)	†Luther H. Eye, (D)	Franklin
Pleasants	P. E. Cox, (R)	R. J. Virden, (D)	St. Marys
Pocahontas	H. W. Beard, (D)	Grady K. Moore, (D)	Marinton
Preston	C. E. Gustker, (R)	Hobart Spindler, (R)	Kinwood
Putnam	J. H. Matthews, (D)	J. W. Anderson, (R)	Winfield
Raleigh	Ira Whitlock, (D)	Van Hunter, (D)	Bekley
Randolph	Oliver C. Daniels, (D)	F. E. Tallman, (R)	Elkins
Ritchie	C. S. Black, (R)	L. H. Summers, (R)	Harrisville
Roane	Lester H. Drake, (R)	E. M. Sinnett, (D)	Spencer
Summers	H. A. Shumate, (D)	G. J. Hughes, (D)	Hinton
Taylor	Harry B. Batson, (D)	F. M. Hollis, Jr., (D)	Grafton
Tucker	J. Harold Felton, (D)	Clara Richtmire, (D)	Parsons
Tyler	Chauncey D. Tynford, (R)	Donald Van Camp, (R)	Middlebourne
Upshur	H. V. Tenney, (R)	O. B. Phillips, (R)	Buckhannon
Wayne	Henry Mullins, (D)	S. S. Plymale, (D)	Wayne
Webster	P. D. Morton, (D)	G. W. Jackson, (D)	Webster Springs
Wetzel	W. S. Myers, (D)	Archie Leo Yeater, (D)	New Martinsville
Wirt	French Robinson, (D)	Walter Hoffman, (D)	Elizabeth
Wood	Peter Jackson, (D)	Fritz Grimm, (R)	Parkersburg
Wyoming	Henry Clay, (D)	John S. Lambert, (D)	Pineville

\*County Seat.

†Serves also as County Clerk.

## TABULATED LISTS OF COUNTY OFFICIALS—(Continued)

County	County Clerk	Prosecuting Attorney	*Address
Barbour.....	Waitman D. Corder, (R).....	Herman J. Poling, (D).....	Philippi
Berkley.....	Harold O. Keedy, (R).....	C. G. Gain, (D).....	Martinsburg
Boone.....	Lloyd Estep, (D).....	Lilburn Fulton, (D).....	Madison
Braxton.....	Frank Fisher, (D).....	Chas. A. Duffield, Jr., (D).....	Sutton
Brooko.....	Charlotte Calderwood, (R).....	Patrick J. McGuire, (D).....	Wellsburg
Cabell.....	Fred A. Ware, (D).....	Ernest E. Winters, Jr., (D).....	Huntington
Calhoun.....	R. P. Mollohan, (D).....	Lorentz C. Hamilton, (D).....	Grantsville
Clay.....	Levy D. Friend, (D).....	Henry McInane, (D).....	Clay
Doddridge.....	Hali Maxwell, (R).....	James B. Smith, (R).....	West Union
Fayette.....	H. R. Beckelheimer, (D).....	Carl B. Vickers, (D).....	Fayetteville
Gilmer.....	W. B. Lynch, (D).....	Haymon H. Boggs, (D).....	Glenville
Grant.....	†Paul A. Leatherman, (R).....	D. F. Cuppert, Jr., (R).....	Petersburg
Greenbrier.....	Paul C. Hoggsett, (D).....	Hunter Nickell Kramer, (D).....	Lewisburg
Hampshire.....	R. E. Stewart, (D).....	L. V. Thompson, (D).....	Romney
Hancock.....	Don G. Stewart, (D).....	William J. Moore, (D).....	New Cumberland
Hardy.....	†C. C. Wise, (D).....	Ralph J. Bean, (D).....	Moorefield
Harrison.....	Charles P. Furbee, (D).....	J. Philip Clifford, (D).....	Clarksburg
Jackson.....	Donald Ferguson, (R).....	M. C. Archer, (R).....	Ripley
Jefferson.....	Emily A. M. Stanley, (D).....	John C. Skinner, (D).....	Charles Town
Kanawha.....	Paul E. Wehrle, (D).....	J. Blackburn Watts, (D).....	Charleston
Lewis.....	J. O. Bleigh, (R).....	James H. Brewster, Jr., (R).....	Weston
Lincoln.....	J. M. Marcum, (D).....	W. F. Damron, (D).....	Hamlin
Logan.....	J. G. McNeely, (D).....	Claude A. Joyce, (D).....	Logan
Marion.....	Kenna Clark, (D).....	Harrison Conaway, (D).....	Fairmont
Marshall.....	J. Randall Crow, (R).....	J. W. Rickey, (R).....	Moundsville
Mason.....	John G. Aten, (R).....	William H. Rardin, (R).....	Point Pleasant
Mercer.....	Lowrey G. Bowling, (D).....	Roscoe H. Pendleton, (D).....	Princeton
Mineral.....	T. T. Huffman, (R).....	Vernon E. Rankin, (R).....	Keyser
Mingo.....	Elmer Ferrell, (D).....	Lafe B. Chafin, (D).....	Williamson
Monongalia.....	A. R. Martin, (D).....	John V. Sanders, (D).....	Morgantown
Monroe.....	Arnold H. Broyles, (R).....	Forrest Rolcs, (R).....	Union
Morgan.....	R. E. Allen, (R).....	H. D. Allen, (R).....	Berkeley Springs
McDowell.....	Don S. Renn, (D).....	Samuel A. Christie, (D).....	Welch
Nicholas.....	Ira E. Hill, (D).....	George Dana Herold, (D).....	Summersville
Ohio.....	Raymond J. Fallard, (D).....	C. Lee Spillers, (D).....	Wheeling
Pendleton.....	†Luther H. Eye, (D).....	Kay C. Van Meter, Jr., (D).....	Franklin
Pleasants.....	O. Rolla Williams, (D).....	John R. Hickel, (D).....	St. Marys
Pocahontas.....	Moody Kincaid, (D).....	Richard F. Currence, (D).....	Marlinton
Preston.....	P. F. King, (R).....	Melvin C. Snyder, (R).....	Kingwood
Putnam.....	A. M. Brown, (D).....	C. E. Copen, (R).....	Winfield
Raleigh.....	Harry Anderson, (D).....	W. A. Thornhill, Jr., (D).....	Beekloy
Randolph.....	John S. Caplinger, (D).....	Stanley S. Bosworth, (D).....	Elkins
Ritchie.....	Olin V. Wilson, (R).....	Max DeBerry, (R).....	Harrisville
Roane.....	E. R. Lester, (D).....	Clair Smith, (R).....	Spencer
Summers.....	Harold E. Price, (D).....	T. L. Read, (D).....	Hinton
Taylor.....	Ed. C. St. Clair, (R).....	Francis L. Warder, (D).....	Grafton
Tucker.....	Ernest L. Moon, (R).....	Denny F. Scott, (D).....	Parsons
Tyler.....	Ray F. Henderson, (R).....	Henry P. Snyder, (R).....	Middlebourne
Upshur.....	Allen B. Cutright, (R).....	A. Jerome Dailey, (R).....	Buckhannon
Wayne.....	J. G. Lambert, (D).....	D. B. Hardwick, (D).....	Wayno
Webster.....	Charles Herold, (D).....	Wendell W. Hoover, (D).....	Webster Springs
Wetzel.....	G. A. Harman, (D).....	G. W. Coffield, (D).....	New Martinsville
Wirt.....	Frank D. Thorne, (D).....	Willie Fought, (D).....	Elizabeth
Wood.....	Earl S. Wolfe, Jr., (D).....	Walter T. Crofton, Jr., (D).....	Parkersburg
Wyoming.....	F. Pierce Cook, (D).....	R. D. Bailey, (D).....	Pineville

\*County Seat.

†Serves also as Circuit Clerk.

## TABULATED LISTS OF COUNTY OFFICIALS—(Continued)

County	Sheriff	County Superintendent	*Address
Barbour.....	J. N. Forman, (R).....	E. A. Hunt.....	Philippi
Berkeley.....	J. Howard Myers, (D).....	G. William Ropp.....	Martinsburg
Boone.....	Dell White, (D).....	Albert W. Nelson.....	Madison
Braxton.....	R. W. Brosius, (D).....	Virgil B. Harris.....	Sutton
Brooke.....	Herbert Traubert, (D).....	Olen Rutan.....	Wellsburg
Cabell.....	O. M. Phipps, (D).....	Olin C. Nutter.....	Huntington
Calhoun.....	R. J. Knotts, (D).....	Harold B. Proudfoot.....	Grantsville
Clay.....	W. S. Triplett, (D).....	C. M. Young.....	Clay
Doddridge.....	Eli Marshall Nutter, (R).....	William Rollins.....	West Union
Fayette.....	J. R. Aliff, (D).....	E. R. Vawter.....	Fayetteville
Gilmer.....	Gilbert Rhoades, (D).....	Marvin Cooper.....	Glenville
Grant.....	W. A. Veach, (R).....	Clarence P. Hott.....	Petersburg
Greenbrier.....	John L. Campbell, (D).....	W. E. Scott.....	Lewisburg
Hampshire.....	N. B. Guthrie, (D).....	A. C. Loy.....	Romney
Hancock.....	W. Dan Ferguson, (D).....	A. L. Rabenstein.....	New Cumberland
Hardy.....	P. D. DeLawder, (D).....	G. R. Kiracofe.....	Moorefield
Harrison.....	Moore M. Reynolds, (D).....	Arthur V. Upton.....	Clarksburg
Jackson.....	Clarence F. Myers, (R).....	R. P. Kiser.....	Ripley
Jefferson.....	R. J. Madison, (D).....	Henry M. Sydnor.....	Charles Town
Kanawha.....	J. M. Slack, (D).....	Virgil L. Flinn.....	Charleston
Lewis.....	Robert C. Blair, (D).....	Robert T. Crawford.....	Weston
Lincoln.....	D. M. Vandelinde, (D).....	Garcia D. Pauley.....	Hamlin
Logan.....	Everett Workman, (D).....	Paul C. Winters.....	Logan
Marion.....	A. C. West, (D).....	J. J. Straight.....	Fairmont
Marshall.....	Frank H. Patton, (D).....	Louis R. Potts.....	Moundsville
Mason.....	W. W. Rowsey, (R).....	Walden F. Roush.....	Point Pleasant
Mercer.....	G. H. Crumpecker, (D).....	C. H. Archer.....	Princeton
Mineral.....	Harley O. Stagers, (D).....	Paul C. Rouser.....	Keyser
Mingo.....	W. E. Burchett, (D).....	C. O. Batson.....	Williamstown
Monongalia.....	Thomas A. O'Hara, (D).....	Robert B. Clark.....	Morgantown
Monroe.....	Charles McNear, (D).....	Guy H. Biggs.....	Union
Morgan.....	Ed. C. Ambrose, (R).....	Pricc F. Clark.....	Berkeley Springs
McDowell.....	Fred L. Ray, (D).....	George W. Bryson.....	Welch
Nicholas.....	F. C. Perkins, (D).....	James L. Cressy.....	Summersville
Ohio.....	J. C. Burkhardt, (D).....	J. P. McHenry.....	Wheeling
Pendleton.....	George D. Moyers, (D).....	I. L. Bennett.....	Franklin
Pleasants.....	J. E. Heilman, (R).....	Lewis F. Rosenlieb.....	St. Marys
Pocahontas.....	R. N. Nottingham, (D).....	Eric S. Clutter.....	Marlinton
Preston.....	W. C. Roth, (R).....	Paul W. Watson.....	Kingwood
Putnam.....	F. H. Moss, (D).....	O. O. White.....	Winfield
Raleigh.....	H. G. Farmer, (D).....	E. Van Dorsey.....	Bekley
Randolph.....	D. W. Crawford, (D).....	Bryan Hamilton.....	Elkins
Ritchie.....	W. C. Taylor, (R).....	Orval P. Hill.....	Harrisville
Roane.....	Phil D. Phillips, (R).....	Orton R. Karickhoff.....	Spencer
Summers.....	L. E. Dickinson, (D).....	Margaret Nicely Leidig.....	Hinton
Taylor.....	Herbert Evans, (D).....	E. G. Kuhn.....	Grafton
Tucker.....	Stark L. Coberly, (D).....	Shirley Cooper.....	New Martinsville
Tyler.....	C. D. Eastman, (R).....	Ward E. Gamble.....	Middlebourne
Upshur.....	H. A. Zickfoss, (R).....	R. Worth Shumaker.....	Buckhannon
Wayne.....	C. L. Booton, (D).....	M. J. Robinett.....	Wayne
Webster.....	Dock Cutlip, (D).....	Fritz J. Stemple.....	Webster Springs
Wetzel.....	Frank C. Berger, (D).....	Leslie Garrett.....	New Martinsville
Wirt.....	Fred Morehead, (D).....	Clarence Ray.....	Elixabeth
Wood.....	R. E. Hays, (D).....	John A. Davis, Jr.....	Parkersburg
Wyoming.....	Lon F. Byrd, (D).....	W. C. Bailey, Jr.....	Pineville

\*County Seat.

## TABULATED LISTS OF COUNTY OFFICIALS—(Continued)

County	County Agent	Home Demonstration Agent	*Address
Barbour	J. C. Boggess	Carol Ashby	Philippi
Berkeley	W. N. McClung	Velma E. Bergdoll	Martinsburg
Boone			Madison
Braxton	F. W. D. Parsons	Ews K. Bauer	Sutton
Brooke	William C. Gist	Mary C. Diemer	Wellsburg
Cabell	W. D. Click	Mabel F. Best	Huntington
Calhoun	Harlan B. Hogue	Lavonia Hilbert	Grantsville
Clay	George C. Deems		Clay
Doddridge	A. W. Hamilton	Bryanna Burton	West Union
Fayette	J. Haynes Miller	Genevieve Hawkins	Fayetteville
Gilmer	I. N. Fetty	Adele Harpold (Club Agent)	Glenville
Grant	C. L. Stickler	Annie Handley Shobe	Petersburg
Greenbrier	William S. Miller	Virginia Parsons (Club Agent)	Lewisburg
Hampshire	D. I. Law	Nina Spiggle	Romney
Hancock	T. R. Hash	Garnet Protzman Breneman (Club Agent)	New Cumberland
Hardy	S. L. Dodd	Ollie B. McKenney	Moorefield
Harrison	John M. Pierpoint	Mabel Hiller	Clarksburg
Jackson	D. L. Cottrill		Ripley
Jefferson	Neil Bolton	Frances Mae Lafferty	Charles Town
Kanawha	T. H. McGowan	Eleanor Bigelow	Charleston
Lewis	Lynn Spiker	Alpha Hartley	Weston
Lincoln	L. Perry Holden		Hamlin
Logan			Logan
Marion	W. E. McComas	Margaret Rexroad	Fairmont
Marshall	R. S. Virtue	Mary Louise Hedlin	Moundsville
Mason	A. F. Wilson	Hortense Hogue	Point Pleasant
Mercer	F. L. Miles	Mabel Spray	Princeton
Mineral	J. E. Prettyman	Florence Howard (Club Agent)	Keyser
Mingo			Williamson
Monongalia	H. P. Muffy	Katherine Stump	Morgantown
Monroe	C. R. Ripley	Carrie V. Callison	Union
Morgan	H. C. C. Willey	Edna Cole	Berkeley Springs
McDowell		Alice Hamilton	Welch
Nicholas	Robert M. Snyder	Sara R. Warren	Summersville
Ohio	G. S. Myers	Margaret Cookman Stricklin	Wheeling
Pendleton	D. W. McFarland	Annie Handley Shobe	Franklin
Pleasants	H. M. Taylor		St. Marys
Pocahontas	Herman M. Bowers	M. Barbara Bragg	Marlinton
Preston	F. J. Reed	Eleanor E. Hoard	Kingwood
Putnam	B. A. Hensley		Winfield
Raleigh	H. B. Thomas (Assistant)		Beckley
Randolph	Robert L. Hammer	Margaret E. Garvin	Elkins
Ritchie	Ben Morgan	Hazel C. Usner	Harrisville
Roane	Paul W. Perrine	John M. Curry (Club Agent)	Spencer
Summers	A. H. Lough	Bonnie Peck (Club Agent)	Hinton
Taylor	Carroll R. Hawkins		Grafton
Tucker		Arnett L. Kidd (Club Agent)	Parsons
Tyler	H. H. Huff	Jessie F. Lemley	Middlebourne
Upshur	Glenn L. Ford	Abbie Russell	Buckhannon
Wayne	Paul S. Osbel		Wayne
Webster	H. A. Burton	Mary McFarlane Whitman (Club Agent)	Webster Springs
Wetzel	Brooks Daugherty	Kathleen Stephenson (Assistant)	New Martinsville
Wirt	Paul M. Hess		Elizabeth
Wood	W. H. Sill	May Pritchard	Parkersburg
Wyoming			Pinchville

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## TABULATED LISTS OF COUNTY OFFICIALS—(Continued)

County	Health Officer	Health Nurse	*Address
Barbour.....	Dr. W. Scott Smith.....		Philippi
Berkeley.....	Dr. Claude A. Thomas.....	Geraldine Williams Catherine Campion	Martinsburg
Boone.....	Dr. R. L. Hunter.....	Hettie Workman Barker..... Glenna Whitt	Madison
Braxton.....	Dr. M. T. Morrison..... Dr. W. E. McIlvain	Ruth Bunker.....	Sutton
Brooke.....	Dr. J. M. Coran.....	Alberta Morgan..... Mary Murray	Wellsburg
Cabell.....	Dr. R. H. Curry.....	Mrs. Eva B. Green.....	Huntington
Calhoun.....	Dr. J. A. Morford..... Dr. J. A. Markley (Weston)	Matilda Ann Wade.....	Grantsville
Clay.....	Dr. W. E. McIlvain (Sutton).....	Charlotte Thrift.....	Clay
Doddridge.....	Dr. A. Poole.....	Anna Lee Hedrick..... Mozetta Wright (Colored)	West Union
Fayette.....	Dr. Leon A. Dickerson.....	Wanda Shomo Bernice Cridlin	Fayetteville
Gilmer.....	Dr. J. A. Markley (Weston).....	Kathleen Higshman.....	Glenville
Grant.....	Dr. W. H. Ribeldaffer (Romney).....	Anne C. Myers.....	Petersburg
Greenbrier.....	Dr. Herbert Duncan.....	Jessie Roach.....	Lewisburg
Hampshire.....	Dr. J. F. Easton..... Dr. W. H. Ribeldaffer	Elizabeth Somerville.....	Romney
Hancock.....	Dr. Thomas H. Bruce.....	Kathleen Higshman.....	New Cumberland
Hardy.....	Dr. W. H. Ribeldaffer (Romney).....	Bess Hair.....	Moorefield
Harrison.....	Dr. A. J. Kemper.....		Clarksburg
Jackson.....	Dr. T. E. Rymer..... Dr. M. F. Raine (Pt. Pleasant)		Ripley
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Kanawha.....	Dr. T. E. Cato.....	Mrs. Rose W. Laning Ona Haslebacher	Charleston
Lewis.....	Dr. J. A. Markley.....	Margaret Arbuckle.....	Weston
Lincoln.....	Dr. Robert S. Barrett.....	Mrs. Bertie J. Ferrell; Frances Tivey; Sarah Switzer; Eleanor Mc-	Hamlin
Logan.....	Dr. W. P. Hamilton.....	Donald Davis	Logan
Marion.....	Dr. J. W. Davis.....	Marion D. Bell; Madeline McGinnis Rachel Blain; Mary Jane Minnis; Ada Kruger; Mary Hicks	Fairmont
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Mason.....	Dr. M. F. Raine.....	Dorothy Watkins.....	Pt. Pleasant
Mercer.....	Dr. Samuel R. Holroyd.....	Blanche Evans.....	Princeton
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Mingo.....	Dr. E. P. Stepp.....	Mrs. Georgia H. Lyles.....	Williamson
Monongalia.....	Dr. Edwin Cameron.....	Alice I. Duff; Marie Isselstein.....	Morgantown
Monroe.....	Dr. Herbert Duncan (Lewisburg).....	Nellie M. Renick.....	Union
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McDowell.....	Dr. J. A. Bennett.....	Mrs. Ethel P. Gillespie.....	Welch
Nicholas.....	Dr. W. E. McIlvain (Sutton).....	Ruth Smith.....	Summersville
Ohio.....	Dr. Harry A. Smith.....	Virginia Hand; Elizabeth Curren; Cecilia Robrecht	Wheeling
Pendleton.....	Dr. W. H. Ribeldaffer (Romney).....		Franklin
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Pocahontas.....	Dr. Herbert Duncan (Lewisburg).....	Madeline Pershing.....	Marlinton
Preston.....	Dr. C. Y. Moser.....	Frances Sturm.....	Kingwood
Putnam.....	Dr. M. F. Raine (Pt. Pleasant).....	Ruth Barco.....	Winfield
Raleigh.....	Dr. W. W. Hume.....	Blanche Cameron..... Ann O. Skaggs	Berkeley
Randolph.....	Dr. A. E. Fidler.....		Elkins
Ritchie.....	Dr. T. W. Keith.....	Sophia Thomas.....	Harrisville
Roane.....	Dr. M. F. Raine (Pt. Pleasant).....		Spencer
Summers.....	Dr. J. W. Stokes.....		Elinton
Taylor.....	Dr. R. D. Stout.....		Grafton
Tucker.....	Dr. F. E. Lyon.....		Parsons
Tyler.....	Dr. G. M. Harsha.....		Sistersville
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Wirt.....	Dr. O. W. Coplin.....	Isabelle McGregor.....	Elizabeth
Wood.....	Dr. W. A. Bevaqua.....	Edith Rowe.....	Parkersburg
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Brooke.....	Robert McMahon.....	A. S. Craig.....	Wellsburg
Cabell.....	W. H. Patton.....	J. H. Blume.....	Huntington
Calhoun.....	Gordon E. Wick.....	Ira Hardman.....	Grantsville
Clay.....	Lon Earl Rogers.....	J. M. Lorentz.....	Clay
Doddridge.....	George E. Bland.....	L. C. Morris.....	West Union
Fayette.....	J. G. Ridinger.....	William Wise.....	Fayetteville
Gilmer.....	Mrs. Ina Hupp.....	Blair Gainer.....	Glenville
Grant.....	†Wm. T. Moomau.....	A. N. Clower.....	Petersburg
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Hampshire.....	Robert A. Gibson.....	J. G. McCauley.....	Romney
Hancock.....	R. R. Gray.....	Ray Kelly.....	New Cumberland
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Jackson.....	E. H. Butts.....	D. W. Dercnburger.....	Ripley
Jefferson.....	Mrs. Mary Sweeney Terry.....	Charles Lynch.....	Charles Town
Kanawha.....	James I. Pratt.....	E. W. Quick.....	Charleston
Lewis.....	Louise Zobrist.....	F. S. Matthews.....	Weston
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Mineral.....	Richard H. White.....	Charles F. Rice.....	Keyser
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Monroe.....	R. R. Dodd.....	Marion Gilchrist.....	Union
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McDowell.....	Mrs. Pauline C. Elliott.....	F. J. Vance.....	Welch
Nicholas.....	Mason G. Cyrus.....	John C. McClung.....	Summersville
Ohio.....	W. M. Morel.....	Harold E. O'Leary.....	Wheeling
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Pocahontas.....	R. W. Harper.....	D. W. Williams.....	Marlinton
Preston.....	James G. Frame.....	B. T. Gibson.....	Kingwood
Putnam.....	W. E. Thompson.....	J. C. Slack.....	Winfield
Raleigh.....	Edgar Worrell, Jr.....	M. J. Meadows.....	Beckley
Randolph.....	Mrs. B. M. Hoover.....	J. L. Goddin.....	Elkins
Ritchie.....	Archie J. Bruffey.....	C. A. Wilson.....	Harrisville
Roane.....	Nina E. Ball.....	I. D. Looney.....	Spencer
Summers.....	Mrs. Mary E. Rice.....	W. E. Dougher.....	Hinton
Taylor.....	Fred Lewin.....	W. O. Bolin.....	Grafton
Tucker.....	Delbert C. Phillips.....	Forrest Armentrout.....	Parsons
Tyler.....	Lawrence M. Archer.....	F. R. Amos.....	Middlebourne
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Wayne.....	William D. Bowling.....	Cay Booth.....	Wayne
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Wood.....	J. C. B. Coberly.....	W. C. Cooper.....	Parkersburg
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Brooke.....			Dr. Starling D. Steiner.....	Wellsburg
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Calhoun.....	Bruce Ferrell, Jr., (D).....	Grantsville.....	Gerald Stump.....	Grantsville
Clay.....	G. C. Butler, (D).....	Ivydale.....		
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Grant.....				
Greenbrier.....				
Hampshire.....	H. J. Compton, (D).....	Augusta.....		
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Hardy.....	A. D. Wood, (D).....	Moorefield.....		
Harrison.....	J. A. Helm, (D).....	Clarksburg.....	Dr. William Gocks.....	Clarksburg
Jackson.....	D. D. Parsons, (R).....	Kentuck.....	C. Royal Kessel.....	Ripley
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Lincoln.....	W. T. Watts, (D).....	Sod.....		
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Marion.....	S. H. Rudy, (D).....	Hammond.....	C. J. Urbaniak.....	Fairmont
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Mason.....	Oley H. Little, (R).....	Capehart.....	Dr. J. M. Fadely.....	Pt. Pleasant
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Mingo.....	W. E. Good, (D).....	Nolan.....	Gobel K. Ball.....	Williamson
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Morgan.....			N. H. Hobday.....	Union
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Ohio.....	Lloyd C. Bagby, (R).....	Wheeling.....	Dr. S. S. Bobes.....	Wheeling
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Pleasants.....	John Triplett, (R).....	St. Marys.....	C. F. Ruttencutter.....	St. Marys
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Summers.....	C. J. Lilly, (D).....	Hinton.....		
Taylor.....			Dr. Paul P. Warden.....	Grafton
Tucker.....	John B. Carwell, (D).....	Hendricks.....		
Tyler.....	J. S. Haught, (R).....	Middlebourne.....		
Upshur.....	C. B. Wilson, (R).....	Frenchton.....		
Wayne.....	G. M. Johnson, (D).....	Huntington.....	P. H. Osborn.....	Wayne
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 John W. Shuffebarger, (D), Pineville, *ex-officio*.

# MUNICIPAL

## WEST VIRGINIA MUNICIPALITIES, 1939

(Corrected to December 1, 1939)

Under the provisions of Chapter 56, Acts of the Legislature, regular session, 1939, municipal corporations are classified by population as follows: (1) Population in excess of 50,000, Class I city; population more than 10,000 and not more than 50,000, Class II city; and population more than 2,000 and not more than 10,000, Class III city. Municipal corporations not included in these classifications are known as towns or villages.

Transition from one to another class of municipal corporation occurs automatically when the requisite population qualification has been met. Population is determined on the basis of the last preceding census taken under the authority of the Congress of the United States or the Legislature of West Virginia.

### Addison—Webster County

(Sec Webster Springs)

### Albright—Preston County

Incorporated in 1914. Named for David Albright, owner of the land upon which the town is built. Formerly known as Albrightsville.

\*Population, 343; elevation, 1,217 feet; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$2,020.78.

Mayor—W. S. Parks, (R).  
Recorder—Clyde Foley, (R).  
Treasurer—N. J. Gibson, (R).  
Postmaster—J. B. Campbell, (D).  
Members of Council—F. W. Crane, (R);  
Jesse Fries, (R); Gay Miller, (R);  
J. W. Smith, (R); Barney Riley, (R).

### Alderson—Monroe and Greenbrier Counties

Incorporated in 1881 and named for John Alderson, Baptist minister, who

\*All population figures, Census, 1930.

settled in the community in 1777. Location of Federal Industrial Institution for Women.

Population, 1,458; elevation, 1,550 feet; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$12,234.45. Active bank: First National.

Mayor—H. W. Karnes, (D).  
Recorder—H. R. McVey, (D).  
Treasurer—H. W. Karnes, (D).  
Chief of Police—Ray Parker, (D).  
Street Commissioner—Clarence Crowder, (D).  
Fire Chief—W. Richard Ford.  
Waterworks Engineer—J. E. Foster.  
City Health Officer—Dr. C. H. Mahood.  
Postmaster—Duncan M. Johnston, (D).  
Members of Council—J. Frank Nash, (D); L. J. Hines, (D); Everette Broyles, (R); G. E. Bare, Sr., (R); E. C. Gwinn, (D).

### Ansted—Fayette County

Incorporated in 1891 and named for David T. Ansted, a celebrated geologist of London, England, a former owner

of the land upon which the town is located. Mrs. Julia Neale Jackson Woodson, the mother of Thomas J. ("Stonewall") Jackson, is buried here.

Population, 1,404; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$4,-124.46. Active bank: National Bank of Ansted.

**Mayor**—Blundon G. Ferguson, (D).  
**Recorder-Treasurer**—H. H. Wills, (D).  
**Chief of Police**—Leslie L. Rogers, (D).  
**Street Commissioner**—R. H. Massey, (R).

**Fire Chief**—Joseph P. Cashlon, (D).  
**Police Judge**—Blundon G. Ferguson, (D).

**City Attorney**—F. N. Bacon, (R).  
**City Engineer**—C. E. Vawter, (D).  
**City Health Officer**—Dr. L. O. Fox.  
**Postmaster**—Mrs. Marian L. Taylor, (D).

**Members of Council**—R. H. Massey, (R); W. J. McGraw, (D); J. L. Claiborne, (D); H. H. Wood, (D); Joseph Taylor, (D).

### Athens—Mercer County

Incorporated in 1906. Named for Athens, Greece, "Seat of Learning." Formerly known as Concord Church. Location of Concord State Teachers College.

Population, 628; elevation, 2,596 feet; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$4,792.72. Active bank: Bank of Athens.

**Mayor**—John M. Bailey, (R).  
**Recorder**—A. A. Hartman, (D).  
**Chief of Police**—D. L. Thompson, (R).  
**Street Commissioner**—R. R. Sage, (D).  
**Fire Chief**—E. H. Jennings, (R).  
**Postmaster**—Ben D. Wiley, (D).

**Members of Council**—R. R. Sage, (D); Frank Cutright, (R); Champe Clark, (D); P. C. Bibee, (R); Frank Parker, (D).

### Auburn—Ritchie County

Incorporated in 1900. Formerly known as Bone Creek and Newburg. Name "Auburn" suggested in 1871 by Major Joseph C. Gluck, apparently

solely because of the fact that "the word is easy to spell and write."

Population, 166; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$699.73.

**Mayor**—R. D. Nestor, (R).  
**Recorder**—Glade Spurgeon, (R).  
**Chief of Police-Treasurer**—(Vacancy).  
**Street Commissioner**—Vane Bee, (R).  
**Postmaster**—C. W. Sinnett, (R).  
**Members of Council**—Zed Bee, (R); E. J. Bee, (R); Willis Garrison, (R); H. A. Hardman, (D); Okey L. Bush, (D).

### Barboursville—Cabell County

Originally chartered in 1813, and named for James Barbour, Governor of Virginia, 1812-1814.

Population, 1,508; elevation, 571 feet; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$4,770.93. Active bank: First State.

**Mayor**—R. W. Nelson, (R).  
**Recorder**—G. E. Welch, (R).  
**Chief of Police-Treasurer**—I. D. Giesecks, (D).  
**City Attorney**—T. W. Peyton, (D), Huntington.

**City Health Officer**—Dr. R. H. Curry.  
**Postmaster**—M. L. Richmond, (D).  
**Members of Council**—J. L. Jefferson, (D); S. L. Thompson, (D); D. C. Wysong, (D); Woodroe Lawson, (D); G. P. Vallandingham, (D).

### Bath—Morgan County

(See Berkeley Springs)

### Bayard—Grant County

Incorporated in 1893, and named in honor of Thomas F. Bayard, United States Senator from Delaware, 1923-1929.

Population, 743; elevation, 2,448 feet; volunteer fire department; elections held annually on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 4, 1940; postal re-

ceipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$1,606.35.

**Mayor**—E. F. Nine, (R).  
**Recorder-Treasurer**—H. R. Fulk, (D).  
**Chief of Police**—Robt. Guthrie, (D).  
**Street Commissioner**—H. Spencer, (R).  
**Fire Chief**—H. R. Fulk, (D).  
**Water Commissioner**—Lewis Clark, (R).  
**Postmaster**—John Tamburini, (D).  
**Members of Council**—Lewis Clark, (R); A. M. Miller, (R); H. Spencer, (R); H. R. Winters, (D); A. S. May, (D).

### Beckley—Raleigh County

County seat. Originally chartered in 1838, and named for General Alfred Beckley, son of John Beckley, who was Clerk of the House of Representatives during the administrations of Washington, Adams and Jefferson. Location of Beckley College. Radio broadcasting station WJLS located here.

Class III city; population, 9,357; elevation, 2,400 feet; paid and volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in October; officials take office January first; next election October 7, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$79,334.52.

Hospitals: Beckley and Raleigh General and \*Pinecrest Sanitarium. Active banks: Bank of Raleigh, Raleigh County Bank, Beckley National Exchange Bank. Building and loan associations: Beckley Building and Loan Association, Co-operative Building and Loan Association.

**Mayor**—A. K. Minter, (D).  
**Recorder-Treasurer**—Marie Martin Ames, (D).  
**Chief of Police**—Captain W. J. Trall, (D).  
**Fire Chief**—W. H. Weldensall, (D).  
**Street Commissioner**—Albert Gregory, (D).  
**Police Judge**—Herbert Stansbury, (D).  
**City Attorney**—Ben H. Ashworth, (D).  
**City Engineer**—P. H. Wilson, (R).  
**City Health Officer**—Dr. E. H. Hedrick.  
**Postmaster**—J. T. Hollandsworth, Jr., (D).  
**Members of Council**—J. O. Freeman, (D); Creve Maples, (D); E. D. Armstrong, (D); E. P. Ewart, (D); J. R. Gilmore, (D).

**Fireman's Civil Service Commission**—H. L. Crawford; J. W. Givens; J. F. Houchins.

**Policemen's Civil Service Commission**—J. P. Bonner; J. S. Higgins; Ted G. McDowell.

### Belington—Barbour County

Incorporated in 1905 and named for John Bealing, first postmaster.

Population, 1,571; elevation, 1,698 feet (at Citizens National Bank); volunteer fire department; elections held annually on the first Tuesday in March; officials take office April first; next election, March 5, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$6,396.86. Active bank: Belington Bank.

**Mayor**—Guy H. Michael, (R).  
**Clerk-Treasurer**—B. F. Moore, (R).  
**Chief of Police**—Orlen Cross, (R).  
**Street Commissioner**—Russell Williamson, (D).  
**Fire Chief**—J. H. L. Gainer, (D).  
**City Attorney**—J. A. Viquesney, (R).  
**City Health Officer**—Dr. E. M. Hamilton.  
**Postmaster**—O. O. Baughman, (D).  
**Members of Council**—J. E. Hester, (R); W. B. Gall, (D); E. E. Wilmoth, (R); G. B. Skidmore, (D); I. S. Price, (R); Tom Wilson, (R); W. D. Hillyard, (R); Fontz Jones, (R).

### Benwood—Marshall County

Originally chartered in 1853. Name derived from reference to land on which city is located as "Ben's Woods," which at the time was owned by Benjamin McMechen.

Class III city; population, 3,950; elevation, 648 feet; part-paid and volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in April; officials take office May first; next election, April 2, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$3,273.66.

**Mayor**—Raphael P. Deegan, (D).  
**Clerk**—Martin P. Conner, (D).  
**Treasurer**—A. Scarnecchia, (D).  
**Chief of Police**—Pat. J. Scully, (D).  
**Street Commissioner**—Milton Hill, (D).  
**Fire Chief**—Francis Shimek, (D).

\*State tuberculosis sanitarium.

**City Attorney**—Robert J. Riley, (D), Wheeling.

**Postmaster**—Thomas Deegan, (D).

**Members of Council**—Joseph A. Burkhardt, (D); Stephen Holly, (D); Thomas McShane, (D); Fred Berardi, (D); William Straghn, (D); Albert Gresko, (D); Frank Vuchok, (D); Clark Sprouts, (R); Andy Skazinski, (R); Thomas Boreman, (R).

### Berkeley Springs—Morgan County (Bath)

County seat. Name of town, Bath; name of post office, Berkeley Springs. Established in 1776 under the name of Bath, after Bath, England, famed for its waters. The post office name, Berkeley Springs, is a combination of the name Norborne Berkeley, Governor of Virginia, 1768-1770, with the warm medicinal springs found here, now owned by the state, the curative value of the waters having been known since 1747. Home for a time of James Rumsey, inventor of the steamboat.

Population, 1,039; elevation, 611 feet (at Court House); volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held annually on the first Saturday in May; officials take office June first; next election May 4, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$9,887.79.

**Hospitals:** \*Berkeley Springs Sanitarium and The Pines Hospital for Crippled Children. Active bank: Citizens National.

**Mayor**—Henry N. Gorrell, (R).

**Recorder**—E. Smith Rockwell, (R).

**Chief of Police-Treasurer**—A. B. Dyche, (R).

**Street Commissioner**—A. B. Dyche, (R).

**Fire Chief**—H. D. Beeler, (R).

**City Attorney**—H. D. Allen, (R).

**Postmaster**—Mrs. Ada Stiner, (D).

**Members of Council**—C. L. Hunter, (R); Jack M. Hunter, (D); Lewis H. Buzzerd, (R); O. E. Widmyer, (R); J. Milton Johnson, (R).

### Bethany—Brooke County

Originally chartered in 1853 and named for the village of Bethany, in Palestine. Noted as home of Alexander

\*State sanitarium.

Campbell, founder of the Christian Church. Location of Bethany College.

Population, 439; elevation, 931 feet (at Bethany College); volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$5,694.00.

**Mayor**—W. J. Sumpstine, (D).

**Recorder-Treasurer**—Alice Wells, (R).

**Fire Chief**—Glenn Martin, (D).

**Postmaster**—S. C. Underwood, (D).

**Members of Council**—Harry Craft, (D); E. E. Roberts, (D); Osborne Booth, (D); Glenn Martin, (D); Lamont Chambers, (R).

### Beverly—Randolph County

Originally chartered in 1790 and named for Beverly Randolph, mother of Edmund Randolph, Governor of Virginia, 1786-1788. Formerly known as Edmondton.

Population, 431; elevation, 1,972 feet; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$2,225.94.

**Mayor**—Donald Kent Crawford, (D).

**Recorder**—David Wamsley, (D).

**Chief of Police-Treasurer**—C. N. Webber, (D).

**Postmaster**—William H. Hilborn, (R).

**Members of Council**—Bruce Yokum, (D); M. B. Rohrbough, (R); James B. Baker, (R); Goff Cox, (R); R. B. Morrison, (D).

### Blacksville—Monongalia County

Incorporated in 1897, and named for David Black, founder of the town, which was laid out in 1829 on land owned by him.

Population, 269; elevation, 956 feet; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$1,490.94.

**Mayor**—A. B. Collins, (D).

**Recorder-Treasurer**—W. B. Haught, (R).

**Fire Chief**—Thos. W. Hines, (R).

**Postmaster**—Eleanor Lantz, (D).  
**Members of Council**—Ralph Husk, (D);  
 Dana Tennant, (D); M. J. Bell, (D);  
 R. M. Owen, (R); H. M. Wells, (D).

### Bluefield—Mercer County

Incorporated in 1889. So named because of the luxuriant growth in that section at the time of a weed, with a dark blue flower, which is a species of chicory, and also on account of the blue grass which grows in such abundance in the county. Location of Bluefield State Teachers College, (for negroes). Radio broadcasting station WHIS located here.

Class II city; population, 19,339; elevation, 2,558 feet; paid fire department, motorized; elections held quadriennially on the first Tuesday in July; officials take office first Tuesday in August; next election July 1, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$155,984.67.

**Hospitals**: St. Luke's Hospital, Bluefield Sanitarium, Brown's Hospital, (colored), Providence Hospital, (colored). **Public Library**, Mrs. Frederick R. Dow, Librarian. **Active banks**: Commercial Bank of Bluefield, First National Bank, Flat Top National Bank. **Building and loan association**: First Federal Savings and Loan Association.

**Mayor**—W. C. Snyder, (R).  
**City Manager**—Emory P. Mitchell, (D).  
**Chief of Police**—C. N. Wilson, (D).  
**Clerk**—Ralph E. Shupe, (R).  
**Treasurer**—M. S. Stupalsky, (D).  
**Fire Chief**—E. L. McClure, (R).  
**Police Judge**—Thos. H. Scott, (R).  
**City Attorney**—Luther G. Scott, (R).  
**City Engineer**—Elmer C. Barton, (R).  
**City Health Officer**—Dr. David B. Lepper.  
**Superintendent of Sanitation**—Kyle L. Bruce, (D).  
**Postmaster**—R. L. Bailey, (D).  
**Board of Directors**—W. C. Snyder, (R), (Mayor); T. L. Brown, (D); Guy C. Dunn, (R); S. O. White, (D); T. Courtney Tanner, (R).  
**Firemen's Civil Service Commission**—Herbert D. May; K. H. Whitman; K. B. Thomas.  
**Policeman's Civil Service Commission**—Dr. J. Toy Nelson; G. H. Lawhead; J. M. McCue.

### Bolivar—Jefferson County

Incorporated in 1877, and named for Simon Bolivar, a Venezuelan patriot known as the Liberator of South America.

Population, 616; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$991.92.

**Mayor**—R. C. Fields, (R).  
**Recorder-Treasurer**—R. N. Snyder, (D).  
**Fire Chief**—J. W. Ramsdell, (R).  
**Postmaster**—Minnie J. Rau, (D).  
**Members of Council**—C. R. Young, (D); B. F. Eackles, (D); A. B. Dinkle, (D); J. R. Dunn, (R); J. W. Ramsdell, (R).

### Bramwell—Mercer County

Incorporated in 1888, and named for J. H. Bramwell, pioneer in the coal development in that section of the state.

Population, 1,574; elevation, 2,252 feet; paid fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$2,902.32.

**Mayor**—R. L. Parsons, (D).  
**Recorder-Treasurer**—Lina Griffith, (D).  
**Chief of Police**—McKinley Stacey, (R).  
**Fire Chief**—Elmer H. Rice, (D).  
**City Attorney**—R. L. Parsons, (D).  
**City Health Officer**—Dr. H. B. Luttrell.  
**Postmaster**—Mrs. M. R. Walker, (D).  
**Members of Council**—Harry Bowen, (R); Paul M. Pack, (R); Edward Cooper, Jr., (R); D. J. Sexton, (D); E. H. Lowe, (D).

### Brandonville—Preston County

Laid out in 1827, but not chartered until 1858. Named for Colonel Jonathan Brandon, builder of the first house in the community.

Population, 82; elevation, 1,831 feet; elections held biennially on the second Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 10, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$531.75.

**Mayor**—James Galloway, (R).  
**Recorder-Treasurer**—Glenn Nieman, (R).

**Postmaster**—Mamie B. Galloway, (R).  
**Members of Council**—W. I. G. Harned, (D); James Freeland, (D); Clyde McGinnis, (D); F. O. Dotts, (D); Harold Thomas, (R).

### **Bridgeport—Harrison County**

Originally chartered in 1816. So named because of the completion in 1803 across Simpson Creek of the first bridge to be built in Harrison County. Home of Benjamin Wilson, distinguished frontiersman, and Joseph Johnson, the only Governor of Virginia from west of the Allegheny Mountains.

Population, 1,567; elevation, 978 feet; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$4,688.60. Active bank: Bridgeport Bank.

**Mayor**—Joe A. Deegan, (D).  
**Clerk**—P. N. Sheets, (R).  
**Treasurer**—John Combs, (R).  
**Chief of Police**—A. C. Wooster, (R).  
**City Attorney**—W. Lyle Jones, (R).  
**Postmaster**—M. V. Brown, (D).  
**Members of Council**—W. W. Willis, (R); N. D. Sutton, (R); Brent Bailey, (R); O. E. Corder, (D); W. L. Fowler, (D).

### **Bruceton Mills—Preston County**

Originally chartered in 1853. Named by John M. Hoffman, early settler, for his stepfather, George Bruce, who is said to have been a lineal descendent of Robert Bruce, the famous King of Scotland.

Population, 116; elevation, 1,548 feet; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$1,670.19. Active bank: Bruceton Bank.

**Mayor**—W. J. Bowermaster, (R).  
**Recorder-Treasurer**—Myron Speelman, (R).  
**Chief of Police**—W. J. Bowermaster, Jr., (R).  
**Postmaster**—F. Paul Copeman, (D).  
**Members of Council**—Ray Hinebaugh, (R); C. Arthur Thomas, (R); Roy Darby, (R); Walter Collins, (R); Charles E. Seese, (R).

### **Buckhannon—Upshur County**

County seat. Established in 1816. Chartered by the Virginia Assembly in 1852. Named by the first white settlers for Buck-on-go-ha-non, renowned chief of the Delaware Indians during the Border War, whose favorite hunting grounds were located near the present site of the city. Location of West Virginia Wesleyan College.

Class III city; population, 4,374; elevation, 1,432 feet (at Court House); part-paid and volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held annually on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 4, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$23,999.22.

Hospitals: Buckhannon City and St. Joseph's. Active banks: Adrian Buckhannon Bank, Central National Bank. Building and loan association: Buckhannon Building and Loan Association.

**Mayor**—Henry R. Gay, (R).  
**Recorder**—Ramus Holtz, (R).  
**Treasurer**—Edna L. Bartlett, (R).  
**Chief of Police**—J. C. Berry, (R).  
**Street Commissioner**—E. C. Coyner, (R).  
**Fire Chief**—Robert F. Cockerill, (R).  
**City Attorney**—H. Roy Waugh, (R).  
**City Engineer**—E. C. Bennett, (D).  
**City Health Officer**—Dr. A. B. Bowyer.  
**Postmaster**—Mrs. W. P. Barlow, (D).  
**Members of Council**—C. I. Post, (R); R. S. Rundio, (D); Perce J. Ross, (R); S. L. Ward, (R); Mrs. I. R. Post, (D).

### **Buffalo—Putnam County**

Originally chartered in 1837. Named for Buffalo Creek, which derived its name by reason of the fact that many buffalo used to roam that section of the county.

Population, 316; elevation, 579 feet; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$2,064.34. Active bank: Buffalo Bank.

**Mayor**—H. B. Hill, (R).  
**Recorder**—Sam. E. Raynes, (R).  
**Fire Chief**—Sam R. Bosworth, (D).  
**Postmaster**—Mrs. Lilly R. Frazier, (D).

**Members of Council**—C. H. Raynes, (R); John Cunningham, (D); J. R. Raynes, (R); T. W. Finch, (D); S. R. Bosworth, (D).

### Burnsville—Braxton County

Incorporated in 1902 and named for Captain John Burns, who operated the first saw mill in that section of the state, and who established the town shortly after the close of the Civil War.

Population, 868; elevation, 765 feet; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$2,434.52.

**Mayor**—C. E. Whytsell, (D).

**Recorder**—O. K. McNemar, (D).

**Chief of Police**—H. T. Harper, (R).

**City Attorney**—M. W. Hefner, (D).

**Postmaster**—Virgil W. Knight, (D).

**Members of Council**—W. C. Hall, (R); F. L. Dulaney, (D); H. B. Marshall, (R); O. F. Smith, (D); J. A. H. Wade, (D).

### Cairo—Ritchie County

Incorporated in 1895. Named by devout Scotch Presbyterians, first settlers, after the city by that name in Egypt, because there they found water and fertile ground for their crops.

Population, 607; elevation, 680 feet; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$3,444.01.

**Mayor**—Dr. Roydice Staats, (R).

**Recorder**—Dennis Farley, (D).

**Treasurer**—E. F. Rinehart, (D).

**Chief of Police**—G. W. Shook, (R).

**Fire Chief**—R. C. West, (R).

**City Health Officer**—Dr. U. S. G. Ferrell.

**Postmaster**—Clark Heckert, (D).

**Members of Council**—Clem Haddox, (D); C. L. Hanlon, (D); W. H. Payne, (D); B. F. Rinehart, (D); A. S. Freeman, (R).

### Camden-On-Gauley—Webster County

Incorporated in 1904 and named for the late Johnson N. Camden, United States Senator from West Virginia, 1881-1887, 1893-1895.

Population, 435; elevation, 2,034 feet; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$1,593.80.

**Mayor**—Okey E. McCourt, (D).

**Recorder-Treasurer**—O. S. Law, (D).

**Chief of Police**—Carl Nicholas, (R).

**Street Commissioner**—D. R. Spinks, (D).

**City Health Officer**—Dr. L. O. Hill.

**Postmaster**—Mrs. Annie Bean, (D).

**Members of Council**—George Barnett, (D); L. B. Callahan, (D); Dr. L. O. Hill, (D); I. R. Spinks, (D); D. F. Kyer, (D).

### Cameron—Marshall County

Originally incorporated in 1861, and named for Samuel Cameron, right-of-way agent for the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company prior to the construction of the railroad into that community.

Class III city; population, 2,281; elevation, 1,169 feet; motorized fire department; elections held biennially on the first Thursday in January; officials take office February first; next election, January 4, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$11,360.23.

**Library**: Cameron Public, Mrs. John Elbin and Mrs. C. E. Woodward, Librarians. **Active bank**: First National Bank.

**Mayor**—A. N. Cook, (R).

**Recorder**—E. W. Nowell, (R).

**Chief of Police**—O. J. Mason, (R).

**Fire Chief**—Geo. A. Phillips, (R).

**City Attorney**—C. D. Hinerman, (R).

**Postmaster**—W. R. Kincaid, (D).

**Members of Council**—W. H. Marling, (R); I. N. Mickey, (R); C. H. Knight, (R); D. R. Henderson, (R); F. L. Purdy, (R); Melvin Clark, (R).

### Capon Bridge—Hampshire County

Incorporated in 1902. So named because of the construction of the bridge over Capon River at that place, the

name of the river being derived from the Indian name Cape-cape-pe-hon meaning "river of medicine water."

Population, 192; election held annually on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 4, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$569.48.

**Mayor**—H. E. Hiett, (D).

**Recorder**—B. W. Coe, (D).

**Chief of Police**—M. B. McDonald, (R).

**Postmaster**—Gertrude Ward, (D).

**Members of Council**—Conard Wolford, (D); Harold Duff, (D); B. A. Giffin, (D); Wood Lovett, (D); W. C. Muse, (D).

### Cass—Pocahontas County

Incorporated in 1902, and named for Joseph K. Cass, chairman of the board of West Virginia Pulp and Paper Company, engaged in the lumber and flooring manufacturing business in that town.

Population, 708; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$3,072.09.

**Mayor**—L. B. Jones, (D).

**Recorder**—E. R. Loudermilk, (D).

**Treasurer**—J. W. Keyser, (D).

**Chief of Police-Street Commissioner**—J. C. Wooddell, (D).

**Fire Chief**—S. E. Keyser, (R).

**City Health Officer**—Dr. U. H. Hannah.

**Postmaster**—J. H. Moyer, (D).

**Members of Council**—S. E. Keyser, (R); E. J. Shaffer, (R); Burk McCarty, (R); J. A. Kirkpatrick, (R).

### Cedar Grove—Kanawha County

Incorporated in 1902. Name derived from the fact that at the time the town was established, a large cedar forest was growing at that location.

Population, 1,110; elevation, 619 feet; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$1,669.19.

**Mayor**—J. L. Estep, (D).

**Recorder**—R. W. Bayes, (D).

**Treasurer**—E. L. Leavens, (D).

**Chief of Police**—William Barnette, (D).

**Street Commissioner**—L. A. Ramsey, (R).

**City Attorney**—John E. Amos, (D), Charleston.

**Postmaster**—C. A. Skaggs, (D).

**Members of Council**—J. W. Basham, (R); L. A. Ramsey, (R); Thomas Ingram, (R); Thomas Maroney, (D); Dr. J. A. Hopkins, (R).

### Ceredo—Wayne County

Founded in 1857, but not incorporated until 1866. Named by Eli Thayer, then a member of Congress from Massachusetts, after Ceres, the Greek goddess of grain and harvest, because of the agricultural opportunities apparently existing there at the time.

Population, 1,164; elevation, 553 feet; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held annually on the third Saturday in March; officials take office April first; next election, March 16, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$3,010.00. Active bank: First National.

**Mayor**—Glen F. Mott, (R).

**Recorder**—G. B. deVries, (R).

**Treasurer**—J. J. Billups, (R).

**Chief of Police-Fire Chief**—Jim Terry, (R).

**Street Commissioner**—Paul Billups, (R).

**City Health Officer**—Dr. R. V. Shirley.

**Postmaster**—Mrs. Nona Marcum, (D).

**Members of Council**—Glen F. Mott, (R); G. B. deVries, (R); J. J. Billups, (R); Paul Billups, (R); R. M. Hall, (D); W. J. Kendrick, (D); Dr. W. F. Bruns, (R).

### Charleston—Kanawha County

County seat. Originally chartered in 1794 as Charles Town, and named by the founder, George Clendenin, for his father, Charles Clendenin. Name changed to Charleston in 1818. Site of Fort Lee, an important frontier post, 1788-1795, named for General Henry "Light Horse Harry" Lee. Home of Daniel Boone, 1788-1795. State capitol located here, 1870-1875, and continuously since 1885. Location of Morris Harvey College and Mason College of Music and Fine Arts. Radio broadcasting stations WCHS and WGKV located here.

Class I city; population, 60,408; elevation, 597 feet (in front of C. & O. station); paid fire department, motorized; elections held quadrennially on the third Monday in April; officials take office first Monday in May; next election, April 19, 1943; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$791,834.87.

Hospitals: Charleston General, Kanawha Valley, McMillan, Mountain State, St. Francis, Salvation Army, Hill Crest Sanitarium and Staats. Library: Kanawha County Public Library, Charles E. Butler, Librarian.

Active banks: Central Trust Company, Kanawha Banking and Trust Company, Kanawha Valley Bank, Charleston National Bank, National Bank of Commerce.

Building and loan associations: Capitol Building and Loan Association, Charleston Building and Loan Association, Charleston Federal Savings and Loan Association, Colonial Building and Loan Association, Empire Savings and Loan Company, Empire Federal Savings and Loan Association, First Federal Savings and Loan Association, Kanawha Savings and Loan Association, Liberty Building and Loan Association, Mountain State Building and Loan Association, West Virginia Building and Loan Association.

Mayor—D. Boone Dawson, (R).  
City Manager—M. R. Mathews, (R).  
Clerk—H. C. Walker, (R).  
Treasurer—Roy H. Pierson, (R).  
Chief of Police—W. A. Tully, (R).  
Street Commissioner—A. O. Ratliff, (R).

Fire Chief—J. L. McLane, (R).  
Police Judge—Cyrus W. Hall, (R).  
City Attorney—Philip H. Hill, (R).  
Assistant: P. G. Meador, (R).  
City Engineer—H. L. Campbell, (R).  
City Health Officer—Dr. Herbert B. Wise.

Postmaster—Jullus W. Singleton, (D).  
Members of Council—Carl F. Bauman, (R); Wm. F. Bohrer, (R); George Byers, (R); James G. Carper, (R); J. Carl Casdorff, (R); Carl L. Davis, (R); J. Roy Edwards, (R); Alex. P. Gates, (R); H. H. Henson, (R); E. Leslie Hoffman, (R); C. B. Horn, (R); Geo. J. Huber, (R); Harry L. Mathews, (R); W. E. Moore, (R); Samuel W. Neff, (R); G. Blaine Nicholson, (R); R. E.

O'Connor, (R); S. J. Richard, (R); Harry Silverstein, (R); Otis A. Vandine, (R); Guy W. Van Horn, (R); Chas. A. Wickertshelm, (D).

Firemen's Civil Service Commission—C. R. Morgan; A. B. Hodges; E. C. Shaffer.

Policemen's Civil Service Commission—M. S. Aldrich; S. L. Flournoy; C. W. Martin.

### Charles Town—Jefferson County

County seat. Originally chartered in 1786 and named for Charles Washington, brother of the first President, who erected here his home, "Happy Retreat," later reconstructed and named "Mordington." Scene of trial and execution of John Brown, famous abolitionist. Home of William L. Wilson, who, in 1896, while Postmaster General in President Cleveland's cabinet, established between Charles Town, Euville and Halltown the first rural free delivery service in America. Near here, at "Harewood," home of Samuel Washington, another brother of George Washington, Dolly Payne Todd was married to James Madison, later President of the United States.

Class III city; population, 2,434; elevation, 530 feet (at N. & W. R. R. Station); volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held annually on the fourth Thursday in May; officials take office July first; next election May 23, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$18,510.25.

Hospital: Charles Town General. Library: Old Charles Town, Mrs. J. M. Miller, Secretary. Active bank: Bank of Charles Town. Building and loan association: Charles Town and Summit Point Building and Loan Association.

Mayor—F. R. Cockrill, (D).  
Clerk—H. J. Cain, (D).  
Chief of Police-Treasurer—D. H. Ambrose, (D).

Fire Chief—C. F. Reininger, (D).  
City Attorney—Lee Bushong, (D).  
City Health Officer—Dr. G. P. Morrison.

Postmaster—Thos. R. Moore, (D).  
Members of Council—A. B. Link, (D); W. B. Johnson, (D); A. M. Ennis, (D); R. D. Earley, (D); W. L. Anderson, (D); T. D. Webster, (D); W. D. Webster, (D); W. H. Hill, (D).

**Police-men's Civil Service Commission—**  
C. C. Tabb; W. T. Patton; H. J. Wiswell; H. J. Cain.

### Chester—Hancock County

Established in 1896, but not incorporated until 1907. Name "Chester" selected by J. E. McDonald, who laid out the town, solely "because it is a short name, easy to remember."

Class III city; population, 3,701; elevation, 1,340 feet; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the second Thursday in March; officials take office first Monday in April; next election, March 14, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$13,645.60.

Building and loan association: Hancock County Federal Savings and Loan Association.

**Mayor—**John S. Duffy, (R).

**Clerk-Treasurer—**James L. Paisley, (R).

**Chief of Police—**Floyd H. Lyons, (R).  
**Street Commissioner—**William G. McGahan, (R).

**Fire Chief—**John H. Hobbs, (R).

**City Attorney—**William W. Ingram, (R).

**Postmaster—**Hugh B. Lynch, (D).

**Members of Council—**Albert Kell, (R); A. Earl Wilson, (R); Elmer Conley, (D); W. Harry Lewis, (R); Percy Willison, (R).

### Clark—McDowell County

(P. O. Northfork)

Incorporated in 1909, and named for the late Dr. Luther H. Clark, prominent business and civic leader of McDowell County.

Population, 787; elevation, 1,742 feet; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 4, 1940.

**Mayor—**A. Catzen, (R).

**Recorder-Treasurer—**Louis Schwartz, (R).

**Chief of Police—**Dean Spencer, (R).

**Fire Chief—**Clyde Martin, (D).

**City Attorney—**F. C. Cook, (R).  
(Northfork).

**City Engineer—**G. H. Wilcox, (R).

**City Health Officer—**Dr. J. A. Bennett.

**Postmaster—**W. S. Wray, (D).

**Members of Council—**L. C. Austin, (R); C. H. Wright, (D); A. R.

Thompson, (R); Elizabeth Drewry, (D); William Tucker, (D).

### Clarksburg—Harrison County

County seat. Originally chartered in 1785 and named for George Rogers Clark, noted Virginia soldier. Birthplace of General Thomas J. ("Stonewall") Jackson. Radio broadcasting station WBLK located here.

Class II city; population, 28,866; elevation, 1,007 feet (corner Pike and Third Streets); paid fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the third Tuesday in April; officials take office first Monday in May; next election, April 15, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$200,597.01.

Hospitals: Union Protestant and St. Mary's. Library: Public, Ethel Green, Librarian. Active banks: Lowndes Savings Bank and Trust Co., Empire National Bank, Merchants National Bank, Union National Bank. Building and loan associations: Clarksburg Building and Loan Association; Community Savings & Loan Company.

**City Manager—**Late B. Davisson, (R).

**Clerk-Treasurer—**Lloyd D. Griffin, (R).

**Chief of Police—**Jules A. Brasseur, (R).

**Street Commissioner—**O. L. Stewart, (R).

**Fire Chief—**J. J. Martin, (R).

**Police Judge—**Lloyd D. Young, (R).

**City Attorney—**Wm. G. Johnson, (R).

**Members of Water Board—**P. H. Shields, (R); J. Ransel Romine, (D); (Vacancy).

**Secretary and General Manager of**

**Water Board—**Scotland G. Highland.

**City Engineer—**Erlie L. Rogers, (R).

**Board of Park Commissioners—**M. I. Stutler, (R); Paul S. Hornor, (D); G. M. Barnett, (D).

**City Health Officer—**Dr. Earl N. Flowers.

**Postmaster—**Frank J. Maxwell, (D).

**Members of Council—**Cyril J. Stanton, (D); Harry S. Weeks, (R); M. B. Criss, (R); Russell E. Sandy, (R); Frank Underwood, (R); Haymond Rapp, (R); Vernon A. Lyon, (R); Fred Scanes, Jr., (D); Brady Sims, (R).

**Firemen's Civil Service Commission—**Sam Corbin; L. C. Shingleton; Arch M. Cantrall.

**Policemen's Civil Service Commission**—Ralph Heatherington; Dr. J. E. Stephenson; Frank S. Turner.

### Clay—Clay County

County seat. Incorporated in 1895. Name derived from Clay County, which was named for Henry Clay. Formerly known as Henry and as Clay Court House.

Population, 444; elevation, 707 feet (corner Main and Church Streets); elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$5,304.96. Active bank: Clay County Bank.

**Mayor**—Waldo Morris, (D).

**Clerk-Treasurer**—R. L. Sizemore, (D).

**City Attorney**—Henry N. McLane, (D).

**City Engineer**—James S. Chase, (Ind.).

**City Health Officer**—Dr. A. A. Smith.

**Postmaster**—J. F. Wilson, (D).

**Members of Council**—Dr. A. A. Smith, (R); S. E. Foot, (D); J. M. Lorentz, (D); W. S. Dodrill, (R); Earl Young, (R).

### Clendenin—Kanawha County

Incorporated in 1904 and named for the Clendenins, pioneer citizens of the Kanawha Valley.

Population, 1,217; elevation, 620 feet; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for year ended June 30, 1939, \$6,832.87. Active bank: Farmer's and Citizen's State Bank.

**Mayor**—J. M. Haddox, (R).

**Recorder-Treasurer**—C. C. Dalton, (D).

**Chief of Police**—John Unrue, (D).

**Street Commissioner**—J. W. Tompkins, (R).

**Fire Chief**—Hobson Dodson, (R).

**Postmaster**—Virgil Givens, (D).

**Members of Council**—John Rush, (D); Arlie Gallon, (D); J. B. Stump, (R); French Davis, (R); Philip Naylor, (R).

### Coalton—Randolph County (Womelsdorff)

Name of town, Womelsdorff; name of post office, Coalton. Incorporated in 1895 under the name of Womelsdorff, after O. C. Womelsdorff, Pennsylvanian, the first coal operator in that com-

munity. Coalton, the post office, derived its name because of the location in a coal mining center.

Population, 373; elevation, 2,157 feet; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$459.55.

**Mayor**—P. L. Altieri, (D).

**Recorder-Treasurer**—H. G. Porter, (D).

**City Engineer**—P. R. Hinkle, (R).

**Postmaster**—Mary S. May.

**Members of Council**—R. M. Carter, (D); J. W. Simmons, (D); Everett Goff, (R); Frank Flanagan, (R); Romeo Silvester, (D).

### Cowen—Webster County

Incorporated in 1899, and named for John F. Cowen, director and one of the principal stockholders in the West Virginia and Pittsburgh Railway Company, which was later absorbed by the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company.

Population, 491; elevation, 2,244 feet; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$2,762.51.

**Mayor**—Wayne Hoover, (D).

**Recorder-Treasurer**—C. E. Case, (R).

**Chief of Police**—John Criss, (R).

**Postmaster**—Wilma Starcher, (D).

**Members of Council**—J. M. Atkison, (R); B. A. Wright, (R); John Mills, (D); Chas. Funkhouser, (D); Esley Arthur, (R).

### Danville—Boone County

Incorporated in 1911 and named for Dan Rock, the first postmaster. Formerly known as Newport and Red House.

Population, 486; elevation, 684 feet; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$1,542.96. Active bank: Bank of Danville.

**Mayor**—C. R. Mitchell, (R).

**Recorder**—J. Rex Price, (R).

**Chief of Police**—Cecil Ballard, (R).

**Postmaster**—Mayme Ballard, (D).  
**Members of Council**—H. V. Linville, (R); L. E. Perry, (R); T. J. Hopkins, (D); Thomas R. Barker, (D); J. B. McKinney, (D).

### Davis—Tucker County

Incorporated in 1889 and named for the family of Henry Gassaway Davis, United States Senator from West Virginia, 1871-1883. Highest municipality in the state; elevation 3,101 feet.

Population, 1,656; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$6,-214.90. Active bank: National Bank of Davis.

**Mayor**—C. W. Raese, (R).  
**Recorder**—H. F. Campbell, (D).  
**Chief of Police**—Clarence Harman, (R).  
**Street Commissioner**—E. L. McLean, (R).  
**Fire Chief**—Belmont Cleaver, (D).  
**Postmaster**—Fred Gollightly, (D).  
**Members of Council**—Carl Aronson, (D); Howard Mosser, (D); Ed. Walters, (R); Dr. R. W. Snavelly, (R); Robert Raese, (R).

### Dunbar—Kanawha County

Incorporated in 1921, and named for the late Dunbar Baines, prominent Charleston banker and lawyer.

Class III city; population, 4,189; part-paid and volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$15,-296.84. Active bank: Bank of Dunbar.

**Mayor**—D. L. Sallsbury, (R).  
**Clerk-Treasurer**—C. F. Stewart, (R).  
**Chief of Police**—H. A. Master, (R).  
**Fire Chief**—Willbur Lookado, (R).  
**Street Commissioner**—Ray Argobrite, (R).  
**Building Inspector**—W. K. Boso, (R).  
**City Attorney**—Charles W. Caldwell, (R), Charleston.  
**City Engineer**—Virgil Knopp, (D).  
**Postmaster**—Frank C. Ellis, (D).

**Members of Council**—Ira N. Walker, (R); H. B. Stanley, (D); C. H. Cole, (D); Howard Brick, (D); Doy Payne, (R); Henry Douglas, (R).

### Durbin—Pocahontas County

Incorporated in 1906 and named by the late John T. McGraw for Charles R. Durbin, Sr., formerly of Morgantown, but at that time prominent in banking circles at Grafton.

Population, 498; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$2,406.26.

**Mayor**—C. Forrest Hull, (D).  
**Recorder**—J. Hall Wilson, (D).  
**Chief of Police**—(Vacancy).  
**Fire Chief**—Max Poscover, (Ind.).  
**City Attorney**—Richard F. Currence, (D), Marlinton.  
**City Health Officer**—Dr. A. E. Burner.  
**Postmaster**—H. H. Hudson, (D).  
**Members of Council**—Albert Ash, (R); J. B. Day, (R); Lella Little, (R); Max Kramer, (D); R. L. Shiffett, (D).

### East Bank—Kanawha County

Incorporated in 1889. So named because of its location on the east bank of the Kanawha River. Formerly known as Hampton and Pryor.

Population, 476; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$1,100.00.

**Mayor**—L. S. Davidson, (D).  
**Recorder**—C. F. McConlhay, (D).  
**Chief of Police-Treasurer**—J. F. Becher, (D).  
**City Attorney**—D. W. Taylor, (D), Charleston.  
**City Health Officer**—Dr. S. B. Souleyret.  
**Postmaster**—M. A. Farry, (D).  
**Members of Council**—Dr. R. A. Henson, (R); Dean Lyons, (R); L. E. Weaver, (D); Harry Creasey, (D); J. R. Gifford, (D).

### East Rainelle—Greenbrier County

Incorporated in 1921. So named because of its location just east of the town of Rainelle, which was named for Thomas W. and John Raine, prominent

lumber manufacturers of that section of the county.

Population, 1,272; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$4,586.61. Hospital: East Rainelle General.

**Mayor**—C. E. Vance, (R).

**Clerk-Treasurer**—Ray Neal, (R).

**Chief of Police**—Woodrow Haney, (D).

**City Attorney**—John L. Detch, (D).

**Postmaster**—J. W. Quick, (D).

**Members of Council**—J. W. Shockley, (D); C. E. Spade, (R); George Casto, (D); T. H. Bobbitt, (D); F. C. Bush, (D).

### Elizabeth—Wirt County

County seat. Originally chartered in 1822, and named for Elizabeth (Woodyard) Beauchamp, wife of David Beauchamp, prominent early settler.

Population, 716; elevation, 645 feet; elections held annually on the second Monday in April; officials take office Thursday after election; next election, April 8, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$4,547.21. Active bank: Wirt County Bank.

**Mayor**—W. T. Folts, (R).

**Clerk-Treasurer**—Walter Hoffman, (D).

**Chief of Police**—Floyd Lowe, (R).

**Street Commissioner**—W. T. Folts, (R).

**Fire Chief**—Floyd Lowe, (R).

**Police Judge**—W. T. Folts, (R).

**City Attorney**—James L. Smith, (D).

**Postmaster**—Harry W. Coplin, (D).

**Members of Council**—Melvin Wilson, (R); H. L. Bryan, (D); E. V. Black, (R); Z. O. Cooper, (R); O. C. Williams, (R); H. N. Ott, (D).

### Elk Garden—Mineral County

Incorporated in 1890. So named because of the traditional location there of an elk lick.

Population, 299; elevation, 2,300 feet; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$1,100.93.

**Mayor**—J. W. Willis, Jr., (D).

**Recorder**—W. H. Arnold, (R).

**Postmaster**—Mrs. Hanna T. Carney, (R).

**Members of Council**—L. W. Kitzmiller, (R); A. R. Middleton, (R); J. R. Norman, (D); Nellie Warnick, (R).

### Elkins—Randolph County

County seat. Incorporated in 1890, and named for Stephen B. Elkins, United States Senator from West Virginia, 1895-1911. Location of Davis and Elkins College and West Virginia Children's Home.

Class III city; population, 7,345; elevation, 1,929 feet (at main building of Western Maryland R. R.); volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in March; officials take office April first; next election, March 4, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$46,346.78.

**Hospitals**: Davis Memorial and Elkins City. **Library**: Public, Anne S. Dunlap, Librarian. **Active banks**: Davis Trust Company, Citizen's National Bank, Tygarts Valley National Bank.

**Mayor**—L. C. Irons, (D).

**Clerk**—John W. Graham, (D).

**Treasurer**—Kent A. Johnson, (R).

**Chief of Police**—I. J. Joyce, (R).

**Street Commissioner**—Sheridan McCall, (R).

**Fire Chief**—Hiram Pittman.

**City Attorney**—Bonn Brown, (D).

**City Engineer**—E. D. Baker.

**City Health Officer**—Dr. A. M. Fredlock.

**Postmaster**—A. C. McGee, (D).

**Members of Council**—J. B. Coonts, (R); J. C. Kellar, (D); R. B. Purdum, (D); Ralph Cade, (D); Sheridan McCall, (R); Notley Barnard, (D); H. H. Spelcher, (D); A. E. Droppleman, (D); A. A. Erdman, (R); J. A. Wilverding, (R).

**Policemen's Civil Service Commission**—Harry B. Moore; O. H. Taylor; Harold Stell.

### Ellenboro—Ritchie County

Incorporated in 1903 and named in honor of Ellen Mariah Williamson, first postmaster, daughter of John Williamson, early settler. Formerly known as Shumley.

Population, 330; elevation, 784 feet; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office

July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$1,436.60.

**Mayor**—C. B. Lambert, (D).  
**Recorder-Treasurer**—B. Perry Drey, (D).  
**Street Commissioner**—B. F. Hinton, (R).  
**Postmaster**—O. K. Wigner, (R).  
**Members of Council**—J. W. M. Rinker, (D); A. C. Mercer, (D); J. B. Underwood, (R); C. W. Keith, (R); A. W. Martin, (R).

### Fairmont—Marion County

County seat. Established in 1820 as Middletown, then in Monongalia County. Chartered by the Virginia Assembly in 1843 as Fairmont, a contraction of Fair Mountain, first considered as the name for the new town. Home of Francis H. Pierpont, War Governor of Virginia under the Restored Government, whose body is buried in a cemetery in this city. Location of Fairmont State Teachers College. Radio broadcasting station WAMN located here.

Class II city; population, 23,159; elevation, 883 feet (in front of B. & O. station); paid fire department, motorized; elections held quadrennially on the second Tuesday in May; officials take office July first; next election, May 11, 1943; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$140,692.42.

**Hospitals:** Cook and \*Fairmont Emergency. **Library:** Public Library of Marion County, Mrs. Mary W. Conaway, Librarian. **Active bank:** The First National Bank in Fairmont. **Building and loan associations:** East Side Building and Loan Association, Fairmont Building and Loan Association, First Federal Savings and Loan Association, Marion County Building and Loan Association, Mountaineer Building and Loan Association, Standard Building and Loan Association.

**Mayor**—Fred T. Wilson, (R).  
**Clerk**—Marchie M. Nutter, (R).  
**Treasurer**—Paul E. Amos, (R).  
**Water Director**—Harry C. Loudon, (D).  
**Chief of Police**—James L. Whitecotton, (D).  
**Street Director**—Joseph T. Hodges, (D).  
**Fire Chief**—Ralph F. Doolittle, (R).

**City Attorney**—Albert J. Kern, (D).  
**City Engineer**—Henry C. Scott, (D).  
**City Health Officer**—Paul Yost.  
**Postmaster**—Arthur G. Martin, (D).  
**Members of Board of Directors**—Fred T. Wilson, (R); Paul E. Amos, (R); Joseph T. Hodges, (D); Harry C. Loudon, (D).  
**Firemen's Civil Service Commission**—James F. Burns; James R. Phelps; Delbert C. Jenkins.  
**Policemen's Civil Service Commission**—C. Howard Hardesty; Ward Latham; Frank Kuhn.

### Fairview—Marion County

Incorporated in 1891. Name derived from an inn operated there by William Basnett about the year 1815, the name for which was selected by Millinda A. Jones because from that location a clear (fair) view could be had of the surrounding country.

Population, 836; elevation, 999 feet; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$3,654.79.

**Mayor**—H. W. Dragoo, (R).  
**Clerk-Treasurer**—P. L. O'Dell, (D).  
**Chief of Police**—Mayo O'Dell, (D).  
**Fire Chief**—Wesley Wyre, (R).  
**Postmaster**—Fenley Carpenter, (D).  
**Members of Council**—Virgil Baker, (R); S. F. Wiseman, (R); C. R. Haught, (R); Frank Dodd, (R); Ernest Shuman, (R).

### Falling Springs—Greenbrier County

(P. O. Renick)

Incorporated in 1906. So named by reason of the location there of a group of springs having a gentle fall to the Greenbrier River.

Population, 356; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941.

**Mayor**—W. L. Clingman, (D).  
**Clerk-Treasurer**—R. R. Boyce, (D).  
**Postmaster**—L. H. M. Christie, (D).

\*State hospital.

**Members of Council**—Mrs. O. P. Kinsley, (D); P. E. McFerrin, (D); Mrs. Mabyn Dodson, (D); F. C. Burdette, (D); H. D. Bennett, (R).

### Farmington—Marion County

Incorporated in 1896. Formerly known as Willeyville, Willeytown and Underwood. Called Farmington because at the time name was chosen population consisted principally of those engaged in farming.

Population, 819; elevation, 951 feet; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$3,742.63.

**Mayor**—J. C. Cotril, (D).

**Recorder-Treasurer**—I. L. Fletcher, (D).

**Chief of Police**—Harry Cooper, (D).

**Fire Chief**—H. E. Villars, (R).

**Postmaster**—R. B. Mapel, (D).

**Members of Council**—R. C. Cooper, (D); H. E. Villars, (R); Marshall Parrish, (D); E. W. Malcolm, (R); Pearl Toothman, (R).

### Fayetteville—Fayette County

County seat. Established as Vandalia in 1837, and named for Abraham Vandal, former owner of the land upon which the town is located. Chartered as Fayetteville in 1883. Named after Fayette County and in honor of the gallant patriot, Marquis de Lafayette.

Population, 1,143; elevation, 1,850 feet; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$15,849.81. Active bank: Fayette County National Bank. Building and loan association: Fayetteville Federal Savings and Loan Association.

**Mayor**—T. A. Myles, (D).

**Recorder-Treasurer**—Ben D. Keller.

**Chief of Police**—(Vacancy).

**Fire Chief**—F. J. Morris, (R).

**Postmaster**—A. J. Duncan, (D).

**Members of Council**—Frank Love, (R); George H. Moreau, (R); C. B. Selvey, (D); H. D. Propps, (D); C. G. Janutolo, (R).

### Flatwoods—Braxton County

Incorporated in 1902. So named on account of the flat and rolling land upon which the town is laid out.

Population, 299; elevation, 1,052 feet; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$1,060.60.

**Mayor**—W. B. Golden, (D).

**Recorder**—L. G. McQuain, (R).

**Postmaster**—A. Wirt Berry, (D).

**Members of Council**—B. S. Berry, (D); H. O. Stockert, (D); Loman Stewart, (D); M. C. Eubank, (R); E. W. Lockard, (R).

### Flemington—Taylor County

Incorporated in 1922 and named for James Fleming, an early settler, whose former home was in New Hampshire.

Population, 617; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$2,728.98.

**Mayor**—A. N. Stewart, (R).

**Recorder-Treasurer**—Stanley Fleming, (R).

**Chief of Police**—Victor Menear, (R).

**City Attorney**—W. Merle Watkins, (R), Grafton.

**Postmaster**—G. O. Sinsel, (D).

**Members of Council**—Vincent McCauley, (D); Arthur Whitehair, (D); Byron C. Ross, (R); Bryan Newhouse, (D); A. E. Vincent, (R); W. J. Westfall, (R).

### Follansbee—Brooke County

Incorporated in 1906. name derived from Follansbee Brothers Company, owners of a large steel mill in that city.

Class III city; population, 4,841; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the Tuesday after the third Monday in March; officials take office first Monday in April; next election, March 18, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$12,069.17. Active banks: Bank of Follansbee, Citizen's Bank of Follansbee.

**Mayor**—Thomas H. Rogers, (D).

**City Manager**—Delmar Jenkins, (R).

**Clerk**—Jake Brady, (D).

**Chief of Police**—Hoyt Allen, (D).

**Fire Chief**—Rees Rees, (D).

**City Attorney**—Gust Yandala, (D).

**Postmaster**—J. Walker, (D).

**Members of Council**—George Hubbs, (R); O. G. Bryte, (R); Ralph Mc-Masters, (D); Edward Thomas, (R); Hamilton Bowman, (R); Samuel Stillwell, (R).

### Fort Gay—Wayne County

Originally chartered in 1875 as Cassville. Name changed to Fort Gay in 1932. Name selected on account of the location prior to the Civil War of a fort (Fort Gallup) on a hill at Louisa, Kentucky, opposite this municipality.

Population, 664; elevation, 998 feet; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$1,974.84.

**Mayor**—R. F. Frasher, (D).

**Recorder-Treasurer**—L. L. Lycan, (R).

**Chief of Police**—M. L. Varney, (R).

**Postmaster**—George J. Carter, Jr., (D).

**Members of Council**—Albert Frasher, (D); Chas. Frasher, (D); C. A. Cardwell, (D); Chas. Justice, (R); Iliff West, (R).

### Franklin—Pendleton County

County seat. Originally chartered in 1794, and named for Franklin Evick, one of the first settlers. Formerly known as Frankford.

Population, 431; elevation, 1,750 feet; volunteer fire department; elections held annually on the fourth Saturday in March; officials take office first Monday in April; next election, March 23, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$5,811.50.

Active bank: Pendleton County Bank.

**Mayor**—Z. B. Moyers, (D).

**Recorder-Treasurer**—T. E. Wimer, (R).

**Water Commissioner**—W. L. Fultz, (R).

**Fire Chief**—Forrest Alkire, (D).

**City Attorney**—Wm. McCoy, (D).

**City Health Officer**—Dr. O. F. Mitchell.

**Postmaster**—Alice McCoy, (D).

**Members of Council**—Bert Sites, (R); Sam Simmons, (D); A. F. Hill, (R); Ed Glover, (D); Reon Kline, (D).

### Friendly—Tyler County

Incorporated in 1898. Named for Friend Cochrane Williamson, grandson of Thomas Williamson, one of the two earliest settlers on the Ohio River at the site of the present location of the town.

Population, 170; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$854.52.

**Mayor**—J. G. Flesher, (R).

**Recorder**—Wm. H. Livingston, (R).

**Treasurer**—Paul Frum, (R).

**Chief of Police**—John May, (D).

**Postmaster**—Lulu Griffin, (D).

**Members of Council**—Paul Frum, (R); E. L. Griffin, (D); H. C. Merrill, (R); G. H. Doty, (D); Virgil Racer, (R).

### Gassaway—Braxton County

Incorporated in 1905 and named for Henry Gassaway Davis, pioneer coal operator of Randolph County, and United States Senator from West Virginia, 1871-1883.

Population, 1,618; elevation, 833 feet; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$6,098.51. Active bank: Bank of Gassaway.

**Mayor**—J. A. Bridge, (D).

**Recorder**—Lloyd M. Bartlett, (D).

**Chief of Police**—Ray E. Bennett, (R).

**Fire Chief**—E. C. Williams, (D).

**City Attorney**—Van B. Hall, (D).

**Postmaster**—C. L. Perkins, (D).

**Members of Council**—J. E. Conley, (D); D. G. Simmons, (R); Guy L. Warner, (R); Carl McCune, (D); H. B. Mullins, (D).

### Gilbert—Mingo County

Incorporated in 1918 and named for Gilbert Creek, which derived its name from the name of an early traveler in that section who was killed by the Indians.

Population, 451; elevation, 833 feet; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first;

next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$1,076.92.

**Mayor**—W. I. Hatfield, (R).

**Recorder-Treasurer**—A. L. Cline, (D).

**Chief of Police**—Joe Wayne Hatfield, (D).

**Street Commissioner**—J. W. White, (R).

**Postmaster**—Mrs. Edith Fox, (D).

**Members of Council**—Bill Beanblossom, (D); Alton Fox, (D); George Ellis, (D); George Smith, (D); R. E. Woolridge, (D).

### Glasgow—Kanawha County

Incorporated in 1920. Name derived from a combination of the word "glass" with the word "company," a glass factory having been built there several years ago.

Population, 614; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$1,125.26.

**Mayor**—C. D. Bannister, (D).

**Recorder**—Charles W. Gardner, (D).

**Treasurer**—Harlan Pell, (D).

**Street Commissioner**—O. D. Litton, (R).

**City Health Officer**—Calvin Keenan.

**Postmaster**—A. C. Moore, (R).

**Members of Council**—O. E. Cochran, (D); Calvin Keenan, (D); O. D. Litton, (R); G. D. Martin, (D); D. W. Villers, (R).

### Glen Dale—Marshall County

Incorporated in 1924. Named after "Glen Dale," the name of the Samuel A. Cockayne farm, upon which the municipality was laid out.

Population, 1,493; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 4, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$2,797.36. Hospital: Reynolds Memorial.

**Mayor**—Roy Warrick, (R).

**Recorder**—E. L. Earle, (D).

**Chief of Police-Treasurer**—Steve J. Martin, (R).

**Street Commissioner**—Peter Garrett, (R).

**Fire Chief**—Charles McCabe, (D).

**City Attorney**—John K. Chase, (R), (Moundsville).

**Postmaster**—S. A. Cockayne, (D).

**Members of Council**—W. C. Fox, (R); I. L. Wood, (R); A. W. Zimmerman, (R); L. S. Davis, (R); Paul L. Wharton, (D).

### Glenville—Gilmer County

County seat. Originally chartered in 1856. Name derived from the short bend in the Little Kanawha River at that point which provides for that area a sheltered position. Formerly known as Stewart's Creek and Hartford. Location of Glenville State Teachers College. Here was composed the song, "The West Virginia Hills" (words by Mrs. Ellen King, music by H. A. Engle).

Population, 799; elevation, 733 feet; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$8,372.59. Active banks: Glenville Banking and Trust Company, Kanawha Union Bank.

**Mayor**—Ray Thompson, (D).

**Recorder-Treasurer**—Cesa L. Johnson, (D).

**Chief of Police**—Everett Campbell, (D).

**Postmaster**—Marguerite Whiting, (D).

**Members of Council**—A. V. Young, (D); J. Wilber Beall, (D); Overt Hardman, (D); J. C. Musser, (D); W. Nottingham, (D).

### Grafton—Taylor County

County seat. Originally chartered in 1856, and named in honor of John Grafton, a civil engineer in the employment of Colonel Benjamin Latrobe, who laid out the route of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad in 1852 across what was then Northwestern Virginia. Only national cemetery in West Virginia (1368 graves) located here.

Class III city; population, 7,737; elevation, 1,000 feet (in front of railroad station); paid fire department, motorized; elections held triennially on the first Tuesday in March; officials take office April first; next election, March 4, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$32,990.24.

Hospital: Grafton City. Library: Grafton Public Library, Elsie M.

Ringler, Librarian. Active bank: First National. Building and loan associations: Home Building and Loan Association, Mutual Building and Loan Association.

**Mayor**—P. F. Gillispie, (R).  
**Clerk-Treasurer**—J. B. Bradford, (D).  
**Chief of Police**—A. E. Lockard, (R).  
**Fire Chief**—L. H. Greenwald, (R).  
**City Attorney**—H. R. Warder, (R).  
**City Engineer**—Sam Jenkins, (R).  
**City Health Officer**—Dr. C. F. Shaffer.  
**Postmaster**—James T. Murphy, (D).  
**Members of Council**—P. F. Gillispie, (R); J. B. Bradford, (D).  
**Police-men's Civil Service Commission**—Dr. H. L. Potts; Dr. Paul E. Malone; Clyde Hardman.

### Grantsville—Calhoun County

County seat. Established in 1865, but not incorporated until 1896. Named in honor of General Ulysses Simpson Grant.

Population, 1,018; elevation, 726 feet; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$7,209.04. Active bank: Calhoun County Bank.

**Mayor**—Ivan Umstead, (D).  
**Recorder**—Lynn Stump, (D).  
**Treasurer**—Lynn Stump, (D).  
**Chief of Police**—Dudley Lutz, (D).  
**Fire Chief**—Dudley Lutz, (D).  
**City Attorney**—Louis Reed, (R).  
**City Engineer**—Logan McDonald, (R).  
**City Health Officer**—J. A. Morford.  
**Postmaster**—W. O. Umstead, (D).  
**Members of Council**—G. L. Strader, (R); Louis Reed, (R); A. G. Burns, (D); Foster Poling, (R); Logan McDonald, (R).

### Hambleton—Tucker County

Established in 1889, but not incorporated until 1905. Named by the then United States Senator Stephen B. Elkins in honor of a stockholder by this name in the West Virginia Central Railroad Company. Formerly known as Hulings.

Population, 368; elevation, 1,682 feet; elections held annually on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 4, 1940;

postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$701.87.

**Mayor**—J. D. Collett, (D).  
**Recorder**—Marle Hahn, (D).  
**Postmaster**—Mrs. Bertie Sayre, (R).  
**Members of Council**—Kermit Collett, (D); W. H. Poling, (D); Paul Mateer, (R); Will Pennington, (R); J. E. Smith, (D).

### Hamlin—Lincoln County

County seat. Date originally chartered unknown, but thought to be about 1867, the only available records being destroyed by fire when the court house burned in 1909. Named for Leonides Lent Hamline, prominent Methodist bishop.

Population, 844; elevation, 642 feet; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 4, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$5,284.22. Active bank: Lincoln National Bank.

**Mayor**—W. E. Madden, (R).  
**Recorder**—M. N. Johnson, (R).  
**Chief of Police-Treasurer**—Ed. Hager, (R).  
**Postmaster**—E. L. Woodall, (D).  
**Members of Council**—Hallie Priestley, (R); Bernie Curry, (D); Bernie Jaynes, (R); Lon Richardson, (D); R. E. Bailey, (R).

### Harman—Randolph County

Incorporated in 1901. Named for Rev. Asa Harman, donor of the site of the town. Formerly known as Harman Town.

Population, 114; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$1,225.48. Active bank: The Stockmans Bank.

**Mayor**—E. R. Teter, (R).  
**Recorder-Treasurer**—Riley Cooper, (R).  
**Postmaster**—C. Y. Harman, (R).  
**Members of Council**—Gordon Bennett, (R); M. J. Roy, (R); M. V. Lantz, (R); C. C. Long, (D); H. H. Payne, (D).

**Harper's Ferry—Jefferson County**

Originally established in 1763, but settled as early as 1734 by Robert Harper, for whom the town was named, and who first operated ferries across the Potomac and Shenandoah rivers at that point. Scene of the historic raid by John Brown, in 1859, on the government arsenal located there. Lowest point in the state, the elevation being but 274 feet above sea level. Location of Storer College (for negroes).

Population, 705; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$4,104.84.

**Mayor**—Lewis D. Nichols, (D).  
**Recorder-Treasurer**—Robt. F. Trail, (D).

**Chief of Police**—Wm. M. Kain, (D).  
**Street Commissioner**—Chas. E. Riley, (D).

**Fire Chief**—Chas. E. Marlatt, (D).  
**City Attorney**—Jas. M. Mason, Jr., (D).

**City Engineer**—Wm. H. Savery, (R).  
**City Health Officer**—Dr. C. C. Johnson.  
**Postmaster**—Mayme Marquette, (D).  
**Members of Council**—W. A. Walsh, (D); C. E. Riley, (D); C. C. Johnson, (D); E. E. Ross, (D); Wm. L. Edwards, (R).

**Harrisville—Ritchie County**

County seat. Established in 1832, but not chartered until 1869. Named for Thomas Harris, pioneer.

Population, 1,192; elevation, 870 feet (at Court House); volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$8,082.12.

**Library**: Harrisville Public, Mrs. M. Elizabeth Eastlack, Librarian.  
**Active bank**: Union Bank of Harrisville.

**Mayor**—J. W. DeBrulor, (R).  
**Recorder**—E. M. Pierpoint, (R).  
**Chief of Police-Treasurer**—O. C. Gordon, (R).  
**Street Commissioner**—O. C. Gordon, (R).

**City Attorney**—Max DeBerry, (R).

**City Health Officer**—Dr. T. W. Keith.

**Postmaster**—G. A. Fowler, (D).

**Members of Council**—J. M. McGinnis, (R); F. A. Deem, (R); E. E. Washburn, (R); L. L. Cokeley, (R); J. H. McDougal, (D).

**Hartford—Mason County**

Incorporated in 1868, and named by the founders, Morgan Buckley and William Healey, eastern capitalists, for the city of Hartford, Connecticut.

Population, 423; volunteer fire department; elections held annually on the second Thursday in April; officials take office May first; next election, April 11, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$918.74.

**Mayor**—Norman O. Wein, (D).

**Recorder**—E. A. Stollatis, (R).

**Treasurer**—Adam Wein, (D).

**Street Commissioner**—D. A. Smith, (R).

**Postmaster**—Dr. C. W. Petty, (D).

**Members of Council**—Elias Withrow, (R); A. K. McClung, (D); Grover Smith, (R).

**Hedgesville—Berkeley County**

Originally laid out in 1830, but not chartered until 1854. Named for the Hedges family, rich land owners in that section at the time the town was established.

Population, 361; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$1,778.83.

**Mayor**—J. M. Vermilyea, (D).

**Recorder**—A. C. Nadenbousch, (D).

**Treasurer**—Jas. S. Pitzer, (D).

**Street Commissioner**—R. L. Nadenbousch, (D).

**Postmaster**—Geo. W. Kilmer, (D).

**Members of Council**—Jas. S. Pitzer, (D); J. A. Brown, (R); Elmer Lucas, (D); F. L. Brown, (R); A. C. Nadenbousch, (D).

**Henderson—Mason County**

Incorporated in 1893. Named for Samuel Bruce Henderson, who at the time owned all the land upon which the town is located.

Population, 330; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June;

officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$758.51.

**Mayor**—R. C. Darst, (D).  
**Clerk**—Mervin Chapman, (D).  
**Treasurer**—J. A. Daugherty, (R).  
**Postmaster**—Mrs. A. C. Kelley, (R).  
**Members of Council**—D. A. Darst, (D); Earl Austin, (R); Arnold Henry, (R); Robert Siders, (R); A. C. Darst, (D).

### Hendricks—Tucker County

Incorporated in 1894, and named by the late Henry Gassaway Davis for Thomas A. Hendricks, Vice President of the United States, 1885.

Population, 484; elevation, 1,720 feet; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$874.93.

**Mayor**—J. B. Ambrose, (R).  
**Recorder-Treasurer**—A. S. Lindsey, (R).  
**Chief of Police**—R. B. Kile, (D).  
**Postmaster**—W. H. Ryan, (D).  
**Members of Council**—C. W. Harvey, (R); Charles Mullennex, (R); J. A. Butcher, (R); W. D. Smith, (R); J. E. Poling, (D).

### Hillsboro—Pocahontas County

Established in 1843, but not incorporated until 1886. Named for John Hill, who was instrumental in having the town laid out. Birthplace of Pearl Buck, famous author.

Population, 220; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$1,566.36.

**Mayor**—R. W. Rogers, (D).  
**Clerk**—D. S. Ruckman, (D).  
**Treasurer**—Archie Walker, (D).  
**City Attorney**—S. H. Sharp, (R), Marlinton.  
**Postmaster**—G. L. Carlisle, (R).  
**Members of Council**—G. C. Beard, (D); W. T. Walker, (D); S. B. Auldridge, (D); Geo. P. Hill, (R); Blake Shrader, (R).

### Hinton—Summers County

County seat. Established in 1873, but not chartered until 1880. Named for John (Jack) Hinton, prominent lawyer of Summers County and husband of Avis Gwinn Hinton, pioneer, who owned the land upon which the city is now located.

Class III city; population, 6,654; elevation, 1,382 feet (in front of railroad station); part-paid and volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the second Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 10, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$26,135.67.

**Hospital**: Hinton Hospital. Active banks: First National Bank, National Bank of Summers.

**Mayor**—J. G. Fredeking, (D).  
**Clerk-Treasurer**—Mona G. Cumby, (R).  
**Chief of Police**—E. B. Fox, (D).  
**Street Commissioner**—G. E. Anderson, (D).  
**Fire Chief**—S. H. Boland, (D).  
**City Attorney**—Walter M. Elswick, (D).  
**City Health Officer**—Dr. J. W. Stokes.  
**Postmaster**—Carl Hinton, (D).  
**Members of Council**—H. R. Gunnoe, (D); C. R. Maddy, (D); W. C. Parker, (D); J. D. Stennett, (D).  
**Policemen's Civil Service Commission**—Glen Maddy, (D); I. R. Allstock, (D); R. C. Neely, (R).

### Holidays Cove—Hancock and Brooke Counties

Incorporated in 1912, and named for John Holliday, an early settler.

Class III city; population, 4,480; elevation, 741 feet; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Thursday in January; officials take office February first; next election, January 4, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$18,510.71. Active bank: People's Bank.

**Mayor**—J. Ross Hindman, (D).  
**Clerk**—Bernice C. Trushel, (R).  
**Treasurer**—R. C. Morris, (R).  
**Chief of Police**—Jos. W. Kerr, (R).  
**Fire Chief**—John A. Ferguson, (R).  
**City Attorney**—Wm. T. Fahoy, (R).  
**City Engineer**—R. C. Morris, (R).

**Postmaster**—T. T. Bambrick, (D).

**Members of Council**—Wm. T. Suplee, (R); Wm. C. Barr, (R); Wm. J. McConnell, (R); H. D. Austin, (R); Harry D. Smith, (D).

**Policemen's Civil Service Commission**—Dr. J. E. Richmond; J. F. McHendry; Max Kuntz.

### Hundred—Wetzel County

Incorporated in 1894. Named in honor of Henry Church and his wife, first settlers, who lived to be 109 and 106 years of age, respectively. Formerly known as Old Hundred.

Population, 788; elevation, 1,019 feet; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$4,499.60. Active bank: Bank of Hundred.

**Mayor**—D. A. Null, (D).

**Recorder-Treasurer**—C. L. Chapman, (D).

**Chief of Police**—Robert Keffer, (D).

**Fire Chief**—L. R. Billingslea, (R).

**City Attorney**—Walter F. Ball, (R), New Martinsville.

**City Health Officer**—Dr. R. H. Zinn.

**Postmaster**—Mrs. Anna F. Cole, (D).

**Members of Council**—Frank Hostutler, (D); Adam Stewart, (D); Phillip Shough, (R); Fred Knapp, (D); Andy Church, (R).

### Huntington—Cabell and Wayne Counties

County seat. Incorporated in 1871, and named for Collis P. Huntington, the then president of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad. Location of Marshall College, first established in 1837 as Marshall Academy. Also location of West Virginia Colored Children's Home, West Virginia Home for Aged and Infirm Colored Men and Women, and West Virginia Industrial Home for Colored Girls. Radio broadcasting station WSAZ located here.

Class I city; population, 75,572; elevation, 563 feet (at Court House); paid fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in November; officials take office January first; next election, November 6, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$429,209.91.

**Hospitals**: Chesapeake & Ohio Railway, Guthrie, Huntington Eye, Ear and Throat, Huntington Memorial, Huntington Orthopedic, †Huntington State, St. Mary's, Salvation Army, †Veterans Administration Facility. **Libraries**: Huntington Public Library of Cabell County, Lewis Harvey, Librarian; James E. Morrow Library, Rosa Oliver, Librarian. **Active banks**: Twentieth Street Bank, First Finance and Trust Company, First Huntington National Bank, Guaranty Bank and Trust Company. **Building and loan association**: Huntington Federal Savings and Loan Association.

**Mayor**—George R. Seamonds, (D).

**Clerk**—M. D. Lewis, (D).

**Auditor**—E. A. Trenor, (D).

**Chief of Police**—Lon Whitten, (D).

**Street Commissioner**—Marion F. Walker, (D).

**Fire Chief**—Brooks McClure, (D).

**Marketmaster**—Mack Adkins, (D).

**Plumbing Inspector**—H. O. Clark, (D).

**Electrical Inspector**—William Z. Smith, (D).

**City Attorney**—Boyd C. Sharitz, (D).

**City Health Officer**—Dr. W. W. Strange.

**City Engineer**—John S. Gillespie, (D).

**Board of Park Commissioners**—Col. George S. Wallace, (D); John W. Chaffee, (R); W. E. Neal, (R); C. P. McKenna, (D); Arch L. Keller, (D); E. L. Hogsett, (R).

**Postmaster**—J. W. Dingess, (D).

**Members of Council**—W. A. Via, (D); B. F. Baker, (D); G. J. Dickerson, (D); Geo. W. Norvell, (D); Earl R. Croper, (D); R. K. VanZandt, (D); C. I. Whitten, (D); T. T. Yoder, (D); Howard Steinbrecker, (D); Orvil R. McCoy, (D); Dr. F. C. Hodges, (D); C. L. Cavendish, (D); Thomas Bishop, (D).

**Firemen's Civil Service Commission**—Roy C. Woods; W. W. Payne; Robert O. Ellis.

**Policemen's Civil Service Commission**—G. M. Mossman; F. C. Leftwich; Roy Carson.

### Hurricane—Putnam County

Incorporated in 1888. Named for Hurricane Creek, which was so named about 1774, when surveyors discovered

†State hospital.

‡Federal hospital.

in that section the effects of a tornado that many years before had laid low giant trees of the forests covering that section of the state.

Population, 1,293; elevation, 665 feet; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$4,268.30. Active bank: Putnam County Bank.

**Mayor**—J. E. Billups, (D).  
**Recorder**—R. F. Forth, (R).  
**Treasurer**—E. L. Billups, (D).  
**Chief of Police—Street Commissioner**—O. M. Blas, (D).  
**Fire Chief**—J. W. Chapman, (D).  
**City Health Officer**—Dr. A. T. Jordan.  
**Postmaster**—G. C. Sowards, (D).  
**Members of Council**—G. W. Coyner, (D); W. H. Henderson, (D); W. H. Handley, (D); B. D. Taylor, (R); A. L. Beckett, (D).

### Huttonsville—Randolph County

Incorporated in 1899 and named for the Hutton family, pioneers in the Tygart Valley River section of Randolph County. West Virginia Medium Security Prison located here.

Population, 303; elevation, 2,023 feet; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$1,264.01.

**Mayor**—J. H. Adams, (R).  
**Recorder**—T. F. Adams, (R).  
**Treasurer**—W. L. Snyder, (R).  
**Chief of Police**—Jim Rush, (D).  
**City Attorney**—E. L. Maxwell, (D), Elkins.  
**Postmaster**—W. L. Snyder, (R).  
**Members of Council**—A. E. Liggett, (D); I. H. Channel, (D); R. C. Swecker, (D); C. S. Hutton, (D); J. H. Lemons, (R).

### Iaeger—McDowell County

Incorporated in 1917. Named for Colonel William G. W. Iaeger, whose son, Dr. William R. Iaeger, had a plat of the present town made about the year 1885.

Population, 1,066; elevation, 982 feet; volunteer and part-paid fire department; elections held biennially on the

first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$5,551.62. Active bank: Bank of Iaeger.

**Mayor**—John W. Brown, (R).  
**Clerk**—D. C. Bradberry, (D).  
**Treasurer**—Robert Mosby, (D).  
**Chief of Police**—E. M. Patrick, (D).  
**Fire Chief—Street Commissioner**—Joe B. Crozier, (D).  
**City Attorney**—D. L. Auvil, (D).  
**City Health Officer**—Dr. G. P. Evans.  
**Postmaster**—Clarence C. Francisco, (D).  
**Members of Council**—F. D. Bishop, (D); S. C. McKinney, (D); B. C. Courtney, (D); John Pate, (D); John W. Mahew, (D).

### Jane Lew—Lewis County

Laid out in 1835 by Lewis Maxwell, member of Congress from Virginia, 1827-1833, but not incorporated until 1907. Named in honor of Jane Lewis, mother of the founder of the town.

Population, 445; elevation, 1,006 feet; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$3,250.68.

**Mayor**—Wirt Swisher, (R).  
**Recorder—Treasurer**—Maude Beeghley, (R).  
**Postmaster**—J. E. Seltz, (D).  
**Members of Council**—W. H. Law, (D); L. B. Gaston, (D); A. C. Allman, (D); Walter Neely, Jr., (R); B. A. Reed, (R).

### Junior—Barbour County

Incorporated in 1897, and named by the late Henry Gassaway Davis for his son, John Davis, (Junior).

Population, 560; elevation, 1,737 feet; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$1,031.04. Active bank: Merchant's and Miner's.

**Mayor**—Ray Ware, (R).  
**Clerk**—A. J. Arbogast, (R).  
**Treasurer**—F. L. Swick, (R).  
**Chief of Police**—Virgil Ware, (D).  
**Postmaster**—G. F. Row, (R).

**Members of Council**—Vern Corley, (D); William Bennett, (D); L. H. Arbogast, (R); Ira Markley, (R); F. L. Swick, (R).

### Kenova—Wayne County

Founded in 1889, but not incorporated until 1894. Compounded abbreviation of the names of the states of Kentucky, Ohio and West Virginia, the municipality being located at a point where the three states converge.

Class III city; population, 3,680; elevation, 566 feet; paid and volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the second Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 10, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$11,171.79. Hospital: Rife-Ferguson Clinic. Active bank: First National Bank.

**Mayor**—Hurl Mullens, (D).  
**Clerk-Treasurer**—C. G. Fry, (D).  
**Chief of Police**—R. S. Hatten, (D).  
**Street Commissioner**—H. B. Porter, (D).  
**Fire Chief**—W. C. Moore, (D).  
**Police Judge**—S. L. Meredith, (D).  
**City Attorney**—M. J. Ferguson, (D).  
**City Engineer**—T. J. Bartrug, (D).  
**City Health Officer**—Dr. B. D. Garret.  
**Postmaster**—H. S. Lambert, (D).  
**Members of Council**—A. O. McClung, (D); Shelby Thacker, (D); Edward C. Moore, (D); Geo. T. Sheets, (D).

### Kermit—Mingo County

Incorporated in 1909, and named for Kermit Roosevelt, son of President Theodore Roosevelt. Formerly known as Lower Burning Creek and Warfield.

Population, 749; elevation, 627 feet; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$2,570.88.

**Mayor**—E. P. Stepp, (D).  
**Recorder**—R. A. Rouse, (D).  
**Treasurer**—V. B. Stepp, (R).  
**Chief of Police**—Joseph Murphy, (D).  
**Street Commissioner**—John Rouse, (D).  
**Fire Chief**—Bernard Calohan, (D).  
**City Health Officer**—R. M. Akers.  
**Postmaster**—John L. Dunn, (D).  
**Members of Council**—Charles Dunn, (D); L. W. Bowden, (D); H. C. Dandridge, (D); Birdie Lovins, (D); Dewey Preece, (D).

### Keyser—Mineral County

County seat. Incorporated in 1874 and named for William Keyser, first vice president of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad when the city was originally incorporated. Formerly known as Paddytown, and during the Civil War as New Creek, scene of numerous military engagements. Location of Potomac State School of West Virginia University.

Class III city; population, 6,248; elevation, 827 feet (near center of Keyser Yards); volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held annually on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 4, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$25,296.06.

**Hospital**: Potomac Valley. **Libraries**: Mineral County, Mrs. William Matheson, Librarian; Mineral County Law Library, Paul W. Dayton, Librarian. **Active banks**: Farmers and Merchants Bank, National Bank of Keyser.

**Mayor**—John C. Freeland, (R).  
**Clerk-Treasurer**—A. A. Jordan, (D).  
**Chief of Police**—Jas. E. Leatherman, (R).  
**Street Commissioner**—Wm. C. Knott, (R).  
**Fire Chief**—Wade Thomas, (R).  
**Police Judge**—A. A. Jordan, (D).  
**City Attorney**—E. A. See, (R).  
**City Engineer**—W. C. Brown, (R).  
**City Health Officer**—Dr. E. A. Courrier.  
**Postmaster**—T. F. Ward, (D).  
**Members of Council**—W. H. Longsdorf, (D); Wm. C. Knott, (R); Ralph E. Casteel, (D).  
**Policeman's Civil Service Commission**—E. V. Romig; M. H. Carrier, N. B. Carskadon.

### Keystone—McDowell County

Incorporated in 1909. Name derived from the name of a coal and coke company operating at that point. Formerly known as Cassville.

Population, 1,897; elevation, 1,645 feet; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Thursday in February; officials take office March first; next election, February 1, 1940; postal receipts for

the year ended June 30, 1939, \$9,862.13.  
Active bank: First National Bank.

**Mayor**—J. J. Stuart, (R).  
**Recorder**—W. M. Pennington, (D).  
**Treasurer**—F. C. Brenard, (R).  
**Chief of Police**—E. T. King, (D).  
**Street Commissioner**—E. C. Brice, (R).  
**Fire Chief**—H. H. Calloway, (D).  
**City Attorney**—S. A. Calhoun, (R).  
**City Engineer**—L. A. Osborne, (R).  
**City Health Officer**—Dr. J. E. Brown.  
**Postmaster**—T. W. Zink, Jr., (D).  
**Members of Council**—W. D. McDowell, (D); A. Vecello, (D); Dr. J. E. Brown, (R); P. G. Howard, (R); C. T. Apperson, (R).

### Kimball—McDowell County

Incorporated in 1911 and named for the late Frederick J. Kimball, who as president of what is now the Norfolk and Western Railway, blazed a trail through the mountains of southwestern Virginia into the great coal fields of southern West Virginia.

Population, 1,467; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the second Tuesday in July; officials take office August first; next election, July 8, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$8,559.76. Active bank: Kimball National Bank.

**Mayor**—George J. Turner, (D).  
**Recorder**—J. Max Dawson, (R).  
**Treasurer**—Samuel Crider, (R).  
**Chief of Police**—L. K. Cruise, (R).  
**Street Commissioner**—John Grego, (R).  
**Fire Chief**—T. C. Salmons, (D).  
**City Attorney**—Hoagland French, (R), Welch.  
**City Health Officer**—Dr. C. R. Hughes.  
**Postmaster**—M. T. Jones, (D).  
**Members of Council**—John Grego, (R); W. E. Sult, (R); Winter Brown, (R); John R. Brown, (R); S. K. McFarland, (D).

### Kingwood—Preston County

County seat. Established in 1811, but not chartered until 1853. Name selected because of the location there at the time near the site of the court house of a forest of unusually tall trees—forest kings, i.e., "king wood."

Population, 1,709; elevation, 1,862 feet (corner Price and Main Streets); volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first

Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$11,519.95. Active bank: Albright National Bank. Building and loan association: Kingwood Building and Loan Association.

**Mayor**—F. Evan Parrack, (R).  
**Recorder-Treasurer**—R. G. Miller, (R).  
**Fire Chief**—Scott Bundorf, (D).  
**Postmaster**—J. H. Spahr, (D).  
**Members of Council**—Scott Bundorf, (D); O. V. Michael, (D); Donald Bishoff, (D); D. A. DeBerry, (D); Wilson Schaeffer, (R).

### Layopolis—Gilmer County

(See Sand Fork)

### Leon—Mason County

Laid out in 1840 by Benjamin Byram, but not incorporated until 1872. Origin of name unknown.

Population, 283; elevation, 558 feet; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$1,731.87.

**Mayor**—L. T. Cossin, (R).  
**Recorder**—Howard Schultz, (R).  
**Treasurer**—Milton Burdette, (R).  
**Chief of Police**—Fisher Sayre, (D).  
**Postmaster**—Lucille Jividen, (D).  
**Members of Council**—Robt. Cramp, (R); W. W. Morgan, (R); Ira Mentz, (R); Harry Brown, (R); Edna Burdette, (R).

### Lester—Raleigh County

Incorporated in 1910. Named for Champ Lester, early settler.

Population, 609; elevation, 2,029 feet; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$1,065.34.

**Mayor**—Edward Bridl, (D).  
**Recorder-Treasurer**—Linnie L. White, (R).  
**Chief of Police**—H. J. Oram, (R).  
**Postmaster**—Buster Bowling, (D).  
**Members of Council**—P. V. Brown, (D); Joe Brown, (R); J. F. Winebrenner, (D); Frank Cartor, (R); Gomer Farley, (D).

**Lewisburg—Greenbrier County**

County seat. History of city dates back to Camp Union in 1774, rendezvous of the army of General Andrew Lewis (after whom the town was named) preparatory to his march to participate in the Battle of Point Pleasant (Dunmore's War), the last between the white men and Indians east of the Ohio River. Site of Fort Savannah (1755). Location of Greenbrier Military School and Greenbrier College.

Population, 1,293; elevation, 2,200 feet; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$22,279.49.

Active bank: Greenbrier Valley Bank. Building and loan association: Blue Grass Federal Savings and Loan Association.

**Mayor**—W. W. Foster, (D).

**Recorder-Treasurer**—H. B. Landers, (D).

**Chief of Police**—Guy H. Dyche, (D).

**Street Commissioner**—S. S. Tuckwiller, (D).

**Fire Chief**—S. W. McCorkle, (D).

**City Attorney**—H. L. VanSickler, (D).

**Postmaster**—(Acting), D. R. Nickell, (D).

**Members of Council**—S. S. Tuckwiller, (D); W. J. Killoran, (D); Maj. D. T. Moore, (D); N. C. Legg, (D); J. M. Watts, (D).

**Littleton—Wetzel County**

Incorporated in 1890 and named for William Little, one of the first settlers.

Population 648; elevation, 941 feet; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$2,201.71. Active bank: Bank of Littleton.

**Mayor**—Robert M. Ott, (R).

**Recorder**—George O. Smith, (D).

**Chief of Police**—Wallace W. Soule, (D).

**Street Commissioner**—E. E. Glover, (D).

**Water Superintendent**—Thomas E. Wyckoff, (D).

**Fire Chief**—R. M. Ott, (R).

**Postmaster**—Arthur Jackson, (D).

**Members of Council**—Elsworth E. Glover, (D); William J. King, (D); Francis J. Spragg, (D); Delvery H. Jackson, (D); Homer G. Henderson, (D).

**Logan—Logan County**

County seat. Laid out in 1827. First known as Lawnsville. Originally chartered by the Virginia Assembly in 1852 as Aracoma, after Princess Aracoma (buried here), beautiful daughter of Cornstalk, Shawnee chief, who was mortally wounded in a battle between the settlers and her band of Indians. Name changed to Logan in 1907 after the Indian chief, Logan, who at one time is said to have roamed the hills and valleys of this section of the state. Here Thomas Dunn English, who served as mayor from 1852 to 1857, wrote the song "Ben Bolt." Location of Logan College.

Class III city; population, 4,396; elevation, 678 feet; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in April; officials take office May first; next election, April 1, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$41,457.01.

**Hospitals**: Logan General and Mercy. **Library**: Logan Public, Mrs. Morris A. Mertz, Librarian. **Active bank**: National Bank of Logan. **Building and loan associations**: First Federal Savings and Loan Association, Logan County Building and Loan Association.

**Mayor**—W. B. Johnson, (D).

**Clerk**—Mrs. Tilda Ellis, (D).

**Treasurer**—W. B. Johnson, (D).

**Chief of Police**—Jeff D. Watts, (D).

**Street Commissioner**—Clabe Richards, (D).

**Fire Chief**—J. W. Beckett, (D).

**City Attorney**—R. H. Casto, (D).

**City Engineer**—R. M. Wilson, (D).

**Postmaster**—D. B. Browning, (D).

**Members of Council**—C. W. Bias, (D); Phil Glick, (D); Wade F. Hill, (D); Chas. D. Clark, (D); Hurstle M. White, (D).

**Lumberport—Harrison County**

Originally chartered in 1838. So named because of the location at this point over a hundred years ago of a

boat-yard where timber was dressed by hand and floated in rafts to market at Pittsburgh.

Population, 1,289; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$4,429.26.

**Mayor**—A. S. Powers, (R).  
**Clerk-Recorder**—F. B. Harrison, (R).  
**Chief of Police-Treasurer**—E. E. Monroe, (R).  
**Fire Chief**—Forest McIntyre, (D).  
**Postmaster**—W. C. Harbert, (D).  
**Members of Council**—C. B. Shreve, (R); John Pethtel, (D); E. H. Skidmore, (R); H. J. Schauffner, (D); J. R. Horner, (D).

### Mabscott—Raleigh County

Incorporated in 1906, and named for Mabel (Shinn) Scott, of Fairmont, wife of the late Cyrus H. Scott, prominent coal operator of Raleigh County.

Population, 1,260; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$5,405.96.

**Mayor**—Robert L. Davis, (R).  
**Recorder-Treasurer**—A. Ray Fink, (D).  
**Chief of Police**—Trenton Stover, (R).  
**City Attorney**—Ben H. Ashworth, (D), Beckley.  
**City Engineer**—Robert L. Davis, (R).  
**Postmaster**—Effe L. Hedrick, (D).  
**Members of Council**—L. C. Simpson, (R); W. A. Fadeley, (R); C. L. Walker, (R); L. D. Fink, (D); E. H. Lofin, (D).

### Madison—Boone County

County seat. First established as Boone Court House. Burned during the Civil War. Incorporated in 1906 and named for Col. William Madison Peyton, pioneer coal operator, who was leader of the movement which resulted in the formation of Boone County.

Population, 1,156; elevation, 703 feet (at county jail); volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended

June 30, 1939, \$9,984.70. Active bank: Boone National Bank.

**Mayor**—A. V. Cottrill, (R).  
**Recorder-Treasurer**—A. C. Griffith, (R).  
**Chief of Police**—Jesse Mullins, (R).  
**Street Commissioner**—J. T. Miller, (R).  
**Fire Chief**—R. C. Atkins, (D).  
**Police Judge**—A. V. Cottrill, (R).  
**City Attorney**—H. G. Shaffer, (R).  
**City Engineer**—S. E. Bradley, (R).  
**City Health Officer**—Roy J. Hill.  
**Postmaster**—Asa T. Miller, (D).  
**Members of Council**—G. B. Hensley, (D); Roy J. Hill, (R); R. S. Kinder, (R); J. T. Miller, (R); O. F. Sheets, (R).

### Man—Logan County

Incorporated in 1918. Name derived from the last syllable of the surname of Ulysses Hinchman, member of the House of Delegates from Logan County, 1866-1869.

Population, 835; elevation, 729 feet; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$2,327.57.

**Mayor**—John Combs, (D).  
**Recorder-Treasurer**—Dewey Ellis, (D).  
**Chief of Police**—Dewey Ellis, (D).  
**Fire Chief**—Lugene White, (D).  
**Postmaster**—Esta B. Combs, (D).  
**Members of Council**—B. B. Sias, (D); W. R. Belcher, (D); S. J. Justice, (D); C. O. Erickson, (D); Stephen Bodner, (D).

### Mannington—Marion County

Incorporated in 1871. Named for Charles Manning, civil engineer, who previously had charge of the construction work on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad between Fairmont and Wheeling.

Class III city; population, 3,261; elevation, 974 feet (corner R. R. and Market Streets); volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held annually on the first Monday in March; officials take office April first; next election, March 4, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$13,727.55. Library: Mannington School

Library, Bessie R. Mockler, Librarian.  
Active bank: First Exchange Bank.

Mayor—B. F. Huey, (R).  
Clerk-Treasurer—R. Emmett Mockler, (Ind.).  
Chief of Police—Jesse Kendall, (D).  
Street Commissioner—A. B. Baumann, (R).  
Fire Chief—H. C. Anderson, (R).  
City Attorney—Thomas A. Hite, (R).  
Postmaster—H. Val Burt, (D).  
Board of Commissioners—H. G. Moore, (D); H. J. Haight, (D).

### Marlinton—Pocahontas County

County seat. First established in 1749. Known as Marlin's Bottom until 1887. Incorporated in 1900. Named for Jacob Marlin, one of the first white settlers to spend a winter in Pocahontas County, the other being Stephen Sewell.

Population, 1,586; elevation, 2,131 feet (app.); volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$14,500.79.

Hospital: Pocahontas Memorial. Active banks: Bank of Marlinton, First National Bank.

Mayor—G. Steele Callison, (D).  
Recorder—J. W. Hill, (D).  
Treasurer—Guy R. Faulkner, (D).  
Chief of Police—Julian Fawcett, (D).  
Fire Chief—Paul R. Overholt, (R).  
City Attorney—S. H. Sharp, (R).  
City Health Officer—Dr. J. M. Yeager.  
Postmaster—Kerth Nottingham, (D).  
Members of Council—Carl L. Sheets, (D); W. L. Davis, (D); Dice Grimes, (D); W. H. Arbogast, (D); J. Walter Mason, (R).

### Marmet—Kanawha County

Incorporated in 1921. Named for the Marmet Coal Company, owned by William and Edwin Marmet, which began the development of large tracts of coal lands at that place in 1899. Formerly known as Brownstown, after Charles Brown, pioneer settler.

Population, 1,200; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$1,460.69.

Mayor—Benjamin F. Morris, (D).  
Clerk-Treasurer—E. O. Canterbury, (D).  
Chief of Police—Chas. Howard, (R).  
Street Commissioner—W. R. Smoot, (D).  
City Attorney—John T. Simms, (R), Charleston.  
City Engineer—Eugene Ripley, (D).  
Postmaster—Mrs. D. M. McIntyre, (D).  
Members of Council—J. B. Reynolds, (D); Chas. Brown, (D); J. E. Matthews, (D); Alton Dolin, (D); Clarence Wells, (D).

### Martinsburg—Berkeley County

County seat. Originally chartered in 1778, and named in honor of Colonel Thomas Bryan Martin, nephew of Lord Fairfax.

Class II city; population, 14,857; elevation, 456 feet (at Court House); paid fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the second Monday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 10, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$100,546.55.

Hospitals: City and Kings Daughters'. Library: Martinsburg Public, Mary Calvert Stribling, Librarian. Active banks: Merchant's and Farmer's Bank, People's Trust Company, Citizen's National Bank, Old National Bank. Building and loan associations: Martinsburg Building and Loan Association; Berkeley Loan & Thrift Company.

Mayor—C. H. Dailey, (R).  
Recorder—Samuel M. Langford, (R).  
Treasurer—F. G. Fawver, (R).  
Chief of Police—Robert C. Stum, (D).  
Street Commissioner—C. J. Wever, (D).  
Fire Chief—R. S. Snyder, (D).  
City Attorney—J. O. Henson, (R).  
City Engineer—C. J. Wever, (D).  
Postmaster—Marlin Eckerd, (D). (Acting).

Members of Council—W. G. Garrett, (R); W. F. Horner, (R); W. H. Bowers, (R); F. G. Fawver, (R); R. E. Townsend, (R); Benjamin S. Lyeth, (R); G. A. Becker, (R).  
Firemen's Civil Service Commission—Harry B. Boyer; R. R. Feller; J. William Kastle.  
Policemen's Civil Service Commission—C. R. Beall; J. Roy Nadenbousch; E. W. VanDyke.

**Mason—Mason County**

Originally chartered by the General Assembly of Virginia in 1856. Named for the county, which in turn was named for George W. Mason, author of the Constitution of Virginia. Formerly known as Waggener's Bottom.

Population, 691; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office first Monday in July; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$1,176.29.

**Mayor**—H. Cotton Turner, (R).  
**Clerk**—A. C. Schwarz, (D).  
**Treasurer**—Harry F. Gress, (D).  
**Chief of Police**—E. S. Wallace, (D).  
**Fire Chief**—Curtis McDaniel, (R).  
**City Health Officer**—Dr. E. R. Keig.  
**Postmaster**—Dallas Yeager, (D).  
**Members of Council**—John Miller, (D); Harry F. Gress, (D); L. E. Thomas, (D); J. T. Robinson, (R); Christy Bletner, (R).

**Masontown—Preston County**

Incorporated in 1902 and named for William Mason, the founder and the town's first postmaster.

Population, 924; elevation, 1,841 feet; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipt for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$2,902.07.

**Mayor**—L. E. Albright, (R).  
**Recorder**—C. W. Radabaugh, (R).  
**Treasurer**—F. O. Shaffer, (R).  
**Chief of Police**—Earl Forman, (D).  
**Fire Chief**—L. G. Street, (R).  
**Postmaster**—E. E. Williams, (D).  
**Members of Council**—F. O. Shaffer, (R); E. E. Radabaugh, (R); A. M. Pell, (R); Dr. W. A. Smith, (D); Otto McKinney, (D).

**Matewan—Mingo County**

Incorporated in 1897. Named after Mattewan, New York, home city of the engineer who laid out the town.

Population, 932; elevation, 697 feet; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30,

1939, \$3,787.15. Hospital: Matewan Clinic. Active bank: Matewan National Bank.

**Mayor**—Dan Chambers, (D).  
**Recorder**—N. J. Chancey, (R).  
**Chief of Police**—Willard Smith, (D).  
**Postmaster**—C. W. Overstreet, (D).  
**Members of Council**—E. E. Brown, (D); Ira Cooper, (D); J. L. Anderson, (R); E. A. O'Brien, (D); J. B. Pitcock, (D).

**Matoaka—Mercer County**

Incorporated in 1912. Named for the Indian princess, Pocahontas, daughter of Powhatan, Virginian chief, Matoaka being another name, "secret or sacred," for Pocahontas.

Population, 929; elevation, 2,362 feet; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$5,048.05. Active bank: Bank of Matoaka.

**Mayor**—J. Lee Bailey, (D).  
**Recorder-Treasurer**—R. S. Orton, (D).  
**Chief of Police**—C. J. Thompson, (R).  
**Fire Chief**—C. W. Murphy, (R).  
**City Attorney**—E. L. Phillips, (R).  
**City Health Officer**—Dr. B. S. Clements.  
**Postmaster**—Fred M. Robertson, (D).  
**Members of Council**—C. I. Butte, (D); Reginald Davidson, (D); J. M. Davis, (D); L. A. Wright, (D); C. W. Murphy, (R).

**Meadow Bridge—Fayette County**

Incorporated in 1920. Name coined from the pioneer community name of "The Little Meadows," a bridge having been constructed across Meadow Creek within the town limits at the time.

Population, 476; elevation, 2,421 feet; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$852.97.

**Mayor**—W. A. Harrah, (R).  
**Recorder-Treasurer**—J. A. Farren, (R).  
**Chief of Police**—F. F. Boggs, (R).  
**Street Commissioner**—S. T. Cox, (R).  
**City Attorney**—C. E. Mahan, (D).  
**City Engineer**—W. O. Walkup, (R).

**City Health Officer**—A. B. Clay.

**Postmaster**—Mrs. Estrue K. Harrah, (D).

**Members of Council**—J. F. Hedrick, (D); L. B. Gwinn, (R); J. C. Smith, (D); Dr. B. A. Rose, (D); W. D. Griffin, (R).

### Middlebourne—Tyler County

County seat. Originally chartered in 1813. So named because of the location about half-way between the source and the mouth of Middle Island Creek.

Population, 769; elevation, 744 feet; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$6,292.39.

**Mayor**—Harvey Haight, (D).

**Recorder-Treasurer**—Arthur Craven, (R).

**Street Commissioner**—S. M. Underwood, (R).

**Fire Chief**—T. J. Sellers, (Ind.).

**City Attorney**—O. C. Carter, (R).

**Postmaster**—H. H. Crumrine, (D).

**Members of Council**—C. A. Underwood, (R); S. M. Underwood, (R); Ralph Costen, (R); Guy Allen, (R); R. A. Smith, (R).

### Mill Creek—Randolph County

Incorporated in 1903. So named because of the original location there on the creek which flows through the town of a large mill operated by William Currence.

Population, 723; elevation, 2,013 feet; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$3,115.91. Active bank: Bank of Mill Creek.

**Mayor**—O. B. Yokum, (D).

**Recorder**—Frances K. Updike, (R).

**Chief of Police**—Carl B. Chenoweth, (D).

**City Attorney**—B. M. Hoover, (D), Elkins.

**City Health Officer**—Dr. B. L. Liggett.

**Postmaster**—C. M. Rightmire, (D).

**Members of Council**—Gorden Gattrell, (R); Merritt Feathers, (R); Clarence Pritt, (D); Herman Conrad, (D); Clifton Salisbury, (D).

### Milton—Cabell County

Incorporated in 1876, and named for Milton Reece, large land holder in the vicinity at the time the town was established.

Population, 1,305; elevation, 583 feet; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$6,582.29. Hospital: Morris Memorial Hospital for Crippled Children. Active bank: Bank of Milton.

**Mayor**—Albert R. Field, (R).

**Recorder**—Caldwell Dudley, (R).

**Chief of Police-Treasurer**—Hansford Cooper, (R).

**Fire Chief**—J. P. Burnside, (R).

**City Health Officer**—Dr. F. F. Farnsworth.

**Postmaster**—D. J. Blackwood, (D).

**Members of Council**—E. E. Harshbarger, (R); R. L. Pancake, (R); A. L. Peck, (R); J. G. Preston, (R); George L. Kinder, (D).

### Monongah—Marion County

(P. O. Ind. Branch of Fairmont)

Incorporated in 1891. Name abbreviated from Monongahela, the river formed by the junction of the West Fork and Tygart rivers a few miles north of the town.

Population, 1,909; elevation, 873 feet; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941. Active bank: First National.

**Mayor**—Charles E. Lleving, (R).

**Recorder**—Charles E. Hewitt, (D).

**Chief of Police-Treasurer**—H. M. Meredith, (D).

**Fire Chief**—H. M. Meredith, (D).

**City Attorney**—Alfred Neely, (D), Fairmont.

**Members of Council**—H. D. Crislip, (R); J. H. Brumage, (R); Thomas Tomlinson, (D); T. A. Watkins, (D).

### Montgomery—Fayette and Kanawha Counties

Incorporated in 1890, and named for James Montgomery, one of the first

settlers. Location of New River State College.

Class III city; population, 2,906; part-paid and volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Thursday in January; officials take office February first; next election, January 4, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$26,571.42.

Hospital: Laird Memorial. Active banks: Merchant's National Bank, Montgomery National Bank.

Mayor—Arnold M. Vickers, (D).  
Recorder-Treasurer—A. K. Bailey, (R).

Chief of Police—Carl Campbell, (D).  
Street Commissioner—W. H. Wilkerson, (R).

Fire Chief—Oscar Vickers, (D).  
City Attorney—Wm. G. Thompson, (R).  
City Engineer—E. B. Roeser, (D).  
City Health Officer—Dr. R. A. Updike.  
Postmaster—Mrs. Della A. Kelly, (D).  
Members of Council—Harry Gordon, (R); O. K. Robinson, (R); C. E. Catlett, (R); Denver Brown, (D); R. M. Holstine, (D).

### Montrose—Randolph County

Incorporated in 1895. So named because of the profusion of wild roses found growing in that section when the West Virginia Central Railroad, now the Western Maryland, was under construction.

Population, 114; elevation, 1,996 feet; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$1,093.73.

Mayor—T. C. Wilmoth, (D).  
Recorder-Treasurer—I. D. Baker, (R).  
Chief of Police—Joe M. Thompson, (R).  
Postmaster—A. Ward Schoonover, (D).  
Members of Council—G. E. Coberly, Jr., (D); W. D. Fisher, (D); Leo Myers, (D); T. W. Johnson, (R); Chas. E. Godwin, (D).

### Moorefield—Hardy County

County seat. Originally chartered in 1777, and named for Conrad Moore, who owned the land upon which the town was laid out.

Population, 734; elevation, 823 feet (at R. R. station); volunteer fire de-

partment, motorized; elections held annually on the third Saturday in March; officials take office April first; next election, March 16, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$8,704.45. Library: Public, Mrs. S. A. McCoy, Chairman Library Committee. Active bank: South Branch Valley National Bank.

Mayor—C. R. Powers, (D).  
Recorder-Treasurer—H. J. Dodd, (D).  
Chief of Police—Ted Sager, (D).  
Fire Chief—Foster Arnold, (R).  
Postmaster—John W. Fisher, (D).  
Members of Council—Foster Arnold, (R); J. D. Chipley, (D); H. G. Muntzing, (R); Roy Vetter, (D).

### Morgantown—Monongalia County

County seat. Founded 1766-1768 by Colonel Zackquill Morgan, son of Morgan Morgan, on site of settlement established in 1753, by Thomas Decker, who was killed by the Indians. Originally chartered in 1785. Location of West Virginia University.

Class II city; population, 16,186; elevation, 822 feet (in front of B. & O. station); part-paid and volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held annually on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 4, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$110,209.84.

Hospitals: City, Monongalia County, and Eastmont Tuberculosis Sanitarium. Library: Waltman Barbe Public Library, Betty Berry, Librarian. Active banks: Farmers and Merchants Bank, First National Bank of Morgantown. Building and loan associations: Athens Building and Loan Association, Fidelity Building and Loan Association, First Federal Savings and Loan Association, Guardian Investment Company, Morgantown Savings and Loan Association, Monongalia Building and Loan Association, Sabraton Building and Loan Association, State Savings and Investment Association, United Federal Savings and Loan Association, and Westover Building and Loan Association.

Mayor—Marvin R. Kiger, (R).  
City Manager—Elmer W. Prince, (R).  
Clerk-Treasurer—Russell K. Bolton, (D).  
Chief of Police—Clete W. Smith, (R).

**Fire Chief**—John R. Hare, (R).  
**Police Judge**—Prescott C. White, (R).  
**City Attorney**—John D. Downes, (R).  
**Postmaster**—John R. Fortney, (D).  
**Members of Council**—Marvin R. Kiger, (R); Howard Emerson, (D); Wm. T. Hughes, (R); B. L. DeVault, (R); Harry A. Largent, (R); E. C. Andrews, (R); W. H. Falkenstine, (D); Frank J. Sigwart, (R); J. M. Bucklew, (R); W. O. Barnard, (D).  
**Firemen's Civil Service Commission**—Joe Bertie; J. B. Grumbine; B. B. Laidley.  
**Policemen's Civil Service Commission**—W. C. Davies; H. A. Davidson; S. A. Phillips.

### Moundsville—Marshall County

County seat. Originally chartered in 1832. Name derived from Mammoth Grave Creek Indian Mound, 69 feet high and 900 feet in circumference at the base, which is located in the city. West Virginia State Penitentiary located here.

Class II city; population, 14,411; elevation, 689 feet (at Court House); paid fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$52,325.27.

Hospital: Grand View Sanitarium. Library: Moundsville Public, Mrs. Ida M. Hankins, Librarian. Active banks: Mercantile Banking and Trust Company, First National Bank, Marshall County Bank. Building and loan associations: First Federal Savings and Loan Association, Citizens Savings and Loan Company.

**Mayor**—W. W. Wilson, (D).  
**Clerk-Treasurer**—O. S. Chambers, (R).  
**Chief of Police**—J. V. Underdonk, (R).  
**Street Commissioner**—C. Leroy Bonar, (R).  
**Fire Chief**—Charles Cunningham, (R).  
**City Attorney**—T. E. Wilkison, (D).  
**City Engineer**—Gordon W. Sammons, (R).  
**City Health Officer**—Dr. W. C. G. Hill.  
**Postmaster**—T. J. Hamilton, (D).  
**Members of Council**—W. A. Garrett, (D); Wm. Newell, (D); Jas. R. Maxwell, (R); J. Harold Knight, (R); Wilbert Miner, (R); Lee Roy

E. Yoho, (R); Tom Barr, (R); Floyd Icard, (R).  
**Firemen's Civil Service Commission**—Charles Barth; H. S. Wilson; C. B. Spear.  
**Policemen's Civil Service Commission**—Lawrence Trimble; M. E. Sperling; J. M. Gandee.

### Mount Hope—Fayette County

Incorporated in 1897, and named for the Mt. Hope School, that name being suggested by Judge McGinnis by reason of its location at the head of a fruitful valley where pea vines grew in great abundance very early in the spring in defiance of the late snows, "the settlers bringing their cattle annually early in the season to graze thereat."

Class III city; population, 2,361; elevation, 1,738 feet; paid fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in May; officials take office June first; next election, May 7, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$15,139.30.

Active banks: Bank of Mount Hope, First National Bank. Building and loan association: Mount Hope Building and Loan Association.

**Mayor**—P. H. Garrett, (R).  
**Clerk**—W. H. Boone, (R).  
**Treasurer**—W. R. Gray, (D).  
**Chief of Police**—J. M. Spade, (D).  
**Fire Chief**—O. W. Martin, (D).  
**City Attorney**—C. E. Mahan, (D), (Fayetteville).  
**City Health Officer**—T. Adair, (D).  
**Postmaster**—W. C. Carter, (D).  
**Members of Council**—W. R. Gray, (D); J. E. Bing, (D); O. L. Patteson, (D); P. C. Graney, (R); W. E. Tissue, (R).

### Mullens—Wyoming County

Incorporated in 1912, and named for A. J. Mullins, who owned the land upon which the town is built, the incorporated name being spelled "Mullens" through inadvertence.

Class III city; population, 2,356; elevation, 1,418 feet; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the second Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 11, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$10,580.74.

Hospital: Wylie Hospital. Active bank: People's Bank of Mullens.

Mayor—R. L. Early, (R).  
 Clerk—J. T. McNutt, (D).  
 Treasurer—G. B. McGraw, (R).  
 Chief of Police—J. H. Miller, (D).  
 Fire Chief—R. L. Early, (R).  
 City Attorney—Frederick Kingdon, (R).  
 Postmaster—Perry C. Cook, (D).  
 Members of Council—L. G. Bolen, (D); Harry Layton, (D).

### McMechen—Marshall County

Incorporated in 1895, and named for the original settlers, William and Sidney (Johnson) McMechen.

Class III city; population, 3,710; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in March; officials take office first Monday in April; next election, March 5, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$5,127.75. Library: Public, Beatrice Gatewood, Secretary. Active bank: Bank of McMechen.

Mayor—Everett E. Goodwin, (R).  
 Clerk—Edwin L. Shriver, (D).  
 Chief of Police-Treasurer—John Fillben, (R).  
 Street Commissioner—Howard Marple, (R).  
 Fire Chief—Russell Gallagher, (R).  
 City Attorney—Thomas E. Wilkison, (D), (Moundsville).  
 Postmaster—Patrick J. Burke, (D).  
 Members of Council—E. E. Harpold, (R); J. W. Lander, (R); Harry A. Bowers, (R); Russell Neff, (R); Joseph Marchant, (D); Wm. R. Myers, (D); James Castlow, (D); Clark G. Schafer, (R).

### Newburg—Preston County

Incorporated in 1868. So named presumably because a "new" town was being established on the Baltimore and Ohio lines. Formerly known as "Stop 88," the location being eighty-eight miles west of Cumberland, Maryland.

Population, 745; elevation, 1,230 feet; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal re-

ceipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$2,266.09.

Mayor—Edward J. Horchler, (D).  
 Recorder-Treasurer—T. L. Pendergast, (D).  
 Postmaster—F. W. Horchler, (D).  
 Members of Council—J. G. Chambers, (D); Thos. Turnley, (D); Chas. Weaver, (D); G. T. Silcott, (R); Vernon Squires, (R).

### New Cumberland—Hancock County

County seat. Laid out in 1839 by John Cuppy, but not incorporated until 1891. Formerly known as Cuppy Town and Vernon. Name changed to New Cumberland "out of deference to the wishes of the purchasers of land" at a lot sale conducted by John Cuppy.

Class III city; population, 2,300; elevation, 670 feet; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the second Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 10, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$7,007.63.

Mayor—J. W. Chambers, (R).  
 Recorder—Howard Stillwell, (R).  
 Chief of Police—Frank Foss, (R).  
 Street Commissioner—Kurt Swan, (D).  
 Fire Chief—E. L. Hood, (R).  
 City Attorney—T. F. McKenzie, (R).  
 Postmaster—Earl E. Bennett, (D).  
 Members of Council—J. P. Reynolds, (D); F. A. Wern, (D); Ralph Powell, (D); W. R. Patterson, (R); W. E. Diekman, (R); Paul Jones, (D).

### \*New Haven—Mason County

Incorporated in 1935. Named for New Haven, Connecticut, the home city of the owners of the first coal mine opened at that place. Formerly known as New London.

Elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 4, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$1,152.37. Active bank: Mason County Bank.

Mayor—Harry L. Dyer, (D).  
 Recorder—Herman O. Layne, (D).  
 Treasurer—Herman O. Layne, (D).

\*Incorporated 1935. No official population figures available.

**Chief of Police**—Ernest Warner, (D).  
**Fire Chief**—Layton Sayre, (R).  
**City Attorney**—G. Burton Crow, (D),  
 (Ripley).  
**City Engineer**—Major A. W. Paine,  
 (R).  
**City Health Officer**—Dr. R. F. Bryant.  
**Postmaster**—G. N. Capehart, (R).  
**Members of Council**—R. V. Gibbs, (R);  
 G. O. Roush, (D); Ivan Shawver,  
 (D); George Jewell, (R); R. F.  
 Bryant, (D).

### New Martinsville—Wetzel County

County seat. Originally chartered as Martinsville in 1838, and name changed to New Martinsville about 1846. Named for Presley Martin, one of the first settlers, owner of the land upon which the city is located.

Class III city; \*population, 3,593; elevation, 630 feet; (Court House); part-paid and volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held annually on the second Tuesday in January; officials take office five days after election; next election, January 9, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$20,571.26.

**Hospital:** Wetzel County. Active banks: First National. New Martinsville Bank, West Virginia Title and Trust Company. Building and loan association: Doolin Federal Savings and Loan Association.

**Mayor**—Robt. L. Bruce, (R).  
**Recorder-Treasurer**—Henry E. Chapman, (D).  
**Chief of Police**—L. E. Johnston, (D).  
**Street Commissioner**—Thomas Lemons, (D).  
**Fire Chief**—Mont E. Potts, (D).  
**City Attorney**—Walter F. Ball, (R).  
**Postmaster**—J. O. Enkin, (D).  
**Members of Council**—A. R. Barth, (D); J. F. Loehr, Jr., (D); B. R. Fauber, (D); E. E. Riegenbach, (D); Louis Henthorn, (R); T. M. Bowers, (R).

### †Nitro—Kanawha and Putnam Counties

Incorporated in 1932. Name selected by the United States Government because of the establishment there during

\*The town of Brooklyn was annexed to the city of New Martinsville, May 6, 1935. Combined population (1930 census), 3,593.

†Incorporated 1932. No official population figures available.

the World War of a large federal plant for the manufacture of explosives.

Paid fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 4, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$9,064.16.

**Mayor**—C. F. Schowen, (D).  
**Recorder-Treasurer**—T. A. Lewis, (R).  
**Chief of Police**—Phillip Arthur, (D).  
**Fire Chief**—I. E. Ellis, (D).  
**City Attorney**—Charles A. Brown, (R),  
 (Charleston).  
**City Engineer**—M. A. Bender, (R).  
**Postmaster**—Russell W. Casto, (D).  
**Members of Council**—G. F. Hayes, (R); Herman Jones, (R); J. E. Waldorf, (D); J. H. Rimmer, (D); J. W. Stamm, (D).

### Northfork—McDowell County

Incorporated in 1901. So named because of its location on the north fork of Elkhorn river at its junction with the south fork.

Population, 494; elevation, 1,759 feet; paid fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$9,-\$16.73. Active bank: First Clark National Bank.

**Mayor**—Sam Rosen, (D).  
**Recorder**—D. B. Hambrick, (D).  
**Treasurer**—L. Washington, Jr., (D).  
**Chief of Police**—Dean Spencer, (R).  
**Fire Chief**—W. D. Miller, (D).  
**Police Judge**—D. B. Hambrick, (D).  
**City Attorney**—F. C. Cook, (R).  
**Postmaster**—W. S. Wray, (D).  
**Members of Council**—L. Washington, Jr., (D); W. A. Creager, (D); T. E. Calloway, (R); Samuel Siegal, (R); John Gibson, (R).

### Nutter Fort—Harrison County

Incorporated in 1923 and named for Thomas Nutter, who built and maintained an old Indian fort at that place.

Population, 1,825; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts

for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$5,245.85.

**Mayor**—James A. Small, (D).

**Recorder-Treasurer**—H. Richard Hinkle, (R).

**Chief of Police**—Joe H. Carpenter, (D).  
**Street Commissioner**—Guy G. Gum, (R).

**Fire Chief**—Shurm Kesner, (R).

**City Attorney**—Oscar J. Andre, (R),  
Clarksburg.

**City Engineer**—Paul S. Hornor, Jr., (D).

**Postmaster**—Edson Stout, (D).

**Members of Council**—J. E. Garrett, (R); William Campbell, (R); Dr. D. J. Dennison, (D); N. G. Bonnett, (R); James Kester, (R).

### Oak Hill—Fayette County

Incorporated in 1905. So named on account of the location under a spreading white oak tree at nearby Hill Top of the first post office built in the community, the name being suggested by reason of the association of the oak tree with the fact that the town is located on a hill.

Class III city; population, 2,076; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the second Tuesday in May; officials take office July first; next election, May 13, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$13,654.29. Hospital: Oak Hill Hospital. Active banks: Merchant's and Miner's National Bank, New River Banking and Trust Company.

**Mayor**—C. R. Hill, (R).

**Clerk-Treasurer**—E. N. Goode, (D).

**Chief of Police**—J. Ben Bibb, (D).

**Street Commissioner**—C. S. Waugh, (D).

**Fire Chief**—T. B. Martin, (D).

**City Attorney**—C. E. Mahan, (D),  
Fayetteville.

**City Engineer**—H. E. Willson.

**City Health Officer**—Dr. Jas. F. Van Pelt.

**Postmaster**—Howard Mahan, (D).

**Members of Council**—R. R. Thomas, (R); J. S. Trump, (D); C. J. Robertson, (R); Frank Titlow, (D); B. C. Byrnside, (D); R. C. Woods, (D); H. E. Willson, (D).

### Oakvale—Mercer County

Incorporated in 1907. So named on account of the magnificent oak trees

growing in this valley. Formerly known as Frenchville.

Population, 261; elevation, 1,712 feet; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$490.31.

**Mayor**—C. E. Biggs, (D).

**Recorder**—J. H. Barton, (R).

**Treasurer**—W. J. Tiller, (D).

**Chief of Police**—Otis Richard, (D).

**Postmaster**—O. S. Boggess, (D).

**Members of Council**—B. F. Boggess, (D); A. B. Davis, (R); Kenna Bell, (D); T. C. Price, (D); W. J. Tiller, (D).

### Paden City—Tyler and Wetzel Counties

Incorporated in 1916 and named for the family of Obediah Paden, an early settler.

Class III city; population, 2,281; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held annually on the first Thursday after the first Tuesday in January; officials take office February first; next election, January 4, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$8,323.00.

**Mayor**—Paul S. Cunningham, (D).

**Recorder-Treasurer**—J. F. Buck, (R).

**Chief of Police**—J. J. Schmidt, (R).

**Fire Chief**—Harold Jewell, (R).

**City Attorney**—Walter F. Ball, (R),  
New Martinsville.

**Postmaster**—Mack Kliger, (D).

**Members of Council**—Amos Morls, (R); Clarence Eddy, (D); Brady Neff, (R); Brady Slider, (R); Howard Giles, (R); Ralph Paden, (D).

### Parkersburg—Wood County

County seat. Originally chartered in 1820, and named for Alexander Parker, whose daughter, after his death, donated the land for the site of the court house and county building in Wood County. Formerly known as Newport. Name changed to Parkersburg in 1810. Location of DeSales Heights Visitation Academy. Radio broadcasting station WPAR located here.

Class II city; population, 29,623; elevation, 615 feet (at post office); paid fire department, motorized; elections

held triennially on the Tuesday after the first Monday in April; officials take office second Monday after election; next election, April 8, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$209,633.46.

Hospitals: Camden-Clark Memorial and St. Joseph's. Library: Carnegie Public Library, Anna E. Taylor, Librarian. Active banks: Commercial Banking and Trust Co., Union Trust and Deposit Co., Parkersburg National Bank, Wood County Bank, Peoples National Bank. Building and loan associations: First Federal Savings and Loan Association, Exchange Building Association, Traders Building and Loan Association, Traders Federal Savings and Loan Association.

**Mayor**—J. S. Dunn, (R).

**Clerk**—Myrtle L. Hoffman, (R).

**Treasurer**—Andy Swearingen, (R).

**Chief of Police**—C. W. Hylbert, (R).

**Street Commissioner**—Earl Stephens, (D).

**Fire Chief**—Lloyd Layman, (R).

**Police Judge**—George Shedden, (R).

**City Attorney**—I. M. Adams, (R).

**City Engineer**—Leland Merrill, (R).

**City Health Officer**—Dr. W. A. Bevacqua.

**Postmaster**—Anna M. Stephenson, (D).

**Members of Council**—Fred Cochran, (R); Earl Stephens, (D); Andy Swearingen, (R); Golden Underwood, (R).

**Firemen's Civil Service Commission**—W. G. Peterkin; John H. Brown; Carl McHenry.

**Policeman's Civil Service Commission**—W. A. Smith; Dr. E. D. Douglass; Dr. R. S. Widmeyer.

### Parsons—Tucker County

County seat. Incorporated in 1893, and named for Ward Parsons, who owned the land upon which the town is built.

Class III city; population, 2,012; elevation, 1,649 feet; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held annually on the first Thursday after the first Monday in April; officials take office May first; next election April 4, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$10,261.36. Active

banks: Tucker County Bank, First National Bank.

**Mayor**—James Parsons, (D).

**Recorder**—Winfred H. Murphy, (D).

**Treasurer**—F. L. Kee, (D).

**Chief of Police**—F. L. Kee, (D).

**Fire Chief**—M. M. Swearingen, (R).

**City Attorney**—C. D. Smith, (R).

**Members of Council**—E. J. Booth, (D);

Wesley Cross, (D); Franklin Dorman, (R); H. V. Gilmore, (D); J. Wallace Swisher, (D); Junior Wolfe, (R).

### Paw Paw—Morgan County

Incorporated in 1891. Name derived from the paw paw, a wild fruit which formerly grew in abundance throughout this section of the state.

Population, 781; elevation, 534 feet; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$3,253.15.

**Mayor**—B. J. Light, (R).

**Recorder-Treasurer**—S. B. Lyons, Jr., (D).

**Chief of Police**—C. E. S. Michael, (R).

**Street Commissioner**—B. J. Light, (R).

**Fire Chief**—J. D. Kifer, (R).

**City Attorney**—C. S. Trump, (R), Berkeley Springs.

**Postmaster**—J. W. McNabb, (D).

**Members of Council**—F. B. Slough, (R); Joseph Kerns, (R); R. A. Portmess, (R); J. H. Rouzee, (D); E. C. Kline, (D).

### Pax—Fayette County

Incorporated in 1920. Named for the stream, Pax Branch, which in turn was given the surname of hunters who early in the history of the community camped near the present location of the town.

Population, 608; elevation, 1,633 feet; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$1,081.66.

**Mayor**—D. R. Vass, (D).

**Recorder-Treasurer**—J. C. Shorter, (D).

**Chief of Police**—Jake Abshire, (D).

**City Attorney**—C. E. Mahan, (D), Fayetteville.

**Postmaster**—N. F. Walkup, (D).

**Members of Council**—C. A. Blake, (D); James Dickinson, (D); J. J. Cyrus, (D); Woodrow Lafferty, (D); Sam Stone, (R).

### **Pennsboro—Ritchie County**

Incorporated in 1885. Named for a Baltimore surveyor whose surname was Penn, and who made the first plat of the town. Location of "The Old Stone House," built about 1810, long a well known tavern in stage coach days.

Population, 1,616; elevation, 861 feet; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the second Tuesday in May; officials take office second Monday after election; next election, May 13, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$7,956.86. Active bank: Community Bank.

**Mayor**—Ben Wilson, (R).

**Clerk**—James Hickman, Jr., (D).

**Treasurer**—Fred Kiger, (R).

**Chief of Police**—J. W. Law, (R).

**Fire Chief**—J. W. Law, (R).

**City Attorney**—Max DeBerry, (R), Harrisville.

**Postmaster**—Vesta Lee Connell, (D).

**Members of Council**—A. R. Clovis, (R); B. F. Gilmore, (R); Fred Kiger, (R); O. C. Pratt, (R).

### **Petersburg—Grant County**

County seat. Not incorporated until 1910, but named about the year 1745 for a man named Peterson, who conducted the first general store in the county.

Population, 1,410; elevation, 934 feet (at railroad station); volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$8,253.37. Active banks: Grant County Bank, Potomac Valley Bank.

**Mayor**—M. F. Gray, (R).

**Recorder-Treasurer**—A. L. Brill, (R).

**Chief of Police**—William Dayton, (R).

**Street Commissioner**—H. E. J. Oates, (R).

**Fire Chief**—Dr. Hugh Allen, (D).

**City Health Officer**—Dr. W. R. Sollars.

**Postmaster**—Leonard Smith, (D).

**Members of Council**—H. E. J. Oates, (R); H. V. Sites, (R); Harry Foley, (R); Ralph Ours, (R); Dr. W. R. Sollars, (R).

### **Peterstown—Monroe County**

Incorporated in 1892, and named for Christian Peters, Revolutionary soldier, who settled nearby and founded the town shortly after the Revolutionary War.

Population, 388; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$1,758.58. Active bank: First National Bank.

**Mayor**—J. H. Hansbarger, (D).

**Clerk**—E. E. Ballard, (R).

**Chief of Police**—W. D. Ward, (R).

**Fire Chief**—H. O. Cunningham, (R).

**City Attorney**—S. H. Ballard, (R).

**Postmaster**—D. G. Miller, (D).

**Members of Council**—H. O. Buckland, (R); L. C. Spangler, (R); Sherman Ballard, (R); H. O. Cunningham, (R); Neal A. Buckland, (R).

### **Philippi—Barbour County**

County seat. Originally chartered in 1844, and named for Phillip Pendleton Barbour, Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States, 1836-1841. Here was fought the first land battle of the Civil War, the Federal troops on June 3, 1861, commanded by General B. F. Kelly, surprising and routing the confederate forces under Colonel George A. Porterfield. Location of Alderson-Broadus College.

Population, 1,767; elevation, 1,310 feet; volunteer fire department; elections held annually on the first Tuesday in March; officials take office first Tuesday in April; next election, March 5, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$16,450.87. Hospital: Myer's Clinic. Active bank: First National.

**Mayor**—Sherman Lindsey, (R).

**Clerk-Treasurer**—William Lambert, (D).

**Chief of Police**—H. D. Nestor, (D).

**Street Commissioner**—L. R. Bowers, (R).

**Fire Chief**—Roy J. Moore, (D).

**City Attorney**—Paul B. Ware, (R).  
**City Engineer**—C. E. Corder, (D).  
**City Health Officer**—Dr. Scott Smith.  
**Postmaster (Acting)**—Wesley H. Lantz, (D).  
**Members of Council**—E. L. Baughman, (D); Geo. S. White, (R); W. H. Hanser, (D); G. M. Wolfe, (D); Blonda Hollin, (D).

### Piedmont—Mineral County

Originally chartered in 1856. So named because of its location at the foot of the mountain, Allegheny Front, which is known to travelers on the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad as "the seventeen mile grade."

Class III city; population, 2,241; elevation, 871 feet; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the second Monday in May; officials take office June first; next election, May 12, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$7,832.67. Active bank: First National. Library: Public, May Rose, Librarian.

**Mayor**—Donald M. Mellor, (D).  
**Clerk-Treasurer**—Chas. T. Neff, Sr., (D).  
**Chief of Police**—Forest Biggs, (R).  
**Street Commissioner**—John Munsie, (R).  
**Fire Chief**—Ernest Umstot, (R).  
**Police Judge**—Paul Thomas, (D).  
**City Health Officer**—J. H. Wolverton.  
**Postmaster**—Patrick Healey, (D).  
**Members of Council**—William T. Davis, (D); John Gannon, (R); James Cheshire, (D); F. E. Dixon, (D); W. H. Fredlock, (R).

### Pine Grove—Wetzel County

Incorporated in 1907. So named on account of the location there at the time of a large pine thicket.

Population, \$20; elevation, 712 feet; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$3,413.80.

**Mayor**—Joseph Master, (D).  
**Clerk**—Packy Watson, (R).  
**Chief of Police-Street Commissioner**—Carl F. Montgomery, (D).  
**Fire Chief**—Carl F. Montgomery, (D).

**City Attorney**—A. E. Larrick, (D), New Martinsville.  
**Postmaster**—Wilbur S. Moore, (D).  
**Members of Council**—F. C. Clark, (D); W. C. Brown, (D); J. O. Wise, (R); Harry Watson, (R); R. W. Tallman, (D).

### Pineville—Wyoming County

County seat. Incorporated in 1917. So named on account of the location at the original site when selected of a black or pitch pine second growth forest.

Population, 462; elevation, 1,323 feet; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 4, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$4,461.74.

**Mayor**—Otis L. Allen, (R).  
**Recorder-Treasurer**—R. L. Cook, (D).  
**Chief of Police**—Emory L. Harvey, (R).  
**Street Commissioner**—Theodore Sizemore, (R).  
**City Attorney**—R. D. Bailey, (D).  
**City Engineer**—J. J. James, (D).  
**Postmaster**—Geo. A. Brooks, (D).  
**Members of Council**—Walter C. Byrd, (D); Garland Stewart, (R); Geo. M. Farley, (D); F. E. Shannon, (R); C. C. Holloway, (D).

### Point Pleasant—Mason County

County seat. Originally chartered in 1794. Named after Camp Point Pleasant, established there by General Andrew Lewis at the time of his famous battle with the Indians (1774), the name being selected probably on account of the location at "a beautiful or pleasant place" between the confluence of the Ohio and Kanawha Rivers. Built on the site of the bloodiest battle ever fought between the Indians and white settlers.—the Battle of Point Pleasant, October 10, 1774, the chief event of Dunmore's War, a forerunner of the American Revolution. Location of Tu-endie-wei State Park. Burial place of Cornstalk, Indian chieftain, and Mad Ann Bailey, celebrated in annals of the border.

Class III city; population, 3,301; elevation, 568 feet; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the third Saturday in May; officials take office July first; next elec-

tlon, May 17, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$16,-306.71.

Library: Mason County, Dora B. Ellis, Librarian.

Active banks: Citizens National Bank. Building and loan association: Point Pleasant Building and Loan Association.

Mayor—B. W. Krodel, (R).

Clerk—R. B. Rothgeb, (R).

Treasurer—J. G. F. Johnson, (R).

Chief of Police—Street Commissioner—Hoyt Jividen, (R).

Fire Chief—William Darst, (R).

City Attorney—J. G. F. Johnson, (R).

Postmaster—O. K. Burdett, (D).

Members of Council—Claude Cheesebrow, (R); Wade Thabet, (R); William Darst, (R); Charles Lawson, (R); R. H. Melrose, (R); R. P. Harper, (R); C. L. Costen, (R); Joe Gaskins, (R); R. L. Richards, (R); Rody Harden, (R).

### Pratt—Kanawha County

Incorporated in 1905. Name derived from the family name of Charles K. Pratt, of New York, whose company acquired vast timber and coal holdings at that place about the year 1899, and later developed the Paint Creek section.

Population, 325; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office first Thursday in July; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$1,021.76.

Mayor—Edward L. Nugent, (D).

Recorder-Treasurer—Anna Schultz, (D).

Postmaster—S. B. Mooney, (D).

Members of Council—Carl Lehnis, (D); Charles Blackshire, (D); Edward Kelly, (D); Tom Burke, (D); John Lloyd, (D).

### Princeton—Mercer County

County seat. Incorporated in 1874. Named for Princeton, New Jersey, where, in the Battle of 1777, during the Revolutionary War, General Hugh Mercer, Fredericksburg (Virginia) apothecary, was killed.

Class III city; population, 6,955; elevation, 2,449 feet (at Court House); paid fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tues-

day in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$29,226.77.

Hospitals: Mercer Memorial and Princeton. Mercer County Public Library, Juanita E. Good, Secretary. Active bank: Princeton Bank and Trust Company.

Mayor—H. J. Thompson, (R).

Recorder-Treasurer—J. L. Dangerfield, (R).

Chief of Police—J. Sam Bennett, (R). Street Commissioner—W. H. Rumburg, (R).

Fire Chief—W. K. Umbarger, (D).

City Attorney—W. C. Fletcher, (R).

City Engineer—Royal Thorn, (R).

City Health Officer—Dr. Daniel Hale.

Postmaster—J. B. Shrewsbury, (D).

Members of Council—John D. Gott, (D); C. L. Shannon, (D); J. M. Marshall, (D); R. O. Sewell, (R); W. L. White, (R); J. L. Kessinger, (R).

Firemen's Civil Service Commission—Frank McKenzie; Howard K. Osburn; Geo. W. Seaver.

Policemen's Civil Service Commission—L. L. Lambert; H. B. Pearls; E. K. Ketrion.

### Pullman—Ritchie County

Incorporated in 1901. Named for George M. Pullman, of Chicago, famous as the manufacturer of pullmans, then commonly known as "palace cars."

Population, 184; elevation, 843 feet; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$670.54.

Mayor—Geo. W. Emrick, (D).

Recorder-Treasurer—G. D. Amos, (D).

Postmaster—D. H. Davis, (R).

Members of Council—Arlie Moore, (R); F. E. Sommerville, (R); Harold Zinn, (R).

### Rainelle—Greenbrier County

Incorporated in 1913. Named for Thomas W. and John Raine, prominent lumber manufacturers of this section of the state.

Population, 920; elevation, 2,424 feet; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal re-

celpts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$7,182.50. Active bank: Bank of Rainelle.

**Mayor**—Thos. W. Haught, (R).

**Recorder-Treasurer**—M. C. Whitlock, (R).

**Chief of Police**—E. L. Vance, (R).

**Postmaster**—J. Leo Holsberry, (D).

**Members of Council**—J. E. Decker, (R); C. C. Worley, (D); Geo. Easley, (D); R. H. Bowman, (D); K. R. Ketcham, (D).

### Ranson—Jefferson County

Incorporated in 1910 and named for the members of the Ranson family, who owned the land upon which the town is built.

Population, 1,002; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$1,670.57.

**Mayor**—Wm. J. Roberts, (D).

**Recorder**—Fred E. Bailey, (D).

**Treasurer**—N. O. Fellers, (D).

**Chief of Police**—Hamp Ramey, (R).

**City Attorney**—Lee Bushong, (D).

**City Engineer**—Magnus Conklyn.

**City Health Officer**—Dr. G. P. Morison.

**Postmaster**—Mrs. Roy Crabbe, (D).

**Members of Council**—N. C. Robinson, (D); R. S. Fadeley, (D); T. M. Jones, (D); B. L. Rissler, (D); C. L. James, (D).

### Ravenswood—Jackson County

Originally chartered in 1852. Named after Allan, Lord of Ravenswood, in Sir Walter Scott's "The Bride of Lammermoor."

Population, 1,189; elevation, 585 feet; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$6,851.37. Active bank: Jackson County Bank. Building and loan associations: Farmers Building and Loan Association, First Federal Savings and Loan Association.

**Mayor**—R. E. Ritchie, (R).

**Recorder-Treasurer**—L. R. Tucker, (R).

**Chief of Police**—Fred Lewis, (D).

**Street Commissioner**—G. M. Bryan, (D).

**Fire Chief**—Paul B. Harris, (D).

**City Attorney**—Oliver D. Kessel, (R).

**Postmaster**—F. D. Fleming, (D).

**Members of Council**—C. E. Baker, (R); G. M. Bryan, (D); W. M. Gillaspie, (D); Robert K. Park, (D); D. Rector, (D).

### Reedsville—Preston County

Incorporated in 1906, and named for James Reed, of Monongalia County, formerly of Berkeley County, owner of the land upon which the larger part of the town is laid out.

Population, 345; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$2,704.29.

**Mayor**—James D. Huber, (R).

**Recorder**—Carney Zinn, (R).

**Treasurer**—Guy Zinn, (R).

**Chief of Police**—C. E. Keefover, (R).

**Fire Chief**—C. L. Brown, (R).

**City Attorney**—M. C. Snyder, (R), Kingwood.

**Postmaster**—L. G. Emerson, (D).

**Members of Council**—J. F. Dill, (R), Guy Zinn, (R); C. G. Gibson, (R); H. D. Peterson, (R).

### Reedy—Roane County

Incorporated in 1894. Named for Reedy Creek, which in turn was so named by William Beauchamp, first settler, because of the numerous reeds that grew on the stream at that time. Formerly known as Three Forks of Reedy.

Population, 405; elevation, 676 feet; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$1,822.49. Active bank: First National Bank.

**Mayor**—G. F. Rogers, (D).

**Recorder-Treasurer**—J. R. Conn, (R).

**Postmaster**—M. C. Carpenter, (D).

**Members of Council**—E. E. Lester, (D); H. C. Craig, (R); C. G. Cottle, (D); G. C. Howell, (D); F. E. Craig, (R).

### †Rhodell—Raleigh County

Laid out in 1907, but not incorporated until 1937. Named for I. J. Rhodes, one of the founders. Formerly known as Rhodesdale.

Elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$1,027.91.

**Mayor**—G. W. Thomas, (D).

**Recorder-Treasurer**—Lloyd Meador, (D).

**Chief of Police-Street Commissioner**—Elbert Farley, (D).

**Postmaster**—Mrs. Daisy Barker, (D).

**Members of Council**—Riley Graham, (R); Calvin McKinney, (R); Cody Fletcher, (R); A. R. Meadows, (R); Mitchell Lewis, (R).

### Richwood—Nicholas County

Incorporated in 1901. So named on account of the fertile soil which is found in that section.

Class III city; population, 5,720; elevation, 2,193 feet (in front of station); volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held annually on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 4, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$12,120.71.

**Hospitals**: McClung and Sacred Heart. **Active bank**: Cherry River National Bank.

**Mayor**—E. C. Bennette, (R).

**Recorder**—H. L. Bartley, (D).

**Treasurer**—T. L. Falor, (R).

**Chief of Police**—Bert L. Stewart, (R).

**City Attorneys**—Wolverton and Callaghan.

**City Health Officer**—Dr. James McClung.

**Postmaster**—Dr. Hugh Dunn, (D).

**Members of Council**—Merle White, (D); Tom Hicks, (R); Arden Holbrook, (D); George Frymier, (R); Lee Hackett, (R); William Kelly, (R); Worthy Boone, (R); Jack Bennett, (D).

### Ridgeley—Mineral County

Incorporated in 1914. Named for the former owners of the land upon

†Incorporated 1937. No official population figures available.

which the town is laid out. Formerly known as St. Clairsville.

Population, 1,972; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$3,-114.24.

**Mayor**—Paul K. Morgan, (R).

**Recorder-Treasurer**—W. Merle Cornelius, (D).

**Chief of Police**—Charles V. Barncord, (R).

**Fire Chief**—James W. Ridgley, (R).

**City Attorney**—H. G. Shores, (D), Keyser.

**City Sanitary Inspector**—Charles V. Barncord, (R).

**Postmaster**—Ursula A. Daugherty, (D).

**Members of Council**—Richard A. Biggs, (R); Arthur E. Brant, (D); Floyd A. Decker, (D); Michael F. Edenhart, (D); James S. Hutton, (D).

### Ripley—Jackson County

County seat. Originally chartered in 1832, and named in honor of Harry Ripley, who was drowned in Big Mill Creek in 1830.

Population, 669; elevation, 614 feet (Court House Square); volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$8,787.74.

**Hospitals**: Kessel Emergency, Starcher's, Rymer's. **Active banks**: Bank of Ripley, First National Bank.

**Mayor**—Dr. C. Royal Kessel, (R).

**Recorder**—Perry Emmet O'Brien, (D).

**Treasurer**—T. Clayton Parsons, (D).

**Chief of Police**—Winfred Wendell, (R).

**Street Commissioner**—Earl Enochs, (D).

**Water Commissioner**—George Burton Crow, (D).

**City Attorney**—Carter W. Staats, (D).

**Postmaster**—John Kenna Kerwood, (D).

**Members of Council**—Dr. Wendell E. Casto, (R); Dr. Oshel C. Staats, (D); Dr. E. D. Staats, (R); W. B. Stewart, (R); Fred Sayre, (R).

**Riverside—Monongalia County**

(P. O. Morgantown)

Incorporated in 1912. Presumably so named by reason of the location on the Monongahela River.

Population, 940; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941.

**Mayor**—B. B. Coda, (D).

**Recorder**—Thornton W. Clark, (D).

**Chief of Police**—Harold Brown, (D).

**Members of Council**—Donley M. Russell, (D); James F. Chambers, (D); Lee A. Smith, (R); Frank Mitchell, (D); William Jack, (D).

**Rivesville—Marion County**

Established in 1837, but not incorporated until 1875. Named in honor of William Cabell Rives, a Virginian of great prominence at that time, later United States Senator from that state.

Population, 1,700; elevation, 880 feet; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$3,141.79.

**Mayor**—J. S. Freeman, (R).

**Recorder**—Paul Michael, (R).

**Chief of Police-Treasurer**—Hood Straight, (D).

**Street Commissioner-Water Commissioner**—Paul Michael, (R).

**Fire Chief**—Lyman Keefover, (D).

**City Attorneys**—Showalter & Boggess, Fairmont.

**City Health Officer**—Dr. Philip Johnson.

**Postmaster**—Robin Hood, (D).

**Members of Council**—John Guy, (D); Hood Straight, (D); George Sago, (D); William Reese, (D); O. L. Bowmen, (D).

**Romney—Hampshire County**

County seat. Second oldest town in state. Originally chartered December 13, 1762. Established at the site of Fort Pearsoll, built in 1756 for defense against the Indians. Named by Lord Fairfax for the town of Romney, one of the Cinque Ports of southern England. Location of West Virginia Schools for the Deaf and Blind.

Population, 1,441; elevation, 731 feet (at R. R. station); volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held annually on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election June 4, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$12,-825.99.

**Library**: Hampshire County Public Library, Mrs. Lillian Ladd, Librarian. Active banks: The Bank of Romney, First National Bank.

**Mayor**—Blair M. Haines, (D).

**Recorder**—L. G. Dinkle, (D).

**Treasurer**—Mildred H. Parker, (D).

**Chief of Police**—Virgil Hanlin, (D).

**Fire Chief**—A. G. Loy, (D).

**City Attorney**—G. K. Kump, (D).

**Postmaster**—J. M. Snarr, (D).

**Members of Council**—A. G. Loy, (D); A. R. Haines, (D); C. W. Long, (D); W. B. Michael, (D); G. C. Houser, (D); David Shear.

**Ronceverte—Greenbrier County**

Incorporated in 1882. Name derived from the French for Greenbrier, i.e., Ronce, brier; verte, green.

Class III city; population, 2,254; elevation, 1,663 feet; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held annually on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 4, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$14,-499.19.

**Hospital**: Greenbrier Valley. Active banks: First National, Ronceverte National.

**Mayor**—D. H. Kauffelt, (R).

**Clerk-Treasurer**—E. C. Baker, (R).

**Chief of Police**—Chas. E. Cox, (R).

**Street Commissioner**—D. H. Kauffelt, (R).

**Fire Chief**—C. W. Graves, (R).

**City Attorney**—Nickell Kramer, (D).

**City Health Officer**—A. G. Lanham.

**Postmaster**—L. C. Thrasher, (D).

**City Commissioners**—L. M. Patterson, (D); J. C. Cobb, (D).

**Rowlesburg—Preston County**

Originally chartered in 1858. Named for James Rowles, engineer, who, about 1850, was in charge of the survey of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad in that section.

Population, 1,573; elevation, 1,400 feet; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tues-

day in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$4,832.09. Active bank: Peoples National Bank.

**Mayor**—Harry Brooke, (R).  
**Recorder**—C. C. Pollock, (R).  
**Treasurer**—Albert Ayersman, (R).  
**Chief of Police**—Elbern Thompson, (Ind.).  
**Fire Chief**—J. D. Hayden, (R).  
**City Attorney**—Chas. P. Wilhelm, (R), Kingwood.  
**City Health Officer**—B. B. Sturdivant.  
**Postmaster**—L. E. Felty, (D).  
**Members of Council**—C. Cassidy, (R); A. J. Funk, (R); L. M. Smith, (R); R. J. Knotts, (R); J. D. Hayden, (R).

#### Sabraton—Monongalia County

Incorporated as Sturgiss City in 1919. Name changed to Sabraton in 1922. Named for Sabra Vance Sturgiss, first wife of Judge George C. Sturgiss.

Population, 1,717; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Thursday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 5, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$972.53.

**Mayor**—D. M. Thomas, (R).  
**Recorder**—Cora Williams, (R).  
**Treasurer**—Mrs. W. W. Mayfield, (D).  
**Chief of Police**—B. T. Rose, (R).  
**Fire Chief**—Frank Childs, (D).  
**City Attorney**—Chauncy M. Price, (R).  
**Postmaster**—Cora Fisher, (D).  
**Members of Council**—George Graham, (D); Minter McCartney, (D); B. F. Falkenstine, (D); Lawrence Knott, (D); Bert Widner, (D).

#### Saint Albans—Kanawha County

Laid out in 1816. Originally known as Philippi, after Philip Thompson, an early settler, the name afterwards being changed to Coalsmouth from its location at the mouth of Coal River. Incorporated as Kanawha City in 1868. Name changed to Saint Albans in 1871, that name being suggested by a man named Parsons, a member of the town council, after his home town of Saint Albans, Vermont.

Class III city; population, 3,254; elevation, 596 feet; paid fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in April;

officials take office first Monday in May; next election April 1, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$15,898.52.

Active bank: Bank of Saint Albans. Building and loan association: Saint Albans Building and Loan Association.

**Mayor**—G. H. Ellis, (D).  
**City Manager**—Waverly Curnes, (D).  
**Clerk-Treasurer**—O. N. Slater, (D).  
**Chief of Police**—C. E. Gunnoe, (D).  
**Street Commissioner**—E. N. Morris, (D).  
**Fire Chief**—F. E. Short, (D).  
**Police Judge**—O. N. Slater, (D).  
**City Attorney**—D. N. Mohler, (R), Charleston.  
**City Engineer**—W. A. Burgess, (D).  
**City Health Officer**—Dr. E. O. Vaughn.  
**Postmaster**—H. E. Riddleberger, (D).  
**Members of Council**—Marion C. Gilchrist, (R); Waverly Curnes, (D); J. S. Stanley, (D); Lee Pack, (D); J. H. Dunlap, (R); L. S. Coleman, (R).

#### Saint Marys—Pleasants County

County seat. Originally chartered in 1851. Named in 1849 by its founder, Alexander H. Creel, in honor of the Virgin Mary, who, according to legend, appeared to him in a vision one night, as the steamer upon which he was traveling on the Ohio River was passing the point where he afterwards established the town.

Class III city; population, 2,182; elevation, 627 feet (Second and Washington Streets); volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the second Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 10, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$14,868.17. Active banks: First National Bank, Pleasants County Bank.

**Mayor**—C. E. Zipf, (D).  
**City Manager**—J. B. Riggs, (R).  
**Recorder**—P. O. White, (R).  
**Treasurer**—Frank J. Barron, (D).  
**Chief of Police**—B. E. Cumblidge, (R).  
**Fire Chief**—K. C. Russell, (R).  
**City Attorney**—Frank J. Barron.  
**City Health Officer**—O. L. Quillan.  
**Postmaster**—H. E. West, (D).  
**Members of Council**—J. L. Brafford, (R); B. F. Weekley, (R); T. G. McSweeney, (R); C. C. East, (D); C. R. Gerber, (D); C. T. Strickling, (D).

**Salem—Harrison County**

Originally chartered as New Salem in 1794, the name being changed later to Salem. Named by the Samuel Fitz Randolph and Davis families, original settlers, in honor of a settlement of Seventh Day Baptists in New Salem, New Jersey, their home town. Location of Salem College.

Class III city; population, 2,943; elevation, 1,046 feet; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held annually on the first Tuesday in April; officials take office April fifteenth; next election, April 2, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$11,751.79. Active bank: First National.

**Mayor**—O. Guy Layman, (R).

**Clerk-Treasurer**—Mrs. Connie Dye, (R).

**Chief of Police**—D. A. Rumbaugh, (D).

**Street Commissioner**—W. E. Corder, (D).

**Fire Chief**—Orley Sigley, (D).

**Postmaster**—Ottis Swiger, (D).

**Members of Council**—Dr. L. B. Wolverton, (R); Hoy Day, (R); O. D. Hall, (D); Ledford Flint, (D); A. D. Snider, (D); Chas. O. Waller, (R).

**Sand Fork—Gilmer County****(Layopolis)**

Name of town, Layopolis; name of post office, Sand Fork. Incorporated in 1903 as Layopolis, after William R. Lay, an employee of the Eureka Pipe Line Company, operating at that time in the oil fields of Gilmer County. The post office was named Sand Fork after the creek on which the town is located, which derived its name on account of the numerous sandy bars found in early times along the course of the stream.

Population, 198; elevation, 772 feet; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 4, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$470.30.

**Mayor**—Glenn H. Springston, (D).

**Recorder-Treasurer**—Carlton Spicer, (D).

**Chief of Police-Street Commissioner**—Rester Lynch, (D).

**City Attorney**—E. W. Craddock, (D), Glenville.

**Postmaster**—Mrs. Clara W. Taylor, (D).

**Members of Council**—Alton Peters, (R); T. W. Marks, (D); W. R. Marks, (D); Bryant Hess, (D); J. W. Marks, (D).

**Shepherdstown—Jefferson County**

Oldest town in West Virginia, presumably being settled between 1730 and 1734, although first settlers probably arrived here as early as 1719. Originally chartered as Mecklenburg November 30, 1762. Name changed to Shepherd's Town in 1798 after Thomas Shepherd, founder of the town, and again changed to Shepherdstown in 1867. First newspaper in the state, "Potomac Guardian and Berkeley Advertiser," published here in November, 1790, by Nathaniel Willis. Here in 1787 James Rumsey, inventor, conducted the first public trial of his steamboat and a monument to his memory has been erected by the state. Location of Shepherd State Teachers College.

Population, 888; elevation, 420 feet (app.); volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held annually on the second Monday in March; officials take office first Monday in April; next election, March 11, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$6,299.53.

**Library**: Public, Mrs. C. F. Lyne, Librarian. Active bank: Jefferson Security Bank. Building and loan association: Potomac Permanent Building and Loan Association.

**Mayor**—J. L. Waldeck, (R).

**Recorder**—A. S. Lucas, (D).

**Treasurer-Street Commissioner**—W. W. Waddy, (D).

**Chief of Police**—J. W. Osbourn, (D).

**Fire Chief**—C. W. Shipley, (D).

**City Attorney**—Lee Bushong, Jr., (D).

**City Health Officer**—Dr. J. L. Meyers.

**Postmaster**—Wm. B. Snyder, (D).

**Members of Council**—W. W. Waddy, (D); W. H. S. White, (D); J. H. Robinson, (D); John P. Tabler, (D); W. E. Knode, (R).

**Shinnston—Harrison County**

Originally chartered in 1852, and named for the Shinn family, pioneer settlers from New Jersey. Formerly known as Shinn's Town.

Class III city; population, 2,802; elevation, 910 feet; volunteer fire de-

partment, motorized; elections held annually on the first Thursday in April; officials take office first Monday in May; next election, April 4, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$10,504.40.

Library: Shinnston Woman's Club Public Library, Mrs. Bonnie Weightman, Librarian. Active bank: Bank of Shinnston.

Mayor—Warren S. Hursey, (D).

Recorder-Treasurer—Carl O. Barker, (D).

Chief of Police—Matt Kidd, (D).

Street Commissioner—Jas. Jaynes, (R).

Fire Chief—H. H. Carder, (R).

City Attorney—Hardin R. Harmer, (R).

Postmaster—Fred F. Robey, (D).

Members of Council—M. B. Currey, (D); W. C. Romine, (D); Frank A. Abruzzino, (R); Okey Hamric, (D); S. B. Davis, (R); Jasper R. Heldreth, (R); Ellis Pyles, (R); J. E. Royal, (R).

### Sistersville—Tyler County

Established in 1815, but not incorporated until 1839. Named for two sisters, Sarah and Delilah Wells, owners of the land upon which the town is now located.

Class III city; population, 3,072; elevation, 648 feet; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the fourth Thursday in March; officials take office first Monday in April; next election March 28, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$18,252.03.

Hospitals: Sistersville General. Library: Public, Bertha Chadderdon, Librarian. Active banks: First Tyler Bank and Trust Co., Union National Bank. Building and loan association: First Federal Savings and Loan Association.

Mayor—W. L. Sutton, (R).

Clerk—D. D. Buck, (R).

Treasurer—A. L. Boyd, (R).

Chief of Police—George Lawson, (R).

Street Commissioner—C. R. Sandy, (R).

Fire Chief—E. C. Krug, (R).

City Attorney—W. J. Brennan, (D).

City Health Officer—Dr. H. P. West, (D).

Postmaster—Carry Archer, (D).

Members of Council—J. P. Flynn, (D); Harry Conley, Jr., (R); Leo F.

Kenney, (R); Homer F. Reed, (R); Frank Miller, (R); J. J. McKay, (R); Sampson Thistle, (R); Dr. H. P. West, (D).

### \*Smithers—Fayette County

Incorporated in 1938. Named for James Smithers, early settler, who resided at the mouth of what is now known as Smithers Creek.

Elevation, 640 feet; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 4, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$1,367.65.

Mayor—E. R. Dotson, (D).

Recorder-Treasurer—L. M. Shawver, (R).

Chief of Police—O. H. Woodrum, (R). City Attorney—Kenneth H. Martin, (R), Montgomery.

Postmaster—Hattie L. Dillon, (D).

Members of Council—W. S. Saunders, (D); Frank Cavalier, (R); J. B. Moore, (R); John Nitz, (D); A. Giannini, (D).

### Smithfield—Wetzel County

Incorporated in 1904, and named for Henry Smith, who established a store there at the beginning of the Wetzel County oil boom.

Population, 609; elevation, 835 feet; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$2,193.26.

Mayor—C. H. Cozart, (D).

Recorder-Treasurer—G. O. Toothman, (D).

Chief of Police-Street Commissioner—Elza Anderson, (D).

Postmaster—R. L. Francis, (D).

Members of Council—Dwight F. Clark, (D); W. C. Phipps, (D); L. A. Steele, (D); Dewey E. Lemley, (R); J. C. Templeton, (R).

### Sophia—Raleigh County

Incorporated in 1912 and named for Sophia McGinnis, whose residence was located between the two tunnels near the city.

Population, 611; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June;

\*Incorporated in 1938. No official population figures available.

officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$1,-482.45.

**Mayor**—Criss Ruble, (D).  
**Clerk-Treasurer**—James B. Deck, (D).  
**Chief of Police**—Perry Haga, (D).  
**Postmaster**—O. L. Green, (D).  
**Members of Council**—John Hall, (D); H. N. Lovell, (D); C. M. Goodwin, (D); Henry Stone, (D); W. J. McElrath, (D).

### South Charleston—Kanawha County

(P. O. Ind. Branch of Charleston)

Established in 1906, but not incorporated until 1917. So named because of its location on the south side of the Kanawha River, opposite part of the city of Charleston.

Class III city; population, 5,904; paid and volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held quadriennially on the first Tuesday in April; officials take office May first; next election, April 7, 1942. Hospital: Dunn Hospital. Active bank: First National Bank.

**Mayor**—L. H. Oakes, (D).  
**Recorder**—J. W. Londeree, (D).  
**Treasurer**—W. G. Moore, (D).  
**Chief of Police**—Arnold Brabban, (D).  
**Street Commissioner**—R. C. McCune, (D).  
**Fire Chief**—J. D. Barrett, (D).  
**City Attorney**—John E. Amos, (D), (Charleston).  
**City Engineer**—M. C. Catlette, (D).  
**Members of Council**—H. S. Dean, (D); George Delforge, (D); W. W. Mowry, (D); Thomas Roper, Jr., (D); K. R. Willman, (D); G. W. Surbaugh.  
**Firemen's Civil Service Commission**—Dr. B. V. Blagg; W. J. Thomas; Robert Baber.  
**Policemen's Civil Service Commission**—J. R. B. Hall; Rev. F. M. Ryburn; S. H. Mullins.

### Spencer—Roane County

County seat. Originally chartered in 1858. Named for Spencer Roane, a distinguished Virginian jurist. Formerly known as New California.

Class III city; population, 2,493; elevation, 719 feet (crossing at railroad station); volunteer fire department,

motorized; elections held biennially on the fourth Thursday in March; officials take office April first; next election, March 27, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$22,764.81.

Hospitals: City Hospital, Depue Hospital, and \*Spencer State Hospital (Insane). Library: Public, Leone Harper, Librarian. Active banks: Roane County Bank, Trader's Trust and Banking Co., First National Bank.

**Mayor**—D. N. Shrimplin, (D).  
**Recorder**—R. H. Morford, (D).  
**Treasurer-Street Commissioner**—D. N. Shrimplin, (D).

**Chief of Police**—Willie King, (D).  
**City Attorney**—Grover Hedges, (D).  
**City Health Officer**—Dr. E. W. Owen.  
**Postmaster**—L. A. Douglas, (D).  
**Members of Council**—H. H. Robey, (D); H. C. Parrish, (D); W. J. Justice, (D); Garland Bartlett, (R).

### Star City—Monongalia County

Incorporated in 1907, and named by Louis F. Kauffeld, owner of the Star Glass Company, after the company name.

Population, 1,121; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$970.66.

**Mayor**—Paul S. Pickard, (D).  
**Recorder**—Emory Rowe, (D).  
**Treasurer**—Blanche Cunningham, (D).  
**Chief of Police**—W. C. Lemasters, (D).  
**City Attorney**—Kermit R. Mason, (R), Morgantown.  
**Postmaster**—John H. Shay, (R).  
**Members of Council**—C. R. Lantz, (D); Lindsey Brewer, (D); Clyde Cooley, (D); John Bezner, (D); Jay Hunt, (D).

### Summersville—Nicholas County

County seat. Originally established in 1824, but not incorporated until 1860. Named in honor of Judge Lewis Summers, who introduced the bill in the Virginia Assembly creating Nicholas County.

Population, 536; elevation, 1,894 feet (at Court House); volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June;

\*State hospital.

officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$6,094.19. Active banks: Farmer's and Merchant's Bank, Nicholas County Bank.

**Mayor**—Dr. Eugene S. Brown, (D).  
**Recorder-Treasurer**—A. E. Dorsey, (D).

**Chief of Police**—Clifford J. Cooper, (R).

**Fire Chief**—J. H. Skaggs, (D).

**City Attorney**—Roland A. Clapperton, (D).

**Postmaster**—Ruskin J. Wiseman, (D).  
**Members of Council**—Tom Walker, (D); K. B. Champ, (D); G. G. Duff, (D); N. L. Fahrenz, (D); John H. Simms, (R).

#### †Suncrest—Monongalia County

(P. O. Morgantown)

Incorporated in 1937. So named because of the early sunrise in the community occasioned by reason of the location at a high altitude.

Elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941.

**Mayor**—C. R. Wilson, (R).  
**Recorder**—Fred C. Lach, (R).  
**City Attorney**—John G. Zevely, (R), Morgantown.

**Members of Council**—C. H. Vehse, (R); W. B. Scherr, (R); J. H. Rietz, (R); R. H. McLain, (R); T. J. Cochran, (R).

#### Sutton—Braxton County

County seat. Established as Suttonsville in 1826. Name changed to Sutton in 1837. Named for John D. Sutton, the founder of the town.

Population, 1,205; elevation, 842 feet; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$9,016.03. Active bank: Home National Bank.

**Mayor**—E. O. Berry, (D).  
**Recorder**—Johnson Hyer, (D).  
**Chief of Police-Treasurer**—Chas. W. Jordan, (D).  
**Fire Chief**—John Tolnby, (D).

†Incorporated 1937. No official population figures available.

**City Health Officer**—Dr. W. H. McCauley.

**Postmaster**—Ben Gillespie, (D).

**Members of Council**—W. C. Baxter, (R); G. C. Moore, (D); P. A. Gibson, (D); H. J. Skidmore, (D); Marvin Rose, (R).

#### Terra Alta—Preston County

Originally chartered in 1860 as Portland, after Portland, Maine. Formerly known as Cranberry Summit from the abundant yield of cranberries found there at the time. Incorporated as Terra Alta in 1890. Name derived from the Latin, meaning "high land."

Population, 1,474; elevation, 2,558 feet; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$8,601.11. Active banks: Terra Alta Bank, First National Bank.

**Mayor**—F. L. Lakin, (R).  
**Recorder-Treasurer**—L. B. Ott, (D).  
**Chief of Police**—Notley Frankhouser, (R).

**Street Commissioner**—Parley Groves, (R).

**Fire Chief**—Frank Zeller, (R).

**City Attorney**—L. F. Everhart, (R).

**Postmaster**—C. B. Linger, (D).

**Members of Council**—C. W. Davis, (R); Revie Slaubaugh, (R); H. Percy Whittaker, (R); L. F. Smith, (D); Rowland Whitehair, (R).

#### Thomas—Tucker County

Incorporated in 1892, and named for Colonel Thomas Davis, pioneer railroad and mine owner in that section of the state.

Population, 1,660; elevation, 2,986 feet; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in February; officials take office first Monday in March; next election, February 6, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$5,038.48. Active bank: Miner's and Merchant's Bank.

**Mayor**—G. E. Mosser, (R).  
**Clerk**—H. A. Pase, (D).  
**Chief of Police**—D. S. Hamrick, (D).  
**Fire Chief**—G. E. Mosser, (R).  
**City Attorney**—D. E. Cuppett, (R).  
**City Health Officer**—Dr. J. L. Miller.  
**Postmaster**—D. C. Stemple, (D).

**Members of Council**—J. W. Gross, (D); Tom Coleman, (D); Joe DePollo, (R); E. W. Breedlove, (D); S. DiBacco, (R).

### Thurmond—Fayette County

Incorporated in 1903, and named for Captain W. D. Thurmond, who owned the land upon which the town is located.

Population, 462; elevation, 1,070 feet; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$1,630.72.

**Mayor**—E. R. Daniels, (D).

**Recorder**—C. W. Wells, (D).

**Treasurer**—E. R. Daniels, (D).

**Postmaster**—Mrs. Bess M. Gwinn, (D).

**Members of Council**—Dr. G. W. Grafton, (R); Dr. P. G. Young, (D); G. D. Pepper, (D); H. B. Campbell, (D); D. G. Hatcher, (D).

### Triadelphia—Ohio County

Originally chartered in 1829. Name adopted from the Greek word meaning three brothers, and probably named for the three sons of Colonel Josias Thompson, who donated the land upon which the town was originally laid out.

Population, 302; elevation, 744 feet; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held annually on the first Thursday in January; officials take office third Thursday in January; next election, January 4, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$2,136.12.

**Mayor**—E. G. Wickham, (D).

**Recorder**—Walter Thomas, (D).

**Treasurer**—Robert Leybher, (R).

**Chief of Police**—Louis Logarminco, (R).

**Street Commissioner**—Fred Weiss, (R).

**Fire Chief**—Joe Wickham, (D).

**City Attorney**—Charles J. Smith, (R), Wheeling.

**City Health Officer**—Arley McCoy.

**Postmaster**—Mrs. Merle Rabb, (D).

**Members of Council**—Fred Weiss, (R); Robert Leybher, (R); Albert Rust, (R); Fred Wagner, (D).

### Tunnelton—Preston County

Incorporated in 1897. So named because of its location at the eastern end of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company's tunnel at that point, the longest on the entire system. Formerly known as Cassaday's Summit.

Population, 595; elevation, 1,829 feet; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$4,578.31.

**Mayor**—Robert V. Kenney, (D).

**Recorder**—E. C. Maier, (R).

**Treasurer**—C. S. Zinn, (R).

**Chief of Police**—Ed Courtney, (R).

**Fire Chief**—C. A. Shrout, (D).

**City Attorney**—F. Evan Parrack, (R), Kingwood.

**Postmaster**—Joe F. Graham, (D).

**Members of Council**—Claud Hart, (R); A. B. Reed, (R); W. F. McGee, (R); A. P. Wiles, (R).

### Union—Monroe County

County seat. Settled by James Alexander in 1774 and originally chartered in 1850. So named because of the fact that, "in frontier days, the site of the town was a rendezvous for troops during the Indian wars."

Population, 331; elevation, 2,100 feet; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$5,251.99. Active bank: Bank of Monroe.

**Mayor**—J. H. Poole, (D).

**Recorder**—R. M. Humphreys, (R).

**Treasurer**—H. S. Ellison, (D).

**Chief of Police**—Chas. Boyd, (D).

**Fire Chief**—J. M. Johnston, (D).

**Postmaster**—H. S. Ellison, (D).

**Members of Council**—O. A. Brown, (R); B. B. Caldwell, (D); C. G. Tomlinson, (D); I. P. McCormick, (R); H. L. Pritt, (D).

### \*Vienna—Wood County

(P. O. Branch of Parkersburg)

Originally laid out in 1794 by Dr. Joseph Spencer, but not incorporated

\*Incorporated 1935. No official population figures available.

until 1935. Named for Vienna, Fairfax County, Virginia.

Elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941.

**Mayor**—Charles R. Blair, (R).  
**Recorder-Treasurer**—Lawrence G. Stanley, (R).  
**Chief of Police**—Gerald Sinett, (R).  
**Street Commissioner**—T. S. Dawson, (D).  
**Fire Chief**—Gerald Sinett, (R).  
**City Attorney**—Donald F. Black, (R).  
**City Engineer**—Parker E. Peters, (D).  
**Water Works Operator**—O. H. Justus, (R).  
**City Health Officer**—Dr. Orva Conley.  
**Members of Council**—Adam Costin, (D); Carl T. Schoonover, (D); Wm. J. Evans, (D); S. Dennis Deem, (R).  
**Firemen's Civil Service Commission**—J. D. Hobbiltzell, Jr.; H. E. Whaley, John W. Peppers, Jr.

### War—McDowell County

Incorporated in 1920. Name derived from War Creek, which runs through the town, and which was so named by the Indians about 1788 because of an Indian battle which occurred near the source of the creek. Formerly known as Miner's City.

Population, 1,392; elevation, 1,341 feet; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$5,895.72. Active bank: Bank of War.

**Mayor**—Dr. C. S. Brown, (D).  
**Recorder**—H. S. Bailey, (D).  
**Treasurer**—Hubert Bellomy, (D).  
**Chief of Police**—Henry Gross, (D).  
**Street Commissioner**—Al Bandy, (D).  
**Fire Chief**—Bill Wade, (D).  
**Postmaster**—W. Henry Johnson, (D).  
**Members of Council**—F. A. Weaver, (D); Wm. Wade, (D); R. M. Perry, (D); E. C. Runyon, (D); Joe Zando, (R).

### Wardensville—Hardy County

Originally established in 1832, but not incorporated until 1879. Named for Jacob Warden, first merchant. Formerly known as Trout Run.

Population, 189; elections held annually, on the first Tuesday in June;

officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$1,934.47. Active bank: Capon Valley Bank.

**Mayor**—John D. Barney, (D).  
**Recorder-Treasurer**—Mrs. Ray Orndorff, (D).  
**Postmaster**—Mrs. Myrtle Orndorff, (D).  
**Members of Council**—C. J. See, (D); Lynn Orndorff, (D); Howard Thorp, (D); Joe Fridley, (D); Irin Dillinger, (D).

### Wayne—Wayne County

County seat. Originally founded in 1842 as Trout's Hill, honoring Abraham Trout, a first settler, owner of the land upon which the town was laid out. Incorporated as Wayne in 1882, and named in honor of General Anthony (Mad Anthony) Wayne, Revolutionary War hero.

Population, 675; elevation, 706 feet (at Court House); elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$4,974.13. Active bank: Wayne County Bank.

**Mayor**—S. E. Adkins, (D).  
**Recorder**—Berta Adkins, (D).  
**Chief of Police**—G. B. Smith, (D).  
**City Attorney**—M. J. Ferguson, (D).  
**Postmaster**—E. F. Walker, (D).  
**Members of Council**—Harvey Slaley, (D); Clifford Mills, (D); Wm. Canterbury, (D); Russell Pemberton, (R); Fred Justice, (R).

### Webster Springs—Webster County (Addison)

County seat. Name of town, Addison; name of post office, Webster Springs. Incorporated in 1892 as Addison and named for Addison McLaughlin, upon whose land the town was originally laid out. The post office name, Webster Springs, is a combination of the name of the county with the various sulphur springs found here. Formerly known as Fork Lick.

Population, 976; elevation, 1,508 feet (at Court House); elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts

for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$10,-207.84. Active bank: Webster Springs National.

Mayor—K. C. White, (D).

Recorder-Treasurer—R. L. Thompson, (Soc.).

Chief of Police—E. H. Hammon, (D).

Street Commissioner—J. E. Skidmore, (D).

Fire Chief—Lorraine Marsh, (R).

City Attorney—W. P. Wysong, (D).

Postmaster—C. B. McCray, (D).

Members of Council—O. J. Miller, (D);

C. C. Morrison, (D); S. Rubenstein,

(D); E. H. McCourt, (D); J. J.

Belasco, (D).

### \*Weirton Heights—Hancock County

(P. O. Weirton)

Incorporated in 1938; named for E. T. Weir, prominent steel manufacturer, of Weirton (unincorporated) and Pittsburgh.

Elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election June 4, 1940.

Mayor—James Stephenson, (R).

Recorder—Steve Hirkala, (D).

Treasurer—Theodor Pulver, (D).

Chief of Police—C. O. Ash, (D).

Street Commissioner—Francis Miller, (D).

City Attorney—Carl Frankovitch, (R), Weirton.

Members of Council—Harry Frey, (D);

H. A. Walker, (R); Theodor Pulver,

(D); H. S. Miller, (D); Douglas

Freshour, (R).

### Welch—McDowell County

County seat. Incorporated in 1894, and named for Isalah A. Welch, a captain in the Confederate Army. Location of the first memorial building in the United States erected to the memory of the veterans of the World War.

Class III city; population, 5,376; elevation, 1,303 feet (at First National Bank); paid fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 4, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$42,214.28.

\*Incorporated 1938. No official population figures available.

Hospitals: Grace, Stevens Clinic, and \*Welch Emergency. Library: Memorial Building Library, G. C. Sexton, Librarian. Active bank: McDowell County National Bank.

Mayor—J. W. Blakely, (R).

City Manager—W. M. Healey, (R).

Clerk—C. Frank Wright, (R).

Chief of Police—Harry C. Chaffins, (R).

Fire Chief—H. B. Hartinger, (R).

Police Judge—C. Frank Wright, (R).

City Attorney—Zeb. H. Herndon, (R).

City Engineer—L. A. Osborn, (R).

City Health Officer—Dr. W. C. Hall.

Postmaster—Ann Wetherby, (D).

Members of Council—Gail T. Carter,

(R); S. M. Burgess, (R); Albert

A. Barley, (R); George Suthers,

(R); John Gullett, (R).

Policemen's Civil Service Commission—

Sam Kilburn; Earl Eads; Rand

Tucker.

### Wellsburg—Brooke County

County seat. Originally chartered as Charlestown in 1791. Name changed to Wellsburg in 1816. Named for Alexander Wells, son-in-law of Charles Prather, builder of the first large flour warehouse in the east. Home of Patrick Gass, member of the Lewis and Clark expedition and author of its "Journal." Also the home of Dr. Joseph Doddridge, author of "Frontier Notes."

Class III city; population, 6,398; elevation, 660 feet (at railroad station); volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held annually on the second Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 11, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$29,491.84.

Active banks: Wellsburg Banking and Trust Company, Wellsburg National. Building and loan associations: Advance Building Association, Advance Federal Savings and Loan Association, Brooke County Building and Loan Association.

Mayor—Charles F. McGlumphy, (R).

Clerk—Robert Barnes, Jr., (R).

Treasurer—Walter H. Lewis, (R).

Chief of Police—Paul W. Arthurs, (R).

Street Commissioner—Samuel H. Rheuff, (R).

Fire Chief—Samuel Melvin, (R).

\*State hospital.

**City Attorney**—Edward M. George, (R).

**City Engineer**—Walter Dewey Hahn, (R).

**Postmaster**—Joseph V. Emig, (D).

**Members of Council**—Henry Donley, (D); Jules Regnier, (R); Charles Teeter, (R); Edw. M. Fenwick, (R); C. O. Booher, (R); Harvey Mewha, (R); Harry Fryer, (R); Robert N. Barnes, (R).

### West Milford—Harrison County

Originally chartered in 1818. So named on account of the location there at the time of a mill on the West Fork River, a short distance above a much-used ford.

Population, 349; elevation, 978 feet; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$542.97.

**Mayor**—D. E. Lynch, (D).

**Recorder**—V. A. Sinclair, (R).

**Treasurer**—V. L. Jones, (R).

**City Health Officer**—J. A. Dawson.

**Postmaster**—Nancy Sinclair, (R).

**Members of Council**—V. L. Jones, (R); W. S. Losh, (R); J. L. Crouser, (R); J. A. Dawson, (D); O. L. Burnside, (D).

### Weston—Lewis County

County seat. Originally established in 1818 as Preston. Name changed to Flesherville in 1819, and to Weston later in the same year. Origin of latter name unknown. County seat first established at Westfield (unincorporated), five miles north of Weston.

Class III city; population, 8,646; elevation, 1,008 feet (at B. & O. Bridge 24-A); part-paid and volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the third Tuesday in March; officials take office April first; next election, March 18, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$35,108.02.

Hospitals: Burton and Burton (Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Hospital), City, General Hospital of Weston, and \*Weston State Hospital (Insane), largest hand-cut stone building in the world. Library: Lewis County War

\*State hospital.

Memorial and Louis Bennett Public Library, Elizabeth Grant, Librarian. Active banks: The Citizens Bank, Weston National Bank. Building and loan association: Weston Home Building Association.

**Mayor**—John B. Perkey, (D).

**Clerk**—Emma V. Crayton, (R).

**Treasurer**—Charles L. Stalnaker, (D).

**Chief of Police**—Cecil R. Simons, (R).  
**Street Commissioner**—Elmer D. Straw, (D).

**Fire Chief**—Grey Marsh, (D).

**City Attorney**—Kingsley R. Smith, (R).

**City Engineer**—M. L. B. Linger, (D).

**City Health Officer**—Cecil R. Simons.

**Postmaster**—Lee Switzer, (D).

**Members of Council**—Presley M. Sherrard, (D); Harley D. Speirs, (R); G. Clyde Boram, (R); J. Carl Hinzman, (D).

**Firemen's Civil Service Commission**—J. W. Marteney; J. R. Ramsey, J. A. Henderson.

**Policemen's Civil Service Commission**—J. W. Marteney; A. L. Vassar; James T. Cox.

### Westover—Monongalia County

(P. O. Morgantown)

Incorporated in 1911. So named because of the location of the town west of Morgantown, across the Monongahela River.

Population, 1,633; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941.

**Mayor**—R. E. Arnett, (R).

**Recorder-Treasurer**—H. R. Petty, (R).

**Chief of Police**—Hugh Newbrough, (R).

**Fire Chief**—L. N. Miller, (D).

**City Engineer**—A. L. Headley, (R).

**Members of Council**—E. D. Gall, (R); J. E. Martin, (R); Edward C. Bowlby, (Ind.); Harry C. Conway, (D); E. A. Livesay, (D).

### West Union—Doddridge County

County seat. Incorporated in 1881. Name suggested by Nathan Davis, who owned the land upon which the town is now located. The town was estab-

lished just across Middle Island Creek from Lewisport, which had some half dozen residences at the time an effort was being made to change the name of that settlement to Union; hence the name, "West Union."

Population, 984; elevation, 835 feet; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$10,411.40. Hospital: White Clinic. Active banks: First National, West Union Bank.

Mayor—John H. Langfitt, (D).

Recorder—W. G. Summers, (R).

Treasurer—Mrs. L. Idel Kehoe, (R).

Chief of Police—S. B. Stutler, (R).

Fire Chief—Charles Powell, (R).

Postmaster—Oma Corder, (D).

Members of Council—Cecil E. Tennent, (D); D. A. Shinn, (R); R. C. Gray, (R); Earl G. Gain, (R); J. P. Summers, (R).

### Wheeling—Ohio County

County seat. Originally established as Zanesburg in 1793, and name changed to Wheeling in 1795. Name derived from the Indian word "Weeling," meaning "the place of a head." Located on site of important frontier military post established in 1774, later called "Fort Henry." Here was fought in September, 1782, the last battle of the American Revolution. Location of Linsly Military Institute, Linsly Institute of Technology, and Mount de Chantal Academy. Radio broadcasting station WWVA located here.

Class I city; population, 61,659; elevation, 678 feet (at north front of city building); paid fire department, motorized; elections held quadriennially on the fourth Thursday in May; officials take office July first; next election, May 27, 1943; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$514,871.88.

Hospitals: Ohio Valley General, Wheeling Hospital, and Ohio County Tuberculosis Sanitarium. Library: Ohio County Public Library, Eleanor Hamilton, Librarian. Active banks: Center Wheeling Savings Bank, Wheeling Dollar Savings and Trust Company, Fulton Bank and Trust Com-

pany, Half Dollar Trust and Savings Bank, Bank of Warwood, National Bank of West Virginia, National Exchange Bank, Security Trust Company, Southside Bank and Trust Company, First National Bank and Trust Company of Elm Grove. Building and loan associations: Peoples Federal Savings and Loan Association, United Building and Loan Association, Union Federal Savings and Loan Association.

Mayor—John J. Mathison, (D).

City Manager—Walter C. Smith, (D).

City Auditor—N. H. von Berg, (R).

Clerk—Howard C. Lane, (R).

Treasurer—Samuel M. Freese, (D).

Chief of Police—Alonzo P. Hixenbaugh, (R).

Superintendent of Streets—A. H. Hendrickson, (R).

Fire Chief—Edward T. Rose, (R).

Police Judge—Chas. H. Bonnesen, (R).

Licensing Officer—W. C. Gartner, (R).

City Attorney—Chas. P. Mead, (R).

Building Inspector—Chas. Coates, (R).

City Engineer—Jay E. Henry, (R).

Plumbing Inspector—Louis Neuhardt, (D).

City Health Officer—Harry A. Smith.

Postmaster—William L. Brice, (D).

Members of Council—Carl G. Bachmann, (R); C. H. Brues, (R); Paul J. Duffy, (R); J. J. Gilligan, (R); R. B. Goodwin, (D); Donald Habig, (R); Carl W. Neumann, (R); Robt. C. Shockley, (R); John J. Mathison, (D).

Civil Service Commission—W. B. Tucker; Charles J. Schuck; Harry T. Clouse; William Armbrust; Dr. Frank N. Carroll.

### White Sulphur Springs— Greenbrier County

Incorporated in 1909. Named by the earliest settlers for the sulphur springs of clear transparency found on the grounds of the Greenbrier Hotel, world famous resort. Formerly known as Dry Creek.

Population, 1,484; elevation, 1,923 feet; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election June 3,

1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$20,942.26.

Library: Greenbrier Public Library, Mrs. Tessie Arbogast, Librarian. Active bank: Bank of White Sulphur Springs.

**Mayor**—William Perry, (R).

**Recorder-Treasurer**—B. F. Dixon, (R).

**Chief of Police-Street Commissioner**—E. C. Duncan, (R).

**Fire Chief**—C. E. Mandeville, (R).

**City Attorney**—S. E. Haynes, (R).

**Postmaster**—S. J. Richter, (D).

**Members of Council**—W. B. Hines, (R); C. A. Shanklin, (D); A. M. Hippert, (R); A. P. Perry, (R); C. A. Gum, (D).

#### \*Whitesville—Boone County

Incorporated in 1935 and named for B. W. White, prominent early settler in that territory. Formerly known as Jarrold's Valley and Prichard City.

Elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$3,237.76.

**Mayor**—Clarence Martin, (D).

**Recorder-Treasurer**—H. F. Morgan, (D).

**Chief of Police**—C. E. Wilson, (R).

**Fire Chief**—J. Brooks Bell, (R).

**Postmaster**—G. Dillon, (D).

**Members of Council**—Edward Shibley, (R); Dr. W. R. Calfee, (R); Guy W. McNeeley, (D); Dr. H. D. Chambers, (D); Van Thompson, (D).

#### Williamson—Mingo County

County seat. Incorporated in 1905, and named for the founder, Wallace J. Williamson, who at one time owned most of the land upon which the city is now located. Radio broadcasting station WBTH located here.

Class III city; population, 9,410; elevation, 660 feet (at Court House); part-paid and volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held triennially on the second Tuesday in June, officials take office July first; next elec-

\*Incorporated 1935. No official population figures available.

tion June 11, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$46,859.01.

Hospitals: Williamson Memorial, The Mercy Hospital. Library: Williamson Public, Sara Rowland Scott, Librarian. Active banks: First National Bank of Williamson, National Bank of Commerce.

**Mayor**—J. Matt Smith, (D).

**Clerk-Treasurer**—B. C. Roach, (D).

**Chief of Police**—H. H. Davis, (D).

**Street Commissioner**—Henry Smith, (D).

**Fire Chief**—Wilton Fields, (D).

**City Attorney**—Harry W. Hill, (D).

**City Engineer**—F. M. Offutt, (D).

**Postmaster**—Joe P. Hatfield, (D).

**Members of Council**—Basil H. Keese, (D); J. L. Rutherford, (D); Andrew Herald, (D); A. L. Hill, (D).

**Police-men's Civil Service Commission**—Wade H. Bronson; J. Robt. Carr; Louie Shore.

#### Williamstown—Wood County

Originally chartered in 1822, and named for Isaac Williams, its founder.

Population, 1,657; elevation, 610 feet; volunteer fire department, motorized; elections held biennially on the Tuesday after the first Monday in January; officials take office second Monday after election; next election, January 2, 1940; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$4,902.01. Active bank: Farmer's and Mechanic's National Bank.

**Mayor**—R. C. Fenton, Jr., (R).

**Clerk**—O. E. Gray, (D).

**Treasurer**—I. U. McClure, (R).

**Chief of Police**—Harold Dawkins, (D).

**Fire Chief**—Harold Dawkins, (D).

**Postmaster**—J. L. Henderson, (D).

**Members of Council**—J. E. Page, (R); D. L. Bradford, (R); I. U. McClure, (R); R. B. Ingham, (R).

#### Winfield—Putnam County

County seat. Laid out in 1848, but not incorporated until 1889. Named in honor of General Winfield Scott, of Mexican War fame.

Population, 294; elevation, 570 feet (app.); volunteer fire department;

elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$2,605.48.

**Mayor**—C. E. Copen, (R).

**Recorder**—J. K. Arnett, (R).

**Treasurer**—A. G. Young, (D).

**Postmaster**—Herbert A. Frazier, (D).

**Members of Council**—J. W. Anderson, (R); Paul Shaffer, (R); Dr. H. S. Barr, (R); Andrew Legg, (R); W. W. Wick, (R).

#### **Womelsdorff—Randolph County**

(See Coalton)

#### **Worthington—Marion County**

Incorporated in 1893 and named for

Colonel George Worthington, early settler.

Population, 405; elevation, 896 feet; volunteer fire department; elections held biennially on the first Tuesday in June; officials take office July first; next election, June 3, 1941; postal receipts for the year ended June 30, 1939, \$1,498.22.

**Mayor**—L. B. Satterfield, (D).

**Recorder-Treasurer**—H. Roscoe Sturm, (D).

**Chief of Police**—H. C. Fluharty, (D).

**Fire Chief**—J. W. Brooks, (R).

**Postmaster**—H. C. Fortney, (D).

**Members of Council**—Thomas Tulin, (D); J. M. Barr, (D); R. D. Thompson, (R); Samuel Sloan, (D); C. E. Mason, (R).

## TABULATED LIST OF CITY OFFICIALS

City	County	Mayor	Clerk or Recorder
Addison (See Webster Springs)			
Albright.....	Preston.....	W. S. Parks, (R).....	Clyde Foley, (R)
Alderson.....	Monroe and Greenbrier.....	H. W. Karnes, (D).....	H. R. McVey, (D)
Ansted.....	Fayette.....	Blundon G. Ferguson, (D).....	H. H. Wills, (D)
Athens.....	Mercer.....	John M. Bailey, (R).....	A. A. Hartman, (D)
Auburn.....	Ritchie.....	R. D. Nestor, (R).....	Glade Spurgeon, (R)
Barboursville.....	Cabell.....	R. W. Nelson, (R).....	G. E. Welch, (R)
Bath (See Berkeley Springs)			
Bayard.....	Grant.....	E. F. Nino, (R).....	H. R. Fulk, (D)
Beckley.....	Raleigh.....	A. K. Minter, (D).....	Marie Martin Ames, (D)
Belington.....	Barbour.....	Guy H. Michael, (R).....	B. F. Moore, (R)
Benwood.....	Marshall.....	Raphael P. Deegan, (D).....	Martin P. Conner, (D)
Berkeley Springs (Bath).....	Morgan.....	Henry N. Gorrell, (R).....	E. Smith Rockwell, (R)
Bethany.....	Brooke.....	W. J. Sumpstine, (D).....	Alice Wells, (R)
Beverly.....	Randolph.....	Donald Keot Crawford, (D).....	David Wamsley, (D)
Blacksville.....	Monongahela.....	A. B. Collins, (D).....	W. B. Haight, (R)
Bluefield.....	Mercer.....	W. C. Snyder, (R).....	Ralph E. Shupe, (R)
Bolivar.....	Jefferson.....	R. C. Fields, (R).....	R. N. Snyder, (D)
Bramwell.....	Mercer.....	R. L. Parsons, (D).....	Lina Griffith, (D)
Brandonville.....	Preston.....	James Galloway, (R).....	Glenn Nieman, (R)
Bridgeport.....	Harrison.....	Joe A. Deegan, (D).....	P. N. Sheets, (R)
Bruceston Mills.....	Preston.....	W. J. Bowermaster, (R).....	Myron Spielman, (R)
Buckhannon.....	Upshur.....	Henry R. Gay, (R).....	Ramus Holtz, (R)
Buffalo.....	Putnam.....	H. B. Hill, (R).....	Sam E. Raynce, (R)
Burnsville.....	Braxton.....	C. E. Whytzell, (D).....	O. K. McNemar, (D)
Cairo.....	Ritchie.....	Dr. Roydice Staats, (R).....	Dennis Farley, (D)
Camden-on-Gauley.....	Webster.....	Okey E. McCourt, (D).....	O. S. Law, (D)
Cameron.....	Marshall.....	A. N. Cook, (R).....	E. W. Nowell, (R)
Capon Bridge.....	Hampshire.....	H. E. Hiett, (D).....	B. W. Coe, (D)
Cass.....	Pocahontas.....	L. B. Jones, (D).....	E. R. Loudermilk, (D)
Cedar Grove.....	Kanawha.....	J. L. Ester, (D).....	R. W. Bayes, (D)
Ceredo.....	Wayne.....	Glen F. Mott, (R).....	G. B. deVries, (R)
Charleston.....	Kanawha.....	D. Boone Dawson, (R).....	H. C. Walker, (R)
Charles Town.....	Jefferson.....	F. R. Cockrill, (D).....	H. J. Cain, (D)
Chester.....	Hancock.....	John S. Duffy, (R).....	James L. Paisley, (R)
Clark.....	McDowell.....	A. Catzen, (R).....	Louis Schwartz, (R)
Clarksburg.....	Harrison.....	Late B. Davison, (R).....	Lloyd D. Griffin, (R)
Clay.....	Clay.....	Waldo Morris, (D).....	R. L. Sizemore, (D)
Clendenin.....	Kanawha.....	J. M. Maddox, (R).....	C. C. Dalton, (D)
Coalton.....	Randolph.....	P. L. Altieri, (D).....	H. G. Porter, (D)
(Womelsdorff)			
Cowen.....	Webster.....	Wayne Hoover, (D).....	C. E. Case, (R)
Danville.....	Boone.....	C. R. Mitchell, (R).....	J. Rex Price, (R)
Davis.....	Tucker.....	C. W. Race, (R).....	H. F. Campbell, (D)
Dunbar.....	Kanawha.....	D. L. Salisbury, (R).....	C. F. Stewart, (R)
Durbin.....	Pocahontas.....	C. Forrest, Hull, (D).....	J. Hall Wilson, (D)
East Bank.....	Kanawha.....	L. S. Davidson, (D).....	C. F. McConibay, (D)
East Rainelle.....	Greenbrier.....	C. E. Vance, (R).....	Ray Neal, (R)
Elizabeth.....	Wirt.....	W. T. Foltz, (R).....	Walter Hoffman, (D)
Elk Garden.....	Mineral.....	J. W. Willis, Jr., (D).....	W. H. Arnold, (R)
Elkins.....	Randolph.....	L. C. Irons, (D).....	John W. Graham, (D)
Ellenboro.....	Ritchie.....	C. B. Lambert, (D).....	B. Perry Drey, (D)
Fairmont.....	Marion.....	Fred T. Wilson, (R).....	Marchie M. Nutter, (R)
Fairview.....	Marion.....	H. W. Drago, (R).....	P. L. O'Dell, (D)
Falling Springs.....	Greenbrier.....	W. L. Clingman, (D).....	R. R. Boyce, (D)

## TABULATED LISTS OF CITY OFFICIALS—(Continued)

City	County	Mayor	Clerk or Recorder
Farmington	Marion	J. C. Cottril, (D)	I. L. Fletcher, (D)
Fayetteville	Fayette	T. A. Myles, (D)	Ben D. Keller
Flatwoods	Braxton	W. B. Golden, (D)	L. G. McQuain, (R)
Flemington	Taylor	A. N. Stewart, (R)	Stanley Fleming, (R)
Follansbee	Brooke	Thomas H. Rogers, (D)	Delmar Jenkins, (R)
Fort Gay	Wayne	R. F. Frasher, (D)	L. L. Lycan, (R)
Franklin	Pendleton	Z. B. Moyers, (D)	T. E. Wimer, (R)
Friendly	Tyler	J. G. Flesher, (R)	Wm. H. Livingston, (R)
Gassaway	Braxton	J. A. Bridge, (D)	Lloyd M. Bartlett, (D)
Gilbert	Mingo	W. I. Hatfield, (R)	A. L. Cline, (D)
Glasgow	Kanawha	C. D. Bannister, (D)	Charles W. Gardner, (D)
Glen Dale	Marshall	Roy Warrick, (R)	E. L. Earle, (D)
Glenville	Gilmer	Ray Thompson, (D)	Cosa L. Johnson, (D)
Grafton	Taylor	P. F. Gillispie, (R)	J. B. Bradford, (D)
Grantsville	Calhoun	Ivan Umstead, (D)	Lynn Stump, (D)
Hambleton	Tucker	J. D. Collett, (D)	Marie Hahn, (D)
Hamlin	Lincoln	W. E. Madden, (R)	M. N. Johnson, (R)
Harman	Randolph	E. R. Teter, (R)	Riley Cooper, (R)
Harper's Ferry	Jefferson	Lewis D. Nichols, (D)	Robert F. Trail, (D)
Harrisville	Ritchie	J. W. DeBrulor, (R)	E. M. Pierpoint, (R)
Hartford	Mason	Norman O. Wein, (D)	E. A. Stollatis, (R)
Hedgesville	Berkeley	J. M. Vermilyea, (D)	A. C. Nadenbousch, (D)
Henderson	Mason	R. C. Darst, (D)	Mervin Chapman, (D)
Hendricks	Tucker	J. H. Ambrose, (R)	A. S. Lindsey, (R)
Hillsboro	Pocahontas	R. W. Rogers, (D)	D. S. Ruckman, (D)
Hinton	Summers	J. G. Fredeking, (D)	Mona G. Cumby, (R)
Holidays Cove	Hancock and Brooke	J. Ross Hindman, (D)	Bernice C. Truabel, (R)
Hundred	Hundred	D. A. Null, (D)	C. L. Chapman, (D)
Huntington	Cabell and Wayne	George R. Seamonds, (D)	M. D. Lewis, (D)
Hurricane	Putnam	J. E. Billups, (D)	R. F. Forth, (R)
Huttonsville	Randolph	J. H. Adams, (R)	T. F. Adams, (R)
Iseger	McDowell	John W. Brown, (R)	D. C. Bradberry, (D)
Jane Lew	Lewis	Wirt Swisher, (R)	Maude Beezley, (R)
Junior	Barbour	Ray Ware, (R)	A. J. Arbogast, (R)
Kenova	Wayne	Hurl Mullens, (D)	C. G. Fry, (D)
Kermit	Mingo	E. P. Stepp, (D)	R. A. Rouse, (D)
Keyser	Mineral	John C. Freeland, (R)	A. A. Jordan, (D)
Keystone	McDowell	J. J. Stuart, (R)	W. M. Pennington, (D)
Kimball	McDowell	George J. Turner, (D)	J. Max Dawson, (R)
Kingwood	Preston	F. Evan Parrack, (R)	R. G. Miller, (R)
Layopolis (See Sand Fork)			
Leon	Mason	L. T. Cossin, (R)	Howard Sebults, (R)
Lester	Raleigh	Edward Bridi, (D)	Linnie L. White, (R)
Lewisburg	Greenbrier	W. W. Foster, (D)	H. B. Landera, (D)
Littleton	Wetzel	Robert M. Ott, (R)	George O. Smith, (D)
Logan	Logan	W. B. Johnson, (D)	Mrs. Tilda Ellis, (D)
Lumberport	Harrison	A. S. Powers, (R)	F. B. Harrison, (R)
Mabscott	Raleigh	Robert L. Davis, (R)	A. Ray Fink, (D)
Madison	Boone	A. V. Cottrill, (R)	A. C. Griffith, (R)
Man	Logan	John Combs, (D)	Dewey Ellis, (D)
Mannington	Marion	B. F. Huey, (R)	R. Emmett Mochler, (Ind.)
Marlinton	Pocahontas	G. Steele Callison, (D)	J. W. Hill, (D)
Marmet	Kanawha	Benjamin F. Morris, (D)	E. O. Canterbury, (D)
Martinsburg	Berkeley	C. H. Dailey, (R)	Samuel M. Langford, (R)
Mason	Mason	H. Cotton Turner, (R)	A. C. Schwarz, (D)
Masontown	Preston	L. E. Albright, (R)	C. W. Radabaugh, (R)

## TABULATED LISTS OF CITY OFFICIALS—(Continued)

City	County	Mayor	Clerk or Recorder
Matewan.....	Mingo.....	Dan Chambers, (D).....	N. L. Chancey, (R)
Matoaka.....	Mercer.....	J. Lee Bailey, (D).....	R. S. Orton, (D)
Meadow Bridge.....	Fayette.....	W. A. Harrab, (R).....	J. A. Farrer, (R)
Middlebourne.....	Tyler.....	Harvey Haught, (D).....	Arthur Craven, (R)
Mill Creek.....	Randolph.....	O. B. Yokum, (D).....	Frances K. Urdike, (R)
Milton.....	Cabell.....	Albert R. Field, (R).....	Caldwell Dudley, (R)
Monongah.....	Marion.....	Charles E. Lieving, (R).....	Charles E. Hewitt, (D)
Montgomery.....	Fayette and Kanawha.....	Arnold M. Vickers, (D).....	A. K. Bailey, (R)
Montruse.....	Randolph.....	T. C. Wilmoth, (D).....	I. D. Baker, (R)
Moorefield.....	Hardy.....	C. R. Powers, (D).....	H. J. Dodd, (D)
Morgantown.....	Monongalia.....	Marvin R. Kiser, (R).....	Russell K. Bolton, (D)
Moundsville.....	Marshall.....	W. W. Wilson, (D).....	O. S. Chambers, (R)
Mount Hope.....	Fayette.....	P. H. Garrett, (R).....	W. H. Boone, (R)
Mullens.....	Wyoming.....	R. L. Early, (R).....	T. J. McNutt, (D)
McMechen.....	Marshall.....	Everett E. Goodwin, (R).....	Edwin L. Shriver, (D)
Newburg.....	Preston.....	Edward J. Horchler, (D).....	T. L. Pendergast, (D)
Now Cumberland.....	Hancock.....	J. W. Chambers, (R).....	Howard Stillwell, (R)
New Haven.....	Mason.....	Harry L. Dyer, (D).....	Herman O. Layne, (D)
New Martinsville.....	Wetzel.....	Robt. L. Bruce, (R).....	Henry E. Chapman, (D)
Nitro.....	Kanawha and Putnam.....	C. F. Schowen, (D).....	T. A. Lewis, (R)
Northfork.....	McDowell.....	Sam Rosen, (D).....	D. B. Hambrick, (D)
Nutter Fort.....	Harrison.....	James A. Small, (D).....	H. Richard Hinkle, (R)
Oak Hill.....	Fayette.....	C. R. Hill, (R).....	E. N. Goode, (D)
Oakvale.....	Mercer.....	C. E. Biggs, (D).....	T. H. Barton, (R)
Paden City.....	Tyler and Wetzel.....	Paul S. Cunningham, (D).....	J. F. Buck, (R)
Parkersburg.....	Wood.....	J. S. Dunn, (R).....	Myrtle L. Hoffman, (R)
Parsons.....	Tucker.....	James Parsons, (D).....	Winfred H. Murphy, (D)
Paw Paw.....	Morgan.....	B. J. Light, (R).....	S. B. Lyons, Jr., (D)
Pax.....	Fayette.....	D. R. Vass, (D).....	J. V. Shorter, (D)
Pennsboro.....	Ritchie.....	Ben Wilson, (R).....	James Hickman, Jr., (D)
Petersburg.....	Grant.....	M. F. Gray, (R).....	A. L. Brill, (R)
Peterstown.....	Monroe.....	J. H. Hansbarger, (D).....	E. E. Ballard, (R)
Philippi.....	Barbour.....	Sherman Lindsey, (R).....	William Lambert, (D)
Piedmont.....	Mineral.....	Donald M. Mellor, (D).....	Chas. T. Neff, Sr., (D)
Pine Grove.....	Wetzel.....	Joseph Master, (D).....	Paaky Watson, (R)
Pineville.....	Wyoming.....	Otis L. Allen, (R).....	R. L. Cook, (D)
Point Pleasant.....	Mason.....	B. W. Krodol, (R).....	R. B. Rothgeb, (R)
Pratt.....	Kanawha.....	Edward L. Nugent, (D).....	Anna Schultz, (D)
Princeton.....	Mercer.....	H. J. Thompson, (R).....	J. L. Dangerfield, (R)
Pullman.....	Ritchie.....	George W. Emrick, (D).....	G. D. Amos, (D)
Rainelle.....	Greenbrier.....	Thomas W. Haught, (R).....	M. C. Whittleck, (R)
Ranson.....	Jefferson.....	William J. Roberts, (D).....	Fred E. Bailey, (D)
Ravenswood.....	Jackson.....	R. E. Kitchie, (R).....	L. R. Tucker, (R)
Reedsville.....	Preston.....	James D. Huber, (R).....	Carney Zinn, (R)
Reedy.....	Roano.....	G. F. Rogers, (D).....	J. R. Conn, (R)
Rhodell.....	Raleigh.....	G. W. Thomas, (D).....	Loyd Meador, (D)
Richwood.....	Nicholas.....	E. C. Bennett, (R).....	H. L. Bartley, (D)
Ridgeley.....	Mineral.....	Paul K. Morgan, (R).....	W. Merle Cornelius, (D)
Ripley.....	Jackson.....	Dr. C. Royal Kessel, (R).....	Perry Emmet O'Brien, (D)
Riverside.....	Monongalia.....	B. B. Coda, (D).....	Thornton W. Clark, (D)
Rivesville.....	Marion.....	J. S. Freeman, (R).....	Paul Michael, (R)
Romney.....	Hampshire.....	Blair M. Haines, (D).....	L. G. Dinkie, (D)
Ronceverte.....	Greenbrier.....	D. H. Kauffelt, (R).....	E. C. Baker, (R)
Rowlesburg.....	Preston.....	Harry Brooke, (R).....	C. C. Pollock, (R)
Sabraton.....	Monongalia.....	D. M. Thomas, (R).....	Cora Williams, (R)
St. Albans.....	Kanawha.....	G. H. Ellis, (D).....	O. N. Slater, (D)
St. Marys.....	Pleasants.....	C. E. Zipf, (D).....	P. O. White, (R)

## TABULATED LISTS OF CITY OFFICIALS—(Continued)

City	County	Mayor	Clerk or Recorder
Salem.....	Harrison.....	O. Guy Layman, (R).....	Mrs. Connie Dye, (R)
Sand Fork.....	Gilmer.....	Glenn H. Springston, (D).....	Carlton Spicer, (D)
(Layopolis)			
Shepherdstown.....	Jefferson.....	J. L. Waldeck, (R).....	A. S. Lucas, (D)
Shinnston.....	Harrison.....	Warren S. Hursey, (D).....	Carl O. Barker, (D)
Sistersville.....	Tyler.....	W. L. Sutton, (R).....	D. D. Buck, (R)
Smithers.....	Fayette.....	E. R. Dotson, (D).....	L. M. Shawver, (R)
Smithfield.....	Wetzel.....	C. H. Cosart, (D).....	G. O. Toothman, (D)
Sophia.....	Raleigh.....	Criss Ruble, (D).....	James B. Deck, (D)
South Charleston.....	Kanawha.....	L. H. Oakes, (D).....	J. W. Londeree, (D)
Spencer.....	Roane.....	D. N. Shrimplin, (D).....	R. H. Morford, (D)
Star City.....	Monongalia.....	Paul S. Pickard, (D).....	Emory Rowe, (D)
Summersville.....	Nicholas.....	Dr. Eugene S. Brown, (D).....	A. E. Dorsey, (D)
Suncrest.....	Monongalia.....	C. R. Wilson, (R).....	Fred C. Lach, (R)
Sutton.....	Braxton.....	E. O. Berry, (D).....	Johnson Hyer, (D)
Terra Alta.....	Preston.....	F. L. Lakin, (R).....	L. B. Ott, (R)
Thomas.....	Tucker.....	G. E. Mosser, (R).....	H. A. Pase, (D)
Thurmond.....	Fayette.....	E. R. Daniels, (D).....	C. W. Wells, (D)
Triadelphia.....	Ohio.....	E. G. Wickham, (D).....	Walter Thomas, (D)
Tunnelton.....	Preston.....	Robert V. Kenney, (D).....	E. C. Maier, (R)
Union.....	Monroe.....	J. H. Poole, (D).....	R. M. Humphreys, (R)
Vienna.....	Wood.....	Charles R. Blair, (R).....	Lawrence A. Stanley, (R)
War.....	McDowell.....	Dr. C. S. Brown, (D).....	E. S. Bailey, (D)
Wardensville.....	Hardy.....	John D. Barney, (D).....	Mrs. Ray Orndorff, (D)
Wayne.....	Wayne.....	S. E. Adkins, (D).....	Berta Adkins, (D)
Webster Springs.....	Webster.....	K. C. White, (D).....	R. L. Thompson, (Soe.)
(Addison)			
Weirton Heights.....	Hancock.....	James Stephenson, (R).....	Steve Hirkala, (D)
Welch.....	McDowell.....	J. W. Blakely, (R).....	C. Frank Wright, (R)
Wellsburg.....	Brooke.....	Charles F. McGlumphy, (R).....	Robert Barnes, Jr., (R)
West Milford.....	Harrison.....	D. E. Lynch, (D).....	V. A. Sinclair, (R)
Weston.....	Lewis.....	John B. Ferker, (D).....	Emma V. Crayton, (R)
Westover.....	Monongalia.....	R. E. Arnett, (R).....	H. R. Fetty, (R)
West Union.....	Doddridge.....	John H. Langfitt, (D).....	W. G. Summers, (R)
Wheeling.....	Ohio.....	John J. Mathison, (D).....	Howard C. Lane, (R)
White Sulphur Springs.....	Greenbrier.....	William Perry, (R).....	B. F. Dixon, (R)
Whitesville.....	Boone.....	Clarence Martin, (D).....	H. P. Morgan, (D)
Williamson.....	Mingo.....	J. Matt Smith, (D).....	B. C. Roach, (D)
Williamstown.....	Wood.....	R. C. Fenton, Jr., (R).....	O. E. Gray, (D)
Winfield.....	Putnam.....	C. E. Copen, (R).....	J. K. Arnett, (R)
Womelsdorff (See Coalton)			
Worthington.....	Marion.....	L. B. Satterfield, (D).....	H. Rose Sturm, (D)

## FIRE CHIEFS IN WEST VIRGINIA

## Paid Departments

City	Fire Chief	City	Fire Chief
Bluefield.....	E. L. McClure	Huntington.....	Brooks McClure
Charleston.....	J. L. McLane	Morgantown.....	John R. Hare
Clarksburg.....	J. J. Martin	Parkersburg.....	Lloyd Layman
Fairmont.....	Ralph F. Doolittle	Wheeling.....	Edward T. Rose

## Part Paid and Volunteer Departments

Alderson.....	W. Richard Ford	Lumberport.....	Forest McIntyre
Ansted.....	Joseph P. Cashion	Madison.....	R. C. Atkins
Athens.....	E. H. Jennings	Man.....	Lugene White
Bayard.....	H. R. Fulk	Mannington.....	H. C. Anderson
*Beckley.....	W. H. Weidcasall	Marlinton.....	Paul R. Overholt
Beilington.....	J. H. L. Gainer	*Martinsburg.....	R. S. Snyder
*Benwood.....	Francis Shimek	Mason.....	Curtis McDaniel
Berkeley Springs.....	H. D. Beeler	Masontown.....	L. G. Street
Bothany.....	Glenn Martin	Matonka.....	C. W. Murphy
Blacksville.....	Thomas W. Hines	Middlebourne.....	T. J. Sellers
Bolivar.....	J. W. Ramsdell	Milton.....	J. P. Burnside
*Bramwell.....	Elmer H. Rice	Monongah.....	H. M. Meredith
*Buckhannon.....	Robert F. Cockerill	*Montgomery.....	Oscar Vickers
Buffalo.....	Sam R. Bosworth	Moorefield.....	Foster Arnold
Cairo.....	R. C. West	*Moundsville.....	Charles Cunningham
Cameron.....	Geo. A. Phillips	*Mount Hope.....	O. W. Martin
Cass.....	S. E. Keyser	Mullens.....	R. L. Early
Ceredo.....	John Cole	McMechen.....	Russell Gallagher
Charles Town.....	C. F. Reininger	New Cumberland.....	E. L. Hood
Chester.....	John H. Hobbs	New Haven.....	Layton Sayre
Clark.....	Clyde Martin	*New Martinsville.....	Mont E. Potts
Clendenin.....	Hobson Dodson	*Nitro.....	J. E. Ellis
Davis.....	Belmont Cleaver	*Northfork.....	W. D. Miller
*Dunbar.....	Wilbur Lookado	Nutter Fort.....	Shurm Kesner
Durbin.....	Max Poscover	Oak Hill.....	T. B. Martin
Elizabeth.....	Floyd Lowe	Paden City.....	Harold Jewell
Elkins.....	Hiram Pittman	Parsons.....	M. M. Swearingen
Fairview.....	Wesley Wyre	Paw Paw.....	J. D. Kifer
Farmington.....	H. E. Villers	Pennsboro.....	J. W. Law
Fayetteville.....	F. J. Morris	Petersburg.....	Dr. Hugh Allen
Follansbee.....	Rees Rees	Peterstown.....	H. O. Cunningham
Franklin.....	Forrest Alkire	Philippi.....	Roy J. Moore
Gassaway.....	E. C. Williams	Piedmont.....	Ernest Umstot
Glen Dale.....	Charles McCabe	Pine Grove.....	Carl F. Montgomery
*Grafton.....	L. H. Greenwald	Point Pleasant.....	William Darst
Grantsville.....	Dudley Lutz	*Princeton.....	W. K. Umbarger
Harper's Ferry.....	Chas. E. Marlatt	Ravenswood.....	Paul B. Harris
*Hinton.....	S. H. Boland	Reedsville.....	C. L. Brown
Holidays Cove.....	John A. Ferguson	Ridgeley.....	James W. Ridegely
Hundred.....	L. R. Billingslea	Rivesville.....	Lyman Keefover
Hurricane.....	J. W. Chapman	Romney.....	A. G. Loy
*Iaeger.....	Joe B. Crosier	Ronceverte.....	C. W. Graves
*Kenova.....	W. C. Moore	Rowlesburg.....	J. D. Hayden
Kermit.....	Bernard Callahan	Sabraton.....	Frank Childs
Keyser.....	Wado Thomas	*St. Albans.....	F. E. Short
Keystone.....	H. H. Calloway	St. Marys.....	K. C. Russell
Kimball.....	T. C. Salmons	Salem.....	Orley Sigley
Kingwood.....	Scott Bundorf	Shepherdstown.....	C. W. Shipley
Lewisburg.....	S. W. McCorkle	Shinnston.....	H. H. Carder
Littleton.....	R. M. Ott	Sistersville.....	E. C. Krug
*Logan.....	J. W. Beckett	*South Charleston.....	J. D. Barrett

\*Part paid departments.

City	Fire Chief	City	Fire Chief
Summersville.....	J. H. Skaggs	*Welch.....	H. B. Hartinger
Sutton.....	John Toinby	Wellsburg.....	Samuel Melvin
Terra Alta.....	Frank Zeller	*Weston.....	Grey Marah
Thomas.....	G. E. Mosser	Westover.....	L. N. Miller
Triadelphia.....	Joe Wickham	West Union.....	Charles Powell
Tunnelton.....	C. A. Shrout	White Sulphur Springs.....	C. E. Mandeville
Union.....	J. M. Johnston	Whitesville.....	J. Brooks Bell
Vienna.....	Gerald Sinnett	*Williamson.....	Wilton Fields
War.....	Bill Wade	Williamstown.....	Harold Dawkins
Webster Springs.....	Loraine Marah	Worthington.....	J. W. Brooks

\*Part paid departments.

## MUNICIPALLY OWNED WATER WORKS AND ELECTRIC LIGHT SYSTEMS

### Water Works Systems

Alderson	Fayetteville	Mill Creek	Rowlesburg
Ansted	Fort Gay	Moorefield	St. Marys
Athens	Franklin	Mount Hope	Salem
Belington	Glasgow	New Cumberland	Shinaston
Blacksville	Grafton	New Martinsville	Sistersville
Bramwell	Grantsville	Northfork	Sophia
Bridgeport	Harrisville	Nutter Fort	Star City
Buffalo	Holliday's Cove	Paden City	Summersville
Cairo	Hundred	Parkersburg	Terra Alta
Camden-on-Gauley	Hurricane	Parsons	Thomas
Cameron	Kermit	Paw Paw	Tunnelton
Cedar Grove	Keyser	Peensboro	Union
Clark	Keystone	Petersburg	Vienna
Clarksburg	Lewisburg	Peterstown	Wayne
Clay	Littleton	Piedmont	Wellsburg
Davis	Lumberport	Pine Grove	West Union
Durbin	Mannington	Ravenswood	Wheeling
East Bank	Marlinton	Ridgeley	White Sulphur Springs
Eliasbeth	Martinsburg	Ripley	Whitesville
Elkins	Mason	Rivesville	Williamson
Fairmont	Masontown	Romney	Williamstown
Fairview	Matewan	Ronceverte	Winfield
Farmington			

### Electric Light Systems

New Martinsville

Philippi

Ravenswood

**CLASS I, II AND III CITIES IN WEST VIRGINIA**

**Class I**

Charleston	Huntington	Wheeling
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**Class II**

Bluefield	Fairmont	Morgantown	Parkersburg
Clarksburg	Martinsburg	Moundsville	

**Class III**

Beckley	Hollidays Cove	New Martinsville	Saint Marys
Benwood	Kenova	Oak Hill	Salem
Buckhannon	Keyser	Paden City	Shinnston
Cameron	Logan	Parsons	Sistersville
Charles Town	Mannington	Piedmont	South Charleston
Chester	Montgomery	Point Pleasant	Spencer
Dunbar	Mount Hope	Princeton	Welch
Elkins	Mullens	Richwood	Wellsburg
Follansbee	McMechen	Roncoveerte	Weston
Grafton	New Cumberland	Saint Albans	Williamson
Hinton			

**INCORPORATED CITIES, TOWNS AND VILLAGES, WITH DATES OF NEXT MUNICIPAL ELECTION**

City	Next Municipal Election	City	Next Municipal Election
Addison (See Webster Springs) . . .		Ceredo . . . . .	March 10, 1940
Albright . . . . .	June 3, 1941	Charleston . . . . .	April 19, 1943
Alderson . . . . .	June 3, 1941	Charles Town . . . . .	May 23, 1940
Ansted . . . . .	June 3, 1941	Chester . . . . .	March 14, 1940
Athens . . . . .	June 3, 1941	Clark . . . . .	June 4, 1940
Auburn . . . . .	June 3, 1941	Clarksburg . . . . .	April 15, 1941
Barboursville . . . . .	June 3, 1941	Clay . . . . .	June 3, 1941
Bath (See Berkeley Springs) . . . . .		Cledenin . . . . .	June 3, 1941
Bayard . . . . .	June 4, 1940	Coalton (Womelsdorff) . . . . .	June 3, 1941
Beckley . . . . .	October 7, 1941	Cowen . . . . .	June 3, 1941
Belington . . . . .	March 5, 1940	Danville . . . . .	June 3, 1941
Benwood . . . . .	April 2, 1940	Davis . . . . .	June 3, 1941
Berkeley Springs (Bath) . . . . .	May 4, 1940	Dunbar . . . . .	June 3, 1941
Bethany . . . . .	June 3, 1941	Durbin . . . . .	June 3, 1941
Beverly . . . . .	June 3, 1941	East Bank . . . . .	June 3, 1941
Blacksville . . . . .	June 3, 1941	East Rainelle . . . . .	June 3, 1941
Bluefield . . . . .	July 1, 1941	Elizabeth . . . . .	April 8, 1940
Bolivar . . . . .	June 3, 1941	Elk Garden . . . . .	June 3, 1941
Bramwell . . . . .	June 3, 1941	Elkins . . . . .	March 4, 1941
Brandonville . . . . .	June 10, 1941	Ellenboro . . . . .	June 3, 1941
Bridgeport . . . . .	June 3, 1941	Fairmont . . . . .	May 11, 1943
Bruceton Mills . . . . .	June 3, 1941	Fairview . . . . .	June 3, 1941
Buckhannon . . . . .	June 4, 1940	Falling Springs . . . . .	June 3, 1941
Buffalo . . . . .	June 3, 1941	Farmington . . . . .	June 3, 1941
Burnsville . . . . .	June 3, 1941	Fayetteville . . . . .	June 3, 1941
Cairo . . . . .	June 3, 1941	Flatwoods . . . . .	June 3, 1941
Camden-on-Gauley . . . . .	June 3, 1941	Flemington . . . . .	June 3, 1941
Cameron . . . . .	January 4, 1940	Follansbee . . . . .	March 18, 1941
Capon Bridge . . . . .	June 4, 1940	Fort Gay . . . . .	June 3, 1941
Cass . . . . .	June 3, 1941	Franklin . . . . .	March 23, 1940
Cedar Grove . . . . .	June 3, 1941	Friendly . . . . .	June 3, 1941

City	Next Municipal Election	City	Next Municipal Election
Gassaway	June 3, 1941	Moundsville	June 3, 1941
Gilbert	June 3, 1941	Mount Hope	May 7, 1940
Glasgow	June 3, 1941	Mullens	June 11, 1940
Glen Dale	June 4, 1940	McMechen	March 5, 1940
Glenville	June 3, 1941	Newburg	June 3, 1941
Grafton	March 4, 1941	New Cumberland	June 10, 1941
Grantsville	June 3, 1941	New Haven	June 4, 1940
Hambleton	June 4, 1940	New Martinsville	January 9, 1940
Hamlin	June 4, 1940	Nitro	June 4, 1940
Harman	June 3, 1941	Northfork	June 3, 1941
Harper's Ferry	June 3, 1941	Nutter Fort	June 3, 1941
Harrisville	June 3, 1941	Oak Hill	May 13, 1941
Hartford	April 11, 1940	Oakvale	June 3, 1941
Hedgesville	June 3, 1941	Paden City	January 4, 1940
Heiderson	June 3, 1941	Parkersburg	April 8, 1941
Hendricks	June 3, 1941	Parsons	April 4, 1940
Hillsboro	June 3, 1941	Paw Paw	June 3, 1941
Hinton	June 10, 1941	Pax	June 3, 1941
Holidays Cove	January 4, 1940	Pennsboro	May 13, 1941
Hundred	June 3, 1941	Petersburg	June 3, 1941
Huntington	November 5, 1940	Peterstown	June 3, 1941
Hurricane	June 3, 1941	Philippi	March 5, 1940
Huttonsville	June 3, 1941	Piedmont	May 12, 1941
Jaeger	June 3, 1941	Pine Grove	June 3, 1941
Jane Lew	June 3, 1941	Pineville	June 4, 1940
Junior	June 3, 1941	Point Pleasant	May 17, 1941
Kenova	June 10, 1941	Pratt	June 3, 1941
Kermit	June 3, 1941	Princeton	June 3, 1941
Keyser	June 4, 1940	Pullman	June 3, 1941
Keystone	February 1, 1940	Rainelle	June 3, 1941
Kimball	July 8, 1941	Ranson	June 3, 1941
Kingwood	June 3, 1941	Ravenswood	June 3, 1941
Layopolis (See Sand Fork)		Reedsville	June 3, 1941
Leon	June 3, 1941	Reedy	June 3, 1941
Lester	June 3, 1941	Rhodell	June 3, 1941
Lewisburg	June 3, 1941	Richwood	June 4, 1940
Littleton	June 3, 1941	Ridgeley	June 3, 1941
Logan	April 1, 1941	Ripley	June 3, 1941
Lumberport	June 3, 1941	Riverside	June 3, 1941
Mabescott	June 3, 1941	Rivesville	June 3, 1941
Madison	June 3, 1941	Romney	June 4, 1940
Man	June 3, 1941	Rouceverte	June 4, 1940
Mannington	March 4, 1940	Rowlesburg	June 3, 1941
Marlinton	June 3, 1941	Sabraton	June 5, 1941
Marmet	June 3, 1941	Saint Albans	April 1, 1941
Martinsburg	June 10, 1940	Saint Marys	June 10, 1941
Mason	June 3, 1941	Salem	April 2, 1940
Masontown	June 3, 1941	Sand Fork (Layopolis)	June 4, 1940
Matewan	June 3, 1941	Shepherdstown	March 11, 1940
Matoka	June 3, 1941	Shinnston	April 4, 1940
Meadow Bridge	June 3, 1941	Slatersville	March 28, 1940
Middlebourne	June 3, 1941	Smithers	June 4, 1940
Mill Creek	June 3, 1941	Smithfield	June 3, 1941
Milton	June 3, 1941	Sophia	June 3, 1941
Monongah	June 3, 1941	South Charleston	April 7, 1942
Montgomery	January 4, 1940	Spencer	March 27, 1940
Montrose	June 3, 1941	Star City	June 3, 1941
Moorefield	March 16, 1940	Summersville	June 3, 1941
Morgantown	June 4, 1940	Suncrest	June 3, 1941

City	Next Municipal Election	City	Next Municipal Election
Sutton .....	June 3, 1941	Wellsburg .....	June 11, 1940
Terra Alta .....	June 3, 1941	West Milford .....	June 3, 1941
Thomas .....	February 6, 1940	Weston .....	March 18, 1941
Thurmond .....	June 3, 1941	Westover .....	June 3, 1941
Triadelphia .....	January 4, 1940	West Union .....	June 3, 1941
Tunnelton .....	June 3, 1941	Wheeling .....	May 27, 1943
Union .....	June 3, 1941	White Sulphur Springs .....	June 3, 1941
Vienna .....	June 3, 1941	Whitesville .....	June 3, 1941
War .....	June 3, 1941	Williamson .....	June 11, 1940
Wardensville .....	June 3, 1941	Williamstown .....	January 2, 1940
Wayne .....	June 3, 1941	Winfield .....	June 3, 1941
Webster Springs (Addison) .....	June 3, 1941	Womelsdorff (See Coalton) .....	
Weirton Heights .....	June 4, 1940	Worthington .....	June 3, 1941
Welch .....	June 4, 1940		

### MUNICIPAL ELECTION CALENDAR

#### 1940

**January 2:**  
Williamstown

**January 4:**  
Cameron  
Holidays Cove  
Montgomery  
Paden City  
Triadelphia

**January 9:**  
New Martinsville

**February 1:**  
Keystone

**February 6:**  
Thomas

**March 4:**  
Mannington

**March 5:**  
Bellington  
McMechen  
Phillippi

**March 11:**  
Shepherdstown

**March 14:**  
Chester

**March 16:**  
Ceredo  
Moorefield

**March 28:**  
Franklin

**March 28:**  
Sistersville

**April 2:**  
Benwood  
Salem

**April 4:**  
Parsons  
Shinnston

**April 8:**  
Elizabeth

**April 11:**  
Hartford

**May 4:**  
Berkeley Springs (Bath)

**May 7:**  
Mt. Hope

**May 23:**  
Charles Town

**June 4:**  
Bayard  
Buckhannon  
Capon Bridge  
Clark  
Glen Dale  
Hambleton  
Hamlin  
Keyser  
Morgantown  
New Haven  
Nitro  
Pineville  
Richwood  
Romney

Ronceverte  
Sand Fork (Layopolls)  
Smithers  
Weirton Heights  
Welch

**June 10:**

Martinsburg

**June 11:**

Mullens  
Wellsburg  
Williamson

**November 5:**

Huntington

**1941****March 4:**

Elkins  
Grafton

**March 18:**

Follansbee  
Weston

**March 27:**

Spencer

**April 1:**

Logan  
Saint Albans

**April 8:**

Parkersburg

**April 15:**

Clarksburg

**May 12:**

Piedmont

**May 13:**

Oak Hill  
Pennsboro

**May 17:**

Point Pleasant

**June 3:**

Addison (Webster Springs)  
Albright  
Alderson  
Ansted  
Athens  
Auburn  
Barboursville  
Bethany  
Beverly

Blacksville  
Bollivar  
Bramwell  
Bridgeport  
Bruceeton Mills  
Buffalo  
Burnsville  
Calro  
Camden-on-Gauley  
Cass  
Cedar Grove  
Clay  
Clendenin  
Coalton (Womelsdorff)  
Cowen  
Danville  
Davis  
Dunbar  
Durbn  
East Bank  
East Rainelle  
Elk Garden  
Ellenboro  
Fairview  
Falling Springs  
Farmington  
Fayetteville  
Flatwoods  
Flemington  
Fort Gay  
Friendly  
Gassaway  
Gilbert  
Glasgow  
Glenville  
Grantsville  
Harman  
Harper's Ferry  
Harrisville  
Hedgesville  
Henderson  
Hendricks  
Hillsboro  
Hundred  
Hurricane  
Huttonsville  
Jaeger  
Jane Lew  
Junior  
Kermit  
Kingwood  
Leon  
Lester  
Lewisburg  
Littleton  
Lumberport  
Mabscott  
Madison  
Man  
Marlinton  
Marmet

Mason  
 Masontown  
 Matewan  
 Matoaka  
 Meadow Bridge  
 Middlebourne  
 Mill Creek  
 Milton  
 Monongah  
 Montrose  
 Moundsville  
 Newburg  
 Northfork  
 Nutter Fort  
 Oakvale  
 Paw Paw  
 Pax  
 Petersburg  
 Peterstown  
 Pine Grove  
 Pratt  
 Princeton  
 Pullman  
 Rainelle  
 Ranson  
 Ravenswood  
 Reedsville  
 Reedy  
 Rhodell  
 Ridgeley  
 Ripley  
 Riverside  
 Rivesville  
 Rowlesburg  
 Smithfield  
 Sophia  
 Star City  
 Summersville  
 Suncrest  
 Sutton  
 Terra Alta  
 Thurmond  
 Tunnelton  
 Union  
 Vienna  
 War  
 Wardensville

Wayne  
 Webster Springs (Addison)  
 West Millford  
 Westover  
 West Union  
 White Sulphur Springs  
 Whitesville  
 Winfield  
 Womelsdorff (Coalton)  
 Worthington

**June 5:**

Sabraton

**June 10:**

Brandonville  
 Hinton  
 Kenova  
 New Cumberland  
 Saint Marys

**July 1:**

Bluefield

**July 8:**

Kimball

**October 7:**

Beckley

**1942****April 7:**

South Charleston

**1943****April 19:**

Charleston

**May 11:**

Fairmont

**May 27:**

Wheeling

# ASSOCIATIONS, CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS

## WEST VIRGINIA ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE

### Officers

*President:* Rev. W. M. Given..... Charleston  
*Vice President:* Rev. J. M. Knight.....Huntington  
*Secretary-Treasurer:* F. A. Thomas.....Charleston  
*State Superintendent:* B. E. Ewing..... Charleston

## AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

(West Virginia Chapter)

### Officers

*President:* Frederic Faris.....Wheeling  
*Secretary:* Albert Ford Dickey.....Huntington  
*Treasurer:* James L. Montgomery.....Charleston

## ALLIED ARTISTS OF WEST VIRGINIA

### OBJECT

The purpose of the organization is to encourage talent in art, hold exhibitions and further the art interests of the community. A statewide and several local exhibitions at Charleston are sponsored by the organization each year.

### Officers

*President:* Mrs. Herman L. Bennett..... Charleston  
*Vice President:* Kingsley Hughes.....Charleston  
*Treasurer:* Thomas W. Moore.....Charleston  
*Recording Secretary:* Ethel Hinton.....Charleston  
*Corresponding Secretary:* Frank L. Pritchard.....Charleston

## WEST VIRGINIA ASSESSORS ASSOCIATION

### Officers

*President:* J. Lee Horner.....Clarksburg  
*Vice President:* K. K. Warden.....Fayetteville  
*Secretary-Treasurer:* Garland F. Wilkinson.....Charleston

**WEST VIRGINIA STATE AUTOMOBILE ASSOCIATION****Officers**

*President:* Col. M. S. Aldrich..... Charleston  
*Vice President:* Hal W. Piggott..... Parkersburg  
*Secretary-Treasurer:* Arthur G. Ollver..... Parkersburg

**AUTOMOBILE DEALERS ASSOCIATION OF WEST VIRGINIA****Officers**

*President:* E. B. Hopkins..... Wheeling  
*Vice Presidents:* R. D. Meredith..... Fairmont  
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*Treasurer:* J. F. Willis..... Bluefield  
*Secretary-Manager:* L. E. Rollins..... Charleston

**AUTOMOBILE CLUBS**

<i>City</i>	<i>Name of Club</i>	<i>Secretary</i>
Bluefield.....	Bluefield Automobile Club.....	Pearle A. Brammer
Charleston.....	Southern West Virginia Auto Club.....	Grace O. Austin
Clarksburg.....	Central West Virginia Automobile Club.....	Geo. M. Brase ( <i>Managing Director</i> )
Huntington.....	Huntington Automobile Club.....	Lee S. Almslie ( <i>Manager</i> )
Morgantown.....	Northern West Virginia Automobile Club ..	Mrs. Ruth Ackerson ( <i>Acting</i> )
Parkersburg .....	Parkersburg Automobile Club .....	A. G. Oliver
Wheeling.....	Wheeling Automobile Club.....	W. B. Timmons ( <i>Manager</i> )

**WEST VIRGINIA BAKER'S ASSOCIATION****Officers**

*President:* Paul Sayre..... Parkersburg  
*Vice President:* Miller Farley..... Logan  
*Secretary:* Orren L. Jones..... Middlebourne  
*Treasurer:* H. G. Fretwell..... Charleston

**WEST VIRGINIA BANKER'S ASSOCIATION****Officers**

*President:* Hayes Picklesimer, Vice President and Cashier,  
                   Kanawha Valley Bank..... Charleston  
*Vice President:* W. S. Clark, Cashier,  
                   First National Bank in Fairmont..... Fairmont  
*Treasurer:* E. W. Cook, President, First Clark National Bank..... Northfork  
*Secretary:* Homer Gebhardt, Vice President and Trust Officer,  
                   First Huntington National Bank..... Huntington  
*Assistant Secretary:* Henrietta Schaub,  
                   First Huntington National Bank..... Huntington

**Officers West Virginia Corporate Fiduciary Society**

*President:* G. H. Lawhead, Trust Officer, Flat Top National Bank..... Bluefield  
*Vice President:* W. P. Welker, Trust Officer,  
                   Wheeling Dollar Savings & Trust Company..... Wheeling  
*Secretary-Treasurer:* W. H. Davlsson, Trust Officer,  
                   Union National Bank..... Clarksburg

## Officers Presidents' Club

*President:* E. G. Otey, President, First National Bank \_\_\_\_\_ Bluefield  
*Vice President:* John L. Fish, Vice President,  
 Security Trust Company \_\_\_\_\_ Wheeling  
*Secretary-Treasurer:* H. B. Lewis, Vice President and Secretary,  
 Kanawha Banking & Trust Company \_\_\_\_\_ Charleston

## THE WEST VIRGINIA BAR ASSOCIATION

## Officers

*President:* Ashton File \_\_\_\_\_ Beckley  
*Vice Presidents:* Tom B. Foulk \_\_\_\_\_ Wheeling  
 E. A. Bowers \_\_\_\_\_ Elkins  
 W. G. Thompson \_\_\_\_\_ Montgomery  
 Herbert Boreman \_\_\_\_\_ Parkersburg  
 Albert Kemper \_\_\_\_\_ Bluefield  
 John E. Amos \_\_\_\_\_ Charleston  
*Executive Secretary-Treasurer:* Bernard Sclove \_\_\_\_\_ Charleston  
*Librarian:* W. B. Mathews \_\_\_\_\_ Charleston

## Executive Council

O. E. Wyckoff, Grafton, *Chairman* James M. Guher, Clarksburg  
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 T. P. Hardman, Morgantown William B. Hogg, Williamson

## COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATIONS

County	President	Address
Barbour	Frank G. Kittle	Phillippi
Berkeley	Robert H. Boyd	Martinsburg
Boone	Lilburn Fulton	Madison
Braxton	†Fred L. Fox	Charleston
Brooke	C. K. Jacob	Wellsburg
Cabell	Selden S. McNeer	Huntington
Calhoun	*Louis Reed	Grantsville
Clay	S. W. Bryant	Clay
Fayette	C. R. Summerfield	Fayetteville
Greenbrier	Samuel Price	Lewisburg
Harrison	J. C. McManaway	Clarksburg
Jackson	*Louis Reed	Grantsville
Jefferson	T. C. Green	Charles Town
Kanawha	Hawthorne D. Battle	Charleston
Lewis	Robert L. Bland	Weston
Logan	Naaman Jackson	Logan
Marion	Harry Shaw	Fairmont
Marshall	A. L. Hooton	Moundsville
Mason	*Louis Reed	Grantsville
Mercer	W. Broughton Johnston	Bluefield
Mineral	Harry K. Drane	Piedmont
Mingo	Chlide Nelms	Williamson
Monongalia	William E. Glasscock, Jr.	Morgantown
Morgan	J. Hammond Siler	Berkeley Springs
McDowell	Charles A. Tutwiler	Welch
Nicholas	A. N. Breckinridge	Summersville
Ohio	Russell B. Goodwin	Wheeling
Pocahontas	T. S. McNeel	Marlinton
Preston	P. J. Crogan	Kingwood

†Judge Supreme Court of Appeals.

\*President Bar Association for Calhoun, Jackson and Mason Counties.

County	President	Address
Putnam.....	C. E. Copen.....	Winfield
Raleigh.....	J. E. Summerfield.....	Beckley
Randolph.....	B. M. Hoover.....	Elkins
Ritchie.....	R. S. Blair.....	Harrisville
Roane.....	J. B. Hellmann.....	Spencer
Summers.....	W. A. Brown.....	Hinton
Taylor.....	John L. Hechmer.....	Grafton
Upshur.....	H. Roy Waugh.....	Buckhannon
Wayne.....	W. Earl Burgess.....	Wayne
Webster.....	W. L. Wooddell.....	Webster Springs
Wetzel.....	A. C. Chapman.....	New Martinsville
Wood.....	James L. Feeny.....	Parkersburg
Wyoming.....	Grover C. Worrell.....	Mullens

## WEST VIRGINIA ASSOCIATION OF JOURNEYMEN BARBERS AND BEAUTICIANS

### Officers

<i>President:</i> Fred W. Ramsey.....	Beckley
<i>Vice Presidents:</i> Marlon Elder.....	Wheeling
W. C. Stuckey.....	Logan
C. E. Kirby.....	Bluefield
Ernest Chamberlain.....	Clarksburg
Kenneth Jackson.....	Fairmont
<i>Secretary-Treasurer:</i> Homer Wilson.....	Clarksburg

## ASSOCIATED MASTER BEAUTICIANS AND BARBERS OF WEST VIRGINIA

### Officers

<i>President:</i> D. R. Spears.....	Charleston
<i>Vice Presidents:</i> Mrs. Ruby Simpson.....	Morgantown
Charles Moon.....	Keyser
Mrs. Nina Darrah.....	Wheeling
George Fitzgerald.....	Huntington
R. F. LeRue.....	Martinsburg
<i>Secretary-Treasurer:</i> Robert J. Woods.....	Charleston

## WEST VIRGINIA ASSOCIATION OF BEAUTY AND BARBER SCHOOLS

### Officers

<i>President:</i> Eric L. Martz.....	Huntington
<i>Vice President:</i> Albert Sommers.....	Bluefield
<i>Secretary-Treasurer:</i> Anna M. Jenkins.....	Clarksburg

## WEST VIRGINIA BOTTLERS ASSOCIATION

### Officers

<i>President:</i> D. H. Kite.....	Thomas
<i>Vice President:</i> A. B. Hatcher.....	Charleston
<i>Secretary:</i> D. H. Leasure.....	Huntington
<i>Treasurer:</i> Ed Leo.....	Clarksburg

**BREWERS AND BEER DISTRIBUTORS COMMITTEE OF WEST VIRGINIA**

**Officers**

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*Public Relations Director:* Charles R. Morse \_\_\_\_\_ *Charleston*

**Executive Committee**

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**BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA**

(Area Councils in West Virginia)

City	Name	Scout Executive	Troops	Scouts	Scouters
Bluefield	Southern West Virginia	Charles H. Atkinson	87	1651	633
Charleston	Charleston	M. H. F. Kinsey	156	3117	1121
Clarksburg	Clarksburg	Max Hemeyer	50	1010	199
Fairmont	Mountaineer	H. E. Katschke	75	1462	476
Huntington	Tri-State	G. F. Walker	89	1943	679
Logan	Logan-Boone-Mingo	Edgar R. Cristopher	105	1734	942
Parkersburg	Kootago	Robert Dalrymple	72	1231	576
Wheeling	Huroquols	Homer T. Gratz	109	2039	778
Total for State			743	14,187	5,404

**WEST VIRGINIA SAVING AND LOAN LEAGUE**

**Officers**

*President:* H. T. Jones \_\_\_\_\_ *Fairmont*  
*First Vice President:* Paul G. Edmunds \_\_\_\_\_ *Charleston*  
*Second Vice President:* Virginia Engle \_\_\_\_\_ *Parkersburg*  
*Secretary-Treasurer:* J. D. Schultz \_\_\_\_\_ *Fayetteville*

**WEST VIRGINIA BUS ASSOCIATION**

**Officers**

*President:* J. Z. Terrell \_\_\_\_\_ *Clarksburg*  
*Vice President:* G. S. Engle \_\_\_\_\_ *Charleston*  
*Secretary-Treasurer:* Col. M. S. Aldrich \_\_\_\_\_ *Charleston*

**WEST VIRGINIA BUTTER MANUFACTURERS ASSOCIATION**

**Officers**

*President:* W. H. Bowser \_\_\_\_\_ *Sistersville*  
*Vice President:* A. L. Bruynell \_\_\_\_\_ *Fairmont*  
*Secretary:* H. A. England \_\_\_\_\_ *Elkins*

## WEST VIRGINIA SOCIETY OF CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

### Officers

*President:* Robert L. Baughan .....Huntington  
*First Vice President:* John Wiseman .....Wheeling  
*Secretary:* Harry R. Howell .....Charleston  
*Treasurer:* Norman S. Fitzhugh .....Charleston

### CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS IN WEST VIRGINIA

Bluefield	Clarksburg	Parkersburg
James L. Jennings	George E. Wolf	Jesse L. Cramer Donald P. Fleming Leslie N. Hemenway George M. Nicholson Geo. W. Tavenner William W. Jackson
	<b>Huntington</b>	<b>Welch</b>
<b>Charleston</b>	R. L. Baughan Bliss L. Charles F. D. Clifford El. C. Conley W. O. Dickey Okey K. Hayslip Linwood T. Holt N. G. Somerville William H. Taylor	Ivan F. Jennings
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	S. Charles Steele Louis F. Tanner Edgar Williams	David S. Goldberg H. S. Hutsell Howard G. Lewis Hobart Richey Clarence P. Sullivan Charles L. Swart Geo. E. Thieroff John Wiseman John R. McCastan

## WEST VIRGINIA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

### Officers

*President:* Richard Harte .....Parkersburg  
*Vice Presidents:* C. McD. England .....Logan  
                   George T. Fonda .....Weirton  
*Treasurer:* Hayes Picklesimer .....Charleston  
*Managing Director:* H. A. Stansbury .....Charleston  
*Research Director:* Earle L. Elmore .....Charleston

### Executive Committee

Richard Harte, <i>Chairman</i> , Parkersburg	L. R. Johnston, White Sulphur Spgs.
Hon. John J. Cornwell, Romney	J. S. Jones, Wheeling
Benjamin F. Creech, Morgantown	C. E. Lawall, Morgantown
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H. L. Gray, Rainelle	Harry Scherr, Huntington
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H. P. Henshaw, Huntington	Joseph M. Wells, Newell
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Dr. Gory Hogg, Lewisburg	Dr. G. O. Young, Buckhannon
	H. A. Zeller, Huntington

## WEST VIRGINIA STATE JUNIOR CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

## Officers

<i>President:</i> J. H. Hoblitzell	Parkersburg
<i>Vice Presidents:</i> James Gaylord	Clarksburg
J. Preston Hopper	Martinsburg
<i>Secretary:</i> Stanley T. Rose	Charleston
<i>Treasurer:</i> John Forbes	New Martinsville
<i>National Director:</i> John Woodruff	Huntington

## Junior Chambers of Commerce in West Virginia

City	President	Secretary
Charleston	H. J. Loder, Jr.	G. F. Jenkins
Clarksburg	James Gaylord	Ellis Stillman
Fairmont	James Overmeyer	Louis Schoolnic
Hinton	Harold B. Eagle	N. C. Kesler, Jr.
Huntington	Robert Marsh	C. F. Appling
Martinsburg	J. Preston Hopper	C. G. Auld
New Martinsville	John Forbes	Paul Ernich
Parkersburg	Judd Dudley	Douglass Adams
Weston	Mark Hall	Andrew Blair

## CHAMBERS OF COMMERCE IN WEST VIRGINIA

City	Name of Organization	President	Secretary
Beckley	Chamber of Commerce	Charles Hodel	W. R. Fagitt
Bluefield	Chamber of Commerce	J. Hudson Hufford	H. Edward Steele (Secretary-Manager)
Boothanna	Chamber of Commerce		Myron B. Hymes
Charleston	Chamber of Commerce	D. C. Kennedy	Charles E. Hodges (Managing Director)
Clarksburg	Chamber of Commerce	Glenn B. Tinsley	Mrs. Grace M. Cantrall
Elkins	Chamber of Commerce	Thaddeus Pritt	Carl Channell
Fairmont	Board of Commerce	C. H. Hardesty	Betty Horgan
Fairmont	Upper Moccogahela Valley Ass'n	A. L. Helmick	F. Leslie Body (Manager)
Grafton	Taylor County Board of Trade	James C. Holt	Hugh R. McPhail
Hinton	Chamber of Commerce	R. L. McKinney	Hume K. Nowlan
Huntington	Chamber of Commerce	J. H. Long	W. S. Rosenheim (Managing Director)
Kenova	Ceredo-Kenova Chamber of Commerce	L. R. Johnson	G. B. de Vries
Keyser	Chamber of Commerce	Newton B. Carakadon	Wm. S. Caldwell
Logan	Logan Co. Chamber of Commerce	S. H. Bloom	Mrs. B. L. Flynn
Madison	Chamber of Commerce	Luther R. Jones	George W. Mitchell
Martinsburg	Chamber of Commerce	Dr. A. B. Eagle	J. M. Sellers
Montgomery	Chamber of Commerce	Joseph Drasmin	Lance B. Withrow
Morgantown	Chamber of Commerce	Brooks Cottle	John L. Teets
Moundsville	Chamber of Commerce	E. G. Roberts	Mentor Hetzer
Moundsville	Business Men's Association	D. L. Gallagher	T. W. Keffer
McMechen	Board of Trade	Geo. Fitzgerald	W. J. Williams
Oak Hill	Chamber of Commerce	H. H. O Neal	H. B. Clower
Parkersburg	Board of Commerce	William Adam Smith	David H. Kahn
Piedmont	Tri-Towns Chamber of Commerce	Thomas W. Goeke	
Princeton	Chamber of Commerce	D. K. Calloway	E. W. Anderson
Richwood	Greater Richwood Federation	J. L. Breckstein	R. C. Umbarger
Shepherdstown	Chamber of Commerce	M. S. R. Moler	K. W. Eutsler
Weirton	Weir-Cove Chamber of Commerce	N. G. Anas	C. M. Still
Walch	Chamber of Commerce	Roy B. Shrout	Kermit Hunter
Weston	Chamber of Commerce	M. B. Sprigg	A. L. Vassar
Wheeling	Chamber of Commerce	W. M. Allen	R. W. Holcombe (Manager)
White Sulphur Spgs.	Chamber of Commerce	W. H. Beardsworth	W. R. Bowling
Williamson	Chamber of Commerce	Hubert G. Clark	Roberta Eaton
Williamstown	Chamber of Commerce	S. S. Board	E. S. Shannon

## AMERICAN SOCIETY OF CIVIL ENGINEERS

(West Virginia Section)

### Officers

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*Vice Presidents:* Theodore Bloecher.....Wheeling  
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*Secretary-Treasurer:* A. E. McCaskey, Jr.....Huntington

## WEST VIRGINIA COAL ASSOCIATION

### Officers

*President:* J. G. Bradley.....Dundon  
*Vice President:* Dr. Gory Hogg.....Lewisburg  
*Treasurer:* C. C. Dickinson.....Charleston  
*Secretary:* J. V. Sullivan.....Charleston

Association Offices: Charleston

## KANAWHA COAL OPERATORS ASSOCIATION

*President:* D. H. Morton.....Charleston  
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*Executive Secretary:* D. C. Kennedy.....Charleston

Association Offices: Charleston

## LOGAN COAL OPERATORS ASSOCIATION

*President:* Arthur Downing.....Wilkinson  
*Vice President:* John T. Sydnor.....Omar  
*Treasurer:* C. W. Jones.....Henlawson  
*Secretary:* J. W. Colley.....Logan

Association Offices: Logan

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*Co-Chairman:* Anne Windsor.....Pt. Pleasant  
*Secretary:* Betty Hoensch.....Logan

## GIRL SCOUTS OF AMERICA

## West Virginia Councils

<i>Council</i>	<i>Commissioner</i>	<i>Local Director</i>	<i>Address</i>
Berkeley County	Mrs. Frank C. Thomas		Martinsburg
Cabell County	Mrs. C. McD. England	Mary Rollins	Huntington
Harrison County	Mrs. Charles R. Bibbee		Clarksburg
Kanawha County	Mrs. V. T. Churchman, Jr.	Alethea Hanson	Charleston
Logan County		Anne Hitze	Logan
McDowell County	Mrs. H. A. Henthorn	Anne Hitze	Welch
Beckley	Mrs. S. C. Ballangee	Mrs. J. A. Brackman	Beckley
Morgantown	Mrs. Chas. V. Wilson		Morgantown
Parkersburg	Mrs. Val Milsark	Helen E. Melvin	Parkersburg
Wellsburg	Mrs. T. J. Sherrard		Wellsburg
Wheeling	Mrs. E. W. Harrison	Nettle Loeffler	Wheeling

## Council Registration

Girls ..... 3801    Leaders ..... 398    Committee Members ..... 693

## WEST VIRGINIA STATE GRANGE

## Officers

<i>Master:</i>	Foster R. Hardman	Horner
<i>Overseer:</i>	T. W. Minesinger	New Cumberland
<i>Lecturer:</i>	W. D. Williamson	Hebron
<i>Steward:</i>	G. L. Hunter	Colliers
<i>Assistant Steward:</i>	Clifton Atkeson	Parkersburg
<i>Chaplain:</i>	C. A. Peregoy	Parkersburg
<i>Treasurer:</i>	Mrs. Anna N. Kellar	Williamstown
<i>Secretary:</i>	Mrs. Georgiana Johnson	Williamstown
<i>Gate Keeper:</i>	G. Fred Webster	Cottageville
<i>Ceres:</i>	Mrs. Willa B. Stanley	Kanawha Station
<i>Pomona:</i>	Mrs. Gladys V. Riggs	Walker
<i>Flora:</i>	Mrs. Norma Gardner	Follansbee
<i>Lady Assistant Steward:</i>	Mrs. Hettle S. Roach	Weston

## WEST VIRGINIA ASSOCIATION OF RETAIL GROCERS

## Officers

<i>President:</i>	D. M. Davis	Clarksburg
<i>Vice Presidents:</i>	W. A. Drlehorst	Wheeling
	E. M. Tutwiler	Mt. Hope
	A. C. Rader	Charleston
	O. L. Harvey	Huntington
	P. T. Saunders	Bluefield
	C. J. Casdorph	Ronceverte
	D. J. Walters	Clarksburg
	H. H. Wassum	Bluefield
<i>Treasurer:</i>	E. D. Armstrong	Beckley
<i>Executive Secretary:</i>	George W. King	Charleston

## WEST VIRGINIA WHOLESALE GROCERS ASSOCIATION

### Officers

*President:* W. C. McConaughy.....Parkersburg  
*Vice President:* Robert Morris.....Clarksburg  
*Secretary-Treasurer:* W. C. McConaughy.....Parkersburg

### Directors

J. W. Hubbard, Charleston  
 D. S. Sayre, Huntington  
 Robert Morris, Clarksburg  
 R. A. Lough, Morgantown  
 E. R. Sigler, Martinsburg  
 W. C. McConaughy, Parkersburg

### Wholesale Grocers

<i>City</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>City</i>	<i>Name</i>
Beckley.....	Economy Wholesalers	Montgomery.....	Fayette Wholesale Grocery Co.
Bluefield.....	Bluefield Grocery Co.	Morgantown.....	Lough-Simpson Grocery Co.
Bluefield.....	Peerless Wholesale Grocery	Moundsville...	Moundsville Grocery & Produce
Bluefield.....	F. W. Udy & Co.	Moundsville.....	State Grocery Co.
Buckhannon.....	Gaston Grocery Co.	Mullens.....	Mullens Grocery Co.
Cameron.....	Cameron Cash & Carry Wholesale	Mullens Bluefield Produce & Provision	
Charleston.....	Hubbard Grocery Co.	New Martinsville...	New Martinsville Grocery
Charleston.....	Lewis, Hubbard & Co.	Parkersburg.....	The Dana Co.
Charleston.....	Economy Wholesalers	Parkersburg.....	Shattuck-Jackson Co.
Charleston.....	Elk Grocery Co.	Parkersburg.....	Star Grocery Co.
Charleston.....	E. D. Martin & Co.	Parkersburg.....	Parkersburg Grocery Co.
Charles Town.....	D. C. Winebrenner & Son	Pennsboro...	Pennsboro Wholesale Grocery
Clarksburg.....	Hornor-Gaylord Co.	Petersburg.....	Ervin Grocery Co.
Clarksburg...	Clarksburg Wholesale Co.	Piedmont.....	Piedmont Grocery Co.
Clarksburg...	Merchants Wholesale Grocery Co.	Princeton.....	Princeton Wholesale Grocery Co.
Clendenin.....	Robertson-Paris Co.	Princeton.....	Sterling Grocery Co.
Elkins.....	Channell Grocery Co.	Rainelle.....	New River Grocery Co.
Elkins.....	Gulland-Clarke Co.	Rainelle.....	Cash Wholesale Grocery
Fairmont.....	Stevenson Co.	Ravenswood...	Ravenswood Grocery Co.
Flatwoods.....	Central Supply Co.	Richwood.....	Richwood Wholesale Co.
Gilmer.....	R. A. Darnall	Ripley.....	Jackson County Grocery Co.
Grafton.....	N. C. Musgrove & Sons	Sabraton.....	Nick J. Kugollis
Hinton.....	New River Grocery Co.	St. Albans.....	Economy Wholesalers
Huntington.....	Hagen Ratcliff Co.	Shinnston.....	C. F. Lucas & Co.
Huntington.....	Sehon Stevenson Co.	Shinnston.....	Shinnston Wholesale Co.
Huntington.....	Grocers Wholesale Co.	Spencer.....	Spencer-Roane Grocery Co.
Huntington.....	Hampton Bros.	Terra Alta.....	Whittaker Grocery Co.
Huntington.....	Independent Merchants Association	Welch.....	Elkhorn Valley Grocery Co.
Iaeger.....	Bluefield Grocery Co.	Welch.....	McDowell Supply Co.
Kenova.....	Tri-State Wholesale Grocery	Weston.....	Gregg Grocery Co.
Keystone.....	Elkhorn Valley Grocery Co.	Wheeling.....	Miller Bros. Grocery
Logan.....	Logan Grocery Co.	Wheeling...	Zarnits Bros. Grocery Co.
Mabscott.....	New River Grocery Co.	Wheeling.....	Roth Bros.
Mabscott.....	Raleigh Grocery Co.	Wheeling.....	Panico Bros.
Mabscott.....	P. G. Hedrick & Co.	Wheeling.....	Wheeling Wholesale Grocery Co.
Madison.....	W. H. Turley & Co.	Williamson.....	Tug River Grocery Co.
Marlinton...	Clifton Forge Grocery Co.	Williamson.....	Williamson Grocery Co.
Martinsburg.....	J. W. Bishop Co.		
Martinsburg.....	Berkeley Grocery Co.		
Matoaka.....	Matoaka Grocery Co.		

## WEST VIRGINIA HARDWARE ASSOCIATION

### Officers

*President:* H. T. Francis \_\_\_\_\_ Grantsville  
*First Vice President:* Allen Hamner, Jr. \_\_\_\_\_ Buckhannon  
*Second Vice President:* Evan Cyrus \_\_\_\_\_ Huntington  
*Secretary-Treasurer:* H. B. Clower \_\_\_\_\_ Oak Hill

## WEST VIRGINIA HISTORICAL SOCIETIES

<i>City</i>	<i>Society</i>	<i>President</i>
Elkins _____	Randolph County Historical Society _____	Mrs. Boyd Wees
Holliday's Cove _____	Hancock County Historical Society _____	R. E. Campbell
Keyser _____	Mineral County Historical Society _____	J. C. Sanders
Martinsburg _____	Berkeley County Historical Society _____	Willis F. Evans
Morgantown _____	Monongalia Historical Society _____	Frank P. Weaver
Moundsville _____	Marshall County Historical Society _____	Gertrude Shaw
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Parsons _____	Tucker County Historical Society _____	C. W. Minear
	Minear Historical Society _____	C. W. Minear
Pineville _____	Wyoming County Historical Society _____	G. P. Goode
Shepherdstown _____	Jefferson County Historical Society _____	A. D. Kenamond
Wheeling _____	Ohio Valley Historical Society _____	A. B. Brooks

## WEST VIRGINIA HI-Y COUNCIL

### Officers

*President:* James McCubbin \_\_\_\_\_ Huntington  
*Vice President:* Marshall McCarthy \_\_\_\_\_ Parkersburg  
*Secretary:* Dennis Wyrick \_\_\_\_\_ Huntington  
*Treasurer:* Tams Vannoy \_\_\_\_\_ Welch

### Members (Boys)

Gilbert Cofer, Alderson	David Tuckwiller, Lewisburg
Tams Vannoy, Welch	Carlyle Spafford, War
Bill Davidson, Beaver	Dennis Wyrick, Hurricane
Leslie Devrick, Walton	DeForrest McMillion, Jr., Widen
James McCubbin, Huntington	Harold Keister, Glenville
Gomer Ward, Ceredo-Kenova	J. Paul Dornblazer, Elkins
Bill Rogers, Wheeling	Harold Godfrey, Parkersburg
Marshall McCarthy, Parkersburg	Junior Mayes, Harrisville
Harold Mathes, Harrisville	Robert Cooper, Weston
James Jarrell, Montcoal	Preston Wilmoth, Oak Hill
	Ferris Aide, Montcoal

### Members (Sponsors)

E. V. Core, Alderson	G. M. Hollandsworth, Welch
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C. H. Smith, Kenova	E. J. Culp, Harrisville
O. N. McCoy, Wheeling	Harry Hansroth, Berkeley Springs
George A. Federer, Morgantown	Owen P. Lilly, Beaver

**WEST VIRGINIA HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY****Officers**

*President:* James E. McDonald.....Martinsburg  
*Vice President:* Dr. W. C. VanMeter.....Petersburg  
*Treasurer:* Malcolm M. Brown.....Martinsburg  
*Secretary:* Carroll R. Miller.....Martinsburg

**WEST VIRGINIA HOTELS ASSOCIATION****Officers**

*President:* W. J. Cole.....Bluefield  
*Vice Presidents:* C. D. Phillips.....Beckley  
                   George Harrington.....Huntington  
                   Paul Childress.....Charleston  
                   Marion H. Kemp.....Clarksburg  
                   T. W. Martin, Jr.....Martinsburg  
                   Howard E. Welch.....Wheeling  
*Treasurer:* James D. Crouch.....Charleston

**WEST VIRGINIA ASSOCIATION OF ICE INDUSTRIES****Officers**

*President:* E. Carl Langftt.....Parkersburg  
*Vice President:* O. A. Moore.....Clarksburg  
*Secretary-Treasurer:* E. Dana Smith.....Charleston

**WEST VIRGINIA ASSOCIATION OF INSURANCE AGENTS****Officers**

*President:* R. D. Watts.....Beckley  
*Vice Presidents:* E. G. Jackson.....Chester  
                   E. C. Nuzum.....Fairmont  
                   Leo M. Thrash.....Buckhannon  
                   C. V. Feller.....Mullens  
                   Everett Sayre.....Beckley  
                   Howard P. Barnes.....Pennsboro  
*Secretary-Treasurer:* Hubert Ellis.....Huntington  
*National Councillor:* F. R. Bell.....Charleston

**WEST VIRGINIA JUDICIAL ASSOCIATION****Officers**

*President:* Decatur H. Rodgers.....Martinsburg  
*Vice President:* Julian F. Bouchelle.....Charleston  
*Secretary:* Thos. H. S. Curd.....Welch  
*Treasurer:* Ira P. Baer.....Huntington

**WEST VIRGINIA ASSOCIATION OF JUSTICES OF THE PEACE****Officers**

*President:* Montgomery Hancock..... Montgomery  
*First Vice President:* (Vacancy)  
*Second Vice President:* D. T. Carr..... Princeton  
*Third Vice President:* James A. Henchey..... Welch  
*Secretary:* Harry G. Thayer..... Charleston  
*Treasurer:* Ray A. Miller..... Parkersburg

**WEST VIRGINIA LAUNDRY AND DRY CLEANERS  
ASSOCIATION****Officers**

*President:* Roy E. Eades..... Princeton  
*Vice President:* Larry O'Toole..... Welch  
*Secretary-Treasurer:* Claybert White..... Beckley

**WEST VIRGINIA LIBRARY ASSOCIATION****Officers**

*President:* Virginia Ebeling..... Wheeling  
*Vice President:* Mrs. Mary W. C. Conaway..... Fairmont  
*Secretary:* Doris Henry..... Huntington  
*Treasurer:* Fleming Bennett..... Fairmont

**WEST VIRGINIA LIVESTOCK ASSOCIATION****Officers**

*President:* T. J. Grove..... Petersburg  
*Vice President:* Clyde Bonar..... Burlington  
*Secretary-Treasurer:* Benj. F. Creech..... Morgantown

**WEST VIRGINIA LUMBER AND BUILDERS' SUPPLY  
DEALERS' ASSOCIATION****Officers**

*President:* M. B. Sprigg..... Weston  
*Vice Presidents:* John F. Barr..... Fairmont  
                   C. A. Parrish..... Spencer  
                   A. McKirahan..... Wheeling  
                   C. L. Lantz..... Logan  
*Secretary:* Sam H. Diemer..... Fairmont  
*Treasurer:* C. G. Conaway..... Fairmont

**NORTHERN WEST VIRGINIA LUMBER SHIPPERS****Officers**

*President:* J. Richard Campbell..... Tioga  
*Vice President:* Forest McNeal..... Clarksburg  
*Secretary:* M. N. Wilson..... Elkins  
*Treasurer:* Charles L. West..... Weston

## WEST VIRGINIA MANUFACTURERS' ASSOCIATION

### Officers

<i>President:</i>	Isaac M. Scott	Wheeling
<i>Vice Presidents:</i>	C. H. Doherty	Charleston
	O. T. Frick	Huntington
	F. A. Hanlin	Weirton
	A. J. McFarland	Wheeling
<i>Secretary-Treasurer:</i>	J. G. Prichard	Fairmont

### Directors

<i>Name</i>	<i>Manufacturer</i>	<i>Address</i>
J. A. Bloch	The Bloch Bros. Tobacco Company	Wheeling
Duncan Bruce	The American Fork & Hoe Company	Charleston
H. C. Capito	Diamond Ice & Coal Company	Charleston
D. Denelsbeck	Owens-Illinois Glass Company	Fairmont
C. H. Doherty	E. I. du Pont de Nemours & Company	Charleston
O. T. Frick	The Standard Ultramarine Company	Huntington
M. G. Geiger	Westvaco Chlorine Products, Inc.	Charleston
F. A. Hanlin	Weirton Steel Company	Weirton
Richard Harte	Ames Baldwin Wyoming Company	Parkersburg
F. M. Hesse	National Steel Corporation	Pittsburgh, Pa.
George T. Lancaster	Electro Metallurgical Company	Glen Ferris
A. J. McFarland	Wheeling Steel Corporation	Wheeling
A. L. Metzner	Hazel-Atlas Glass Company	Wheeling
Edwin Nesbit	The Grassell Chemical Co., (du Pont)	Wilmington, Del.
C. F. Niemann	The Parkersburg Iron & Steel Company	Pittsburgh, Pa.
George W. Norvell	Perry-Norvell Company	Huntington
C. E. Parks	Kanawha Manufacturing Company	Charleston
A. W. Paull, Sr.	Wheeling Stamping Company	Wheeling
Lacy I. Rice	Berkeley Woolen Company	Martinsburg
C. B. Roe	Fostoria Glass Company	Moundsville
Isaac M. Scott	Wheeling Steel Corporation	Wheeling
A. S. Shoffstall	The International Nickel Company, Inc.	Huntington
E. W. Stifel	J. L. Stifel & Sons, Inc.	Wheeling
R. H. Taylor	The Libbey-Owens-Ford Glass Company	Toledo, Ohio
A. F. Thompson	A. F. Thompson Manufacturing Company	Huntington
J. M. Wells	The Homer Laughlin China Company	Newell
Paul G. Woodward	American Viscose Corporation	Parkersburg
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## THE AMERICAN SOCIETY OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERS

### Officers

<i>Chairman:</i>	C. L. Johnson	Charleston
<i>Vice Chairman:</i>	M. S. Bloomsburg	Belle
<i>Secretary-Treasurer:</i>	H. B. Hickman	Charleston

## WEST VIRGINIA RETAIL MERCHANTS ASSOCIATION

### Officers

<i>President:</i>	George L. Coyle	Charleston
<i>First Vice President:</i>	W. B. Anderson, Jr.	Huntington
<i>Second Vice President:</i>	B. C. Harris	Logan
<i>Treasurer:</i>	A. W. Steller	Welch

**Directors**

S. L. Good, Wheeling	Sam Dils, Parkersburg
H. J. Hartley, Fairmont	W. B. Anderson, Huntington
A. R. Emmett, Martinsburg	J. T. Thornton, Bluefield
Henry Garrett, Berkeley Springs	F. L. Thompson, Williamson
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**WEST VIRGINIA ASSOCIATION OF MILK SANITARIANS****Officers**

<i>Post President:</i> H. O. Henderson	Morgantown
<i>President:</i> W. P. Gainor	Fairmont
<i>First Vice President:</i> James B. Weber	Charleston
<i>Second Vice President:</i> S. L. Frame	Martinsburg
<i>Secretary-Treasurer:</i> (Vacancy)	
<i>Auditor:</i> L. J. Manus	Morgantown

**WEST VIRGINIA MOTOR TRUCK ASSOCIATION****Officers**

<i>President:</i> Ted N. Moyers	Wheeling
<i>First Vice President:</i> A. M. Bell	Charleston
<i>Second Vice President:</i> D. T. Brooks	Parkersburg
<i>Third Vice President:</i> H. S. Coleman	Williamson
<i>Fourth Vice President:</i> Martin Caravanich	Weirton
<i>Secretary-Treasurer:</i> E. E. Spear	Moundsville

**WEST VIRGINIA LEAGUE OF MUNICIPALITIES****Officers**

<i>President:</i> Walter F. Ball	New Martinsville
<i>Vice President:</i> Paul J. Duffy	Wheeling
<i>Treasurer:</i> Paul E. Amos	Fairmont
<i>Executive Secretary:</i> Hume K. Nowlan	Hinton

**THE WEST VIRGINIA FEDERATION OF MUSIC CLUBS****Officers**

<i>President:</i> Mrs. Delbert T. Robinson	Charleston
<i>First Vice President:</i> Cora M. Atchison	Clarksburg
<i>Second Vice President:</i> Mrs. Harlan Y. Wilson	Charleston
<i>Third Vice President:</i> Jeanette C. Sayre	Charleston
<i>Recording Secretary:</i> Mrs. C. S. Moses	Holidays Cove
<i>Treasurer:</i> Mrs. Claude R. Hill	Oak Hill

**WEST VIRGINIA OFFICE EQUIPMENT DEALERS  
ASSOCIATION****Officers**

<i>President:</i> John Hanley	Charleston
<i>Vice President:</i> Hanley Morgan	Huntington
<i>Secretary-Treasurer:</i> E. B. Jarrett	Bluefield

**WEST VIRGINIA OIL AND NATURAL GAS ASSOCIATION****Officers**

*President:* H. A. Wallace, Jr. .... Charleston  
*Vice President:* W. B. Gribble ..... Clarksburg  
*Secretary-Treasurer:* Edwin Robinson ..... Fairmont

**Directors**

H. L. Bennett, Wheeling	Hugh Burdette, Charleston
E. F. Daubenspeck, Parkersburg	John P. Flynn, Sistersville
J. Robert Hornor, Clarksburg	W. J. Hightower, Charleston
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**WEST VIRGINIA PETROLEUM ASSOCIATION****Officers**

*President:* J. E. Jones ..... Parkersburg  
*Vice President:* C. L. Voress ..... Charleston  
*Secretary:* Edwin F. Patrick ..... Charleston

**Executive Committee**

J. E. Jones, Parkersburg	J. C. King, Charleston
C. L. Voress, Charleston	J. C. Megraw, Cabin Creek
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**WEST VIRGINIA SPORTSMEN PILOTS' ASSOCIATION****Officers**

*President:* Gettys S. Johnson ..... Charleston  
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*Secretary-Treasurer:* Dewey E. S. Kuhns ..... Charleston

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*President:* J. Guy Hawkins ..... Fairmont  
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*Secretary-Treasurer:* J. K. Matthews ..... Charleston

## WEST VIRGINIA ASSOCIATION OF POLICE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSIONERS

### Officers

*President:* Frank Kuhn.....Fairmont  
*First Vice President:* C. W. Martin.....Charleston  
*Second Vice President:* Dr. R. S. Widemeyer.....Parkersburg  
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## FRATERNAL ORDER OF POLICE

### West Virginia Lodge

#### OBJECT

Organized May 14, 1916, the Fraternal Order of Police, consisting of about 21,000 members, is now active in thirteen states. It was formed for and is now supported by police officers in the various cities in these states. Advocating civil service and the merit system for all police departments, the object of the Order is to better working conditions for police officers.

### Officers

*President:* Harry Farris.....Huntington  
*Vice President:* Clarence Custer.....Wheeling  
*Secretary:* Marvin R. Nichols.....Fairmont  
*Treasurer:* Leslie L. Harris.....Wheeling  
*Guard:* A. J. Baker.....Huntington  
*Conductor:* L. B. Warren.....Charleston  
*Chaplain:* G. R. Griffith.....Williamson

## NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF POSTMASTERS OF THE UNITED STATES

### (West Virginia Chapter)

### Officers

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*Second Vice President:* Mrs. Nancy Martin.....Belle  
*Third Vice President:* E. E. Williams.....Masontown  
*Fourth Vice President:* Mrs. Nona Marcum.....Ceredo  
*National Director, First and Second Class Offices:* Ann Wetherby.....Welch  
*National Director, Third and Fourth Class Offices:* J. F. Graham.....Tunnelton  
*Secretary-Treasurer:* J. K. Kerwood.....Ripley  
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## WEST VIRGINIA THIRD AND FOURTH CLASS POSTMASTERS ASSOCIATION

### Officers

*President:* J. Leo Holsberry.....Rainelle  
*First Vice President:* E. Lodge Ross.....Simpson  
*Second Vice President:* Netty Reese.....Palestine  
*Third Vice President:* George L. Smith.....Petersburg  
*Secretary-Treasurer:* Mrs. Louise E. Bumphrey.....Burlington

## NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF POSTAL SUPERVISORS (West Virginia State Branch)

### Officers

*President:* Claude D. Stanley.....Vienna Branch, Parkersburg  
*Vice President:* H. H. Bonner.....Clarksburg  
*Secretary-Treasurer:* E. W. See.....Parkersburg

## UNITED NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF POST OFFICE CLERKS (West Virginia Branch)

### Officers

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*First Vice President:* F. M. Boon.....Huntington  
*Second Vice President:* W. D. Sturm.....Phillippi  
*Secretary:* W. D. Cabell.....Charleston  
*Treasurer:* John H. Sibold.....Lewisburg

### (Ladies Auxiliary)

### Officers

*President:* Mrs. Charles Lockhart.....Parkersburg  
*First Vice President:* Mrs. Charles B. Maxwell.....Clarksburg  
*Second Vice President:* Mrs. T. E. Dunkle.....Huntington  
*Secretary-Treasurer:* Mrs. Howard D. Haught.....Clarksburg

## WEST VIRGINIA FEDERATION OF POST OFFICE CLERKS

### Officers

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*Second Vice President:* H. E. Spencer.....Huntington  
*Third Vice President:* Paul F. Bickel.....White Sulphur Springs  
*Fourth Vice President:* Mae Greenewalt.....Welch  
*Fifth Vice President:* M. C. Tenney.....Buckhannon  
*Secretary-Treasurer:* Charles Young.....Charleston

## NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF LETTER CARRIERS (West Virginia State Association)

### Officers

*President:* Paul Frost.....Fairmont  
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*Secretary:* W. E. Harmon.....Charleston  
*Treasurer:* F. H. Whaley.....Clarksburg

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*President:* Mrs. Dorothy West ..... Charleston  
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*Secretary:* Mrs. Virginia Sturms ..... Huntington  
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**WEST VIRGINIA RURAL LETTER CARRIERS' ASSOCIATION****Officers**

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*Vice President:* Clem E. Montgomery ..... Keyser  
*Secretary:* John W. Phillips ..... Cameron  
*Treasurer:* Guy V. Hill ..... Sistersville

**(Ladies Auxiliary)****Officers**

*President:* Mrs. Cecil R. Ash ..... Bens Run  
*Vice President:* Mrs. Lucian Jones ..... East Lynn  
*Secretary:* Mrs. Fred A. Foster ..... Buckhannon  
*Treasurer:* Mrs. M. C. Marple ..... Buckhannon

**STAR ROUTE MAIL CARRIERS ASSOCIATION****(West Virginia Branch)****Officers**

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*Vice President:* R. B. Rutherford ..... Auburn  
*Secretary-Treasurer:* Bryan Miller ..... Webster Springs

**WEST VIRGINIA POULTRY ASSOCIATION****Officers**

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*Vice President:* John E. Weidlich ..... Roanoke  
*Secretary:* H. M. Hyre ..... Morgantown  
*Treasurer:* G. W. Myers ..... Shenandoah Junction

**MASTER PRINTERS' ASSOCIATION OF WEST VIRGINIA****Officers**

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**WEST VIRGINIA SOCIETY OF PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS****Officers**

*President:* M. L. O'Neale ..... Huntington  
*First Vice President:* L. C. Allen ..... Parkersburg  
*Second Vice President:* H. W. Saunders ..... Coopers  
*Executive Secretary-Treasurer:* Robert Williamson, Jr. .... Charleston



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**WEST VIRGINIA REAL ESTATE ASSOCIATION**

**Officers**

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*First Vice President:* Samuel E. Standrod.....Bluefield  
*Second Vice President:* O. F. Cook.....Beckley  
*Third Vice President:* Hugh G. Runner.....Morgantown  
*Secretary-Treasurer:* Ralph T. Ayers.....Charleston

**THE AMERICAN RED CROSS  
 CHAPTERS IN WEST VIRGINIA**

(Under Jurisdiction of Eastern Area, American National Red Cross,  
 Washington)

<i>City</i>	<i>Chapter</i>	<i>City</i>	<i>Chapter</i>
Alderson .....	Alderson	Mullens .....	Wyoming County
Beckley .....	Raleigh County	New Cumberland .....	Hancock County
Berkeley Springs .....	Morgan County	New Martinsville .....	Wetzel County
Bluefield .....	Bluefield	Parkersburg .....	Wood County
Buckhannon .....	Upshur County	Pennsboro .....	Ritchie County
Charleston .....	Charleston	Petersburg .....	Grant County
Charles Town .....	Jefferson County	Phillippi .....	Barbour County
Clarksburg .....	Harrison County	Piedmont .....	Piedmont
Elizabeth .....	Wirt County	Point Pleasant .....	Mason County
Elkins .....	Randolph County	Princeton .....	Princeton
Fairmont .....	Fairmont	Ravenswood .....	Jackson County
Franklin .....	Pendleton County	Richwood .....	Richwood
Fayetteville .....	Fayette County	Romney .....	Hampshire County
Glenville .....	Gilmer County	St. Marys .....	Pleasants County
Grafton .....	Taylor County	Salem .....	Salem College
Grantsville .....	Calhoun County	Shepherdstown .....	Shepherdstown
Hamlin .....	Lincoln County	Sistersville .....	Tyler County
Hinton .....	Summers County	Spencer .....	Roane County
Huntington .....	Huntington-Cabell County	Summersville .....	Nicholas County
Keyser .....	Mineral County	Sutton .....	Braxton County
Kingwood .....	John Barton Payne	Thomas .....	Tucker County
Lewisburg .....	Greenbrier County	Union .....	Monroe County
Logan .....	Logan County	Wayne .....	Wayne County
Madison .....	Boone County	Webster Springs .....	Webster County
Mannington .....	Mannington	Wellsburg .....	Brooke County
Martinsburg .....	Berkeley County	Welch .....	McDowell County
Marlinton .....	Pocahontas County	Weston .....	Lewis County
Montgomery .....	Montgomery	West Union .....	Doddridge County
Moorefield .....	Hardy County	Wheeling .....	Wheeling
Morgantown .....	Monongalia County	Williamson .....	Mingo County
Moundsville .....	Marshall County	Winfield .....	Putnam County

**JUNIOR RED CROSS**

**Officers**

*State Chairman:* Lee Toothman.....Clarksburg  
*First Vice President:* Raymond Pemberton.....Huntington  
*Second Vice President:* Grace White.....Parkersburg  
*Secretary-Treasurer:* Penn Norris.....Caretta



**WEST VIRGINIA SHERIFF'S ASSOCIATION****Officers**

*President:* J. M. Slack.....Charleston  
*First Vice President:* Dell White.....Madison  
*Second Vice President:* Dan W. Ferguson.....New Cumberland  
*Secretary:* A. C. West.....Fairmont  
*Treasurer:* J. R. Aliff.....Fayetteville

**WEST VIRGINIA PUREBRED SHEEP BREEDERS ASSOCIATION****Officers**

*President:* David Pew.....Cairo  
*Vice President:* A. B. Fleming.....Berea  
*Secretary:* C. V. Wilson.....Morgantown  
*Treasurer:* Roy M. Nixon.....Philippi

**WEST VIRGINIA SHORTHAND REPORTERS ASSOCIATION****Officers**

*President:* Irma Sutphin.....Beckley  
*Vice President:* Marion C. Greer.....Parkersburg  
*Secretary-Treasurer:* Cora C. Penhale.....Charleston

**WEST VIRGINIA CONFERENCE FOR SOCIAL WORKERS****Officers**

*President:* Mrs. B. M. Hoover.....Elkins  
*First Vice President:* Dr. Emil Sunley.....Morgantown  
*Second Vice President:* Jane Houser.....Wheeling  
*Treasurer:* C. D. Parsons.....Morgantown

**WEST VIRGINIA AFFILIATED SPORTSMEN'S ASSOCIATION****Officers**

*President:* H. H. Speicher.....Elkins  
*Vice Presidents:* A. S. Moore.....Rainelle  
                   W. C. Calhoun.....Moorefield  
                   Ed. Swint.....Sutton  
                   Col. Reuben Smith.....Huntington  
                   Homer DeJournett.....Logan  
                   E. B. McIntyre.....Smithfield  
*Secretary-Treasurer:* Frank Johnston.....Hillsboro

**WEST VIRGINIA THEATRE MANAGERS ASSOCIATION****Officers**

*President:* S. J. Hyman.....Huntington  
*Vice Presidents:* Dr. C. P. Church.....Mannington  
                   Mrs. P. M. Thomas.....Parkersburg  
                   G. W. Talbott.....Elkins  
                   N. B. Carskadon.....Keyser  
                   L. E. Rogers.....Welch  
                   R. W. Phelan.....Clendenin  
*Secretary-Treasurer:* W. H. Holt.....Richwood

## UPPER MONONGAHELA VALLEY ASSOCIATION

### Officers

*Chairman:* A. L. Helmick.....Thomas  
*Vice Chairman:* Dr. W. E. Brooks.....Morgantown  
*Secretary:* A. C. Spurr.....Fairmont  
*Treasurer:* A. L. Helmick.....Thomas  
*Manager:* F. Leslie Body.....Fairmont  
*Industrial Counselor:* F. D. Dodge.....New York City

### County Chairmen

<b>Barbour:</b>	<b>Preston:</b>
Curtis Lambert, Philippi	Maj. C. C. Pierce, Kingwood
<b>Harrison:</b>	<b>Randolph:</b>
Mrs. J. Carl Vance, Clarksburg	Claude Maxwell, Elkins
<b>Lewis:</b>	<b>Taylor:</b>
M. B. Sprigg, Weston	Lloyd L. Shriver, Grafton
<b>Marion:</b>	<b>Tucker:</b>
George R. Parsons, Fairmont	A. L. Helmick, Thomas
<b>Monongalia:</b>	<b>Upshur:</b>
George R. Farmer, Morgantown	Howard Thompson, Buckhannon

### Publicity Committee

Ray W. Garvin, Clarksburg	H. G. Rhawn, Clarksburg
Brooks Cottle, Morgantown	L. G. Boggs, Fairmont

## PUBLIC UTILITIES ASSOCIATION OF WEST VIRGINIA

### Officers

*President:* Aubrey McDaniel.....Martinsburg  
*Vice Presidents:* G. L. Furr.....Bluefield  
 H. B. McCune.....Wheeling  
*Secretary:* A. Bliss McCrum.....Charleston

## AMERICAN WATER WORKS ASSOCIATION

### (West Virginia Section)

### Officers

*Chairman:* William Kirchner.....Fairmont  
*Vice Chairman:* A. L. Rhoads.....Bluefield  
*Secretary-Treasurer:* J. B. Harrington.....Charleston  
*American Water Works Association Director:* Mintor Hctzer.....Moundsville

## WEST VIRGINIA WILD LIFE FEDERATION

### Officers

*President:* Calvin W. Price.....Marlinton  
*Vice President:* J. D. Schultz.....Fayetteville  
*Secretary:* E. L. Lively.....Fairmont  
*Treasurer:* L. A. Ruckman.....Martinsburg

**WILD LIFE LEAGUE OF WEST VIRGINIA****Officers**

*President:* Dr. C. F. McClintic.....Williamsburg  
*First Vice President:* P. H. Hornbrook.....Wheeling  
*Second Vice President:* Dr. C. W. Orton.....Morgantown  
*Third Vice President:* Dr. W. C. Epling.....Princeton  
*Secretary-Treasurer:* E. L. Lively.....Fairmont

**WEST VIRGINIA WOMAN'S CHRISTIAN  
TEMPERANCE UNION****Officers**

*President:* Mrs. Mae T. Henson.....Bluefield  
*Vice President:* Mrs. F. L. Miller.....Parkersburg  
*Corresponding Secretary:* Ruth W. Davis.....Bluefield  
*Treasurer:* Mrs. Margaret H. Myers.....New Martinsville  
*Recording Secretary:* Mrs. B. F. Robinson.....Clarksburg

**WEST VIRGINIA WOOL MARKETING ASSOCIATION****Officers**

*President:* W. O. Lunsford.....Weston  
*Vice President:* R. H. Tuckwiller.....Lewisburg  
*Secretary:* H. L. Riggle.....Morgantown  
*Treasurer:* Rezin B. Hudkins.....Mount Clare

**WEST VIRGINIA ASSOCIATION OF THE YOUNG MEN'S  
CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATIONS****Officers**

*Chairman:* J. G. Bradley.....Dundon  
*Vice Chairman:* E. L. Colcord.....Montcoal  
*State Secretary:* Frank M. Liddle.....Charleston  
*Treasurer:* L. O. Emerick.....Charleston

**YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATIONS IN WEST VIRGINIA****Associations and Secretaries**

<i>City</i>	<i>General Secretary</i>	<i>City</i>	<i>General Secretary</i>
Charleston.....	Robert C. Boothe	Huntington.....	Robert M. Allison
Elkins.....	J. O. Hunnicutt	Parkersburg.....	Arley T. Zinn
Grafton.....	William A. Manley	Wheeling.....	Ivan S. Justice

**Railroad Associations and Secretaries**

Benwood.....	Harry C. Leftwich	Handley.....	Herbert E. Snyder
Bluefield.....	Lloyd E. Moore	Hinton.....	James K. Dawson
Bluefield (Colored).....	P. A. Goines	Peach Creek.....	Clifford J. Randolph
Cane Fork (Eskdale).....	A. W. Marney	Williamson.....	J. E. Winslow

**Mining Associations and Secretaries**

Whitmans.....	H. C. Nix	Widen.....	M. R. B. Boyes
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## YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATIONS IN WEST VIRGINIA

<i>City</i>	<i>General Secretary</i>
Bluefield.....	Minnie E. Weaver
Charleston.....	Nancy E. McFarland
Clarksburg.....	Mrs. Josephine Hyre
Fairmont.....	Meta L. Dowling
Huntington.....	Nell A. Kirby
Morgantown (West Virginia University).....	Anna Lee Davies ( <i>Campus Secretary</i> )
Parkersburg.....	Mrs. Ethel Swick
Wheeling.....	Mrs. Emma Down Smith

## FRATERNAL ORGANIZATIONS

### B'NAI B'RITH

(West Virginia Council)

#### Officers

<i>President:</i> Isadore Cohen.....	Bluefield
<i>First Vice President:</i> Sidney Schwartz.....	Wheeling
<i>Second Vice President:</i> B. Kahn.....	Williamson
<i>Secretary:</i> Jerome Katz.....	Bluefield
<i>Treasurer:</i> Louis Hiller.....	Clarksburg

## CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF AMERICA

(State Court of West Virginia)

#### Officers

<i>State Regent:</i> Mrs. Joan Davidson.....	Huntington
<i>Vice State Regent:</i> (Vacancy)	
<i>State Secretary:</i> Mrs. T. R. Mulheran.....	Clarksburg
<i>State Treasurer:</i> Margaret Smoot.....	Charleston
<i>State Monitor:</i> Mrs. Ada Cahill.....	Parkersburg

## WEST VIRGINIA ELKS ASSOCIATION

#### Officers

<i>President:</i> Adam Martin.....	Wheeling
<i>First Vice President, North:</i> Donald P. Fleming.....	Parkersburg
<i>First Vice President, South:</i> M. K. Hearne.....	Charleston
<i>Second Vice President, North:</i> Dr. O. L. Cook.....	Grafton
<i>Second Vice President, South:</i> Cecil Bond.....	Bluefield
<i>Secretary:</i> L. C. Purdy.....	Wheeling
<i>Treasurer:</i> Roy C. Heinlein.....	Sistersville
<i>Trustees:</i> John F. Brown.....	Elkins
R. D. Lake.....	Charleston
Arch F. Dawson.....	Morgantown
Leslie N. Hemenway.....	Parkersburg
W. Harry Nichols.....	Huntington
<i>Chaplain:</i> Walter H. Lelner.....	Clarksburg
<i>Sergeant-at-Arms:</i> Fred Boehm.....	Martinsburg
<i>Inner Guard:</i> Joseph Doig.....	Sistersville
<i>Tiler:</i> Frank F. Martin.....	Huntington

## WEST VIRGINIA STATE ASSOCIATION IMPROVED BENEVOLENT PROTECTIVE ORDER OF ELKS OF THE WORLD

(Colored)

### Officers

<i>President:</i> Dr. Simpson A. Smith	Huntington
<i>First Vice President:</i> Joseph Farrington	Fairmont
<i>Second Vice President:</i> R. W. Austin	Williamson
<i>Third Vice President:</i> Joseph A. Hill	Weirton
<i>Secretary:</i> Major Joseph T. Jackson	Charleston
<i>Treasurer:</i> Herman Newman, Jr.	Wheeling
<i>Sergeant-at-Arms:</i> Charles R. Hill	Weirton
<i>Inner Guard:</i> Nathaniel Terrell	Power
<i>Tiler:</i> John Wooster	Charleston
<i>Legal Adviser:</i> George W. Crockett, Jr.	Fairmont
<i>Educational Chairman:</i> A. J. Major	Weirton
<i>Director of Civil Liberties:</i> J. G. Lampkin	Fairmont
<i>Master of Social Sessions:</i> Adolph S. Meyer	Fairmont

## WEST VIRGINIA FRATERNAL CONGRESS

### Officers

<i>President:</i> E. P. Covington	Huntington
<i>First Vice President:</i> D. P. Cline	Wheeling
<i>Second Vice President:</i> Mrs. Faye K. Littman	Albert
<i>Secretary:</i> Howard D. Haight	Clarksburg
<i>Treasurer:</i> Mae Underwood	Fairmont

## SONS OF ITALY IN AMERICA

(Grand Lodge of West Virginia)

### Officers

<i>Grand Venerabile:</i> Antonio Arena	Clarksburg
<i>Assistant Grand Venerabile:</i> Frank S. Mayolo	Piedmont
<i>Ex-Grand Venerabile:</i> Toto Guidice	Charleston
<i>Honorary Grand Venerabile:</i> V. Procoplo	Pittsburgh, Pa.
<i>Grand Oratore:</i> Luigi Costa	Clarksburg
<i>Grand Recording Secretary:</i> Angelo Viani	Fairmont
<i>Grand Financial Secretary:</i> Domenico Larosa	Fairmont
<i>Grand Treasurer:</i> Virgilio Arena	Clarksburg

### Grand Trustees

Domenico Mallamo, Fairmont	Mike Paterno, Charleston
James Farinetti, Morgantown	Frank Vinci, Logan
Anthony Basile, Clarksburg	

## JUNIOR ORDER UNITED AMERICAN MECHANICS

(West Virginia Council)

### Officers

<i>State Councilor:</i> Robert C. Watts	Charleston
<i>State Vice Councilor:</i> Charles W. Ambrose, Jr.	Lost River
<i>Junior Past State Councilor:</i> L. D. Nottingham	Durbin

<i>State Treasurer:</i>	I. R. Graham.....	Martinsburg
<i>State Secretary:</i>	R. F. Lambert.....	Huntington
<i>State Conductor:</i>	W. J. Bailey.....	Princeton
<i>State Warden:</i>	D. D. Roberts.....	Parkersburg
<i>State Inside Sentinel:</i>	Paul M. Kennedy.....	Blaine
<i>State Outside Sentinel:</i>	H. I. Miller.....	Page
<i>State Chaplain:</i>	C. O. Wetherholt.....	Barboursville
<i>National Representatives:</i>	Delbert E. Williams.....	Clarksburg
	George Dorsey.....	Moundsville
	D. J. Cunningham.....	West Union

## WEST VIRGINIA STATE COUNCIL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

### Officers

<i>State Deputy:</i>	J. M. Donohoe.....	Huntington
<i>Past State Deputy:</i>	E. F. Dalton.....	Charleston
<i>State Secretary:</i>	J. P. Matthews.....	Moundsville
<i>State Treasurer:</i>	M. J. Moran.....	Weston
<i>State Advocate:</i>	H. R. Warder.....	Grafton
<i>State Warden:</i>	D. L. Lombardo.....	Fairmont
<i>State Lecturer:</i>	William E. Grob.....	Wheeling
<i>State Chaplain:</i>	Rev. George Burke.....	Bluefield

## THE MACCABEES

### West Virginia Officers

<i>State Manager and Commander:</i>	Ben H. Thompson.....	Clarksburg
<i>State Record Keeper:</i>	O. Rolla Williams.....	St. Marys

### District Managers

William H. Helmick.....	Shinnston	O. Rolla Williams.....	St. Marys
Alton Bell.....	Clarksburg	Goebel B. Coffman.....	Huntington
Mary V. Pharis.....	Clarksburg	Vincent Kibbe.....	Petroleum
Bette K. Cottrill.....	Clarksburg	Mrs. Rose Weaver.....	Thomas
P. C. Brunette.....	Clarksburg		

## ANCIENT FREE AND ACCEPTED MASONS

### (West Virginia Grand Lodge)

### Officers

<i>Grand Master:</i>	Robert S. Lemon.....	Parkersburg
<i>Deputy Grand Master:</i>	Porter L. Marsh.....	Parsons
<i>Senior Warden:</i>	Dr. J. B. Dodrill.....	Webster Springs
<i>Junior Warden:</i>	John L. Schroder.....	Martinsburg
<i>Treasurer:</i>	Fred C. Steimbicker.....	Wheeling
<i>Secretary:</i>	I. Wade Coffman.....	Charleston
<i>Grand Lecturer:</i>	Dr. D. C. Peck.....	Grafton
<i>Grand Chaplain:</i>	Dr. Richard Aspinall.....	Morgantown
<i>Senior Deacon:</i>	Harry E. Jackson.....	Milton
<i>Junior Deacon:</i>	W. S. Clark.....	Fairmont
<i>Marshal:</i>	Nelson Cook.....	Wheeling
<i>Pursuivant:</i>	John D. Garrison.....	Middlebourne

## GRAND COMMANDERY OF KNIGHTS TEMPLAR OF WEST VIRGINIA

### Officers

<i>Grand Commander:</i> E. H. Bitner.....	Martinsburg
<i>Deputy Grand Commander:</i> E. V. King.....	Charleston
<i>Grand Generalissimo:</i> E. A. Leonard.....	Bluefield
<i>Grand Captain General:</i> J. W. Carter.....	Clarksburg
<i>Grand Senior Warden:</i> Milton W. Stroehman.....	Parkersburg
<i>Grand Junior Warden:</i> Charles W. Steel.....	Grafton
<i>Grand Prelate:</i> Wm. L. Gravatt.....	Charleston
<i>Grand Treasurer:</i> Tom G. Strickler.....	Pennsboro
<i>Grand Recorder, Emeritus:</i> J. Scott Vandervort.....	Weston
<i>Grand Recorder:</i> Henry F. Smith.....	Fairmont
<i>Grand Standard Bearer:</i> Walter H. Boone.....	Mount Hope
<i>Grand Sword Bearer:</i> A. O. Kraehenbuehl.....	Huntington
<i>Grand Warder:</i> Clyde McGranahan.....	Wheeling
<i>Grand Captain of Guard:</i> A. M. Gluck.....	Martinsburg

## ROYAL ARCH MASONS (West Virginia Grand Chapter)

### Officers

<i>Grand High Priest:</i> James E. Hart.....	Huntington
<i>Grand King:</i> Frank G. Hiehle.....	Fairmont
<i>Grand Scribe:</i> William C. Morton.....	Martinsburg
<i>Grand Treasurer:</i> W. Turner Morrils.....	Wheeling
<i>Grand Secretary:</i> G. M. Ford.....	Wheeling
<i>Grand Chaplain:</i> E. W. Billings.....	Hinton
<i>Grand Captain of Host:</i> Joseph S. Keatley.....	Thurmond
<i>Grand Principal Sojourner:</i> Allen T. Buchanan.....	Bluefield
<i>Royal Arch Captain:</i> E. A. Graham.....	Wheeling
<i>Grand Master of the Third Veil:</i> John A. Jackson.....	Clarksburg
<i>Grand Master of the Second Veil:</i> Uriah Vermillion.....	Athens
<i>Grand Master of the First Veil:</i> G. T. Mackey.....	Morgantown
<i>Grand Marshal:</i> James I. Dugan.....	Huntington
<i>Grand Tiler:</i> P. O. White.....	Morgantown

## ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR (Grand Chapter of West Virginia)

### Officers

<i>Worthy Grand Matron:</i> Mrs. Edith M. Sweet.....	St. Albans
<i>Worthy Grand Patron:</i> Harry C. Hoffman.....	Clarksburg
<i>Associate Grand Matron:</i> Mrs. Nelle J. Price.....	Morgantown
<i>Associate Grand Patron:</i> John L. Zimmer.....	Charleston
<i>Grand Secretary:</i> Etta M. Barnes.....	Weston
<i>Grand Treasurer:</i> Mrs. Blanche C. Smith.....	Weston
<i>Grand Conductress:</i> Mrs. Nelle C. Walden.....	Yukon
<i>Associate Grand Conductress:</i> Mrs. Mildred Cramblet.....	Bethany
<i>Grand Chaplain:</i> Mrs. Emma Campbell.....	Davis
<i>Grand Marshal:</i> Portia Hamrick.....	Huntington
<i>Grand Organist:</i> Hazel Jones.....	Sistersville
<i>Grand Adah:</i> Mrs. Pearle Earle.....	Elkins
<i>Grand Ruth:</i> Mrs. Anna Hughes.....	Parkersburg
<i>Grand Esther:</i> Mrs. Gertrude Beavers.....	Grafton

<i>Grand Martha:</i>	Mrs. Grace Rohrbough.....	Grafton
<i>Grand Electa:</i>	Mrs. Mina Gracey.....	Wellsburg
<i>Grand Warder:</i>	Hannah Johnson.....	Wheeling
<i>Grand Sentinel:</i>	Irvin Dugan.....	Guyandotte

## THE MOST WORSHIPFUL GRAND LODGE, A. F. & A. M. OF WEST VIRGINIA

(Colored)

### Officers

<i>Grand Master:</i>	J. W. Hutton.....	Martinsburg
<i>Deputy Grand Master:</i>	Carey Williams.....	Omar
<i>Grand Senior Warden:</i>	Carl T. Hairston.....	Williamson
<i>Grand Junior Warden:</i>	C. Lee Pryor.....	Charleston
<i>Grand Secretary:</i>	Gregory W. Whiting.....	Bluefield
<i>Grand Treasurer:</i>	Alexander Barbour.....	Mullens
<i>Grand Trustees:</i>	J. Frank Briscoe.....	Martinsburg
	J. W. Robinson.....	St. Albans
	Jesse Hicks.....	Parkersburg

## GRAND COMMANDERY OF KNIGHTS TEMPLAR OF WEST VIRGINIA

(Colored)

### Grand Elected Officers

<i>Grand Commander:</i>	Isaac M. Carper.....	Charleston
<i>Grand Generalissimo:</i>	Henry Stewart.....	Parkersburg
<i>Grand Captain General:</i>	Alex Harris.....	Huntington
<i>Grand Senior Warden:</i>	G. A. Brown.....	Parkersburg
<i>Grand Junior Warden:</i>	Fred Tubbs.....	Omar
<i>Grand Treasurer:</i>	James S. Carper.....	Charleston
<i>Grand Recorder:</i>	Alexander Barbour.....	Mullens
<i>Grand Standard Bearer:</i>	J. M. Ellis.....	Oak Hill
<i>Grand Sword Bearer:</i>	D. Grant.....	Huntington
<i>Grand Warden:</i>	James G. B. Trust.....	Charleston

## GRAND CHAPTER, ROYAL ARCH MASONS OF WEST VIRGINIA

(Colored)

### Officers

<i>Grand High Priest:</i>	Henry Stewart.....	Parkersburg
<i>Grand King:</i>	Fred Tubbs.....	Omar
<i>Grand Scribe:</i>	Alexander Harris.....	Huntington
<i>Grand Treasurer:</i>	James S. Carper.....	Charleston
<i>Grand Secretary:</i>	Alexander Barbour.....	Mullens
<i>Grand Captain of Host:</i>	G. L. Brown.....	Parkersburg
<i>Grand Principal Sojourner:</i>	J. M. Ellis.....	Oak Hill
<i>Grand Royal Arch Captain:</i>	Charles N. Williams.....	Huntington
<i>Grand Master of the Third Vell:</i>	J. G. Hill.....	Parkersburg
<i>Grand Master of the Second Vell:</i>	Isaac M. Carper.....	Charleston
<i>Grand Master of the First Vell:</i>	R. D. Woodfolk.....	Huntington
<i>Grand Sentinel:</i>	James G. B. Trust.....	Charleston

## ROYAL CRAFT GRAND LODGE, FREE AND ACCEPTED ANCIENT YORK MASONS

(Colored)

### Officers

Grand Master: R. L. French	Beckley
Deputy Grand Master: J. H. Solomon	Tralee
Senior Warden: Rev. J. C. Young	Montgomery
Junior Warden: O. Hill	East Gulf
Grand Secretary: G. S. Miller	Bramwell
Grand Assistant Secretary: Jas. P. D. Gardner	Bluefield
Grand Treasurer: H. B. Rice	Charleston
Grand Chaplain: Jennings Ferrell	Charleston
Senior Grand Deacon: W. F. Hill	East Gulf
Junior Grand Deacon: Addison Hopkins	Bluefield
Steward: Eugene Ward	East Gulf
Second Steward: J. A. Bassett	Beckley
Tiler: L. B. Goines	Nuriva

## STATE CAMP MODERN WOODMEN OF AMERICA

### Officers

State Secretary: E. B. Kirkpatrick	White Sulphur Springs
State Consul: B. H. Gabbert	Clarksburg

## WEST VIRGINIA STATE MOOSE ASSOCIATION

(Loyal Order of Moose)

### Officers

President: Fred T. Wilson	Fairmont
Vice President: Dr. M. W. Harris	Terra Alta
District Vice Presidents: Edgar Minnich	Wellsburg
Joseph R. Joy	Morgantown
Max Pascover	Durbin
W. F. Murphy	Charleston
Dr. F. M. O'Brien	Bluefield
W. D. Nace	Tams
O. R. Nichols	Rainelle
Secretary: Delbert E. Jenkins	Fairmont
Treasurer: A. E. Fiorentino	Elkins
Prelate: F. Roy Yoke	Parkersburg
Scrgcant-at-Arms: Carl Campbell	Montgomery

## INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS

(West Virginia Grand Lodge)

### Officers

Grand Master: Ralph D. Cox	Weston
Deputy Grand Master: Forrest Poling	Charleston
Grand Warden: Herbert Skeen	Ripley
Grand Secretary: A. J. Wilkinson	Huntington
Grand Treasurer: George A. Hunter	Morgantown

**REBEKAHS**

(West Virginia Assembly)

**Officers**

*President:* Mrs. Florence McFarlin.....Clarksburg  
*Vice President:* Mrs. Laura Bailey.....Charleston  
*Warden:* Mrs. Roxie Fitzsimmons.....New Martinsville  
*Secretary:* Mrs. Neva Thorne.....Fairmont  
*Treasurer:* Mrs. Grace Billington.....Harrisville

**GRAND UNITED ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS  
OF WEST VIRGINIA**

(Colored)

**Officers**

*Grand Master:* C. J. Jones.....Hinton  
*Deputy Grand Master:* C. E. Mickens.....Huntington  
*Grand Secretary:* W. P. Lee.....Huntington  
*Grand Treasurer:* J. C. Martin.....Montgomery

**PATRIOTIC ORDER SONS OF AMERICA****Officers**

*President:* H. L. Crites.....New Creek  
*Vice President:* J. H. Warrenfeltz.....New Creek  
*Master of Forms:* Carl Hall.....Rowlesburg  
*Secretary:* C. S. Harden.....Martinsburg  
*Treasurer:* John W. Irvin.....Charles Town  
*Conductor:* B. W. Henry.....Berkeley Springs  
*Inspector:* P. A. Clark.....Moorefield  
*Guard:* D. A. Dott.....New Creek  
*Trustees:* G. R. Paskell.....Moorefield  
           I. H. Irvin.....Charles Town

**KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS****State Officers**

*Grand Chancellor:* William A. Borrer.....Belle  
*Vice Chancellor:* Truslow S. Waldo.....Elizabeth  
*Grand Prelate:* Oscar A. Duff.....Maybeury  
*Grand Master at Arms:* J. V. Balch.....Follansbee  
*Grand Inner Guard:* Jo N. Kenna.....Charleston  
*Grand Outer Guard:* Jack L. Hardy.....Martinsburg  
*Grand Master of Exchequer:* Albert J. Schmidt.....Elkins  
*Grand Keeper of Records and Seal:* J. Gibson VanMeter.....Elkins  
*President Pythian Home Board:* Charles B. Oakes.....Charleston

## PYTHIAN SISTERS

### State Officers

<i>Grand Chief:</i> Mrs. Laura Cramer	Smithville
<i>Past Grand Chief:</i> Mrs. Hilda Judd	Charles Town
<i>Grand Senior:</i> Mrs. Helen Morrison	Montgomery
<i>Grand Junior:</i> Mrs. Florence King	Charleston
<i>Grand Manager:</i> Mrs. Mary D. Snow	Clarksburg
<i>Grand Protector:</i> Mrs. Elda Stoetzer	Wellsburg
<i>Grand Guard:</i> Mrs. Myrtle Lynch	Morgantown
<i>Grand Mistress of Records and Correspondence:</i> Mrs. Bessie Newman	Huntington
<i>Grand Mistress of Finances:</i> Beatrice Hart	McMechen

## KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS OF WEST VIRGINIA

(Colored)

### Grand Officers

<i>Grand Chancellor:</i> T. G. Nutter	Charleston
<i>Grand Keeper of Records and Seal:</i> C. W. Boyd	Charleston
<i>Vice Grand Chancellor:</i> E. W. Jones	Moundsville
<i>Past Grand Chancellor:</i> J. W. Robinson	St. Albans
<i>Grand Prelate:</i> A. J. Smoot	Madison
<i>Grand Attorney:</i> J. M. Ellis	Oak Hill
<i>Grand Master of Exchequer:</i> R. H. McKoy	Bramwell
<i>Grand Marshal:</i> E. L. Morton	Beckley

## IMPROVED ORDER OF RED MEN

### Officers

<i>Great Sachem:</i> G. R. Williams	Martinsburg
<i>Great Senior Sagmore:</i> R. C. Poe	Switchback
<i>Great Junior Sagmore:</i> S. H. Patterson	Huntington
<i>Great Chief of Records:</i> Wm. Carson	Huntington
<i>Great Keeper of Wampum:</i> Sam Blum	Huntington
<i>Great Prophet:</i> J. T. Stollings	Madison
<i>Great Sanap:</i> Verlin Bartram	Huntington
<i>Great Mishinewa:</i> I. H. Russell	Charles Town
<i>Great Guard of Wigwam:</i> Ira Dolln	Jullan
<i>Great Trustees:</i> D. S. Lake	Huntington
Otis Harrison	Huntington
T. J. Edwards	Montgomery

## WEST VIRGINIA FEDERATION OF TEMPLE SISTERHOODS

### Officers

<i>President:</i> Mrs. Paul Broida	Parkersburg
<i>Vice Presidents:</i> Mrs. William Caplan	Clarksburg
Mrs. Sidney Kwass	Bluefield
<i>Corresponding Secretary:</i> Mrs. Henry Hersch	Parkersburg
<i>Treasurer:</i> Mrs. Victor Warmser	Huntington
<i>Auditor:</i> Mrs. Sam Rader	Northfork
<i>Field Secretary:</i> Mrs. Ralph Miller	Wheeling

## ANCIENT ORDER UNITED WORKMEN

(Grand Lodge of West Virginia)

### Officers

<i>Grand Master Workman:</i> Kenneth E. Hines.....	Charleston
<i>Past Grand Master Workman:</i> W. B. Tucker.....	Wheeling
<i>Grand Foreman:</i> Maynard Lucas.....	Wellsburg
<i>Grand Recorder:</i> A. R. Fleming.....	Wheeling
<i>Grand Treasurer:</i> W. H. Higgins.....	Wheeling
<i>Grand Overseer:</i> George Bauerle.....	Wheeling
<i>Grand Guide:</i> C. J. Barth.....	Moundsville
<i>Grand Inside Watchman:</i> J. E. Verlander.....	Huntington
<i>Grand Outside Watchman:</i> J. E. Agar.....	Moundsville
<i>Grand Medical Examiner:</i> Dr. L. N. Harris.....	Wheeling

## HEAD CAMP WOODMEN OF THE WORLD

(Jurisdiction of West Virginia)

### Officers

<i>Head Consul:</i> Frank R. Williams.....	Baltimore, Md.
<i>Head Adviser:</i> Paul H. DeLawter.....	Washington, D. C.
<i>Head Clerk:</i> Howard D. Haught.....	Clarksburg
<i>Head Banker:</i> William H. Dalkin.....	Washington, D. C.

## RELIGIOUS ORGANIZATIONS

### BAPTIST YOUNG PEOPLE'S UNION

#### Officers

<i>President:</i> Rev. Asa Harris.....	Parkersburg
<i>Vice President:</i> Byron J. Turner.....	Weston
<i>Secretary-Treasurer:</i> Virginia Marteney.....	Buckhannon
<i>Adviser:</i> Rev. Hugh Pickett.....	Fairmont

## WEST VIRGINIA COUNCIL OF CHURCHES AND CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

#### Officers

<i>President:</i> Rev. Wm. P. Cline.....	Charleston
<i>Vice President:</i> Rev. H. H. Orr.....	Robertsburg
<i>General Secretary:</i> Rev. Z. B. Edworthy.....	Charleston
<i>Recording Secretary:</i> Rev. Ray N. Shaffer.....	Charleston
<i>Treasurer:</i> J. W. Merricks.....	Charleston

## WEST VIRGINIA CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR UNION

### Officers

*President:* Rev. Allen S. Fields.....New Cumberland  
*Vice Presidents:* Guy H. McKee.....Martinsburg  
                   Russell Shepperd.....Charleston  
                   Minnie Earle.....Huntington  
                   Gladys White.....Princeton  
*Secretary:* Lucille Thrasher.....Clarksburg  
*Treasurer:* O. R. McElwain.....Clarksburg  
*Financial Secretary:* Mae Loyd.....Clarksburg  
*Field Secretary:* Mary E. Jackson.....Jane Lew

## EPWORTH LEAGUE

### West Virginia Conference

*President:* Robert Hinerman.....Huntington  
*Dean:* Rev. Arthur E. Beckett.....Richwood  
*Manager:* Vernon C. Cutright.....Salem

## SERVICE CLUBS

### AMERICAN BUSINESS CLUB

#### (West Virginia Units)

#### Active Clubs

City	President	Secretary	Weekly Meetings
Charleston.....	Wesley Jones .....	James L. Seward .....	Tuesday 12:10
Huntington.....	R. F. Steiner .....	Neal B. Wilson .....	Monday 12:05

## EXCHANGE CLUB

#### (West Virginia)

*District Governor:* William H. Skees.....Charleston

#### Active Clubs

City	President	Secretary	Weekly Meetings
Charleston.....	Wayne A. Rich .....	Joe C. Brown.....	Thursday 12:15
Clarksburg.....	H. Willard White.....	Chester Reid.....	Wednesday 6:15
Huntington.....	Walter Arnold.....	J. George Bender.....	Monday 12:15
South Charleston.....	J. Haddon Smith.....	Glyne Pauley.....	*Tuesday 6:30
Wheeling.....	Frank B. Speidel.....	William G. Steele.....	Monday 12:15

\*Second and fourth Tuesdays.

## KIWANIS

(West Virginia District)

## Officers

<i>Governor:</i>	Thurman B. Cain	Clarksburg
<i>Lt. Governors:</i>		
	<i>First Division</i> —Burdette Crow	Holidays Cove
	<i>Second Division</i> —Jesse E. Riley	Parsons
	<i>Third Division</i> —W. H. Cantees	Williamson
	<i>Fourth Division</i> —Emmette Mann	Hinton
	<i>Fifth Division</i> —B. F. Mitchell	Petersburg
<i>Immediate Past Governor:</i>	Dr. Leonard Riggelman	Charleston
<i>Secretary:</i>	J. E. Cruise	Clarksburg
<i>Treasurer:</i>	Clifford Martin	Elkins

## Active Clubs

Club	President	Secretary	Weekly Meetings
Anawalt		Dr. E. L. Evans	Thursday 6:45
Beckley	E. D. Armstrong	W. A. James	Friday 12:15
Belington	Carl E. Gainer	W. T. Corder	Friday 6:30
Bluefield		H. Edward Steele	Monday 21:15
Charleston	James S. Conley	Mont J. Carmack	Tuesday 12:15
Charles Town		J. S. Alfriend, Jr.	Thursday 6:15
Clarksburg	D. F. Clay	Charles A. Sinscl	Tuesday 12:15
Elkins	Thomas E. Springer	E. A. Summerfield	Thursday 6:15
Fairmont	J. J. Straight	Don C. Ward	Wednesday 12:15
Grafton	R. Virgil Rohrbough	Wm. A. Manely	Tuesday 6:15
Hinton	S. C. Barnett	Emmette A. Mann	Monday 6:15
Huntington	Durwald Klingel	Arch L. Keller	Tuesday 12:10
Logan	A. C. Callihan	R. M. August	Thursday 12:10
Martinsburg	Preston Hopper	Allen A. Kats	Thursday 6:30
Morgan County		P. I. Noland	Monday 6:00
Morgantown	P. D. Strausbaugh	R. C. Tucker	Wednesday 12:15
Moundsville		J. A. Corrigan	Thursday 6:30
Northfork	J. T. Powell	J. Robt. Anderson	Wednesday 6:30
Parkersburg	Herbert L. Stout	Richard B. Smith	Wednesday 12:15
Parsons	Porter L. Marsh	E. L. Moon	Monday 6:30
Petersburg	Jim Breathed	George Strobel	Friday 6:15
Philippi	A. S. Hawkins	Roscoe D. Zinn	Friday 12:15
Point Pleasant	J. H. Hutchinson	John C. Hutchinson	Thursday 6:15
Princeton-Athens	Don McClaugherty	R. A. Lawrence	Wednesday 12:15
St. Marys	L. F. Rosenlieb	Crandall T. Strickling	Wednesday 6:15
Salem	John D. Muldoon	J. E. Casey	Wednesday 12:10
Sistersville	Forrest M. Buck	Rev. G. E. Bauer	Thursday 6:30
War	Herman D. Mierach	Cecil Linkous	Thursday 6:15
Weirton-Cove	C. Ed. Tonly	Kermit Hunter	Tuesday 6:05
Welch	Dennis H. Clark	Kermit Hunter	Tuesday 6:00
Wellsburg		W. C. Gist	Tuesday 12:00
Wheeling	Tom Sweeney, Jr.	Don C. Deitrich	Thursday 12:15
Williamson	M. P. Keadle	E. Gajout Bias	Monday 6:30

\*Bi-weekly.

**LIONS INTERNATIONAL**  
**TWENTY-NINTH DISTRICT**  
**(West Virginia)**

*District Governor:* Harley O. Stagers \_\_\_\_\_ *Keyser*  
*District Secretary-Treasurer:* John K. Sanders \_\_\_\_\_ *Keyser*

**Active Clubs**

Club	President	Secretary	Weekly Meeting
Beckley	A. J. Truman	J. S. Larrick	Tuesday 6:30
Bluefield	Roy Browder	Rev. Paul L. Royer	Friday 12:15
Bridgeport	H. R. Lawson	J. A. Deegan	Thursday 6:30
Buckhannon	M. B. Hymes	F. M. Farnsworth	Thursday 6:15
Charleston	Ray Hinckley	Dennis Clay	Thursday 12:05
Charles Town	Jos. A. Warrenfelts	Edw. McDonald	Friday 6:30
Clarksburg	Paul McKenney	Joe D. Williams	Friday 12:15
Clendenin	Earl Fields	J. D. Thomas	Thursday 6:00
Dunbar	Thaw Stewart	C. M. Higginbotham	Thursday 6:30
Fairmont	J. A. Cunningham	Woodford Moore	Friday 6:15
Gauley Bridge	Vergil Stevens	Hugh L. Clark	Thursday 6:30
Harrisville	Ashford Ayers	Kester F. Fiddler	Thursday 6:00
Huntington	Clifford Heiner	M. O. Riggs	Thursday 12:10
Keyser	E. V. Lindville	W. E. Anderson	Thursday 6:30
Lumberport	Paul Harter	A. L. Brooke	Thursday 6:00
Martinsburg	Frank B. Troupe	Joseph W. Short	Tuesday 6:15
Meadow River	J. E. Decker	K. R. Ketchum	Thursday 7:30
Middlebourne	Claude Gorby	J. A. Woodburn	Monday 6:30
Milton	J. Y. Love	J. B. Kline, Jr.	Thursday 6:15
Montgomery	L. R. McClung	O. G. Stewart	Friday 6:30
Moorefield	R. J. Bean	Foster Arnold	Monday 6:00
Morgantown	Clarence Johnson	Paul W. Wilson	Tuesday 12:15
Moundsville	Joe Neubauer	Elwood G. Grisell	Tuesday 6:30
Mt. Hope	C. E. Jones	W. B. Poling	Thursday 6:00
Nitro	Albert M. Harmon	H. O. Wallace	Tuesday 12:05
Oak Hill	S. D. Morton	Rev. J. A. Wilson	Thursday 6:30
Paden City	Morton Smith	Rex Nutter	Wednesday 8:00
Parkersburg	O. A. Rawlings	Lewis G. Stanley	Thursday 12:15
Ravenswood	D. E. Cole	A. D. G. Cundiff	Thursday 6:15
Ridgeley	Frank H. Heiskell	Richard A. Biggs	Thursday 6:00
Romney	W. C. Bailey	R. M. Golladay	Thursday 6:15
St. Albans	Y. M. J. Nally	G. H. Ellis	Tuesday 6:15
So. Charleston	H. L. Burns	Donald S. Ullock	Tuesday 6:45
Spencer	Euell H. Pursley	Rex Arnott	Thursday 6:15
Summersville	C. G. Frants	James L. Cresay	Monday 6:30
Tri-Towns	Dr. M. James Ward	Honore P. Whitworth	Wednesday 6:30
Wallace	Lynn Ogden	W. H. Figgott	Tuesday 6:30
Webster Springs	S. A. Niland	C. E. Dodd	Wednesday 6:30
Weir Cove	D. Sweaney	S. J. Rees	Wednesday 6:30
Welch	Don S. Renn	W. P. Kearns	Tuesday 6:30
Wellsburg	Frank Lobmiller	Herbert Traubert	Thursday 6:15
Weston	Marion Rogers	A. L. Ellis	Monday 6:15
Wheeling	Lee Roy Cook	E. A. Graham	Wednesday 12:15

<sup>1</sup>Alternate Thursdays.

<sup>2</sup>Alternate Tuesdays.

<sup>3</sup>Tuesdays, 1st and 3rd.

<sup>4</sup>Thursdays, 1st and 3rd.

<sup>5</sup>Mondays, 1st and 3rd.

<sup>6</sup>Thursdays, 2nd and 4th.

<sup>7</sup>Tuesdays, 2nd and 4th.

<sup>8</sup>Mondays, 2nd and 4th.

<sup>9</sup>Wednesdays, 1st and 3rd.

## PILOT CLUB INTERNATIONAL

### Officers

<i>District Governor:</i> Florence K. Thacker.....	Indianapolis, Ind.
<i>President:</i> Mrs. Virginia C. Barnes.....	Charleston
<i>First Vice President:</i> Dr. Anabel Shawkey McConnell.....	Charleston
<i>Second Vice President:</i> Mrs. Esta Swinburne.....	Charleston
<i>Corresponding Secretary:</i> Thelma Martin.....	Charleston
<i>Recording Secretary:</i> Mrs. Ruth Brown.....	Charleston
<i>Treasurer:</i> Ruth Sinnett.....	Charleston

## QUOTA CLUB INTERNATIONAL, INC.

### (West Virginia)

<i>District Governor:</i> Grace O. Austin.....	Charleston
<i>District Secretary:</i> Pearl Strom.....	Charleston
<i>International Director:</i> Effie Loudermilk.....	Bluefield

### Active Clubs

<i>Club</i>	<i>President</i>	<i>Secretary</i>
Bluefield.....	Sue Drinnen.....	Burnice Clark
Charleston.....	Katharine Steen.....	Sophia Zimniski
Clarksburg.....	Ada R. Strickling.....	Nettie Carroll
Fairmont.....	Hazel S. Brown.....	Josephine Farrell
Grafton.....	Maude S. Bush.....	Ethel McCafferty
Morgantown.....	Byrd Pickens.....	Marie Whitfield
Parkersburg.....	Ethel E. Flynn.....	Gertrude Pennock
Princeton.....	Nelle McIntosh Noel.....	Louise Stinnette
Wheeling.....	Mary Hare.....	Linnie Huggins
Williamson.....	Rhoda Hofstetter.....	Virginia Hurt

## ROTARY INTERNATIONAL

### ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY-FIFTH DISTRICT

### (West Virginia)

<i>District Governor:</i> Joseph Rosier.....	Fairmont
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### Active Clubs

<i>City</i>	<i>President</i>	<i>Secretary</i>	<i>Weekly Meeting</i>
Alderson.....	E. V. Coro.....	George Gwinn.....	Friday evening
Beckley.....	Ted McDowell.....	Earl Norris.....	Friday evening
Bluefield.....	George Richardson.....	Ben BeCraft.....	Tuesday noon
Buckhannon.....	Arthur Schoolcraft.....	Bernard Murray.....	Tuesday noon
Charleston.....	Silas Pickering.....	Thomas Maya.....	Friday noon
Clarksburg.....	H. Clay Wymer.....	Robert Wilson.....	Wednesday noon
Clay.....	Charles Barnett.....	James Bogg.....	Tuesday evening
Elkins.....	Arthur Wood.....	C. R. McKim.....	Monday noon
Fairmont.....	Dr. Orrin Bell.....	Walter Grimes.....	Thursday noon
Fayetteville.....	E. Oswald Wiseman.....	Herschel Cottrell.....	Thursday evening
Grafton.....	O. J. Fleming.....	L. J. Loar.....	Thursday evening
Glenville.....	George Strader.....	Linn Hickman.....	Thursday noon
Hinton.....	O. E. Hutchinson.....	C. W. Mann.....	Friday noon
Huntington.....	David Fox.....	Frank Swan.....	Monday noon
Jaeger.....	B. C. Hager.....	C. O. Davis.....	Friday evening

City	President	Secretary	Weekly Meeting
Kenova.....	Hurl Mullens.....	C. M. Rife.....	Friday evening
Keystone.....	Fred Ray.....	Sidney Christie.....	Thursday evening
Kingwood.....	Kenneth Shaffer.....	Gay E. Wilson.....	Tuesday evening
Kimball.....	Dr. Charles Hughea.....	B. J. Davis.....	Tuesday evening
Lewisburg.....	Dr. D. G. Preston.....	Harry Landers.....	Monday noon
Logan.....	Dr. Edwin Matthews.....	Dr. J. L. Patterson.....	Wednesday noon
Madison.....	Luther R. Jones.....	W. E. Bradley.....	Friday noon
Marlinton.....	Dr. John B. Davis.....	John Beard.....	Monday evening
Montgomery.....	F. R. Clark.....	Thomas Self.....	Friday noon
Morgantown.....	J. Lester Hayman.....	J. M. Bucklew.....	Thursday noon
Moundsville.....	Oscar Bonar.....	J. Frank Brannon.....	Wednesday noon
Mullens.....	Chas. V. Stewart.....	Frank Cerrotti.....	Thursday noon
Oak Hill.....	E. H. O'Neal.....	Rev. S. Donnelly.....	Tuesday evening
Parkersburg.....	Kelly Coleman.....	Chas. Arnold, Jr.....	Monday noon
Pineville.....	L. B. Shrewsbury.....	Geo. Nolley.....	Monday evening
Point Pleasant.....	Walden Roush.....	Dr. R. W. Eabenaur.....	Thursday evening
Princeton.....	L. Fred Snead.....	E. W. Anderson.....	Friday noon
Richwood.....	Dr. Ed. Nichols.....	J. F. Comstock.....	Tuesday evening
Ripley.....	Allen Skidmore.....	Dr. O. S. Staats.....	Monday evening
Ronceverte.....	Robt. Kauffelt.....	Frank Owen.....	Tuesday evening
St. Albans.....	J. J. Cook.....	O. B. Pierce.....	Thursday noon
Spencer.....	Chester Dodd.....	Dr. Ralph Morford.....	Monday noon
Sutton.....	Clark Butler.....	Bryan Stonestreet.....	Wednesday evening
Terra Alta.....	E. F. Cassidy.....	L. Bolyard.....	Thursday evening
Union.....	Rev. R. R. Gray.....	M. R. Shirey.....	Thursday evening
Welch.....	Kermit Grogan.....	Rev. D. M. Dorsey.....	Tuesday noon
Weston.....	A. F. Whelan.....	A. L. Vassar.....	Monday noon
Wheeling.....	J. D. Phillips.....	J. J. Msthison.....	Tuesday noon
White Sulphur Springs.....	Hugh Crickenberger.....	Carl Burr.....	Thursday noon
Widen.....	Harold Davies.....	D. F. McMillion.....	Thursday evening
Williamson.....	B. S. Payne.....	Jess Harris.....	Tuesday noon

ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTIETH DISTRICT

District Governor: E. M. Elliott..... Codersport, Pa.

Active Clubs

Club	President	Secretary	Weekly Meetings
Keyser.....	Emory Tyler.....	Robert C. Patterson.....	Thursday 12:15
Martinsburg.....	E. D. Johnston.....	John Wesley Dean.....	Thursday 12:15
Pledmont.....	Raymond Hudson.....	Paul S. Thomas.....	Wednesday 12:15

WAR SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS

NATIONAL SOCIETY DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN  
REVOLUTION IN WEST VIRGINIA

Officers

Regent:	Mrs. W. H. S. White.....	Shepherdstown
Vice Regent:	Mrs. M. T. Slsler.....	Morgantown
Chaplain:	Mrs. J. F. Holswade.....	Huntington
Recording Secretary:	Mrs. H. J. Smith.....	Parkersburg
Treasurer:	Mrs. R. S. Stoyer.....	Morgantown
Registrar:	Mrs. T. A. Scales.....	Charleston
Librarians:	Mrs. Keith McClung.....	Point Pleasant
	Mrs. A. Bruce Eagle.....	Martinsburg

### Honorary State Regents

Mrs. R. H. Edmondson	Morgantown
Mrs. George DeBolt	Fairmont
Mrs. Walteman H. Conaway	Fairmont
Mrs. William H. Vaught	Point Pleasant
Mrs. Paul O. Reymann	Wheeling
Mrs. Gory Hogg	Lewisburg

### Chapter Regents 1939-1940

<i>Chapter</i>	<i>Regent</i>	<i>Address</i>
Barboursville	Mrs. P. A. Vallandingham	Barboursville
Bee Line	Edith S. Gardner	Charles Town
Blackwater	Mrs. J. Harold Felton	Parsons
Borderland	Mrs. George H. Siems	Mt. Hope
Buford	Mrs. Walter E. Duling	Huntington
Capt. James Allen	Mrs. R. J. Burmeister	Raleigh
Col. Andrew Donnally	Mrs. E. Vermillion	Welch
Col. Charles Lewis	Mrs. Harold Sayre	Point Pleasant
Col. John Evans	Mrs. Rudolph S. Stoyer	Morgantown
Col. Morgan Morgan	Mrs. C. V. Fear	Fairmont
Daniel Davisson	Mrs. R. R. Wilson	Clarksburg
Elizabeth Cummins Jackson	Mrs. Alden Beagle	Grafton
Elizabeth Ludington Hagans	Mrs. Benjamin F. Creech	Morgantown
Elizabeth Zane	Mrs. Fred L. Williams	Buckhannon
Hancock Pioneers	Mrs. J. H. Trimble	New Cumberland
James Barbour	Mrs. Emma Rohrbough	Belington
James Wood	Mrs. Welch England	Parkersburg
John Chapman	Mrs. W. C. Easley	Bluefield
John Hart	Mrs. Boyd Wees	Elkins
John Young	Mrs. Cyrus W. Hall, Sr.	Charleston
Kanawha Valley	Mrs. John V. Ray	Charleston
Kings' Wood	Mrs. M. C. Snyder	Kingwood
Lewisburg	Mrs. Johnston E. Bell	Lewisburg
Major William Haymond	Mrs. Raymond M. Fischer	Fairmont
Matthew French	Eleanor Booker	Princeton
Mondongachate	Mrs. W. F. Fredeking	Hinton
Mound	Mrs. Roy W. Jolliffe	Cameron
Pack Horse Ford	Mrs. W. H. S. White	Shepherdstown
Potomac Valley	Mrs. James G. Wright	Keyser
Princess Aracoma	Mrs. A. D. Collins	Stollings
Ravenswood	Ruby D. Watts	Ravenswood
Shenandoah Valley	Mrs. Frank S. Arnett	Inwood
South Branch Valley	Mrs. Myrtle C. Dyer	Franklin
Spencer Roane	Mrs. Lucy V. McClung	Reedy
Trans Alleghany	Mrs. R. L. Bland	Weston
West Augusta	Mrs. T. S. Hardesty	Mannington
Wheeling	Mrs. C. H. Robinson	Wheeling
William Henshaw	Mrs. Paul L. Lingamfelter	North Mountain
William Morris	Mrs. T. D. Peek	Charleston
Ye Towne of Bath	Mrs. Henry N. Gorrell	Berkeley Springs

## WEST VIRGINIA SOCIETY, SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

### Officers

<i>President:</i>	Edward Grandison Smith	Clarksburg
<i>First Vice President:</i>	Robert L. Archer	Huntington
<i>Second Vice President:</i>	George W. Tavenner	Farkersburg
<i>Secretary:</i>	Frank L. Burdette	Huntington
<i>Treasurer:</i>	B. B. Burns	Huntington
<i>Registrar:</i>	W. Guy Tetrick	Clarksburg
<i>Historian:</i>	Haymond Maxwell	Huntington
<i>National Trustee:</i>	Franklin L. Burdette	Huntington

## SONS OF THE REVOLUTION IN THE STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA

### Officers

<i>President:</i>	Nat Terry Frame	Martinsburg
<i>Vice President:</i>	Elsley L. Lively	Fairmont
<i>Secretary:</i>	Chauncey Milton Price	Morgantown
<i>Treasurer:</i>	Clarence Lowman Musgrave	Fairmont
<i>Historian:</i>	Clement Ross Jones	Morgantown
<i>Registrar:</i>	Thomas Ray Dille	Morgantown
<i>Chaplain:</i>	Charles W. Evans	Fairmont
<i>General Delegate:</i>	Arthur George Martin	Fairmont

## NATIONAL SOCIETY OF COLONIAL DAMES OF AMERICA RESIDENT IN WEST VIRGINIA

### Officers

<i>Honorary President:</i>	Mrs. Frank Woodman	Charleston
<i>President:</i>	Mrs. William E. R. Byrne	Charleston
<i>First Vice President:</i>	Virginia Chevallier Cork	Charleston
<i>Second Vice President:</i>	Mrs. Herbert G. Nash	Huntington
<i>Third Vice President:</i>	Mrs. Edward Belden Bliddle	Point Pleasant
<i>Recording Secretary:</i>	Mary Langhorne Evans	Charleston
<i>Corresponding Secretary:</i>	Mrs. John William Moore	Charleston
<i>Treasurer:</i>	Mrs. William T. Williamson	Charleston
<i>Registrar:</i>	Mrs. Henry Lewis Prichard	Charleston
<i>Historian:</i>	Mrs. Eugene Kent Perkins	Ravenswood

## NATIONAL SOCIETY UNITED STATES DAUGHTERS OF 1812 (West Virginia Branch)

### \*Officers

<i>President:</i>	Mrs. A. Bruce Eagle	Martinsburg
<i>First Vice President:</i>	Mrs. J. W. Hagen	Huntington
<i>Second Vice President:</i>	Gertrude Hayes	Morgantown
<i>Chaplain:</i>	Mrs. Page A. Gibbons	Morgantown
<i>Recording Secretary:</i>	Mrs. John Pierpont Helmick	Fairmont
<i>Corresponding Secretary:</i>	Mrs. C. R. Montgomery	Charleston
<i>Treasurer:</i>	Mrs. Grace Stone Hetzel	Wheeling

\*Assume office April 1, 1940.

## Chapter Presidents

Chapter	President	Address
<i>First West Virginia:</i>	Mrs. Eugene Perkins	Huntington
<i>Charles Wesley Finnell:</i>	Mrs. W. C. Price	Morgantown
<i>James Harris:</i>	Mrs. Grace Stone Hetzel	Wheeling
<i>Captain James Gibson:</i>	Mrs. J. W. Lloyd	Charles Town
<i>Lord Calvert:</i>	Mrs. H. B. Davenport	Charleston

## UNITED DAUGHTERS OF THE CONFEDERACY

## (West Virginia Division)

## Officers

<i>President:</i>	Mrs. S. D. Brady, Sr.	Morgantown
<i>First Vice President:</i>	Mrs. Ernest Thompson	Charleston
<i>Second Vice President:</i>	Nell Howes	Huntington
<i>Third Vice President:</i>	Mrs. N. J. Herring	Beckley
<i>Recording Secretary:</i>	Mrs. K. W. Eutsler	Shepherdstown
<i>Corresponding Secretary:</i>	Mrs. Jay I. Snoderly	Fairmont
<i>Historian:</i>	Mrs. M. S. R. Moler	Shepherdstown
<i>Treasurer:</i>	M. Hilda Lingamfelter	Hedgesville
<i>Registrar:</i>	Mrs. E. R. Fletcher	Alderson
<i>Recorder of Crosses of Honor and Service:</i>	Mrs. Mason Ambler	Parkersburg
<i>Parliamentarian:</i>	Mrs. W. E. R. Byrne	Charleston
<i>Co-Parliamentarian:</i>	Mrs. D. E. French	Bluefield

## GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

## (Department of West Virginia)

## Officers

<i>Department Commander:</i>	A. T. McMurray	Washington
<i>Senior Vice Commander:</i>	Isaac Johnston	New Martinsville
<i>Junior Vice Commander:</i>	Ell Huggins	Moundsville
<i>Assistant Adjutant-Quartermaster General:</i>	William Satow	Parkersburg
<i>Secretary:</i>	Wynnye G. Williamson	Parkersburg

## LADIES OF THE GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

## (Department of West Virginia)

## Officers

<i>Department President:</i>	L. Grace Wenner	Keyser
<i>Senior Vice President:</i>	Ethel Rose	McMechen
<i>Junior Vice President:</i>	Lucy Price	Fairmont
<i>Chaplain:</i>	Josephine Stutler	Grafton
<i>Department Secretary:</i>	Mollie R. Broome	Keyser
<i>Patriotic Instructor:</i>	Zellah Loeffler	Wheeling
<i>Registrar:</i>	Winona P. Kahl	Triadelphia
<i>Treasurer:</i>	Anna V. Rector	Clarksburg
<i>Counselor:</i>	Rosa Parker	Fairmont

## WOMAN'S RELIEF CORPS

## Officers

<i>President:</i>	Mrs. Mary Brown	McMechen
<i>Senior Vice President:</i>	Mrs. Tillie Moore	New England
<i>Junior Vice President:</i>	Mrs. Edna Smith	Charleston
<i>Secretary:</i>	Mrs. Grace O'Brien	Huntington
<i>Treasurer:</i>	Mrs. Effie Rauscher	Wheeling
<i>Chaplain:</i>	Mrs. Sarah J. Ruch	Charleston
<i>Counselor:</i>	Mrs. Mattie Hunter	Parkersburg
<i>Inspector:</i>	Mrs. Elsie Tillis	Charleston
<i>I. &amp; I. Officer:</i>	Mrs. Dimmie Leo	Parkersburg
<i>Patriotic Instructor:</i>	Mrs. Jennie Dewey Turley	Charleston
<i>Press Correspondent:</i>	Mrs. Minnie Prince	Parkersburg
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<i>Child Welfare:</i>	Mrs. Anna Kirker	Wheeling
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<i>Legislative:</i>	Mrs. Sue Walls	Charleston

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## Officers

<i>President:</i>	Mrs. Emma Davis	Parkersburg
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<i>Junior Vice President:</i>	Mrs. Gwendolyn Shaw	Wheeling
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<i>Treasurer:</i>	Mrs. Annabelle Rheuff	Wellsburg
<i>Secretary:</i>	Mrs. Docia Allen	Parkersburg
<i>Patriotic Instructor:</i>	Mrs. Clara Amend	Elm Grove
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<i>Counselor:</i>	Mrs. Hazel McHenry	Parkersburg
<i>Chief of Staff:</i>	Mrs. Belle Baker	Wheeling

## UNITED SPANISH WAR VETERANS

(Department of West Virginia)

## Elective Officers

<i>Department Commander:</i>	Fred A. McFarlin	Clarksburg
<i>Department Senior Vice Commander:</i>	Charles A. Plaster	Charleston
<i>Department Junior Vice Commander:</i>	I. S. Flesher	Parkersburg
<i>Department Chaplain:</i>	Rev. Albert S. Kelley	Parkersburg
<i>Department Surgeon:</i>	Dr. O. T. Hines	Huntington

## Appointive Officers

<i>Department Chief of Staff:</i>	Frank H. Moore	Huntington
<i>Department Adjutant and Quartermaster:</i>	Norris Bruce	Piedmont
<i>Department Inspector:</i>	Guy B. Young	Glenville
<i>Department Judge Advocate:</i>	Rolla Conley	Fairmont
<i>Department Patriotic Instructor:</i>	Casper Hartman	Charleston
<i>Department Historian:</i>	F. C. Deverick	Clarksburg
<i>Department Marshal:</i>	Carl Green	Parkersburg
<i>Senior Department Color Sergeant:</i>	Alpha D. Wilcoxon	Point Pleasant
<i>Junior Department Color Sergeant:</i>	A. B. Erb	Elm Grove

### Camps and Camp Officers

<i>Camp</i>	<i>City</i>	<i>Commander</i>	<i>Adjutant</i>
No. 1 Ohio Valley.....	Wheeling.....	Conrad Freeh.....	Stephen R. Dawson
No. 2 Kanawha.....	Charleston.....	C. W. Canterbury.....	Casper Hartman
No. 3 Bradley-McCreery.....	Beckley.....	A. E. Ford.....	E. L. Ellison
No. 4 Zan F. Collett.....	Elkins.....	John W. Graham.....	Zan F. Collett
No. 5 Potomac.....	Piedmont.....	H. N. Bosley.....	Norris Bruce
No. 6 Parkersburg.....	Parkersburg.....	Ralph C. Wardling.....	John R. Kennedy
No. 7 Clarksburg.....	Clarksburg.....	Q. M. Carder.....	Charles E. Morgan
No. 8 Weston.....	Weston.....	Pierce D. Marsh.....	O. K. Tillman
No. 10 Col. C. L. Smith.....	Fairmont.....	William A. Zinn.....	Joseph A. Lang
No. 11 James C. Russell.....	Huntington.....	Joseph B. Fitzpatrick.....	F. W. Gerchow
No. 12 Buckhannon.....	Buckhannon.....	M. E. Hymes.....	George Mayo
No. 13 Mingo.....	Williamson.....	Frank H. Moore.....	Edward J. Wilson
No. 14 Grafton.....	Grafton.....	Edward H. Hostler.....	George B. Flanagan
No. 16 Spencer.....	Spencer.....	Frank D. Fleming.....	M. K. Wright
No. 17 Logan.....	Logan.....	John B. Conley.....	James A. Hogg
No. 18 Howard.....	Point Pleasant.....	Jacob Phillips.....	James A. Balley
No. 19 Blue Ridge.....	Martinsburg.....	Noah H. Hale.....	Herman A. Evans
No. 20 Col. C. W. Cramer.....	Morgantown.....	Paul Bayles.....	Anton E. Helgren
No. 21 Mercer.....	Bluefield.....	Walter Perkins.....	
No. 22 Northern Panhandle.....	Hollidays Cove.....	David Kerker.....	
No. 23 "L".....	Glenville.....	Daniel U. O'Brein.....	Guy B. Young

### UNITED SPANISH WAR VETERANS AUXILIARY

#### Elective Officers

<i>Department President:</i>	Olivia Strobel.....	Huntington
<i>Department Senior Vice President:</i>	Mary Chapman.....	Fairmont
<i>Department Junior Vice President:</i>	Ruth Hoover.....	Morgantown
<i>Department Chaplain:</i>	Madelyn Jun.....	Wheeling
<i>Department Patriotic Instructor:</i>	Effie Plaster.....	Charleston
<i>Department Historian:</i>	Margaret Thomas.....	Parkersburg
<i>Department Conductor:</i>	Nellie Wright Radcliff.....	Spencer
<i>Department Assistant Conductor:</i>	May V. Price.....	Buckhannon
<i>Department Guard:</i>	Louise McNamara.....	Williamson
<i>Department Assistant Guard:</i>	Nancy Hoover.....	Weston

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<i>Department Secretary:</i>	Minnie Burdette.....	Huntington
<i>Department Treasurer:</i>	Elizabeth Rambo.....	Huntington
<i>Department Publicity:</i>	Gertrude Hastings.....	Huntington
<i>Department Musician:</i>	Gertrude Crawford.....	Coolville, Ohio

#### Auxiliary Presidents

<i>Auxiliary</i>	<i>City</i>	<i>President</i>
No. 1 Ohio Valley.....	Wheeling.....	Idabel Hunter
No. 2 Parkersburg.....	Parkersburg.....	Geraldne Lamp
No. 3 James Russell.....	Huntington.....	Bessie Mullins
No. 4 Kanawha.....	Charleston.....	Della Payne
No. 5 Potomac.....	Piedmont.....	Clara Boyles
No. 6 Col. C. L. Smith.....	Fairmont.....	Zella Roberts
No. 7 Col. C. W. Cramer.....	Morgantown.....	Mattie Lyons
No. 9 Weston.....	Weston.....	Evadney Hughes
No. 10 Buckhannon.....	Buckhannon.....	Margaret Loudin
No. 11 Clarksburg.....	Clarksburg.....	Bessie Peet
No. 13 Spencer.....	Spencer.....	Stella Boyer
No. 14 Mingo.....	Williamson.....	Esther McQueen

## SECOND WEST VIRGINIA VOLUNTEER INFANTRY ASSOCIATION

### Officers

*President:* Alpha D. Wilcoxon..... Parkersburg  
*Secretary-Treasurer:* Joseph A. Lang..... Fairmont

## THE AMERICAN LEGION

(Department of West Virginia)

### Department Officers

*Department Commander:* Forrest B. Poling..... Charleston  
*First Vice Commander:* T. F. McWilliams..... Logan  
*Second Vice Commander:* R. C. Hall..... Elkins  
*Third Vice Commander:* Roy A. Nease..... McMechen  
*Vice Commander at Large:* Roscoe H. Peters..... Charleston  
*Department Adjutant:* G. Stanley Hamric..... Charleston  
*Department Finance Officer:* J. Franklin Greenlee..... Charleston  
*Judge Advocate:* Clarence Robey..... Morgantown  
*Department Chaplain:* Rev. D. M. Dorsey..... Welch  
*Historian:* Charles W. Locke..... Parkersburg  
*Sergeant-at-Arms:* Grady B. Davis..... Charleston  
*National Committeeman:* W. Elliott Nefflen..... Charleston  
*Alternate National Committeeman:* Irl Thomas..... Fairmont

### District Commanders

*First District:* Ray H. Patterson..... Wellsburg  
*Second District:* John Barr..... Fairmont  
*Third District:* Robert K. Mapes..... Clarksburg  
*Fourth District:* C. L. Williams..... Ravenswood  
*Fifth District:* W. Guy Wiles..... Williamson  
*Sixth District:* Albert K. Walker..... Gary  
*Seventh District:* E. McK. Hardesty..... Mount Hope  
*Eighth District:* Ed S. Brown..... Chelyan  
*Ninth District:* George D. Vogel..... Grafton  
*Tenth District:* Charles S. Briley..... Keyser

### Post Commanders and Adjutants

Post	City	Commander	Adjutant
1.	Wheeling.....	Harry T. Clouse	Joseph F. Becke
2.	Morgantown.....	Charles E. Moore	John A. Graham
3.	Moundsville.....	Clarence B. Allman	Leonard C. Steele
4.	Weston.....	C. A. Post	S. M. McWhorter
5.	McMechen.....	Fred Myers	Avia Delgett
		(Wheeling)	(Wheeling)
6.	Hinton.....	S. C. Barnett	C. S. Fredeking
7.	Buckhannon.....	H. T. Bailey	A. H. Lawson
8.	Welch.....	Otis St. Clair	S. O. Hylton
9.	Bluefield.....	Harry T. Vest	M. M. Woodyard
10.	Welrton.....	Frank J. Robb	John A. Ferguson
		(Hollidays Cove)	(Hollidays Cove)
11.	Charleston.....	Theodore J. Kieffer	M. F. Breslin
12.	Grafton.....	Charles G. Turner	Dr. Chas. M. Wells
13.	Clarksburg.....	Fleming Holden	W. F. Digges
14.	Martinsburg.....	Edgar A. Riordan	J. M. Boyd
15.	Parkersburg.....	Dewey F. Thorn	C. E. Shingleton
16.	Huntington.....	Marion E. Thackston	P. L. Miller
17.	Fairmont.....	Charles R. Holt	J. J. Orr
18.	Cameron.....	D. C. Simms	R. F. Fish
19.	Logan.....	Leo M. Kain	O. E. Jenkins
		(Peach Creek)	
20.	Charleston.....	G. C. Dawson	Stanley P. Freeman
21.	Spencer.....	Harry Holswade	A. L. McCarty
22.	Davis.....	T. A. Curry	E. F. Creegan
		(Thomas)	
23.	Point Pleasant.....	Homer Fisher	R. F. McGuffin

Post	City	Commander	Adjutant
24.	Lumberport	O. E. Elkins	Hugh Brown
25.	West Union	Roy Willis (Smithburg)	Robert Britton
26.	Ronceverte	Tom Moss	Cecll R. Burdette
27.	Dunbar	Bernard Riddle (Charleston)	Gerald Coen (Charleston)
28.	New Martinsville	Arch A. Powell	Fred Thomas
29.	Elkins	Dr. B. I. Golden	R. C. Hall
30.	Franklin	Victor N. Flauger (Upper Tract)	Z. B. Moyers
31.	Shinnston	W. M. Davis	H. M. Jarrett
32.	Beckley	Charles A. Dickenson	F. A. Barker
33.	Gassaway	S. L. Cole	G. C. Byrne
34.	Wellsburg	Olan Rutan	Maynard C. Lucas
35.	Salem	A. G. T. Briskey	A. L. Stone
36.	Kimball	E. W. Browne	Ed M. Dickerson
37.	Fairmont	Oliver Meade	Rupert W. Rolls
38.	Gary	Paul H. Duncan	Albert Kitts
39.	Bluefield	A. L. Polk	Clarence W. Tiffany
40.	Mannington	George McInturff	C. D. Helmick
41.	Keyser	Robert A. Gibson	F. S. Johnson
42.	Glennville	O. R. Waggoner	T. B. McQuain
43.	War		
44.	Phillippi	Floyd Digman	Sherman Poling
45.	Follansbee	F. H. Barnhart	Richard Churchman
46.	Benwood	Luke Heil	Joseph H. Schmid
47.	Huntington	C. D. Hall	E. R. Carter
48.	Middlebourne	Emmett Stine	Ray Henderson
49.	Williamson	Charles Lyles	W. G. Smith
50.	Marlinton	Paul R. Overholt	Clarence B. Moore
51.	Hinton	Frank Richardson	L. V. Taylor
52.	Piedmont	George T. Knode	J. E. Grindle (Westernport, Md.)
54.	Princeton	M. S. Grim	George E. Brown
55.	Elizabeth	F. F. Anderson	William E. Pribble
56.	Kingwood	Joseph Margolis	Devey Laughlin (Terra Alta)
57.	Charleston	Dr. DeWayne Davis	B. L. Goode (Institute)
58.	Montgomery	D. B. Kraybill	P. S. Jenkins
59.	Oak Hill	J. S. Mason	H. L. Van Camp
60.	Berkeley Springs	Ray R. Rice	H. C. C. Willey
61.	Clendenin	Otho B. Young	J. O. Phillips
62.	Cowen	W. O. Hinkle (Webster Springs)	Ray H. Thomas
63.	Charles Town		
64.	Moorefield	Bryan Lambert	Orvon R. Bean
65.	Scarbro		
66.	E. Rainelle	A. J. Boso (Rainelle)	K. N. Judy
67.	Sistersville	Arza Elder	D. L. Stoneking
69.	Lewisburg	John Stump (White Sulphur Springs)	W. G. Livesay
70.	Beckley		
71.	Charles Town	S. H. Stone	Jerry White
72.	Clarksburg	Earl Walker	R. L. Franklin
73.	St. Albans	A. A. Winter	R. V. Hamm
74.	Mount Hope	James Sampson	James A. Swope
75.	Whitesville	Archie Showen (Edwight)	Willson Hall (Stickney)
76.	Elkins	Calvin Rutherford	Hubert M. Dorcas
77.	Omar	J. S. Carter	George Miller
78.	Petersburg	J. W. Hogshead	Lyle Michael
79.	St. Marys	J. E. Safety	K. C. Russel
80.	Cabin Creek	Ernest Cale (Dawes)	Howard West
81.	Pine Grove	Walter Mott	James R. Kirby (Hastings)
82.	Grantsville	Louis Reed	Holly Nestor
83.	Pennsboro	J. B. Murphy	E. M. King
85.	Stotesbury	P. H. Hairston (Hotcoal)	Sam Wilson
87.	Madison	W. F. Doss (Ramage)	J. D. Hollenbeck (Low Gap)
88.	Powellton	J. A. Rowe	C. H. Robbins
89.	Wheeling	Alfonso Scott	I. H. Davis
90.	Montgomery	Ballard Hankins	Orlando B. Wade
91.	Romney	Sylvester Miller	William Baird
92.	Mullens	Jesse Craft (Wyco)	Geo. V. Joyce (Stephenson)

Post	City	Commander	Adjutant
93.	Ceredo	Maxie Wright	Harry Lambert (Kenova)
94.	South Charleston	W. S. Woodroe	Robert L. Bryan
95.	Belle	Kenna G. Long	Clayton A. Williams
97.	Richwood	Lee F. Reese	J. Cobert O'Dell
98.	Athens	Thomas A. Barbery	Homer Brenaman
99.	Westmoreland	Russell Plymale (Huntington)	Earl Gillespie (Huntington)
101.	Parsons	Claude G. Shaffer	C. H. Graham
102.	Martinsburg	Albert J. Johnson	Louis K. Ford
103.	Mount Hope	William F. Muir	J. H. Coleman
105.	Bramwell	James H. Jones	Tom Cowan
106.	Mullens	J. E. Orr	Ira Dunn
107.	Ripley	W. O. Whiting	O. J. Hockenberry
110.	Red House	H. A. Frazier (Winfield)	M. H. McGrew (Winfield)
111.	Hamlin	S. S. McClure	R. F. Turley
112.	All State Police	L. H. Powell (Moundsville)	E. E. Stout (Fairmont)
113.	Wheeling	Joseph R. Curl	John A. Gallagher
114.	Pax	N. F. Walkup	R. A. Lee
118.	Ravenswood	M. J. Click	H. C. Parks
119.	Wayne	J. Floyd Harrison	S. F. Lechner
120.	Hundred	D. F. Bell	R. W. Turner
122.	Pickens	Oscar L. Barrickman	Maurice Dodrill
123.	Gary	James Leftwich (Jenkinjones)	Blaine Clark

## FORTY AND EIGHT Grand Voiture of West Virginia

### Officers

<i>Grand Chef de Gare:</i>	Ralph Heatherington	Clarksburg
<i>Grand Chef de Train:</i>	Kenneth W. Heyl	Chelyan
<i>Grand Commissaire Intendant:</i>	William J. Schenley	Welrton
<i>Grand Correspondant:</i>	G. N. Carroll	Kenova
<i>Grand Conductor:</i>	Tom Meredith	Elkins
<i>Grand Gardc de la Porte:</i>	Harry Porter	Wheeling
<i>Cheminot Nationale:</i>	L. L. Silfkin	Bluefield
<i>Sous Cheminot Nationale:</i>	Robert B. McDougle	Parkersburg
<i>Grand Cheminots:</i>		
First District—	John Hertnick	Welrton
Second District—	R. C. Hall	Elkins
Third District—	Frank Sevy	Charleston
Fourth District—	William Mitchell	Welch
Fifth District—	M. M. McEuen	Williamson
<i>Grand Commis Voyaguer:</i>	Squire Bolton	Huntington
<i>Grand Advocate:</i>	Arch Cantrall	Clarksburg
<i>Grand Publicit:</i>	Clarence Frey	Logan
<i>Grand Historian:</i>	Clarence Young	Moundsville
<i>Grand Lampiste:</i>	Gerald J. Coffey	Charleston
<i>Grand Aumonier:</i>	Rev. D. M. Dorsey	Welch
<i>Grand Medicin:</i>	H. N. Azar, M. D.	Wheeling
<i>Child Welfare Chairman:</i>	Dr. Arthur S. Jones	Huntington

## AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY (Department of West Virginia)

### Officers

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<i>First Vice President:</i>	Mrs. Paul Brothers	St. Albans
<i>Second Vice President:</i>	Mrs. Irene Moats	Clarksburg
<i>Executive Secretary:</i>	Mrs. Edmund Hardin	Grafton
<i>Treasurer:</i>	Mrs. W. E. Howard	Cameron
<i>Historian:</i>	Mrs. A. E. Gaskins	Salem

## District Vice Presidents

<i>First District:</i>	Mrs. Arch Rex	Moundsville
<i>Second District:</i>	Mrs. Ray Luttrell	Romney
<i>Third District:</i>	Mrs. R. R. White	Clarksburg
<i>Fourth District:</i>	Mrs. A. A. Skidmore	Ripley
<i>Fifth District:</i>	Mrs. J. A. Peterfish	Mullens
<i>Sixth District:</i>	Mrs. Bess Harrison	Charleston

## Unit Presidents and Secretaries

<i>Unit</i>	<i>President</i>	<i>Secretary</i>
Beckley No. 32	Mrs. D. F. McKenzie	Mrs. P. O. Malone
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Bluefield No. 9	Mrs. A. S. Booker	Mrs. Harry L. Moore
Bluefield No. 39	Mrs. Thelma Hamilton	Mrs. Nora Tiffany
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Cameron No. 18	Mrs. Roy Pettit	Mrs. Olive Burley
Charleston No. 20	Mrs. T. K. Campbell	Mrs. Edyth Hildith
Cabin Creek No. 80	Mrs. Masel Wills	Mrs. Mary Lou Brown
Charleston No. 57	Mrs. Sadie L. Knowlton	Mrs. Mary S. Carter
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Clarksburg No. 72	Mrs. Willa Madison	Mrs. Theodosia Roberts
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East Rainelle No. 66	Mrs. Mae Hammed	Mrs. John Hogsett
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Fairmont No. 37	Mrs. Rupert Rolls	Mrs. Elizabeth Robinson
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Gary No. 123	Mrs. Lessie Robinson	Mrs. Majel Harmon
Grafton No. 12	Mrs. Charles Burke	Mrs. Fred Sinsel
Grantville No. 82	Mrs. Nannie Smith	Mrs. Verle Stewart
Hinton No. 6	Mrs. Pearl Lovelace	Mrs. Kirk Heatwole
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Hundred No. 120	Mrs. Gertrude Bell	Mrs. Ruth Billingslea
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Kingwood No. 56	Mrs. Charlotte Liston	Mrs. James Phillpps
Lewisburg No. 69	Mrs. H. D. Keith	Mrs. Joe Watts
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Lumberport No. 24	Mrs. Dora Hines	Mrs. Fred Burns
Madison No. 87	Mrs. C. R. Marsh	Mrs. H. S. Stathers
Mannington No. 40	Mrs. Paul Lough	Mrs. Beryl Ashcraft
Martinsburg No. 14	Mrs. Ernest Althen	Mrs. J. M. Boyd
Middlebourne No. 48	Mrs. Sula Mayfield	Mrs. Marie Wince
Montgomery No. 58	Mrs. L. D. Goode	Mrs. E. A. Masters
Montgomery No. 90	Mrs. Beatrice Green	Mrs. Lucy Clark
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Mullens No. 106	Mrs. Ray Birchfield	Mrs. H. P. McCommack
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Parkersburg No. 104	Mrs. Geneva Webster	Mrs. Mary Curtis
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Pickens No. 122	Mrs. Mae Doddrell	Mrs. Blanche Barrickman
Piedmont No. 52	Mrs. Mae Adams	Mrs. Genevieve Arnold
Point Pleasant No. 23	Mrs. Lena Foglesong	Mrs. Lorena Shiflet
Powellton No. 88	Mrs. Danteth Coleman	Mrs. Madeline Blake
Princeton No. 54	Mrs. J. Otis Bowling	Mrs. H. H. Dickson
Pine Grove No. 81	Mrs. Thalta Ward	Mrs. S. June Long
Ravenswood No. 118	Mrs. Corinne Hall	Mrs. Ethel Pickens
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Ripley No. 107	Mrs. Lesta Ray	Mrs. Carra Skidmore
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Saint Marys No. 79	Mrs. O. S. Hissom	Mrs. C. R. West
Salem No. 35	Mrs. H. H. Fox	Mrs. W. J. Stewart
Shinnston No. 31	Mrs. Olive Griffin	Mrs. Lida Moore
Sistersville No. 67	Mrs. Edith Kepner	Mrs. H. C. Griffith

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Weston No. 4	Mrs. Leona Kincaid	Mrs. Fleda Eskew
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Wheeling No. 89	Mrs. Geneva Cooper	Mrs. Emma Jenkins
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## EIGHT AND FORTY SALON

(West Virginia Salon No. 25)

### Officers

<i>Le Chapeau Departmental:</i>	Mrs. Mary Jo. Rusen	Moundsville
<i>Le Demi Chapeau Departmental:</i>	Mrs. Margaret Barr	Fairmont
<i>Le Demi Chapeau Departmental:</i>	Mrs. Bertha Creel	Parkersburg
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<i>Le Concierge Departmental:</i>	Mrs. Jeanne Nimal	Parkersburg
<i>L'Archivist Departmental:</i>	Mrs. Mildred C. Hutchinson	Parkersburg
<i>L'Aumonier Departmental:</i>	Mrs. Lizzie Daniels	Elkins
<i>La Secretaire et Caissiere:</i>	Mrs. Virginia Remke	Wheeling

## DISABLED AMERICAN VETERANS OF THE WORLD WAR

(Department of West Virginia)

### Officers

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<i>Senior Vice Commander:</i>	Paul M. Elliott	Parkersburg
<i>Junior Vice Commander:</i>	Lawrence J. Cribbins	Parkersburg
<i>Chief of Staff:</i>	Charles E. Marshall	Parkersburg
<i>Judge Advocate:</i>	Roy E. Hale	Parkersburg
<i>Chaplain:</i>	Robert Moyers	Parkersburg
<i>Sergeant-at-Arms:</i>	Fay Baker	Clarksburg
<i>Officer of Day:</i>	Leonard Johnson	Vienna
<i>Adjutant and Treasurer:</i>	Ernest J. Hannig	Wheeling

## NATIONAL SOCIETY SERVICE STAR LEGION, INC.

(West Virginia Division)

### OBJECT

Service to God, country and humanity; to promote peace and brotherhood among men and nations; to guard the welfare of soldiers, sailors and marines who were engaged in the World War, and to lend aid and comfort to their families; to preserve and cherish the memory of the men and women who sacrificed their lives for the liberty of the world; to foster a spirit of sisterhood and democracy among women; to cooperate in all civic and patriotic work; and, to protect and preserve American ideals and traditions.

### Officers

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<i>First Vice President:</i>	Mrs. Anna Belle Rheuff	Wellsburg
<i>Second Vice President:</i>	Mrs. Myrtle Baker	Elm Grove
<i>Secretary:</i>	Mrs. Della Richards	Wheeling
<i>Treasurer:</i>	Mrs. Gladys Smith	Hollidays Cove

## VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS OF THE UNITED STATES

(Department of West Virginia)

### Officers

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Chaplain: F. G. Spracher	Coalwood
Historian: John E. Miller	Martinsburg
Liaison Officer: Harry A. Smith	Clarksburg
Patriotic Instructor: H. S. Henley	Bluefield
Publicity Director: Chas. E. Brewster	Elbert

### District Commanders

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Post	City	Commander
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Meuse-Argonne No. 573	Clarksburg	Jesse Maxwell
Southern Pioneer No. 578	Bluefield	W. T. Jackson
Fairmont No. 629	Fairmont	John W. McCullough
Kleeh Phillips Rhodes No. 825	Wheeling	Earl J. Haberfield
Jones-Lewis No. 896	Martinsburg	John E. Miller
Painter-Porrioni No. 1021	Welch	Pete W. Peterson
Huntington No. 1064	Huntington	Marion C. Dusenberry
Wappacoma No. 1101	Romney	Charlie W. Long
Volney-Wilson No. 1212	Parkersburg	Emmet C. Jeffery
Mountaineer No. 1406	Thomas	J. Ray Hanline
Valley District No. 1589	Masontown	Troy Taylor
West Fork Valley No. 1976	Weston	Fred Fest
Capon No. 2102	Wardensville	Angus Jenkins
Colonel Rowan No. 2345	Tunnelton	C. S. Zinn
Spruce Knob No. 2370	Franklin	E. Forster Dyer
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Mercer No. 2703	Princeton	William C. Thompson
Panhandle No. 2716	Hollidays Cove	Earl C. McLaughlin
Cannon Hill No. 3008	Rowlesburg	A. W. Swiger
Tug Valley No. 3066	Williamson	James R. Davis
Memorial City No. 3081	Grafton	A. A. Miller
Lieutenant Lee C. Tate No. 3112	Alderson	L. H. Basham
Middle Island No. 3408	West Union	Maynard Sheets
Big Elm No. 3453	Shinnston	Harold M. Jarrett
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Carter Braxton No. 3503	Sutton	C. O. Juergens
John Marshall No. 3505	Cameron	Q. B. Huffner
Nancy Hanks No. 3518	Koyser	Hugh A. Edwards
Hatton Chattell No. 3526	Petersburg	E. O. Brill
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Tygart Valley No. 3647	Elkins	John A. Wells
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## RESERVE OFFICERS ASSOCIATION OF THE UNITED STATES

(Department of West Virginia)

Headquarters: Charleston

## OBJECT

To support and assist in the development and execution of a military policy for the United States which shall provide for adequate national defense.

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### WAR MEMORIAL BUILDINGS IN WEST VIRGINIA

<i>City</i>	<i>Building</i>	<i>Officer in Charge</i>
Beckley.....	Soldier's and Sailor's Memorial Building.....	E. L. Kinhead
Hinton.....	Summers County Memorial Building.....	County Court
Keyser.....	American Legion Memorial Home.....	Thomas Wilcher
Kimball.....	Memorial Building (colored).....	Alexander Gregory
Marlinton.....	Pocahontas Memorial Hospital.....	E. B. Collison
New Martinsville.....	Wetzel County War Memorial Building.....	Burl Robinson
Princeton.....	Mercer County Memorial Building.....	H. I. Goode
Welch.....	World War Memorial Building.....	G. C. Sexton
Weston.....	Lewis County War Memorial and Louis Bennett Public Library.....	M. P. Mulcahy
Williamson.....	Memorial Building.....	W. G. Wiles

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(West Virginiaetta Association)

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(West Virginia Division)

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### Officers

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### Officers

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## HOSPITALS IN WEST VIRGINIA

### Beckley

Beckley Hospital  
 Raleigh General Hospital

### Berkeley Springs

\*Berkeley Springs Sanitarium  
 The Pines Hospital for Crippled  
 Children

### Bluefield

Bluefield Sanitarium  
 Brown's Hospital (Colored)  
 Providence Hospital (Colored)  
 St. Luke's Hospital

### Buckhannon

Buckhannon City Hospital  
 St. Joseph's Hospital

### Charleston

Charleston General Hospital  
 Kanawha Valley Hospital

Mountain State Hospital  
 McMillan Hospital  
 St. Francis Hospital  
 Salvation Army Hospital  
 Staats Hospital

### Charles Town

Charles Town General Hospital

### Cheyland

Cabin Creek Hospital

### Clarksburg

Union Protestant Hospital  
 St. Mary's Hospital

### East Rainelle

East Rainelle General Hospital

### Elkins

Davis Memorial Hospital  
 Elkins City Hospital

\*State Hospital.

**Fairmont**

Cook Hospital  
 \*Fairmont Emergency Hospital

**Glen Dale**

Reynolds Memorial Hospital

**Grafton**

Grafton City Hospital

**Hinton**

Hinton Hospital

**Holden**

Holden Hospital

**Huntington**

Chesapeake and Ohio Railway  
 Hospital  
 Guthrie Hospital  
 Huntington Eye, Ear and Throat  
 Hospital  
 Huntington Memorial Hospital  
 Huntington Orthopedic Hospital  
 St. Mary's Hospital  
 Salvation Army Hospital  
 †Veterans' Administration Facility

**Kenova**

Rife-Ferguson Clinic

**Keyser**

Potomac Valley Hospital

**Logan**

Logan General Hospital  
 Mercy Hospital

**Marlinton**

Pocahontas Memorial Hospital

**Martinsburg**

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 King's Daughters' Hospital

**Matewan**

Matewan Clinic Hospital

**Milton**

Morris Memorial Hospital for  
 Crippled Children

**Montgomery**

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City Hospital  
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**McKendree**

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And to the Republic for which it stands,  
One Nation, indivisible,  
With liberty and justice for all.

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### DAILY NEWSPAPERS

City	Newspaper	Editor	Owner	When Published
BECKLEY.....	The Beckley Post-Herald (R).....	Ted McDowell.....	Beckley Newspapers Corp.....	Morning (except Sunday)
	The Raleigh Register (D).....	J. Raiford Watkins.....	Beckley Newspapers Corp.....	Afternoon (except Saturday) and Sunday Morning
BLUEFIELD.....	Bluefield Daily Telegraph (R).....	Hugh Iko Shott.....	Daily Telegraph Printing Co., Inc.....	Morning (except Monday)
	Sunset News (D).....	Sydnor Barkacale.....	Daily Telegraph Printing Co., Inc.....	Afternoon (except Sunday)
CHARLESTON.....	The Charleston Gazette (Ind.-Dem.).....	W. F. Chilton, Jr.....	The Daily Gazette Co.....	Morning
	The Charleston Daily Mail (Ind.-Rep.).....	S. G. Dazron.....	Walter E. Clark.....	Afternoon and Sunday Morning
CLARKSBURG.....	Clarksburg Exponent (D).....	H. G. Rhawn.....	The Exponent Co.....	Morning (except Sunday and Monday)
	The Clarksburg Telegram (R).....	Frank Carpenter, (Acting)...	Clarksburg Publishing Co.....	Afternoon (except Sunday)
	Sunday Exponent-Telegram (Ind.).....	Heister G. Rhawn and Frank Carpenter.....	Clarksburg Publishing Co.....	Sunday Morning
ELKINS.....	Elkins Inter-Mountain (R).....	R. G. Bush.....	News Publishing Co.....	Afternoon (except Sunday)
FAIRMONT.....	Fairmont Times (D).....	C. E. Smith.....	Fairmont Newspaper Publishing Co.....	Morning
	Sunday Times-West Virginian *(NP).....	J. A. Anwyll, Jr.....	Fairmont Newspaper Publishing Co.....	Sunday
	The West Virginian (R).....	Lawrence G. Boggs.....	Fairmont Newspaper Publishing Co.....	Afternoon (except Saturday and Sunday)
GRAFTON.....	The Grafton Sentinel (R).....	John S. Palmer.....	The Grafton Sentinel Pub. Co., Inc.....	Afternoon (except Sunday)
HINTON.....	Hinton Daily News (Ind.-Rep.).....	Otto K. Reuter.....	H. C. Ogden.....	Afternoon (except Sunday)
HUNTINGTON.....	Advertiser (D).....	Cy de A. Wellman.....	Huntington Publishing Co.....	Afternoon (except Sunday)
	Herald Dispatch (R).....	Raymond Brewster.....	Huntington Publishing Co.....	Morning (except Sunday)
	Sunday Herald-Advertiser (Ind.).....	H. R. Pinckard.....	Huntington Publishing Co.....	Sunday Morning

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## DAILY NEWSPAPERS—Continued

City	Newspaper	Editor	Owner	When Published
KEYSER .....	Mineral Daily News-Tribune.....	John W. Barger.....	W. H. Barger.....	Afternoon (except Sunday)
LOGAN.....	The Logan Banner (R).....	Kel Holliday.....	C. H. Frey.....	Afternoon (except Sunday)
MARTINSBURG.....	Martinsburg Journal *(NP).....	G. C. McKown.....	News Publishing Co. (Wheeling).....	Afternoon (except Sunday)
MORGANTOWN.....	The Dominion News (D).....	Walter L. Hart.....	W. Va. Newspaper Pub. Co.....	Daily (except Sunday)
	The Morgantown Post (R).....	Brooks Cottle.....	W. Va. Newspaper Pub. Co.....	Afternoon (except Sunday)
	Daily Athenseum.....	Robert Earle.....	W. Va. University School of Journalism.....	Morning (except Sunday and Monday)
MOUNDSVILLE.....	Moundsville Echo (Ind.-Dem.).....	Craig Shaw.....	Craig Shaw.....	Afternoon (except Sunday)
	Moundsville Journal (R).....	W. L. Mengert.....	Moundsville Journal Co., Inc.....	Evening (except Sunday)
PARKERSBURG.....	The Parkersburg News (R).....	Herbert C. Adams.....	Parkersburg Publishing Co.....	Daily and Sunday
	The Parkersburg Sentinel (D).....	John W. Fischer.....	Parkersburg Sentinel Co.....	Afternoon (except Sunday)
PT. PLEASANT.....	Daily Register (D).....	W. Cleveland Bowie.....	Parkersburg Sentinel Co.....	Daily (except Sunday)
WEIRTON.....	Weirton Daily Times (R).....	E. L. Nelson.....	Weirton Printing & Publishing Co.....	Afternoon (except Sunday)
WELCH.....	Welch Daily News (R).....	W. R. Keyser.....	Welch Publishing Co., Inc.....	Afternoon (except Sunday)
WELLSBURG.....	The Daily Herald (R).....	R. J. Smith.....	Herald Publishing Co., Inc.....	Daily (except Sunday)
WHEELING.....	The Wheeling Intelligencer (R).....	Thos. O'B. Flynn.....	News Publishing Co.....	Morning (except Sunday)
	Wheeling News Register (Ind.-Dem.).....	Malcolm T. Brice.....	H. C. Ogden.....	Afternoon and Sunday Morning
WILLIAMSON.....	Williamson Daily News (D).....	H. G. Clark.....	Parkersburg Sentinel Co.....	Afternoon (except Sunday)

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## WEEKLIES AND PERIODICALS

County	Name of Publication	Where Published	Editor	Owner	When Published
BARBOUR .....	The Barbour Democrat (D) .....	Philippi .....	L. E. Poling .....	L. E. & F. B. Poling .....	Thursday
	The Central State News (R) .....	Belington .....	J. Alfred Thompson .....	Fred E. Thompson & Wilfred A. Thompson .....	Thursday
BERKELEY .....	The Philippi Republican (R) .....	Philippi .....	Frank G. Kittle .....	The Philippi Publishing Co. ....	Thursday
	The Martinsburg News (D) .....	Martinsburg .....	Buxton Martin .....	W. Va. Newspaper Publishing Co. ....	Friday
BOONE .....	The Coal Valley News (D) .....	Madison .....	M. L. Jones & Luther R. Jones .....	M. L. Jones .....	Thursday
	The Madison Recorder (R) .....	Madison .....	J. D. McNeely .....	J. D. & Maggie McNeely .....	Friday
BRAXTON .....	The Braxton Central (R) .....	Sutton .....	Edward Swint .....	H. C. Ogden .....	Friday
	The Braxton Democrat (D) .....	Sutton .....	Ben Gillespie .....	John A. Gross .....	Thursday
BROOKE .....	Brooke News (R) .....	Wellsburg .....	R. Jennings, L. D. Jacob & John R. Ryan .....	R. Jennings, L. D. Jacob & John R. Ryan .....	Friday
	The Review (D) .....	Follansbee .....	George S. Hahne .....	George S. Hahne .....	Thursday
CABELL .....	Cabel! Record (Ind.-Rep.) .....	Milton .....	Caldwell Dudley .....	James R. Dudley Estate .....	Thursday
	The Huntington Tribune (Ind.) .....	Huntington .....	Don Jenkins .....	Don Jenkins .....	Friday
CALHOUN .....	The Calhoun Chronicle (D) .....	Grantsville .....	R. L. Hamilton .....	R. L. Hamilton .....	Thursday
	The Grantsville News (R) .....	Grantsville .....	H. F. Leggett .....	Woodyard Publications, Inc. ....	Thursday
CLAY .....	Clay County Free Press (D) .....	Clay .....	J. T. Williams .....	J. T. Williams .....	Thursday
	Clay Messenger (R) .....	Clay .....	W. S. Dodrill .....	Woodyard Publications, Inc. ....	Tuesday
DODDRIDGE .....	The Doddridge County Republican (R) .....	West Union .....	William Knight .....	Woodyard Publications, Inc. ....	Thursday
	The Herald (R) .....	West Union .....	R. N. Stuck .....	L. R. Charter, Jr. ....	Thursday
	The West Union Record (D) .....	West Union .....	Walter Stuart .....	Walter Stuart .....	Thursday

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FAYETTE.....	The Fayette Democrat (D).....	Fayetteville.....	C. E. Mabon, Jr. ....	Fayette Newspaper, Inc.....	Tuesday
	The Fayette News (R).....	Oak Hill.....	William S. Smith.....	J. W. Thompson.....	Thursday
	The Fayette Tribune (R).....	Fayetteville.....	Roy H. (Jack) Johnson.....	Fayette Newspaper, Inc.....	Friday
	Montgomery News (R).....	Montgomery.....	Luther S. Montgomery.....	Luther S. Montgomery.....	Friday
	The State Sentinel (D).....	Fayetteville.....	J. Alfred Taylor.....	J. Alfred Taylor.....	Wednesday
GILMER.....	The Glenville Democrat (D).....	Glenville.....	C. W. Marsh.....	C. W. Marsh.....	Thursday
	Glenville Pathfinder (R).....	Glenville.....	Roland Holt.....	Woodyard Publications, Inc.....	Thursday
GRANT.....	Grant County Press (R).....	Petersburg.....	Arch J. Welton.....	Arch J. Welton.....	Thursday
GREENBRIER.....	The Greenbrier Dispatch (D).....	East Rainelle.....	J. Alfred Taylor.....	J. Alfred Taylor.....	Friday
	The Greenbrier Independent (D).....	Lewisburg.....	Geo. Werkheiser.....	Greenbrier Publishing Co.....	Friday
	The West Virginia News (R).....	Ronceverte.....	Wm. B. Blake, Jr.....	Blake Brothers.....	Thursday
	White Sulphur Sentinel (D).....	White Sul. Spgs.....	Harry E. Baker.....	Drs. C. B. Collins & W. E. Myles.....	Friday
HAMPSHIRE.....	The Hampshire Review (D).....	Romney.....	Margaret I. Keller.....	John J. Cornwell & Margaret I. Keller.....	Wednesday
	South Branch Record (R).....	Romney.....	H. W. Langan.....	Woodyard Publications, Inc.....	Thursday
HANCOCK.....	Hancock Courier (D).....	New Cumberland.....	J. R. Plattenburg.....	J. R. Plattenburg.....	Thursday
	The Independent, (R).....	New Cumberland.....	R. M. Brown.....	R. M. Brown.....	Thursday
HARDY.....	Hardy County News (R).....	Moorefield.....	W. W. Vance.....	Hardy Publishing Co.....	Thursday
	Moorefield Examiner (D).....	Moorefield.....	Katherine McCoy Fisher..... and R. E. Fisher.....	Mrs. S. A. McCoy, Katherine Fisher & R. E. Fisher.....	Wednesday
HARRISON.....	The Clarksburg News, (Ind.).....	Clarksburg.....	Russell G. Bauer.....	The Clarksburg News, Inc.....	Thursday
	The News (R).....	Shinnston.....	Thaddeus M. Meredith.....	W. A. Meredith.....	Thursday
	Salem Herald (R).....	Salem.....	Mrs C. E. Meredith.....	Salem Herald Co.....	Thursday

JACKSON.....	The Jackson Herald (R).....	Ripley.....	Sattis Simmons.....	Sattis Simmons.....	Friday
	The Mountaineer (D).....	Ripley.....	Fred D. Wolfe.....	Fred D. Wolfe.....	Thursday
	Ravenswood News (D).....	Ravenswood.....	D. F. Freeman.....	Ravenswood Publishing Co.....	Thursday
JEFFERSON.....	Farmers Advocate (D).....	Charles Town.....	Robert C. Rissler.....	Ralph N. Dorsey.....	Friday
	The Independent (R).....	Shepherdstown.....	C. S. Musser.....	C. S. Musser.....	Wednesday
	Shepherdstown Register (D).....	Shepherdstown.....	Wm. B. Snyder.....	Wm. B. & H. L. Snyder.....	Thursday
	Spirit of Jefferson (D).....	Charles Town.....	Max Brown.....	Ralph N. Dorsey.....	Wednesday
KANAWHA.....	The Charleston Journal (R).....	Charleston.....	Charles H. Enicks.....	Charles H. Enicks.....	Friday
	Children's Home Finder *(NP).....	Charleston.....	Ronald B. Cleland.....	Children's Home Society of W. Va.....	Quarterly
	The Dunbar Advance (D).....	Dunbar.....	Melton M. Maloney.....	Melton M. Maloney.....	Friday
	The Labor Advocate (Ind).....	Charleston.....	Alvin A. Snyder.....	Alvin A. Snyder & Paul A. Snyder.....	Friday
	St. Albans Advertiser (R).....	St. Albans.....	Mrs. Jack Dawson.....	Mrs. Jack Dawson.....	Thursday
	Union Mission News *(NP).....	Charleston.....	Pat. B. Withrow, Sr. & Edward D. Smith.....	Union Mission, Inc.....	Monthly
	W. Va. Digest (Colored) (Ind).....	Charleston.....	I. J. K. Wells.....	Digest Publishing Co.....	Saturday
	The West Virginia Herald (R).....	Clendenin.....	C. E. Shaffer.....	C. E. Shaffer.....	Friday
	The West Virginia Legionnaire *(NP).....	Charleston.....	G. Stanley Hamrie.....	The American Legion.....	Monthly
	West Virginia Bulletin *(NP).....	Charleston.....	William C. Handlan.....	West Virginia Department of Agriculture.....	Monthly
	West Virginia Medical Journal *(NP).....	Charleston.....	Dr. Walter E. Veat.....	West Virginia State Medical Association.....	Monthly
	West Virginia Merchant (Ind).....	Charleston.....	Geo. W. King.....	W. Va. Association of Retail Grocers.....	Semi-monthly
	The West Virginia Review *(NP).....	Charleston.....	Alice Partlow Curtis.....	Francis W. Turner.....	Monthly
	West Virginia School Journal *(NP).....	Charleston.....	J. H. Hlickman.....	W. Va. State Education Association.....	Monthly (September to May, incl.)
LEWIS.....	Weston Democrat (D).....	Weston.....	R. H. Pritchard.....	The Weston Democrat, Inc.....	Friday
	Weston Independent (R).....	Weston.....	Gilbert J. Hersman.....	Independent Publishing Co.....	Wednesday
LINCOLN.....	The Hamlin Democrat (D).....	Hamlin.....	J. O. Taylor.....	J. O. Taylor.....	Thursday
	The Lincoln Republican (R).....	Hamlin.....	A. W. Hloff.....	A. W. Hloff.....	Thursday

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LOGAN.....	The Logan County News.....	Logan.....	Howard Alley.....	Logan Democrat, Inc.....	Tuesday & Friday
MARION.....	The Mannington Times (R).....	Mannington.....	Fred E. Thompson.....	Fred E. Thompson.....	Friday
	West Virginia Wild Life *(NP).....	Fairmont.....	E. L. Lively.....	Wild Life League of West Virginia.....	Monthly
MARSHALL.....	The Valley News Index *(NP).....	Fairmont.....	Bernard Gottlieb.....	C. N. Connell.....	Friday
	The Cameron News (R).....	Cameron.....	Chas. M. Cook.....	Chas. M. Cook.....	Thursday
MASON.....	The State Gazette (R).....	Point Pleasant.....	L. H. Puts.....	Woodyard Publications, Inc.....	Thursday
MERCER.....	Princeton Observer (R).....	Princeton.....	Kyle McCormick.....	Kyle McCormick.....	Thursday
	Twin City Advance (D).....	Bluefield.....	Gordon Garner.....	Gordon Garner.....	Thursday
	White Ribbon *(NP).....	‡Clarksburg.....	Mrs. Mae T. Henson.....	W. C. T. U.....	Monthly (Except January and July)
MINERAL.....	Herald (D).....	Fiedmont.....	John F. Rose & May Rose.....	John F. Rose & May Rose.....	Thursday
	The Mountain Echo (R).....	Keyser.....	H. W. Lanigan.....	Woodyard Publications, Inc.....	Thursday
MINGO.....	Mingo Republican (R).....	Williamson.....	Frank G. Sohn.....	Mingo Republican, Inc.....	Friday
MONONGALIA.....	The Voice O' Labor (Ind.).....	Morgantown.....	Forest R. Thompson.....	Forest R. Thompson.....	Thursday
	West Virginia Farm News *(NP).....	Morgantown.....	Leland Booth.....	West Virginia Farm Bureau.....	Monthly
MONROE.....	The Monroe Watchman (D).....	Union.....	J. M. Johnston.....	Mrs. A. S. Johnston.....	Thursday
MORGAN.....	Morgan Messenger (R).....	Berkeley Springs.....	S. S. Buzzerd.....	S. S. Buzzerd.....	Thursday
	The News (D).....	Berkeley Springs.....	Lewis H. Buzzerd.....	S. S. Buzzerd.....	Friday

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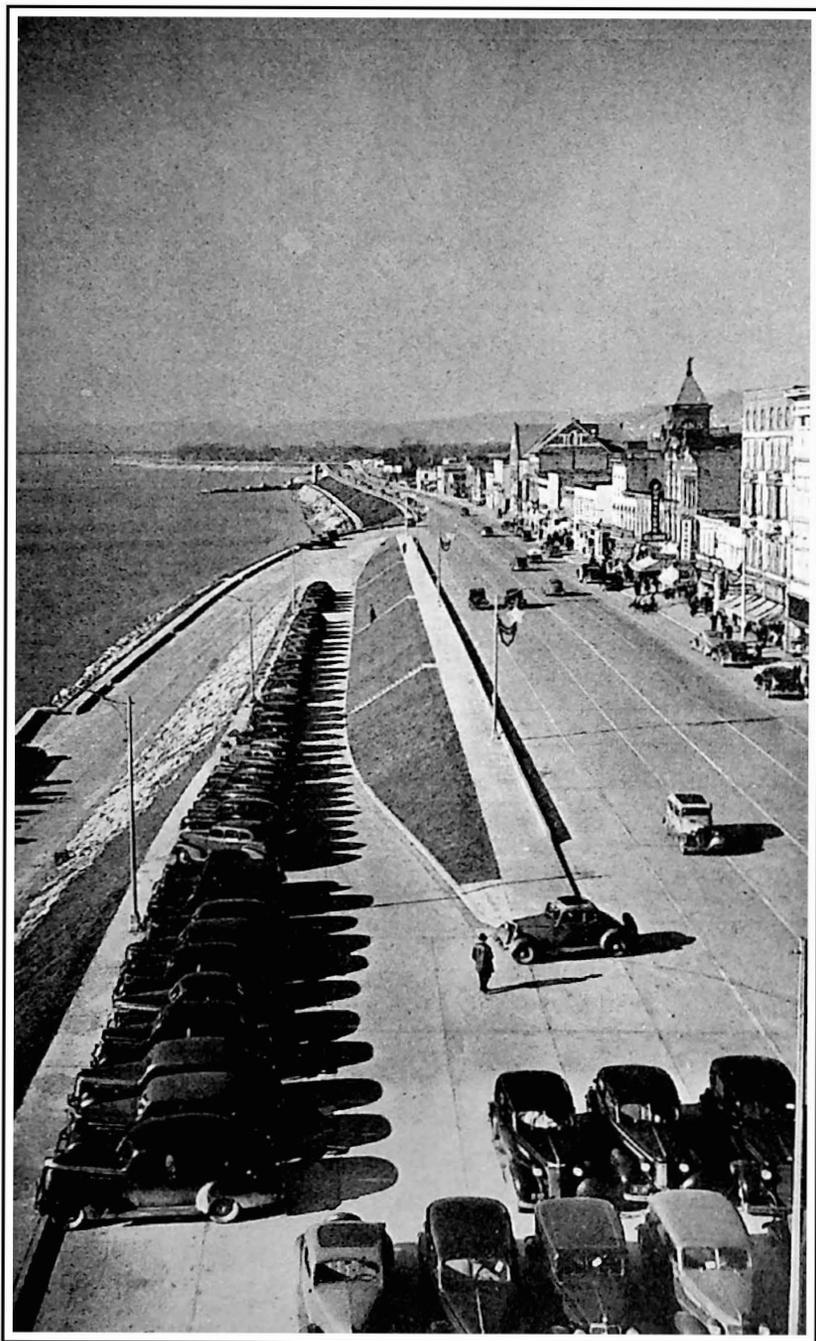
McDOWELL.....	The Industrial News (D).....	faeger.....	James A. Johnson.....	James A. Johnson.....	Thursday
	McDowell Recorder (Ind.).....	Welch.....	C. H. Hardison.....	Welch Publishing Co., Inc.....	Wednesday
	McDowell Times (R).....	Keystone.....	Mrs. M. T. Whittico.....	M. T. Whittico Estate.....	Friday
NICHOLAS.....	Nicholas Chronicle (D).....	Summersville.....	A. Lee Stewart.....	Ruskin J. Wiseman.....	Thursday
	The Nicholas Republican (R).....	Richwood.....	B. E. Thompson.....	Woodyard Publications, Inc.....	Thursday
OHIO.....	A. O. U. W. News *(NP).....	Wheeling.....	A. R. Fleming.....	Grand Lodge, A. O. U. W. of W. Va.	Monthly
	The Greater Wheeling Home Talk, *(NP).....	Wheeling.....	I. W. Smith.....	Martins Ferry, (Ohio) Daily Times ...	Thursday
	Ohio Valley Labor News (Ind.).....	Wheeling.....	Louis Pollock.....	Ohio Valley Publications, Inc.....	Friday
	The State Advance *(NP).....	Wheeling.....	R. J. Dowling.....	The State Advocate Co.....	Monthly
	West Virginia State Press Service *(NP).....	Wheeling.....	R. J. Dowling.....	R. J. Dowling.....	Monthly
PENDLETON.....	Pendleton Times (D).....	Franklin.....	William McCoy.....	William McCoy.....	Friday
PLEASANTS.....	Pleasants County Leader (R).....	St. Marys.....	Joe Williams, Jr.....	Joe Williams Estate.....	Friday
	The St. Marys Oracle (D).....	St. Marys.....	Robert L. Pemberton.....	Robert L. Pemberton.....	Thursday
POCAHONTAS.....	The Marlinton Journal (R).....	Marlinton.....	Paul W. Haddock.....	Woolynrd Publications, Inc.....	Thursday
	The Pocahontas Times (D).....	Marlinton.....	Calvin W. Price.....	Calvin W. Price.....	Thursday
PRESTON.....	Preston County Journal (R).....	Kingwood.....	H. S. Whetsell & J. R. Whetsell	H. S. Whetsell.....	Thursday
	Preston Republican, The (R).....	Terra Alta.....	Mrs. Ophia Bennett.....	H. S. Whetsell.....	Thursday
	West Virginia Argus (D).....	Kingwood.....	Bo Spahr.....	James T. Spahr.....	Thursday
PUTNAM.....	Hurricane Breeze (R).....	Hurricane.....	R. F. Forth.....	R. F. Forth.....	Friday
	The Putnam Democrat (D).....	Winfield.....	Carl B. Miller.....	Carl B. Miller.....	Friday
	The Putnam Republican (R).....	Winfield.....	W. K. Hicks.....	Hicks & Forth.....	Thursday
RALEIGH.....	The Independent-Observer (D).....	Beckley.....	Norman Stoken.....	Wilmer A. Stanley.....	Friday
RANDOLPH.....	The Bulletin *(NP).....	Elkins.....	James W. Weir.....	West Virginia Pub. Association.....	Monthly
	The Randolph Enterprise (D).....	Elkins.....	David L. Haller.....	David L. Haller, et al.....	Thursday
	Pension Advocate.....	Elkins.....	J. Buhl Shahan and John W. Bosworth.....	J. Buhl Shahan and John W. Bosworth.....	Monthly
	The Randolph Review (D).....	Elkins.....	James W. Weir & Leslie Harding.....	James W. Weir.....	Thursday

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RITCHIE.....	Cairo Enterprise (R).....	Harrisville.....	Robert Morris.....	Robert Morris.....	Thursday
	Pennsboro News, The (D).....	Pennsboro.....	J. A. Wooddell.....	George C. & Vesta Lee Connell.....	Thursday
	The Gazette (R).....	Harrisville.....	Robert Morris.....	Robert Morris.....	Friday
	Ritchie Standard (R).....	Harrisville.....	Robert Morris.....	Robert Morris.....	Wednesday
ROANE.....	Reedy News (Ind.).....	Reedy.....	F. E. Craig.....	F. E. Craig.....	Tuesday
	The Roane County Reporter (D).....	Spencer.....	Fred Schroeder.....	Spencer Publishing Co., Inc.....	Thursday
	The Times-Record (R).....	Spencer.....	Roy D. Jenkins.....	Woodyard Publications, Inc.....	Thursday
SUMMERS.....	The Independent-Herald (D).....	Hinton.....	W. E. Price.....	Independent-Herald Pub. Co.....	Wednesday
	The Leader (R).....	Hinton.....	Otto K. Reuter.....	H. C. Ogden.....	Thursday
TAYLOR.....	The Grafton News (D).....	Grafton.....	Tom Cummings.....	West Va. Newspaper Pub. Co.....	Friday
TUCKER.....	Parsons Advocate (R).....	Parsons.....	D. W. Thurston.....	D. W. Thurston.....	Thursday
	The Tucker Democrat (D).....	Parsons.....	William Morris.....	Mrs. W. R. Morris.....	Thursday
TYLER.....	Tyler County Journal (D).....	Middlebourne.....	Ralph F. Wilson.....	Ralph F. Wilson.....	Thursday
	The Tyler Star News (R).....	Sistersville.....	Denver C. Motley.....	The Star-News Publishing Co.....	Thursday
	West Virginia Baker *(NP).....	Middlebourne.....	Orren L. Jones.....	W. Va. Bakers Association.....	Six times each year
UPSHUR.....	Buckhannon News (R).....	Buckhannon.....	F. E. Harne.....	F. E. Harne.....	Tuesday & Friday
	Buckhannon Record, The, (D).....	Buckhannon.....	Richard H. Ralston.....	Robt. H. Pritchard & R. H. Ralston.....	Friday
	Republican-Delta (R).....	Buckhannon.....	Earl Clark.....	Woodyard Publications, Inc.....	Thursday
WAYNE.....	Wayne County News (D).....	Wayne.....	Herman P. Dean.....	Herman P. Dean.....	Thursday
	Wayne County Press (R).....	Kenova.....	W. T. Wallace.....	Wayne County Pub. Co., Inc.....	Friday
WEBSTER.....	The Webster Echo (D).....	Webster Springs.....	Mrs. A. C. Elbon & Mrs. C. B. McCray.....	Mrs. A. C. Elbon & Mrs. C. B. McCray.....	Wednesday
	The Webster Republican (R).....	Webster Springs.....	Boyd Dotson.....	Webster Publishing Co., Inc.....	Friday

WETZEL.....	Wetzel Democrat (D).....	New Martinsville.....	Mary E. & Margaret C. Snodgrass.....	Wetzel Democrat Pub. Co.....	Thursday
	Wetzel Republican (R).....	New Martinsville.....	C. E. Callaway.....	W. Va. Newspaper Publishing Co....	Friday
WIRT.....	The Kanawha News (R).....	Elizabeth.....	Robert F. Hickman.....	Robert F. Hickman.....	Friday
	Wirt County Journal (D).....	Elizabeth.....	Ross Wilson.....	Ross Wilson.....	Friday
WYOMING.....	The Independent Herald (D).....	Pineville.....	Jack K. Shipman.....	Jack K. Shipman.....	Friday
	The Mullens Advocate (R).....	Mullens.....	Carroll Steve Slick.....	Woodyard Publications, Inc.....	Thursday



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**New Kanawha Boulevard, Charleston, Looking West from Union Building.**

# AERONAUTICS

## AIRPORTS AND LANDING FIELDS

November 1, 1939

(Compiled from data furnished by Bureau of Air Commerce)

**ALDERSON:** See Pence Springs.

**BECKLEY:** Beckley-Mount Hope Airport, commercial. One and one-half miles N. of Beckley, 8½ miles S. of Mount Hope on State Highways Nos. 19 and 21. Lat. 34° 49'; long. 81° 11'. Alt. 2,440 feet. L-shape, shale, level, artificial and natural drainage; two runways, 3,000 by 500 feet N./S., and 2,300 by 400 feet E./W. Trees on N., S., and W. 198-ft. radio tower 1½ miles NW of city, obstruction lighted; 265-ft. towers 3,000 ft. SW of field, with two cables running down to a 50-ft. tower on S. of field, not lighted. Facilities for servicing aircraft, day only.

**BRIDGEPORT:** See Clarksburg.

**BUCKHANNON:** See Weston.

**CAMP CONLEY (Point Pleasant):** Camp Conley Drill Grounds, auxiliary. Located at Camp Conley, 4 miles NE. of Point Pleasant on E. side of State Road No. 62 and Ohio River. Lat. 38° 55'; long. 82° 07'. Alt. 600 feet. Rectangular, sod, level, natural drainage; one landing strip, 1,800 by 500 feet. Buildings and water tower to W.; old road crosses landing strip on the N., avoid ruts; trees to S.; hills to E. No servicing.

**CHARLESTON:** Wertz Field, municipal. Nine miles W. of Charleston on N. side of Kanawha River. Lat. 35° 25'; long. 81° 35'. Alt. 598 feet. Irregular, sandy loam, level, natural and artificial drainage; three cindered runways, 2,800 feet N./S., 1,200 feet of which is paved; 2,900 feet NE./SW., 1,200 feet of which is paved; and 2,500 feet NW./SE., all 100 feet wide. CHARLESTON on hangar roof. Poles N. and E.; tower to W.; buildings to E. Facilities for servicing aircraft day and night. Radio receiving set. Teletypewriter.

**CLARKSBURG (Bridgeport):** Harrison County Airport, municipal. One mile E. of Bridgeport, 6 miles E. of Clarksburg on N. side of State Road No. 50. Lat. 39° 17'; long. 80° 14'. Alt. 1,170 feet. Cross-shape, clay, level, natural and artificial drainage; two asphalt runways, 3,100 by 100 feet N./S.; 2,400 by 100 feet NE./SW.; use runways only. Field under construction. Facilities for servicing aircraft, day only.

**CRAIGSVILLE:** Selman Airport, auxiliary. South of center of town, on route No. 94. Lat. 38° 20'; long. 80° 39'. Alt. 2,300 feet. Nearly square, 1,700 by 1,500 feet, shell, level, artificial drainage; one runway, 1,200 by 150 feet NW./SE.; entire field available. Parking space on W.; house, office, and hangar to NW. No servicing.

**ELKINS:** Elkins Airport, municipal. Two miles S. of Elkins on U. S. Routes 250 and 219. Lat. 38° 53'; long. 79° 52'. Alt. 1,963 feet. Irregular, sod, level, natural and artificial drainage; one runway, 2,600 by 100 feet. NW./SE.; Three strips, 2,830 feet NE./SW.; 2,900 feet EW.; 2,560 feet N./S., all 500 feet wide; use runway or strips only. Field under construction. 133-ft. towers, 3 mi. N. Buildings to SE. Facilities for servicing aircraft, day and night. Radio receiving and sending station. Teletype.

**HOLLIDAYS COVE:** Half Moon Airport, commercial (new). One mi. SW.,  $\frac{1}{4}$  mi. N. of bridge on highway;  $1\frac{1}{2}$  mi. N. of Steubenville. Lat.  $40^{\circ} 24'$ ; long.  $80^{\circ} 37'$ . Alt. 700 feet. Rectangular, sod, level, natural drainage. One strip, 2,800 by 250 feet N./S.; use strip only. Hangar to E.; hills to E. and W. Day servicing.

**HINTON:** See Pence Springs.

**HUNTERSVILLE:** Huntersville Airport, auxiliary. Eight miles SW. of Huntersville, S. of Camp Watoga. Lat.  $38^{\circ} 06'$ ; long.  $80^{\circ} 06'$ . Alt. 2,600 feet. Rectangular, 2,600 by 350 feet, sandy clay, level, natural drainage; entire field available. Field very rough. Trees at both ends, about 80 feet high, baseball backstop on NW. corner of field; cattle sometimes wander on field. No servicing.

**HUNTINGTON (Mayse Field):** (Huntington-Ironton-Chesapeake Airport), municipal. Two miles NW. of Huntington, 2 miles W. of Chesapeake, Ohio, on Ohio side of Ohio River, S. side of U. S. Highway No. 52. Lat.  $38^{\circ} 26'$ ; long.  $82^{\circ} 28'$ . Alt. 570 feet. Irregular, sod, level, natural and artificial drainage; two runways, 3,000 by 100 feet E./W.; 2,100 by 100 feet NE./SW. (1,600 feet paved). HUNTINGTON AIRPORT on hangar roof. Pole line and buildings to N.; house and trees to S.; 400-foot hill to N. Facilities for servicing aircraft, day only. Teletypewriter. Construction completed.

**HUNTINGTON:** Cabell County Airport, commercial (new). Eight mi. ENE. on W. side of highway. Lat.  $38^{\circ} 27'$ ; long.  $82^{\circ} 19'$ . Alt. 575 feet. Trapezoidal, sod, level, natural and artificial drainage. One strip, 2,660 by 300 feet. House and barn in NNE. corner; drain ditch in center of field; hangar on E. side. Day servicing.

**JACKSON'S MILL:** See Weston.

**LOGAN:** Logan Airport, auxiliary. Seven and one-half miles N. of Logan on W. side of Guyandot River. Lat.  $37^{\circ} 57'$ ; long.  $82^{\circ} 01'$ . Alt. 630 feet. Rectangular, sandy clay, level, natural and artificial drainage; one macadam rock runway, 1,606 by 100 feet N./S.; entire field within boundary markers available for use. Houses and trees to N. and S. Aviation fuel in city, no servicing.

**MARLINTON:** Marlinton Airport, municipal. Two miles NE. of Marlinton, directly N. of fair grounds. Lat.  $38^{\circ} 15'$ ; long.  $80^{\circ} 06'$ . Alt. 2,475 feet. Rectangular, 2,000 by 500 feet, clay, level, natural drainage; entire field available. Aviation fuel and minor repairs, day only.

**MARTINSBURG:** Shepherd Field, municipal. Five miles S.; E. of highway. Lat.  $39^{\circ} 24'$ ; long.  $77^{\circ} 59'$ . Alt. 540 feet. Rectangular, soil, natural and artificial drainage. One hard-surfaced runway, 3,500 by 100 feet E./W. SHEPHERD on building to SE. Tower, hangars, operations office to SE; poles to E. and SE; radio pole to S., obstruction lighted; 125-ft. towers 2.9 miles SW. Beacon, boundary and obstruction lights. Beacon, green, rotating. Hangar and aviation fuel, day and night. Radio facility. Teletype. Field under construction.

**MORGANTOWN:** Morgan Field, auxiliary. Two miles NW. on E. bank of river. Lat.  $39^{\circ} 39'$ ; long.  $79^{\circ} 59'$ . Alt. 1,000 feet. Cross-shape, sod, level, natural drainage; two landing strips, 1,700 by 100 feet NW./SE., and 900 by 125 feet NE./SW. Pole line to E. and SE., trees to E. No servicing.

**MORGANTOWN:** Morgantown Airport, municipal. Two and two-tenths miles NE. of center of Morgantown. Lat.  $39^{\circ} 38'$ ; long.  $79^{\circ} 55'$ . Alt. 1,250 feet. Irregular, dirt, level, natural and artificial drainage; two asphalt runways, 3,600 by 100 feet N./S.; 3,100 by 100 feet NW./SE. No servicing. Field under construction. Lake Lynn,  $5\frac{1}{2}$  miles SW. of Morgantown available for seaplanes.

**MOUNT HOPE:** See Beckley.

**PARKERSBURG:** Parkersburg Airport, municipal. Three miles N. of Parkersburg. Ohio River on W. and U. S. Route 21 on E. Lat. 39° 18'; long. 81° 33'. Alt. 602 feet. Rectangular, 3,200 by 1,600 feet, sod, level, natural, and artificial drainage; two runways, 3,100 and 2,100 feet; entire field available. Poles to NE. and NW.; pole line 2,000 feet S. Hangar and aviation fuel available, day only.

**PENCE SPRINGS:** Hinton-Alderson Airport, municipal. N. of Pence Springs, 16 miles E. of Hinton, 5 miles W. of Alderson between State Route No. 3 and Greenbrier River. Lat. 37° 41'; long. 80° 43'. Alt. 1,520 feet. Rectangular. 2,800 by 300-900 feet E./W., sod, level, artificial drainage; entire field available. Pole line to N.; low hills to N. and S.; small hangar in NE. corner. Hangar and aviation fuel, day only.

**POINT PLEASANT:** See Camp Conley.

**PRINCETON:** Princeton Airport, municipal. One and one-half miles SW. of center of Princeton on W. side of U. S. Highway Nos. 19-21. Lat. 37° 22'; long. 81° 07'. Alt. 2,450 feet. Rectangular, sod, level, natural drainage; one shale runway, 3,000 by 150 feet E./W.; one landing strip, 2,000 by 300 feet N./S.; entire field available, except in wet weather or extreme thawing, when E./W. shale runway should be used. **PRINCETON MUNICIPAL AIRPORT** on hangar and side of hill to S. of airport. Hill, 150 feet high to S. and SW.; pole line to E. Floodlight on hangar. Facilities for servicing aircraft, day; night by request.

**RAVENSWOOD:** Ravenswood Airport, commercial. One-quarter mile N. of Ravenswood. Lat. 38° 57'; long. 81° 46'. Alt. 600 feet. T-shape, sandy loam, level, natural drainage; two landing strips, 2,487 by 350 feet N./S., 2,407 by 400 feet E./W.; entire field available. Aviation fuel, day only.

**SPENCER:** Spencer Airport, auxiliary. One mile N. of Spencer on E. side of State Route No. 14. Lat. 38° 49'; long. 81° 22'. Alt. 925 feet. Rectangular, sod, level, artificial drainage; one landing strip, 3,000 by 300-400 feet NW./SE.; entire field available. No servicing.

**SUMMERSVILLE:** Koontz Field, auxiliary. Five miles SW. of Summersville on N. side of State Route No. 19. Lat. 38° 14'; long. 80° 56'. Alt. 1,575 feet. Rectangular, sod, level, natural and artificial drainage; one landing strip, 2,500 by 400-580 feet NE./SW.; entire field available. No servicing. Use with caution.

**WESTON:** Lieutenant Louis Bennett Airport, State. Three miles N. of Weston, 16 miles S. of Clarksburg, 16 miles W. of Buckhannon on W. side of West Fork River. Lat. 39° 05'; long. 80° 28'. Alt. 996 feet. Cross-shape, level, sod, natural and artificial drainage; two landing strips, 3,500 by 700 N./S., 3,100 by 500 feet E./W. No servicing.

**WHEELING:** Scott Field, commercial. Three miles NW. of city across Ohio River; 3 miles N. of Martins Ferry, Ohio, and  $\frac{1}{4}$  mile S. of Yorkville, Ohio. Lat. 40° 09'; long. 80° 43'. Alt. 650 feet. Rectangular, 2,500 by 1,200 feet, sod, level, natural drainage; one runway, 2,500 by 500 feet N./S.; entire field available. **SCOTT** on hangar roof. Pole line on E. Two green approach lights at N. and S. ends of field. One green flashing code beacon, electric blinker light on tower in NW. corner. Facilities for servicing, day and night.

**WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS:** Greenbrier Airport, commercial. One and five-tenths miles SW. of city on State Highway No. 60, 1 mile SW of Greenbrier Hotel. Lat. 37° 47'; long. 80° 20'. Alt. 1,795 feet. Irregular, 5,000 by 2,500 feet, turf, level, natural and artificial drainage. Pole line to NW., woods to N., trees along creek to S. and W.; hangar and administration building in NE. corner of field. Facilities for servicing aircraft, day only.

**WILLIAMSON:** Morris Airport, commercial. Five miles NW. of Williamson, in valley between Tug River and double railroad tracks. Lat. 37° 43'; long. 82° 19'. Alt. 600 feet. Irregular, sod, level, artificial drainage. **MORRIS AIRPORT, WILLIAMSON, W. VA.,** on hangar. Hills on each side, pole line crosses river 1,200 feet S. of field, also immediately behind hangar. Floodlights. Hangar, aviation fuel available in city.

## CERTIFIED PILOTS IN WEST VIRGINIA

(Corrected to October 15, 1939)

### Airline Transport

Garlow, Melvin C., Madsville

### Commercial

Amos, Harvey A., Bluefield  
Antonio, Samuel B., Beckley  
Barker, Alfred C., Morgantown  
Bingman, Merrill R., Clarksburg  
Boggs, Harry, Huntington

Blood, Charles S., Charleston  
Bolt, Guy W., Beckley  
Bragg, Herbert K., Beckley  
Clark, Glenn T., Charleston  
Coe, Weyman F., Morgantown

Crum, Irene I., Huntington  
Davis, William O., Huntington  
Earl, Alton C., Huntington  
Everett, Albert F., Weston  
Fette, James V., Wheeling

Gates, George G., Parkersburg  
Godsey, James E., Princeton  
Harper, Lenore L., Parkersburg  
Higgins, Joseph R., Wheeling  
Honaker, Luther B., Morgantown

Howard, Hiram S., Webster Springs  
Lanchester, John R., Charleston  
Leedy, W. Edgar, Wheeling  
Malscott, Edgar G., South Charleston  
Mann, Howard N., Beckley

Mayes, Howard G., Huntington  
Mayes, Howard G., Jr., Huntington  
Musgrove, Louis A., Clarksburg  
McElroy, Clarence L., Parkersburg  
Price, George C., Parkersburg

Reed, Dudley B., Elkins  
Sessler, Herbert L., Beckley  
Smith, Richard W., Wheeling  
Stark, Hubert H., Institute  
Sweet, Robert M., St. Albans

Tate, Charles O., Barboursville  
Tolley, James H., Pence Springs  
Worley, Sam, Jr., Bluefield

### Limited Commercial

Arbenz, David R., Wheeling  
Bassettl, Joe, Kimball  
Bassie, John, Charleston  
Bates, Charles W., Wheeling  
Beckett, Austin H., Charleston

Beckett, James M., Charleston  
Clark, Carlton H., Huntington  
Main, John W., Algoma  
Mowery, Sylvan R., Martinsburg  
Smith, Albert W., Morgantown

Turley, Garland B., Huntington  
Williams, David P., Charleston  
Williams, Patrick C., Wevaco  
Woodford, Carl B., Weston  
Yeager, Grady E., Ethel

### Private

Alba, Robert S., Bluefield  
Allora, Frank M., Matewan  
Anderson, James M., Princeton  
Bakhaus, Orville F., Huntington  
Barker, Wilbur H., Huntington

Barringer, Joe D., Charleston  
Beavers, Delma T., Clarksburg  
Benson, Richard H., Bruceton Mills  
Boso, William R., Parkersburg  
Bowers, James H., Elkins

Brown, Clyde L., Beckley  
Burks, Lionel L., Bluefield  
Butts, Edward A., Huntington  
Carricoffe, Roland A., Huntington  
Casto, Willard K. R., Charleston

Chain, Gordon P., Huntington  
Chattin, Phillip G., Keystone  
Clark, Jared W., South Charleston  
Coil, Joseph D., Clarksburg  
Cook, Raymond P., Reynoldsville

Cottrell, George W., Parkersburg  
Craig, James B., Charleston  
Creel, Spencer K., Parkersburg  
Crim, Omar W., Charleston  
Crow, John R., Glen Dale

Deitrick, Ashton D., Charleston  
Diekmann, Henry A., Weston  
Dollison, Ralph R., Fairmont  
Douglas, Kenneth R., Charleston  
Ehman, William H., Charleston

Ervin, William R., Morgantown  
Farnsworth, Lief E., Huntington  
Femia, Samuel S., Clarksburg  
Feuchtenberger, Lloyd D., Bluefield  
Finley, George A., Clarksburg

Fitzwater, Edgar A., Moundsville  
Frankinan, Samuel J., Fairmont  
Fraser, John R., Ethel  
French, Millard F., Beckley  
Frum, Thermon D., Clarksburg

Gibson, William L., Huntington  
 Giltinan, David M., Charleston  
 Gordon, John R., Vienna  
 Gragnon, Patrick A., Huntington  
 Greer, Robert W., Martinsburg

Griffith, James W., Charleston  
 Guthrie, Herbert E., Huntington  
 Hinerman, Verner B., Huntington  
 Holt, Elwood, Beckley  
 Johnson, Jacob R., Arthurdale

Jones, Conard O., Parkersburg  
 Jones, George W., Jr., Red Star  
 Keller, Basil S., Jane Lew  
 Kelly, Howard C., Charleston  
 Kesling, Lew Merl, Anmoore

Lawrence, Bernard F., Bluefield  
 Life, Richard E., Parkersburg  
 Looney, Aner O., Kayford  
 Lynch, George E., White Sulphur  
 Springs  
 Mann, Cyrus W., Hinton

Mawhood, Eric W. R., Huntington  
 Miller, Forrest L., Keyser  
 Moellendick, Henry E., Parkersburg  
 Mootz, Clarence B., Princeton  
 McCutcheon, David B., Huntington

McMann, Harris S., Bridgeport  
 Pendrey, Gerald E., Otsego  
 Perkins, John G., South Charleston  
 Pike, Lee K., Jr., Keystone  
 Platnick, David M., Bluefield

Polen, William B., Holldays Cove  
 Porterfield, Lewis B., Jr., Martinsburg  
 Ramey, Robert D., South Parkersburg  
 Rannels, John H., Romney  
 Rayburn, Woodie W., Ridgeley

Rinehart, Percy L., Thomas  
 Sammons, Forest C., Huntington  
 Shipe, Earl G., Martinsburg  
 Simms, Fred B., Princeton  
 Slater, Byron L., Oak Hill

Smith, Clyde B., Bluefield  
 Smith, Thomas C., Marlinton  
 Snodgrass, Walter B., Elm Grove  
 Snow, Wallace F., Clarksburg  
 Staples, William A., South Charleston

Stathers, George D., Morgantown  
 Steward, Alfred E., Fairmont  
 Tabet, Samuel S., Charleston  
 Thomas, John L., Charleston  
 Thompson, David L., Charleston

Thornton, Rinard U., Bluefield  
 Townsend, Hillis, Charleston  
 Wedge, Marlon C., Pt. Pleasant  
 Welkie, Wheeler L., Ronceverte  
 Whittington, Edwin K., Charleston

Wiseman, John F., Clarksburg  
 Wood, Richard B., Jr., Lewisburg  
 Woody, George R., Omar  
 Work, William F., Charleston

**Solo**

Adams, Edward M., Parkersburg  
 Bear, Emanuel, Clarksburg  
 Bell, Ballis M., Parkersburg  
 Blood, Frank P., Huntington  
 Bower, Merne C., Parkersburg

Bucy, Jay B., Uffington  
 Caplan, William, Clarksburg  
 Clark, Harry F., Bridgeport  
 Clemens, Archie R., Montgomery  
 Cook, George W., Parkersburg

Corpening, John T., Bridgeport  
 Coyne, Arthur E., Clarksburg  
 Doolittle, Arthur K., South Charleston  
 Dutton, Harold H., Parkersburg  
 Edwards, Lewis A., St. Albans

Fields, Thomas P., Parkersburg  
 Fisher, William O., Morgantown  
 George, Peter, Charleston  
 Gibbons, James W., Wheeling  
 Gillette, Audley L. J., Huntington

Greathouse, Festus R., Weston  
 Grimmitt, Elbert H., Hinton  
 Gustkey, Carl W., Wheeling  
 Haddix, Wilbur C., Grafton  
 Hall, Robert K., Charleston

Hall, Sobisca S., Clarksburg  
 Henry, George S., Morgantown  
 Hilbert, Lloyd E., St. Albans  
 Honaker, Clinton C., Huntington  
 Horton, Paul T., Charleston

Hughes, Thomas D., Philippi  
 Janes, John C., Parkersburg  
 Kraft, Robert L., Wheeling  
 Lamb, William F., Anmoore  
 Lipscomb, Roy J., Charleston

Long, Henry A., Weirton Heights  
 Markell, John I., Princeton  
 Marks, William M., Huntington  
 Mullins, Elbert, Hinton  
 McBroom, Thomas M., Clarksburg

McCartney, Thomas A., McMechen  
 Parrill, William H., Clarksburg  
 Perkins, Chester E., Jr., South  
 Charleston  
 Petere, William F., Mozart Hill

Proffitt, Lawrence C., Charleston  
 Rogers, David E., Wheeling  
 Ruble, Clifford H., Parkersburg  
 Rucker, James L., Beckley  
 Schuler, John K. H., Wheeling

Sheets, Carl L., Marlinton  
 Shelton, Herbert M., East Beckley  
 Smith, Basil E., South Charleston  
 Smith, John C., Ravenswood  
 Smith, Kenneth K., Vienna

Spindle, Roy E., Parkersburg  
 Stewart, J. Wayde, Parkersburg  
 Swentzel, Bland F., Clarksburg  
 Talbott, Richard B., Martinsburg  
 Thomas, Franklin C., Jr., Martinsburg

Turner, Charles A., Charleston  
 Wanstreet, William H., Clarksburg  
 Withrow, Delmar H., Richlands  
 Young, Albert R., Jr., Wheeling

**Women—Private**

Beckett, Marie B., Charleston  
 Mayes, Ruth M., Huntington  
 McCown, Beulah E., Institute  
 Tolley, Ruth I., Pence Springs

**Women—Solo**

Clark, Gloria O., Elkhorn  
 Hardesty, Dora V., Fairmont  
 Markell, Violet I., Princeton  
 Snow, Mary D., Clarksburg  
 Stifel, Joan A., Wheeling

## RADIO BROADCASTING STATIONS

### WJLS

(Beckley)

Owned and operated by Joe L. Smith, Jr.; studios 1-3 Main Street, Beckley; call letters, WJLS; frequency 247.8 meters; 1210 kilocycles; power, 250 watts full time; hours, 6:00 A. M. to 10:00 P. M.

General manager, Joe L. Smith, Jr.; commercial manager, C. H. Murphey, Jr.; continuity, Charles Armentrout; classified page, Wade H. Fleshman; chief engineer, Marlon H. McDowell; transmitting operator, Ray S. Spence; control operators, Jim Shott, Jr., William R. Barrett; program director, Barnes H. Nash; assistant program director, George Dale; announcers, Jonathan Goerss, Ted Ellis; bookkeeper, V. Z. Neal; stenographer, Esther Tiller; custodian, A. A. Hill.

### WHIS

(Bluefield)

Owned and operated by the Daily Telegraph Printing Company, Inc.; main studio, Bodell Building, Commerce Street; transmitter at Harry Heights, Bramwell Road; call letters, WHIS; frequency 212.8 meters; 1410 kilocycles; power, 1,000 watts; hours, 5:00 A. M. to 10:00 P. M. daily; Sunday, 9:00 A. M. to 9:00 P. M.

President, H. I. Shott; vice president, Jim H. Shott; secretary, B. L. Early; treasurer, H. I. Shott, Jr.; station manager, J. Lindsey Allen; chief engineer, P. T. Flanagan; program director, M. F. Barnett.

### WCHS

(Charleston)

Owned and operated by Charleston Broadcasting Company; studios, West Virginia Network Building, Lee Street; call letters, WCHS; frequency 516.9 meters; 580 kilocycles; power, 5,000 watts to local sunset, thereafter 500 watts; hours, 6:00 A. M. to 12:00 midnight. Key station West Virginia Network. Member Columbia Broadcasting System.

President and general manager, John A. Kennedy; assistant general manager, Howard L. Chernoff; technical supervisor, Odes E. Robinson; chief engineer, W. F. Bradley; engineers, R. B. Helms, Clifford Gorsuch, Michael Franevsky; transmitting operators, C. X. Castle, Charles W. Gibbs; auditor, B. Eleanor Gregory; local commercial manager, H. C. Wright; salesmen, I. A. Ernst, Roland D. Marshall; educational director, Melva Graham Chernoff; program director, Nicholas Pagliara; announcers, Flem Evans, George W. Gow, Joseph John Herget, Roger Marvin Cade, Leon S. May, Frank Welling; director of continuities and publicity, James Logan Cox, Jr.; traffic chief, Mrs. Carolyn E. Johnson; stenographer, Mrs. Maud Kelm Ryan.

### WGKV

(Charleston)

Owned and operated by Kanawha Valley Broadcasting Company; studios, 1016 Lee Street; call letters WGKV. 1500 kilocycles; power, 100 watts day and night; hours 6:00 A. M. to 12:00 Midnight. Member of the National Broadcasting Company.

President, W. A. Carroll; managing director, Richard F. Sowers; engineers, Francke Fox, Kenneth Forney, Sherwood Glotfelty, Paul Higgins; salesmen, Combs Blanford, Russ Holt; program director, Joe Matthews; announcers, Chris Johannsen, Carl Kent, John Miller.

### WBLK

(Clarksburg)

Owned and operated by Exponent Company; studios and business offices, Robinson Grand Theatre Building, Clarksburg, West Virginia; call letters, WBLK; frequency 218.8 meters; 1370 kilocycles; power, 250 watts, day and night. Affiliated with National Broadcasting System; member West Virginia Network.

President and general manager, John A. Kennedy; station director, Mike Layman; program director, Don McWhorter; staff pianist, Charlotte Umberger; chief engineer, Russell W. Banks; commercial salesman, J. Robert McKinley; sports commentator, Charles T. Snowden.

**W M M N**

(Fairmont)

Owned and operated by the Monongahela Valley Broadcasting Company, subsidiary of the West Virginia Broadcasting Company; studio, 208 Main Street, Fairmont; call letters, WMMN; frequency 336 meters; 890 kilocycles; power, 5,000 watts to local sunset, thereafter, 1000 watts; hours, 6:00 A. M. to 12:00 P. M. Member Columbia Broadcasting System.

President, George B. Storer; vice president, A. M. Rowe; secretary, H. G. Wall; treasurer, J. H. Ryan; managing director, O. J. Kelchner; business manager, R. C. Warden; program director, Howard Wolfe; announcers, Fred Shaffmaster, Wm. Edwards, Kelvan Balte, Joe Glenn; chief engineer, J. R. Heck; engineers, Robert Hough, Don Gruitt, Max Morgan, Russ Morgan, W. J. Barnes, Everett Kirby; auditors, R. C. Warden, Phylliss Graham, Jane Chambers, Elaine Shreve; continuity, C. W. Swiger; salesmen, Sam Gompers, L. G. Galner, Joe Larosa; maintenance, Joe Wright.

**W S A Z**

(Huntington)

Owned and operated by WSAZ, Incorporated; studios, third floor, Keith-Albee Building; call letters, WSAZ; frequency, 1190 kilocycles; power, 1,000 watts; hours, 6:00 A. M. to 7:00 P. M.

President, W. C. McKellar; vice president, Walker Long; chief engineer, Glenn E. Chase; secretary to the president, Lillian Swann; program director, Fred Burns; musical director, W. R. McKinney; chief operator, Roy Batteau; operator, Robert Fischer; announcers, Robert Drexler, Sheldon Levy, Don Lyons, V. Bailey, W. Klinger.

**W P A R**

(Parkersburg)

Owned and operated by Ohio Valley Broadcasting Corporation; studios, Grinter Building, 7th and Market Streets; call letters, WPAR; frequency 1420 kilocycles; power, 100 watts; unlimited time. Member West Virginia Network and Columbia Broadcasting System.

President and general manager, John A. Kennedy; station director, Abe Rauch; program director, Ken Given; chief engineer, William Sodaro.

**W W V A**

(Wheeling)

Owned and operated by West Virginia Broadcasting Corporation; call letters, WWVA; frequency, 258.5 meters; 1160 kilocycles; power, 5,000 watts; hours, Sunday, 7:00 A. M. to 10:00 P. M., Monday, Wednesday and Friday, 6:00 A. M. to 8:30 P. M.; Tuesday and Thursday, 6:00 A. M. to 8:30 P. M., and 11:00 P. M. to 1:00 A. M., and Saturday, 6:00 A. M. to 6:00 P. M. and 7:15 P. M. to 2:00 A. M.

Managing director, George W. Smith; production manager and announcer, Paul J. Miller; program director and announcer, Wayne A. Sanders; announcers, Paul Myers, William Thomas, Cliff Allen, Allen Haid; chief engineer, Glenn G. Boundy; engineers, Edwin L. Keim, Wm. McGlumphy, Jack Supler, Carl P. Beseler, Harry Boyd.

**W B T H**

(Williamson)

Owned and operated by Williamson Broadcasting Corporation; studios, Mountaineer Hotel Block, 2nd Avenue at Court Street; call letters, WBTH; frequency 1370 kilocycles; power, 250 watts; unlimited time.

President, Geo. W. Taylor; vice president-treasurer, W. P. Booker; secretary, Wm. B. Hogg; station director, Harold McWhorter; program director, Eddie Whitehart; chief engineer, W. N. Nungesser.

**WEST VIRGINIA STATE POLICE****\*Police Band Stations**

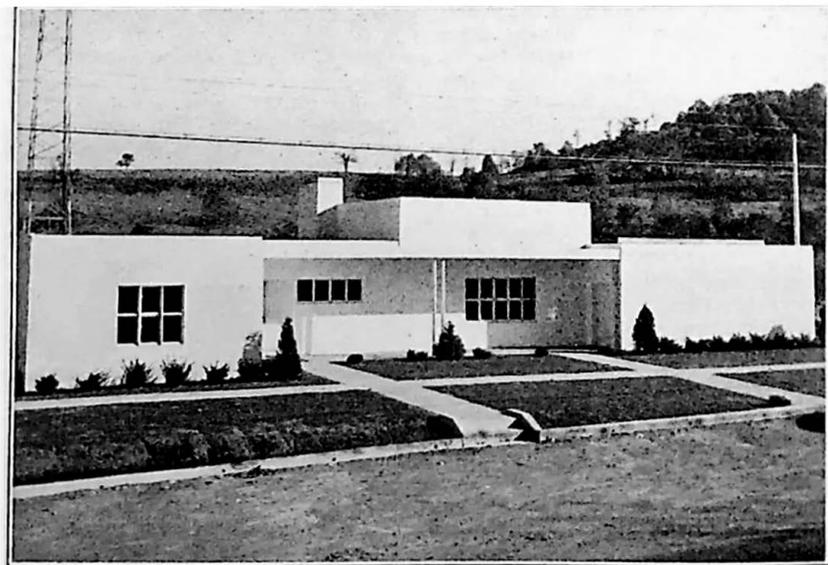
Owned and operated by Department of Public Safety. State headquarters: Charleston; chief communications officer, Lieutenant K. . McGregor; chief radio engineer, R. G. Beerbower; frequency, 1626 kilocycles; power, 1,000 watts; hours, 9:00 A. M. to 1:00 A. M.; call letters as follows:

WBSP (Beckley)  
 WPWV (Charleston)  
 WMWV (Moundsville)  
 WRMP (Romney)  
 WSWV (Shinnston)  
 KHCVQ (Aviation—20 watts)  
 WRPC (Portable—150 watts)

Two state police stations are licensed in West Virginia for radio telegraph operation; frequency 2036-2040-2044-2804-2808-2812-5135-5140-5195; power, 500 watts; call letters as follows:

WPWV (Charleston)  
 WRMP (Romney)

\*The Federal Communications Commission has set aside for use of the state police over the entire United States a band of frequencies or channels from 1600 to 1712 kilocycles. Because of the limited space in the radio spectrum, it is impossible for each state to have a clear channel of its own, but extreme care has been exercised to make sure that the stations using the same frequency are located geographically as far apart as is possible.



State Police Radio Station WSWV, Shinnston

# AGRICULTURE

## LIVESTOCK MARKETS IN WEST VIRGINIA

By J. B. McLAUGHLIN  
Commissioner of Agriculture

Increased activity on the part of principal markets, greatly extended services and safeguards to the industry through the state department of agriculture made possible by new legislation, proximity to principal eastern markets, and factors introduced by political and military developments in Europe, served to focus public attention sharply on the livestock situation in West Virginia in 1939.

Observers saw a picture essentially different from that offered by the state's livestock industry in the early years of the century, or even as recently as ten years ago. Auction markets, an innovation within the past six or seven years, have won for themselves a permanent hold on public interest and support. Cooperative marketing has opened to producers in some areas a localized outlet for lambs and calves.

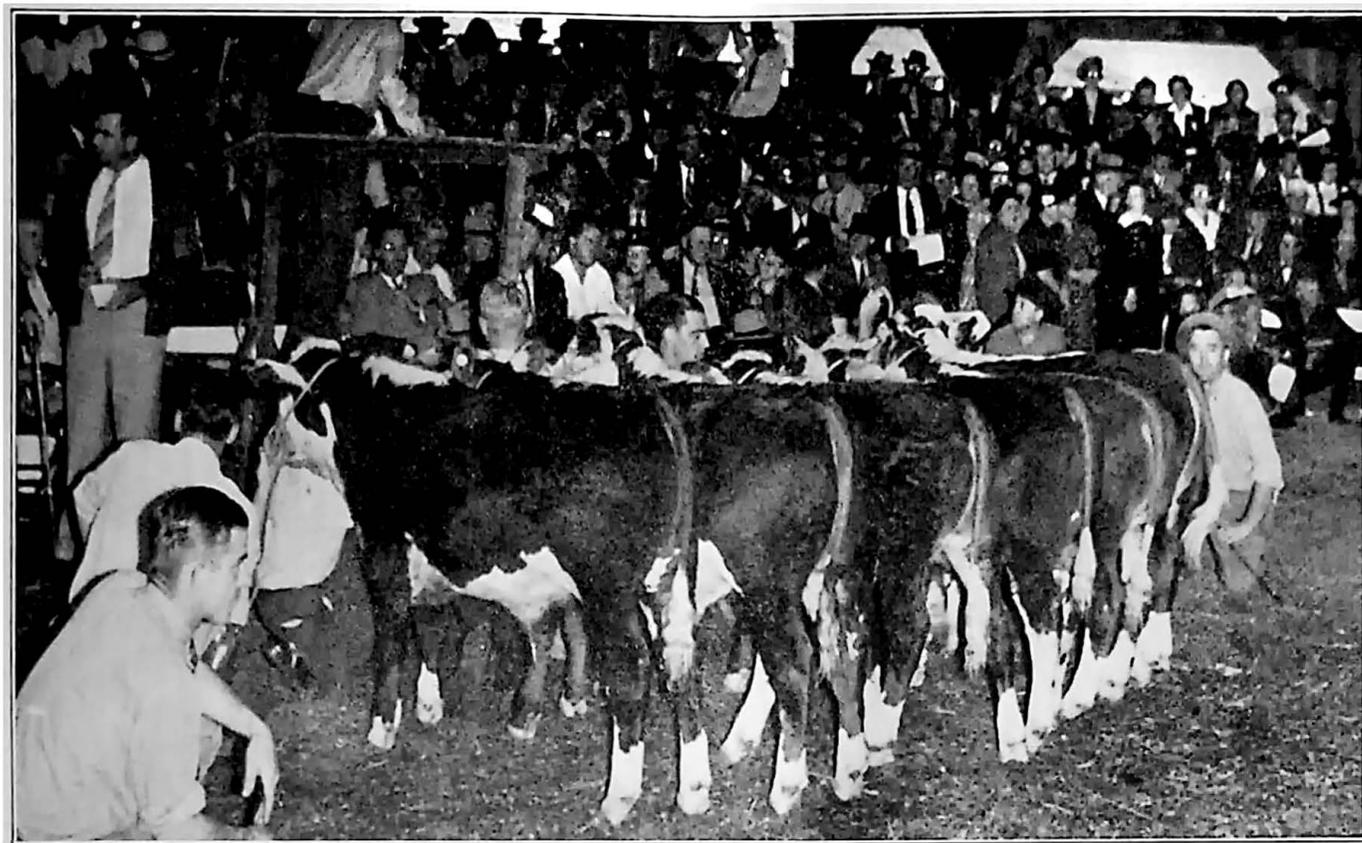
Within the past five years there has grown up a twenty or twenty-five million dollar business which is entirely new to West Virginia, and in that period producers have almost entirely changed their marketing habits from old methods to new.

Opportunity to "sell at home" through local markets, the stimulus given quality production by introduction of purebred sires on the farms of leading breeders of the state, and establishment of official grades for livestock on a nationally recognized basis have all contributed to the substantial development of the livestock industry in West Virginia. The measure of supervisory authority given the state department of agriculture by the last legislature has proved no small factor in developing confidence on the part of producers in the markets which have been opened to them so recently in their own communities. The physical nature of the state itself, more suited to pasture, generally, than to crop land, is another important factor contributing to a larger, more solid livestock enterprise.

Accompanying tables show the position of livestock in West Virginia's farm economy; but figures cannot reproduce the lively scenes at livestock markets within the state when buyers mill about through the night, and markets are often kept open until well past dawn to accommodate clients.

Extreme activity at markets themselves provides an appreciable volume of motive power behind the development of livestock farming in the state. The producer who can accompany his shipment of cattle, sheep, or hogs to a nearby local market and see with his own eyes the physical progress of the sale is more likely to be interested in developing this phase of his farm business than if the act of selling, so far as he is concerned personally, were a remote and more or less mysterious transaction. The individual producer benefits, too, when he sees his lambs and calves inspected by official graders. For instance, he learns why they fall into lower classifications and hence bring smaller returns. He is frequently able to take steps to improve the quality of his offerings on later shipments.

The consignment sales of purebred rams, which were held at nine key points in West Virginia during 1939, provided another stimulant for the state's lamb crop. Sales were held at Lewisburg, Marlinton, Franklin, Petersburg, Sutton, Elkins, Lambertson, Spencer, and Jackson's Mill.



*Photo by State Department of Agriculture*  
State Feeder Calf Sale at Jackson's Mill, September, 1939

During the 1939 season, a purebred bull sale, with the beef breeds represented, was held for the state at Jackson's Mill. The regular series of regional feeder calf sales were also conducted, two sales being held at Jackson's Mill. Sales were also held at Lamberton, Marlinton, Petersburg, Elkins, Dunbar, Ripley and elsewhere. The feeder calf sales, which regularly attract a large attendance of beef producers, are designed for the purpose of promoting and encouraging quality production and attracting out-of-state buyers. In this last item, the sales were highly successful during the current season, buyers being present from Ohio, Pennsylvania, New York, Maryland, and Virginia. At an all-Angus sale at Petersburg, all but 15 of a total of 171 calves were bought by out-of-state feeders.

New legislation is credited with providing a much needed stimulant to the livestock business in West Virginia. The 1939 legislature empowered the state department of agriculture to grant permits to livestock auction markets within the state, twenty-three of which are now in operation. The total volume of business done by these markets annually is in the millions of dollars. To fully protect patrons, each market is required to furnish a suitable bond. Weighmen operating scales, and auctioneers at public markets, are licensed, such licenses being subject to revocation and suspension.

Aside from regulatory features, the department of agriculture supplied graders for the grading of lambs and calves during the summer season of 1939, a portion of the expense being borne by those making use of the service.

As an added feature of the new legislation, the department also supplies veterinary service for the markets, a system of small fees being set up in support of such service. No cattle, for example, may be taken to a purchaser's farm for breeding or feeding purposes until tested for Bang's disease. All hogs are double-treated with serum and virus for hog cholera. The veterinarians serve in a supervisory capacity at all markets in the dipping of sheep for scabies. They also serve as sanitary supervisors, taking the necessary steps to make sure that infection does not enter the yards or spread to nearby or distant areas through shipment of infected animals. All charges for veterinary services are collected by the auction market and remitted to the state.

While the state's livestock industry occupied the major portion of the spotlight during 1939, a related farm enterprise showed continued substantial growth. This is the butter manufacturing industry, which suffered a serious decline during the period from 1930 to 1935, but which, through efforts of the creamery operators of the state in conjunction with the state department of agriculture, has rebounded to a remarkable degree.

In 1920, the volume of butter manufactured in the state was 867,000 pounds. By 1925, the volume had dropped to 523,000 pounds per year, and five years later, in 1930, was still decreasing, the total being 464,000 pounds. In 1935 the low mark was reached with a record of 356,000 pounds of butter produced in West Virginia. This reduction, and the passing of a number of small butter plants, sharply curtailed the farmers' home markets for cream.

For the period July 1, 1933, to June 30, 1934, there were only 55 local markets in West Virginia where producers could sell sour cream for butter making. The butter makers of the state and the state department of agriculture then worked out a program of development for the industry, which is designed to provide adequate home markets for West Virginia farms and additional employment for West Virginia laborers. By 1937, the volume was increased to 2,454,000 pounds, and in 1938 jumped to 3,125,000 pounds, with every evidence of continued growth in the future.

During this time, local markets for the sale of cream were being developed rapidly. The following table shows the growth of the industry from 1933 to 1939:

<i>Fiscal Year</i>	<i>Number of Markets</i>
1933-1934	55
1934-1935	65
1935-1936	80
1936-1937	106
1937-1938	124
1938-1939	142

Keeping pace with the advance in volume of production and the increase in number of available home markets, a marked improvement in quality of both raw and manufactured products was noted. This was the result of much promotional and educational work. In addition to other support given the development of this livestock by-product business, the state department of agriculture is enforcing the state cream and milk testing law, insuring to farmers correct tests and proper payment for milk and cream. In this connection, probably two thousand check tests are run yearly by members of the department, and many samples of commercial butter are analyzed by the department's laboratory division for correct weight, percentage of fat, and condition.

Another livestock by-product industry is the sale of wool, and promotional and educational programs have been of service to producers in this field. While the wool pool, a cooperative movement in which producers from all sections of the state participate, was shorter in 1939 than in the year before, the percentage of reject wool was lower than in previous years, indicating clearly that producers are becoming more familiar with the proper methods of handling wool prior to marketing.

The development of the agricultural industry means a great deal to the state itself. According to the 1935 census of agriculture, there are more than 104,000 farms in West Virginia. Approximately 120,000 families in the state depend upon farming for all, or at least a part, of their livelihood. It is evident that if the per capita income of this large cross-section of our population can be increased by the development of the livestock industry right here at home, the situation in West Virginia as a whole will be bettered.

It is this idea of improving the situation within the state by developing home industries and thus directly and indirectly creating employment for West Virginians which constitutes the primary objective of the state department of agriculture and all other cooperating agencies.



*Photo by Ellis, Weston*

Choice Lambs at Stockyards of Weston Livestock Sales Company, 1939

## FEDERAL HOMESTEAD COMMUNITIES IN WEST VIRGINIA

(Prepared from data furnished by the Farm Security Administration)

Federal homestead communities in West Virginia are located in Preston, Putnam, and Randolph Counties, the homesteads being designated, respectively, Arthurdale Community, Red House Farms, and Tygart Valley Homesteads. The major part of the agricultural products raised consists of fruit and vegetables, and most of such products are used for home consumption. Dairying is a major enterprise of these small cooperative farms.

All homesteads are under the supervision of the Farm Security Administration of the Department of Agriculture. Community managers have been named for the three projects as follows: Arthurdale Community, Glenn R. Work, Arthurdale; Red House Farms, W. T. Morgan, Eleanor; Tygart Valley Homesteads, J. Earl Romine, Elkins.

### Arthurdale Community

Arthurdale Community is located just south of Reedsville, about sixteen miles east of Morgantown. This community, initiated October 1, 1933, constituted one of the first projects of the Division of Subsistence Homesteads of the Department of the Interior, and was planned to give a group of families, left without work when the nearby coal mines closed down, a chance to obtain an adequate income and a greater degree of security. The project was transferred to the Resettlement Administration May 15, 1935, and subsequently to the Farm Security Administration.

More than one-half of the prospective homesteaders were destitute miners, while the remainder had obtained their incomes from construction work, manufacturing, railroading, lumbering, and farming. All but a few of the families were on relief, and their average income from all sources for the year previous to making application was \$467.00 per family. Most of the families were large, the average size being six persons. The average adult had received a public school education through the eighth grade.

The project is comprised of more than 1,100 acres of rolling ground, once a part of the plantation of Colonel George Fairfax, who was aide to George Washington. The community center is located in the heart of this area, and includes a general store, barber shop, post office, meeting hall, display room, handicraft workshop, administrative offices, and filling station. A twenty-room inn, in operation since June, 1938, is located on a hill overlooking the community center.

The one hundred and sixty-five homesteads are laid out around this group of community buildings. Each of the units consists of about three acres of land, upon which a substantial house has been built, together with a combination barn and poultry house, and a vegetable storage cellar. The houses face on project roads and are built so as to utilize the best house sites.

The houses are of stone or wood construction, or a combination of both. All have wood shingle roofs, running water, and electricity. Heat is provided by hot water, hot air, or steam. There are twenty-six houses with four rooms, twenty-three houses with five rooms, and one hundred and sixteen houses with six rooms.

The factories and cooperative farms lie on the outskirts of the community. The community school, complete from nursery school through high school, is housed in six separate buildings, one of which contains a combination gymnasium-auditorium seating 500 people. The school is directed by local school authorities, and vocational training is stressed. A well-equipped library is a part of the school system. A large playground is available, and motion pictures are shown in the school gymnasium, in which church services are also held. Occasional square dances are held in the community center.

Construction was completed on August 25, 1938, and since that time the families have been employed in community service and in the various industries that have been established, while a few others have found work off the project site.

The homesteaders raise most of their food on their individual tracts and are able to market some garden truck to provide themselves with cash.

The Arthurdale Association, a non-profit association, governed by a board of directors, owns and operates several agricultural, industrial and community service enterprises, each homesteader being entitled to membership. Each has one vote, and equal distribution to the members is made of any surplus above the amount necessary for current obligations, reserve funds, and maintenance. The agricultural enterprises include the operation of a large farm, poultry establishment, dairy and grist mill. The Association owns approximately 442 acres of land, and, in addition, leases a small acreage.

The Association operates a wood-working shop and forge, period furniture being manufactured for marketing, with sales outlets in the east. Kitchen cabinets, interior trim, and other mass production products used in house construction are also manufactured in this shop. Pewter ware and wrought iron products, including andirons, are manufactured at the forge. Two one-story factories are also owned by the Association, one of which is occupied by the wood-working plant. The other has been leased to two tenants, the Phillips-Jones Company, manufacturers of men's shirts, and the Electric Vacuum Cleaner Company.

A third factory has been constructed for the assembling of farm equipment. It is leased by the Arthurdale Farm Equipment Corporation, organized by the homesteaders, the capital stock of which is owned by the Arthurdale Association. It is managed by American Cooperatives, Inc., an organization formed by a group of farmer wholesale cooperatives.

Arthurdale has been primarily a relief project, and, therefore, the amount spent for labor and in rehabilitating workers has been greater than would have been the case had the economical building of low cost houses been the sole object of the project. The preliminary estimate of the construction cost of the community, including land, homes, barns, community buildings and roads is \$2,027,000.00.



Arthurdale Community, Preston County

### Red House Farms

This project is located at Eleanor, formerly known as Red House, two miles from Winfield, in Putnam County, and twenty-eight miles northwest of Charleston. The project, which was initiated by the FERA and then transferred to the Resettlement Administration, is now under supervision of the Farm Security Administration. It was established for the purpose of rehabilitating families who had been relief clients and who, because of the decline in mining and lumbering activities in this region, had little prospect of future private employment. Most of the homesteaders have had some previous farming experience, and all but a few of the adults have attended school.

The project consists of 150 units built on 2,011 acres of valley and river bottom land. Subsistence gardening and poultry raising are provided on individual tracts averaging three-fourths of an acre in size. Additional income is derived from cooperative farming, dairying, processing and craftwork. As is the case at Arthurdale, a cooperative association has been set up, in which each family owns a membership.

An administration building has been constructed, a grade school established, and buildings for cooperative enterprises erected. Water is provided by a community water-works system, with filtration plant, storage tanks, and mains, and a modern sewage disposal system is in operation. Electricity is provided by a private utility, and fuel is derived from natural gas wells on the project. A total of 150 two-story, concrete cinder block homes have been built. Each has a concrete foundation, cellar, modern plumbing, electric fixtures, gas and water heater. In addition to the two-story houses, there are 30 two-room, 90 three-room, and 30 four-room units.

In the fall of 1938, when it became obvious that local industrial employment opportunities were not sufficient to give the homesteaders the work necessary to provide them with a living, a hosiery mill was erected by the Red House Association, with funds borrowed from the Farm Security Administration. The plant is operated by Dexdale Hosiery Mills, of Landsdale, Pennsylvania, being now owned jointly by that company and the homestead association. The hosiery company provides the management services and controls the operating company, and wage and hour standards of workers are protected under operation agreements. The company also markets the entire output of the plant, and profits are divided between the management and the homestead association. The mill has been in operation since August 15, 1939. It is estimated that when operating at capacity it will employ about 170 workers. The estimated total cost of the project is \$599,758.

### Tygart Valley Homesteads

The project known as Tygart Valley Homesteads is located in Randolph County near Huttonsville, about eleven miles south of Elkins. It was established in 1933 under the National Industrial Recovery Act by the Division of Subsistence Homesteads, and, like Arthurdale and Red House Farms, was then transferred to the Resettlement Administration. At the present time it is supervised by the Farm Security Administration.

The project, known as a "stranded group" project, was established for the purpose of rehabilitating families who were formerly dependent on the lumbering operations in this particular area, many families being impoverished as the result of shutdowns in the lumber industry. With their livelihood gone, many of these stranded families would have become a permanent relief problem had it not been for this project.

The 2,883-acre project includes 195 family units, with individual plots ranging from one to three acres. The houses are grouped on three separate tracts, surrounded by farm land. Eight types of farm houses and a few brick houses of four, five and six rooms each have been built, modern plumbing and electricity being installed in each house. Outbuildings include combination garage, vegetable cellar, poultry house and feed room. Utility services of the homestead include a central filtration plant, with three reservoirs, and sewage disposal

tanks. Gas and telephone service are available in some of the units. There is a volunteer fire department, and two new fire engines have been added to the equipment.

At the beginning, homesteaders derived their income from construction and development work on the project. Afterwards the Tygart Valley Association was organized to take full charge of all industrial enterprises, chief among which is a stock lumber mill designed to employ 90 men. About ten million feet of lumber per year can be worked up at this mill. This is about one-half of the output which the Monongahela National Forest and private sources in this region usually supply annually. The cooperative farm employs ten or more homesteaders, nearly a thousand acres being devoted to cattle raising.

There are 820 acres of pasture land, and 350 acres have been set aside for feed crops and the principal cash crop, potatoes. The potato warehouse provides storage for 30,000 bushels.

A number of clubs have been organized, two of which provide recreation and study for adult women. Two 4-H Clubs have been formed for the boys and girls. There is a health association, a recreational and music organization, a fair association, and various athletic teams. Weaving and wood-working shops are conducted by the National Youth Administration, while a nursery school is operated by the Works Progress Administration. Homesteaders attend religious services regularly at nearby churches.

The project cost \$1,593,583.00. This includes homes, barns, land, community buildings, roads and other improvements, the cost of each homestead unit, including land, house and outbuilding, averaging \$2,648.00

## WEST VIRGINIA FARM INCOME, 1937-38

(Compiled by Federal-State Crop Reporting Service, West Virginia Department of Agriculture)

COMMODITY	1937		1938	
	*Cash Farm Income	*Gross Farm Income	*Cash Farm Income	*Gross Farm Income
<b>Crops</b>				
Corn.....	\$ 533,000	\$.....	\$ 541,000	\$.....
Wheat.....	936,000	.....	905,000	.....
Oats.....	22,000	.....	14,000	.....
Barley.....	5,000	.....	4,000	.....
Truck Crops.....	1,214,000	.....	1,433,000	.....
Potatoes.....	731,000	.....	417,000	.....
Tobacco.....	527,000	.....	545,000	.....
All vegetables.....	1,945,000	.....	1,850,000	.....
Apples.....	3,864,000	.....	3,190,000	.....
Peaches.....	323,000	.....	113,000	.....
Pears.....	27,000	.....	14,000	.....
Grapes.....	75,000	.....	10,000	.....
Other Crops.....	3,153,000	.....	2,701,000	.....
<b>Total all crops.....</b>	<b>\$ 11,410,000</b>	<b>\$ 20,267,000</b>	<b>\$ 9,887,000</b>	<b>\$ 17,007,000</b>
<b>Livestock</b>				
Hogs.....	2,817,000	6,724,000	2,514,000	5,903,000
Cattle and Calves.....	8,077,000	8,290,000	7,385,000	7,560,000
Sheep and lambs.....	2,547,000	2,589,000	1,947,000	1,966,000
Chickens.....	1,134,000	3,260,000	1,095,000	3,153,000
Eggs.....	5,341,000	7,367,000	5,145,000	7,123,000
Milk.....	9,906,000	20,798,000	9,700,000	19,458,000
Wool.....	1,013,000	1,013,000	578,000	573,000
<b>Total livestock and livestock products.....</b>	<b>\$ 30,925,000</b>	<b>\$ 50,021,000</b>	<b>\$ 27,520,000</b>	<b>\$ 45,744,000</b>
<b>Total farm income from crops and livestock.....</b>	<b>\$ 41,180,000</b>	<b>\$ 70,288,000</b>	<b>\$ 37,524,000</b>	<b>\$ 63,351,000</b>
Government payments.....	762,000	762,000	1,430,000	1,430,000
<b>Total Income.....</b>	<b>\$ 41,942,000</b>	<b>\$ 71,050,000</b>	<b>\$ 38,960,000</b>	<b>\$ 64,781,000</b>

\*Cash income relates to the value of quantities actually sold off the farms, and gross income to cash income plus the value of the products consumed in the farm household where the commodities were produced.

**NUMBERS AND VALUES OF LIVESTOCK ON WEST VIRGINIA FARMS, JANUARY 1, 1937-1939**

(Compiled by Federal-State Crop Reporting Service, West Virginia Department of Agriculture)

**Numbers**

SPECIES OR CLASS	January 1, 1937	January 1, 1938	January 1, 1939
Horses and colts .....	96,000	96,000	97,000
Mules and mule colts .....	12,000	12,000	12,000
Cattle and calves .....	576,000	588,000	605,000
(a) Sheep and lambs .....	547,000	547,000	536,000
Hogs, including pigs .....	213,000	209,000	217,000
Chickens .....	4,391,000	4,061,000	4,286,000
(b) Cows and heifers .....	249,000	251,000	251,000
(c) Heifers .....	41,000	38,000	40,000

**Values**

SPECIES OR CLASS	January 1, 1937		January 1, 1938		January 1, 1939	
	Farm Value Per Head Dollars	(d) Total Farm Value Thousand Dollars	Farm Value Per Head Dollars	Total Farm Value Thousand (d) Dollars	Farm Value Per Head Dollars	Total Farm Value (d) Thousand Dollars
Horses and colts .....	\$ 121.00	\$ 11,604	\$ 120.00	\$ 11,497	\$ 115.00	\$ 11,135
Mules and colts .....	119.00	1,428	119.00	1,428	116.00	1,392
Cattle and calves .....	30.40	17,491	34.50	20,447	35.60	21,597
(a) Sheep and lambs .....	5.40	2,931	5.60	3,062	5.40	2,911
Hogs, including pigs .....	8.70	1,859	8.70	1,823	8.50	1,834
Chickens .....	.68	2,987	.75	3,046	.69	2,957
(b) Cows and heifers .....	39.00	9,711	44.00	11,044	45.00	11,295
(c) Total Value 5 Species .....		35,313		38,527		38,860

- (a) Includes sheep and lambs in feed lots on feed for market.
- (b) Milk cows 2 years old and over kept for milk, and included in cattle and calves.
- (c) Heifers 1-2 years old kept for milk, and included in cattle and calves.
- (d) Total value is sum of values by age groups.
- (e) Chickens not included.

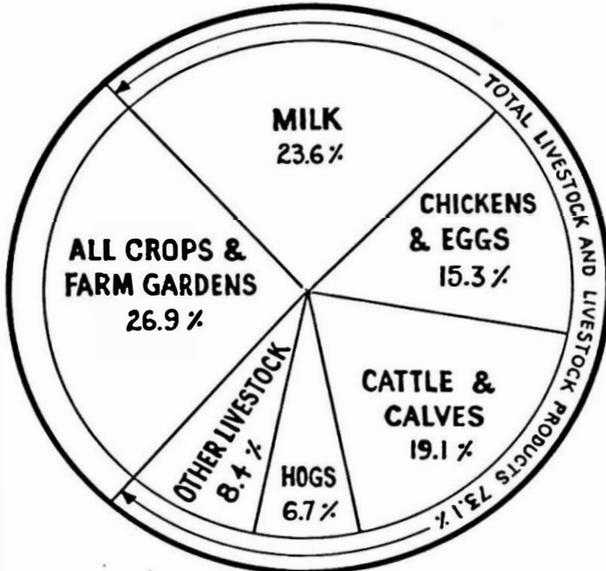
## WEST VIRGINIA CROP SUMMARY, 1937-1938

(Compiled by Federal-State Crop Reporting Service, West Virginia Department of Agriculture)

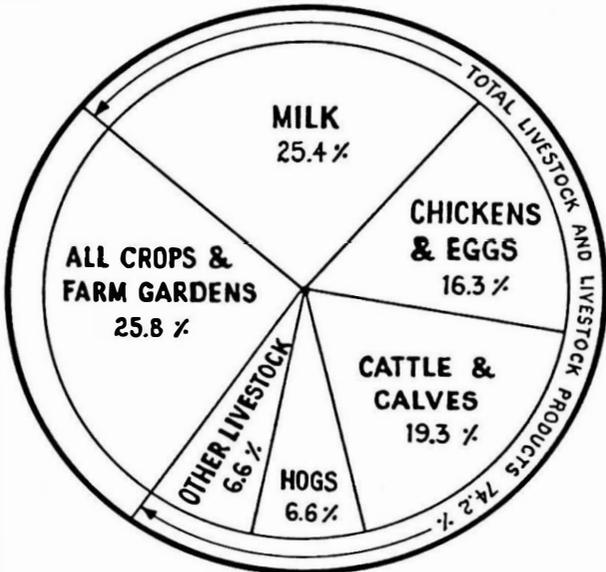
CROP	Acreage (000 Omitted)		Yield Per Acre		Unit	Production (000 Omitted)	
	1938 (Pre- liminary)	1937	1938 (Pre- liminary)	1937		1938 (Pre- liminary)	1937
<b>Cereals</b>							
Corn.....	477	518	26.5	27.5	Bu.	12,640	14,245
Winter wheat.....	156	171	15.0	16.0	Bu.	2,340	2,736
Oats.....	86	85	21.0	20.0	Bu.	1,806	1,700
Barley.....	5	5	28.0	27.0	Bu.	140	135
Rye.....	7	9	12.5	12.0	Bu.	88	108
Buckwheat.....	16	17	16.0	17.5	Bu.	256	298
<b>Hay</b>							
All tame hay.....	684	665	1.17	1.11	Tons	802	741
Alfalfa hay.....	25	24	1.95	1.75	Tons	49	42
All clover and timothy hay..	420	408	1.20	1.15	Tons	604	489
Grain hay.....	22	26	.85	.85	Tons	19	22
Soybean and cowpea hay..	44	41	1.50	1.44	Tons	66	59
Other tame hay.....	173	166	.95	.90	Tons	164	149
Wild hay.....	10	12	.95	.90	Tons	10	11
<b>Other Field Crops</b>							
Potatoes.....	32	32	85	102	Bu.	2,720	3,264
Tobacco, burley.....	3.2	4.9	725	725	Lb.	2,208	3,552
Soybeans for beans.....	1	1	12.0	12.5	Tons	12	12
<b>Fruits</b>							
Apples, commercial crops.....					Bu.	3,227	5,600
Peaches.....					Bu.	184	528
Pears.....					Bu.	35	111
Grapes.....					Tons	(a)430	(a)1,900
<b>Grand Total.....</b>	<b>1,478.4</b>	<b>1,519.9</b>					

(a)—000 not omitted.

# West Virginia Cash Farm Income 1937



1938



Graph by West Virginia Department of Agriculture

# BANK DEPOSITS, 1891-1939

(Compiled from data furnished by State Commissioner of Banking and the Comptroller of the Currency).

YEAR	NUMBER OF BANKS			DEPOSITS		
	State	National	Total	State	National	Total
1891.....	49	22	71	\$ 8,330,896.96	\$ 5,774,000.00	\$ 14,074,896.96
1892.....	50	27	77	9,418,513.26	6,552,000.00	15,970,513.26
1893.....	55	30	85	9,173,210.89	6,255,000.00	15,431,210.89
1894.....	56	30	86	9,066,980.99	6,660,000.00	15,726,980.99
1895.....	58	30	88	9,698,088.10	6,981,000.00	16,679,088.10
1896.....	60	33	93	10,609,880.06	7,680,000.00	18,289,880.06
1897.....	68	33	101	11,195,954.26	8,306,000.00	19,501,954.26
1898.....	74	33	107	13,069,203.84	9,064,000.00	22,133,203.84
1899.....	76	34	110	16,284,286.99	12,847,000.00	29,131,286.99
1900.....	89	38	127	21,323,927.06	17,079,000.00	38,402,927.06
1901.....	102	46	148	26,782,556.39	21,238,000.00	48,018,556.39
1902.....	115	51	166	32,872,699.70	23,687,000.00	56,559,699.70
1903.....	148	65	213	38,908,768.65	25,889,000.00	64,797,768.65
1904.....	151	72	223	39,718,072.40	25,377,000.00	65,095,072.40
1905.....	160	78	238	44,475,261.76	26,288,000.00	70,763,261.76
1906.....	172	83	255	50,172,070.43	31,660,000.00	81,832,070.43
1907.....	170	88	258	52,217,845.73	36,870,000.00	89,087,845.73
1908.....	169	95	264	49,057,009.66	37,145,000.00	86,202,009.66
1909.....	177	93	270	54,472,082.82	38,958,000.00	93,430,082.82
1910.....	179	103	282	59,198,505.66	46,256,000.00	105,454,505.66
1911.....	189	106	295	62,830,866.93	49,616,000.00	112,446,866.93
1912.....	191	110	301	67,121,377.68	52,210,000.00	119,331,377.68
1913.....	193	116	309	73,774,655.57	60,755,000.00	134,529,655.57
1914.....	196	119	315	76,248,436.90	65,657,000.00	141,905,436.90
1915.....	194	117	311	72,174,845.53	60,266,000.00	132,440,845.53
1916.....	193	117	310	83,745,205.95	72,388,000.00	156,133,205.95
1917.....	202	115	317	112,210,611.06	93,795,000.00	206,005,611.06
1918.....	207	116	323	119,960,032.09	104,050,000.00	224,010,032.09
1919.....	217	119	336	128,932,373.05	109,618,000.00	238,550,373.05
1920.....	217	122	339	154,440,268.50	134,621,000.00	289,061,268.50
1921.....	226	123	349	170,370,924.68	139,943,000.00	310,313,924.68
1922.....	225	122	347	162,105,460.69	137,479,000.00	299,675,460.69
1923.....	222	125	347	166,802,107.79	156,345,000.00	343,147,607.79
1924.....	225	125	350	183,922,397.64	151,701,000.00	335,623,397.64
1925.....	221	124	345	185,809,943.35	148,864,000.00	334,673,943.35
1926.....	222	124	346	191,368,336.94	152,587,000.00	343,955,336.94
1927.....	217	122	339	196,124,549.14	161,417,000.00	357,541,549.14
1928.....	211	119	330	188,973,732.46	152,125,000.00	341,098,732.46
1929.....	194	116	310	183,588,364.19	158,251,000.00	341,839,364.19
1930.....	179	111	290	171,834,408.41	152,620,000.00	324,454,408.41
1931.....	158	104	262	152,246,966.13	139,810,000.00	292,056,966.13
1932.....	130	80	210	118,369,863.91	102,728,000.00	221,097,863.91
1933.....	106	62	168	96,127,697.56	88,231,000.00	184,358,697.56
1934.....	103	78	181	105,705,643.18	119,735,000.00	225,440,643.18
1935.....	103	79	182	112,347,086.41	124,718,000.00	237,065,086.41
1936.....	106	79	185	130,527,814.39	142,458,000.00	272,985,814.39
1937.....	107	79	186	138,156,024.55	149,324,000.00	287,480,024.55
1938.....	105	79	184	129,881,922.97	140,806,000.00	270,687,922.97
1939.....	103	78	181	132,063,704.11	157,603,000.00	289,666,704.11

# BANKS AND BANKING

## STATE BANKS

CAPITAL, SURPLUS AND TOTAL DEPOSITS AS OF JUNE 30, 1939, OF STATE BANKS IN WEST VIRGINIA, TOGETHER WITH THE NAMES OF THE PRESIDENT AND CASHIER OF EACH

(Compiled from information furnished by the State Commissioner of Banking)

LOCATION	NAME OF BANK	PRESIDENT	CASHIER	Capital	Surplus	Total Deposits
Athens.....	Bank of Athens.....	Donzie Lilly.....	F. V. Cooper.....	\$ 25,000.00	\$ 12,500.00	\$ 337,428.09
Barboursville.....	The First State Bank.....	P. A. Vallandingham.....	C. V. Updyke.....	25,000.00	5,000.00	145,180.58
Beckley.....	Bank of Raleigh.....	I. C. Prince.....	H. L. Crawford.....	150,000.00	42,500.00	2,470,685.44
Beckley.....	The Raleigh County Bank.....	B. E. Carter.....	G. C. Hedrick.....	250,000.00	202,500.00	2,240,548.34
Belington.....	Belington Bank.....	D. M. Gainer.....	W. H. Coonts.....	25,000.00	3,040.83	25,308.42
Berwind.....	Berwind Bank.....	R. L. Page.....	E. S. Thompson.....	100,000.00	100,000.00	640,123.83
Bluefield.....	The Commercial Bank of Bluefield.....	Alex B. Mahood.....	J. E. Wagner, Jr.....	150,000.00	40,000.00	993,420.31
Bridgeport.....	Bridgeport Bank.....	J. R. Jones.....	A. B. Teter.....	25,000.00	75,000.00	460,072.57
Bruceeton Mills.....	Bruceeton Mills.....	J. E. Jenkins.....	Mryon Spielman.....	25,000.00	10,000.00	204,330.41
Buckhannon.....	Adrian Buckhannon Bank.....	A. M. Gould.....	Hill Stump.....	25,000.00	4,000.00	705,088.13
Buffalo.....	The Buffalo Bank.....	H. P. Blake.....	L. L. Lilly.....	25,000.00	20,000.00	206,077.58
Charleston.....	Central Trust Company.....	John L. Dickinson.....	R. E. Platt (Treas.).....	500,000.00	250,000.00	824,802.85
Charleston.....	Kanawha Banking & Trust Company.....	Harrison B. Smith.....	P. A. Hercher.....	500,000.00	351,000.00	5,701,547.09
Charleston.....	The Kanawha Valley Bank.....	John L. Dickinson.....	Hayes Picklesimer.....	1,000,000.00	1,200,000.00	21,342,800.33
Charles Town.....	Bank of Charles Town.....	Milton Burr.....	W. L. Gibson.....	50,000.00	50,000.00	1,720,962.04
Clarkburg.....	The Lowndes Savings Bank & Trust Company.....	W. Bladen Lowndes, Jr.....	Joseph J. Duling (Treasurer).....	250,000.00	101,500.00	1,760,102.03
Clay.....	Clay County Bank.....	W. B. Pierson.....	S. H. McLane.....	50,000.00	25,000.00	403,281.22
Cjendenin.....	Farmers & Citizens State Bank.....	D. H. Stephenson.....	W. A. Andrews.....	10,000.00	7,000.00	794,401.42
Danville.....	The Bank of Danville.....	C. C. Hopkins.....	Robert F. Ferrell.....	25,000.00	4,000.00	357,446.98
Dunbar.....	The Bank of Dunbar.....	Mason Crickard.....	C. A. McCarty.....	25,000.00	12,600.00	534,690.65

## STATE BANKS—Continued

LOCATION	NAME OF BANK	PRESIDENT	CASHIER	Capital	Surplus	Total Deposits
Elizabeth.....	Wirt County Bank.....	Walter Hoffman.....	Herbert Roberts.....	25,000.00	5,500.00	249,028.65
Elkins.....	Davis Trust Company.....	Thaddeus Pritt.....	A. H. Hunter (Treasurer).....	250,000.00	73,657.83	883,920.80
Follansbee.....	Bank of Fallansbee.....	R. Humes.....	M. T. Dunlope.....	25,000.00	50,000.00	481,061.04
Follansbee.....	Citizens Bank of Follansbee.....	W. E. Mahan.....	J. V. Balch.....	25,000.00	40,000.00	671,756.14
Franklin.....	Pendleton County Bank.....	S. H. Sharp.....	H. L. Byers.....	25,000.00	5,306.16	415,991.35
Gassaway.....	Bank of Gassaway.....	Dr. Norman Goad.....	J. B. Fisher.....	25,000.00	12,000.00	346,497.71
Glenville.....	Glenville Banking & Trust Company.....	I. N. Hardman.....	Howard R. Brannon.....	25,000.00	.....	377,174.89
Glenville.....	Kanawha Union Bank.....	J. H. Hall.....	John E. Arbuckle.....	40,000.00	40,000.00	658,014.06
Grantsville.....	The Calhoun County Bank.....	C. A. Jarvis.....	F. F. McCoy.....	80,000.00	65,000.00	1,038,372.89
Greenville.....	Bank of Greenville.....	R. E. Riner.....	W. M. Comer.....	25,000.00	10,000.00	86,952.36
Harman.....	The Stockmans Bank of Harman.....	Gordon Bennett.....	Arthur Cooper.....	25,000.00	18,000.00	153,124.68
Harrisville.....	The Union Bank of Harrisville.....	L. L. Cokeley.....	A. Hays Elliott.....	50,000.00	65,000.00	880,855.33
Hollidays Cove.....	The Peoples Bank.....	H. Kline Weir.....	E. D. Rothrock.....	50,000.00	60,000.00	1,678,534.83
Hundred.....	Bank of Hundred.....	J. E. Shull.....	C. E. Clovis.....	50,000.00	10,000.00	437,402.32
Huntington.....	First Finance & Trust Company.....	Dave Gideon.....	Sol Birke (Sec'y.-Treas.).....	250,000.00	.....	.....
Huntington.....	Guaranty Bank & Trust Company.....	D. S. Diddle.....	A. Grant Beckett.....	150,000.00	45,000.00	.....
Huntington.....	The Twentieth Street Bank.....	B. C. McGinnis.....	A. C. Hincerman.....	50,000.00	20,000.00	999,605.04
Hurricane.....	Putnam County Bank.....	A. S. Alexander.....	L. L. Wilson.....	25,000.00	12,500.00	315,864.18
Iaeger.....	The Bank of Iaeger.....	P. C. Edwards.....	P. C. Edwards.....	25,000.00	10,000.00	335,257.52
Junior.....	*Merchants & Miners Bank of Junior.....	A. K. Perry.....	C. W. Shomo.....	25,000.00	2,000.00	93,841.79
Keyser.....	Farmers & Merchants Bank.....	George R. Davis.....	George R. Davis.....	100,000.00	100,000.00	1,443,419.80
Lewisburg.....	Greenbrier Valley Bank.....	Dr. Gory Hogg.....	J. K. Palmer.....	75,000.00	37,500.00	870,985.84
Littleton.....	*Bank of Littleton.....	W. B. Cosgray.....	Archie Marshall.....	25,000.00	.....	72,712.52
Lost Creek.....	The Harrison County Bank.....	Cookman Smith.....	W. D. Nutter.....	40,000.00	8,500.00	319,889.39

Mannington	First Exchange Bank	George W. Bowers	Gore H. Beall	25,000.00	7,500.00	703,219.44
Marlinton	Bank of Marlinton	Dr. J. W. Price	Hubert Echols	100,000.00	5,307.50	079,506.50
Martinsburg	Merchants & Farmers Bank	W. R. Caskey	B. D. Myers	100,000.00	15,000.00	901,297.16
Martinsburg	The Peoples Trust Company	J. O. Henson	Dudley Harley	250,000.00	100,000.00	1,296,481.62
Matoaka	The Bank of Matoaka	B. S. Clements	W. M. Ferrell	25,000.00	50,000.00	488,720.55
McMechen	The Bank of McMechen	S. J. Hunter	Nile A. Marplo	60,000.00	40,000.00	468,040.23
Mill Creek	Bank of Mill Creek	Otto S. Russell	U. B. Painter	25,000.00		360,804.18
Milton	Bank of Milton	C. L. Harshbarger	W. E. Jackson	50,000.00	10,000.00	740,020.44
Morgantown	Farmers' & Merchants' Bank	E. M. Cassady, Jr.	W. A. Forney	100,000.00	25,000.00	851,141.47
Moundsville	Marshall County Bank	Martin Brown	Claude F. Smith	75,000.00	15,000.00	622,116.64
Moundsville	Mercantile Banking & Trust Company	C. C. Schwob	Elmer Resseger	100,000.00	130,000.00	1,263,635.35
Mount Hope	Bank of Mount Hope	P. M. Snyder	W. G. Potter	100,000.00	100,000.00	1,491,150.20
Mullens	The Peoples Bank of Mullens	A. C. Early	M. H. Lusk	50,000.00	40,000.00	772,830.46
New Haven	Mason County Bank	J. C. Layne	Harry L. Dyer	25,000.00	10,000.00	267,697.31
New Martinsville	New Martinsville Bank	Wm. Ankrom	C. W. Berger	45,000.00	10,000.00	357,683.11
New Martinsville	West Virginia Title & Trust Co.		H. M. Phillips (Treasurer)	125,000.00		
Oak Hill	New River Banking & Trust Co.	Jas. F. Prince	H. A. Berry	50,000.00	125,000.00	860,655.40
Parkersburg	Commercial Banking & Trust Co.	Reese Blizard	J. R. Cooper	145,000.00	200,000.00	2,061,364.75
Parkersburg	Union Trust & Deposit Co.	George F. Frederick	Carlyle R. Smith (Secy-Treas.)	450,000.00	225,000.00	3,155,633.04
Parkersburg	Wood County Bank	Lee Stern	Geo. B. Waggoner	200,000.00	50,000.00	1,970,268.37
Parsons	The Tucker County Bank	John W. Mincar	Hubert B. Lako	25,000.00	5,000.00	369,383.74
Pennsboro	The Community Bank	S. T. McKinley	O. A. Gregg	25,000.00	5,000.00	207,407.40
Petersburg	The Grant County Bank	Paul A. Leatherman	W. C. Moomau	50,000.00	12,000.00	636,494.01
Petersburg	Potomac Valley Bank	Charles A. Smith	Irving G. Bowman	50,000.00	12,000.00	359,910.35
Pickens	Bank of Pickens	A. H. Been	Oscar L. Barrickman	25,000.00	5,000.00	124,340.87
Princeton	Princeton Bank & Trust Co.	J. H. Lilly	E. E. Bailey	100,000.00		1,743,072.89
Quinwood	The Bank of Quinwood	Dr. J. G. Leech	J. Byrne Dobbins	50,000.00	5,000.00	184,918.35
Rainelle	The Bank of Rainelle	L. R. F. Preyas	Ryan Thompson	25,000.00	25,000.00	315,087.46
Ravenswood	Jackson County Bank	D. E. Cole	C. E. Baker	60,000.00	180,000.00	1,055,138.99

\*Operating upon a restricted basis.

## STATE BANKS—Continued

LOCATION	NAME OF BANK	PRESIDENT	CASHIER	Capital	Surplus	Total Deposits
Ripley.....	Bank of Ripley.....	W. Marion Pfost.....	T. Clayton Parsons.....	50,000.00	13,500.00	371,813.22
Romney.....	The Bank of Romney.....	John J. Cornwell.....	Wm. A. Powers.....	100,000.00	70,000.00	734,142.91
Shepherdstown.....	The Farmers Bank of Shepherdstown.....	John L. Meyers.....	E. W. Willis.....	25,000.00	7,100.13	198,810.37
Shepherdstown.....	Jefferson Security Bank.....	C. J. Miller.....	C. F. Lyne.....	30,000.00	10,000.00	340,318.54
Shinnston.....	Bank of Shinnston.....	Benjamin Anderson.....	Chester W. Jones.....	25,000.00	25,000.00	416,695.05
Sistersville.....	First Tyler Bank & Trust Co.....	J. J. McKay.....	S. Thistle.....	200,000.00	100,000.00	2,023,773.77
Spencer.....	Roane County Bank.....	Wm. Woodyard.....	L. S. Lewellen.....	75,000.00	50,000.00	300,516.69
Spencer.....	Traders Trust & Banking Co.....	O. R. Hardman.....	Russell T. Keith.....	80,000.00	20,000.00	916,036.96
St. Albans.....	The Bank of St. Albans.....	C. H. Zerke.....	L. J. White.....	50,000.00	100,000.00	816,245.81
St. Marys.....	The Pleasants County Bank.....	A. W. Locke.....	Evert L. Burk.....	75,000.00	15,500.00	550,657.96
Summersville.....	Farmers & Merchants Bank of Summersville.....	J. F. Sebert.....	W. P. Kincaid.....	30,000.00	39,000.00	759,876.95
Summersville.....	Nicholas County Bank.....	W. E. Morton.....	P. N. Wiseman.....	25,000.00	6,000.00	258,732.40
Terra Alta.....	The Terra Alta Bank.....	W. A. Whitehair.....	D. F. Berchdorf.....	25,000.00	5,000.00	222,174.70
Thomas.....	Miners & Merchants Bank.....	A. L. Helmick.....	E. I. McVeigh.....	30,000.00	5,000.00	474,184.36
Union.....	The Bank of Monroe.....	H. S. Ellison.....	J. R. McCoy.....	50,000.00	20,000.00	522,305.14
Wadestown.....	The Bank of Wadestown.....	J. L. Hennen.....	Alex White.....	25,000.00	20,000.00	240,844.93
Walton.....	The Pocahontas Valley Bank.....	Harry Holswade.....	O. C. Pence.....	25,000.00	11,000.00	268,913.59
War.....	The Bank of War.....	E. S. Thompson.....	Otto Sharita.....	30,000.00	20,000.00	301,075.48
Wardensville.....	The Capon Valley Bank.....	J. V. Warden.....	Joseph T. Frye.....	25,000.00	9,000.00	187,207.07
Wayne.....	Wayne County Bank.....	B. J. Prichard.....	Byron Smith.....	25,000.00	19,000.00	269,329.70
Weirton.....	Bank of Weirton.....	E. T. Weir.....	D. N. Thomas.....	200,000.00	200,000.00	4,625,968.34
Wellsburg.....	Wellsburg Banking & Trust Co.....	George W. Bowers.....	J. F. Thompson (Secretary).....	100,000.00	50,000.00	1,091,680.82
Weston.....	The Citizens Bank of Weston.....	A. F. Whelan, Jr.....	T. A. Whelan.....	50,000.00	100,000.00	2,632,681.31
West Union.....	West Union Bank.....	Louis A. Henderson.....	Frank F. Leggett.....	50,000.00	100,000.00	558,253.99
Wheeling.....	The Bank of Warwood.....	Herman A. Hundt.....	W. C. Steber.....	100,000.00	20,000.00	660,567.62

Wheeling.....	Center Wheeling Savings Bank.....	George W. Bowers.....	W. W. England.....	100,000.00	50,000.00	1,142,197.50
Wheeling.....	Fulton Bank & Trust Co.....	E. W. S. Neff.....	Edw. G. Menkemeller.....	100,000.00	50,000.00	584,305.01
Wheeling.....	Half Dollar Trust & Savings Bank.....	H. C. Ogden.....	T. S. Thoner.....	100,000.00	25,000.00	1,957,709.80
Wheeling.....	Security Trust Co.....	J. S. Jones.....	J. L. Fish.....	300,000.00	600,000.00	5,294,242.91
Wheeling.....	South Side Bank & Trust Co.....	George W. Bowers.....	R. A. Farland.....	100,000.00	100,000.00	1,145,593.62
Wheeling.....	Wheeling Dollar Savings & Trust Co.....	Samuel W. Harper.....	George E. Carenbauer.....	1,800,000.00	1,800,000.00	22,139,795.05
White Sulphur Springs	Bank of White Sulphur Springs.....	F. E. Finks.....	E. A. Shirey.....	50,000.00	4,000.00	578,608.10
Widen.....	Bank of Widen.....	J. G. Bradley.....	D. F. McMillon.....	25,000.00	40,000.00	162,950.26
<b>Total Deposits.....</b>						<b>\$ 132,063,704.11</b>

## NATIONAL BANKS

CAPITAL, SURPLUS AND TOTAL DEPOSITS AS OF JUNE 30, 1939, OF ACTIVE NATIONAL BANKS IN WEST VIRGINIA, TOGETHER WITH THE NAMES OF THE PRESIDENT AND CASHIER OF EACH.

(Compiled from information furnished by the Comptroller of the Currency)

LOCATION AND NAME OF BANK	PRESIDENT	CASHIER	Capital	Surplus	Total Deposits
<b>F. R. DISTRICT NO. 4:</b>					
Cameron, First.....	Lloyd Strope.....	J. G. Toothman.....	\$ 100,000	\$ 100,000	\$ 1,614,527
Moundsville, First.....	T. L. Rogerson.....	J. I. Finlinson.....	100,000	10,000	863,770
New Martinsville, First.....	E. L. Robinson.....	C. O. Mason.....	65,000	100,000	1,187,946
Sistersville, Union.....	J. P. Flynn.....	R. W. Robinson.....	175,000	120,000	1,773,998
Wellsburg, Wellsburg.....	W. M. Tomlinson.....	H. W. Carlson.....	100,000	25,000	670,802
Wheeling, First National Bank & Trust Co. of Elm Grove.....	J. S. McGill.....	S. C. Kittle.....	100,000	70,500	1,176,630
Wheeling, National Bank of West Virginia.....	W. B. Irvine.....	W. H. Lewis.....	500,000	500,000	5,209,968
Wheeling, National Exchange Bank.....	J. R. Naylor.....	L. C. Horter.....	500,000	470,000	5,651,983
<b>F. R. DISTRICT NO. 5:</b>					
Alderson, First.....	James H. George.....	H. B. Rowe.....	100,000	31,500	741,147
Ansted, National Bank of Ansted.....	L. O. Fox.....	R. T. Deitz.....	50,000	10,000	209,409
Beckley, Beckley National Exchange.....	J. L. Smith.....	French Lucas.....	250,000	250,000	3,542,131
Berkeley Springs, Citizens.....	J. A. Proctor.....	S. L. Edler.....	50,000.00	10,000.00	443,329
Bluefield, First.....	E. G. Otey.....	Lee F. Anderson.....	400,000	400,000	7,902,828
Bluefield, Flat Top.....	L. E. Tierney, Jr.....	L. C. Fowlkes.....	175,000	75,000	2,691,929
Buckhannon, Central.....	J. V. Hall.....	W. T. Taylor.....	82,000	55,000	917,969
Ceredo, First.....	Henry J. Stark.....	E. Adkins.....	50,000	37,000	691,523
Charleston, Charleston.....	D. N. Mohler.....	R. E. Eskins.....	1,562,500	750,000	20,983,166
Charleston, National Bank of Commerce.....	J. E. McDavid.....	W. L. Motley.....	200,000	75,000	3,992,125

Clarksburg, Empire.....	E. B. Deison.....	Oscar C. Wilt.....	500,000	200,000	4,884,544
Clarksburg, Merchants.....	S. H. White.....	C. D. Sommerville.....	190,000	103,500	2,757,147
Clarksburg, Union.....	H. Jarvis.....	H. H. Sommerville.....	500,000	100,000	1,948,876
Davis, National Bank of Davis.....	E. Coffman.....	C. G. Smith.....	50,000	20,500	328,306
Elkins, Citizens.....	H. G. Kump.....	J. P. Heltzel.....	100,000	50,000	1,372,442
Elkins, Tygarts Valley.....	F. H. Barron.....	E. M. Morris.....	112,000	63,000	885,334
Fairmont, First.....	M. L. Hutchinson.....	W. S. Clark.....	200,000	275,000	4,049,813
Fayetteville, Fayette County.....	A. B. Abbot.....	A. B. Abbot.....	50,000	50,000	799,993
Grafton, First.....	W. A. Beavers.....	O. J. Fleming.....	293,920	20,000	2,142,005
Hamlin, Lincoln.....	A. F. Morris.....	Frank E. Grass.....	50,000	50,000	921,734
Hinton, First.....	O. O. Cooper.....	O. P. Vines.....	275,000	125,000	2,617,614
Hinton, National Bank of Summers.....	W. H. Sawyers.....	F. L. Boone.....	150,000	25,000	1,068,790
Huntington, First Huntington.....	C. M. Gohon.....	W. T. Beard.....	1,000,000	535,000	17,018,004
Kenova, First.....	W. T. Lovins.....	W. R. Turner.....	50,000	6,000	472,778
Keyser, National Bank of Keyser.....	J. E. Patchett.....	P. J. Davis.....	100,000	45,000	691,812
Keystone, First.....	R. A. Bryant.....	H. D. Vaughan.....	75,000	75,000	1,746,261
Kimball, Kimball.....	P. C. Thomas.....	H. C. Harris.....	100,000	100,000	2,468,580
Kingwood, Albright.....	F. E. Watson.....	D. L. Foley.....	50,000	13,200	701,799
Logan, National Bank of Logan.....	C. McD. England.....	W. T. Mitchell.....	150,000	110,000	2,503,434
Madison, Boone.....	H. O. Shaffer.....	E. E. White.....	130,000	60,000	887,773
Marlinton, First.....	M. S. Wilson.....	J. A. Sydenstricker.....	50,000	13,100	474,855
Martinsburg, Citizens.....	T. W. Martin.....	E. C. Trout.....	100,000	33,000	1,145,229
Martinsburg, Old.....	L. I. Rice.....	R. L. Bents.....	250,000	175,000	2,878,578
Matewan, Matewan.....	Dora E. Chambers.....	Dan Chambers.....	68,000	14,000	523,830
Monongah, First.....	C. Currey.....	F. W. Wilson.....	35,000	6,550	274,933
Montgomery, Merchants.....	B. P. Campbell.....	B. E. Claypool.....	81,937	22,000	1,080,708
Montgomery, Montgomery.....	D. C. Smallridge.....	A. G. Newby.....	120,000	61,000	1,495,449
Moorefield, South Branch Valley.....	M. S. Henkel.....	M. Dasher.....	100,000	32,300	610,110
Morgantown, First.....	E. G. Donley.....	D. R. Richards.....	315,000	165,000	3,754,575
Mt. Hope, First.....	P. H. Garrett.....	R. I. McAlexander.....	50,000	7,000	285,334

## NATIONAL BANKS—Continued

LOCATION AND NAME OF BANK	PRESIDENT	CASHIER	Capital	Surplus	Total Deposits
Northfork, First Clark.....	E. W. Cook.....	E. B. Evans.....	100,000	32,500	1,235,964
Oak Hill, Merchants & Miners.....	C. R. Hill.....	J. W. Jones.....	100,000	62,000	1,111,485
Parkersburg, Parkersburg.....	Thomas Logan.....	R. L. McKim.....	250,000	350,000	4,600,142
Parkersburg, Peoples.....	J. G. Williams.....	H. C. Work.....	340,000	240,000	2,518,405
Parsons, First.....	J. W. Harman.....	C. W. Minear.....	50,000	7,700	345,835
Peterstown, First.....	E. I. Terry.....	J. H. Hansbarger.....	25,000	25,000	227,646
Philippi, First.....	C. B. Williams.....	G. S. White.....	50,000	25,000	763,604
Fiedmont, First.....	J. B. Maybury.....	J. B. Determan.....	125,000	32,500	1,281,715
Point Pleasant, Citizens.....	C. C. Lewis.....	Harold Sayre.....	100,000	25,000	1,073,239
Reedy, First.....	C. W. Vineyard.....	A. L. Thrash.....	35,000	13,200	200,556
Richwood, Cherry River.....	C. S. Badgett.....	T. L. Falor.....	50,000	13,000	531,585
Ripley, First.....	W. E. Walker.....	H. S. Armstrong.....	70,000	27,000	607,224
Romney, First.....	S. C. Milleson.....	W. M. Williams.....	50,000	16,500	336,556
Ronceverte, First.....	C. E. Boone.....	P. M. Scott.....	50,000	16,500	665,521
Ronceverte, Ronceverte.....	C. H. Thompson.....	J. R. Johnson.....	85,000	.....	722,522
Rowlesburg, Peoples.....	H. R. Hollis.....	D. M. Wiles.....	34,600	3,000	267,055
St. Marys, First.....	D. W. Dillon.....	E. T. Fleming.....	100,000	80,000	1,182,102
Salem, First.....	Truman Payne.....	Robert White.....	50,000	17,000	449,472
South Charleston, First.....	W. W. Allen.....	R. M. Allen.....	60,000	27,500	941,060
Spencer, First.....	T. V. Foster.....	J. W. Looney.....	50,000	50,000	924,123
Sutton, Home.....	G. B. Fisher.....	A. L. Morrison.....	107,000	.....	815,751
Terra Alta, First.....	J. R. Whitehair.....	H. C. Fream.....	25,000	15,000	307,428
Webster Springs, Webster Springs.....	L. E. Davis.....	Ward Huffman.....	50,000	10,000	447,772
Welch, McDowell County.....	R. L. Page.....	T. A. Johnston.....	250,000	250,000	3,511,996

Weston, Weston .....	T. J. Blair, Jr. ....	F. N. Gans .....	100,000	77,000	1,230,664
West Union, First .....	A. C. Bland .....	J. A. Freeman .....	50,000	11,300	453,774
Williamson, First .....	M. Z. White .....	E. R. Ward .....	250,000	.....	1,921,388
Williamson, National Bank of Commerce .....	Wells Goodykoontz .....	J. B. Smith .....	100,000	70,000	1,877,056
Williamstown, Farmers & Mechanics .....	F. L. Fenton .....	J. J. Lorents .....	50,000	10,000	200,806
Winona, Winona .....	L. E. Herndon .....	J. R. Hisey .....	40,000	1,500	243,737
<b>Total Deposits .....</b>					<b>\$ 157,603,000.00</b>

#### RECAPITULATION

Deposits State Banks .....	\$ 132,063,704.11
Deposits National Banks .....	157,603,000.00
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$ 289,666,704.11</b>

## INDUSTRIAL LOAN ASSOCIATIONS

CAPITAL, SURPLUS AND TOTAL RESOURCES AS OF JUNE 30, 1939

LOCATION	NAME	PRESIDENT	SECRETARY	Class One or Capital Stock	Surplus and Undivided Profits	Total Resources
Beckley.....	Beckley Industrial Savings & Loan Company.....	A. U. Tieche.....	E. R. Massie, Jr.....	\$ 152,000.00	\$ 41,495.84	\$ 317,068.51
Bluefield.....	Community Savings & Loan Company.....	C. E. Elliott.....	K. B. Thomas.....	58,000.00	16,305.15	354,304.04
Charleston.....	Community Savings & Loan Company.....	James Martin.....	Wm. T. Lively.....	100,000.00	73,194.54	358,285.25
Charleston.....	Equity Savings & Loan Company.....	.....	Martin S. Wickline.....	80,000.00	14,691.78	291,668.67
Charleston.....	Industrial Savings & Loan Company.....	O. O. Older.....	L. G. Lemaster.....	25,500.00	26,345.49	65,484.98
Charleston.....	Liberty Savings & Loan Company.....	Frank Lively.....	M. Boiarsky.....	49,800.00	15,065.08	95,005.61
Charleston.....	Mutual Savings & Loan Company.....	R. L. Jones.....	T. G. Nutter.....	23,950.00	3,144.60	38,958.41
Charleston.....	Southeastern Savings & Loan Company.....	John D. Price.....	C. R. Wilson.....	70,660.00	34,056.79	216,354.75
Clarksburg.....	Community Savings & Loan Company.....	L. C. Shingleton.....	Louis A. Johnson.....	160,000.00	173,037.90	1,017,844.61
Fairmont.....	Community Savings & Loan Company.....	H. J. Hartley.....	Treyve Nutter.....	210,000.00	14,333.93	370,205.16
Huntington.....	Industrial Savings & Loan Company.....	D. S. Diddle.....	A. G. Beckett.....	100,000.00	42,768.66	617,741.73
Martinsburg.....	Berkeley Loan & Thrift Corporation.....	A. R. Emmert.....	Edward R. Sigler.....	54,700.00	39,021.46	167,142.04
Morgantown.....	Citizens Industrial Loan Company.....	Clyde D. Barbe.....	Ernest L. Camp.....	77,700.00	7,779.05	377,152.29
Morgantown.....	Community Industrial Loan Company.....	R. C. Spangler.....	R. I. Burchinal.....	25,847.02	.....	28,350.84
Morgantown.....	Security Savings & Acceptance Corporation.....	D. C. Garrison.....	E. F. Bowiby.....	16,800.00	1,059.38	23,650.73
Parkerburg.....	Community Savings & Loan Company.....	Sam M. Dils.....	C. C. Dutton.....	250,000.00	185,000.00	2,513,669.63
Wheeling.....	Community Savings & Loan Company.....	John B. Garden.....	Maurice W. Moore.....	150,000.00	98,182.07	820,784.47
Wheeling.....	Morris Plan Savings & Loan Company.....	J. A. Blum.....	L. R. Merritt.....	100,000.00	102,685.87	1,226,432.49

**BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATIONS**

<i>Location</i>	<i>Name of Association</i>
Beckley	Beckley Building and Loan Association. Cooperative Building and Loan Association.
Bluefield	First Federal Savings and Loan Association.
Buckhannon	Buckhannon Building and Loan Association.
Charleston	Capitol Building and Loan Association. Charleston Building and Loan Association. Charleston Federal Savings and Loan Association. First Federal Savings and Loan Association. Colonial Building and Loan Association. Empire Federal Savings and Loan Association. Empire Savings and Loan Company. Kanawha Savings and Loan Association. Liberty Building and Loan Association. Mountain State Building and Loan Association. West Virginia Building and Loan Association.
Charles Town	Charles Town and Summit Point Building and Loan Association.
Chester	Hancock County Federal Savings and Loan Association.
Clarksburg	Clarksburg Building and Loan Association. Community Savings and Loan Company.
Fairmont	East Side Building and Loan Association. Fairmont Building and Loan Association. First Federal Savings and Loan Association. Marion County Building and Loan Association. Mountaineer Building and Loan Association. Standard Building and Loan Association.
Fayetteville	Fayetteville Federal Savings and Loan Association.
Grafton	Home Building and Loan Association. Mutual Building and Loan Association.
Huntington	Huntington Federal Savings and Loan Association.
Kingwood	Kingwood Building and Loan Association.
Lewisburg	Blue Grass Federal Savings and Loan Association.
Logan	Logan County Building and Loan Association. First Federal Savings and Loan Association.
Martinsburg	Martinsburg Building and Loan Association.
Morgantown	Athens Building and Loan Association. Fidelity Building and Loan Association. First Federal Savings and Loan Association. Guardian Investment Company. Monongalia Building and Loan Association. Morgantown Savings and Loan Association. Sabraton Building and Loan Association. State Savings and Investment Association. United Federal Savings and Loan Association. Westover Building and Loan Association.
Moundsville	Citizens Savings and Loan Company. First Federal Savings and Loan Association.
Mount Hope	Mount Hope Building and Loan Association.
New Martinsville	Doolin Federal Savings and Loan Association.
Parkersburg	Exchange Building Association. First Federal Savings and Loan Association. Traders Building and Loan Association. Traders Federal Savings and Loan Association.
Point Pleasant	Point Pleasant Building and Loan Association.
Ravenswood	Farmers Building and Loan Association. First Federal Savings and Loan Association.
Saint Albans	Saint Albans Building and Loan Association.
Shepherdstown	Potomac Permanent Building and Loan Association.
Sistersville	First Federal Savings and Loan Association.

<i>Location</i>	<i>Name of Association</i>
Wellsburg.....	Advance Building Association. Advance Federal Savings and Loan Association. Brooke County Building and Loan Association.
Weston.....	Weston Home Building Association.
Wheeling.....	Peoples Federal Savings and Loan Association. Union Federal Savings and Loan Association. United Building and Loan Association.

### SMALL LOAN COMPANIES

Licensed in West Virginia for the Fiscal Year ended June 30, 1940

<i>Location</i>	<i>Name of Company</i>
Beckley.....	Beckley Loan Company.
Beckley.....	National Finance Company.
Beckley.....	Peoples Finance Company.
Bluefield.....	American Loan Company.
Bluefield.....	Bluefield Investment Company.
Bluefield.....	Peoples Loan Company.
Bluefield.....	Personal Finance Company of Bluefield.
Buckhannon.....	Upshur Loan Association.
Charleston.....	Charleston Finance Company.
Charleston.....	Home Finance Company, Inc.
Charleston.....	Household Finance Corporation.
Charleston.....	Personal Finance Company of Charleston.
Charles Town.....	Jefferson Loan and Finance Company.
Clarksburg.....	Clarksburg Loan Company.
Clarksburg.....	Household Finance Corporation.
Clarksburg.....	Personal Finance Company of Clarksburg.
Clendenin.....	G. H. Copenhaver.
Elkins.....	Financial Service Company.
Fairmont.....	Fairmont Finance Corporation.
Fairmont.....	Personal Finance Company of Fairmont.
Fairmont.....	Union Brokerage, Inc.
Grafton.....	Grafton Loan Service.
Huntington.....	Citizens Loan Company.
Huntington.....	Colonial Finance Company.
Huntington.....	Household Finance Corporation.
Huntington.....	Huntington Credit Service Company.
Huntington.....	Interstate Loan Company.
Huntington.....	Liberty Finance Corporation.
Huntington.....	Personal Finance Company of Huntington.
Keyser.....	Interstate Finance Company.
Lewisburg.....	Lewisburg Personal Finance Company.
Logan.....	Southern Loan Company.
Martinsburg.....	Martinsburg Loan Corporation.
Montgomery.....	Montgomery Finance Company.
Morgantown.....	Fairmont Finance Corporation.
Morgantown.....	Personal Finance Company of Morgantown.
Parkersburg.....	Household Finance Corporation.
Parkersburg.....	Personal Finance Company of Parkersburg.
Parkersburg.....	Workmen's Finance Corporation.
Pine Grove.....	C. Amos Long.
Shinnston.....	Shinnston Finance Company.
Sistersville.....	Colonial Finance Company.
Weirton.....	Welfare Finance Corporation.
Weston.....	C. Amos Long.
Wheeling.....	Household Finance Corporation.
Wheeling.....	Ohio Valley Finance Company.
Wheeling.....	Personal Finance Company of Wheeling.

**NATIONAL FARM LOAN ASSOCIATIONS AND DIRECT  
LOAN CORRESPONDENTS—THE FEDERAL  
LAND BANK OF BALTIMORE**

**NATIONAL FARM LOAN ASSOCIATIONS**

<i>County</i>	<i>Association</i>	<i>Secretary-Treasurer</i>	<i>Address</i>
Barbour.....	Barbour County.....	John K. Burdett.....	Grafton
Cabell.....	Cabell County.....	W. S. Estler.....	Huntington
Calhoun, Braxton, Clay.....	Calhoun County.....	Walter T. Scott.....	Mt. Zion
Gilmer.....	Gilmer County.....	Walter T. Scott.....	Mt. Zion
Grant.....	Grant County.....	E. W. Whitesel.....	Petersburg
Greenbrier.....	Greenbrier County.....	R. P. Bell.....	Lewisburg
Hampshire.....	Hampshire.....	W. C. Bailey.....	Romney
Hardy.....	Hardy County.....	E. W. Whitesel.....	Petersburg
Harrison.....	Harrison County.....	Chas. W. Louchery.....	Clarksburg
Jackson.....	Jackson County.....	Frank A. Gill.....	Parkersburg
Jefferson.....	Jefferson County.....	Lee Bushong, Jr.....	Charles Town
Kanawha, Putnam, Nicholas, Boone.....	Kanawha County.....	L. A. Edwards.....	Charleston
Lewis.....	Lewis County.....	Theodoric E. Bland.....	Weston
Mason.....	Mason County.....	W. J. Poling.....	Point Pleasant
Mercer.....	Mercer County.....	D. J. Hovatter.....	Princeton
Monongalia.....	Monongalia County.....	M. T. Powell.....	Morgantown
Monroe.....	Monroe County.....	D. J. Hovatter.....	Princeton
Hancock, Ohio, Brooke, Marshall.....	Pan Handle.....	Leslie A. Wolfe.....	Warwood, Wheeling
Pendleton.....	Pendleton County.....	E. W. Whitesel.....	Petersburg
Pocahontas.....	Pocahontas County.....	P. T. Ward.....	Marlinton
Berkeley.....	Potomac.....	Chas. R. Beall.....	Martinsburg
Randolph.....	Randolph County.....	J. W. Isner.....	Elkins
Ritchie, Tyler, Doddridge, Pleasants, Wetzel.....	Ritchie County.....	B. M. Cowell.....	Pennsboro
Roane.....	Roane County.....	Grover F. Hedges.....	Spencer
Taylor.....	Taylor County.....	John K. Burdett.....	Grafton
Tucker.....	Tucker County.....	Wayne K. Pritt.....	Parsons
Wirt.....	Wirt County.....	Frank A. Gill.....	Parkersburg
Wood.....	Wood County.....	Frank A. Gill.....	Parkersburg

**DIRECT LOAN CORRESPONDENTS**

Lincoln, Logan, Mason, Wayne—W. S. Estler, Hunt- ington.	McDowell—V. B. McClagherty, Welch.
Marion—M. T. Powell, Morgantown.	Preston—L. F. Everhart, Terra Alta.
Mineral—Emory Tyler, Keyser.	Raleigh, Summers, Fayette—D. J. Hovatter, Princeton.
Mingo—Childe Nelms, Williamson.	Upshur—Theodoric E. Bland, Weston.
Morgan—James W. Offutt, Jr., Berke- ley Springs.	Webster—M. E. Squires, Cowen.
	Wyoming—Clarence S. Worrell, Pine- ville.



*Photo by Breckinridge, Bluefield*  
**Federal Street, Looking South, Bluefield, Seventh Largest City in West Virginia. Population (1930), 19,339.**

# CENSUS

## \*ESTIMATES OF POPULATION, WEST VIRGINIA 1937

(Compiled from data furnished by the United States Bureau of the Census)

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. On July 1, 1937, the population was estimated at 1,865,000. The area of the State is 24, 262.45 square miles (1). 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 1937, 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 1937

CENSUS YEAR	Population	Increase Over Preceding Census	
		Number	Per Cent
1937 (estimated).....	1,865,000	.....	7.9
1936 (estimated).....	1,830,000	.....	5.8
1935 (estimated).....	1,816,000	.....	5.0
1934 (revised estimate).....	1,802,000	.....	4.2
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	.....	.....

### WEST VIRGINIA MUNICIPALITIES

Cities of 10,000 or more—There are 10 cities in the State which had a population of 10,000 or more in 1930. 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 population 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.

The following table shows the land area and the estimated population (July 1, 1933) of West Virginia municipalities having 10,000 or more inhabitants on April 1, 1930:

MUNICIPALITY	Land Area in Acres	Federal Census April 1, 1930	Estimated Population July 1, 1933
Bluefield.....	3,650.0	19,339	**
Charleston.....	4,921.0	60,408	63,500
Clarksburg.....	2,930.0	28,868	29,000
Fairmont.....	2,800.0	23,159	24,100
Huntington.....	10,376.9	75,572	79,300
Martinsburg.....	1,600.0	14,857	15,300
Morgantown.....	1,807.0	16,186	16,900
Moundsville.....	1,975.0	14,411	15,000
Parkersburg.....	3,400.0	29,623	30,100
Wheeling.....	6,760.0	61,659	62,600

\*No estimate made for 1938 and 1939.

(1)—Includes water area of approximately 145 square miles.

\*\*No estimate made.

## POPULATION OF COUNTIES

(1890 to 1930)

(A minus sign (—) denotes decrease)

COUNTY	POPULATION						Per cent of increase	
	1930		1920	1910	1909	1890	1920 to 1930	1910 to 1920
	Total	Per square mile						
West Virginia.....	1,729,205	72.0	1,463,701	1,221,119	958,800	762,794	18.1	19.9
Barbour.....	18,628	53.5	18,028	15,858	14,198	12,702	3.3	13.7
Berkeley.....	28,030	86.2	24,554	21,999	19,469	18,702	14.2	11.6
Boone.....	24,580	48.6	15,319	10,331	8,194	6,885	60.5	48.3
Braxton.....	22,579	43.7	23,973	23,023	18,904	13,028	-5.8	4.1
Brooke.....	24,663	277.1	16,527	11,098	7,219	6,660	49.2	48.9
Cabell.....	90,786	347.8	65,746	46,685	29,252	23,595	38.1	40.8
Calhoun.....	10,866	38.0	10,268	11,258	10,260	8,155	5.8	-8.8
Clay.....	13,125	39.5	11,486	10,233	8,248	4,659	14.3	12.2
Doddridge.....	10,488	33.1	11,970	12,672	13,689	12,183	-12.4	-5.5
Fayette.....	72,050	108.0	60,377	51,903	31,087	20,542	19.3	16.3
Gilmer.....	10,641	32.1	10,668	11,379	11,672	9,746	-0.3	-6.2
Grant.....	8,441	18.3	8,093	7,838	7,275	6,802	-0.1	14.7
Greenbrier.....	35,878	35.9	26,242	24,833	20,683	18,034	36.7	5.7
Hampshire.....	11,838	18.3	11,713	11,604	11,806	11,419	1.1	0.2
Hancock.....	28,511	343.5	19,975	10,465	6,693	6,414	42.7	90.9
Hardy.....	9,816	17.1	9,601	9,163	8,440	7,567	2.2	4.8
Harrison.....	78,567	188.0	74,793	48,381	27,690	21,919	5.0	54.6
Jackson (1).....	10,124	35.0	18,058	20,950	22,987	19,021	-13.6	-11.0
Jefferson.....	15,780	74.8	15,729	15,889	15,935	15,553	0.3	-1.0
Kanawha (1).....	157,667	183.3	119,050	81,467	54,096	42,750	31.8	46.9
Lewis.....	21,794	55.5	20,455	18,281	16,980	15,805	0.5	11.9
Lincoln.....	19,150	45.8	19,378	20,491	15,434	11,240	-1.1	-5.4
Logan (2).....	58,534	133.6	41,006	14,470	6,955	11,101	42.7	183.3
McDowell.....	90,479	169.8	68,571	47,856	18,747	7,300	31.9	43.3
Marion.....	60,655	211.6	54,571	42,794	32,430	20,721	22.1	27.6
Marshall.....	39,831	128.5	33,081	32,388	26,444	20,735	18.3	4.0
Mason.....	20,788	43.8	21,459	23,019	24,142	22,803	-3.1	-6.8
Mercer.....	61,323	146.4	49,553	38,371	23,023	10,002	23.7	29.2
Mineral.....	20,084	57.5	19,849	10,674	12,883	12,085	1.2	10.0
Mingo (2).....	38,319	92.1	20,364	10,431	11,359	.....	46.3	35.7
Monongalia.....	50,083	139.9	33,618	24,334	19,049	15,705	40.0	38.2
Monroe.....	11,949	20.1	13,141	13,055	13,130	12,429	-9.1	0.7
Morgan.....	8,406	36.1	8,357	7,848	7,294	6,744	0.6	6.5
Nicholas.....	20,686	30.4	20,717	17,699	11,403	9,309	-0.1	17.1
Ohio.....	72,077	073.0	62,892	57,572	48,024	41,557	14.6	9.2
Pendleton.....	9,600	13.8	9,052	9,349	9,167	8,711	0.1	3.2
Pleasants.....	6,545	49.0	7,379	8,074	9,345	7,530	-11.3	-8.6
Pocahontas.....	14,555	10.1	15,002	14,740	8,572	6,814	-3.0	1.8
Preston.....	29,043	44.7	27,906	26,341	22,727	20,355	3.7	6.3
Putnam.....	16,737	49.8	17,631	18,587	17,330	14,342	-4.5	-5.7
Raleigh.....	08,072	114.0	42,482	25,633	12,430	9,597	00.2	65.7
Randolph.....	25,040	24.2	26,804	20,028	17,070	11,633	-6.5	3.0
Ritchie.....	15,594	34.4	16,606	17,875	18,901	16,021	-5.5	-7.7
Roane.....	19,478	37.3	20,129	21,543	19,852	15,303	-3.2	-6.6
Summers.....	20,408	55.5	19,002	18,420	16,265	13,117	7.2	3.6
Taylor.....	19,114	109.2	18,742	10,554	14,978	12,147	2.0	13.2
Tucker.....	13,374	33.0	16,791	18,075	13,433	6,459	-20.4	-10.1
Tyler.....	12,785	49.2	14,180	16,211	18,252	11,962	-9.9	-12.5
Upshur.....	17,944	51.1	17,851	16,029	14,066	12,714	0.5	7.3
Wayne.....	31,206	60.4	20,012	24,081	23,619	18,652	20.0	8.0
Webster.....	14,216	24.4	11,502	9,080	8,862	4,783	23.0	19.4
Wetzel.....	22,334	62.6	23,009	23,355	22,880	16,841	-3.2	-3.3
Wirt.....	0,358	20.2	7,530	9,047	10,284	9,411	-15.6	-16.7
Wood.....	56,521	155.3	42,306	38,001	34,452	28,612	33.6	11.3
Wyoming.....	20,026	41.7	15,180	10,392	8,380	6,247	37.9	46.1

(1) Part of Jackson annexed to Kanawha in 1927.

(2) Part of Logan taken to form Mingo in 1895.

## POPULATION OF INCORPORATED PLACES

(Cities, Towns, Villages)—1930-1920

City, Town, or Village	County	1930	1920	City, Town, or Village	County	1930	1920
Addison.....	Webster.....	976	679	Flemington.....	Taylor.....	617	.....
Albright.....	Preston.....	343	262	Follansbee.....	Brooke.....	4,841	3,175
Alderson.....	{Greenbrier, } {Monroe.....}	1,458	1,401	Fort Gay.....	Wayne.....	664	617
Ansted.....	Fayette.....	1,404	1,178	Franklin.....	Pendleton.....	431	320
Athens.....	Mercer.....	628	552	Friendly.....	Tyler.....	170	173
Auburn.....	Ritchie.....	166	177	Gassaway.....	Braxton.....	1,618	1,518
Barboursville.....	Cabell.....	1,508	974	Gilbert.....	Mingo.....	451	(2)
Bayard.....	Grant.....	743	1,074	Glasgow.....	Kanawha.....	611	.....
Beckley.....	Raleigh.....	9,357	4,149	Glen Dale.....	Marshall.....	1,493	.....
Belington.....	Barbour.....	1,571	1,766	Glennville.....	Gilmer.....	799	327
Benwood.....	Marshall.....	3,950	4,773	Grafton.....	Taylor.....	7,737	8,517
Berkeley Springs.....	Morgan.....	1,039	950	Grantsville.....	Calhoun.....	1,018	450
Bethany.....	Brooke.....	439	400	Hambleton.....	Tucker.....	368	488
Beverly.....	Randolph.....	431	442	Hamlin.....	Lincoln.....	844	516
Blacksville.....	Monongalia.....	269	218	Harman.....	Randolph.....	114	160
Bluefield (1).....	Mercer.....	19,339	15,282	Harper's Ferry.....	Jefferson.....	705	713
Bolivar.....	Jefferson.....	616	555	Harrisville.....	Ritchie.....	1,192	1,036
Bramwell.....	Mercer.....	1,574	1,696	Hartford City.....	Mason.....	423	430
Brandonville.....	Preston.....	82	67	Hedgesville.....	Berkely.....	361	379
Bridgeport.....	Harrison.....	1,567	1,346	Henderson.....	Mason.....	330	320
Bruceton Mills.....	Preston.....	116	106	Hendricks.....	Tucker.....	484	622
Buckhannon.....	Upshur.....	4,374	3,785	Hillsboro.....	Pocahontas.....	220	215
Buffalo.....	Putnam.....	316	300	Hinton (3).....	Summers.....	6,654	3,912
Burnsville.....	Braxton.....	868	1,088	Hollidays Cove.....	{Brooke.....}	4,480	1,213
Cairo.....	Ritchie.....	607	662	Hundred.....	{Hancock.....}	.....	.....
Camden-on-Gauley	Webster.....	435	283	Huntington.....	Wetzel.....	788	710
Cameron.....	Marshall.....	2,251	2,404	Huntington.....	{Cabell.....}	75,572	50,177
Capon Bridge.....	Wampshire.....	192	157	Huntington.....	Wayne.....	.....	.....
Cass.....	Pocahontas.....	708	1,195	Hurricane.....	Putnam.....	1,293	666
Cedar Grove.....	Kanawha.....	1,110	918	Huttonsville.....	Randolph.....	303	255
Ceredo.....	Wayne.....	1,164	1,110	Jaeger.....	McDowell.....	1,066	481
Charleston.....	Kanawha.....	60,408	39,608	Jane Lew.....	Lewis.....	445	560
Charles Town.....	Jefferson.....	2,434	2,527	Junior.....	Barbour.....	560	593
Chester.....	Hancock.....	3,701	3,283	Kenova.....	Wayne.....	3,680	2,162
Clark.....	McDowell.....	787	459	Kermit.....	Mingo.....	749	636
Clarksburg.....	Harrison.....	28,866	27,869	Keyser.....	Mineral.....	6,248	6,003
Clay.....	Clay.....	444	342	Keystone.....	McDowell.....	1,897	1,839
Clendenin.....	Kanawha.....	1,217	1,263	Kimball.....	McDowell.....	1,467	1,428
Cowen.....	Webster.....	491	393	Kingwood.....	Preston.....	1,709	1,417
Danville.....	Boone.....	486	327	Layopolis.....	Gilmer.....	198	175
Davis.....	Tucker.....	1,656	2,491	Leon.....	Mason.....	283	299
Dunbar.....	Kanawha.....	4,189	422	Lester.....	Raleigh.....	605	412
Durbin.....	Pocahontas.....	498	422	Lewisburg.....	Greenbrier.....	1,293	1,202
East Bank.....	Kanawha.....	476	586	Littleton.....	Wetzel.....	648	660
East Rainelle.....	Greenbrier.....	1,272	.....	Logan.....	Logan.....	4,396	2,998
Elizabeth.....	Wirt.....	716	681	Lumberport.....	Harrison.....	1,289	900
Elk Garden.....	Mineral.....	299	422	McMechen.....	Marshall.....	3,710	3,356
Elkins.....	Randolph.....	7,345	6,788	Mabscott.....	Raleigh.....	1,260	1,114
Ellenboro.....	Ritchie.....	330	286	Madison.....	Boone.....	1,158	604
Fairmont.....	Marion.....	23,159	17,851	Man.....	Logan.....	835	(2)
Fairview.....	Marion.....	836	827	Mannington.....	Marion.....	3,261	3,673
Falling Springs.....	Greenbrier.....	355	263	Marfrance.....	Greenbrier.....	1,066	.....
Farmington.....	Marion.....	819	679	Marlinton.....	Pocahontas.....	1,586	1,177
Fayetteville.....	Fayette.....	1,143	659	Marnet.....	Kanawha.....	1,200	.....
Flatwoods.....	Braxton.....	299	325	Martinsburg.....	Berkeley.....	14,857	12,515
				Mason.....	Mason.....	691	992
				Mason town.....	Preston.....	924	831

(1) Combined population of Bluefield city, Mercer County, W. Va., and Bluefield town, Tazewell County Va.; 23,245 in 1930; 18,034 in 1920; 13,105 in 1910.

(2) Not returned separately.

(3) Avis and Hinton consolidated and incorporated as Hinton in 1927; combined population in 1920, 5,547.

## POPULATION OF INCORPORATED PLACES—Continued

(Cities, Towns, Villages)—1930-1920

City, Town, or Village	County	1930	1920	City, Town, or Village	County	1930	1920
Matewan.....	Mingo.....	932	851	Ripley.....	Jackson.....	609	580
Matoaka.....	Mercer.....	929	647	Riverside.....	Monongalia..	940	326
Meadow Bridge...	Fayette.....	476	.....	Rivesville.....	Marion.....	1,700	1,061
Middlebourne...	Tyler.....	769	929	Romney.....	Hampshire...	1,441	1,028
Mill Creek.....	Randolph...	723	762	Ronccverte.....	Greenbrier...	2,254	2,319
Milton.....	Cabell.....	1,305	1,023	Rowlesburg.....	Preston.....	1,573	1,225
Monongah.....	Marion.....	1,909	2,031	Sabraton.....	Monongalia..	1,717	1,389
Montgomery.....	Fayette.....	2,906	2,130	St. Albans.....	Kanawha.....	3,254	2,825
Montrose.....	Kanawha.....	.....	.....	St. Marys.....	Pleasants....	2,182	1,648
Moorefield.....	Randolph...	114	129	Salem.....	Harrison.....	2,943	2,920
Morgantown.....	Hardy.....	734	630	Shepherdstown...	Jefferson....	888	1,063
Moundsville.....	Monongalia..	16,186	12,127	Shinnston.....	Harrison.....	2,802	1,679
Mount Hope.....	Marshall...	14,411	10,669	Sistersville.....	Tyler.....	3,072	3,238
Mullens.....	Fayette.....	2,301	1,989	Smithers (3).....	Fayette.....	.....	.....
Newburg.....	Wyoming....	2,356	1,425	Smithfield.....	Wetzel.....	609	774
New Cumberland..	Preston.....	745	890	Sophia.....	Raleigh.....	611	240
N. Martinsville (1)	Hancock....	2,300	1,816	South Charleston..	Kanawha.....	5,904	3,650
Nitro (2).....	Wetzel.....	3,593	2,341	Spencer (4).....	Roane.....	2,493	1,765
Northfork.....	Kanawha.....	.....	.....	Star City.....	Monongalia..	1,121	823
Nutter Fort.....	McDowell...	494	421	Summersville.....	Nicholas....	536	279
Oak Hill.....	Harrison.....	1,825	.....	Suton.....	Braxton.....	1,205	947
Oakvale.....	Fayette.....	2,076	1,037	Terra Alta.....	Preston.....	1,474	1,261
Paden City.....	Mercer.....	261	281	Thomas.....	Tucker.....	1,660	2,099
Parkersburg.....	Tyler.....	2,281	1,705	Thurmond.....	Fayette.....	462	285
Parsous.....	Wetzel.....	.....	.....	Triadelphia.....	Ohio.....	302	299
Paw Paw.....	Wood.....	29,623	20,050	Troy.....	Gilmer.....	101	113
Pax.....	Tucker.....	2,012	2,001	Tunnelton.....	Preston.....	595	703
Pennsboro.....	Morgan.....	781	698	Union.....	Monroe.....	331	439
Petersburg.....	Fayette.....	608	.....	Vienna (5).....	Wood.....	.....	.....
Peterstown.....	Ritchie.....	1,610	1,654	War.....	McDowell...	1,392	.....
Philippi.....	Grant.....	1,410	834	Wardensville.....	Hardy.....	189	745
Piedmont.....	Monroe.....	388	293	Wayne.....	Wayne.....	675	446
Pine Grove.....	Barbour....	1,767	1,543	Weirton Heights (3)	Hancock.....	.....	.....
Pineville.....	Mineral.....	2,241	2,835	Welch.....	McDowell...	5,376	3,232
Point Pleasant...	Wetzel.....	820	797	Wellsburg.....	Brooke.....	6,398	4,918
Pratt.....	Wyoming....	462	304	West Milford.....	Harrison.....	349	.....
Princeton.....	Mason.....	3,301	3,059	Weston.....	Lewis.....	8,640	5,701
Pullman.....	Kanawha.....	325	315	Westover.....	Monongalia..	1,633	721
Rainelle.....	Mercer.....	6,955	6,224	West Union.....	Doddridge...	984	1,270
Ranson.....	Ritchie.....	184	249	Wheeling.....	Ohio.....	61,659	56,208
Ravenswood.....	Greenbrier..	920	566	White Sul. Spgs...	Greenbrier..	1,484	837
Reedsville.....	Jefferson...	1,002	699	Whitesville (5)...	Boone.....	.....	.....
Reedy.....	Jackson.....	1,189	1,284	Williamson.....	Mingo.....	9,410	6,810
Richwood.....	Preston.....	345	254	Williamstown.....	Wood.....	1,057	1,793
Ridgeley.....	Roane.....	405	373	Winfield.....	Putnam.....	294	253
	Nicholas..	5,720	4,331	Womelsdorf.....	Randolph...	373	833
	Mineral.....	1,972	1,709	Worthington.....	Marion.....	405	381

(1) Brooklyn annexed to New Martinsville on May 6, 1935. Combined population in 1930, 3,503.

(2) Incorporated February, 1932.

(3) Incorporated 1938.

(4) Alford and Spencer consolidated and incorporated as Spencer in 1921; combined population in 1920, 2,050.

(5) Incorporated in 1935.

## POPULATION BY CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS

## FIRST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

Counties	Population
Brooke	24,663
Hancock	28,511
Marion	66,655
Marshall	39,831
Ohio	72,077
Taylor	19,114
Wetzel	22,334
<b>Total</b>	<b>273,185</b>

## SECOND CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

Counties	Population
Barbour	18,628
Berkeley	28,030
Grant	8,441
Hampshire	11,836
Hardy	9,816
Jefferson	15,780
Mineral	20,084
Monongalia	50,083
Morgan	8,406
Pendleton	9,660
Pocahontas	14,555
Preston	29,043
Randolph	25,049
Tucker	13,374
Webster	14,216
<b>Total</b>	<b>277,001</b>

## THIRD CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

Counties	Population
Braxton	22,579
Calhoun	10,866
Clay	13,125
Doddridge	10,488
Fayette	72,050
Gilmer	10,641
Harrison	78,567
Lewis	21,794

Nicholas	20,686
Ritchie	15,594
Upshur	17,944
<b>Total</b>	<b>294,334</b>

## FOURTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

Counties	Population
Cabell	90,786
Jackson	16,124
Lincoln	19,156
Mason	20,788
Picasants	6,545
Putnam	16,737
Roane	19,478
Tyler	12,785
Wayne	31,206
Wirt	6,358
Wood	56,521
<b>Total</b>	<b>296,484</b>

## FIFTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

Counties	Population
Greenbrier	35,878
Mercer	61,523
Mingo	38,319
Monroe	11,949
McDowell	90,479
Summers	20,468
Wyoming	20,926
<b>Total</b>	<b>279,342</b>

## SIXTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

Counties	Population
Boone	24,586
Kanawha	157,667
Logan	58,534
Raleigh	68,072
<b>Total</b>	<b>308,859</b>

## POPULATION BY SENATORIAL DISTRICTS

## 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
Calhoun	10,866
Gilmer	10,641
Picasants	6,545
Ritchie	15,594
Wirt	6,358
Wood	56,521
<b>Total</b>	<b>106,525</b>

## FOURTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

Counties	Population
Clay	13,125
Jackson	16,124
Mason	20,788
Putnam	16,737
Roane	19,478
<b>Total</b>	<b>86,252</b>

## FIFTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

Counties	Population
Cabell	90,786
Wayne	31,206
<b>Total</b>	<b>121,992</b>

## SIXTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

Counties	Population
McDowell	90,479
Mingo	38,319
<b>Total</b>	<b>128,798</b>

## SEVENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

Counties	Population
Boone	24,586
Lincoln	19,156
Logan	58,534
<b>Total</b>	<b>102,276</b>

EIGHTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT	
County	Population
Kanawha.....	157,667
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>157,667</b>

NINTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT	
Counties	Population
Raleigh.....	68,072
Wyoming.....	20,926
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>88,998</b>

TENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT	
Counties	Population
Mercer.....	61,323
Monroe.....	11,949
Summers.....	20,468
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>93,740</b>

ELEVENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT	
Counties	Population
Fayette.....	72,050
Greenbrier.....	35,878
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>107,928</b>

TWELFTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT	
Counties	Population
Braxton.....	22,579
Nicholas.....	20,686
Pendleton.....	9,660
Pocahontas.....	14,555
Randolph.....	25,049
Webster.....	14,216
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>106,745</b>

THIRTEENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT	
Counties	Population
Doddridge.....	10,488
Harrison.....	78,567
Lewis.....	21,794
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>110,849</b>

FOURTEENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT	
Counties	Population
Marion.....	66,655
Monongalia.....	50,083
Taylor.....	19,114
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>136,852</b>

FIFTEENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT	
Counties	Population
Barbour.....	18,628
Grant.....	8,441
Preston.....	29,043
Tucker.....	13,374
Upshur.....	17,944
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>87,430</b>

SIXTEENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT	
Counties	Population
Berkeley.....	28,030
Hampshire.....	11,836
Hardy.....	9,816
Jefferson.....	15,780
Mineral.....	20,084
Morgan.....	8,406
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>93,952</b>

## CENTER OF POPULATION OF WEST VIRGINIA

The center of population of West Virginia is located 4.5 miles northwest of Gassaway, latitude 38° 42' 36", longitude 80° 50' 55".

### \*CENTER OF POPULATION

Year	Approximate Location
1790	—23 miles east of Baltimore, Md.
1800	—18 miles west of Baltimore, Md.
1810	—40 miles northwest by west of Washington, D. C. (in Va.)
†1820	—16 miles east of Moorefield, W. Va.
†1830	—19 miles west-southwest of Moorefield, W. Va.
†1840	—16 miles south of Clarksburg, W. Va.
†1850	—23 miles southeast of Parkersburg, W. Va.
1860	—20 miles south by east of Chillicothe, Ohio.
1870	—48 miles east by north of Cincinnati, Ohio.

Year	Approximate Location
1880	—8 miles west by south of Cincinnati, Ohio (in Ky.)
1890	—20 miles east of Columbus, Ind.
1900	—6 miles southeast of Columbus, Ind.
1910	—In the city of Bloomington, Ind.
1920	—8.3 miles south-southeast of Spencer, Washington township, Owen county, Ind.
1930	—2.9 miles northeast of Linton, Stockton township, Greene County, Ind.

\*The term "center of population", as used by the Census Bureau, is that point which may be considered as the center of gravity of the United States; in other words, the point upon which the United States would balance if it were a rigid plane without weight and the population distributed thereon, with each individual being assumed to have equal weight and to exert an influence on a central point proportional to his distance from the point.

In terms of latitude and longitude, the 1930 center is located in latitude 39° 3' 45" North, longitude 87° 8' 6" West. The closeness with which the center of population throughout its westward movement has clung to the thirty-ninth parallel of latitude is remarkable. The point farthest north was reached in 1790 and farthest south in 1830, but the difference was only 21.4 miles.

†Then Virginia.

## POPULATION OF THE UNITED STATES

STATE	POPULATION			†Increase 1920-1930		†Increase 1910-1920	
	1930	1920	1910	Number	P. C.	Number	P. C.
*United States.....	122,775,046	105,710,620	91,972,266	17,064,426	16.1	13,738,354	14.9
Alabama.....	2,646,248	2,348,174	2,135,093	298,074	12.7	210,081	9.8
Arizona.....	435,573	334,162	204,354	101,411	30.3	179,508	63.5
Arkansas.....	1,854,482	1,752,204	1,574,449	102,278	5.8	177,755	11.3
California.....	5,677,251	3,426,861	2,377,549	2,250,390	65.7	1,049,312	44.1
Colorado.....	1,035,791	939,629	799,024	96,162	10.2	140,605	17.8
Connecticut.....	1,606,903	1,380,631	1,114,756	226,272	16.4	265,875	23.9
Delaware.....	238,380	223,003	202,322	15,377	6.9	20,681	10.2
District of Columbia.....	486,869	437,571	331,069	49,298	11.3	106,502	32.2
Florida.....	1,468,211	968,470	752,619	499,741	51.6	215,851	28.7
Georgia.....	2,908,506	2,895,832	2,609,121	12,674	0.4	286,711	11.0
Idaho.....	445,032	431,866	325,594	13,166	3.0	106,272	32.6
Illinois.....	7,630,537	6,485,250	5,638,591	1,145,374	17.7	848,689	15.0
Indiana.....	3,238,503	2,930,390	2,700,876	308,113	10.5	229,514	8.5
Iowa.....	2,470,939	2,404,021	2,224,771	66,918	2.8	179,250	8.1
Kansas.....	1,880,999	1,769,257	1,690,949	111,742	6.3	78,308	4.6
Kentucky.....	2,614,559	2,416,630	2,289,905	197,959	8.2	126,725	5.5
Louisiana.....	2,101,993	1,798,509	1,656,388	303,084	16.9	142,121	8.6
Maine.....	797,423	768,014	742,371	29,409	3.8	25,643	3.5
Maryland.....	1,631,526	1,449,661	1,295,340	181,865	12.5	154,315	11.9
Massachusetts.....	4,249,614	3,852,356	3,366,416	397,258	10.3	488,940	14.4
Michigan.....	4,842,325	3,668,412	2,810,173	1,173,913	32.0	888,239	30.5
Minnesota.....	2,563,953	2,387,125	2,075,708	176,828	7.4	311,417	15.0
Mississippi.....	2,009,821	1,790,618	1,797,114	219,203	12.2	-6,496	-0.4
Missouri.....	3,629,367	3,404,055	3,293,335	225,312	6.6	110,720	3.4
Montana.....	537,606	548,889	376,053	-11,283	-2.1	172,836	46.0
Nebraska.....	1,377,963	1,296,372	1,192,214	81,591	6.3	104,158	8.7
Nevada.....	91,058	77,407	81,875	13,651	17.6	-4,468	-5.5
New Hampshire.....	465,293	443,083	430,572	22,210	5.0	12,511	2.9
New Jersey.....	4,041,334	3,155,900	2,537,167	888,434	28.1	618,733	24.4
New Mexico.....	423,317	360,350	327,301	62,967	17.5	33,049	10.1
New York.....	12,588,066	10,388,227	9,113,614	2,202,839	21.2	1,271,613	14.0
North Carolina.....	3,170,276	2,559,123	2,206,287	611,153	23.9	352,836	16.0
North Dakota.....	680,848	646,872	577,056	33,973	5.3	69,816	12.1
Ohio.....	6,646,697	5,759,394	4,767,121	887,303	15.4	927,273	20.8
Oklahoma.....	2,396,040	2,028,283	1,657,155	367,757	18.1	371,128	22.4
Oregon.....	953,786	783,389	672,756	170,397	21.8	110,624	16.4
Pennsylvania.....	9,631,350	8,720,017	7,665,111	911,333	10.5	1,054,906	13.8
Rhode Island.....	687,497	604,397	542,610	83,100	13.7	61,787	11.4
South Carolina.....	1,738,768	1,683,721	1,515,400	58,041	3.3	168,324	11.1
South Dakota.....	692,849	636,547	583,888	56,302	8.8	52,659	9.0
Tennessee.....	2,616,556	2,337,885	2,184,789	278,671	11.9	153,096	7.0
Texas.....	5,824,715	4,663,228	3,896,542	1,161,487	24.9	766,686	19.7
Utah.....	507,847	449,396	373,351	58,451	13.0	76,045	20.4
Vermont.....	359,611	352,428	355,956	7,183	2.0	-3,528	-1.0
Virginia.....	2,421,851	2,309,187	2,061,612	112,664	4.9	247,578	12.0
Washington.....	1,563,396	1,356,621	1,141,990	206,775	15.2	214,631	18.8
West Virginia.....	1,729,205	1,463,701	1,221,119	265,504	18.1	242,582	19.9
Wisconsin.....	2,939,006	2,632,067	2,333,860	306,939	11.7	298,207	12.8
Wyoming.....	225,565	194,402	145,965	31,163	16.0	48,437	33.2

†—A minus sign (—) denotes decrease.

\*—Estimated population of the United States, 1938, 130,215,000.

## \*CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES, 1790-1930

CENSUS YEAR	Population	Increase Over Preceding Census		Per Cent of Increase With Correction for 1870 and *1880
		Number	Per Cent	
1830 .....	122,775,046	17,064,426	†16.1	16.1
1920 .....	105,710,620	13,738,354	14.9	14.9
1910 .....	91,972,266	15,977,691	21.0	21.0
1900 .....	75,994,575	13,046,861	20.7	20.7
1890 .....	62,947,714	12,791,931	25.6	25.6
1880 .....	50,155,783	11,697,412	30.1	††26.0
1870 .....	38,558,371	7,115,050	22.6	††20.8
1860 .....	31,443,321	8,251,445	35.6	35.6
1850 .....	23,101,876	6,122,423	35.9	35.9
1840 .....	17,009,453	4,203,433	32.7	32.7
1830 .....	12,866,020	3,227,567	33.5	33.5
1820 .....	9,638,453	2,399,572	33.1	33.1
1810 .....	7,230,881	1,931,398	36.4	36.4
1800 .....	5,308,483	1,379,269	35.1	36.1
1790 .....	3,920,214			

\*Estimated population of the United States, 1938, 130,215,000.

†In comparing this percentage of increase with that shown for the decade 1910-1930, allowance should be made for the fact that the period between the censuses of 1910 and 1920 was less than a full decade, and that the period between the 1920 and 1930 censuses was more than a full decade. An increase of 16.1 per cent for 123 months (the time between January 1, 1920, and April 1, 1930) is equivalent to 15.7 per cent for exactly ten years; and, the 1920 increase for 116½ months (the time between April 15, 1910, and January 1, 1920) is equivalent to 15.4 per cent for 120 months. Making this adjustment, the rate of increase for the decade ending in 1930 is only slightly higher than that for the preceding decade.

††Enumeration of 1870 incomplete in southern states. Percentages in this column for 1860-1870 and 1870-1880 represent estimated true rates of increase.

## UNITED STATES AND OUTLYING POSSESSIONS

AREA	1930	1920	Increase 1920-1930	
			Number	P. C.
United States, with Outlying Possessions .....	137,008,435	117,823,105	19,185,270	16.3
Continental United States .....	122,775,046	105,710,620	17,064,426	16.1
Outlying Territories and Possessions .....	14,233,389	12,112,545	2,120,844	17.6
Alaska .....	59,273	55,036	4,242	7.7
American Samoa .....	10,055	8,056	1,999	24.8
Guam .....	†18,509	†13,275	5,234	39.4
Hawaii .....	368,336	255,912	112,424	43.9
Panama Canal Zone .....	39,467	22,858	16,609	72.7
Philippine Islands .....	†12,082,366	†10,314,310	1,768,056	17.1
Puerto Rico .....	1,543,913	1,299,809	244,104	18.8
Virgin Islands of the United States .....	22,012	†26,051	-4,039	-15.5
Military and Naval Services, etc., abroad .....	89,453	117,238	-27,785	-23.7

\*A minus sign (—) denotes decrease.

†Includes population (1,118) of United States Naval Reservations, and persons on the United States ships stationed at Guam.

†Includes native men enlisted in United States Navy, but excludes Naval Station personnel, numbering 309.

\*Estimated population, July 1, 1929 (Thirtieth Annual Report of the Director of Education).

\*Population December 31, 1918.

\*Population November 1, 1917.

# VITAL STATISTICS

## BIRTHS IN WEST VIRGINIA, 1937

(By Age of Parents)

AGE	Mother	Father
Total.....	42,240	42,240
10-14 years.....	65	.....
15-19 years.....	7,046	658
20-24 years.....	13,843	8,875
25-29 years.....	9,736	11,070
30-34 years.....	6,178	7,975
35-39 years.....	3,792	5,532
40-44 years.....	1,404	3,369
45-49 years.....	157	1,758
50-54 years.....	5	706
55 years and over.....	.....	465
Not stated.....	14	1,832

## DEATHS IN WEST VIRGINIA, 1937

(By Age, Race and Sex)

Age in Years	Total	White	Negro	URBAN				RURAL			
				White		Negro		White		Negro	
				M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
All Ages.....	19,190	17,244	1,946	2,863	2,392	332	197	6,903	5,088	677	540
—1.....	2,610	2,396	214	324	233	14	17	1,062	777	102	81
1.....	415	391	24	44	52	2	.....	158	137	13	9
2.....	191	183	8	32	15	1	1	74	62	2	4
3.....	126	115	11	19	8	2	1	47	41	6	2
4.....	103	94	9	12	12	.....	1	28	42	5	3
5-9.....	289	261	25	48	47	3	2	97	72	9	11
10-14.....	253	234	19	33	42	1	2	99	60	9	7
15-19.....	443	380	63	68	68	7	4	145	99	33	19
20-24.....	636	556	80	73	84	10	5	230	169	36	29
25-29.....	712	605	107	90	96	18	10	256	163	42	37
30-34.....	692	564	128	109	94	21	9	216	145	57	41
35-39.....	752	596	156	109	90	27	19	235	162	73	37
40-44.....	830	676	154	131	99	31	21	240	206	65	37
45-49.....	909	728	181	160	120	33	20	268	180	91	37
50-54.....	1,096	940	156	225	128	37	15	386	199	67	37
55-59.....	1,234	1,091	143	226	147	37	16	430	268	57	33
60-64.....	1,262	1,141	121	238	105	20	13	438	300	56	32
65-69.....	1,594	1,474	120	267	193	21	14	585	429	59	26
70-74.....	1,432	1,343	89	224	215	20	9	512	392	35	25
75-79.....	1,470	1,411	59	199	189	14	8	574	449	27	10
80-84.....	1,184	1,156	28	138	171	3	4	472	375	18	3
85-89.....	647	626	21	66	88	6	2	248	224	3	10
90-94.....	208	200	8	20	26	3	.....	65	89	3	3
95-99.....	54	47	7	5	7	.....	2	22	13	1	4
100 and over.....	18	12	6	.....	2	.....	2	3	7	2	2
Unknown.....	30	21	9	3	1	2	.....	11	6	6	1

## DEATHS IN WEST VIRGINIA FROM SELECTED CAUSES, 1934-1937

CAUSE OF DEATH	NUMBER OF DEATHS			
	1937	1936	1935	1934
Total.....	19,190	19,008	18,340	17,941
Typhoid and paratyphoid fever.....	78	80	95	124
Smallpox.....				
Measles.....	42	29	119	63
Scarlet fever.....	39	42	80	83
Whooping-cough.....	240	67	125	216
Diphtheria.....	88	135	165	170
Influenza.....	748	611	506	414
Dysentery.....	76	145	87	109
Erysipelas.....	28	19	39	16
Acute poliomyelitis and acute polioencephalitis.....	21	21	12	19
Lethargic or epidemic encephalitis.....	3	7	8	11
Epidemic cerebrospinal meningitis.....	88	102	74	34
Tuberculosis of respiratory system.....	906	863	903	849
Tuberculosis of meninges and central nervous system.....	37	40	48	52
Other forms of tuberculosis.....	55	94	85	84
Syphilis.....	183	179	202	199
Malaria.....	1	1	4	1
Cancer and other malignant tumors.....	1,370	1,310	1,310	1,231
Rheumatism and gout.....	48	54	50	53
Diabetes mellitus.....	283	268	257	216
Pellagra.....	11	10	12	12
Diseases of the blood and blood-making organs.....	152	150	107	129
Alcoholism.....	39	55	50	60
Other diseases of nervous system and of organs of special sense.....	365	415	371	385
Cerebral hemorrhage and softening.....	1,200	1,205	1,066	1,105
Cerebral embolism and thrombosis.....	67	49	28	43
Hemiplegia and other paralysis, cause unspecified.....	75	63	118	68
Diseases of the heart.....	3,356	3,351	2,973	2,821
Other diseases of the circulatory system.....	336	335	287	302
Other diseases of the respiratory system.....	105	153	121	120
Bronchitis.....	43	38	36	42
Bronchopneumonia.....	699	855	607	634
Other forms of pneumonia.....	1,065	1,261	884	750
Diarrhea and enteritis (under 2 years).....	371	580	341	465
Diarrhea enteritis (2 years and over).....	66	121	99	113
Appendicitis.....	164	198	198	204
Hernia, intestinal obstruction.....	157	179	158	160
Cirrhosis of the liver.....	95	92	97	78
Other diseases of the digestive system.....	383	355	434	380
Nephritis.....	1,253	1,292	1,221	1,108
Other diseases of the genitourinary system.....	155	164	154	123
Diseases of female genital organs (not specified as venereal).....	67	56	69	62
Puerperal septicemia.....	80	93	98	91
Other puerperal causes.....	133	123	118	139
Congenital malformations, diseases of early infancy.....	1,271	1,303	1,286	1,383
Suicide.....	231	202	212	202
Homicide.....	160	216	202	267
Automobile accidents (primary).....	446	501	497	416
Railroad and automobile collisions.....	20	11	11	6
Street car and automobile collisions.....			3	
Motorcycle accidents.....	4	4	1	3
Other accidents, etc.....	1,340	1,387	1,288	1,344
Unknown and ill-defined.....	354	358	508	483
All other causes.....	506	546	511	499

**ABSTRACT OF VITAL STATISTICS, WEST VIRGINIA  
1926-1937**

YEAR	Estimated Population	Number		Rate Per 1,000 Estimated Population		Births Per 100 Deaths
		Births	Deaths	Births	Deaths	
1937	1,865,000	42,240	19,190	22.6	10.3	220
1936	1,830,000	40,853	19,908	22.3	10.9	205
1935	1,816,000	41,774	18,340	23.0	10.1	228
1934	1,802,000	41,476	17,941	23.0	10.0	231
1933	1,786,000	36,263	16,605	20.3	9.3	218
1932	1,771,000	38,803	17,912	21.9	10.1	217
1931	1,754,000	39,325	17,620	22.4	10.0	223
1930	1,735,000	41,614	19,220	24.0	10.5	228
1929	1,709,777	40,668	18,128	23.8	10.6	224
1928	1,683,874	43,387	17,507	25.8	10.4	248
1927	1,657,972	44,857	16,989	27.1	10.2	264
1926	1,632,069	43,936	18,143	26.9	11.1	242

**DEATHS IN WEST VIRGINIA FROM MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS, 1937**

By Months		By Days of the Week	
Total	*476	Total	*476
January	38	Sunday	98
February	29	Monday	46
March	32	Tuesday	37
April	41	Wednesday	39
May	35	Thursday	66
June	31	Friday	62
July	31	Saturday	120
August	45	Unknown	8
September	44		
October	51		
November	42		
December	57		

\*Includes automobile, railroad and automobile, street car and automobile, and motorcycle accidents.

**DEATHS IN WEST VIRGINIA BY SUICIDE, HOMICIDE, AND ACCIDENTS, 1931-1937**

CAUSE AND SEX	1937	1936	1935	1934	1933	1932	1931
<b>Suicide:</b>							
Male	180	135	157	148	158	172	177
Female	51	67	55	54	45	49	44
<b>Homicide:</b>							
Male	137	181	170	221	184	193	197
Female	29	35	32	46	32	27	43
<b>*Accident:</b>							
Male	1,403	1,476	1,383	1,381	1,143	1,177	1,379
Female	413	427	417	388	364	366	370

\*—Includes legal executions.

## DEATHS FROM HIGHWAY ACCIDENTS, BY COUNTIES

January 1 - November 1, 1937, 1938 and 1939

(Compiled from data furnished by Department of Public Safety)

COUNTY	DEATHS			COUNTY	DEATHS		
	1937	1938	1939		1937	1938	1939
Barbour .....	3	1	2	Mingo .....	5	2	11
Berkeley .....	3	4	3	Monongalia .....	11	5	7
Boone .....	10	8	2	Monroe .....	1	1	2
Braxton .....	6	7	4	Morgan .....	3	3	2
Brooke .....	18	6	6	McDowell .....	18	15	16
Cabell .....	21	13	12	Nicholas .....	6	3	3
Calhoun .....	1	1	1	Ohio .....	13	13	6
Clay .....	5	6	3	Pendleton .....	6	2	2
Doddridge .....	1	1	1	Pleasants .....	3	3	2
Fayette .....	15	11	10	Pocahontas .....	3	1	2
Gilmer .....	2	4	1	Preston .....	7	4	2
Grant .....	2	1	1	Putnam .....	8	3	5
Greenbrier .....	3	3	2	Raleigh .....	21	11	21
Hampshire .....	5	3	4	Randolph .....	6	9	6
Hancock .....	7	3	6	Ritchie .....	1	3	1
Hardy .....	1	1	3	Roane .....	3	2	2
Harrison .....	14	10	7	Summers .....	2	1	5
Jackson .....	3	4	4	Taylor .....	2	3	4
Jefferson .....	5	4	5	Tucker .....	4	1	4
Kanawha .....	40	48	34	Tyler .....	1	5	1
Lewis .....	4	6	3	Upshur .....	6	3	2
Lincoln .....	2	4	4	Wayne .....	9	3	2
Logan .....	20	12	15	Webster .....	1	3	1
Marion .....	3	6	3	Wetzel .....	3	3	1
Marshall .....	4	10	5	Wirt .....	2	1	1
Mason .....	3	1	6	Wood .....	7	4	5
Mercer .....	14	11	13	Wyoming .....	6	11	3
Mineral .....	4	5	9				
				TOTALS .....	370	308	284

## AUTOMOBILE FATALITIES IN WEST VIRGINIA, 1924-1938

1924 .....	129	1932 .....	322
1925 .....	189	1933 .....	355
1926 .....	231	1934 .....	429
1927 .....	292	1935 .....	509
1928 .....	297	1936 .....	503
1929 .....	312	1937 .....	465
1930 .....	397	1938 .....	381
1931 .....	424		

## AUTOMOBILE FATALITIES, UNITED STATES, 1925-1938

1925 .....	21,628	1933 .....	31,078
1926 .....	23,264	1934 .....	36,000
1927 .....	25,533	1935 .....	36,400
1928 .....	27,618	1936 .....	37,800
1929 .....	30,858	1937 .....	39,500
1930 .....	32,540	1938 .....	32,400
1931 .....	33,346		
1932 .....	29,196	Total, 13 years .....	437,161

# CONSERVATION

## STATE-OWNED LANDS USED FOR CONSERVATION PURPOSES

(Compiled from data furnished by Conservation Commission)

<i>Name</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>Acreage</i>
State Game Farm	Upshur	330.85
Ridge Bass Hatchery	Morgan	29.30
Palestine Bass Hatchery	Wirt	29.80
Marlinton Trout Hatchery	Pocahontas	4.72
Petersburg Trout Hatchery	Grant	8.00
Horner Game Refuge	Lewis	189.60
Braxton Game Refuge	Braxton	6,851.75
Nathaniel Mountain Game Refuge	Hampshire	8,193.79
<b>Total Acreage</b>		<b>15,637.81</b>

### STATE FORESTS

Cabwaylingo	Wayne	6,482.70
Cooper's Rock	Monongalia—Preston	12,973.25
Forest Tree Nursery	Cabell	22.45
Greenbrier	Greenbrier	5,400.00
Kanawha	Kanawha	6,705.00
Kumbrabow	Randolph	9,424.88
Seneca	Pocahontas	11,049.95
<b>Total Acreage</b>		<b>52,058.23</b>

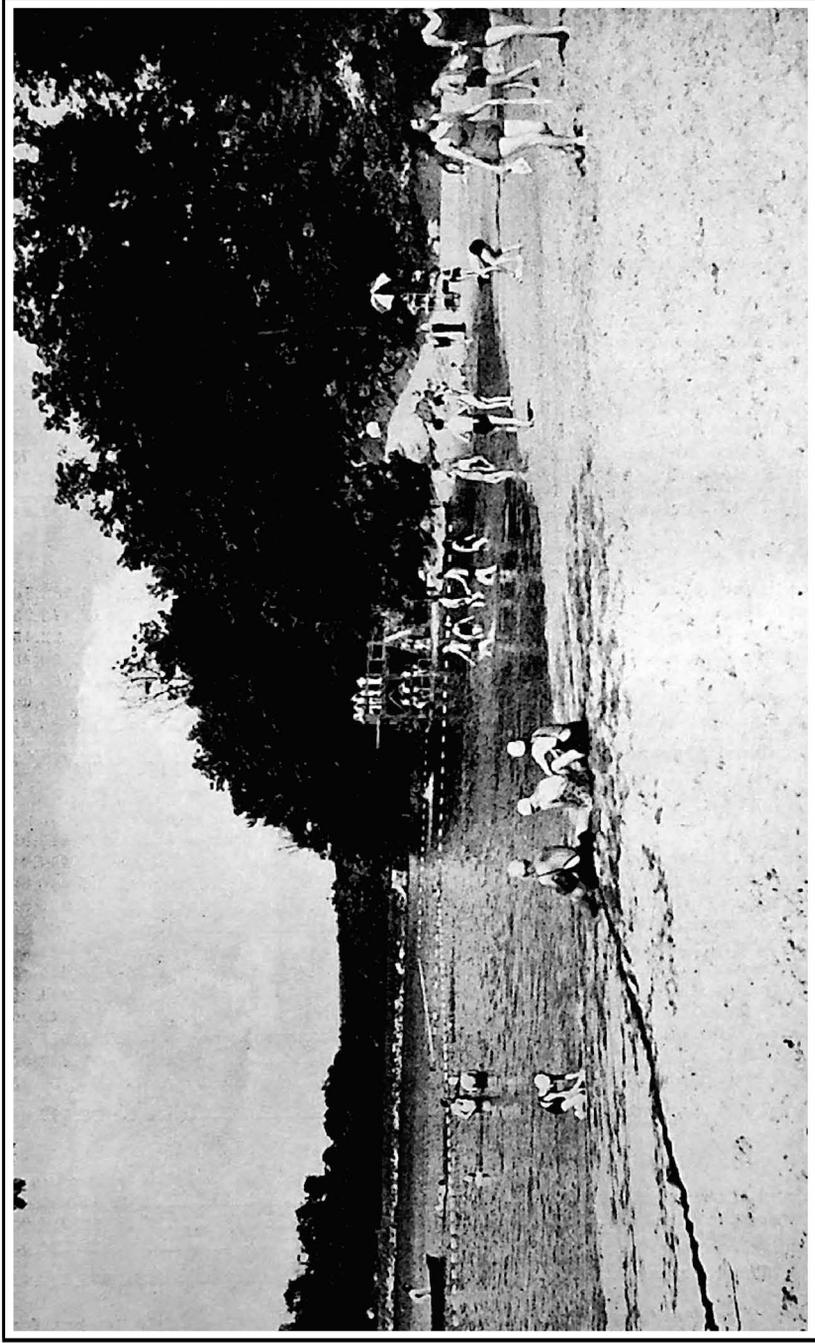
### STATE PARKS

Babcock	Fayette	3,616.00
Blackwater Falls	Tucker	447.00
Cacapon	Morgan	5,890.00
Carnifex Ferry Battlefield	Nicholas	265.00
Droop Mountain Battlefield	Pocahontas	265.30
Hawks Nest	Fayette	41.00
Holly River	Webster	6,045.45
Lost River	Hardy	3,841.00
Pinnacle Rock	Mercer County	40.00
Tomlinson Run	Hancock County	1,224.33
Watoga	Pocahontas	10,865.00
Grand View	Raleigh	52.00
<b>Total Acreage</b>		<b>32,592.08</b>

### \*RECAPITULATION

	<i>Acreages</i>
Game and Fish Propagation	15,637.81
State Forests	52,058.23
State Parks	32,592.08
<b>Total Acreage</b>	<b>100,288.12</b>

\*In addition, the Conservation Commission has leased from private owners, for game refuges, for ten-year periods, 64 tracts in 24 counties, totaling 120,000 acres.



*Photo by Conservation Commission*

**Bathing Bench at Cacapon State Park, Morgan County**

**NATIONAL FORESTS IN WEST VIRGINIA**

(Compiled from data furnished by Forest Service, U. S. Department of Agriculture)

**MONONGAHELA NATIONAL FOREST**

Forest Supervisor: Arthur A. Wood ..... Elkins

**Ranger District Offices**

<i>District</i>	<i>Location</i>	<i>District Ranger</i>		
Cheat.....	Parsons.....	Ralph L. Rowland		
Gauley.....	Richwood.....	C. R. Carr		
Potomac.....	Petersburg.....	W. B. Averill		
Greenbrier.....	Durbin.....	W. L. Maule		
White Sulphur Springs.....	Marlinton.....	Gordon G. Mark		
		<i>Potential</i>	<i>Acreage</i>	<i>Acquired</i>
<i>Counties</i>		<i>Acreage</i>		
Preston, Tucker, Grant, Pendleton, Randolph, Pocahontas, Greenbrier, Nicholas, and Webster.....		1,673,749	802,686	

**GEORGE WASHINGTON NATIONAL FOREST**

Forest Supervisor: M. C. Howard ..... Harrisonburg, Virginia

**Ranger District Offices**

<i>District</i>	<i>Location</i>	<i>District Ranger</i>		
Lee.....	Edinburg.....	John Crisman		
Dry River.....	Bridgewater.....	Abner Casey		
Deerfield.....	Staunton.....	Meredith Letch		
Warm Springs.....	Covington.....	C. P. Meade		
Pedlar.....	Buena Vista.....	B. A. Eger		
		<i>Potential Acreage</i>	<i>Acreage Acquired</i>	
		<i>(West Virginia)</i>	<i>(West Virginia)</i>	
<i>Counties</i>				
Hampshire, Hardy, and Pendleton in West Virginia, and Alleghany, Amherst, Augusta, Bath, Frederick, Highland, Nelson, Page, Rockbridge, Rockingham, Shenandoah, and Warren in Virginia.....		162,391	96,788	

**CIVILIAN CONSERVATION CORPS CAMPS  
WEST VIRGINIA**

(Operating under the Conservation Commission of West Virginia in cooperation with the United States Department of Agriculture—Forest Service)

<i>County</i>	<i>Camp</i>	<i>Superintendent</i>	<i>Address</i>
Greenbrier.....	White Sulphur Springs.....	R. G. Thornburg.....	White Sulphur Springs
Randolph.....	Bowers.....	George E. Harris.....	Pickens
McDowell.....	War.....	D. L. Lord.....	Berwind
Raleigh.....	Raleigh.....	R. N. Dunkel ( <i>Acting</i> ).....	Beckley
Monongalia and Preston.....	Rhododendron.....	R. E. Jackson.....	Morgantown
Kanawha.....	Kanawha.....	C. E. Barrett.....	Charleston
Logan.....	Camp Logan.....	C. E. Mullens.....	Sharples

## STATE PARK CAMPS

(Operating under the Conservation Commission of West Virginia in cooperation with the Department of the Interior, National Park Service)

Camp	Park	Superintendent	Address
Hardy SP-2	Lost River	Earl E. Kiser	Mathias
Morgan SP-4	Cacapon	W. H. Shields	Berkeley Springs
Watoga SP-5	Watoga	Grady H. Arbogast	Seebert
Lee SP-6	Babcock	Edwin G. Davlsson, Jr.	Clifftop

## FEDERAL FOREST CAMPS—MONONGAHELA NATIONAL FOREST

(Operating under U. S. Forest Service)

Forest Supervisor: Arthur A. Wood.....Elkins

County	Camp	Superintendent	Address
Tucker	Parsons	C. H. Picard	Parsons
Pocahontas	Thornwood	Peter J. Hanlon	Durbin
Grant	North Fork	H. K. Burrell	Petersburg
Webster	Cranberry	Dewey Parsons	Richwood
Greenbrier	Anthony	E. F. Smith	Neola

## SOIL CONSERVATION CAMPS

(Operating under the U. S. Department of Agriculture Soil Conservation Service)

State Coordinator: L. L. Lough.....Morgantown

County	Camp	Superintendent	Address
Cabell	Crawford	H. G. Debald	Milton
Marshall	Marshall	F. O. Leonard	Moundsville
Berkeley	Rowan	Leland D. Brown	Hedgesville
Greenbrier	Lewis	W. Fred Porter	Lewisburg
Jackson	Jackson	Roy D. Bradley	Ripley
Randolph	Tygart	Leon F. Silberberger	Beverly

## SOME COMMON FOREST TREES FOUND IN WEST VIRGINIA

Apple, American Crab	Elm, American	Oak, Pin
Arborvitae (American)	Elm, Slippery	Oak, Red
Ash, Black	Flr, Balsam	Oak, Scrub
Ash, Mountain	Gum, Black	Oak, White
Ash, White	Gum, Sweet	Oak, Yellow
Basswood	Haw, Black	Paw Paw
Beech, American	Hemlock	Persimmon, Common
Beech, Blue	Hickory, Bitternut	Pine, Pitch
Birch, Black	Hickory, Big Shell Bark	Pine, Red
Birch, Paper	Hickory, Pignut	Pine, Scrub
Birch, Red	Hickory, Shell Bark	Pine, Shortleaf
Birch, Yellow	Holly, American	Pine, White
Black Walnut	Holly, Mountain	Plum, Wild
Box Elder	Ironwood	Poplar, Carolina
Buckeye, Fetid	Laurel, Mountain	Poplar, White
Buckeye, Sweet	Locust, Black	Poplar, Yellow
Butternut	Locust, Honey	Red Bud
Cedar, Red	Magnolia, Mountain	Rhododendron
Cherry, Wild	Maple, Black Sugar	Sassafras
Chestnut	Maple, Red	Service Berry
Chinquapin	Maple, Silver	Spruce, Red
Cucumber Tree	Maple, Sugar	Sumach, Dwarf
Dogwood, Alternate	Mulberry, Red	Sumach, Staghorn
Leaved	Oak, Black	Sycamore
Dogwood, Flowering	Oak, Black Jack	Willow, Black
	Oak, Chestnut	

## SOME COMMON BIRDS FOUND IN WEST VIRGINIA

Robin	Bluebird	Cowbird
Crested Flycatcher	Flicker	Belted Kingfisher
Red-headed Woodpecker	Goldfinch	Black-capped Chickadee
Red-bellied Woodpecker	House Wren	Northern Carolina
Cardinal (Redbird)	Purple Martin	Chickadee
Meadowlark	Hermit Thrush	Tufted Titmouse
Catbird	American Pipit	Barn Owl
Mockingbird	Nuthatch	Screech Owl
Orchard Oriole	Brown Creeper	Scarlet Tanager
Baltimore Oriole	Kinglet	Mallard Duck
Barn Swallow	Cedar Waxwing	Vulture
Rough-winged Swallow	Ruby-throated	Broad-winged Hawk
Purple Grackle	Hummingbird	Warbler
Bronzed Grackle	Blackbird	Vireo
Starling	Eastern Red-wing	Sparrow Hawk
Field Sparrow	Rock Dove (Pigeon)	Cuckoo
English Sparrow	Mourning Dove	Chimney Swift
Blue Jay	Whip-poor-will	Crow

## TEN PRINCIPAL GAME FISH FOUND IN WEST VIRGINIA

Brook Trout	Bream (Sunfish,	Wall-eyed Pike
Rainbow Trout	Bluegill)	Channel Catfish
Large Mouth Black Bass	Rock Bass	Blue Cat
Small Mouth Black Bass	Muskallonge	

## PRINCIPAL GAME BIRDS AND ANIMALS FOUND IN WEST VIRGINIA

Rabbit	White-tailed Deer	Grouse (Pheasant)
Black Bear	Wild Turkey	Varying Hare
Gray Squirrel	Quail	Raccoon
Red Squirrel	Mallard Duck (Black	Beaver
Fox Squirrel	Duck)	



Fawn in Cooper's Rock State Forest

## \*HUNTING AND FISHING LICENSE SALES

(Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1939)

COUNTY	Duplicate Licenses at 50¢	Resident State Wide at \$2.00	Non-Resident Tourist at \$1.00	Non-Resident Fishing at \$5.00	Non-Resident Hunting and Fishing at \$15.00	Special Ohio River at \$1.00
Barbour.....	1	2,275	5	1		
Berkeley.....		3,508	58	54	11	
Boone.....		2,030				
Braxton.....		1,885	10	1		
Brooke.....	1	2,046	18	6	10	24
Cabell.....	2	6,008	14		1	71
Calhoun.....		928	4			
Clay.....		1,660	8	1	1	
Doddridge.....		981	14	4		
Fayette.....		7,930	6	3		
Gilmer.....		1,045	25	4		
Grant.....		1,446	138	30	7	
Greenbrier.....		4,557	45	7	15	
Hampshire.....		1,808	523	296	38	
Hancock.....	1	2,290	2	4	3	68
Hardy.....		1,822	106	36	20	
Harrison.....		8,902	30	10	5	
Jackson.....	2	876	1			26
Jefferson.....		1,232	76	26	4	
Kanawha.....		15,109	13	15	10	
Lewis.....	3	2,074	26	7	1	
Lincoln.....		572				
Logan.....		4,180				
Marion.....	4	6,520	18	21	2	
Marshall.....	1	3,122	28	5	3	88
Mason.....		1,611	1	5		260
Mercer.....		2,887	7	1	5	
Mineral.....	3	3,122	313	558	68	
Mingo.....	1	1,536	2			
Monongalia.....		4,688	195	131	23	
Monroe.....		1,221	8	3	0	
Morgan.....		1,065	145	46	9	
McDowell.....		4,691	3		3	
Nicholas.....		2,904				
Ohio.....	3	3,834	45	38	8	126
Pendleton.....		1,089	67	23	8	
Pleasants.....		682	6	2		48
Pocahontas.....		2,174	86	7	18	
Preston.....		3,440	26	36	18	
Putnam.....	1	993				
Raleigh.....	2	6,764	3	2	2	
Randolph.....		4,729	83	10	7	
Ritchie.....		1,575	11	1		
Roane.....	2	1,422	3			
Summers.....		1,932	10	5		
Taylor.....		1,996	12	2	5	
Tucker.....		1,803	39	10	1	
Tyler.....		1,125	35	6	2	36
Upshur.....		2,082	26	3		
Wayne.....		1,037		1		1
Webster.....		2,531	1	3	1	
Wetzel.....	1	2,172	15	9		19
Wirt.....	1	563	10	5		
Wood.....		6,081	12	9	1	50
Wyoming.....		3,188	4			
TOTALS.....	29	150,836	2,339	1,447	322	817

\*—Total hunting and fishing license fees collected \$334,939.35.

†—One alien license at \$15.00 issued in Brooke County and one in Hancock County.

**GAME PROTECTORS**

**DISTRICT No. 1**

<i>County</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Address</i>
Marshall	W. E. Howard (District Protector)	Cameron
Brooke	Willard M. Stewart	Wellsburg
Doddridge	Neal Foley	West Union
Hancock	Walter McCrea	New Cumberland
Harrison	James T. Stewart	Enterprise
Marion	Richard Prickett	Fairmont
Monongalia	Clay Messinger	Morgantown
Pleasants	Roy Stewart	Belmont
Ritchie	R. S. Harris	Ellenboro
Taylor	Joseph Powell	Grafton
Tyler	Allen Woodburn	Alma
Wetzel	Everett Price	Jacksonburg
Wood	C. C. Carter	Parkersburg
Ohio		

**DISTRICT No. 2**

Mason	Ed Hoffman	New Haven
Jackson	Geo. L. Fox	Ravenswood
Roane	Vivian Wilkinson	Spencer
Wirt	Warren Mills	Elizabeth
Calhoun	Manard Ball	Grantsville
Gilmer	Thurman Weaver	Eva
Lewis	Grover Mills	Eston

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Cabell	A. R. Pitzer	Barboursville
Boone	J. C. Jarrell	Bim
Braxton	C. E. Humphreys	Sutton
Clay	John R. Hamrick	Clay
Fayette	O. O. Walker	Gauley Bridge
Kanawha	C. F. Green	Pratt
Lincoln	Arthur Franklin	Branchland
Putnam		
Wayne	B. H. Caldwell	Huntington

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Greenbrier	Jesse B. Bryant	Crawley
Logan	Ira Carper	Omar
McDowell	W. H. Cline	Panther
Mingo	Will D. Baugh	Williamson
Monroe	J. P. Woodville	Sweet Springs
Raleigh	L. M. Hayes	Beckley
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Barbour	Lloyd England	Phillippi
Nicholas	Fred Hobart	Richwood
Pocahontas	Lewis Gay	Marlinton
Randolph	A. J. Piercy	Montrose
Randolph	Wayne Stalnaker	Mill Creek
Tucker	Charles Calvert	Parsons
Upshur	C. R. Casto	Buckhannon
Webster	S. D. Skidmore	Webster Springs

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Grant	Harrison Shobe	Petersburg
Hampshire	Walter Ansel	Springfield
Mineral	J. L. Hughes	Fort Ashby
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Jefferson	K. D. Unger	Shepherdstown
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## RECREATIONAL

### FOR 1940—A VACATION SOMEWHERE IN WEST VIRGINIA

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A new vacation season in state parks and state forests will be opened in the spring of 1940. The Conservation Commission of West Virginia, through the agency of the Civilian Conservation Corps, has been adding new conveniences and facilities intended to create wholesome outdoor recreation for the general public, one of the most significant being the addition of a play area in Lost River State Park where vacationing guests may enjoy tether ball, horseshoes, archery, and kindred sports to round out their recreational activities. Similar areas in the other major parks are planned.

Swimming enthusiasts, too, will be provided with new and better facilities as the result of the completion of a concrete outdoor swimming pool in Lost River. An outdoor pool of concrete is also under construction at Watoga. Additional cabins in Babcock are under construction, and enlarged central facilities in several other areas will provide improved service to the public.

These outdoor play areas are being constructed slowly and carefully so as to avoid the pitfalls of undesirable development and at the same time meet with the desires of our citizens in so far as financial and technical resources permit. State parks and state forests are rapidly winning recognition among West Virginians because of the new opportunities offered for a rest and a real vacation in the midst of the beauties of mountain scenery.

#### Babcock State Park

Babcock State Park (3,322 acres), in Fayette County, is a trout fisherman's paradise and a meeting place for swimmers and picnickers on week-ends during the open season. Mann's Creek and Glade Creek each year yield hundreds of fine rainbow trout. Fishermen are required to use artificial lures and must report their catch at headquarters. Glade Creek also supplies a swimming pool with mountain water. A life guard is on duty at all times.

The administration building is the center of park activity. A grill for the convenience of patrons is maintained during the season to provide dinners and serve as a storehouse of supplies for cabin guests. The recreation room is a focal point for entertainment and friendly social gatherings. Several bedrooms are available for rent by overnight guests. On top of the mountain nearby is a large picnic area with shelters, water supply and other conveniences.

Hiking trails and horse trails follow the rim of the deep gorge through which flow the creeks. Playgrounds for children and adults are provided. Vacation cabins, completely furnished and equipped with electricity and hot running water, are located along the banks of the creeks, in thickets of laurel and other evergreens. A new group of vacation cabins, more economical in construction and renting at a lower rate, is under construction on a knoll near the picnic grounds. All cabin rentals in Babcock, as in all state parks and state forests, are arranged through the Division of State Parks of the Conservation Commission, at the Capitol in Charleston. Rentals are by the week, the maximum rental period being two weeks. Entrance to the park is by State Route 41, four miles south of U. S. Route 60.

#### Cacapon State Park

Cacapon State Park (5,400 acres), in Morgan County, is a veritable storehouse of opportunities for a good time. A six-acre lake near the entrance on State Route 38, ten miles south of Berkeley Springs, immediately draws the visitor's attention. In this lake are trout, providing sport throughout the fishing season.

Boats may be rented either for a leisurely ride, or for fishing purposes. A sand beach has been constructed at the shallow end of the lake, and swimming areas have been roped off for both novices and experts. Life guards remain on duty during swimming hours. A rock bath house overlooking the lake is virtually completed, and will provide complete locker and shower facilities. Cabins are located in a secluded spot on a shelf of Cacapon Mountain. Furnishings and rental rates are standard.

North of the lake is Cacapon Inn, offering excellent meals and overnight accommodations for a limited number of guests. Beyond is Cacapon Riding Academy, with fine horses available for a ride over the miles of bridle paths. Bicycles may also be rented. Supervision of children's activities is no problem for guests, as playgrounds are located close to the cabins.

A skyline drive is under construction along the ridge of Cacapon Mountain. Along this eleven-mile drive to famed Prospect Rock the motorist will be able to enjoy views of verdant valleys and mountains climaxed by the panorama of the Potomac Water Gap, recognized as one of the finest views in the country. The picnic area is perhaps the most complete in the state. Winding trails lead from one group of tables and stoves to another, each group being sheltered by foliage. Community picnics of large numbers of people can be accommodated here.

### Holly River State Park

Holly River State Park (7,417 acres), in Webster County, is as colorful as its name implies. Leased from the Farm Security Administration of the United States Department of Agriculture, this park gives a peculiar sense of being in the center of a wilderness of nature, although its boundary, in part, is a paved highway—State Route 20.

A profusion of laurel, mosses, wild flowers and varied shrubs surrounds the cabin area. Below is Laurel Fork of Holly River, a favorite trout stream, part of which has been set aside exclusively for the use of women and children. The playground areas in Holly River Park are the most elaborate of the entire



*Photo by Conservation Commission*  
Rainbow Trout—a Catch on Mann's Creek, Babcock State Park

Park system, with ball fields, courts for various games, and equipment for children's activities. A council fire circle is provided where nature stories may be told around a roaring camp fire. The swimming pool is of concrete, and, as in all areas, adequate supervision is provided. A wading pool has been set aside for children.

The cabins are well-furnished, but no electricity is as yet available. The cabins will be wired for electricity, but completion and operation of this facility depend upon governmental approval to a power company for rights-of-way necessary to tie in with the lines adjacent to the park lines. Hiking trails lead up the mountainside to fields of exploration well worth the climb. The entrance is near Hacker Valley, about 35 miles south of Buckhannon.

### Lost River State Park

Lost River State Park (3,841 acres), in Hardy County, has been graded by nature to a remarkable degree. Long known as a stately resort, this land has been used for wholesome outdoor recreation and relaxation for generations. A medicinal white sulphur springs, first owned by General "Lighthorse Harry" Lee, of Revolutionary War fame, is being restored, and an old log house, used by members of the Lee family during their visits here, is also being restored to be used in part as a museum to house historical exhibits, and the remainder to be restored in the manner of an old colonial residence. The stately oaks and pines near the spring shade footpaths used for many years by the elite of the Old South. Here several cabins have been constructed, although the main cabin area is located on Howard's Lick, a half mile away. Cabins are among the most beautiful in design, enriched by a magnificent setting of luxuriant growth.

A concrete swimming pool is nearing completion, and should be ready for use during the 1940 season. The picnic area on Blue Ridge, which towers over the surrounding mountains, is always cool and delightful. A forest fire tower here offers opportunity for an even better view of the scenic beauties of this section of the state. Deer frequently wander to the cabin door, unafraid of human occupants. Entrance is either from State Route 58, or via a breath-taking skyline drive, past Helmick Rocks, from Moorefield.

### Tomlinson Run State Park

Tomlinson Run State Park (1,224 acres), Hancock County, is unique among West Virginia's park areas in that its development is upon a semi-metropolitan plan designed to serve large numbers of visitors in what may be termed "day use" activities. Development in cooperation with the County Court of Hancock County and the Works Progress Administration is still in an incomplete stage, but for the last two years thousands have found choice spots for family gatherings and picnics. A picnic area complete with tables, benches, stoves, and other facilities is ready for use.

Work is contemplated on a large artificial lake which, if constructed, would provide adequate water for fishing, swimming, boating, and other sports. Several athletic fields are contemplated, useful to the occasional visitor and to large group gatherings. An outdoor amphitheater to accommodate several hundred persons is also included in the plans. Much of this contemplated work is entirely dependent upon the availability of relief labor and other federal governmental aid. Tomlinson Run, situated along State Route 2, just four miles from the intersection with U. S. Route 30, is located within easy reach of several hundred thousand persons living in the tri-state district.

### Watoga State Park

Watoga State Park (10,865 acres), in Pocahontas County, is the largest of the state parks. From the beginning a play area of great popularity, Watoga's luxuriant foliage and wildflower growth has enhanced a mountain setting ideal for vacation outings. The Greenbrier River, which many visitors cross by a picturesque ferry, is the boundary which sets Watoga apart from humdrum activities. Miles of motor roads, as in all state parks and state forests, lead to cabin areas and administration headquarters. At the headquarters, situated

above an 11-acre artificial lake, is a dining room, a park store, curio shop, and superintendent's office. Boats and bicycles may be rented.

The twenty-five cabins, divided into two general cabin groups, seem lost in the vastness of the area. A new picnic area and a playground have been completed. Work on a concrete swimming pool, one of the largest of such pools in the state, is being pushed during winter in the expectation that it may be ready for use during the coming summer. A riding academy provides gaited horses for rides along the bridle paths. A large herd of deer has made this park its home. The profusion of growing things led to the establishment of a memorial arboretum under sponsorship of the West Virginia Academy of Science, where visitors may see scores of varied and rare wild flowers and other plants in their native habitat.

### Hawk Nest

Hawks Nest State Park (41 acres), Fayette County, is perhaps the most widely known of all the state parks. Visitors number almost a hundred thousand each year, and as the facilities, now rapidly reaching completion, are put to use, the number can be expected to increase materially.

Hawks Nest combines ready accessibility by virtue of its location on U. S. Route 60 near Ansted, with a major scenic view of the steep and rugged New River Gorge. A roadside parking space which can accommodate about seventy-five automobiles has been completed, and roadside beautification is virtually



*Photo by Conservation Commission*  
New River, Looking East from Grandview State Park

finished. Picnic tables, benches, and stoves dot the edges of a picturesque grove, while an attractive stone shelter has been built above a natural terrace. On top of the highest knoll is located a museum which can be reached by automobile or by step foot paths. An interesting collection of West Virginia relics, drawings, and exhibits will be placed in this building.

Few visitors to Hawks Nest fail to avail themselves of the opportunity to see New River Gorge from a rock ledge overlooking the 585-foot sheer drop to the water's edge. This ledge is adequately fenced to protect the public. A second overlook is being developed.

### **Blackwater Falls**

Blackwater Falls State Park (475 acres), Tucker County, is a leased area embracing the largest and most magnificent waterfall in the state. Sixty-three feet high, the falls roar over a rock ledge into the deep canyon which reaches a depth of 1,000 feet at certain points. A stairway leads to the foot of the falls. Guide service is available. Along the rim of the canyon, picnic tables and other facilities are provided. Further development is not contemplated due to the fact that this area is not owned by the state. The park is within the Monongahela National Forest boundaries, a mile from Davis, on State Route 32.

### **Pinnacle Rock**

Pinnacle Rock State Park (22 acres), Mercer County, fronts U. S. Route 52, a few miles west of Bluefield. A rock formation towering over the surrounding terrain lends its name to the area, which is being developed as a wayside park with picnicking facilities, observation platforms and similar conveniences. Pinnacle Rock has had an interesting history as an outstanding scenic point in the southern part of the state.

### **Grandview**

Grandview State Park (50 acres), Raleigh County, has been recently purchased, and development is in the planning stage. However, a splendid scenic view of the famous Grandview section of New River is possible from a rock ledge, reached by a secondary road from U. S. Route 19-21, near Glen Hedrick.

### **Droop Mountain Battlefield**

Droop Mountain Battlefield (265 acres), Pocahontas County, is the most highly developed of battle monuments in the state. It marks the site of the largest engagement on West Virginia soil during the Civil War. Motor roads permit the traveler to reach a log observation tower overlooking the valley at Hillsboro. There are several picnic areas and footpaths through a miniature sphagnum bog. Several cabins of the state forest type have been constructed, which travelers, fishermen, and other vacationists find well located for their purposes. Log portals and a log fence along U. S. Route 219 invite the motorist to stop and explore. Ample parking space is provided.

### **Carnifex Ferry Battlefield**

Carnifex Ferry Battlefield (275 acres), Nicholas County, marks another of West Virginia's important Civil War engagements. Picnic facilities are planned and will be provided. Interesting are the remains of an old house still bearing the marks of battle. Further incidental and historical development is contemplated.

### **Cabwaylingo State Forest**

Cabwaylingo State Forest (6,483 acres), Wayne County, is rapidly forging to the front ranks as a recreational center in the southwestern part of the state. Completion of a dam which created a swimming pool with a long sand beach, capable of accommodating hundreds of bathers, has added to its attractiveness. Locker facilities and life guard service are provided.

Thirteen cabins, grouped along Twelvepole Creek, provide the nucleus for a vacation outing which is a real change from every-day living. The log structures,

adequately furnished for comfortable living, create a pleasing rustic atmosphere. Kerosene lamps and well-drawn water add to it. Leading from the cabin groups are numerous foot trails and horse trails, bisecting veritable treasure chests of flora and fauna. A playfield, two picnic areas, and similar facilities add to the conveniences afforded visitors. The game refuge areas, which comprise the bulk of the forest, furnish a surplus population of wildlife, and provide opportunities for observation and enjoyment of animals and birds. Those with an inclination to learn about forestry will find the demonstration forest plots interesting.

### Cooper's Rock State Forest

Cooper's Rock State Forest (12,915 acres), Monongalia and Preston Counties, like all state forests, is primarily a game refuge and timber farm, yet its scenic beauty has drawn thousands within its boundaries to enjoy the riches of nature. As a result of this public interest, a small portion of the forest has been developed to foster outdoor recreation. There are many picnic tables in the rhododendron thickets surrounding Cooper's Rock, the rugged crag which gives the area its name. Complete facilities, abetted by a concession, information booth, elaborate shelters, and well-developed hiking trails which twist and turn among the rocks and thick foliage, make a day's excursion to this forest delightful. Another picnic area has been developed in Darnell Hollow, which is only a short distance from State Route 73, on the Fairchance road. Cheat Lake, the deep and long artificial lake created by a hydro-electric dam, is the center of an extensive summer resort colony patronized by visitors from many states. Boating, swimming, fishing, and other diversions are available here.

### Greenbrier State Forest

Greenbrier State Forest (5,000 acres), Greenbrier County, is the most recent forest acquisition of the Conservation Commission. Located in part on Kate's Mountain, this forest embraces an interesting stand of hardwood trees. A twelve-mile motor drive is possible across the mountain, affording an interesting view of lower peaks and the White Sulphur Springs resort area. A picnic area may be reached by this skyline circle drive. Cabins have been constructed along Hart's Run, near the western entrance to the forest. Like all state forests, Greenbrier is primarily a game refuge and timber farm, and stocking on this land is expected to increase the population of desirable wildlife within a few years.

### Kumbrabow State Forest

Kumbrabow State Forest (9,425 acres), Randolph County, has assumed an important role in fishing as well as supplying game and timber. Trout rearing troughs have been constructed and the station has aided materially in raising larger size fish for planting in streams of the state. Recently, a small portion near Mills Creek Falls has been developed for general recreational use. Four cabins may be rented. A picnic area and an interesting highlands motor road are added features. Trout fishing within season is permitted in Mill Creek. Kumbrabow has shown an increasing deer herd and is expected to assume a more important role as a game supply center in the future. The forest is most easily reached from U. S. Route 219, at Elkwater, south of Elkins.

### Kanawha State Forest

Kanawha State Forest (6,705 acres), Kanawha County, because of the convenient location and facilities available, promises to be one of the most frequently visited state forests. Development has progressed to the point where Conservation Commission officials believe that many new facilities which have not been available heretofore will be ready for use during the summer of 1940.

Davis Creek is the source of a large swimming pool which is nearing completion. Nearby will be one of the two large picnic areas, with ample parking space. In addition, "family size" picnic areas will be scattered throughout the forest. Camp sites, especially adapted for use by Boy Scouts and similar groups, are being developed. Restocking of game in this forest brings close to the capital of the state a concentration of interesting and valuable wildlife, not only as a source

of enjoyable observation, but also as a central supply point for surrounding territory. Roads have been constructed so that entrance to the forest may be had either from the Louden Heights section of Charleston, or from U. S. Route 119 at Hershaw.

### Seneca State Forest

Seneca State Forest (11,050 acres), Pocahontas County, has a long history as a state forest and game refuge. As a result, the population of deer in this area today probably is the greatest in the state. Further, large numbers of squirrels, grouse, and other game are to be found, despite controlled shooting during the last two hunting seasons. In accordance with Seneca's functions as a timber farm, experiments of chestnut plantings to develop a blight-resistant species, are of more than usual interest. White pine stand improvement and other forestry practices can be readily observed.

At an artificial lake constructed by the Civilian Conservation Corps a recreational area has been developed into one of the most appealing outdoor vacation spots in the state. The high elevation adds to the comfort of a summer visit. Six cabins at the lake provide adequate lodgings. Boating, swimming, and fishing are possible in the lake, and a special playground for children has been constructed near the cabin area. Those who prefer water sports on the river can obtain cottages on the banks of the Greenbrier, at the western edge of the forest. Seneca is reached by a secondary road leading from Huntersville, on State Route 28.



*Photo by Conservation Commission*  
Cabin in Holly River State Park

**DESIGNATED TROUT STREAMS IN WEST VIRGINIA**

(Compiled from data furnished by Conservation Commission)

There are at least 120 species of fish found in West Virginia waters. Possibly the number is greater, since complete study has not been made of all species in the various streams. Many of these are minnows and other forage fish, and so-called rough fish. From the standpoint of the fisherman, the various game species command the most interest.

The most important game species in the cold water streams of West Virginia is the trout. The native brook trout is found in the smaller clearer streams at the highest altitudes, rainbow trout usually in streams at slightly lower elevations, and brown trout in the larger, and somewhat warmer streams. There is considerable intermingling in some streams, since fish do not observe any definite boundary lines.

As the streams develop into larger creeks and rivers in the lower altitudes of the valleys, the black bass take over. Bass streams in general comprise all the larger streams and rivers of the state. Vying with the bass for supremacy in some instances are the wall-eyed pike, pickerel, and northern pike, with the giant muskalonge asserting itself in several deeper waters. Catfish likewise are found in great numbers in the slower moving and warmer waters, while the panfish, such as crappie, rock bass, and sunfish, are most numerous in lakes, ponds, and streams approaching lake conditions.

Trout streams as a general rule are found in the eastern counties, which are within the Appalachian highlands. The presence of trout varies in different streams, but a number generally recognized as trout streams have been designated as such by the Conservation Commission and closed to all fishing after the close of the trout season. The following is a complete list of designated streams, by counties:

**Designated Trout Streams**

**BARBOUR:** Hanging Run; Brushy Fork; Sugar Creek; Mill Run.

**BERKELEY:** Mill Creek; Tuscarora Creek.

**FAYETTE:** Glade Creek; Mann's Creek.

**GREENBRIER:** North fork of Anthony's Creek; Meadow Creek of Anthony's Creek; North and South Forks of Cherry River from their junction to their sources; Big Laurel Creek, above Jettsville; Little Laurel Creek; Laurel Run (near Anthony); Big Clear Creek from where U. S. Route 60 crosses; Little Clear Creek from where U. S. Route 60 crosses; Mulligan's Creek; Spring Creek above old Dam at F. I. Hall's; Sinking Creek from Route 60 to source.

**GRANT:** Spring Run; Poorhouse Run; South Mill Creek from mouth of Spring Run to source; Broad Run; Barger's Run; Manual Run; Big Star Run; Big and Little Buffalo Creeks; Elk Run; Stoney River and all tributaries from U. S. 50 to Stoney River Dam; North Fork Patterson's Creek from bridge at Falls Post Office to source.

**JEFFERSON:** Rocky Marsh Run; Long Marsh Run; Big Bullskin Run; Cattail Run; Flowing Springs Run; Turkey Run; Elk Creek; Evitt's Run; Hopewell Run.

**MERCER:** Pigeon Creek; Big Spring Branch; Camp Creek from Route 19-21 to source.

**MONROE:** North and South Forks of Potts Creek; Trout Branch; Rich Creek above where U. S. Route 219 crosses; Turkey Creek.

**NICHOLAS:** North and South Forks of Cherry River; Taylor Run (tributary of Gauley River); Big Laurel Creek; Cranberry River above the mouth of Barrenshe Run; Little Laurel; Muddlety Creek above light plant.

**PENDLETON:** Seneca Creek and all tributaries; Teter Camp Run; Big Run; Vance Run; Reeds Creek; Hammer Run; Trout Run; Laurel Fork; Little Fork; Rough Run; Laurel Run, a tributary of North Fork; Thorn Creek.

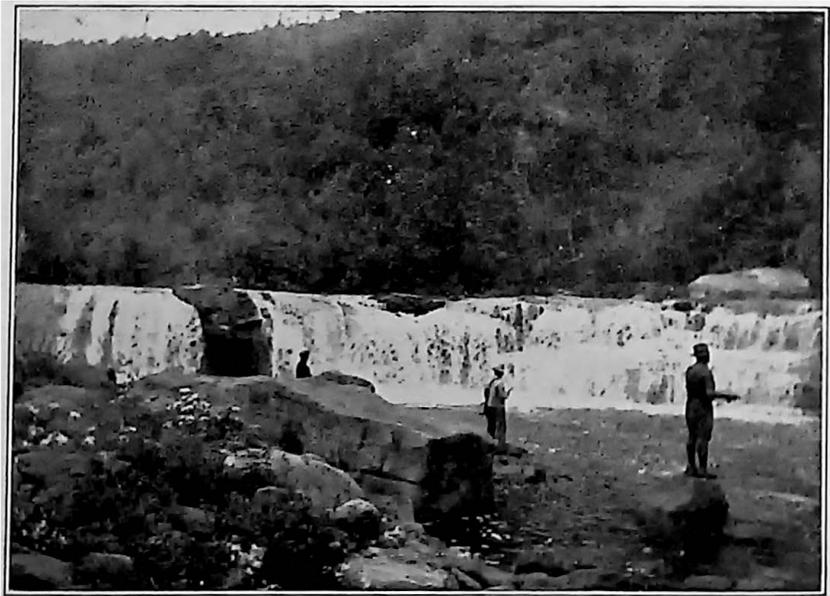
**POCAHONTAS:** Shavers Fork of Cheat River above old dam at Bemis; East Fork of Greenbrier, above the mouth of Little River; West Fork of Greenbrier, above the mouth of Mountain Lick Run; North Fork of Deer Creek above Orndorff; North Fork of Anthony's Creek; Cranberry River above the mouth of Barrenshe Run; Williams River above Three Forks of Williams River; Hills Creek; Elk River; Leatherbark Creek; Locust Creek above mill.

**RANDOLPH:** Otter Creek; Gladly Fork above the mouth of Three Springs Run; Shaver's Fork of Cheat River from old dam above Bemis; Laurel Fork from U. S. Route 33 to source; Gandy Creek; Tygart River from where State Route 15 crosses at Valley Head; Elk River from the Webster-Randolph county line; Leatherwood Creek; Bergoo Creek.

**TUCKER:** Blackwater River from mouth of, and including Yellow Creek; Slip Hill Mill Run; Horseshoe Run; Minear Mill Run; Clover Run above mouth of the right fork of Clover Run; Otter Creek; Red Run (Canaan Mountain); Red Creek from Laneville.

**WEBSTER:** Cranberry River above Barrenshe Run; Williams River above Three Forks of Williams River; Laurel Fork of Holly River; Back Fork of Elk River above Laurel Run; Run Falls at Breece; Elk River above Chestnut Bottom Ford; Bergoo Creek; Leatherwood Creek; Gauley River above and including Miller's Mill Run.

There are literally hundreds of smaller trout streams in the state. Many of these are closed for periods of several years to permit replenishing of the supply, while still others are trout streams capable of carrying the species only during certain months. These usually are stocked with legal size fish to be removed during the regular season so that there is no carryover through the critical summer months.



*Photo by Conservation Commission*

**Fishing for Trout at Cheat Falls, in Randolph County**

## HABITAT, BY COUNTIES AND ZONES, OF GAME BIRDS AND ANIMALS IN WEST VIRGINIA

(Compiled from data furnished by Conservation Commission)

The population of wild life is variable not only in relation to the state as a whole, but with respect to the various counties or local communities. In general, however, various game species prefer certain zones, or "belts," where environmental conditions are most favorable for them.

The factors of food and cover are all important in maintenance or increase of a species of animal or bird. They transcend other factors, including presence of predatory species, or overshooting. The problem of overshooting has been largely eliminated in recent years since organization of the Conservation Commission and adoption of scientific surveys and investigations in determining open seasons.

### MAMMALS

In all, 70 species of mammals have been listed as occurring in West Virginia. About half of these are bats, mice, rats, moles, and shrews—none of sporting interest. All are commonly found throughout the state. The general list is further reduced in the mind of the average person who does not differentiate among the three species of skunk, the three species of cottontail rabbits, etc.

The following are the principal zones occupied by the various important representatives of game species and fur bearers:

#### Bear

The black bear, of the Family *Ursidae*, is found largely in the Alleghany mountain counties along the eastern border of the state, being most numerous in Grant, Pendleton, Pocahontas, Preston, Randolph, Tucker, and Webster counties. A few may be found in adjoining counties. The population is rapidly declining.



*Photo by Conservation Commission*

Beaver Dam on Leading Creek, Randolph County

### Beaver

The northern beaver, Family *Castoridae*, has been reintroduced in West Virginia in the last few years after being virtually exterminated by excessive trapping early in the century. Restocking by the Conservation Commission has resulted in increased colonies in Barbour, Fayette, Greenbrier, Monongalia, Nicholas, Pendleton, Pocahontas, Preston, Randolph, Tucker, and Webster counties. Beaver will travel, and occasionally a colony has been reported in other counties.

### Cottontail Rabbit

Family *Leporidae*. This favorite hunting game has staged a remarkable comeback in the last three years, aided in part by heavy restocking and favorable weather conditions. It is found in every county of the state. During the 1939 season, rabbits were reported in large numbers in virtually every locality. The rabbit, however, is a cyclic species having periods of abundance and scarcity.

### Deer

The white-tailed deer, of the Family *Cervidae*, is the largest game animal found in West Virginia in any large numbers. In the case of deer, as in most game species, energetic conservation measures the last few years have been responsible for an increase in population. Deer are found in greatest numbers in the Allegheny range where food conditions, altitudes and shelter are most favorable. However, a rising deer population has been noted especially in the southern counties. Principal deer counties are Grant, Greenbrier, Hampshire, Hardy, Mineral, Monongalia, Morgan, Pendleton, Pocahontas, Preston, Randolph, Tucker, and Webster.

### Raccoon

Of the Family *Procyonidae*, the raccoon is growing in popularity and numbers in West Virginia. The raccoon thrives in agricultural regions as well as wooded sections. Some of the principal counties are Berkeley, Boone, Brooke, Cabell, Fayette, Greenbrier, Kanawha, Lewis, Logan, Mineral, Monroe, Nicholas, Pendleton, Pocahontas, Preston, Randolph, Taylor, Tucker, and Wyoming.

### Squirrel

Several species of squirrels, all of the Family *Sciuridae*, are found in West Virginia. The population in recent years has been spotty, due to destruction of chestnut trees by blight, and removal of oak, beech, and other trees which provide the staples of food for these cheerful rodents. Squirrels are found in every county. It is difficult to determine a zone, or enumerate a list of principal localities, due to their semi-migratory habits in search of food. During 1939, the counties having the largest squirrel population were Barbour, Berkeley, Calhoun, Doddridge, Gilmer, Hardy, Jefferson, Lewis, Marlon, Mercer, Mineral, Pendleton, Ritchie, Upshur, Wirt, and Wyoming. The lineup may be expected to change in 1940.

### Varying Hare

Family *Leporidae*. This is the only true hare found in West Virginia. It is sometimes referred to as the Snowshoe rabbit. The population of the varying hare is quite small, and since it lives only in the higher altitudes, its range is limited. No hunting has been permitted for several years. Most favorable counties for the varying hare are Grant, Pendleton, Pocahontas, Randolph, and Tucker.

## BIRDS

Of the 300 and more species of birds known to occur in West Virginia, three of the native species are on the game list. These are the bobwhite quail, the ruffed grouse, and the wild turkey. A score of migratory bird species—ducks, geese and others—occasionally are found and may be hunted in accordance with

federal regulations. West Virginia, however, is a comparatively "duckless" state, such of the migratory species that stop here being largely stragglers from the regular travel lanes, pausing to rest on their way north or south as the season dictates.

### Bobwhite Quail

Family *Perdixidae*. The bobwhite is one of the favorites of nature and man. His history in West Virginia is full of ups and downs, but since 1937, the curve has been steadily upward. Privations of severe winter weather and predatory influxes have seriously affected the bobwhite, and at times conservation measures of drastic proportions have been necessary to save it. The bobwhite is generally found throughout the state, but its favorite zone is in the agricultural western counties. The bobwhite belt may best be described as a circle of counties along the western and southern borders and the eastern panhandle. These include: Brooke, Cabell, Calhoun, Doddridge, Gilmer, Grant, Greenbrier, Hampshire, Hancock, Hardy, Jackson, Jefferson, Lincoln, Marshall, Mason, Mercer, Monroe, Putnam, Pleasants, Ritchie, Roane, Summers, Taylor, Wayne, Wirt, and Wood.

### Ruffed Grouse

Family *Tetraonidae*. The ruffed grouse, colloquially termed a "pheasant," has been called the king of game birds. In the last two years it has spread into virtually every county, but the natural and most favorable habitat is that double tier of counties on the eastern border of the state. The population of ruffed grouse has been increasing recently, until it is commonly conceded that West Virginia excels in the east in ruffed grouse hunting opportunities. Here again, however, dangers of a periodic cycle reducing the population to a comparative handful remains ever present. Most favorable counties are: Fayette, Grant, Greenbrier, Monroe, Nicholas, Pendleton, Pocahontas, Preston, Raleigh, Randolph, Summers, Tucker, Upshur, Wetzel, and Wyoming.



*Photo by Conservation Commission*

**Wild Turkey in Flight**

### Wild Turkey

Family *Meleagrididae*. The wild turkey is the largest native game bird in West Virginia. Its range in many respects parallels that of the grouse, but it has not spread into adjoining counties or sections to the extent that the grouse has. The principal turkey counties are Clay, Grant, Greenbrier, Hampshire, Hardy, Morgan, Nicholas, Pendleton, Pocahontas, Randolph, and Tucker.

### FUR BEARERS

There is a wide variety of fur bearers in West Virginia. These animals as a rule are found in varying numbers in virtually every county. The skunk usually is much more numerous in the agricultural sections than in the forest sections. The opossum likewise seems more at home in agricultural sections with smaller patches of woods than in the predominantly forest regions. The muskrat and mink inhabit marshy places or streams, and the red fox, grey fox, and weasel are found commonly throughout the state, although the weasel is not as numerous as other species. The bobcat, or bay lynx, is found in the more mountainous counties.

### SPORTSMEN'S ORGANIZATIONS IN WEST VIRGINIA

County	Name of Organization	Address
Barbour	Barbour County Rod and Gun Club	Phillippi
Berkeley	Berkeley County Game Protective Association	Martinsburg
	Izaak Walton League of America	Martinsburg
Boone	Coal River Coon Hunters Association	Madison
	Boone County Rod and Gun Club	Madison
Braxton	Braxton County Farmers' and Sportsmen's Organization	Sutton
Brooke	Brooke County Wildlife League	Wellsburg
Cabell	Sportsmen's League of Southern West Virginia	Huntington
	Huntington Beagle Club	Huntington
	Southern West Virginia Coon Club	Huntington
	Huntington Gun Club	Huntington
	Tri-State Field Trial Association	Huntington
	Mud River Gun Club	Milton
	Future Farmers of America	Milton
Clay	Clay County Rod and Gun Club	Clay
Doddridge	Doddridge County Rod and Gun Club	West Union
	Doddridge County Foxchasers Association	West Union
Fayette	Fayette County Hunting and Fishing Association	Fayetteville
Gilmer	DeKalb Rod and Gun Club	Tanner
	Normantown Rod and Gun Club	Normantown
	Gilmer County Rod and Gun Club	Glenville
Grant	Bayard Rod and Gun Club	Bayard
	Grant County Rod and Gun Club	Petersburg
Greenbrier	Midland Trail Sportsmen's Association	Rainelle
	Pioneer Sportsmen's Association	Rupert
	Seneca Rod and Gun Club	Renick
	Western Greenbrier Rod and Gun Club	Quinwood
	Eastern Greenbrier Rod and Gun Club	Lewisburg
Hampshire	Springfield Rod and Gun Club	Romney
Hancock	Weir-Cove Sportsmen Club	Weirton
	Chester-Newell Sportsmen's Club	Chester
	Weirton Hunting Club	Weirton
	New Cumberland Sportsmen Club	New Cumberland
Hardy	South Branch Valley Game and Fish Association	Moorefield
Harrison	Clarksburg Branch Wildlife League	Clarksburg
	Harrison County Bird Dog Club	Clarksburg
	Red Fox Chasers Association of Harrison County	Clarksburg
	Shinnston Rod and Gun Club	Shinnston
	Harrison County Chapter Wildlife Federation of North America	Clarksburg
	Harrison County Rod and Gun Club	Clarksburg
Jefferson	Izaak Walton League (James Rumsey Chapter)	Shepherdstown
Kanawha	Mountain State Coon Hunters Association, Inc.	Charleston
	Kanawha Game and Fish Association	Charleston
	Clendenin Rod and Gun Club	Clendenin
	West Virginia Amateur Field Trial Association	Charleston
	Rod and Gun Club	Miami
	Conservation Club	Coal Fork
	Charleston Gun Club	Charleston
	Carbide and Carbon Gun Club	South Charleston
	Kanawha Hunt, Inc.	Charleston
	Southern West Virginia Beagle Club, Inc.	Charleston

County	Name of Organization	Address
Lewis	Lewis County Federation of Sportsmen	Weston
Lincoln	Lincoln County Sportsmen's League	Hamlin
Logan	Logan County Sportsmen's Club	Logan
Marion	Mannington District Rod and Gun Club	Mannington
	●nized Rod and Gun Club	Fairmont
	Fairview Gun Club	Fairview
	Sportsmen's Square Circle Club	Monongah
	Catawba Rod and Gun Club	Catawba
	Valley Kennel Club	Fairmont
	Marion County Bird Dog Club	Fairmont
	Marion County Coon Hunters Association	Fairmont
	Mannington Fox Hunters Association	Mannington
	Fairmont Gun Club	Fairmont
	Red Fox Chasers Association	Monongah
Marshall	Fairview Wildlife Club	Wheeling
McDowell	Anawalt Sportsmen's Club	Anawalt
	Crumpler Tri-County Conservation Club	Crumpler
	Sandy River District Conservation Club	Bradshaw
	Elkhorn District Sportsmen's	Elkhorn
	Big Creek Conservation Club	Bartley
	Sand Lick Sportsmen's Club	Elbert
	Coalwood-Caretta Conservation Club	Caretta
	Laurel Creek Hunt and Game Club	Kimball
	C. A. Bailey Wildlife League	Newhall
	McDowell County Sportsmen's League	Welch
Mason	Mason County Rod and Gun Club	Point Pleasant
Mercer	Mercer Angler's Club	Princeton
	Mercer Fox and Game Protective Association	Princeton
Mineral	Mineral County Wildlife Protective Association	Keyser
	Ridgeley Rod and Gun Club	Ridgeley
	Piedmont Game and Fish Conservation Club	Piedmont
Mingo	Mingo Game and Fish Club	Williamson
Monongalia	Northern Beagle Club	Mannington
	Dunkard Valley Rod and Gun Club	Blacksville
	Monongalia County Foxhunters Association	Morgantown
	Cheat View Rod and Gun Club	Morgantown
Monroe	Monroe Rod and Gun Club	Union
Morgan	Morgan County Rod and Gun Club	Berkeley Springs
	Woodmont Rod and Gun Club	Berkeley Springs
Nicholas	Nicholas County Rod and Gun Club	Richwood
Ohio	Ohio County Wildlife League	Wheeling
Pendleton	Pendleton County Rod and Gun Club	Franklin
Pleasants	Pleasants County Game, Fish and Gun Club	St. Marys
Pocahontas	Pocahontas County Rod and Gun Club	Marlinton
Preston	Preston County Sportsmen's Association	Kingwood
	Terra Alta Rod and Gun Club	Terra Alta
	Muddy Creek Recreation Club	Kingwood
Putnam	Putnam County Sportsmen's Association	Winfield
Raleigh	Raleigh County Rod and Gun Club	Beckley
Randolph	Randolph County Rod and Gun Club	Elkins
	The Farmers and Sportsmen's Club of Valley Head	Valley Head
Ritchie	Farmers' and Sportsmen's Protective Association	Pennsboro
Roane	Rod and Gun Club	Spencer
Summers	Summers County Rod and Gun Club	Hinton
Taylor	Taylor County Rod and Gun Club	Grafton
Tucker	The Mountain State Game & Fish Protective Association	Thomas
	Parsons Rod and Gun Club	Parsons
Tyler	Ohio Valley Foxhunters Association	St. Marys
	Farmers' and Sportsmen's Fish and Game Club	Middlebourne
Upshur	Fox Chasers Association	Buckhannon
	Beagle Club	Buckhannon
Wayne	Wayne County Foxhunters Association	Kenova
	Wayne County Fur, Feather and Fin Club	Ceredo
	Wayne County Coon Club	Ceredo
Webster	Webster County Coon Hunters Association	Webster Springs
Wetzel	Wetzel County Rod and Gun Club	Jacksonburg
	Birchfield Branch of the Wetzel County Rod and Gun Club	Coburn
	Smithfield Branch of the Wetzel County Rod and Gun Club	Smithfield
	Pine Grove and Jacksonburg Branch of the Wetzel County Rod and Gun Club	Jacksonburg
Wirt	Wirt County Rod and Gun Club	Elizabeth
Wood	Blennerhassett Coon Hunters Association	Parkersburg
	Blennerhassett Rod and Gun Club	Parkersburg
	Butcher Hill Fox Hunters Club	Parkersburg
Wyoming	Square Circle Wildlife League	Itmann

## TRAINING FOR LEADERSHIP AT JACKSON'S MILL

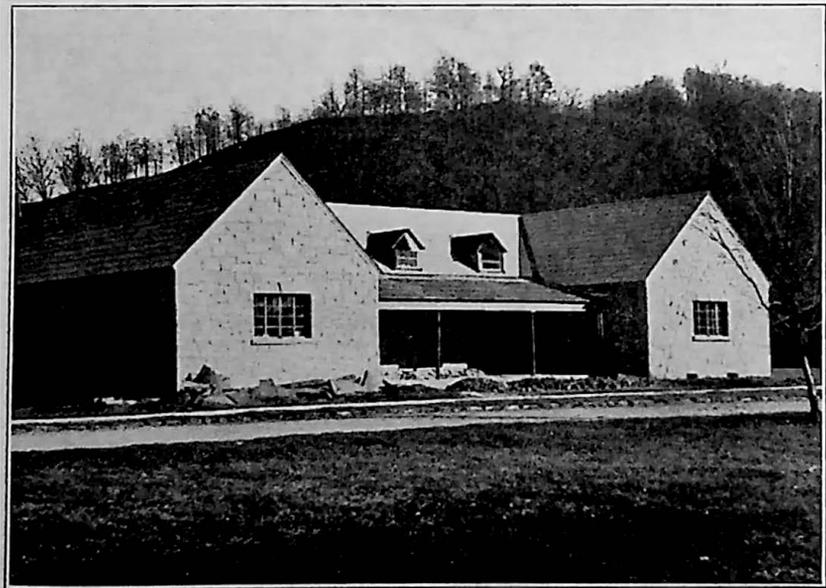
By C. H. HARTLEY  
State 4-H Club Leader

During the 1921 session of the West Virginia Legislature, a bill was passed creating, as a part of the agricultural extension service of the West Virginia University, "a 4-H camp institute and state exhibit of boys and girls club work." The purpose of the camp, as expressed in the act, is "teaching boys and girls the standards of living and to discover and train boys and girls for leadership, and for the purpose of teaching standards in excellence in agriculture and home economics."

Authority to select a location for the camp was delegated to members of the Board of Control and the officials of the University. After considering several proposed sites, they selected the boyhood home of Thomas J. "Stonewall" Jackson, at Jackson's Mill, a short distance north of Weston, in Lewis County. Here West Virginia has developed a 4-H camp which is the pioneer of its kind, not only in the United States, but in the entire world.

From a small beginning of five acres of land donated in 1921 by the Monongahela West Penn Public Service Company, which included the location of the boyhood home of "Stonewall" Jackson, there has been a steady growth in acreage owned by the state. In 1921, Lewis County added 30 acres to the original grant of five acres, and the state purchased an additional 54 acres in 1923. This tract of 89 acres constitutes the main unit of the camp grounds. In 1931 the state purchased an adjoining farm of 434 acres, and today owns a total of 523 acres of land at Jackson's Mill, set apart for use exclusively as a 4-H camp.

The old mill, which was built by Edward Jackson, grandfather of "Stonewall" Jackson, is the only one of the original buildings which remains standing, the home having been destroyed by fire before the camp was established.



*Photo by Elks, Weston*

**Kanawha County Cottage Nearing Completion at Jackson's Mill**

Many Cottages Built

Under the leadership of farm organizations such as the Farm Bureau, Farm Women's Bureau and 4-H Clubs, substantial cottages have already been built by the following counties: Barbour, Braxton, Calhoun, Gilmer, Harrison, Kanawha, Lewis, Marion, Monongalia, Monroe, Randolph, Upshur, and Webster. These cottages are used principally as dormitories. The state has provided an assembly hall, dining room, leaders' cottage, shops, a swimming pool, water system, and a modern sewage disposal system. Individuals and organizations over the state have cooperated in providing the physical facilities at Jackson's Mill, including the livestock barns and sales pavillion, and the West Virginia Building, in which are housed some of the state exhibits displayed in Chicago at the Century of Progress Exposition. The West Virginia Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution is now constructing an outdoor amphitheater. Through the cooperation of the Works Progress Administration, the camp has been provided stone driveways, concrete slab walks, and stone entrances.

While the camp at Jackson's Mill was established primarily as a 4-H camp for the development of rural leadership, it has been made available for use by many other groups. The demand for specific dates, especially during the summer months, is growing heavier year by year, and requests far outnumber available open dates.

The following tables include names of groups, attendance records, and statistical data with reference to 4-H club activities in 1939:

1939 Schedule

<i>Date</i>	<i>Group</i>	<i>*Attendance</i>
Dec. 30-Jan. 1	4-H Club Workers	25
March	6- 8 Farm Bureau Insurance Group	45
	10-12 Class Room Teachers' Association	91
	31- 1 4-H Club Leaders' Conference	73
April	10-12 Rural Electrification Conference	142
	14-16 Student Cabinet Conference	57
	17-18 Epworth League Conference	25
	18-21 West Virginia Federation of Women's Clubs	201
	24-27 West Virginia Livestock Group	112
May	28-30 Home Economic Association	150
	2- 4 Farm Women's Bureau	146
	5- 7 National Guard (officers)	142
	7-10 Farm Security Group	185
	15-19 States Minister's Conference	54
	22-26 Older 4-H Youth Conference	22
	25-26 District Postmasters League	22
	29- 3 Volunteer 4-H Club Leaders Conference	406
June	4-11 Boys' State	468
	11-14 Vocational Agriculture Teachers Conference	115
	12-17 Episcopal Church Camp	328
	14-24 4-H Music Camp	93
	18-23 Methodist Protestant Church Camp	186
	23-29 Younger 4-H Girls Camp	362
	29- 7 Older 4-H Girls Camp	312
July	8- 9 All Star Conference	85
	10-14 Harrison County 4-H Camp	253
	14-16 Harrison County Youth Retreat	83
	16-19 County Superintendents of Schools	125
	17-21 Lewis County 4-H Camp	215
	24-29 Farm Women's Camp (first section)	162
	31- 5 Farm Women's Camp (second section)	288

\*Includes only those registered for overnight attendance.

<i>Date</i>	<i>Group</i>	<i>*Attendance</i>
August	7- 9 Farm Bureau Group.....	195
	9-17 Boy's 4-H Camp.....	308
	17-20 Future Farmers of America.....	322
	21-24 West Virginia Dairymen.....	211
	27-31 Lutheran Church Camp.....	189
September	31- 3 Youth Temperance Group.....	71
	1- 4 Y. M. C. A. Secretaries.....	34
October	5- 7 Soil Conservation Conference.....	75
	19-21 Country Life Jubilee.....	257
	22-24 Otterhein Guild (church group).....	34
	23-24 Business and Professional Women's Conference.....	67
	25-27 West Virginia Poultry Convention.....	52
November	6- 8 Girl Reserves.....	99
	11-13 Feeder Calf Sale.....	49
December	12-18 National Guard.....	478
	19-25 National Guard.....	350
	26- 2 National Guard.....	395
December	4-10 National Guard.....	†415
	11-18 National Guard.....	†400

\*Includes only those registered for overnight attendance.

†Estimated.

In addition to the regularly scheduled camps, large one-day group meetings were held as follows:

<i>Group</i>	<i>*Attendance</i>
Mine Safety Meet.....	8,000
Monongahela West Penn employees picnic.....	500
Knights of Columbus.....	300
Pittsburgh and West Virginia Gas Company.....	3,000

\*Estimated.

#### Attendance Record, 1939

<i>Group</i>	<i>Attendance</i>
4-H Club Members.....	1,640
4-H Club Leaders.....	589
Other youths (F. F. A., Boys State, church groups, etc.).....	1,473
Adults.....	5,272
*Attendance at one-day events (picnics, reunions, Jubilee, etc.).....	36,000
*Visitors and tourists.....	4,000

\*Estimated.

#### West Virginia 4-H Clubs, 1938-39

Members enrolled (1938).....	19,638
Local organizations (1938).....	1,225
Counties represented (1938).....	53
Homes reached (1938).....	18,000
County 4-H Camps held (1939).....	49
4-H Club members attending county camps (1939).....	6,551
Local volunteer adult leaders attending county camps (1939).....	735

Most of the regularly scheduled groups spend a week at Jackson's Mill under the guidance and leadership supplied by their organizations, supplemented by such aid as the camp staff may be able to offer.

The success of the work at Jackson's Mill has been accomplished largely on account of the emphasis placed on the training for leadership, particularly those who live in the rural sections of the state. Most satisfactory results have been

obtained in meetings of groups with an attendance of about three hundred, or less. Those most familiar with the growth, development, and work of the State 4-H Camp believe that this emphasis of leadership training for moderate sized groups should be continued.

### Country Life Jubilee and 4-H Fair

Another pioneer development at Jackson's Mill is the Country Life Jubilee and Regional 4-H Fair. Here are displayed the results of the work of the 4-H boys and girls of West Virginia in the art of canning, baking, gardening, sewing, and weaving. Here, also, may be seen prize-winning poultry, sheep, and calves raised by these young people.

In connection with the Jubilee, the State Department of Agriculture, the West Virginia Livestock Association, and the agricultural extension service of West Virginia University cooperate with several county organizations to bring together some two hundred of the best feeder calves produced in the nearby territory. These are judged and sold at auction at the Jubilee.

Various tournaments, such as soft ball and horse shoe pitching, are conducted at the Jubilee by the West Virginia Recreation and Art League. Pageants and 4-H revues are staged each evening for the entertainment of the thousands of people who attend the Jubilee. From eight to ten thousand persons are present each of the three days. Everything is free and no concessions are permitted on the grounds other than those which provide necessary refreshments.

Under the direction of the agricultural extension service of the University, West Virginia has developed an activity at Jackson's Mill which, built around 4-H club work, is most unique, and through which thousands of our young people are receiving an experience and training which should reflect itself in a better citizenship throughout the state.

## OGLEBAY PARK RECREATIONAL AND EDUCATIONAL CENTER FOR WHEELING METROPOLITAN DISTRICT

By JOE HOFFMAN  
Director of Publicity

The estate which is now known as Oglebay Park was purchased in 1901 by Earl Williams Oglebay, of Wheeling and Cleveland, Ohio, who died in 1926. The history of the farm may be traced clearly in the records of Virginia and West Virginia.

Zachariah Sprigg, pioneer in the upper Ohio Valley in frontier days, is the first recorded owner of the "tomahawk claim" which eventually became Oglebay Park. His claim was entered in 1801. A succession of owners and accessions and shrinkages in the property ensued through the next century. One of these proprietors, George W. Smith, an Englishman, owned the property early in the nineteenth century, and, in nostalgic tribute to his native "Waddington Heath," named it "Waddington Farm."

Earl Oglebay made Waddington Farm known wherever scientific agriculture was known and wherever fine Guernsey cattle and Hackney horses were bred. He beautified the property by extensive plantings and built approximately five miles of service roads through the grounds. Under the provisions of his will, the farm became the property of the "people of Wheeling" for so long as "it shall be used for purposes of public education and recreation."

### Areas Designated by Commission

This 754-acre park has now been city property for twelve years. During this time a remarkable change has transformed the model Waddington Farm into a modern recreational and educational center.

The Wheeling Park Commission, a non-salaried and non-political organization, is responsible for the maintenance and physical development of the park, and a municipal tax for park purposes is levied annually. In developing the park,

physical, camping, picnicking, cultural and organized camping areas have been established, and an effort is being made to locate all new facilities within the proper areas.

### Physical Area

The physical area is centered about the large stone building which houses shower and locker rooms and the golf professional's shop. The "Pineroom," where public dancing is provided, is located on the second floor, together with a club room, refreshment stand and promenade overlooking the pool. An eighteen-hole golf course, eleven miles of woodland bridle paths, and a running track all emanate from the physical center. Surrounding it are the riding academy, five tennis courts, and a three and a half acre athletic field. Hills of the golf course are used for tobogganing and skiing during the winter. Several of the slopes have been banked especially for tobogganing, with outlets on the level athletic field.

### Development of Picnic and Camp Areas

The picnic area embraces over 100 picnic sites, a large picnic shelter accommodating 400 persons, and a small shelter for groups of about twenty persons. Firewood is provided for a nominal fee.

Twelve log cabins, complete with showers, running water, open fireplaces, and gas and electricity, have been built in the camp area. These cabins may be rented by the week. Rooms in the old farm cottages, which have been converted into sleeping quarters, may be rented by the day by camp groups, conventions, and family reunions. A rustic barn is used for square-dances, theatricals, private dances and meetings. The barn also houses a restaurant, private dining rooms, and a small trail-side nature museum, where living specimens of native animals and plants found in the park are exhibited.

The organized camp area is located in an isolated section of the park. Construction work which was started in April, 1939, includes a large assembly and dining room, which accommodates 300 persons; twenty-five cabins; and a level playground. Completely equipped, the camp has been built for the use of Four-H campers and other organized groups of persons who wish to camp for weekly periods and conduct their own programs.



**Main Assembly Building and Dining Room at Oglebay Park**

**Cultural Area**

The cultural area surrounds the mansion-museum. At one time the residence of the Oglebay family, the mansion is now used for exhibits of arts, crafts, and historic relics. The Wheeling Garden Center, outdoor stage and amphitheatre, guest house, conservation museum, where the annual Arts-Crafts Fair is held, and where models of strip cropping, soil conservation, and similar displays are exhibited, the executive offices and the greenhouses are all located in this area.

**Activities Directed by Oglebay Institute**

Activities at Oglebay Park are directed and financed by an incorporated group known as Oglebay Institute. The Institute derives its funds not only from private memberships, with members paying annual dues, but also from an endowment and special private gifts, and from state and federal appropriations made available through the Agricultural Extension Division of West Virginia University.

The Institute maintains exhibits and displays in the mansion-museum, the conservation museum, and the nature museum, and operates a program devoted to such activities as organized camping, nature study, music, rural recreation and forestry, and arts and crafts projects. For the late spring, summer and early fall months the program is conducted from Oglebay Park. During the remaining six months of late fall, winter and early spring the program is carried through a downtown center to local communities in the tri-state area, of which Wheeling is the geographical, business and cultural center.

During the summer, musical programs are presented twice each week, and nature field trips, telescope nights, and public campfire programs are held weekly. A daily Farm and Home Hour originates in the tower studio at the Park.

During the winter, craft classes, semi-monthly exhibits, art classes, and nature study classes are conducted in the Oglebay Downtown Center. Here, too, affiliated groups, including the Ohio Valley Camera Club and the Art Club of Wheeling, hold their meetings. Choral groups, church music clinics, high school music clinics, and choral festivals are organized and directed from the center. Affiliated with Oglebay Institute in the high school musical field is the Ohio Valley Music Educators Association. The rural Farm and Home Hour broadcasts are continued throughout the winter from the downtown radio studios. The Institute program of reforestation involves 4-H work in forest planting projects, demonstrations along roadsides, reforestation *per se*, and other activities which have resulted in the planting of two and a half million shrubs, vines and trees in the five northern counties of West Virginia during the past nine years.

Institute specialists in nature study, music, arts and crafts, forestry, rural recreation, and public relations are available, without fee, for lectures before organizations in Wheeling and vicinity.

**Attendance Records, 1939**

Mansion-museum and other exhibits _____	51,218
Camping, total, all types _____	4,453
Music programs _____	33,076
Nature field trips (summer only) _____	3,798
Hobby Clubs (summer only) _____	1,024
Craft classes (summer only) _____	204
Garden Center _____	10,835
Picnicking _____	65,640
Golf _____	30,419
Riding _____	2,073
Swimming _____	57,420
Dancing _____	20,871
Tennis _____	3,812

Total (including all other park and institute activities) \_\_\_\_\_ 371,683

## SUMMER CAMPS IN WEST VIRGINIA

### Girls' Camps

<i>Camp</i>	<i>Location</i>	<i>Director</i>	<i>Address</i>
Alleghany.....	On Greenbrier River, near Lewisburg, Greenbrier County.	Col. Hugh S. Worthington...	Sweet Briar College, Sweet Briar, Virginia
Dekanawida.....	On Guyan River, near Salt Rock, Cabell County.....	Mrs. Helen K. Ferguson....	Huntington
Y. W. C. A.....	Albright, Preston County.....	Meta L. Dowling.....	Fairmont

### Boys' Camps

Greenbrier.....	On Greenbrier River at Alderson, Greenbrier County.	Frank E. Carter.....	Episcopal High School, Alexandria, Va.
Shaw-Mi-Del-Eca.....	On Greenbrier River, near Lewisburg, Greenbrier County.	Col. H. B. Moore.....	Greenbrier Military School, Lewisburg

### Boys' and Girls' Camp

Gauley.....	On Gauley River, at Bolair, Webster County.....	Kent Kessler (boys) Thelma King (girls).....	Weston
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### Y. M. C. A.

Elkins Y. Camp.....	On Tygart River, near Elkins, (Elkins) Randolph County.....	J. O. Hunnicutt.....	Elkins
John Laing.....	On Coal River, at Comfort, (Charleston) Boone County.....	Herbert C. Johnson.....	Charleston
Otyokwa.....	Near Avella, Pennsylvania, (Wheeling)	H. K. Hendershott.....	Wheeling

### Boy Scouts

Agamiog.....	Near Elm Grove.....	C. L. Stuckman.....	Wheeling
(Wheeling Council)			
Beckwith.....	Near Fayetteville.....	R. A. Hopkins.....	Fayetteville
(Charleston Council)			
Blue Jay.....	Near Beckley.....	V. O. Raines.....	Beckley
(Charleston Council)			
Brave.....	Near Cumberland, Maryland.....	Max Hemeyer.....	Clarksburg
(Clarksburg Council)			
Kootaga.....	On Hughes River, Wirt County (Parkersburg Council) (State Route 47).....	R. D. Dalrymple.....	Parkesburg
Chief Logan.....	Sharples.....	L. H. Hutchison.....	Logan
(Logan-Boone-Mingo Council)			
Mingo State Forest.....	Near Huntington.....	G. F. Walker.....	Huntington
Pokhawe.....	Near Albright, Preston County.....	H. E. Katschke.....	Fairmont
(Fairmont Council)			
Roland.....	Wise County, Virginia.....	C. H. Atkinson.....	Bluefield
(Bluefield Council)			
Walhonde.....	On Coal River, near Alum Creek, (Charleston Council) Kanawha County.....	John Hartwell.....	Charleston

# EDUCATIONAL

## WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY

### Morgantown

Enrollment 3,240. Originally chartered February 7, 1867, as The Agricultural College of West Virginia, succeeding Monongalia Academy (Incorporated November 29, 1814), and Woodburn Female Seminary (Incorporated January 4, 1858); name changed December 4, 1868, to West Virginia University.

A standard state university maintaining the following schools and colleges: A graduate school; college of arts and sciences; college of education; college of law; college of engineering, offering courses leading to degrees in civil, electrical, mechanical, mining, and chemical engineering, and in industrial education; college of agriculture, including a division of home economics and a division of forestry; school of medicine (two years); school of music; division of physical education; college of pharmacy; school of journalism; experiment stations; and, extension departments. Member of the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools, and the Association of American Universities.

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*Assistant to the President* ..... Richard Aspinall  
*Secretary of the Board of Governors* ..... C. T. Neff, Jr.  
*Dean of Women* ..... Edna Arnold

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**Department of Inter-Collegiate  
Athletics**

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*Head Football Coach and Instructor  
of Physical Education:* Marshall  
Glenn.

**School of Music**

*Director:* Frank Cuthbert.

**School of Journalism**

*Director:* P. I. Reed.

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*Principal:* G. H. Colebank.

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**BLUEFIELD STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE**

**Bluefield**

Enrollment 731. Chartered in 1895 as Bluefield Colored Institute; name changed to Bluefield State Teachers College in 1931.

An approved standard state teachers college offering degree courses for teachers in elementary, junior and senior high schools. Also offers a two-year standard normal training course for elementary teachers.

**Administration**

*President:* H. L. Dickason

*Dean:* G. W. Whiting

*Registrar:* E. W. Browne

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**CONCORD STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE**

**Athens**

Enrollment 750. Chartered February 8, 1872, as Concord State Normal School; name changed to Concord State Teachers College in 1931.

An approved standard state teachers college offering degree courses, and regular college work preparatory for engineering, law, and medicine. It also offers a two-year standard normal course, and is a member of the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools, and is accredited by the American Association of Teachers Colleges.

**Administration**

*President:* J. F. Marsh.

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**FAIRMONT STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE**

**Fairmont**

Enrollment 786. Chartered in 1867 as Fairmont State Normal School; name changed to Fairmont State Teachers College in 1931.

An approved standard state teachers college offering degree courses for teachers. It also offers a two-year standard normal course, and is accredited by the American Association of Teachers Colleges.

**Administration***President:* Joseph Rosier.*Dean of Instruction:* Oliver Shurtleff.*Dean of Men:* J. W. Pence.*Registrar:* Ethel Ice.*Dean of Women:* M. Dorcas Prichard.**GLENVILLE STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE****Glenville**

Enrollment 425. Chartered February 19, 1872, as Glenville State Normal School; name changed to Glenville State Teachers College May 1, 1930.

An approved standard state teachers college offering degree courses for teachers. Also, it offers a two-year standard normal course. Accredited by The American Association of Teachers Colleges and approved by the West Virginia Committee of North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools.

**Administration***President:* E. G. Rohrbough.*Head, Department of Education:**Dean:* H. Laban White.

John C. Shreve.

*Registrar:* Carey Woofter.*Financial Secretary:* Lloyd Jones.**MARSHALL COLLEGE****Huntington**

Enrollment 1700. Established as Marshall Academy in 1837; name changed to Marshall College in 1858. Established as a state institution in 1867 by act of the legislature.

An approved standard state collegiate institution with four-year courses in a college of arts and sciences, and in a teachers college. It is fully accredited by the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools, the American Association of Teachers Colleges, and is also a member of the Association of American Liberal Arts Colleges.

**Administration***President:* James E. Allen, Sr.*Dean of Women:* Lee Fairchild  
Bacon.*Dean (Acting):* E. V. Bowers, College  
of Arts and Sciences.*Dean of Men:* K. K. Loemker.*Dean:* Otis G. Wilson, Teachers Col-  
lege.*Registrar:* W. N. Beetham.*Coach:* Cam Henderson.*Secretary (Acting):* Althea Peoples.*Athletic Business Manager:* Kerr  
Whitfield.*Financial Secretary:* Ora Staats.*Superintendent:* J. L. Mullen.**NEW RIVER STATE COLLEGE****Montgomery**

Enrollment 524. Chartered February 16, 1895, as The Southern Preparatory Branch of West Virginia University; name changed to West Virginia Trade School in 1917, to New River State School in 1921, and to New River State College in 1931.

An approved standard state senior college, authorized to offer four years of collegiate work and to confer the A. B. and B. S. degrees. It offers, also, the first two years work of the regular engineering courses as outlined by the

state university. Two-year courses, based on high school graduation and leading to proficiency certificates, are offered in secretarial science, accounting, and general office work, electricity, metal working, mining, chemical industries and printing. Opportunity courses are offered for interested and capable students of less than college grade. The curriculum includes teachers' courses in industrial arts, commerce, and library work.

#### Administration

*President:* Edward S. Maclin.  
*Dean:* D. B. Kraybill.  
*Dean of Women:* Hazel Hale.

*Registrar:* F. J. Pyle.  
*Financial Secretary:* Clyde H. Throckmorton.

### POTOMAC STATE SCHOOL OF WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY

#### Keyser

Enrollment 308. Chartered February 15, 1901, as The Keyser Preparatory Branch of West Virginia University; name changed to Potomac State School in 1921, and to Potomac State School of West Virginia University in 1925.

An approved standard state junior college authorized to offer two years of collegiate work. The following courses are offered: Arts and Sciences, Pre-Law, Pre-Medical, Pre-Education, Commerce and Business Administration, Home Economics, Engineering, Music, Agriculture. Member of the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools.

#### Administration

*President:* E. E. Church.  
*Dean:* Kirkland S. McKee.

*Secretary:* Ethel M. McGuire.  
*Registrar:* W. D. Anthony.

### SHEPHERD STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE

#### Shepherdstown

Enrollment 310. Originally incorporated January 12, 1872, as Shepherd College; chartered February 27, 1872, as Shepherd State Normal School and Teachers College; name changed in 1931 to Shepherd State Teachers College.

An approved standard State teachers college offering degree courses for teachers. It also offers the two-year standard normal course for elementary teachers. Shepherd State Teachers' College is accredited by the American Association of Teachers Colleges and the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools.

#### Administration

*President:* W. H. S. White.  
*Dean:* A. D. Kenamond.

*Financial Secretary:* Etta O. Williams.  
*Professor of Education:* I. O. Ash.

### WEST LIBERTY STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE

#### West Liberty

Full-time resident enrollment 310. Wheeling Center enrollment 239. Founded in 1838 as West Liberty Academy. Purchased by the state in 1870 and name changed to West Liberty State Normal School. Name changed to West Liberty State Teachers College in 1931.

West Liberty educates teachers for both elementary and secondary schools, granting the degree of bachelor of arts. West Liberty also has been authorized

to confer the bachelor of science degree in nursing and in oral hygiene. The College offers two-year courses in oral hygiene, secretarial work, and pre-professional curricula. Fully accredited by the American Association of Teachers Colleges.

#### Administration

*President:* Paul N. Elbin.  
*Dean:* Carl F. Bonar.  
*Registrar:* F. M. Tuttle.

*Financial Secretary:* C. A. Lowe.  
*Dean of Women:* Mrs. George Rogers.

## WEST VIRGINIA STATE COLLEGE

### Institute

Enrollment 857. Chartered in 1891 as West Virginia Colored Institute; name changed to West Virginia Collegiate Institute in 1915, and to West Virginia State College in 1929.

An approved standard state land-grant college belonging to North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools and the American Association of Colleges. It offers standard four-year curricula in arts, sciences, agriculture education, business administration, home economics, mechanic arts and music. West Virginia State College offers degree courses for elementary and high school teachers.

#### Administration

*President:* John W. Davis.  
*Dean:* Harrison H. Ferrell.  
*Director of Education:* H. W. Greene.

*Registrar:* H. G. Eberhardt.  
*Business Manager:* Charles R. Rutherford.

## WEST VIRGINIA SCHOOLS FOR THE DEAF AND BLIND

### Romney

Enrollment: Deaf, 285; blind, 121; Total, 406. Chartered March 3, 1870, as West Virginia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb and Blind; name changed to West Virginia Schools for Deaf and Blind in 1887.

A standard state institution offering elementary, secondary, and vocational training in separate schools for the deaf and blind.

#### Administration

*Superintendent:* A. E. Krause.  
*Principal, School for the Deaf:* Stanley Roth.

*Financial Secretary:* E. F. Staub.  
*Principal, School for the Blind:* R. M. Golladay.

## WEST VIRGINIA SCHOOLS FOR THE COLORED DEAF AND BLIND

### Institute

Enrollment 59. Chartered in 1925.

A standard state institution offering elementary, secondary and vocational training in separate schools for the deaf and blind Negro youth.

#### Administration

*Superintendent:* Edward A. Boling.

*Secretary:* Lucinda Y. Sanders.

## DENOMINATIONAL AND PRIVATE SCHOOLS

### ALDERSON-BROADDUS COLLEGE (Baptist)

#### Philippi

Enrollment 175. Chartered in 1932, being a consolidation of Broaddus College, of Philippi, and Alderson Junior College and Academy, of Alderson. Broaddus College was established at Winchester, Virginia, in 1871, and was moved to Clarksburg in 1876, and to Philippi in 1909. Alderson Junior College and Academy was established at Alderson in 1901.

A degree-granting institution. College credits accepted for teachers' state certificates when they meet the requirements and standards of the State Board of Education.

#### Administration

*President:* John W. Elliott.

*Dean of College:* J. A. Wooffter.

*Dean of Men:* Keith D. Crane.

*Dean of Women:* Elizabeth Vickland.

*Business Manager and Treasurer:*

Ralph W. Moore.

*Registrar:* Margaret E. Taylor.

### BECKLEY COLLEGE

#### Beckley

Enrollment 592. Chartered August 30, 1933.

A member of the Association of American Junior Colleges and approved by the State Board of Education as a junior college. Content courses listed in Bulletin No. 7, 1934, accepted toward partial fulfillment of certification requirements.

#### Administration

*President:* J. Lewis Bumgardner.

*Dean:* Dr. G. E. Hartman.

*Dean of Women:* Mrs. David Bollan.

*Business Manager:* D. K. Shroyer.

*Registrar:* Elizabeth O'Dell.

*Secretary:* Norma Phillips.

*Librarian:* Joseph Gallaher.

### BETHANY COLLEGE (Disciples of Christ)

#### Bethany

Enrollment 401. Chartered by Virginia Assembly in March, 1840.

A degree-granting institution. Member of the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools, and on the approved list of the Association of American Universities and The American Association of University Women.

#### Administration

*President:* W. H. Cramblet.

*Provost:* W. K. Woolery.

*Dean of Faculty:* B. R. Welmer.

*Dean of Personnel:* F. H. Kirkpatrick.

*Academic Adviser for Women:* Florence M. Hoagland.

*Recorder:* Frances Quinlin.

### DAVIS AND ELKINS COLLEGE (Presbyterian)

#### Elkins

Enrollment 334. Founded August 12, 1904.

A degree-granting institution. College credits accepted for teachers' state certificates when they meet the requirements and standards of the State Board of Education.

**Administration**

*President:* Charles E. Albert.  
*Registrar:* Virgie Harris.

*Business Manager and Assistant Treasurer:* Harry E. Whetsell.

**DE SALES HEIGHTS VISITATION ACADEMY (Catholic)****Parkersburg**

Enrollment 100. Chartered as Parkersburg Female Academy in 1864. The school is now known as De Sales Heights Visitation Academy, although the corporate name, Parkersburg Female Academy, is used for business purposes.

An accredited boarding and day school for girls. Academic and elementary departments. College preparatory and commercial courses. Special courses, music, art, and dramatics.

**Administration**

*Directress:* Sister Maria Consolata.

**GREENBRIER COLLEGE****Lewisburg**

Enrollment 146. Chartered by the Virginia Assembly in 1812 as Lewisburg Academy; name changed to Lewisburg Female Institute in 1874, and to Lewisburg Seminary in 1892. In 1923 the name was changed to Greenbrier College for Women, and in 1929 to Greenbrier College. Non-denominational.

A junior college for women. Fine arts department.

**Administration**

*President:* French W. Thompson. *Registrar:* Mary E. Frisbie.  
*Dean of Women:* Marion C. Currie.

**GREENBRIER MILITARY SCHOOL****Lewisburg**

Enrollment 303. Founded in 1808 or 1809 as Lewisburg Academy, and chartered in 1812 by act of the Virginia Assembly. By 1890, the school had become known as the Greenbrier Military Academy. The name was changed to Lee Military Academy in 1896, and to Greenbrier Presbyterial School in 1902. Now known as Greenbrier Military School.

An approved preparatory school, offering four college preparatory courses and a commercial course, as well as post-graduate work for advanced standing in college. R. O. T. C. West Virginia's only essentially military school. Rated as honor school by United States Government. Member of North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools and the Association of Military Schools and Colleges.

**Administration**

*Superintendent:* Col. J. M. Moore *Secretary:* Lt. Col. D. T. Moore

**LINSLY MILITARY INSTITUTE****Wheeling**

Enrollment limited to 160 boys. Incorporated as Wheeling Lancastrian Academy by Virginia Assembly in November, 1814. A military day school. Grades 5 to 12 inclusive. College preparatory, technical and general courses.

**Administration**

*President:* Guy E. Holden.

*Principal:* Basil G. Lockhart.

**LINSLY INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY****Wheeling****College of Engineering**

Enrollment 60. Founded in 1925 as a part of Linsly Military Institute.

An institution authorized to grant a B. S. degree in Chemical, Structural and Electrical Engineering, 150 semester hours being required for degree.

**Administration***President:* Guy E. Holden.*Dean:* Lloyd C. Bagby.**LOGAN COLLEGE****Logan**

Enrollment 126. Established September 6, 1938, as a junior college and a college of commerce.

**Administration***President:* John E. Dean.*Bursar:* P. E. Maloney.*Dean:* Clyde R. Montgomery.*Registrar:* Helen G. Bell.**MASON COLLEGE OF MUSIC AND FINE ARTS****Charleston**

Enrollment 350. Founded in 1906. Preparatory and College.

A degree-granting institution. Certificates and diplomas also granted in fine and applied arts.

**Administration***President and Director:* Dr. W. S. Mason.*Secretary - Treasurer:* Mathilda R. Mason.*Educational Director:* Glenna B. Fortney.*Registrar:* Lucy S. Baker.**MORRIS HARVEY COLLEGE (Methodist)****Charleston**

Enrollment 1,150. Established in 1888 at Barboursville as Barboursville Seminary; name changed to Morris Harvey College in 1901. The college was moved to Charleston in 1935. Consolidated with Kanawha College in 1939.

A degree-granting institution. College credits accepted for teachers' state certificates when they meet the requirements and standards of the State Board of Education.

**Administration***President:* Leonard Riggleman.*Registrar:* Olive Riggleman.*Dean:* P. E. Roller.*Secretary:* Mary F. Stout.*Dean of Men:* Marshall Buckalew.*Bursar:* Maxie M. Radford.*Dean of Women:* Emily Olmstead.**MOUNT DE CHANTAL ACADEMY (Catholic)****Wheeling**

Enrollment 80. Established in 1848 as Mount De Chantal School; chartered as Wheeling Female Academy in 1853. The school is now known as Mount de Chantal Academy, although the corporate name, Wheeling Female Academy, is used for business purposes.

An accredited boarding and day school for girls. College preparatory, academic and elementary departments. Music, art, dramatic art and commercial courses.

**Administration***Directress:* Sister Mary Aquin.

**SALEM COLLEGE (Seventh Day Baptist)****Salem**

Enrollment 303. Chartered November 20, 1888, as Salem Academy; name changed to Salem College in 1890.

A degree-granting institution. College credits accepted for teachers' state certificates when they meet requirements and standards of the State Board of Education.

**Administration**

*President:* Dr. S. O. Bond.

*Treasurer:* Henry L. Ash.

*Dean:* Harley D. Bond.

*Registrar:* Elsie B. Bond.

*Dean of Women:* Cleo M. Gray.

*Secretary:* Sylvia K. Davis.

**STORER COLLEGE****Harpers Ferry**

Enrollment 140. Established October 2, 1867, and chartered March 3, 1868.

An approved junior college and senior college, having also secondary school department.

**Administration**

*President:* Henry T. McDonald.

*Registrar:* Mrs. Pansy W. Cook.

*Dean of Women:* Mrs. Elizabeth M.

*Secretary:* Arthur F. Gardner.

McDonald.

**WEST VIRGINIA WESLEYAN COLLEGE (Methodist Episcopal)****Buckhannon**

Enrollment 712. Established in 1890 as West Virginia Conference Seminary; name changed in 1904 to West Virginia Wesleyan College.

A degree-granting institution. College credits accepted for teachers' state certificates when they meet requirements and standards of the State Board of Education.

**Administration**

*President:* Roy McCuskey.

*Treasurer:* A. L. Aylesworth.

*Vice President:* Wallace B. Fleming.

*Dean of Women:* Mrs. C. Edmund

*Dean:* O. D. Lambert.

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**BUSINESS COLLEGES IN WEST VIRGINIA****Bluefield**

Bluefield Business College.

West Virginia Business College at Bluefield.

**Charleston**

Capital City Commercial College.

Charleston School of Commerce.

**Clarksburg**

West Virginia Business College.

**Fairmont**

West Virginia Business College.

**Huntington**

Booth Business College.

Huntington School of Business.

West Virginia Business College.

Wiseman Business School.

**Morgantown**

Morgantown Business College.

**Parkersburg**

Mountain State College.

**Wheeling**

The Elliott School of Business.

## ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ENROLLMENT AND AVERAGE DAILY ATTENDANCE FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR 1938-1939

(Data Compiled by Department of Education)

COUNTY	Total Net Enrollment	AVERAGE DAILY ATTENDANCE				
		WHITE		NEGRO		Total
		Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	
Barbour.....	3,621	1,663	1,454	107	106	3,330
Berkeley.....	4,407	2,009	1,887	100	89	4,065
Boone.....	5,535	2,647	2,467	85	50	6,258
Braxton.....	4,766	2,137	2,030	19	19	4,205
Brooke.....	3,621	1,684	1,459	76	81	3,300
Cabell.....	12,601	5,413	5,001	258	263	10,936
Calhoun.....	2,663	1,142	1,106	.....	.....	2,248
Clay.....	3,084	1,452	1,382	25	24	2,883
Doddridge.....	2,164	956	959	.....	.....	1,915
Fayette.....	15,504	6,332	5,952	1,182	1,167	14,633
Gilmer.....	2,200	1,049	963	.....	.....	2,012
Grant.....	1,640	697	704	24	28	1,453
Greenbrier.....	6,995	3,043	2,888	192	185	6,328
Hampshire.....	2,388	1,061	1,002	10	31	2,104
Hancock.....	3,823	1,809	1,647	87	80	3,623
Hardy.....	2,118	885	824	27	39	1,776
Harrison.....	11,620	5,698	5,281	112	116	11,207
Jackson.....	3,062	1,386	1,332	.....	.....	2,718
Jefferson.....	2,676	965	918	226	216	2,325
Kanawha.....	28,750	12,726	11,970	880	835	26,411
Lewis.....	3,050	1,449	1,362	10	11	2,832
Lincoln.....	4,593	2,222	2,066	.....	.....	4,288
Logan.....	12,250	5,307	4,751	614	646	11,318
Marion.....	10,730	4,541	4,603	398	394	9,636
Marshall.....	6,356	2,663	2,477	15	23	5,178
Mason.....	4,177	1,947	1,818	18	13	3,796
Mercer.....	11,557	4,871	4,526	632	612	10,441
Mineral.....	2,860	1,365	1,158	66	53	2,642
Mingo.....	8,697	3,994	3,553	324	327	8,198
Monongalia.....	7,791	3,409	3,174	141	135	6,859
Monroe.....	2,457	1,076	1,020	62	43	2,201
Morgan.....	1,644	748	655	33	22	1,461
McDowell.....	17,062	6,152	5,630	1,736	1,821	15,339
Nicholas.....	4,804	2,076	2,065	4	4	4,149
Ohio.....	7,847	3,586	3,453	168	152	7,349
Pendleton.....	2,477	1,131	1,022	26	9	2,188
Pleasants.....	1,127	481	530	.....	.....	1,011
Pocahontas.....	2,939	1,358	1,207	53	54	2,732
Preston.....	6,411	2,691	2,389	9	6	4,995
Putnam.....	3,624	1,742	1,639	14	10	3,405
Raleigh.....	16,887	6,797	6,330	1,281	1,146	15,554
Randolph.....	6,293	2,424	2,307	37	34	4,802
Ritchie.....	2,633	1,279	1,134	.....	.....	2,413
Roane.....	3,988	1,892	1,641	.....	.....	3,533
Summers.....	3,902	1,629	1,498	101	97	3,325
Taylor.....	3,287	1,475	1,453	36	31	2,995
Tucker.....	2,433	1,138	1,080	4	6	2,228
Tyler.....	2,250	1,067	997	.....	.....	2,004
Upshur.....	3,444	1,670	1,494	14	14	3,192
Wayne.....	7,381	3,389	3,136	9	13	6,547
Webster.....	3,847	1,790	1,668	.....	.....	3,458
Wetzel.....	3,993	1,915	1,717	.....	.....	3,632
Wirt.....	1,269	623	538	5	6	1,172
Wood.....	7,996	3,750	3,379	44	40	7,213
Wyoming.....	6,092	2,720	2,476	224	217	5,636
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>318,286</b>	<b>141,041</b>	<b>131,134</b>	<b>9,378</b>	<b>9,157</b>	<b>290,710</b>

**JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL ENROLLMENT AND AVERAGE DAILY ATTENDANCE FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR 1938-1939**

(Data Compiled by Department of Education)

COUNTY	Total Net Enrollment	AVERAGE DAILY ATTENDANCE				Total
		WHITE		NEGRO		
		Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	
Barbour.....						
Berkeley.....	67	24	38			62
Boone.....	250	98	103	5	12	218
Braxton.....						
Brooke.....	427	198	207			405
Cabell.....	5,027	2,055	2,037	126	125	4,343
Calhoun.....						
Clay.....						
Doddridge.....						
Fayette.....	398	140	170	13	32	355
Gilmer.....						
Grant.....						
Greenbrier.....	223	97	101			198
Hampshire.....						
Hancock.....						
Hardy.....						
Harrison.....	1,547	719	780			1,499
Jackson.....						
Jefferson.....						
Kanawha.....	6,152	2,526	2,476	242	276	5,520
Lewis.....	64	35	28			63
Lincoln.....						
Logan.....	1,558	714	671			1,385
Marion.....	1,184	561	553			1,114
Marchall.....	712	332	341			673
Mason.....	365	160	180			340
Mercer.....	2,332	817	931	148	170	2,066
Mineral.....	836	365	402			767
Mingo.....	226	106	101			207
Monongalia.....	1,189	499	560			1,059
Monroe.....						
Morgan.....						
McDowell.....	2,666	996	994	142	188	2,320
Nicholas.....						
Ohio.....	306	133	130			263
Pendleton.....						
Pleasants.....						
Pocahontas.....						
Preston.....						
Putnam.....	73	33	36			69
Raleigh.....	1,158	521	555			1,076
Randolph.....	365	181	161			342
Ritchie.....	100	43	52			95
Roane.....						
Summers.....						
Taylor.....	106	33	46	11	6	96
Tucker.....						
Tyler.....						
Upshur.....						
Wayne.....						
Webster.....						
Wetzel.....	191	103	76			179
Wirt.....						
Wood.....	2,587	1,120	1,167	12	20	2,319
Wyoming.....						
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>30,109</b>	<b>12,609</b>	<b>12,896</b>	<b>699</b>	<b>829</b>	<b>27,033</b>

## SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL ENROLLMENT AND AVERAGE DAILY ATTENDANCE FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR 1938-1939

(Data Compiled by Department of Education)

COUNTY	Total Net Enrollment	AVERAGE DAILY ATTENDANCE				Total
		WHITE		NEGRO		
		Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	
Barbour.....	944	452	441	11	4	908
Berkeley.....	1,280	524	591	59	51	1,225
Boone.....	1,374	583	633	.....	.....	1,216
Braxton.....	759	311	359	.....	.....	670
Brooke.....	1,936	893	897	.....	.....	1,790
Cabell.....	3,851	1,340	1,417	69	81	2,907
Calboun.....	548	233	246	.....	.....	479
Clay.....	707	268	359	.....	.....	627
Doddridge.....	529	258	255	.....	.....	513
Fayette.....	4,978	1,940	2,122	231	294	4,587
Gilmer.....	827	366	391	.....	.....	757
Grant.....	354	139	177	.....	.....	316
Greenbrier.....	2,622	1,106	1,227	60	58	2,451
Hamshire.....	459	188	254	.....	.....	442
Hancock.....	2,699	1,218	1,171	60	67	2,516
Hardy.....	472	201	230	.....	.....	431
Harrison.....	5,426	2,361	2,512	100	105	5,078
Jackson.....	811	379	378	.....	.....	757
Jefferson.....	919	374	414	19	38	845
Kanawha.....	8,688	3,533	3,670	213	278	7,803
Lewis.....	1,301	612	612	.....	.....	1,224
Lincoln.....	920	418	429	.....	.....	847
Logan.....	2,757	899	1,061	236	261	2,457
Marion.....	4,084	1,689	1,668	149	160	3,672
Marshall.....	1,825	922	797	.....	.....	1,719
Mason.....	715	320	327	.....	.....	647
Mercer.....	3,427	1,250	1,441	141	202	3,044
Mineral.....	1,111	444	504	30	28	1,006
Mingo.....	2,824	1,149	1,199	93	115	2,556
Mouongalia.....	3,097	1,311	1,295	67	76	2,749
Monroe.....	606	259	285	.....	.....	544
Morgan.....	523	226	261	.....	.....	487
McDowell.....	5,780	1,680	1,890	660	811	5,047
Nicholas.....	1,373	583	706	.....	.....	1,289
Ohio.....	4,278	2,125	1,614	83	08	3,920
Pendleton.....	461	191	232	.....	.....	423
Pleasants.....	501	230	234	.....	.....	464
Pocahontas.....	718	321	330	.....	.....	657
Preston.....	2,285	1,054	1,100	.....	.....	2,154
Putnam.....	900	427	424	.....	.....	851
Raleigh.....	4,798	1,598	1,819	378	449	4,244
Randolph.....	1,178	727	769	15	19	1,530
Ritchie.....	1,050	451	488	.....	.....	939
Roane.....	877	389	408	.....	.....	797
Summers.....	1,396	573	568	33	53	1,227
Taylor.....	1,213	603	570	.....	.....	1,082
Tucker.....	1,147	520	569	.....	.....	1,065
Tyler.....	669	308	305	.....	.....	613
Upshur.....	1,104	476	515	0	7	1,007
Wayne.....	2,347	1,036	999	.....	.....	2,035
Webster.....	728	308	354	.....	.....	662
Wetzel.....	1,787	639	801	.....	.....	1,640
Wirt.....	279	122	150	.....	.....	272
Wood.....	2,022	837	933	16	15	1,800
Wyoming.....	1,596	646	629	78	100	1,453
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>102,360</b>	<b>42,226</b>	<b>44,060</b>	<b>2,890</b>	<b>3,378</b>	<b>92,471</b>

## TOTAL NUMBER OF TEACHERS ALLOCATED, 1939-40

(Data Compiled by Department of Education)

COUNTY	Elementary	High School	Total
Barbour.....	153	37	190
Berkeley.....	147	54	201
Boone.....	196	60	256
Braxton.....	194	28	222
Brooke.....	109	90	199
Cabell.....	377	294	671
Calhoun.....	110	19	129
Clay.....	128	26	154
Doddridge.....	100	21	121
Fayette.....	534	205	739
Gilmer.....	96	34	130
Grant.....	71	13	84
Greenbrier.....	255	112	367
Hampshire.....	92	19	111
Hancock.....	123	103	226
Hardy.....	90	19	109
Harrison.....	353	272	625
Jackson.....	135	32	167
Jefferson.....	81	36	117
Kanawha.....	928	544	1,472
Lewis.....	127	54	181
Lincoln.....	198	35	233
Logan.....	409	159	568
Marion.....	355	196	551
Marshall.....	193	98	291
Mason.....	170	41	211
Mercer.....	371	212	583
Mineral.....	90	75	165
Mingo.....	301	116	417
Monongalia.....	256	156	412
Monroe.....	111	24	135
Morgan.....	63	21	84
McDowell.....	541	305	846
Nicholas.....	186	53	239
Ohio.....	236	171	407
Pendleton.....	112	18	130
Pleasants.....	45	10	64
Pocahontas.....	116	27	143
Preston.....	217	92	309
Putnam.....	156	39	195
Raleigh.....	553	221	774
Randolph.....	215	78	293
Ritchie.....	117	44	161
Roane.....	170	33	203
Summers.....	157	52	209
Taylor.....	109	49	158
Tucker.....	96	45	141
Tyler.....	88	24	112
Upshur.....	142	41	183
Wayne.....	267	84	351
Webster.....	155	27	182
Wetzel.....	153	77	230
Wirt.....	62	11	73
Wood.....	256	167	423
Wyoming.....	223	63	286
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>11,318</b>	<b>4,945</b>	<b>16,263</b>

## DISTRIBUTION OF STATE AID TO SCHOOLS

(Data Compiled by Department of Education)

COUNTY	Primary Aid	Secondary Aid	Total State Aid
Barbour.....	\$ 137,836	\$ 54,566	\$ 192,402
Berkeley.....	163,073	18,000	181,073
Boone.....	198,535	39,538	238,073
Braxton.....	153,388	59,902	213,290
Brooke.....	161,132	.....	161,132
Cabell.....	625,157	.....	625,157
Calhoun.....	81,580	11,931	93,511
Clay.....	106,045	37,378	144,023
Doddridge.....	93,098	.....	93,098
Fayette.....	501,990	129,565	631,555
Gilmer.....	99,958	18,806	118,764
Grant.....	67,430	42,707	110,137
Greenbrier.....	282,833	104,280	387,122
Hampshire.....	94,867	37,920	132,796
Hancock.....	162,085	.....	162,085
Hardy.....	83,823	57,828	141,651
Harrison.....	506,218	.....	506,218
Jackson.....	116,481	30,419	152,000
Jefferson.....	95,087	.....	95,687
Kanawha.....	1,066,103	.....	1,066,103
Lewis.....	130,303	.....	130,303
Lincoln.....	141,244	31,028	172,272
Logan.....	379,857	92,411	472,268
Marion.....	408,749	28,917	437,636
Marshall.....	227,440	.....	227,440
Mason.....	149,268	68,041	218,209
Mercer.....	425,840	117,913	543,759
Mineral.....	148,064	.....	148,664
Minco.....	298,493	64,324	362,817
Monongalia.....	341,240	21,035	362,281
Monroe.....	99,813	55,513	155,126
Morgan.....	61,821	.....	61,821
McDowell.....	629,041	120,977	750,018
Nicholas.....	195,127	27,422	222,549
Ohio.....	299,701	.....	299,701
Pendleton.....	64,010	74,105	109,015
Pleasants.....	46,636	12,785	59,421
Pocahontas.....	127,784	47,727	175,511
Preston.....	232,833	92,125	324,958
Putnam.....	124,635	36,347	160,982
Raleigh.....	539,177	220,410	765,593
Randolph.....	240,309	102,255	351,654
Ritchie.....	134,859	14,000	148,859
Roane.....	132,918	.....	132,918
Summers.....	145,687	57,836	203,523
Taylor.....	128,600	.....	128,600
Tucker.....	123,599	68,820	192,423
Tyler.....	80,070	18,668	105,338
Upshur.....	138,418	70,943	215,361
Wayne.....	238,010	16,000	253,010
Webster.....	144,738	84,515	229,253
Wetzel.....	166,999	13,500	180,499
Wirt.....	53,020	33,108	86,128
Wood.....	343,317	.....	343,317
Wyoming.....	203,799	.....	203,799
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>\$ 12,100,000</b>	<b>\$ 2,241,498</b>	<b>\$ 14,341,498</b>

# GEOLOGICAL

## ELEVATIONS ABOVE SEA LEVEL

(Compiled from Data Furnished by U. S. Geological Survey)

Highest point in West Virginia, Spruce Knob, Pendleton County .....	4860 feet
Lowest point in West Virginia, Potomac River at Harper's Ferry, Jefferson County .....	247 feet

	<i>Feet</i>		<i>Feet</i>
Albright .....	1217.057	Clay (Corner Main and Church Streets) .....	707.816
Alderson .....	1550.9	Clendenin .....	620.70
Athens .....	2596.926	Coalton (Womelsdorff) .....	2157.023
Barboursville .....	571.650	Cowen .....	2244.4
Barrackville .....	907	Danville .....	App. 684
Bayard .....	App. 2448	Davis (At Post Office) .....	3101
Beckley .....	App. 2400	Elizabeth .....	645.807
Belington (Citizens National Bank) .....	1698.071	Elkins (At Main Building Western Maryland Railroad) .....	1929.495
Benwood .....	648.033	Ellenboro .....	784
Berkeley Springs (At Court House) .....	611.795	Fairmont (In front of B. & O. station) .....	883
Bethany (At Bethany College) .....	931.594	Fairview .....	999.450
Beverly .....	1972.593	Farmington .....	951.250
Blacksville .....	956.901	Fayetteville .....	App. 1850
Bluefield (In front of station) .....	2558.43	Flatwoods .....	App. 1052
Bramwell .....	2252.7	Franklin .....	App. 1750
Brandonville .....	App. 1831	Ft. Gay .....	998.782
Bridgeport .....	978.273	Gassaway .....	833.7
Bruceton Mills .....	1548.756	Gilbert .....	833.146
Buckhannon (Upshur County Court House) .....	1432.531	Glenville .....	733.623
Buffalo (At M. E. Church, South) .....	579.746	Grafton (In front of station) .....	1000
Burnsville .....	App. 765	Grantsville (At Court House) .....	726.301
Cairo .....	680	Hambleton .....	1682.3
Camden-on-Gauley .....	2034	Hamlin (Bridge over Mud River) .....	642.436
Cameron (Public School) .....	1169.564	Harpers Ferry .....	274.416
Cedar Grove .....	619.5	Harrisville (At Court House) .....	870.288
Ceredo .....	553.5	Hendricks .....	1720.604
Charleston (In front of station) .....	597.7	Hinton (In front of station) .....	1382.2
Charles Town (N. & W. Railroad Station) .....	530	Hollidays Cove .....	App. 741.78
Chester .....	App. 1340	Hundred .....	1019
Clark .....	1742	Huntington (At Court House) .....	563.725
Clarksburg (Corner Pike and Third Streets) .....	1007.209	Hurricane .....	App. 665

	<i>Feet</i>		<i>Feet</i>
Huttonsville .....	2023.8	Pineville .....	1323.227
Jaeger .....	982.1	Princeton (At Court	
Jacksonburg .....	747	House) .....	2449.457
Jane Lew .....	1006.647	Pt. Pleasant (At Court	
Junior .....	App. 1737	House) .....	568.913
Kenova .....	566.818	Pullman .....	App. 843.426
Kermit .....	627.7	Rainelle .....	2424.601
Keyser (Near center of		Ravenswood .....	585.447
Keyser yards) .....	827	Reedy (In front of station) -	676
Keystone .....	1645.311	Richwood (In front of	
Kingwood (Corner Price		station) .....	2193.17
and Main Streets) .....	1862.485	Ripley (Court House	
Leon .....	558.743	Square) .....	614.426
Lester .....	2029.713	Rivesville .....	880.8
Lewisburg .....	App. 2200	Romney (At railroad	
Littleton .....	941.317	station) .....	731
Logan (At Court House) .....	678.447	Ronceverte .....	1663.8
Mabscott .....	2275.49	Rowlesburg .....	1400.765
Madison (At County Jail) ...	703.171	Salem .....	1046.996
Man .....	729.102	Sand Fork .....	App. 772
Mannington (Cor. Railroad		Shepherdstown .....	App. 420
and Market Streets) .....	974.946	Shinnston .....	910
Marlinton .....	App. 2131	Sistersville .....	648.416
Martinsburg (At Court		Smithers (In front of station)	640.4
House) .....	456.692	Smithfield .....	835.7
Mnsontown .....	1841.971	Spencer (Crossing at	
Matewan .....	697.7	station) .....	719
Matoaka .....	2362.6	St. Albans .....	596.4
Meadow Bridge .....	2421.507	St. Marys (Second and	
Middlebourne .....	744.912	Washington Streets) .....	627.907
Mill Creek .....	2013.04	Summersville (At Court	
Milton .....	583.146	House) .....	1894.382
Monongah .....	873.416	Sutton .....	842.677
Montrose .....	1996.424	Terra Alta .....	2558.597
Moorefield (At railroad		Thomas .....	2986.062
station) .....	823	Thurmond .....	1070.9
Morgantown (In front of		Triadelphia (At M. E.	
B. & O. station) .....	822.7	Church) .....	744.390
Moundsville (At Court		Tunnelton .....	1829.182
House) .....	689.094	Union .....	App. 2100
Mt. Hope .....	1738.094	War (In front of station) .....	1341.7
Mullens .....	1418.192	Wayne (At Court House) .....	706.539
Newburg .....	App. 1230	Webster Springs (At	
New Cumberland (Front		Court House) .....	1508.740
and Ferry Streets) .....	670.57	Welch (At First National	
New Martinsville (At		Bank) .....	1303.434
Court House) .....	630.092	Wellsburg (At railroad	
Northfork .....	1759.96	station) .....	660.6
Oakvale (In front of station)	1712.2	West Millford .....	978.965
Parkersburg (Post Office) ...	615.043	Weston (At B. & O.	
Parsons .....	1649.387	Bridge 24-A) .....	1008.903
Paw Paw .....	App. 534.067	West Union .....	835.724
Pax .....	1638.770	Wheeling (Near front of	
Pennsboro .....	861	City Building) .....	678.070
Petersburg (At railroad		White Sulphur Springs .....	1923.3
station) .....	934	Williamson (At Court	
Peterstown .....	1611.684	House) .....	660.278
Phillippi .....	1310.265	Williamstown .....	610
Piedmont .....	App. 871	Winfield .....	App. 570
Pine Grove .....	712.28	Worthington .....	896

## AREA OF WEST VIRGINIA BY COUNTIES

(Compiled from information furnished by West Virginia Geological Survey)

<i>County</i>	<i>Square Miles</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>Square Miles</i>
Barbour .....	345.41	Monongalia .....	368.82
Berkeley .....	324.78	Monroe .....	473.80
Boone .....	506.00	Morgan .....	231.26
Braxton .....	519.70	McDowell .....	538.40
Brooke .....	92.50	Nicholas .....	656.77
Cabell .....	285.95	Ohio .....	109.00
Calhoun .....	280.20	Pendleton .....	696.88
Clay .....	346.61	Pleasants .....	134.65
Doddridge .....	321.61	Pocahontas .....	942.61
Fayette .....	666.50	Preston .....	653.88
Gilmer .....	342.40	Putnam .....	350.57
Grant .....	478.00	Raleigh .....	610.15
Greenbrier .....	1,022.80	Randolph .....	1,046.34
Hampshire .....	641.44	Ritchie .....	455.27
Hancock .....	88.55	Roane .....	486.20
Hardy .....	575.52	Summers .....	367.76
Harrison .....	417.85	Taylor .....	177.19
Jackson .....	471.98	Tucker .....	421.67
Jefferson .....	212.41	Tyler .....	260.13
Kanawha .....	913.38	Upshur .....	354.86
Lewis .....	391.35	Wayne .....	517.88
Lincoln .....	437.04	Webster .....	558.60
Logan .....	455.82	Wetzel .....	360.47
Marion .....	313.55	Wirt .....	234.41
Marshall .....	315.26	Wood .....	377.82
Mason .....	445.75	Wyoming .....	507.30
Mercer .....	423.91		
Mineral .....	330.00	Total area .....	*24,282.45
Mingo .....	423.50		

\*Includes water area of approximately 148 square miles.

## GEOGRAPHICAL CENTER OF WEST VIRGINIA

The geographical center of the state is  $4\frac{3}{4}$  miles southeast of Sutton, 6 miles south of Flatwoods, and 4 miles west of Centrailla.

## MAXIMUM FLOOD STAGES IN WEST VIRGINIA

(Compiled from data furnished by U. S. Weather Bureau, U. S. Geological Survey, and War Department)

Location	River	Elevation	Stage	Date
Bolington.....	Tygart.....	1,702.5	22.6	March 14, 1917
Buckhannon.....	Buckhannon.....	1,419.2	23.5	March, 1918
Charleston.....	Kanawha.....	605.55	46.87	September, 1861
Clay.....	Elk.....	709.0	32.4	March, 1918
Creston.....	Little Kanawha.....	654.9	33.2	April, 1939
Dailey.....	Tygart.....	1,957.3	17.2	February 4, 1932
Elkins.....	Tygart.....	1,915.1	15.8	February 4, 1939
Enterprise.....	West Fork of the Monongahela.....	902.9	33.0	July, 1858
Fetterman.....	Tygart.....	987.0	29.1	July 25, 1912
Glenville.....	Little Kanawha.....	731.1	33.3	November, 1926
Great Cacapon.....	Cacapon.....	486.38	30.1	March 18, 1936
Harper's Ferry.....	Potomac.....	282.1	36.57	March, 1936
Hinton.....	New.....	1,371.84	20.2	September, 1878
Huntington.....	Ohio.....	560.60	69.20	January, 1937
Kanawha Falls.....	Kanawha.....	660.68	37.8	September, 1878
Logan.....	Guyandotte.....	666.08	27.0	January, 1918
Millville.....	Shenandoah.....	319.4	26.4	March 18, 1936
Morgantown.....	Monongahela.....	822.6	37.0	July, 1888
New Martinsville.....	Ohio.....	641.26	50.96	March, 1913
Parkersburg.....	Ohio.....	620.9	59.03	March, 1913
Parsons.....	Cheat.....	1,610.3	19.0	March 12, 1917
Petersburg.....	South Branch of the Potomac.....	983.2	21.2	November, 1877
Philippi.....	Tygart.....	1,301.1	24.3	February, 1939
Point Pleasant.....	Ohio.....	576.82	62.7	March, 1913 and January, 1937
Rowlesburg.....	Cheat.....	1,389.3	19.5	July 10, 1888
Shepherdstown.....	Potomac.....	323.1	42.1	March 18, 1936
Springfield.....	South Branch of the Potomac.....	596.2	34.2	March 18, 1936
Summerville.....	Gauley.....	.....	28.75	July, 1932
Wayne.....	Twelvepole Creek.....	635.77	31.03	February, 1939
Weston.....	West Fork of the Monongahela.....	1,015.8	20.2	April 16, 1939
Wheeling.....	Ohio.....	666.6	55.2	March, 1936
*Williamson.....	Tug Fork.....	659.0	38.1	January, 1918

\*—Highest stage in 1862, but record not available.

## WEST VIRGINIA RIVERS

### SOURCES AND MOUTHS OF PRINCIPAL STREAMS

(Data Furnished by U. S. Geological Survey)

#### Big Sandy River

Formed by the junction of Tug Fork and Levisa Fork at Louisa, Kentucky. Mouth, junction with Ohio River at Kenova, Wayne County, West Virginia.

#### Cheat River

Source in northern part of Pocahontas County, West Virginia. Mouth, junction with Monongahela River at Point Marion, Pennsylvania.

#### Coal River

Source in central part of Raleigh County, West Virginia. Mouth, junction with Kanawha River at St. Albans, Kanawha County, West Virginia.

#### Elk River

Source in western part of Pocahontas County, West Virginia. Mouth, junction with Kanawha River at Charleston, Kanawha County, West Virginia.

#### Gauley River

Source in western part of Pocahontas County, West Virginia. Mouth, junction with New River in Fayette County to form Kanawha River.

### **Greenbrier River**

Source in northern part of Pocahontas County, West Virginia. Mouth, junction with New River just above Hinton in Summers County, West Virginia.

### **Guyandotte River**

Source in southern part of Raleigh County, West Virginia. Mouth, junction with Ohio River at Guyandotte, near Huntington, Cabell County, West Virginia.

### **Kanawha River**

Formed by the junction of New and Gauley Rivers just above Kanawha Falls in Fayette County, West Virginia. Mouth, junction with Ohio River at Point Pleasant, Mason County, West Virginia.

### **Little Kanawha River**

Source in southern part of Upshur County, West Virginia. Mouth, junction with Ohio River at Parkersburg, West Virginia.

### **Monongahela River**

Formed by the junction of Tygart and West Fork Rivers at Fairmont, West Virginia. Joins the Allegheny River at Pittsburgh to form the Ohio River.

### **New River**

Source in central part of Watauga County in northwest corner of North Carolina. Mouth, junction with Gauley River in Fayette County to form Kanawha River.

### **Ohio River**

Formed by the junction of the Monongahela and Allegheny Rivers, at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. Mouth, junction with Mississippi River at Cairo, Illinois.

### **Potomac River**

Formed by the junction of the North and South Branches near Green Spring, Hampshire County, West Virginia. Mouth, Chesapeake Bay.

### **North Branch Potomac River**

Source at Fairfax Stone which today marks western limits of Maryland and corners of Grant and Tucker counties. Mouth, junction with South Branch to form Potomac River.

### **South Branch Potomac River**

Source near Hightown, Highland County, Virginia. Mouth, junction with North Branch to form Potomac River near Green Spring, Hampshire County, West Virginia.

### **Tug Fork**

Source in southeastern part of McDowell County, West Virginia. Mouth, junction with Levisa Fork to form Big Sandy River at Louisa, Kentucky.

### **Tygart River**

Source in northern part of Pocahontas County, West Virginia. Mouth, junction with West Fork River at Fairmont to form Monongahela River.

### **West Fork River**

Source in western part of Upshur County, West Virginia. Mouth, junction with Tygart River at Fairmont to form Monongahela River.

## LENGTHS OF RIVERS AND WATERSHED AREAS IN WEST VIRGINIA

(Compiled from Data Furnished by the War Department)

River and Tributaries	Length in West Virginia (Miles)	*Watershed Area (Sq. Miles)	Explanatory Notes
Potomac River above Harpers Ferry.....	113.6	1,537	Includes area of Shenandoah River.
North Branch.....	96	567	
South Branch.....	131	1,366	
James River.....	76	76	Headwaters area only. Total length 981 miles.
Ohio River.....	277.1	2,993	
Monongahela River.....	37	567	Headwaters area only.
Youghiogheny River.....	43	43	
Cheat River.....	146	1,298	
Tygart River.....	121	1,394	
West Fork River.....	92	881	
Little Kanawha River.....	160	2,368	Approximate length.
Kanawha River.....	97	1,416	Total length 341.4 miles.
Coal River.....	88	836	
Elk River.....	180.8	1,836	
Gauley River.....	107.5	1,388	
New River.....	87	1,504	
Greenbrier River.....	167.5	1,498	
Sink Basin.....	100	100	
Guyandotte River.....	165.7	1,720	Presumably drains into Greenbrier River—no surface outlet.
Big Sandy River.....	27.2	82	Boundary length between Kentucky, West Virginia and Virginia, 99 miles.
Tug Fork.....	99	990	

\*Areas for principal streams shown after deducting areas for tributaries listed.

## DEPTH AVAILABLE FOR NAVIGATION

(Data Furnished by the War Department—Revised to November 1, 1939)

**Ohio River**—Improvement of the Ohio River, as authorized by Congress in the River and Harbor Act of June 26, 1910, provides for a channel depth of 9 feet in the entire 981 miles of the river by the construction of locks and dams and open channel work. The system of locks and dams throughout the river provides a navigable depth of 9 feet at ordinary river stage. New dams of modern design have recently been completed near Hogsett, West Virginia (Gallipolis Lock and Dam), and at Montgomery Island, 32 miles below Pittsburgh.

**Monongahela River, West Virginia and Pennsylvania**—The existing project provides for improvement of the river by 13 locks and dams to afford slack-water navigation from Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, to 4 miles above Fairmont, a distance of 131 miles. The project is approximately complete and the controlling depth between Pittsburgh and Point Marion, Pa., 90.6 miles above the mouth is 9 feet, and above Point Marion 7 feet to the upper limits of the project.

**Kanawha River, West Virginia**—The existing project provides for the construction of 3 modern dams on the Kanawha River, with twin locks at London, Marmet and Winfield, and the Gallipolis lock and dam on the Ohio River, near Hogsett, West Virginia, to furnish a 9-foot navigable depth from the Ohio to a point 90.57 miles above the mouth. The dams at London and Marmet were completed in 1934, and the Winfield dam in 1937. The Gallipolis lock and dam was completed in October, 1937, thus making available a channel depth of 9 feet from the mouth of the river to the head of navigation.

**Big Sandy River, West Virginia and Kentucky, Including Levisa and Tug Forks**—The existing project provides for 3 locks and dams on the main river, 2 locks and dams each on Levisa Fork and Tug Fork, and regulating works below Lock No. 1, reaching to the Ohio River. The 3 locks and dams on the main river and the lower lock and dam on each fork have been constructed, providing a slack-water depth of 6 feet from the Ohio River to Louisa, Kentucky, 27 miles, and thence to Cox Branch on Levisa Fork and to Bear Branch on Tug Fork, 17.5 and 12.5 miles, respectively, above Louisa.

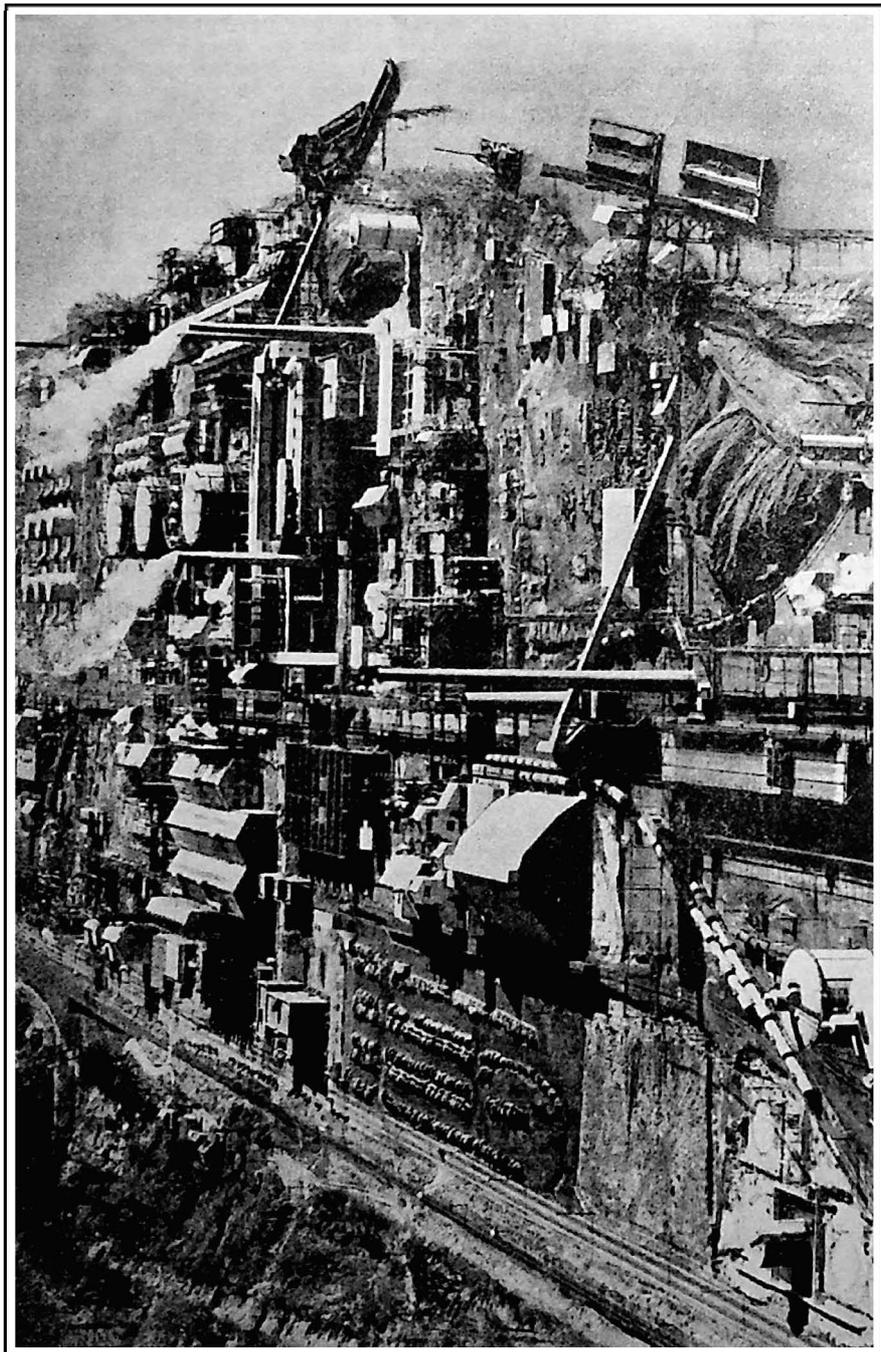
**Tygart River Reservoir Project**—The Tygart River Dam, located on the Tygart River  $2\frac{1}{4}$  miles upstream from Grafton, as authorized by the Public Works Administration January 11, 1934, and approved by Congress in the River and Harbor Act of August 30, 1935, provides for a dam 1,880 feet long and 209 feet high for the storage of 290,000 acre-feet of water to control floods and aid navigation in the Monongahela River. The dam has been completed and is now in operation as a unit in the reservoir system for the protection of Pittsburgh and the upper Ohio Valley generally.

**Bluestone Reservoir Project**—The proposed Bluestone Reservoir, located on the New River,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  miles above Hinton, was authorized by Executive order dated September 12, 1935, and approved by Congress in the Flood Control Act of June 22, 1936. The project, designed to afford flood control in the Kanawha and Ohio Valleys, the development of power, and as an aid to navigation, provides for a concrete gravity type dam 180 feet high and 2,060 feet long, and a reservoir with a surface area of 9,100 acres and storage capacity of 610,000 acre-feet, extending 35 miles up New River, 7 miles up Bluestone River, and 5 miles up Indian Creek. Congress in the Flood Control Act of June 28, 1938, modified the provisions of the act of June 22, 1936, and authorized the acquisition of all necessary lands, easements and rights-of-way. Funds for the dam have not as yet been made available.

## TYGART RIVER DAM

Located on the Tygart River, in Taylor and Barbour Counties, 2.25 miles above Grafton.

Construction features: A concrete gravity type dam, 1,880 feet in length at the crest line and rising 232 feet above the elevation of the river bed. Provides for the storage of 100,000 acre feet to make up the deficiency of water in the Monongahela River during low rainfall periods and for the additional storage of 178,000 acre feet for flood prevention in the Monongahela and Ohio Valleys. Cost, \$18,300,000.00.



*Photo by Bollinger, Charleston*  
Aerial view of Belle Works of E. I. du Pont de Nemours & Company. Here is manufactured part of the raw materials from which the new product, nylon, is made.

# INDUSTRIAL

## COAL PRODUCTION, BY COUNTIES, 1933-1938

(Compiled From Data Furnished by State Department of Mines)

COUNTY	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938
Barbour .....	991,467	939,081	1,123,874	1,527,604	1,624,794	1,176,116
Berkley .....					246	
Boone .....	2,317,064	2,662,758	2,962,002	3,823,944	3,745,147	3,730,993
Braxton .....	13,223	19,943	32,672	36,235	37,425	15,609
Brooke .....	1,132,172	1,132,967	1,081,509	1,453,008	1,390,743	1,095,694
Clay .....	664,678	736,852	705,161	890,215	954,489	703,041
Doddridge .....			700		400	283
Fayette .....	9,993,035	11,211,343	11,329,307	12,985,036	12,851,148	11,040,228
Gilmer .....	14,145	26,729	31,250	15,665	21,233	7,599
Grant .....	17,623	11,233	3,576	5,817	18,297	21,566
Greenbrier .....	1,640,080	1,747,029	1,591,636	1,795,311	1,792,457	1,438,419
Hancock .....	19,526	21,091	40,000	40,000	54,375	123,928
Harrison .....	3,136,445	3,130,501	2,941,005	3,623,583	4,011,618	3,139,207
Kanawha .....	4,965,898	5,646,240	5,830,401	6,785,429	7,057,445	5,911,953
Lewis .....	14,278	15,550	17,000	17,000	16,565	12,873
Lincoln .....			1,000	3,000	3,205	3,039
Logan .....	13,658,947	13,334,346	13,387,806	15,900,169	15,432,927	11,920,505
Marion .....	6,884,468	6,853,034	6,863,500	8,328,909	8,719,856	6,770,249
Marshall .....	802,831	793,642	778,105	767,115	617,287	443,928
Mason .....	49,610	71,219	66,969	96,523	85,762	83,775
McDowell .....	15,989,924	18,888,761	18,873,310	23,388,583	22,852,772	16,020,604
Mercer .....	3,385,812	3,306,758	3,175,350	3,769,611	3,536,419	2,863,348
Mineral .....	286,053	307,489	324,486	341,996	281,255	225,661
Mingo .....	3,182,027	2,975,139	3,230,061	3,943,088	4,004,060	3,029,575
Monongalia .....	4,899,126	5,079,687	4,959,368	5,934,409	6,321,230	5,247,911
Nicholas .....	102,673	71,661	89,744	73,443	34,087	26,704
Ohio .....	2,136,147	2,088,573	1,993,694	2,086,624	2,038,282	1,433,355
Pleasant .....			10,000			
Preston .....	597,892	757,506	736,479	634,467	596,005	353,412
Putnam .....	430,153	358,321	437,677	541,670	507,984	583,163
Raleigh .....	12,219,977	12,716,362	12,460,683	14,015,007	14,567,337	12,428,046
Randolph .....	344,551	411,841	494,474	708,808	948,375	855,817
Small Mines .....	40,000					
Summers .....		2,282	2,500	2,500	755	
Taylor .....	1,126,491	875,374	747,714	710,178	634,787	409,078
Tucker .....	455,400	628,875	623,832	547,759	512,494	408,476
Upshur .....	122,873	182,879	223,308	219,151	183,785	38,491
Wayne .....	73,344	12,844	21,096	23,662	28,130	12,136
Webster .....	731,572	858,306	861,215	818,036	842,602	901,181
Wyoming .....	1,721,003	1,659,087	1,888,444	2,280,477	2,639,418	2,325,136
<b>TOTALS .....</b>	<b>94,130,508</b>	<b>98,441,233</b>	<b>99,810,908</b>	<b>118,134,202</b>	<b>118,965,066</b>	<b>93,511,090</b>

\*—Short tons.

### PRODUCTION OF COAL AND COKE, 1938

	Number of Companies	Number of Mines	Production of Coal	Production of Coke
Commercial Mines.....	330	536	93,011,578	146,092
Truck Mines.....	517	517	490,521	.....
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>847</b>	<b>1,053</b>	<b>93,511,099</b>	<b>146,092</b>

### COKE PRODUCTION, BY COUNTIES, 1935-1938

	1935	1936	1937	1938
Fayette.....	125,085	108,614	236,007	142,416
Preston.....	28,601	32,243	40,771	3,076
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>153,690</b>	<b>230,857</b>	<b>276,778</b>	<b>146,092</b>

### COAL PRODUCTION BY GEOLOGICAL SERIES, 1936-1938

	1936	1937	1938
Allegheny.....	4,183,827	4,787,549	3,855,552
Conemaugh.....	212,692	191,239	175,871
Kanawha.....	37,470,386	37,186,812	29,978,523
Monongahela.....	25,119,787	25,769,700	20,122,348
New River.....	23,302,891	23,035,811	19,237,201
Pocahontas.....	27,844,619	29,018,955	20,141,604
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>118,134,202</b>	<b>118,965,066</b>	<b>93,511,099</b>

### COAL PRODUCTION BY DISTRICTS, 1936-1938

	1936	1937	1938
Elk Garden.....	1,694,380	1,760,667	655,703
Elk River.....	963,653	988,576	729,745
Fairmont.....	17,886,901	19,053,104	15,157,650
Kanawha.....	18,026,131	19,549,304	15,887,034
Logan.....	15,221,966	14,766,954	11,311,253
Mingo.....	4,766,816	4,709,114	3,609,258
New River.....	13,895,337	12,582,412	11,509,337
Ohio River.....	96,523	85,762	83,775
Panhandle.....	4,346,747	4,100,657	3,096,905
Pocahontas.....	20,508,200	25,848,324	18,175,165
Preston-Barbour.....	3,978,536	3,957,096	3,769,876
Winding Gulf.....	10,339,007	11,473,096	9,524,498
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>118,134,202</b>	<b>118,965,066</b>	<b>93,511,099</b>

### VALUE OF COAL AND COKE PRODUCED, 1935-1938

	1935	1936	1937	1938
Coal.....	\$ 171,543,592.00	\$ 196,820,123.00	\$ 213,425,231.77	\$ 168,607,600.40
Coke.....	584,141.61	909,450.00	1,221,473.93	666,134.18
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>\$ 172,127,733.61</b>	<b>\$ 197,729,573.00</b>	<b>\$ 214,646,705.70</b>	<b>\$ 169,173,734.58</b>
Average value coal per net ton.....	\$ 1.723	\$ 1.671	\$ 1.794	\$ 1.802
Average value coke per net ton.....	3.800	3.939	4.413	4.620

## TOTAL PRODUCTION, WEST VIRGINIA, 1863-1938

Year	Short-Tons	Year	Short-Tons	Year	Short-Tons
1863	444,648	1889	5,114,892	1914	73,677,059
1864	454,888	1890	6,321,220	1915	71,812,918
1865	487,897	1891	8,155,202	1916	89,165,774
1866	512,068	1892	8,710,878	1917	89,383,450
1867	489,360	1893	10,929,020	1918	90,766,637
1868	609,227	1894	10,559,433	1919	84,980,552
1869	603,148	1895	11,058,991	1920	89,590,274
1870	608,878	1896	13,369,964	1921	90,452,996
1871	618,830	1897	12,960,528	1922	79,394,787
1872	700,000	1898	16,010,024	1923	97,475,177
1873	1,000,000	1899	18,200,168	1924	103,325,960
1874	1,120,000	1900	21,153,340	1925	176,306,656
1875	1,120,000	1901	22,725,590	1926	144,603,574
1876	896,000	1902	26,162,217	1927	146,088,121
1877	1,120,000	1903	25,663,342	1928	133,866,587
1878	1,120,000	1904	30,222,288	1929	139,297,946
1879	1,400,000	1905	35,283,392	1930	122,429,767
1880	1,829,844	1906	41,891,891	1931	102,698,420
1881	1,680,000	1907	44,845,148	1932	86,114,506
1882	2,240,000	1908	44,091,051	1933	94,130,508
1883	2,335,833	1909	46,697,018	1934	98,441,233
1884	3,360,000	1910	59,274,553	1935	99,810,908
1885	3,367,062	1911	60,517,168	1936	118,134,202
1886	3,598,654	1912	66,731,587	1937	118,965,066
1887-1888	6,506,330	1913	69,182,794	1938	93,511,099
<b>TOTAL</b>					<b>3,389,908,263</b>

\*Figures for years prior to 1925, show tonnages for fiscal year. Production shown for 1925 includes period from July 1, 1924, to December 31, 1925. For all years after 1925, production is shown for calendar year.

## TABLE SHOWING NUMBER OF PERSONS EMPLOYED IN AND AROUND THE MINES AND OVENS, 1900-1938

1900	128,017	1919	91,566
1901	32,386	1920	97,426
1902	35,147	1921	116,726
1903	39,452	1922	107,709
1904	45,492	1923	121,280
1905	49,950	1924	115,964
1906	51,769	1925	111,768
1907	56,265	1926	120,638
1908	60,397	1927	119,618
1909	62,189	1928	112,751
1910	68,135	1929	107,393
1911	70,644	1930	107,832
1912	69,611	1931	97,953
1913	70,321	1932	86,829
1914	76,041	1933	95,367
1915	81,326	1934	106,590
1916	80,058	1935	109,779
1917	88,665	1936	111,625
1918	92,132	1937	115,052
		1938	103,735

†Does not include general supervision and office.

## ESTIMATED COAL RESERVES IN WEST VIRGINIA, 1938

COUNTIES	Estimated Original Coal 1' to 2' 11" in Thickness	Estimated Original Coal 3' 0" and over in Thickness	Tonnage Removed 1853 to Dec. 31, 1938
Barbour.....	270,253,209	3,315,366,089	51,976,929
Berkeley.....			246
Boone.....	2,414,199,423	5,728,771,042	59,937,515
Braxton.....	1,441,236,955	832,095,678	6,274,983
Brooke.....		360,000,000	40,080,361
Cabell.....	44,167,156		
Calhoun.....	125,564,314	125,452,800	
Clay.....	1,820,101,821	1,408,768,033	19,385,499
Doddridge.....	507,777,175	611,540,582	1,383
Fayette.....	1,251,489,252	3,169,015,787	412,671,547
Gilmer.....	567,057,807	452,187,648	2,334,644
Grant.....	97,100,467	871,913,688	5,108,580
Greenbrier.....		2,175,200,000	26,025,847
Hancock.....		500,000,000	1,403,074
Harrison.....	267,298,097	1,905,432,484	179,328,286
Kanawha.....	803,161,766	5,098,162,846	225,940,423
Lewis.....	681,426,156	2,094,611,004	986,530
Lincoln.....	284,426,528	1,486,387,077	4,019,859
Logan.....	3,350,781,561	4,799,097,544	380,568,498
Marion.....	300,180,824	4,016,905,502	239,030,437
Marshall.....	1,294,137,630	3,154,719,744	41,184,843
Mason.....		339,976,480	6,178,646
Mercer.....	178,979,328	327,849,984	129,273,375
Mineral.....	311,262,336	498,571,730	28,498,679
Mingo.....	2,577,741,406	3,754,521,775	120,554,221
Monongalia.....	285,007,773	3,463,623,198	133,895,791
McDowell.....	2,258,429,179	3,682,165,992	640,097,155
Nicholas.....	3,342,369,253	2,830,438,196	4,784,651
Ohio.....	560,000,000	360,000,000	48,140,877
Picassents.....			10,000
Pocahontas.....		508,644,743	
Preston.....	2,416,792,456	795,531,052	48,306,398
Putnam.....		433,090,336	18,488,759
Raleigh.....	1,001,856,181	3,281,512,101	303,027,021
Randolph.....	2,403,175,865	1,780,467,954	23,937,041
Roane.....	192,472,473	482,296,320	
Summers.....		18,678,523	161,156
Taylor.....		1,327,673,239	34,362,403
Tucker.....	159,018,303	327,045,816	45,105,326
Tyler.....	945,133,232		
Upshur.....	1,101,642,852	2,452,098,902	10,637,502
Wayne.....	80,335,740	1,391,160,038	3,275,937
Webster.....	3,645,479,946	2,660,056,564	7,183,113
Wetzel.....	1,227,697,828	2,094,225,408	93,425
Wirt.....	22,302,720		
Wyoming.....	3,256,066,560	1,804,326,284	43,140,700
Small Mines.....			25,028,400
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>41,499,023,722</b>	<b>76,161,298,188</b>	<b>3,371,343,319</b>
Probable Recovery.....	25%	70%	
Probable Recoverable Coal.....	10,374,755,930	53,312,908,731	

## RESEARCH IN COAL

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When a state's coal production averages about 100,000,000 tons per year valued at approximately \$200,000,000, with enough reserve in the ground to last about 700 years, and that industry provides employment for over 110,000 persons, any research having for its object the improvement of the industry certainly will add to the wealth and happiness of its citizens. Such a state is West Virginia. Due to the large reserve of coal found in 49 of the 55 counties of the state, and the great variety of coals produced for all markets and uses, successful research will always be an aid to at least some, if not all sections of our state. West Virginia coals are shipped to markets in 30 states and many foreign countries.

Dr. James K. Hunt, of the E. I. du Pont de Nemours Company, has defined research as "a careful search for truth and, as far as possible, the interpretation and coordination of the facts discovered."

Production and uses of coal now provide the main fields of research in coal, and they will probably constitute the principle fields of future research. Research in the field of production follows the lines of economical production, conservation, preparation and methods of mining. In the field of uses of coal, the research worker delves into all possibilities involving this important mineral.

The research work in coal at West Virginia University has without doubt been of inestimable aid to the coal industry of the state. Research subjects covered include the following: Acceleration Stresses in Hoisting Ropes, Mining Methods in West Virginia, Composition and By-Products Values of Some West Virginia Coals, Acid Mine Drainage from Bituminous Coal Mines, Coal Mine Haulage in West Virginia, West Virginia Coal Seams and Their Drainage, and Some Physical Characteristics of West Virginia Coals. Unpublished is the research work on reducing the fusion point of coal ash, methane in coal beds, and others. At the present time, work is progressing on use of welded rails in mines, calcium chloride in the coal industry, and mechanical loading in West Virginia coal mines.

Much research work which applies to West Virginia coal, has been undertaken by the West Virginia Geological Survey, the United States Bureau of Mines, Bituminous Coal Research, Inc., Carnegie Institute of Technology, Mellon Institute, Battelle Memorial Institute and others.

All of the various details of the production and preparation of coal provide fields for research, and all offer a reward if improvements result from these researches, either in safer and more economical production or cheaper and better means of preparation. The great increase of mechanization in the mining of coal during the last few years offers a particularly fertile field. Possibilities are limited only by the ingenuity and work of men. For example, the recent work in Soviet Russia on mining of coal by hydraulic methods and gasification of coal in the bed, if they prove practical, would certainly greatly increase the tonnage of West Virginia's coal reserves by making available the very thin coal beds of the state.

The modern preparation plant or coal tippie is not just a chute to provide a means of loading coal on a railroad car, but a factory for cleaning, sizing, drying, and dustproofing the product for even the most discriminating market. Some of the more modern tipples have an initial cost of half a million dollars and the services of scores of men are required in the operation.

In the field of research on uses of coal, much has been done not only by governmental agencies and universities but by the industrial companies themselves. Although numerous industries use coal as a base for hundreds of products, the principal demand is yet preponderantly from the fuel market. To increase to an appreciable extent the use of coal as a base material or raw product, it must be used in quantity in some major market comparable to the fuel market, such as food, clothing or construction. In other words, coal must be required as a basic material in quantity in an industry which is used by practically all people. Even though by-products of coal are essential for the

manufacture of such materials as carbolic acid, rayon, aspirin, and hundreds of others, the tonnage required is insignificant compared to that used for fuel.

Many processes depend upon coal as a raw material and the manufactured products are often publicized as products of coal. As products they are quite important, but their manufacture is of little importance in the production and sale of coal. The hundreds of products which can be derived from coal are intriguing to the average man, but they lead him to false conclusions as to their importance in their effect on the tonnage of coal produced.

Due to the organic chemical composition of coal, it has, as the result of research, become one of the basic materials for hundreds of important products and will no doubt be the base for hundreds of additional products in the future. From the standpoint of production, some of these products may result in the opening of a real market for coal.

Many industries using coal as a raw material first coke the coal and use the coke as a base. In the coking, all of the various by-products such as phenol, oils, tar, gas and ammonia are recovered and used directly or as a base for the hundreds of materials known as by-products of coal. These by-products include disinfectants, dyes, antiseptics, perfumes, artificial flavorings, explosives, medicines, solvents and paints.

Coke is one of the principal raw materials used in the manufacture of the following products:

**Acetaldehyde.** This chemical product is made from acetylene which in turn is processed from coal and is a base for acetic acid. Acetaldehyde can be made into ethyl acetate which is an important solvent for fast-drying paints.

**Acetone.** This is another important solvent which is made from acetylene.

**Alcohols.** Numerous types of alcohols are made from gasified coke, such as methanol (wood alcohol), used as antifreeze and base for dyes, inks, plastics and other materials. Hydraulic brake fluids, as well as flotation agents for concentrating ores, are also made for some of these alcohols.

**Ammonia.** Using coal as a base, this important gas of industry, as well as fertilizer base, can be produced by several methods.

**Carbon Black.** High yields of high grade carbon black are made from burning acetylene.

**Carbide.** Calcium carbide from which acetylene evolves when treated with water, as in the carbide lamp, is a product of coke. Acetylene, in addition to its many direct uses, is an important base for other products.

**Celanese-Rayon.** Celanese and rayon are made by processing acetic acid. It is used as clothing material, as center sheet in safety glass, and as an intermediate for numerous other compounds, including plastics.

**Cyanide.** Cyanide and hydrocyanic acid are made from cyanamid (a coal product), carbon (coke), and salt. Sodium cyanide is used in metallurgy of gold and in hydrocyanic acid as a fumigator.

**Cyanamid.** Cyanamid, made from carbide and nitrogen, is an important fertilizer and intermediate for other products.

**Lucite.** This is a product of the intricate treatment of one of the alcohols. It is a crystal clear material with ability to easily transmit light which will follow the curves and bends when the lucite is made in the form of rods. It is new and no doubt will find many uses due to its properties in transmission of light.

**Nylon.** This is a new material from coal by the way of acetylene. It is quite like silk and in addition has several good properties not found in silk. Some of the future markets are hosiery, dress goods, fishing lines, upholstery and bristles for brushes. Plants are under construction for the commercial products of nylon.

**Plastics.** These include a number of products which can be molded and shaped. Bakelite is an example, and some experiments have been made in connection with their use in airplane construction.

**Rubber.** Neoprene and Koroseal (artificial rubber) are products by the treatment of acetylene from coke which are new and quite important. Although the cost is now higher, Neoprene has several desirable properties which are not found in natural rubber. It has greater resistance to sunlight and is less affected by oil, acids, caustics and heat.

**Urea.** This is a very important intermediate product made from coal by the route of carbon dioxide. West Virginia is the only state in which synthetic urea is produced. It is used as a fertilizer base in making fabrics, adhesives, pharmaceuticals, antiseptics, finishes, stains and plastics.

This list contains only a few of the more important products which have coal as one of their basic materials. Many of the products, or their intermediates, are manufactured in the Kanawha Valley.

Coal by proper treatment of temperature and pressure can be hydrogenated into an oil very similar to petroleum. This oil can then be distilled and treated to make fractions similar to gasoline and oils made from petroleum. The United States Bureau of Mines is experimenting with the process in this country. In Europe it is used commercially, particularly in those countries which experience difficulty in importing petroleum. With the diminishing supplies of petroleum in this country, the hydrogenation of coal will no doubt be of greater importance in the future.

Just as research in coal, its production and uses, has been of material aid to the industry in West Virginia, certainly further research will be one of the most important factors in its future growth and condition. It is a field in which the coal industry of our state can well place more effort, time and investment.



Tobacco Warehouse at Huntington

## OIL AND GAS

## OPERATIONS IN WEST VIRGINIA BY COUNTIES, 1938

(Compiled from data furnished by West Virginia Geological Survey)

COUNTY	Permits to Abandon	Permits to Drill	COMPLETIONS				Range in Depth Feet
			Gas Wells	Oil Wells	Dry Holes	Total	
Barbour.....		2	1			1	4417
Boone.....	18	38	15	8	4	27	1385-5457
Braxton.....	1	14	10		2	12	1695-2850
Brooke.....	6	4		2	1	3	1316-1890
Cabell.....	3	68	49	1	1	51	1403-3765
Calhoun.....	19	63	28	11	5	44	1533-2691
Clay.....	2	25	8	10	6	24	1428-6451
Doddridge.....	64	15	10	1	3	14	1844-2784
Fayette.....	1	1			1	1	2503
Gilmer.....	16	118	65	5	18	88	1123-3220
Hampshire.....							
Hancock.....	8	11	4	3	2	10	868-1063
Harrison.....	47	17	8	1	1	10	2172-3578
Jackson.....	4	13	5		3	8	1514-5272
Kanawha.....	23	195	129	4	4	138	1307-5350
Lewis.....	30	9	4	1	2	7	1607-4505
Lincoln.....	46	39	18	6	2	26	1260-4016
Logan.....		7	6		1	7	2926-3814
Marion.....	28	10	3		5	8	2208-3510
Marshall.....	13	20	5	1	3	9	1152-3395
Mason.....		3	1			1	678
Mingo.....		8	4			4	3265-3920
Monongalia.....	19	18	5	5	2	12	870-3361
Nicholas.....		6	5		2	7	1077-3685
Pleasants.....	17	53	6	14	13	33	513-4770
Putnam.....	1	11	7			7	1051-4152
Ritchie.....	53	118	37	32	19	88	491-2604
Roane.....	49	36	9	5	10	24	1253-2633
Taylor.....	2						
Tyler.....	35	27	2	7	8	17	752-2359
Upshur.....		6	2		1	3	1815-4309
Wayne.....	1	28	20	2		22	1448-4076
Wetzel.....	37	59	30	1	12	43	525-3415
Wirt.....	6	36	7	11	9	26	173-5518
Wood.....	15	17	1	5	6	12	147-5181
Totals (1938).....	570	1,085	504	136	145	787	147-6451
Totals (1937).....	641	1,034	670	217	156	1,043	325-6277
Totals (1936).....	646	632	600	198	142	940	235-6074

## OIL AND GAS

OPERATIONS IN WEST VIRGINIA BY COUNTIES, 1938—Continued

COUNTY	*Total Initial Daily Gas M. Cubic Feet	Total Initial Daily Oil Bbls.	Range in Size Gas Wells M. Cubic Feet	Range in Size Oil Wells Bbls.	Number of Drilling Wells Or Completions Not Reported at End of Year
Barbour.....					1
Boone.....	5,206	88	40- 252	5- 40	11
Braxton.....	1,506		46- 290		2
Brooke.....	25	2		1	1
Cabell.....	11,740	2	21-2239	0- 2	7
Calhoun.....	13,171	86	53-1725	2- 20	19
Clay.....	3,124	169	59- 700	3- 30	1
Doddridge.....	3,327	5	29- 550	0- 5	1
Fayette.....					
Gilmer.....	27,389	38	23-5000	5- 10	29
Hampshire.....					1
Hancock.....		6		1- 4	1
Harrison.....	1,258	5	53- 265	5	7
Jackson.....	18,511		50-9295		5
Kanawha.....	**1,013,801	30	95-24658	2- 13	57
Lewis.....	895	15	16- 248	15	2
Lincoln.....	3,612	75	64- 554	2- 50	13
Logan.....	4,670		281- 896		
Marion.....	1,320		393- 494		2
Marshall.....	1,402		100- 884		11
Mason.....	115		115		2
Mingo.....	13,382		94-13000		4
Monongalia.....	1,002	13	42- 350	1- 5	6
Nicholas.....	1,121		279- 850		2
Pleasants.....	1,704	312	50- 554	1-250	21
Putnam.....	5,922		32- 3624		4
Ritchie.....	13,235	451½	23- 3000	0½-150	30
Roane.....	2,318	100	107- 1000	12- 40	12
Taylor.....					
Tyler.....	140	68	45- 75	3- 20	10
Upshur.....	330		330		3
Wayne.....	7,430	9	10- 1036	6	6
Wetzel.....	28,995	30	26- 7800	30	18
Wirt.....	1,812	41	50- 750	½- 15	10
Wood.....	142	16	92	1- 5	5
Totals (1938).....	1,189,279	1,561½	10-24658	½-250	302
Totals (1937).....	1,088,895	1,641¾	10-20820	½- 91	348
Totals (1936).....	608,728	1,982¼	10-16000	½-500	344

\*Includes gas from oil wells.

\*\*Production from Oriskany sand, 997,650 M. Cubic feet.

## PRODUCING WELLS IN WEST VIRGINIA

1931-1938

	PRODUCING WELLS AS OF DECEMBER 31st							
	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938
Oil.....	18,900	18,850	19,000	18,850	18,700	18,500	18,450	18,300
Natural Gas....	12,858	12,699	12,686	12,700	12,880	13,000	13,513	13,733

## OIL AND NATURAL GAS PRODUCTION

1933-1938

	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938
Oil—						
(Barrels)....	3,815,000	4,133,000	3,959,000	3,847,000	3,650,000	3,684,000
Natural Gas						
(Cu. Ft.)....	100,653,000,000	100,000,000,000	111,000,000,000	140,000,000,000	140,000,000,000	150,000,000,000

## OIL PRODUCTION, WEST VIRGINIA

1863-1938

Total production of oil, by barrels, West Virginia, 1863-1938, based upon figures furnished by the West Virginia Geological Survey, United States Bureau of Mines and the Oil and Gas Journal..... 407,684,000  
 Average value per barrel (approximate).....\$ 2.00

## TOBACCO PRODUCTION, BY COUNTIES, 1937-1938

(Data Compiled by Bureau of Agricultural Economics)

COUNTY	1938 (Preliminary)			1937		
	Total Acreage	Average Yield (lbs.)	Total Production (lbs.)	Total Acreage	Average Yield (lbs.)	Total Production (lbs.)
Boone.....	91	600	54,600	155	780	120,900
Cabell.....	550	770	423,500	805	760	619,850
Jackson.....	102	806	82,200	170	750	127,500
Kanawha.....	63	540	34,020	60	670	40,200
Lincoln.....	935	676	632,000	1,540	680	1,047,200
Logan.....	52	588	30,600	65	700	45,500
Mason.....	430	710	305,300	725	760	551,000
Mingo.....	15	620	9,300	25	650	16,250
Monroe.....	37	860	31,820	25	690	17,250
Putnam.....	748	650	486,200	1,035	740	765,900
Wayne.....	108	740	79,920	175	660	115,500
Wood.....	17	620	10,540	30	820	24,600
*All Others.....	52	537	27,940	90	671	60,350
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>3,200</b>	<b>690</b>	<b>2,208,000</b>	<b>4,900</b>	<b>725</b>	<b>3,552,000</b>

\*Counties not estimated separately.

## LUMBER PRODUCTION, WEST VIRGINIA, 1932-1938

(Compiled from data furnished by the Director of the Census)

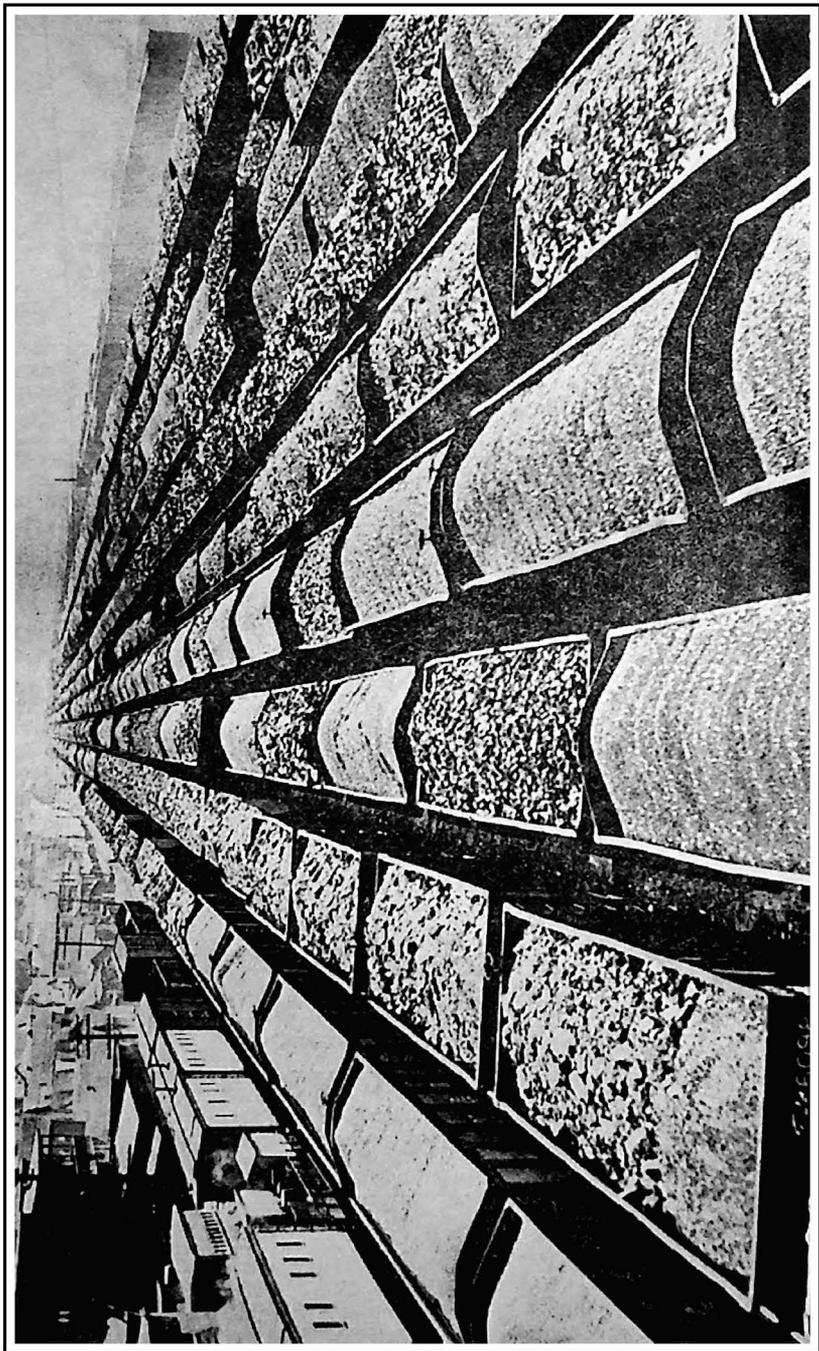
KINDS OF WOOD	Quantity (M Feet, B. M.).						
	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938
<b>SOFTWOOD</b>							
Cedar.....	•	•	•	•	17	54	32
Hemlock.....	9,651	19,773	15,703	21,572	31,046	35,051	23,326
Spruce.....	11,110	15,445	19,248	25,486	16,435	17,120	8,259
White Pine.....	1,792	632	795	3,495	5,084	1,811	1,036
Yellow Pine.....	906	2,397	2,089	1,364	1,494	4,289	257
<b>HARDWOOD</b>							
Ash.....	1,349	1,793	2,402	2,755	3,542	3,552	2,508
Basswood.....	4,450	7,295	9,331	8,713	14,615	17,855	11,631
Beech.....	4,991	4,975	6,616	9,477	13,056	12,644	9,079
Birch.....	3,927	3,522	6,192	5,781	7,271	6,354	3,576
Chestnut.....	20,486	24,869	26,318	29,892	33,561	29,920	17,371
Cottonwood.....	207	•	•	•	368	303	48
Elm.....	190	•	365	315	99	159	182
Hickory.....	•	•	•	982	3,815	5,008	3,093
Maple.....	14,342	18,567	25,357	27,731	35,473	38,522	28,009
Oak.....	45,845	55,439	80,712	86,298	127,788	131,990	74,873
Red Gum.....	227	190	197	263	883	555	378
Sycamore.....	•	•	•	84	117	164	41
Tupelo.....	148	236	224	648	327	393	406
Walnut.....	172	1,803	1,527	2,036	2,650	2,445	3,001
Yellow Poplar.....	13,373	13,373	23,587	24,702	36,139	41,890	28,340
All Other.....	2,115	2,304	3,243	1,340	1,798	2,518	1,588
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>135,283</b>	<b>184,613</b>	<b>223,921</b>	<b>252,974</b>	<b>335,578</b>	<b>352,597</b>	<b>217,104</b>
Lath (Thousands).....	7,748	9,569	8,378	5,916	9,410	8,106	5,384
Shingles (Squares).....	428	230	37	•	•	•	•

•—Less than 50 M Feet.

LEADING MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES IN  
WEST VIRGINIA, 1938

(Compiled from data furnished by State Department of Labor)

INDUSTRY	Concerns	Employees	Capital	Production	Payroll
Coal.....	297	88,001	\$ 162,018,296.76	142,589,980.75	\$ 103,951,501.41
Iron and Steel.....	60	22,968	74,670,535.98	110,406,936.72	30,665,344.64
Glass and Glassware.....	42	9,407	14,868,571.84	54,953,232.20	12,299,801.85
Clothing and Textiles.....	31	8,623	26,022,670.07	37,907,919.05	8,366,737.29
Petroleum.....	119	8,015	280,955,055.21	72,493,668.77	11,839,977.49
Chemical.....	32	6,802	48,336,208.11	45,441,668.30	11,768,385.34
China and Porcelain.....	13	5,673	8,624,253.25	12,338,571.18	6,546,211.24
Electric Power.....	54	4,615	95,194,583.27	32,817,864.26	7,549,634.51
Lumber.....	88	4,569	11,498,265.03	14,867,073.35	4,943,184.19



*Photo by Webb Studio, Williamson*  
Norfolk & Western yards at Williamson, where hundreds of carloads of coal destined for the coal markets of the world are handled each day of the year.

## REVIEW OF 1939 BUSINESS CONDITIONS IN WEST VIRGINIA

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Business conditions in West Virginia were affected in 1939 by two outstanding events which greatly influenced economic activity. Fortunately these events counterbalanced each other and the final outcome has been favorable to every citizen in the State. The first event was the six-week cessation of the mining of bituminous coal while wage negotiations were being held during April and May. We will never know the cost of this shutdown. The loss in wages to more than one hundred thousand mine employees amounted to millions of dollars. Loss to the railroads, electric power companies, and all the firms supplying the wants of the coal mines, as well as the service industries dependent on the wages of the workers affected, was tremendous indeed.

On the other hand, our economy was stimulated by an event which occurred thousands of miles across the Atlantic Ocean—the European War. This event broke the dam of fear or caution which had been holding back commitments of business men for materials and supplies, and loosened the chains holding up the credit expansion so badly needed to set our idle factories and mills to work. The increase in prices of commodities added millions to the value of the products of our mines, factories, farms and other industries. While few war orders for materials by belligerent countries had been placed by the end of the year with industries in the State, the orders placed with manufacturers elsewhere, coupled with the domestic demands of industry, will keep our factories humming well into 1940.

Let us now look at some of our important industries to see just how they fared throughout the year 1939, which set us again on the road to recovery.

### The Bituminous Coal Industry

The bituminous coal mines in West Virginia were idle for about six weeks, from the first of April until the middle of May, pending settlement of the wage and labor controversy between the mine operators and labor organizations. Although stocks of coal in storage in the United States on April first were estimated to be sufficient to supply the demand for 42 days, shortages were experienced in many quarters before the mines resumed operation. The April production in West Virginia totaled but 235,553 tons, and the May production, 5,369,086 tons. The stocks of coal in storage on May fifteenth were sufficient for only two or three weeks. However, mining activity was slow in getting started because of the delay of large consumers in placing new contracts.

In spite of the cessation of mining activity, the production of coal in 1939 for the first six months was about 2.3% ahead of the first six months of 1938. The August production reached slightly more than 11,000,000 tons, as an attempt was made not only to supply the industrial demand and the lake trade, but also to replenish the reduced stocks of coal.

The sharp pick-up of the heavy industries, stimulated by the outbreak of war in Europe and the possibility of foreign business for the mines, further increased mining activity after September first. The cautious hand-to-mouth buying attitude which consumers had followed for many months was abandoned and, as a result, a sharp buying rush occurred, mines worked larger schedules, prices advanced, and there was a shortage of coal cars for shipment.

Preliminary figures indicate that the total production for 1939 was approximately 108,000,000 tons, as compared with 93,511,099 tons in 1938, and 118,965,066 tons in 1937. The increased prices received during the last four months of the year have improved the position of the coal industry in West Virginia more than the tonnage figures alone would indicate.

### Manufacturing

The manufacturing industry in West Virginia has had rapid growth in recent years. Manufacturing operations, which were undergoing gradual improvement during the first half of the year, moved ahead vigorously in September, as the war in Europe caused major readjustments in business policies and programs. Industrial production immediately moved forward at an accelerated pace, and there was a major increase in employment by the end of the month. There was exceptionally heavy buying in anticipation of rising prices and possible difficulties in securing deliveries.

The rise in factory output was most prompt in basic semi-manufactures, but soon operations were being speeded up over a wide range of industries producing both partly processed and highly fabricated products. The basic steel industry had an extraordinary spurt and, by the middle of November, was operating at about 93½ % capacity. The widespread covering movement among consumers of steel brought sufficient orders to the books of the steel makers to assure continued high output well into 1940. The makers of basic chemicals as well as the chemical process industries increased operations materially. The glass and ceramic industries received many orders as industrial and consumer purchasing power increased with the rise in pay rolls. Other manufacturing industries benefited as the result of aggressive forward purchases in all lines of business.

The value of the output of manufacturing industries in West Virginia was estimated at approximately \$458,000,000 near the end of the year. While final figures may cause a revision of the above estimate, it is believed to be conservative. This compares with \$480,526,000 in 1937, and \$392,000,000 in 1938.

### Petroleum

Over-production of crude petroleum in the United States in spite of strict regulation of output in most states resulted in continued low prices during most of 1939. In August, the fifteen-day shutdown in Texas, Oklahoma, Louisiana, Kansas, New Mexico, and Arkansas was the outstanding event of the entire year. The domestic demand for motor fuel during that month was the highest ever recorded for the United States. The war-time demands for petroleum and petroleum products, coupled with domestic demands greatly exceeding anticipations, placed the petroleum industry in a much better position near the end of 1939.

According to preliminary figures, the West Virginia production of Pennsylvania crude reached a total of nearly 3,500,000 barrels, a slight reduction from the figure of 3,684,000 barrels in 1938. On December 31, 1938, 2,338,000 barrels of oil were in storage, but the figure was smaller at the end of the year 1939.

More than 192,600,000 gallons of gasoline motor fuel were consumed in 1939 at the cost of more than \$38,500,000 to West Virginia's motorists. The state collected more than \$10,000,000 in gasoline taxes, a rich harvest for the maintenance and construction of highways.

### Agriculture

Despite a price lift from the European war, preliminary estimates show that West Virginia farm income during 1939 dropped \$2,919,000 below the 1938 total. The total cash income (including government payments) was \$34,230,000, of which \$6,930,000 was obtained from the sale of crops, and \$25,610,000 from the sale of livestock and livestock products. Payments from the government totaled \$1,690,000. The total cash farm income was \$37,524,000 in 1938. The production of corn, potatoes, and barley was greater than in 1938, but, due to lack of rain during the last half of the year, there was a decline in the production of tobacco, winter wheat, oats, rye, buckwheat, and hay. Pastures also suffered on account of the unseasonably dry weather.

The production of apples was estimated at 4,000,000 bushels, a figure higher than the ten-year average. Loss of some foreign markets due to the war caused considerable reduction in prices for the crop. Peaches, pears, grapes, and other small fruits were more abundant than in 1938.

### Construction

The spectacular increase in the volume of construction in 1939 was one of the brightest spots in the industrial picture. The total construction contracts awarded were approximately \$40,000,000, an increase of 15.6% over 1938. This sum is the largest annual expenditure for construction since 1930, when contracts awarded totaled \$57,950,000. Building permits issued by West Virginia cities in 1939 likewise show a great increase over 1938.

### Public Utilities

Electric power production rose to the highest peak on record in 1939. The upturn started in May with the resumption of coal mining activity and continued the upward trend until the new demands by all industries in September helped maintain a record throughout the remainder of the year. Due to unusually low water stages in the rivers, some companies utilizing water power were forced to curtail operations or switch to fuel for their power production during the last few months of the year.

Total output of electrical energy for the year for public use exceeded 3,000,000,000 kilowatt-hours, the highest production on record for West Virginia. This total compares with 2,494,294,000 kilowatt-hours in 1938 and 2,831,563,000 kilowatt-hours in 1937.

The transportation industry had the best year since 1937. All types of freight moved in greater volume, but particularly striking were the gains in miscellaneous and less-than-carload lots, and in coal and ore shipments, a testimonial to pickup in heavy industrial divisions. Shipments by motor truck and water shared the gain in movements of all kinds of raw materials and finished goods.

The consumption of natural gas in West Virginia was about 7% above the figures for 1938. Revenues from 195,000 customers were more than \$13,000,000 in 1939. The distribution of natural gas gave employment to 3,000 workmen.

The number of telephones in use continued to gain and were well ahead of both 1937 and 1938. Telegraph companies reported improvement over 1938. Water companies also reported gains in the number of customers over 1937 and 1938.

### Trade

A sharp pick-up in retail sales was reported throughout West Virginia in 1939, with the largest gains found in the coal regions and industrial centers. Department store sales, which are more directly reflective of city buying, ran 6% to 8% ahead of last year. Although the cautious hand-to-mouth buying policy adhered to during most of the year was abandoned after September first, inventories were still at a low level at the year's close.

Total sales in 1939 were still slightly below 1937, but ahead of 1938. The volume of sales in the initial half of the year was about the same as last year, but the final half showed gains over both 1937 and 1938. Aggregate sales of all retail dealers in 1939, according to preliminary figures, were approximately \$410,000,000 as compared with \$390,000,000 in 1938 and \$427,000,000 in 1937.

Consumers sales tax collections will be in the neighborhood of \$7,360,000. Total collections of this two per cent tax amounted to \$7,970,956 in 1938 and \$8,781,992 in 1937.

### Other Industries

Expanding bank debits to individual accounts in most sections of West Virginia attested the broad upswing in business in 1939 as compared with 1938. Banks serving the mining districts and the industrial centers reported the greatest gains, while banks serving agricultural areas had the smallest increases. Increases in commercial loans helped boost the level of the financial transactions during the closing months of 1939.

As a result of increased employment and higher pay rolls of production industries, most service industries reported gains over 1938. Hotels, restaurants, business services, and other type of services shared in the broad upturn of business in West Virginia in 1939.

### Total Income Paid Out

Business conditions in West Virginia in 1939 can perhaps best be analyzed by looking at the total income paid to all the people in the State. The income is the sum of all the wages, salaries, interest, dividends, rents, royalties, and withdrawals of entrepreneurs. The total income of all the people in West Virginia in 1939 has been estimated at \$752,000,000, compared with \$674,000,000 in 1938, \$782,000,000 in 1937, and \$777,000,000 in 1929. Of the total income of \$752,000,000, salaries and wages constituted 75.6%, or \$568,000,000, entrepreneurial income, 14.7%, or \$111,000,000; and dividends, interest, royalties, rents and other income 9.7%, or \$73,000,000.



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**Rhododendron, the State Flower**

# INSURANCE

## BUSINESS WRITTEN IN WEST VIRGINIA, PREMIUMS, LOSSES, 1938

(Data furnished by Insurance Department, State Auditor's Office)

Number of Companies	Kind of Insurance	Business Written	Premiums Received	Losses Incurred or Paid
260	Fire.....	\$ 984,430.978	\$ 7,407,230.12	\$ 3,179,258.76
82	Life.....	162,807,930	25,983,713.16	9,526,332.33
116	Miscellaneous.....	.....	8,516,032.73	3,888,992.61
52	Fraternal.....	9,084,815	1,256,887.33	761,392.07
16	Farmers Mutual.....	22,332,888	270,842.48	92,061.51
526	<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>\$ 1,178,656,611</b>	<b>\$ 43,434,705.82</b>	<b>\$ 17,448,037.28</b>

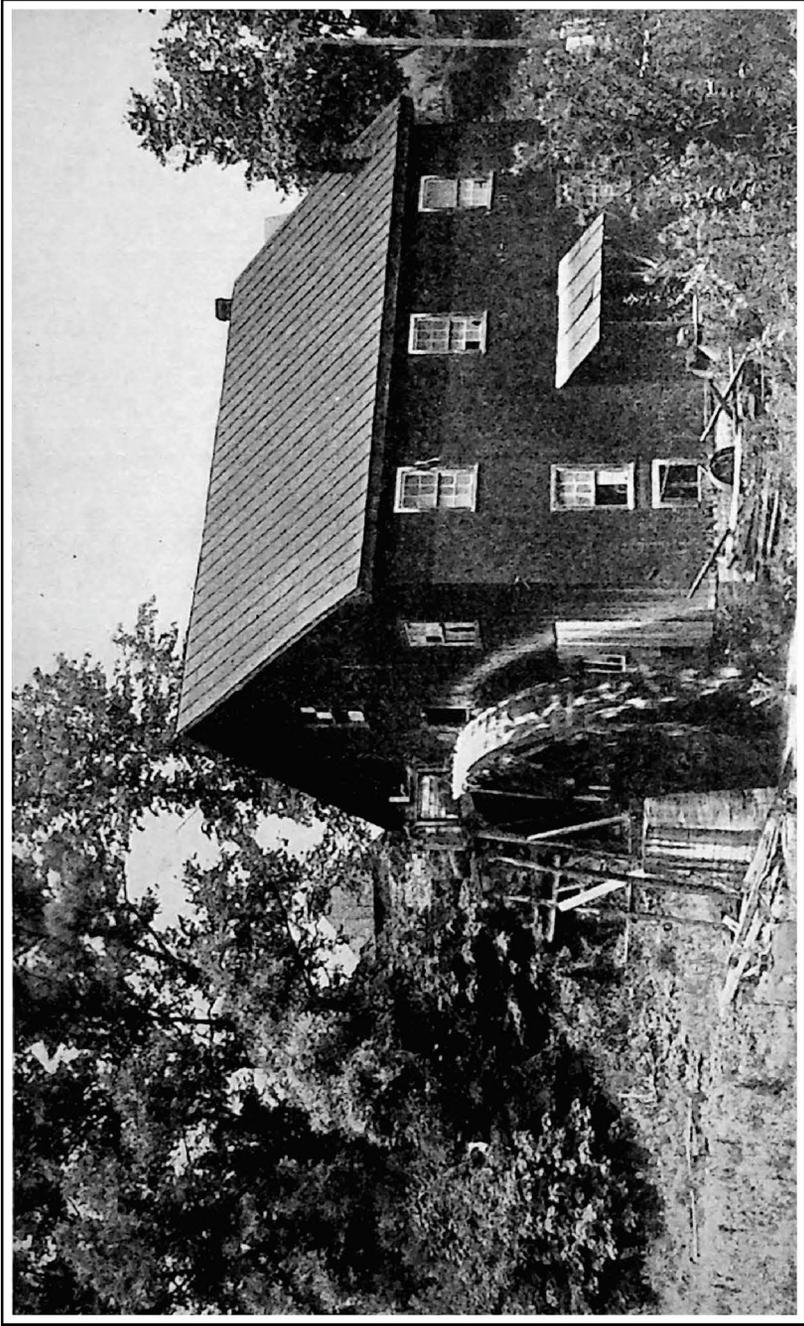
## COMPARATIVE INSURANCE TABLES, 1923-1938

### FIRE INSURANCE COMPANIES

YEAR	Business Written	Premiums Received	Losses Paid
1923.....	\$ 851,862,304	\$ 9,268,189.88	\$ 4,295,267.23
1924.....	847,427,044	9,091,499.48	6,779,883.19
1925.....	898,603,449	8,985,785.48	6,092,266.53
1926.....	985,802,686	9,731,348.62	6,432,728.29
1927.....	988,971,903	9,503,926.32	5,163,369.13
1928.....	983,419,220	8,884,637.98	4,299,571.89
1929.....	1,065,016,919	9,838,800.78	3,930,786.04
1930.....	944,070,318	8,434,411.28	4,759,350.40
1931.....	895,769,210	7,563,255.00	5,034,133.13
1932.....	788,407,024	6,712,945.50	4,637,258.91
1933.....	725,398,031	5,605,868.60	2,439,653.37
1934.....	886,932,707	6,483,069.05	2,336,773.99
1935.....	858,995,747	7,023,234.38	2,370,735.91
1936.....	806,043,020	7,851,519.41	3,411,453.29
1937.....	992,561,456	8,640,164.00	3,360,918.22
1938.....	984,430,978	7,407,230.12	3,179,258.76

### LIFE INSURANCE COMPANIES

YEAR	In Force	Business Written	Premiums Received	Losses Incurred
1923.....	\$ 513,462,457.05	\$ 130,159,371.31	\$ 16,165,207.82	\$ 3,813,146.62
1924.....	564,196,834.68	133,696,787.87	18,142,537.19	4,268,971.13
1925.....	627,081,241.27	144,526,370.49	19,838,973.89	4,227,873.51
1926.....	701,535,906.20	162,520,929.43	21,650,824.25	4,982,007.21
1927.....	728,302,542.77	163,559,468.73	23,274,610.50	7,804,332.19
1928.....	782,591,240.28	168,455,951.72	24,218,279.63	7,493,913.80
1929.....	858,090,159.99	222,396,740.61	25,730,069.77	8,720,548.28
1930.....	884,179,946.59	210,369,380.94	27,780,885.76	9,276,829.63
1931.....	886,966,938.00	179,087,584.00	26,937,104.00	9,581,902.00
1932.....	836,850,820.00	132,589,913.00	24,812,643.62	7,701,219.89
1933.....	786,914,315.71	134,509,386.10	22,319,589.80	7,480,635.95
1934.....	858,090,159.99	153,560,064.00	22,943,277.51	8,181,901.73
1935.....	804,703,252.00	143,619,089.00	23,988,288.93	9,242,097.31
1936.....	863,626,962.00	167,900,583.00	24,607,048.76	8,862,685.22
1937.....	957,967,204.00	201,202,171.00	27,045,354.85	9,712,220.63
1938.....	968,271,338.00	162,807,930.00	25,983,713.16	9,526,332.33



*Photo by Conservation Commission*  
**Old grist mill near Seebert, Pocahontas County, one of the few water power mills still in operation in the state**

# LIBRARIES

## PUBLIC LIBRARIES

- Bluefield**—Public Library, Mrs. Frederick R. Dow, Librarian.
- Cameron**—Cameron Public Library, Mrs. John Elbin and Mrs. C. E. Woodward, Librarians.
- Charleston**—Kanawha County Public Library, Charles E. Butler, Librarian; West Virginia Department of Archives and History Library, Emily Johnston, Librarian; West Virginia State Law Library, J. A. Jackson, Librarian.
- Charles Town**—Old Charles Town Library, Mrs. J. M. Miller, Secretary.
- Clarksburg**—Public Library, Ethel Green, Librarian.
- Elkins**—Elkins Public Library, Anne S. Dunlap, Librarian.
- Fairmont**—Public Library of Marion County, Mrs. Mary W. Conaway, Librarian.
- Grafton**—Grafton Public Library, Elsie M. Ringler, Librarian.
- Harrisville**—Harrisville Public Library, Mrs. M. Elizabeth Eastlack, Librarian.
- Huntington**—James E. Morrow Library, Rosa Oliver, Librarian; Huntington Public Library of Cabell County, Lewis Harvey, Librarian.
- Keyser**—Mineral County Library, Mrs. William Matheson, Librarian; Mineral County Law Library, Paul W. Dayton, Librarian.
- Logan**—Logan Public Library, Mrs. Morris A. Mertz, Librarian.
- Mannington**—Mannington School Library, Bessie R. Mockler, Librarian.
- Martinsburg**—Martinsburg Public Library, Mary Calvert Stribling, Librarian.
- Moorefield**—Moorefield Public Library, Mrs. S. A. McCoy, Chairman Library Committee.
- Morgantown**—Waltman Barbe Public Library, Betty Berry, Librarian.
- Monndsville**—Moundsville Public Library, Mrs. Ida M. Hankins, Librarian.
- McMechen**—McMechen Public Library, Beatrice Gatewood, Secretary Library Committee.
- Parkersburg**—Carnegie Public Library, Anna E. Taylor, Librarian.
- Piedmont**—Public Library, May Rose, Librarian.
- Point Pleasant**—Mason County Library, Dora E. Ellis, Librarian.
- Princeton**—Mercer County Public Library, Juanita E. Good, Secretary.
- Romney**—Hampshire County Public Library, Mrs. Lillian Ladd Church, Librarian.
- Shepherdstown**—Public Library, Mrs. C. F. Lyne, Librarian.
- Shinnston**—Shinnston Woman's Club Public Library, Mrs. Bonnie Weightman, Librarian.
- Sistersville**—Public Library, Bertha Chadderdon, Librarian.
- Spencer**—Public Library, Leone Harper, Librarian.
- Welch**—Memorial Building Library, G. C. Sexton, Librarian.
- Weston**—Lewis County War Memorial and Louis Bennett Public Library, Elizabeth Grant, Librarian.
- Wheeling**—Ohio County Public Library, Eleanor Hamilton, Librarian.
- White Sulphur Springs**—Greenbrier Public Library, Mrs. Tessie Arbogast, Librarian.
- Williamson**—Williamson Public Library, Sara Rowland Scott, Librarian.

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LIBRARIES**

- Athens**—Concord State Teachers College Library, Ora Peters, Librarian.
- Bethany**—Bethany College Library, Anna Mary Kemp, Librarian.
- Buckhannon**—West Virginia Wesleyan College Library, Mrs. Ora D. Curry, Librarian.
- Charleston**—Morris Harvey College Library, James R. Burns, Librarian.
- Elkins**—Davis and Elkins College Library, Mildred B. Johnston, Librarian.
- Fairmont**—Fairmont State Teachers College Library, Emma G. Parsons, Librarian.
- Glenville**—Glenville State Teachers College, Robert F. Kidd Library, Alma Janet Arbuckle and Willerna White, Librarians.
- Harpers Ferry**—Storer College, Roger Williams Library, Charles W. Wolfe, Librarian.
- Huntington**—Veterans' Administration Facility Library, Anne L. Sullivan, Librarian.
- Institute**—West Virginia State College Library, Miles M. Jefferson, Librarian.
- Keyser**—Potomac State School Library, Mary Fravel Shipper, Librarian.
- Lewisburg**—Greenbrier College Library, Dora T. M. Biggs, Librarian. Greenbrier Military School Library, E. Katherine Moore, Librarian.
- Montgomery**—New River State College Library, Mrs. Lenore M. Baber, Librarian.
- Morgantown**—West Virginia University Library, W. P. Kellam, Librarian. College of Law Library, Mrs. Lena May Mathews, Librarian.
- Phillippi**—Alderson-Broadus College Library, Bernice D. Grant, Librarian.
- Romney**—West Virginia Schools for the Deaf and Blind Library, Mrs. Lillian Ladd Church, Librarian.
- Salem**—Salem College Library, Eva Lee Cole, Librarian.
- Shepherdstown**—Shepherd State Teachers College Library, Stewart E. Arnold, Librarian.
- West Liberty**—West Liberty State Teachers College, Milton McColloch Library, Virginia A. Patterson, Librarian.
- Wheeling**—Ohio Valley General Hospital Library, Margaret L. Krebs, Librarian.

# LIQUOR CONTROL

Under the West Virginia liquor control act the first state liquor stores were opened at Charleston on May 9, 1935. A total of 105 stores and 26 agencies were being operated as of December 15, 1939.

The following counties have voted dry: Grant, Jackson, Lincoln, Nicholas, Ritchie, Roane, Upshur, and Wetzel. However, the following municipalities in these dry counties have voted in favor of the establishment of state liquor stores: New Martinsville, Wetzel County; Ripley, Jackson County; Richwood, Nicholas County; and Spencer, Roane County.

Cities and towns have voted dry as follows: Blacksville, Ceredo, Franklin, Littleton, Lumberport, Mannington, Matoaka, Pennsboro, Ravenswood, Romney, St. Albans, Summersville, Wayne, West Union, Williamstown, and Worthington.

Majorities in favor of the establishment and maintenance of state liquor stores have been recorded at elections held in the following counties: Barbour, Pocahontas, and Preston.

Majorities in favor of the establishment and maintenance of state liquor stores have been recorded at elections held in the following cities: Clay, Clendenin, East Rainelle, Fayetteville, Glenville, Moorefield, New Martinsville, Parsons, Princeton, Richwood, Ripley, Rivesville, Spencer, and Weston.

## SALES AT STATE STORES AND AGENCIES

JULY 1, 1938-JUNE 30, 1939

(Compiled from data furnished by West Virginia Liquor Control Commission)

County	City	Store or Agency No.	Total Sales	County	City	Store or Agency No.	Total Sales
Barbour.....	Belington.....	179	\$ 17,357.90	Fayette.....	Fayetteville....	91	50,382.00
	Philippi.....	25	60,329.35		Gauley Bridge..	77	64,779.41
Berkeley....	Martinsburg...	23	193,877.10		Lookout.....	66	51,959.63
	Boone.....	Madison.....	59		73,400.10	Montgomery...	36
Whitesville...		58	82,393.35		Mount Hope...	54	91,726.45
Braxton.....	Burnsville.....	175	8,462.80		Oak Hill.....	19	148,828.97
	Gassaway.....	101	30,267.84		Powellton.....	67	42,841.42
	Sutton.....	57	34,073.35	Gilmer.....	Glenville.....	52	31,434.81
Brooke.....	Follansbee....	190	33,945.00		Grant.....		
	Wellsburg....	11	80,760.93	Greenbrier...	East Rainelle..	35	67,591.74
Cabell.....	Huntington....	3	357,898.55		Lewisburg.....	55	76,668.73
	Huntington....	4	207,607.39		Quinwood.....	18	38,305.73
	Huntington....	29	124,460.96		Ronceverte....	62	70,041.29
	Huntington....	103	244,878.71		W. Sul. Spgs...	65	65,939.39
Calhoun.....	Arnoldsburg...	168	10,771.15	W. Sul. Spgs...	161	57,232.55	
	Grantsville...	174	31,580.20	Hampshire...			
Clay.....	Clay.....	86	44,852.51	Hancock....	Chester.....	70	41,904.61
	Doddridge...				N. Cumberland	194	14,887.70
					Weirton.....	12	120,446.27
					Weirton.....	13	115,064.27

## SALES AT STATE STORES AND AGENCIES—Continued

County	City	Store or Agency No.	Total Sales	County	City	Store or Agency No.	Total Sales
Hardy	Moorefield	78	50,265.43	Monongalia	Lowville	173	12,904.45
Harrison	Bridgeport	178	13,269.95		Morgantown	41	250,190.20
	Clarksburg	28	339,277.00		Osage	102	48,753.50
	Clarksburg	81	143,240.80	Monroe			
	Nutter Fork	192	20,683.85	Morgan	Berkeley Spgs.	161	24,813.30
	Shinnston	53	77,860.10	Nicholas	Richwood	45	57,988.12
Jackson	Ripley	43	43,519.50	Ohio	Wheeling		
Jefferson	Charles Town	21	96,757.68		(Elm Grove)	10	147,277.50
	Harpers Ferry	180	8,437.15		Wheeling		
Kanawha	Cedar Grove	60	62,949.95		(So. Wheeling)	96	124,130.30
	Charleston	1	411,978.69		Wheeling	9	256,400.42
	Charleston	2	198,071.12		Wheeling	82	78,622.45
	Charleston	44	142,698.93		Wheeling	94	137,159.50
	Charleston	61	354,291.08	Pendleton	Brandywine	177	17,703.40
	Charleston	84	248,787.04	Pleasants	St. Marys	90	40,474.79
	Charleston	100	52,917.24	Pocahontas	Cass	172	10,666.60
	Clenadin	89	44,661.64		Durbin	160	21,841.40
	Dunbar	93	43,342.07		Marlinton	40	60,287.05
	Eskdale	68	67,249.46	Preston	Kingwood	50	51,815.57
	Hansford	188	34,354.95		Mason Town	164	16,881.10
	Marmet	98	61,148.88		Terra Alta	83	44,310.20
Nitro	158	44,952.50	Putnam				
So. Charleston	32	158,191.20	Raleigh	Beekley	33	435,826.67	
Lewis	Weston	27	150,542.60		Sophia	99	72,388.54
Lincoln				Itandolph	Elkins	26	165,619.34
Logan	Logan	20	267,824.77		Harman	189	10,211.15
	Alan	56	85,737.55		Mill Creek	187	17,602.25
	Omar	95	63,298.40		Valley Head	176	14,530.05
	Sharples	159	21,091.55	Ritchie			
McDowell	Anawalt	73	34,005.03	Roane	Spencer	14	62,936.25
	Jaeger	69	50,556.02	Summers	Hinton	30	126,765.63
	Keystone	46	41,233.50	Taylor	Flemington	64	27,680.70
	Kimball	70	36,894.55		Grafton	6	102,733.10
	Northfork	71	67,457.41	Tucker	Parsons	42	31,159.70
	War	48	126,868.13		Thomas	51	37,808.63
	Welch	15	218,506.88	Tyler	Sistersville	75	57,461.68
Marion	Fairmont	34	114,620.30	Upshur			
	Fairmont	78	235,538.55	Wayne			
	Farmington	92	60,202.75	Webster	Camden-on-Gaulley	165	18,626.60
	Grant Town	171	23,686.05		Webster Spgs.	49	61,062.98
	Monongah	156	21,410.00	Wetzel	N. Martinsville	37	70,304.80
	Rivesville	87	37,132.91	Wirt	Elizabeth	63	10,091.24
Marshall	Benwood	72	75,808.00	Wood	Parkersburg	7	285,459.03
	Cameron	31	33,783.90		Parkersburg	74	42,507.80
	Moundsville	8	96,894.34		Parkersburg	97	110,913.55
Mason	Pt. Pleasant	5	66,017.53	Wyoming	Mullens	47	110,468.02
Mercer	Bluefield	16	274,420.73		Pineville	104	20,528.46
	Bluefield	88	169,411.40				
	Princeton	17	164,847.09				
Mineral	Keyser	22	93,521.86				
	Piedmont	38	55,040.03				
	Ridgeley	39	147,500.73				
Mingo	Delbarton	85	20,548.96				
	Kermit	166	18,553.95				
	Matewan	80	45,820.07				
	Williamson	24	182,082.07				
Total Sales, Stores and Agencies							\$12,144,382.87

**CONSUMPTION OF LIQUORS AND WINES, BY COUNTIES, 1938-1939**

County	Spiritous Liquors (Gals.)	Wines (Gals.)	Per Capita Consumption		County	Spiritous Liquors (Gals.)	Wines (Gals.)	Per Capita Consumption	
			1938-39	1937-38				1938-39	1937-38
Barbour.....	11,079	4,116	.816	.696	Monongalia... 46,297	7,842	1.081	1.058	
Berkeley.....	31,811	1,342	1.183	1.126	Monroe.....				
Boone.....	23,031	3,602	1.082	1.119	Morgan.....	3,905	102	.477	.488
Braxton.....	9,973	2,131	.536	.555	McDowell....	88,689	16,423	1.161	1.478
Brooke.....	17,937	3,101	.533	.889	Nicholas.....	7,791	2,894	.517	.543
Cabell.....	146,357	5,144	1.705	1.155	Ohio.....	110,261	11,953	1.666	1.693
Calhoun.....	5,617	995	.609	.656	Pendleton....	2,665	307	.308	.230
Clay.....	6,195	2,155	.538	.512	Pleasants....	7,214	739	1.215	1.139
Doddridge....					Pocahontas... 13,613	1,705	1.052	1.136	
Fayette.....	97,190	13,887	1.542	1.726	Preston.....	16,445	3,389	.683	.662
Gilmer.....	4,466	759	.491	.572	Putnam.....				.048
Grant.....					Raleigh.....	77,280	7,970	1.252	1.300
Greenbrier... 46,069	8,470	1.529	1.594		Randolph....	29,080	6,043	1.402	1.463
Hampshire....					Ritchie.....				
Hancock.....	44,779	5,680	1.769	1.940	Roane.....	8,898	1,450	.531	.517
Hardy.....	9,352	1,007	1.056	1.145	Summers....	20,244	1,064	1.041	.992
Harrison....	85,241	9,309	1.293	1.260	Taylor.....	19,972	2,790	1.191	1.257
Jackson.....	6,732	906	.467	.470	Tucker.....	10,280	2,804	.977	.957
Jefferson....	16,753	1,019	1.128	1.087	Tyler.....	5,597	979	.749	.504
Kanawha....	275,879	33,431	1.960	1.948	Upshur.....				
Lewis.....	22,485	1,937	1.121	1.168	Wayne.....				
Lincoln.....					Webster....	10,626	3,910	1.022	1.028
Logan.....	68,450	8,561	1.315	1.545	Wetzel.....	10,504	1,609	.542	.569
Marion.....	73,584	9,994	1.254	1.330	Wirt.....	2,452	339	.423	.482
Marshall....	33,640	4,054	.946	1.038	Wood.....	64,868	5,100	1.238	1.206
Mason.....	10,057	1,083	.536	.515	Wyoming....	21,068	2,028	1.104	1.112
Mercer.....	92,027	7,763	1.628	1.786					
Mineral....	45,045	4,198	2.451	2.470	<b>Total.....</b>	<b>1,810,282</b>	<b>223,657</b>	<b>1.176</b>	<b>1.198</b>
Minzo.....	46,141	4,248	1.316	1.211					

\*—The quantity of liquors and wines sold in each county is considered to be the quantity consumed.

**RECAPITULATION**

Store Sales.....		\$ 11,597,025.32
Agency Sales.....		547,357.55
Licenses and miscellaneous.....		55,671.35
<b>TOTAL SALES.....</b>		<b>\$ 12,200,054.22</b>
Cost of goods sold.....	\$ 7,905,253.53	
Expenses (direct and overhead).....	1,258,142.60	9,163,396.13
Profit from sales.....		\$ 3,036,658.09
Other income.....		190,711.17
<b>Net profit for fiscal year.....</b>		<b>\$ 3,227,369.26</b>

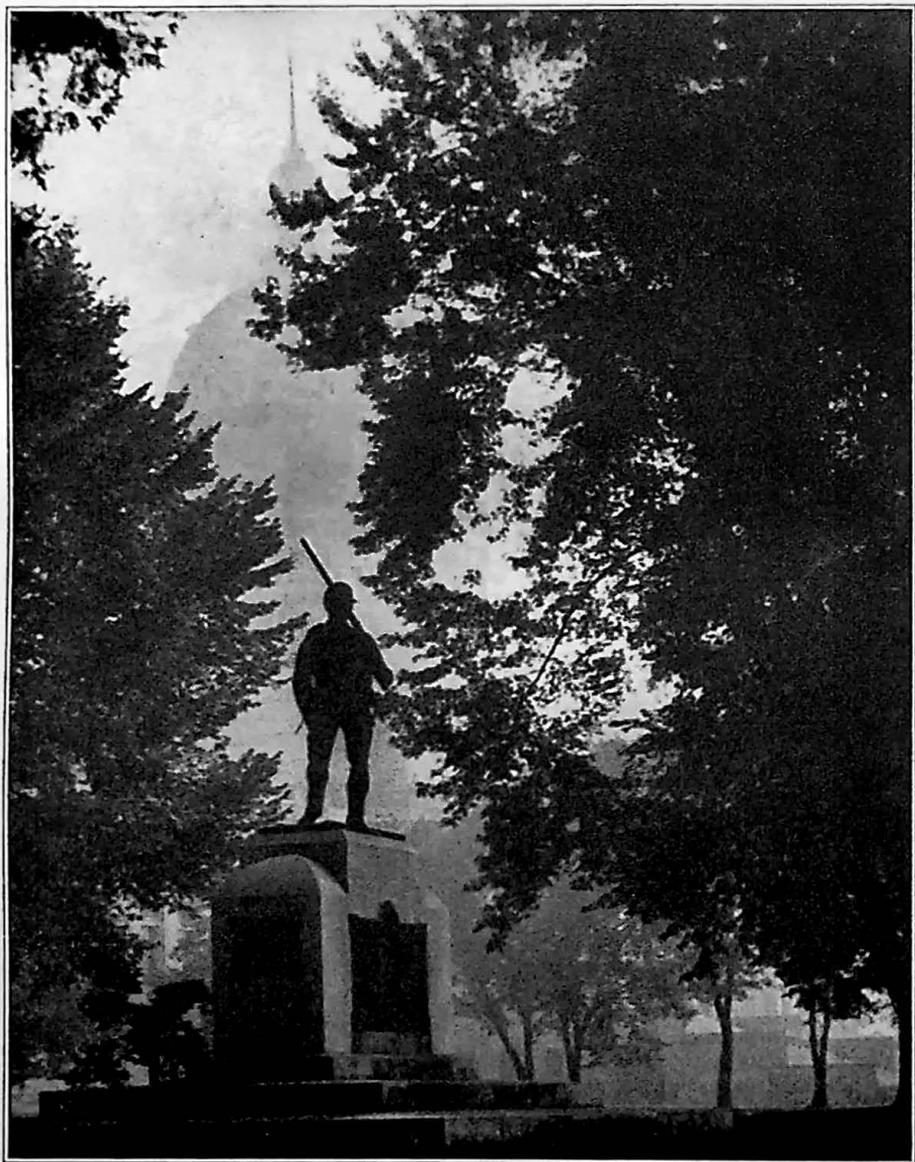
**NET EARNINGS, 1935-1939**

(Fiscal Year)

1934-35 (May 9-June 30, 1935).....	\$ 118,551.87
1935-36.....	2,389,271.35
1936-37.....	3,294,680.76
1937-38.....	2,419,078.48
1938-39.....	3,227,369.26
<b>Total net earnings to June 30, 1939.....</b>	<b>\$ 12,442,251.72</b>

**WET AND DRY AREAS**

AREAS	PER CENT	
	1935-39	1937-38
Area of state wet.....	83.40	84.85
Area of state dry.....	16.60	15.15



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**The Capitol, looking east from Kanawha Boulevard, showing Memorial to Union Soldiers and Sailors, erected in 1930.**

# POLITICAL

## †GENERAL ELECTION RETURNS, 1938

### CONGRESS

#### FIRST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	Robert L. Ramsay (Democrat)	*A. C. (Andy) Schiffler (Republican)
Brooke .....	4,851	4,640
Hancock .....	4,431	5,209
Marion .....	12,987	11,638
Marshall .....	6,102	8,325
Ohio .....	10,948	19,794
Taylor .....	3,805	3,812
Wetzel .....	3,927	3,625
<b>TOTALS .....</b>	<b>47,051</b>	<b>57,043</b>

#### SECOND CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	*Jennings Randolph (Democrat)	Melvin C. Snyder (Republican)
Barbour .....	4,375	3,490
Berkeley .....	6,104	5,690
Grant .....	822	2,072
Hampshire .....	2,001	967
Hardy .....	2,008	1,150
Jefferson .....	3,211	1,499
Mineral .....	3,787	4,187
Monongalia .....	8,612	7,416
Morgan .....	1,333	1,978
Pendleton .....	1,820	1,086
Pocahontas .....	3,214	2,084
Preston .....	4,244	6,849
Randolph .....	5,657	2,207
Tucker .....	2,917	2,247
Webster .....	3,182	1,412
<b>TOTALS .....</b>	<b>53,277</b>	<b>44,334</b>

#### THIRD CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	*Andrew Edmiston (Democrat)	H. Roy Waugh (Republican)
Braxton .....	4,085	2,708
Calhoun .....	2,185	1,460
Clay .....	3,147	1,841
Doddridge .....	1,338	2,405
Fayette .....	12,492	6,057
Gilmer .....	2,560	1,302
Harrison .....	14,321	12,487
Lewis .....	5,080	4,637
Nicholas .....	4,355	2,950
Ritchie .....	1,853	3,567
Upshur .....	2,301	3,995
<b>TOTALS .....</b>	<b>53,722</b>	<b>43,407</b>

#### FOURTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	*George W. Johnson (Democrat)	Raymond V. Humphreys (Republican)
Cabell .....	21,949	15,553
Jackson .....	3,435	4,205
Lincoln .....	4,818	4,294
Mason .....	4,596	4,770
Pleasants .....	1,674	1,562
Putnam .....	3,660	3,313
Roane .....	5,122	4,990
Tyler .....	1,868	3,368
Wayne .....	7,352	4,731
Wirt .....	1,481	1,352
Wood .....	10,010	10,581
<b>TOTALS .....</b>	<b>65,965</b>	<b>58,749</b>

#### FIFTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	*John Keer (Democrat)	Hartley Sanders (Republican)
Greenbrier .....	6,489	3,584
McDowell .....	15,879	10,545
Mercer .....	11,216	8,393
Mingo .....	8,960	3,828
Monroe .....	3,363	2,791
Summers .....	4,064	2,163
Wyoming .....	5,530	3,685
<b>TOTALS .....</b>	<b>55,501</b>	<b>34,989</b>

#### SIXTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	*Joe L. Smith (Democrat)	R. E. O'Connor (Republican)
Boone .....	5,474	2,328
Kanawha .....	37,946	24,561
Logan .....	11,073	6,073
Raleigh .....	13,320	7,998
<b>TOTALS .....</b>	<b>67,813</b>	<b>40,965</b>

†—General election, November 8, 1938. \*—Elected.

## WEST VIRGINIA SENATE

### FIRST SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	Carl B. Galbraith (D)	*Thomas Sweeney (R)
Brooke.....	4,748	4,541
Hancock.....	4,222	5,102
Ohio.....	12,740	17,762
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>21,719</b>	<b>27,405</b>

### SECOND SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	Geo. N. Yoho (D)	*D. B. Ealy, M. D. (R.)
Marshall.....	5,881	8,252
Tyler.....	1,926	3,219
Wetzel.....	4,334	2,974
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>12,141</b>	<b>14,444</b>

### THIRD SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	*L. J. Morris (D)	W. H. Carter (R)
Calhoun.....	2,774	905
Gilmer.....	2,625	1,139
Pleasants.....	1,764	1,423
Ritchie.....	1,926	3,445
Wirt.....	1,590	1,209
Wood.....	9,744	10,447
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>20,423</b>	<b>18,568</b>

### FOURTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	*B. Cleo Casto (D)	Oliver D. Kessel (R)
Clay.....	3,079	1,800
Jackson.....	3,691	3,900
Mason.....	4,586	4,600
Putnam.....	3,549	3,260
Ronne.....	5,108	4,910
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>20,012</b>	<b>18,530</b>

### FIFTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

COUNTIES	*A. M. Martin (D)	Harrison H. Lamb (R)
Cabell.....	21,898	14,844
Wayne.....	7,203	4,277
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>29,101</b>	<b>19,121</b>

### SIXTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

(Long Term)

COUNTIES	*John H. Greene (D)	J. A. French (R)
McDowell.....	15,127	10,670
Mingo.....	8,820	3,907
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>23,947</b>	<b>14,577</b>

### SIXTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

(Short Term)

COUNTY	*J. Robert Anderson (D)	Jas. Donald Clark (R)
McDowell.....	15,316	9,973
Mingo.....	8,542	4,112
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>23,858</b>	<b>14,085</b>

### EIGHTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

(Long Term)

COUNTY	*S. H. Robertson (D)	B. J. Pettigrew (R)
Kanawha.....	36,961	24,904
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>36,961</b>	<b>24,994</b>

### EIGHTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

(Short Term)

COUNTY	*Roy F. Jimison (D)	A. L. Hughes (R)
Kanawha.....	37,086	24,643
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>37,086</b>	<b>24,643</b>

### NINTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

(Long Term)

COUNTIES	*T. E. Bibb (D)	Rosalie C. Muller (R)
Raleigh.....	12,175	5,535
Wyoming.....	5,276	3,621
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>17,451</b>	<b>12,156</b>

†The Senatorial Redistricting Act, passed at the 1937 session of the Legislature, provided that no election for senator was to be held in 1938 in the seventh and twelfth senatorial districts.

\*Elected.

**NINTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT**

(Short Term)

COUNTY	*Dr. Ward Wylie (D)	William M. Holroyd (R)
Raleigh.....	11,811	8,032
Wyoming.....	5,204	3,823
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>17,015</b>	<b>11,855</b>

**THIRTEENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT**

COUNTIES	*Byron B Randolph (D)	Ira L. Swizer (R)
Doddridge.....	1,328	2,356
Harrison.....	14,673	12,204
Lewis.....	4,827	4,637
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>20,828</b>	<b>19,197</b>

**TENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT**

COUNTIES	*Wm. M. (Bill) LaFon (D)	Percy H. Brown (R)
Mercer.....	11,256	7,845
Monroe.....	3,471	2,656
Summers.....	3,711	2,408
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>18,468</b>	<b>12,911</b>

**FOURTEENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT**

COUNTIES	*William J. Hussion (D)	Hale J. Posten (R)
Marion.....	13,347	10,926
Morgantown.....	7,167	8,434
Taylor.....	3,806	3,811
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>24,320</b>	<b>23,171</b>

**ELEVENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT**

COUNTIES	*William N. Jasper (D)	Claude E. Vance (R)
Fayette.....	11,743	6,575
Greenbrier.....	6,105	3,706
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>17,848</b>	<b>10,281</b>

**FIFTEENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT**

COUNTIES	*G. O. Young (R)	No Democratic Candidate
Barbour.....	3,756	.....
Grant.....	2,099	.....
Preston.....	6,672	.....
Tucker.....	2,146	.....
Upshur.....	4,438	.....
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>19,111</b>	.....

**SIXTEENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT**

COUNTIES	*J. A. Proctor (D)	J. A. Eyster (R)
Berkeley.....	5,975	5,667
Hampshire.....	2,054	841
Hardy.....	2,074	1,015
Jefferson.....	3,021	1,705
Mineral.....	3,375	4,278
Morgan.....	1,519	1,751
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>18,018</b>	<b>15,257</b>

\*—Elected.

## HOUSE OF DELEGATES

## Barbour County

\*Wm. T. George, Jr., (D)..... 3949  
 William Janes, (R)..... 3728

## Berkeley County

Joseph D. Fry, (D)..... 5584  
 \*Charles Beard, (R)..... 6072

## Boone County

\*E. E. White, (D)..... 5303  
 Melvin Roberts, (R)..... 2414

## Braxton County

\*L. T. Harvey, (D)..... 4031  
 Noah Nuzum, (R)..... 2639

## Brooke County

B. O. Cresap, (D)..... 4178  
 \*L. Reed Clark, (R)..... 4919

## Cabell County

\*Mike Casey, (D)..... 21369  
 \*John G. Hudson, (D)..... 21964  
 \*Chas. G. Rhodes, (D)..... 21755  
 \*Clade V. Swann, (D)..... 22304  
 \*A. R. Winters, (D)..... 21970  
 Caldwell Dudley, (R)..... 13992  
 G. Y. Neal, (R)..... 14453  
 Egerton Shaw, (R)..... 13918  
 Leonard A. Shawkey, (R)..... 15052  
 Robert R. Smith, Jr., (R)..... 14437

## Calhoun County

\*C. A. Jarvis, (D)..... 2544  
 Simon C. Whytsell, (R)..... 1114

## Clay County

\*R. R. Lockhart, (D)..... 3099  
 L. M. Reed, (R)..... 1855

## Doddridge County

L. W. Chapman, (D)..... 1167  
 \*S. Lee Smith, (R)..... 2423

## Fayette County

\*R. L. Matthews, (D)..... 11821  
 \*J. Alex Tinsley, (D)..... 11793  
 \*Magee McClung, (D)..... 11536  
 \*Mrs. Nell Walker, (D)..... 11979  
 T. A. Morrison, (R)..... 6432  
 J. M. Ellis, (R)..... 5706  
 V. E. Smith, (R)..... 5770  
 William E. Darnall, Jr., (R)..... 6219

## Gilmer County

\*Paul H. Kidd, (D)..... 2433  
 Hall Wilson, (R)..... 1378

## Grant County

\*Melvin C. Muntzing, (R)..... 2137  
 (No Democratic Candidate)

## Greenbrier County

\*Charles L. McClung, (D)..... 5823  
 \*John H. Bowling, (D)..... 6458  
 J. E. Decker, (R)..... 3431

## Hampshire County

\*William T. Milleson, (D)..... 2119  
 (No Republican Candidate)

## Hancock County

Frank A. Pietranton, (D)..... 4023  
 \*Geo. E. Loucas, (R)..... 5000

## Hardy County

\*C. C. Helshman, (D)..... 2045  
 M. A. Evans, (R)..... 1042

## Harrison County

\*Edgar E. Righter, (D)..... 13717  
 \*Fred L. Shinn, (D)..... 13927  
 \*E. L. Simpson, (D)..... 13703  
 \*Howard J. James, (D)..... 13390  
 Howard L. Cunningham, (R)..... 12022  
 Oral G. Layman, (R)..... 11521  
 Wm. Bruce Wolf, (R)..... 11454  
 Donald M. Hutton, (R)..... 11773

## Jackson County

Homer F. Young, (D)..... 3414  
 \*Jack Walker, (R)..... 4140

## Jefferson County

\*W. F. Alexander, (D)..... 3325  
 H. N. Bradley, (R)..... 1264

## Kanawha County

\*John E. Amos, (D)..... 37406  
 \*W. T. Brotherton, (D)..... 37078  
 \*Carl C. Calvert, (D)..... 36951  
 \*I. L. Cavender, (D)..... 36723  
 \*W. T. Hanlfin, (D)..... 36438  
 \*Walter L. Hurley, (D)..... 36192  
 \*K. L. McClung, (D)..... 36704  
 \*James K. Thomas, (D)..... 37057  
 George Byers, (R)..... 24061  
 Chas. W. Caldwell, (R)..... 24217  
 Wm. T. Lively, (R)..... 24868

\*Elected.

Langdon C. Morris, (R)..... 24666  
 J. H. Love, (R)..... 24027  
 James A. McWhorter, (R)..... 24695  
 Harvey Wills, Jr., (R)..... 23839  
 Frank R. Sevy, (R)..... 24394

**Lewis County**

W. L. Pritchard, (D)..... 4255  
 \*Kenneth S. Kurtz, (R)..... 5310

**Lincoln County**

\*Frank Adkins, (D)..... 4697  
 Rev. Henry Swanson, (R)..... 4343

**Logan County**

\*Lonnie E. Butcher, (D)..... 10373  
 \*Carl McCoy, (D)..... 10236  
 \*Lester Perry, (D)..... 10331  
 Fred J. Hawks, (R)..... 6642  
 Robert Hill, (R)..... 6231  
 Oscar Tabory, (R)..... 6474

**Marion County**

\*H. A. Alltop, (D)..... 12889  
 \*John L. Gill, (D)..... 13798  
 \*Russell D. Meredith, (D)..... 14396  
 Harry L. Butcher, (R)..... 10076  
 Lee O. Eddy, (R)..... 10839  
 Alfred R. Putnam, (R)..... 9998

**Marshall County**

Charles Heath, (D)..... 5923  
 John Storm, (D)..... 5427  
 \*Everett F. Moore, (R)..... 7875  
 \*Floyd R. Yoho, (R)..... 7811

**Mason County**

A. K. McClung, (D)..... 4668  
 \*Geo. A. Rairden, (R)..... 4690

**Mercer County**

\*John W. Haldren, (D)..... 10447  
 \*O. H. Ballard, (D)..... 10454  
 \*A. A. Hopkins, (D)..... 10766  
 C. Scott Lilly, (R)..... 8121  
 E. L. Phillips, (R)..... 7676  
 H. E. DeJarnette, (R)..... 8243

**Mineral County**

John W. Barger, (D)..... 3023  
 \*John I. Rogers, (R)..... 4789

**Mingo County**

\*Mark Russell, Jr., (D)..... 8542  
 \*Glenn Taylor, (D)..... 8496  
 Frank G. Sohn, (R)..... 3824  
 Joe Kirk, (R)..... 4126

**Monongalia County**

\*Harold D. Slaven, (D)..... 8105

\*Junius M. Strouss, (D)..... 8208  
 Jerry Nyhan, (R)..... 6390  
 J. W. Hartigan, (R)..... 7992

**Monroe County**

\*J. O. Mitchell, (D)..... 3242  
 Sherman H. Ballard, (R)..... 2896

**Morgan County**

A. G. Davison, (D)..... 1482  
 \*Harvey D. Beeler, (R)..... 1792

**McDowell County**

\*J. C. Hansbarger, (D)..... 15098  
 \*Fleming A. Jones, Jr., (D)..... 14529  
 \*Harry R. Pauley, (D)..... 14748  
 \*Geo. W. Vick, (D)..... 14903  
 \*Cecil W. Wilson, (D)..... 14794  
 F. W. Felton, (R)..... 9715  
 A. E. Hodges, (R)..... 10125  
 B. D. Humphreys, Jr., (R)..... 10063  
 C. R. Moore, (R)..... 9973  
 Frank Rutledge, (R)..... 10081

**Nicholas County**

\*Jake Neal, (D)..... 4118  
 Ada White Poling, (R)..... 3161

**Ohio County**

Andrew V. Ruckman, (D)..... 11308  
 Camden Bud Taney, (D)..... 11165  
 Henry S. Schrader, (D)..... 13455  
 Stephen J. Russek, (D)..... 11140  
 \*Cuyler E. Ewing, (R)..... 17501  
 \*Wm. A. Hannig, (R)..... 15042  
 \*Tom H. Johnson, (R)..... 16343  
 \*J. Wm. Cummins, (R)..... 16017

**Pendleton County**

\*Wm. D. Anderson, (D)..... 1844  
 (No Republican Candidate)

**Pleasants County**

O. C. Barkwill, (D)..... 1437  
 \*J. C. Powell, (R)..... 1805

**Pocahontas County**

\*June McElwee, (D)..... 2813  
 Dr. L. C. McCutcheon, (R)..... 2426

**Preston County**

Hilton Anderson, (D)..... 4096  
 \*C. B. Bishoff, (R)..... 6472

**Putnam County**

\*Dr. H. A. Erwin, (D)..... 3472  
 Harry W. Bayer, (R)..... 3397

**Raleigh County**

\*O. C. Flint, (D)..... 12140  
 \*J. L. Huffman, (D)..... 11278

\*Elected.

*B. E. Meadows, (D) .....	10865
T. N. Williams, (R) .....	8472
Brown W. Payne, (R) .....	8243
P. H. Wilson, (R) .....	8143

**Randolph County**

*John W. Bosworth, (D).....	5085
A. W. Ewing, (R).....	2507

**Ritchie County**

J. J. Johnson, (D) .....	1963
*Robert Morris, (R).....	3363

**Roane County**

*Everett Starcher, (D).....	5210
Dr. A. T. Gordon, (R).....	4786

**Summers County**

*Forest L. McNeer, (D).....	3594
Harold B. Eagle, (R).....	2538

**Taylor County**

*Lloyd L. Shriver, (D) .....	3881
Arthur Robinson, (R).....	3588

**Tucker County**

*J. C. Cooper, (D) .....	2644
Cleon W. Raese, (R) .....	2446

**Tyler County**

*Orren L. Jones, (R) .....	3397
I. W. Headley, (D).....	1763

**Upshur County**

Yale Canfield, (D) .....	1630
*Perce J. Ross, (R) .....	4264

**Wayne County**

*Frank Lake, (D) .....	6623
*Epslon A. Cole, (D).....	7249
Glen F. Mott, (R).....	4555

**Webster County**

*H. Clay Mace, (D) .....	2568
H. Ward Cooper, (R) .....	2252

**Wetzel County**

*Herbert Shuppach, (D) .....	4633
Milliard F. Blodgett, (R).....	2663

**Wirt County**

James L. Smith, (D) .....	1389
*Robert F. Hickman, (R) .....	1434

**Wood County**

*Francis H. Bickel, (D) .....	10349
*Ben F. Nern, (R) .....	10193
*Spencer K. Creel, (R) .....	10594
George W. Dye, (D) .....	9023
J. M. Melrose, (D) .....	9517
W. L. Deem, (R).....	10023

**Wyoming County**

*Fred Deal, (D) .....	5166
W. H. Speegle, (R) .....	3667

**BANKING INSTITUTIONS AMENDMENT**

County	For	Against	County	For	Against
Barbour .....	1,752	1,295	Mineral .....	1,707	730
Berkeley .....	4,002	502	Mingo .....	1,044	281
Boone .....	1,005	948	Monongalia .....	4,581	2,230
Braxton .....	654	714	Monroe .....	1,317	224
Brooke .....	2,001	1,137	Morgan .....	386	200
Cabell .....	11,117	2,219	McDowell .....	3,548	1,255
Calhoun .....	1,478	413	Nicholas .....	909	604
Clay .....	599	256	Ohio .....	12,164	6,010
Doddridge .....	734	575	Pendleton .....	1,049	187
Fayette .....	3,700	2,121	Pleasants .....	1,742	301
Gilmer .....	781	329	Pocahontas .....	1,253	475
Grant .....	1,142	145	Praton .....	1,990	1,458
Greenbrier .....	2,290	917	Putnam .....	722	612
Hampshire .....	939	576	Raleigh .....	3,518	1,236
Hancock .....	2,023	1,230	Randolph .....	3,582	503
Hardy .....	677	271	Ritchie .....	1,480	079
Harrison .....	6,751	3,243	Rosne .....	1,258	832
Jackson .....	1,434	803	Summers .....	1,101	017
Jefferson .....	1,975	201	Taylor .....	2,146	867
Kanawha .....	12,178	6,616	Tucker .....	1,264	881
Lewis .....	2,803	1,415	Tyler .....	164	22
Lincoln .....	301	183	Upshur .....	1,200	782
Logan .....	1,037	717	Wayne .....	1,142	554
Marion .....	7,226	2,805	Webster .....	701	040
Marshall .....	3,846	2,085	Wetzel .....	1,851	786
Mason .....	1,848	1,150	Wirt .....	600	446
Mercer .....	4,910	1,218	Wood .....	5,522	3,530
			Wyoming .....	478	230
			<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>139,085</b>	<b>62,241</b>

## REGISTRATION, PRIMARY AND GENERAL ELECTIONS, 1938

Counties	*Number of Precincts	Total Registration		Democratic		Republican		Other Parties	
		Primary	General	Primary	General	Primary	General	Primary	General
Barbour	34	10,851	10,899	5,862	5,889	4,925	4,946	64	64
Berkeley	41	18,330	18,378	9,710	9,687	8,394	8,417	226	274
Boone	34	13,608	13,778	8,948	9,052	4,555	4,639	75	87
Braxton	45	12,252	12,278	7,813	7,832	4,370	4,377	69	69
Brooke	25	13,089	13,872	6,905	6,946	6,034	6,050	150	876
Calbell	104	57,918	59,650	33,699	34,842	23,588	24,166	631	642
Calhoun	18	6,754	6,734	4,591	4,824	1,863	1,910		
Clay	23	7,257	7,506	4,054	4,139	3,156	3,315	47	52
Doddridge	19	6,360	6,413	2,138	2,192	4,198	4,227	24	24
Fayette	107	41,898	42,298	27,950	28,255	13,948	14,043		
Gilmer	25	6,725	6,666	4,772	4,698	1,953	1,965		
Grant	14	4,893	5,099	1,072	1,070	3,821	4,009		
Greenbrier	56	21,019	20,986	13,568	13,535	7,254	7,254	197	197
Hampshire	27	7,078	7,115	5,358	5,410	1,664	1,655	56	50
Hancock	24	14,780	15,284	6,874	7,037	7,769	8,094	137	153
Hardy	11	5,761	5,779	4,029	4,044	1,645	1,648	87	87
Harrison	96	47,576	48,177	28,737	29,091	18,436	18,666	403	420
Jackson	34	9,861	10,142	4,145	4,205	5,716	5,793		144
Jefferson	23	10,931	11,029	8,250	8,326	2,570	2,582	111	111
Kanawha	186	105,511	106,061	60,375	60,809	43,288	43,398	1,848	1,854
Lewis	47	12,970	13,239	6,570	6,780	6,310	6,369	90	90
Lincoln	30	11,545	11,650	6,875	6,985	4,619	4,665	51	
Lozan	66	31,288	31,888	22,251	22,463	8,938	9,325	99	100
Marion	68	40,037	40,066	24,430	24,519	14,836	14,802	771	745
Marshall	51	20,672	20,790	9,482	9,576	10,793	10,828	397	386
Mason	36	12,439	12,641	5,550	5,709	6,815	6,948	74	84
Mercer	79	35,504	35,998	21,848	22,136	13,168	13,368	488	494
Mineral	28	12,537	12,751	5,833	5,927	6,572	6,692	132	132
Mingo	34	19,616	19,860	13,141	12,500	6,475	7,360		
Monongalia	57	27,206	27,391	15,434	15,547	11,273	11,339	499	505
Monroe	19	7,777	7,898	4,139	4,142	3,505	3,615	133	141
Morgan	20	5,268	5,272	1,826	1,828	3,418	3,420	24	24
McDowell	77	46,233	46,974	27,282	27,712	18,207	18,472	774	790
Nicholas	33	12,376	12,420	7,710	7,747	4,554	4,551	112	112
Ohio	99	43,996	44,776	21,230	21,629	21,814	22,218	952	929
Pendleton	14	5,717	5,735	3,522	3,530	2,141	2,150	54	55
Pleasants	14	4,314	4,529	2,276	2,437	2,000	2,067	38	25
Pocahontas	30	7,751	7,838	4,433	4,478	3,234	3,265	84	95
Putnam	53	16,045	16,205	5,786	5,860	10,153	10,226	106	119
Potnam	31	10,667	10,831	5,663	5,763	4,888	4,942	116	126
Raleigh	78	41,239	41,695	26,317	26,557	14,857	15,052	68	66
Randolph	45	15,996	16,148	11,145	11,276	4,611	4,645	240	227
Ritchie	28	9,804	9,921	3,596	3,633	6,138	6,218	70	70
Roane	26	11,879	12,367	5,710	6,073	6,169	6,294		
Summers	31	11,430	11,567	7,748	7,842	3,617	3,660	65	65
Taylor	23	11,449	11,539	6,110	6,262	5,206	5,265	133	12
Tucker	18	7,141	7,303	4,095	4,124	2,951	3,060	95	119
Tyler	27	7,996	8,035	2,748	2,757	5,110	5,140	138	138
Upshur	37	11,074	11,307	3,458	3,480	7,532	7,742	84	85
Wayne	44	20,678	20,155	14,053	13,628	6,569	6,458	56	69
Webster	22	8,786	8,894	6,074	6,137	2,712	2,757		
Wetzel	36	13,215	13,283	8,597	8,548	4,516	4,635	102	100
Wirt	17	3,921	4,012	2,001	2,062	1,913	1,947	7	3
Wood	79	37,607	38,029	20,091	20,420	17,163	17,256	353	353
Wyoming	31	13,894	14,117	8,02	7,824	5,867	5,893		
Total	2,373	1,032,519	1,045,268	594,171	600,184	427,821	433,721	10,527	11,363

\*—Total number of precincts, December 1, 1939, 2,386.

## VOTES CAST, GENERAL ELECTION, 1938

Counties	TOTAL		DEMOCRATIC			REPUBLICAN		
	Votes Cast	Per Cent Registered Votes	Votes Cast	Per Cent Registered Democratic Votes	Per Cent Total Votes	Votes Cast	Per Cent Registered Republican Votes	Per Cent Total Votes
Barbour.....	7,865	72.16	4,375	74.29	55.63	3,490	70.56	44.37
Berkeley.....	11,794	64.17	6,104	63.01	61.75	5,690	67.60	48.25
Boone.....	7,802	56.63	5,474	60.47	70.16	2,328	50.18	29.84
Braxton.....	6,791	55.31	4,085	52.16	60.15	2,705	61.82	30.85
Brooke.....	9,491	68.42	4,851	69.84	51.11	4,640	76.69	48.89
Cabell.....	37,532	62.02	21,949	63.00	58.48	15,583	64.48	41.52
Calhoun.....	3,645	54.12	2,185	45.29	59.95	1,460	76.44	40.05
Clay.....	4,958	66.45	3,147	76.03	63.09	1,841	55.54	36.91
Doddridge.....	3,743	58.37	1,338	61.89	35.75	2,405	56.90	64.25
Fayette.....	18,549	43.85	12,492	44.21	67.35	6,057	43.13	32.65
Gilmer.....	3,862	57.94	2,560	54.40	66.20	1,302	66.16	33.71
Grant.....	2,894	72.19	822	75.41	28.40	2,072	51.68	71.59
Greenbrier.....	10,073	48.00	6,489	47.94	64.42	3,584	49.41	35.58
Hampshire.....	2,968	41.71	2,001	36.99	67.42	967	58.43	32.58
Hancock.....	9,640	63.07	4,431	62.97	45.97	5,209	64.36	54.03
Hardy.....	3,158	64.65	2,098	40.65	63.58	1,150	69.78	36.42
Harrison.....	26,908	55.64	14,321	49.23	53.42	12,487	65.90	46.55
Jackson.....	7,640	75.33	3,435	61.60	44.06	4,205	72.69	50.04
Jefferson.....	4,710	42.71	3,211	38.52	68.17	1,499	57.53	31.83
Kanawha.....	62,507	58.93	37,946	62.40	60.71	24,561	56.59	39.29
Lewis.....	9,717	73.40	5,090	74.03	52.28	4,637	72.81	47.72
Lincoln.....	9,112	78.21	4,812	68.98	52.84	4,299	92.04	47.12
Logan.....	17,156	63.80	11,078	49.32	64.57	6,078	65.18	35.43
Marion.....	24,625	61.46	12,987	52.97	52.74	11,638	78.62	47.26
Marshall.....	14,427	69.39	6,102	63.72	42.30	8,325	76.88	57.70
Mason.....	9,366	74.09	4,596	80.50	49.07	4,770	69.66	50.93
Mercer.....	19,609	64.47	11,216	50.67	57.20	8,393	62.68	42.80
Mineral.....	7,074	62.54	3,787	63.80	47.49	4,187	62.57	62.51
Mingo.....	12,788	64.30	8,960	71.68	70.07	3,828	52.01	29.93
Monongalia.....	16,028	58.52	8,612	55.39	53.73	7,416	65.40	46.27
Monroe.....	6,154	77.92	3,363	81.10	54.65	2,791	77.21	45.35
Morgan.....	3,301	62.61	1,323	72.37	40.08	1,978	57.84	59.92
McDowell.....	26,424	56.25	15,879	67.30	60.09	10,545	67.00	39.91
Nicholas.....	7,305	58.82	4,355	56.22	59.62	2,950	64.68	40.38
Ohio.....	30,742	68.66	10,048	60.62	35.61	10,794	89.09	64.39
Pendleton.....	2,003	50.67	1,820	51.56	62.63	1,086	50.51	37.37
Pleasants.....	3,236	71.45	1,674	48.69	51.73	1,562	75.57	48.27
Pocahontas.....	5,298	67.59	3,214	71.77	60.66	2,084	63.83	39.34
Preston.....	11,093	68.45	4,244	72.42	38.26	6,849	66.98	61.74
Putnam.....	6,973	64.38	3,660	63.51	52.49	3,313	67.04	47.51
Raleigh.....	21,318	51.13	13,320	50.12	62.48	7,998	53.13	37.51
Randolph.....	7,864	48.70	5,657	50.17	71.94	2,207	47.51	28.06
Ritchie.....	5,425	54.68	1,858	51.14	34.25	3,567	57.37	65.75
Roane.....	10,112	81.77	5,122	84.34	60.65	4,990	79.28	40.34
Summers.....	6,227	63.83	4,064	51.82	65.26	2,163	60.10	34.74
Taylor.....	7,617	66.01	3,805	60.76	49.95	3,812	72.40	50.05
Tucker.....	5,164	70.71	2,917	70.73	56.49	2,247	73.43	43.51
Tyler.....	5,236	65.16	1,868	67.75	35.68	3,368	65.53	61.32
Upshur.....	6,296	55.68	2,301	66.12	36.55	3,995	51.60	63.45
Wayne.....	12,083	59.95	7,352	53.95	60.85	4,731	73.26	39.15
Webster.....	4,594	51.65	3,182	51.85	69.26	1,412	51.22	30.74
Wetzel.....	7,552	56.85	3,927	45.94	52.00	3,625	78.21	48.00
Wirt.....	2,833	70.61	1,481	71.82	52.28	1,352	69.44	47.32
Wood.....	20,691	54.15	10,010	49.02	47.78	10,581	61.32	51.79
Wyoming.....	9,215	65.28	6,530	67.24	60.01	3,685	62.53	39.09
Total.....	622,821	59.68	343,334	57.20	55.13	279,487	64.44	44.87

**WEST VIRGINIA'S VOTE FOR PRESIDENT, 1872-1936**

- 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; Levering, Prohibition, 1,223.
- 1900—Bryan, Democrat, 98,807; McKinley, Republican, 119,829; Woolley, Prohibition, 1,692; Debs, Socialist, 219.
- 1904—Parker, Democrat, 100,881; Roosevelt, Republican, 132,628; Swallow, Prohibition, 4,604; Debs, Socialist, 1,574.
- 1908—Bryan, Democrat, 111,418; Taft, Republican, 137,869; Chafin, Prohibition, 5,139; Debs, Socialist, 3,679.
- 1912—Wilson, Democrat, 113,046; Taft, Republican, 56,667; Roosevelt, Progressive, 78,977; Debs, Socialist, 15,336.
- 1916—Wilson, Democrat, 140,493; Hughes, Republican, 143,124; Benson, Socialist, 6,150.
- 1920—Harding, Republican, 282,007; Cox, Democrat, 220,769; Debs, Socialist, 5,618.
- 1924—Coolidge, Republican, 288,635; Davis, Democrat, 257,232; LaFollette, Independent, 36,723.
- 1928—Hoover, Republican, 375,551; Smith, Democrat, 262,784; Thomas, Socialist, 1,313.
- 1932—Roosevelt, Democrat, 405,124; Hoover, Republican, 330,731.
- 1936—Roosevelt, Democrat, 502,552; Landon, Republican, 325,358.

**NUMBER OF DELEGATES, BY STATES, TO DEMOCRATIC AND REPUBLICAN NATIONAL CONVENTIONS, 1936**

State	(D)	(R)	State	(D)	(R)
Alabama	22	13	New Mexico	6	6
Arizona	6	6	New York	94	90
Arkansas	13	11	North Carolina	26	23
California	44	44	North Dakota	8	8
Colorado	12	12	Ohio	52	52
Connecticut	16	19	Oklahoma	22	21
Delaware	6	9	Oregon	10	10
Florida	14	12	Pennsylvania	72	75
Georgia	24	14	Rhode Island	8	8
Idaho	8	8	South Carolina	16	10
Illinois	58	57	South Dakota	8	8
Indiana	23	23	Tennessee	22	17
Iowa	22	22	Texas	46	25
Kansas	13	13	Utah	8	8
Kentucky	22	22	Vermont	6	9
Louisiana	20	12	Virginia	22	17
Maine	10	13	Washington	16	16
Maryland	16	16	West Virginia	16	16
Massachusetts	34	33	Wisconsin	24	24
Michigan	33	33	Wyoming	6	6
Minnesota	22	22	Alaska	6	3
Mississippi	13	11	Canal Zone	6	..
Missouri	30	30	District of Columbia	6	3
Montana	8	8	Hawaii	6	3
Nebraska	14	14	Philippines	6	2
Nevada	6	6	Puerto Rico	6	2
New Hampshire	8	11	Virgin Islands	2	..
New Jersey	32	32			
			<b>Total</b>	<b>1,100</b>	<b>1,003</b>

## VOTE FOR PRESIDENT BY STATES 1928-1936

STATE	1928		1932		1936	
	Hoover (R)	Smith (D)	Roosevelt (D)	Hoover (R)	Roosevelt (D)	Landon (R)
Alabama.....	113,081	127,548	207,604	24,650	238,196	35,358
Arizona.....	52,533	38,537	79,264	36,104	86,722	33,433
Arkansas.....	77,751	119,196	189,602	28,467	146,765	32,039
California.....	1,162,323	614,365	1,324,157	847,902	1,706,836	836,431
Colorado.....	253,872	133,131	221,436	171,112	295,021	181,267
Connecticut.....	296,614	252,040	281,193	287,726	382,189	278,685
Delaware.....	68,980	35,359	63,510	57,074	69,702	54,014
Florida.....	144,168	101,764	206,307	69,170	249,117	78,248
Georgia.....	63,498	129,602	234,118	19,863	255,364	36,942
Idaho.....	97,322	52,926	109,479	71,312	125,683	60,256
Illinois.....	1,768,141	1,313,817	1,882,304	1,432,756	2,282,999	1,570,393
Indiana.....	845,746	502,811	862,054	677,184	934,974	691,570
Iowa.....	623,818	378,936	598,010	414,432	621,756	487,977
Kansas.....	513,671	193,003	424,204	349,498	464,520	397,727
Kentucky.....	558,064	381,070	579,753	390,587	641,944	369,702
Louisiana.....	51,160	164,655	249,418	18,853	292,894	36,791
Maine.....	179,923	81,179	128,907	166,631	126,333	168,823
Maryland.....	301,479	223,626	314,314	184,181	389,612	231,435
Massachusetts.....	775,566	792,758	800,148	736,950	942,716	768,613
Michigan.....	965,396	396,762	871,700	739,894	1,010,794	660,733
Minnesota.....	560,977	306,451	600,806	363,950	698,811	350,461
Mississippi.....	27,191	124,598	140,202	5,216	157,318	4,443
Missouri.....	834,050	662,076	1,025,406	564,713	1,111,043	697,891
Montana.....	113,300	78,578	127,155	78,064	159,690	63,598
Nebraska.....	345,745	197,959	359,082	201,177	347,454	247,731
Nevada.....	18,285	14,106	28,756	12,622	31,925	11,923
New Hampshire.....	115,401	80,715	100,680	103,622	108,460	101,642
New Jersey.....	925,285	616,162	806,394	775,406	1,083,850	720,322
New Mexico.....	69,698	48,306	95,089	54,217	105,838	61,710
New York.....	2,193,344	2,089,863	2,534,959	1,937,963	3,018,298	2,180,070
North Carolina.....	349,795	288,108	498,006	208,334	616,141	223,283
North Dakota.....	131,441	106,648	178,350	71,772	163,148	72,751
Ohio.....	1,627,540	864,210	1,301,695	1,227,679	1,747,122	1,127,709
Oklahoma.....	394,052	219,206	516,468	188,165	501,069	245,122
Oregon.....	205,341	109,223	213,871	136,019	260,733	122,706
Pennsylvania.....	2,055,382	1,067,586	1,205,948	1,453,540	2,353,788	1,690,300
Rhode Island.....	117,458	118,951	144,546	113,101	165,233	125,012
South Carolina.....	3,114	60,142	102,347	1,978	113,791	1,646
South Dakota.....	157,603	102,660	178,241	94,256	160,137	125,977
Tennessee.....	105,388	157,343	259,237	126,726	327,083	146,516
Texas.....	371,046	348,880	720,562	95,095	734,485	103,874
Utah.....	94,734	81,075	116,750	84,775	150,246	64,555
Vermont.....	90,404	44,440	54,751	77,665	62,124	81,023
Virginia.....	115,348	101,631	203,980	89,637	234,080	98,336
Washington.....	335,844	156,772	348,345	206,710	459,579	206,892
West Virginia.....	375,551	203,784	405,124	330,731	502,582	325,358
Wisconsin.....	544,205	450,250	707,410	347,741	802,084	380,828
Wyoming.....	52,748	29,200	54,370	39,583	62,624	38,730
United States.....	21,043,328	15,430,718	22,521,625	15,057,537	27,476,673	10,679,455

Electoral vote (1928)—Hoover, (R), 444; Smith, (D), 87.

Electoral vote (1932)—Roosevelt, (D), 472; Hoover, (R), 59.

Electoral vote (1936)—Roosevelt, (D), 623; Landon, (R), 8.



## \*THE ELECTORAL VOTE IN 1936

State	Roosevelt	Landon	State	Roosevelt	Landon
Alabama.....	11	..	Nevada.....	3	..
Arizona.....	3	..	New Hampshire.....	4	..
Arkansas.....	9	..	New Jersey.....	16	..
California.....	22	..	New Mexico.....	3	..
Colorado.....	6	..	New York.....	47	..
Connecticut.....	8	..	North Carolina.....	13	..
Delaware.....	3	..	North Dakota.....	4	..
Florida.....	7	..	Ohio.....	28	..
Georgia.....	12	..	Oklahoma.....	11	..
Idaho.....	4	..	Oregon.....	5	..
Illinois.....	29	..	Pennsylvania.....	36	..
Indiana.....	14	..	Rhode Island.....	4	..
Iowa.....	11	..	South Carolina.....	8	..
Kansas.....	9	..	South Dakota.....	4	..
Kentucky.....	11	..	Tennessee.....	11	..
Louisiana.....	10	..	Texas.....	23	..
Maine.....	8	5	Utah.....	4	..
Maryland.....	17	..	Vermont.....	..	3
Massachusetts.....	17	..	Virginia.....	11	..
Michigan.....	19	..	Washington.....	8	..
Minnesota.....	11	..	West Virginia.....	8	..
Mississippi.....	9	..	Wisconsin.....	12	..
Missouri.....	15	..	Wyoming.....	3	..
Montana.....	4	..			
Nebraska.....	7	..	Total.....	523	8

\*Necessary to a choice, 266.

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 Mrs. D. P. Loudin, Fairmont  
 J. Paul Murphy, Grafton  
 Mildred Jaccobucci, Wheeling  
 \*Jessie G. Lampkin, Fairmont

#### Second District

Zendia McDonald, Morgantown  
 Bretzel Harris, Belington  
 John W. Bosworth, Elkins  
 Mrs. William P. Wysong, Webster Springs  
 Mrs. W. R. Downey, Martinsburg  
 W. D. Anderson, Franklin  
 \*Robert Settles, Morgantown

#### Third District

John Blackshere Smith, Clarksburg  
 Mrs. Jack D. Bryant, Buckhannon  
 Ernest Mollahan, Grantsville  
 Mrs. Vera Bumgardner, Salem  
 Ruth McGraw, Lansing  
 E. O. Berry, Sutton  
 \*Kermit J. Hall, Mt. Hope

#### Fourth District

Florence Debald, Parkersburg  
 W. R. Vineyard, Spencer  
 Phillip Baer, Huntington  
 Epsilon Cole, Ceredo  
 Florence Crum, Huntington  
 Mrs. Marie Carson, Huntington  
 \*D. W. Ambrose, Huntington

#### Fifth District

Cecil Wilson, Elkhorn  
 Mildred Irene Sites, Welch  
 George Alderson, Jr., Lewisburg  
 W. C. Haythe, Hinton  
 Phyllis Simpson, Princeton  
 Mrs. Margaret Fortune Kinter, Bluefield  
 \*Junius Gilbert, Elkhorn

#### Sixth District

Ray Watts, Man  
 Eula May Hughes, So. Charleston  
 Ruth Eggleston, Charleston  
 Herbert W. Bryant, St. Albans  
 E. C. Minter, Jr., Beckley  
 Marie Ames, Beckley  
 \*C. W. Dickerson, Charleston

\*Colored members.

**PRESIDENTS, NATIONAL COMMITTEEMEN AND NATIONAL COMMITTEEWOMEN, 1933-1939**

Year	President	National Committeeman	National Committeewoman
1933	H. L. Snyder, Jr., Charleston . . . . .	Alan Swindler, Clarksburg . . . . .	Mary Gray Silver, Martinsburg
1934	H. L. Snyder, Jr., Charleston . . . . .	Frank H. Berry, Clarksburg . . . . .	Mrs. Mary Gray Silver Burnside, Martinsburg
1935	Frank H. Berry, Clarksburg . . . . .	H. L. Snyder, Jr., Charleston . . . . .	Mrs. Frances Evans, Logan
1936	Frank H. Berry, Clarksburg . . . . .	H. L. Snyder, Jr., Charleston . . . . .	Mrs. Frances Evans, Logan
1937	J. Patrick Beacom, Huntington . . . . .	James L. Gaylord, Clarksburg . . . . .	Margaret Nieceley, Hinton
1938	J. Patrick Beacom, Huntington . . . . .	James L. Gaylord, Clarksburg . . . . .	Margaret Nieceley, Hinton
1939	W. A. Thornhill, Jr., Beckley . . . . .	J. Patrick Beacom, Huntington . . . . .	Mrs. Alice Loudin, Fairmont

**REPUBLICAN NATIONAL COMMITTEE**

Headquarters: 718 Jackson Place, N. W.

Washington

**Officers**

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 Mrs. Worthington Scranton ..... Pennsylvania  
*Secretary:* Harold W. Mason ..... Vermont  
*Treasurer:* C. B. Goodspeed ..... Illinois  
*Treasurer Eastern Division:* Sinclair Weeks ..... Massachusetts  
*General Counsl:* Henry P. Fletcher ..... Rhode Island

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(In addition to officers who are ex-officio members)

Robert P. Burroughs, New Hampshire  
 Joseph W. Martin, Jr., Massachusetts  
 Mrs. Paul FitzSimons, Rhode Island  
 Walter S. Hallanan, West Virginia  
 Harvey Jewett, Jr., South Dakota  
 F. F. Taggart, Ohio  
 Harrison E. Spangler, Iowa  
 Mrs. Margaret Wyeth, Missouri  
 Mrs. Horace H. Sayre, Oklahoma  
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 Daniel O. Hastings, Delaware

**Members**

**Alabama:** \*B. L. Noojin, Gadsden; Mrs. Pearl Wates, Birmingham.  
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**California:** William F. Knowland, Oakland; Mrs. Edith Van de Water, Long Beach.  
**Colorado:** Charles R. Enos, Denver; Mrs. John E. Hillman, Delta.  
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**Delaware:** Daniel O. Hastings, Wilmington; Mrs. F. G. Tallman, Wilmington.  
**Florida:** \*J. Leonard Replogle, New York City; Mrs. Myra Brown, Tampa.  
**Georgia:** James W. Arnold, Athens; Mrs. Bertha M. Field, Marietta.  
**Idaho:** Ezra R. Whitla, Coeur d'Alene; Mrs. Emma Clouchek, Twin Falls.

\*Nomination by State Committee.

- Illinois:** Hill Blackett, Chicago; Mrs. Bertha D. Baur, Chicago.
- Indiana:** William G. Irwin, Columbus; Mrs. Grace B. Reynolds, Cambridge City.
- Iowa:** Harrison E. Spangler, Cedar Rapids; Martha McClure, Mount Pleasant.
- Kansas:** John Hamilton, Topeka; Mrs. Ralph A. Harris, Ottawa.
- Kentucky:** John M. Perkins, Frankfort; Mrs. Christine Bradley South, Frankfort.
- Louisiana:** John E. Jackson, New Orleans; Mrs. Julia Grimmett Fortson, Shreveport.
- Maine:** William S. Linnell, Portland; Marion E. Martin, Bangor.
- Maryland:** O. E. Weller, Baltimore; Mrs. Edmonia Lawson, Baltimore.
- Massachusetts:** Joseph W. Martin, Jr., North Attleboro; Mrs. Margaret A. Green, Holyoke.
- Michigan:** James E. Davidson, Bay City; Mrs. Jacob Steketee, Grand Rapids.
- Minnesota:** Roy E. Dunn, St. Paul; Mrs. Chris Carlson, Blue Earth.
- Mississippi:** Perry W. Howard, Jackson; Mrs. Mary C. Booze, Mound Bayou.
- Missouri:** Arthur M. Curtis, Springfield; Mrs. Margaret Wyeth, St. Joseph.
- Montana:** \*Dan Whetstone, Cut Bank; Mrs. Orvis Evans, Butte.
- Nebraska:** Hugh A. Butler, Omaha; Mrs. Curry W. Watson, Lincoln.
- Nevada:** Lester D. Summerfield, Reno; Mrs. Oline C. Stewart, Tonopah.
- New Hampshire:** Robert P. Burroughs, Manchester; Mrs. Edward D. Toland, Concord.
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- New Mexico:** Cyrus McCormick, Santa Fe; Mrs. E. L. Moulton, Albuquerque.
- New York:** Kenneth F. Simpson, New York; Mrs. Ruth Baker Pratt, New York.
- North Carolina:** Charles A. Jonas, Lincolnton; \*Mrs. Lindsay Patterson, Winston-Salem.
- North Dakota:** William Stern, Fargo; Mrs. V. E. Stenersen, Minot.
- Ohio:** F. F. Taggart, Massillon; Mrs. Katharine K. Brown, Dayton.
- Oklahoma:** William G. Skelly, Tulsa; Mrs. Horace H. Sayre, Ardmore.
- Oregon:** Ralph E. Williams, Portland; Mrs. Charles E. Runyon, Portland.
- Pennsylvania:** G. Mason Owlett, Wellsboro; Mrs. Worthington Scranton, Scranton.
- Rhode Island:** Jesse H. Metcalf, Providence; Mrs. Paul FitzSimons, Newport.
- South Carolina:** Joseph W. Tolbert, Ninety Six; Julia Elizabeth Tolbert, Greenwood.
- South Dakota:** Harvey Jewett, Jr., Aberdeen; Mrs. Paul Rewman, Pierre.
- Tennessee:** (Vacancy); Mrs. Ruby Roach McLane, Nashville.
- Texas:** R. B. Creager, Brownsville; Mrs. Lena Gay More, Brownsville.
- Utah:** George Snyder, Salt Lake City; Mrs. Jesse F. Cannon, Salt Lake City.
- Vermont:** Harold W. Mason, Brattleboro; Consuelo Northrop, Burlington.
- Virginia:** Henry A. Wise, Kiptopeke; Mrs. Murray Boocock, Keswick.
- Washington:** Miller Freeman, Seattle; Mrs. J. T. Urquhart, Yakima.
- West Virginia:** Walter S. Hallanan, Charleston; Mrs. Cara L. Ebert, Parkersburg.
- Wisconsin:** P. J. E. Wood, Janesville; Mrs. Harry E. Thomas, Sheboygan.
- Wyoming:** Frank O. Horton, Buffalo; Mrs. James Reynolds, Sheridan.
- Alaska:** E. A. Rasmuson, Skagway; Mrs. Margaret E. White, Juneau.
- District of Columbia:** E. F. Colladay, Washington; Mrs. Virginia White Speel, Washington.
- Hawaii:** James P. Winne, Honolulu; Mrs. Muriel Shingle Amalu, Honolulu.
- Philippine Islands:** John W. Haussermann, Manila; Marguerite Wolfson, Manila.
- Puerto Rico:** Juan B. Huyke, San Juan.

\*Nomination by State Committee.

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## \*REPUBLICAN STATE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Headquarters: Charleston

### Officers

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<i>Treasurer:</i> E. M. Tutwiler	.....	Mount Hope

### Members

#### (By Senatorial Districts)

**First:** (Brooke, Hancock, Ohio)—Samuel G. (Jack) Wells, Wellsburg; Edmund C. Whitehead, Wheeling; Mrs. J. B. Brennan, Jr., Wheeling, Mary W. Sherrard, Wellsburg.

**Second:** (Marshall, Tyler, Wetzel)—M. C. Barker, Moundsville; Chas. N. Kimball, Sistersville; Emma M. Kirkhart, Hundred; Mrs. Arch Dorsey, Moundsville.

**Third:** (Pleasants, Ritchie, Wirt, Wood)—Thomas J. Davis, Harrisville; John V. Everett, Williamstown; Columbia I. Collins, Pennsboro; Katherine R. Marsh, Parkersburg.

**Fourth:** (Jackson, Mason, Roane)—Dr. U. G. Arnett, Point Pleasant; Wm. Woodyard, Spencer; Rose Ferguson Burford, Point Pleasant; Osie F. Warner, Ripley.

**Fifth:** (Cabell, Lincoln, Putnam)—A. F. Black, Hamlin; C. W. Hutchinson, Huntington; Mrs. Andrew Northcott, Lesage; Monica Sovine, Hurricane.

**Sixth:** (McDowell, Mingo, Wayne, Wyoming)—Randolph Bias, Willam-

ton; Joseph M. Crockett, Welch; Mary Marshall Clark, Welch; Eleanor K. Hurt, Williamson.

**Seventh:** (Mercer, Monroe, Raleigh, Summers)—Grover C. Hedrick, Beckley; Kyle McCormick, Princeton; Halle Martin Cobb, Hinton; Roberta H. Scott, Bluefield.

**Eighth:** (Boone, Kanawha, Logan)—R. Harry Ball, Seth; D. L. Sallsbury, Charleston; Judith B. Crippen, Charleston; Mrs. Opal Claypool McGuire, Logan.

**Ninth:** (Clay, Fayette, Greenbrier, Nicholas)—C. E. Boone, Ronceverte; E. M. Tutwiler, Mount Hope; Margaret Preston, White Sulphur Springs; Blanche Horan, Summersville.

**Tenth:** (Braxton, Calhoun, Gilmer, Pocahontas, Webster)—Okey M. Cogar, Camden-on-Gauley; John J. Timms, Gassaway; Mrs. E. G. Rider, Sutton; Mrs. Gilbert Wade, Minnehaha Springs.

**Eleventh:** (Marion, Monongalia, Taylor)—G. W. Haller, Fairmont; James Henry Krepps, Morgantown; Mrs. Richard E. Davis, Morgantown; Mrs. E. A. Grose, Fairmont.

\*For names of officers and members of Republican County Executive Committees, see "County Registers."

**Twelfth:** (Doddridge, Harrison, Lewis)—Kingsley R. Smith, Weston; Leonard G. Williams, Clarksburg; Ida J. Warner, West Union; Miriam H. Wilson, Clarksburg.

**Thirteenth:** (Barbour, Pendleton, Randolph, Upshur)—Clifford S. Colebank, Elkins; Dr. L. W. Page, Buckhannon; Mrs. E. H. Kelley, Buckhannon; Mrs. N. C. Harden, Philippi.

**Fourteenth:** (Grant, Hardy, Mineral, Preston, Tucker)—L. F. Everhart, Terra Alta; Lester Reynolds, Keyser; Madalyn Bazzle, Keyser; Mrs. L. R. Grover, Moorefield.

**Fifteenth:** (Berkeley, Hampshire, Jefferson, Morgan)—Henry W. Miller, Jr., Paw Paw; Wilbur H. Thomas, Martinsburg; Mrs. H. N. Bradley, Charles Town; Mrs. Floyd Fauver, Martinsburg.

**Members at Large**

**(Colored)**

Leon P. Miller, Welch; J. Ruppert Jefferson, Parkersburg; Mrs. Julia Wilkinson, Montgomery.

**REPUBLICAN COUNTY CHAIRMEN**

<i>County</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Address</i>
Barbour	Dr. Guy H. Michael	Belington
Berkeley	J. Wm. Kastle	Martinsburg
Boone	R. Harry Ball	Seth
Braxton	Don P. Simmons	Gassaway
Brooke	Edgar R. Minnich	Wellsburg
Cabell	David F. Sheets	Huntington
Calhoun	E. L. Hays	Arnoldsburg
Clay	E. G. Plerson	Clay
Doddridge	W. D. Gribble	West Union
Fayette	W. H. Haynes	Fayetteville
Gilmer	Dr. Waitman T. Smith	Glenville
Grant	C. H. Hood	Petersburg
Greenbrier	Martyn Rodgers	Ronceverte
Hampshire	O. M. Keckley	Romney
Hancock	R. M. Brown	New Cumberland
Hardy	Herman Sions	Moorefield
Harrison	Late B. Davisson	Clarksburg
Jackson	Oliver D. Kessel	Ripley
Jefferson	J. A. Eyster	Halltown
Kanawha	W. W. Wertz	Charleston
Lewis	Gilbert J. Hersman	Weston
Lincoln	W. C. Kingery	Hamlin
Logan	Naaman Jackson	Logan
Marion	M. Earl Morgan	Fairmont
Marshall	T. W. Keffer	Moundsville
Mason	E. Bartow Jones	Point Pleasant
Mercer	Jim H. Shott	Bluefield
Mineral	H. E. Oss	Keyser
Mingo	G. W. Hatfield	Williamson
Monongalia	Henry C. Davis	Morgantown
Monroe	Carl G. Eades	Alderson
Morgan	M. R. Davison	Berkeley Springs
McDowell	S. G. Kilburn	Welch
Nicholas	Ray Lambert	Summersville
Ohio	Dan Herd	Wheeling
Pendleton	M. S. Hodges	Franklin
Pleasants	Dr. J. Riley McCollum	St. Marys
Pocahontas	D. C. Adkison	Marlinton
Preston	Charles P. Wilhelm	Kingwood
Putnam	C. E. Copen	Winfield
Raleigh	John Q. Hutchinson	Beckley

County	Name	Address
Randolph	Dr. A. M. Fredlock	Elkins
Ritchie	Icy L. Netser	Harrisville
Roane	O. R. Karickhoff	Spencer
Summers	Dr. R. S. Neely	Hinton
Taylor	Thornton W. Beall	Grafton
Tucker	W. K. Pritt	Parsons
Tyler	Paul Neuenschwander	Sistersville
Upshur	Charles Tenney	Buckhannon
Wayne	Charles K. Stewart	Ceredo
Webster	Boyd Dotson	Webster Springs
Wetzel	C. M. Founds	New Martinsville
Wirt	H. I. Shears	Elizabeth
Wood	Eugene T. Hague	Parkersburg
Wyoming	Don D. Cook	Oceana

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### Officers

<i>President:</i> Mrs. Ann S. Wilson	Huntington
<i>First Vice President:</i> Mrs. Mary E. Tidwell	Fairmont
<i>Second Vice President:</i> Mrs. Julia G. Shuttleworth	Clarksburg
<i>Secretary:</i> Mrs. Robert Ashworth	Beckley
<i>Treasurer:</i> Mrs. Indra V. Finch	Parkersburg
<i>Parliamentarian:</i> Lucille Todd	Huntington
<i>Historian:</i> Mrs. Gordon Boggs	Franklin
<i>Chairman of Finance:</i> Mrs. Louise S. Macdonald	Alloy
<i>Chairman of Legislation:</i> Elizabeth Wolfe	Parkersburg
<i>Immediate Past President:</i> Mrs. Rosalie C. Muller	Raleigh

### Active County Clubs

County	Address	President
Barbour	Belington	Mrs. Garnet Myers
Berkeley	Martinsburg	Mrs. Cora B. Lutterell
Boone	Madison	Mrs. A. C. Ball
Brooke	Wellsburg	Mrs. Guy Martin
Cabell	Huntington	Mrs. Dale Wilson
Fayette	Alloy	Mrs. A. S. Macdonald
	*Montgomery	Mrs. Wysor B. Lee
Gilmer	Glenville	Mrs. W. T. Smith
Grant	Petersburg	Mrs. Paul Leatherman
Hancock	Hollidays Cove	Mrs. H. L. Brooks
Hardy	Moorefield	Mrs. S. Ray Ours
	Moorefield	Mrs. L. R. Grover
Harrison	Clarksburg	Mrs. Jesse Williams
	Clarksburg	Martha Flogeray
	Shinnston	Mrs. I. Frank Haller
	Salem	Mrs. H. D. Wilcox
Jackson	Ripley	Mrs. Clay Baker
Jefferson	Charles Town	Mrs. Eileen Grillman
Kanawha	Charleston	Mrs. John T. Simms
	Charleston	Mrs. Rheta G. Edwards
	Spring Hill	Mrs. Howard Thomas
	St. Albans	Mrs. U. S. Jarrett
	*Charleston	Mrs. Rheta G. Edwards
Logan	Logan	Mrs. Naaman Jackson
McDowell	Welch	Mrs. Sallie Payne
	*Gary	Mrs. Mattie Moon
Marion	Fairmont	Leota Gaskins
	*Fairmont	Mrs. J. B. C. West

\*Colored Clubs.

County	Address	President
Marshall	Moundsville	Mrs. Kathleen W. Yoho
	Boggs Run	Mrs. Edna Cunningham
	Cameron	Mrs. Lawrence Iselin
Mercer	McMechen	Mrs. Frank Sine
	Bluefield	Mrs. J. Y. Hill
	*Bluefield	Mrs. W. O. Moore
	Princeton	Ruby Higginbotham
Mineral	Keyser	
Monongalia	Morgantown	Mrs. A. M. Sowers
Morgan	Berkeley Springs	Mrs. D. C. Fearnow
Pleasants	St. Marys	Mrs. Rose Curtis
Pocahontas	Marlinton	Mrs. D. C. Adkison
Preston	Kingwood	Mrs. Melvin C. Snyder
Raleigh	Beckley	Mrs. Leslie Williams
Randolph	Elkins	Mrs. A. M. Fredlock
Roane	Spencer	Mrs. Nelle Radcliffe
Summers	Hinton	Mrs. Hallie M. Cobb
Taylor	Grafton	Mrs. E. F. Clark
Tucker	Parsons	Mrs. Ella O. Rightmire
Tyler	Sistersville	Mrs. E. D. Rand
Upshur	Buckhannon	Mrs. W. G. Talbott
Wetzel	New Martinsville	Mrs. D. C. Bennett
Wirt	Elizabeth	Mrs. J. L. Eastman
Wood	Parkersburg	Mrs. Dare Hanna
	*Parkersburg	Mrs. Ethel Hill
	Williamstown	Mrs. E. L. Griffith

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## YOUNG REPUBLICAN LEAGUE OF WEST VIRGINIA

### Officers

<i>President:</i>	Russell G. Nesbitt	Wheeling
<i>Vice Presidents:</i>	William T. Lehman	Fairmont
	Elizabeth Talbott	Buckhannon
	Roscoe Peters	Charleston
<i>Secretary:</i>	Ralph Welton	Petersburg
<i>Assistant Secretary:</i>	Hazel Wallace	Wheeling
<i>Treasurer:</i>	Creed S. Simon	Clarksburg
<i>Director of Publicity:</i>	William E. Blake	Wheeling
<i>Director of Organization:</i>	Harold Sargent	Fairmont

<i>National Committeeman:</i>	Ted McDowell	Beckley
<i>National Committeewoman:</i>	Madalyn Bazzle	Keyser

### Executive Committee

Raymond Brewster, Huntington	William H. Largent, Morgantown
E. Gaujot Bias, Williamson	William H. Hansbarger, Mt. Hope.
Dr. Norman L. Collins, Beckley	P. G. Meador, Charleston

## PRESIDENTS, NATIONAL COMMITTEEMEN AND NATIONAL COMMITTEEWOMEN, 1933-1939

Year	President	National Committeeman	National Committeewoman
1933	Hugo F. Blumberg, Wheeling		
1934	W. Chapman Revercomb, Chas.		
1935	W. Chapman Revercomb, Chas.	Paul Summers, Morgantown	Mrs. Hazel Richardson, Chas.
1936	H. William Largent, Morgantown	Fletcher Mann, Beckley	Madalyn Bazzle, Keyser
1937	H. William Largent, Morgantown	Fletcher Mann, Beckley	Madalyn Bazzle, Keyser
1938	Russell G. Nesbitt, Wheeling	Ted McDowell, Beckley	Madalyn Bazzle, Keyser
1939	Russell G. Nesbitt, Wheeling	Ted McDowell, Beckley	Madalyn Bazzle, Keyser

## CHAIRMEN STATE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEES

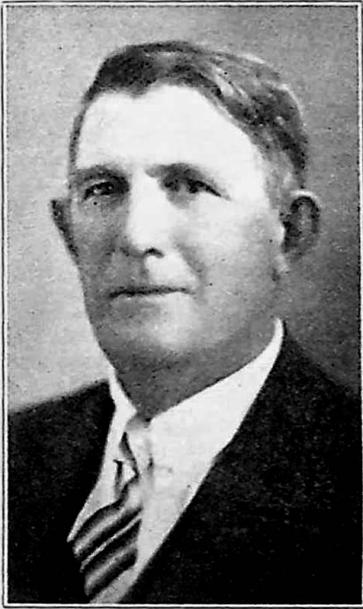


ROBERT ARL ANDREWS, of Charleston, Chairman of the Democratic State Executive Committee, was born at Summersville September 30, 1899, son of Edward R. and Eudora (Carden) Andrews; educated in the public schools of Nicholas, Clay and Kanawha counties, married October 11, 1915, to Maude Stephenson, of Lendenin; Baptist; Mason; Shriner; banker; farmer, engaged in the oil and gas business; Democratic County Chairman, Kanawha County, 1928-29; Sheriff Kanawha County, 1932-1936; elected Democratic State Chairman in 1936.

ROBERT H. C. KAY, of Charleston, Chairman of the Republican State Executive Committee, was born at Royal, Raleigh county, March 7, 1896; son of John and Elsie (Ewart) Kay; educated in the public schools, at Marshall College and West Virginia University, graduating from the latter institution in 1923 with the degree of J.L. B.; enlisted in May, 1917 in the 15th Regiment, United States Engineers, and served with the American Expeditionary Forces during the World War; Presbyterian; Mason; Shriner; Elk; actively engaged in the practice of law at Charleston since 1923; president Kanawha County Bar Association, 1935; vice president West Virginia Bar Association, 1938-39; vice chairman Republican State Executive Committee, 1936-39; elected Republican State Chairman in 1939.



## NATIONAL COMMITTEEMEN



GORY HOGG, of Lewisburg, Democratic National Committeeman from West Virginia, was born at Point Pleasant June 29, 1873, son of Walter H. and Elizabeth (McGuffin) Hogg; educated in the public schools, at West Virginia University and at College of Physicians and Surgeons, Baltimore, graduating from the latter institution in 1895; married September 9, 1903, to Caroline James Butterfield, of Cincinnati, Ohio; served as chairman of Fayette County Draft Board during the World War; president Greenbrier Valley Bank; actively engaged in the coal business; vice president West Virginia Coal Association; served as a member of the West Virginia Senate, 1915-16; elected Democratic National Committeeman in 1936.

WALTER SIMMS HALLANAN, of Charleston, Republican National Committeeman from West Virginia, was born at Huntington April 29, 1890, son of Dr. Thomas and Martha (Blake) Hallanan; graduated from Morris-Harvey College, located then at Barboursville; married in 1911 to Mrs. Imogene Burns, of Huntington; Southern Methodist; Elk; interested in the production of oil and gas; president Plymouth Oil Company since 1923; vice president Big Lake Oil Company; director Kanawha Valley Bank; secretary to Governor Hatfield, 1913-17; state tax commissioner, 1917-23; publicity director for Republican State committee, 1915; presidential elector, 1920, serving as chairman of the West Virginia delegation; elected to the State Senate from the Eighth District in 1926; serving his third consecutive term as Republican National Committeeman, having been elected in 1928, 1932 and again in 1936.



## NATIONAL COMMITTEEWOMEN



MRS. DOUGLAS W. (Mary Glidden) BROWN, of Huntington, Democratic National Committeewoman from West Virginia, was born at Syracuse, Ohio, daughter of John E. and Flora (Glidden) Williams; educated at Carleton College and at the Chicago College of Music; married in 1901 to Douglas W. Brown, who died in 1936; Presbyterian; member of West Virginia Century of Progress Exposition Commission, 1933; member of board of Morris Memorial Hospital for Crippled Children, Milton; president City council, P. T. A.; member of Federation of Women's Club, Garden Club, and League of Women Voters; member advisory committee, National Rivers and Harbors Congress, 1934-1937; state chairman, women's division, R. A., 1934; associate chairman of Cabell County Democratic Executive Committee, 1924-1936; delegate-at-large to Democratic National Conventions, 1932 and 1936; elected Democratic National Committeewoman and vice chairman of Democratic National Committee in 1936.

MRS. CARA L. EBERT, of Parkersburg, Republican National Committeewoman from West Virginia, was born at Cumberland, Maryland, daughter of Robert W. and Cara (Wetmore) Little; educated at Allegheny County Academy, Cumberland, and at Beethoven Conservatory of Music, St. Louis; engaged in the life insurance business; member of Women's Board of Morris Memorial Hospital for Crippled Children, Milton; member Executive Committee, West Virginia Society for Crippled Children; president West Virginia Equal Suffrage Association, 1915-16; member Republican State Executive Committee, 1920-1936; elected Republican National Committeewoman from West Virginia in 1932, and reelected in 1936.



**NATIONAL COMMITTEEMEN, NATIONAL COMMITTEEWOMEN, AND STATE CHAIRMEN, 1863-1939**

**DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL COMMITTEEMEN**

NAME	RESIDENCE	From	To
Thomas Sweeney	Wheeling	1866	1868
John Hull	Point Pleasant	1868	1872
J. B. Hoge	Martinsburg	1872	1876
Alexander Campbell	Bethany	1876	1884
Lewis Baker	Wheeling	1884	1888
Johnson N. Camden	Parkersburg	1888	1892
John Sheridan	Piedmont	1892	1896
John T. McGraw	Grafton	1896	1916
C. W. Watson	Fairmont	1916	1918
John T. McGraw	Grafton	1918	1920
C. W. Osenton	Fayetteville	1920	1923
Herbert Fitzpatrick	Huntington	1923	1936
Dr. Gory Hogg	Lewisburg	1936	....

**REPUBLICAN NATIONAL COMMITTEEMEN**

NAME	RESIDENCE	From	To
A. W. Campbell	Wheeling	1864	1868
Samuel D. Karns	Parkersburg	1868	1872
Hanson Criswell	Moundsville	1872	1878
John W. Mason	Grafton	1876	1888
Nathan B. Scott	Wheeling	1888	1914
Virgil L. Highland	Clarksburg	1916	1928
Walter S. Hallanan	Charleston	1928	....

**DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL COMMITTEEWOMEN**

NAME	RESIDENCE	From	To
*Rose McGraw	Grafton	1920	1924
Mrs. Frank R. Mann	Huntington	1924	1928
Mrs. J. C. Burchinal	Fairmont	1928	1936
Mrs. Douglas W. Brown	Huntington	1936	....

\*—Resigned.

**REPUBLICAN NATIONAL COMMITTEEWOMEN**

NAME	RESIDENCE	From	To
Mrs. Lenna Lowe Yost	Huntington	1924	1932
Mrs. Cara L. Ebert	Parkersburg	1932	....

Note:—The Woman Suffrage Amendment was declared ratified in 1919, but no person was chosen as Republican National Committeewoman from West Virginia until 1924.

## DEMOCRATIC STATE CHAIRMEN

NAME	RESIDENCE	From	To
Daniel Lamb	Wheeling	1866	1870
Lewis Baker	Wheeling	1872	1876
Alex Campbell	Bethany	1876	1880
Michael J. Reilly	Wheeling	1880	1884
D. H. Leonard	Parkersburg	1884	1888
T. S. Riley	Wheeling	1888	1892
W. E. Chilton	Charleston	1892	1896
Andrew Edmiston	Weston	1896	1900
James H. Miller	Hinton	1900	1904
John T. McGraw	Grafton	1904	1908
W. G. Bennett	Weston	1908	1912
Stuart W. Walker	Martinsburg	1912	1913
Clem Shaver	Fairmont	1913	1916
*C. C. Lewis	Charleston	1916	
Clem Shaver	Fairmont	1916	1920
J. Finley Dunlap	Hinton	1920	1928
Andrew Edmiston, Jr.	Weston	1928	1932
Robert G. Kelly	Charleston	1932	1936
R. C. Andrews	Charleston	1936	

\*—Resigned as state chairman in September, 1916. Succeeded by Clem Shaver.

## REPUBLICAN STATE CHAIRMEN

NAME	RESIDENCE	From	To
A. W. Campbell	Wheeling	1866	1872
C. W. B. Allison	Wheeling	1872	1876
John W. Mason	Grafton	1876	1880
A. W. Campbell, Jr.	Wheeling	1880	1884
G. W. Atkinson	Wheeling	1884	1888
W. J. W. Cowden	Wheeling	1888	1892
W. M. O. Dawson	Kingwood	1892	1904
Elliott Northcott	Huntington	1904	1908
S. V. Matthews	Charleston	1908	1912
James A. Lakin	Terra Alta	1912	1916
James Holt Gaines	Charleston	1916	1918
W. E. Baker	Elkins	1918	1920
Mont Z. White	Williamson	1920	1924
C. C. Coffman	Clarksburg	1924	1928
C. E. Carrigan	Moundsville	1928	1932
Charles J. Schuck	Wheeling	1932	1934
Charles N. Kimball	Sistersville	1934	1936
C. E. Boone	Ronceverte	1936	1939
Robert H. C. Kay	Charleston	1939	

## ELECTION CALENDAR, 1940

(Compiled by the Secretary of State; approved by the Attorney General)

## ELECTION DATES, 1940

Primary Election.....	May 14
General Election.....	November 5

- March 4:** County Court, at a regular or special session, to appoint two registrars for each precinct of the County. †(Chap. 3, Art. 2, Sec. 3.)
- March 11:** Last day for the Clerk of the County Court to deliver to the registrars copies of the registration books and blanks. (Chap. 3, Art. 2, Sec. 4.)
- \*March 10 to March 25:** Clerk of the Circuit Court to notify Chairmen of the County Executive Committees of the time and place of appointing ballot commissioners. (Chap. 3, Art. 5, Sec. 2.)
- March 15:** Last day to file with the Secretary of State or Clerk of the County Court written designation of treasurer of political committee or financial agent for candidate, such treasurer or agent to act for the primary election. (Chap. 3, Art. 8, Sec. 4.)
- March 15 to March 30:** Clerk of the Circuit Court to appoint ballot commissioners. (Chap. 3, Art. 5, Sec. 2.)
- March 18:** Registrars of each precinct to proceed to register the voters. (Chap. 3, Art. 2, Sec. 4.)
- March 29:** Last day for registrars to post notices of the time and place of their first sitting. (Chap. 3, Art. 2, Sec. 7.)
- March 30:** Last day for the Clerk of the Circuit Court to appoint ballot commissioners. (Chap. 3, Art. 5, Sec. 2.)
- April 8 and April 9:** Registrars to sit for the purpose of amending, correcting and completing the registration in their precincts. (Chap. 3, Art. 2, Sec. 7.)
- April 9:** County Court to meet in regular or special session and appoint election commissioners and poll clerks for the primary election. (Chap. 3, Art. 4, Sec. 15.)
- April 10:** Last day to request copies of registration lists from registrars. (Chap. 3, Art. 2, Sec. 7.)
- \*April 14:** Last day for certificates of announcement of candidacy to be filed with Secretary of State or Clerk of Circuit Court. (Chap. 3, Art. 4, Secs. 5, 6 and 6-a.)
- \*April 14 to May 4:** Applications to be made for absent voter's ballots. (Chap. 3, Art. 6, Sec. 2.)
- April 15:** Last day for the registrars to return registration books to the Clerk of the County Court, where they shall be open to public inspection. (Chap. 3, Art. 2, Sec. 7.)
- April 19:** Last day for the ballot commissioners to prepare sample official primary ballot for each party and publish same in two issues of newspapers representing such parties. (Chap. 3, Art. 4, Sec. 9.)
- April 23:** Regular or special session of the County Court to be convened to hear matters pertaining to registration. (Chap. 3, Art. 2, Sec. 10.)

†Citations are from the Official Code of West Virginia, 1931.

\*When first or last day falls on Sunday, it is suggested that the Saturday next prior thereto be considered as the date.

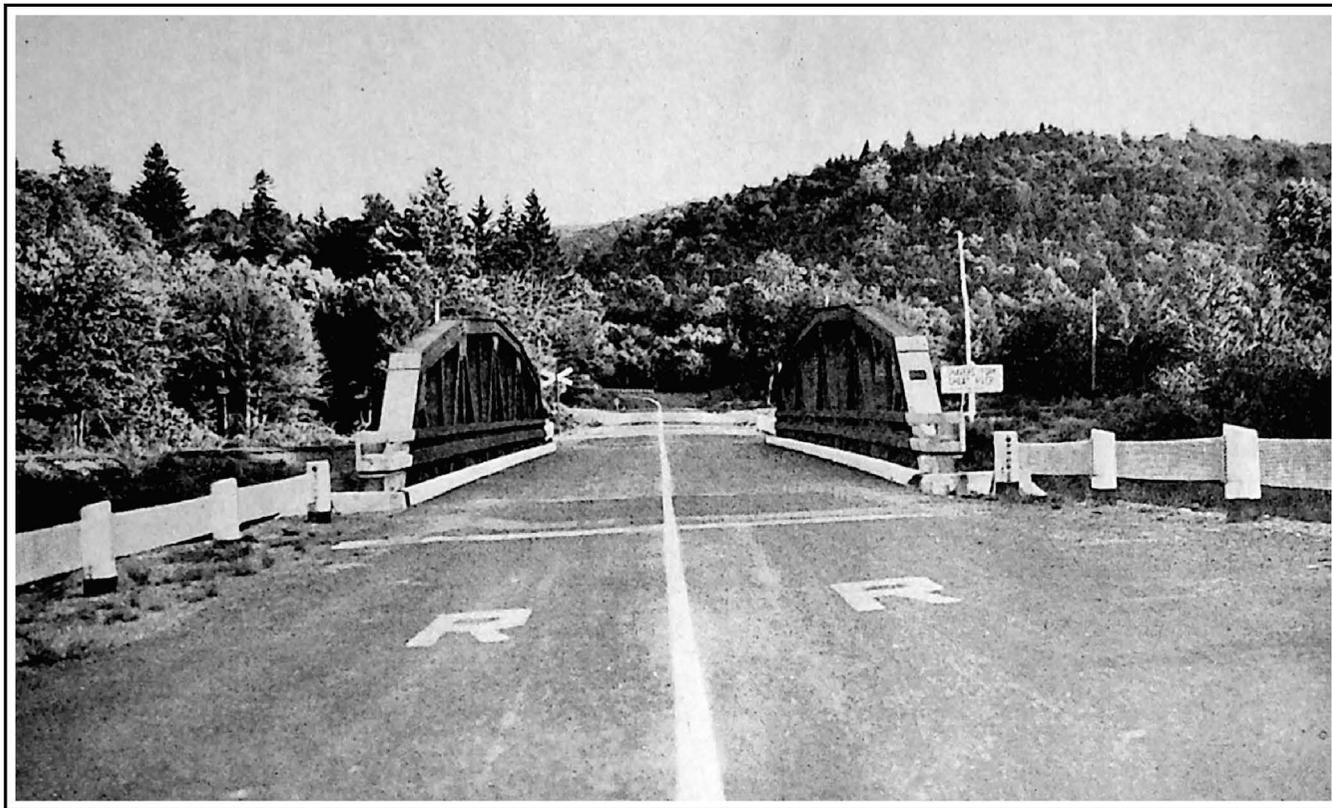
- \*April 28: County Court to publish lists of election commissioners and poll clerks for two weeks prior to the election. (Chap. 3, Art. 4, Sec. 15.)
- \*April 28: Secretary of State to publish notice of the primary election once a week for two weeks prior to the election. (Chap. 3, Art. 4, Sec. 1.)
- April 29 to May 7: Before-the-primary sworn financial statements to be filed by candidates. (Chap. 3, Art. 8, Sec. 6.)
- May 4: Last day to file application for absent voter's ballots. (Chap. 3, Art. 6, Sec. 2.)
- May 4 to May 10: Circuit Clerk to mail out absent voter's ballots. (Chap. 3, Art. 6, Sec. 5.)
- May 4 to May 10: Voters who expect to be absent on election day may receive absent voter's ballots in person from the Clerk of the Circuit Court. (Chap. 3, Art. 6, Sec. 5.)
- May 7: County Court to convene, in regular or special session, for not more than two days, to register voters. (Chap. 3, Art. 2, Sec. 10.)
- May 7: Last day to file before-the-primary sworn financial statements. (Chap. 3, Art. 8, Sec. 6.)
- May 8: Last day for public inspection of registration books. (Chap. 3, Art. 2, Sec. 7.)
- May 9: Last day for Executive Committee to fill vacancies on ticket. (Chap. 3, Art. 4, Sec. 10.)
- May 11: Last day for issuance of certificates of transfer of registration by registrar or County Clerk. (Chap. 3, Art. 2, Sec. 8.)
- May 13: Last day for certificate nominations to be filed with the Secretary of State or Clerk of Circuit Court as required by law. (Chap. 3, Art. 4, Secs. 28, 29 and 30.)
- May 14: Primary Election Day. (Chap. 3, Art. 4, Sec. 1.)
- May 17: County Court to canvass election returns. (Chap. 3, Art. 4, Secs. 20, 21.)
- June 13: Last day for filing after-the-primary sworn financial statements. (Chap. 3, Art. 8, Sec. 6.)
- July 15 to August 15: Party conventions to be held for nominating judges of inferior courts of counties. (Dates to be set by county executive committee.) (Chap. 3, Art. 4, Sec. 27.)
- August 1 to August 15: Judicial conventions to be held for nominating Presidential Electors, Judges of the Supreme Court, and Judges of Circuit Courts. (Dates to be set by state and judicial executive committees.) (Chap. 3, Art. 4, Sec. 27.)
- August 5: Last day on which publication of proposed amendments to State Constitution shall be made. (Acts 1939, Reg. Sess., Chap. 14, 15, and 16.)
- August 15: Last day for holding county, judicial and state nominating conventions. (Chap. 3, Art. 4, Sec. 27.)
- September 6: Last day to file with Secretary of State or Clerk of County Court written designation of treasurer of political committee or financial agent of candidate to act for the general election. (Chap. 3, Art. 8, Sec. 4.)
- October 1: County Court to appoint election officials. (Chap. 3, Art. 5, Sec. 9.)
- \*October 6: Last day for state executive committee to fill vacancies in nominations for state offices. After this date vacancies to be filled by Chairman of State Committee. (Chap. 3, Art. 4, Sec. 23.)

\*When first or last day falls on Sunday, it is suggested that the Saturday next prior thereto be considered as the date.

- \*October 6 to October 26:** Applications to be made for absent voter's ballots. (Chap. 3, Art. 6, Sec. 2.)
- October 14 and October 15:** Registrars to sit for the purpose of amending, correcting and completing the registration in their precincts. (Chap. 3, Art. 2, Sec. 10.)
- \*\*October 15:** County Court to sit in regular or special session to hear matters pertaining to registration. (Chap. 3, Art. 2, Sec. 10.)
- October 16:** Last day for Executive Committee to fill vacancies on ticket. After this date vacancies to be filled by Chairmen of Committees. (Chap. 3, Art. 4, Sec. 23.)
- October 21 to October 29:** Candidates to file before-election financial statements. (Chap. 3, Art. 8, Sec. 6.)
- October 26:** Last day to apply for absent voter's ballots. (Chap. 3, Art. 6, Sec. 2.)
- October 26:** Last day for the Clerk of the Circuit Court to begin publication of lists of nominees for the general election. (Chap. 3, Art. 5, Sec. 8.)
- October 26 to November 1:** Clerk of the Circuit Court to mail absent voter's ballots to applicants. (Chap. 3, Art. 6, Sec. 5.)
- October 26 to November 1:** Voters who expect to be absent from the State on election day may receive in person, from the Clerk of the Circuit Court, absent voter's ballots. (Chap. 3, Art. 6, Sec. 5.)
- October 29:** Last day for candidates to file before-election financial statements. (Chap. 3, Art. 8, Sec. 6.)
- October 29:** County Court to convene in regular or special session to register voters. (Chap. 3, Art. 2, Sec. 10.)
- October 30:** Registration lists to be closed to public inspection after this date. (Chap. 3, Art. 2, Sec. 7.)
- November 1:** Last day for the Clerk of the Circuit Court to mail absent voter's ballots to applicants. (Chap. 3, Art. 6, Sec. 5.)
- November 1:** Last day to obtain absent voter's ballots in person from the Clerk of the Circuit Court. (Chap. 3, Art. 6, Sec. 5.)
- November 2:** Last day to obtain certificate of transfer of registration from registrar or Clerk of the County Court. (Chap. 3, Art. 2, Sec. 8.)
- November 5:** General Election Day. (Chap. 3, Art. 1, Sec. 2.)
- November 11:** County Court to canvass election returns. (Chap. 3, Art. 5, Sec. 33.)
- December 5:** Last day for filing after-election financial statements. (Chap. 3, Art. 8, Sec. 6.)

\*When first or last day falls on Sunday, it is suggested that the Saturday next prior thereto be considered as the date.

\*\*Because of the conflict between this date and the date for the sitting of the registrars, it is suggested that the County Court meet and adjourn until October 18, when registrars are required to return registration books to the County Clerk.



*Photo by State Road Commission*  
**Bridge over Shavers Fork of Cheat River, U. S. 250, Randolph County. Highest Bridge elevation (3,556 feet) on West Virginia's highway system.**

# ROADS

## SPEED LIMITS

The speed limit for automobiles on open country highways in West Virginia is 45 miles per hour; on suburban streets, 25 miles per hour; and, on city streets, 20 miles per hour.

An operator of a motor vehicle must be at least sixteen years of age. The fee for a learner's permit is one dollar, and the fee for an operator's license is seventy-five cents. An operator's license expires four years from the date of issuance and may be renewed for successive periods of four years upon the payment of a fee of seventy-five cents for each such renewal.

## NET MOTOR VEHICLE LICENSE RECEIPTS 1921-1939

(Compiled from data furnished by State Road Commission)

<i>Calendar Yr.</i>	<i>Receipts</i>	<i>Calendar Yr.</i>	<i>Receipts</i>
1921 .....	\$ 1,219,635	1930 .....	\$ 4,665,270
1922 .....	1,924,230	1931 .....	4,480,933
1923 .....	2,594,317	1932 .....	4,030,140
1924 .....	2,851,187	1933 .....	3,806,333
1925 .....	3,316,960	*1934-35 .....	4,069,276
1926 .....	3,683,134	*1935-36 .....	4,476,870
1927 .....	3,967,212	*1936-37 .....	5,115,190
1928 .....	4,142,595	*1937-38 .....	5,246,176
1929 .....	4,532,747	*1938-39 .....	5,101,632

\*Fiscal year.

## STATE ROAD BONDS, 1939

(Compiled from data furnished by Treasurer's Office)

<i>Amount Authorized and Issued</i>	<i>Amount Retired</i>	<i>Amount Reissued</i>	<i>Amount Out- standing as of July 2, 1939</i>
\$50,000,000.00	\$41,088,000.00	\$39,500,000.00	\$48,412,000.00
\$35,000,000.00	8,300,000.00		\$26,700,000.00
<b>Total</b> .....			<b>\$75,112,000.00</b>

## ° MOTOR VEHICLES REGISTERED, 1939

(Compiled to November 1, 1939, from data furnished by State Road Commission)

COUNTY	Passenger Cars	Trucks	Motorcycles
Barbour.....	2,190	396	9
Berkeley.....	4,737	650	60
Boone.....	1,809	400	8
Braxton.....	1,170	399	5
Brooke.....	3,115	375	16
Cabell.....	14,100	2,988	62
Calhoun.....	930	197	7
Clay.....	867	213	3
Doddridge.....	1,020	190	.....
Fayette.....	8,430	1,297	29
Gilmer.....	1,020	296	3
Grant.....	1,020	285	3
Greenbrier.....	4,290	1,115	11
Hampshire.....	1,650	590	3
Hancock.....	4,512	610	37
Hardy.....	1,080	250	6
Harrison.....	10,890	2,140	71
Jackson.....	1,530	495	1
Jefferson.....	2,670	413	9
Kanawha.....	25,848	5,140	138
Lewis.....	2,885	595	5
Lincoln.....	1,140	509	4
Logan.....	4,387	1,093	20
McDowell.....	10,301	1,340	36
Marion.....	10,530	1,597	56
Marshall.....	4,049	699	19
Mason.....	2,010	494	5
Meer.....	6,557	1,602	30
Mincral.....	2,910	597	16
Mingo.....	2,304	695	12
Monongalia.....	6,833	1,002	49
Monroe.....	1,507	390	4
Morgan.....	1,380	210	10
Nicholas.....	1,863	497	6
Ohio.....	11,171	2,100	55
Pendleton.....	1,200	301	3
Pleasants.....	930	197	2
Pocahontas.....	1,470	326	6
Preston.....	3,133	779	17
Putnam.....	1,530	410	4
Raleigh.....	7,453	1,600	29
Randolph.....	3,210	610	9
Ritchie.....	2,154	405	10
Roane.....	1,054	490	8
Summers.....	1,764	550	1
Taylor.....	2,550	300	5
Tucker.....	1,296	245	2
Tyler.....	1,587	250	5
Upshur.....	1,872	255	6
Wayne.....	1,713	600	6
Webster.....	1,194	250	5
Wetzel.....	2,940	410	7
Wirt.....	630	120	3
Wood.....	0,720	1,495	28
Wyoming.....	2,081	400	12
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>213,080</b>	<b>41,742</b>	<b>982</b>

\*—Trailers registered, 2,343; commercial trailers, 330.

## PRIMARY AND SECONDARY ROADS DESIGNATED AND IMPROVED TO JULY 1, 1939

(Data furnished by State Road Commission)

COUNTY	PRIMARY ROADS		SECONDARY ROADS	
	Designated (Miles)	Improved (Miles)	Designated (Miles)	Improved (Miles)
Barbour.....	78.304	72.614	671.000	122.972
Berkeley.....	73.887	71.481	423.300	257.650
Boone.....	90.517	83.520	255.450	177.910
Braxton.....	70.951	70.951	840.800	174.570
Brooke.....	41.850	41.850	131.000	129.400
Cabell.....	63.341	63.341	449.600	325.510
Calhoun.....	70.926	63.670	401.100	73.400
Clay.....	69.865	69.865	418.000	183.400
Doddridge.....	66.913	66.913	522.200	63.606
Fayette.....	158.241	130.785	501.150	247.600
Gilmer.....	71.829	68.829	713.600	56.000
Grant.....	75.659	66.559	287.440	86.120
Greenbrier.....	133.343	106.793	729.400	371.220
Hampshire.....	93.311	56.577	594.500	211.450
Hancock.....	38.400	38.400	163.600	130.650
Hardy.....	82.968	75.268	345.400	125.400
Harrison.....	109.474	105.404	795.100	299.650
Jackson.....	112.972	89.847	750.600	131.400
Jefferson.....	48.640	48.640	288.300	273.000
Kanawha.....	165.403	165.403	1,259.700	331.770
Lewis.....	64.155	64.155	603.300	145.137
Lincoln.....	78.969	72.919	479.900	120.200
Logan.....	77.525	77.525	229.000	121.000
Marion.....	73.728	73.728	675.800	307.711
Marshall.....	74.389	74.389	481.600	351.212
Mason.....	112.111	109.411	824.600	176.000
Mercer.....	130.710	130.710	670.600	216.700
Mineral.....	85.763	76.813	253.400	143.600
Mingo.....	95.874	95.874	246.600	174.950
Monongalia.....	104.645	104.645	829.500	179.245
Monroe.....	71.051	71.051	506.070	118.270
Morgan.....	54.984	54.984	264.600	115.900
McDowell.....	110.969	110.969	291.650	158.950
Nicholas.....	138.183	138.183	486.600	132.900
Ohio.....	44.295	44.295	171.000	171.000
Pendleton.....	108.458	108.458	471.000	179.310
Pleasants.....	27.337	27.337	221.900	127.150
Pocahontas.....	129.686	119.836	464.000	196.560
Preston.....	149.168	138.434	1,121.000	174.015
Putnam.....	95.900	84.868	535.400	80.100
Raleigh.....	102.859	102.859	819.650	375.840
Randolph.....	134.043	134.043	877.000	271.900
Ritchie.....	108.651	103.651	709.600	100.100
Roane.....	85.408	85.408	709.300	108.050
Summers.....	63.586	58.721	520.106	156.906
Taylor.....	68.394	67.894	454.200	83.470
Tucker.....	65.759	52.759	634.000	177.560
Tyler.....	55.282	55.282	403.500	142.550
Upshur.....	58.024	58.024	672.700	148.764
Wayne.....	107.250	107.250	716.600	273.500
Webster.....	73.036	73.036	635.900	71.242
Wetzel.....	91.571	91.571	541.700	231.080
Wirt.....	51.627	42.964	411.800	64.800
Wood.....	109.731	91.245	651.750	277.050
Wyoming.....	80.819	80.819	364.000	116.530
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>4,800.744</b>	<b>4,571.030</b>	<b>29,549.656</b>	<b>9,661.930</b>



*Photo by Conservation Commission*

**Modern fire tower on Thorny Ridge, Seneca State Forest, showing living quarters for forest rangers built atop tower.**

# SOCIAL SECURITY

## PUBLIC ASSISTANCE CASE LOAD IN WEST VIRGINIA

(Compiled by the Department of Public Assistance for October, 1939)

COUNTY	Old Age Assistance	Aid To The Blind	Aid To Dependent Children	General Relief	Duplicated Cases	Total
Barbour.....	322	15	101	232	58	612
Berkeley.....	193	6	53	71	10	313
Boone.....	162	3	79	70	3	311
Braxton.....	304	12	142	74	5	527
Brooke.....	168	1	52	153	2	372
Cabell.....	705	40	253	342	4	1,336
Calhoun.....	146	6	63	85	12	268
Clay.....	212	7	127	98	6	438
Doddridge.....	152	5	40	83	15	295
Fayette.....	504	47	311	362	22	1,202
Gilmer.....	184	10	44	70	12	296
Grant.....	151	8	41	46	3	243
Greenbrier.....	303	13	171	90	38	539
Hampshire.....	269	5	62	88	8	416
Hancock.....	136	3	45	85	.....	269
Hardy.....	205	2	51	40	5	293
Harrison.....	478	18	148	496	88	1,072
Jackson.....	275	7	72	66	7	413
Jefferson.....	254	19	66	73	23	389
Kanawha.....	1,331	85	714	1,187	107	3,210
Lewis.....	266	9	61	127	26	437
Lincoln.....	314	30	135	93	1	571
Logan.....	284	21	215	287	8	799
Marion.....	393	10	200	400	41	962
Marshall.....	391	14	131	432	24	944
Mason.....	456	15	70	84	9	616
Mertzer.....	407	27	299	330	14	1,049
Mineral.....	301	10	74	137	16	506
Mingo.....	373	25	205	249	10	842
Monongalia.....	353	9	124	584	64	1,008
Monroe.....	217	1	67	53	2	336
Morgan.....	154	1	70	70	26	269
McDowell.....	520	33	356	465	170	1,204
Nicholas.....	249	11	166	97	13	510
Ohio.....	404	24	105	707	14	1,226
Pendleton.....	116	8	48	31	8	195
Pleasants.....	119	5	31	104	57	202
Pocahontas.....	188	6	74	49	18	301
Preston.....	510	7	145	188	23	827
Putnam.....	341	9	87	59	9	487
Raleigh.....	379	36	395	249	9	1,050
Randolph.....	566	17	163	179	41	884
Ritchie.....	327	15	81	144	25	542
Roane.....	249	17	115	55	13	423
Summers.....	205	13	137	80	15	420
Taylor.....	304	11	68	156	22	517
Tucker.....	225	8	58	84	8	368
Tyler.....	209	6	39	90	10	334
Unshur.....	361	8	100	106	11	564
Wayne.....	416	39	240	69	8	756
Webster.....	284	9	121	85	11	488
Wetzel.....	335	12	130	207	24	660
Wirt.....	123	5	35	72	18	217
Wood.....	672	19	139	941	69	1,702
Wyoming.....	254	17	218	82	4	567
TOTAL.....	17,749	819	7,338	10,956	1,247	35,615

## PUBLIC ASSISTANCE EXPENDITURES IN WEST VIRGINIA

(July 1, 1938 to June 30, 1939)

COUNTY	*Classified Assistance	General Relief	Administrative Costs	Total Expenditures
Barbour.....	\$ 90,795.00	\$ 44,591.24	\$ 21,696.93	\$ 157,083.17
Berkeley.....	45,965.00	33,948.09	19,357.34	99,300.43
Boone.....	55,807.00	18,891.93	12,374.05	87,072.98
Braxton.....	82,905.00	17,957.00	13,533.13	114,395.13
Brooke.....	38,607.00	63,965.48	12,530.00	115,102.48
Cabell.....	197,759.00	170,506.80	58,742.05	427,007.85
Calhoun.....	29,015.00	23,876.87	12,059.87	64,951.74
Clay.....	61,799.00	28,465.03	14,762.65	105,026.68
Doddridge.....	38,445.00	18,736.47	10,021.62	67,203.09
Fayette.....	180,548.00	135,843.45	58,379.60	374,771.14
Gilmer.....	34,496.00	20,536.70	10,398.87	65,431.57
Grant.....	30,228.00	17,021.03	7,940.89	55,189.92
Greenbrier.....	77,088.00	37,403.90	25,333.33	139,825.23
Hampshire.....	46,148.00	34,703.53	14,366.65	95,218.18
Hancock.....	40,025.00	36,556.97	15,009.78	91,591.75
Hardy.....	40,312.00	12,834.87	8,532.27	61,679.14
Harrison.....	126,910.00	124,069.45	50,296.69	301,276.14
Jackson.....	65,198.00	19,853.48	13,119.62	98,171.10
Jefferson.....	56,394.00	24,342.15	14,921.19	95,657.34
Kanawha.....	422,542.00	241,504.01	97,476.96	761,522.97
Lewis.....	44,533.00	23,538.61	12,986.84	81,058.45
Lincoln.....	82,858.00	55,966.20	27,498.98	166,323.18
Logan.....	116,610.00	101,764.29	33,537.20	251,911.49
Marion.....	98,761.00	84,107.44	33,716.05	216,585.39
Marshall.....	117,230.00	81,489.28	27,789.55	226,508.83
Mason.....	91,361.00	39,194.93	17,503.04	148,058.97
Mercer.....	132,806.00	68,680.15	36,410.30	237,896.51
Mineral.....	59,758.00	49,166.83	18,753.13	127,677.96
Mingo.....	92,922.00	54,481.84	26,807.53	174,211.37
Monongalia.....	98,946.00	124,172.62	36,129.66	259,248.28
Monroe.....	49,468.00	14,994.60	12,086.67	76,549.33
Morgan.....	41,185.00	20,308.52	11,643.87	73,137.39
McDowell.....	151,877.00	120,614.57	45,106.31	317,597.88
Nicholas.....	75,975.00	55,322.02	26,140.07	157,437.09
Ohio.....	112,077.00	144,543.48	47,937.08	304,557.56
Pendleton.....	24,388.00	11,209.43	6,721.50	42,318.93
Pleasants.....	27,397.00	15,554.27	7,529.12	50,480.39
Pocahontas.....	35,508.00	16,597.24	12,567.18	64,672.42
Preston.....	114,053.00	67,235.86	29,048.44	210,337.30
Putnam.....	80,129.00	24,282.37	13,912.70	118,324.16
Raleigh.....	137,368.00	87,520.02	38,781.57	263,669.59
Randolph.....	153,176.00	65,606.67	35,260.13	254,042.80
Ritchie.....	74,835.00	31,558.17	14,052.57	120,445.74
Roane.....	49,335.00	28,340.66	12,057.99	89,733.65
Summers.....	56,781.00	18,996.50	14,147.00	89,924.56
Taylor.....	67,768.00	32,101.67	16,842.90	116,712.57
Tucker.....	51,821.00	27,070.06	11,457.01	90,348.07
Tyler.....	37,956.00	31,336.65	12,869.29	82,161.94
Upshur.....	82,985.00	43,555.72	16,999.82	143,540.54
Wayne.....	144,029.00	50,415.62	35,660.06	230,704.68
Webster.....	68,570.00	22,143.18	15,572.26	106,285.44
Wetzel.....	90,894.00	71,098.11	22,921.18	184,913.29
Wirt.....	24,785.00	14,517.01	7,241.48	46,543.49
Wood.....	167,639.00	190,780.16	43,958.62	402,377.78
Wyoming.....	84,769.00	32,945.70	18,083.83	135,798.62
TOTALS.....	\$ 4,702,139.00	\$ 3,046,879.11	\$ 1,290,615.56	\$ 9,039,633.67

\*—Old age assistance, aid to the blind, and aid to dependent children.

## EMPLOYERS AND EMPLOYEES COVERED UNDER THE WEST VIRGINIA UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION LAW

\*(Compiled for the Year 1938 by the Department of Unemployment Compensation)

COUNTY	Wages	Contributions	Employees	Employers
Barbour.....	\$ 1,216,508.72	\$ 32,851.43	1,501	21
Berkeley.....	3,690,535.56	99,779.68	4,539	61
Boone.....	2,979,435.29	80,256.89	3,332	30
Braxton.....	90,182.78	2,451.43	168	8
Brooke.....	4,477,046.05	121,138.66	3,837	34
Cabell.....	426,996.83	11,483.92	488	18
Calhoun.....	48,270.16	1,330.24	45	4
Clay.....	93,781.78	2,532.38	195	9
Doddridge.....	49,559.11	1,337.46	57	7
Fayette.....	29,348,153.92	791,678.80	25,760	123
Gilmer.....	64,816.86	1,826.35	141	5
Grant.....	71,684.79	1,979.51	89	4
Greenbrier.....	3,757,447.39	100,601.65	3,586	54
Hampshire.....	144,210.38	3,888.89	192	8
Hancock.....	18,862,073.36	510,583.60	13,989	57
Hardy.....	218,546.96	5,930.00	294	8
Harrison.....	10,164,224.43	274,184.01	8,817	212
Jackson.....	101,427.11	2,824.71	145	9
Jefferson.....	1,024,344.43	30,058.09	1,239	34
Kanawha.....	31,672,385.04	855,913.41	23,930	150
Lewis.....	446,894.12	12,190.13	824	35
Lincoln.....	85,535.79	2,381.82	135	10
Logan.....	13,624,205.11	368,583.65	12,188	103
McDowell.....	18,769,067.77	561,408.35	20,088	140
Marion.....	12,763,980.13	342,782.78	11,158	130
Marshall.....	2,979,503.39	73,147.48	3,009	51
Mason.....	641,564.07	17,583.87	603	22
Mercer.....	7,643,715.39	205,272.40	7,236	154
Mineral.....	576,808.03	15,779.36	640	20
Mingo.....	3,652,804.76	97,400.84	3,447	57
Monoalgia.....	5,567,979.32	162,722.26	5,121	107
Monroe.....	11,174.54	318.63	26	2
Morgan.....	436,735.17	11,795.55	489	6
Nicholas.....	1,633,105.00	44,222.88	1,708	20
Ohio.....	2,349,037.83	62,699.67	2,282	23
Pendleton.....	53,906.43	1,471.47	98	7
Pleasants.....	204,601.23	5,310.55	248	9
Pocahontas.....	502,533.41	13,599.33	597	20
Preston.....	663,229.87	18,151.69	866	40
Putnam.....	1,962,733.45	53,021.91	1,404	13
Raleigh.....	14,384,831.26	387,099.34	11,994	135
Randolph.....	2,058,490.71	55,813.36	2,240	60
Ritchie.....	206,136.88	3,555.47	288	18
Roane.....	273,311.07	7,416.40	293	18
Summers.....	218,420.53	5,902.46	225	17
Taylor.....	928,786.30	24,487.46	925	34
Tucker.....	1,030,411.77	27,826.11	1,012	12
Tyler.....	424,649.81	11,471.83	366	21
Upshur.....	171,600.21	4,715.51	323	19
Wayne.....	641,414.45	17,396.20	642	21
Webster.....	1,789,123.83	48,169.68	1,697	17
Wetzel.....	1,353,873.31	36,530.73	1,293	20
Wirt.....	23,117.10	624.34	39	3
Wood.....	12,554,952.19	339,868.81	11,094	164
Wyoming.....	3,663,940.07	98,992.48	3,205	30
Out-of-State.....	62,894,173.98	1,696,722.47	43,915	455
Charleston.....	14,781,560.66	408,015.98	11,602	404
Huntington.....	14,902,059.20	403,794.24	12,705	310
Wheeling.....	26,296,696.38	709,558.02	21,798	357
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>\$ 341,668,295.17</b>	<b>\$ 9,290,646.62</b>	<b>291,255</b>	<b>3,937</b>

\*—An average of 3,572 employers were covered under the State Unemployment Compensation Act for the period from January 1, 1939, to June 30, 1939, an average of 255,335 employees being covered for the same period. During the first six months of 1939, a total of \$2,338,237.34 was paid for unemployment compensation.

## REGISTRATIONS AND PLACEMENTS OF APPLICANTS ON JOBS

(Data furnished by State Employment Service Division, Department of Unemployment Compensation)

COUNTY	PLACEMENTS		REGISTRATIONS		
	Nov. 1, 1938 to Oct. 31, 1939	Total since Aug. 1933	Nov. 1, 1938 to Oct. 31, 1939	Total since Aug. 1933	Active File of Registrants Nov. 1 1939
Barbour.....	295	4,607	349	6,993	1,230
Berkeley.....	1,099	10,565	1,030	13,692	1,294
Boone.....	637	3,561	1,458	9,883	324
Braxton.....	64	1,700	367	7,134	786
Brooke.....	384	2,462	708	8,115	801
Cabell.....	3,195	22,405	3,926	44,371	5,961
Calhoun.....	4	1,359	360	4,425	629
Clay.....	14	1,388	501	4,468	648
Doddridge.....	121	1,241	191	3,112	681
Fayette.....	1,506	8,708	4,474	24,625	3,172
Gilmer.....	69	1,982	182	3,674	752
Grant.....	46	1,695	139	2,892	306
Greenbrier.....	581	4,727	1,255	12,514	1,196
Hampshire.....	49	2,251	161	3,517	453
Hancock.....	752	3,546	1,118	13,637	409
Hardy.....	15	1,040	110	2,675	192
Harrison.....	2,188	18,190	2,997	32,088	2,719
Jackson.....	91	2,045	286	5,839	431
Jefferson.....	211	2,144	419	5,343	434
Kanawha.....	7,400	42,332	8,301	77,425	4,296
Lewis.....	202	2,230	501	6,605	973
Lincoln.....	123	2,569	523	6,940	530
Logan.....	994	7,106	3,040	24,201	601
Marion.....	906	8,350	2,375	24,747	2,243
Marshall.....	895	4,179	1,171	12,756	737
Mason.....	289	9,395	354	10,396	771
Mercer.....	2,129	14,074	3,972	26,010	1,345
Mineral.....	590	3,838	726	6,840	459
Mingo.....	1,467	5,866	2,342	14,855	491
Monongalia.....	1,298	11,238	2,810	22,411	2,008
Monroe.....	107	1,827	208	4,086	157
Morgan.....	143	1,698	236	2,971	302
McDowell.....	1,781	11,579	5,446	34,726	1,388
Nicholas.....	135	3,704	602	7,801	240
Ohio.....	2,661	20,199	3,468	34,099	5,717
Pendleton.....	109	2,303	98	2,508	676
Pleasants.....	31	1,271	123	2,170	157
Pocahontas.....	214	2,430	352	5,489	619
Preston.....	192	4,447	573	10,232	1,393
Putnam.....	384	5,516	790	7,933	871
Raleigh.....	3,031	15,195	3,695	26,313	850
Randolph.....	963	8,528	1,128	12,430	2,526
Ritchie.....	33	3,511	284	4,987	516
Roane.....	11	1,627	430	5,517	665
Summers.....	215	2,985	507	8,085	515
Taylor.....	525	11,255	477	9,910	1,337
Tucker.....	111	3,224	383	5,289	792
Tyler.....	138	1,080	270	3,315	252
Upshur.....	26	1,934	363	6,609	1,152
Wayne.....	247	5,438	862	12,434	1,108
Webster.....	4	1,792	088	5,827	683
Wetzel.....	366	3,161	558	7,164	1,760
Wirt.....	9	788	112	2,220	257
Wood.....	1,879	13,482	2,258	20,396	1,372
Wyoming.....	163	2,010	1,320	8,527	674
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>41,158</b>	<b>338,884</b>	<b>72,279</b>	<b>700,813</b>	<b>62,055</b>

## THE CENTRAL CLEARANCE INDEX

By A. W. GARNETT  
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One of the new and significant aspects of the relief and welfare program in West Virginia is the Central Clearance Index set up in the Department of Public Assistance through the cooperation of that department and the Office of Government Reports, formerly the National Emergency Council. It is a clearing house not only for all forms of relief provided through the Department of Public Assistance, but also for unemployment compensation claims, WPA assistance, farm security administration loans, workmen's compensation, and NYA and CCC service.

As the first clearance index of its kind in the United States, its operation is the subject of nation-wide interest, and recently a study of its workings and results was begun by a special committee appointed by the Federal Social Security Board.

The objectives of the index are twofold: *First*, to expedite applications for assistance by making pertinent information quickly available to county offices, and, *Second*, to prevent duplication of grants and services. Through the index, all information gathered by one of the above agencies is made available to all other agencies concerned, and no agency attempts to assist a family without knowing what has been done for that family, what other agencies can do for it, and the exact present status of the case.

The index operates as follows: When an inquiry is received, let us say, in a county office of public assistance, a copy is immediately forwarded to the Central Clearance Index. A search is made in the files, and if a record card for the family is found, all pertinent information available is sent to the county department, including information concerning any assistance being afforded through any of the participating agencies, something of the family's previous history, or reasons for discontinuance of any grant no longer payable. This information is furnished by the index to the county office within twenty-four hours after the inquiry is forwarded.

The index consists of approximately 130,000 cards covering household group information, together with a corresponding file set up geographically. Thus the index handles approximately 7,000 inquiries, cancellations, and placements each week. The personnel consists of nine persons, including a supervisor and secretary. Most of the inquiries are being received from the county departments of public assistance, and approximately 75 per cent of these are located in the household group cards. As the files continue to grow in size, the value of the index to other agencies will be substantially increased.

Through the cooperation of the employment offices throughout the state, the index is also in a position to notify the county offices of placements in private industry. A list showing the names of those who have refused such employment is also maintained by the index.

The index represents an important step in the integration of West Virginia's welfare program, and officials from various other states have visited it to evaluate its results not only in terms of time and money saved, but also in the matter of providing quicker and more effective assistance to those whom the participating agencies were created to serve.

## USE OF MOBILE UNIT IN TREATMENT OF TRACHOMA

By ANN WEST

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Two years ago the State Health Department and the Department of Public Assistance cooperated in a survey of the blind in West Virginia that resulted in indications of over 700 cases of trachoma. They further found that this disease

was most prevalent in the southern counties, that many of the cases were of long standing, and that a large per cent of the people having trachoma were on the state's relief rolls.

Trachoma, a severe granulation of the eyelids, produces almost certain blindness if allowed to go unchecked. The inner eyelids become painfully rough and scrape over the cornea. Little knots, "trachoma bodies," form on the eyelids; and a gristly layer forms on its outer surface. This layer of gristle gradually forces the eyelid to turn in toward the eyeball, so that in advanced stages of the disease the eyelashes comb the eyeballs at every movement. In some cases the eyelid grows fast to the eyeball, and the pain is almost unbearable. There are many persons in the state who have been afflicted with the disease for over thirty years.

After the survey was completed, the Department of Public Assistance made plans for the establishment of a mobile treatment unit, for most of the cases were in rural sections and the contagious nature of the disease made it impractical to move the patients to the cities for treatment.

The mobile unit, now an actuality, consists of a thirty-foot trailer, fully equipped for treatment clinics. Regular treatment routes have been followed since the middle of June. The case load has grown rapidly since that time and the itinerary has been lengthened until it now reaches 14 southern counties. The trailer was especially built, and is equipped with a treatment chair, several cabinets, a refrigerator, and a small cot. There is running water, and at one end there is a small "dark room" where the ophthalmoscope is used. The unit is attached to a tractor and covers approximately 650 miles each week, operating out of Charleston and visiting each of the clinic stops once each week. In addition to the ophthalmologist and the nurse in charge, there is a field nurse connected with the State Health Department, who makes the necessary preparation for the clinics and to some extent supervises the families under treatment.

It is too early to tabulate accurately the results of the clinic, but almost without exception the treatment provided has relieved the pain, and, in many cases, the eye-sight itself has been appreciably improved. Most of these results have been brought about through the use of neoprontonsil and sulfanilimide, the former being a derivative of sulfanilimide. This treatment has been used both in new cases and in those of long standing; however, for the real chronic cases, the oil treatment (chalmogra oil), oxycyanide of mercury, or surgery must be used to afford relief. The old treatment of copper has been completely discarded as too painful and likely to produce deformities of the eyelids. In some cases, the ophthalmologist has performed the Holtz operation, which consists of slitting the eyelid and removing a portion of the gristly substance that has been forcing the lid to turn in. The eyelid is thus shortened and the patient no longer experiences the pain caused by the eyelashes rubbing over the eyeball.

Although routes to be followed by the mobile unit have been carefully mapped out for the greatest convenience of the patients, some of them are compelled to travel long distances for their weekly treatments. One little girl in Wyoming County walks twenty miles; another seven. Some of the patients are already blind, while others have suffered with the disease for so long a time that the only possible assistance that can be rendered is to lessen the pain. In many cases, however, not only is eye-sight aided, but there is definite improvement in the general health of patients treated.

# TAXATION

## PUBLIC UTILITY ASSESSMENTS, 1939

(Data Furnished by Board of Public Works)

	Class No. 1 (Intangible Personal Property)	Classes Nos. 3 & 4 (All Other Property)	Total Assessment
<b>BRIDGE COMPANIES</b>			
Huntington & Ohio Bridge Co.....	\$ 55,000	\$ 725,000	\$ 780,000
Interstate Bridge Company of Bellaire.....	0	400,000	400,000
Interstate Bridge of Kermit.....	0	30,000	30,000
Kanawha Falls Bridge Co.....	100	25,000	25,100
Kentucky & West Virginia Bridge Co.....	0	12,000	12,000
Louis & Fort Gay Bridge Co.....	0	23,000	20,000
Midland Trail-Kanawha River Bridge Co.....	200	200,000	200,000
Prince Bridge Co.....	11,500	50,000	91,500
State Bridge Commission of Ohio.....	0	1,540,000	1,540,000
Stuebenville Bridge Co.....	0	600,000	600,000
Washington & Berkeley Bridge Co.....	0	40,000	40,000
West Virginia & Ohio River Bridge Co.....	15,000	300,000	315,000
Wheeling & Belmont Bridge Co.....	210,000	1,475,000	1,685,000
Wheeling Bridge Co.....	105,000	450,000	555,000
<b>TOTALS</b> .....	<b>\$ 396,500</b>	<b>\$ 5,597,000</b>	<b>\$ 6,293,500</b>
<b>BUS COMPANIES</b>			
All American Bus Lines.....	\$ 0	\$ 1,500	\$ 1,500
American Airlines, Inc.....	1,600	5,000	6,600
Aracoma Taxi Company.....	0	6,000	6,000
Athens-Princeton Transportation Co.....	0	5,000	5,000
Atlantic Greyhound Lines.....	90,000	600,000	690,000
Blue Ribbon Bus Line.....	0	5,000	5,000
Blue Ridge Transportation Co.....	200	10,000	10,200
C. & M. Bus Line.....	0	1,000	1,000
Capital Greyhound Lines, Inc.....	0	150,000	150,000
Charleston Transit Company.....	0	280,000	280,000
Conn Transportation Company.....	900	10,000	10,900
Consolidated Bus Lines, Inc.....	10,000	185,000	195,000
Cooperative Bus Company.....	11,000	55,000	66,000
Eastern Ohio Transport Company.....	0	3,000	3,000
Elliott & Pitzer.....	0	1,000	1,000
Emery, R. L., Jr.....	0	6,000	6,000
Franklin-Cumberland Transit Co.....	500	2,500	3,300
Gump Bus Line.....	100	8,000	8,100
Jordan Bus Line, A. J.....	0	4,500	4,500
L. & A. Bus Lines, Inc.....	0	15,000	15,000
Lincoln Trail System.....	0	1,500	1,500
Logan-Williamson Bus Company.....	2,000	70,000	72,000
Meyer Transit Company.....	1,700	6,000	7,700
Monongahela Transport Company.....	200	20,000	20,200
Murphy Bus Company.....	2,500	55,000	57,500
No. 2 Beckley-Hinton Bus Line.....	500	5,000	5,500
Ohio Valley Bus Company.....	25,000	300,000	328,000
Orander Bus Line, R. M.....	0	2,000	2,000
Osgood Lines, Inc.....	200	18,000	18,200
Penn Bus Company.....	0	12,000	12,000
Penn-Ohio Coach Lines.....	1,900	20,000	21,900
Pennsylvania Greyhound Lines of Indiana.....	0	25,000	25,000
Pittsburgh & Weirton Bus Company.....	11,000	75,000	86,000
Pond Creek Bus Company.....	0	500	500
Potomac Motor Lines.....	0	2,000	2,000
Red Jacket Transportation Company.....	0	5,500	5,500
Red Star Way, Inc.....	0	6,000	6,000
Reynolds Transportation Company.....	3,500	50,000	53,500

## PUBLIC UTILITY ASSESSMENTS, 1939—(Continued)

	Class No. 1 (Intangible Personal Property)	Classes Nos. 3 & 4 (All Other Property)	Total Assessment
Safeway Lines, Inc. ....	\$ 0	\$ 10,000	\$ 10,000
Scott-Nickels Bus Company.....	0	1,000	1,000
Shelton, George .....	0	3,000	3,000
Tennessee Coach Company of Virginia.....	0	8,000	8,000
Tri-City Traction Company.....	0	45,000	45,000
Unger Transportation Service.....	0	1,000	1,000
Southeastern Greyhound Lines.....	0	6,000	6,000
Wade, D. C. ....	0	2,500	2,500
West Virginia-Ohio Bus Company.....	0	1,500	1,500
West Virginia Transportation Co.....	42,000	100,000	142,000
Wheeling Public Service Company.....	24,000	200,000	224,000
Wheeling, St. Clairsville & Cambridge Transportation Co.....	0	1,000	1,000
White Star Lines, Inc.....	2,300	150,000	152,300
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>\$ 234,400</b>	<b>\$ 2,550,000</b>	<b>\$ 2,784,400</b>
<b>CAR LINE COMPANIES</b>			
American Extract Company.....	\$	100	\$ 100
American Maize Products Company.....		400	400
American Refrigerator Transit Company.....		8,000	8,000
American Zinc & Chemical Company.....		100	100
Armour & Company.....		24,400	24,400
Arns-Yager Railway Car Company.....		200	200
Armstrong Cork Company.....		100	100
Barbour Asphalt Corporation.....		3,000	3,000
Barrett Company, The.....		8,000	8,000
Berwind-White Coal Mining Company, The.....		100	100
Best Foods, Inc., The.....		100	100
Bisbee Linseed Company.....		400	400
Brown Company.....		1,200	1,200
Buffalo Electro Chemical Company.....		500	500
Burlington Refrigerator Express Company.....		12,000	12,000
California Dispatch Line.....		500	500
Canfield Tank Line Company.....		700	700
Carbide & Carbon Chemicals Corp.....		55,100	55,100
Carnegie Illinois Steel Corp.....		1,300	1,300
Central West Refrigerator Dispatch.....		200	200
Chicago, New York & Boston Refrigerator Company.....		1,800	1,800
Cities Service Oil Company.....		100	100
Columbia Alkali Corp.....		2,800	2,800
Commercial Molasses Corp.....		100	100
Commercial Solvents Corp.....		1,000	1,000
Continental Tank Car Company.....		100	100
Cook Paint & Varnish Company.....		100	100
Crystal Car Line Company.....		400	400
Cudahy Packing Company.....		3,200	3,200
Dairy Shippers Dispatch Company.....		8,400	8,400
Darling & Company.....		300	300
Davison Chemical Corp.....		200	200
Diamond Alkali Company.....		5,000	5,000
du Pont de Nemours, F. I. & Co.....		96,300	96,300
Electro Bleaching Gas Company.....		800	800
Elk Refining Company.....		25,800	25,800
Ethyl Gasoline Corp.....		1,800	1,800
Falling Rock Cannel Coal Co.....		3,100	3,100
Fleischmann Transportation Co.....		3,000	3,000
Freedom Oil Works Company.....		3,300	3,300
Fruit Growers Express Company.....		117,200	117,200
General Chemical Company.....		52,600	52,600
General American Transportation Company.....		86,100	86,100
Georgia Resin Products Company.....		100	100
Gulf Oil Corporation.....		34,400	34,400
Harbor Tank Line Company.....		200	200
Hazel Atlas Glass Company.....		500	500
Heinz, H. J. Company.....		800	800
Hercules Cement Corp.....		300	300
Heyden Chemical Corp.....		100	100
Hooker Electro Chemical Company.....		2,700	2,700
Interstate Tank Car Corp.....		2,000	2,000
Jones & Laughlin Steel Corp.....		700	700
Keith Railway Equipment Company.....		200	200
Kendall Refining Company.....		100	100

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	Classes Nos. 3 & 4 (All Other Property)	Total Assessment
Kinsan Refrigerator Line Company.....	\$ 10,800	\$ 10,800
Koppers Company.....	2,900	2,900
Koppers United Company.....	178,100	178,100
Kornblum Refrigerator Car Company, Meyer.....	100	100
Mangels, Herold Company, Inc.....	1,400	1,400
Mather Humane Stock Transportation Company.....	8,300	8,300
Mathieson Alkali Works, Inc.....	8,100	9,100
Mead Corporation, The.....	1,100	1,100
Merchants Dispatch Transportation Company.....	53,100	52,100
Mexican Petroleum Corp.....	17,600	17,600
Mid Continent Petroleum Corp.....	1,400	1,400
Mid West Dispatch Car Company.....	100	100
Monsanto Chemical Company.....	900	900
Morrell Refrigerator Car Company.....	3,400	3,400
Mutual Chemical Company of America.....	890	800
National Refining Company.....	600	600
New River & Pocahontas Cons. Coal Company.....	121,700	121,700
Niacet Chemicals Corp.....	4,500	4,500
North American Car Corp.....	35,500	35,500
Northern Refrigerator Line, Inc.....	8,700	8,700
North Western Refrigerator Line.....	13,800	13,800
Pacific Fruit Express Company.....	113,300	113,300
Pennsylvania Oil Products Ref. Company.....	100	100
Pennsylvania Salt Manufacturing Company.....	6,100	6,100
Peoples Gas By-Products Corp.....	26,000	26,000
Peoples Natural Gas Company.....	5,100	5,100
Philadelphia Quartz Company.....	100	100
Phillips Petroleum Company.....	300	300
Pittsburgh Coal Carbonization Company.....	200	200
Pittsburgh Crucible Steel Company.....	200	230
Protane Corporation, The.....	600	600
Public Service Electric & Gas Company.....	30,000	30,000
Pullman Company, The.....	409,200	409,200
Rainey Wood Coke Company.....	20,900	20,900
Riverside Acid Works.....	400	400
Robeson Process Company.....	1,200	1,200
Service Tank Car Company.....	100	100
Shawinigan Products Corp.....	4,600	4,600
Shell Union Oil Corp.....	15,900	15,900
Shell Petroleum Corp.....	3,600	3,600
St. Louis Refrigerator Car Company.....	4,300	4,300
Semet-Solvay Company.....	500	500
Shell Chemical Company.....	1,000	1,000
Shippers Car Line Corp.....	17,300	17,300
Sinclair Refining Company.....	4,000	4,000
Solvay Process Company.....	2,700	2,700
Southern Oil Service, Inc.....	100	100
Staley Manufacturing Company, A. E.....	1,100	1,100
Stauffer Chemical Company.....	1,800	1,800
Sun Oil Company.....	13,100	13,100
Tank Car Corporation of America.....	500	500
Taylor Chemical Corp.....	100	100
Teas Extract Company.....	3,000	3,000
Tennessee Eastman Corp.....	200	200
Tide Water Associated Oil Company.....	600	600
Transit Company, Ltd.....	200	200
Trojan Powder Company.....	400	400
Union Tank Car Company.....	145,800	145,800
Union Starb & Refining Company.....	200	200
Valvoline Oil Company.....	1,400	1,400
Virginia Smeltine Company.....	1,000	1,000
Virginian Gasoline & Oil Company.....	54,600	54,600
Westaco Chlorine Products Corp.....	12,900	12,900
West Virginia Pulp & Paper Company.....	4,100	4,100
Western Fruit Express Company.....	43,400	43,400
Western Refrigerator Line.....	1,000	1,000
Wheeling Steel Corp.....	1,700	1,700
Wilson Car Lines.....	6,000	6,000
Winona Refrigerator Car Corp.....	600	600
Belle Alkali Company.....	1,200	1,200
Bradford Gasoline Company.....	100	100
Cities Service Oil Company of Pa.....	400	400
Cliffs Dow Chemical Company.....	100	100

## PUBLIC UTILITY ASSESSMENTS, 1939—(Continued)

	Class No. 1 (Intangible Personal Property)	Classes Nos. 3 & 4 (All Other Property)	Total Assessment
Coden Petroleum Corporation .....		\$ 200	\$ 200
Dow Chemical Company .....		400	400
Eastern Live Stock Express .....		400	400
General American Pfaudler Corpn. ....		600	600
Hercules Powder Company .....		100	100
Rowena Mathis .....		1,400	1,400
Minnesota Mining & Mfg. Company .....		100	100
National Fruit Products Company .....		100	100
National Molasses Company .....		100	100
Refiners Car Corporation .....		100	100
SCO Tank Line .....		600	600
Sylvania Industrial Corporation .....		500	500
Trinity Cotton Oil Company .....		500	500
Union Oil Company of California .....		200	290
United Refining Company .....		100	100
U. S. Rubber Products Company .....		100	100
Warren Tank Car Company .....		200	200
Youngstown Sheet & Tube Company .....		500	500
<b>TOTALS</b> .....		<b>\$ 2,014,400</b>	<b>\$ 2,014,400</b>
<b>ELECTRIC COMPANIES</b>			
Appalachian Electric Power Co. ....	\$ 2,170,000	\$ 48,500,000	\$ 50,670,000
Bailey C. C. ....	2,500	10,000	12,500
Black Diamond Power Company .....	4,000	18,000	22,000
Community Power Company .....	0	20,000	20,000
Elk Power Company .....	3,000	13,000	16,000
Chesapeake Light & Water Co. ....	600	7,000	7,600
Fairfax Electric Company .....	5,000	10,000	15,000
Flat Top Power Company .....	6,500	62,500	69,000
Gildersleeve, John .....	0	3,500	3,500
Kaowaha Valley Power Company .....	215,000	2,500,000	2,715,000
Morgan County Telephone & Electric Co. ....	0	1,200	1,200
Northern Virginia Power Company .....	0	1,900,000	1,900,000
Potomac Transmission Company .....	0	220,000	220,000
Preston County Light & Power Co. ....	8,000	50,000	58,000
Thacker Electric Light & Power Enterprise	200	900	1,100
Union Power Company .....	23,000	55,000	78,000
United Light & Power Company .....	6,000	40,000	46,000
Virginia Public Service Company .....	49,600	1,600,000	1,649,600
West Virginia Power & Transmission Co. ....	0	4,500,000	4,500,000
West Virginia Light, Heat & Power Co. ....	35,000	385,000	420,000
Wheeling Electric Company .....	655,000	5,250,000	5,905,000
<b>TOTALS</b> .....	<b>\$ 3,183,400</b>	<b>\$ 65,146,100</b>	<b>\$ 68,329,500</b>
<b>EXPRESS COMPANY</b>			
Railway Express Agency, Inc. ....	\$ 10,000	\$ 200,000	\$ 210,000
<b>TOTAL</b> .....	<b>\$ 10,000</b>	<b>\$ 200,000</b>	<b>\$ 210,000</b>
<b>GAS, OIL AND PIPE LINE COMPANIES</b>			
Acme Oil & Gas Company .....	\$ 2,000	\$ 30,000	\$ 32,000
Amerc Gas Utilities Company .....	45,000	400,000	445,000
Atlantic Seaboard Corporation .....	5,700	2,300,000	2,305,700
Bailey Gas Company .....	15,000	35,000	50,000
Bluefield Gas Company .....	14,000	90,000	104,000
Cabot, Godfrey L., Inc. ....	55,000	5,250,000	5,305,000
Cameron Heat & Light Co. ....	5,000	90,000	95,000
Carnegie Natural Gas Company .....	0	4,000,000	4,000,000
Cather Bros. Gas Company .....	0	4,000	4,000
Cincinnati Gas Transportation Co. ....	125,000	1,500,000	1,625,000
Clayco Gas Company .....	500,000	3,500,000	4,000,000
Consumers Gas Utilities Company .....	5,000	100,000	105,000
Cumberland & Allegheny Gas Company .....	300,000	2,200,000	2,500,000
Eureka Pipe Line Company, The .....	640,000	2,750,000	3,390,000
Gas Company, The .....	2,500	18,000	20,500
Harsbarrter Gas Company .....	3,300	25,000	28,300
Hope Natural Gas Company .....	2,350,000	48,000,000	50,350,000
Huntington Development & Gas Co. ....	155,000	2,500,000	2,655,000

## PUBLIC UTILITY ASSESSMENTS, 1939—(Continued)

	Class No. 1 (Intangible Personal Property)	Classes Nos. 3 & 4 (All Other Property)	Total Assessment
Independent Gas Company.....	\$ 11,000	\$ 30,000	\$ 41,000
Indian Creek Gas Company.....	1,400	12,500	13,900
Inland Gas Distributing Co.....	1,500	225,000	226,500
Interstate Utilities Company.....	500	4,000	4,500
Kentucky & West Virginia Gas Co.....	0	475,000	475,000
Lumberport-Shinnston Gas Company.....	14,000	330,000	344,000
Manufacturers Light & Heat Co.....	217,000	10,500,000	10,717,000
Marmet Gas Company, The.....	400	1,500	1,900
Martinsburg Gas Company.....	16,000	150,000	166,000
Monongahela West Penn Public Service Co.....	0	1,700,000	1,700,000
Mountain State Gas Company.....	3,500	125,000	128,500
Moan Gas Company.....	200	15,000	15,200
National Refining Company.....	0	20,000	20,000
Natural Gas Company of West Virginia.....	170,000	900,000	1,070,000
New Haven Gas Company.....	0	4,000	4,000
Norris & Mercier.....	0	1,000	1,000
Pine, H. H.....	100	4,000	4,100
Pittsburgh & West Virginia Gas Co.....	4,500,000	12,600,000	17,100,000
Point Pleasant Natural Gas Co.....	17,000	60,000	77,000
R. J. R. S. Oil & Gas Co.....	400	4,000	4,400
Ravencliff Fuel & Supply Co.....	1,200	1,500	2,700
Reserve Gas Company.....	700,000	4,000,000	4,700,000
Rosedale Fuel & Water Company.....	300	500	1,100
Southeastern Gas & Water Co.....	18,000	320,000	338,000
Southern West Virginia Oil & Gas Corp.....	2,000	50,000	52,000
Spencer Gas Company.....	4,500	30,000	34,500
Standard Gas Company.....	70,000	180,000	250,000
United Fuel Gas Company.....	2,000,000	40,000,000	42,000,000
Valley Gas Company.....	800	5,000	5,800
Valvoline Oil Company.....	0	425,000	425,000
Wak Company.....	46,000	140,000	186,000
Wetzel Natural Gas Company.....	9,000	15,000	24,000
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>\$ 12,027,300</b>	<b>\$ 145,120,300</b>	<b>\$ 157,147,600</b>
<b>STEAM AND ELECTRIC RAILWAY COMPANIES</b>			
Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company.....	\$ 150,000	\$ 77,500,000	\$ 77,650,000
Benwood & Wheeling Connecting Ry. Co.....	0	200,000	200,000
Buffalo Creek & Gauley R. R. Co.....	65,000	625,000	690,000
Campbells Creek Railroad Co.....	100,000	250,000	350,000
Charleston Transit Company.....	200,000	650,000	850,000
Cheat River Railroad Company.....	0	6,000	6,000
Cherry River Boom & Lumber Co.....	0	5,000	5,000
Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Co.....	442,000	79,500,000	79,942,000
Cooperative Transit Company.....	165,000	200,000	365,000
Cumberland & Pennsylvania R. R. Co.....	0	10,000	10,000
Cumberland Valley & Martinsburg R. R. Co.....	2,700	825,000	827,700
Kanawha Central Railway Co.....	22,000	50,000	72,000
Kanawha, Glen Jean & Eastern R. R. Co.....	77,000	400,000	477,000
Kanawha & Michigan Railway Co.....	0	7,300,000	7,300,000
Kellys Creek & Northwestern R. R. Co.....	115,000	225,000	340,000
Kellys Creek Railroad Company.....	0	125,000	125,000
Kellys Creek Improvement Company.....	0	45,000	45,000
Middle Creek Railroad Company.....	2,600	10,000	12,600
Middle Fork Railroad Company.....	4,500	40,000	44,500
Monongahela Railway Company.....	62,000	5,300,000	5,362,000
Monongahela West Penn Public Service Co.....	0	1,000,000	1,000,000
Newell Bridge & Railway Co.....	0	350,000	350,000
Nicholas, Fayette & Greenbrier R. R. Co.....	0	3,700,000	3,700,000
Norfolk & Western Railway Co.....	570,000	65,000,000	65,570,000
Pan Handle Traction Company.....	95,000	125,000	220,000
Pittsburgh, Cin. Chi. & St. L. R. R. Co.....	37,000	4,700,000	4,737,000
Pittsburgh & W. Va. R. R. Co.....	0	500,000	500,000
Preston Railroad Company.....	0	10,000	10,000
Rowlesburg & Southern Railroad Co.....	400	10,000	10,400
Steubenville, East Liverpool & Beaver Valley Traction Co.....	0	10,000	10,000
Steubenville, Wellsburg & Weirton R. R. Co.....	0	100,000	100,000
Strouds Creek & Muddlety R. R. Co.....	1,600	20,000	21,600
Tri-City Traction Company.....	15,000	35,000	50,000
Virginian Railway Company.....	99,000	27,000,000	27,099,000
West Virginia Northern R. R. Co.....	11,000	125,000	136,000
West Virginia & Southern R. R. Co.....	0	2,500	2,500

## PUBLIC UTILITY ASSESSMENTS, 1939—(Continued)

	Class No. 1 (Intangible Personal Property)	Classes Nos. 3 & 4 (All Other Property)	Total Assessment
Western Maryland Railway Co.....	\$ 12,300	\$ 8,000,000	\$ 8,012,300
Wheeling Coal Railroad Co.....	0	2,500	2,500
Wheeling Terminal Railway Co.....	0	1,500,000	1,500,000
Winifrede Railroad Company.....	0	30,000	30,000
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>\$ 2,240,100</b>	<b>\$ 285,780,000</b>	<b>\$ 288,035,100</b>
<b>TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH—LONG DISTANCE</b>			
American Telephone & Telegraph Co.....	\$ 0	\$ 1,900,000	\$ 1,900,000
Postal Telegraph & Cable Company.....	12,000	60,000	72,000
Western Union Telegraph Company.....	49,000	1,300,000	1,349,000
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>\$ 61,000</b>	<b>\$ 3,260,000</b>	<b>\$ 3,321,000</b>
<b>TELEPHONE COMPANIES—(Commercial)</b>			
Athens Telephone Company.....	\$ 300	\$ 2,000	\$ 2,300
Beres & Slab Telephone Company.....	3,000	9,500	12,500
Bluefield Telephone Company.....	40,000	950,000	990,000
Boothsville Telephone Company.....	400	2,300	2,700
Bridleport Telephone Company.....	0	2,000	2,000
Bruceston & Kingwood Telephone Co.....	0	1,000	1,000
Cecil Telephone Company.....	0	200	200
Central Electric & Telephone Co.....	3,500	100,000	103,500
Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone Co.....	415,000	14,800,000	15,215,000
Clay Citizens Telephone Co.....	0	600	600
Duncan Telephone Company.....	3,500	7,000	10,500
Faupel, F. H.....	0	500	500
Flemington Telephone Company.....	5,000	10,000	15,000
Freemansburg Telephone Company.....	0	300	300
Hamlin Telephone Company.....	0	2,800	2,800
Home Telephone Company.....	0	3,000	3,000
Independent Home Telephone Co.....	0	1,800	1,800
Independent Telephone Company of W. Va.....	1,000	2,000	3,000
Inland Telephone & Telegraph Company.....	0	9,000	9,000
Inwood Telephone Company.....	0	2,800	2,800
Jefferson County Telephone Company.....	17,000	130,000	147,000
Marion Telephone Company.....	0	1,000	1,000
Meadow River Telephone Company.....	0	2,800	2,800
North Bend & Southern Telephone Co.....	500	3,000	3,500
Norton Telephone Company.....	0	600	600
Peoples Telephone Company.....	0	1,500	1,500
Pocahontas Telephone Company.....	3,000	20,000	23,000
Preston County Light & Power Co.....	1,100	5,000	6,100
Pritchard Telephone Company.....	3,000	4,000	7,000
Sardia Telephone Company.....	1,500	4,000	5,500
Short Line Telephone Company.....	1,500	14,000	15,500
Slanesville Telephone Company.....	0	300	300
South Penn Telephone Company.....	600	3,000	3,600
Spring Hill Telephone Company.....	200	500	700
Tygart Valley Telephone Co.....	500	2,500	3,000
United Telephone Company.....	2,500	30,000	32,500
Vandalia Telephone Company.....	0	500	500
Wadestown Telephone Company.....	0	1,100	1,100
Walkersville Telephone Company.....	0	900	900
Wayne Telephone Company.....	0	4,000	4,000
Webster Springs Telephone Co.....	1,500	12,000	13,500
West Fork Telephone Company.....	500	3,300	3,800
West Side Telephone Company.....	300	1,700	2,000
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>\$ 505,400</b>	<b>\$ 16,152,600</b>	<b>\$ 16,657,900</b>
<b>TELEPHONE COMPANIES—(Mutual)</b>			
Aurora, Oakland & Terra Alta Tel. Co.....	\$	200	\$ 200
Big Four Telephone Company.....		500	500
Citizens Telephone Company.....		800	800
Clear Fork Telephone Company.....		400	400
Cross Roads Telephone Company.....		800	800
Dents Run Telephone Company.....		100	100
Dunkard Valley Telephone Company.....		200	200
Egion Mutual Telephone Company.....		900	900

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	Class No. 1 (Intangible Personal Property)	Classes Nos. 3 & 4 (All Other Property)	Total Assessment
Fairview Telephone Company.....		\$ 300	\$ 300
Farmers Mutual Telephone Company of W. Va.....	1,400		1,400
Farmers Mutual Union Telephone Company.....	1,100		1,100
Farmers Rural Telephone Company of Vernon.....	100		100
Farmers Union Telephone Company.....	500		500
Flat Rock Telephone Company.....	200		200
Fraziers Bottom, Upland & Glenwood Telephone Co.....	500		500
Friendship Mutual Telephone Co.....	1,700		1,700
Greenville Telephone Company.....	400		400
Hackers Creek Telephone Company.....	100		100
Hardy Mutual Telephone Company.....	200		200
Harman Mutual Telephone Company.....	300		300
Helvetia Telephone Company.....	200		200
Koontown Wise Telephone Company.....	600		600
Lichtburn Telephone Company.....	200		200
Lockney Citizens Telephone Company.....	600		600
Marie Telephone Company.....	600		600
Marlinton & Elk Mutual Telephone Co.....	400		400
Morzan County Telephone & Electric Co.....	300		300
Oakdale Telephone Company.....	600		600
Preston Telephone Company.....	300		300
Rockville & Kingwood Telephone Co.....	600		600
St. Cloud Telephone Company.....	2,500		2,500
Summers & Mercer Mutual Telephone Co.....	500		500
United Farmers Telephone Company.....	6,500		6,500
Waterloo, Buffalo & Winfield Telephone Co.....	700		700
West Virginia Mutual Telephone Association.....	3,000		3,000
<b>TOTALS.....</b>		<b>\$ 25,300</b>	<b>\$ 25,300</b>
<b>WATER AND ELECTRIC COMPANIES</b>			
Guyan Utilities Company.....	\$ 900	\$ 5,000	\$ 5,900
Kimball Light & Water Company.....	4,000	50,000	54,000
Monongahela West Penn Public Service Co.....	2,000,000	23,750,000	25,750,000
Potomac Light & Power Company.....	270,000	2,350,000	2,620,000
Point Pleasant Water & Light Co.....	57,000	325,000	382,000
Southern Utilities Company.....	12,000	70,000	82,000
War Light & Water Company.....	9,000	60,000	69,000
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>\$ 2,352,900</b>	<b>\$ 26,610,000</b>	<b>\$ 28,962,900</b>
<b>WATER COMPANIES</b>			
Beechley Water Company.....	\$ 21,000	\$ 310,000	\$ 331,000
Benwood and McMechen Water Company.....	10,000	150,000	160,000
Berkeley Springs Water Works.....	2,000	25,000	27,000
Bethany Improvement Company.....	1,100	15,000	16,100
Catlettsburg, Kenova & Ceredo Water Co.....	3,000	85,000	88,000
Charles Town Water Company.....	4,000	50,000	54,000
Clendenin Water Company.....	4,000	33,000	37,000
Community Water Company.....	0	4,000	4,000
Crab Orchard Water Company.....	300	5,000	5,300
English Water Company.....	500	3,000	3,500
Follansbee Water & Light Co.....	13,000	60,000	73,000
Glendale Water Company.....	3,600	25,000	28,600
Hambleton Water Company.....	500	500	1,000
Harpers Ferry Water Works.....	0	5,000	5,000
Hardricks Water Company.....	200	1,500	1,700
Home Land Water Company.....	0	1,000	1,000
Huntington Water Corporation.....	150,000	2,350,000	2,500,000
Inger Water Company.....	3,100	25,000	28,100
Jeannette Water Company.....	300	1,000	1,300
Lawrence County Water Company.....	0	2,000	2,000
Man Water Company.....	2,600	10,000	12,600
Mataoka Water & Improvement Co.....	800	14,000	14,800
Middlebourne Water Company.....	4,000	15,000	19,000
Milton Water Company.....	2,500	35,000	37,500
Monongah Service Company.....	3,500	80,000	83,500
Morgantown Water Company.....	34,000	640,000	674,000
Moundsville Water Company.....	14,500	250,000	264,500
Mountain State Utilities Corp.....	20,000	210,000	230,000
Mullens Water Company.....	9,000	50,000	59,000

## PUBLIC UTILITY ASSESSMENTS, 1939—(Continued)

	Class No. 1 (Intangible Personal Property)	Classes Nos. 3 & 4 (All Other Property)	Total Assessment
Newell Water & Power Company.....	\$ 2,000	\$ 85,000	\$ 87,000
Northfork-Clark Water Works Co.....	3,000	12,000	15,000
Pocahontas Light & Water Co.....	0	30,000	30,000
Pratt Water Works Company.....	200	6,500	6,700
Pure Water Company.....	9,000	235,000	244,000
Queen Justice Water Company.....	500	2,000	2,500
Richwood Light & Water Company.....	65,000	50,000	115,000
Shomo, B. F. Water Company.....	0	1,000	1,000
Smith, O. O.....	0	2,500	2,500
Smithers Utilities Company.....	1,600	25,000	26,600
South Side Water Works.....	65,000	100,000	165,000
Stewart Water Works.....	400	2,500	2,900
Stollings Water Company.....	0	3,500	3,500
Weirton Heights Water & Sewer Co.....	500	2,900	3,400
Weirton Improvement Company.....	105,000	190,000	295,000
West Logan Water Company.....	600	15,500	16,100
West Virginia Water Service Co.....	300,000	4,550,000	4,850,000
Worthington Public Service Corp.....	1,500	4,000	5,500
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>\$ 892,700</b>	<b>\$ 9,772,400</b>	<b>\$ 10,665,100</b>
<b>RECAPITULATION</b>			
Bridge Companies.....	\$ 396,800	\$ 5,897,000	\$ 6,293,800
Bus Line Companies.....	234,400	2,556,000	2,790,400
Car Line Companies.....	0	2,014,400	2,014,400
Electric Companies.....	3,183,400	65,146,100	68,329,500
Express Company.....	10,000	200,000	210,000
Gas, Oil & Pipe Line Companies.....	12,027,300	145,120,300	157,147,600
Railroads (Steam & Electric).....	2,249,100	285,786,000	288,035,100
Telephone Companies (Commercial).....	505,400	16,152,500	16,657,900
Telephone Companies (Long Distance and Telegraph).....	61,000	3,260,000	3,321,000
Telephone Companies (Mutual).....	0	28,300	28,300
Water and Electric Companies.....	2,352,900	26,610,000	28,962,900
Water Companies.....	802,700	9,772,400	10,665,100
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>\$ 21,913,000</b>	<b>\$ 562,543,000</b>	<b>\$ 584,456,000</b>

## PUBLIC UTILITY ASSESSMENTS, 1929-1939

1929.....	\$ 500,732,950
1930.....	564,830,850
1931.....	571,901,400
1932.....	562,323,600
1933.....	602,027,000
1934.....	601,748,000
1935.....	588,050,650
1936.....	584,529,800
1937.....	582,263,800
1938.....	584,372,150
1939.....	584,456,000

ASSESSED VALUATION, REAL ESTATE, 1939

(Data furnished by Tax Commissioner's Office)

COUNTY	REAL ESTATE					
	Class Number Two	Class Number Three	Class Number Four	Total Real Estate	Increase	Decrease
Barbour	\$ 4,386,250	\$ 1,724,820	\$ 880,950	\$ 6,992,020		\$ 325,320
Berkeley	8,266,460	1,303,620	4,912,975	14,483,055	15,700	
Boone	914,005	8,551,375	684,555	10,149,935	756,305	
Braxton	5,074,065	735,875	717,490	6,527,390		82,550
Brooke	6,833,000	14,683,200	5,023,920	26,540,125	953,185	
Cabell	27,056,600	1,628,560	44,541,760	73,226,940		591,220
Calhoun	2,185,530	1,067,970	207,770	3,461,270	414,100	
Clay	986,690	2,688,470	110,200	3,785,360	24,010	
Doddridge	4,040,440	1,271,840	353,810	5,666,090		28,940
Fayette	3,482,550	13,468,660	2,756,690	19,707,900		197,890
Gilmer	2,779,200	1,090,240	207,010	4,076,450	720	
Grant	2,344,973	369,022	265,565	2,979,560		118,945
Greenbrier	5,070,985	2,438,535	1,074,035	8,583,555	32,420	
Hamshire	3,643,290	193,310	425,240	4,261,840		
Hancock	8,309,540	10,791,620	2,753,745	21,854,905	1,189,615	
Hardy	2,774,410	137,080	248,170	3,159,660	18,285	
Harrison	25,600,730	7,109,500	20,156,990	52,867,220		899,780
Jackson	4,366,940	362,740	435,130	5,164,810		2,550
Jefferson	6,233,510	812,850	1,355,345	8,401,705	1,235	
Kanawha	29,959,350	20,996,750	56,721,225	107,677,325		494,000
Lewis	7,717,210	1,247,700	2,077,320	11,042,230	104,190	
Lincoln	2,583,900	2,933,955	156,205	5,674,060		3,195
Logan	2,120,350	14,584,400	2,866,200	19,570,950	47,750	
Marion	16,011,125	10,876,215	11,844,470	38,731,810		642,862
Marshall	9,039,340	1,590,020	8,091,340	18,720,390		539,370
Mason	5,859,795	318,550	859,605	7,037,950		51,425
Mercer	8,961,950	1,899,630	7,604,530	18,466,110	266,530	
Mineral	5,383,210	517,540	3,059,200	8,959,950		34,970
Mingo	1,756,125	5,391,987	2,534,660	9,682,772		114,683
Monongalia	11,268,255	6,621,565	9,373,095	27,262,915	204,465	
Monroe	4,984,680	263,570	276,160	5,524,410	32,570	
Morgan	1,596,375	892,685	550,460	3,039,520	8,235	
McDowell	1,507,525	16,273,175	3,529,150	21,306,850	1,084,525	
Nicholas	2,720,160	3,600,745	955,345	7,306,250		847,471
Ohio	26,911,050	2,517,500	38,386,975	67,815,525		931,525
Pendleton	3,368,945	194,745	101,820	3,665,510	339,875	
Pleasants	2,302,370	270,105	879,640	3,452,115	14,650	
Pocahontas	3,344,460	498,100	502,000	4,344,560		16,660
Preston	5,980,590	3,080,740	1,367,670	10,428,970		6,475
Putnam	4,250,590	1,331,830	429,100	6,011,520	102,260	
Raleigh	4,896,740	15,170,735	3,797,490	23,864,965	535,505	
Randolph	4,876,270	2,117,680	2,217,510	9,211,460	92,605	
Ritchie	5,290,930	1,431,490	742,530	7,464,950		101,840
Roane	4,395,720	1,225,710	756,960	6,378,390	24,240	
Summers	3,519,270	281,970	1,398,770	5,200,010	39,850	
Taylor	5,139,920	1,500,655	2,603,630	9,244,205		127,415
Tucker	2,395,780	1,270,200	1,333,840	4,999,820		27,230
Tyler	3,667,110	393,870	878,140	4,939,120	6,910	
Upshur	4,921,715	912,035	1,470,140	7,303,890	73,515	
Wayne	5,187,925	1,275,850	2,276,910	8,740,685	70,740	
Webster	1,340,090	3,114,615	470,840	4,925,545		101,335
Wetzel	4,341,560	1,822,390	1,241,380	7,405,330		66,330
Wirt	2,419,260	730,090	159,105	3,308,455	6,060	
Wood	22,424,830	4,518,000	16,408,000	43,350,830		272,400
Wyoming	1,133,170	11,458,310	1,032,750	13,624,230		111,640
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$357,926,783</b>	<b>\$213,554,394</b>	<b>\$276,092,190</b>	<b>\$847,573,367</b>	<b>\$ 6,484,920</b>	<b>\$ 6,738,321</b>

Net Decrease \$ 253,401

## ASSESSED VALUATION, PERSONAL PROPERTY, 1939

(Data furnished by Tax Commissioner's Office)

COUNTY	PERSONAL PROPERTY					
	Class Number One	Class Number Three	Class Number Four	Total Personal Property	Increase	Decrease
Barbour.....	\$ 1,240,100	\$ 353,200	\$ 401,085	\$ 2,000,475	\$ .....	\$ 45,350
Berkeley.....	3,780,155	875,930	1,748,005	6,404,760	167,350	.....
Boone.....	681,525	2,635,810	279,710	3,597,045	.....	1,189,355
Braxton.....	1,587,830	296,865	325,655	2,210,350	.....	89,460
Brooke.....	1,963,800	3,051,400	1,537,050	6,552,250	.....	450,950
Cabell.....	12,662,170	4,262,430	10,082,800	26,007,400	.....	770,250
Calhoun.....	752,720	2,023,510	98,310	2,874,540	.....	655,170
Clay.....	912,540	1,274,950	59,060	2,246,550	.....	960,560
Doddridge.....	1,142,230	1,136,450	161,130	2,439,810	.....	475,000
Fayette.....	5,779,570	4,600,300	1,238,000	11,677,930	.....	630,440
Gilmer.....	1,104,280	1,088,530	110,220	2,303,030	48,850	.....
Grant.....	1,009,489	133,910	232,844	1,376,243	73,066	.....
Greenbrier.....	2,854,555	1,068,700	1,220,330	5,143,585	.....	19,700
Hampshire.....	1,663,340	413,120	239,070	2,315,530	25,110	.....
Hancock.....	6,191,450	3,463,800	479,775	10,135,025	.....	161,410
Hardy.....	1,456,415	405,285	184,745	2,046,445	174,735	.....
Harrison.....	12,102,740	2,975,740	5,670,900	20,749,380	.....	1,158,540
Jackson.....	2,139,201	333,780	169,510	2,642,491	636,446	.....
Jefferson.....	3,162,700	588,005	599,305	4,350,010	92,175	.....
Kanawha.....	28,858,215	15,924,190	13,675,350	58,457,755	260,560	.....
Lewis.....	3,281,340	928,360	869,400	5,079,100	.....	212,360
Lincoln.....	936,290	1,579,495	82,865	2,598,650	.....	199,920
Logan.....	2,803,200	5,245,900	1,153,075	9,202,175	.....	1,103,200
Marion.....	5,723,445	2,062,135	2,601,370	10,386,950	.....	745,142
Marshall.....	3,821,590	528,240	3,310,370	7,660,200	.....	1,011,250
Mason.....	1,036,065	329,895	520,290	2,702,250	.....	121,450
Mercer.....	5,070,126	2,032,260	2,496,060	9,509,446	.....	385,154
Mineral.....	2,017,200	302,520	645,550	2,965,270	25,520	.....
Mingo.....	1,232,391	865,055	718,262	2,815,708	.....	330,077
Monongalia.....	3,954,175	3,060,715	1,943,665	8,004,555	.....	028,350
Monroe.....	1,322,955	248,980	117,355	1,689,200	44,905	.....
Morgan.....	697,100	398,165	324,535	1,419,800	.....	4,220
McDowell.....	6,492,350	15,651,750	1,860,225	24,024,325	.....	832,825
Nicholas.....	1,831,890	661,265	772,005	3,266,060	264,280	.....
Ohio.....	26,817,250	602,000	13,029,250	40,448,500	.....	2,769,600
Pendleton.....	950,650	221,690	66,800	1,248,200	23,755	.....
Pleasants.....	818,415	471,825	443,370	1,733,610	.....	100,330
Pocahontas.....	1,704,820	537,820	400,050	2,648,690	.....	10,580
Preston.....	1,871,430	958,125	621,670	3,451,225	.....	71,825
Putnam.....	904,630	1,689,160	169,090	2,782,780	359,260	.....
Raleigh.....	4,315,244	3,667,310	1,741,153	9,723,707	.....	104,771
Randolph.....	3,184,420	821,900	1,153,310	5,159,720	189,520	.....
Ritchie.....	1,805,040	1,805,890	490,710	4,107,640	.....	665,270
Roane.....	2,182,090	2,271,120	484,280	4,937,490	.....	751,380
Summers.....	1,023,200	271,020	330,660	1,633,880	49,800	.....
Taylor.....	1,956,380	426,000	606,740	2,989,120	.....	244,370
Tucker.....	677,410	214,490	384,450	1,276,350	.....	21,250
Tyler.....	2,489,910	1,103,670	596,910	4,190,490	.....	1,062,060
Upshur.....	1,737,907	272,046	405,815	2,415,768	191,277	.....
Wayne.....	1,227,315	556,625	484,210	2,268,160	218,170	.....
Webster.....	836,649	1,025,818	212,201	2,074,758	.....	106,980
Wetzel.....	2,398,150	1,919,120	871,080	5,188,350	.....	417,100
Wirt.....	404,685	296,065	72,630	773,380	.....	110,820
Wood.....	9,370,490	1,080,020	3,379,940	14,430,450	.....	1,783,760
Wyoming.....	872,085	1,241,300	405,790	2,579,175	.....	72,165
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>\$199,628,302</b>	<b>\$102,979,744</b>	<b>\$ 82,406,760</b>	<b>\$385,014,806</b>	<b>\$ 2,845,369</b>	<b>\$ 20,557,214</b>

Net Decrease \$ 17,711,815

**ASSESSED VALUATION, PUBLIC UTILITY PROPERTY, 1939**

(Data furnished by Tax Commissioner's Office)

COUNTY	PUBLIC UTILITY PROPERTY					
	Class Number One	Class Number Three	Class Number Four	Total Public Utility Property	Increase	Decrease
Barbour.....	\$ 83,800	\$ 2,576,200	\$ 466,500	\$ 3,126,500	\$ 112,400	\$ .....
Berkeley.....	192,900	4,980,900	1,172,500	6,346,300	.....	167,100
Boone.....	271,200	8,560,200	420,000	9,551,400	230,500	.....
Braxton.....	569,700	3,789,600	1,037,800	5,397,100	.....	19,500
Brooke.....	219,900	5,832,100	1,256,300	7,308,300	.....	54,400
Cabell.....	708,800	8,266,400	17,005,500	25,983,700	.....	187,900
Calhoun.....	186,100	4,270,400	13,200	4,469,700	38,200	.....
Clay.....	158,600	3,089,800	52,200	3,300,500	.....	12,500
Doddridge.....	942,600	9,903,500	146,700	10,992,800	.....	252,600
Fayette.....	352,500	24,829,400	1,530,200	27,012,100	.....	235,000
Gilmer.....	642,300	6,609,000	97,100	7,348,400	.....	161,400
Grant.....	18,900	431,400	90,300	540,600	15,800	.....
Greenbrier.....	110,100	8,580,400	1,469,200	10,159,700	.....	97,800
Hampshire.....	29,100	2,747,300	99,000	2,875,400	.....	278,200
Hancock.....	316,300	3,140,600	1,618,000	5,074,900	63,900	.....
Hardy.....	14,300	362,000	73,100	449,400	3,800	.....
Harrison.....	1,675,550	18,129,600	5,989,700	25,794,850	.....	292,300
Jackson.....	55,200	2,808,500	140,500	3,004,200	.....	89,900
Jefferson.....	63,500	4,904,600	609,200	5,577,300	.....	11,500
Kanawha.....	2,697,600	46,826,900	17,632,700	67,157,200	995,000	.....
Lewis.....	1,595,600	10,877,700	1,028,800	13,502,100	.....	169,900
Lincoln.....	450,400	8,724,800	58,900	9,234,100	.....	17,000
Logan.....	437,500	8,642,000	6,630,600	15,710,100	316,000	.....
Marion.....	1,269,550	12,549,100	8,539,800	22,358,450	358,600	.....
Marshall.....	480,400	8,716,900	4,278,900	13,476,200	.....	249,400
Mason.....	115,700	3,904,700	1,480,200	5,500,600	17,600	.....
Mercer.....	402,600	14,596,100	9,237,400	24,236,100	.....	67,400
Mineral.....	93,000	4,342,700	2,046,400	6,482,100	.....	40,700
Mingo.....	318,000	17,285,600	4,747,200	22,350,800	.....	16,600
Monongalia.....	640,800	14,693,400	4,320,200	19,654,400	12,500	.....
Monroe.....	16,300	1,303,800	330,300	1,650,400	92,100	.....
Morgan.....	43,600	7,087,100	375,400	7,506,100	.....	47,100
McDowell.....	446,700	23,042,700	3,370,400	26,889,800	512,600	.....
Nicholas.....	101,600	1,663,000	312,600	2,077,200	40,900	.....
Ohio.....	1,177,100	2,402,400	11,264,700	14,844,200	.....	41,400
Pendleton.....	9,900	108,000	13,600	131,500	90,200	.....
Pleasants.....	116,300	1,789,300	230,800	2,136,400	11,600	.....
Pocahontas.....	34,200	2,869,500	277,200	3,180,900	98,800	.....
Preston.....	133,400	6,231,300	1,547,300	7,912,000	.....	68,750
Putnam.....	255,100	7,166,500	300,100	7,721,700	.....	61,600
Raleigh.....	247,900	11,743,600	1,544,400	13,535,900	.....	49,200
Randolph.....	71,500	2,990,800	1,098,700	4,161,000	50,900	.....
Ritchie.....	617,600	7,858,200	483,300	8,959,100	.....	181,100
Roane.....	564,900	10,538,700	330,100	11,433,700	.....	51,600
Summers.....	94,800	6,738,200	2,203,100	9,034,100	.....	89,500
Taylor.....	291,700	4,853,700	1,692,900	6,838,300	.....	39,300
Tucker.....	53,900	1,053,000	408,700	1,515,600	44,300	.....
Tyler.....	349,300	3,954,000	600,100	4,903,400	.....	74,600
Upshur.....	128,300	1,950,300	471,100	2,549,700	32,100	.....
Wayne.....	554,500	15,892,800	7,912,400	24,359,700	.....	283,100
Webster.....	34,100	1,448,800	194,300	1,677,200	8,500	.....
Wetzel.....	977,300	13,347,600	1,257,200	15,582,100	.....	381,000
Wirt.....	27,400	257,400	40,600	325,400	.....	33,500
Wood.....	329,000	5,465,000	3,739,800	9,533,800	.....	94,600
Wyoming.....	123,900	10,710,700	1,216,600	12,051,200	893,300	.....
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>\$ 21,913,000</b>	<b>\$427,736,200</b>	<b>\$134,806,800</b>	<b>\$554,456,000</b>	<b>\$ 4,039,600</b>	<b>\$ 3,917,450</b>

Net Increase \$122,150.

## ASSESSED VALUATION, ALL PROPERTY, 1939

(Data furnished by Tax Commissioner's Office)

COUNTY	GRAND TOTAL ALL PROPERTY							
	Class Number One	Class Number Two	Class Number Three	Class Number Four	Total	Increase	Decrease	
Barbour.....	\$ 1,329,990	\$ 4,386,250	\$ 4,654,220	\$ 1,748,535	\$ 12,118,995	.....	\$ 258,270	
Berkeley.....	3,973,055	8,266,460	7,160,450	7,834,140	27,234,105	15,950	.....	
Boone.....	952,725	914,005	20,047,385	1,384,265	23,298,380	.....	202,550	
Braxton.....	2,157,530	5,074,065	4,822,340	2,080,905	14,134,840	.....	191,510	
Brooke.....	2,183,700	6,833,000	23,566,700	7,817,275	40,400,675	447,835	.....	
Cabell.....	13,270,970	27,056,600	14,157,390	71,633,080	126,118,040	.....	1,549,370	
Calhoun.....	938,820	2,185,530	7,361,880	319,280	10,805,510	.....	202,870	
Clay.....	1,071,340	986,690	7,053,220	221,460	9,332,710	.....	949,050	
Doddridge.....	2,084,830	4,040,440	12,311,790	661,640	19,098,700	.....	756,540	
Fayette.....	6,132,070	3,482,550	42,958,360	5,824,950	58,397,930	.....	1,072,330	
Gilmer.....	1,746,580	2,779,200	8,787,770	414,330	13,727,880	.....	111,830	
Grant.....	1,028,359	2,344,973	934,332	588,790	4,890,403	.....	29,489	
Greenbrier.....	2,964,655	5,070,985	12,087,635	3,763,565	23,886,840	.....	85,080	
Hampshire.....	1,692,440	3,643,290	3,353,730	763,310	9,452,770	.....	228,220	
Hancock.....	6,507,750	8,309,540	17,390,020	4,851,520	37,064,820	1,092,105	.....	
Hardy.....	1,470,715	2,774,410	904,365	506,015	5,655,505	196,820	.....	
Harrison.....	13,778,290	25,600,730	28,214,840	31,817,590	99,411,450	.....	2,350,620	
Jackson.....	2,194,401	4,366,940	3,505,020	745,140	10,811,501	543,696	.....	
Jefferson.....	3,226,200	6,233,510	6,305,455	2,563,850	18,329,015	81,910	.....	
Kanawha.....	31,555,815	29,959,350	83,747,840	88,029,275	233,292,250	761,560	.....	
Lewis.....	4,876,940	7,717,210	13,053,760	3,975,520	29,623,430	.....	278,070	
Lincoln.....	1,386,690	2,583,900	13,238,250	297,976	17,506,810	.....	220,115	
Logan.....	3,240,700	2,120,350	28,472,300	10,649,875	44,483,225	.....	739,450	
Marion.....	6,992,995	16,011,125	25,487,450	22,985,640	71,477,210	.....	1,029,404	
Marshall.....	4,301,990	9,039,340	18,835,160	15,680,300	39,856,700	.....	1,800,025	
Mason.....	2,051,765	5,859,795	4,553,145	2,866,095	15,330,800	.....	155,275	
Mercer.....	5,472,726	8,961,950	18,527,990	19,337,990	52,300,656	.....	186,024	
Mineral.....	2,110,200	5,383,210	5,162,760	5,751,150	18,407,320	.....	50,150	
Mingo.....	1,550,391	1,756,125	23,542,642	8,000,122	34,849,280	.....	468,260	
Monongalia.....	4,594,975	11,268,255	24,381,680	15,636,960	55,881,870	.....	411,385	
Monroe.....	1,339,255	4,984,680	1,816,350	723,815	8,864,100	109,575	.....	
Morgan.....	740,700	1,596,375	8,377,950	1,250,395	11,965,420	.....	43,085	
McDowell.....	6,939,050	1,507,525	54,967,625	8,776,775	72,190,975	764,300	.....	
Nicholas.....	1,933,490	2,720,160	5,925,010	2,070,850	12,649,510	.....	542,291	
Ohio.....	27,994,350	26,911,050	5,521,900	62,680,925	123,108,225	.....	3,732,525	
Pendleton.....	969,550	3,368,945	524,435	182,280	5,045,210	453,830	.....	
Pleasants.....	934,715	2,302,370	2,531,230	1,553,810	7,322,125	.....	140,080	
Pocahontas.....	1,739,020	3,344,460	3,905,420	1,185,250	10,174,150	65,560	.....	
Preston.....	2,004,830	5,980,560	10,270,165	3,536,640	21,792,195	.....	147,050	
Putnam.....	1,159,630	4,250,590	10,187,490	918,200	16,516,000	399,920	.....	
Raleigh.....	4,563,144	4,896,740	30,581,645	7,083,043	47,124,572	381,534	.....	
Randolph.....	3,255,920	4,876,270	5,930,470	4,469,520	18,532,180	333,025	.....	
Ritchie.....	2,422,640	5,200,930	11,155,580	1,722,540	20,501,090	.....	948,210	
Roane.....	2,746,990	4,395,720	14,035,530	1,571,340	22,749,580	.....	778,740	
Summers.....	1,118,000	3,519,270	7,289,190	3,941,530	15,867,990	150	.....	
Taylor.....	2,248,080	5,139,920	6,780,355	4,903,270	19,071,625	.....	411,085	
Tucker.....	731,310	2,395,780	2,537,690	2,126,990	7,791,770	.....	4,180	
Tyler.....	2,839,210	3,667,110	5,451,540	2,075,150	14,033,010	.....	1,130,650	
Upshur.....	1,866,207	4,921,715	3,134,381	2,347,555	12,260,358	296,892	.....	
Wayne.....	1,781,815	5,187,925	17,725,275	10,673,520	35,368,535	5,810	.....	
Webster.....	870,749	1,340,090	5,589,233	877,431	8,077,503	.....	199,815	
Wetzel.....	3,375,450	4,341,560	17,089,110	3,369,660	28,175,780	.....	804,430	
Wirt.....	432,055	2,410,260	1,283,555	272,335	4,407,235	.....	144,260	
Wood.....	9,609,400	22,424,830	11,663,020	23,527,740	67,315,080	.....	2,150,780	
Wyoming.....	995,985	1,133,170	23,410,310	2,715,140	28,254,605	709,495	.....	
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$221,541,302</b>	<b>\$357,926,783</b>	<b>\$744,270,338</b>	<b>\$493,305,750</b>	<b>\$1,817,044,173</b>	<b>\$ 6,719,907</b>	<b>\$ 24,563,063</b>	

No Decrease \$17,843,09

TAXES LEVIED ON REAL ESTATE, 1939

(Data furnished by Tax Commissioner's Office)

COUNTY	REAL ESTATE					
	Class Number Two	Class Number Three	Class Number Four	Total	Increase	Decrease
Barbour.....	\$ 47,457	\$ 36,982	\$ 22,060	\$ 106,529	\$.....	\$ 7,187
Berkeley.....	68,180	16,501	117,184	201,865	30,589	.....
Boone.....	10,241	151,024	18,292	179,557	15,134	.....
Braxton.....	42,489	11,351	16,323	70,163	1,603	.....
Brooke.....	62,803	196,580	107,572	366,955	30,840	.....
Cabell.....	297,170	28,457	1,014,108	1,339,735	27,415	.....
Calhoun.....	16,558	15,355	5,404	37,317	6,402	.....
Clay.....	10,669	47,670	2,993	61,332	4,253	.....
Doddridge.....	32,978	18,579	8,938	60,495	862	.....
Fayette.....	36,624	221,471	70,560	328,655	16,950	.....
Gilmer.....	23,731	17,242	5,093	46,066	.....	4,383
Grant.....	18,351	5,276	5,756	29,383	2,060	.....
Greenbrier.....	55,550	46,017	28,860	130,427	.....	1,565
Hampshire.....	26,188	2,703	8,803	37,692	1,340	.....
Hancock.....	87,318	200,462	67,361	355,141	17,134	.....
Hardy.....	25,113	2,388	5,980	33,481	.....	457
Harrison.....	213,305	95,393	370,350	679,048	21,524	.....
Jackson.....	32,594	5,432	9,485	47,511	2,354	.....
Jefferson.....	47,879	12,171	28,440	88,490	5,416	.....
Kanawha.....	364,000	368,319	1,474,255	2,206,574	90,155	.....
Lewis.....	61,727	18,589	40,107	120,423	4,719	.....
Lincoln.....	23,120	47,254	3,622	73,996	.....	11,833
Logan.....	22,977	270,567	68,293	361,837	.....	39,734
Marion.....	173,477	182,578	304,363	660,418	11,422	.....
Marshall.....	82,342	28,258	169,278	278,878	7,063	.....
Mason.....	54,746	5,718	18,465	78,929	.....	7,031
Mercer.....	95,269	27,605	178,602	301,476	12,364	.....
Mineral.....	46,557	7,950	63,007	117,514	1,946	.....
Mingo.....	24,204	126,145	78,234	228,583	3,266	.....
Monongalia.....	127,511	121,825	222,937	472,273	10,272	.....
Monroe.....	37,767	3,695	7,169	48,631	2,534	.....
Morgan.....	11,903	12,326	10,460	34,689	279	.....
McDowell.....	16,585	308,372	86,896	411,733	28,527	.....
Nicholas.....	29,288	64,402	25,593	119,283	.....	30,116
Ohio.....	280,021	39,064	823,832	1,142,917	136,276	.....
Pendleton.....	33,676	3,702	2,673	40,051	7,303	.....
Pleasants.....	28,470	8,351	25,246	59,067	2,764	.....
Pocahontas.....	25,596	8,044	9,763	43,313	.....	1,910
Preston.....	48,730	44,054	32,584	125,368	.....	900
Putnam.....	35,433	21,775	9,164	66,372	571	.....
Raleigh.....	59,302	313,306	107,631	480,239	13,899	.....
Randolph.....	43,687	28,474	54,634	126,775	1,440	.....
Ritchie.....	43,089	20,880	17,981	81,720	.....	3,351
Roane.....	39,578	21,333	15,660	76,571	661	.....
Summers.....	34,987	4,184	31,815	70,989	.....	5,193
Taylor.....	56,888	27,401	71,523	155,782	7,469	.....
Tucker.....	20,806	19,053	29,461	69,120	.....	879
Tyler.....	34,225	6,209	21,231	61,665	2,874	.....
Upshur.....	38,588	12,264	32,177	84,026	8,460	.....
Wayne.....	57,200	24,117	56,627	137,944	.....	8,057
Webster.....	13,047	52,909	12,641	78,597	6,651	.....
Wetzel.....	43,286	32,377	29,262	104,925	.....	3,151
Wirt.....	24,878	15,003	3,524	43,405	.....	92
Wood.....	205,918	62,658	334,228	602,804	32,301	.....
Wyoming.....	12,019	214,975	30,099	287,093	.....	12,218
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>\$ 3,606,670</b>	<b>\$ 3,698,490</b>	<b>\$ 6,416,602</b>	<b>\$ 13,621,762</b>	<b>\$ 577,549</b>	<b>\$ 137,600</b>

Net Increase \$439,949

## TAXES LEVIED ON PERSONAL PROPERTY, 1939

(Data furnished by Tax Commissioner's Office)

COUNTY	PERSONAL PROPERTY					
	Class Number One	Class Number Three	Class Number Four	Total	Increase	Decrease
Barbour.....	\$ 6,904	\$ 7,617	\$ 9,446	\$ 23,067	\$.....	\$ 68
Berkley.....	19,227	11,106	41,677	71,010	9,333	
Boone.....	3,880	46,248	7,251	57,379		21,489
Braxton.....	6,617	4,558	7,298	18,473		149
Brooke.....	9,616	43,408	32,989	85,913		3,481
Cabell.....	70,821	72,382	229,718	372,921		17,951
Calhoun.....	3,361	28,495	2,657	34,413		7,516
Clay.....	5,164	22,025	1,604	28,793		12,413
Doddridge.....	5,309	16,865	4,071	26,245		4,585
Fayette.....	30,792	77,626	32,092	140,510	2,933	
Gilmer.....	4,886	16,076	2,712	23,674		3,387
Grant.....	4,168	1,921	5,061	11,150	1,619	
Greenbrier.....	15,985	19,552	30,094	65,631		1,818
Hampshire.....	6,681	6,549	4,911	17,041	307	
Hancock.....	32,467	64,484	11,739	108,680		3,263
Hardy.....	6,813	6,974	4,452	18,239	1,231	
Harrison.....	52,600	40,050	104,374	197,024		3,564
Jackson.....	10,350	4,848	3,686	18,884	4,157	
Jefferson.....	13,922	8,652	12,508	35,142	2,343	
Kanawha.....	180,659	271,317	356,437	808,413	47,682	
Lewis.....	13,845	13,808	16,703	44,356		2,306
Lincoln.....	4,506	25,885	1,921	32,312		9,762
Logan.....	15,069	97,271	27,448	139,788		29,106
Marion.....	32,259	34,384	65,696	132,339		4,507
Marshall.....	18,724	8,350	68,606	95,680		8,249
Mason.....	9,337	5,918	11,201	26,450		2,859
Mercer.....	27,632	28,632	58,441	114,705		2,336
Mineral.....	9,260	4,428	13,377	27,066		97
Mingo.....	8,864	20,330	22,152	51,346		3,108
Monongalia.....	23,378	53,889	40,430	123,697		5,384
Monroe.....	5,741	3,607	2,942	12,290	971	
Morgan.....	2,788	5,487	6,513	14,788	118	
McDowell.....	31,715	284,607	46,370	362,701		10,952
Nicholas.....	10,914	12,516	20,570	44,000		4,476
Ohio.....	142,284	9,147	277,980	429,411	34,434	
Pendleton.....	4,952	4,157	1,755	10,804	1,100	
Pleasants.....	5,381	9,382	12,725	27,488		1,747
Pocahontas.....	7,054	9,069	7,881	24,004		2,059
Preston.....	7,963	13,567	14,699	36,229		1,003
Putnam.....	3,849	26,857	3,980	34,686	4,904	
Raleigh.....	27,475	75,855	48,894	152,224	3,558	
Randolph.....	16,523	11,040	28,210	54,773	1,971	
Ritchie.....	8,080	27,552	12,016	47,648		7,580
Roane.....	10,243	40,848	10,006	61,097		7,945
Summers.....	5,234	4,027	7,727	16,988		1,008
Taylor.....	11,030	7,772	16,659	35,461		1,556
Tucker.....	3,134	3,219	8,455	14,808		406
Tyler.....	13,798	17,871	14,506	46,176		9,860
Upshur.....	7,447	3,674	8,882	20,003	2,621	
Wayne.....	7,123	10,406	12,274	29,803	3,070	
Webster.....	3,961	17,426	5,702	27,149	1,445	
Wetzel.....	12,791	33,941	33,941	67,308		7,550
Wirt.....	2,005	6,527	1,600	10,141		2,796
Wood.....	45,227	24,349	68,882	138,458		5,323
Wyoming.....	4,683	23,858	13,666	42,106		23,476
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>\$ 1,052,281</b>	<b>\$ 1,749,409</b>	<b>\$ 1,910,159</b>	<b>\$ 4,711,849</b>	<b>\$ 123,697</b>	<b>\$ 241,114</b>

Net Decrease \$117,417

TAXES LEVIED ON PUBLIC UTILITY PROPERTY, 1939

(Data furnished by Tax Commissioner's Office)

COUNTY	PUBLIC UTILITY PROPERTY					
	Class Number One	Class Number Three	Class Number Four	Total	Increase	Decrease
Barbour.....	\$ 470	\$ 50,122	\$ 10,522	\$ 61,114	\$ 3,147	\$ .....
Berkeley.....	1,123	64,707	27,935	93,765	7,309	.....
Boone.....	1,347	158,104	10,912	170,463	4,480	.....
Braxton.....	2,742	58,845	22,065	84,552	4,623	.....
Brooke.....	967	86,037	26,801	113,805	3,023	.....
Cabell.....	3,933	157,001	387,835	548,769	12,194	.....
Calhoun.....	766	61,794	343	62,903	3,731	.....
Clay.....	849	54,548	1,417	57,114	3,526	.....
Doddridge.....	4,417	143,474	3,706	151,597	2,645	.....
Fayette.....	1,795	426,570	44,747	473,112	24,469	.....
Gilmer.....	2,837	106,873	2,387	112,097	.....	11,174
Grant.....	97	6,151	1,896	8,144	1,204	.....
Greenbrier.....	595	145,967	36,471	183,036	.....	3,107
Hampshire.....	134	35,653	2,061	37,848	.....	2,098
Hancock.....	1,661	59,447	39,349	100,457	648	.....
Hardy.....	55	6,188	1,766	8,039	.....	158
Harrison.....	6,072	246,687	110,795	363,554	23,560	.....
Jackson.....	242	39,309	3,054	42,605	2,229	.....
Jefferson.....	305	71,649	12,406	84,360	5,343	.....
Kanawha.....	14,471	927,752	453,109	1,295,332	96,472	.....
Lewis.....	6,515	163,333	20,313	190,164	2,128	.....
Lincoln.....	1,942	140,721	1,366	144,029	.....	25,990
Logan.....	2,431	160,977	156,562	319,970	.....	25,724
Marion.....	6,116	215,435	204,615	426,169	20,512	.....
Marshall.....	2,158	138,332	88,343	228,833	11,000	.....
Mason.....	599	71,000	31,804	103,403	.....	6,309
Mercer.....	2,023	219,161	214,553	435,770	18,864	.....
Mineral.....	454	61,800	42,235	104,549	1,247	.....
Mingo.....	2,040	396,724	143,418	542,152	25,293	.....
Monongalia.....	3,193	259,422	104,625	367,240	15,227	.....
Monroe.....	57	21,524	9,367	30,978	2,439	.....
Morgan.....	174	105,569	7,620	113,363	.....	405
McDowell.....	2,334	427,266	84,184	513,754	19,995	.....
Nicholas.....	668	26,462	8,384	35,514	.....	2,731
Ohio.....	6,153	37,323	240,596	284,072	40,266	.....
Pendleton.....	65	2,059	357	2,481	1,646	.....
Pleasants.....	679	37,252	6,623	44,554	2,167	.....
Pocahontas.....	148	44,653	5,816	50,617	.....	884
Preston.....	655	91,474	37,470	129,599	370	.....
Putnam.....	1,054	110,580	6,535	118,172	.....	978
Raleigh.....	1,508	242,093	42,954	286,555	2,676	.....
Randolph.....	422	41,792	26,407	68,621	406	.....
Ritchie.....	2,327	111,191	10,813	124,331	.....	1,473
Roane.....	2,492	177,497	6,866	186,555	16,437	.....
Summers.....	492	99,883	50,114	150,459	.....	4,733
Taylor.....	1,584	87,682	46,341	135,607	9,426	.....
Tucker.....	282	15,794	8,738	24,814	410	.....
Tyler.....	1,743	64,329	14,437	80,509	4,413	.....
Upshur.....	372	26,495	10,311	37,375	2,862	.....
Wayne.....	3,144	284,008	194,930	482,082	.....	42,847
Webster.....	190	24,611	5,141	29,942	2,555	.....
Wetzel.....	4,499	235,360	29,443	269,302	4,238	.....
Wirt.....	185	5,584	899	6,648	.....	509
Wood.....	1,601	81,295	76,225	159,121	10,671	.....
Wyoming.....	727	199,687	33,686	234,100	30,257	.....
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>\$ 106,270</b>	<b>\$ 7,235,589</b>	<b>\$ 3,172,634</b>	<b>\$ 10,514,493</b>	<b>\$ 444,566</b>	<b>\$ 129,022</b>

Net Increase \$ 315,544

## TOTAL TAXES LEVIED ON ALL PROPERTY, 1939

(Data furnished by Tax Commissioner's Office)

COUNTY	GRAND TOTAL ALL PROPERTY						
	Class Number One	Class Number Two	Class Number Three	Class Number Four	Total	Increase	Decrease
Barbour.....	\$ 7,374	\$ 47,487	\$ 94,721	\$ 42,028	\$ 191,610	\$.....	\$ 4,108
Berkeley.....	19,350	68,180	92,314	186,796	366,040	47,231	.....
Boone.....	5,327	10,241	355,376	36,455	407,399	.....	1,855
Braxton.....	9,359	42,489	74,754	46,586	173,188	6,077	.....
Brooke.....	10,483	62,803	326,025	167,362	566,673	30,382	.....
Cabell.....	74,754	297,170	257,840	1,631,661	2,261,425	21,658	.....
Calhoun.....	4,127	16,558	105,644	8,301	134,633	2,618	.....
Clay.....	6,013	10,669	124,543	6,014	147,239	.....	4,634
Doddridge.....	9,726	32,978	178,918	16,715	238,337	.....	1,078
Fayette.....	32,587	36,624	725,667	147,399	942,277	44,362	.....
Gilmer.....	7,723	23,731	140,191	10,192	181,837	.....	18,944
Grant.....	4,265	18,351	13,348	12,713	48,677	4,783	.....
Greenbrier.....	16,583	55,550	211,536	95,425	379,094	.....	6,490
Hampshire.....	6,715	26,186	43,905	15,775	92,581	.....	451
Hancock.....	34,118	87,318	324,393	118,449	564,278	14,519	.....
Hardy.....	6,598	25,113	15,550	12,198	59,759	1,846	.....
Harrison.....	58,672	213,305	382,130	585,519	1,239,626	41,520	.....
Jackson.....	10,592	32,594	49,589	16,225	109,000	8,740	.....
Jefferson.....	14,227	47,879	92,472	53,414	207,992	13,102	.....
Kanawha.....	195,130	364,000	1,467,388	2,283,801	4,310,319	234,309	.....
Lewis.....	20,303	61,727	195,730	77,123	354,943	4,541	.....
Lincoln.....	6,448	23,120	213,860	6,000	250,337	.....	47,585
Logan.....	17,500	22,077	528,815	252,303	821,595	.....	94,564
Marion.....	38,375	173,477	432,397	574,677	1,218,926	27,427	.....
Marshall.....	20,882	82,342	171,940	326,227	601,391	9,814	.....
Mason.....	9,930	54,746	82,636	61,470	208,788	.....	10,199
Mercer.....	29,655	95,269	275,401	451,626	851,951	28,892	.....
Mineral.....	9,714	46,557	74,238	118,619	249,128	3,096	.....
Mingo.....	10,904	24,204	543,199	243,804	822,111	25,451	.....
Monongalia.....	26,571	127,511	435,136	373,092	963,210	20,115	.....
Monroe.....	5,828	37,767	28,826	19,478	91,890	5,944	.....
Morgan.....	2,962	11,903	123,382	24,593	162,840	.....	8
McDowell.....	34,049	16,565	1,020,145	217,459	1,288,218	31,570	.....
Nicholas.....	11,582	29,228	103,380	54,547	198,737	.....	37,323
Ohio.....	148,437	280,021	85,534	1,342,408	1,856,400	210,976	.....
Pendleton.....	5,017	33,676	9,918	4,785	53,396	10,049	.....
Pleasants.....	6,060	28,470	51,985	44,594	131,109	3,184	.....
Pocahontas.....	7,202	25,506	61,704	23,400	117,034	.....	4,863
Preston.....	8,618	48,730	149,095	84,753	291,190	.....	1,533
Putnam.....	4,903	35,433	159,212	19,082	219,230	4,497	.....
Raleigh.....	28,983	59,302	631,254	199,509	919,048	20,133	.....
Randolph.....	15,945	43,667	81,306	109,251	250,160	3,817	.....
Ritchie.....	10,407	43,059	159,423	40,810	253,699	.....	12,404
Roane.....	12,735	39,578	230,678	32,532	324,523	9,153	.....
Summers.....	5,726	34,987	108,094	89,659	238,466	.....	10,934
Taylor.....	12,614	56,858	122,855	134,523	320,850	15,339	.....
Tucker.....	3,416	20,606	38,066	46,654	108,742	.....	875
Tyler.....	15,541	34,225	88,409	50,174	188,349	.....	2,573
Upshur.....	8,019	30,585	42,433	51,370	141,407	13,943	.....
Wayne.....	10,267	57,200	318,531	263,831	649,829	.....	47,834
Webster.....	4,151	13,047	94,946	23,544	135,688	10,951	.....
Wetzel.....	17,280	43,286	301,078	79,281	441,535	.....	6,463
Wirt.....	2,180	24,878	27,094	6,032	60,194	.....	3,457
Wood.....	46,828	205,918	168,302	479,335	900,383	37,649	.....
Wyoming.....	5,410	12,019	438,520	77,350	533,290	.....	5,437
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$ 1,158,551</b>	<b>\$ 3,506,670</b>	<b>\$ 12,683,488</b>	<b>\$ 11,499,395</b>	<b>\$ 28,848,104</b>	<b>\$ 907,678</b>	<b>\$ 320,602</b>
<b>Net Increase</b>						<b>\$ 638,076</b>	

**CHARTER LICENSE TAX, 1927-1939**

(Data furnished by Auditor's Office)

*YEAR	Amount Collected	Amount Refunded	Net Amount Collected
1927	\$ 928,424.04	\$ 6,928.02	\$ 921,496.02
1928	903,393.89	7,976.24	895,417.65
1929	958,155.73	6,625.07	951,530.66
1930	1,050,428.61	3,546.51	1,046,882.10
1931	671,244.76	3,590.01	667,654.75
1932	1,029,329.19	3,641.16	1,025,688.03
1933	722,506.62	7,730.34	714,776.28
1934	655,076.79	1,904.56	653,172.21
1935	643,355.91	1,176.30	642,179.61
1936	702,690.67	4,214.50	698,476.17
1937	590,707.89	2,750.00	587,957.89
1938	616,720.37	2,560.18	614,160.19
1939	645,975.82	1,566.00	644,409.82
<b>Totals</b>	<b>\$ 9,501,289.92</b>	<b>\$ 51,678.73</b>	<b>\$ 9,449,611.19</b>

\*—Fiscal year ended June 30th.

**CHARTER TAX (NEW INCORPORATIONS), 1927-1939**

(Compiled from data furnished by Secretary of State)

*YEAR	Amount Collected	Amount Refunded	Net Amount Collected
1927	\$ 59,919.46	\$ 299.00	\$ 59,620.46
1928	59,254.24	232.00	59,022.24
1929	56,671.51		56,671.51
1930	68,149.25	35.00	68,114.25
1931	37,887.31	68.00	37,819.31
1932	29,539.98		29,539.98
1933	23,820.08	35.00	23,785.08
1934	23,061.75		23,061.75
1935	26,911.20	150.00	26,761.20
1936	24,031.91		24,031.91
1937	82,173.75	235.00	81,938.75
1938	55,634.75	32.40	55,602.35
1939	39,407.88	192.50	39,215.38
<b>Totals</b>	<b>\$ 530,828.35</b>	<b>\$ 1,245.50</b>	<b>\$ 529,582.85</b>

\*—Fiscal year ended June 30th.

**INSURANCE TAX AND FEES, 1927-1939**

(Data furnished by Auditor's Office)

*YEAR	Amount Collected	Amount Refunded	Net Amount Collected
1927	\$ 793,093.63	\$ 300.50	\$ 792,792.83
1928	849,558.18	534.74	849,023.44
1929	873,506.97	10.00	873,496.97
1930	921,200.97	174.40	921,026.57
1931	938,239.49		938,239.49
1932	902,002.30	189.09	901,813.21
1933	791,637.35	592.21	791,045.14
1934	719,409.50	310.89	719,098.61
1935	763,604.60	81.94	763,522.66
1936	810,557.00	200.55	810,356.45
1937	887,241.12	54.59	887,186.53
1938	948,748.99	64.98	948,684.01
1939	907,240.47	48.02	907,192.45
<b>Totals</b>	<b>\$ 10,157,291.58</b>	<b>\$ 2,497.23</b>	<b>\$ 10,154,794.35</b>

\*—Fiscal year ended June 30th.

## CONSUMERS SALES TAX, 1935-1939

COLLECTIONS BY COUNTIES FROM JULY 1, 1935 TO JUNE 30, 1939

(Compiled from data furnished by Tax Commissioner's Office)

COUNTY	1935-36	1936-37	1937-38	1938-39
Barbour	\$ 35,094.70	\$ 43,506.55	\$ 40,811.65	\$ 41,539.51
Berkeley	121,992.57	138,368.19	132,578.01	132,024.26
Boone	79,403.52	96,021.77	86,776.87	81,035.57
Braxton	31,153.85	36,274.02	34,550.51	35,000.86
Brooke	72,382.04	82,180.54	75,336.95	70,100.88
Cabell	582,052.55	638,301.30	616,328.84	632,889.21
Calhoun	15,514.82	18,013.33	17,273.81	18,328.07
Clay	25,640.99	28,707.71	27,529.43	26,757.68
Doddridge	20,324.86	21,741.31	20,943.31	21,185.32
Fayette	363,493.39	402,366.41	395,689.37	356,248.27
Gilmer	20,132.03	21,729.85	22,920.37	21,134.52
Grant	14,094.07	17,345.26	17,627.71	17,285.26
Greenbrier	149,553.42	169,684.47	162,237.69	158,602.30
Hampshire	21,310.36	22,402.81	22,661.32	22,181.54
Hancock	125,222.84	142,494.78	127,804.34	122,206.89
Hardy	14,000.17	16,501.65	15,834.73	14,450.69
Harrison	429,183.09	496,995.11	477,814.98	440,081.23
Jackson	29,287.10	31,406.69	30,024.07	30,411.44
Jefferson	50,273.53	53,911.33	55,299.12	56,179.57
Kanawha	1,074,170.97	1,250,609.66	1,300,360.07	1,274,033.19
Lewis	75,461.50	81,045.71	77,923.09	74,814.79
Lincoln	25,427.30	30,017.74	27,748.97	29,215.37
Logan	261,179.82	308,681.45	287,469.42	264,536.00
Marion	303,964.63	415,023.47	392,477.13	361,506.68
Marshall	113,119.24	127,214.58	121,761.23	115,686.03
Mason	45,506.76	48,047.65	45,474.75	42,376.07
Mercer	310,129.83	352,567.47	339,160.52	317,541.99
Mineral	63,263.81	68,722.53	68,194.65	64,450.25
Mingo	138,923.16	159,627.20	159,230.58	165,198.71
Monongalia	237,173.98	258,800.57	254,066.74	253,078.14
Monroe	17,427.23	20,529.29	19,837.53	19,655.52
Morgan	19,329.31	20,532.81	20,132.20	19,403.16
McDowell	415,761.18	480,176.96	429,416.87	380,926.81
Nicholas	54,758.91	58,176.41	56,147.25	55,550.19
Ohio	697,613.95	774,516.94	752,947.93	719,213.58
Pendleton	9,075.21	10,278.65	12,014.23	12,910.57
Pleasants	21,185.75	21,462.65	20,631.70	21,258.93
Pocahontas	35,343.95	39,466.40	37,613.01	36,208.68
Preston	52,745.94	67,382.32	66,259.10	65,000.84
Putnam	41,246.28	47,969.38	48,834.44	48,876.11
Raleigh	329,359.86	362,080.90	364,074.26	337,593.71
Randolph	92,857.49	110,407.29	109,970.53	110,306.52
Ritchie	34,437.09	37,613.28	38,153.31	39,748.84
Roane	45,629.03	52,317.20	51,263.13	48,885.11
Summers	52,313.28	54,407.91	63,528.83	66,840.30
Taylor	85,724.14	89,123.41	78,550.08	124,532.21
Tucker	40,285.88	45,092.54	42,205.38	41,330.88
Tyler	40,046.17	46,420.75	37,525.43	35,507.52
Upshur	46,271.28	51,205.10	49,353.88	47,506.95
Wayne	33,082.61	46,757.83	38,132.58	37,055.93
Webster	46,430.56	44,965.73	45,598.70	44,340.60
Wetzel	69,002.65	74,117.16	68,763.85	64,030.56
Wirt	6,524.86	7,863.74	8,515.63	8,478.59
Wood	349,620.42	394,219.10	373,228.41	366,599.12
Wyoming	66,108.02	60,207.62	60,661.02	74,084.01
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$ 7,612,011.95</b>	<b>\$ 8,008,531.56</b>	<b>\$ 8,346,286.10</b>	<b>\$ 8,075,704.51</b>

## GROSS SALES TAX

NET COLLECTIONS FROM JULY 1, 1927, TO JUNE 30, 1939, BY YEARS AND CLASSES

(Compiled from Data furnished by Tax Commissioner's Office)

CLASS	Year Ended June 30, 1928	Year Ended June 30, 1929	Year Ended June 30, 1930	Year Ended June 30, 1931	Year Ended June 30, 1932	Year Ended June 30, 1933
Coal Production.....	\$ 1,022,010.04	\$ 945,764.00	\$ 925,917.03	\$ 753,185.60	\$ 544,030.47	\$ 373,507.11
Oil and Gas Production.....	615,535.47	520,530.47	519,899.68	391,150.98	311,296.67	8,631.00
Clay, Sand, etc., Production.....	30,232.31	29,566.75	31,466.03	20,746.23	16,700.33	240,330.74
Timber Production.....	30,190.40	31,958.18	32,114.17	10,225.26	10,950.55	6,236.40
<b>Total Production.....</b>	<b>\$ 1,607,908.31</b>	<b>\$ 1,527,819.40</b>	<b>\$ 1,500,308.11</b>	<b>\$ 1,190,308.07</b>	<b>\$ 883,878.02</b>	<b>\$ 631,705.85</b>
Manufacturing.....	\$ 788,315.00	\$ 855,702.10	\$ 833,232.20	\$ 607,483.30	\$ 504,161.91	\$ 354,189.09
Sales—Exclusive of Wholesale.....	562,170.70	564,662.54	558,012.80	400,488.53	347,140.78	242,454.82
Sales—Wholesale.....	84,080.91	79,126.92	81,513.05	68,682.20	54,291.87	30,709.21
Banks and Public Utilities.....	399,270.05	360,041.96	396,302.60	399,275.03	283,444.90	207,516.50
Other Businesses and Professions.....	272,357.33	260,200.23	305,701.93	332,772.03	234,493.27	120,077.92
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>\$ 3,805,078.02</b>	<b>\$ 3,656,632.31</b>	<b>\$ 3,704,730.75</b>	<b>\$ 3,065,010.21</b>	<b>\$ 2,327,710.81</b>	<b>\$ 1,604,653.30</b>
CLASS	Year Ended June 30, 1934	Year Ended June 30, 1935	Year Ended June 30, 1936	Year Ended June 30, 1937	Year Ended June 30, 1938	Year Ended June 30, 1939
Coal Production.....	\$ 1,867,281.19	\$ 2,547,380.95	\$ 2,270,903.14	\$ 2,620,407.51	\$ 2,454,000.06	\$ 2,125,021.14
Oil and Gas Production.....	42,180.73	1,162,390.11	1,270,322.93	1,425,629.21	1,631,540.58	1,344,414.80
Clay, Sand, etc., Production.....	1,211,736.05	107,807.23	28,163.96	56,299.17	43,914.35	30,443.17
Timber Production.....	34,565.34	49,050.94	65,923.99	66,704.05	53,167.17	20,918.00
<b>Total Production.....</b>	<b>\$ 3,155,763.31</b>	<b>\$ 3,926,704.23</b>	<b>\$ 3,644,304.02</b>	<b>\$ 4,100,000.64</b>	<b>\$ 4,183,222.15</b>	<b>\$ 3,520,797.73</b>
Manufacturing.....	\$ 1,000,443.00	\$ 1,257,920.03	\$ 1,305,320.56	\$ 1,037,600.91	\$ 1,150,437.00	\$ 1,271,167.50
Sales—Exclusive of Wholesale.....	1,112,554.18	1,794,571.81	1,338,902.04	1,612,128.03	1,725,114.53	1,487,006.95
Sales—Wholesale.....	150,605.02	279,130.90	288,713.24	354,954.04	375,924.02	319,818.87
Banks and Public Utilities.....	2,043,470.53	5,007,380.84	5,037,444.13	4,257,878.30	3,970,763.95	4,950,629.92
Other Businesses and Professions.....	467,142.76	683,863.84	719,930.46	1,035,900.43	1,170,620.70	1,142,343.44
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>\$ 8,619,046.30</b>	<b>\$ 12,940,571.66</b>	<b>\$ 12,334,714.05</b>	<b>\$ 13,067,461.85</b>	<b>\$ 12,885,083.07</b>	<b>\$ 12,701,304.41</b>

Note—The collections shown above are net, all refunds having been deducted.

## INHERITANCE TAX COLLECTIONS, 1935-1939

(Compiled from data furnished by State Tax Commissioner)

COUNTY	1935-36	1936-37	1937-38	1938-39
Barbour.....	\$ 1,929.72	\$ 869.93	\$ 146.09	\$ 2,327.69
Berkeley.....	5,198.21	3,549.39	20,916.62	5,128.08
Boone.....	1,441.64	18.40	5,241.61	141.87
Braxton.....	.....	257.37	731.75	597.41
Brooke.....	7,327.19	4,234.98	3,867.45	5,441.60
Cabell.....	30,893.28	27,417.96	28,644.53	29,039.64
Calhoun.....	329.12	.....	23.28	94.17
Clay.....	.....	491.20	88.83	187.43
Doddridge.....	4,707.45	1,923.66	12,458.57	166.87
Fayette.....	1,008.34	7,442.48	10,054.82	45,060.09
Gilmer.....	.....	.....	734.20	312.23
Grant.....	2,019.63	1,518.46	2,035.32	4,533.10
Greenbrier.....	5,843.34	2,630.64	2,678.93	2,799.59
Hampshire.....	4,081.18	297.70	1,459.96	1,292.63
Hancock.....	2,260.57	1,561.30	552.26	269.38
Hardy.....	806.82	19.37	2,037.43	638.69
Harrison.....	20,159.74	46,837.02	31,341.01	14,494.46
Jackson.....	573.61	750.23	20,961.79	1,169.87
Jefferson.....	9,073.23	2,741.87	27,608.62	8,457.37
Kanawha.....	85,129.46	40,015.09	109,489.81	35,529.07
Lewis.....	4,128.24	387.37	12,521.82	8,621.47
Lincoln.....	35,000.00	.....	.....	.....
Logan.....	143.50	3,216.83	284.62	3,454.90
Marion.....	28,008.26	9,118.65	11,250.59	11,418.62
Marshall.....	13,447.14	6,977.11	34,512.65	350.17
Mason.....	21.38	941.82	170.26	2,092.47
Mercer.....	33,111.85	2,199.73	5,419.01	7,402.44
Mineral.....	5,843.25	3,086.18	2,149.77	7,228.19
Mingo.....	410.48	.....	265.50	137.20
Monongalia.....	22,363.66	10,087.20	6,051.43	5,256.47
Monroe.....	10,206.94	3,974.23	2,969.72	676.57
Morgan.....	257.34	985.38	222.42	10,659.70
McDowell.....	765.93	54.13	91.98	3,491.15
Nicholas.....	2,039.65	80.00	1,510.13	1,565.00
Ohio.....	90,974.14	237,373.37	111,887.17	414,225.63
Pendleton.....	70.24	1,923.22	2,518.19	30.25
Pleasants.....	210.16	26,781.10	1,408.35	710.07
Pocahontas.....	716.43	284.91	7,798.10	1,834.29
Preston.....	784.61	533.63	2,894.96	314.13
Putnam.....	1,018.31	293.29	1,195.49	343.18
Raleigh.....	67.18	2,747.72	2,660.21	11,010.27
Randolph.....	2,984.28	9,581.57	3,151.99	1,298.93
Ritchie.....	944.32	2,804.98	1,099.42	172.74
Roane.....	171.34	1,684.51	1,143.21	726.44
Summers.....	761.50	1,254.20	631.28	1,000.45
Taylor.....	10,566.15	6,461.49	1,470.99	5,959.00
Tucker.....	50.00	513.69	310.67	198.97
Tyler.....	9,500.95	3,937.14	21,901.83	5,511.08
Upshur.....	15,976.82	1,285.50	1,063.04	2,411.75
Wayne.....	176.02	438.07	1,112.51	12.26
Webster.....	.....	.....	54.88	94.25
Wetzel.....	3,667.72	112.50	6,203.00	4,848.00
Wirt.....	.....	23.67	.....	141.30
Wood.....	24,202.07	21,210.43	14,202.56	13,714.80
Wyoming.....	.....	.....	96.30	700.51
Non-Resident Estates.....	7,604.00	2,230.59	12,196.48	14,254.84
<b>Total Collections.....</b>	<b>\$ 609,946.28</b>	<b>\$ 514,275.36</b>	<b>\$ 554,113.09</b>	<b>\$ 699,057.23</b>

**BEER TAX, 1933-1939**

**RETAIL BEER LICENSE FEES AND BARREL TAX**  
(Compiled from data furnished by State Tax Commissioner)

	1933-34	1934-35	1935-36	1936-37	1937-38	1938-39
Licenses.....	\$ 320,100.00	\$ 225,265.00	\$ 489,775.00	\$ 309,845.02	\$ 507,407.50	\$ 404,295.00
Barrel Tax.....	219,067.87	342,611.00	468,309.37	614,522.76	720,358.45	665,236.87
Totals.....	\$ 539,167.87	\$ 567,876.00	\$ 958,084.37	\$ 924,367.78	\$ 1,227,765.95	\$ 1,069,531.87

**RETAIL BEER LICENSES ISSUED, 1938-1939**

(Data furnished by State Tax Commissioner)

County	Licenses	County	Licenses	County	Licenses
Barbour.....	34	Kanawha.....	416	Preston.....	55
Berkeley.....	58	Lewis.....	27	Putnam.....	26
Boone.....	52	Lincoln.....	13	Raleigh.....	167
Braxton.....	18	Logan.....	106	Randolph.....	49
Brooke.....	59	Marion.....	165	Ritchie.....	24
Cabell.....	175	Marshall.....	78	Roane.....	20
Calhoun.....	8	Mason.....	31	Summers.....	25
Clay.....	11	Mercer.....	111	Taylor.....	31
Doddridge.....	13	Mineral.....	61	Tucker.....	27
Fayette.....	172	Mingo.....	76	Tyler.....	22
Gilmer.....	11	Monongalia.....	149	Upsbur.....	13
Grant.....	12	Monroe.....	11	Wayne.....	23
Greenbrier.....	61	Morgan.....	11	Webster.....	21
Hampshire.....	22	McDowell.....	146	Wetzel.....	51
Hancock.....	112	Nicholas.....	24	Wirt.....	7
Hardy.....	13	Ohio.....	234	Wood.....	120
Harrison.....	151	Pendleton.....	10	Wyoming.....	46
Jackson.....	20	Pleasants.....	7		
Jefferson.....	33	Pocahontas.....	26	Total.....	3,499

**\* BEER LICENSES ISSUED TO DISTRIBUTORS, 1938-1939**

(Data furnished by State Tax Commissioner)

County	Licenses	County	Licenses	County	Licenses
Berkeley.....	6	Logan.....	6	Raleigh.....	6
Brooke.....	7	Marion.....	6	Randolph.....	3
Cabell.....	6	Marshall.....	2	Summers.....	1
Fayette.....	2	Mason.....	2	Taylor.....	1
Greenbrier.....	3	Mercer.....	6	Tucker.....	1
Hampshire.....	2	Mineral.....	6	Tyler.....	1
Hancock.....	6	Mingo.....	4	Upsbur.....	1
Harrison.....	10	Monongalia.....	8	Wetzel.....	2
Jackson.....	1	McDowell.....	7	Wood.....	10
Jefferson.....	1	Nicholas.....	2	Wyoming.....	2
Kanawha.....	10	Ohio.....	14		
Lewis.....	1	Preston.....	2	Total.....	148

\*—Licenses issued to Brewers, 3; bottling plants, 2.

**† RETAIL BEER LICENSES REVOKED, 1938-1939**

(Data furnished by State Tax Commissioner)

County	Revocations	County	Revocations	County	Revocations
Berkeley.....	2	Logan.....	5	Randolph.....	1
Brooke.....	1	Marion.....	3	Ritchie.....	2
Fayette.....	4	Marshall.....	5	Tyler.....	2
Greenbrier.....	1	Monongalia.....	5	Wayne.....	1
Hampshire.....	1	McDowell.....	1	Wetzel.....	1
Hancock.....	9	Ohio.....	19	Wood.....	3
Harrison.....	4	Preston.....	1		
Kanawha.....	5	Raleigh.....	2	Total.....	78

†—Notices issued for hearings, 161; dismissals, 83.

## GASOLINE TAX

### Collections and Refunds, 1923-1939

*YEAR	Amount Collected	Amount Refunded	Net Amount Collected
1924.....	\$ 836,464.08	\$ 3,859.46	\$ 832,604.62
1925.....	1,324,553.85	7,286.31	1,317,267.54
1926.....	2,581,870.25	55,833.99	2,526,045.26
1927.....	3,227,061.10	95,010.70	3,132,041.40
1928.....	4,151,851.36	122,609.37	4,029,241.09
1929.....	4,644,951.36	173,001.80	4,471,949.47
1930.....	5,382,973.69	221,483.52	5,161,490.17
1931.....	5,881,171.51	258,719.58	5,622,451.93
1932.....	5,784,357.57	286,690.15	5,497,667.42
1933.....	5,082,655.98	250,228.30	4,832,427.68
1934.....	5,664,652.93	207,574.77	5,457,078.16
1935.....	6,171,963.74	217,625.92	5,954,337.82
1936.....	6,642,013.36	230,822.61	6,411,190.75
1937.....	7,328,993.58	285,023.71	7,041,964.87
1938.....	9,660,789.52	104,068.21	9,556,721.31
1939.....	9,614,004.95	67,690.78	9,546,404.17
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>\$ 74,318,538.31</b>	<b>\$ 2,483,475.06</b>	<b>\$ 71,835,063.25</b>

\*Fiscal year ended June 30th.

†Beginning August 1, 1923.

## STATE DEBT FUND, 1934-1939

(Data furnished by Auditor's Office)

*YEAR	Net Amount Collected
1934.....	\$ 637,652.08
1935.....	2,310,732.25
1936.....	3,381,056.74
1937.....	1,390,610.69
1938.....	923,344.51
1939.....	1,090,783.09
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>\$ 9,734,785.96</b>

\*Fiscal year ended June 30th.

## CASH POSITION OF STATE, 1937-1939

July 1, 1937.....	\$ 12,553,435.61
July 1, 1938.....	15,428,524.12
July 1, 1939.....	11,194,130.98

## TOTAL REVENUE COLLECTED, ALL SOURCES, 1933-1939

(Compiled from data furnished by the Auditor, Secretary of State,  
State Road Commissioner and State Tax Commissioner)

	†1933	†1934	†1935	†1936	†1937	†1938	†1939
Beer Tax.....	\$ 256,640.46	\$ 539,167.87	\$ 567,870.00	\$ 959,084.37	\$ 924,307.78	\$ 1,238,514.05	\$ 1,081,311.39
Charter Tax (New Incorporations).....	23,785.08	23,061.75	20,761.20	24,031.91	81,938.75	55,602.35	39,215.38
Charter License Tax.....	714,776.29	653,172.21	642,170.01	908,470.17	587,027.59	622,044.63	644,400.82
Consumer's Sales Tax.....		1,768,881.04	6,835,025.37	7,612,011.05	8,554,941.93	8,484,040.97	7,944,708.50
*Gasoline Tax.....	5,082,055.08	5,694,652.93	5,075,180.96	6,411,190.75	7,041,964.87	7,479,912.78	9,519,965.07
††General School Receipts.....	976,732.14	703,374.32	905,034.49	997,462.34	1,190,513.00	1,017,505.47	1,001,020.25
Individual Income Tax.....		593,062.11	971,567.75	1,147,896.12	1,077,100.02	1,847,220.11	1,310,894.54
Gross Sales Tax.....	1,604,653.39	8,019,046.39	12,040,571.65	12,334,714.05	13,007,401.85	12,880,402.70	12,695,404.94
Inheritance Tax.....	310,437.07	333,036.78	401,363.77	509,946.28	514,276.30	552,980.93	690,951.54
Insurance Tax and Fees.....	791,045.14	719,098.61	703,622.00	810,350.45	887,186.53	948,684.01	907,240.30
Motor Vehicle License Receipts.....	\$3,800,333.00		4,000,270.00	4,476,879.00	5,115,190.00	5,233,430.72	4,903,620.00
Liquor Sales (Net income).....				800,000.00	2,745,024.09	3,250,000.00	3,300,000.00
State Debt Fund.....		637,652.68	2,310,732.25	3,381,056.74	1,300,016.69	785,344.61	1,228,985.96
Secondary Road Receipts.....		†1200,204.19	451,311.54	942,034.11	1,402,441.21	2,839,006.36	**842,839.44
Special Revenue.....	181,601.75	298,340.60	410,738.93	241,718.73	427,305.00	621,724.07	658,401.59
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>\$ 14,150,080.07</b>	<b>\$ 21,107,348.73</b>	<b>\$ 37,886,523.52</b>	<b>\$ 41,883,557.52</b>	<b>\$ 40,284,331.78</b>	<b>\$ 47,857,078.10</b>	<b>\$ 46,703,180.22</b>

†Fiscal year ended June 30th.

††Includes chain store forfeiture and general license tax previously reported separately.

†Calendar year 1933.

††Ten months.

\*Includes extra one-cent tax for secondary roads.

\*\*Does not include extra one-cent gasoline tax reported under this item in 1938.

TOTAL REVENUE COLLECTED

**\*GENERAL RECAPITULATION, STATE REVENUES, 1939**

(Data furnished by Auditor's Office)

Balance (All funds), July 1, 1938 .....	\$ 15,425,524.12	
Receipts (All funds) for year .....	93,506,052.31	
<b>Total Receipts &amp; Balances .....</b>	<b>\$ 108,934,576.43</b>	
Receipts by Transfers for year .....	42,939,766.27	
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$ 151,874,342.70</b>	
Disbursements (All funds) for year .....	97,327,834.86	
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$ 54,546,507.84</b>	
Disbursements by Transfer for year .....	43,204,723.30	
Returned Checks Charged (All funds) .....	147,653.56	<b>\$ 43,352,376.86</b>
<b>Balance (All funds), June 30, 1939.....</b>		<b>\$ 11,194,130.98</b>

\*Includes non-tax funds.

**TOTAL GROSS RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS,  
ALL STATE FUNDS, 1931-1939**

Fiscal Year	Receipts	Fiscal Year	Disbursements
1931.....	\$ 87,394,758.69	1931.....	\$ 75,246,470.79
1932.....	74,209,626.65	1932.....	84,147,807.68
1933.....	70,595,467.00	1933.....	72,869,948.97
1934.....	94,516,086.69	1934.....	91,977,200.27
1935.....	116,057,481.49	1935.....	117,881,418.19
1936.....	123,924,249.13	1936.....	120,660,389.82
1937.....	130,953,227.51	1937.....	127,151,842.05
**1938.....	102,149,567.94	**1938.....	99,270,938.04
**1939.....	93,506,052.31	**1939.....	97,327,834.86

\*\*Less inter-departmental and inter-fund transfers.

**GASOLINE TAX PER GALLON, BY STATES**

**Two Cents per Gallon**

District of Columbia

Missouri

**Three Cents per Gallon**

California  
Connecticut  
Illinois

Iowa  
Kansas  
Massachusetts  
Michigan

New Jersey  
North Dakota  
Rhode Island

**Four Cents per Gallon**

Colorado  
Delaware  
Indiana  
Maine  
Maryland  
Minnesota

Nevada  
New Hampshire  
New York  
Ohio  
Oklahoma  
Pennsylvania

South Dakota  
Texas  
Utah  
Vermont  
Wisconsin  
Wyoming

**Five Cents per Gallon**

Arizona  
Idaho  
Kentucky

Montana  
Nebraska  
New Mexico  
Oregon

Virginia  
Washington  
West Virginia

**Six Cents per Gallon**

Alabama  
Georgia

Mississippi

North Carolina  
South Carolina

**Six and One-half Cents per Gallon**  
Arkansas

**Seven Cents per Gallon**

Florida

Louisiana

Tennessee

# RESUME OF 1939

For West Virginia, as well as for most of the nation, 1939 was a year of anticipation and preparation for the things to come in 1940, including principally another presidential campaign, the decennial census, and possibly a decisive turn in the second World War that blazed in Europe during the closing months of the year.

Nineteen hundred and thirty-nine began on a note of economic gloom. Coal production was down and the slackened pace in this No. 1 industry was reflected generally in the industrial life of the state. However, as the year progressed, business generally began to improve.

## Coal Industry Booms

The dispute between coal operators and union representatives over details of a new Appalachian wage agreement resulted in almost a complete shutdown in the coal industry in West Virginia during a period of about six weeks in April and May. Close on the heels of this shut-down came the announcement from President Roosevelt that the National Bituminous Coal Commission would be abolished and its price-setting functions transferred to the Department of the Interior. The transfer was effected prior to the end of the fiscal year.

The initial spurt in coal production came with the opening of hostilities in Europe at the beginning of autumn. Production increased to such an extent that experts estimated the 1939 total production at 107,400,000 tons, compared with 93,511,099 tons in 1938 and 118,965,066 tons in 1937.

The frenzied acceleration of production in the coal industry hit its peak in October when 3,039,000 tons were produced in the single week ending October 28th. This figure has been exceeded but very few times in the history of coal mining in West Virginia.

## The Interim Committee and the Legislature

When the 44th biennial session of the legislature convened in January, 1939, all eyes in the state were turned toward Charleston. For the first time in history, legislators were presented with an initial program of legislation that had been prepared painstakingly during the previous two years by an interim committee, composed of members of the state senate and house of delegates.

One of the most constructive and far-reaching recommendations was embodied in a measure providing for the submission, at the general election in 1940, of a constitutional amendment which, if adopted, will revamp the state's minor judiciary, summary judges entirely displacing justices of the peace. The proposed amendment provides for the establishment of summary courts in each county in West Virginia.

Other important committee bills aimed squarely at the heart of several pressing state problems were speedily enacted into law. These included measures setting up a new formula for the distribution of state aid to schools and the revision of the existing system of tax allocations to permit political subdivisions to use 80 per cent of such taxes for current expenses and 20 per cent for debt retirement. Under the old law, 30 per cent of such taxes were used for debt retirement.

Well before adjournment on March 11th, both houses had disposed of the biennial budget by appropriating, in record time, approximately \$62,400,000 for state government expenses for the next two fiscal years.

A complete abstract of all bills passed and resolutions adopted at the regular session of the legislature in 1939 will be found in the legislative section of this edition of the Blue Book.

Apparently the work of the interim committee met with favor among members of the 44th legislature, for a resolution providing for the creation of another

Interim committee was adopted on the last day of the session. The members of this new committee, who will serve until the next regular session in 1941, will make a thorough study of the following topics: A plan to determine claims and grievances against the state; permanent registration of voters; non-partisan election of school board members; selection and tenure of public employees by civil service; classification of the more than 34,000 miles of designated highways; redemption and sale of delinquent lands; enabling legislation for the judiciary amendment in the event it is approved at the general election in 1940; and a plan for financing secondary road construction.

The new interim committee is composed of William M. LaFon, of Union, President of the Senate; James Paull, of Wellsburg, A. M. Martin, of Barboursville, J. A. Proctor, of Berkeley Springs, Fred C. Allen, of Marlinton, and A. L. Helmick, of Thomas, members of the Senate; and James K. Thomas, of Charleston, Speaker of the House of Delegates; John E. Amos, of Charleston, J. C. Hansbarger, of Kyle, Fred L. Shinn, of Clarksburg, Glenn Taylor, of Williamson, O. C. Flint, of Beckley, Everett F. Moore, of Moundsville, and Harvey D. Beeler, of Berkeley Springs, members of the House of Delegates. President LaFon and Speaker Thomas serve as co-chairmen of the committee.

The organization meeting of the committee was held on December 11, 1939, but none of the assigned topics were discussed at the meeting. The committee will receive suggestions from the public concerning provisions to be incorporated in proposed measures covering the topics assigned for consideration. The first meeting in 1940 will be held the middle of January, and it is understood that one of the first topics on the committee's agenda will be permanent registration of voters.

### Drouth and Forest Fires

Following a prolonged drouth, forest fires raged for several days in woodland areas of the state. The Conservation Commission reported a total of 1058 fires, covering 134,127 acres, with total damage amounting to \$670,635. The situation became so serious that, as a precaution against additional fires, the commission closed the hunting season in thirteen southern counties for several days.

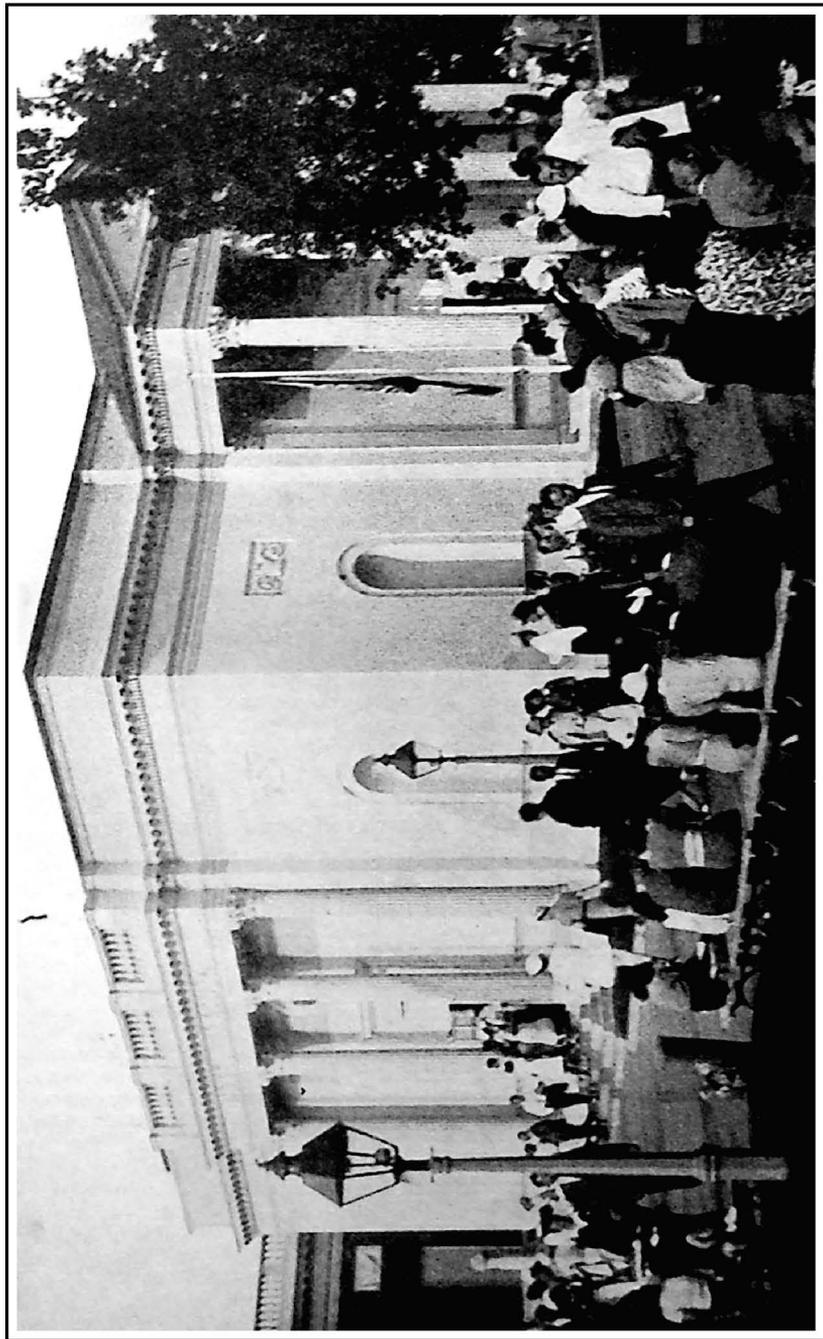
### New York World's Fair

The state participated in the New York World's Fair, and when the gates were closed in October, Dan Fleming, resident commissioner at the exhibit, reported that over 17,000 West Virginians had registered at the West Virginia building. It was estimated that at least 1,500,000 people visited the exhibit prior to the close of the Fair. Thousands of attractive road maps and pamphlets descriptive of the state's natural resources and scenic and historic points of interest were distributed to visitors from all sections of the United States. It is most probable that the state will maintain its exhibit during the second year of the Fair in 1940.

The World Fair Commission is composed of Governor Homer A. Holt, *ex-officio* chairman; J. B. McLaughlin, Commissioner of Agriculture; Emma K. Davis, of Clarksburg; C. W. Martin, of Charleston; William M. LaFon, of Union, President of the Senate; James K. Thomas, of Charleston, Speaker of the House of Delegates; Fred C. Allen, of Marlinton, Dan B. Fleming, of Saint Marys, and A. L. Helmick, of Thomas, members of the Senate; and Mike Casey, of Huntington, Fleming A. Jones, of Welch, and L. Reed Clark, of Wellsburg, members of the House of Delegates, the latter having been appointed by Speaker Thomas to succeed Kenneth S. Kurtz, deceased.

### WPA Headquarters Moved to Huntington

In August, 1939, it was announced that the state headquarters of the Work Projects Administration, formerly the Works Progress Administration, would be moved from Charleston to Huntington because of inadequate office space available in the former city. This represented the only major shift of headquarters of a government agency during the year, although it was announced late in December that the state offices of the HOLC would be combined with the regional offices at Cincinnati March 1, 1940.



West Virginia Building at New York World's Fair, Visited by a Million and a Half People in 1939

### PWA Projects Completed

Public building had its reflection during the year in the gradual stimulation of business and industry. Officials of the Public Works Administration estimated that by June 30, 1940, the state and its subdivisions would have completed PWA projects totaling approximately \$67,000,000. Some of these projects were initiated more than five years ago. A total of 149 projects has been approved for West Virginia by President Roosevelt, 127 of which have been completed.

Projects sponsored by the state government include the following: Construction and repair of highways, \$6,880,000; dormitory and building at New River State College, \$232,727; dormitory at Glenville State Teachers College, \$151,636; dormitories at Marshall College, Huntington, \$352,727; dormitory at the Romney School for the Deaf and Blind, \$292,183; dormitory and building improvements at West Virginia State College (colored), \$301,490; dormitories at Concord State Teachers College, Athens, approximately \$227,000; dormitories at West Virginia University, \$665,000; new unit at Pinecrest Sanitarium, Beckley, \$220,000; a clinic at Spencer State Hospital, \$136,363; new hospital at Denmar Sanitarium (colored), \$267,000; and a toll bridge at Parkersburg over the Little Kanawha river, \$536,303. Statistics on other state projects, including the medium security prison, were not available at the close of 1939 because final tabulations had not yet been made. In addition to the projects mentioned, there are numerous other construction jobs under way which are sponsored by local governments, including high schools, sewerage systems, waterworks, additions to county buildings, swimming pools, park improvements, and local hospital construction.

### Virginia Debt Paid

West Virginia's slate, so far as the Virginia debt is concerned, was wiped clean during the year. With the payment on June 15, 1939, of \$560,000, this 76-year old obligation to the Mother State was canceled in its entirety. During the 1939 session of the legislature, bonds held in escrow by the treasurer for payment of debt certificates outstanding prior to a Supreme Court decision in 1919 setting the amount of the Virginia debt at \$14,562,867.16 were publicly canceled in the chamber of the House of Delegates.

### New Medium Security Prison

The first unit of the new \$500,000 Medium Security Prison, at Huttonsville, Randolph county, will be completed and ready for occupancy February 1, 1940. This unit is being built to house 300 prisoners. Already over one hundred and fifty prisoners, for the most part first offenders and less hardened criminals, have been transferred to this new prison.

### Radio Chain for State Police

At the close of the year, a new four-station radio chain for the Department of Public Safety had been completed. Stations at Beckley, Charleston, Moundsville, and Shinnston were in operation, aiding state troopers in the apprehension of criminals. A fifth station at Romney will be placed in operation the middle of February.

### New Judges Named by President

On December 19th, President Roosevelt announced the appointment of Armistead Doble, former dean of the University of Virginia Law School, as Judge of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit to succeed Judge Elliott Northcott, of Huntington, retired. Early in January, 1940, the President sent to the Senate for confirmation the nomination of Attorney General Frank Murphy, of Michigan, for Associate Justice of the United States Supreme Court to succeed Justice Pierce Butler, deceased.

### Deaths, Resignations and Appointments

There were but few changes in personnel in the state government during 1939. W. A. Hannig, member of the House of Delegates from Ohio county, was appointed to succeed A. Spates Brady, as a member of the West Virginia Liquor Control Commission, and Frank W. Snyder was appointed Commissioner of Labor to succeed Clarence L. Jarrett, deceased. Dr. S. T. Bird, of Bluefield, was appointed by the Governor as a member of the Board of Education to succeed Bernard McLaugherty, who died during the month of April.

On July fifth, Governor Holt named Stanley E. Dadisman, of Belington, Acting Pardon Attorney, as Director of Probation and Parole. C. M. Stone, Warden of the Penitentiary, died October second, and Leo Collison, Deputy Warden, was appointed by the Governor as his successor. On December twenty-sixth, George Ward, who had served as Commissioner of Banking since 1934, resigned to accept appointment as Trust Officer of the Charleston National Bank, and H. P. Brightwell, of Charleston, Chief Bank Examiner, was appointed by Governor Holt as Acting Commissioner.

On December twenty-sixth, Governor Holt appointed Mrs. Jane Dice, of Lewisburg, widow of the late John C. Dice, as a member of the West Virginia Senate from the eleventh district to succeed W. N. Jasper, who died April 26, 1939. Mrs. Dice is the second woman ever to occupy a seat in the Senate, the other being Mrs. Hazel Edna Hyre, of Ripley, who was appointed by Governor Kump, March 12, 1934, as a member from the fourth district to succeed her husband, Kenna K. Hyre, who died March 7, 1934. Governor Holt also announced the appointment of Virginia Reay Kurtz, of Weston, as a member of the House of Delegates from Lewis county to succeed her husband, Kenneth S. Kurtz, who died July 10, 1939.

In the course of the year, death removed one of the state's most prominent and distinguished citizens. William E. Chilton, who served as a member of the United States Senate from West Virginia from 1911 to 1917, died in October after a brief illness. On the same day, E. Bunker Reynolds, of Keyser, who served with distinction in the West Virginia Senate from 1923 to 1937, was fatally stricken with a heart attack at his Charleston hotel.

Death also laid a heavy hand upon the corps of legislative press correspondents. James Clendenin, editor of the Huntington Herald-Dispatch, died during the 1939 session of the legislature, and Clyde East, veteran political writer for the Charleston Gazette, died late in the fall.

### Slight Decrease in Traffic Fatalities

A near perfect record of safety in operation for the state's school buses was marred October 11th, when a cracked axle on a McDowell county school bus was responsible for an accident that resulted in the death of six students and the driver of the bus. Officials of the State Department of Education ordered an immediate investigation. This investigation disclosed the fact that nearly 120,000 public school pupils are transported to and from school each school day, the 1100 school buses traversing routes totaling more than 50,000 miles daily.

At the year's end, traffic fatalities reported by the Department of Public Safety totaled 363 persons. This compares with 381 in 1938. Clarksburg had cause to be proud of its safety record. On January 2, 1940, the Harrison county metropolis celebrated its 31st consecutive month without a traffic fatality. Total automobile fatalities for the United States were estimated at 31,500 for the year 1939.

### Decennial Census in 1940

Census machinery was set up in West Virginia in December for the taking of the decennial census in 1940, which will provide "a new, accurate, and up-to-date balance sheet of our people, our industries, and our resources." Robert H. Mollahan, of Parkersburg, who had been appointed director for West Virginia, resigned early in December and was succeeded by W. F. Cann, of Washington, who resigned early in January and was succeeded by John L. Lennon, veteran

employee of the Bureau of the Census at Washington. Mrs. Julia Kerr, of Huntington, was named as assistant. The business and manufacturing census will begin in January and the regular population and farm census the first of April.

State headquarters were established at Parkersburg. The state was divided into seven districts, headquarters selected, and supervisors named as follows:

District No. 1, Fairmont (Hancock, Brooke, Ohio, Marshall, Wetzel, Marion, and Taylor counties); C. E. Knapp.

District No. 2, Elkins (Monongalia, Preston, Barbour, Tucker, Randolph, Webster, and Pocahontas); Warren C. Radcliffe.

District No. 3, Clarksburg (Ritchie, Doddridge, Harrison, Upshur, Lewis, Gilmer, Calhoun, Braxton, Clay, Nicholas, and Fayette); Stanley C. Butler.

District No. 4, Huntington (Tyler, Pleasants, Wood, Wirt, Roane, Jackson, Mason, Putnam, Cabell, Lincoln, and Wayne); Garland Harris.

District No. 5, Bluefield (Mingo, Wyoming, McDowell, Mercer, Summers, Monroe, and Greenbrier); Merriman S. Smith.

District No. 6, Charleston (Kanawha, Boone, Logan, and Raleigh); M. M. Maloney.

District No. 7, Martinsburg (Pendleton, Grant, Hardy, Mineral, Hampshire, Morgan, Berkeley, and Jefferson); Ralph E. Fisher.

### Postal Records Broken

Postal receipts at practically all of the larger post offices in West Virginia reached all-time highs during the month of December. Not only were actual postal receipts much higher during the Christmas rush than in 1938 and all preceding years, but in many instances all previous records for incoming and outgoing mail were broken. However, there was practically no delay in the handling of the mails, postmasters everywhere having sensed the situation far enough in advance to provide the necessary extra help.

### Prospects Bright at Close of Year

Many West Virginia communities enjoyed the best Christmas retail business in years, and state collections showed a corresponding improvement under the stimulus of expanding sales. In fact, improvement in business conditions since mid-summer have been such as to warrant the belief that early in 1940 the Board of Public Works will restore to state departments and institutions the 7½ per cent reserve fund directed held up at the beginning of the new fiscal year.

Where there had been gloom and despair at the beginning of the year, joy and optimism were found at the close. Business continued good and statisticians predicted that the increase in wholesale and retail trade which gained headway during the late fall and early winter months would carry far into the year 1940.

A multitude of new products were developed by scientists during the year from our coal and other minerals. From the great chemical plants in the Kanawha valley to the steel plants of the northern panhandle new methods merged during 1939 with new products to present a fascinating glimpse of what might be in store for future years.

Heartened by these developments and by the sure knowledge that the great resources of the state have barely been touched, the people of West Virginia might well look to a glorious future, for the best things in its history are undoubtedly yet to come.

# POSTAL

## POST OFFICES IN WEST VIRGINIA

First Class .....	13
Second Class .....	45
Third Class .....	150
Fourth Class .....	1,423
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>1,631</b>

## TOTAL GROSS POSTAL RECEIPTS, WEST VIRGINIA, 1928-1939

1928 .....	\$4,780,965.63	1934 .....	\$3,998,897.24
1929 .....	4,644,639.45	1935 .....	4,274,429.66
1930 .....	4,610,950.89	1936 .....	4,565,386.42
1931 .....	4,320,649.64	1937 .....	4,889,118.18
1932 .....	3,863,619.49	1938 .....	4,951,849.12
1933 .....	3,877,975.11	1939 .....	4,921,207.34

## FIRST, SECOND, AND THIRD CLASS POST OFFICES

July 1, 1939

The post masters at these offices are appointed by the President and confirmed by the Senate.

F, of fices having city delivery. G, offices located in Government buildings. V, offices having village delivery.

Post offices of the first and second classes are direct or central accounting. Post offices of the third and fourth classes are district offices.

Office	Class	Salary	Office	Class	Salary
Albright .....	3	\$ 1,300	Cairo .....	3	1,700
Alderson (G) .....	2	2,400	Cameron .....	2	2,400
Alloy .....	3	1,100	Caretta .....	3	1,500
Amherstdale .....	3	1,600	Cass .....	3	1,600
Anawalt .....	3	1,300	Cedar Grove .....	3	1,100
Ansted .....	3	1,900	Ceredo .....	3	1,800
Athens .....	3	1,900	Charleston (G, F) .....	1	6,000
Barboursville .....	3	1,900	Charles Town (G, F) .....	2	2,600
Barrackville .....	3	1,500	Chester (F) .....	2	2,400
Bartley .....	3	1,500	Clarksburg (G, F) .....	1	3,300
Beckley (G, F) .....	1	3,400	Clay .....	3	1,900
Belington .....	3	2,100	Clendenin .....	3	2,100
Belle .....	3	2,200	Coalwood .....	3	2,100
Bonwood (V) .....	3	1,600	Cowen .....	3	1,300
Berkeley Springs .....	2	2,400	Davis .....	3	2,100
Berwind .....	3	1,900	Davy .....	3	1,500
Bethany .....	3	2,000	Dunbar (F) .....	2	2,500
Beverly .....	3	1,300	Durbin .....	3	1,500
Bluefield (G, F) .....	1	3,700	East Beckley .....	3	1,100
Boomer .....	3	1,100	East Rainelle .....	3	1,900
Bradshaw .....	3	1,100	Eccles .....	3	1,200
Bramwell .....	3	1,600	Elbert .....	3	1,100
Branchland .....	3	1,400	Elizabeth .....	3	1,900
Bridgeport .....	3	1,900	Elkhorn .....	3	1,300
Buckhannon (G, F) .....	2	2,700	Elkins (G, F) .....	1	3,200
Buffalo .....	3	1,300	Fairmont (G, F) .....	1	3,700
Burnsville .....	3	1,500	Fairview .....	3	1,800
Cabin Creek .....	3	1,800	Farmington .....	3	1,800

<i>Office</i>	<i>Class</i>	<i>Salary</i>	<i>Office</i>	<i>Class</i>	<i>Salary</i>
Fayetteville	2	2,500	Paden City	3	2,300
Flemington	3	1,500	Parkersburg (G, F)	1	3,800
Follansbee (F)	2	2,400	Parsons	3	2,300
Fort Gay	3	1,300	Paw Paw	3	1,700
Franklin	3	2,000	Peach Creek	3	1,500
Freeman	3	1,100	Pennsboro	3	2,200
Gary	3	2,000	Petersburg (V)	3	2,300
Gassaway	3	2,100	Peterstown	3	1,100
Gauley Bridge	3	1,800	Philippi (V)	2	2,600
Glen Dale	3	1,500	Pickens	3	1,500
Glen Rogers	3	1,600	Piedmont (F)	3	2,300
Glenville	3	2,300	Pine Grove	3	1,700
Gorman	3	1,300	Pineville	3	1,900
Grafton (G, F)	2	2,900	Point Pleasant (G, F)	2	2,500
Grantsville	3	2,100	Powellton	3	1,400
Grant Town	3	1,700	Power	3	1,600
Hamlin	3	2,000	Princeton (G, F)	2	2,800
Harpers Ferry	3	1,900	Quinwood	3	1,500
Harrisville	3	2,200	Rainelle	3	2,100
Hedgesville	3	1,100	Raleigh	3	1,100
Hemphill	3	1,300	Ranson	3	1,100
Hinton (G, F)	2	2,800	Ravenswood	3	2,100
Holden	3	2,300	Red Jacket	3	1,400
Holidays Cove (G, F)	2	2,600	Reedsville	3	1,400
Hopemont	3	1,900	Reedy	3	1,100
Hundred	3	1,900	Renick	3	1,300
Huntington (G, F)	1	4,200	Richwood (G, F)	2	2,400
Hurricane	3	1,800	Ridgeley	3	1,700
Iaeger	3	2,000	Ripley	3	2,300
Institute	3	1,900	Rivesville	3	1,700
Jane Lew	3	1,600	Romney	2	2,400
Jenkin Jones	3	1,300	Ronceverte (V)	2	2,500
Kayford	3	1,200	Rowlesburg	3	1,900
Kenova (F)	2	2,400	Rupert	3	1,200
Kermit	3	1,500	Saint Albans (G, F)	2	2,500
Keyser (G, F)	2	2,800	Saint Marys (G, F)	2	2,500
Keystone	2	2,400	Salem (F)	2	2,400
Kimball	3	2,300	Scarbro	3	1,400
Kingston	3	1,300	Sharples	3	1,400
Kingwood (V)	2	2,400	Shepherdstown	3	2,100
Leon	3	1,100	Shinnston (F)	2	2,400
Lewisburg	3	2,700	Sistersville (G, F)	2	2,600
Littleton	3	1,400	Smithfield	3	1,300
Logan (G, F)	2	3,000	Spencer (G, F)	2	2,700
Lorado	3	1,700	Spring Hill	3	1,200
Lost Creek	3	1,500	Summersville	3	2,100
Lumberport	3	1,900	Sutton	3	2,300
McComas	3	1,600	Terra Alta (V)	3	2,300
McMechen (V)	3	2,000	Thomas	3	2,000
Mabscott	3	2,000	Thurmond	3	1,100
Madison	3	2,400	Triadelphia	3	1,300
Man	3	1,400	Tunnelton	3	1,900
Mannington (F)	2	2,500	Union	3	2,000
Marlington (G, V)	2	2,500	Wallace	3	1,300
Martinsburg (G, F)	1	3,500	Walton	3	1,300
Mason town	3	1,600	War	3	2,000
Matewan	3	1,800	Ward	3	1,100
Matoaka	3	2,000	Wardensville	3	1,100
Middlebourne	3	2,100	Wayne	3	1,900
Mill Creek	3	1,500	Webster Springs	3	2,300
Milton	3	2,100	Weirton (G, F)	2	2,800
Minden	3	1,300	Welch (G, F)	2	3,000
Montgomery (G, F)	2	2,800	Wellsburg (G, F)	2	2,800
Moorefield	3	2,200	West Liberty	3	1,200
Morgantown (G, F)	1	3,600	Weston (G, F)	2	2,900
Moundsville (G, F)	1	3,200	West Union (V)	2	2,400
Mount Hope	2	2,500	Wheeling (G, F)	1	4,500
Mullens	2	2,400	White Sulphur Springs	2	2,600
Newburg	3	1,500	Whitesville	3	1,600
New Cumberland	3	2,100	Widen	3	1,800
Newell	2	2,500	Williamstown (G, F)	1	3,200
New Martinsville (G, F)	2	2,700	Williamstown (V)	3	2,000
Nitro	3	2,200	Winfield	3	1,500
Northfork	2	2,400	Winona	3	1,500
Nutter Fort	3	1,900	Worthington	3	1,100
Oak Hill (G)	2	2,500	Yawkey	3	1,300
Omar	3	1,800			

**AIR MAIL SERVICE IN WEST VIRGINIA**

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**AMERICAN AIRLINES**

Charleston

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Barboursville  
Charleston  
Clarksburg  
Dunbar  
Fairmont  
Glenville  
Grafton

Grantsville  
Huntington  
Hurricane  
Milton  
Morgantown  
Nitro

Parkersburg  
Philippi  
Point Pleasant  
Saint Marys  
Spencer  
Weston  
West Union

**POST OFFICES IN WEST VIRGINIA**

(Corrected to January 1, 1940)

**A**

Abbott ..... Upshur  
Abney ..... Raleigh  
Abraham ..... Raleigh  
Accoville ..... Logan  
Acme ..... Kanawha  
Acup ..... Kanawha  
Ada ..... Mercer  
Adolph ..... Randolph  
Adrian ..... Upshur  
Advent ..... Jackson  
Affinity ..... Raleigh  
Albert ..... Tucker  
Albright ..... Preston  
Alderson ..... Monroe  
Alexander ..... Upshur  
Alkoma ..... McDowell  
Alkol ..... Lincoln  
Allen ..... Lincoln  
Allen Junction ..... Wyoming  
Alloy ..... Fayette  
Alma ..... Tyler  
Alpena ..... Randolph  
Alpoca ..... Wyoming  
Altizer ..... Calhoun  
Alton ..... Upshur  
Alum Bridge ..... Lewis  
Alum Creek ..... Kanawha  
Alvon ..... Greenbrier  
Alvy ..... Tyler  
Amboy ..... Preston  
Ameagle ..... Raleigh  
Amherstdale ..... Logan  
Amigo ..... Raleigh  
Amm ..... Roane  
Anawalt ..... McDowell  
Anjean ..... Greenbrier  
Ann Moore ..... Harrison  
Annamoriah ..... Calhoun  
Ansted ..... Fayette  
Anthony ..... Greenbrier

Antioch ..... Mineral  
Apple Farm ..... Calhoun  
Apple Grove ..... Mason  
Arbovale ..... Pocahontas  
Arbuckle ..... Mason  
Arcola ..... Webster  
Arden ..... Barbour  
Arista ..... Mercer  
Arlee ..... Mason  
Arlington ..... Upshur  
Arnett ..... Raleigh  
Arnoldsburg ..... Calhoun  
Arthur ..... Grant  
Arthurdale ..... Preston  
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  
Batsden ..... Mingo  
Baker ..... Hardy  
Bakerton ..... Jefferson  
Bald Knob ..... Boone  
Baldwin ..... Gilmer  
Ballard ..... Monroe  
Ballengee ..... Summers



Carl ..... Nicholas  
 Carlisle ..... Fayette  
 Carolina ..... Marion  
 Cascade ..... Preston  
 Cashmere ..... Monroe  
 Cass ..... Pocahontas  
 Cassie ..... Wayne  
 Cassity ..... Randolph  
 Cassville ..... Monongalia  
 Catawba ..... Marion  
 Cave ..... Pendleton  
 Cedar Grove ..... Kanawha  
 Cedarville ..... Gilmer  
 Center Point ..... Doddridge  
 Centralia ..... Braxton  
 Central Station ..... Doddridge  
 Century ..... Barbour  
 Ceredo ..... Wayne  
 Chapel ..... Braxton  
 Chapmanville ..... Logan  
 Charleston ..... Kanawha  
 Ind. Branch: South Charleston  
 Owens  
 Stations A and B.  
 Charles Town ..... Jefferson  
 Charmco ..... Greenbrier  
 Chattaroy ..... Mingo  
 Chauncey ..... Logan  
 Cheat Bridge ..... Randolph  
 Chelyan ..... Kanawha  
 Cherry Grove ..... Pendleton  
 Cherry Run ..... Morgan  
 Chesapeake ..... Kanawha  
 Chester ..... Hancock  
 Chloe ..... Calhoun  
 Christian ..... Logan  
 Cicerone ..... Roane  
 Cinco ..... Kanawha  
 Cinderella ..... Mingo  
 Circleville ..... Pendleton  
 Claremont ..... Fayette  
 Clarksburg ..... Harrison  
 Branch: Park  
 Stations: A, B and C.  
 Clay ..... Clay  
 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  
 Clo ..... 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  
 Cold Stream ..... Hampshire  
 Coldwater ..... Doddridge  
 Colfax ..... Marion  
 Collie rs ..... Brooke  
 Comfort ..... Boone  
 Concho ..... Fayette  
 Cool Ridge ..... Raleigh  
 Coopers ..... Mercer

Copen ..... Braxton  
 Cordova ..... Greenbrier  
 Core ..... Monongalia  
 Corinne ..... Wyoming  
 Corinth ..... Preston  
 Corley ..... Braxton  
 Corliss ..... Fayette  
 Cornstalk ..... Greenbrier  
 Cornwallis ..... Ritchie  
 Corton ..... Kanawha  
 Costa ..... Boone  
 Cottageville ..... Jackson  
 Countsville ..... Roane  
 Cove Gap ..... Wayne  
 Covell ..... Wyoming  
 Cowen ..... Webster  
 Coxs Mills ..... Gilmer  
 Crab Orchard ..... Raleigh  
 Crag ..... Greenbrier  
 Craigsville ..... Nicholas  
 Cranberry ..... Raleigh  
 Crawford ..... Lewis  
 Crawley ..... Greenbrier  
 Creamery ..... Monroe  
 Cremon ..... Calhoun  
 Creston ..... Wirt  
 Crichton ..... Greenbrier  
 Crickmer ..... Fayette  
 Crites ..... Logan  
 Crow ..... Raleigh  
 Crow Summit ..... Jackson  
 Crown ..... Logan  
 Crown Hill ..... Kanawha  
 Crum ..... Wayne  
 Crumpler ..... McDowell  
 Crumps Bottom ..... Summers  
 Crystal ..... Mercer  
 Cucumber ..... McDowell  
 Culloden ..... Cabell  
 Cunard ..... Fayette  
 Curry ..... Logan  
 Cutlips ..... Braxton  
 Cuzzart ..... Preston  
 Cuzzie ..... Lincoln  
 Cyclone ..... Wyoming  
 Czar ..... Randolph

D

Dahmer ..... Pendleton  
 Dale ..... Tyler  
 Dallas ..... Marshall  
 Danese ..... Fayette  
 Daniels ..... Raleigh  
 Danville ..... Boone  
 Darke ..... Jefferson  
 Davin ..... Logan  
 Davis ..... Tucker  
 Davisville ..... Wood  
 Davy ..... McDowell  
 Dawes ..... Kanawha  
 Dawson ..... Harrison  
 Dawson ..... Greenbrier  
 Dean ..... Wetzel  
 Decota ..... Kanawha  
 Deep Water ..... Fayette  
 Deer Run ..... Pendleton  
 Dehue ..... Logan  
 Dekalb ..... Gilmer  
 Delano ..... Wayne  
 Delbarton ..... Mingo  
 Dellslow ..... Monongalia  
 Delray ..... Hampshire  
 Denmar ..... Pocahontas  
 Diamond ..... Kanawha  
 Diana ..... Webster  
 Dille ..... Clay  
 Dingess ..... Mingo  
 Dingy ..... Braxton  
 Dink ..... Clay  
 Dixie ..... Nicholas

Dola	Harrison
Donohue	Ritchie
Dorcas	Grant
Dorothy	Raleigh
Dorr	Monroe
Dothan	Fayette
Dott	Mercer
Douglas	Calhoun
Drennen	Nicholas
Drybranch	Kanawha
Dry Creek	Raleigh
Dryfork	Randolph
Duck	Clay
Duify	Lewis
Duhring	Mercer
Dunbar	Kanawha
Duncan	Jackson
Dundon	Clay
Dunlow	Wayne
Dunmore	Pocahontas
Dunns	Mercer
Duo	Greenbrier
Durbin	Pocahontas
Dutch	Braxton

## E

Eagle	Fayette
Earling	Logan
East Bank	Kanawha
East Beckley	Raleigh
Eastgulf	Raleigh
East Lynn	Wayne
East Rainelle	Greenbrier
Eatons	Wood
Eccles	Raleigh
Eckman	McDowell
Edgerton	Mingo
Edmond	Fayette
Edwight	Raleigh
Egeria	Raleigh
Eglon	Preston
Elana	Roane
Elbert	McDowell
Eleanor	Putnam
Elgood	Mercer
Elizabeth	Wirt
Elk Garden	Mineral
Elkhorn	McDowell
Elkhurst	Clay
Elkins	Randolph
Elkridge	Fayette
Elkview	Kanawha
Elkwater	Randolph
Ellamore	Randolph
Ellenboro	Ritchie
Elliott	Fayette
Ellison	Summers
Elm Grove	(Sta. Wheeling)
Elmira	Braxton
Elmwood	Mason
Elton	Summers
Elverton	Fayette
Emmett	Logan
Emmons	Kanawha
Emoryville	Mineral
Endicott	Wetzel
Engle	Jefferson
English	McDowell
Enoch	Clay
Enon	Nicholas
Enterprise	Harrison
Epperly	Raleigh
Erbacon	Webster
Erwin	Preston
Eskdale	Kanawha
Esty	Greenbrier
Ethel	Logan
Euclid	Calhoun
Eunice	Raleigh
Eureka	Pleasants

Eva	Ritchie
Evans	Jackson
Everettville	Monongalia
Excelsior	McDowell
Exchange	Braxton

## F

Fabius	Hardy
Fairdale	Raleigh
Fairmont	Marion
Ind. Branch: Monongah.	
Station: East Side.	
Fairplain	Jackson
Fairview	Marion
Falling Rock	Kanawha
Falling Waters	Berkeley
Fallsmill	Braxton
Fame	Pendleton
Fanrock	Wyoming
Farmington	Marion
Fayette	Fayette
Fayetteville	Fayette
Fenwick	Nicholas
Ferguson	Wayne
Ferrellsburg	Lincoln
Filbert	McDowell
Fireco	Raleigh
Fire Creek	Fayette
Fisher	Hardy
Five Forks	Calhoun
Flats	Hardy
Flat Top	Mercer
Flat Woods	Braxton
Flemington	Taylor
Fletcher	Jackson
Floe	Clay
Flower	Braxton
Fola	Clay
Follansbee	Brooke
Folsom	Wetzel
Fonzo	Ritchie
Forest Hill	Summers
Forman	Grant
Fort Ashby	Mineral
Fort Gay	Wayne
Fort Neal	Wood
(Br. Parkersburg).	
Fort Run	Hardy
Fort Seybert	Pendleton
Fort Spring	Greenbrier
Foster	Boone
Four States	Marion
Fowler Knob	Nicholas
Frame	Kanawha
Frametown	Braxton
Frank	Pocahontas
Frankford	Greenbrier
Franklin	Pendleton
Fraziers Bottom	Putnam
Freed	Calhoun
Freeman	Mercer
Freemansburg	Lewis
French Creek	Upshur
Frenchton	Upshur
Friars Hill	Greenbrier
Friendly	Tyler
Frost	Pocahontas
Frozen	Calhoun

## G

Gad	Nicholas
Gaines	Upshur
Gallagher	Kanawha
Gallipolis Ferry	Mason
Galloway	Barbour
Gamoca	Fayette
Gandeeville	Fayette
Ganotown	Berkeley
Gap Mills	Monroe



Huntington .....	Cabell
Ind. Stations:	
Guyandotte.	
West Huntington.	
Stations:	
Eighth Avenue.	
1, 3 and 5.	
Hur .....	Calhoun
Hurricane .....	Putnam
Hurst .....	Lewis
Huttonsville .....	Randolph
Hyer .....	Braxton

## I

Iaeger .....	McDowell
Idamay .....	Marion
Imperial .....	Upshur
Independence .....	Preston
Index .....	Gilmer
Indian Mills .....	Summers
Industrial .....	Harrison
Industry .....	Calhoun
Ingleside .....	Mercer
Ingo .....	Lewis
Ingram Branch .....	Fayette
Inkerman .....	Hardy
Institute .....	Kanawha
Intermont .....	Hampshire
Inwood .....	Berkeley
Ira .....	Clay
Ireland .....	Lewis
Isaban .....	McDowell
Ivannah .....	Wyoming
Ivanhoe .....	Upshur
Ivydale .....	Clay

## J

Jacksonburg .....	Wetzel
Jacox .....	Pocahontas
Jane Lew .....	Lewis
Jeffrey .....	Boone
Jenkinjones .....	McDowell
Jenky .....	Fayette
Jere .....	Monongalia
Jerryville .....	Webster
Jesse .....	Wyoming
Jetsville .....	Nicholas
Job .....	Randolph
Jochin .....	Kanawha
Jotlie .....	Fayette
Joker .....	Calhoun
Jolo .....	McDowell
Jonben .....	Raleigh
Jones Springs .....	Berkeley
Jordan .....	Marion
Jordan Run .....	Grant
Josephs Mills .....	Tyler
Judson .....	Summers
Julian .....	Boone
Jumping Branch .....	Summers
Junction .....	Hampshire
Junior .....	Barbour
Justice .....	Mingo

## K

Kanawha Falls .....	Fayette
Kanawha Head .....	Upshur
Kasson .....	Barbour
Kathryn .....	Fayette
Kayford .....	Kanawha
Kaylong .....	Mason
Kay Moor .....	Fayette
Kearneysville .....	Jefferson
Keenan .....	Monroe
Kegley .....	Mercer
Keith .....	Boone
Kellysville .....	Mercer

Kempton .....	Preston
Kenna .....	Jackson
Kenova .....	Wayne
Kentuck .....	Jackson
Kerens .....	Randolph
Kermit .....	Mingo
Kesslers Cross Lanes .....	Nicholas
Kessel .....	Hardy
Kessler .....	Greenbrier
Kester .....	Roane
Kettle .....	Roane
Key .....	Pendleton
Keyrock .....	Wyoming
Keyser .....	Mineral
Keystone .....	McDowell
Kiahsville .....	Wayne
Kieffer .....	Greenbrier
Killarney .....	Raleigh
Kilsyth .....	Fayette
Kimball .....	McDowell
Kimberly .....	Fayette
Kincaid .....	Fayette
Kincheloe .....	Harrison
Kingmont .....	Marion
Kingston .....	Fayette
Kingwood .....	Preston
Kirby .....	Hampshire
Kirk .....	Mingo
Kistler .....	Logan
Kleenkoal .....	Logan
Kline .....	Pendleton
Knapp .....	Braxton
Knob Fork .....	Wetzel
Kodol .....	Wetzel
Kopperston .....	Wyoming
Kyger .....	Roane
Kyle .....	McDowell

## L

La Frank .....	Nicholas
Lahmansville .....	Grant
Laing .....	Kanawha
Lake .....	Logan
Lakin .....	Mason
Lamar .....	Mercer
Lanark .....	Raleigh
Landes .....	Grant
Landgraff .....	McDowell
Landsburg .....	Fayette
Landville .....	Logan
Lanham .....	Putnam
Lansing .....	Fayette
Lantz .....	Barbour
Larew .....	Preston
Largent .....	Morgan
Laurel Creek .....	Fayette
Laurel Dale .....	Mineral
Lavalette .....	Wayne
Lawford .....	Ritchie
Lawn .....	Greenbrier
Lawton .....	Fayette
Layland .....	Fayette
Lead Mine .....	Tucker
Leckie .....	McDowell
Leet .....	Lincoln
Leevale .....	Raleigh
Leewood .....	Kanawha
Left Hand .....	Roane
Legg .....	Kanawha
Lego .....	Raleigh
Lehew .....	Hampshire
Leivasy .....	Nicholas
Lenore .....	Mingo
Leon .....	Mason
Leonard .....	Greenbrier
Leopold .....	Doddridge
Lerona .....	Mercer
Le Roy .....	Jackson
Lesage .....	Cabell
Leslie .....	Greenbrier

Lester \_\_\_\_\_ Raleigh  
 Letart \_\_\_\_\_ Mason  
 Leatherbark \_\_\_\_\_ Calhoun  
 Letter Gap \_\_\_\_\_ Gilmer  
 Levels \_\_\_\_\_ Hampshire  
 Levi \_\_\_\_\_ Braxton  
 Lewisburg \_\_\_\_\_ Greenbrier  
 Lex \_\_\_\_\_ McDowell  
 Liberty \_\_\_\_\_ Putnam  
 Lick Creek \_\_\_\_\_ Summers  
 Lilly \_\_\_\_\_ Summers  
 Lillybrook \_\_\_\_\_ Raleigh  
 Lima \_\_\_\_\_ Tyler  
 Linden \_\_\_\_\_ Roane  
 Lindside \_\_\_\_\_ Monroe  
 Link \_\_\_\_\_ Tyler  
 Linn \_\_\_\_\_ Gilmer  
 Little Birch \_\_\_\_\_ Braxton  
 Little Falls \_\_\_\_\_ Monongalia  
 Little Otter \_\_\_\_\_ Braxton  
 Littleton \_\_\_\_\_ Wetzel  
 Litwar \_\_\_\_\_ McDowell  
 Liverpool \_\_\_\_\_ Jackson  
 Lizemores \_\_\_\_\_ Clay  
 Lobata \_\_\_\_\_ Mingo  
 Lobella \_\_\_\_\_ Pocahontas  
 Lochgelly \_\_\_\_\_ Fayette  
 Lockridge \_\_\_\_\_ Summers  
 Lockney \_\_\_\_\_ Gilmer  
 Lockwood \_\_\_\_\_ Nicholas  
 Logan \_\_\_\_\_ Logan  
 London \_\_\_\_\_ Kanawha  
 Lone Cedar \_\_\_\_\_ Jackson  
 Long \_\_\_\_\_ Randolph  
 Longacre \_\_\_\_\_ Fayette  
 Long Branch \_\_\_\_\_ Fayette  
 Long Run \_\_\_\_\_ Doddridge  
 Lookout \_\_\_\_\_ Fayette  
 Loom \_\_\_\_\_ Hampshire  
 Looneyville \_\_\_\_\_ Roane  
 Lorado \_\_\_\_\_ Logan  
 Lorentz \_\_\_\_\_ Upshur  
 Losie \_\_\_\_\_ Calhoun  
 Lost City \_\_\_\_\_ Hardy  
 Lost Creek \_\_\_\_\_ Harrison  
 Lost River \_\_\_\_\_ Hardy  
 Lovern \_\_\_\_\_ Mercer  
 Lowell \_\_\_\_\_ Summers  
 Lowgap \_\_\_\_\_ Boone  
 Lumberport \_\_\_\_\_ Harrison  
 Lundale \_\_\_\_\_ Logan  
 Lyburn \_\_\_\_\_ Logan

M

McAlpin \_\_\_\_\_ Raleigh  
 McCauley \_\_\_\_\_ Hardy  
 McComas \_\_\_\_\_ Mercer  
 McConnell \_\_\_\_\_ Logan  
 McCorkle \_\_\_\_\_ Lincoln  
 McCreery \_\_\_\_\_ Raleigh  
 McDowell \_\_\_\_\_ McDowell  
 McKeefrey \_\_\_\_\_ Marshall  
 McKendree \_\_\_\_\_ Fayette  
 McMechen \_\_\_\_\_ Marshall  
 McNeill \_\_\_\_\_ Hardy  
 McWhorter \_\_\_\_\_ Harrison  
 Maben \_\_\_\_\_ Wyoming  
 Mable \_\_\_\_\_ Randolph  
 Mabscott \_\_\_\_\_ Raleigh  
 MacBeth \_\_\_\_\_ Logan  
 MacDunn \_\_\_\_\_ Fayette  
 Maco \_\_\_\_\_ Pocahontas  
 Macfarlan \_\_\_\_\_ Ritchie  
 Macksville \_\_\_\_\_ Pendleton  
 Madison \_\_\_\_\_ Boone  
 Magnolia \_\_\_\_\_ Morgan  
 Mahan \_\_\_\_\_ Fayette  
 Mahone \_\_\_\_\_ Ritchie  
 Madsville \_\_\_\_\_ Monongalia  
 Maitland \_\_\_\_\_ McDowell

Malden \_\_\_\_\_ Kanawha  
 Mallory \_\_\_\_\_ Logan  
 Mammoth \_\_\_\_\_ Kanawha  
 Man \_\_\_\_\_ gan  
 Mandeville \_\_\_\_\_ Summers  
 Manheim \_\_\_\_\_ Preston  
 Manila \_\_\_\_\_ Boone  
 Mannington \_\_\_\_\_ Marion  
 Maplewood \_\_\_\_\_ Fayette  
 Marcus \_\_\_\_\_ Webster  
 Marfork \_\_\_\_\_ Raleigh  
 Marfrance \_\_\_\_\_ Greenbrier  
 Marie \_\_\_\_\_ Summers  
 Marlinton \_\_\_\_\_ Pocahontas  
 Marmet \_\_\_\_\_ Kanawha  
 Martin \_\_\_\_\_ Grant  
 Marting \_\_\_\_\_ Fayette  
 Martinsburg \_\_\_\_\_ Berkeley  
 Stations 1 and 2.  
 Marytown \_\_\_\_\_ McDowell  
 Mason \_\_\_\_\_ Mason  
 Masontown \_\_\_\_\_ Preston  
 Masonville \_\_\_\_\_ Grant  
 Matewan \_\_\_\_\_ Mingo  
 Mathias \_\_\_\_\_ Hardy  
 Matoaka \_\_\_\_\_ Mercer  
 Maud \_\_\_\_\_ Wetzel  
 Mavis \_\_\_\_\_ Braxton  
 Maxwell \_\_\_\_\_ Pleasants  
 Maxwellton \_\_\_\_\_ Greenbrier  
 Maybeury \_\_\_\_\_ McDowell  
 Maynor \_\_\_\_\_ Raleigh  
 Maysel \_\_\_\_\_ Clay  
 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  
 Meriden \_\_\_\_\_ Barbour  
 Merrimac \_\_\_\_\_ Mingo  
 Metz \_\_\_\_\_ Marion  
 Miami \_\_\_\_\_ Kanawha  
 Middlebourne \_\_\_\_\_ Tyler  
 Midkiff \_\_\_\_\_ Lincoln  
 Milam \_\_\_\_\_ Hardy  
 Milburn \_\_\_\_\_ Fayette  
 Miletus \_\_\_\_\_ Doddridge  
 Millbrook \_\_\_\_\_ Hampshire  
 Mill Creek \_\_\_\_\_ Randolph  
 Mill Point \_\_\_\_\_ Pocahontas  
 Millstone \_\_\_\_\_ Calhoun  
 Millville \_\_\_\_\_ Jefferson  
 Millwood \_\_\_\_\_ Jackson  
 Milo \_\_\_\_\_ Calhoun  
 Milton \_\_\_\_\_ Cabell  
 Minden \_\_\_\_\_ Fayette  
 Mineralwells \_\_\_\_\_ Wood  
 Mingo \_\_\_\_\_ Randolph  
 Minnehaha Springs \_\_\_\_\_ Pocahontas  
 Minnora \_\_\_\_\_ Calhoun  
 Missouri Branch \_\_\_\_\_ Wayne  
 Moatsville \_\_\_\_\_ Barbour  
 Mohawk \_\_\_\_\_ McDowell  
 Mohegan \_\_\_\_\_ McDowell  
 Mole Hill \_\_\_\_\_ Ritchie  
 Mollie \_\_\_\_\_ Clay  
 Mona \_\_\_\_\_ Monongalia  
 Monaville \_\_\_\_\_ Logan  
 Monclo \_\_\_\_\_ Logan  
 Monongah \_\_\_\_\_ Marlon  
 (Ind. Br. Fairmont).  
 Montana Mines \_\_\_\_\_ Marion  
 Montcalm \_\_\_\_\_ Mercer  
 Montcoal \_\_\_\_\_ Raleigh  
 Montereyville \_\_\_\_\_ Randolph

Montgomery	Fayette
Montrose	Randolph
Moore	Tucker
Moorefield	Hardy
Mooresville	Monongalia
Morgansville	Doddridge
Morgantown	Monongalia
Morris	Nicholas
Morrisvale	Boone
Moss	Gilmer
Moundsville	Marshall
Mount Alto	Jackson
Mount Carbon	Fayette
Mount Clare	Harrison
Mount Gay	Logan
Mount Hope	Fayette
Mount Lookout	Nicholas
Mount Nebo	Nicholas
Mount Storm	Grant
Mountview	Summers
Mount Zion	Calhoun
Mouth of Seneca	Pendleton
Moyers	Pendleton
Mozer	Pendleton
Mud	Lincoln
Mudfork	Calhoun
Mullens	Wyoming
Munday	Wirt
Munition	Raleigh
Murraysville	Jackson
Myra	Lincoln

## N

Nallen	Fayette
Naoma	Raleigh
Napier	Braxton
Nat	Mason
Naugatuck	Mingo
Neals Run	Hampshire
Nebo	Clay
Needmore	Hardy
Nellis	Boone
Nemours	Mercer
Neola	Greenbrier
Neponset	Summers
Nestorville	Barbour
Nettle	Nicholas
New	Raleigh
Newark	Wirt
Newberne	Gilmer
Newburg	Preston
Newcreek	Mineral
New Cumberland	Hancock
Newell	Hancock
New England	Wood
Newhall	McDowell
New Haven	Mason
New Martinsville	Wetzel
New Milton	Doddridge
New Richmond	Wyoming
Newton	Roane
Newtown	Mingo
Newville	Braxton
Nicut	Calhoun
Nitro	Kanawha
Nobe	Calhoun
Nolan	Mingo
Normantown	Gilmer
North Charleston	Kanawha
Northfork	McDowell
North Matewan	Mingo
North Mountain	Berkeley
Northriver Mills	Hampshire
North Spring	Wyoming
Norton	Randolph
Norvell	Raleigh
Notomine	Kanawha
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
Okeeffa	Mingo
Okonoko	Hampshire
Olcott	Kanawha
Old Fields	Hardy
Omar	Logan
Omps	Morgan
Oma	Cabell
Onego	Pendleton
Opekiska	Monongalia
Orchard	Monroe
Organ Cave	Greenbrier
Orgas	Boone
Orlando	Lewis
Orleans Cross Roads	Morgan
Orma	Calhoun
Orton	Gilmer
Osage	Monongalia
Oswald	Raleigh
Otsego	Wyoming
Ottawa	Boone
Otto	Roane
Ovapa	Clay
Owens	Kanawha
(Ind. Br. Charleston)	
Owings	Harrison
Oxford	Doddridge

## P

Packsville	Raleigh
Pad	Roane
Paden City	Wetzel
Page	Fayette
Pageton	McDowell
Palermo	Lincoln
Palestine	Wirt
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Penman	Raleigh
Pennsboro	Ritchie
Pentress	Monongalia
Perkins	Gilmer
Perry	Hardy
Persinger	Nicholas
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Sago	Upshur
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Saint Clara	Doddridge
Saint George	Tucker
Saint Marys	Pleasants
Salem	Harrison
Saltpetre	Wayne
Salt Rock	Cabell
Salt Sulphur Springs	Monroe
Sanderson	Kanawha
Sand Fork	Gilmer
Sand Ridge	Calhoun
Sand Run	Upshur
Sandstone	Summers
Sandyville	Jackson
Sanger	Fayette
Sanoma	Wirt
Sarah Ann	Logan
Sarton	Monroe
Saulsville	Wyoming
Saxon	Raleigh
Scarbro	Fayette
Scherr	Grant
Scott	Braxton
Scott Depot	Putnam
Secondcreek	Monroe
Seebert	Pocahontas
Selbyville	Upshur
Servia	Braxton
Seth	Boone
Sewell	Fayette
Shady Springs	Raleigh
Shanks	Hampshire
Sharon	Kanawha
Sharples	Logan
Shaw	Mineral
Shenandoah Junction	Jefferson
Shepherdstown	Jefferson
Sheridan	Lincoln
Sherman	Jackson
Sherrard	Marshall
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Surosa	Mingo
Surveyor	Raleigh
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Terry	Raleigh
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 Verner ..... Logan  
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 Vicars ..... Roane  
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 Whirlwind ..... Logan  
 Whitby ..... Raleigh  
 White Pine ..... Calhoun  
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Withers .....	Gilmer		
Wolfcreek .....	Monroe		
Wolfe .....	Merriam		
Wolf Pen .....	Wyoming		
Wolf Summit .....	Harrison	Yates ..	abell
Woodbine .....	Nicholas	Yawkey ..	Lincoln
Woodlands .....	Marshall	Yellow Springs ..	Hampshire
Woodruff .....	Marshall	Yolyn ..	Logan
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