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The 43rd Annual American Legion Mountaineer Boys' State was officially underway yesterday afternoon at 1:00 p.m. when the Boys' State Administrator, TOMMY E. JONES, began registering the 378 citizens from throughout West Virginia. Mr. Jones has served Mountaineer Boys' State for the past 35 years and is presently the Department Adjutant of The American Legion, Department of West Virginia. He is a Past Department Commander and has served as Department Adjutant since 1951.

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Boys' Staters met the incumbent Governor of Mountaineer Boys' State, Joseph Caro from Huntington. Governor Caro graduated this month from Huntington High School and resided in Panhandle County last year while attending Boys' State. He was a member of the Federalist Party. Governor Caro will preside over all functions until the 1980 Governor is inaugurated on Wednesday afternoon.

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Opening day speakers were The Honorable Richard Neely, Chief Justice of the West Virginia Supreme Court of Appeals; Department Commander George J. Zanos, Sr., The American Legion, Department of West Virginia; and The Honorable Donald R. Wilson. Justice Neely spoke in the Dining Hall following the evening meal and Mr. Wilson and Commander Zanos addressed the opening assembly last night.

(Biographical data on Page 3 & 4)

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Nationalist and Federalist political parties of Boys' State organized late Sunday evening in preparation for today's primary election. New State Chairmen are Mark Wallman, Panhandle as Federalist Chairman and the Nationalist Chairman, Phil Scott, Calhoun.

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Political advisors for the Federalist Party are Charles Howard, C. B. Trent, Jr., Charles Forsythe, James St. Clair, Nick Arvon, William Whisman.

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Political advisors for the Nationalist Party are Daniel Staggers, Samuel D. Kessel, John Giles, Ralph Brown, and David Merchant.

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Candidates for State offices will file at GHQ (HARRISON Cottage) today from 8 - 12 NOON.

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All candidates for County offices should file with your Cottage Counselor.

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Anyone needing to contact DR. DOMBROSKY after lights out may find him at No. 8 Monongalia Cottage. Mr. Jones may be contacted at Jackson's Lodge, Room 209 after midnight.

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DAILY SCHEDULE

DAILY THROUGH THE WEEK

6:30 Reveille and Clean Quarters
 7:20 Flag Raising
 7:25 Breakfast

MONDAY

MORNING

8:00 File for State Offices at GHQ - Harrison County
 File for County Offices with County Counselor

GROUP ARRANGEMENT BY COUNTIES TO MEET ASSIGNMENTS FOR LECTURES

Group 1 - Marion, Kanawha
 Group 2 - Braxton, Webster
 Group 3 - Panhandle, Gilmer, Monroe
 Group 4 - Lewis, Upshur, Barbour
 Group 5 - Randolph, Calhoun, Monongalia

COURTS - Sewing Center, Left; TAXATION - Flameaway; LAW LECTURE - Rural
 Electric; MAGISTRATE COURT - Assembly Hall; PRESS RELATIONS - Sewing Center, Right.

	8:10-8:45	8:55-9:30	9:40-10:15	10:25-11:00	11:10-11:45
Group 1	Courts	Taxation	Law Lecture	Magistrate Court	P.R.
Group 2	Taxation	Law Lecture	Magistrate Court	P.R.	Courts
Group 3	Law Lecture	Magistrate Court	P.R.	Courts	Taxation
Group 4	Magistrate Court	P.R.	Courts	Taxation	Law Lecture
Group 5	Press Relations	Courts	Taxation	Law Lecture	Magistrate Court

AFTERNOON

12:15 LUNCH - Proceed to Dining Hall by county according to announced schedule.

Speaker - Miles Dean, Commissioner of Finance & Administration

1:15 - 1:50 Bar Exam (Federalist in West Virginia Building and Nationalist in Assembly Hall)
 All prospective lawyers, judges, prosecuting attorneys must pass exam to be eligible to serve.
 2:00 - 3:40 Party Caucuses - Federalist in West Virginia Building and Nationalist in Assembly Hall.
 Election of officials - Prepare ballots. Candidates electioneer and get acquainted with voters. Candidates in Primary should be preparing material. Advance prepared material not allowed.
 3:45 - 5:00 Athletics - Follow schedule presented. Band practice.
 5:15 - 5:25 RETREAT
 5:30 DINNER

Speaker - Larrie Bailey, Treasurer, State of West Virginia

6:15 - 7:15 Athletics; Band
 7:30 ASSEMBLY

Speaker - James S. Gladwell, Assistant State Superintendent of Schools

Primary Election Polls Close at 10:00 P.M.
 10:45 TAPS - All citizens in Bed. Lights out at 11:00 P.M.

ALL CITIZENS MUST TAKE THE BAR EXAMINATION. Candidates for Supreme Court, Attorney General, or any other judicial offices must successfully pass the bar examination in order to remain eligible for office.

RULES ON POSTING CAMPAIGN MATERIAL - No thumb tacks or nails are allowed; no material is to be placed inside the dining hall; no materials to be higher than a citizen can reach, and each candidate is responsible for removing his campaign material after the election.

CHIEF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS



RICHARD NEELY

RICHARD NEELY, born August 2, 1941, the son of John C. and Elinore Neely of Marion County, West Virginia; grandson of West Virginia's twenty-first governor. Educated at Dartmouth College, A. B. in Economics, and the Yale Law School, LL.B., 1967. Served as Captain, United States Army Artillery; awarded Bronze Star from the Vietnam conflict. Elected to the West Virginia Legislature from Marion County 1970; elected West Virginia Supreme Court of Appeals 1972.

DONALD R. WILSON

Donald R. Wilson is a graduate of Princeton University, A.B. 1939, and received LL.B. and J.D. degrees from the University of Virginia, graduating in 1942.

Admitted to practice law in the State of West Virginia, Virginia and New York he is a senior partner in the law firm of Preiser & Wilson, Charleston, West Virginia and has been admitted to practice in the United States Supreme Court; Court of Appeals, Fourth Circuit; United States District Courts for the Northern and Southern Districts of West Virginia; United States District Court, District of Maryland; Supreme Court of Appeals, State of West Virginia; and the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court of New York.

He is a member of the West Virginia State Bar; Virginia State Bar; New York State Bar; Kanawha County Bar Association; Harrison County Bar Association; American Bar Association; West Virginia Trial Lawyers Association; Association of Trial Lawyers of America; American Judicature Society; and the International Academy of Law and Science.

Until December 31, 1976, he served as a Justice of the Supreme Court of West Virginia.

In addition to his career in the law, he has served as the National Commander of the American Legion in 1951-52; as President of Oglethorpe University, Atlanta, Georgia; Director and Member of the Finance Committee of Dekalb National Bank, Atlanta, Georgia; Executive Division of the Hearst Corporation, and as Assistant Publisher of the Corporation's newspaper in Albany, New York; Consultant to Foote & Davies Publishing Company, Atlanta, Georgia; and Director and Assistant Secretary of Community Savings and Loan Company, Clarksburg, West Virginia.

He served in the United States Army in 1942-45 with the grade of Captain.

Among various honors received by him are his election as one of the ten outstanding young men of the United States by the National Junior Chamber of Commerce in 1952; Honorary LL.D. from Salem College in 1952; French Legion of Honor; Flag Foundation Americanism Award; National Guard of Honor's Distinguished Service Medal; Republic of France Medal to Her Liberators; Phi Beta Kappa, Princeton University; Raven Society, University of Virginia; and Virginia Law Review.

He was born May 17, 1917, in Detroit, Michigan, and now resides in Ripley, West Virginia. He is married to the former Judith Ann Brady and has two sons, Donald R. Jr., and Thomas H. Wilson.

GEORGE J. ZANOS, SR.
DEPARTMENT (STATE) COMMANDER
THE AMERICAN LEGION
DEPARTMENT OF WEST VIRGINIA

George J. Zanos, Sr., a member of Wellsburg Post No. 34, Wellsburg, West Virginia, was elected to be the 64th Commander of The American Legion, Department of West Virginia at the 1979 Annual Convention held in Clarksburg, West Virginia, July 13, 14, and 15, 1979.

George J. Zanos, Sr., son of John and Helen Zanos, deceased, was born on July 29, 1924 in Monesson, Pennsylvania, leaving there at the age of two years for Vandergrift, Pennsylvania where he received his education in the Vandergrift Public Schools.

He is a Veteran of World War II having served in the U.S. Navy as a Gunner's Mate and received a medical discharge in 1943.

Commander Zanos has been employed by The Fort Steuben Metal Products in Weirton for twenty nine years, serving his company for twenty five years as truck driver and fixtures installer, and four years as President of their Independent Union. The last four years he has served in the shipping department as Head Shipper.

George Zanos transferred his Legion membership from Vandergrift Post to Wellsburg Post No. 34 in 1954, and has been active in Post Offices and administration ever since. Serving as First Vice Commander - 1956-57; Commander - 1957-58; Adjutant - 1959-71; Commander - 1971-72; Adjutant - 1972-77; First Vice Commander 1977 and as Commander for remainder of the 1977-78 year. Commander Zanos has just finished his third term as Post Commander for 1978-79.

Commander Zanos has also served a one year term as First District Vice Commander, Department Vice Commander in 1976-77, and a two year term as Chairman for Special Investigating Committee. Also, on the Department level for fourteen years, from 1965-1979 as Chairman of The Outdoor Advertising Committee bringing West Virginia into first place with the National Standards. He has also served on the National level with The Legion Magazine Committee and the National Security Commissions.

Besides Commander Zanos' Legion activities, he has been an active member of the Brooks County Sportsmen' and Farmers Association, serving them as President, twenty year Board Member, four years as Secretary, and five years as Treasurer. He is a twelve year member of the Wellsburg Volunteer Fire Department, serving nine years as their Secretary. A member of the Forty and Eight and D.A.V.

He is married to the former Bertha Buchanan, bookkeeper for Tri State Electric, Inc. of Steubenville, Ohio, and the father of one son.

Commander Zanos is a member of the Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Church in Steubenville, Ohio.

MONDAY			TUESDAY			WEDNESDAY			THURSDAY			FRIDAY		
AREA 1			AREA 11			AREA 1			AREA 1					
3:45	Braxton N vs Panhandle N	3:15 Kanawha N vs Upshur	3:15 Kanawha N vs Upshur	2:30 Gilmer vs Marion F	2:15 Kanawha F vs Lewis F	2:30 Gilmer vs Marion F	2:15 Kanawha F vs Lewis F	2:15 Kanawha F vs Lewis F	2:15 Kanawha F vs Lewis F	2:15 Kanawha F vs Lewis F	2:15 Kanawha F vs Lewis F	2:15 Kanawha F vs Lewis F	2:15 Kanawha F vs Lewis F	2:15 Kanawha F vs Lewis F
4:30	Calhoun vs Braxton F	4:15 Barbours vs Monroe F	4:15 Barbours vs Monroe F	3:15 Marion N vs Webster	3:15 Braxton F vs Kanawha N	3:15 Marion N vs Webster	3:15 Braxton F vs Kanawha N	3:15 Braxton F vs Kanawha N	3:15 Braxton F vs Kanawha N	3:15 Braxton F vs Kanawha N	3:15 Braxton F vs Kanawha N	3:15 Braxton F vs Kanawha N	3:15 Braxton F vs Kanawha N	3:15 Braxton F vs Kanawha N
6:15	Barbour vs Gilmer	6:15 Monroe N vs Randolph N	6:30 Monroe N vs Randolph N	6:30 Lewis N vs Randolph F	6:15 Monongalia vs Panhandle N	6:30 Lewis N vs Randolph F	6:15 Monongalia vs Panhandle N	6:15 Monongalia vs Panhandle N	6:15 Monongalia vs Panhandle N	6:15 Monongalia vs Panhandle N	6:15 Monongalia vs Panhandle N	6:15 Monongalia vs Panhandle N	6:15 Monongalia vs Panhandle N	6:15 Monongalia vs Panhandle N
6:45	Monongalia vs Panhandle F	6:45 Lewis N vs Lewis F	6:45 Lewis N vs Lewis F	7:15 Kanawha F vs Panhandle F	7:00 Marion F vs Marion N	7:15 Kanawha F vs Panhandle F	7:00 Marion F vs Marion N	7:00 Marion F vs Marion N	7:00 Marion F vs Marion N	7:00 Marion F vs Marion N	7:00 Marion F vs Marion N	7:00 Marion F vs Marion N	7:00 Marion F vs Marion N	7:00 Marion F vs Marion N
AREA 2			AREA 2			AREA 2			AREA 2					
3:45	Braxton F vs Calhoun	3:15 Braxton N vs Lewis F	3:15 Braxton N vs Lewis F	2:30 Lewis N vs Upshur	2:15 Barbours vs Randolph N	2:30 Lewis N vs Upshur	2:15 Barbours vs Randolph N	2:15 Barbours vs Randolph N	2:15 Barbours vs Randolph N	2:15 Barbours vs Randolph N	2:15 Barbours vs Randolph N	2:15 Barbours vs Randolph N	2:15 Barbours vs Randolph N	2:15 Barbours vs Randolph N
4:30	Gilmer vs Marion F	4:15 Marion N vs Panhandle N	4:15 Marion N vs Panhandle N	3:15 Monroe N vs Randolph F	3:15 Marion F vs Upshur	3:15 Monroe N vs Randolph F	3:15 Marion F vs Upshur	3:15 Marion F vs Upshur	3:15 Marion F vs Upshur	3:15 Marion F vs Upshur	3:15 Marion F vs Upshur	3:15 Marion F vs Upshur	3:15 Marion F vs Upshur	3:15 Marion F vs Upshur
6:15	Kanawha N vs Panhandle F	6:15 Monongalia vs Webster	6:15 Monongalia vs Webster	6:30 Kanawha F vs Monroe F	6:15 Calhoun vs Gilmer	6:30 Kanawha F vs Monroe F	6:15 Calhoun vs Gilmer	6:15 Calhoun vs Gilmer	6:15 Calhoun vs Gilmer	6:15 Calhoun vs Gilmer	6:15 Calhoun vs Gilmer	6:15 Calhoun vs Gilmer	6:15 Calhoun vs Gilmer	6:15 Calhoun vs Gilmer
6:45	Randolph F vs Upshur	6:45 Monroe N vs Randolph N	6:45 Monroe N vs Randolph N	7:15 OPEN	7:00 Randolph F vs Webster	7:15 OPEN	7:00 Randolph F vs Webster	7:00 Randolph F vs Webster	7:00 Randolph F vs Webster	7:00 Randolph F vs Webster	7:00 Randolph F vs Webster	7:00 Randolph F vs Webster	7:00 Randolph F vs Webster	7:00 Randolph F vs Webster
AREA 3			AREA 3			AREA 3			AREA 3					
3:45	Lewis N vs Marion N	3:15 Braxton F vs Marion F	3:15 Braxton N vs Kanawha N	2:30 Braxton N vs Kanawha N	2:15 Braxton F vs Panhandle N	2:30 Braxton N vs Kanawha N	2:15 Braxton F vs Panhandle N	2:15 Braxton F vs Panhandle N	2:15 Braxton F vs Panhandle N	2:15 Braxton F vs Panhandle N	2:15 Braxton F vs Panhandle N	2:15 Braxton F vs Panhandle N	2:15 Braxton F vs Panhandle N	2:15 Braxton F vs Panhandle N
4:30	Barbour vs Monroe N	4:15 Calhoun vs Gilmer	4:15 Calhoun vs Gilmer	3:15 Lewis F vs Monongalia	3:15 Lewis N vs Marion N	3:15 Lewis F vs Monongalia	3:15 Lewis N vs Marion N	3:15 Lewis N vs Marion N	3:15 Lewis N vs Marion N	3:15 Lewis N vs Marion N	3:15 Lewis N vs Marion N	3:15 Lewis N vs Marion N	3:15 Lewis N vs Marion N	3:15 Lewis N vs Marion N
6:15	Monroe F vs Randolph N	6:15 Kanawha F vs Panhandle F	6:30 Panhandle N vs Upshur	6:30 Panhandle N vs Upshur	6:15 Braxton N vs Panhandle F	6:30 Panhandle N vs Upshur	6:15 Braxton N vs Panhandle F	6:15 Braxton N vs Panhandle F	6:15 Braxton N vs Panhandle F	6:15 Braxton N vs Panhandle F	6:15 Braxton N vs Panhandle F	6:15 Braxton N vs Panhandle F	6:15 Braxton N vs Panhandle F	6:15 Braxton N vs Panhandle F
6:45	Monroe F vs Webster	6:45 OPEN	7:15 OPEN	7:15 OPEN	7:00 OPEN	7:15 OPEN	7:00 OPEN	7:00 OPEN	7:00 OPEN	7:00 OPEN	7:00 OPEN	7:00 OPEN	7:00 OPEN	7:00 OPEN
AREA 4			AREA 4			AREA 4			AREA 4					
3:45	Kanawha F vs Lewis F	3:15 Lewis N vs Marion N	3:15 Panhandle F vs Randolph N	2:15 Monroe N vs Monroe F	2:15 Monroe N vs Monroe F	2:15 Panhandle F vs Randolph N	2:15 Monroe N vs Monroe F	2:15 Monroe N vs Monroe F	2:15 Monroe N vs Monroe F	2:15 Monroe N vs Monroe F	2:15 Monroe N vs Monroe F	2:15 Monroe N vs Monroe F	2:15 Monroe N vs Monroe F	2:15 Monroe N vs Monroe F
4:30	Randolph F vs Webster	4:15 Kanawha F vs Monongalia	4:15 Barbours vs Panhandle N	3:15 Calhoun vs Monongalia	3:15 Calhoun vs Monongalia	4:15 Barbours vs Panhandle N	3:15 Calhoun vs Monongalia	3:15 Calhoun vs Monongalia	3:15 Calhoun vs Monongalia	3:15 Calhoun vs Monongalia	3:15 Calhoun vs Monongalia	3:15 Calhoun vs Monongalia	3:15 Calhoun vs Monongalia	3:15 Calhoun vs Monongalia
6:15	Upshur vs Marion F	6:15 Braxton N vs Gilmer	6:30 Braxton F vs Calhoun	6:30 Braxton F vs Calhoun	6:15 Barbours vs Kanawha N	6:30 Braxton F vs Calhoun	6:15 Barbours vs Kanawha N	6:15 Barbours vs Kanawha N	6:15 Barbours vs Kanawha N	6:15 Barbours vs Kanawha N	6:15 Barbours vs Kanawha N	6:15 Barbours vs Kanawha N	6:15 Barbours vs Kanawha N	6:15 Barbours vs Kanawha N
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AMERICAN LEGION MOUNTAINEER BOYS' STATE ATHLETIC PROGRAM
GENERAL RULES

It will be the responsibility of the athletic representatives of each county to insure that teams are fielded in accordance with the above schedule. It is of the utmost importance that the teams report to the correct area at the prescribed time. In the event a scheduled game is not played the Athletic Director will determine if the game shall be classified as a cancellation or a forfeiture on the part of one team. The final team standing will be determined on a point system all scheduled games being of equal value, regardless of sport. It will be necessary for the counselors to serve as referees and umpires where needed.

- AREA 1 - VOLLEYBALL COURTS
- AREA 2 - BASEBALL FIELD
- AREA 3 - FIELD OPPOSITE ASSEMBLY HALL
- AREA 4 - BASKETBALL COURTS