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## INAUGURATION 1994

THE FOLLOWING ELECTED OFFICIALS WERE  
GIVEN THE OATH OF OFFICE TODAY BY THE  
HONORABLE JUDGE FRED FOX.

GOVERNOR  
RONNIE WELLS

SECRETARY OF STATE  
NATHAN BARNER

ATTORNEY GENERAL  
BRANDON FLOWER

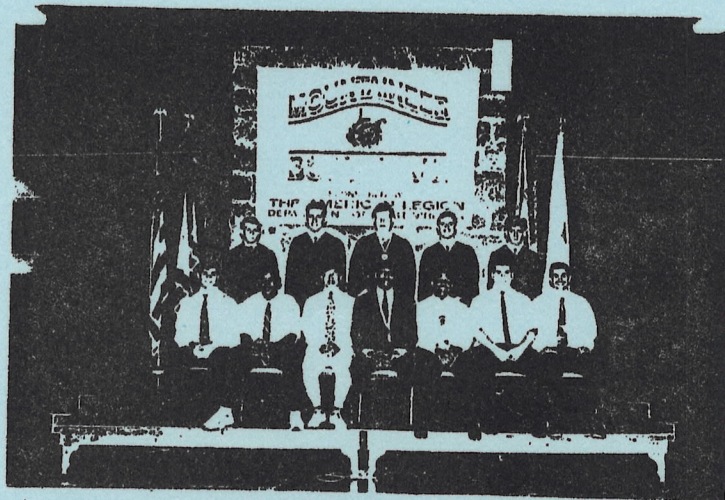
TREASURER  
JAMES FAUST

AUDITOR  
BILL WYCKOFF

COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE  
JAMIE LUSK

SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS  
BRAD PIGOTT  
CHAD THOMAS  
JUSTIN SEIBERT  
DREW WINNER  
JEREMY BIAS

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS  
DAVID SMITH





THE AMERICAN LEGION MOUNTAINEER BOYS' STATE, INC.

THURSDAY JUNE 9, 1994

6:30 REVEILLE AND CLEAN QUARTERS  
7:20 FLAG RAISING  
7:25 BREAKFAST

8:30 - 11:00 GOVERNOR AND BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS MEET IN JACKSON LODGE. SENATE MEETS IN FLAMEWAY HALL. HOUSE MEET IN SOUTH EASTERN LEARNING CENTER SUPREME COURT MEET IN RIGHT WING OF FLAMEWAY HALL. STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION MEET IN LODGE. CITY GOV'T. WORKING IN COTTAGES. COUNTY GOV'T. WORKING IN COTTAGES. COUNTY SUPERINTENDS AND COUNTY BOARDS OF EDUCATION MEET IN BASEMENT OF JACKSON LODGE.

11:10 - 12:00 PRACTICE FOR FORMAL REVIEW AT THE DINING HALL.

12:15 LUNCH NEIL S. BUCKLEW- W.V.U. PRESIDENT

1:15 - 2:15 CIRCUIT COURTS IN SESSION WITH LEGAL ADVISORS(CRIMINAL CASES). ALL CITIZENS MUST BE AVAILABLE FOR JURY DUTY. LAWYERS MUST BE AVAILABLE TO PRESENT CASES. BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS IN SESSION IF NEEDED. BOYS' STATE POLICE ORGANIZED AND WORKING.

2:30 - 3:30 FORMAL REVIEW

3:30 - 4:30 ATHLETICS AND SWIMMING

4:30 - 5:00 ATHLETICS AND SWIMMING

5:15 - 5:25 RETREAT

5:30 LARRY BAILEY - TREASURER OF STATE

6:30 - 7:30 ATHLETICS

7:45 BAND PRACTICE

8:00 ASSEMBLY - JUDGE ROBERT MAXWELL

11:00 CITIZENS TO COTTAGES. COUNSELORS MAKE DECISIONS ON LIGHTS.  
( CITIZENS MUST BE IN BY 11:00 P.M. )

THURSDAY'S ATHLETIC SCHEDULE

THURSDAY	LEWIS-N MONROE-N MARION-F CALHOUN	BARBOUR PANHANDLE-N BRAXTON-F PANHANDLE-F	KANAWHA-N RANDOLPH-N MONONGALIA MARION-N	GILMER WEBSTER KANAWHA-F UPSHUR	BRAXTON-N MONROE-F LEWIS-F RANDOLPH-F
THURSDAY	KANAWHA-N RANDOLPH-F BRAXTON-F RANDOLPH-N	LEWIS-N UPSHUR LEWIS-F WEBSTER	MONROE-N BRAXTON-N MARION-F MONROE-F	BARBOUR PANHANDLE-F CALHOUN MONONGALIA	GILMER MARION-N KANAWHA-F PANHANDLE-N

WEDNESDAY'S ATHLETIC SCORES

WEDNESDAY	CALHOUN MONONGALIA BRAXTON-N MONROE-N	GILMER PANHANDLE-F KANAWHA-F PANHANDLE-N	KANAWHA-N RANDOLPH-F LEWIS-F RANDOLPH-N	LEWIS-N UPSHUR MARION-F WEBSTER	BARBOUR MARION-N BRAXTON-F MONROE-F
WEDNESDAY	BRAXTON-F PANHANDLE-N	BRAXTON-N RANDOLPH-F	GILMER UPSHUR	KANAWHA-N MARION-N	LEWIS-N MONROE-N



GOVERNOR RONNIE WELLS  
INAUGURAL ADDRESS  
JUNE 8, 1994

IT GIVES ME GREAT PLEASURE TO HUMBLY STAND BEFORE YOU AS THE  
57th GOVERNOR OF MOUNTAINEER BOYS' STATE.

I AM VERY GRATEFUL TO ALL OF YOU FOR YOUR PARTICIPATION IN  
OUR ELECTION PROCESS WHICH RESULTED IN MY ELECTION AS YOUR GOVERNOR.  
SPECIAL THANKS TO MY NATIONALISTS COLLEAGUES AND ESPECIALLY, I THANK  
THE LOYAL AND HONORABLE OPPOSITION FOR YOU ALSO PLAYED A MAJOR ROLE  
IN THE ELECTION RESULTS.

PERSONALLY, I WOULD LIKE TO THANK COY FLOWERS FOR HIS HELP IN  
INITIATING THE CANDIDACY FOR GOVERNOR; STEVE SLUSS, FOR HIS HELP  
THROUGHOUT THE CAMPAIGN, DAVID SMITH, FOR HIS GOOD SPORTSMANSHIP  
AND COMPANIONSHIP THROUGHOUT MY CAMPAIGN AGAINST HIM. HE IS NOW  
MY SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION. I WOULD ALSO LIKE TO THANK MR.  
A. JAMES MANCHIN FOR HIS COMPLIMENTS TOWARDS MY SPEECH, MARK  
ZACHWIEJA, FOR HIS FRIENDLY ATTITUDE AND LAST, BUT NOT LEAST,  
CHARLES LUNSFORD AND NICK ARVON, FOR THEY HAVE HELPED ME TO THIS  
POINT.

TO THE CITIZENS OF BOYS' STATE AND TO OUR SPONSORING  
ORGANIZATION, THE AMERICAN LEGION DEPARTMENT OF WEST VIRGINIA, MAY  
I SAY THAT AS YOUR NEWLY ELECTED GOVERNOR, AND PERSONAL  
REPRESENTATIVE, I RENEW MY PLEDGE THAT I SHALL STRIVE TO DO MY  
VERY BEST SO THAT WE CAN BE PROUD TO SAY WE ARE BOYS' STATERS  
UNITED IN OUR EFFORTS.

AS YOUR GOVERNOR, IT IS MY RESPONSIBILITY TO KEEP THIS  
ADMINISTRATION ON TRACK. I CANNOT DO THIS WITHOUT YOUR HELP. I  
WILL LISTEN TO YOU, THE CITIZENS OF MOUNTAINEER BOYS' STATE  
BECAUSE YOU ARE WHAT IT'S ALL ABOUT.

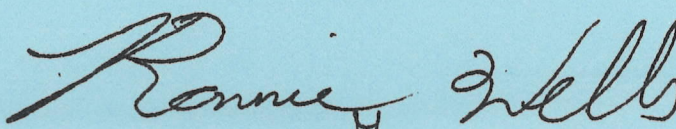
LET ALL OF US LEARN FROM ALL OUR EXPERIENCES THAT WE HAVE  
HERE. BELIEVE ME, I HAVE LEARNED MORE ABOUT THE IMPEACHMENT  
PROCESS IN MY TIME HERE THAN IN ALL MY PRIOR LIFETIME. NOW  
LET US USE WHAT WE HAVE LEARNED TOWARDS FURTHER BETTERING  
OURSELVES AS CITIZENS OF MOUNTAINEER BOYS' STATE.

LAST NIGHT, I STATED HOW WE OUGHT TO UNITE OUR TWO PARTIES  
WORKING AS A TEAM FOR THE BENEFIT OF ALL. I WANT TO STATE TO  
YOU THAT I INTEND TO GOVERN THE PEOPLE OF BOYS' STATE TO THE  
BEST OF MY ABILITY. IN ORDER TO DO THIS I FEEL IT IS NECESSARY  
THAT I KNOW AND FULFILL YOUR NEEDS.

MY STAFF AND I HAVE CONSIDERED THE MAJOR APPOINTMENTS TO BE  
MADE BY THIS ADMINISTRATION. RIGHT NOW WE ARE IN THE PROCESS OF  
FULFILLING THE POSITIONS WITH AS MANY COMPETENT CITIZENS AS  
POSSIBLE.

THE ELECTIONS ARE OVER. WE ARE NO LONGER DIVIDED BY PARTY,  
BUT WE ARE UNITED AS ONE - ONE MOUNTAINEER BOYS' STATE, AND WITH  
YOUR HELP WE CAN MAKE THIS THE BEST MOUNTAINEER BOYS' STATE.

THANK YOU!





## ANSWERS TO WEDNESDAY'S PUZZLES

### ANSWER TO "WHAT IS IT?"

THE ONE WHO MAKES IT DOESN'T WANT IT  
THE ONE WHO BUYS IT DOESN'T USE IT  
THE ONE WHO USES IT DOESN'T KNOW IT.  
WHAT IS IT?  
ANSWER: A COFFIN

Edward Combs of Monongalia Cottage was the first to give the correct answer. He received a free Boys' State shirt. CONGRATULATIONS, EDWARD!

### **56 TRANS4MATION: LIST**

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### **BRAIN TEASER COUNT THE F'S**

**FINISHED FILES ARE THE RE-  
SULT OF YEARS OF SCIENTIFIC  
STUDY COMBINED WITH THE  
EXPERIENCE OF MANY YEARS.**

### GILMER COTTAGE NEWS - June 7, 1994

Gilmer county's winning streak is still hot as they keep the heat rising on the volleyball courts. In the first of the series, in the afternoon, Gilmer started slow and was down 7-4 but came back and won the 1st of the two games 15-12. Griffith, Johnson, Briscoe, and Ashley made spectacular plays, but nothing could beat Conner's ace on serving in game 2, which lead to a victory of 15-10. Unfortunately, Gilmer could not strut their stuff in the evening athletics due to thunderstorms.

Gilmer County was once again honored when one of their own was named the Senate Minority Leader. Richard Walton from Bridgeport in Harrison County says this is his first big political accomplishment. Though Nationalist, he says that all of his approaches will be bipartisan.

### COUNTY BOARDS MEET IN LODGE

County superintendents and county Board of Education members from each cottage will meet today to prepare budgets at 8:30 a.m. in the West Virginia Room in Jackson Lodge. The results of the scores on the budgets will be included in determining the winner of the Fugitt award.

### TALENT SHOW FRIDAY NIGHT

Counselors and Junior Counselors are reminded to have their talent show participants' names and the act(s) form turned in to Ken Legg by noon today! The talent show is scheduled for Friday night.



## THE HONORABLE FRED FOX VISITS CITIZENS OF MOUNTAINEER BOYS' STATE

The Honorable Fred L. Fox II, Chief Circuit Court Judge of the 16th Judicial District addressed the Mountaineer Boys' State at the noon meal on Wednesday. Judge Fox delivered a captivating talk on caring and mentioned two examples of caring individuals who had a profoun effect upon his life. The first individual was a college counselor that Fox had at Davis and Elkins College. This counselor went out of his way to arrange lodging, tuitions and assistance to allow Fox to complete his college education after the untimely death of his father. The second individual was a patient at a hospital where Fox received treatment after he was injured during the Vietnam War. The patient, although paralyzed and confined to a wheelchair for the remainder of his life, went out of his way to cheer up and comfort other patients including Fox.

Judge Fox encouraged all Boys' State citizens to be caring individuals like his college counselor and wartime friend. Fox concluded that caring individuals can positively effect the lives of the people they come into contact with.

Judge Fox was born in Sutton, West Virginia in 1938, graduated from D & E College and graduated from the West Virginia University College of Law in 1967. Fox served 5 years in the United States Marine Corps. In 1970 he was elected Circuit Court Judge of the 16th Judicial Circuit and served in that position for 24 consecutive years. Judge Fox is the most senior Circuit Court Judge in the state of West Virginia.

Judge Fox, after his lunchtime presentation, observed some of the Circuit Court trials and swore the elected state officials into their offices at the inauguration.

## PRESIDENT OF FAIRMONT COLLEGE ADDRESSES CITIZENS

Dr. Robert Dillman, President of Fairmont State College, spoke to the Citizens of Boys' State during the evening meal on Wednesday, June 8, 1994.

Dr. Dillman is a native of Brooklyn, New York. He began teaching as a professional geologist. He later furthered his education at Penn State and Clark University. He is now serving as President of Fairmont State where he has served for the past seven years.

Thanks for being a part of the 57th Mountaineer Boys' State program, Mr. Dillman.

## COTTAGE INSPECTIONS - June 8, 1994

Barbour - 100	Kanawha - 93	Monroe - 100	Webster - 100
Braxton - 97	Lewis - 92	Panhandle - 100	
Calhoun - 100	Marion - 100	Randolph - 97	
Gilmer - 100	Monongalia - 92	Upshur - 94	

## CLARIFICATION

WEDNESDAY'S NEWSPAPER STATES THAT ALL BOYS MUST BE IN THEIR

COTTAGE BY 1:00a.m. ALL BOYS MUST BE IN THEIR COTTAGE BY 11:00p.m.

BOYS MAY BE OUT UNTIL 1:00A.M. ONLY WITH THE PERMISSION OF THEIR

COTTAGE COUNSELOR AND ONLY IF IT IS NECESSARY FOR THEM TO BE OUT.



### KARATE DEMONSTRATION AT EVENING ASSEMBLY

Brandon Craft, age 16, is the son of Mike and Helen Craft of Bloomingrose. He will be a Junior at Sherman High School this coming year.

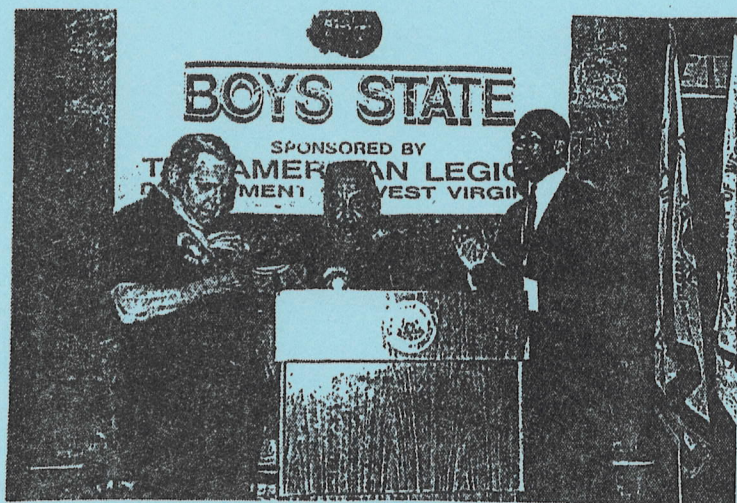
He began his study of Karate at age 7 and has been studying various martial arts for approximately 9 years. In 1987, Brandon was the 9 year old National Champion in point fighting. 1988- captured two bronze medals in the USA Karate National championship at Caesars Palace, Las Vegas. 1989 - Silver medal winner in USA Karate National Championships held in Orlando, Florida. 1990 - Gold medal winner in USA Karate Nationalists held in Akron, Ohio (National Champion). 1990 - captured the gold medal in fighting in Budapest, Hungary, as a member of the USA Junior Boys Karate team and he is the current Junior World Champion in the 13 and 14 year old age division. 1990 - Gold medal winner in the 1990 Junior Olympics.

Brandon is a 2nd degree black belt in Karate and he is the only Caucasian in the United States under the age of 16 to hold a black belt in Aikido, which is a Japanese martial art. He is the holder of around 200 trophies and medals.

### SPORTS DIRECTOR FOR WVU SPEAKS TO CITIZENS AT ASSEMBLY

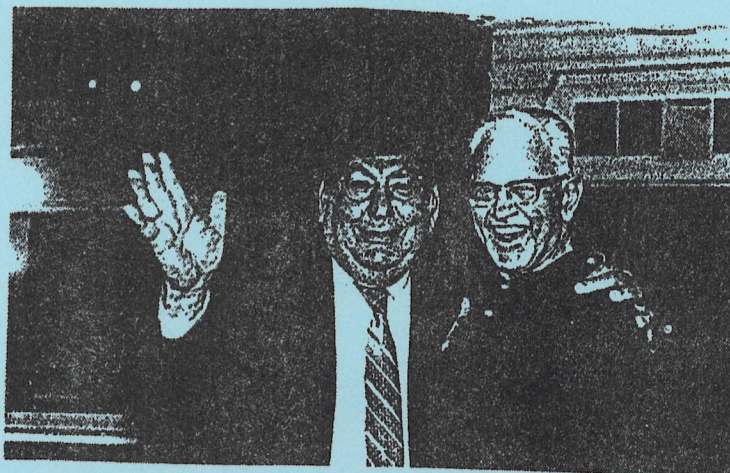
Shelley Poe, Director of Sports Information at WVU was in attendance at the Wednesday night assembly. She was accompanied by Chad Johnson, Harold Kidd, Tom Robsock, and Lovett Purnell. Mike Furgail, also from public relations, accompanied the group to Jackson's Mill.

Shelley Poe is the woman responsible for the national level of attention these players received. She is a native of Morgantown. She is only one in a handful of women across the nation to lead in such a powerful position. This annual visit from Shelley Poe and some athletes from WVU is one of the most well received programs of Mountaineer Boys' State.



### SERGEANT OF ARMS OF THE WEST VIRGINIA HOUSE OF DELEGATES IS HONORED.

Mr. Oce Smith was honored for his outstanding service as Sergeant of Arms of the WV House of Delegates. He was presented a medallion by A. James Manchin and Governor Ronnie Wells.



### A GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY

1944-1994 - A fifty year Boys' State relationship continues at Jackson's Mill. A. James Manchin came to Mountaineer Boys' State as a citizen in 1944. Rat Thom was his counselor.



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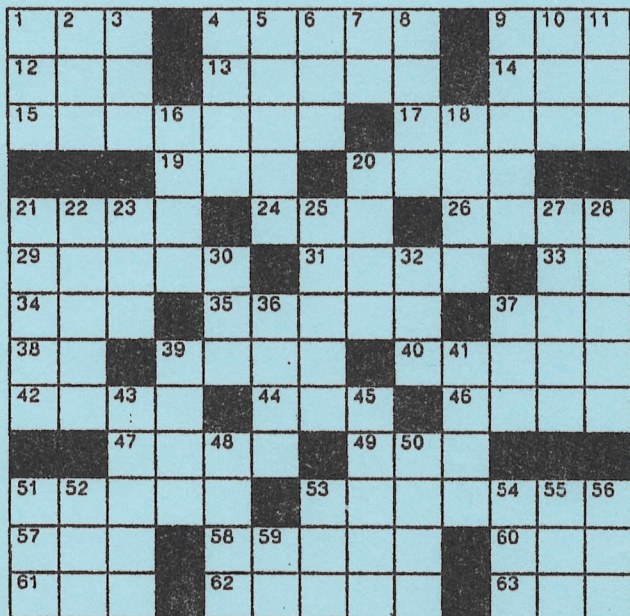


- ACROSS**
- Judge's forte
  - Stallion's harem
  - Reserved in nature
  - Protection money (sl.)
  - Tolerate
  - Golf gizmo
  - Discussed the pros and cons
  - Approaches
  - Convened
  - sapphire
  - Knight's attendant
  - Posed for portrait
  - Short distance
  - Emissary
  - Ready for picking
  - Old Dominion State (abbr.)
  - Dump dweller
  - Ablaze
  - The \_\_\_\_\_ is mightier than the sword
  - Karat (abbr.)
  - The Middle \_\_\_\_\_
  - String
  - Trickle out
  - Boost: \_\_\_\_\_ up
  - Emmets
  - \_\_\_\_\_ on one's laurels
  - Moved fast
  - Tantalize
  - Women's summer tops
  - Beast of burden
  - Elevate the spirits
  - Caustic compound

- Spelling contest
- Appointments
- Cat's cry

## DOWN

- Trunk top
- Crack aviator
- Spider's trap
- Partner
- Encourages
- Free (of)
- Newsman
- Bradley
- Transmitted
- Sudden movement
- That girl
- Okay!
- Prayer ending
- Facilitate
- Recipe
- Recreational grounds
- Chalcedony
- \_\_\_\_\_ cracking!
- Originate
- (from) Social occasion
- Window glasses
- Child's game
- Stroke
- lovingly napped material
- Brooch
- Gorillas
- Need
- Clean the
- blackboard
- Shred cheese
- Kernel
- Malt brews
- Flap
- Suffix: language of
- Fez or turban
- Graceful tree
- Dark bread
- Stitch
- "\_\_\_\_\_ Bohème"



## THE PARTY'S

In every relationship, there are times of harmony and times of discord, and then there are situations—like the conversation below—when there's just something missing between two people. Using your lyric sensibilities, can you fill in the gaps in this dialogue?

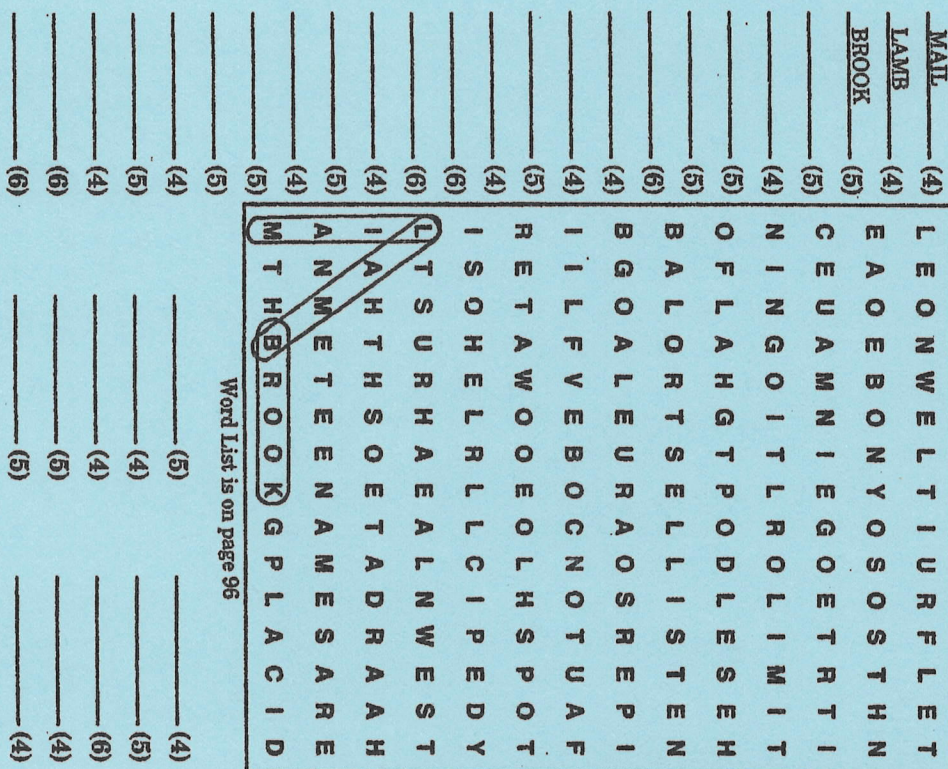
"Well, hello (1) \_\_\_\_\_! Why sit outside in this storm (2) \_\_\_\_\_? (3) \_\_\_\_\_ keep falling on my head. At least you should button up your (4) \_\_\_\_\_. Baby, it's (5) \_\_\_\_\_ outside. "I really hadn't noticed. I feel like we're having a heat (6) \_\_\_\_\_. I'm walking on the (7) \_\_\_\_\_ side of the street; everything's coming up (8) \_\_\_\_\_. (9) \_\_\_\_\_, (10) \_\_\_\_\_ won't be just any night. I'm writing an ode to (11) \_\_\_\_\_. (12) \_\_\_\_\_. You know, happiness is a thing called (13) \_\_\_\_\_."

"But what about me? You go to my (14) \_\_\_\_\_. I want to hold your (15) \_\_\_\_\_. I long to dance with you (16) \_\_\_\_\_ to (17) \_\_\_\_\_. I've got you under my (18) \_\_\_\_\_."

"Oh, for heaven's sake. Hang down your head (19) \_\_\_\_\_ (20) \_\_\_\_\_. Just because we spent a lovely (21) \_\_\_\_\_ in Paris and (22) \_\_\_\_\_ in New York doesn't mean I'm yours till the end of (23) \_\_\_\_\_. Won't you please go home, (24) \_\_\_\_\_ Bailey; besides, your (25) \_\_\_\_\_ too big."

"Bill? My name's Tom. But good night (26) \_\_\_\_\_ and remember, I'll always love you come (27) \_\_\_\_\_ or come (28) \_\_\_\_\_."

"Irene? My name's Dolly."



Word List is on page 96

CIRCLE-A-WORD

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## LAST LETTER—FIRST LETTER

In this puzzle the last letter of the first word is the first letter of the next word; the last letter of the second word is the first letter of the third word, and so on, forming a chain of circled words. The number in parenthesis gives the length of each word. We've circled the first three words.

