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1999 GENERAL ELECTION RESULTS

GOVERNOR

STEVEN "THE LOCUST" OCHAP
FEDERALIST, UPSHUR
HOMETOWN: WHEELING

SECRETARY OF STATE

BRYAN "BS" STONESTREET
NATIONALIST, LEWIS
HOMETOWN: BLUEFIELD

AUDITOR

MICHAEL NICHOLAS
FEDERALIST, BRAXTON
HOMETOWN: CLARKSBURG

TREASURER

ANTHONY "ITALIAN STALLION" GIANETTINO
FEDERALIST, CALHOUN
HOMETOWN: STONEWOOD

COMM. OF AGRICULTURE

MIKE "USE A HOE" WILLIAMS
NATIONALIST, MONONGALIA
HOMETOWN: BLUEFIELD

ATTORNEY GENERAL

RAMAN SANTRA
NATIONALIST, BARBOUR
HOMETOWN: ELKINS

SUPREME COURT

STEPHEN "MULE" BALDWIN
FEDERALIST, MARION
HOMETOWN: LEWISBURG

PINAKI SANTRA
FEDERALIST, LEWIS
HOMETOWN: ELKINS

SCOTT "FEEL GOOD" MEACHUM
FEDERALIST, MONROE
HOMETOWN: BLUEFIELD

ADAM "POGO THE THRILLER" MILLER
FEDERALIST, PANHANDLE
HOMETOWN: FAIRMONT

BRANDON "HERE COMES THE JUDGE" MCCOY
FEDERALIST, PANHANDLE
HOMETOWN: LAVALETTE

THE AMERICAN LEGION MOUNTAINEER BOYS' STATE, INC.

WEDNESDAY JUNE 9, 1999

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

GROUP ARRANGEMENT BY COUNTIES FOR INSTRUCTIONAL INFORMATION

GROUP 1 - BARBOUR, KANAWHA, PANHANDLE
GROUP 2 - BRAXTON, RANDOLPH, WEBSTER, ***
GROUP 3 - MARION, MONROE, UPSHUR
GROUP 4 - CALHOUN, GILMER, LEWIS, MONONGALIA

*** BOYS' STATE TROOPERS AND SHERIFFS WILL ACCOMPANY
GROUP 2 FOR THE FIRST TWO SESSIONS (8:30 - 10:00).
AT 10AM THEY WILL REPORT TO THE KANAWHA MEETING ROOM
AND ATTEND BOYS' STATE POLICE ACADEMY.

| | 8:30-9:10 | 9:20-10:00 | 10:10-10:50 | 11:00-11:40 |
|---------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| GROUP 1 | PRESS REL. | BAL./FIREARMS | DRIVER SAFETY | CIRCUIT CLK. |
| GROUP 2 | BAL./FIREARMS | DRIVER SAFETY | CIRCUIT CL. | PRESS REL. |
| GROUP 3 | DRIVER SAFETY | CIRCUIT CLK. | PRESS REL. | BAL./FIREARMS |
| GROUP 4 | CIRCUIT CLK. | PRESS REL. | BAL./FIREARMS | DRIVER SAFETY |

GROUP MEETING LOCATIONS:

PRESS RELATIONS - JACKSON LODGE - ROB JOHNSON, INSTR.
BAL./FIREARMS - ASSEMBLY HALL - MIKE ELLIS, INSTR.
DRIVER SAFETY- SE LEARNING CENTER, DAVID HAWKINS, INSTR.
CIRCUIT CLK.- WEST VIRGINIA BLDG. - JAMIE FERGUSON, INSTR.

8:30 - 11:50 SENATE (EEC-LEFT) AND HOUSE (EEC-RIGHT) IN
SESSION. GOVERNOR AND BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS
MEET IN BASEMENT OF JACKSON LODGE. SUPREME
COURT MEET WITH ADVISOR IN RIGHT WING OF
FLAME WAY BUILDING. STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION
MEETS IN BASEMENT OF JACKSON LODGE.

11:00 ALL ATTORNEYS AND JUDGES FOR WEDNESDAY'S COURT
TRIALS REPORT TO SUPREME COURT TO BE SWORN IN.

12:15 LUNCH - JOHN PERDUE, STATE TREASURER

1:15 - 2:15 CIRCUIT COURTS IN SESSION WITH LEGAL ADVISORS (CIVIL
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 INAUGURATION - JUDGE FRED FOX II
GOVERNOR CECIL UNDERWOOD

3:45-4:15 EACH COTTAGE SEND TWO REPRESENTATIVES...1 CITY, 1 COUNTY
ELECTED OFFICIAL... TO HARRISON COTTAGE TO DISCUSS CITY
AND COUNTY PACKETS

3:45-4:45 ATHLETICS

5:15 - 5:25 RETREAT

5:30 DINNER - CHIEF JUSTICE LARRY STARCHER
DR. TROY M. STEWART, POLI SCI (MU)

6:30 - 7:45 ATHLETICS AND BAND PRACTICE

8:00 ASSEMBLY- ABRAHAM LINCOLN

11:00 CITIZENS TO COTTAGES. LIGHTS OUT AT 11PM.
CITIZENS MUST BE IN BY 11:30 P.M.

THE AMERICAN LEGION MOUNTAINEER BOYS' STATE
COURT TRIAL RATING FORM

Counties: _____

Date: _____

Rating Attorney: _____

Please rate the following on a scale of 1 - 10 with 1 being poor,
5 being average, and 10 being excellent.

| <u>ITEM</u> | <u>RATING</u> |
|--|---------------|
| 1. Timeliness/preparation - was the trial ready to proceed upon your arrival/all participants present? | _____ |
| 2. Participants | |
| A. Judge - was the judge prepared, knowledgeable and functioned appropriately? | _____ |
| B. Lawyers - were the lawyers prepared, knowledgeable and functioned appropriately? | |
| 1. Prosecuting or Plaintiff's Attorney | _____ |
| 2. Defense Attorney | _____ |
| C. Witnesses - were the witnesses prepared, knowledgeable of the facts within their area of responsibility, did not rely upon "scripts" notes etc. unless appropriate? | _____ |
| D. Other Participants (Sheriff/bailiff, Court Reporter, Circuit Clerk) - were these participants prepared and performed their respective duties appropriately? | _____ |
| 3. The Courtroom - was the Courtroom arranged appropriately and was it functional? | _____ |
| 4. Audience - did the audience/spectators present a demeanor consistent with a Courtroom setting? | _____ |
| 5. Jury - did the Jury perform its role properly and exercise appropriate demeanor? | _____ |
| 6. Overall impression - rate your overall impression of the Trial you just observed. | _____ |

TOTAL POINTS: _____

AFTER YOU HAVE COMPLETED YOUR TRIAL OBSERVATION, WE ASK YOU TO RETURN THIS COMPLETED FORM TO ONE OF THE LEGAL ADVISORS AT HARRISON COTTAGE. THANK YOU FOR YOUR PARTICIPATION!

The American Legion
Mountaineer Boy's State
Court Trial Rating Form

JUDICIAL CIRCUITS

FIRST CIRCUIT

RANDOLPH - WED.
MONROE - THURS.

SECOND CIRCUIT

UPSHUR - WED.
LEWIS - THURS.

THIRD CIRCUIT

MARION - WED.
CALHOUN - THURS.

FOURTH CIRCUIT

GILMER - WED.
PANHANDLE - THURS.

FIFTH CIRCUIT

MONONGALIA - WED.
KANAWHA - THURS.

SIXTH CIRCUIT

BRAXTON - WED.
WEBSTER/BARBOUR - THURS.

SUPREME COURT SCHEDULE

Wednesday

- 8:30 a.m. - Discuss Supreme Court Procedure (pg. 127).
Select Crier. Select Clerk. Select Chief Justice. Set up courtroom.
- 9:00 a.m. - Recess.
- 9:30 a.m. - Reconvene.
- 9:45 a.m. - Practice Case #1
- 10:30 a.m. - Recess
- 11:00 a.m. - Reconvene. Hear motions for admissions to bar. All attorneys and judges involved in Wednesday court cases are to be present; Practice case #2.
- 12:00 p.m. - Recess
- 1:15 p.m. - Observe court cases.

Thursday

- 8:30 a.m. - Hear petition for appeal from Circuit #1 and Circuit #4 and other business.
- 9:00 a.m. - Recess
- 9:45 a.m. - Reconvene. Announce decisions. Hear petition for appeal from Circuit # 2 and Circuit #5 and other business.
- 10:15 a.m. - Recess
- 10:30 a.m. - Reconvene. Announce decisions. Hear petitions for appeal from Circuit #3 and Circuit #6 and other business. Hear motions for admissions to bar. All attorneys and judges involved in Thursday's court cases are to be present.
- 11:15 a.m. - Recess. Write opinions and conduct court business.
- 12:00 p.m. - Recess
- 2:30 p.m. - Reconvene. Announce decisions. Hear appeal cases.

Friday

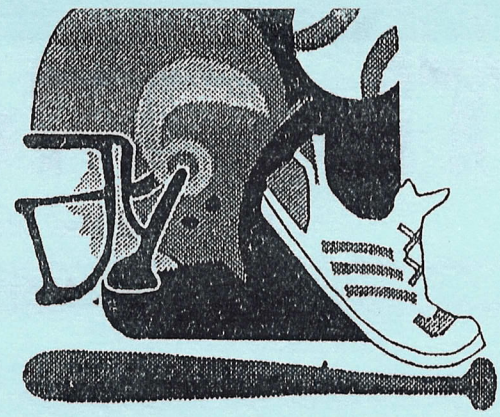
SAME AS THURSDAY

- 1:15 p.m. Reconvene. Announce decisions. Conduct remainder of court business as time permits.

This schedule is subject to change as deemed appropriate by the Supreme Court.

NOTICE: The Supreme Court will consider any appeal from any citizen(s) and/or staff members and/or matter where the court has original jurisdiction. Anyone seeking to present a matter to the Supreme Court must be represented by a Boys' State Attorney and must petition the court to consider the matter desired to be reviewed. The appropriate petition forms can be obtained at the Supreme Court. Please approach the Supreme Court at anytime that it is in session to arrange to have a matter reviewed.

SPORTS PAGE



TUESDAY'S ATHLETIC RESULTS

| AREA 1 VOLLEYBALL BESIDE LODGE | AREA 2 VOLLEYBALL BESIDE SOFTBALL | AREA 3 SOFTBALL FIELD | AREA 4 SOFTBALL - GRASS FIELD | AREA 5 BASKETBALL - BEHIND GILMER |
|--|--|---|--|---|
| Gilmer Panhandle N Kanawaha N Panhandle F | Barbour Monroe N Braxton N Monroe F | Kanawaha F Marion F Lewis N Monongalia | Braxton F Upshur Calhoun Webster | Lewis F Randolph N Marion N Randolph F |
| Kanawaha F Randolph N Lewis N Randolph F | Braxton F Panhandle N Calhoun Panhandle F | Lewis F Monroe N Marion N Monroe F | Gilmer Marion F Kanawaha N Monongalia | Barbour Upshur Braxton N Webster |

WEDNESDAY'S ATHLETIC SCHEDULE

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| Lewis F Upshur Marion N Webster | Gilmer Randolph N Kanawaha N Randolph F | Barbour Panhandle N Braxton N Panhandle F | Kanawaha F Monroe N Lewis N Monroe F | Braxton F Marion F Calhoun Monongalia |
| Barbour Monongalia Braxton N Monroe N | Kanawaha F Webster Lewis N Marion F | Braxton F Randolph F Calhoun Upshur | Lewis F Panhandle F Marion N Randolph N | Gilmer Monroe F Kanawaha N Panhandle N |

KNOW YOUR ATHLETIC STAFF

Dennis Dye, Athletic Director, resides at 103 Finley Circle, Whitesville, WV, with his wife, Gina and two children, Stephen and Brittany. He is a Physical Education teacher at Marsh Fork Elementary and coach at Marsh Fork High School. He is sponsor of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes at Marsh Fork High. He is a deacon at Whitesville First Baptist Church.

Dennis received a P.E. degree from Concord College. He has a Masters Degrees in Speech Communication and Physical Education from West Virginia University.

Dennis has been a Boys' State staff member for 14 years. He says the Boys' State program is great. He looks forward to renewing old friendships and making new ones each year. The program is effective because of the quality of the staff who runs the program. He says you could search all over West Virginia and not find a better group of men than the ones assembled together at Jackson's Mill on the 2nd week of June every year. "May God Bless the Mountaineer Boys' State Program."

Todd Morgan, Athletic Instructor, lives in Fairmont, WV. He has one son, Tyler. Todd is the owner of Dry Cleaning World, Inc. He is a member of the Rotary Elks and is a Computer Science major.

He has been a Boys' State staff member for 21 years. He has helped with the daily cottage inspections for many years. Todd says Boys' State is a great camp to learn about government and the election process.

Brandon Craft, Athletic Instructor, resides at PO Box 157 Bloomingrose, WV 25024 with his parents and sister, Tracy. He is currently a student at Glenville State College majoring in Biology and Chemistry.

Brandon is the 1995 Boys' State Governor and also works as a party advisor at Boys' State. He says the Boys' State program is a wonderful opportunity for the young men and future leaders of West Virginia. Every citizen and staff member is very fortunate to be a part of such a class act program.

Stephen Dye, Athletic Instructor, resides at 103 Finley Circle, Whitesville, WV 25029 with his parents and sister, Brittany. He will be a Junior at Marsh Fork High School where he plays all sports. He is also a member of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes and a member of the band. He attends Whitesville Baptist Church. His girlfriend's name is Hollie Burdette.

Stephen has been a Boys' State staff member for 4 years. He says he loves coming to Boys' State each year.

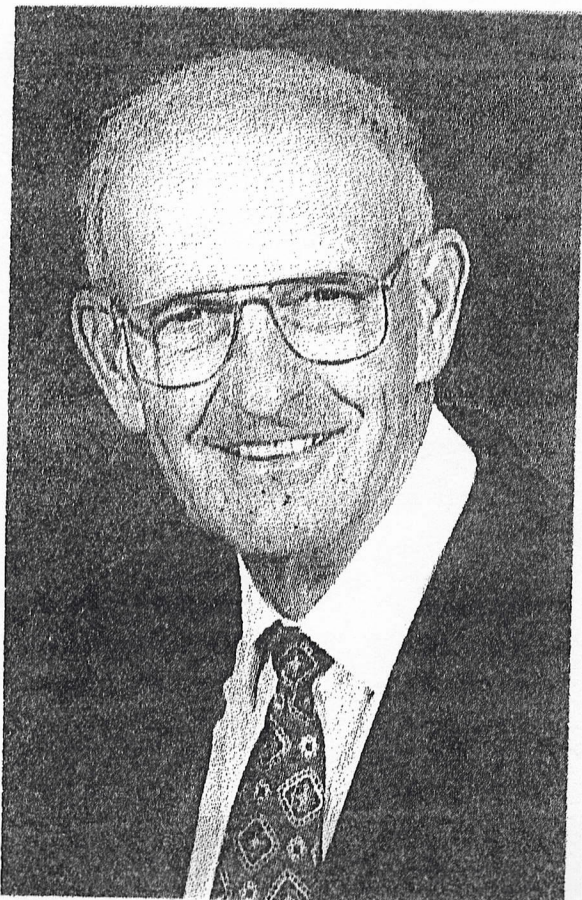
A. JAMES MANCHIN VISITS BOYS' STATE

Former Secretary of State and State Treasurer A. James Manchin spent several days with the citizens of Mountaineer Boys' State. Manchin spoke to the citizens at their evening assembly on Tuesday.

The 72 year young Manchin was a citizen of Mountaineer Boys' State in 1941, having been elected as State Superintendent of Schools. He was first elected to the West Virginia House of Delegates in 1948 at the age of 21. He served as West Virginia Director of the US Farmers Home Administration which provided thousands of West Virginians with public water. Manchin later served as State Director of the "REAP" program ridding West Virginia of numerous junked cars and dilapidated buildings.

A. James served as West Virginia Secretary of State for 2 terms. He then was elected State Treasurer from which he retired. Manchin won the primary election for the House of Delegates from Marion County.

He is a patriot and a noted public speaker. He and his wife Stella live in Farmington in Marion County. They have several children and grandchildren.



Bob Stine, George Daugherty, and Neil Bolyard attended Mountaineer Boys' State as citizens 50 years ago.

THE EARL OF ELKVIEW ENTERTAINS CITIZEN

George Daugherty, The Earl of Elkview, had the citizens of Mountaineer Boys' State on their feet several times during the evening assembly. Mr. Daugherty regaled the audience with tales of West Virginia's history. As well as led the crowd in songs about the state and the United States. Many wonderful slides were displayed, showing the sights of West Virginia. It was a truly motivating experience for all in attendance. Thanks "Earl"!

COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE SPEAKS TO CITIZENS OF MBS

Commissioner Gus Douglass spoke to the citizens of Boys' State on June 8, 1999.

Commissioner Douglass was elected to his 8th term as Commissioner of Agriculture in November, 1996, and took office in January, 1997. He was elected to previous terms in 1968, 1972, 1976, 1980, 1984, and 1992, and was a gubernatorial candidate in 1988.

Commissioner Douglass grew up amidst agriculture in Grimms Landing in Mason County, West Virginia. He was state and national president of the FFA and was chosen West Virginia Star Farmer and later helped to organize and served as first president of the National FFA Alumni Association.

He is a recipient of a wide variety of awards and honors, including the Gamma Sigma Delta award for distinguished service to West Virginia Agriculture and Progressive Farmer Magazine's "Man of the Year" in West Virginia Agriculture. In 1990, he was enshrined in the Agriculture and Forestry Hall of Fame.

He and his wife Anna Lee have four children and belong to the Leon Baptist Church. Douglass is a Mason and a Shriner.

We are very pleased to have Commissioner Douglass as a guest speaker at the 62nd Mountaineer Boys' State

BOYS' STATE MEDICAL STAFF AND SAFETY NEWS



The following individuals comprise the 1999 Boys' State Medical Staff:

Chris Haggerty - Chief Medical Officer - Medical Doctor; Located at Panhandle Cottage or rear of Gilmer; can be contacted on Boys' State Radio Channel 9.

Jeremy Chambers - Emergency Medical Technician; Located at Webster Cottage; can be contacted on Boys' State Radio Channel 1.

Randall Kocsis - Emergency Medical Technician; HQ Staff, located in Monongalia left room 8; can be contacted on Boys' State Radio Channel 1.

Melvin Williams - Emergency Medical Technician; HQ Staff, located in Monongalia left room 8; can be contacted on Boys' State Radio Channel 1.

Walter Greenhowe, Jr. - Lifeguard Certified; Barbour Cottage; can be contacted on Boys' State Radio Channel 1.

IN THE EVENT OF A MEDICAL EMERGENCY NOTIFY THE MEDICAL STAFF BY CONTACTING A STAFF MEMBER WITH A BOYS' STATE RADIO. HAVE THAT STAFF MEMBER NOTIFY THE CHIEF MEDICAL OFFICER AND MEDICAL STAFF VIA RADIO. ANNOUNCE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION: LOCATION OF EMERGENCY, NATURE OF EMERGENCY.

FIRE MARSHAL JOHN GRIMES AND ASSISTANT FIRE MARSHAL RANDALL K. KOCSIS THANK ALL CITIZENS AND STAFF FOR YOUR COOPERATION DURING THE EMERGENCY EVACUATION DRILLS HELD ON SUNDAY EVENING.

—SAFETY COUNTS—

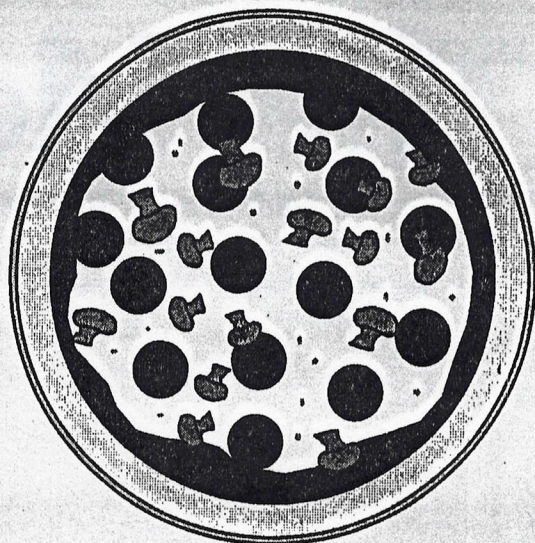
CONGRESSMAN WISE SPEAKS AT NOON MEAL

BOB WISE (D) of Clendenin, Kanawha County; born January 6, 1948, in Washington, D.C. Education: Duke University; Tulane University College of Law. Attorney. Elected to the State Senate in 1980 from the 17th Senatorial District. Elected to the 98th Congress in 1982, the 99th Congress in 1984, the 100th Congress in 1986, the 101st Congress in 1988, the 102nd Congress in 1990, the 103rd Congress in 1992, the 104th Congress in 1994 and the 105th Congress in 1996. He has represented West Virginia's Second Congressional District since the election of 1992. Member, Transportation and Infrastructure Committee, Government Reform and Oversight Committee and House Natural Gas Vehicle Task Force. His wife, Sandy, is a counsel to the U. S. House Ways and Means Committee, a position she held when he arrived in Washington in 1983. Two children: Robert Whitten Wise and Alexandra Stewart Wise.



PIZZA PARTY TONIGHT

All Boys' State Citizens will enjoy a PIZZA PARTY tonight at 10:00pm. Each citizen will be given 3 slices of pizza. Everyone is asked to provide their own drink. Eat, drink, and ENJOY!



COTTAGE INSPECTION

JUNE, 8, 1999

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|------------|-----|
| BARBOUR | 98 |
| BRAXTON | 94 |
| CALHOUN | 92 |
| GILMER | 92 |
| KANAWHA | 96 |
| LEWIS | 98 |
| MARION | 94 |
| MONONGALIA | 100 |
| MONROE | 96 |
| PANHANDLE | 94 |
| RANDOLPH | 90 |
| UPSHUR | 86 |
| WEBSTER | 100 |

"The Unrecognized Winner"

This is for he
who won no election
who's now feeling left out
and feeling rejection.

If you're one of the guys
who lost time and again
think of experience gained
and the places you've been.

Think of the thousands
who suffered the terrible fate
of not being selected
to go to Boy's State.

When you win you may cheer,
if you lose you may cry
it matters not that you lost,
but that you gave it a try.

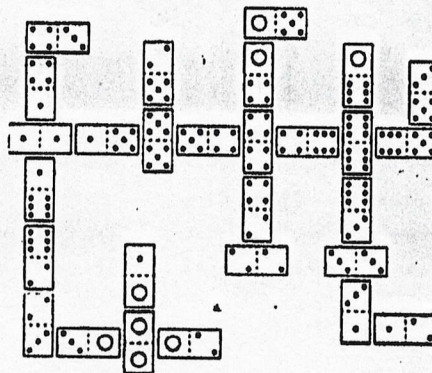
You had your chance,
they gave you a turn
but you lost, so remember
the lesson you learned.

If you tried for an office,
yet your name was not called
better to have tried and lost
than to have not tried at all.

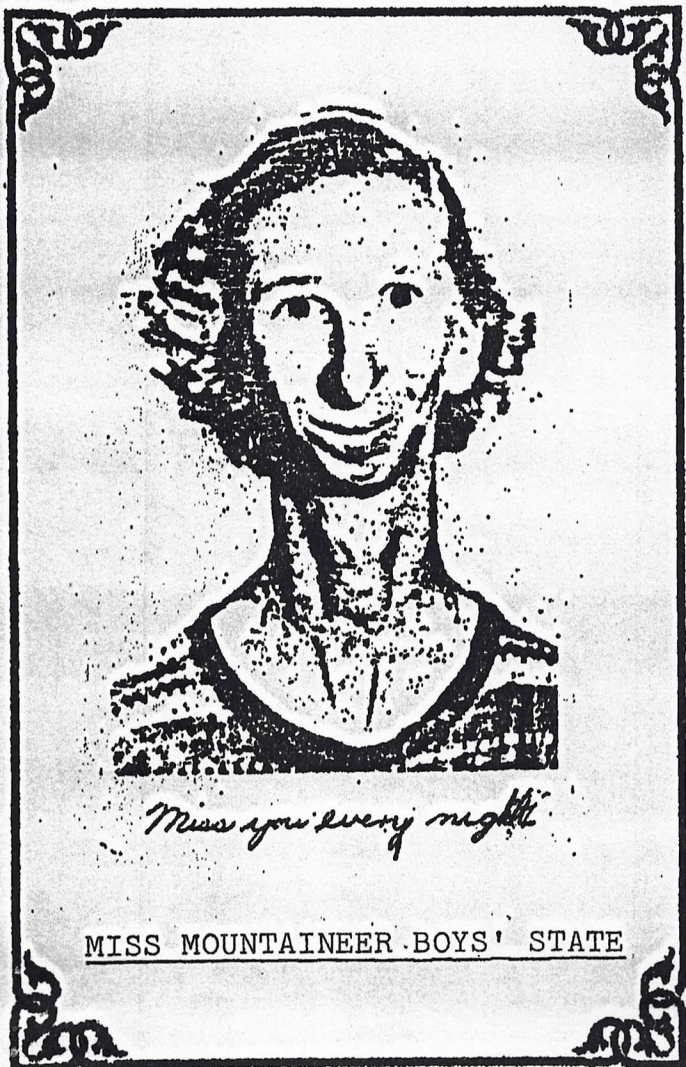
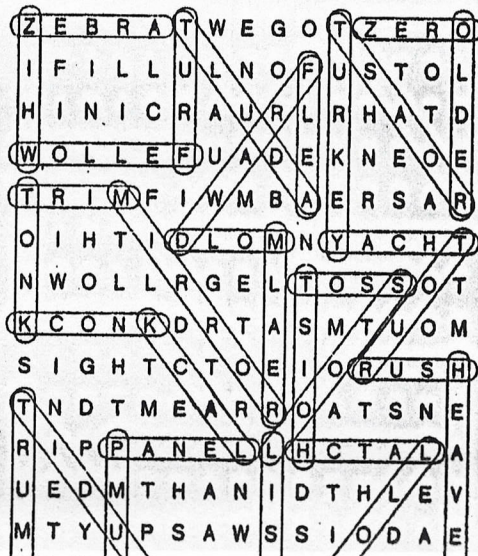
Dismiss all your feelings
of pity and hate
do your best to make the most
of Mountaineer Boys'
State

ANSWERS TO TUESDAY'S PUZZLES

MISSING DOMINOES



CIRCLE-A-WORD 72

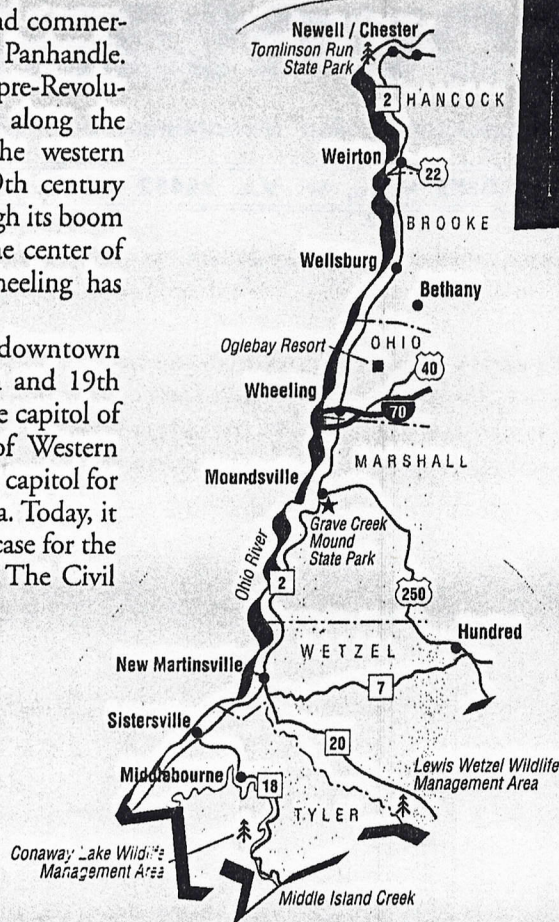
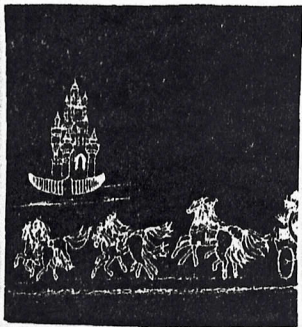


NORTHERN PANHANDLE

Hub of the Panhandle

Wheeling is the historical and commercial hub of the Northern Panhandle. From its earliest days as a pre-Revolutionary outpost and stop along the National Road's path to the western frontier, to its 18th and 19th century role as a port of entry, through its boom and bust Victorian Era as the center of glass, steel and textiles, Wheeling has preserved and persevered.

Independence Hall in downtown Wheeling served as an 18th and 19th century customs house, as the capitol of the Restored Government of Western Virginia, and later as the state capitol for the new state of West Virginia. Today, it is a center for art and a showcase for the state's history, and is part of The Civil War Discovery Trail.



ugging the Ohio River, the six-county area of the Northern Panhandle remembers its history: the ancient Adena people who built a conical mound more than 2,000 years ago; the pioneer families and adventurers making their way west along the National Road; the boom that spawned extravagant Victorian homes in Wheeling and Sistersville.

Today, that history melds with the new Northern Panhandle, as exciting as those days long past, but now filled with the pleasures of today: great country music, wonderful family resorts and parks, outdoor adventure on the rivers, arts and culture, gracious dining and accommodations.

Oglebay

Better Homes and Gardens Top 25 Family Resort!

Mounds of Fun

Fifteen minutes south of Wheeling, Moundsville's first residents came early and left a monument to their culture whose longevity rivals any in antiquity.

In the region at least 15,000 years ago, the Adena culture's crowning achievement is the Grave Creek Mound. The largest conical burial mound in the Americas at 69 feet high and 900 feet in circumference at the base, it was built about 2,000 years ago from an estimated 60,000 tons of earth—about three million baskets full of dirt!

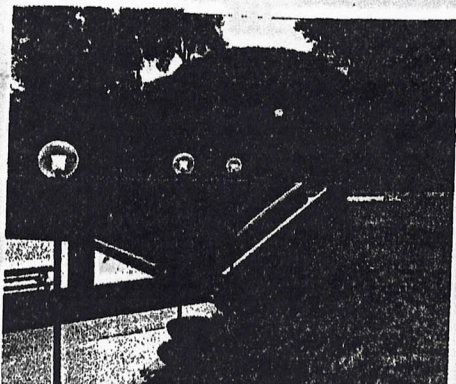
In Grave Creek Mound State Park, adjacent to the burial mound, the Delf Norona Museum displays artifacts of the Adena period, about 1,000 BC to beyond 1 AD.

Moundsville is also home to the famous West Virginia Penitentiary, now closed to prisoners but open for tours. At the prison, constructed in the Civil War era, you can witness what life was like for the inmates. In Alamo Cell Block, the worst of the inmates were housed 22 hours a day. Elsewhere, inmates painted beautiful murals on the walls to help pass the time.

Country or Classical

Wheeling is a country music destination. One of America's best known radio stations, WWVA, broadcasts Jamboree USA every weekend. The live show features top names and up-and-coming performers on the stage of the Capitol Music Hall.

The Capitol Music Hall also is home to the Wheeling Symphony. A highly acclaimed metropolitan class orchestra, the Symphony presents both classical and pops concert series, often with renowned classical, popular and jazz artists.



For ancient history fans, the Adena Burial Mound in Moundsville is the place to go.

STEPHEN J. SHALUTA, JR.

Just east of Moundsville lies Grand View Park, a family favorite. Amenities include golfing, a driving range, swimming, tennis, a playground, picnic sites, hiking trails and overnight accommodations.

Southeast of Moundsville, on a ridge just off US 250 at Limestone, the Palace

Sportsman's Paradise

Public hunting and fishing areas are easily accessible throughout the Northern Panhandle and are regularly stocked with bass, trout, northern pike and channel catfish. Wild geese and ducks flourish on the Ohio River and its tributaries. And while the fish and fowl are plentiful, the crowds are not.

If you're an angler, head to New Martinsville's Hannibal Locks & Dam and its public fishing pier on the Ohio River. The churning waters support an amazing variety of game fish. A paved access road and walkways accessible to people with disabilities make this spot perfect for a family fishing adventure.

The lush 9,229 acres of the Lewis Wetzel Wildlife Management Area are a paradise for sportsmen. Whitetail deer, wild turkey, a wide variety of small game and public campsites abound. Near

Middlebourne, Middle Island Creek offers canoeing, camping and fishing. More river than creek, it supports largemouth bass, channel catfish and other species.

Also nearby, the Jug and Conaway Lake Wildlife Management areas provide outstanding opportunities for anglers.



New River/ Greenbrier Valley

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ighty rivers and breathtaking natural scenery are matched in splendor by world class hotels and cozy bed and breakfasts and inns. There are incredible state parks, adventures awaiting on the mild or wild whitewater of the region and hiking and biking on designated rails-to-trails or on the backroads and forests of your choice.

These ancient mountains and rivers tell the

**Come to the New River/
Greenbrier Valley for nature at
its most inspiring and
civilization at its most refined.**

tales of Native American lore;
of natural springs which
brought early visitors; of
Colonial settlement and Civil

War battles; of the timber, the coal and the
railroads which fueled turn-of-the-century
prosperity; of historic cities, towns and
celebrations.

Historic Lewisburg

Minutes west of White Sulphur Springs off I-64 is the lovely old town of Lewisburg, where dozens of shops and galleries inhabit a quaint collection of 18th and 19th century buildings, now designated as a National Historic District. The shops offer art, antiques, rare books, collectibles, gifts, fashions and accessories. There are a variety of inns, cafes and restaurants serving cuisine for the adventurous and the discerning. Lovely, historic bed and breakfast accommodations are found throughout the historic district.

At Lewisburg's own 1902 Carnegie Hall, a gift from steel magnate Andrew Carnegie, performers ranging from Isaac Stern to Asleep at the Wheel have graced the stage. A recently restored movie theater features live entertainment as well as popular films. In summer, the Greenbrier Valley Theatre Company produces shows in The Barn.

This August, a reenactment of the Battle of Dry Creek will be "fought" in the Greenbrier State Forest, between White Sulphur Springs and Lewisburg.

Another recent addition to this area is Swift Level, an upscale guest house with an accent on personalized service. Swift Level specializes in equestrian mountain trips and guided fly fishing and mountain biking excursions.

*A number of
Civil War
engagements
were fought in
Lewisburg and
surrounding
Greenbrier
County. Each
year the Battle
of Dry Creek
is re-enacted
in Greenbrier
State Forest.*

The Nation's River

North of Hinton, the New River takes on the waters of the Greenbrier River and plunges into a 1,000 foot deep gorge where 53 miles of its course is designated the New River Gorge National River.

The National Park Service operates two visitor's centers on the New River. The Canyon Rim and Hinton visitor's centers have year round programs ranging from Sunday conversations with the region's old-timers to guided walking tours of the Gorge's historic communities to canoe safety clinics.

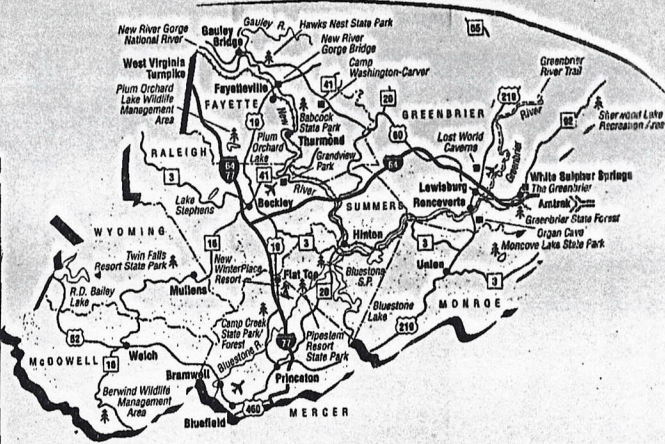
The Hinton Visitor's Center provides an orientation to the New River's southern reaches, including information on the old railroad town of Hinton and scenic wonders such as Sandstone Falls.

More than a million visitors stop annually at the northern Canyon Rim Visitor's Center near the New River Gorge Bridge on U.S. 19 at Fayetteville. The center offers a stunning view of the New River Gorge and the world's longest steel arch bridge which spans it.

Over The Edge!

Crossing the gorge via the four lane New River Gorge Bridge is exhilarating enough for most. But a rare few take their excitement to another level at the annual *Bridge Day* celebration, as two lanes of the bridge are closed to vehicle traffic the third Saturday of October.

BASE jumpers fling themselves over the edge of the highest bridge east of the Mississippi and repellers dangle between the catwalks under the bridge with ropes in excess of 900 feet. For a safer thrill, join the



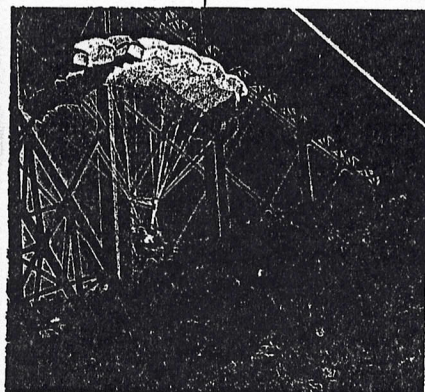
100,000 spectators who salute this engineering feat by enjoying the entertainment, craft and food booths which line the bridge's length for this single day each year.

Fun Down Below

The New River and its surroundings are home to the unusual in sports, sights and historical attractions.

The river is best known for its spectacular whitewater rafting and kayaking. But it also welcomes the less adventurous with gentle family whitewater float trips, canoeing on its upper reaches, tour boat cruising, interpretive history walks and excellent smallmouth bass fishing.

The stretch below Cunard called the Lower New deserves its national reputation for major whitewater. More than 20 professional whitewater companies operate on the Lower New, guiding brave rafters through challenging Class IV and V rapids.



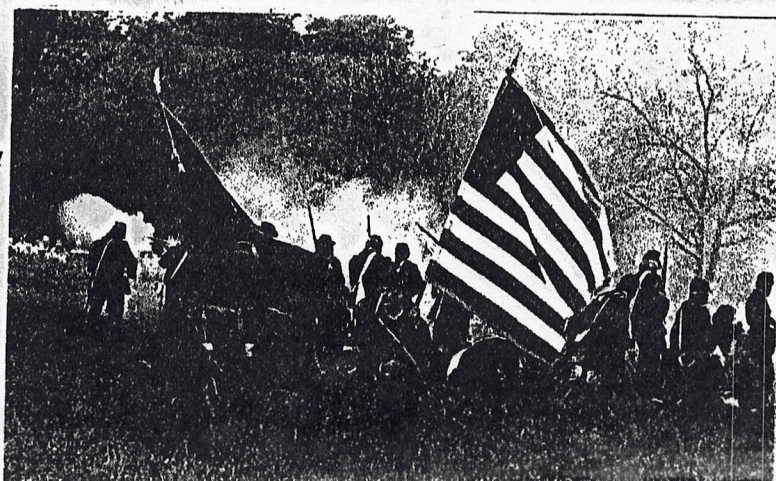
Watch the daredevils who head for the New River on Bridge Day in October.

LARRY BELCHER

The upper New River reveals easy-going Class I, II and III rapids for a liting scenic trip through backcountry teeming with egrets, herons, kingfishers, deer, bobcat and mink.

Sightseers who want a memorable New River experience should sign on for a jetboat tour from Hawks Nest to the New River Gorge Bridge. *Miss M. Rocks*, a 16 passenger canopied tour boat operated by New River Jet Boats, deftly maneuvers upriver for an optimum view.

Regardless of your skill or thrill level, outfitters have programs to suit you. Phone 1/800/CALL WVA for a complete list.

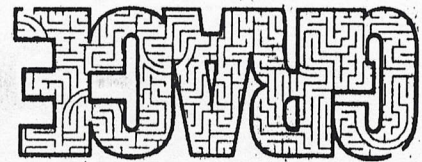
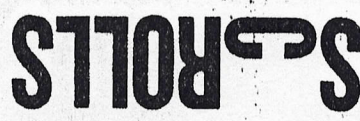
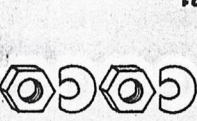
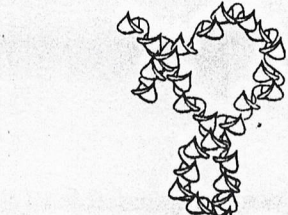
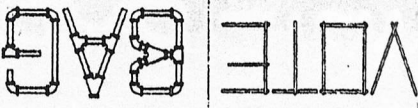
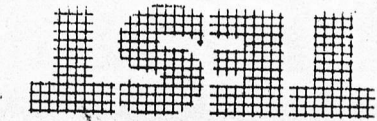
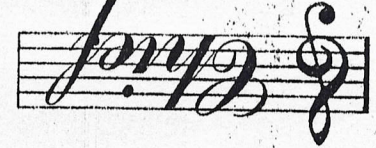
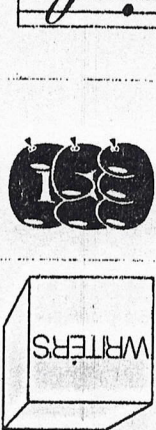
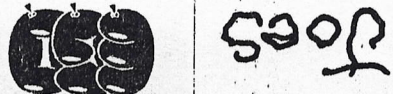
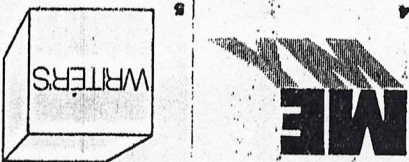
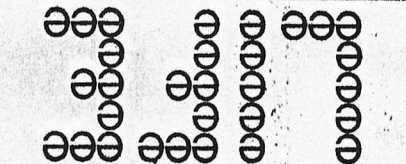


PUZZLES AND GAMES

WACKY WORDIES **

In 1979, Games readers started sending in Wacky Wordies, clever typographic word pictures that were circulating everywhere. So we made some up and ran a page of them. When readers sent more, we ran another page. And another. "No more!" we cried—to no avail. The Wacky Wordies still roll in, and despite our protests, we always print them—one more time. The object is to discern a familiar word, phrase, or proper name from each pictorial letter arrangement. Number 1, for instance, depicts the phrase "file of ease." And 2 is "rule of thumb." And please, if you think of any others, don't tell us!

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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 stormy (2) _____? (3) _____ keep falling on my head. At least you should button up your (4) _____ outside." "Baby, it's (5) _____ outside. "I really hadn't noticed. I feel like we're having a heat (6) _____ side of the street; everything's coming up (8) _____ won't be (9) _____ just any night. I'm writing an ode to (11) _____ You know, happiness is a thing called (12) _____ "But what about me? You go to my (14) _____ I want to hold your (15) _____ I long to dance with you (16) _____ my (18) _____ "Oh, for heaven's sake. Hang down your head (19) _____ Just because we spent a lovely (20) _____ 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."

Famous Last Words

1. "London Bridge," Traditional
2. "Blue Suede Shoes," Carl Perkins
3. "Aquarius," James Rado/Gerome Ragni/Galt McDermot
4. "Get Me to the Church on Time," Lerner and Loewe
5. "Home Sweet Home," John Howard Payne/Sir Henry Bishop
6. "Bring Back My Bonnie to Me," Charles E. Pratt/H.J. Fuller

I Got Rhythm

1. "The Birth of the Blues" (Henderson/De Sylva Brown)
2. "Mr. Tambourine Man" (Bob Dylan) (also "Mr. Bass Man," Johnny Cymbal)
3. "Boogie Woogie Bugle Boy" (Don Raye and Hughie Prince)
4. "Band on the Run" (Paul McCartney)
5. "Jailhouse Rock" (Elvis Presley)
6. "Alexander's Ragtime Band" (Irving Berlin)
7. "It's Only Rock 'n' Roll" (Mick Jagger/Keith Richards)
8. "The Beat Goes On" (Sonny Bono)
9. "American Tune" (Paul Simon)
10. "Boogie On Reggae Woman" (Stevie Wonder)

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