

County Turns Green P. 2 Board Approves Levy P. 4 CM/HS Sports Roundup P. 5 New School Bus Routes P. 9



Grantsville, Aug. 10; West Fork, Aug. 15 **Senior Farmer's Market Voucher Program Returns**

W.Va. Dept. of Agri- ensure culture has announced success. Senior Farmers that vouchers are available.

citizens centers, where participating to eligible seniors.

vouchers, you must be at least 60 years of age and its partners distributed a meet certain financial total of 14,912 vouchers requirements.

31. Your income may not exceed the following lb. bag of apples. (household size, weekly, monthly, annual):

1 person, \$484, \$2,096, \$25,142; 2, \$652, \$2,823, \$33,874; 3, \$820, \$3,551, \$51,338.

'The issues that we Virginia are similar to what other programs are facing agriculture commissioner improvement projects. Kent Leonhardt.

been a struggle to find banking partners to handle the redemption and 27 sewer and water proj- cost of \$3 million. printing of the vouchers, but I am proud of our staff for working through these challenges to ensure that

the program's

Vouchers can be ex-Market Nutrition Program changed for fresh, nutri- in Calhoun will distribute tious, unprepared, locally Vouchers have been grown fruits, vegetables, delivered to county senior honey and herbs from farmer's they are to be distributed markets, roadside stands, and community supported To qualify for the agriculture programs.

In 2021, WVDA and to seniors. A total of 314 Vouchers (one booklet farmers participated in per household) must be the program by accepting receive the following: used by Monday, Oct. the vouchers. In addition, Booklet some seniors received a 5

\$3 Mil. Mt. Zion Water \$42,606; 4, \$988, \$4,279, **Project Moves Forward**

W.Va. Council has announced funding for five sewer around the country," said and two water system technically feasible and

"For WVDA, it has proved technical reviews Public Service District's and requests to pursue water system improvefunding for an additional ments, with an estimated

Infrastructure ects, which help save have experienced in West and Jobs Development taxpayer money and keep projects moving.

Projects found to be approved to pursue fund-The council also ap- ing included Mt. Zion

Food Vouchers Senior Citizens centers

vouchers by drive-thru, with masks required. Grantsville site: enter

on Stump St. to Main St.; available beginning Wednesday, Aug. 10, from 12:30 to 3 p.m.

Upper West Fork Park site: available beginning Monday, Aug. 15, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Each participant will of coupons, eligible list of foods, and list of participating For info, email cgallagh farmer's markets. For iner@wvda.us or 558-3708. formation, call 354-7017.

Aug. 12 Agenda Calhoun county com-

mission has announced the following agenda for Friday's 3:30 p.m. special meeting in the courthouse little courtroom (also virtually (using zoom), 9 a.m.; #5936021621, password, 1234; by phone, +13126266799 or +19292056099 (toll free). --Call to order.

--Pledge of Allegiance.

--Emergency Services Levy Call and Order.

--Personnel: Cody Parsons.

--Executive session.

--Adjournment. Next meeting is Monday, Sept. 12, 9 a.m.



Wednesday, Aug. 10 Senior citizens who qualify may sign up and receive coupons for the Senior Farmer's Market Nutrition Program, Senior Citizens Center, Grantsville, 12:30 to 3 p.m.

CCHS golf team at Glenville, 4 p.m.

Free Movie Night, Arnoldsburg Elementary gym, "The Bad Guys,"

5:30 p.m.; sponsored by (Continued on Page 2)

Commission Discusses EMS Levy; Meeting Set For Levy Order

by Bill Bailey met at 9 a.m. on Monday, with Matt Walker and Kevin Helmick present, ing. and Michael Hicks absent

Crystal Mersh handed improvements for Calhoun County government processes, and outlined what her objectives were.

Commissioners could not vote on the request, since it was not on the overdose treatment. agenda.

CCHS football team for co-host Access Healthy assistance in helping Foods on Sept. 22. move the WVU Extension office in the courthouse: "It was community service and weight lifting the old fashioned way."

Julie Sears gave the E-911 report and thanked everyone who helped with the cleanup of downed trees.

Calls for emergency service for July were 325, bringing the total for the year to 2,118. June response time and July was 15.88 minutes.

Sears Minnie Hamilton Health System for its assistance in mutual aid, being the backup response team.

response to a call with two crews, fully masked and gowned as required, ended with both patients having undiagnosed positive COVID-19. Five of the seven responders came down with the disease, even though they were fully suited up to prevent infection.

evening, and even with County commissioners the weather being noncooperative, there were at least 125 people attend-

Family Resource Network's report was given by Walker, who said that out a formal request for director Tina Persinger reported that she has been trained in several areas of smart recovery and will hold a "Save a Life" event on Sept. 8, with training for NARCAN, the opioid

Sept. 16 is the mobile Walker thanked the food pantry, and FRN will

Sheriff Warren Basnett was gathering information and looking for support for his department's funding for a new four-wheel drive truck. He said that the price of the truck he is seeking has come down the recent heavy rains and \$2,000, but he needed input from the commission as to how much money the county can apply for its part of the grant request.

Commissioners said that they will need to see averaged 23 minutes in how the county's finances are doing, probably in October, so that they can commended meet the grant request percentage.

Shelia Burch, LKADC director, said that the recently closed NAPA She said that a recent store is re-opening under the ownership of Wesley and Amy Rogers of Calhoun Auto Care. Grinders Coffeehouse and Café opened last week and Stinson Grocery has re-opened. Nickie's Place has closed. The EMS levy was discussed at length. It was decided to find out what the wording in the levy is and how it can legally be worded to avoid confusion for voters. The commission will have a special meeting on Friday, Aug. 12, at 3:30 p.m. A request for \$5,000 in funds from Mt. Zion Community Park was approved. The park has not been able to hold any fundraising events since COVID-19 began. Resignation of sheriff's deputy C.J. Myers was approved, as was the hiring of Charles McCroskey as a part time deputy.

Weatherization Funds Approved Gov. Jim Justice has Resources, Inc., which persons.

the program continues. approved over \$3.3 includes Calhoun, Dodd- It is especially for low We are already working million in Weatherization ridge, Gilmer, Jackson, income persons who are towards a solution for Assistance Program grant Pleasants, Ritchie, Roane, particularly vulnerable, funding for 12 agencies Tyler, Wetzel, Wirt and U.S. Dept. of Energy's banking contract. Facing costs for low-income Weatherization Assistance was energy efficiency of their created in 1976 to increase the energy efficiency The grants included of dwellings owned or \$423,383 for Community occupied by low-income

next year."

delayed due to lack of a working to reduce energy a similar issue for 2022, as well as supply chain issues, WVDA worked with federal partners to secure a contract and

The 2021 program was across the state, which are Wood counties. families by improving the Program (WAP) homes.



Entertainment at the Extreme Tour concert, Sunday evening, included "Beyond Chaotic" from Florida.

such as the elderly, people with disabilities, families with children, high residential energy users, and households with a high energy burden.

W.Va. Development office administers WAP in West Virginia on behalf of the DOE.

Typical measures include installing insulation in walls, floors, and attics; reducing air infiltration and pressure imbalances; sealing and repairing ducts; and tuning and repairing heating and cooling units.

A limited amount of DOE funds may be used to address energyrelated health and safety problems.

Community Action agencies are designated providers to weatherize homes for income-eligible homeowners, renters, and multiple dwelling units throughout the state.



Some of the crowd that attended the Extreme Tour concert outside of the Calhoun County Community Center (former high school) in Grantsville.

MHHS was able to cover calls until the crews were recovered and COVID free.

Donnie Pitts gave a report for Calhoun County Park and said that the cabin at the park has been a rental success.

He said that they will monitor the success of the cabin for about a year, and then make a decision as to whether or not to build another cabin at the park.

Pitts said bids had come in for pouring concrete floors and replacing the roofs on shelters at the park. It will be done by two contractors, one doing the concrete and the other doing the roofing.

done at the park has been hard to keep up with this year. All of the time spent mowing the grass is using up time that could be spent on other upkeep projects.

that were donated by Simonton Windows, Inc.

There is still an opening on the Civil Service board, as no one has signed up.

Larry Whited informed Pitts said that most the commission that he of the day-to-day work had not received his tax tickets yet, even though they were mailed July 15.

Treva Fulks of the sheriff's office said that Whited's envelope had not been returned to her Windows in the barn office. She said that if will be replaced with he came to the sheriff's energy efficient windows office, she would print out his tax tickets.

Next regular meeting The Ronnie McDowell of the commission will be concert was held Friday held on Sept. 12, at 9 a.m.

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DBITUARIES

JAMES LOWELL 'Bub' HOUCHIN, JR.

James Lowell "Bub" Houchin, Jr., 41, of Arnoldsburg, died Wednesday, Aug. 3, 2022, as a result of a car accident on his way to work for Apex.

He was born in Grantsville, the son of James Houchin, Sr., and the late Karen Bourne. He was a union pipeline foreman for Local #147.

Surviving are his wife, Erica Houchin; one step-son, Trenton

Falls; one daughter, Cassidy Burrows; two sisters, Alicia Nicholas and Miranda Nelson; two nieces, Annie and Avery Nelson; and four nephews, Caleb and Cody Nicholas and Tyler and Trenton Nelson.

Services were held at Stump Funeral Home, Arnoldsburg, with Rev. Rick Metheney officiating. Burial was on his farm.

QUENTIN BLAINE CUNNINGHAM, SR.

Quentin Blaine Cunningham, Sr., 79, of Harrisville, died Monday, Aug. 1, 2022, at Marietta Memorial Hospital.

He was born in Harrisville, the son of the late Leonard and Loretta Sager Cunningham. He worked for Haught's Drilling in Smithville, State Road and Imperial Furniture in Harrisville, and retired from Troy Mills with 37 years of service.

Surviving are his wife of 57 years, Patty Cunningham; six children, Linda Lowther, Brenda Jewell, Pam Myers, Q. Blaine Cunningham, Jr., Steve Cunningham and Joseph "Tommy" Cunningham; 12 grandchildren, Tracey Marshall, Peyton Lowther, Autumn Bailey, Andrew Jewell, Derek Myers, Allyson Auville, Amber Cunningham, Taylor Lantz, and Aislynn, Sylas, Sinaya and Surray Cunningham; 17 great-grandchildren, William and Dylan Fischer, Logan and Jacob Compton, Briar Bailey, Cameron and Brennah Hinzman, Bentley Myers, Kinsley Auville, Hunter and Jaxson Wolfe, Lucian Parker, Riot and Axel Fry, Asher Lantz and Bryan and Carter Foster; six siblings, Waitman Sager and Ronald Cunningham, both of Ohio, Marvin Cunningham of Hazelgreen, Carol Gribble and Ruth Howell, both of Harrisville, and Helen Ford of Marys, 10 a.m. Grantsville; and many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by one grandson, Tyler Cunningham; two sisters, Opal Clevenger and Gwendolyn Jones; and one brother-in-law, Raymond Clevenger.

Services were held at Raiguel Funeral Home, Harrisville. Burial was in Harrisville IOOF Cemetery.



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MARY ELLA 'Granny Kee' McKEE

Mary Ella "Granny Kee" McKee, 95, of Millstone, died Thursday, Aug. 4, 2022, at 6:25 p.m.

She was born in Lockney, the daughter of the late Joseph and Bessie Moore. She attended Normantown High School and graduated from Calhoun County High School in 1944. She worked as a secretary for West Virginia

University Extension Agency in Gilmer County, until her marriage to Gordon D. McKee on Jan. 12, 1947. They were married for 66 years until his death in September 2013. She and Gordon were members of Albert's Chapel United Methodist Church, Sand Ridge, for 30 years. She served as a teacher and treasurer, as well as various other offices. She was a homemaker and a member of the "Home Maker's Circle."

Surviving are one sister, Wilda Kuhl of Glenville; three daughters, Myra Lynn Painter and husband Joseph of Gandeeville, Debra Jo Young and husband Rodney of Elkview, and Karen White and husband Gary of Gainesville, Va.; seven grandchildren, Beth Tanner and husband Jeff, Matthew Painter and wife Michelle, Rebecca Kelly and husband Art, Brian Young and wife Becky, Ryan Foroughi and wife Angela, Cyrus Foroughi and wife Dulcy, and Sophia Mathias-Simpson and husband Luke; 14 great-grandchildren, Zane, Brock, J.D., Jebediah, Caleb, Cole, Ella, Lucy, Rylee, Brody, Emma, Abigail, Sadie, and Summer; and many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by four brothers, Russell, Max, Blair, and Gerald.

Services were held at Stump Funeral Home, Arnoldsburg, with Pastor David Weaver officiating. Burial was in Albert's Chapel United Methodist Church Cemetery, Sand Ridge.

SPECIAL EVENTS

(Continued from Page 1) Communities in Schools Westbrook Health and Services.

Thursday, August 11 CCHS golf team at St.

Friday, August 12

County commission will have special meeting in courthouse little courtroom and also virtually (using zoom), 3:30 p.m.; #5936021621, password, 1234; by phone, +1312626 6799 or +19292056099 (toll free).

CCHS varsity football team hosts Ravenswood for scrimmage, 6 p.m.

Saturday, August 13 Calhoun Youth football teams play at Doddridge, 4 p.m.

Bluegrass, gospel and country music, Lions Club building, Grantsville, 6 p.m.

Sunday, August 14 Homecoming, Cedar

Senior Farmer's Market Nutrition Program, Upper West Fork Park, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Open houses, Arnoldsburg and Pleasant Hill schools, 4 to 6 p.m.

CCHS golf team at North Bend, 4 p.m.

Tuesday, August 16 Schools will present "Party Back 2 School," Calhoun Middle/High School, 4 to 6 p.m.

Republican Executive Committee meets, courthouse little courtroom, 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday, August 17 First day for kindergarten, 4th, 5th, 7th, 9th and 11th grade students in

Calhoun County Schools. Solid Waste Authority meets, Mom's Place Too, Grantsville, 4 p.m.

Thursday, August 18 First day for 1st, 2nd,

and 10 probable.

Around Calhoun

by Bill Bailey

all over the world, with

record-setting heat waves,

flooding, rainfall, etc.,

things in Calhoun don't

seem quite as bad, com-

August. The rain has been

pretty intense hereabouts,

but serious flooding has

avoided us, while hitting

east, west, north and

radar as they approach

Calhoun, oftentimes they

will begin to dissipate

as it approaches us. This

doesn't happen all of the

time, obviously, but it

happens often enough

to make it statistically

noticeable to the observant

tant, but it is an anomaly

that I have noticed in my

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and thoughtful card from

a subscriber expressing

sympathy for Jeanne and

I for the loss of our little

four-legged friend and

companion Shiloh, who

died around Memorial

still occasionally "see"

him out of the corner

of our eyes, and this

seems to make our eyes

water and breath to be

labored around the lump

that forms in our throat

according to

first time since July 7.

by

announced

were gold.

Jeanne and I both

Day.

I received a very nice

67 years of experience.

It isn't all that impor-

weather watcher.

Watching storms on

south.

paratively speaking.

Other than the weather whenever we think of continuing to be unreal him.

He will always be missed. He was with us from puppyhood until he died while I held him in my lap, speaking to him in soothing tones about It has been really hot him going to the Happy and humid, as expected in Hunting Grounds, where he could play with the other dogs that have passed on from this life that were his companions growing up down in the holler.

> * * *

My right eye, the one where the cataract was removed, is better now than it has ever been. My first 13 or 14 years of life, I was very nearsighted, but I thought that was how everyone else saw the world. Then a schoolmate got a pair of glasses, and when I tried them on (like all of his other buddies), I found that the world was not really fuzzy and out of focus.

I got a pair of glasses and I have been wearing them ever since; however, I think that once I get my left eye worked on, I may be able to get by with a cheap pair of reading glasses. My right eye works perfectly now, with the exception of seeing things close up.

I am actually looking forward to having the left done so that I can walk in rain without a hat on to keep the rain off of my glasses. Yippee!

The Calhoun County After 30 Days, Calhoun **Returns To Green Alert**

After 16 new COVID-The number of deaths 19 cases in Calhoun dur- reported by DHHR in the ing the past seven days, last seven days was 29, a figures decrease of five from last Dept. week. Total deaths in West of Health and Human Virginia are 7,192. Resources, the county The daily percent posi-

returned to "green" for the tivity for West Virginia was 18.3 on Tuesday, and On Tuesday, 10 coun- has averaged 13.2 percent ties were green, while other the past week.

41 were yellow and four The number of new cases in the United States Calhoun's 16 cases was 827,955, a decrease included six confirmed for the third straight week from 887,303, 919,743 The county's 2,064 and 936,492. Total cases 3rd, 6th, 8th, 10th and 12th COVID-19 cases are now since the pandemic began are 93,910,150. New deaths in the U.S. Calhoun's confirmed were 3,679, up from 2,515 cases remain the lowest of four weeks ago. Total New weekly worldwide cases were 6,882,242, County deaths have down from 7,249,606 remained at 15 since May and 7,457,008 the past two weeks, after having Net new cases in area increased for two weeks. Since the pandemic began, worldwide cases reported total 589,161,116. Worldwide deaths in Braxton, 48 (4,511/47); the last week were 16,370, from 16.867, after six straight weeks of increases. Total deaths from the pandemic DHHR reported that last week, and now total 987,851 West Virginia residents have been fully New West Virginia vaccinated (55.1%), an 45th Jones Reunion cases were 6,023, down increase of 857 in the last from 6,379 last week, after week. There have been and Bertha Deem Jones), seven weeks of increases. 546,521 booster shots Calhoun County Park; Total cases during the given, an increase of 3,550 from last week.



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Grove Church, Richardsonville Road, noon.

Monday, August 15 Senior citizens who qualify may sign up and receive coupons for the

Nobe Cemetery

Nobe Cemetery still needs donations for upkeep and also to put a new metal roof on the shelter. Send donations to Nobe Cemetery, c/o Barb Roberts, 359 Nobe Road, Big Bend, WV 26136.

Cedar Grove

Cedar Grove Church, Richardsonville Road, will host Homecoming on Sunday, Aug. 14, at noon. Everyone is welcome. Bring a covered dish and enjoy the fellowship. For information, call Eula Murphy, 354-6971.

grade students in Calhoun County Schools.

CCHS golf team at Roane County, 4 p.m.

Alumni Association meeting, Calhoun County Library, 6 p.m.

Friday, August 19

First day for all students in Calhoun County Schools, except for preschool.

CCHS varsity football team scrimmages at Webster County, 7 p.m.

Saturday, August 20

CM/HS cross country team in Autumn Classic at St. Marys, 9 a.m.

Propst Family Reunion, Mom's Place Too, Grantsville, 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Sunday, August 21

(descendants of Howard lunch at noon.

at 1.038 confirmed and 1,026 probable cases.

all counties, and probable deaths are 1,058,738. cases remain the highest percentage in the state.

3, the lowest in the state.

counties, in addition to Calhoun, in the last week (and county totals/deaths) are: Roane, 56 (3,747/41); Ritchie, 29 (2,693/31); down slightly Clay, 22 (2,519/47); Gilmer, 17 (2,309/21); and Wirt, 14 (1,572/25).

Cases in the area were are 6,442,665. 202, compared to 240 19,415.

pandemic are 564,323.

Swine Symptoms, Fever Found In Jackson Co.

W.Va. Dept. of Agri- of Agriculture's National for confirmation. Resources received multi- confirmation. ple reports on Friday, County Fair of swine exhibiting respiratory symptoms and fever.

Samples were collected the same day and submitted to Moorefield Animal Health Diagnostic Laboratory, a WVDA animal testing lab.

The tests returned presumptive positive results for influenza virus and

culture and W.Va. Dept. Veterinary Services Lab-

several reports developed influenza-like symptoms such as fever, with these animals.

DHHR's Office of Labpresumptive positive inleast one human specimen exposure." on Tuesday, Aug. 2. The warded to the U.S. Dept. Control and Prevention partments, W.Va. Associa-

"It is extremely imof Health and Human oratory in Ames, Iowa, for portant to let your health- Veterinary Medical Assocare provider know if you ciation, Jackson County Health or your loved one has had turkey operations, and July 29, from the Jackson Dept. is also investigating close contact with swine, meat processing facilities of and to be appropriately individuals who have evaluated if experiencing illness who worked closely runny nose, sore throat, cough or congestion," said Dr. Ayne Amjad, oratory Services returned DHHR's health officer. "These symptoms usually off-farm, and anyone in fluenza A H3N2v on at show up 1-3 days after close association with

Numerous stakehold- tions. sample was forwarded to ers, including WVDA, samples have been for- the Centers for Disease DHHR, local health de- like these seriously. It's

tion of Fairs and Festivals, WVU Extension, W.Va. commercial have been alerted to the incident.

WVDA and DHHR are working with these groups to remind producers that potentially sick swine should not be transported swine should take precau-

"Our staff take reports (Continued on Page 3)

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This Week In History

The following reports are taken from The Calhoun Chronicle archives:

1922, 100 years ago

To the Republican party of Sheridan District, Calhoun County, West Virginia: For many years, I have held membership with you, and served in an humble way as best I could, the interests of the party. At the last election, I asked for the nomination to an office. The returns are so different from the pre-election promises made to me by a large number of the members of the party, and taken with a rumor that I was especially selected for slaughter, constitute a reason that decides me to finally and forever sever my membership with said party.

I do not feel like serving, or serving with, any political or other kind of organization, which, with no reason therefore, publicly and stingingly humiliates and hurts the feelings of one of its members.

I very kindly thank all who voted for me, and all who openly opposed me. Those who misled me and under cover of secrecy and misrepresentation, defeated me at the polls, are evidently not satisfied with my political fellowship. Therefore I shall not again affiliate with you.

--Creed Brooks

We are having quite a bit of rain at the present time in Hur and Rocksdale. The recent storms have done much damage to the orchards and crops in this section of the county.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Marsh and daughter, Zelda, of Akron, are visiting relatives at this place this week.

Howard Sampson, who has been very ill with typhoid fever, is some better at this time.

Farmers are very busy putting up their grass at this writing.

Myrtle Green and Roscoe Mahaney were married on Sunday. This was a great surprise to their many friends, and they were surprised on Monday evening with a big serenade.

1947, 75 years ago

All but one of the Farm Women's clubs of Calhoun County was represented recently when they spent the day in the Farm Electrification Building at Jackson's Mill. The women brought food from home and prepared lunch, using the equipment in the demonstration kitchens of the building. Ice cream for dessert was made in the freezer in the basement.

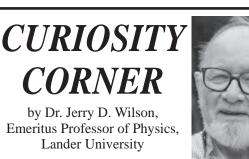
The women enjoyed a tour of the building during which the home appliances on the upper floor were demonstrated by Helen Tucker, Betty Sharp and Threda Crummitt of the Monongahela Power Co. staff, and looked over the farm equipment in the basement, which was explained by J.L. Copeman, also of Monongahela Power.

After lunch, an interesting lecture on adequate wiring was given in the lighting room by L.A. Walls, of the power company, who used the demonstration board that he built for a similar lecture at the spring Farm Electrification Conference. Thirty-two persons, including four men, made the trip to Jackson's Mill.

1972, 50 years ago

Grantsville Girl Scouts held their Day Camp at the Odd Fellows Park, near Big Bend. Mrs. Carl R. Morris was director, Mrs. Donald Stevens was business manager, and Mrs. Don Heiney was food manager.

Unit leaders were: Mrs. Harold Wilson and Mrs. Cleston Nicholas. Cadettes: Mrs. Richard Jarvis, Mrs. Don Stevens and Miss Gail Ford, Juniors. Brownie



Question: I have noticed that skim milk has a bluish color. Why is this? (Asked by a local grocery store clerk.)

Reply: Whole milk appears white. Yet, when you skim the milk, do you skim off some of that color? Well, yes, in a sense. Let's first look at colors, or rather, org. the wavelengths of light perceived by our eyes.

White light is made up of all the wavelengths (or colors) in the visible spectrum. The long wavelength end of the spectrum appears red, and the short end of the spectrum appears blue. In between, there are the wave length colors of "ROY G BIV." This is the acronym used to remember the colors of the rainbow: red, orange, yellow, green, blue, indigo and violet.

So, why does something appear a certain color? It depends on the reflected wavelength. When you shine light onto a substance and it appears white, it is because all the wavelengths are reflected. If you are wearing a red sweater, it appears red because the dye in the sweater reflects red light wavelengths while absorbing all others. For a blue sweater, the dye absorbs all wavelengths and reflects the color blue. Basically, the color we perceive depends on the makeup of the substance.

Now, back to your question. Milk is about 87 percent water and 13 percent solids. Those solids contain several substances, including protein casein, calcium complexes, and fats. The solids absorb some wavelengths, but the combined scattering from all the suspended particles (as a colloid) give a white color.

With skim (or fat-free) milk, the fat globules are removed. Casein protein makes up about 80 percent of milk's protein. It scatters some blue light, and without the fat globules, the skim milk appears bluish.

You may have also noticed that some whole milk appears slightly yellow in color. This could be the result of the cow's diet. Those diets that are high in carotene (the yellow pigment found in carrots) will contain more vitamin A, which has a yellowish color. Carotene is a fat-soluble form of vitamin A, and, therefore, is removed when the fat is skimmed from the milk.

C.P.S. (Curious Postscript): "I refuse to answer that question on the grounds that I don't know the answer." -- Douglas Adams.

Curious about something? Email your questions to Dr. Jerry Wilson at curiosity.corner@yahoo.com. Selected questions will appear in the Curiosity Corner.

Reunions

Cottrell/Cottrill

35th annual Cottrell/ Cottrill and descendants be held on Saturday, Sept. reunion will be held on 3, at Upper West Fork Saturday, Aug. 13, at the Park. Registration begins Gassaway Fire House at 11 a.m., with a covered multi-purpose Doors open at 10 a.m. Bring a covered dish and something for a white elephant sale. Everyone is welcome.

Propst

Propst Family Reunion

Jarvis Cal Jarvis Reunion will room. dish lunch at noon. Come and enjoy the day.

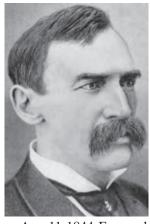
Richards

Richards Reunion will be held Saturday, Sept. 3, 10 a.m., at the Pleasants County Park in St.



The following events tainer happened from July Aug. Queen Victoria Louise 11-17 in West Virginia Virginia "Bricktop" Smith history. To read about was born at Alderson. West Virginia's people, She performed in Paris history, places, science, in the 1920s and opened arts and culture, visit her own club, called the www.wvencyclopedia. Music Box, in 1926.

Ada Beatrice



Aug. 11, 1844: Emanuel Willis Wilson was born at Harpers Ferry. He served as the seventh governor of West Virginia.

Canaan Valley National Wildlife Refuge became the 500th refuge in the National Wildlife Refuge system. It is one of the Niagara Movement began largest and most diverse freshwater wetland areas Storer College in Harpers in central and southern Ferry. The organization Appalachia.



Aug. 12, 1937: Author Walter Dean Myers was born in Martinsburg. In January 2012, he was named the National Ambassador for Young People's Literature by the Library of Congress.

Aug. 12, 1997: The Wheeling-Pittsburgh Steel strike ended when Wheeling-Pittsburgh president of the United Steel was the longest steel States by the Liberty Party manufacturing strike on in 1932. record when it concluded.

mogul and founder of

Aug. 13, 2018: The

ed articles of impeach-

ment against all justices

of the Supreme Court of

Appeals.



Aug. 16, 1851: William 79 percent of the workers Hope "Coin" Harvey was approved a new con- born in Buffalo, Putnam tract. A 10-month walk- County. A social reformer, out by steelworkers at he was nominated for

Aug. 14, 1943: Astronaut Jon Andrew McBride was born in Charleston. He became an astronaut Aug. 11, 1994: The in 1979 and piloted the

space shuttle Challenger on an eight-day mission in 1984. Aug. 15, 1906: The

a five-day meeting at was founded in 1905 by a group of African-American intellectuals, including W.E.B. DuBois.

Aug. 15, 1946: The first FM radio station in the state, WCFC of Beckley, began regular programming.

leaders were Mrs. Tom Fox, Mrs. Gary Roberts, Mrs. Robert Mace and Miss Jenene Arthur.

The week was spent in learning about nature, outdoor cooking, singing, crafts, flag ceremonies, and other camp skills. Tom Fox, conservation officer, visited the camp on Monday to demonstrate the proper on Facebook or call 354way to build a fire for cooking in the woods and also discussed fire prevention.

The Juniors spent Thursday night at the camp site, while the Cadettes remained each night for more advanced camping. Parents' night was held on (descendants of Howard covered dishes, and non-Thursday and the girls presented a campfire program for them.

Boy Scouts and fathers of Girl Scouts who helped with camp work or transportation were Richard Jarvis, County Park, with lunch Raymond Baker, Don Stevens, Carl Morris, Harold Wilson, Joe and Bob Morris, Richard Nicholas, Rick fund raiser for Saunders and making new friends, Jarvis, and Bill and Jim Morris. Senior Scouts serving Cemetery with a quilt and remembering those as aides were Barbara Wilson, Toni Himes, and Patsy made by Carolyn Gragg. and Debbie Gherke.

Cadettes Scouts attending were: Debbie Wilson, Beverly Wilson, Kathy Wilson, Tammy Barnes, Jane and Judy Umstead, Marcia Campbell, Barb Ferrell, Lydia Stevens and Brenda Heiney.

Juniors: Leisa Jarvis, Dana Campbell, Kelly Roberts, Sherry Nicholas, Lisa Heiney, Betsy Rinehart, Christine Law, Donna Baker, Cheryl Arthur, Lisa Hopkins, Lisa Nutter, Kim Sampson, Natasha Stevens, necessary steps to prevent Susan Frame, Carole and Kay Wilson, Lisa Stutler, any further spread," said these cases have been miners. Cheryl Stutler, Nina Frederick and Marcia Campbell.

Brownies: Kristi Roberts, Kathy Roberts, Robin Mace, Sarah Morris, Pam Stump, Teresa Wilson and Roberta Groves. Leigh and Mark Stevens also attended camp.

Board Filing Period

seaton the Calhoun County Board of Education seat is Board of Education will \$25. be conducted through Tuesday, Aug. 23.

The public office election will be on the Tuesday, Nov. 8.

county clerk's office between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Filing for an unexpired for the Calhoun County

Cremo Church

The Cremo Community General Election ballot on Church will host Homecoming on Sunday, Aug. You may file in the 28, at noon. Sunday School will be at 10 a.m. Bring a covered dish and spend the afternoon. For information call Eula The fee for filing Murphy, 354-6971.

will be held at Mom's Place Too, Grantsville, on Saturday, Aug. 20, from

11 a.m. to 3 p.m. **RSVP** to Roger Propst 6293 by Monday, Aug. 1.

Jones

and Bertha Deem Jones) alcohol drinks. Do not will be held on Sunday, Aug. 21, at Calhoun at noon. There will be a renewing old friendships

Swine Symptoms--

WVDA's duty to control used to treat seasonal and contain any potential influenza can also be used animal disease in West for swine flu infection in Virginia. We are taking the humans. Agriculture commissioner recovering or sent to Kent Leonhardt.

Swine influenza is a experience respiratory disease that usually recover in a few typically infects pigs and is different from circulating normally human influenza viruses. Swine influenza viruses may circulate in pig populations throughout the year and do not usually infect humans.

People who develop flu-like symptoms after having been around pigs contact their should recent exposure to pigs or swine barns.

antivirals. The

Marys.

Parks-Elliott

The 95th annual Parks-Elliott Reunion will be held on Sunday, Sept. 4, at Parkersburg City Park, shelter 10 (same place as last year).

Utensils and coffee will The 45th Jones Reunion be furnished. Bring chairs, forget wrapped things for the children's auction.

Spend an afternoon no longer with us.

Huntington, Collis Potter (Continued from Page 2) influenza antiviral drugs Huntington, died. Raised in poverty, he went west when gold was discovered in California. He became rich, not from mining,

The ill swine from but by selling supplies to slaughter. Swine that do House of Delegates adoptsymptoms days. There are vaccines available for swine, but swine influenza is a greater concern for people who may contract the virus.

Officials encourage



Aug. 17, 1944: Staff Sergeant Stanley Bender earned the Medal of Honor in southern France. He rushed through intense machine gun fire and grenades, and knocked out two German machine guns with rifle fire. His actions inspired the rest of the company to take out a German roadblock, kill 37 enemy soldiers, and take 26 prisoners.

Aug. 17, 1976: The National Mine Health and Safety Academy opened at Beaver, near Beckley. The academy, located on an 80-acre campus, is the world's largest educational institution devoted solely to safety and health in mining.

e-WV: The West Virginia Encyclopedia is a project of the W.Va. Humanities Council, 1310 Kanawha Blvd. E., Charleston, WV 25301; 304-346-8500 or www. wvencyclopedia.org.

Aug. 14, 1894: Enter-

state residents to remember to take routine precautions when visiting animal exhibits, including washing hands with soap and water before and after exposure to animals, do healthcare provider and not take personal items, note symptoms and any food or drinks into swine barns, avoid close contact with animals that are ill, Treatment may include and avoid contact with same pigs that have symptoms.





by Mellody Walburn

Oh, sweet Summer, how I hate to say goodbye, but like it or not, you are leaving me once again. As I write this article, I am coming to grips with the fact that this is my last summer weekend. Teaching responsibilities start next week, and soon school will be back in session.

As promised, I have been making the most of my last few days of summer. My sister Mindy and nephew Landon were visiting this week. They stayed in town after our weekend at the park. Because we knew the electric was going to be off all day on Monday, and Maricia didn't have to go to work, we planned a little road trip.

Our original intention was to share a little West Virginia history with Landon. I picked up Maricia, Dad and Landon bright and early, and we headed off to visit Jackson's Mill. This was the boyhood home of Stonewall Jackson. Maricia and I had been there before and enjoyed touring the museum and historic buildings. Unfortunately, upon our arrival, we discovered that the museum is no longer there, and the buildings are only open to the public on special occasions.

We were disappointed, but still determined to have an adventure. An employee in the registration building encouraged us to go visit a local attraction called Lambert's Winery. She mentioned a treehouse that could be rented there, and my dad was hooked. He loves the idea of sleeping in a treehouse.

We found the treehouse and three other rental cabins very easily, and were greeted by a friendly dog named Romeo, and one of the owners of the property. She encouraged us to visit the winery and learn about all it had to offer.

Since it was still early in the day, we were the only visitors, and owner Jim Lambert gave us a tour around the place. We visited the tasting room, the racking room, the storage area, and the cooling room. Jim was gracious enough to walk us through how they go about preparing and bottling the wine. After our lesson, we visited the beautiful outdoor sitting area, where guests can sit and visit, and enjoy wine and cheese trays.

Our final stop was the winery's beautiful ceremony room, or what I would call a chapel. This is a popular site for weddings. Across the road from the winery is a reception hall with both outdoor and indoor seating. We learned that on Wednesday nights guests can purchase brick oven pizza made by the owner himself right in front of you. Maricia and I decided that we will definitely be returning this fall to sample some of that tasty treat.

After we finished our tour, we decided it was time for some lunch. We drove through Weston to show Landon the famous Trans-Allegheny Lunatic Asylum, and then headed to Stonewall Resort. While we were eating lunch in the lodge, Maricia told us about the Almost Heaven Swings that were put up in nine places around the state

One of those just happened to be placed very near to where we were eating. Of course, we had to go get our picture taken there. The swing is accompanied by a wooden cut out of the state that doubles as a place for visitors to place their phones to take selfies. It worked perfectly, and we got some good pictures.



(This series is made possible through the efforts of Michael A. Ayers' descendants. The letters were preserved by Ayers' grandson Ashford Ayers and compiled into booklet form by Alice Ann Ayers Brown, great-granddaughter of Michael and Mary Ayers.)

Michael A. Ayers--A Calhoun Native In the Civil War

(Continued from Last Week) Journal entries from the Spring Campaign of 1864 in West Virginia continue.

Thursday, [May] 19th. March at 5 A.M. Pass through "Blue Sulphur Sprs" which are in a ruined condition. Crossed Blue Sulphur Mountain, and reach Meadow Bluffs at 1 P.M. Marched 12 miles. The timber here is just coming in leaf. Every thing indicates the former occupation of the place by troops.

Friday, [May] 20th. Wagon Train left this morning for Gauley for rations of which we are very scarce.

[May] 21st. Saturday. A small supply of subsistence came up to day consisting of crackers and coffee, which is very acceptable.

[May] 22nd. Sunday. The 3rd Brigade march at 10 A.M. and camp at Bangers Mills in the afternoon a distance of 11 miles. We are now 4 miles west of Lewisburg. Have a beautiful camp on a commanding eminence. A beautiful country spreads out in front of us, while a high mountain looms up in the rear.

Our head quarters are under the branches of a large chestnut tree. The fields are all covered with rich verdure, and we can see meadows dotted over with horses, which are here grazing. Gen'l Averell's cavalry are camped here and his horses are enjoying the splendid grass.

During the time we are here we have two or three sermons preached by the chaplains of the 3rd. & 4th. P. Regt., which are very affecting, brave, brawny and war worn soldiers unused to weep, shed tears while they spoke of the dangers of the field and then told us how thankful we ought to feel for having our lives preserved while so many of our comrades have fallen around us, and then reverted to the happy home scenes, which we once enjoyed in peace and happiness.

[May 22nd, Sunday.] Quite a number of these two Regiments start home during our stay here, whose time of service has expired. Our Regiment and theirs had formed quite an attachment for each other, and were on the best of terms. The chaplains both went home with the Regiments. The remnant that is left try and general science are consolidated and put under command of Captain Sweet.

At this place is some natural curiosities. I visited a waterfall, over which quite a stream rushed, and fell some 30 feet. Coming out of the hill above and sunk away at the bottom, another was a cave of considerable extent through which ran a beautiful stream of pure water, enough to supply the whole camp. Another was quite a large creek which turned Bangers Mill and which sank away a few rod from the mill and disappeared beneath the ground, and still another was a very extensive cave in the earth, containing a great many curious formed rock, produced by the dripping of lime water. The rock here is principally limestone and from this cause I suppose we can account for the many freaks of nature.

This expedition has been a great success and business were:

Senior Citizens Menu

Menu for the Senior fish, slaw, stew vegetables, Citizens Center (2% milk peaches, whole wheat and margarine available roll.

(Dining hall is open from 8:30 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.)

daily):

Thursday, Aug. 11: hotdog, meat sauce, slaw, mixed vegetables with vegetables, kale, fruit, carrots, fruit, whole wheat cornbread. bun.

chop, scalloped potatoes. cauliflower, broccoli, fruit, whole wheat bread.

Monday, Aug. 15: BBQ rib and onions, green beans, pineapples, whole wheat bun.

Tuesday, Aug. 16: baked steak, mashed pick-up meals from 11 potatoes, gravy, peas and to 11:30 a.m., Mondaycarrots, fruit, whole wheat roll.

Thursday, Aug. 18: sloppy joe, raw vegetable salad, peaches, whole wheat bun.

Friday, Aug. 19: baked beans and wieners, mixed

Suggested donation Friday, Aug. 12: pork scale for meals: Individual monthly income, \$700 or less, \$1.25 per meal; \$701 to \$800, \$1.50; \$801 to \$900, \$1.75; \$901 or above, \$2.

> Guests under age 60, \$5.25.

You may drive-by and Friday, by calling CCCOA, 354-7017, to be

Wednesday, Aug. 17: placed on a list.

School Board Votes 5-0 For Excess Levy

cation members unani- pulsion review at 6:25 mously approved excess levy to be placed on the Nov. 8 General board meeting will be on Election ballot during Monday, Sept. 12, at 5:30 Monday's meeting.

The levy is estimated to raise \$668,349 each Aug. 1 Meeting year for four years--a total of \$2,673,396.

Additional Chronicle next week.

Superintendent Kelli Whytsell recognized Bryant Yoak as having a verbal agreement to play baseball at WVU. She also recognized several individuals as new hires:

studies teacher, CM/HS; Amanda White, chemisteacher, CM/HS; Deborah multi-cate-Toppings, gorical special education teacher, CM/HS; Crystal Jarvis, custodian, AES; Michelle Goad, Whitley Cottrell, multi-classified aides II/supervisory aides/ bus aides, SHCP, AES; Terry Marks, custodian III, all locations, floater; Patti Kight, special education, CM/HS; Kayla Ware, cross country and track and field assistant coach. Approved under new grader.

County board of edu- executive session for exan p.m.

> The next scheduled p.m.

Superintendent Kelli Whytsell announced the details following new teacher will be published in the hires during an Aug. 1 board meeting:

Ernest Tingler, math, CM/HS; Terrance Madarish, social studies, CM/ HS; Courtney Lewis and KaitlynBurch, elementary, AES; Sailah Hill, special education, self-contained Debra McClain, social classroom, AES; and Jennifer Helmick and Patti Kight, special education, CM/HS.

> The superintendent also updated information on construction projects: new freezer finished; roof peak replacement at CM/ HS finished; sidewalk at PHS is being replaced, so that parking lot paving can be completed; and loading dock at CM/HS is being repaired.

> Approved under new business was a homeschool request by parent Rebecca Greathouse for a 4th

Approved under personnel were:

Mother Nature didn't cooperate much with us this week. It seemed like it was either too hot and humid to be outside, or it was raining. We did manage to squeeze in a game of pickle ball one evening, but that was about it for outdoor activities.

Our other nephew Michael surprised us with a visit on Thursday. We hadn't seen him since Memorial Day Weekend, so this was a nice surprise. Dad really enjoyed having both grandsons in town at one time.

We also got another great surprise on Thursday. Grinders Coffeehouse and Café opened. We have been looking forward to this establishment opening for quite some time, and based on the crowd there all day, we weren't the only ones. I have a feeling that I will be spending a great deal of time there.

My last summer hurrah was a short road trip to New Concord, Ohio, to visit a dear friend. It was great spending time with her and catching up. There is nothing like spending time with good friends, and it was the perfect way to end my summer. Miss Walburn is getting ready to head back to her classroom. Goodbye, summer.



proven the ability of Genl. Crook to be an efficient and able commander combining with bravery, great fund invoices, \$826,462; skilfulness and caution, and demonstrating the fact supplements, \$1,348,912; that success depends on boldness and celerity of July financial statement; movements. The enemy have sustained a severe loss, which it will take some time to repair.

Our loss too has been considerable, but we have the proud satisfaction of beholding victory perched upon our banners.

The following estimate of the total distance marched in 19 days consecutively is believed to be correct, viz. 258 miles.

Jottings on a rainy day.

May 25. In camp at Bangers Mill four miles west of Lewisburg. This is a beautiful country. We are camped on a hill, commanding a splendid view of the valley which stretches away to the east. In our rear are camped the 3rd & 4th Pa. Regts. on a hill to our left is the camp of the 15th Va. and Mullens Battery (1st Ohio) further to the left and east the cavalry are camped

The whole expanse of country is covered with verdure, and the sun breaks over the horizon in the east of a morning with regal splendor. We have had a shower during each night of our stay here, and every species of vegetation, seems laden with a richness and perfume that is really inspiring to the sun browned and war worn soldiers as they arise from their couches, the birds make the air vocal with the sweetest music, seeming to vie with each other in the variety and richness of their strains.

[Jottings on a rainy day. May 25.] Amid all this order, harmony and sweetness of nature, who can have a heart so hard, as not to think of home and the happy days of yore, when each one could, amidst the family circle, relatives or friends, enjoy all the pleasure of such a beautiful May day. When the sound of war was not heard, and each one was secure and happy.

Where the fertile valley & hillside of our own West Virginia gave their bounteous loads of maize & wheat, and luscious fruits to the industrious husbandman, who could retire to his cottage in the evening, his term substitute, special days labor finished, and find his table smoking with rich viands, prepared by the hands of his good wife or daughters, and when the sabbath dawned bright and beautiful (as it did last sabbath 22) surrounded by his own dear ones, send up their morning devotion of prayer and thanksgiving for all those in-estimable blessings which they enjoy, and then spend the day at the village church, in association with neighbors and friends, singing and praising their Creator. Oh: who does not long for the return of such days?

(Continued Next Week)

--Finance, General quarterly school financials, April-June.

--Pleasant Hill School parking lot paving bid of \$100,044 from Kelly Paving.

--Student transfer requests, parent Mathew Taylor, 10th, 11th grades; parent April Richards, 12th; parent Jessica Mc-Cumbers, 4th, 11th, 12th; parent Melanie Henderson, 11th; parent Dustin Hardbarger, 3rd, 5th, 6th; parent Cassie Elkins, 3rd, 7th.

Items approved under personnel included:

--Termination due to non-renewal of substitute certification: Sandra Harding, Jeremy March, Brittney Cummings, Shelly Stewart, substitute teachers.

--Resignations, profes- trip, 2 busses. sional, Chelsea Hicks Smith, substitute teacher; extracurricular, Travis Mayle, assistant varsity football coach.

--Employment, professional, Raven Friend, multi-categorical special education teacher, PHS; Anita Stephenson, long education teacher, PHS, food! For information, Aug. 11-Oct. 14; service, Donna Schoolcraft, multiclassified aide II/supervisory aide/bus aide, CM/ HS; Barbara Greathouse, substitute custodian; extracurricular, Travis Mayle, have its monthly meeting \$1 assistant middle school football coach.

The board went into p.m.

--Resignations, professional, Charles Thomas, 21st CCLC director.

--Employment, professional, teachers, Amanda White, chemistry and general science, CM/HS; Terry Jones, Jim Morgan, substitute, long term elementary, CM/HS; Rick Kinder, long term math, CM/HS; Renita Benson, Kara Starcher, substitutes, county.

Service, Jasmine Mc-Glothlin, Jo Hanna Deuley, substitute multi-classified aides II, supervisory aides, bus aides; Jasmine McGlothlin, substitute custodian, county; Christina Miller, multi-classified aide II, supervisory aide, bus aide; PHS; Eric Starcher, bus operator.

--Transportation, Kennywood Amusement Park, West Mifflin, Pa., Aug. 19, David Gaul, delayed field

Car/Truck Show

Community Creston Building will hold a Car/ Truck Show on Saturday, Aug. 27. Registration begins at 10 a.m., with a \$10 fee. Judging will begin at 12:05 p.m. There will be awards, prizes, 50/50, and call 275-0003.

Solid Waste

Calhoun County Solid Waste Authority will at Mom's Place Too, on Wednesday, Aug. 17, at 4

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CM/HS Sports Roundup

Varsity Football

will host Ravenswood for Wednesday evening in the a scrimmage on Friday at school gymnasium. 6 p.m.

mage is a can of food with (school's food pantry); Hannah also participating, towels (player's usage); or noon. bleach/cleaning supplies (football program).

The team will scrimmage at Webster County was rained out last on Friday, Aug. 19, at 7 p.m.

The Red Devils open the regular season at Wirt Bottom on Friday. County on Friday, Aug. 26, at 7 p.m.

Middle School Football

Coach Kevin Cunning-Monday morning. Players Saturday, Aug. 20, 9 a.m., brought a sleeping bag in the Autumn Classic at and pillow; pizza and St. Marys. snacks were provided on Sunday night; and donuts CCHS Cheerleading were provided Monday morning.

CMS will host Summersville for a scrimmage on Thursday, Aug. 25, at 6 CMS Cheerleading p.m.

Varsity Volleyball

CoachAngieHersman's 5 to 7 p.m.

varsity volleyball team TheCCHS footballteam was to finish up tryouts on CMS Volleyball

The team is scheduled Entry fee for the scrim- to open at Ravenswood, Sherman and soap, personal hygiene, on Saturday, Aug. 27, at Meet the Teams

Golf

The CCHS golf team Tuesday at Roane, but competed at North Bend on Thursday and at Mingo

Golf scores are located elsewhere on this page.

Cross Country

CM/HS The ham held a Midnight country team will have and the Calhoun Youth Madness first practice on its first competition on football players will be

Varsity cheerleading practice is held in the gym as 4 p.m.

The Calhoun Middle School cheerleaders began practice on Monday from

According To PSC, **Assistance** Available **For Rising Utility Bills**

U.S. Energy Information Administration has reported international half of 2022.

Natural gas utility residential their annual 30C cases with the Public Service purchased gas portion of residential customers. their rates.

Some of those requests are as much as 173% above the rates the commission approved last year. The commission does not regulate the price of natural gas; that price is determined by competitive markets.

EIA also reported that the large increase in you must apply for that natural gas fuel costs over up wholesale electricity prices throughout the United States. is concerned PSC about the effect that these increasing prices are Development Fund adhaving and is advising customers where they can look for assistance. Customers facing difficulties paying their utility bills should first contact WV211 to see what financial assistance may be available in their area, including churches and local charities. Customers should also contact their local DHHR including eligibility reoffice, 85 Industrial Park Road, Grantsville, WV 26147, or 354-6118, to apply for assistance through the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP), a & Expo will be held federally-funded program Thursday-Saturday, Aug. that helps low-income 11-13, with a quilt show, citizens pay for home arts and crafts exhibits, heating weatherizing your home fruits and vegetables, and minor energy-related flower exhibit, carnival home repairs.

Rate Increases

According to legal natural gas and liquefied notices published in the natural gas prices hit Chronicle this week (Page record highs in the last 7), Mountaineer Gas Co. quarter of 2021 and first is requesting an average rate hike of 34.67% for customers, companies in West Vir- and Hope Gas, Inc., doing ginia are currently filing business as Dominion Energy West Virginia, is requesting an average Commission to adjust the rate hike of 51.13% for

> November through March to qualifying low-income Ricky Ayers family. customers.

Virginia Utility Assistance or 5334 E. Little Kanawha Program may be able to Hwy., Grantsville, WV provide a one-time grant 26147. to help pay electric, gas, or water bills.

If LIHEAP is available, the PSC website: www. psc.state.wv.us.

The CMS volleyball team begins practice on Monday in the gym from 4 to 6 p.m., with a parents meeting to follow.

Meet the Teams for all fall sports will be held on Thursday, Aug. 25, at 5:30 p.m.

The CMS football team will scrimmage Summersville at 6 p.m. Except for the football players, middle school fall sports teams will be introduced during "halftime."

At the completion of the scrimmage, the cross CMS football players introduced.

> the same as the varsity scrimmage.

2022 Calhoun Middle **Volleyball Schedule**

August 31 Gilmer A 6 p.m. September

Webster H 6 p.m. 12 Spencer H 8 p.m. 14 Summersville H 6 p.m. Gilmer H 6 p.m. George Wash. A 6 p.m. 19 20 Walton A 6 p.m.

21 Ravenswood H 6 p.m. October

Clay A 6 p.m. 3 George Wash. H 6 p.m. 4 Webster A 6 p.m. 6 10 Clay H 6 p.m. 12 Ravenswood . A 6 p.m. 13 Summersville A 6 p.m.

18 Walton H 6 p.m. 22 CWVAC H 9 a.m.

Cemetery Reports

Bennett/Bethel Donations are needed

from those who have family in Rev. Wm. G. Bennett/Bethel Cemetery for continued upkeep.

Those who have made donations in 2022 are Madeline Dawson and

Send donations to Bar-Dollar Energy's West bara Ayers, P.O. Box 109

Book Sale

The Calhoun County program before applying Library book sale conthe past year is driving for the Dollar Energy tinues. Hours are: Monday, program. A link to Dollar Wednesday and Friday, 8 Energy may be found on a.m. to 3 p.m., and Tuesday and Thursday, 10 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.

Golf Results

Calhoun County High School golf results:

Wednesday, Aug. 3 Little Kanawha Conference Scramble, North Bend, Harrisville Team results: St.

Marys 57, Gilmer A 62, Ravenswood 62, Roane A 63, Williamstown 65, Tyler Consolidated 65, Ritchie 66, Webster 68, Calhoun 69, Gilmer B 70, Doddridge 71, Roane B 71.

Friday, Aug. 5

Wirt County Invitational, Mingo Bottom Golf Club Team results: St. Marys

326. Williamstown 377. Roane 382, Gilmer 404, Webster 457, Calhoun 477, Tyler Consolidated 479, Doddridge 497, Roane B 508.

Calhoun individuals: Entry fees will be Landon Bennett 80, Trista Arnold 123, Kason Hupp 136, Gunnar Lane 138, Camron Jarvis 140.

Youth Football

Calhoun Youth football teams, A (5th and 6th grades), B (3rd and 4th grades), and C (kindergarten, 1st and 2nd grades) will open their seasons on Saturday, Aug. 13, 4 p.m., at Doddridge.

Remaining season schedule (A team first, followed by C and B teams):

Saturday, Aug. 20, at Clay, noon.

Sunday, Aug. 28, host Gilmer, 1 p.m.

Sept. 3-4: Open.

Sunday, Sept. 11, at Braxton, noon.

Sunday, Sept. 18, host 15 St. Marys A 10 a.m. Roane, 1 p.m.

2022 Calhoun Varsity **Football Schedule** Scrimmages

Sports Schedules

August

15

September

2022

Calhoun Varsity

Golf Schedule

(All contests on the road)

3 North Bend 10 a.m.

5 Mingo Bottom . 9 a.m.

9th of 12 teams

6th of 9 teams

10 Glenville 4 p.m.

11 St. Marys 10 a.m.

18 Roane Co. 4 p.m.

23 Riverside 4 p.m.

25 Mingo Bottom . 4 p.m.

29 Sistersville 4 p.m.

6 Girls at Mingo 11 a.m.

8 Mingo Bottom . 4 p.m.

12 Roane Co. 4 p.m.

14 Glenville 4 p.m.

15 Mingo Bottom . 4 p.m.

17 Riverside 8:30 a.m.

21 Glenville 4 p.m.

2022 Calhoun

Middle School

Football Schedule

25 Summersville H 6 p.m.

1 South Harrison A 6:30

8 George Wash. H 6 p.m.

15 Clay H 6 p.m.

22 Braxton A 6 p.m. 29 Ravenswood . H 6 p.m.

6 Webster H 6 p.m.

13 Gilmer A 6 p.m.

20 Spencer A 6 p.m. 27 CWVAC A 6 p.m.

Democrats

crats will meet Wednes-

day, Aug. 24, at 6 p.m.,

in the courthouse little

courtroom. All Democrats

are invited to participate.

Calhoun County Demo-

Bottom 10 a.m.

Riverside TBA

19 LKC at Mingo

26 Regional at

Scrimmage

September

October

SALe

Regular Season

August

Glenville 4 p.m.

North Bend 4 p.m.

Aug. 12 host Ravenswood 6 p.m. Aug. 19

at Webster Co. 7 p.m. Regular Season

August

- 26 Wirt County Away September
- 2 Valley (Wetzel) . Away
- 9 St. Marys .. 7:30 Away
- 16 Doddridge Co. .. Home
- 23 Trinity Ch. Home
- 30 Paden City Home (Homecoming)
- October
- 7 Open
 - 14 Gilmer Co..... Away
 - 21 Wahama Home
 - (Senior Night) 28 Clay-Battelle Away
 - November
 - 4 Ritchie Co. Away

Regular season games, 7 p.m., except St. Marys, 7:30

2022 **Calhoun Varsity** Volleyball Schedule

August 27 Ravenswood . A Noon (Sherman, Hannah)

- September 3 Doddridge
- Tournament A 9 a.m.
- So. Harrison A 6 p.m.
- 10 Paw Paw A 11 a.m.
- 13 Roane Co. A 6 p.m.
- 19 Lewis Co. A 6 p.m.
- (with Liberty-H)
- regular 20 Ritchie Co. .. A 6 p.m. (with RCB)
 - Wirt Co. A 6 p.m. 21
 - 22 Doddridge .. H 6 p.m.
 - 26 St. Marys H 6 p.m. 28 Wirt Co. H 6 p.m.

October

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29 Gilmer Co. ... A 6 p.m.

3 Webster Co. . A 6 p.m.

8 Paw Paw H 11 a.m.

(with Clay Co.)

13 Braxton Co. H 6 p.m.

(Gilmer, Roane)

Rd

August 11, 12 & 13

8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Rain or Shine!

3221 S. Calhoun Highway, Grantsville, W.Va.

Approximately 3 miles South of Grantsville

gram, available from Page 9.

West Virginia Housing ministers assistance programs for renters and homeowners who are struggling because of the pandemic or COVID-19.

Mountaineer Rental Assistance Program and W.Va. Homeowner Rescue Program can help with utility bill payments, rent and mortgage assistance.

Detailed information, quirements, are at www. wvhdf.com.

Ritchie Fair

Ritchie County Fair and cooling, fresh and home canned rides, 4-H livestock shows, DHHR also administers and project exhibits. See the 20% Discount Pro- schedule of activities on (toward Spencer) on the left hand side of the road, white house with carport attached. Clothes, household goods, furniture and much more!

Minnie Hamilton Health System SWING BED SERVICES

Following a hospital stay related to illness, injury, or surgery, patients may require further care to reach an optimal level of strength and wellness, so that, they can safely return to their home. The Swing Bed Program at Minnie Hamilton Health System (MHHS) is designed to assist patients to achieve this goal through hospital-based nursing care and rehabilitation services.

Services Provided:

Physical, Occupational and Speech Therapy **IV** Antibiotics Wound Care Cardiopulmonary Rehab 24 Hour Nursing Care

> Insurance include: Medicare Medicare HMO's Private Insurances

For referrals contact: Tracy Snodgrass, Social Services Direct Line #304-354-9716 Fax #304-354-5963

Minnie Hamilton Health System Swing Bed Program 186 Hospital Drive Grantsville, WV 26147









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Calhoun Realty Team welcomes our newest team members...

Jerry D. Mann - Jerry is a Veteran that served our country with the US Army and has moved to Calhoun County to build his real estate career.

Crystal A. Elkins - Crystal prides herself in providing excellent customer service and always strives to exceed her clients expectations. With a BA in Advertising/ Graphic Design, she has the knowledge to effectively market you property and help you reach your buying or selling goals.

Sheila R. Rader - Sheila worked as a real estate agent in Ohio for several years. Serving the North Central West Virginia area, Sheila is ready to take on new clients to help them reach their goals.

723 Nobe Road, Big Bend , WV || 1.841 Acres +/- || Ridgetop living with new updates! This 2-bedroom, 2-bathroom home is located just 6 miles from Grantsville. Everything in this home is on the main level. The inside boasts lots of beautiful handcrafted wood walls and cabinets made by a local craftsman. So many new upgrades to list: HUGE brand new wrap around the lettles reads down to the new greenhouse, new gutter drains, new stampes ditchen appliances and a carrier central heating cooling system with readenty that was installed this year. Need storage space? The full length basement, cold cellar and 12X20 outbuilding with power is perfect for all your needs. Underneath the home is a garage perfect for mowers, a small tractor and equipment. Have a family coming in with an RV? No problem, RV hookups on the property ready to use. Home also has natural gas for cooking, heat and hot water with two natural gas wall heaters installed in case the power is lost to the main gas furnace. \$159,900

1395 Big Root Road, Big Bend, WV || 1 Acre +/- || Looking for a move-in ready home? This is it! This home has 3 bedrooms with 2 bathrooms. The home has a true Master Bedroom with a Master Bathroom. No appliances? No need! This home has all appliances needed that have been purchased recently. In the living room you will find a wood fireplace for the brisk nights. The dedicated dining room is ready for many more family dinners. The large back deck is great for entertaining multiple guests. The front yard is flat and easy to maintain. The backyard is mostly uphill with a few benches in the ground perfect for a garden (current use). For the price, this is a perfect move-in ready home just minutes from Grantsville. \$129,900

955 Vaughan Road, Grantsville, WV || 1 Acre +/- || Great quiet neighborhood just a few miles from the Town of Grantsville. This charming 3-bedroore 2-bathroom home is perfect for the first-time homebuyer or elderly counterlocking for one-level living. The living room flows easily into the kitche whing area with a door onto the back porch. All of the bedrooms are options and of the home. This home does feature a Master Bedroom and Bachroom. This home has central heating and air. The basement of the home is accessed from outside and has a garage door. The property has 1 acre of land. Bring your personal belongings and move into this VERY CLEAN home.

3670 E. Little Kanawha Highway, Grantsville, WV || 1.58 Acres +/- || Remodeled from the studs, this house looks brand new on the inside! The living room, kitchen and dining room all wraps into one big open floor plan making it perfect for hosting guests. Sliding glass doors in the dining room lead out into the carport making it an easy walk with a handful of groceries. All on one end of the horse, you will find 3 bedrooms and the guest bathroom. With no stairs, this hope is perfect for one-level living. Outside, there is a large fenced a guar for kids and pets to roam. Did I mention Riverfront? Bring, ou Raysk, fishing pole and cooler and have a great float down the Little Rayawa River. Need a mother-in-law suite or guest house? The garages have an apartment perfect for the occasion! The rest of the garage has stalls perfect for the car enthusiast or mechanic. Storage is not an issue on this property. Want to just purchase the house or garage? Contact the listing agent for details. ** The owner of this property is offering a 14 month home warranty paid for at closing! ** This property is located in the 100-year flood zone. If you are financing this property, you will need to obtain flood insurance. \$179,900

CLASSIFIEDS

Bring Classifieds to the Chronicle office or mail to Box 400, Grantsville, WV 26147. Classifieds Ads must be paid in advance. Classifieds are \$3 plus 10¢ a word after 20 words.

Sales

YARD SALE -- Friday, Aug. 12, 9:00-4:00, and Saturday, Aug. 13, 8:00-3:00. Something for all. Debbie Hammons, 244 Mill St., Grantsville. 1tp/8/11

For Rent

FOR RENT -- Rivers Edge Apartments. unfurnished, utilities included except wifi and phone; 2-bedroom, 1 bath, with loft, \$725, plus deposit; 3-bedroom, 1 bath, \$800, plus deposit. Lease required. Close to Grantsville, Minnie Hamilton Health System. Call 304-532-8117. 9/2/rtn

RETAIL SPACE available in Grantsville. Approximately 1,600 square feet, easy access off of Mill Street, off street parking. \$425 month includes utilities. Call 304-916-3589. 1tp/8/11

Thank You

NOTE OF THANKS The family of Hatzell Wagoner would like to thank everyone who called, sent cards, flowers, brought food, and prayed for our family during this time. We want to also thank the staff of Camden Clark Medical Center and of Stump Funeral Home for their excellent service, Pastor Barry Miller, the pallbearers, and those who helped open and close the grave. We are so appreciative of all the love and support that was shown to our family.

The Hatzell Wagoner Family

Personals

WANTED -- SWF, shapely lady, 26-40s, with tall, nice figure, for relationship in Calhoun County. Must have a computer. Reply with photo, phone and address to Emory King, 4167 Yellow Creek Road, Big Bend, WV 26136. No male write.

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452 Sycamore Road, Millstone, WV || 2.19 Acres +/- || A very quiet and private home with FREE GAS! This split-level home sits back off of a quiet county road in Calhoun County, WV. There are 2 bedrooms up stairs with another partial finished bedroom in the basement. There is a full bathroom on each level as well as a family/ living room. If you are two families living together, the downstairs does have a private entrance through the garage without going through the main door. Speaking of garage, you have 2 over-sized 1 car garages. One attached to the house, the other detached. The FREE GAS and water well make utilities cheap! You have a backup metered gas already in place. Sitting on 2.19 Acres +/- this is the perfect country setting relaxation. Less than 5 miles to town! Don't wait on this one! \$199,900

435 High Street, Grantsville, WV || In the 1930's, they built them to last! This beautiful 4-bedroom 1.5-bathroom brick home sits in downtown Grantsville, WV. Original hardwood floors, oak steps/handrailing and 6 fireplaces! (Currently housing gas space heaters) On the main level you have a living room, family room, kitchen, dining room, sunroom, mud room and a half bath. Upstairs you will find all 4 bedrooms and a full bathroom. Inside the main bedroom there is a huge walk-in closet and a normal closet with a window that overlooks the Koi Pond in the side yard. Almost all windows have been replaced with new vinyl windows. Washer and dryer are in the basement. Have children or animals? The private back yard has a brand-new privacy fence that was installed in 2021. This property is on street city parking or, you can use one of the 2 off-street single car garages. If you are looking for that historic style home with a small-town feel, this is it! This home is conveniently located across the street from a 24/7 critical access hospital and within walking distance to a few stores, restaurants and more! \$199,900

256 Carroll Road, Big Bend, WV || 1.21 Acres +/- || Looking for your very own fishing camp or mini-RV camp?? This 1.21-acre lot with three 30amp hookups with water and septic in place may be what you're looking for. This river camp comes with a large storage shed to store all your camp necessities and toys. Site also has a metal car port that can be used for vehicle cover or picnic tables. So, if you're looking for a place to just get away or maybe a way to make some extra income this camp has loads of potential. Also, with today's housing costs you could live cheap with your own RV on this site. Located next to the property is a natural gas compressor that does make noise when turned on.



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NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

Notice is hereby given that proceedings in the following estates are pending before the County Commission of Calhoun County, West Virginia, at the Courthouse in the City of Grantsville, West Virginia;

Decedent	Personal Representative	Address
Janet Marie White	Todd White	385 Sleepy Hollow Lane, Wallback, WV 25285
Elmer Wagoner	Faye Wagoner	3241 Sassafras Ridge Rd., Arnoldsburg, WV 25234
Margaret Frederick	Lorri L. Cunningham	P.O. Box 512, Grantsville, WV 26147
Genevieve Smith	Randal L. Smith	4341 Sycamore Rd., Millstone, WV 25261
	Shelley L. Lynch	2127 Arnoldsburg Rd., Arnoldsburg, WV 25234

August 3, 2022

Notice is hereby given that the preceding estate(s) have been opened for probate in the Calhoun County Clerk's office at 363 Main Street, PO Box 230, GRANTSVILLE, WEST VIRGINIA 26147. Any person seeking to impeach or establish a will must make a complaint in accordance with the provision of West Virginia Code 41-5-11 through 13. Any interested person objecting to the qualifications of the personal representative or the venue of jurisdiction of the commission, shall file notice of an objection with the County Commission within 60 days after the date of the first publication or within 30 days of the service of the notice, whichever is later. If an objection is not filed timely, the objection is forever barred.

Any person interested in filing claims against an estate shown below must file them in accordance with West Virginia Code, 44-2 and 44-3. All persons having claims against one or more of the estate(s) shown above, whether due or not, are notified to exhibit their claims, with the voucher thereof, legally verified, to the Clerk of the Calhoun County Commission at Calhoun County Clerk's Office at 363 Main Street, PO Box 230, GRANTSVILLE, WEST VIRGINIA 26147 on or before October 3, 2022. Otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate(s). All beneficiaries of said estate(s) may appear on or before said day to examine said claims and otherwise protect their interests.

Settlement of the estate(s) of the preceding named decedent(s) will proceed with or without reference to a fiduciary commissioner unless within 60 days from the first publication of this notice a reference is requested by a party of interest or an unpaid creditor files a claim and good cause is shown to support reference to a fiduciary commissioner.

Jean Simers, Clerk Calhoun County Commission Class II Legal

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NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

The undersigned Clerk of the County Commission of Calhoun County does hereby give NOTICE that, pursuant to the provisions of West Virginia Code §41-5-13(b), there has been filed and there is pending before me and the said County Commission an Affidavit for ancillary administration of West Virginia real

Decedent	Decedent's Address	Date of Death	Date of Will
Elizabeth A. Martin	1500 Weaver Drive Granville, OH 43023	03/09/2021	01/26/2021
Name of Person Filing Affidavit	Address	Relation to Decedent	Date of First Publication
Amdavit			

Any interested person objecting to the filing of the foreign will or affidavit or objecting to the absence of appointment or administration being made in this State must file a written objection with the County Commission whose address is 363 Main Street; PO Box 230; Grantsville, WV 26147; within sixty (60) days after the date of first publication or thirty (30) days of service of this Notice upon such interested person filing the Notice, whichever is later.

Notice is given that if an objection is not timely filed, the objection is barred and that the Ancillary Administration of the West Virginia real estate of the above decedent shall be deemed final and complete in accordance with the provisions of law.

Enter this 3rd day of August, 2022.

Clerk of the County Commission Class II Legal

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Call 833-274-3943. swc

DON'T LET The Stairs Limit Your Mobility! Discover the start on Monday, Aug. 22, judged and a grand prize ideal solution for anyone at 9 a.m. Between 5 and 6 ribbon will be awarded. who struggles on the stairs, is concerned about a fall, or wants to regain access to their entire home. Call AmeriGlide today! 1-844-592-5113. SWC

DENTAL insurance from Physicians Mutual Insurance Co. Coverage for 350-plus procedures. Real dental insurance, not just a discount plan. Do not wait, call now. Get your free dental no charge to sell local volunteer, call Donald information kit with all the non-food items. Crafters and Pat Little, 354-7025; details. Call 1-855-405-3412 are asked to donate an David and Sandy Weaver, or visit www.dental50plus. item to the fair and auc- 354-6217; or Michael and com/press. #6258. SWC

Community Park Saturday, Aug. 27.

p.m. on Friday, Aug. 26, the meat will be cut and Contest. Contact Caitlin wrapped, and placed in Weaver the pit.

On Aug. 27 at 9 a.m., the serving line and prep- last week's Chronicle). arations will take place David and Shelia Bowen Serving begins at 11 a.m. and ends at 5 p.m., followed by the annual also back this year. auction.

tion.

The annual Ox Roast toes to slice, and fair One. Free information kit. will be held at Mt. Zion exhibits (garden vegetaon bles, canned goods, craft items, and misc.) are Cleaning the pit will needed. Fair items will be

> New this year is a Pie Heather or Perkins for information (See registration form in will provide music. The cornhole tournament is

Your help is needed. Crafters can set up at For information or to Samantha Hicks, 483-

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Tariff Form No. 8-C

(Tariff Rule 14.2 et seq. (Historical Rule 30-C) PUBLIC NOTICE OF CHANGE IN RATES UPON APPLICATION

NOTICE is hereby given that Hope Gas, Inc., dba Dominion Energy West Virginia (the "Company"), a public utility, has filed with the PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF WEST VIRGINIA, an application containing increased rates, tolls and charges for furnishing natural gas service to all of its customers at various locations in the Counties of Barbour, Boone, Braxton, Calhoun, Clay, Doddridge, Gilmer, Harrison, Jackson, Kanawha, Lewis, Lincoln, Marion, Marshall, Mason, McDowell, Mingo, Monongalia, Nicholas, Pleasants, Preston, Putnam, Raleigh, Randolph, Ritchie, Roane, Taylor, Tucker, Tyler, Upshur, Wetzel, Wirt, Wood and Wyoming.

The proposed increased rates and charges will become effective November 1, 2022, unless otherwise ordered by the Public Service Commission and will increase revenues approximately \$72.8 million annually, an increase of 63.19%. The average monthly bill for the various classes of customers will be changed as follows:

	TYPE OF CUSTOMER	(\$) INCREASE	(%) INCREASE
	Residential	\$ 37.80	51.13 %
	Small Commercial Sales	\$ 159.23	66.15 %
	Small Commercial Transport 1/	\$ 153.65	11.49 %
	Large Commercial Sales	\$ 8,972.57	99.58 %
	Large Commercial Transport 1/	\$ 1,433.01	19.65 %
	Industrial Sales	\$ 15,020.22	117.39 %
	Resale Sales	\$ 24,132.92	94.51 %
	Daily Balancing for Transport	\$ 180.20	39.84 %
ier	count for increase in standby rate.		

1/To account for increase in standby rate

Resale customers of the Company include Standard Gas Co., Consumers Gas Utility Co., Cardinal Natural Gas Company - Northern Division (Lumberport), Mountaineer Gas Co., Southern Public Service Co., ardinal Natural Gas Company - Northern Division (Blacksville), and Peoples Gas WV LLC

The increases shown are based on averages of all customers in the indicated class. Each class may receive an increase greater or less than stated here. Individual customers may receive increases that are greater or less than average. Furthermore, the requested increased rates and charges are only a proposal and are subject to change (increase or decrease) by the Public Service Commission in its review of this filing. Any increase in rates and charges will not become effective until authorized and approved by the Public Service Commission. (If a hearing is conducted, notice will be given of the time and place of hearing,)

A complete copy of the proposed rates, as well as a representative of the Company to provide any information requested concerning it, is available to all customers, prospective customers, or their agents at the Bridgeport office of the Company, 102 Cambridge Place, Bridgeport, West Virginia.

A copy of the proposed rates is available for public inspection at the office of the Executive Secretary of the Public Service Commission at 201 Brooks Street, Charleston, West Virginia.

The 30-C procedure is designed to provide a procedure for changing rates charged to customers by natural gas distribution utilities based exclusively on the cost of purchased gas. Consequently, protest should be limited to the reasonableness of such costs and the method by which they are calculated, Anyone desiring to protest or intervene should file a written protest or notice of intervention within twenty-five (25) days following the date of this publication unless otherwise modified by Commission order. Failure to timely intervene can affect your rights to protest any rate increases and to participate in future proceedings. Requests to intervene must comply with the Commission's rules on intervention set forth in the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, All interventions must be mailed or hand-delivered and be addressed to the Executive Secretary, Public Service Commission of West Virginia, Post Office Box 812, Charleston, WV 25323, with copies to Brien J. Fricke, Dominion Energy West Virginia, 120 Tredegar Street, Richmond, VA 23219 and Kurt Krieger, Post Office Box 1588, Charleston, WV 25326-1588. Protests may be filed online through the Commission website using the "Submit a Comment" link or may be mailed to the Executive Secretary, Public Service Commission of West Virginia, Post Office Box 812, Charleston, West Virginia 25323.

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(Tariff Rule 14.2 et seq. (Historical Rule 30-C)) PUBLIC NOTICE OF CHANGE IN RATES UPON APPLICATION

NOTICE is hereby given that MOUNTAINEER GAS COMPANY, a public utility, has filed with the PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF WEST VIRGINIA, an application containing increased rates, tolls and charges for furnishing natural gas service to approximately 220,000 customers at various locations in the Counties of Barbour, Berkeley, Boone, Braxton, Brooke, Cabell, Calhoun, Clay, Doddridge, Fayette, Gilmer, Grant, Greenbrier, Hancock, Hardy, Harrison, Jackson, Jefferson, Kanawha, Lewis, Lincoln, Logan, Marion, Marshall, Mason, McDowell, Mercer, Mineral, Mingo, Monongalia, Monroe, Morgan, Nicholas, Ohio, Pendleton, Preston, Putnam, Raleigh, Randolph, Ritchie, Roane, Summers, Tucker, Tyler, Upshur, Wayne, Wetzel, Wirt, Wood, and Wyoming.

The proposed increased rates and charges will become effective November 1, 2022, unless otherwise ordered by the Public Service Commission, and will increase revenue approximately \$90,914,544 annually, an increase of approximately 73.8%.

The average monthly bill for the various classes of customers of MOUNTAINEER GAS COMPANY will be changed as follows:

	INCREASE	INCREASE
Residential	\$ 25.08	34.67 %
Commercial	\$ 125.40	42.35 %
Industrial	\$ 28,212.95	117.09 %
Resale	\$ 2,404.00	55.78 %

Resale customers of MOUNTAINEER GAS COMPANY include Canaan valley Gas Co., Cardinal Natural Gas Company Northern Division (formerly known as Lumberport-Shinnston Gas Company and Blacksville Oil & Gas Company, Inc.,) Consumers Gas Utility Co., Dominion Energy WV, Megan Oil and Gas, City of Philippi, and Southern Public Service.

The increases shown are based on averages of all customers in the indicated class. Each class may receive an increase greater or less than stated here. Individual customers may receive increases that are greater or less than average. Furthermore, the requested increased rates and charges are only a proposal and are subject to change (increases or decreases) by the Public Service Commission in its review of this filing. Any increase in rates and charges will not become effective until authorized and approved by the

Public Service Commission. If a hearing is conducted, notice will be given of the time and place of hearing, A complete copy of the proposed rates, as well as a representative of the Company to provide any information requested concerning it, is available to all customers, prospective customers, or their agents at the following offices of the Company:

Mountaineer Gas Company Office

· 501 56th Street SE, Charleston, West Virginia 25304. A copy of the proposed rates is available for public inspection at the office of the Executive Secretary of the PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION at 201 Brooks Street, Charleston, West Virginia,

The Rule 30-C procedure is designed to provide a procedure for changing rates charged to customers by natural gas distribution utilities based exclusively on the cost of purchased gas. Consequently, protest

Cakes to serve, toma- 7939.

WAG In Grantsville

Welfare of Animals trapping stray and feral cats in the Grantsville not put food out for them area on Thursday, Aug. 18, to have them spayed/ neutered, vaccinated, and Aug. 18. ear tipped (the universal part of a Trap-Neuter-Return program).

According to Group will be humanely news release, "We would will be healthier, happier, appreciate if you would on Wednesday, Aug. 17, as we will be trapping on

Once the cats have sign that a cat has been recovered from anesthesia (at least 24 to 48 hours), we will return them to

the their exact location. They and not reproducing and fighting. Thank you for your cooperation.

> "So far, we have spayed and neutered 665 community cats (370 females and 295 males).

> "Please keep your personal cats indoors or put a collar on them Thursday, Aug. 18. If you have questions, call Linda Buchanan, 354-7506.

"If you are aware of a feral cat colony in your area, let us know. Female kittens can begin breeding at four months old, so the best time to spay/neuter a colony is when there are only five or six cats. Trap-Neuter-Return is provided to county residents at no cost to the caretaker."

The program is funded in part by The Bernard McDonough Foundation, The Oakland Foundation, W.Va. Dept. of Agriculture, and Calhoun County Commission.

Republicans

Republican Executive Committee meetings are held the third Tuesday of each month at 6:30 p.m.

The schedule of meetings is as follows:

Aug. 16, Little Courtroom, Grantsville.

Sept. 20, Upper West Fork Community Building, Orma (tentative).

Oct. 18, TBA; Nov. 15, TBA; Dec. 20, TBA.

should be limited to the reasonableness of such costs and the method by which they are calculated. Anyone desiring to protest or intervene should file a written protest or notice of intervention within twenty-five (25) days following the date of this publication unless otherwise modified by Commission order. Failure to timely intervene can affect your rights to protest any rate increases and to participate in future proceedings. Requests to intervene must comply with the Commission's rules on intervention set forth in the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure. All interventions must be mailed or hand-delivered and be addressed to Executive Secretary, Public Service Commission of West Virginia, P.O. Box 812, Charleston, WV 25323. Protests may be filed online through the Commission website using the "Submit a Comment" link or may be mailed to the Executive Secretary, Public Service Commission of West Virginia, P.O. Box 812, Charleston, WV 25323.

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NOTICE OF FILING

Friday

follows:

Filing for public office to be on the Ballot in the General Election to be held on Tuesday, November 8.

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You may file from August 1 through August 23 in the County Clerk's Office between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., Monday

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In Re: B.J.

Benjamin Fox, putative father

Haley Jones, mother **ORDER OF CLASS II PUBLICATION**

The subject of this suit is to determine custody of the Infant Respondent.

A more particular description of this suit is continued in the Petition on file in the Office of the Circuit Clerk of Calhoun County, West Virginia

To Haley Jones and Benjamin Fox, -

Pursuant to Chapter 49, Article 4, Section 601 of the Code of West Virginia, notice is hereby given to you that a petition has been filed in the Circuit Court of Calhoun County, West Virginia, which proceedings can result in the permanent termination of parental rights. It appearing that the whereabouts of HALEY JONES and BENJAMIN FOX are presently unknown at this time. It is ORDERED that HALEY JONES and BENJAMIN FOX are notified that she may obtain a copy of the Petition from the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Calhoun County, west and ORDERED that HALEY JONES and BENJAMIN FOX are to appear in the courtroom of the Honorable Anita H. Ashley, Judge of the Circuit Court of Calhoun County, West Virginia, Third Floor, Calhoun County Courthouse, Grantsville, WV, on August 18, 2022, at the Calhoun County Circuit Court at 11 a.m. for an Adjudicatory Hearing if they so desire to object or make other defenses to the Petition. Failure to answer and defend could result in the loss of parental rights-

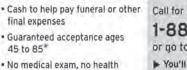
You have the right to counsel at every stage of these proceedings. An attorney has been appointed to represent Haley Jones. His name is Ryan Ruth, Esquire, His address is P.O. Box 1076, Winfield, WV 25213. An attorney has been appointed to represent Benjamin Fox. His name is Daniel Minardi, Esquire, His address is P.O. Box 894, Spencer, WV 25276.

ENTERED by the Clerk of said Court on the 27th day of July 2022.

Sheila R Suretimo Sheila Garretson, Calhoun County Circuit Clerk

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(DOB: 07/06/2022) Respondent Adults:

Juvenile Case No. 22-JA-20 Hon. Anita H. Ashley

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Statistics:

In West Virginia (condensed dashboard) Each Monday since Mar. 16, 2020 (last complete daily list on July 30, 2020, issue). Last Monday in month, plus last daily DHHR reports (last complete weekly list, July 8, 2021, issue).

Positive Negative Percentage Cases Deaths Cases Positive 2020 Accum. Daily Mar. 30 145 3,682 4.4 6.0 1 Apr. 27 1,063 41,976* 36 2.5 3.4 May 25 1,774 84,551# 72 2.1 1.2 165.233 June 29 2,849 93 1.7 1.4 5,999 106 257,670 2.3 2.6 July 27 10,250 425,613 214 2.4 6.8 Aug. 31 Sept. 28 15,512 537,332 337 2.8 4.2 22,223 712,744 424 3.0 3.7 Oct. 26 47,842 Nov. 30 1,083,114 735 +4.2 6.5 Dec. 28 81,436 1,375,189 1,263 5.6 11.3 2021 Jan. 25 115,839 1,726,886 1,899 6.3 7.3 Feb. 22 129,854 1,989,304 2,263 6.1 3.9 Mar. 29 140,991 2,288,383 2,638~^5.8 3.9 Apr. 26 151,671 2,526,409>2,821` 5.7 3.7 DHHR stopped updating on weekends and holidays May 24 160,354 2,724,689 2,775 5.6 5.7 June 30 164,041 2,844,286 2,891 5.5 1.5 July 30 167,016 2,953,133 2,946 5.4 6.4 Aug. 31 189,690 3,203,536 3,084 9.5 5.6 Sept. 30 240,459 3,623,522 3,670 6.2 10.6 Oct. 29 270.984 3,957,070 4,426 6.4 10.8 4,868^ Nov. 30 294,794 4,235,663 6.5 9.1 4,537,412 5,336 Dec. 30 328,162 19.3 6.7 2022 Jan. 31 446,771 4,959,152 5,763 8.3 21.6 Feb. 28 490,111 5,221,878 6,317 8.6 8.3 5,422,855 Mar. 31 497,769 6,831 8.4 1.2 Apr. 29 501,204 5,545,521 6,856 8.3 5.0 May 31 515,925 5,695,003 6,948 8.3 11.7 June 30 532.503 5,857,108 7,064 8.3 6.6 533,213 5,862,807 7,064 8.3 8.7 July 1 July 5 535,208 5,876,491 7,069 8.3 18.5 5,878,916 7,069 July 6 535,776 8.4 14.7 536,573 5,883,272 7,069 8.4 10.8 July 7 July 8 537,443 5,891,700 7,069 8.4 8.6 539,431 5,905,371 7,091 July 11 8.4 11.5 July 12 540,192 5,906,454 7,091 8.4 38.1 7,099 5,913,595 July 13 541,062 8.4 10.4 542,092 5,921,354 7,099 July 14 8.4 8.8 July 15 542,887 5,927,472 7,102 8.4 9.5 July 18 544,911 5,939,332 7,102 8.4 18.7 July 19 545,745 5,942,316 7,106 8.4 16.5 July 20 546,772 5,948,892 7,115 8.4 10.9 July 21 547,785 5,955,631 7,121 8.4 9.7 July 22 548,777 5,963,105 7,121 8.4 9.9 July 25 551,009 5,975,648 7,123 16.0 8.4 7,129 July 26 551,921 5,976,719 8.5 30.8 July 27 5,984,061 7,129 553,018 8.5 12.8 July 28 554,215 5,992,254 7,149 8.5 9.7 July 29 555,107 5,999,712 7,156 9.0 8.5 557,371 6,013,308 7,161 8.5 13.4 Aug. 1 558,300 6,016,598 7,163 8.5 Aug. 2 16.4 12.0 Aug. 3 559,295 6,022,337 7,169 8.5 560,263 6,029,700 7,173 8.5 8.5 Aug. 4 9.7 Aug. 5 561,275 6,037,218 7,184 8.5 563,384 6,050,216 7,188 8.5 17.1Aug. 8 Aug. 9 564,323 6,053,209 7,192 18.3 8.5

*Laboratory duplicate results removed. # In alignment with updated definitions, statistics include

therefore, the following numbers are as of Monday, instead of the usual Tuesday total:

Cases by county (case confirmed by lab test/probable case): Barbour (5,371), Berkeley (39,689), Boone (7,525), Braxton (4,500), Brooke (5,554), Cabell (30,768), Calhoun (2,061), Clay (2,511), Doddridge (2,286), Fayette (14,761), Gilmer (2,307), Grant (4,100), Greenbrier (10,987), Hampshire (6,496), Hancock (7,464), Hardy (4,733), Harrison (22,774), Jackson (7,726), Jefferson (16,097), Kanawha (53,167), Lewis (6,144), Lincoln (6,201), Logan (11,080), Marion (17,354), Marshall (10,118), Mason (7,657), McDowell (6,452), Mercer (19,714), Mineral (8,824), Mingo (8,719), Monongalia (28,040), Monroe (4,818), Morgan (4,594), Nicholas (8,347), Ohio (12,511), Pendleton (2,095), Pleasants (2,257), Pocahontas (2,239), Preston (10.011), Putnam (18,799), Raleigh (26,358), Randolph (10,474), Ritchie (2,689), Roane (3,741), Summers (3,199), Taylor (5,144), Tucker (2,159), Tyler (2,400), Upshur (7,798), Wayne (10,728), Webster (2,565), Wetzel (4,851), Wirt (1,568), Wood (24,848), Wyoming (8,011).

Calhoun was 53rd of 55 counties to record a case; Calhoun and Webster, last counties to hit 100 positive cases, Dec. 10, 2020; Calhoun last county to 200 cases, Jan. 23, 2021; last to 300, May 6; last to 400, July 22; last to 500, Sept. 1; last to 600, Sept. 6; last to 700, Sept. 13; last to 800, Sept. 27; last to 900, Oct. 21; 54th to 1,000, Nov. 13; 1,100, Dec. 7; 1,200, Dec. 23; 1,300, Jan. 11, 2022; 1,400, Jan. 19; 1,500, Jan. 25; 1,600, Feb. 2; 1,700, Feb. 10; 1,800, Mar. 3; 1,900, May 26; 2,000, July 13. Calhoun's first COVID-19 death reported on May 26, 2021, as a 74-year-old woman; second, Sept. 15, 2021, woman, 73; third, Sept. 29, man, 79; fourth, Sept. 30, man, 73; fifth, Nov. 1, woman, 73; sixth, Nov. 23, woman, 86; seventh, Dec. 1, female, 56; eighth, Dec. 6, female, 92; ninth Dec. 7, male, 93; 10th, Jan. 21, 2022, female, 80; 11th, Feb. 9, female, 50; 12th, Feb. 24, female, 71; 13th, Mar. 2, male, 40; 14th, Apr. 21, female, 82; 15th, May 3, female, 86.

In United States: In World:

Each Monday since Mar. 16, 2020, plus last nine days since July 28, 2020. Last Monday of each month since Mar. 30, 2020, plus daily totals in last month. Last daily list in July 28, 2020, issue. Last weekly list in July 8, 2021, issue.

Deaths 2020 Positive Positive Deaths Mar. 30 38,714 164,610 3,170 800,049 Apr. 27 987.916 55,425 3,014,808 207,904 5,482,990 May 25 1,688,739 99,356 347,162 June 29 2,637,909 128,452 10,234,889 505,144 July 27 4,373,561 149,856 16,429,464 653,266 Aug. 31 6,175,600 187,232 25,417,858 852,100 Sept.28 7,321,465 209,454 33,332,536 1,003,542 Oct. 26 8,890,481 230,512 43,383,433 1,160,977 Nov.30 13,755,039 273,130 63,236,339 1,468,737 Dec.28 19,579,987 341,187 81,293,122 1,775,977 2021 Jan. 25 25,705,299 429,511 99,917,297 2,142,799 Feb.22 28,767,835 511,302 112,093,051 2,481,796 Mar.29 30,966,974 562,551 127,963,064 2,799,992 Apr.26 32,824,618 586,152 148,006,342 3,127,343 May31 34,043,110 609,544 171,180,032 3,563,041 June28 34,494,690 619,424 182,010,787 3,945,739 July 31 35,688,506 629,064 198,207,725 4,232,644 Aug.31 39,946,708 656,393 218,104,333 4,531,744 Sept.30 44,200,421 713,953 234,173,044 4,795,746 Oct.31 46,799,970 766,117 247,382,939 5,018,389 Nov.30 49,301,070 801,326 262,581,538 5,233,860 Dec.31 55,252,823 845,745 287,003,899 5,454,054 2022 Jan.31 75,578,076 907,190 375,571,291 5,687,759 Feb.28 80,567,757 973,119 436,088,544 5,974,311 Mar.31 81,740,722 1,006,445 486,702,223 6,167.304 Apr.30 83,037,059 1,020,660 512,204,412 6,263,058 May31 85,730,697 1,031,286 529,951,029 6,318,405 June30 89,236,449 1,042,291 551,566,924 6,362,509 July 1 89,360,080 1,042,678 552,416,806 6,364,237 July 2 89,507,083 1,043,281 553,366,823 6,366,240 July 3 89,622,328 1,043,308 553,735,418 6,366,944 July 4 89,533,825 1,043,320 554,074,747 6,367,563 July 5 89,567,321 1,043,372 555,042,914 6,372,113 July 6 89,731,799 1,043,879 556,222,414 6,370,825 July / 89,930,463 1,044,557 557,454,242 6,373,325 July 8 90,065,165 1,045,080 558,445,463 6,375,341 July 9 90,273,079 1,045,740 559,563,833 6,377,692 July 10 90,314,718 1,045,782 560,041,208 6,378,498 July 11 90,338,657 1,045,792 560,466,185 6,379,244 ~Includes 168 COVID-19 related deaths that were not July 12 90,491,960 1,046,232 561,625,488 6,380,889 July 13 90,683,223 1,046,613 562,786,437 6,382,891 July 14 90,909,760 1,047,794 563,922,948 6,385,759 July 15 91,060,225 1,048,232 565,165,120 6,388,390 July 16 91,170,571 1,048,693 566,274,576 6,391,960 July 17 91,250,392 1,048,822 566,995,495 6,392,956 July 18 91,275,149 1,048,843 567,571,460 6,393,794 July 19 91,429,409 1,049,274 568,370,817 6,395,443 July 20 91,529,862 1,049,683 569,685,469 6,398,177 July 21 91,767,460 1,050,702 571,664,387 6,408,014 July 22 91,942,744 1,051,235 572,433,146 6,404,382 July 23 92,145,839 1,051,912 573,743,370 6,407,602 July 24 92,172,336 1,051,979 574,415,806 6,408,583 July 25 92,194,892 1,051,996 575,029,268 6,409,428 July 26 92,339,925 1,052,467 576,149,947 6,411,907 July 27 92,494,018 1,052,935 577,370,203 6,414,265 July 28 92,761,865 1,053,969 578,817,575 6,418,905 July 29 92,917,658 1,054,422 579,844,199 6,421,477 July 30 93,064,184 1,055,020 581,148,581 6,424,219 July 31 93,069,863 1,055,051 581,762,769 6,425,341 Aug. 1 93,082,195 1,055,059 582,278,874 6,426,295 Aug. 2 93,225,110 1,055,576 583,128,569 6,428,519 Aug. 3 93,319,702 1,055,975 584,397,270 6,430,496 Aug. 4 93,593,214 1,057,239 585,578,250 6,434,686 Aug. 5 93,739,646 1,057,811 586,958,079 6,437,487 Aug. 6 93,866,641 1,058,637 587,843,941 6,440,152 Aug. 7 93,897,604 1,058,726 589,046,734 6,442,391 Aug. 8 93,910,150 1,058,738 589,161,116 6,442,665 Aug. 9 94,024,925 1,059,210 590,181,745 6,444,910 Cases by states and territories: California 10,810,291, Texas 7,632,994, Florida 6,855,234, New York 5,866,926, Illinois 3,594,415, Pennsylvania 3,106,889, North Carolina 3,016,395, Ohio 2,976,027, Georgia 2,778,580, Michigan 2,692,485, New Jersey 2,621,249, Tennessee 2,217,157, Arizona 2,211,463, Virginia 1,981,758, Massachusetts 1,977,503, Indiana 1,843,622, Wisconsin 1,795,145, Washington 1,748,594, South Carolina 1,621,121, Colorado 1,605,897, Minnesota 1,601,006, Missouri 1,586,076, Kentucky 1,483,295, Alabama 1,436,458, Louisiana 1,392,517, Maryland 1,191,962, Oklahoma 1,132,714, Utah 1,015,442 Arkansas 910,808, Mississippi 883,465, Puerto Rico 876,373, Connecticut 859,975, Oregon 858,791, Kansas 842,231, Nevada 823,574, Iowa 822,796, New Mexico 596,599, West Virginia 563,384, Nebraska 519,584, Idaho 481,562, Rhode Island 412,477, New Hampshire 339,766, Hawaii 329,633, Montana 298,746, Delaware 296,992, Alaska 286,803, Maine 277,459, North Dakota 259,270, South Dakota 251,860, Wyoming 171,322, D.C., 163,429, Vermont 138,145; West Virginia was last state to record a case.

Creston News by Alvin Engelke

Phone 275-3578

Rev. Kevin Gillespie more IRS agents to go filled his regular appointment at Burning Springs M.E. Church.

The Creston area continues to have rain. The required to report cash 'famous'' weather expert, Al Gore, Jr., said (with authority) that New York City and Miami would now be under water, because of 'glo bull warming,"

proper tires for chariots, plenty of firewood, lots of food, etc.

Some local folks have been making pickled corn so that they will have tasty food this winter.

Several local folks attended and participated in the Wirt County Fair. in severance taxes from The comely Emma Wyer was named queen. Her family on both sides have Creston relatives going back generations, including the Wyer, Shrader, Cunningham and Hopkins ership that was not owned, families. She is one of the the state would require friendly tellers at Calhoun County Bank, Elizabeth.

Jackson County Fair had a problem with swine flu, but such was not a problem at the Wirt County event. One hog died, but that was because of the excessive heat.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ferrell and family were visiting daughter Missy now over their bouts with the virus.

Sgt. Thomas Fluharty, USA, Retired, is spending time at the WVU hospital in Morgantown, dealing Other local residents are with complications of the consulting with virus.

Meanwhile, Peggy Dye, who likewise is on the mend, has been sojourning at the OSU tract.

Recent data from



after small businesses (those that make less that \$400,000). Previously, banks were

"experts" had told us that transactions to the feds we would be suffering for the \$10,000 range, but from a drought, but that now, every transaction of \$600 must be reported. This means that in most jurisdictions collecting rent will require an IRS form.

Many in state govern-For certain, if the pre- ment, who "have a grasp cipitation continues this of reality," are very upset winter, one had better over Amendment #2, have good snow shovels, which takes away the constitutional protection over excessive property taxes and eliminates taxes on multiple \$billions of infrastructure that is the future of the state.

The wise ones down at the Mouth of Elk seemed surprised at the increase coal and new oil and gas production. There are several well pads that generate over \$1 million in severance each month.

If there was any leadthat all the meters that are used to calculate taxes and royalties would be subject to testing.

Are cattle sold on untested scales? Are logs and lumber sold without ascertainment of quantity and quality? Are gasoline and diesel pumps checked by the state for accuracy? Are the scales for weighin Pittsburgh. They are all ing butter, bacon, flour and meal just on the honor system?

> Ellen Hedge underwent surgery and is now recovering at home. their medical providers.

Those who study such matters note that, because of the recession and a global slow down, hospital in Columbus. the price of crude oil The new variety seems to and natural gas has gone work hard on the digestive down, as has the retail price of gasoline.

Holbert'sinBrooksville Europe (where data is has regular for \$3.89.9/ definition for destination shopping. Of course, Rav has a full line of groceries, as well as hardware, fishing supplies, etc. It is projected that next year natural gas will be \$4.50/mmbtu, although it currently is trading at \$8.06. Crude oil is said to be between \$80 and \$90/ bbl. on the long haul. Record volumes of natural gas liquids have been exported, thus making other countries rich, since they make the finished products. Why no ethane crackers in West Virginia and Ohio? Not enough "quick bucks" for our leaders? Along those lines, since the war in Ukraine started, each day Russia sells \$one billion in hydrocarbons--so much Broadway Joe, who for "sanctions." and, of lives on a houseboat/yacht course, Russia is winning the war. Weapons sent to the Ukraine are sold went along on the "green on the black market. Of course, Hunter has friends Price of local Pennsyl-

probable cases that are individuals who have symptoms and either serologic (antibody) or epidemiologic (a link to a confirmed case) evidence of disease, but no confirmatory test.

+Office of Epidemiology and Prevention Services added 27 deaths from Vital Registration Office.

properly reported to DHHR.

¹Includes extra COVID-19 deaths reported through death certificates, or decreases determinted via certificate error.

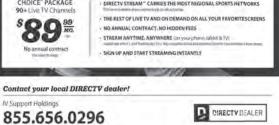
162 deaths removed, as the death certificates did not officially list COVID-19 as the cause of death.

>29,531 non-COVID-related lab results were removed.

As of Sept. 20, 2021, total cases by county are not listed by DHHR. Each county must be totaled separately;

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available) show that there gal., which gives a new is an alarming increase in non-Covid deaths among those who are vaccinated, as opposed to the nonvaccinated, regardless of age group. In some instances, the rate is 15% higher.

Some of the ruling elite have made it clear that they want to depopulate the world. Samantha Power, one of the ruling junta, said it was a good thing that fertilizer was in short supply, so that less food and fiber would be produced, which would cause famine and death in the third world and food shortages, even in the USA.

We have now been told to "do with less and like it." That is part of the great reset, which now is being implemented.

anchored on the Potomac River, made a deal and new deal.'

Likely, we will never there. know what he received, as one is dealing with vania grade crude is now sophisticated (as such) \$88.01/bbl., with confolks. Now, there will be densate just \$74.01, Marnew taxes on coal and cellus and Utica light, methane (natural gas?), \$79.01, and medium, and there will be 80,000 \$88.01.



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School Bus Routes Listed

school year have been an- 7:24, fork of Pine Creek; 7:30, AES; 7:35-7:50, Arnounced, with routes and 7:30, CM/HS (pick up noldsburg to Millstone; times subject to change.

Wednesday, Aug. 17.

First day for 1st, 2nd, 12th grade students is of A.M. run. Thursday, Aug. 18.

dents in Calhoun County 6:20, Upper Nicut Road, Schools, except for pre- turn; 6:28, Little Walnut school, is Friday, Aug. 19. Hill Road; 6:28, Willow Morning runs:

Lacy (Bus #3): A.M. run, 6:59, Lower Nicut; 7:02, 6:30, Yellow Creek (start enter Bear Run; 7:08, turn Rt. 16 side, New Testa- at Bear Run Community ment Baptist Church); Park; 7:16, Crooked Run; 6:50, Backfork just past Hildreth Well 7:30, AES; 7:45, CM/HS. Service); 6:53, Rt. 16 P.M. run: reverse of A.M. South; 6:57, Klipstine; run. 7:09, Nobe; 7:13, turn at Nobe/Fingerboard; 7:23, Rt. 16 South Calhoun Hwy.; 7:27, Pleasant Hill School; 7:33, Courthouse; 7:55, Calhoun Middle/ High School; 8:00, Bus right, come out of Dennis Munday Road, turn at Garage; P.M. run: reverse Fork; 7:21, Rt. 16 S; 7:27, of A.M. run.

shall Bever (Bus #4): Hall residence; 7:36, Mt, PHS; 7:50, CM/HS. P.M. A.M. run, 6:40, Buffalo Zion PSD; 7:37, Calhoun run: reverse of A.M. run. Rock; 6:43, Hog Knob; 6:45, Food Pantry; 6:48, old Pro Hardware; 6:50, Satterfield pipe yard; 6:55, church, Broomstick; 6:56, Last Fork Road; 7:06, Mill Ridge Road; 7:07, 201 Broomstick; 7:10, White Pine Road, Slab Fork; 7:12, Road Fork Road; 7:14, 2443 White Pine; 7:17, Horse Ridge Road; 7:20, White Pine Road; 7:23, Rt. 16 N; 7:25, Pleasant Hill School; 7:30, 2843 N. Calhoun Hwy.; 7:31, 2541 N. Calhoun Hwy.; 7:33, Town Hill Road; 7:34, Manor; 7:35, Hospital Dr.; 7:36, Betty Wilson's; 7:38, Hardman's; 7:40, Philips Run; 7:45, Mt. Zion PSD; top of Nicut Hill; 7:11, 7:50, Lora Wilson's; 7:55, Tony/Beam; 7:12, Yeager/ CM/HS. P.M. run: reverse Andreao; 7:16, Whippoorof A.M. run.

Sullivan (Bus #6): A.M. Rt. 5; 7:22, Metz; 7:25, run, 7:05, Oka Road, Courthouse; 7:27, Basnett; horse ring, Rt. 16 N; 7:08, 7:30, Minnie Hamilton; Sears Run; 7:11, Minnora 7:33, Grantsville Manor/ School; 7:15, Wolf Run, Calhoun Banks; 7:40, Rt. 16 N; 7:22, Brannon Pleasant Hill School; 7:58, Straight, Rt. 16 N; 7:30, CM/HS. P.M. run: reverse AES; 7:45, CM/HS. P.M. of A.M. run.

Bus routes for the new Creek; 7:20, turn around; turn; 7:16, Rt. 33/119; elementary First day for kinder- 7:33, S. Calhoun Hwy., reversal of morning route, garten, 4th, 5th, 7th, 9th Propst; 7:34, Miller; 7:37, CM/HS to AES; Henry's and 11th grade students is Roberts; 7:38, Goodrich; Fork to Altizer Road to 7:40, Dodd; 7:41, Griffen; Barnes Run. 7:43, Arnold; 7:45, arrive 3rd, 6th, 8th, 10th and at AES. P.M. run: reverse DeWayne O'Neal (Bus

First day for all stu- Allen (Bus #26): A.M. run, Run; 6:47, Mud Fork Creek; 6:45, Mt. Run 6:56, Tabernacle Church; Bus Route 1 - Chris Road, turn: 6:54, Frozen: (turn 7:18, S. Calhoun Hwy.;

Bus Route 8 - Barb reverse of A.M. run. Norman (Bus #9): A.M. run, 6:25, Rt. 16 S, turn Starcher (Bus #TBA): into Barnes Run Road; 6:50, Hughes Fork, turn; 7:05, top Hur hill, turn Calhoun Homes; 7:30, Bus Route 2 - Mar- CM/HS; 7:33, Rt. 16 N, AutoCare; 7:58, PHS. P.M. run: reverse of A.M. run; does not transport CM/HS students to Grantsville in the evenings.

Bus Route 9 - Barry 7:01, Faith Ridge Road; Miller (Bus #29): A.M. older. Anyone interested run, 6:20, East on Rt. 5; 6:38. Arthur, Rt 5; 6:40, visit Vaccinate.wv.gov or Jones; 6:42, Cardinal Lane; call West Virginia Vaccine 6:52, Richards; 6:55, top Line, 1-833-734-0965. of Annamoriah Hill; 6:56, bottom of Annamoriah Hill; 6:57, pull off before Annamoriah bridge, Lemuels Run; 7:00, Trask, Knight Lane; 7:00, Davis; 7:02, Full Gospel Light House Church; 7:03, Yoke Oil Gathering; 7:05, end of bridge, Big Bend; 7:08, Carroll Road; 7:07, wide spot, Kerby; 7:09, will Road; 7:18, Stevens; Bus Route 3 - Jim 7:19, Heiney; 7:20, left on

students); 7:50, CM/HS. P.M. run:

Bus Route 14 #12): A.M. run, 6:30, Bus Route 7 - Terri Walker Road; 6:45, Camp Church: 6:49, Duck Nelson; 6:53, Rogers, Stinson; 6:54, Rt. 16 S of store; 6:58, Double Eagle; 6:58, Glen Dix Rentals; 7:00, Moore Lane; 7:01, Rt. 16 N; 7:02, Blake; 7:05, Chloe Lane; 7:05, Chloe Hardware; 7:09. Swisher's, across from Meadow Run; 7:25, AES; 7:45, CM/HS. P.M. run:

Bus Route 15 - Eric A.M. run, 6:30, Little Creek Road; Creston, Rt. 5; Annamoriah, Rt. 5; Sawyer Road; Big Root Road, Rt. 5 E, turn; Rt. 5 E Hilltop; 7:30, Rt. 16,

Vaccinations

Free COVID-19 vaccinations are available to all West Virginians ages 5 and in being vaccinated may



Grantsville.

filling orders during the opening of Grinders Coffeehouse and Café, located on Main St.,



Pictured from an earlier Hathaway reunion are descendants of Curtis, Hattie and Dorfetta. Left to right are, standing, Pearl Hathaway, Vanhorn, Churl Hathaway Scott, Orvan Todd Hathaway, Oral Boone Hathaway, Earl Hathaway, Curtis Hathaway; kneeling, Dixie Hathaway Gregg, Darrell Lee Hathaway, Charles Curtis Hathaway, and Audy Hathaway. Darrell and Dixie are the only two living siblings.

Hathaway Family Reunion Held

Hathaway, his first wife Fundraiser in Parkersburg, accident on May 25. He Reunion will be held at Hattie Dale Bennett, and and those attending re- and his wife Lorene, along Calhoun County Park on his second wife Dorfetta membered James David with their families, were Saturday, July 8, 2023, at Stump Hathaway, held Hathaway, as he continues unable to attend. their annual family reunion at Calhoun County Park on Saturday, July 9.

Those attending provided desserts and salads, while grill masters Jim and Robin Hughes, along with her grandson Ray Davis, grilled hamburgers and hot dogs.

Some of the guests enjoyed cornhole and everyone participated in drawing of prizes.

New family members attending for the first time

Descendants of Curtis busy with Cancer Society to recover from a mower

The next Hathaway 10 a.m.



run: reverse of A.M. run.

Sampson (Bus #30): A.M. run, 6:41, Milo Road, run, 6:16, leave house; 6:43, Prosperity Church, Leading Creek; 6:48, Coal Fork Road; 6:44, Road Run; 7:14, Rt. 33 turn at Jones residence; E at Liberty Hill; 7:20, 6:59, turn around; 7:07, Lofgren residence; 7:08, Snider residence; 7:10, 7:55, Bus Garage. PM Milliron residence; turn run: reverse of A.M. run. right onto Rt. 16 S; 7:13, Justice residence; Lewis (Bus #02): A.M. 7:14, 7:17, Wilson residence; 7:22, Vaughn road; 7:25, Moore residence; 7:29, Osborne residence; 7:30, Bramblewood; 7:35, PHS; onto Rt. 7 at Stumptown; 7:45, Dooley residence; 7:10, Wolf Run Road; 7:14, 7:55, CM/HS. P.M. run: Sassafras, Grantsville end; reverse of A.M. run.

Summers (Bus #10): Field/Foodland; A.M. run, 6:30, turn at PHS, drop off elementary bottom of hill at head of students); 7:53, CM/HS. pick up); 6:45, Rt. 16 N; run. 6:55, straight stretch, Rush at mouth of Bear Fork, run: reverse of A.M. run.

run, 6:40, bus garage; 6:46, residence, Sand Ridge, turn; 6:58, as morning run. turn on Sycamore Road; Starcher; 7:00, Strange-Paylor; go on Mt. Zion Road, Pine ning of Henry's Fork, the door.

Bus Route 10 - Tricia Bus Route 4 - Rick Harris (Bus #20): A.M. Reip residence; 6:42, Mary's Fork; 6:45, Beech Road to Sam's Run; 7:03, old Arnoldsburg School; 7:25, AES; 7:50, CM/HS; Bus Route 11 - Tom

Williams Road; run, 6:25, Rt. 7, Left Fork Road; 6:38, Sassafras Ridge; 6:49, Rush Run; 7:03, Rt. 33/119 E, Sampson residence; 7:06, turn 7:25, old BFG building; Bus Route 5 - Janet 7:30, Wayne Underwood 7:35, Walnut Road (Morton first P.M. run: reverse of A.M. will be presented by

Run, N. Calhoun Hwy.); Brannon (Bus #21): A.M. 7:00, enter Crummies run, 6:40, intersection of Creek Road; 7:10, turn Milo/Beech; 6:42, Blowing Timber Road; 6:56. Sully's Run Road; 7:20, Beech/Oka Road inters-Stewart residence; 7:30, ection; 7:03, old Miller AES; 7:45, CM/HS. P.M. Hollow Road; 7:09, Little White Oak; 7:11, turn at items to give out and a door Bus Route 6 - Greg low water bridge on Little prize. For information, Hawkins (Bus #7): A.M. White Oak; 7:15, Allen call 354-6148. intersection, U.S. 33/119, Starcher; Little White Oak/Oka 6:47, Gungle; 6:49, Walls Road; 7:40, AES; 7:55, at Crummies Creek; 6:51, CM/HS. P.M. run: same

7:01, neth McCumbers (Bus Building (behind Senior 7:02, #15): A.M. run, 6:45, Citizens Center, Grants-Keener; 7:05, Bracewell; Jesse's Run Road; 6:46- ville), on Saturday, Aug. 7:09, County Park; 7:14, 7:09, Altizer Road, out to 13, at 6 p.m. Mt. Zion Church, turn to Rt. 33/119; 7:15, begin-

in several years were Judy Hathaway Poe of Akron, Ohio; Greg and Teresa Hathaway and Miranda Hathaway Hawkins of Weston, and Jacob and Jessica Hathaway Wells of Parkersburg.

Other attendees were: Dixie and Jim Gregg, Jimmie Gregg, Suzanne Hathaway Simmons, Darrell Lee Hathaway, Ray, Shayla, Brantley and Ainsley Davis, Brook, Seanna Danica, and Walker Arnold, Roger and Loretta Hathaway Propst, and Jim and Robin Hughes.

Thanks were expressed to Sandra and Carmen Hathaway, who were

'Back 2 School'

"Party Back 2 School" Calhoun County Schools Bus Route 12 - Jeff on Tuesday, Aug. 16, 4 to 6 p.m., at Calhoun Middle/ High School.

There will be food, fun, music, prizes, school supplies, etc. School supplies are valued at \$8,000. Vendors are asked to bring

Music

Bluegrass, gospel and country music will be Bus Route 13 - Ken- played at the Lions Club

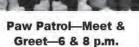
Musicians sign-up at

Children's Pedal Tractor Pull - 7:30 p.m. Bluey Character-Meet & Greet - 6 & 8 p.m.

www.ritchiecountyfair.org

Friday, August 12

First responder Meet and Greet - 4-6 p.m. Story Time - 4:30 p.m. **DNR Wildlife Demonstration - 5 p.m.** WV Department of Forestry - 5 p.m. Country Club Band - Main Stage - 5 p.m. Hay Bale Toss-6 p.m.









Youth Livestock Sale - 1:30 p.m. Minions-Meet & Greet - 4 & 8 p.m. Story Time - 4:30 p.m. Encanto Characters—Meet & Greet - 6 p.m. Midnight Outlaws - Main Stage - 9 p.m.



Samantha Hall Named To Honor Society School Clothing



Samantha Hall

been installed as new society, Kappa Delta Pi Kappa Omicron chapter is personal qualities and (KDP), including Calhoun by invitation only. County High School

graduate Samantha Hall. bers at a ceremony held the Spring semester.

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gail

To receive an invitation, prospective members blished in 1966 by then- teaching as the newest KDP mem- into the teacher education Dr. program, have at least 12 on campus at the end of credit hours in educational courses programmed, in Others included Abi- progress, or completed, Madison have completed at least 30

worthy educational ideals.

The chapter was esta-Wendell Hardway. GSU's chapter is currently co-counseled by Dr. Gerda Vann.

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> -Bill Wright Mineral Wells, WV



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See Bill Wright's story.

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Eight Glenville State Shepherd, Heather Sears, credit hours of collegiate see these students become University students have Emily Lewis, Cameron course work, have a our newest members. cepting School Clothing Knopp, Myrtle Copen cumulative grade-point This is an outstanding members of the interna- and Stormie Alverson. average of 3.0 or greater, organization and I know tional education honor Membership in GSU's and exhibit commendable that these future educators will uphold our reputation in West Virginia schools. for producing skilled, reflective, and responsive receive a \$200 benefit that professionals Students took the oath must be fully admitted Education Dept. chairman through word and deed," Education said dean

Connie Stout O'Dell. Kappa Delta Pi was Kumpiene and Dr. Will founded in 1911 to foster excellence in education and promote fellowship School Clothing Allowamong those dedicated to teaching. The mission of KDP is to advance quality education by inspiring teachers to prepare all learners for future challenges.

> Members of KDP receive access to exclusive resources including publications, classroom materials, webinars, and scholarships and grants.

Food Handler

food handler's class, Tues- 1212. Applications must day, Aug. 16, at Vienna be received by Aug. 12. Community Building.

and 2 p.m., each lasting www.wvpath.org or call around two hours. Cost is DHHR's Customer Ser-\$10 and no ap-pointment vice Center, 1-877-716is needed. For information, 1212. call 485-7374.

WIC Program

The Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) nutrition program is a supplemental food program for pregnant, postpartum, or breastfeeding women, and infants and children up to the age of five.

To apply or to receive information, call the local office, 354-6898, or the main office in Parkersburg, 428-3688.

The WIC clinic is located at 300 Mill St., Grantsville, and is available each Wednesday from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. for appointments by phone.

Call the office, 354-6898, if you have an appointment or a question about benefits.

The deadline for ac-Allowance applications is Friday, Aug. 12, for eligible children enrolled

Each eligible child will may be used toward the purchase of appropriate school clothing or piece goods for families who sew clothing for their children.

Income Limits for the ance Program for 2022:

Number of persons in household and monthly income limit for the program for 2022 are: 1, \$1,396; 2, \$1,888: 3, \$2,379; 4, \$2,871; 5, \$3,363; 6, \$3,855; 7, \$4,347; 8, \$4,839; 9, \$5,331; 10, \$5,823.

Families may apply online at www.wvpath. org or request a paper application be mailed by contacting their local DHHR office, 354-6118, MOVHD will hold or by calling 1-877-716-

If you need to update Classes are at 10 a.m. your address, go to

Arnoldsburg School News

"The Bad Guys" will be shown at a free Movie Night in the Arnoldsburg Elementary gym on Wednesday, Aug. 10, at 5:30 p.m. Popcorn and drinks will be provided.

The event is sponsored Communities bv in Schools and Westbrook Health Services.

Arnoldsburg Elementary School will have an open house on Monday, Aug. 15, from 4 to 6 p.m.

Activities will include dunking booth, dime toss, photo booth, food and door prizes. You can also meet the teachers and check out the classrooms.

For information, call Kelley O'Harrow, 655-8616.



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