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Mountain State Spotlight: West Virginia risks losing out on \$1B as internet and utility companies fight over broadband expansion costs

*Disputes between power
companies and internet
providers over pole costs could
mean broadband will take
longer to reach West Virginians.*

By Tre Spencer for Mountain State Spotlight

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A billion-dollar investment to expand high-speed broadband service across West Virginia is being held up as power companies push to charge internet providers for the costs of replacing worn-out power poles despite state laws.

One in four West Virginia homes or businesses currently have crippling slow connection speeds or lack internet access entirely, according to state mapping.

To get high-speed broadband connections to West Virginians, telecommunications companies have run fiber cables on existing utility poles, which are primarily owned by electric companies.

By 2029, state officials plan to reach each household in West Virginia with a minimum of 100 megabits per second download and 20 megabits per second upload internet speeds using the funds.

However, the high costs utility companies are charging internet service providers to attach cables to their poles or replace poles that are in disrepair have made it difficult for the state to continue expansion, according to state officials and internet company executives.

“The pole owners are seeing billions of dollars being given away by the federal government, and they want their share of that,” said Charlie Dennie, former director of the state Office of Broadband.

The state has already received more than 20% of the \$1.2 billion broadband expansion money allocated to it by the federal government. The rest of that money is contingent on a final application due April 2025, including the names of the internet service providers agreeing to provide services.

Internet service providers are saying they can’t afford the attachment fees to provide those services.

Pole attachment delays are a threat to broadband expansion, Kelly Workman, director of the state Office of Broadband, told members of the joint standing committee on technology and infrastructure during an August legislative meeting.

From deep underground to a home router, broadband expansion requires strong infrastructure

Broadband infrastructure begins deep underground with fiber optic pipes. Then, fiber cables carry data directly to your home, either underground or attached to utility poles.

In order to connect fiber cables to utility poles, the utility companies have to give the internet providers permission to attach their equipment, and the pole has to be in good condition and have ample space for the new equipment.

Annie Stroud, broadband program director at Generation WV, said attaching cables on poles can cost from \$600 to more than \$6,000 for utility providers who need to upgrade their poles.

Typically, poles will already have telephone, cable and power lines. Internet providers have to get approval from the utility company and pay for the engineering and research costs associated with retrofitting the pole with fiber.

However, the cost amount can vary depending on the pole’s condition, the utility company’s attachment qualifications and the labor needed. The largest expenses are for entire pole replacements.

“The poles are a major challenge,” Stroud said. “The electric utilities, who may own poles not up to code, have been able to charge the entire cost of that replacement to the telecommunications companies.”

Internet providers and power companies can’t agree on pole costs

Internet service providers say they shouldn’t bear the extra cost because they don’t own the poles. But utility companies say that responsibility should fall on the attacher.



Big Otter students complete STEM activity

Students in Mrs. Gross’ class at Big Otter Elementary School completed an awesome STEM project involving the Mayflower and pilgrims! STEM stands for Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math. After doing

research, students had to construct a ship (the Mayflower) and determine what boat design would hold the most pilgrims, which were represented by pennies. The best design held 181 pilgrims without sinking.

Christmas Backpack Celebration

Lighthouse Baptist Church will hold a Christmas Backpack Celebration on Saturday, Dec. 14. Registration is at 10:15 am, and activities begin at 11 a.m. There will be a backpack distribution, Christmas music, shadow nativity, lunch to-go, and more! Located at 153 School Street in Ivydale.

Panther football season ends in first round of playoffs



Jaxon Brown hits the 32 yard field goal. Allen Hamrick photo.

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NICHOLAS COUNTY



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Obstructing an officer, domestic assault third



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Booked 11/24/24
Possession with intent to deliver marijuana



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Booked 11/18/24
Receive, transfer stolen goods



Dylan Andrew Cutlip
Booked 11/21/24
Possession of controlled substance

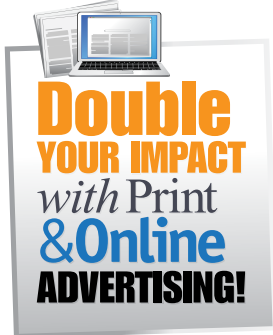


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Charles Edgar Workman
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Malicious wounding, attempted homicide (murder)



WVDACH to Begin Accepting Submission for the 2025 Youth Congressional Art Competition, Dec. 2

The West Virginia Department of Arts, Culture and History (WVDACH) will begin accepting submissions for the 2025 Youth Congressional Art competition on Dec. 2, 2024, through the deadline on Jan. 31, 2025. The competition is open to high school students only. Exceptions will be made for schools that have 7th through 12th grades on one campus. Artwork submissions can be mailed, or hand delivered to the Culture Center.

The WVDACH is scheduled to open the exhibition on Friday, Feb. 21, 2025, at the Culture Center, State Capitol Complex, in Charleston.

Submitted artwork can be in any one of the following categories: paintings, drawings, collages, prints, mixed media, computer generated and photography. Each entry must be original in concept, design and execution and may not violate U.S. copyright laws. Each student can submit up to two entries.

Artwork must be two-dimensional. Each piece of art-

work can be no larger than 26 inches high, 26 inches wide and 4 inches deep. Even when framed, it must still measure no larger than the above maximum dimensions. No framed piece should weigh more than 15 pounds.

The winner from each congressional district will have their artwork displayed at the United States Capitol for an entire year in the Congressional Art Competition, as well as receive a \$100 Blick Art Materials gift card. The first-place winners will have their artwork framed by the WVDACH. A \$50 Blick Art Materials gift card is also awarded to five second place winners.

Each entrant must submit the student information and release form with a teacher's signature. Students can get entry forms with a complete list of rules and guidelines from their school's art teacher(s), online at <https://bit.ly/2025YouthCongressionalArt> or by contacting Sidney Duncan, WVDACH exhibits coordinator, at (304) 558-0220 or Sidney.L.Duncan@wv.gov.

PUBLIC NOTICES

The Birch River PSD will hold its regular monthly meeting on Tuesday, December 10, at 9 a.m., at the PSD office in Birch River.

Clay Roane Public Service District: Per motion passed on Feb. 15, 2024, the Board Meeting dates and times have changed to the following: Regular Board meetings shall be held each third Monday of every month at 6 p.m. via the online Zoom website. Except for the month of December which will be held in person at the office of Clay Roane PSD, same date and time.

The Clay County Middle School afterschool program is still seeking donated sewing machines. If you have a working portable sewing machine that you no longer need and would like to donate to a beginning sewist, please drop it off at the Clay County Library earmarked for the CCMS sewing class. The manual would be great to have with the machine. Please, include your contact information. In the case that the class is too small for the number of machines that may be donated, leave a note saying what you want done with it. Thank you in advance for your support!

The Clay County WIC office located at 452 Main Street in Clay is open to serve the public every Monday and Wednesday from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Courthouse News

Tuesday, December 10, 2024 Docket Schedule for Magistrate: Rider, Charles "Jeff":

09:00 AM, State v. Seth Roger Stollings, Pre Trial Hearing, Operators license – driving while suspended or revoked for DUI, possession of a controlled substance without a prescription

09:30 AM, State v. Rosalie Julianna Hart, Bench Trial, Failure to notify change of address or name, Failure to maintain motor vehicle insurance

09:30 AM, State v. Rosalie Julianna Hart, Status Hearing, Driving while electronically distracted, Failure to maintain motor vehicle insurance

09:30 AM, State v. Rosalie Julianna Hart, Status Hearing, No proof of reg, failure to change address on operator's license

09:30 AM, State v. Rosalie Julianna Hart, State Hearing, Operation of vehicle without evidence of registration, operation without certificate of inspection or failure to produce certificate

10:00 AM, State v. Damian Lee Meadows, Pre Trial Hearing, Operator's license – driving while license suspended or revoked, Possession of controlled substance without valid prescription

10:15 AM, State v. James Luther Mccune, Pre Trial Hearing, Operator's license – driving while license suspended or revoked, Possession of controlled substance without valid prescription (2 counts), improper use of evidences of registration, operation without certificate of inspection or failure to produce, failure to maintain motor vehicle insurance, unsafe and improperly equipped vehicles

10:30 AM, State v. Dusty Wade Pritt, Bench Trial, Entry of building other than dwelling, petit larceny

11:00 AM, State v. Dana Marie Fields, Bench Trial, Public intoxication

11:30 AM, State v. Ian Matthew Dobbins, Bench Trial, Possession of controlled substance without a valid prescription

01:00 PM, State v. Tiffany Danielle Stricker, Bench Trial, Petit larceny

OBITUARY



Norman L. Johnson

Tuesday morning, November 19, 2024, Norman L. Johnson, of Harrison, WV fulfilled a beautiful 96 years of service to his country, family, and business.

Norman was a faithful son, husband, father grandfather, great-grandfather, and Veteran.

He devoted 75 years of marriage to his wife Avis Maxine Johnson (Hard-

way), whom he married in 1949. Together, they had two children, Michael Johnson and Robert Johnson. He was very proud of his children 2 children, 4 grandchildren, and 6 great-grandchildren.

In service to his country, Norman enlisted in the United States Air Force, serving for 24 years and 9 months, travelling all over with his wife Avis, and eventually their two boys. There were many stories told of their time travelling together. Norman was named Senior Master Sergeant in the Air Force. He retired from the services in 1968 and worked at NASA where he worked on the first two rockets that were sent to the moon. In 1975, he opened a Stihl chain-

saw business in Harrison, WV and called it "Country Short Stop". The business is still in commission today and is ran by his son, Mike Johnson.

Norman is preceded in death by his parents George Edmond Johnson and Elizabeth Turner Johnson, sister Hester Nelson, infant brother Spencer Johnson, and infant great-grandson Danny Michael Miller.

He is survived by his loving wife Avis Johnson of Harrison, WV, his children Michael Johnson of Harrison, WV and Robert (Christine) Johnson of Green Valley, AZ, grandchildren Alicia (Tom) Fisher of Portland, OR, Chris (Alicia) Johnson of Harrison, WV, Ashley (Josh) Miller of Sum-

mersville, WV, Laura Johnson of Harrison, WV, great-grandchildren Pascale and Harold Fisher of Portland OR, Gracie and Peyton Johnson of Harrison, WV, and Mika Miller of Summersville, WV.

Anyone who had the privilege of knowing Norman was a lucky individual. His wisdom was unlike any other and he will be greatly missed.

A graveside service will be held on Friday, November 22, 2024, at 1:00 pm at Hardway Cemetery in Harrison, WV.

Online condolences may be sent to the family at www.carlwilsonfuneralhome.com

Wilson Smith Funeral Home is honored to be serving the Johnson Family.

Puzzle Answers

Super Crossword

Answers

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Weekly SUDOKU

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Picking Up The Trash

By Joe Mazzella

Near my home there is a small lake with a walk path that goes all the way around it. When my children were younger we would drive to it a few times a week and walk the path. It always felt so good to be that close to nature and the beauty of God’s creation.

One Autumn day, however, I noticed that the path wasn’t looking so good. It was full of trash that other walkers had dropped along the way. The next time the kids and I went then I took a large trash bag with us. As we walked along every few yards we would spot another piece of trash, bend down, pick it up and put it in the bag. There were candy wrappers, empty potato chip bags, bent cans of soda pop and a few beer cans as well. There were plastic bottles, old strings of fishing line, and even a single tennis shoe. We picked up every piece we saw. It took us over twice as long to get all the way around the lake but when we did we felt a sense of satisfaction that couldn’t be put into words.

Before we got back in the car I dumped the almost full trash bag into a nearby trash can. I looked back at the lake shimmering in the sun and the trees full of beautiful red and golden leaves and smiled. We hadn’t made it any more beautiful with what we did, but we had at least taken away some of the things that were making it less beautiful. It was like we had done our part and given something back to thank God again for this glorious world we live in.

In this life we are all more important than we realize. Every single thing we do can add or take away from the beauty of this world. Every single thing we do can add to the Love and joy in this life or to the fear and hate in it. We all need to choose wisely then. We need to do our part and give something back every chance we can, be it a shared smile, an act of kindness, a word of love, or even picking up a single piece of trash.

Dr. James L. Snyder

Of all the things I have learned, one has made a difference in my life.

I hear stories about how married couples are unhappy. Today, something must be wrong with you if you haven’t been divorced and remarried five times.

I always figure that the person who has been married five times hasn’t learned anything from their first four marriages. They’re going to repeat the same mistakes, over and over.

Somebody should pass a law forbidding people to be stupid. Why does stupidity seem to run our country? If we would forbid stupidity, we would have no politicians screwing up our country, but then, is that bad?

Being married has been a long journey for both The Gracious Mistress of the Parsonage and her fantastic husband. We celebrated 53 years of marriage.

There have been some stress points in our marriage, although at this point, I can’t remember one. That’s why it’s important to forget things when you get older. But our marriage has been a wonderful ride in the park—I just can’t remember which park.

After 53 years of marriage, I have discovered that true happiness boils down to one thing. Discovering that one thing is a treasure of gold. Most people have never discovered this one thing, which is why their lives are not happy.

I know five marriage counselors, and each have been divorced and remarried at least three times. You would think they would understand what makes a marriage happy and pleasant. I wouldn’t see those five marriage counselors for any advice.

This came to me about a month ago. I was talking to a young man who asked me about our marriage secret. I had to tell him that we had no secrets. Then it occurred to me what our marriage’s driving point was. I had discovered one important secret.

It all boils down to one point: how many married couples are happy? If only one is happy, it is not a good marriage. If both are happy, well, you know the answer.

The explanation of what happy means will help us understand this whole scenario.

For some people, being happy means they are always right and always get what they want, when they want it.

My mother used to say when I would ask her if she was alright. “No, son,” she would say with a smile, “I’m half left.”

Then she would say, “If we were to be right all the time, why did God give us a left hand?”

So, to be happy, I don’t necessarily have to be right all the time. I don’t always have to have everything my way. Sometimes I do need that left hand for balance.

Manchin statement on 15.44% decrease in drug overdose deaths in West Virginia

Last month, U.S. Senator Joe Manchin (I-WV) released the following statement on the latest data highlighting a 15.44% decrease in drug overdose deaths between May 2023 and May 2024 in West Virginia. This finding continues the trend from data last month showing a 11.56% decrease in drug overdose deaths between April 2023 and April 2024.

“The proof is in the numbers and we are seeing in real time a decline in overdose deaths across the Mountain State,” said Senator Manchin. “I am so proud of

Looking back over my life, if I had everything my way, I would be in so much trouble today that I’m not sure I could get out of it. My way hasn’t always the important way. It’s hard to acknowledge that.

If the wife is happy, then I’m happy. If the wife is not happy, I’m in serious trouble.

The important aspect of marriage is discovering what makes the other person happy. Once I figured that out, everything was a ski-ride down the mountains.

When you first marry, you don’t know what makes the other person happy or sad. It’s a learning experience and you better get busy studying this subject before you get married.

The only rocky point in our marriage had to do with “broccoli.” She has a fascinating love for broccoli, I have a deplorable hatred for broccoli and the twain shall never meet on the same dinner table.

When we were first married, I did not know this about her and broccoli. But it wasn’t long after we were married that I discovered this. Up to that point, I had never tasted broccoli, and I wasn’t about to start tasting it then; with deep respect to my tongue.

When we were married, she didn’t know about my fascination with Apple Fritters. I grew up in Pennsylvania Dutch country where Apple Fritters are king of the hill. We just love our Apple Fritters.

The Gracious Mistress of the Parsonage was happy when she was eating broccoli and I was happy when I was eating Apple Fritters. These two things cannot be done on the same table, if you know what I mean.

At that point, it all boiled down to one thing. Are we going to determine what the other person likes? Or, will we accept them as long as it makes them happy?

That’s so critical that I don’t know anything more important.

If I can master this one thing, then there will be nothing but happiness in our marriage. I don’t demand that she like what I like, and she doesn’t demand that I like what she likes. We just put up with certain things and don’t make an issue of them.

My secret is, if she passes before me, I’ll make sure there is broccoli in her casket that she can take with her. The key to marriage is agreement. I like what it says in Amos 3:3, “Can two walk together, except they be agreed?”

If you walk down a path going to in certain destination, although, you both are going in the same direction but one can look to the left and the other to the right. It is the destination that is important.

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the bipartisan work we have done to combat the drug epidemic in my home state and across the nation. Together we’ve passed the Fentanyl Eradication and Narcotics Deterrence (FEND) Off Fentanyl Act, continued to implement the Protecting Jessica Grubb’s Legacy Act (Legacy Act) and designated National Fentanyl Awareness Day in May and National Naloxone Awareness Day in June. We have also pushed the Food and Drug Administration for proper education and access to naloxone nationally.”

“This great news breeds hope and is truly possible because of our bipartisan work and tireless dedication. I look forward to seeing next month’s data and I remain focused on doing everything in my power to fight this drug epidemic and protect all West Virginias and Americans.”

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Looking for someone to plow snow from the lot and shovel snow from the sidewalk for the Clay County Department of Health and Human Resources office in Clay, WV.

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A First Energy spokesperson said that each pole requires a space assessment before any attachment in order to adhere to federal safety guidelines like the National Electric Code.

If a taller pole is needed, that cost becomes the responsibility of the internet service provider (ISP), said spokesperson Will Boye.

“The ISP can decide if it wishes to pursue that option and fund the needed construction,” Boye said. “The ISP can also choose other routes or options that do not involve attaching to our poles.”

Another electric utility, Appalachian Power, owns poles in the state. The company also has pole attachment guidelines which have extensive rules and regulations for attachers.

A spokesperson said that they’ve received over 200,000

requests for attachments over the past three years.

“If the pole does not need to be replaced for electric service, then Appalachian Power does not bear the cost,” said spokesperson George Porter. “If a pole needs to be replaced to accommodate a new broadband attachment, then the broadband company will bear this cost.”

In late August, the Public Service Commission of West Virginia created a special task force to solve the pole attachment issues and bring together representatives from utility companies and the internet firms.

In West Virginia, the Public Service Commission - not a federal agency - regulates attachments and utilities in the state.

The task force will consider a new process requiring utilities to share pole inspection information with attachers, and requiring periodic reporting of pole attachment

applications and pole compliance.

Citynet, a Bridgeport-based internet provider, is working to expand its services with federal funds and will be part of the state task force on pole attachments.

Company officials said on broadband projects in the past, they’ve been handed unfair fees by utility companies.

Jim Martin, company president, said they’ve allocated nearly \$8,000 a mile for costs associated with engineering and attachment fees or about \$300 a pole.

But, if the company is charged additional fees or the responsibility of replacing outdated poles, their costs would skyrocket further slowing their progress.

“We just keep fighting about who’s going to pay for it, but at the end of the day the taxpayers are going to pay for it,” he said.

Small Business Saturday Kicks off a “Season of Small Business”
Support Small Businesses – “Gift Big, Shop Local” This Holiday Season

By SBA Mid-Atlantic Regional Administrator John Fleming

The U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) is once again encouraging Americans to remember their local small retailers and restaurateurs when making their winter holiday shopping plans this year. While social media, TV and billboards are already being flooded with Black Friday and Cyber Monday deals from the major chains and online shopping sites, we at the SBA know that mom-and-pop shops, corner bakeries, and Main Street markets owned by your friends and neighbors are competing against “the big guys” with bottomless marketing budgets to finish the year “in the black.”

Join us in celebrating the 33.3 million small businesses igniting our economy and enriching our communities throughout the year (20 million of which started during the Biden-Harris Administration). We are once again partnering with American Express and other organiza-

tions across the country this holiday shopping season to celebrate Small Business Saturday (the Saturday after Thanksgiving) - a day to honor and support small businesses for all they contribute to our communities. It’s how we all can do our part to support economic growth in our own neighborhoods. Last year’s Small Business Saturday® packed a big punch for the U.S. economy: consumers generated approximately \$18 billion in reported spending at small businesses.

Beyond just one day, we are once again calling on Americans to make their entire holiday shopping experience a “Season of Small Business” by spending more at Main Street shops and restaurants. It’s as easy and satisfying as it is impactful. On average, small businesses create two out of three net new jobs in your town, and America’s small restaurants employ millions and generate billions of dollars in sales. Shopping local strengthens your local economy and keeps more of

your hard-earned dollars local while receiving high-quality products and services in return.

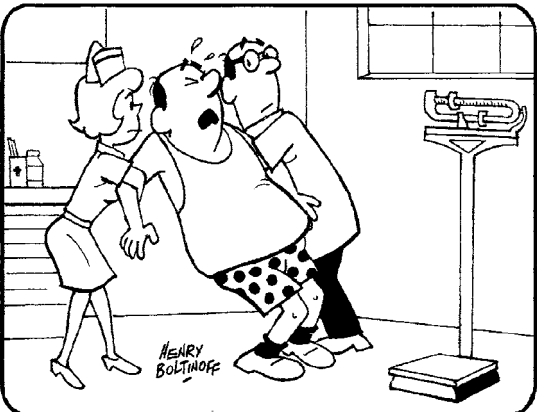
In so many ways, small businesses are the glue that holds our communities together. I encourage you to join me and more than 100 million Americans in shopping and dining small on Small Business Saturday® as you check off items on your holiday shopping list. Share your stories and where you’re shopping on social media using #ShopSmall.

This year, to help bring attention to our locally owned retailers and restaurateurs, the SBA is visiting a neighborhood near you. Join SBA West Virginia District Director, Karen Friel on November 21 in Buckhannon, WV as she meets with local business owners to highlight the impact their presence and your dollars have on making Buckhannon a great place to live and shop.

Thank you for shopping small this holiday season.

HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.

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Differences: 1. Leg is moved. 2. Scale is shorter. 3. Nurse's foot is shorter. 4. Cabinet is not as wide. 5. Window is smaller. 6. Sock is shorter.

Super Crossword

NOT A SINGLE SPOT

ACROSS

1 Hoover, e.g.

7 Hertz rival

12 Military vehicle for recon

20 Roma's place

21 Go into a major tizzy

22 Worth of a security at its face

23 Rare musical gift

25 Being filmed

26 Aug. follower

27 Feel awful

28 Tree's anchor

30 Sandbox toy

31 Elicitor of a rave review

39 Newton and Asimov

41 Beats of life

42 Klutzy sorts

43 Naiad or dryad

44 Plant swelling

46 Ben of "Zoolander"

49 Mint quality

54 "13th" director DuVernay

55 Styne of song

56 TV spots

57 Vaper's item

58 How-to unit

59 Catch sight of

60 Ostrich's kin

61 Big name in cosmetics

64 Big bees

66 Rainforests and such

69 Round one of the corners in Monopoly

72 Mets' div.

73 Vast span

74 Awful review

77 First-aid plant

78 Purplish berry

79 Derby, e.g.

80 Buffalo's county

81 Aladdin's monkey pal

82 Excellent etiquette

88 Wasn't penned up

90 Levi's, e.g.

91 Start

92 Singer Celine

93 Green sushi condiment

96 "M*A*S*H" actor David Ogden —

97 Famed Steelers play of 1972

102 Cole Porter's "— Love"

103 "I got — in Kalamazoo"

104 Toothpaste tube inits.

105 — kwon do

108 O.J. Simpson trial judge

111 Activity that will be unsuccessful when applied to this puzzle's theme?

117 Hans Christian —

118 JFK Library architect

119 The Beach Boys' "Help Me, —"

120 People giving rubdowns

121 Printer brand

122 Motto

DOWN

1 Big cheeses

2 Suited to —

3 Goldfish and minnows are members of it

4 Samuelsson who got the winning goal in the 1991 Stanley Cup

5 Driver's 180

6 Large parrots

7 Cider fruit

8 Chou En- —

9 Picnic pest

10 Emceeing aid

11 Earthy hues, to Brits

12 Satirizes

13 Division of a long poem

14 Tolkien brute

15 Coll. in the Old Dominion State

16 Home of the NFL's Bucs

17 Symbol of a fresh start

18 Gold-related

19 "Royal," in 20-Across

24 Up to, in brief

29 Metal in rocks

32 Small error

33 German for "eight"

34 Design detail

35 — wrestling

36 Strategy

37 Quaint newspaper section

38 Primary

39 Dressed for nighty-night

40 IHOP topping

44 Result

45 — Moines

46 Autograph: Abbr.

47 All tied up

48 Sharp knocks

50 "You are not!" retort

51 Noble acts

52 "All booked up, sorry"

53 Model Tequila

58 Catch sight of

60 Liverpool loc.

61 Purple flower

62 — acid (fat substance)

63 Irish actor Stephen

64 Allowance

65 Sizable vase

66 Put to work

67 A single time

68 Sports sides

69 Early TV host Jack

70 "Dark Angel" star Jessica

71 Healthy intellectuals

74 Introducing

75 Broadcaster

76 Aeries, e.g.

78 Big primate

79 Clutch sitter

80 Film scorer Morricone

82 — -Z (old Camaro)

83 List of options

84 Partly open

85 Neuwirth of "Cheers"

86 Nonclerical

87 "Me? Never!"

89 Husbands-to-be

93 Tots' haulers

94 — discount

95 Smartphone pic, often

96 Railing sites

97 Sunni's faith

98 Animated 2016 Disney film

99 After a time

100 Sup at home

101 Adobe Acrobat file

106 Forever — day

107 "Manhattan Beach" novelist Jennifer

109 Sooner than, poetically

110 Sch. in Terre Haute

112 Gig hookup

113 FedEx rival

114 Zodiac lion

115 Dallas Stars' org.

116 "Yabba dabba —!"

Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ♦♦♦

♦ Moderate ♦♦ Challenging
♦♦♦ HOO BOY!

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THE WIDEN NEWS

The people who think alike
should vote alike.

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Where all think alike, no one
thinks very much.



March 1958

ATTEND FIFTY-FOURTH ANNUAL WOMAN'S CLUB CONVENTION



The Widen Woman's Club was presented a ribbon at the convention for being an honor club. This achievement is attained by participating in the various projects of the State Federation. This is the twentieth consecutive year that the Widen Woman's Club has been so honored.

Members of the Widen Woman's Club who attended the fifty-fourth annual convention of the West Virginia Federation of Women's Club are pictured above, left to right—seated Miss Hazel Baughman, Mrs. H. L. Beattie - standing — Mrs. Scott Williams, Mrs. Ronald Brown, Mrs. Joe LaCorte, Miss Emma Jo Sigman and Mrs. D. F. McMillion.



BOBBY JONES



GLORIA JONES

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Jones of Dorothy, West Virginia formerly of Widen checked in this month with a nice letter to the editors. The Jones enclosed pictures of their two youngest children who are honor students at Clear Fork High School in Colcord, W. Va. Gloria is a Senior at Clear Forks High and Bobby is in the 7th grade. Mr. Jones is presently employed as an electrician with the Truand Traer Coal Company. Mrs. Jones writes, "We enjoy seeing so many of our friends back at Widen. We lived at Widen for twenty years and all our six children began their education there."

FOURTH OF JULY PLANS

There were several inches of snow on the ground; snow was falling hard; the temperature was well below freezing and the Buffalo Valley Sportsmen's Club was meeting at the Widen Legion Hall on March 6, and making initial plans for its annual Fourth of July celebration. That may sound a little ridiculous but actually four months is not too much time to accomplish all that must be done to maintain the standard of the big event that the Independence Day gala at Widen has attained. There is a world of detail in planning the entire day, to make it run smoothly and encompass all the different activities that go to make it a memorable occasion each year.

As for several years past, the Sportsmen's Club will join with the Employees' League of Widen Miners in sponsoring the holiday festival, and President Harold Beattie of the club appointed the general programming for the Fourth: Scott Williams, chairman, with Jerle Hamrick, Harold Dawson, Gene Taylor, and Melvin Conner as committeemen. This general committee will select chairmen for the various special events and will oversee the entire project.

OBITUARIES

ELMER CARTE

ELMER CARTE—63, services for Mr. Carte, of Harold, Braxton County, who died Tuesday, March 11, 1958, were conducted at 11 a.m., March 1958, in the Mt. Olive Baptist Church on Keener's Ridge by Rev. Ernest Hammack and Rev. Gailey Carpenter.

Burial was in the church cemetery.

He was a retired miner and farmer and a veteran of World War I. Mr. Carte was a member of the Walnut Grove Methodist Church.

Surviving are his wife Ida; three sons, Charles of Nutter Fort, Prentice of the U. S. Air Force and Reggie Carte at home; two daughters, Miss Lois Jean Carte of Charleston and Mrs. Marie DeMoss of Columbus, Ohio; two sisters Mrs. Minnie Shingler and Mrs. Elma Adkins of Dille; and three grandchildren.

MRS. MARY ALICE HAMRIC

—73, of Fenwick, Nicholas County, died at the home of a son, Daniel, with whom she resided. She was a member of Pleasant Dale Baptist Church at Cressmont. Also surviving are two other sons, Jesse of Widen and Pat of Creston, Ohio; four daughters, Mrs. Polly McKinney of Widen, Mrs. Maud Bar-

nett of Bintree, Mrs. Dicy Workman of Nettle and Mrs. Tressie Adkins of Loraine, Ohio; four brothers, Lewellen Holcomb of Charleston, James of Buckhannon, Levi of Ewington, Ohio, and Sherman Holcomb of Crestview, Florida; two sisters, Mrs. Robert Triplett of Jackson, Ohio and Mrs. Martha Kauwskl of Baltimore; 44 grandchildren and 38 great-grandchildren.

MANDER (Tine) SATTLER

Mr. Mander (Tine) Sattler—45, of Harrison, Clay County, died unexpectedly at his home on Monday, March 3, 1958, after being stricken by a heart attack. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Millie Sattler; five daughters, Mrs. Ann Rose of Cleveland, Ohio, and Mrs. Loretta Triplett of Killean, Texas, and Myrtle, Mary and Judy Sattler, all at home; two sons, Ronald, with the Air Force in Virginia, and Roger Sattler, at home; his mother, Mrs. Isabelle Sattler of Harrison; two sisters, Mrs. Neely Gill of Harrison and Mrs. Nellie Gill of Strange Creek; five brothers, Wilbert, J. W., Charles and Waltman Sattler, all of Harrison and Cortie of Widen; and four grandchildren.

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THIS WEEK IN West Virginia History

The following events happened on these dates in West Virginia history. To read more, go to *e-WV: The West Virginia Encyclopedia* at www.wvencyclopedia.org.

Nov. 27, 1848: African American educator William H. Davis was born. As a teacher of Black children in Malden, his most famous student was Booker T. Washington. In 1888, Davis was nominated as an independent candidate for the gubernatorial election—to date, the only Black person so honored in West Virginia history.



Nov. 27, 1933: Daniel Boardman Purinton, a faculty member and president of West Virginia University, died. He was an early and strong supporter of co-education.

Nov. 28, 1864: In a local skirmish north of Moorefield, Rosser's Confederate cavalry and McNeill's Rangers rebuffed a raid by Union Col. R. E. Fleming and spared the South Branch Valley from destruction. The battlefields are part of the Middle South Branch Valley rural historic district.

Nov. 29, 1921: The actress Dagmar was born Virginia Ruth Egnor in Lincoln County. Her acting career took off in 1950 when she was hired to be on NBC's "Broadway Open House," the network's first late-night television show.

Nov. 29, 2001: Writer John Knowles died in Florida. Knowles, born in Fairmont, attained literary fame in 1959 with his first novel, *A Separate Peace*.

Nov. 30, 1796: Brooke County was established under an act of the General Assembly of Virginia. The county was formed from part of Ohio



County and named in honor of Robert Brooke, governor of Virginia.

Dec. 1, 1936: Artist Ellie Schaul was born in Massachusetts. Since moving to West Virginia in 1956, she has been one of Appalachia's most enduring artists.

Dec. 2, 1859: John Brown was hanged at Charles Town in Jefferson County. Maj. Thomas J. Jackson, later nicknamed "Stonewall,"

was among those commanding the



Virginia forces standing guard at the execution of the abolitionist who led the raid at Harpers Ferry.

Dec. 2, 1933: The Charles Town Race Track opened shortly after West Virginia legalized racing and



parimutuel betting. The Jefferson County complex contained 22 buildings and included 12 stables.

Dec. 3, 1787: James Rumsey demonstrated the steam engine he invented on the Potomac River near Shepherdstown. This was 20 years before Robert Fulton's boat, though the Fulton design was more practical, and it is Fulton who is honored today as the inventor of the steamboat.

Dec. 3, 1871: Statesman Newton Diehl Baker was born in Martinsburg. Appointed by President Woodrow Wilson, Baker served as secretary of war from 1916 to 1921. Baker



oversaw U.S. involvement in World War I.

Dec. 3, 1921: Operatic soprano Phyllis (Smith) Curtin was born in Clarksburg. She made her debut with the New York City Opera in 1953, where she sang both classical and modern repertoire.

Dec. 3, 1949: WSAZ-TV provided the first telecast of a Marshall College (now University) basketball game. The television station, the 72nd in the nation and the first in West Virginia, was an affiliate of WSAZ radio station.

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You will take notice that JOHN P OR KATHERINE S WALKER, the purchaser of the following real estate, **Cert. No. 2023-C-000100**, located in PLEASANT District, LOT 10 & PT 9 ELKHURST SUR, which was returned delinquent or nonentered in the name of MAYO JENNIFER ETAL, and was sold by the deputy commissioner of delinquent or nonentered lands of CLAY County at the sale for the delinquent taxes on the May 7, 2024. JOHN P OR KATHERINE S WALKER requests that you be notified a deed for such real estate will be made on or after May 1, 2025, as provided by law, unless before that day you redeem such real estate. The amount needed to redeem on or before April 30, 2025 will be as follows:

Amount equal to the taxes and charges due on the date of the certification, with interest, for tax year ticket number 2021 - 14543.	\$ 352.28
Back tax tickets, with interest, and charges due on the date of certification for ticket number	\$ 0.00
Subsequent of taxes paid on the property, with interest to for tax year 2022 - 14568.	\$ 275.96
Additional taxes with interest.	\$ 0.00
Auditor's Certification, Publication, and Redemption fee plus interest.	\$ 212.15
Amount paid for Title Examination, notice to redeem, publication, personal service, Secretary of State with interest.	\$ 1,201.68
Additional Statutory Fees with Interest.	\$ 0.00
Total Amount Due and Payable to WV State Auditor - cashier check, money order, certified or personal check.	\$ 2,042.07

You may redeem at any time before April 30, 2025, by paying the above total less any unearned interest.

Given under my hand November 7, 2024
G. Russell Rollyson, Jr.
G. Russell Rollyson, Jr.
Deputy Commissioner of Delinquent and Nonentered Lands of CLAY County, State of West Virginia

**Please return this letter and payment to the
West Virginia State Auditor's Office, County Collections
Division 1900 Kanawha Boulevard East
Building 1, Room W-114
Charleston, West Virginia 25305.
Questions please call 1-888-509-6568**

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WEST VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
Division of Highways
NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Bids will be received electronically by the West Virginia Department of Transportation, Division of Highways through the Bid Express Bidding Service (www.bidx.com) and by sealed proposals (only when prequalification is waived) being received at its office in Building 5, Room 843, 1900 Kanawha Boulevard East, Charleston, West Virginia until December 17, 2024 at 10:00 AM (Eastern Standard Time). The bids will be downloaded and/or opened and read publicly thereafter for the constructions of the following project(s):

Call	Contract	State Project	Federal Project	Description
012	2022990070	T699-IDIQS 25 00	STBG-2024(126)D	TRAFFIC SIGNAL ITS, SIGNAL SYSTEMS, LGTNG, TECH VARIOUS

COUNTY: STATEWIDE

DBE GOAL: 5 % OF CONTRACT BID AMOUNT. BIDDER MUST PROVIDE WRITTEN ASSURANCE OF MEETING GOAL ON FORM IN PROPOSAL.

REMARKS:
Proposals will be received from prequalified and West Virginia licensed contractors only except that on Federal-Aid Projects a contractors' license is not required at time of bid, but will be required before work can begin. Registration is required with the Department of Administration, Division of Purchasing, in accordance with Chapter 5A, Article 3, Section 12 of the West Virginia Code. All contractors submitting bids on project(s) must include one of the following forms properly executed with each proposal: Proposal Guaranty Bond, Cashier's Check, or Certified Check for \$500.00 or 5% of the total bid, whichever is greater.

The West Virginia Department of Transportation, Division of Highways reserves the right to defer, delay or postpone the date for receiving and publicly opening proposals for any project designated in this advertisement, without the necessity of renewing such advertisement. The deferment, delay, postponement, and the date that proposals will be received and publicly opened will be available on www.bidx.com.

The West Virginia Department of Transportation, Division of Highways hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively ensure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, religion, sex or national origin in consideration for an award.

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**SHERIFF’S LIST OF REAL ESTATE TAX LIENS
CERTIFIED TO THE STATE OF WV**
List of tax liens on real estate in the county of Clay, in the month (or months) of November 2024, certified for nonpayment of taxes thereon for the year (or years) 2023, and certified to the Auditor of the State of West Virginia:

TAXES FOR THE YEAR 2023

Name of Person charged with taxes	Local description of lands
BUFFALO DISTRICT	
ASBURY JOHN W	SUR 4.3 AC GROVES CREEK
ASBURY LOIS G	SUR 4 AC & ROW WTS BUFFALO
BAILEY LOUISE	1/8 OF 1/2 INT 7 AC STRANGE CREEK MIN
BEASLEY DONNA HAMRICK	(2 H) SUR 2.68 AC WTS SAND FORK
BIRD ANNA JEAN	MIN 1/2 OF 1/3 INT 10 AC WTS BUFFALO
BOARD JANNETTE	MIN 1/4 OF 1/6 INT 39 AC SAND FORK
BOZZI CONNIE CEASE	SUR LOT STRANGE CREEK
CANFIELD JAMES F II	SUR 1.83 AC WTS BUFFALO
DEEMS CHARLES FORD	SUR 1.88 AC ROCK CAMP
GIBSON BERTHA	MIN COAL OUT 312 AC STRANGE CREEK 1/4 INT
HICKMAN JACK M	SUR 1/4 INT 2.75 AC STRANGE CREEK
JACKSON ROBERT L	SUR 5 AC FLAT FORK
JACKSON ROBERT L	SUR .50 AC FLAT FORK
JEFFREY ROGER LEE	FEE 1/4 INT LT 38 IVYDALE
KESSLER RUSSELL G	SUR 16.57 AC WTS GROVES
KING MITCHEL H	MIN 1/2 OF 1/2 INT LESS COAL 167 AC WTS BUFFALO & DOG RUN
KING MITCHEL H	MIN 1/2 OF 1/2 INT LESS COAL 50 AC WTS BUFFALO & DOG RUN
KING MITCHEL H	(LESS COAL) 1/2 OF 1/2 INT 50 AC DOG RUN MIN
KING MITCHEL H	MIN 1/2 OF 1/2 INT LESS COAL 70 AC DOG RUN
KING MITCHELL H	O&G 18.75 AC S S ELK
KNIGHT WILLIAM F	SUR 196/768 INT 14 AC IVYDALE
SALVATION ARMY	
CHARLESTON AREA	COAL 1/2 INT 167 AC WTS BUFFALO & DOG RUN
SALVATION ARMY	
CHARLESTON AREA	COAL 1/2 INT 50 AC WTS BUFFALO & DOG RUN
SALVATION ARMY	
CHARLESTON AREA	COAL 1/2 INT 50 AC DOG RUN
SALVATION ARMY	
CHARLESTON AREA	COAL 1/2 INT 50 AC DOG RUN
SALVATION ARMY	
CHARLESTON AREA	COAL 1/2 INT 70 AC DOG RUN
SIMONS DAKOTA T ETAL	SUR .50 AC WTS BUFFALO
TURNER L D HRS	FEE (1/2 O&G OUT) 45 AC WTS GROVES

CLAY MUNICIPALITY DISTRICT

FARRAR ROBERT	SUR LOTS 16-17-18 BF STEP ADDN
GILL BILL ETUX	SUR LT 10 BLK B STEPHENSON ADD
HANSHAW EVA FAYE WHITE HRS	SUR 1/2 OF 1/7 OF 1/2 INT LOT CHESTNUT STREET

HENRY DISTRICT

ADKINS ANDY SR ETUX	SUR .157 AC WTS LAUREL
ADKINS ANDY SR ETUX	SUR LOTS WTS BIG LAUREL
ADKINS LARRY K	SUR 68.2 AC GRANNIES CREEK
BREEDLOVE-COOK SHELLY	MIN (C OUT) 1/4 OF 1/2 INT LOTS 21-23-25 E HARTLAND
BREEDLOVE-COOK SHELLY	MIN (C OUT) 1/4 OF 1/2 INT 4.5 AC E HARTLAND
BULLARD EDITH HRS	MIN 1/24 INT 62.5 AC SANDY
BULLARD GARY HUSTON	SUR LOT WTS LAUREL
BULLARD GARY HUSTON	SUR LOT .06 AC WTS LAUREL
BULLARD GARY HUSTON	SUR LOT LOWER TWO RUN
CALLISON GEORGIA Y HEIRS	MIN 1/10 OF 42/512 INT 250 AC GRANNIES CRK
CALLISON GEORGIA Y HEIRS	O&G 1/10 INT 31.5 AC LILLY FORK
CALLISON GEORGIA Y HEIRS	MIN 1/10 INT 13 AC WTS LAUREL
CALLISON GEORGIA Y HEIRS	MIN 1/10 OF 21/512 INT 250 AC GRANNIES CRK
CALLISON GEORGIA Y HEIRS	O&G 1/10 INT 62.5 AC JOE SPRING KNOB
CALLISON GEORGIA Y HEIRS	O&G 1/10 INT 12.5 AC TWO RUN
CALLISON GEORGIA Y HEIRS	O&G 1/10 OF 1/5 INT 50 AC WTS LAUREL
CALLISON GEORGIA Y HEIRS	O&G 1/10 OF 2/12 INT 111 AC WTS LAUREL
CALLISON GEORGIA Y HRS	DONOHUE TR 1/10 OF 1/2 INT 78.75 AC WTS LAUREL O&G
CONNER CHESSIE C HRS	O&G 3/8 OF 1/2 INT 42 AC WTS BUFFALO
CONNER CHESSIE C HRS	O&G 3/8 OF 1/4 INT 41 AC N S ELK
DOBBINS VIRGINIA	SUR (2H) 2 AC TWISTABOUT
FRAME F J HRS	7/8 OF 1/4 & 1/2 OF 1/4 INT 32 AC REDHSE MIN (1/2 O&G OUT)
FRAME F J HRS	7/8 OF 1/2 OF 1/4 INT 40 AC LIL LAUREL MIN
FRAME F J HRS	O&G OUT) 7/8 OF 1/4 & 1/2 OF 1/4 INT LIFE EST NORMA
	FRIEND 25 AC HAYES TWO RUN MIN (1/4
	7/8 OF 1/2 OF 1/4 INT 36 AC HAYES TWO RUN O&G
GRUBB VAUGHN GAROLD JR	SUR 1/4 INT 91.5 AC WTS LAUREL
GRUBB VAUGHN GAROLD JR	SUR 100 SQ RDS WTS LAUREL
HALL O L HRS	2/5 & 1/2 OF 1/3 OF 2/5 INT 649 AC WTS BUFFALO COAL 2/3 OF
HAMRICK MATTHEW	LIFE EST COLEMAN HAMRICK ETAL .27 AC WTS DOG RUN SUR
HAMRICK MATTHEW	EST MILDRED HAMRICK .70 AC WTS DOG RUN SUR LIFE
HAYNES PATRICIA	SUR LESS ROW 2.6 AC WTS LAUREL
HOLCOMB DEWEY HRS	SUR 1/4 INT PT LT 2 REED ADD
JARVIS JOHN K	COAL 1/2 OF 1/3 OF 2/5 INT 649 AC WTS BUFFALO
JEFFERS DORIS K ETAL	LIFE EST NORMA LEE FRIEND 32 AC REDHOUSE MIN (1/2
	O&G OUT) 1/8 OF 1/4 INT
JEFFERS DORIS K ETAL	1/8 OF 1/2 OF 1/4 INT LIFE EST NORMA LEE FRIEND 40 AC
	LIL LAUREL MIN
JEFFERS DORIS K ETAL	(1/4 O&G OUT) 1/8 OF 1/4 INT LIFE EST NORMA LEE FRIEND
	25 AC HAYES TWO RUN MIN
JEFFERS DORIS K ETAL	1/8 OF 1/2 OF 1/4 INT LIFE EST NORMA LEE FRIEND 36 AC
	HAYES TWO RUN O&G
KING JIMMY	SUR 1/8 & 1/7 OF 1/8 INT 63 AC LOWER TWO RUN
KOCH DAYMON ETUX	SUR 3.44 AC WTS SANDY
LEGG DENNIS	SUR .74 AC WTS BUFFALO
MCCLUNG VIRGIL R	FEE 8.83 AC WTS BUFFALO
MOORE GREGORY	MIN (C OUT) 1/4 OF 1/2 INT LOTS 21-23-25 E HARTLAND
MOORE GREGORY	MIN (C OUT) 1/4 OF 1/2 INT 4.5 AC E HARTLAND
MOORE ROBERT	MIN (C OUT) 1/4 OF 1/2 INT LOTS 21-23-25 E HARTLAND
MOORE ROBERT	MIN (C OUT) 1/4 OF 1/2 INT 4.5 AC E HARTLAND
MOORE TONY	MIN (C OUT) 1/4 OF 1/2 INT LOTS 21-23-25 E HARTLAND
MOORE TONY	MIN (C OUT) 1/2 INT 4.5 AC E HARTLAND
MURDOCK MARY SUE	SUR LOT MAYSEL
MURDOCK MARY SUE	SUR (T) 1 AC MAYSEL
OHIO VALLEY UNIVERSITY INC	(LESS C B METHANE) 4/5 OF 4/6 OF 1/7 INT 76.75 AC WTS
	OTTER COAL
TRIPLETT LEE HRS	MIN COAL OUT 64 AC WTS BUFFALO
WHITE LAUREN REV LIVING TRUST	O&G 1/3 OF 1/3 OF 1/8 INT 72 AC GRANNIES CRK
WHITE LAUREN REV LIVING TRUST	O&G 1/3 OF 1/3 OF 2/8 INT 82 AC WTS LAUREL
WILSON J F HRS	O&G 1/2 INT 100 AC WTS BUFFALO

OTTER DISTRICT

BAILE TERESA LYNN BOWERS	LESS O&G 1/8 INT 85 AC WTS OTTER FEE
BARBER HOWARD HRS	O&G 1/8 INTEREST 69.2 AC WTS OTTER
BARBER HOWARD HRS	O&G 7/8 OF 1/5 INT 50 AC BARBER LOW GAP
BOGGS BRENT ETAL	O&G 1/4 OF 1/2 INT 47.5 AC WTS W FK
BOGGS BRENT ETAL	O&G 1/16 INT 106 AC WTS W FK
BOGGS GAIL	MIN 1/5 OF 1/4 INT 34 AC WEST FORK
BOGGS GAIL	MIN 1/5 OF 1/16 INT 67 AC WTS STINSON
BOGGS GAIL	O&G 1/5 OF 1/8 INT 400 AC WTS OTTER
BOGGS GAIL	COAL 1/5 OF 1/4 INT 41 AC WTS STINSON
BOGGS GAIL	COAL 1/5 OF 1/4 INT 30.5 AC WTS STINSON
BOGGS GAIL	O&G 1/16 OF 7/8 INT 6 LOTS UNDERWOOD LAND
BOGGS GAIL	O&G 1/16 OF 1/2 INT 100 AC WTS OTTER ROSE TR
BOGGS GAIL	O&G 1/16 OF 1/4 INT 110.5 AC SANDY
BOGGS GAIL	O&G 1/16 OF 1/2 INT 23 AC WTS OTTER
BOGGS GAIL	O&G 1/16 OF 1/2 INT 50 AC WTS OTTER
BOGGS GAIL	O&G 1/16 OF 1/2 INT 47.5 AC WTS W FK
BOGGS GAIL	O&G 1/16 OF 1/2 INT 10.5 AC WTS W FK
BOGGS GAIL	O&G 1/16 INT 51 AC R L NICHOLS TR
BOGGS GAIL	O&G 1/16 OF 1/4 INT 10 AC WTS W FK
BOGGS GAIL	O&G 1/16 OF 1/4 INT 8 AC WTS WEST FORK
BOGGS GAIL	O&G 1/16 OF 1/4 INT 17.5 AC WTS OTTER MOSS
BOGGS GAIL	O&G 1/16 OF 1/4 INT 4.5 AC WTS OTTER
BOGGS GAIL	O&G 1/16 OF 1/4 INT 74 AC WTS STINSON
BOGGS GAIL	O&G 1/16 OF 7/8 INT 46 AC UNDERWOOD LAND
BOGGS GAIL	O&G 1/16 OF 7/8 INT 3 AC UNDERWOOD LAND
BOGGS GAIL	MIN 1/16 OF 1/2 INT LOTS 26-27-28 IVYDALE
BOGGS GAIL	COAL 1/16 INT 64 AC WTS OTTER
BOGGS GAIL	O&G 1/16 OF 1/4 INT 100 AC WTS STINSON
BOGGS GAIL	O&G 1/16 OF 1/4 INT 100 AC RUSH FORK
BOGGS GAIL	O&G 1/16 OF 1/3 OF 1/4 INT 30 AC WTS W FK
BOGGS GAIL	O&G 1/16 OF 1/3 OF 1/8 INT 12 AC WTS W FK
BOGGS GAIL	O&G 1/16 OF 1/3 OF 1/4 INT 106 AC WTS W FK
BOGGS GAIL	O&G 1/16 INT 24.5 AC OTTER LICK
BOGGS GAIL	O&G 1/16 OF 1/3 OF 1/2 INT 22 AC WTS W FK
BOGGS GAIL	O&G 1/16 OF 1/3 OF 1/2 INT 5.5 AC WTS W FK
BOGGS GAIL	MIN 1/4 INT 67.7 AC BIG OTTER
BOGGS GAIL	O&G 1/8 INTEREST 110.5 AC WTS OTTER & SANDY
BOGGS GAIL	O&G 1/16 INT 78 AC RICHARDSON FORK
BOGGS GAIL	MIN 1/4 INT 14 AC OTTER
BOGGS GAIL	O&G 1/16 INT 139.39 AC RICHARDSON FK
BOGGS GAIL	O&G 1/16 INT 27 AC RUSH FORK
BOGGS GAIL	O&G 1/16 INT 212 AC RUSH FORK
BOGGS GAIL	O&G 1/16 INT 85 AC RUSH FORK
BOGGS GAIL L	O&G 1/16 OF 1/4 INT 44 AC WTS WEST FORK
BOGGS JEAN	MIN 1/5 OF 1/4 INT 34 AC WEST FORK
BOGGS JEAN	MIN 1/5 OF 1/16 INT 67 AC WTS STINSON
BOGGS JEAN	O&G 1/5 OF 1/8 INT 400 AC WTS OTTER
BOGGS JEAN	COAL 1/5 OF 1/4 INT 41 AC WTS STINSON
BOGGS JEAN	COAL 1/5 OF 1/4 INT 30.5 AC WTS STINSON
COLE MICHAEL ALLEN	FEE 64.5 AC WTS OTTER
EBERHART CATHY B	O&G 1/7 OF 1/2 INT 55 AC WTS SANDY
ELLISON PANSY	MIN 1 AC WEST FORK

GOODEN DARREN BLAINE
GROSE JASON S ETAL
JACKSON DOUGLAS ETUX
KING MITCHEL H
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LUCAS MARY E
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MAGOUN BESSIE MAE
MARCHAL ROBERT J
MARCHAL THEODORS J
MARSH CHARLENE I ETAL
MCCRACKEN EVERETT
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MOLLOHAN JENNINGS
MOLLOHAN JENNINGS
NICHOLS BILLIE J
NOTTINGHAM MARILYN J
NOTTINGHAM MARILYN J
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PETTIT TODD
PIEDMONT LLC
ROBINSON MARVIN
ROBINSON MARVIN
ROGERS SHIRLEY A
SALVATION ARMY CHARLESTON AREA
SALVATION ARMY CHARLESTON AREA
SALVATION ARMY CHARLESTON AREA
SIRK VIRGINIA L
SIRK VIRGINIA L
TAYLOR ROBIN DENISE ETAL

PLEASANT DISTRICT

ATHA JARED ETUX
BIRD DOW W
BREEDLOVE-COOK SHELLY
BROWN GARY ETAL
CALLISON GEORGIA Y HEIRS
CAMPBELL DAVID M
DORSEY CURTIS R ETAL
DUFFIELD DANIEL ETAL
DUFFIELD DANIEL ETAL
DUFFIELD DANIEL P
FACEMYERS DOROTHY
FIELDS CONNIE
GRAY LORETTA ETAL
MCINTYRE GOLDIE BOGGS
MILLER WILLIAM GEORGE
MOORE GREGORY
MOORE ROBERT
MOORE TONY
NOTTINGHAM SAMUEL HRS
NOTTINGHAM SAMUEL HRS
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ROGERS DIMPLE
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ROGERS DIMPLE ETAL
ROGERS JOHN
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ROGERS JOHN
ROGERS JOHN C SR ETUX
ROGERS JOHN ETAL
WILLIAMS GARY
WILLIAMS GARY
WOODS TRAVIS ETAL
WOODS TRAVIS ETAL

UNION DISTRICT

ANDERSON DUSTIN
BARNES ELIZABETH C
BARNES ELIZABETH C
BOARD JANNETTE
BOARD JANNETTE
BURDETTE CHARLES E SR
CALLISON GEORGIA Y HRS
CALLISON GEORGIA Y HRS
CALLISON GEORGIA Y HRS
CALLISON GEORGIA Y HRS
CALLISON JOHNNIE P
CONNER CHESSIE HRS
CONNER CHESSIE HRS
CONNER CHESSIE HRS
CONNER CHESSIE HRS
COULTER CRYSTAL D ETVIR
DAVIS ALEXANDER B C
DOBBINS HARRY PAUL ETAL
DUFFIELD BILLY J
DUFFIELD BILLY J
ELSWICK RUSSELL
ELSWICK RUSSELL
EVANS PATRICIA ANN ETAL
HALL SHARON G
HOLCOMB ORDY ETUX
HOLCOMB ORDY ETUX
JARVIS CHARLES W ETUX
KEENER RENFORD
KEENER RENFORD M JR
KING MITCHEL H
KING MITCHEL H
KING MITCHEL H
KING MITCHELL H
KNIGHT WILLIAM F
LIGHT LARRY
MOSLEY CLARENCE R II
MYERS JUSTIN
PATRICIA LINEBERRY EST
ROGERS CONNIE
ROGERS JOHN
ROGERS JOHN
ROGERS JOHN C SR ETUX
ROGERS JOHN CLINTON
ROGERS JOHN CLINTON
ROGERS JOHN CLINTON JR
SALVATION ARMY CHARLESTON AREA
TACKETT ANTHONY N ETUX
WILLIAMS JEFFERY L ETAL
WILMINK ROBERT J

2024 TAXES CERTIFIED TO ST WV

BUFFALO DISTRICT
ASBURY JOHN W
ASBURY LOIS G
BAILEY LOUISE
BEASLEY DONNA HAMRICK
BIRD ANNA JEAN
BOARD JANNETTE
BOZZI CONNIE CEASE
CANFIELD JAMES F II
DEEMS CHARLES FORD
GIBSON BERTHA
HICKMAN JACK M
JACKSON ROBERT L
JACKSON ROBERT L
JEFFREY ROGER LEE
JUSTICE WAYNE
KING MITCHEL H
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KNIGHT WILLIAM F
MARTINEZ BILLIE ETAL
SALVATION ARMY CHARLESTON AREA
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MIN 1/9 & 1/36 INT 100 AC STINSON
COAL 70 AC WTS OTTER
SUR 2 AC MOORE FORK OTTER
MIN 1/2 OF 2/6 INT LESS COAL 84.5 AC N S ELK
MIN 1/2 OF 1/10 INT LESS COAL 62.5 AC N S ELK
MIN 1/2 OF 1/10 INT LESS COAL 26 AC N S ELK
MIN 1/2 OF 1/10 INT 10.75 AC N S ELK
MIN 1/2 OF 1/10 INT 5 AC STINSON
MIN COAL OUT 1/2 OF 1/20 INT 39.5 AC STINSON
MIN 1/2 OF 1/2 INT 5.25 AC STINSON
O&G 1/2 OF 1/20 INT 39 AC STINSON
MIN 1/2 OF 1/10 INT 5.25 AC STINSON
MIN 1/2 OF 1/10 INT 5.25 AC STINSON
MIN 1/2 OF 1/10 INT 5.5 AC STINSON
MIN 1/2 OF 1/10 INT 11 AC STINSON
O&G 1/9 INT 173 AC WTS OTTER
O&G 1/9 INT 20.5 AC WTS OTTER
O&G 1/9 INT 2 AC WTS OTTER
O&G 1/9 INT 18 AC WTS OTTER
COAL OUT 1/2 OF 1/11 INT 137 AC WTS OTTER MIN
O&G 1/2 OF 1/11 INT 41 AC BUTLER FORK
COAL OUT 1/2 OF 1/11 INT 10.5 AC BUTLER FORK MIN
MIN 1/6 INT 13 AC NS ELK
SUR 1/2 INT 131X50X144X50 N S ELK
SUR 1/2 INT 131X50X144X50 N S ELK
SUR 16 SQ RDS N S ELK
MIN 1/12 INT 46 AC WTS O’BRION
MIN 1/12 INT 39 WTS O’BRION
COAL OUT1/12 OF 1/5 INT 80 AC WTS O’BRION MIN
MIN 1/6 OF 1/2 INT 54 AC WTS STINSON
O&G 1/6 OF 1/2 INT 3 AC WTS STINSON
SUR PT LOT 12 OTTER TOWN
MIN (COAL OUT) 1/11 INT 137 AC WTS OTTER
O&G 1/11 INT 41 AC BUTLER FORK
MIN COAL OUT 1/11 INT 10.5 AC BUTLER FORK
SUR (M) 3 AC WTS O’BRION
MIN 21 AC WTS STINSON
1/2 INTEREST 28.21 AC WTS WEST FORK
1/2 INTEREST 9.36 AC WTS WEST FORK
MIN 3/4 MIN OUT 64.81 AC WTS STINSON
COAL 2/6 INT 84.5 AC N S ELK
COAL 1/10 INT 62.5 AC N S ELK
COAL 1/10 INT 26 AC N S ELK
O&G 1/3 OF 1/5 INT 80 AC DUCK CREEK
COAL 1/3 OF 1/5 OF 1/2 INT 80 AC DUCK CREEK
MIN 1/2 INTEREST 24.5 AC WTS OTTER

FEE 1.61 AC SYC
SUR 1/2 INT .50 AC SYC
SUR 1/4 INT 1 AC MID CRK
MIN 1/8 INT 15 ACS WTS BIG SYC
SUR 1/10 INT 2 AC BIG SYC
SUR 12 AC WTS SYC
FEE 33.25 AC BIG SYC
SUR 9 AC WTS BIG SYC
SUR & ROW 1.36 AC WTS BIG SYC
SUR 10 AC WTS SYC
MIN 1/3 OF 1/144 INT MIN 46.25 AC WTS SYC
SUR 1/2 INT (3H) LOT WTS MIDDLE CREEK
SUR (2H) .50 AC WTS SYC
TOD TIMOTHY W MCINTYRE 2.18 AC S S ELK SU
SUR 1/2 INT 2 AC MIDDLE CREEK
SUR 1/4 INT 1 AC MID CRK
SUR 1/4 INT 1 AC MID CRK
SUR 1/4 INT 1 AC MID CRK
SUR (5.38) LOT 18 WTS SYC
SUR 3.50 AC WTS BIG SYC
SUR 125 AC BIG SYC
SUR LOT ADONIJAH
SUR (T) LOT BIG SYC
SUR 1 AC BIG SYC
SUR LOT BIG SYC
SUR 2 AC WTS BIG SYC
SUR LOT ADONIJAH
SUR 1 AC BIG SYC
MIN 1 AC WTS BIG SYC
SUR 3.79 AC LITTLE SYC
SUR 1 AC WTS BIG SYC
SUR 2.29 AC S S ELK (LOT 18)
SUR 2.10 AC SS ELK (LOT 20)
SUR 2.5 AC MID CREEK
SUR 1.5 AC MID CREEK

SUR 1 AC N S ELK
O&G 12.50% OF 2739/15000 INT 238 WTS QU SHOALS
O&G 12.50% OF 2739/15000 INT 1276.06 AC WTS QUEEN SH
MIN 1/4 OF 1/6 INT 6 AC WTS PORTER
(C OUT) 1/4 OF 1/6 OF 1/2 INT 78 AC WTS PORTER MIN
FEE 1/4 OF 1/2 INT 4 AC WTS ELK
MIN (COAL OUT) 1/10 INT 45 AC PORTER CREEK
MIN 1/10 OF 1/2 INT 165 AC PORTERS CREEK
MIN (COAL OUT) 1/10 INT 130 AC PORTER CREEK
MIN (COAL OUT) 1/10 INT 43 AC PORTERS CREEK
MIN 1/10 OF 1/24 INT 239 AC PORTERS CREEK
SUR .52 AC LOT QUEEN SHOALS
FEE 3/8 OF 5/8 INT 53 AC LIL SYC
SUR 3/8 OF 5/8 INT 6 AC LIL SYC
FEE 3/8 OF 5/8 INT 36 AC LIL SYC
FEE 3/8 OF 5/8 INT 5 AC LIL SYC
SUR 1.8 AC N S ELK
SUR 1 AC FALLING ROCK
SUR 5 AC N S ELK
SUR 1.33 AC JACKS BEND
SUR .50 AC JACKS BEND
SUR LOT N S ELK
SUR .50 AC N S ELK
SUR 1 AC WTS PORTER
SUR LOT QUEEN SHOALS
SUR .50 AC N S ELK
SUR LOT N S ELK
SUR 1.071 AC N S ELK
1/7 OF 1/7 MIN COAL OUT 227.603 AC BIRCH RUN
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MIN 10 AC QUEEN SHOALS
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SUR 27.55 AC N S ELK
SUR LOT 9 VAUGHN LAND
SUR 1/4 INT 53 AC LITTLE SYCAMORE
SUR 1/2 INT 2 AC LITTLE SYCAMORE
SUR 2 AC LITTLE SYCAMORE
SUR 19.08 AC BLUE CREEK & SYC
SUR LOT LITTLE SYCAMORE
SUR 28 AC WTS LITTLE SYCAMORE
SUR 1/2 INT 2 AC LITTLE SYCAMORE
COAL 5/10 INT 118 AC WTS QUEEN SHOALS
SUR .50 AC & ROW N S ELK
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SALVATION ARMY CHARLESTON AREA COAL 1/2 INT 50 AC DOG RUN
SALVATION ARMY CHARLESTON AREA COAL 1/2 INT 70 AC DOG RUN
TURNER L D HRS FEE (1/2 O&G OUT) 45 AC WTS GROVES

CLAY MUNICIPALITY DISTRICT

FARRAR ROBERT SUR LOTS 16-17-18 BF STEP ADDN
GILL BILL ETUX SUR LT 10 BLK B STEPHENSON ADD
HANSHAW EVA FAYE WHITE HRS SUR 1/2 OF 1/7 OF 1/2 INT LOT CHESTNUT STREET

HENRY DISTRICT

ADKINS ANDY SR ETUX SUR .157 AC WTS LAUREL
ADKINS ANDY SR ETUX SUR LOTS WTS BIG LAUREL
ADKINS LARRY K SUR 68.2 AC GRANNIES CREEK
BREEDLOVE-COOK SHELLY MIN (C OUT) 1/4 OF 1/2 INT LOTS 21-23-25 E HARTLAND
BREEDLOVE-COOK SHELLY MIN (C OUT) 1/4 OF 1/2 INT 4.5 AC E HARTLAND
BULLARD EDITH HRS MIN 1/24 INT 62.5 AC SANDY
BULLARD GARY HUSTON SUR LOT WTS LAUREL
BULLARD GARY HUSTON SUR LOT .06 AC WTS LAUREL
BULLARD GARY HUSTON SUR LOT LOWER TWO RUN
CALLISON GEORGIA Y HEIRS MIN 1/10 OF 42/512 INT 250 AC GRANNIES CRK
CALLISON GEORGIA Y HEIRS O&G 1/10 INT 31.5 AC LILLY FORK
CALLISON GEORGIA Y HEIRS MIN 1/10 INT 13 AC WTS LAUREL
CALLISON GEORGIA Y HEIRS MIN 1/10 OF 21/512 INT 250 AC GRANNIES CRK
CALLISON GEORGIA Y HEIRS O&G 1/10 INT 62.5 AC JOE SPRING KNOB
CALLISON GEORGIA Y HEIRS O&G 1/10 INT 12.5 AC TWO RUN
CALLISON GEORGIA Y HEIRS O&G 1/10 OF 1/5 INT 50 AC WTS LAUREL
CALLISON GEORGIA Y HEIRS O&G 1/10 OF 2/12 INT 111 AC WTS LAUREL
CALLISON GEORGIA Y HRS DONOHUE TR 1/10 OF 1/2 INT 78.75 AC WTS LAUREL O&G
CONNER CHESSIE C HRS O&G 3/8 OF 1/2 INT 42 AC WTS BUFFALO
CONNER CHESSIE C HRS O&G 3/8 OF 1/4 INT 41 AC N S ELK
FRAME F J HRS 7/8 OF 1/4 & 1/2 OF 1/4 INT 32 AC REDHSE MIN (1/2 O&G OUT)
FRAME F J HRS 7/8 OF 1/2 OF 1/4 INT 40 AC LIL LAUREL MIN
FRAME F J HRS O&G OUT) 7/8 OF 1/4 & 1/2 OF 1/4 INT LIFE EST NORMA
FRIEND 25 AC HAYES TWO RUN MIN (1/4
7/8 OF 1/2 OF 1/4 INT 36 AC HAYES TWO RUN O&G

GRUBB VAUGHN GAROLD JR ETAL SUR 1/4 INT 91.5 AC WTS LAUREL
GRUBB VAUGHN GAROLD JR ETAL SUR 100 SQ RDS WTS LAUREL
HALL O L HRS 2/5 & 1/2 OF 1/3 OF 2/5 INT 649 AC WTS BUFFALO COAL 2/3 OF
HAMRICK MATTHEW LIFE EST COLEMAN HAMRICK ETAL .27 AC WTS DOG RUN SUR
HAMRICK MATTHEW EST MILDRED HAMRICK .70 AC WTS DOG RUN SUR LIFE
HAYNES PATRICIA SUR LESS ROW 2.6 AC WTS LAUREL
HOLCOMB DEWEY HRS SUR 1/4 INT PT LT 2 REED ADD
JARVIS JOHN K COAL 1/2 OF 1/3 OF 2/5 INT 649 AC WTS BUFFALO
JEFFERS DORIS K ETAL OUT) 1/8 OF 1/4 INT LIFE EST NORMA LEE FRIEND 32 AC
REDHOUSE MIN (1/2 O&G

JEFFERS DORIS K ETAL 1/8 OF 1/2 OF 1/4 INT LIFE EST NORMA LEE FRIEND 40 AC
LIL LAUREL MIN
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25 AC HAYES TWO RUN MIN
JEFFERS DORIS K ETAL 1/8 OF 1/2 OF 1/4 INT LIFE EST NORMA LEE FRIEND 36 AC
HAYES TWO RUN O&G

KING JIMMY SUR 1/8 & 1/7 OF 1/8 INT 63 AC LOWER TWO RUN
LEGG DENNIS SUR .74 AC WTS BUFFALO
MCCLUNG VIRGIL R FEE 8.83 AC WTS BUFFALO
MOORE GREGORY MIN (C OUT) 1/4 OF 1/2 INT LOTS 21-23-25 E HARTLAND
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MURDOCK MARY SUE SUR (T) 1 AC MAYSEL
OHIO VALLEY UNIVERSITY INC (LESS C B METHANE) 4/5 OF 4/6 OF 1/7 INT 76.75 AC WTS
OTTER COAL
PRICE NANCY L ETAL SUR (2H) 2 AC TWISTABOUT
TRIPLETT LEE HRS MIN COAL OUT 64 AC WTS BUFFALO
WHITE LAUREN REV LIVING TRUST O&G 1/3 OF 1/3 OF 1/8 INT 72 AC GRANNIES CRK
WHITE LAUREN REV LIVING TRUST O&G 1/3 OF 1/3 OF 2/8 INT 82 AC WTS LAUREL
WILSON J F HRS O&G 1/2 INT 100 AC WTS BUFFALO

OTTER DISTRICT

BAILE TERESA LYNN BOWERS LESS O&G 1/8 INT 85 AC WTS OTTER FEE
BARBER HOWARD HRS O&G 1/8 INTEREST 69.2 AC WTS OTTER
BARBER HOWARD HRS O&G 7/8 OF 1/5 INT 50 AC BARBER LOW GAP
BOGGS BRENT ETAL O&G 1/4 OF 1/2 INT 47.5 AC WTS W FK
BOGGS BRENT ETAL O&G 1/16 INT 106 AC WTS W FK
BOGGS GAIL MIN 1/5 OF 1/4 INT 34 AC WEST FORK
BOGGS GAIL MIN 1/5 OF 1/16 INT 67 AC WTS STINSON
BOGGS GAIL O&G 1/5 OF 1/8 INT 400 AC WTS OTTER
BOGGS GAIL COAL 1/5 OF 1/4 INT 41 AC WTS STINSON
BOGGS GAIL COAL 1/5 OF 1/4 INT 30.5 AC WTS STINSON
BOGGS GAIL O&G 1/16 OF 7/8 INT 6 LOTS UNDERWOOD LAND
BOGGS GAIL O&G 1/16 OF 1/2 INT 100 AC WTS OTTER ROSE TR
BOGGS GAIL O&G 1/16 OF 1/4 INT 110.5 AC SANDY
BOGGS GAIL O&G 1/16 OF 1/2 INT 23 AC WTS OTTER
BOGGS GAIL O&G 1/16 OF 1/2 INT 50 AC WTS OTTER
BOGGS GAIL O&G 1/16 OF 1/2 INT 47.5 AC WTS W FK
BOGGS GAIL O&G 1/16 OF 1/2 INT 10.5 AC WTS W FK
BOGGS GAIL O&G 1/16 INT 51 AC R L NICHOLS TR
BOGGS GAIL O&G 1/16 OF 1/4 INT 10 AC WTS W FK
BOGGS GAIL O&G 1/16 OF 1/4 INT 8 AC WTS WEST FORK
BOGGS GAIL O&G 1/16 OF 1/4 INT 17.5 AC WTS OTTER MOSS
BOGGS GAIL O&G 1/16 OF 1/4 INT 4.5 AC WTS OTTER
BOGGS GAIL O&G 1/16 OF 1/4 INT 74 AC WTS STINSON
BOGGS GAIL O&G 1/16 OF 7/8 INT 46 AC UNDERWOOD LAND
BOGGS GAIL O&G 1/16 OF 7/8 INT 3 AC UNDERWOOD LAND
BOGGS GAIL MIN 1/16 OF 1/2 INT LOTS 26-27-28 IVYDALE
BOGGS GAIL COAL 1/16 INT 64 AC WTS OTTER
BOGGS GAIL O&G 1/16 OF 1/4 INT 100 AC WTS STINSON
BOGGS GAIL O&G 1/16 OF 1/4 INT 100 AC RUSH FORK
BOGGS GAIL O&G 1/16 OF 1/3 OF 1/4 INT 30 AC WTS W FK
BOGGS GAIL O&G 1/16 OF 1/3 OF 1/8 INT 12 AC WTS W FK
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BOGGS GAIL O&G 1/16 INT 24.5 AC OTTER LICK
BOGGS GAIL O&G 1/16 OF 1/3 OF 1/2 INT 22 AC WTS W FK
BOGGS GAIL O&G 1/16 OF 1/3 OF 1/2 INT 5.5 AC WTS W FK
BOGGS GAIL MIN 1/4 INT 67.7 AC BIG OTTER
BOGGS GAIL O&G 1/8 INTEREST 110.5 AC WTS OTTER & SANDY
BOGGS GAIL O&G 1/16 INT 78 AC RICHARDSON FORK
BOGGS GAIL MIN 1/4 INT 14 AC OTTER
BOGGS GAIL O&G 1/16 INT 139.39 AC RICHARDSON FK
BOGGS GAIL O&G 1/16 INT 27 AC RUSH FORK
BOGGS GAIL O&G 1/16 INT 212 AC RUSH FORK
BOGGS GAIL O&G 1/16 INT 85 AC RUSH FORK
BOGGS GAIL L O&G 1/16 OF 1/4 INT 44 AC WTS WEST FORK
BOGGS JEAN MIN 1/5 OF 1/4 INT 34 AC WEST FORK
BOGGS JEAN MIN 1/5 OF 1/16 INT 67 AC WTS STINSON
BOGGS JEAN O&G 1/5 OF 1/8 INT 400 AC WTS OTTER
BOGGS JEAN COAL 1/5 OF 1/4 INT 41 AC WTS STINSON
BOGGS JEAN COAL 1/5 OF 1/4 INT 30.5 AC WTS STINSON
COLE MICHAEL ALLEN FEE 64.5 AC WTS OTTER
EBERHART CATHY B O&G 1/7 OF 1/2 INT 55 AC WTS SANDY
ELLISON PANSY MIN 1 AC WEST FORK
GOODEN DARREN BLAINE MIN 1/9 & 1/36 INT 100 AC STINSON
GROSE JASON S ETAL COAL 70 AC WTS OTTER
JACKSON DOUGLAS ETUX SUR 2 AC MOORE FORK OTTER
KING MITCHEL H MIN 1/2 OF 2/6 INT LESS COAL 84.5 AC N S ELK
KING MITCHEL H MIN 1/2 OF 1/10 INT LESS COAL 62.5 AC N S ELK
KING MITCHEL H MIN 1/2 OF 1/10 INT LESS COAL 26 AC N S ELK
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PLEASANT DISTRICT

ATHA JARED ETUX
BIRD DOW W
BOGGS DAVID
BOGGS MARY ETAL
BREEDLOVE-COOK SHELLY
BROWN GARY ETAL
CALLISON GEORGIA Y HEIRS
CAMPBELL DAVID M
DORSEY CURTIS R ETAL
DUFFIELD DANIEL ETAL
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FIELDS CONNIE
MILLER WILLIAM GEORGE
MOORE GREGORY
MOORE ROBERT
MOORE TONY
NOTTINGHAM SAMUEL HRS
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UNION DISTRICT

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DAVIS ALEXANDER B C
DOBBINS HARRY PAUL ETAL
DUFFIELD BILLY J
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EVANS PATRICIA ANN ETAL
HALL SHARON G
HOLCOMB ORDY ETUX
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JARVIS CHARLES W ETUX
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KING MITCHEL H
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KNIGHT WILLIAM F
LIGHT LARRY
MOSLEY CLARENCE R II
MYERS JUSTIN
PATRICIA LINEBERRY EST
ROGERS CONNIE
ROGERS JOHN C SR HRS
ROGERS JOHN CLINTON HRS
ROGERS JOHN CLINTON HRS
ROGERS JOHN CLINTON JR
ROGERS JOHN HRS
SALVATION ARMY CHARLESTON AREA
STUCKEY ELIZABETH
TACKETT ANTHONY N ETUX
WILLIAMS JEFFERY L ETAL
WILMINK ROBERT J

MIN COAL OUT 1/2 OF 1/20 INT 39.5 AC STINSON
MIN 1/2 OF 1/2 INT 5.25 AC STINSON
O&G 1/2 OF 1/20 INT 39 AC STINSON
MIN 1/2 OF 1/10 INT 5.25 AC STINSON
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MIN 1/2 OF 1/10 INT 5.5 AC STINSON
MIN 1/2 OF 1/10 INT 11 AC STINSON
O&G 1/9 INT 173 AC WTS OTTER
O&G 1/9 INT 20.5 AC WTS OTTER
O&G 1/9 INT 2 AC WTS OTTER
O&G 1/9 INT 18 AC WTS OTTER
COAL OUT 1/2 OF 1/11 INT 137 AC WTS OTTER MIN
O&G 1/2 OF 1/11 INT 41 AC BUTLER FORK
COAL OUT 1/2 OF 1/11 INT 10.5 AC BUTLER FORK MIN
MIN 1/6 INT 13 AC NS ELK
SUR 1/2 INT 131X50X144X50 N S ELK
SUR 1/2 INT 131X50X144X50 N S ELK
SUR 16 SQ RDS N S ELK
MIN 1/12 INT 46 AC WTS O'BRION
MIN 1/12 INT 39 WTS O'BRION
COAL OUT1/2 OF 1/5 INT 80 AC WTS O'BRION MIN
MIN 1/6 OF 1/2 INT 54 AC WTS STINSON
O&G 1/6 OF 1/2 INT 3 AC WTS STINSON
SUR PT LOT 12 OTTER TOWN
MIN (COAL OUT) 1/11 INT 137 AC WTS OTTER
O&G 1/11 INT 41 AC BUTLER FORK
MIN COAL OUT 1/11 INT 10.5 AC BUTLER FORK
SUR (M) 3 AC WTS O'BRION
MIN 21 AC WTS STINSON
1/2 INTEREST 28.21 AC WTS WEST FORK
1/2 INTEREST 9.36 AC WTS WEST FORK
MIN 3/4 MIN OUT 64.81 AC WTS STINSON
COAL 2/6 INT 84.5 AC N S ELK
COAL 1/10 INT 62.5 AC N S ELK
COAL 1/10 INT 26 AC N S ELK
O&G 1/3 OF 1/5 INT 80 AC DUCK CREEK
COAL 1/3 OF 1/5 OF 1/2 INT 80 AC DUCK CREEK
MIN 1/2 INTEREST 24.5 AC WTS OTTER

FEE 1.61 AC SYC
SUR 1/2 INT .50 AC SYC
SUR 2.18 AC S S ELK
MIN 1/3 OF 1/144 INT MIN 46.25 AC WTS SYC
SUR 1/4 INT 1 AC MID CRK
MIN 1/8 INT 15 ACS WTS BIG SYC
SUR 1/10 INT 2 AC BIG SYC
SUR 12 AC WTS SYC
FEE 33.25 AC BIG SYC
SUR 9 AC WTS BIG SYC
SUR & ROW 1.36 AC WTS BIG SYC
SUR 10 AC WTS SYC
SUR 1/2 INT (3H) LOT WTS MIDDLE CREEK
SUR 1/2 INT 2 AC MIDDLE CREEK
SUR 1/4 INT 1 AC MID CRK
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SUR (5.38) LOT 18 WTS SYC
SUR 3.50 AC WTS BIG SYC
SUR 125 AC BIG SYC
SUR (2H) .50 AC WTS SYC
SUR LOT ADONIAH
SUR (T) LOT BIG SYC
SUR 1 AC BIG SYC
SUR LOT BIG SYC
SUR 3.79 AC LITTLE SYC
SUR 2 AC WTS BIG SYC
SUR 1 AC WTS BIG SYC
SUR LOT ADONIAH
SUR 1 AC BIG SYC
MIN 1 AC WTS BIG SYC
SUR 2.29 AC S S ELK (LOT 18)
SUR 2.10 AC SS ELK (LOT 20)
SUR 2.5 AC MID CREEK
SUR 1.5 AC MID CREEK

SUR 1 AC N S ELK
O&G 12.50% OF 2739/15000 INT 238 WTS QU SHOALS
O&G 12.50% OF 2739/15000 INT 1276.06 AC WTS QUEEN SH
MIN 1/4 OF 1/6 INT 6 AC WTS PORTER
(C OUT) 1/4 OF 1/6 OF 1/2 INT 78 AC WTS PORTER MIN
FEE 1/4 OF 1/2 INT 4 AC WTS ELK
MIN (COAL OUT) 1/10 INT 45 AC PORTER CREEK
MIN 1/10 OF 1/2 INT 165 AC PORTERS CREEK
MIN (COAL OUT) 1/10 INT 130 AC PORTER CREEK
MIN (COAL OUT) 1/10 INT 43 AC PORTERS CREEK
MIN 1/10 OF 1/24 INT 239 AC PORTERS CREEK
SUR .52 AC LOT QUEEN SHOALS
FEE 3/8 OF 5/8 INT 53 AC LIL SYC
SUR 3/8 OF 5/8 INT 6 AC LIL SYC
FEE 3/8 OF 5/8 INT 36 AC LIL SYC
FEE 3/8 OF 5/8 INT 5 AC LIL SYC
SUR 1 AC FALLING ROCK
SUR 5 AC N S ELK
SUR 1.33 AC JACKS BEND
SUR .50 AC JACKS BEND
SUR LOT N S ELK
SUR .50 AC N S ELK
SUR 1 AC WTS PORTER
SUR LOT QUEEN SHOALS
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Redeem at WV State Auditor's Office: 888-509-6568.
Given under my hand this 7th day of November, 2024.
Allen King, Sheriff of Clay County
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The Clay County Sheriff's Department will be holding a public auction on December 12, 2024 at 10:00 a.m. We will be selling a 2013 Ford Interceptor and a 2007 Chevrolet Silverado and miscellaneous office supplies (filing cabinets, photo copier/fax machine). Auction will be held at the Courthouse, 246 Main St., Clay WV 25043. If you have any questions please call our office at (304) 587-4260.

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Panther football season ends in first round of playoffs



Noah Collins looks for Joel Elliott.



Seth Robinson breaks the tackle with a stiff arm.

By Allen Hamrick

The 2024 season for the CCHS Panther football team ended on Saturday in the first round of Class AA playoff games against Philipp Barbour. What a season it was! The Panthers lost only three games, scored over 400 points and finished the regular season 7-3. This was a season that was full of action down to the last minute of each game. Saturday blew in an arctic front, and the chill was enough to freeze the balls out of a set of wheel bearings.

The Panthers took to the field in the first half and looked like they were there to get this game in the bag and head to the next round. The first quarter was all about getting a good look at what each team had to offer, and then early in the second quarter, Noah Collins hit Joel Elliot who did a dance down the field in heavy traffic for a big gain. A couple of plays later, the Panthers were in the end zone as Collins connected with Elliott once again. Jaxon Brown got the extra point, and the Panther defense got busy and iced their offense causing a fumble that the Panthers recovered.

The Panthers marched the ball down the field and once again was picnicking in the end zone as Collins hits Robinson for the TD. The Colts amped up their game and got seven points on the board before the half was over. The Panthers and the Colts came out for the 3rd quarter, and the Panthers had first whack at the ball. They couldn't move it down field as the Colts started hitting hard enough to hear the crunch. The Panthers were having a hard time getting positive real estate as the Colts stepped up the pressure on Collins. Most of the 2nd half saw Collins being rushed out of the pocket and the Colts forcing throws. The only offense in the 3rd was when Jaxon Brown hit for a 32 yard field goal giving the Panthers a three point lead. That was it, however, for the Panthers as they couldn't seem to get the offense rolling as they did in the first half. The Colts added two more TD's and the game ended with the score Panthers 17, Colts 28.

There wasn't a game this season where the Panthers didn't give full measure to their level of play; they went out and gutted it out on every down. They are definitely a gang of brothers that left all they had on the gridiron, and they can hold their heads up for a season that will not be forgotten too soon in the hearts of football fans. Next season they will be back and will have good talent for the 2025 season.

With that, fall sports have come to a close and time has ushered in the winter sports of basketball and wrestling for the 2024-2025 season. So, break out the field jackets, mukluks and hand warmers because it's time for some hard court basketball and bone crushing wrestling. The Lady Panthers are gearing up and will have speed and strength under the glass. The coaches will bring all their experience to whip the team into shape, and there's no doubt they will be ready. They have some veterans returning to the dance floor as well as some new blood coming off of a great season from CCMS that will definitely make a difference in Lady Panther Basketball this season. The Panthers are coming off a pretty good season from last year and hope to renew the fire. It looks as though they will have the speed and perhaps will bring some power back under the hoop. New players from CCMS will bring some new life to the hard wood with their acrobat style of play. New head coach Justin Holcomb will definitely have them ready.

The Lady Mustangs will be attempting to relive the glory years and bring the title back to CCMS. They have some big spots that will have to be filled after some of last year's team moved up to Lady Panthers. John Paxton will be taking over the coaching for the Mustang basketball team and should be able to bring all his knowledge to the floor and get the boys back into championship form. Basketball fans from all over the county will be there to root on the Panthers, Lady Panthers, Mustangs and Lady Mustangs in their bids for basketball glory.

The CCMS Mustang wrestling dynasty is back on the menu for the 2024- 2025 season. Tyler Dorsey will once again be the head coach and hopefully get the Mustangs back to the mat glory they are used to. Once again, the CCHS wrestling team under Coach

Jamie McDonough will make war on the floor with attitudes that rival those of the famed Navy Seals. Coach McDonough will bring his form of high in-

tensity work outs to the practices. So, get geared up its nearing winter, and the season's sports are heating up.



Ayden Brown makes the back field tackle.



Joel Elliott catches the diving grab.



Kohan Ramsey looks for real estate.