



Freedom Ag & Energy Is Now Offering Propane Delivery at its Ronceverte Location



A Freedom AG and Energy Truck

Susan Smith-Linton

RONCEVERTE- Freedom Ag & Energy, a locally owned and operated agricultural and energy supplier serving farmers, homeowners, businesses, and rural communities in Maryland, Virginia, and West Virginia, announces that propane delivery is now available at its Greenbrier location in Ronceverte. Store Manager Chelsea Black and her team are ready to answer questions, discuss service options, and help customers get started with propane service. Chelsea added, “anyone interested in propane service is encouraged to contact us.”

“Although Freedom Ag & Energy operates seven retail locations across three states, they have never lost sight of their roots. We understand our customers because we’re part of the same community’s they are, and we’re committed to providing the dependable service and support our neighbors deserve,” Black shared.

This expansion follows Freedom Ag & Energy’s identification of a

growing need for reliable propane service in the area and their commitment to offering an essential energy source with dependable service. The company remains dedicated to competitive propane pricing while maintaining a high level of service and reliability, with the goal of providing excellent value and dependable delivery throughout the year.

Beyond propane, Freedom Ag & Energy continues to offer bulk feed delivery and fertilizer spreading, and their inventory includes a wide range of products such as pet supplies, lawn and garden items, deer attractants, fencing materials, animal health supplies, and more.

Community members are invited to learn about the ongoing Summer Fill propane promotion, including eligibility requirements and current pricing specials. Contact Freedom Ag & Energy for more details on how to get propane started. Call the Greenbrier location in Ronceverte at (304) 647-5501 or visit 608 Monroe Avenue, Ronceverte, WV 24970.

Two People Arrested after Suspected Drug Transaction in Hinton



Ernie Cook

HINTON, W.Va. (The Hinton News) - On Wednesday, July 15, the Summers County Sheriff’s social media shared the following story:

This afternoon, while conducting proactive patrols in the Temple Street area of Hinton, Summers County, Sheriff Justin Faris observed what appeared to be a suspected narcotics transaction and initiated an investigation.

As a result of the investigation, Ernie Cook and Tiffany Cales were taken into custody.

During the investigation, deputies recovered multiple items commonly associated with the distribution of illegal narcotics. Investigators also seized quantities of suspected fentanyl and marijuana, along with a significant amount of U.S. currency believed to be connected to the illegal activity.

While Mr. Cook was in custody, he received a text message from an individual attempting to place an order for illegal narcotics. Fortunately, that delivery will not be taking place today.

Mr. Cook has been charged with:

- * Delivery of Fentanyl
- * Conspiracy to Deliver Fentanyl

Ms. Cales has been charged with:

- * Delivery of Marijuana
- * Conspiracy to Deliver Fentanyl

Both individuals are currently being held at the Southern Regional Jail pending court proceedings.

The Summers County Sheriff’s Office would also like to thank the Summers County Probation Office for its assistance during this investigation. Partnerships between law enforcement agencies continue to play a vital role in combating the distribution of illegal drugs and keeping our communities safe.

All suspects are presumed innocent unless and until proven guilty in a court of law.

WVU Medicine Princeton Community Hospital honors Behavioral Health Center nurse with DAISY Award for Extraordinary Care



Julie Prinzbach, RN, with the WVU Medicine PCH DAISY banner.

Princeton, W.Va. (The Hinton News) – WVU Medicine Princeton Community Hospital (PCH) announces Behavioral Health Center (BHC) nurse Julie Prinzbach, RN, as the latest recipient of the prestigious DAISY Award for Ex-

traordinary Nurses, an international program that honors the compassionate and skillful care nurses provide every day.

Prinzbach was nominated by a colleague who highlighted her commitment to going above and beyond for patients. In the nomination, the coworker described how several inpatients at the BHC needed haircuts. Prinzbach coordinated with a local hairdresser to arrange on-site services for patients.

“It was pure compassion, thoughtful planning, and a deep understanding of what dignity and comfort mean in inpatient care,” the coworker said.

Prinzbach’s actions reflect the importance of preserving dignity and comfort for patients and exemplify the level of care recognized by the DAISY Award.

The DAISY Award is part of a global program honoring nurses who go above and beyond to provide extraordinary care to patients and their families. Nominations can be submitted by patients, families and colleagues at bit.ly/PCHEmployeeAwards.

Prinzbach joins a prestigious community of DAISY honorees worldwide and becomes eligible for a variety of professional development and wellness benefits through the DAISY Foundation.

About WVU Medicine Princeton Community Hospital

WVU Medicine Princeton Community Hospital is leading health care in the two Virginias. With 420 physicians and midlevel providers, PCH operates a fully accredited 203-bed acute care medical facility, a 64-bed psychiatric hospital, and an emergency department and outpatient services facility in Bluefield. PCH operates seven primary care clinics, 11 specialty clinics and three rural imaging clinics, offering a wide range of care to a 10-county region.



Animal FACT:

True or false?
Pets can have a
small tracking
microchip inserted
under the skin.

Answer: True

“How they say that in...”

English: Missing
Spanish: Perdido
Italian: Perso
French: Manquant
German: Verlorengegangen

What’s the Difference?

Find the four differences between the two pictures.

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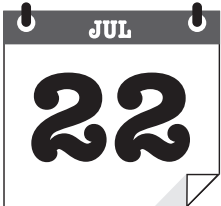


B



Answers: 1. Dog is wearing a bandana 2. Biscuit on the table 3. Missing stethoscope 4. Sign on door is larger

DAY IN HISTORY



1587: A second group of English settlers arrives on Roanoke Island.

1793: Alexander Mackenzie becomes the first recorded human to complete a transcontinental crossing of North America.

1997: The second Blue Water Bridge opens.

NEW WORD

REUNITE

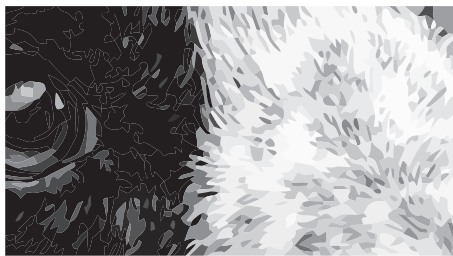
come together again after a period of separation

Did You KNOW?

Pet owners can use items like
♥collars, microchips, leashes,
and fences to help
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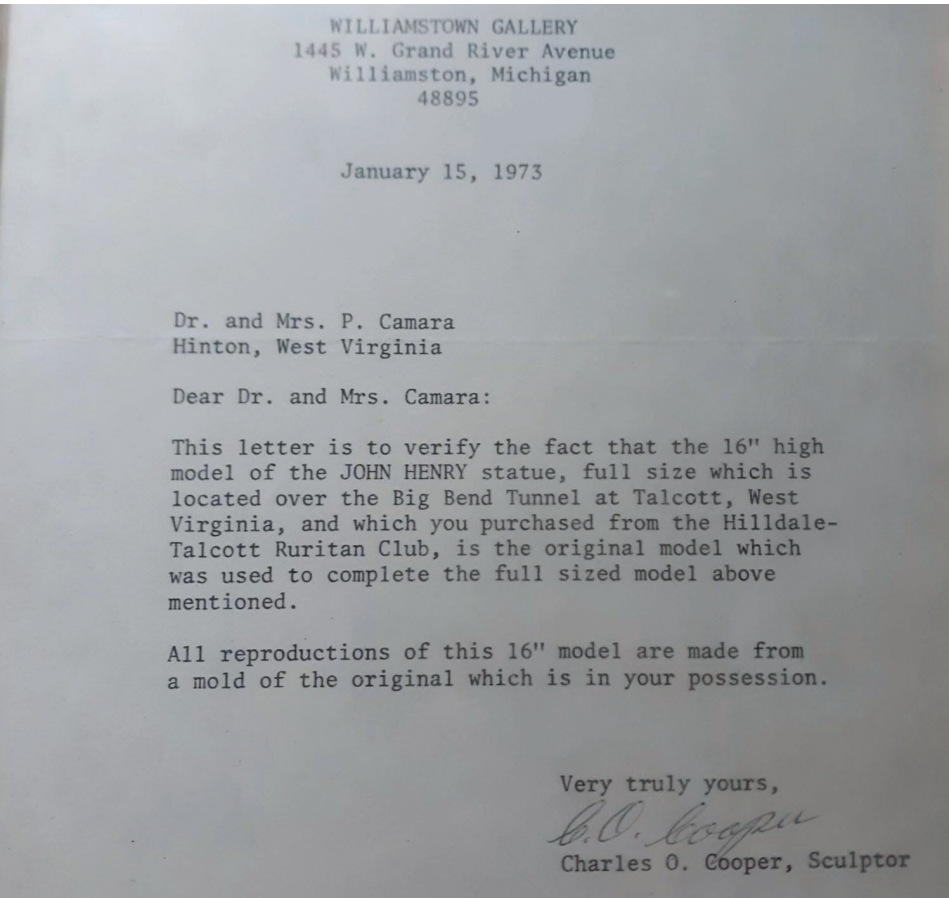
Peek into Summers County’s Past: 175th piece

William Jones

This week’s piece is going to be relatively short. I am seeking your help to find a piece of Summers County history. This is a letter of authenticity from Charles O. Cooper. He was the sculptor of the John Henry Statue in Talcott, WV. His original model was used to complete the full-size statue in Talcott.

It was also used to make mini 16” replicas of it. I have the one you see here and there is also one sitting in the Big Four Drug Store in Hinton. Dr Camara, who practiced in Hinton, WV, purchased the model that is referenced in 1973. It is the consensus of his family that it was sold after he passed.

More than likely it is sitting in someone’s garage, basement or attic locally. Please help me locate it. The first photo is the letter of authentic-



Letter of authenticity from Charles O. Cooper

John Henry statue

ity, and the second photo is one of the 16” models that was made from the mold Dr. Camara purchased.

The letter reads: “This letter is to verify the fact that the 16” high model of the JOHN HENRY

Statue, full size which is located over the Big Bend Tunnel in Talcott, West Virginia, and which you purchased from the Hilldale-Talcott Ruritan Club, is the original model which was used to complete the full-sized

model above mentioned.” “All reproductions of this 16” model are made from a mold of the orig-

inal which is now in your possession”. As I said, it is more than likely still local. If you have any in-

formation about this local historic treasurer, please email me at greenbrier-antiques@gmail.com.

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Finding Jesus, The Way
(Part 1)
by Mark A. Copeland
https://executableoutlines.com/topical_series/jesus-the-way-guide/jtw_01.html

Introduction
In this series, I have attempted to present Jesus as “The Way” to many blessings. Indeed, He is the source of every spiritual blessing that God has to offer:

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places in Christ, (Ephesians 1:3)
But how can we be sure that we have found the true Jesus and are **truly** His disciples? Jesus made it clear that simply believing in Him does not constitute true discipleship:

Then Jesus said to those Jews who believed Him, “If you abide in My word, you are My disciples indeed.” (John 8:31)
How can we be sure that we are not actually following some **caricature**, a misrepresentation of Jesus, presented to us in error by others who are sincerely mistaken themselves (such as our parents, preachers, churches)?
To be sure that we have truly found “**Jesus, The Way,**” we must begin with the only reliable source of information about Him: **The Bible!**
Surprising as it may be to some, a good place to start is with the **Old Testament... FINDING JESUS IN THE OLD TESTAMENT**
Though completed hundreds of years before Jesus was born, the Old Testament contains many things about Him. Jesus made this point on at least two occasions after His resurrection. First, to the two disciples on the road to Emmaus:
And beginning at Moses and all the Prophets, He expounded to them in all the Scriptures the things concerning Himself. (Luke 24:27)
Then, later with the apostles themselves:
Then He said to them, “These are the words which I spoke to you while I was still with you, that all things must be fulfilled which were written in the Law of Moses and the Prophets and the Psalms concerning Me.” And He opened their understanding, that they might comprehend the Scriptures. Then He said to them, “Thus it is written, and thus it was necessary for the Christ to suffer and to rise from the dead the third day, and that repentance and remission of sins should be preached in His name to all nations, beginning at Jerusalem.” (Luke 24:44-47)
Years later, the apostle Paul reminded the young evangelist Timothy of the value of the Old Testament Scriptures in making one wise concerning the salvation that is in Jesus:
But you must continue in the things which you have learned and been assured of, knowing from whom you have learned them, and that from childhood you have known the Holy Scriptures, which are able to make you wise for salvation through faith which is in Christ Jesus. (2 Timothy 3:14-15)

Next week, we will begin looking at Jesus in the Old Testament.
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2026 WV State Water Festival Promises Plenty to Enjoy

Brandon Baker

HINTON, W.Va. (The Hinton News) - One of southern West Virginia's signature summer celebrations is set to return later this month as the 2026 West Virginia State Water Festival brings a full week of entertainment, recreation, and community events to Hinton. The annual festival celebrates the region's rich connection to the New and Greenbrier rivers while offering activities for residents and visitors of all ages.

The festival is in its 61st year and will feature live music, food vendors, community events, outdoor recreation, arts and crafts, family activities and several special events spread throughout the week. Organizers have also expanded this year's lineup with new attractions designed to showcase Hinton's scenic waterfront and encourage visitors to experience the area's natural beauty.

One of the newest additions to this year's festival is the inaugural Kayak Race on the New River. Scheduled for Sunday, Aug. 2, participants will launch from the confluence of the Greenbrier and New rivers in Hinton before paddling to Bateau Beach. Registration begins at noon, with the race starting at 2 p.m. The event carries a \$10 entry fee, and competitors will have the opportunity to win cash prizes ranging from \$50 to \$100. Organizers remind participants that all river safety rules must be followed throughout the race.

Music will once again be a centerpiece of the festival with performances scheduled throughout the week at Rivertown Stage on the corner of Second Avenue and Ballengee Street. Entertainment includes The Dynamic Duo on Wednesday, July 29,

Matt Mullins on Thursday, July 30, The Holler Generals on Friday, July 31, and performances by Jonah Carden and Nathan Seldomridge on Saturday, Aug. 1.

Several community organizations will also be participating in the festivities. The Summers County Humane Society will host an adoption event during Rally on the River on Wednesday, July 29, from 5 to 9 p.m. at Bateau Beach. Visitors will have the opportunity to meet adoptable dogs while enjoying food trucks, music and family-friendly activities.

The festival will also include a Sensory Swim on Thursday, July 30, from noon until 6 p.m. The event is designed to provide a calm and welcoming and environment for individuals

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Sunday, July 26th
WV State Water Festival Race Pipestem 8AM
Art Show Begins SC Library 8AM
Pretty Baby Contest SC Memorial Building 1PM

Tuesday, July 28th
Queen Mermaid Banquet Historic Freight Depot 7PM

Wednesday, July 29th
Food Truck Rally Batteau Beach at Hinton Landing 5PM-9PM
Train Rides and Family Games Batteau Beach at Hinton Landing 5PM - 9PM
Live Music Batteau Beach at Hinton Landing - Bring a Lawn Chair 5PM -8PM

Thursday, July 30th
Vendors & Kids Zone Courthouse Lawn 11AM - 8PM
Sensory Swim Wild Water Express 12PM - 6PM
Art Show Reception SC Library 4PM - 6PM
Live Music Rivertown Stage 5PM - 7:30PM

Friday, July 31st
Vendors & Kids Zone Courthouse Lawn 11AM - 8PM
Cake Walk SC Memorial Building 4PM
Live Music Rivertown Stage 5PM - 7:30PM
Firemans Parade Downtown Hinton 8PM
Fireworks View from Hinton Landing, Avis, Temple Bridge Following Firemans Parade

Saturday, August 1st
Vendors & Kids Zone Courthouse Lawn 10AM - 8PM
Grand Parade Downtown Hinton 11AM
Car Show 2nd Avenue & Ballengee Street 1PM - 5PM
Live Music Rivertown Stage 12PM - 7PM
Street Dance Hinton Post Office Parking Lot 7PM - 11PM



Sunday, August 2nd
Kayak Race Launch at the Pointe to Batteau Beach at Hinton Landing Registration begins at 12PM **Public Access to the Pointe will be closed!**



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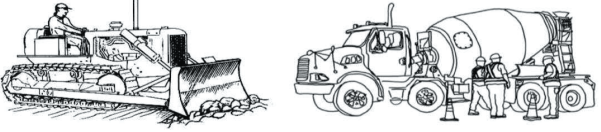
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Dear Abby: New boyfriend has a secret pastime



Dear Abby

DEAR ABBY: I recently

started dating a guy I have known for 30 years. He has moved in and asked me to marry him. Our relationship is perfect except for anything having to do with social media. He has an account on TikTok using a sexually suggestive name. He's following 500 women and has just as many following him. I'm worried this will lead to other things, and the fact that he hides this from me makes it worse. Of all the women he follows, I am not on his list,

and that hurts, too. I'm sure other readers deal with this issue, and I'm not sure how to handle this situation. Is this a form of cheating, or, because it is social media, should I not worry about it? To my knowledge, he doesn't chat with any of them, or maybe he has that hidden so I don't see it and will probably never know for sure. Should I end this relationship because of doubt -- which I'm worried will turn into trust issues -- or shrug it off? -- **UNCERTAIN IN SOUTH CAROLINA**
DEAR UNCERTAIN:

How does your partner earn his living? Following 500 women seems time-consuming. If he's hiding it from you, how do you know this? Your doubt, which is reasonable, already is a trust issue. I will assume that you know about his "hobby" because you looked at his

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The WV State Water Festival

July 26 - August 2

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and families who benefit from a sensory-friendly setting. Registration is required, and attendance will be limited to registered participants. Art enthusiasts will have the opportunity to enjoy the Friends of the Library Art Show at the Summers County Public Library. Artwork will be displayed throughout the duration of the Water Festival from July 25 through Aug. 2 and will showcase a variety of artistic mediums including photography, painting, sculpture, woodworking, fiber art and more. An awards reception is scheduled for Thursday, July 30, from

4:00 to 6:00 p.m. In addition to the featured events, visitors can expect the return of many longtime favorites, including live entertainment, local food and craft vendors, educational exhibits, water recreation, family activities and the popular Fireman's Parade, which has become one of the festival's favorite traditions. The grand parade will commence on August 1. With activities taking place throughout the week, organizers hope the 2026 West Virginia State Water Festival will once again bring together residents, former

community members, local artwork or simply spending time with family downtown, the festival offers something for everyone to enjoy during one of Summers County's biggest annual celebrations.

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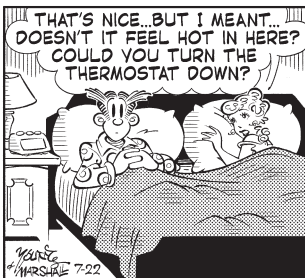
STREET DANCE

Saturday 7PM - 11PM
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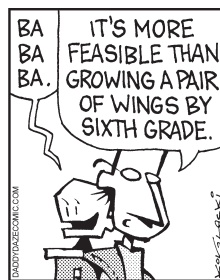
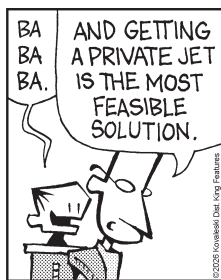


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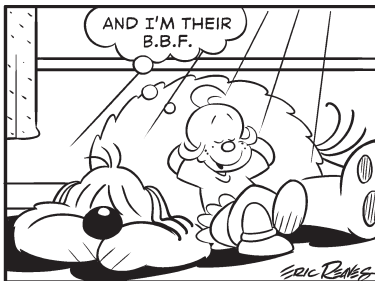


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WHEN IT'S TIME
TO GO TO MIDDLE
SCHOOL, YOU
WANT TO FLY
THERE.



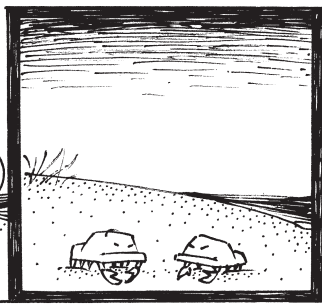
A black and white cartoon illustration of a young boy with a large tuft of hair hugging a dog from behind. The dog is lying down with its head resting on the floor. A thought bubble above the boy's head contains the text: "DAWG IS MY B.D.F.". The cartoon is signed "Hindale.com" in the bottom left corner.



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OH, WELL THINK OF SOMETHING.

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ON THE COUNT OF THREE, WE'RE GOING TO STOP BEING "JEREMY AND SARA" AND GO BACK TO BEING JEREMY AND SARA.

OKAY. ONE... TWO...

7/22
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CLUES ACROSS

1. Listen to
5. Presents
10. A type of guitar
14. Actor Idris
15. A citizen of Iran
16. Pretentiously artistically
17. Harness
18. Diamond weight measurement
19. "Better Call ___"
20. Fervent support
22. Male cat
23. Jewish spiritual leader
24. Disposed to venture or take risks
27. A way to nail
30. Cool!
31. Women's ___ movement
32. "Losing My Religion" rockers
35. Step-shaped recess
37. A princess can detect it
38. Tractor-trailer
39. Leslie and Leon are two
40. Color at the end of the spectrum

41. Lines where fabrics are sewn
42. Dodgers great Hersher
43. Floor covering
44. Traveled aimlessly
45. Rocker Stewart
46. Body art
47. Congressman (abbr.)
48. No seats available
49. Breaks apart
52. Hand gesture
55. Ballplayer's tool
56. Sword
60. Baseball team
61. Upper bract of floret of grass
63. Italian Seaport
64. Mars crater
65. Tube on a shoelace
66. U. of Miami mascot
67. South American nation
68. Video game series "Max ____"
69. Upper body part

2. Ancient Greek personification of mercy
3. Jewish calendar month
4. Family of long-legged frogs
5. Photo
6. Delivered a speech
7. Lute used in Indian music
8. Decorated
9. Cease to stand
10. The bottom layer
11. Member of a Semitic people
12. Part of a ticket
13. Defunct monetary unit
21. Challenges
23. Body part
25. Tell on
26. By way of
27. Shady green alcove
28. Egyptian city
29. ___ and flowed
32. Widens a hole
33. Eurasian wheat
34. Act incorrectly
36. "Be back later"
37. Al Bundy's wife
38. Ocean
40. Large root eaten as a vegetable
41. Units of subjective

- loudness
43. Music genre
44. A way to drench
46. Popular hot beverage
47. Silk-like cotton fabric
49. Rumanian city
50. Come back
51. Vaccine developer
52. Canadian law enforcers
53. Wings
54. Observational comedian Bill
57. Small fry
58. ___ Clapton, musician
59. Take a chance
61. Semi-liquid food for babies
62. Consumed food

CLUES DOWN

1. German courtesy
title

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***Answer To Last
Wednesday's
Puzzle —→***

Unscramble these Jumbles, one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.



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 (Today's Answers Next Wednesday)
 Last Wednesday's Answers | Jumbles: DAISY STEEP BANANA FORGET
 Answer: Because Hoover Dam's hydroelectric facility was well-built, it's lasted — GENERATIONS

THAT SCRAMBLED WORD GAME

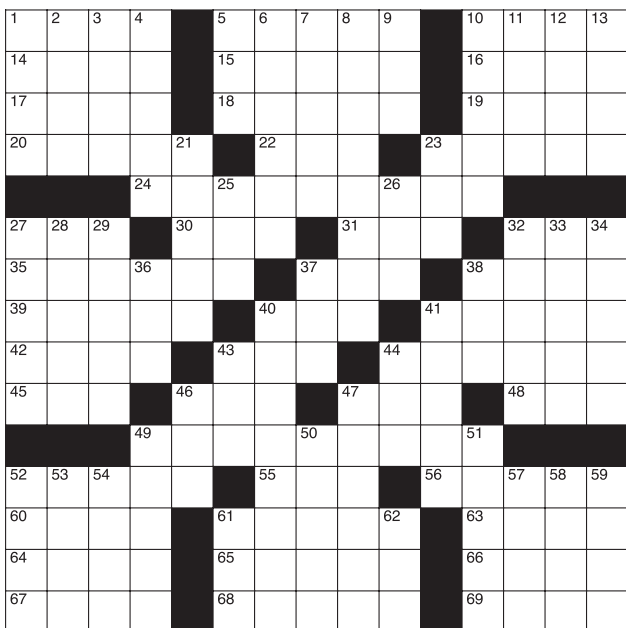
By David L. Hoyt and Jeff Knurek



Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

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Last Wednesday's Answer
(Answers Next Wednesday)



LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE
NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE is hereby given pursuant to and by virtue of the authority vested in the Substitute Trustee, Pill & Pill, PLLC, by that certain Deed of Trust dated March 15, 2005, executed by the Borrower, Joseph L. Adkins and Janet M. Adkins, husband and wife, to Stephen L. Thompson, the Trustee, of record in the Office of the Clerk of the County Commission of Summers County, West Virginia, in Book 213 at Page 543. At the time of the execution of the Deed of Trust, this property was reported to have a mailing address of 648 Bun Hicks Rd, Hinton, WV 25951. Pill & Pill, PLLC was appointed as Substitute Trustee by APPOINTMENT OF SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE dated July 8, 2026, of record in the Clerk's Office in Book 327, at Page 454. The Borrower defaulted under the Note and Deed of Trust and the Substitute Trustee has been instructed to foreclose under the Deed of Trust. Accordingly, the Substitute Trustee will sell the following described property to the highest bidder at the front door of the Courthouse of Summers County, in Hinton, West Virginia, on the following date:

August 11, 2026, at 9:45 a.m.

The following parcel of land, together with improvements thereon, the easements thereon, and the appurtenances thereon or belonging thereto, situate in Greenbrier District of Summers County, West Virginia, more particularly bounded as follows:

Beginning at 5/8" rebar and cap set on line of Calvin Cox and Lot 8 of the Subdivision of E. W. Lilly Farm, being distant, N. 7° 00' 00" E., 194.04 feet from a rebar found at corner lots 7 and 8 and proceeding thence with said Cox, N. 7° 00' 00" E., 463.61 feet to a point on southerly right of way of Bun Hicks Road being distant S. 7° 00' 00" W., 3.35 feet from a 5/8" rebar and cap set; thence leave said Cox and with said right of way, S. 86° 14' 57" E., 19.93 feet and S. 77° 33' 57" E., 483.78 feet to a 5/8" rebar and cap set on said right of way near a culvert; thence leave said right of way and through lots 9 and 8, S. 14° 52' 58" W., 462.33 feet to a 5/8" rebar and cap set, being distant N. 14° 52' 58" E., 513.56 feet from a rebar found; thence through Lot 8, N. 77° 54' 30" W., 439.83 feet to the point of beginning.

Said tract contains 5.00 acres more or less as shown on a plat prepared by SCS Surveyors, dated the 10th day of February, 2005. A copy of which is attached to the deed referenced below and incorporated herein for a more complete and detailed description of the land herein conveyed.

And being the same property conveyed to Joseph L. Adkins and Janet M. Adkins, his wife, from Maxie Wayne Hinkle and Carolyn Sue Hinkle, his wife, by Deed dated March 15, 2005, recorded in the Office of the Clerk of the County Commission of Summers County, West Virginia in Deed Book 217, at Page 741.

TERMS OF SALE:

1) The property will be conveyed in an "AS IS" physical condition by Deed containing no warranty, express or implied, subject to the Internal

Revenue Service right of redemption, all property taxes, prior Deeds, liens, reservations, encumbrances, restrictions, rights-of-ways, easements, covenants, conveyances and conditions of record in the Clerk's office or affecting the subject property.

2) The Purchaser shall be responsible for the payment of the transfer taxes imposed by the West Virginia Code § 11-22-1.

3) The Beneficiary and/or the Servicer of the Deed of Trust and Note reserve the right to submit a bid for the property at sale.

4) The Trustee reserves the right to continue sale of the subject property from time to time by written or oral proclamation, which continuance shall be in the sole discretion of the Trustee.

5) The Trustee shall be under no duty to cause any existing tenant or person occupying the property to vacate said property, and any personal property and/or belongings remaining at the property after the foreclosure sale will be deemed to constitute ABANDONED PROPERTY AND WILL BE DISPOSED OF ACCORDINGLY.

6) The total purchase price is payable to the Trustee within thirty (30) days of the date of sale, with ten (10%) of the total purchase price payable to the Trustee at sale.

Should any party have inquiries, objections to the sale or protests regarding the sale, or requests regarding the sale, please notify the Trustee below by one of the means of communication set forth below.

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LEGAL NOTICE

The City of Hinton, Sanitary Board in accordance with their NPDES Permit, maintains and operates a combined sewer collection and treatment facility serving the residents within and near the City.

A portion of the wastewater system operates as a combined system with combined sewer overflows (CSO's), which means during rain events, storm water runoff is carried into the sanitary sewer lines. During heavy rain events, the system could become overloaded with storm and sanitary wastewater and discharge into the receiving streams.

During dry weather, these overflows do not normally pose a concern and the system can handle flows to the wastewater treatment. However, be advised that during storm events or snow melt, these overflow may discharge and pose a potential health risk from contact with the river at this point. Please note that each outlet is identified by outfall markers.

You are advised to avoid contact with the water during these overflow events. Should you observe a discharge event or have any questions regarding this advisory, please contact the City at (304) 466-0622. (22,29jl)

Dear Abby (Continued From Page 5)

computer or phone. If you felt the need to do that, do not shrug it off. Have a heart-to-heart talk with him and ask what he's seeking from these online relationships. Is he a voyeur or looking for adventure? Once you know the answer to those questions, you will know how to proceed.

DEAR ABBY: My mother is 86 years old. She has been widowed for more than 10 years. She works, sings in a choir, volunteers at her church and has three children who dote on her, but she desperately wants a man in her life -- and the man she wants is married. They have been together for more than five years on and off. They get together, feel guilty and break up. This has happened more than 20 times.

She lies to us, her counselor and her friends about this affair. We are tired of her lies, her crying over the adulterer and her inability to enjoy what she has in-

stead of complaining about what she doesn't have. Doctors, counselors and church members have all tried to convince her this pattern is destructive, to no avail. Help! -- **OVER IT**

DEAR OVER IT: It sounds like Mom may be in love with the drama more than the man. The best way to deal with it would be to stop engaging. When she starts discussing her affair, change the subject. If she persists, leave the room.

Let her know that you really are "over it." Tell her you refuse to watch her make a fool of herself any longer. Then encourage her to talk about the parts of her life that are not so self-destructive.

Dear Abby is written by Abigail Van Buren, also known as Jeanne Phillips, and was founded by her mother, Pauline Phillips. Contact Dear Abby at www.DearAbby.com or P.O. Box 69440, Los Angeles, CA 90069.

Recycle Lady: Office Paper, PFAS & More

Dear Recycle Lady,
I have some paper that I can't tell whether it is office paper or slicks like a magazine. Do I put this paper in the office paper bin or in the magazine/slicks bin?

Uncertain Recycler
Dear Uncertain Recycler,
Paper made from wood pulp or from recycled paper, regardless of whether it is office paper or magazine slicks, can be recycled. The difference is that magazines/slicks have a glossy or matte finish that has been applied as a coating that covers the entire page. The pages may also be heavier, bulkier and brighter. Newspapers often have inserts that look like a slick but may be just heavier newspaper with a brightly colored ink. They are the ones that may be doubtful. Put them in the magazine/slick bin as inks and coatings can affect the recyclability the office paper. Magazines/slicks are more forgiving of mistakes than office paper, so when in doubt put it in the magazine bin.

In 1965, Karl Ziegler, one of the chemists who invented HDPE, won the Nobel prize for chemistry. In 1979, single-use plastic bags first appeared in the large grocery store chains.

Dear Recycle Lady,
What are PFAS? Not a Chemist

Dear Not a Chemist,
Per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances, better known as PFAS, are a class of human-made chemicals that were developed in the late 1930s. They are long-lasting chemicals that break down very slowly. The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has cataloged over 14,000 different PFAS that are used in cleaning products, cosmetics, stain-resistant clothing, paints, furniture, and more. According to the director of the Environmental Health Science Center at Oregon State University, "PFAS have the strongest bond in chemistry, which means that there are no natural processes in us or in the environment to break these chemicals down." Thus, they are called "forever" chemicals. PFAS make materials resistant to stains, grease, and water, but they also put our health at risk. According to epa.gov, PFAS have been found in humans and animals all over the world." They are in our water, in the air we breathe, and in the soil around the globe. They are found in clothing, cosmetics, carpets, shampoos, food packaging, firefighting foam, and insulation of electrical wires, to list only a few of

The products they exist in. Since thousands of PFAS chemicals are found in so many different consumer, commercial, and industrial products, it is challenging to study and assess the potential human health and environment risks.

Surprising News: According to www.sciencefocus.com, mosquitoes are the most dangerous animal on Earth. They spread deadly diseases like malaria, West Nile Virus, and Zika that kill between 500,000 and one million people globally each year.

Have questions about recycling, or interesting information about recycling? Send questions or requests

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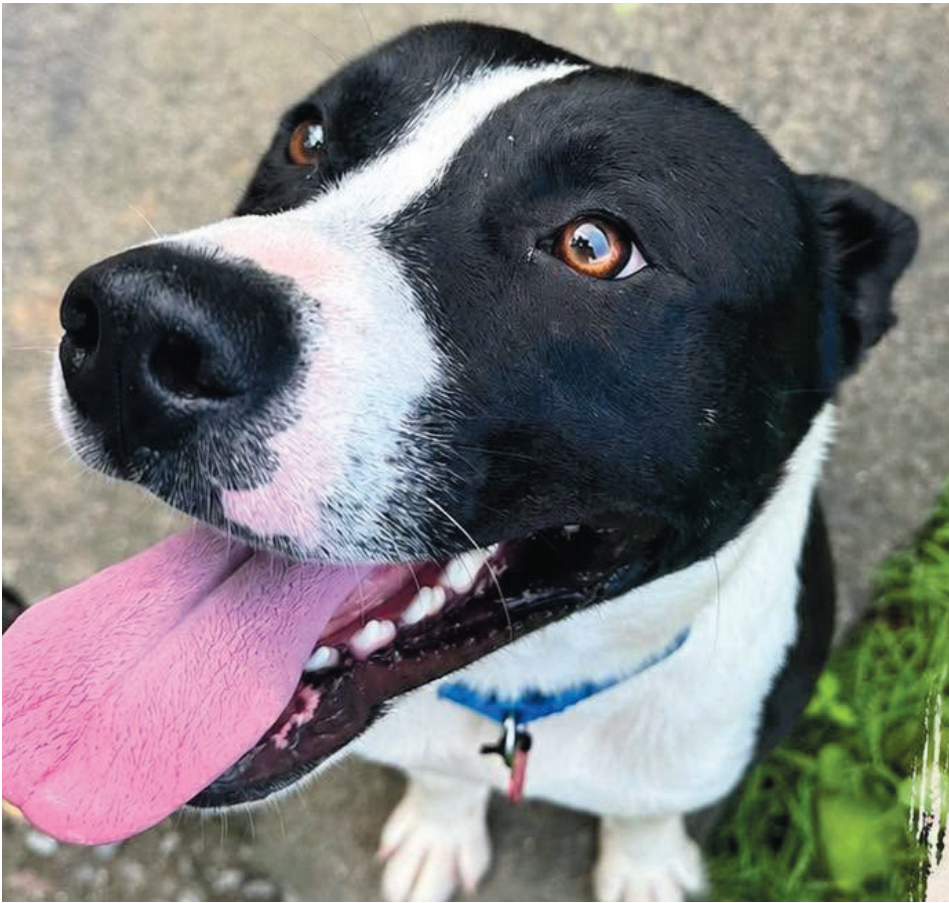
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Pet of the Week: Meet Chance



Chance (Photo by Summers Co. Humane Society)

Chance, a 2-year-old Australian Cattle Dog mix (Blue Heeler), Hound mix, is searching for a loving forever home. Weighing 51 pounds, Chance is described as a friendly, loyal, playful and sweet companion who is ready to become part of a caring family. He gets along well with other dogs, making him a great fit for homes with canine companions. In addition to his friendly personality, Chance loves treats and enjoys going for car rides. Shelter staff hope his affectionate nature and outgoing spirit will help him quickly find the perfect family. Those interested in giving Chance the forever home he deserves are encouraged to contact the Summers County Humane Society.



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