WEST VIRGINIA PUBLIC LIBRARIES
Year Ending June 30, 1964

Library Service By County	Librarian	Name and Address	Type* Of Library	Population Served	Total Volumes	Total Circulation	Total Expenditure
REGION IV							
Alpha Region		Alpha Regional Library (HEADQUARTERS) SPENCER	1	60,056	58,023**	161,951	29,501
Calhoun	Mrs. Lucile McNary	GRANTSVILLE					
Doddridge	Mrs. Elizabeth Mollohan	WEST UNION					
Jackson	Mrs. Lillian Wetzel	RAVENSWOOD					
	Mrs. Velma Hutchinson	RIPLEY					
Ritchie	Mrs. Freda Miller	HARRISVILLE					
Roane	Miss Louisa Kerr	SPENCER					
	Mrs. Evelyn Simon						
TOTAL Region IV				60,056	58,023	161,951	29,501
REGION XI							
Stonewall Jackson Region		Stonewall Jackson Regional Library (HEADQUARTERS) BUCKHANNON	1	115,859	35,952**	82,466	20,370
	Mrs. Lucile McNary						
Harrison		Benedum Civic Center Public BRIDGEPORT	5	Included in above	12,557	23,632	11,954
	Mrs. Norman R. Tolley						
		Shinnston Woman's Club Public SHINNSTON	6	Included in above	1,145	5,218	106
	Mrs. B. A. Starcher						
		Clarksburg Public CLARKSBURG	5	Included in above	31,504	71,088	27,425
	Miss Charlotte T. Bailey						
Lewis		Louis Bennett Public WESTON	3	Included in above	16,375	22,351	8,669
	Miss Lennel Stutler						
Upshur		Charles W. Gibson Public BUCKHANNON	4	Included in above	10,343	11,187	4,566
	Mrs. Rachel B. Barlow						
TOTAL Region XI				115,859	107,876	215,942	73,090
REGION I							
Miracle Valley Region		Miracle Valley Regional Library (HEADQUARTERS) MOUNDSVILLE	1	57,388	41,673**	221,757	41,158
	Miss Martha Myers						
Marshall		Cameron Public CAMERON	6	Included in above	1,479	4,829	91
	Mrs. John Hutchinson						
		McMechen Public MCMECHEN	6	Included in above	. . .	. . .	. . .
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Wetzel		New Martinsville Public NEW MARTINSVILLE	4	Included in above	5,564	16,592	4,184
	Mrs. Theo Kiger						
		Paden City Public PADEN CITY	4	Included in above	3,736	11,218	1,184
	Mrs. Josie Hartmann						
TOTAL Region I				57,388	52,452	254,396	46,617

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REGION III Western Counties Region	Mr. Kenneth E. Brown	Western Counties Regional Library System (HEADQUARTERS) Huntington Huntington Public HUNTINGTON	1	210,482	146,402**	585,744	172,756
Cabell	Mrs. Sue Alexander	Barboursville Library BARBOURSVILLE	Included in above				
	Mrs. Catherine Kline	Milton Library MILTON	Included in above				
	Mrs. Minnie Madsen	South East Huntington HUNTINGTON	Included in above				
Mingo	Mrs. Mary E. Oney	Williamson Public WILLIAMSON	4	Included in above	11,925	27,210	3,780
Putnam	Mrs. Laeuna Erwin	Hurricane Library Center HURRICANE	Included in above				
Wayne	Mrs. Susan Bailey	Ceredo-Kenova War Memorial KENOVA	4	Included in above	6,121	8,010	1,937
TOTAL Region III				210,482	164,448	620,964	178,473
REGION IX Clay Region	Mrs. Lucile McNary	Clay County Public (HEADQUARTERS) CLAY	1	11,942	23,687**	50,291	1,753
TOTAL Region IX				11,942	23,687	50,291	1,753
REGIONS XIII AND XIV Grant and Mineral	Mrs. Mary R. Handlan	Potomac Valley Regional Library (HEADQUARTERS) Keyser-Mineral Public Library KEYSER	1	30,658	31,321**	85,843	12,443
	Mrs. Bernadine Appel	Piedmont Public PIEDMONT	4	Included in above	2,569	8,673	1,915
TOTAL Regions XIII and XIV				30,658	33,890	94,516	14,358
Barbour	Mrs. Craig Bolton, Sr.	Belington Public BELINGTON	6	1,528	550	3,596	5
	Mrs. Guy B. Richards	Junior Public JUNIOR	6	552	820	700	0
Berkeley	Miss June Poisal	Naylor Memorial Public HEDGESVILLE	4	342	1,508	3,212	699
	Mrs. Anna M. Shewbridge	Martinsburg Public MARTINSBURG	3	15,179	13,462	45,315	10,956
Braxton	Mrs. Robert Bennett	Gassaway Public GASSAWAY	6	1,223	1,527	2,109	5

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Braxton	Mrs. Grover L. Berry	Sutton Public SUTTON	6	967	2,538	. . .	. . .
Brooke	Mrs. Pearl Baker	Brooke County Public WELLSBURG	3	5,514	5,956	9,380	5,031
	Mrs. Loyd N. Barnett	Hooverson Heights Branch WELLSBURG	3	Included in above	3,398	7,280	Included in above
Cabell	(See Region III)						
Calhoun	(See Region IV)						
Clay	(See Region IX)						
Doddridge	(See Region IV)						
Fayette	Mrs. Josephine Anderson	Fayette County Public FAYETTEVILLE	2	61,731	26,669** 4,060	103,085	15,461
Grant	(See Region XIII and XIV)						
Greenbrier	Mrs. J. G. Morrison	Ronceverte Presbyterian Church RONCEVERTE	6	1,882	426	1,920	28
	Mrs. Doreen Starcher	Greenbrier County Public LEWISBURG	3	2,259	10,915	13,179	4,170
	Mrs. Edna DeGroot	White Sulphur Springs Public WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS	6	2,676	8,000	. . .	3,577
Hampshire	Mrs. Harry E. Gipe	Hampshire County Public ROMNEY	6	2,203	4,817	4,104	473
Hancock	Mr. William C. Myers	Mary H. Weir Public WEIRTON	4	39,615	4,318** 32,903	118,031	45,718
	Miss Iris Campbell	Swaney Memorial NEW CUMBERLAND	5	2,076	9,644	16,346	9,500
Hardy	Mrs. Helen Collins	Hardy County Public MOOREFIELD	2	9,308	8,194	19,539	3,590
Harrison	(See Region XI)						
Jackson	(See Region IV)						
Jefferson	Mrs. Sterling Bradley	Shepherdstown Public SHEPHERDSTOWN	4	1,328	10,187	6,841	951

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Kanawha	Mr. Nicholas Winowich	Kanawha County Public CHARLESTON	2	252,925	238,092	1,107,247	284,543
	Mrs. Clara Hampton	St. Albans Branch ST. ALBANS	Included in above				
	Mrs. Louise Hayslett	South Charleston Public SOUTH CHARLESTON	4	Included in above	15,008	27,427	5,500
Lewis	(See Region XI)						
Logan	Mrs. W. A. Brown	Woman's Club of Logan LOGAN	4	4,185	11,788	9,905	1,908
McDowell	Mrs. O. L. Robinson	McDowell Public WELCH	3	7,905	12,263	43,416	11,622
Marion	Mrs. Ruth L. Early	Marion County Public FAIRMONT	2	63,717	46,124	86,610	25,904
	Mrs. Charlotte Murphy	Mannington Branch MANNINGTON	Included in above				
Marshall	(See Region I)						
Mason	Mrs. Edwin L. Stein, Jr.	Alexander Quillen Memorial NEW HAVEN	6	1,314	1,393	2,881	. . .
	Mrs. Minnie K. Burdette	Mason County Public POINT PLEASANT	3	5,785	6,433	13,932	1,420
Mercer	Mrs. Gertrude T. McGuyer	Bluefield Public BLUEFIELD	4	19,256	12,503	13,466	4,050
	Mrs. Jessie P. Bird	Mercer Memorial PRINCETON	3	8,393	12,180	45,833	2,935
Mineral	(See Region XIII and XIV)						
Mingo	(See Region III)						
Monongalia	Mrs. Waldo E. Bell	Core Public CORE	6	300	. . .	977	. . .
	Mrs. John F. Wilson	Waitman Barbe Public MORGANTOWN	4	25,525	21,855	54,247	10,386
	Mrs. Clayton Gantner	Osage Public OSAGE	6	614	. . .	. . .	. . .
Monroe	Mrs. Betty S. Dransfield	Monroe County Traveling UNION	2	11,584	4,502** 3,205	18,435	1,940

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Morgan	Mrs. Clark L. Catlett	Morgan County BERKELEY SPRINGS	3	1,138	3,475	5,226	308
Nicholas	Mr. Latroy Beal	Richwood Public RICHWOOD	4	4,110	6,262	10,012	2,988
	Mrs. Dora Seelinger	Elizabeth Stephenson Memorial SUMMERSVILLE	4	2,008	2,690	3,458	1,111
Ohio	Miss Virginia Ebeling	Ohio County Public WHEELING	2	68,437	73,861	208,920	65,292
Pendleton	Mrs. Grover C. Evick	Pendleton County Public FRANKLIN	3	758	3,430	5,614	284
Pleasants	Mrs. Glen Carpender	Pleasants County Public ST. MARYS	3	2,443	3,235	8,435	1,427
Pocahontas	Mrs. Patricia G. Uphoff	GREEN BANK	6	125	1,018	1,876	985
	Mrs. Nellie Michael	Marlinton Public MARLINTON	6	1,586	500	878	120
Preston	Mrs. Kenneth Chidester	Albright Public ALBRIGHT	6	304	626	615	10
	Mrs. Arleyne Sherren	Kingwood Public KINGWOOD	4	2,530	4,540	5,212	505
Putnam	(See Region III)						
Raleigh	Mrs. Louise Graham	Raleigh County Public BECKLEY	2	77,826	(See also Fayette** 18,118	125,583	14,824
Randolph	Mrs. Richard M. Feaster	Elkins Public ELKINS	4	8,307	11,536	15,256	2,022
Ritchie	(See Region IV)						
Roane	(See Region IV)						
Taylor	Miss Patty Cutright	Grafton Public GRAFTON	4	5,791	4,510	9,895	1,086
Tucker	Mrs. Jocie Parson	Parsons Public PARSONS	6	1,798	3,085	. . .	. . .
Tyler	Miss Bertha Chadderdon	Sistersville Public SISTERSVILLE	4	2,331	11,221	7,210	2,887
Upshur	(See Region XI)						

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Wayne	(See Region III)						
Wetzel	(See Region I)						
Wirt	Miss Louise Roberts	Dora Bee Woodward Memorial ELIZABETH	4	727	. . .	9,774	. . .
Wood	Mrs. Lois Hiebel	Carnegie PARKERSBURG	3	44,797	44,734	113,500	30,874
	Mrs. Daniel Cooper	Vienna VIENNA	4	9,381	3,858	5,942	1,116
	Mrs. Edith Fuchs	Washington Memorial WASHINGTON	6	550	1,516	2,034	66
49 Counties	TOTALS			1,271,218	1,173,829	3,716,513	920,069
				Expenditure - Library Commission			271,749***
				GRAND TOTAL EXPENDITURE			1,191,818

*Type of Library

1. Regional libraries with which the Library Commission is cooperating. (Tax supported.)
2. County Library (Tax supported). In order to be classed as a county library, the library must provide service for all or a major portion of the county through the medium of branches, stations, bookmobiles, etc.
3. Public library (Tax supported). Called county library but giving only partial county service.
4. City and Town library (Tax supported).
5. City and Town library (Endowed).
6. Public library supported and sponsored by clubs.

** Basic book collection supplied by Library Commission.

*** $121,822 State Funds, $149,927 Federal Funds.

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This Year		Previous Year
68.2%	of total state population with library service (population data from U. S. Census, 1960).	65.2%
.63	volumes per capita (exclusive of Commission's lending service).	.60
1.98	books circulated per capita (exclusive of Commission's lending service).	1.98
.635	expenditure per capita (including Commission expenditure).	$ 0.617

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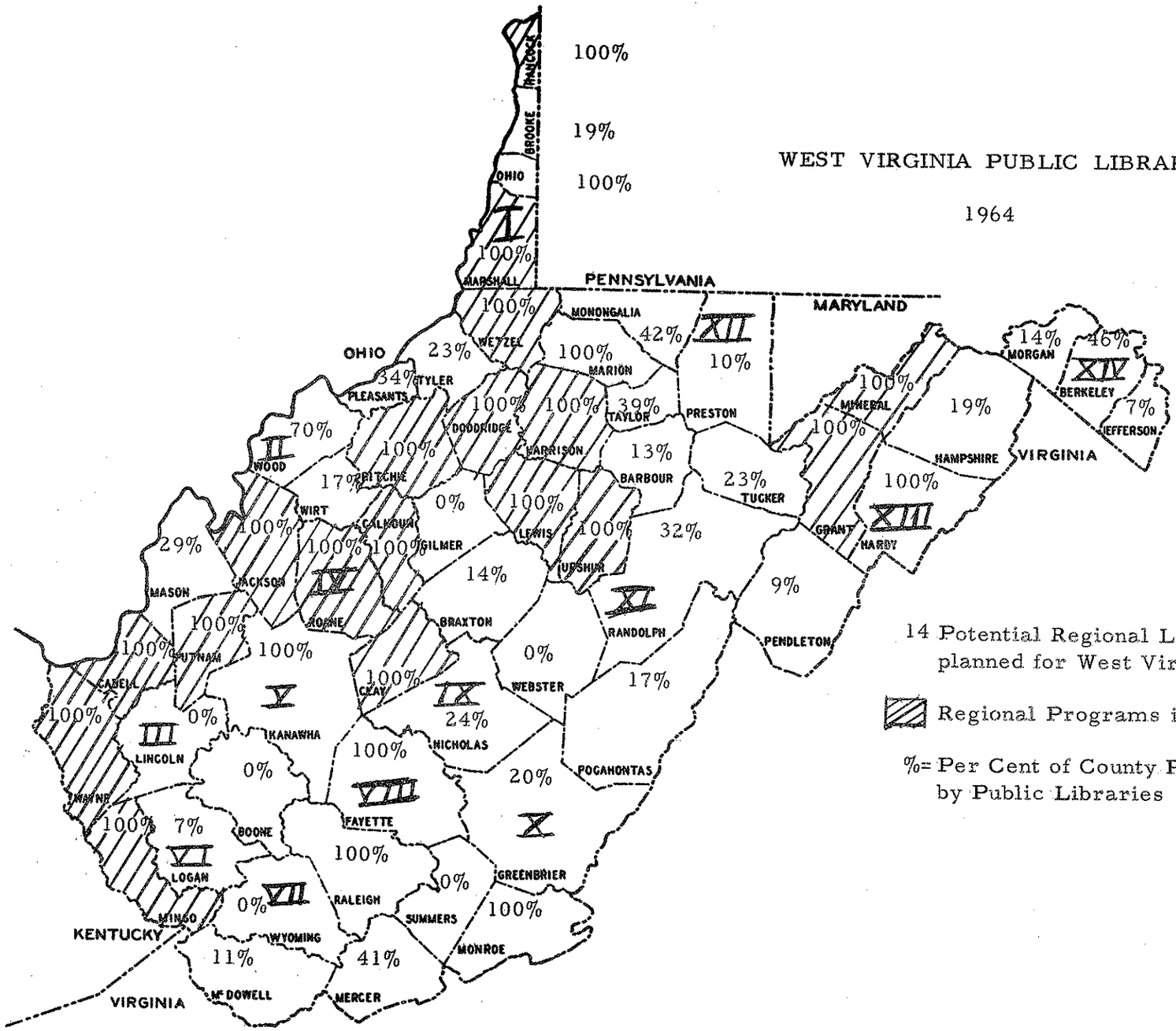

14 Potential Regional Libraries are planned for West Virginia

Regional Programs in Operation 1964

%= Per Cent of County Population served by Public Libraries 1964