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SENATE BILL NO. 167

(By Mr. Jackson)

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D. PITT O'BRIEN
SECRETARY OF STATE
AN ACT to amend and reenact section one, chapter fifty-six, 
acts of the Legislature of West Virginia, regular session, 
one thousand eight hundred sixty-nine, relating to the 
county of Lincoln and defining the territory boundaries 
thereof.

WHEREAS, There has been some misunderstanding and errors 
concerning the boundary lines of the county of Lincoln due 
to oversights in former acts of the Legislature of West Vir­
ginia with reference to said boundary lines, and the Legisla­
ture now desiring to clarify the territory and boundaries of 
the county of Lincoln and to establish the true boundary lines 
thereof as have heretofore been and are now accepted by the
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citizens of said county and the counties adjacent thereto, therefore

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That section one, chapter fifty-six, acts of the Legislature of West Virginia, regular session, one thousand eight hundred sixty-nine, be amended and reenacted to read as follows:

Section 1. **Boundaries and Territory of Lincoln County**

2 **Defined and Established.**—All of that former territory of Cabell, Boone, Kanawha and Logan counties within the boundary of a line beginning on the Cabell county line where it crosses Mud river below the mouth of the Trace Fork of said river; thence with the dividing ridge between Bear creek, Trace creek and Tyler creek to the mouth of Bear creek on Guyandotte river; thence down Guyandotte river to the mouth of Madison creek; thence crossing said creek and up the ridge between Madison creek and the waters of Long Branch, to the Wayne county line at the head of Racoon creek, a branch of the Beech Fork of Twelve Pole creek; thence along said line to where it crosses the West Fork of Twelve Pole, the corner of Mingo county; thence eastward along the Mingo
county line to the northwest corner of Logan county; thence with the Logan county line to the Boone county line, at the head of Big Ugly creek; thence with said line to the Kanawha county line, at the mouth of Dick’s creek on Little Coal river; thence down Little Coal river to Big Coal river, but to run so as to leave the land known as the Allen M. Smith farm in Kanawha county; thence down Big Coal river to the mouth of Island creek; thence due west with the Kanawha county line to the main dividing ridge between Falls creek of Big Coal river, and the Trace Fork of Mud; thence northward with said ridge to the line of Putnam county and with said line to the Cabell county line, at the head of Coon creek of the Trace Fork of Mud; thence westward with the Cabell county line to the place of beginning, shall be and remain the county of Lincoln.

All acts and parts of acts which conflict with this act are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.
The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

Chairman Senate Committee

Chairman House Committee

Originated in the Senate.

Takes effect from passage.

Clerk of the Senate

Clerk of the House of Delegates

President of the Senate

Speaker House of Delegates

The within approved this the 21

day of February, 1955.

William C. Marland
Governor.

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D. Pitt O'Brien
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