



From the President's Desk

I think the stretch of extremely hot and dry weather seems to have ended and been replaced with cooler evenings and warmer comfortable days. The extreme heat over the last few months made it harder to search for scrip/tokens for my collections. Fewer and fewer collectible items have been showing up at outside events like flea markets, auctions, garage sales, estate sales, etc. Most everyone else I talk to has experienced the same thing in this area.

The 2025 NSCA Fall Coal Scrip Show will be held October 3rd and 4th in Huntington, WV at the Comfort Inn Hotel and Conference Center. I hope every NSCA member will plan to attend one or both days of the Fall Show. The 2025 Spring Coal Scrip Show was held on April 4th and 5th at the Country Inn and Suites in Beckley, WV. Friday was the best attended day by far for the general public. Buying, selling, and trading among dealers was very heavy on Friday as was the same with the general public attendees.

David Schenkman's latest book titled "Coal Mine Company Obsolete Notes and Scrip", published by the NSCA, will be available to purchase at the Fall Show, or you can buy it thru Wizard Coin Supply. The book has a number of beautiful color photos and is full of heavily researched historical information. Other books available at the show will be,

Charlie Thomas's book on Harlan County, Kentucky Scrip, Edkins Volumes I and II Scrip Books, and Billy Campbell's Edkins Vol. II Ongoing Fifth Edition Scrip Book. Mike Williams is getting closer to completion on the revised "Lumber Book" and is hoping to have a draft copy available to review at the Fall Show. There will be a live auction of 27 pieces of scrip and tokens donated by an NSCA member after the business meeting on Friday at the Fall Show. The items up for auction will be available at the show to review. The auction will consist of 11 pieces of TN merchant/trade tokens, 7 pieces of TN coal scrip, 8 pieces of KY coal scrip and 1 piece of MO sales tax token. All proceeds will go to the NSCA. Remember to report the passing of any NSCA members to the Scrip-Talk Editor with as much information as possible. Also, report all new finds to the respective "New Finds" Editor. Happy Collecting! Lynn

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Edkins, Vol. I, 4th Ed., 2015 (all states except WV) \$40

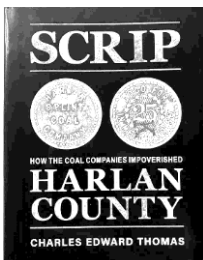
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Be sure to check out the NSCA website for up-to-date
announcements and information! www.scripcollectors.org

2025 Fall Show

Comfort inn hotel and conference center
3094 16th Street Road
Huntington, West Virginia
October 3 & 4, 2025



The NSCA Fall Show will be held in Huntington, West Virginia
On Friday and Saturday, October 3 & 4, 2025

Comfort Inn Hotel & Conference Center
304-523-4242
Confortwv173@gmail.com

Show Times: Friday 9:00 am to 3:00 pm; Saturday 9:00 am to 1:00 pm
(show times may vary as dealers arrive)

FREE ADMISSION

Bring your coal scrip or other coal related items. Dealers will be set up to buy, sell and/or trade coal scrip, tokens, badges, coal related stickers, carbide lights, scrip/coal related reference books, collecting supplies, etc.

Member Spotlight

By David Mullins

Steve Cawood

A Life Rooted in Eastern Kentucky History

Steve Cawood's roots run deep in Eastern Kentucky. His family has lived in the region since 1780, and his grandfather, also named Steve Cawood, played a role in shaping the area's coal industry. In 1914, he founded the Lena Rue Coal Company, naming it after his sister. It was the first mine on Martin's Fork. He didn't stop there; he also established Crummies Creek Coal, Ellis Knob Coal, and Three Point Coal. After his passing at just 42, the companies were eventually sold.

Steve grew up in Pineville, Kentucky and attended school there. After high school, Steve went on to earn a law degree from the University of Kentucky, graduating in 1968. A year later, he helped establish the Appalachian Research and Defense Fund of Kentucky (AppalRed), a legal aid organization focused on serving low-income communities. In 1972, he opened his own law practice and proudly called himself a "country lawyer." His clients included black lung and workers' compensation claimants, as well as coal companies.

Steve handled some high-profile cases. He was the attorney for the sole survivor of the 1970 Hyden mine disaster, which claimed 39 lives. He also represented the United Mine Workers of America during the 13-month Brookside miners' strike in Harlan County.

From 1980 to 1982, Steve served in the Kentucky State House of Representatives. As chairman of the special House Surface Mining Subcommittee, he helped draft Kentucky's primacy law, which gave the state, not the federal government, authority over mining and land reclamation.

Over the years, Steve has remained deeply involved in his community. He's served as President of the Kiwanis Club, Vice President of the Chamber of Commerce, and President of the Bell County Bar Association. He's also served on the boards of the local Salvation Army, the Kentucky Geological Survey for 19 years, and the Kentucky Mine Safety Commission. In 1981, Steve and his wife Sissy were named Man and Woman of the Year by the Pineville Rotary Club and since 1989 has served as a Kentucky Commissioner and Life Member of the Uniform Law Commission.

Steve has a strong interest in railroad history. He believes coal and the railroad are inseparably linked to the history of this region. His uncle worked the line between Pineville, Kentucky, and Norton, Virginia, and Steve rode that train many times. He showed me a photo of his uncle beside a passenger car known as a "Jim Crow" car, segregated with white passengers on one end and Black passengers on the other. It's a sobering reminder of the times. Steve has long been a member of the L&N Railroad Historical Society and has served on its Board and as General Counsel. He has written several articles for the *L & N Magazine*.

Steve serves as a Board member of the Bell County (KY) Historical Society. He has written articles for their quarterly publication *Gateway*.

Steve's passion for coal mine scrip, the tokens once used as currency in mining communities, started early. His mom worked briefly as a scrip clerk for the Kentucky Cardinal Coal Company, where he began his collection. He also tagged along with his uncle Al Smith, a salesman for McComb Supply, visiting mines and company stores. Steve collected, bought, and traded scrip wherever he could. He loved the tokens, but what really fascinated him was the history behind them.

His collection includes some remarkable pieces: scrip from mines his grandfather founded, a token from a mine once owned by JFK's grandfather, and a piece from the Pioneer Mine at Kettle Island, which exploded in 1930, killing 16 miners. That last piece was a gift from the son of the mine's superintendent. Perhaps the keys to Steve's collection are most of the known pieces of Pine Hill Coal Company, America's first metal coal scrip. He acquired the scrip from his friend John Podgurski, after research by David Schenkman confirmed that the set was from Kentucky rather than Pennsylvania.

Steve began attending scrip "swap meets" in the early 1970s. Collectors would trade extra tokens—no money involved, just shared enthusiasm. He officially joined the National Scrip Collectors Association (NSCA) in 1975 as member #300 and has been active for fifty years. He's served four terms as President, longer than anyone else, and also acted as the club's attorney. During his leadership, Edkins 4th Edition Volumes 1 and 2 were published. He's contributed numerous articles to *Scrip Talk* and has been featured in local newspapers promoting scrip collecting. Steve has also toured the region, giving presentations on coal scrip to various clubs and societies.

I first met Steve a few years ago at a show in Beckley. I bought some scrip from him and we got to talking. He mentioned that his mom had attended the Stonewall Jackson Female Institute in Abingdon, which happens to be my hometown. I had a photo of the old building and sent him a copy. Since then, we've kept in touch, swapping stories and talking history every chance we get.

ANOTHER MAVERICK CAUGHT !!!!!!!

Listed in Vol. I fourth edition of Edkins Catalogue of United States Coal Company Store Scrip on page 329 as Mav. 7, under the heading Maverick. This piece is identified as Winifrede/White Ash/Coal Co., Good For/50 Cents/In Merchandise. But what is a Maverick? A dictionary will define it as an adjective; unorthodox, like an independent person or in North America an unbranded calf or yearling. The origin of the word comes from the mid19th century, from the name of Samuel A. Maverick (1803-70) a Texas rancher who did not brand his cattle. That said Edkins just didn't know where to place or attribute it to. The White Ash piece was first listed in as Mav. 35 in Edkins second edition Vol. II. Someone in the past had written Goodman on the 2X2. It is listed in the 1911 Coal Field Directory on page 181 with 77 employees in Goodman, WV. with O. B. Gould as foreman. The listing just above for Winifrede Consolidated Coal Co. has a note to see Winifrede White Ash Coal Co. The 1912-13 directory has a note in Winifrede White Ash Coal Co. to see E. L. Sternberger Coal Co. I still haven't found an actual Company by the name on the scrip but, there are several mentions to the Winifrede White Ash Mine. In 1910 W. T. Poole Coal Company mined the Winifrede White Ash Mine then from 1911 to 1916 E. L. Sternberger mined the Winifrede White ash mine with 110 employees. Now listed in the 5th edition Vol. II in Goodman 1149, as C50.

Billy Campbell

BILLY'S CATALOG UPDATE!

MEADOWBROOK 1865	D25	A	26	Rd	Sd	Good For	R-10
MEADOWBROOK 1865	D100	A	31	Rd	Sd	Good For	R-10
GLEASON 1121	A100b	B	33	Rd	Sd	Good For	R-10
EAST LYNN 871	C10	Bi	22	Oct	Sd	Good For	R-10
IVATON 1417	A100	NP	35	Rd	Co	ICS	R-10
EVERSON 981	A25	B	29	SC	Sd		R-10
MELROSE 1875	A1	A	18	HEX	Sd	Good For	R-10
BESOCO 243	F5c	NP	19	Rd	Co	(2 diamonds)	R-3
MADELEINE 1731	B25	A	26	Rd	Co	Good For	R-10
NEW TOWN	BIG CHIMNEY 258	Jacob Housholder 1¢		Jake Housholder 5¢			
	A1	A	18	Rd	Sd	Good For	R-10
	A5	A	21	Rd	Sd	Good For	R-10
MAN 1763	A10	Bi	25	Rd	Sd	Good For	R-10
COALWOOD 619	D100b	B	32	Rd	Sd	NO STARS	R-9
VAN 2875	C1	B	18	Rd	Sd	Pat. Pend.	R-10
TAMROY 2751	A100	A	33	Rd	Sd	Good For	R-10
ROCK FORGE 2430	A100	A	35	Rd	Sd	Payable In Merchandise	R-10
WHIPPLE 3003	A100	B	35	Rd	Co	ICS	R-10
KIMBALL 1517	A100	B	35	Rd	Co	INGLE	R-10
KIMBALL 1517	G500	NP	35	Rd	Co	ICS	R-10
	Warhick (Warnick) & Co.			new merchants			
HOWESVILLE 1359	D5	A	20	Oct	Sd	Good For	R-10
	F. P. Koch & Co.			new merchants			
	E1	A	21	Rd	Sd	Good For	R-10
MAYBEURY 1823	A10	B	21	Rd	Sd	INGLE	R-10
MONTANA 1945	B25	B	24	Rd	Sd	Pat. Pend.	R-10
BROWNTON 391	B5	B	21	Rd	Sd	Good For	R-10
QUINCY 2327	B5	B	21	Rd	Sd	Pat. Pend	R-10
WELCH 2965	C500	B	35	Rd	Sd	ICS	R-10
SHARON 2569	C5b	B	19	Rd	Sd	ISC Pat. Pend.	R-10
	C10b	B	21	Rd	Sd	ISC Pat. Pend	R-10
SULLIVAN 2707	F1	Bz	18	Rd	Sd	ISC Des. Pat.	R-9
CHATTAROY 531	C10	N	20	Rd	Co	ICS	R-10
NOLAND 2079	J5	B	20	Rd	Co	MMS	R-10
ECKMAN 875	A100	B	35	Rd	Co	ICS	R-10
Mc WHORTER 1859	A1	A	18	Rd	Co	Good For	R-10
KINGWOOD 1527	H5	A	20	Oc	Sd	Good For	R-10
HIGHCOAL 1319	A25	NP	24	Rd	Co	ICS	R-10
TRALEE 2829	D25	B	24	Rd	Co	ISC Pat. Pend	R-10
PHOENIXVILLE 2208	B10	A	23	Rd	Co	Good For	R-10
C. E. THOMPSON							
DUNDON 849	D1	B	18	Rd	Co	Patented	R-10
GOODMAN 1149	C50	A	23	Rd	Sd	Good For	R-10
Winifrede White Ash Coal Co.							
ACCOVILLE 7	G25	B	24	Rd	Sd	Good For	R-10
HUGHESTON 1365	B25	NP	24	Rd	Co	ISC Pat. Pend	R-10
COALWOOD 619	L50	B	30	Rd	Co	ICS	R-10
RIVERDALE 2413	B1	A	18	Oc	Sd	Good For	R-10
GLEASON 1121	A5a	B	19	Rd	Sd	Good For	R-10

GOODY KENTUCKY

by David Mullins

On December 31, 1920, Norfolk and Western Railway Company (N&W) took ownership of the assets of Pond Creek By-Products Coal Company to supply coal to their railroad. The Pond Creek By-Products Coal Company was the successor to the Goodloe Brother's operation, mining the Thacker seam above the community of Leckieville. N&W owned several operations that supplied coal, including Vulcan Collieries and Howard Collieries along the Tug River. All of the operations were managed by the Fuel Department of the N&W Railway Company.

N&W named their new operation the Pond Creek By-Product Colliery Company, with a mailing address in Williamson, West Virginia. Under N&W, Pond Creek worked both the Thacker seam and the Pond Creek seam (see 1923 *KY Mines Report*). The portals and mine extents were completely laid in Pike County, Kentucky. The company erected its plant (screening and sizing) in Kentucky at the community of Goody (see photograph). The processed coal was then transported across the Tug River to the N&W coaling stations of the Williamson Yard by skips running on cables.

According to an October 1923 article in *The Coal Journal*, the Pond Creek seam was to be mined with a modified longwall method. Imagine a longwall in 1923. Also, according to the article, "Adequate preparation for taking care of employees is being made by this company. At its new village of Goody, KY, a number of attractive three, four and five-room houses have been erected, and others are under construction." Store No. 1 of the company was located at Goody.

Later, circa 1921-1924, N&W developed mine openings on Julius Branch with a new coal community called New Camp. This community was over the ridge from Pond Creek, near South Williamson. Store No. 2 was located at New Camp (see article on the No. 2 Store burning). Coal was shipped through a haulage tunnel to the Pond Creek side of the mountain for processing.

According to the Kentucky mines reports, Pond Creek By-Products Colliery (later shortened to Pond Creek Colliery) started mining in 1920 and mined fairly continuously through the 1920s, 1930s and 1940s. With the advent of diesel locomotives, the need for N&W in-house coal mining was eliminated.

Currently, Pond Creek By-Products Colliery is listed in Edkins at Williamson, WV since the town name is on the scrip. It is Insurance Credit System scrip that, according to Edkins, was produced in May 1922 and November 1923. It is shown as the "C" series from that town. New Camp Kentucky lists two series of Pond Creek Colliery of the N&W Railway Company. The A series is MMISC Pat. Pend. while the B series is MMISC Des. Pat. There were four orders for this scrip: 1929, 1930, 1931 and 1934. There are a couple of exploders with Pond Creek By-Product Colliery and a couple with Pond Creek Colliery (similar to the Howard Collieries pieces). There is one exploder that lists it as Pond Creek Stores Company, Williamson West Va.

It is proposed to have Goody Kentucky listed as a new town in the Edkins catalogue. It is further proposed to have the C series from Williamson WV listed first and the A and B series from New Camp listed next. The C series should also be added to the existing New Camp Kentucky listings.

The final question is; should the scrip currently listed in Williamson be delisted as Pond Creek had no mines in West Virginia or should it stay because it has the town name on the scrip?

GOODY 1146 (PIKE)

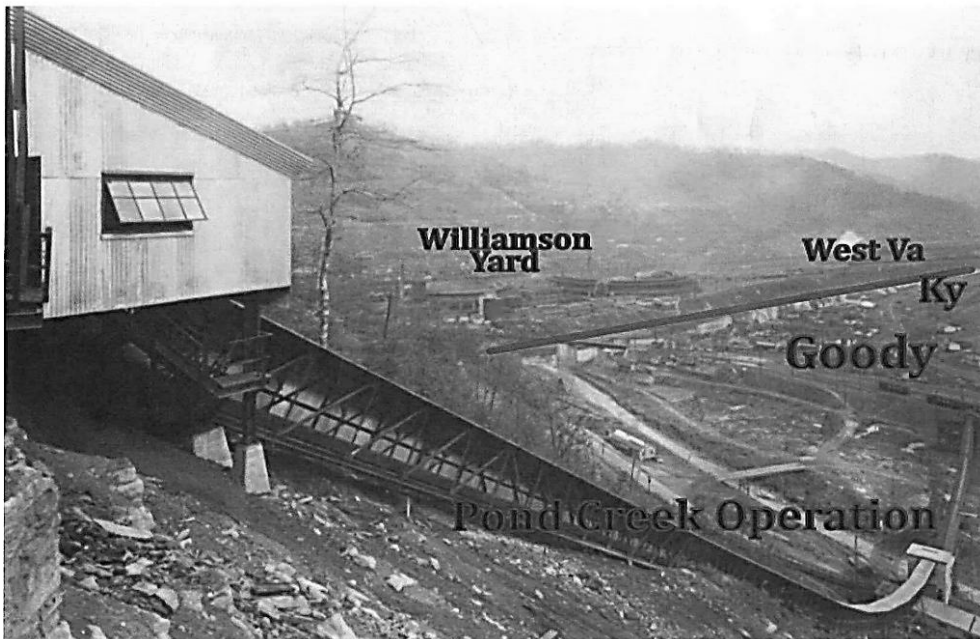
**1919 – 1924 ICS MINTED 3,000 MAY 1922, 3,000 NOV. 1923
POND CREEK BY-PRODUCTS COLLIERY/WILLIAMSON, W.VA./1**

C1	B	18	Rd	Co	ICS	R-7
C5	NP	20	Rd	Co		R-8
C10	B	21	Rd	Co		R-8
C25	B	24	Rd	Co		R-9
C50	B	30	Rd	Co		R-9
C100	B	35	Rd	Co		R-9

POND CREEK COLLIERY / 5/OF N. & W.RY.CO.

A5	B	20	Rd	Co	MMISC Pat. Pend./In Trade	R-8
A25	B	24	Rd	Co	MMISC Pat. Pend./In Trade	R-8
A50	B	30	Rd	Co	MMISC Pat. Pend./In Trade	R-10
A100	Np	35	Rd	Co	MMISC Pat. Pend./In Trade	R-8
B1a	B	18	Rd	Co	MMISC Des. Pat./In Trade	R-6
B1b	B	18	Rd	Sd	MMISC Des. Pat./In Trade	R-7
B5	B	19	Rd	Co	MMISC Des. Pat./In Trade	R-7
B10	N	21	Rd	Co	MMISC Des. Pat./In Trade	R-8
B50	B	30	Rd	Co	MMISC Des. Pat./In Trade	R-8
B100	Np	35	Rd	Co	MMISC Des. Pat./In Trade	R-9

NOTE: NEW CAMP KY WILL HAVE SAME LISTING



**POND CREEK BY-PRODUCT COAL COMPANY, William-
son, W. Va.**

This mine is located on the Williamson & Pond Creek R. R. and is working the Thacker seam. This mine is machine worked and hauled by electric motor. I visited this mine November 18, 1920 and found it in fair condition.

W. A. Wilson, Superintendent; P. J. Doolan, Mine Foreman.

1921 KY Mine Report

**POND CREEK BI-PRODUCT COLLIERY COMPANY,
(Mine No. 1)
Williamson, W. Va.**

Bob Gould, Supt.; J. W. Cunningham, Mine Foreman.

Located on Williamson & Pond Creek railroad, 31 miles north of Pikeville; working Pond Creek seam, 34 inches; electric equipment; employs about 30 men. This mine is just being re-opened. Visited August 29, 1923.

**POND CREEK BY-PRODUCT COLLIERY COMPANY,
Williamson, W. Va.
(Mine No. 2)**

Bob Gould, Supt.; J. W. Cunningham, Mine Foreman.

Located on Williamson & Pond Creek R. R., 31 miles north of Pikeville; working Thacker seam, 44 inches of coal; electric equipment; employs about 100 men, 12 mules. Visited August 29, 1923. Extra good condition.

1923 KY Mines Report

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The Lexington Herald (Lexington, Kentucky) - Wed, Jan 5, 1949 - Page 2
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**\$25,000 Damage Caused
By Commissary Blaze**

NEW CAMP, Ky., Jan. 4 (AP)—O. W. Evans, general manager of the Pond Creek Colliery Company, said today that the firm's No. 2 commissary, damaged by fire Monday with a loss estimated at \$25,000, would be rebuilt as soon as possible.

Most of the loss was inflicted by fire, smoke and water on the merchandise and equipment. Although the front of the store was charred by the flames, Evans expressed an opinion that some goods might be sold in the building within a few days.

Meantime, residents of New Camp are being served by the company's No. 1 commissary at Goody, and orders are being solicited from door to door, with delivery by trucks.

The fire is believed to have started from an overheated furnace.

Machine #203

INGLE-SCHIERLOH COMPANY

SCHWIND



BUILDING

DAYTON, OHIO

December 11, 1925.

*JAVINS
1431*

Mr. J. M. Price, Manager,
Price Store Company,
Javins, West Va.

#186

My Dear Mr. Price:-

We thank you for your order of the 8th, for 1500 Pcs. Assorted Patented Master Metal Scrip for Price Store Company. We understand that you are an independent store, and that you would only want In Trade on your scrip. The face side of your scrip will be made up as per the sketch we submitted, including the wording "In Trade"- and the other side will be the same as the design shown at the top of this sheet. Both sides of the scrip therefore, will carry the words "In Trade".

Now, if you plan to order Scrip for Dartmont Supply Co. anyway by the first of the year, why not let us go ahead with the order now and we will not bill you for this shipment, even though it goes out before, until JANUARY 15TH? That will give us ample time to get the order out, and also make sure that you have the scrip in plenty of time for your needs. What we want to do, is to serve you and serve you right. The special price we made you on the Price order will also stand good on the Dartmont order.

We submit a rough sketch for the Dartmont scrip, which like the Price sketch, we believe will make up a very good coin.

Let us hear from you at once, please.

Very truly yours,

J. H. Schierloh
J. H. Schierloh,
INGLE-SCHIERLOH COMPANY.

*Went:
We want the Wood Scrip left of an unused order for Price Store Co. as this is only used as a trade check. The word Scrip complete with the wa saw are an asset for laboring younging in the West Va. Eng. Price Mgr.*

We will give you an order for Dartmont Supply in a few days

*BULL CREEK MINING
1921 - 1926
- 3*

*100
100
100
500
500
700*

P.S: Whatever quantity of scrip Dartmont Supply Co. may need, you may depend upon our figuring the same price as on the Price Store Co. order J.H.S.

PRICE STORE COMPANY
JAVINS 1431

Billy W. Campbell - 08-25-25

Looking through the records I have on Price Store Company I found the attached letter. Price Store Company was listed in the Edkins 1977 first edition of his catalogue. Price store Company was operating in Javins, W. VA. at the same time as Bull Creek Mining Co. But according to the letter Price Store Company was an independent store and had no connection to the coal company. Unless other information is submitted Price Store Company will be DELETED from the 5th edition of Edkins Catalogue of Coal Company Store Scrip.

Remarkable eBay Sales Reported by Neal Burton



Sold Aug 21, 2025
**U.S. TRADE TOKEN FLUHART
 COLLIERIES COMPANY WHITE
 HOUSE KENTUCKY 25 CENT 1910...**
\$1,250.00
 +\$4.50 delivery in 2-4 days
 Located in Loveland, OH
 Free returns



Sold Jun 8, 2025
 Rock Forge, West Virginia WV
 Decker Creek Supply Co. Coal
 Scrip \$1 Trade Token
\$2,000.00
 or Best Offer
 +\$18.00 delivery
 Located in Reno, NV



Sold Aug 20, 2025
**C.D. BROWNIE & COMPANY
 CHECK E. BERNSTADT
 KENTUCKY 1.00 DOLLAR CHEC...**
\$660.00
 19 bids
 +\$4.50 delivery in 2-4 days
 Located in Loveland, OH



Sold Sep 3, 2025
**Vintage Coal Mining Scrip \$1.00
 Token Cranberry fuel W.V. Mine**
\$846.17
 10 bids
 +\$4.35 delivery in 2-4 days
 Located in Beaver, WV



**GREEN & BARREN RIVER
 NAVIGATION CO. MINING CITY
 KENTUCKY R10 TOKEN LIBERTY
 HEAD**
\$340.65 + \$4.50 shipping
 Wed, Aug 20, 10:33 PM



Sold Aug 17, 2025
 R10 Unique Odin, IL Miners Store
 \$1.00 Coal Mine Company Scrip
 Trade Token 35mm
\$449.99
 or Best Offer
 +\$7.40 delivery
 Located in United States



Sold Aug 20, 2025
**NORTH JELLIKO COAL
 COMPANY 1888 TOKEN RARE R10
 WILTON KENTUCKY ONE DOLL...**
\$437.00
 18 bids
 +\$4.50 delivery in 2-4 days
 Located in United States



Sold Aug 20, 2025
**THE RICHFIELD COAL COMPANY
 WHEELER KENTUCKY TOKEN 50
 CENT COAL TOKEN NEAT \$\$\$\$\$**
\$291.00
 17 bids
 +\$4.50 delivery in 2-4 days
 Located in United States



Sold Aug 20, 2025
**1922 STORM-KING COAL MINING
 CO. INC. TOKEN WRIGHT
 STAMPED 25 CENT MERCHAND...**
\$186.50
 13 bids
 +\$4.50 delivery in 2-4 days
 Located in United States



FOUR RECENT SELLER
**Verda, KY Coal Scrip Token WM.
 D. BOYER, TRUSTEE & CO. 25c
 R10 Unlisted**
\$229.50
 9 bids
 +\$5.00 delivery



Sold Aug 20, 2025
**CRABTREE COAL MINING
 COMPANY R10 TOKEN ILSLEY
 KENTUCKY 50 CENT TOKEN R1...**
\$177.50
 15 bids
 +\$4.50 delivery in 2-4 days
 Located in United States



Sold Aug 14, 2025
 Guyana Collieries Corp. Ins. Credit
 System Dayton O. Pat. June 1919
 5C Coal Token
\$469.17
 6 bids
 +\$4.87 delivery in 2-4 days
 Located in United States



Sold Aug 4, 2025
 Honaker Virginia R9 Lumber & R7
 Coal Scrip Good For Token
 Honaker Lumber \$10

\$224.72
 18 bids
 +\$3.95 delivery in 2-4 days
 Located in United States



Unlisted East Bernstadt, KY Coal
 Scrip Token STAR COAL CO. 1.00

\$354.88
 14 bids
 +\$4.50 delivery
 Located in United States



Unlisted East Bernstadt, KY Coal
 Scrip Token STAR COAL CO. 1.00

\$354.88
 14 bids
 +\$4.50 delivery
 Located in United States



Sold Aug 14, 2025
 War Eagle Supply Co. W. VA.
 Good for \$1.00 Merchandise Coal
 Token West Virginia

\$273.00
 2 bids
 +\$4.87 delivery in 2-4 days
 Located in United States



Sold Jul 29, 2025
 Coal Scrip, Madison Coal
 Corporation, Colp, Illinois. Good
 For Trade Tokens

\$300.00
 +\$6.50 delivery
 Located in United States



Sold Jul 29, 2025
 UNLISTED West Virginia coal
 scrip token - Gleason Sup. Co.,
 5¢, Gleason, W.Va.

\$1,475.00
 3 bids
 +\$9.35 delivery in 2-4 days
 Located in United States



Sold Jul 21, 2025
 RARE - R9 West Virginia coal scrip
 token - Nichol Colliery, 5¢, Glen
 Jean, W.Va.

\$362.90
 2 bids
 +\$5.95 delivery in 2-4 days
 Located in United States



Sold Jul 21, 2025
 Franklin Supply Co, Royalton,
 Illinois. Good For Trade Token,
 Coal Scrip, RARE

\$325.00
 +\$6.50 delivery
 Located in United States



Sold Jul 29, 2025
 Coal Scrip, Big Muddy Coal & Iron
 Co, Clifford, Illinois. Good For
 Trade Tokens

\$275.00
 +\$6.50 delivery



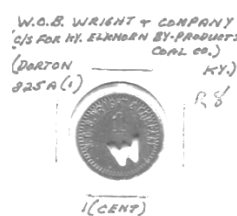
Sold Jul 29, 2025
 Coal Scrip, The Consolidated
 Coal Co, Clifford, Illinois. Good
 For Trade Tokens

\$225.00
 +\$6.50 delivery
 Located in United States



Sold Jul 18, 2025
 RARE Virginia coal scrip token -
 Pocahontas Corporation, \$1,
 Pocahontas, Va.

\$587.10
 4 bids
 +\$5.95 delivery



Sold Jul 11, 2025
 Dorton, KY Coal Scrip Token
 W.O.B. WRIGHT & COMPANY 1

\$327.00
 9 bids
 +\$4.50 delivery



Sold Jul 5, 2025
Trace Fork Coal Co. W.VA. Coal
Scrip Token 25c R10 Kanawha
County WV

\$550.00

3 bids
+\$4.73 delivery
Located in United States



Sold Jun 28, 2025
WV Coal Scrip-\$1.00-Warrior Coal
Company-War-WV-McDowell
County

\$953.00

20 bids
+\$1.50 delivery



Sold Jun 28, 2025
WV Coal Scrip-25¢-Ideal R.A.P.
Coal Company-laeger-WV-
McDowell County

\$626.00

23 bids
+\$1.50 delivery



Sold Jul 3, 2025
RARE FIBER WEST VIRGINIA
COAL/LBR. SCRIP, DUO SUPPLY
CO, DUO, W. VA.

\$261.17

2 bids
+\$4.50 delivery in 2-3 days
Located in United States



Sold Jul 3, 2025
UNLISTED WEST VIRGINIA COAL
SCRIP, TURKEY GAP COAL &
COKE, WENONAH (MERCER)

\$865.00

9 bids
+\$4.50 delivery in 2-3 days
Located in United States



Sold Jun 30, 2025
unlisted Coalton West Virginia
Trade Token Junior Mercantile
coal scrip 1c

\$330.09

3 bids
+\$4.25 delivery

New Find reported by Howard Fortune!
2004 A10 Straight Creek Coal Co.
Mt. Savage KY



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TRADE: WV2415N1 (R-10) RIVESVILLE, WV (XF condition) for PENNSYLVANIA TOKEN that I need OR will consider cash offer MAIL: Larry Dziubek, P.O. Box 235, Connoquenessing, PA 16027 EMAIL: LCDZIUBEK@ZOOMINTERNET.NET +

WANTED: Chafins, Jones, & Heatherman Coal Co. company store (R. J. Blankenship, Peach Creek, WV) scrip, i.e: ISC w/"B" cutout or ORCO w/'SPITTOON' cutout. - Tom Mira, Email: t.mira@comcast.net +

WANTED: Rachel Supply, Rachel, WV - WV2333A100 & Consolidation Coal Co., Gypsy, WV - WV1200A1, Send asking price & condition to Bill Fugera, 28732 Charreadas, Laguna Niguel, CA 92677 or email: fugewilj@cox.net. +

WANTED: Pioneer Coal Company, Kettle Island, KY (Bell County) scrip, 10¢, 25¢, 50¢, \$1.00 & \$5.00 pieces, also want Virginia Coal Company Scrip. Ron Dickenson, 21370 Sheffield Ct., Abington, VA 24210, Email: ron.dickenson44@gmail.com. +

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TRADE OR SALE: My coal and lumber tokens from WV, KY, & AL. Reasonably priced, write for a listing. Gene Miller, 3306 Startan Ct., Louisville, KY 40220. +

WANTED: BOWLING COAL MINING & BARDO COAL MINING scrip, Bardo, (Harlan County), Kentucky.(Great grandpa opened this mine & I'm in search of any remaining family history: EhrenBowling@gmail.com (phone 424-343-7577). +

WANTED: Fordson Scrip, Nuttallburg, WV2097 (Fayette Store) 2097A1, A5, A10, A25, A50, A100, ALSO: Banner Fork KY151B50 Harlan, KY; Darrell Rainbolt, 1455 Short St., Corydon, IN 47112, E-mail: drainbolt@frontier.com. Cell Phone: 812-736-3202 or Land Line 812-738-2579. +

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