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Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary or of administration have been granted to the following estates. All persons indebted to said estates are required to make payment, and those having claims or demands to present the same without delay to the administrators or executors named.

Third Publication

GLORIA F. BREAKIRON, a/k/a GLORIA BREAKIRON, late of Hopwood, Fayette

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County, PA (3)

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c/o 39 Francis Street
Uniontown, PA 15401
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Second Publication

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A (2)

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First Publication

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Fayette County, PA (1)

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107 East Main Street

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Township, Fayette County, PA

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Uniontown, PA 15401

Attorney: Herbert Mitchell, III

JOSEPH MOLENOCK, a/k/a JOSEPH A. MOLENOCK, a/k/a JOSEPH ALAN MOLENOCK, late of Georges Township,

Fayette County, PA (1)

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Administratrix: Linda Jean Behling

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF TRUST LILLIAN M. HYNES TRUST DATED JUNE 22, 1994

The Successor Trustees named below give notice of the death of Lillian M. Hynes on December 9, 2021, late of Washington Township, Fayette County, Pennsylvania, having created the Lillian M. Hynes Trust dated June 22, 1994, and having appointed William J. Hynes and Robert S. Hynes as Successor Trustees, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said trust and/or decedent to make immediate payment and to those having claims against said trust and/or decedent to present them, duly authenticated for settlement, to the following:

William J. Hynes 120 Hynes Lane Fayette City, PA 15438

Robert S. Hynes 1131 Linn Drive Belle Vernon, PA 15012

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Fictitious Name Registration

Notice is hereby given that an Application for Registration of Fictitious Name was filed in the Department of State of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania on March 25, 2022 for KW Detail & Fabrication at 476 Smithfield Masontown Rd. Smithfield, PA 15478. The name and address of each individual interested in the business is Brandon Joseph Stillwagon at 476 Smithfield Masontown Rd. Smithfield, PA 15478. This was filed in accordance with 54 PaC.S. 311.417

Fictitious Name Registration

Notice is hereby given that an Application for Registration of Fictitious Name was filed in the Department of State of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania on May 13, 2022 for Cross Records at 445 Newell Road Fayette City, PA 15438. The name and address of each individual interested in the business is Mitchell Lee Wall at 445 Newell Road Fayette City, PA 15438. This was filed in accordance with 54 PaC.S. 311.417

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JUDICIAL OPINION

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OFF AYETTE COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA CRIMINAL DIVISION

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA,

V.

AUSTIN WILSON, : No. 125 of 2022 Defendant. : CTN R 203213-3

OPINION AND ORDER

LESKINEN, J. April 21, 2022

AND NOW, this 2ist day of April, 2022, upon review of the appropriateness of the denial of bail by the Magisterial District Judge on November 21, 2021, this Court hereby finds that there is a "presumption great" and "proof evident" that "no condition or combination of conditions other than imprisonment will reasonably assure the safety of any person in the community." Accordingly, the Court will set no Bond amount.

The general rule is that the Commonwealth has the burden of proving that a Defendant should be denied pre-trial bail. Commonwealth v. Heiser, 330 Pa. Super. 70 (Pa. Super. Ct., 1984); Commonwealth v. Truesdale, 449 Pa. 325, 296 A. 2d 829 (1972).

Article 1, Section 14 of the Pennsylvania Constitution is entitled "Prisoners to be bailable; habeas corpus." This section provides that:

All prisoners shall be bailable by sufficient sureties, unless for capital offenses or for offenses for which the maximum sentence is life imprisonment or unless no condition or combination of conditions other than imprisonment will reasonably assure the safety of any person in the community when the proof is evident or presumption great...

Pa. Const. Art. 1, §§14. (emphasis added)

Defendant is alleged to have used a loaded pistol to strike his former girlfriend, Autumn Kline, multiple times through the night, at least once while sitting on her chest, and making multiple threats to kill her. He is not charged with strangulation, but he held her tightly with one hand around her neck while striking her with the other hand. According to the Preliminary Hearing transcript, he said he had "gone too far," and he was going to kill her and then kill himself. He is not charged with kidnapping or unlawful restraint, but according to the Transcript, he attempted to confine her overnight in their bed. However, when the seven-month- old baby cried, he allowed her to attend to that child, and she was able to gather all four children and slip away while he went back to sleep. She was so scared that she fled and hid out in a motel for more than five days before she could be interviewed by the Trooper and charges could be filed. She still had

multiple bruises and a large scabbed laceration by her eye. The victim is still so scared of the defendant's threats that she believes that she and her children would not be safe if he was released, according to the victim impact statement submitted to the Court on March 24, 2022. There has been no suggestion as to how the victim and the four children can be kept safely away from the defendant if he was to be released on bond. Under these circumstances, this Court finds that the "proof is evident or presumption great" that there is currently "no condition or combination of conditions other than imprisonment" that "will reasonably assure the safety of any person in the community."

Therefore, this Court enters the following:

ORDER

AND NOW, this 21st day of April, 2022, it is hereby ORDERED and DIRECTED that Bond is hereby DENIED.

BY THE COURT: LESKINEN, JUDGE

ATTEST: CLERK OF COURT

LUNCH & LEARN SERIES

The Fayette County Bar Association's next presentation in its Lunch & Learn Series will be:

- Date: Wednesday, July 20th from 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.
- Location: Courtroom No. 3 of the Fayette County Courthouse
- Discussion topics: Pro bono and low bono needs and opportunities
- Presenter: **Brian V. Gorman, Esquire -**Southwestern Pennsylvania Legal Aid

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RSVP

If interested in attending, please call Cindy at the Bar office at 724-437-7994 or email to cindy@fcbar.org on or before Monday, July 18th.

MEMORIAL SERVICE

The Fayette County Bar Association will hold a memorial service before the Court for Peter J. Daley II, Esquire and William H. Soisson III, Esquire at the Fayette County Courthouse in Courtroom No. 1 on Wednesday, July 6, 2022, at noon.

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