

The Luzerne Legal Register

Established 1872

(Cite Vol. 114 Luz. Reg. Reports)

VOL. 114 Wilkes-Barre, PA, Friday, February 23, 2024 No. 8

POSTMASTER: Send address changes to THE LUZERNE LEGAL REGISTER,
200 N. River Street, Room 23, Wilkes-Barre, PA 18711-1001
Periodical postage paid at Wilkes-Barre, PA and additional office.

Price \$125 Per Year

Single Copies \$3.00

Bar News Must Be Received by 12 O'Clock Noon, Friday for the Following Week of Publication.
Legal Notices and Ads Must Be Received by 12 O'Clock Noon, Monday in the Week of Publication.



(USPS 322-840)

PUBLISHED WEEKLY BY

The Wilkes-Barre Law and Library Association

THE LUZERNE LEGAL REGISTER

DECEDENTS' ESTATES

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary or of administration have been granted in 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 or their attorneys

FIRST PUBLICATION

ESTATE OF GERALD BERNSTEIN, late of Jackson Township (died January 11, 2024), Berry G. Bernstein and Babetta A. Wenner, Executors; Joseph R. Lohin, Esquire, Lohin Law Offices, LLC, 101 Bryce Lane, Apt. 453, King of Prussia, PA 19406

ESTATE OF BONNIE B. BRADER, late of Hunlock Creek (died October 29, 2021), Terry Capece, Executrix; Donald G. Karpowich, Esquire, 85 Drasher Road, Drums, PA 18222

ESTATE OF FLORENCE RITA CLARK, late of Wright Township (died November 5, 2021), Jane Clark Barr, Executrix; Ruth Slamon Borland, Esquire, Borland & Borland, 69 Public Square, 11th Floor, Wilkes-Barre PA 18701

ESTATE OF MARY ELIZABETH ANN ETZLE a/k/a Mary Beth Etzle a/k/a Mary Elizabeth Etzle, late of Wilkes-Barre (died July 30, 2023), Mary Elizabeth Bird, Executrix; Frank J. Hoegen, Esquire, 152 South Franklin Street, Wilkes-Barre, PA 18701

ESTATE OF ELIZABETH KARWASKI, late of Dallas (died January 12, 2024), Gary Karwaski, Administrator; Thomas J. Mosca, Esquire, 900 Rutter Avenue, Suite 24, Forty Fort, PA 18704

ESTATE OF PATRICIA M. LANE a/k/a Patricia Lane, late of Hanover Twp. (died June 6, 2023), Mary Beth

Whitmire, Executrix; Hourigan, Kluger & Quinn, P.C., 600 Third Avenue, Kingston, PA 18704

ESTATE OF MARY ELIZABETH LAUFER, late of Kingston (died January 25, 2024), Diana M. Vidlak, Executrix; Harry P. Mattern, Esquire, 777 Wyoming Avenue, Suite 5, Kingston, PA 18704

ESTATE OF REGINA T. MOYER, late of Larksville Borough (died January 5, 2024), Thomas Kutzer, Executor; Michael J. Bendick, Esquire, P.O. Box 1733, Shavertown, PA 18708

ESTATE OF MARIAN T. ROPEL, late of Kingston Twp. (died January 21, 2024), Michael Marranca, Executor; Robert T. Panowicz, Esquire, 8 West Market St., Suite 1100, Wilkes-Barre, PA 18701

ESTATE OF CONSTANCE RUGGERE a/k/a Constance I. Ruggere, late of Swoyersville (died July 12, 2023), Shirley Yuhas, Executrix; Maureen K. Collins, Esquire, Mahler Law Firm, LLC, 1043 Wyoming Avenue, 1st Floor, Forty Fort, PA 18704

ESTATE OF THEODORE E. RYDZEWSKI, late of Swoyersville (died May 12, 2023), Leo Rydzewski, Executor; Donald P. Roberts, Esquire, Burke Vullo Reilly Roberts, 1460 Wyoming Avenue, Forty Fort, PA 18704

ESTATE OF JOAN S. SOPKO, late of Nanticoke (died January 17, 2024), Scott Stasko and Christopher Stasko, Co-Executors; John J. Terrana, Esquire, 400 Third Avenue, Suite 210, Kingston, PA 18704

ESTATE OF THERESA STRZELECKI, late of Wapwallopen (died January 23, 2024), Angela Strzelecki, Ex-

THE LUZERNE LEGAL REGISTER

ecutrix; Hourigan, Kluger & Quinn, P.C., 600 Third Avenue, Kingston, PA 18704

SECOND PUBLICATION

ESTATE OF RALPH ALBERT BUSH a/k/a Ralph Bush, late of Courtdale (died November 9, 2023), Jeanne Bush, Executrix; Jeffrey A. Yelen, Esquire, Distasio, Kowalski & Yelen, LLC, 15 Public Square, Suite 501, Wilkes-Barre, PA 18701

ESTATE OF JOSEPH W. CHEEK, late of Swoyersville (died December 11, 2023), Michael W. Cheek, Executor; M. John Haley, Esquire, 115 East Bennett Street, Kingston, PA 18704

ESTATE OF ARLENE CZARNECKI, late of Shickshinny (died October 28, 2023), Mary Louise Bailey, Executrix; Carl N. Frank, Esquire, Farrell & Frank, 8 West Market St., Suite 1110, Wilkes-Barre, PA 18701-1801

ESTATE OF ROBERT M. DeYOUNG, SR. a/k/a Robert M. DeYoung a/k/a Robert DeYoung, late of Zephyrhills, FL (died December 9, 2023), Megan P. Maguire, Esquire, 590 Rutter Avenue, Kingston, PA 18704, Executrix

ESTATE OF MARY C. DURKIN, late of Wilkes-Barre (died December 4, 2023), Ellen Keenan, Executrix; Thomas A. O'Connor, Esquire, Law Office of Thomas A. O'Connor, PC, 601 Wyoming Avenue, Kingston, PA 18704

ESTATE OF MELANIE ELIZABETH GIBALE a/k/a Melanie E. Gibale, late of Shavertown (died January 18, 2024), Paula Paternoster, Executrix; David W. Saba, Esquire, 345 Market St., Kingston, PA 18704

ESTATE OF CHARLES EDWARD GREENFIELD, JR., late of Kingston (died January 17, 2024),

Colin P. Conrad, Executor; Ruth Slamon Borland, Esquire, Borland & Borland, 69 Public Square, 11th Floor, Wilkes-Barre, PA 18701

ESTATE OF JOSEPH JEROME HIRKO, late of Plains Twp. (died August 6, 2019), Mark Allen Hirko, Administrator; William F. Burke, Esquire, Burke Vullo Reilly Roberts, 1460 Wyoming Avenue, Forty Fort, PA 18704-4237

ESTATE OF JOHN S. HYDER, late of Wilkes-Barre (died January 3, 2024), Daro Hyder, Executor; Hourigan, Kluger & Quinn, P.C., 600 Third Avenue, Kingston, PA 18704

ESTATE OF EDWARD KILANOWSKI a/k/a Edward Robert Kilanowski a/k/a Edward Steven Kilanowski a/k/a Edward Kilanowski, Sr., late of Freeland (died January 12, 2024), Sarah Beishline, 28 South Hollywood Blvd., Hazleton, PA 18202, Administratrix

ESTATE OF JOSEPH JEROME MARGALIS, JR., late of Wilkes-Barre (died November 16, 2023), Susan M. Perlis, Executrix; Raymond A. Hassey, Esquire, 304 Wilkes-Barre Twp. Blvd., Wilkes-Barre, PA 18702

ESTATE OF PHILIP J. OLIVER, JR., late of Pittston (died September 29, 2023), Carol Oliver, Administratrix; Saporito, Falcone & Watt, 48 South Main St., Pittston, PA 18640

ESTATE OF ANNA MARIE PANISHAK, late of White Haven (died January 10, 2024), Mary Louise Panisak, Administratrix; John P. Finnerty, Esquire, 75 Glenmaura National Blvd., Moosic, PA 18507

ESTATE OF CAROLE THOMAS, late of Wyoming (died May 8, 2023), Kimberly A. Peck, 386 West Sixth St., West Wyoming, PA 18644, Executrix

THE LUZERNE LEGAL REGISTER

ESTATE OF JANE M. THOMAS, late of Forty Fort (died January 17, 2024), Peggy Jane Cain, Executrix; Jannell L. Dudick, Esquire, 1043 Wyoming Avenue, Forty Fort, PA 18704

ESTATE OF ROBERT E. WHITTAKER, II, late of Wilkes-Barre (died November 5, 2023), Sharon Whittaker, Administratrix; Thomas Patrick Hogan, Esquire, Law Office of Thomas A. O'Connor, PC, 601 Wyoming Avenue, Kingston, PA 18704

ESTATE OF MARK STEPHEN YANUS, late of White Haven (died December 20, 2023), Patricia Eroh, Executrix; Raymond A. Hassey, Esquire, 304 Wilkes-Barre Twp. Blvd., Wilkes-Barre, PA 18702

THIRD PUBLICATION

ESTATE OF CAROLE BOONE, late of Pittston Township (died December 15, 2023), Michael F. Boone, 8270 Pathfinder Loop, Unit 823, Fort Myers, FL 33919 and John D. Boone, 505 South St., Avoca, PA 18641, Administrators

ESTATE OF MICHAEL BUDJNOSKI a/k/a Michael John Budjnoski, late of Harveys Lake (died November 30, 2023), Martina Budjnoski, Executrix; David W. Saba, Esquire, 345 Market St., Kingston, PA 18704

ESTATE OF HELEN M. CHAMPI, late of Duryea (died October 23, 2023), Joseph Champi and Denise Woytach, Co-Executors; Carl J. Poveromo, Esquire, Rinaldi & Poveromo, P.C., P.O. Box 826, Scranton, PA 18501

ESTATE OF JOHN A. DESPIRITO, late of Pittston (died December 17, 2023), Jonathan Charles DeSpirito, Administrator; Saporito, Falcone & Watt, 48 South Main St., Pittston, PA 18640

ESTATE OF CATHERINE M. DEVIGILI a/k/a Catherine Mary Devigli, late of Drums (died September 12, 2023), Philip J. Flor, Administrator; Robert S. Sensky, Esquire, Laputka, Bayless, Ecker & Cohn, P.C., One South Church Street, Suite 301, Hazleton, PA 18201

ESTATE OF CHRISTINA M. DOMBROSKI a/k/a Christina Dombroski, late of Kingston (died December 17, 2023), Theresa A. Hoover, Executrix; Hourigan, Kluger & Quinn, P.C., 600 Third Avenue, Kingston, PA 18704

ESTATE OF MARYANN A. GUGLIOTTI, late of Luzerne (died August 15, 2023), Kimberly Ann Boyd, 638 Charles Street, Luzerne, PA 18709, Administratrix

ESTATE OF JUDITH ANN HARMON, late of Nanticoke (died November 16, 2023), Julie A. Shenyo, Administratrix; Michael J. Bendick, Esquire, P.O. Box 1733, Shavertown, PA 18708

ESTATE OF IRENE A. JEMIOLA, late of Dupont (died July 20, 2022), Kenneth Jemiola, Administrator; Biagio V. Musto, II, Esquire, 171 William Street, Pittston, PA 18640-1719

ESTATE OF CAROL MARIE KARASH, late of Edwardsville (died December 21, 2023), Deborah Karash, Executrix; Jeffrey J. Malak, Esquire, Chariton Malak, 138 South Main Street, P.O. Box 907, Wilkes-Barre, PA 18703-0907

ESTATE OF DIANA JEAN LEDENT, late of Wilkes-Barre (died August 31, 2023), James Toole, Administrator; Kevin M. Walsh, Esquire, 297-299 Pierce Street, Kingston, PA 18704

ESTATE OF FRANCIS G. MALEK a/k/a Frank G. Malek, late of Wilkes-Barre Township (died No-

THE LUZERNE LEGAL REGISTER

ember 9, 2023), Sarah Malek, Executrix; Michael J. Bendick, Esquire, P.O. Box 1733, Shavertown, PA 18708

ESTATE OF CYNTHIA LEE MAY a/k/a Cynthia L. Jayne, late of Kingston (died December 22, 2023), Nancy Smith, Executrix; Robert A. Anders, Esquire, 1170 Highway 315, Suite 2, Plains, PA 18702

ESTATE OF CHRISTINE ANGELA RUCCO, late of Larksville (died September 20, 2022), Jason Rucco and Jesse Rucco, Executors; Michael J. Bendick, Esquire, P.O. Box 1733, Shavertown, PA 18708

ESTATE OF SANJAY SHARMA a/k/a Sam Sharma, late of Mountain Top (died March 18, 2023), Charmaine Sharma, Executrix; Kevin M. Walsh, Esquire, 297-299 Pierce Street, Kingston, PA 18704

ESTATE OF RONALD EUGENE SMALLCOMB a/k/a Ronald E. Smallcomb a/k/a Ronald Smallcomb a/k/a Ron Smallcomb, late of Fairview Township (died December 16, 2023), Bernardine M. Smallcomb, Executrix; Hourigan, Kluger & Quinn, P.C., 600 Third Avenue, Kingston, PA 18704

ESTATE OF ELIZABETH LOUISE SWITHERS a/k/a Elizabeth Swithers, late of Nanticoke City (died December 22, 2023), Ellen Swithers, Executrix; Rosenn, Jenkins & Greenwald, LLP, 1065 Highway 315, Suite 200, Wilkes-Barre, PA 18702

ESTATE OF ARLINE WALLACE a/k/a Arline Catherine Wallace, late of Wilkes-Barre (died September 5, 2023), Leo Wallace, Esquire, 142 Hershey Circle, Stewartstown, PA 17363, Executor

ESTATE OF LUCILLE M. ZIPKO, late of Wright Township (died December 14, 2023), Claire Radaszewski, Executrix; Rosenn, Jenkins & Greenwald, LLP, 1065 Highway 315, Suite 200, Wilkes-Barre, PA 18702

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Township of Butler has petitioned the Luzerne County Court of Common Pleas to sell the real property located on Cherry Street, Drums, PA, Parcel 06P8S3B4L12. This request is in accordance with 53 P.S. §3384, requesting relief and permission to sell real property whose intended use is no longer practicable and no longer benefits or enhances the community. A hearing to Show Cause as to why the Township's petition should not be granted is scheduled for March 20, 2024, at 9:00 A.M., at the Luzerne County Courthouse, 200 N. River Street, Wilkes-Barre, PA.

DONALD G. KARPOWICH,
ESQUIRE

Butler Township Solicitor
85 Drasher Road
Drums, PA 18222

Feb. 9, 16, 23

PETITION FOR
CHANGE OF NAME

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on February 16, 2024, the Petition of Luna Marie Maron-Barbrie, was filed in the Court of Common Pleas of Luzerne County, No. 02066 of 2024, praying for a Decree to Change her name to Luna Marie Maron.

THE LUZERNE LEGAL REGISTER

The Court has fixed May 13, 2024 at 1:00 p.m., Luzerne County Courthouse, 200 North River Street, Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania 18711, as the time and place for the hearing on said

Petition, when and where all interested may appear and show cause why the prayer of the said Petitioner should not be granted.

Feb. 23

D
E
L
I
V
E
R

TO:

PERIODICAL PUBLICATION

* Dated Material. Do Not Delay. Please Deliver Before Monday, February 26, 2024