

Raider Derek Francavilla Grabs Title At Region 3 Wrestling Tournament

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was telling me that I was afraid to succeed so I hit it and it paid off," explained Francavilla.

Facing the tournament's Outstanding Wrestler (by far), Antonio Mangione of Delbarton, in the finals, Francavilla became the victim of a leg cradle in 1:48. With the win,

"I knew that I was going to have to push him in the first period and I knew that I could eventually break him," said Mineo of Bender. "He came out really strong but I have been practicing with (Derek) Francavilla all the time, who keeps getting at my legs. So I was ready for

6-2, by Brian Rathbun (Par) then won a 7-1 decision over Anthony Donofrio (Cr) in the first round of the wrestleoffs. Unfortunately, DeNichilo was decisively, 7-4, by Devon Engleberger of Whippary Park (WP).

Blue Devil Rob Mench quieted 105-lb. Jack McNeil of Parsippany Hills (PH) in 5:14 in the preliminary round but was bounced to the wrestlebacks with a 9-2 loss to Roselle Park's (RP) Joe Blackford. Mench defeated Ryne Ludington of Rahway (Rah), 9-5, before being defeated, 11-3 by Schvey.

Blue Devil Lee Tomasso (142-lbs) pinned Lee Gosiewski of Hanover Park in 2:52 to advance to the quarterfinals to experience champion Mangione who won in 1:50. In the wrestleoff, Tomasso was defeated via 2:46 fall by Charles Mueller (U).

Blue Devil Jake Kramer (127-lbs) was eliminated via 2:40 fall by Dustin Mitschele (Par) and Scott Valentine of Columbia (Colu) stopped Blue Devil Tom Del Duca in 3:54 in the 132-lb. first round. At 137-lbs, Blue Devil Ethan Powell was stung, 6-5, by Nick Zangari (RP) in the first round. Dan MacDonald lost by 15-0, tech fall to Colin Shallcross (WH) in the 154-lb. preliminaries.

Bill Colgan (Del) burned Raider Charlie Bachi, 9-8 in the 162-lb. first round and 173-lb. Raider Andrew Silber lost 11-2 to Steve Johnson (SoP). Raider Matt Loomis lost to Ryan Tower of Parsippany Hills, 9-4, in the first round.

CHAMPIONSHIP:

- 105: — Francavilla (SPF) d. Baldwin (NP), 7-2
- 114: — Zach Tanelli (Millburn) md. McCombs (Boon), 13-3
- 121: — Queen (E) p. DeCampo (W), 4-54
- 127: — Dan Appello (RP) d. Eric Marcotucci (Del), 10-3
- 132: — Matt Anderson (SoP) md. Stefano Saracino (Brearley), 15-2
- 137: — Greg Politi (HP) d. Archilli Guliasvili (Middlesex), 5-1
- 142: — Mangione (Del) p. Francavilla (SPF), 1-48
- 147: — John Cholish (Del) d. Scott Doerr (SoP), 5-4
- 154: — Vin Finaldi (HP) d. Jon Regenye (Governor Livingston), 7-4
- 162: — John Hesse (PH) p. Mike Stembridge (Plainfield)
- 173: — Mike Maceroli (Chatham) d. Rob Patterson (Columbia)
- 191: — Joe Volpe (Seton Hall Prep) d. Akeem Jackson (E), 9-8
- 217: — Greg Donofrio (Cr) p. Jareem Miranda (WP), 1-15
- Hwt: — Matt Yeskel (HP) p. Steve Carbone (Cr), 3-22

THIRD PLACE:

- 105: — Schvey (Mill) p. Blackford (RP), 5:28
- 114: — Ringel (SoP) d. Mineo (SPF), 5-4
- 121: — Connelly (SPF) d. DeAndrea (SoP), 6-1
- 127: — Will Banks (E) d. Matt Gatti (WH), 13-6
- 132: — Justin Altschul (PH) d. Nick Pannetta (RP), 7-4
- 137: — Chris Wells (Par) d. Pat Dylis (Cr), 4-3
- 142: — Sam Campanella (Middlesex) p. Mueller (U), 0:58
- 147: — Engleberger (WP) d. Rathbun (Par), 1-5
- 154: — Steve Fordyce (Seton Hall Prep) p. Glenn Goss (SoP), 1:58
- 162: — Carl Riccio (WH) d. Dave Racelis (Rah), 7-2
- 173: — Jon Latona (Boon) md. Dave Nichols (HP), 15-6
- 191: — Shawn Kachnowski (RP) d. Brian McFarlane (NPI), 10-6
- 217: — Shawn Coughlin (Governor Livingston) d. Manny Kakas (NPI), 3-2
- Hwt: — Joe Giacobbe (Rah) p. Dan Oilphant (Chat), 1-33

PUBLIC NOTICE

SHERIFF'S SALE
SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY, CHANCERY DIVISION, UNION COUNTY, DOCKET NO. F-15841-00
BENEFICIAL NEW JERSEY, INC. D/B/ AGENCIAL MORTGAGE CO., PLAINTIFF vs. HORACE THOMPSON, ET AL., DEFENDANT.
CIVIL ACTION, WRIT OF EXECUTION, DATED JUNE 1, 2001 FOR SALE OF MORTGAGED PREMISES.
By virtue of the above-stated writ of execution to me directed I shall expose for sale by public vendue, at the Union County Administration Building, 1st Floor, 10 Elizabethtown Plaza, Elizabeth, New Jersey on WEDNESDAY THE 20TH DAY OF MARCH A.D., 2002 at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day. All successful bidders must have 20% of their bid available in cash or certified check at the conclusion of the sales.

The judgment amount is NINETEEN THOUSAND SIX HUNDRED TWENTY EIGHT & 75/100 (\$19,628.75).
Schedule A
All that certain tract of land, including any improvements, lying and being in Union County, New Jersey being commonly known as 215 Catherine Street, Elizabeth, New Jersey and described as Lot 381 Ward 9 of the Tax Map of Elizabeth City, being more particularly described as follows:
BEGINNING at a point in the easterly line of Catherine Street distant northerly 185 feet from the corner formed by intersection of Catherine Street with the northerly line of East Grand Street; thence running along said line of Catherine Street North 48 degrees 32.25 minutes; thence easterly at right angles with said line of Catherine Street 123 feet; thence southerly parallel with said line of Catherine Street 31.10 feet; thence north 42 degrees 13 minutes west 123 feet to the place of beginning.

Being lot number 12 and a strip of land 2.25 feet in width front and rear off the southerly side of lot number 13 in block H as said lots and block are laid down and designated on "A Map of the Real Estate late of the Stephen P. Brittan, deceased", now on file in the office of the Registers of Union County.

There is due approximately the sum of EIGHTY ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED FIFTY & 18/100 (\$81,850.18) together with lawful interest and costs.

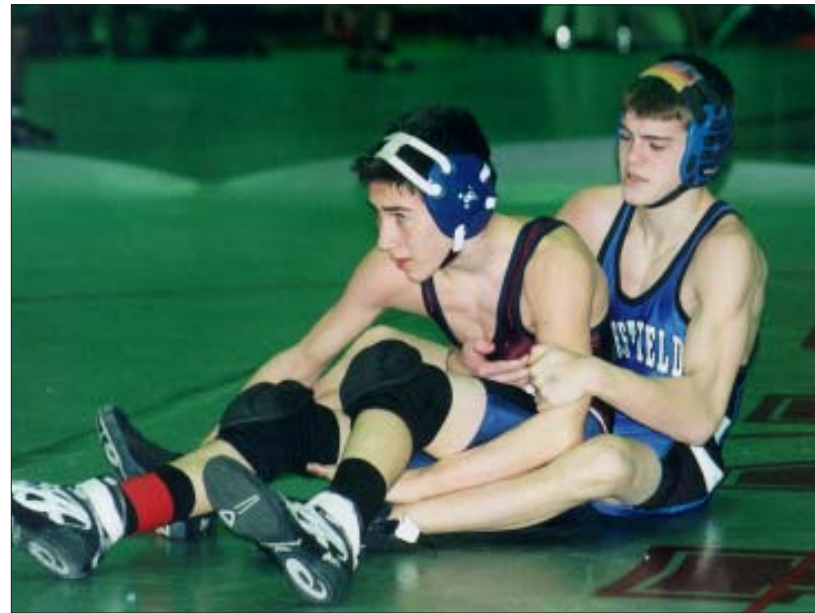
There is a full legal description on file in the Union County Sheriff's Office.

The Sheriff reserves the right to adjourn this sale.

RALPH FROEHLICH SHERIFF
MCCABE, WEISBERG & CONWAY, P.C.
LAW OFFICES
Suite 500
218 Haddon Avenue
Westmont, New Jersey 08108
CH-756293 - (WL)
4 T - 2/21, 2/28, 3/7 & 3/14/02 Fee: \$238.68



TRYING NOT TO SLIP OFF...Raider Matt DeNichilo, top, hangs on to Devon Engleberger of Whippary Park in the 147-lb. wrestlebacks.



HANGING ON TO A PANTHER...Blue Devil Rob Mench, right, hangs on to Roselle Park Panther Joe Blackford in the 105-lb. quarterfinal bout.

Mangione, a junior, claimed his 100th career victory.

Raider sophomore Steve Mineo nearly qualified for the state preliminary round but was edged, 5-4, by Ricky Ringel (SoP) for third. Seeded sixth, Mineo scored an escape and two 2-point tilts to defeat third-seeded Lawrence Bender of Barringer, 5-0.

him. In the third period, I just capitalized on his mistakes."

After falling 6-3 to Boonton's (Boon) Wesley McCombs in the semis, he won a 10-2, majority decision over CJ Ferrera of Watchung Hills (WH) to face Ringel.

Raider senior Matt DeNichilo, seeded fifth at 147-lbs, was defeated,



APPLYING TOP PRESSURE...Raider Eric Connelly, top, applies pressure on Colonia Patriot Mike Cilento in the 121-lb. wrestlebacks. Connelly defeated Cilento, 13-6.

St. Helen's Hoop Boys Bop Berkeley Heights, I. Heart

St. Helen's 5th grade boys basketball team continued to show great improvement after a mid-season slump.

In Garden State League play Jimmy Reardon led St. Helen's with 13 points and Kyle Marsh added seven in a, 45-27 domination of Berkeley Heights. Also in GSL play against Flemington, St. Helen's rallied from 18 points down in the third quarter before losing, 44-38. Matt Isabella tossed in 12 points, Tommy McManus added eight and Marsh had six.

Closing out GSL play, St. Helen's rallied from 12 down in the fourth quarter before losing, 55-51 in overtime to Long Hill. Isabella led with 11, Bret DeFazio pumped in nine,

Craig Dyer and Spencer Cassidy added eight each and Greg Baker had seven in a well-balanced attack.

In Union County CYO play against Immaculate Heart of Maplewood St. Helen's again trailed at halftime by eight points before rallying for a 35-32 victory. Isabella dropped in 11 points and Dyer added eight.

Against CYO leader St. Thomas, St. Helen's trailed 28-5 at half but closed to within single digits in the second half before losing, 47-33. Isabella led the scrappy squad with 16 points. Dyer and Reardon bucketed six points.

PUBLIC NOTICE

SHERIFF'S SALE
SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY, CHANCERY DIVISION, UNION COUNTY, DOCKET NO. F-70-00
UNION COUNTY SAVINGS BANK vs. CARLOS A. CERTUCHE, ET AL, DEFENDANT.

CIVIL ACTION, WRIT OF EXECUTION, DATED DECEMBER 4, 2001 FOR SALE OF MORTGAGED PREMISES.
By virtue of the above-stated writ of execution to me directed I shall expose for sale by public vendue, at the Union County Administration Building, 1st Floor, 10 Elizabethtown Plaza, Elizabeth, New Jersey on WEDNESDAY THE 20TH DAY OF MARCH A.D., 2002 at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day. All successful bidders must have 20% of their bid available in cash or certified check at the conclusion of the sales.

The judgment amount is ONE HUNDRED TWENTY THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED NINETY & 97/100 (\$120,890.97).

The property to be sold is located in the City of Elizabeth in the County of Union, New Jersey.

Commonly known as: 833 Cleveland Avenue, Elizabeth, New Jersey 07208.
Tax Lot No. 358 in Block No. 10.

Dimensions of Lot: (Approximately) 40 feet wide by 100 feet long.
Nearest Cross Street: Situate in the north-easterly side of Cleveland Avenue 180.00 feet from the southeasterly side of Verona Avenue.

There is due approximately the sum of ONE HUNDRED TWENTY EIGHT THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED TEN & 79/100 (\$128,210.79) together with lawful interest and costs.

There is a full legal description on file in the Union County Sheriff's Office.

The Sheriff reserves the right to adjourn this sale.

RALPH FROEHLICH SHERIFF
ZUCKER, GOLDBERG & ACKERMAN ATTORNEYS
1139 Spruce Drive
P.O. Box 1024
Mountainside, New Jersey 07092-0024
1-908-233-8500
File No. XFZL 41496
CH-756409 - (WL)
4 T - 2/21, 2/28, 3/7 & 3/14/02 Fee: \$191.76

Union County Boys Basketball Sectional Tourney Results:

FIRST ROUND:		PAROCHIAL A:	
NORTH, GROUP 4:		Roselle Catholic 69, St. Peter's Prep 59	
Morristown 65, Westfield 47	See story	Lion Jamaal Hilliard roared with 20 points to surpass the 1,000-point plateau. Rob Americk put in 17 points and Keith David sank 11 for 20-3 Roselle Catholic.	
Westfield 12 8 15 12 47		St. Peter's Prep 16 13 19 11 59	
Morristown 16 17 14 18 65		Roselle Catholic 16 15 20 18 69	
Elizabeth 62, Montclair 52		QUARTERFINALS:	
Frantz Dorsainvil led the No. 4 Minutemen with 17 points and Ibrahim Jaaber netted 16.		Roselle Catholic 76, Bishop Francis 67	
Montclair (15-11) 15 11 19 7 52		Hilliard scored 32 points.	
Elizabeth (22-3) 15 13 9 25 62		Bishop Francis 11 20 19 17 67	
Newark East Side 80, Plainfield 62		Roselle Cath (21-3) 21 24 16 15 76	
Jihad Muhammad hit 22 points for Plainfield and Randy Foye sank 23 for East Side.		NORTH, GROUP 1:	
Plainfield (14-9) 16 12 11 23 62		New Providence 48, Dayton 39	
East Side (24-1) 14 18 23 25 80		Wes Girmius banged in 17 points and pulled 11 rebounds for the victorious Pioneers.	
West Orange 38, Linden 37		Dayton (12-10) 13 2 7 17 39	
Tony Wilson scored 17 points for the Tigers in the loss.		New Prov. (16-7) 9 9 9 21 48	
Linden (15-8) 11 8 12 6 37		SEMIFINALS:	
West Orange (18-5) 10 9 13 6 38		Group 3: Weequahic 68, Cranford 57	
NORTH, GROUP 3:		Jon Brown netted 21 points for Cranford.	
Cranford 56, Scotch Plains-Fanwood 54		Cranford (14-11) 12 20 3 22 57	
Adam Bendik put in 16 points for the Raiders.		Weequahic (20-5) 12 17 22 17 68	
Sc. Pl.-Fanwood 9 19 14 12 54		Parochial A: Bergen Catholic 56, Roselle Catholic 48	
Cranford 8 12 16 20 56		Joe D'Angiolillo scored 15 points for Roselle Catholic.	
Mount Olive 64, Rahway 60		Roselle Catholic 13 6 9 20 48	
Romell Powell netted 21 points for the 11-9 Indians in the loss. Jason Johnson scored 14 points and Cisco Garay had seven.		Bergen Catholic 6 12 17 21 56	
Mount Olive (12-8) 5 23 13 23 64		Bloomfield Tech 43, New Providence 39	
Rahway 13 10 25 12 60		Wes Girmius bucketed 14 points for the Pioneers.	
NORTH, GROUP 2:		Bloomfield Tech 9 3 12 19 43	
Summit 55, Caldwell 41		New Providence 5 0 11 23 39	
Dan Dugan led the Hilltoppers with 17 points.		PUBLIC NOTICE	
Caldwell (14-9) 1 16 17 7 41		UNION COUNTY BOARD OF CHOSEN FREEHOLDERS	
Summit (14-7) 14 8 17 25 55		NOTICE OF CONTRACT AWARD	
Hillside 48, Newark Tech 46		Date Adopted: February 28, 2002	
Corey West sank 22 points for the Comets.		Public Notice is hereby given that the Union County Board of Chosen Freeholders has awarded a contract without competitive bidding as a professional service or extraordinary, unspecified service pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5(1)(a). This contract and the resolution authorizing it is available for public inspection in the Office of the Clerk of the Board.	
Newark Tech (15-9) 10 5 12 19 46		RESOLUTION NO. 259-2002 (Amending Resolution 615-2001)	
Hillside (15-7) 5 16 13 14 48		AWARDED TO: Matrix Environmental and Geotechnical Services, 215 Ridgedale Avenue, Florham Park, New Jersey	
PUBLIC NOTICE		SERVICES: To increase the appropriation for professional environmental engineering services to prepare an environmental report/study in the pending litigation entitled COUNTY OF UNION V AETNA, ET AL.	
UNION COUNTY BOARD OF CHOSEN FREEHOLDERS		COST: Not to exceed \$50,000 for a new total contract amount not to exceed \$165,000	
NOTICE OF CONTRACT AWARD		M. Elizabeth Genievich Clerk of the Board	
Date Adopted: February 28, 2002		1 T - 3/7/02, The Leader Fee: \$25.50	
Public Notice is hereby given that the Union County Board of Chosen Freeholders has awarded a contract without competitive bidding as a professional service or extraordinary, unspecified service pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5(1)(a). This contract and the resolution authorizing it is available for public inspection in the Office of the Clerk of the Board.		PUBLIC NOTICE	
RESOLUTION NO. 245-2002		SHERIFF'S SALE	
AWARDED TO: Edward V. Kolling, 741 Roselid Avenue, Ocean, New Jersey		SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY, CHANCERY DIVISION, UNION COUNTY, DOCKET NO. F-9959-96	
SERVICES: To provide professional services for the coordination of the County's involvement with the State's Development and Redevelopment Plan.		LIBERTY SAVINGS BANK, F.S.B., PLAINTIFF vs. HOWARD ROBY AND DIANA ROBY, HIS WIFE, DEFENDANT. CIVIL ACTION, WRIT OF EXECUTION, DATED MAY 14, 2001 FOR SALE OF MORTGAGED PREMISES.	
PERIOD: 1/1/02 - 12/31/02		By virtue of the above-stated writ of execution to me directed I shall expose for sale by public vendue, at the Union County Administration Building, 1st Floor, 10 Elizabethtown Plaza, Elizabeth, New Jersey on WEDNESDAY THE 27TH DAY OF MARCH A.D., 2002 at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day. All successful bidders must have 20% of their bid available in cash or certified check at the conclusion of the sales.	
COST: \$25,000		The judgment amount is TWO HUNDRED FORTY NINE THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED FIFTY NINE & 62/100 (\$249,159.62).	
M. Elizabeth Genievich Clerk of the Board		The property to be sold is located in the Township of Westfield, County of Union and State of New Jersey.	
1 T - 3/7/02, The Leader Fee: \$22.44		It is commonly known as 1110 Columbus Avenue, Westfield, New Jersey.	
PUBLIC NOTICE		It is known and designated as Block 536, Lot 1-B (assessed as Block 4901, Lot 72). The dimensions are 50 feet wide by 100 feet long.	
SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY CHANCERY DIVISION		Nearest Cross Street: Sycamore Street.	
UNION COUNTY DOCKET NO. F-1153-01		Prior lien(s): None.	
CIVIL ACTION		SUBJECT TO UNPAID TAXES AND OTHER MUNICIPAL ASSESSMENTS, AMOUNT DUE IS AVAILABLE IN THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE OR FROM PLAINTIFF'S ATTORNEYS UPON WRITTEN REQUEST TO PLAINTIFF'S ATTORNEYS.	
NOTICE TO REDEEM		There is due approximately the sum of TWO HUNDRED NINETY NINE THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED ONE & 02/100 (\$299,301.02) together with lawful interest and costs.	
ARIANNA HOLDING COMPANY, L.L.C., PLAINTIFF vs. JEFFREY SCHENCK, ET AL., DEFENDANTS.		There is a full legal description on file in the Union County Sheriff's Office.	
TO: FEDERAL BANK LOAN RECOVERIES-DEPT. A., LP; PHYLIS GREER; PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that an order made on the 20th day of February, 2002, the Superior Court Fixed 5th day of April, 2002 between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon, prevailing time, at the office of the Tax Collector of the Plainfield, located at 515 Watchung Avenue, Plainfield, New Jersey 07061, as the time and place when and where you may pay to the plaintiff the amount so found due for principal and interest on its certificate of tax sale as follows:		The Sheriff reserves the right to adjourn this sale.	
Lot 8, Block 614, on the tax duplicate of Plainfield. Total amount required to redeem is \$16,218.73, together with interest from October 23, 2001 and costs.		RALPH FROEHLICH SHERIFF	
And that unless, at the same time and place, you or one of you redeem by paying the aforesaid sum so found due to plaintiff, then you, and each of you shall be deemed and foreclosed of and from all right and equity of redemption of, in and to the lands and premises above set out and described in the complaint and every part thereof, and that the plaintiff be vested with an absolute and indefeasible estate of inheritance in fee simple in said lands and premises.		MCCABE, WEISBERG & CONWAY, P.C.	
Anything to the contrary notwithstanding, redemption shall be permitted up until the entry of final judgment including the whole of the last date upon which judgment is entered.		LAW OFFICES	
Michael G. Pellegrino, Esq. Attorney for Plaintiff		Suite 500	
CASALE & PELLEGRINO, L.L.C.		218 Haddon Avenue	
293 Eisenhower Parkway		Westmont, New Jersey 08108	
Livingston, New Jersey 07039-1711		CH-756293 - (WL)	
CH-756043 - (WL)		4 T - 2/21, 2/28, 3/7 & 3/14/02	
4 T - 2/28, 3/7, 3/14		Fee: \$44.37	
& 3/21/02		1 T - 3/7/02, The Leader Fee: \$206.04	

Ray Williams Breaks Track Meet Record

Scotch Plains-Fanwood High School senior Ray Williams broke the meet record in the 400-meters at the 66th Eastern States Track and Field Championships (ESTFC) at the 168th Street Armory in Manhattan on February 26 by crossing the line in 47.45. The previous record of 47.69 was set last year by Kedar Inico of Campus Magnet in New York.

Previously, on February 11, Williams set a state record at the Varsity Classic at the Armory with a time of 47.7. At the ESTFC, he ran the first 200 meters in 21.8 seconds, nearly one second faster than his split at the Varsity Classic.

Raiders' Swensons Place In Swimming MOC

Scotch Plains-Fanwood High School swimmers Steve and Eric Swenson placed 7-8 in the 100-yard breaststroke at the Meet of Champions held at Gloucester County Institute of Technology in Sewell on March 3 with respective times of 1:01.23 and 1:02.01. Mateusz Kacprzak of Roselle Catholic won the event with a time of 59.39.

Tighe and Lundy Win Bowling Challenge

Darren Tighe, a fifth grader at McKinley Elementary School, and William Lundy age 17 of Westfield won the Anna Mueller Junior Challenge of Bowling at Jersey Lanes in Linden on February 17. The pair won a total of \$2,000.00 in scholarship money in the seven-game elimination tournament. Both boys were coached by Darren's father, who is a member of the Westfield Volunteer Rescue squad.

PUBLIC NOTICE

UNION COUNTY BOARD OF CHOSEN FREEHOLDERS
NOTICE OF CONTRACT AWARD
Date Adopted: February 28, 2002
Public Notice is hereby given that the Union County Board of Chosen Freeholders has awarded a contract without competitive bidding as a professional service or extraordinary, unspecified service pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5(1)(M). This contract and the resolution authorizing it is available for public inspection in the Office of the Clerk of the Board.

RESOLUTION NO. 267-2002
AWARDED TO: Hartford Insurance Company, 100 Enterprise Drive, Rockaway, New Jersey

SERVICES: Renewing the Property Policy including Boiler and Machinery.

PERIOD: 3/1/02 - 3/1/03

COST: \$290,965.57

AWARDED TO: Hartford Insurance Company, 100 Enterprise Drive, Rockaway, New Jersey

SERVICES: Renewing the Equipment Floater Policy

PERIOD: 3/1/02 - 3/1/03

COST: \$50,729

AWARDED TO: US Plate Glass Insurance Co., Westchester, Illinois 60154

SERVICES: Renewing the Plate Glass Policy

PERIOD: 3/1/02 - 3/1/03

COST: \$739.00

AWARDED TO: PMA Insurance Group, 100 Century Parkway, Mount Laurel, New Jersey

SERVICES: Renewing the Commercial Automobile Policy

PERIOD: 3/1/02 - 3/1/03

COST: \$678,113

AWARDED TO: PMA Insurance Group, 100 Century Parkway, Mount Laurel, New Jersey

SERVICES: Renewing the Excess Workers Compensation

PERIOD: 3/1/02 - 3/1/03

COST: \$319,887

AWARDED TO: Hartford Life Group Benefits, 4450 North Point Parkway, Alpharetta, Georgia

SERVICES: Renewing the Board of Chosen Freeholders Travel Accident Policy

PERIOD: 4/1/02 - 4/1/03

COST: \$750

AWARDED TO: Hartford Life Group Benefits, 4450 North Point Parkway, Alpharetta, Georgia

SERVICES: Renewing the Volunteers Accident Policy