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In creating this memorial for his father, Mr. Carpenter has outlined very liberal conditions which he hoped would guide the board of trustees and the administration of the college in their use of the fund.

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At the end of his letter suggesting the creation of this living memorial, Mr. Carpenter added a single sentence which referred indirectly to the relationship between this grant and his own life's work. He wrote: "Perhaps there is a measure of fitness in science at work serving science at study."

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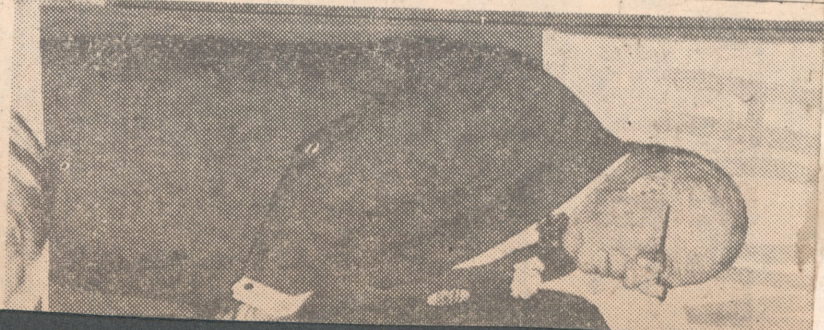
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Stegmaier Brewing Company. Stegmaier earned this distinction.

Business Teachers To Meet Monday

Press the Spring meeting of the Robert Gregg Award Association, Monday at Wilkes Valley Business Education Association, Monday at Wilkes College.

The meeting, conducted at the Wilkes dining hall, will begin with a coffee and social hour at 5:30. Dr. Lessenberry's address will commence at 6. Non-members desiring to remain for the dinner meeting

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Handsome Giving

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This undertaking has been further facilitated in advance of yesterday's gift by the recent announcement of a grant of \$900,000 from an anonymous foundation for a science building.

In several respects the new gift is especially appropriate. As the donor himself observed, "Perhaps there is a measure of fitness in science at work serving science at study." The Dupont Company is an eminent example of science at work. The donor, a native of Wilkes-Barre, has bestowed permanent benefits on this community in several notable ways. The newest bestowal will perpetuate in highly useful fashion the name of a distinguished businessman and civic leader who served this community during his entire active career.

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(Graduates' List, Page 3)

Resignations of three professional employes, effective at the close of the school year, were approved yesterday afternoon by Wilkes-Barre City School Board.

The board also approved a list of 576 students for graduation from the city's three high schools. Included are 227 from Coughlin, 178 from GAR and 171 from Meyers. Approval was made on recommendations of Dr. John M. Lumley, superintendent, and principals of the three high schools.

Resignations accepted:

James J. Loughney, principal of Weaver Elementary School.

Anna McLaughlin Price, Lafayette Elementary School teacher.

Barbara Check Carr, teacher at GAR High School.

Appointment of Frank P. Hanawalt as vocational machine shop teacher was approved. He will begin his duties with the opening of the 1956-57 school year.

Theresa Bass, Katherine McDermott, Helen Loughran and Sara Ritchie, homemaking teachers, were authorized to attend the State conference of the Department of Vocational and Practical Arts at Eagles Mere on June 19 to 21.

Purchase of vocational and industrial art supplies was ordered from these firms in the following amounts:

Bergman's, \$317.60; Bloch's, \$55.65; Brodhead-Garrett Company, \$460.55; M. D. Brown Company, \$66.55; Carter's Incorporated, \$74.90; D & H Distributing Company, \$343.22; Eugene Dietzgen Company, \$156.13; Eastern Pennsylvania Supply Company, \$500.54; Empire Type Foundry, \$126.59; Foster ATF Type Sales Company, \$705.91; Fowler, Dick and Walker, \$37.56.

General Radio and Electronic Company, \$297.33; Hill Chase & Company, Incorporated, \$396.11; Johnston, Keffer & Trout, \$275.95; L & L Supply Company, \$469.45; Morton Mill Supply, \$145.97; Newark Dressmaking Supply Company, \$478.52.

Northeastern Lumber Company, \$1,922.23; Frederick Post Company, \$92.44; Radio Service Company, \$253.86; G. A. Rinn Paper Company, \$662.95; Sears, Roebuck Company, \$115.15; Charles B. Scott Company, \$1,859.61; White Hardware Company, \$914.55; H. A. Whiteman & Company, Incorporated, \$49.86; and York Steel Company, \$821.04.

Science supplies were ordered purchased from these firms:

Cambosco Scientific Company, \$267.35; Fisher Scientific Company, \$187.25, and W. M. Welch Manufacturing Company, \$1,374.16.

Purchase of medical supplies was approved from these firms:

Green's Pharmacy, \$132.62; Mebane's Pharmacy, \$410.56, and Wasserott Brothers, \$316.19.

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