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The following issues have been determined to have importance and concern within the Station's City of license during the past three months. These issues were found to be significant, and for these issues the (documented) Program issues. Responses were broadcast to inform, explain, promote/advocate a position on or report on these issues. The issues on the list on this page are listed in a time sequence because of time sensitivity of the issues, not as a ranking by importance or significance to the listeners or station management.

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1/2/15 CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
The corruption trial of a former Washington County judge is coming up. Officials recently announced that jury selection will start in March in the case of Paul Pozonsky, who is accused of stealing cocaine evidence in 2012. Pozonsky allegedly took cocaine that had been seized during investigations and replaced it with baking soda.

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
A man is facing charges in connection to a problem property in Connellsville. A warrant was recently issued for Leighton Simpson due to the conditions of the East Crawford Avenue building, which used to be the WCVI radio station. Officials say the property has multiple code violations.

JOBS WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
Minimum wage hikes are taking effect several states. As of January 1st, workers in a total of 29 states and the District of Columbia will now be paid more than the federal minimum wage of seven-dollars-25 cents an hour.

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
In Fayette, a man is facing charges for leaving his baby alone while he went out drinking. Brandon Russman was supposed to be watching his seven-month-old daughter Tuesday night, but instead he left the child alone and went to a bar.

1/5/15
CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
Two women are facing drug charges following a traffic stop in Jeannette. An officer was patrolling on North Pennsylvania Avenue last month when a car passed and he got a whiff of marijuana. The officer pulled the car over and found the driver, Ashley Sanders, in possession of a bag of marijuana and seven packets of a powdery substance marked "Passion."

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
A woman is going to prison in connection to an assault spree in Jeannette. Jamie Boggs pleaded guilty to the crimes on Friday and will serve up to 23-months, followed by five years of probation. Officials say Boggs assaulted three women in September. Boggs claims the incident was linked to a mental health issue, for which she is not medicated because she has no health insurance.

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
Police are investigating a violent fight at a Uniontown bar. An argument started at Park's Casino on Connellsville Street early Saturday morning and ended with one person being shot and three others stabbed.

PUBLIC INTEREST WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
Authorities have no end of good things to say about a little girl who survived a small plane crash that killed her family. Kentucky State Police say Sailor Gutzler freed herself from the wreckage Friday night and walked through the woods in bone-chilling temperatures to find help.

1/6/15
CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
A man is facing charges for allegedly firing shots in Belle Vernon. James Stevenson was arrested after a five-hour standoff with police Sunday evening. The incident began when Stevenson went to the home of a couple who was watching his dog, and found the dog had run away. Stevenson allegedly got into a fistfight with the man in the home and then got a gun from his car and held it to the woman's head.

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
Police are investigating a reported drive-by shooting in Monessen. The two victims told officers they were dropping friends off in Highland Manor early yesterday, when two men approached the car and fired several shots. The victims both sustained non-life-threatening injuries.

SAFETY WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
Divers are finally able to join the search for the wreckage of the AirAsia jetliner that crashed in the Java Sea. A break in the weather is allowing divers to get into the water for the first time since the plane went down more than a week ago.

PUBLIC INTEREST WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
A winning lottery ticket sold in Allegheny County, is turning a lucky person into a millionaire. The winner of Saturday's Millionaire Raffle has not come forward yet. The winning ticket was purchased at Kuhn's Market in Moon.

1/7/15

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
A reward is being offered for information in connection with a recent break in at the Mitchell Power Station near Monongahela. The plant which has been closed since last January was broken into on November 9th and then again on December 31st. Damage was reported in the first break in, and copper wire was stolen in the second break in.

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
Police are looking for those responsible for leaving a dog and three of her puppies inside a dumpster on the North Side. The dogs were found at the intersection of Retail Way and Tripoli Street last week.

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
A Scottdale man is facing multiple charges in connection to a shots-fired incident during an argument. Police were called to North High Street Friday night for a report of a domestic dispute. The victim told them George Lander had come home drunk, hit her and then fired a handgun at her.

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
A Bentleyville man is facing charges after robbing a grocery store with a toy gun. Robert Petrick Jr. was arrested yesterday after displaying the fake weapon at Jet's Food Center on Main Street and demanding money. He also attempted to rob The Medicine Shoppe pharmacy a few blocks away.

1/8/15

SAFETY WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
Security officers in the Uniontown Area School District may soon be carrying firearms. School directors approved the move on Monday and will now petition the Fayette County Court of Common Pleas to allow the five guards to carry weapons on school property.

PUBLIC INTEREST WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
First Commonwealth Bank is donating its Downtown Greensburg facility to Seton Hill University. Officials made the announcement yesterday, saying they have not yet finalized plans for the building but will incorporate it into the institution's long-term plan.

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TRANSPORTATION WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS

Driverless vehicles are in the spotlight at the International Consumer Electronics Show. Mercedes-Benz's Luxury in Motion concept vehicle monitors road conditions and traffic with sensors and an onboard computer.

1/9/15

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS

A Uniontown woman is being acquitted of charges in connection to a deadly accident. Serena Richter was accused of homicide by vehicle while driving drunk. The judge said yesterday the evidence was not of sufficient to allow jurors decide whether Richter was actually at the wheel during the North Union crash in 2011. Samuel McKnight was killed in the crash.

JOBS WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS

McDonald's says its cutting over 60 jobs at its corporate headquarters. The fast-food giant says the move is part of a plan to reduce costs by 100-million-dollars.

JOBS WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS

The world's biggest soft-drink maker is making some big job cuts. Coke has announced it's cutting up to 18-hundred positions around the world, with about 500 of those in its home base of Atlanta.

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS

A Lemont Furnace man is facing charges for lighting his truck on fire. Police issued a warrant for Joseph Chuska this week in connection to the July incident on Second Street in North Union Township. Chuska told police he was drunk and frustrated that he couldn't make the payments on the vehicle, which was getting ready to be repossessed, so he set it on fire.

1/12/15

HEALTH WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS

The author of a new book on healthcare in America says the Affordable Care Act has made health insurance and treatment more affordable for some, but it hurts the American taxpayer.

ECONOMY WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS

U.S. counties are seeing their economies go up, but are still recovering from the last recession. A new report by the National Association of Counties says the economies of nearly all U.S. counties grew by leaps and bounds in 2014.

PUBLIC SERVICE WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS

Connellsville is showcasing its talent. The Greater Connellsville Area Community Center is presenting, "Connellsville's Got Talent!" at the Edwin S. Porter Theater on Saturday at 6:00 p.m. The top prize is 300-dollars. Entrants must register by close of business today.

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS

A teacher's aide at Washington High School is accused of inappropriate contact with a student. Tracy Ardeno was charged Friday for the incident, which allegedly occurred last month in her car at the Washington Cemetery.

1/13/15

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS

The superintendent of Bethlehem-Center School District is facing charges for driving under the influence of alcohol. Linda Marcolini is scheduled for her preliminary hearing next month in connection to the December incident.

GOVERNMENT WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS

Fayette County commissioners are looking for people who want to serve on various county committees. Officials say there are openings on the county housing authority, planning commission, health center authority, hotel tax grant board and transportation committee.

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS

A warrant has been issued for the arrest of a woman accused of stealing checks from a Fayette County charity. Thirty-three-year-old Verna Johnston stole several checks from Sisters of Charity in Uniontown. The checks totaled 600 dollars. Police are continuing to look for Johnston.

ECONOMY WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS

Bottom Dollar is closing several of its food stores three days early. Bottom Dollar closed all of its Pittsburgh area locations yesterday. The stores were supposed to close on January 15th.

1/14/15

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS

Apple is suing Ericsson in a royalty dispute. In a lawsuit filed in a California federal court, Apple is alleging that the Swedish company is charging excessive royalties for wireless patents that are not essential to industry standards.

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS

Fayette County's prison warden is serving a three-day suspension. Brian Miller's suspension went into effect yesterday morning and will last through Thursday. Prison officials say the action was related to Miller's failure to keep the prison board informed of incidents at the facility.

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS

Police are investigating a home invasion assault and robbery in Washington. The victim says she was confronted in her East Katherine Avenue home Monday by a man with a black bandana over his face. The woman tried to run but the suspect reportedly punched her in the face three times and stole cash and gift cards from the home.

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1/15/15

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS

The proposed work on the Fayette County prison is getting underway. Officials are meeting with an architectural firm over the next few weeks to begin the process. Commissioners say the first phase of the project will address overcrowding issues with additions and renovations.

GOVERNMENT WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
A Masontown councilwoman is stepping down. Kim Essig's resignation was submitted Tuesday at the council meeting. Council is now accepting letters of interest for the position. Essig has been charged with stealing more than 15-hundred dollars from a non-profit organization.

BUSINESS WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
JP Morgan is having a tough week. Its fourth quarter bank earnings report, released today, showed earnings down across the board.

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
The former East Washington police chief is going to serve a shorter prison sentence for his extortion conviction. Donald Solomon pleaded guilty in 2013 to extorting money from drug dealers, who were really undercover FBI agents, in exchange for protection. Solomon was resented yesterday to seven years and three months in prison, which is four years shorter than the original sentence.

1/16/15
JOBS WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
First-time requests for unemployment benefits are up more than expected. The Labor Department received 316-thousand initial claims last week.

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1/19/15
SAFETY WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
Chewing gum may be to blame for the death of a California University women's basketball player. Shanice Clark was found unresponsive in the Vulcan Village Apartments early yesterday morning and died a short time later. Initial reports suggest Clark may have choked on a piece of chewing gum while she was sleeping.

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
Police are releasing more information about a shooting in North Union. Officials originally said that Shaquasia Sims was shot outside her Greenpoint Circle apartment Thursday and said they had a "person of interest." On Friday, police announced that Sims' wound was self-inflicted. She is expected to recover.

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
A Waynesburg man is facing charges for allegedly abusing a two-month-old boy. The baby was taken to the hospital Friday and was found to have injuries consistent with shaken-baby syndrome. Jeffrey Kennedy is being charged for assault and is in the Greene County Jail.

CRIME**WOGG, OLIVER****20 SECS**

Local authorities and the Secret Service say there's no indication that drive-by shooters were aiming at Vice-President Joe Biden's house. Federal officials say neither Biden nor his wife, Jill, were home when someone opened fire near their Delaware home Saturday evening.

1/20/15

GOVERNMENT**WOGG, OLIVER****20 SECS**

Former businessman Tom Wolf will be sworn into office as Pennsylvania's next governor. Wolf is expected to be sworn in at noon today in Harrisburg. Wolf's Lieutenant Governor Mike Stack will take his oath earlier in the day. Tickets for the swearing-in ceremony are free.

CRIME**WOGG, OLIVER****20 SECS**

A Waynesburg baby, who was assaulted by his father, is out of the hospital. Two-month-old Maxxen Dorsey was released yesterday but may have a permanent visual disability and neurological damage. Jeffrey Kennedy was charged Friday for the abuse after admitting he shook the baby until his eyes rolled back in his head.

HEALTH**WOGG, OLIVER****20 SECS**

New York City first responders are getting the large majority of over 800-million-dollars awarded to those sickened or hurt from the 9-11 attacks.

SAFETY**WOGG, OLIVER****20 SECS**

Officials are investigating a bomb threat at a Waynesburg school. The Margaret Bell Miller Middle School was evacuated yesterday after the threat was found written on a bathroom wall. Crews swept the building, but nothing suspicious was found.

1/21/15

GOVERNMENT**WOGG, OLIVER****20 SECS**

Governor Tom Wolf took the oath of office at the Pennsylvania State Capitol yesterday. He becomes Pennsylvania's 47th governor. During his inaugural address Wolf said that his administration will be dedicated to three goals, making Pennsylvania a place where jobs pay, schools teach and government works.

CRIME**WOGG, OLIVER****20 SECS**

State Police are investigating a phone scam that cost a Scottdale woman 15-hundred dollars. The victim got a phone call Friday accusing her of being involved in a tax fraud case. The caller told her she needed to get a pre-paid credit card to pay her debt to the U.S. Treasury Department.

SAFETY**WOGG, OLIVER****20 SECS**

Hempfield Area High School is getting some security updates. Three architectural firms are touring the property this week to make suggestions for the building's entryway, which opens directly into the school instead of having a secure waiting area.

ECONOMY**WOGG, OLIVER****20 SECS**

Home builders are losing some confidence in the housing market. The Housing Market Index for January released by National Association of Home Builders showed a one-point drop to 57, from 58 in December.

1/22/15

CRIME**WOGG, OLIVER****20 SECS**

A grand jury is recommending Pennsylvania Attorney General Kathleen Kane face charges of perjury among other charges. Those charges recommended by a grand jury became public yesterday after court documents were unsealed. Kane is under investigation for allegedly leaking confidential information to a Philadelphia newspaper.

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
Two men are facing charges in connection to an assault and robbery in Charleroi. Tyler Corbitt and Eddie McGuire were part of a group that attacked the victim on Fallowfield Avenue Tuesday. The pair ran into a nearby building and when officers knocked on the door, they smelled marijuana.

BUSINESS WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
Google is getting into the wireless business. Several news sites reported Wednesday that Google plans to run a new wireless service that resells what is provided on Sprint and T-Mobile.

SAFETY WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
Officials are investigating a train derailment in Uniontown. Seven freight cars hauling fracking sand jumped the track just feet away from several homes near East Penn and Locust streets yesterday. A small amount of sand spilled but did not require a hazardous materials response.

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
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HEALTH WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
A duck shot by a hunter in northern Washington state is testing positive for the bird flu. NBC News says it's the first case of bird flu ever seen in the US.

EDUCATION WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
The search for a president at the California University of Pennsylvania will begin soon. The chairman of the Board of Governors of the State System of Higher Education, made the comment yesterday during a board meeting in Harrisburg. There has been an interim president at the university since May of 2012.

1/26/15

WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
Authorities are releasing the name of the woman killed in an accident in Westmoreland County. The accident happened on Route 66 in Washington Township Saturday night. Jeannie Heltion was killed when she crossed the center line and crashed head on into another vehicle.

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS

A Westmoreland County man is going to prison after pleading guilty to child pornography charges. Former Turnpike Commission worker John Longo received the 15-year sentence Friday. Longo admitted to persuading a coworker to take sexually explicit photos of the victim and then posting them to a Russian website. The woman is serving a 16-year prison term

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
Westmoreland officials are investigating the discovery of a body in Forbes State Forest. Rangers found the man dead in his car Friday. Initial reports suggest the death might have been a suicide.

ECONOMY WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
Analysts aren't expecting much to come from this week's meeting of the Federal Reserve. Good economic data has forecasters assuming the Fed will hike interest rates, but it probably won't be this week.

1/27/15

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
The mayor of South Connellsville is facing charges for allegedly transferring a gun from the borough's police department without permission from borough officials. Charges were filed against Peter Casini yesterday. Casini transferred ownership of the handgun to himself in April but it was supposed to be used as a replacement gun for the department.

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
A Derry Township woman is facing charges in connection to a marijuana-shipping operation. High-grade marijuana was being mailed to Patricia Hancock's home from California on a weekly basis. Hancock was arrested last week after a K-9 officer found two packages at the post office that contained drugs and both were addressed to her.

GOVERNMENT WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
The Obama administration wants to rework hundreds of billions of dollars in Medicare payments. Health and Human Services Secretary Sylvia Burwell said that she wants Medicare to make half of its payments to doctors and hospitals based on their quality of care rather than quantity

GOVERNMENT WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
Pennsylvania Governor Tom Wolf has signed a disaster emergency proclamation due to a major snowstorm making its way up the East Coast.

1/28/15

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
A Washington County sheriff's deputy is facing charges for allegedly driving under the influence. Paul Rock was charged this week after being pulled over in November for running a red-light in Cambria County.

ECONOMY WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
A state senator is introducing legislation that would raise the minimum wage in Pennsylvania. Christine Tartaglione said yesterday that the state's wage lags behind every surrounding state and she wants to see it go from seven-dollars and 25-cents an hour to ten-dollars-ten-cents an hour.

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
Officials are confirming that the death of a California University professor is not suspicious. Burrell Brown was found dead in his office Sunday night and officials say he passed away from natural causes. Brown had been with the university since 1989.

CRIME **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**
A man is accused of exposing himself to children in Charleroi over a span of several months. Jeremy Akers allegedly confessed to the crimes Monday and was charged with harassment, open lewdness and indecent exposure. Akers was identified after Charleroi High School's assistant principal saw his vehicle parked near a bus stop last week and got his license plate number.

1/29/15
CRIME **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**
The owner of an auto repair shop in Derry Township is being credited with helping police catch a thief. John Siko, who owns Jay's Auto Repair on Bank Street, saw an unfamiliar vehicle there Monday morning, and stopped to investigate. When he got inside, he saw Kenneth Baker hiding behind a filing cabinet. Siko held Baker at gunpoint until police arrived.

CRIME **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**
A Monongahela man is facing charges for allegedly assaulting a home healthcare worker. Arthur Benoit the Third confronted a nursing assistant while she was taking care of another person in his home Monday. The victim claims Benoit began yelling that someone had opened his mail and then pushed her, threw her into a door frame and knocked her down.

ENVIRONMENT **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**
A new report is claiming unconventional natural gas wells are polluting the environment in Pennsylvania. The report was released yesterday by a nonprofit environmental research group and cites an explosion at Chevron's Lanco 7H well in Dunkard Township as an example of failures in the process and oversight.

CRIME **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**
A man is in custody in connection to a robbery in North Belle Vernon. Police say the suspect stole cash from Standard Pharmacy on Broad Avenue yesterday. He was arrested near Graham Street Park after a short foot chase. No injuries were reported.

1/30/15
CRIME **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**
An animal shelter in Washington County is being cited for unsanitary conditions. The owner of Angel Ridge Animal Shelter in Chartiers Township was cited with several violations by the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture's dog wardens.

SAFETY **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**
Three people are injured following a head on crash in Westmoreland County. The report says police responded to the accident on Arona Road in Hempfield Township late Wednesday night. The three victims were taken to the hospital.

ECONOMY **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**
A Marcellus Shale pipeline transmission company is seeking approval to build some kind of natural gas development facility in South Strabane Township. Columbia Midstream Group originally applied to build a compressor station but resubmitted their plans earlier this month after township officials backed a plan that would ban the facilities in agriculturally zoned districts.

CRIME **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**
Several students are facing charges in connection to "sexts" that were sent to other students in the Penn-Trafford School District. Officials announced yesterday that between six and 12 students are involved in the case, which was brought to light when a teacher overheard students talking about the photos. Multiple cell phones were confiscated as evidence.

2/2/15

SAFETY

WOGG, OLIVER

20 SECS

Two people are injured following a car crash in Washington County. A vehicle slammed into several trees after the driver lost control on Amity Ridge Road in Amwell Township early yesterday morning.

PUBLIC INTEREST

WOGG, OLIVER

20 SECS

Punxsutawney Phil may be the most famous animal predicting the weather, but other animals are sticking their noses into the forecasting game. In Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, a ground "dog" is predicting an early spring.

ENVIRONMENT

WOGG, OLIVER

20 SECS

A small fuel spill is being blamed for an evacuation at a Westmoreland County elementary school. West Point Elementary was evacuated Friday morning after a strange odor permeated the building. A subsequent investigation determined a snow plow had leaked some fuel near a vent into the school.

SAFETY

WOGG, OLIVER

20 SECS

Officials are trying to figure out what caused a car to crash into a home in Arnold. Witnesses say it appears the driver lost control in the snow on Murray Avenue yesterday and slammed into the porch of a residence on Leishman Avenue. The driver suffered minor injuries.

2/3/15

SAFETY

WOGG, OLIVER

20 SECS

Police are identifying the woman who was killed in a car crash in Fayette County. Authorities say Roxann Curry was traveling on Rowes Run Road in Redstone Township when she lost control and spun out, hitting a utility pole.

SAFETY

WOGG, OLIVER

20 SECS

The driver of a salt truck was trapped inside the vehicle after it flipped over in Elliot. Police say it happened late last night on Danley Street. The driver had to be cut from the vehicle.

PUBLIC INTEREST

WOGG, OLIVER

20 SECS

The family of a Perryopolis Police Officer, who was killed in the line of duty, is getting a permanent place to live. Hardy Magerko, the owner of 84 Lumber, recently donated the money to buy the home that Officer Richard Champion and his wife had been renting. Champion was killed in a car accident in December while on duty. He also leaves behind a 16-month-old son.

ENVIRONMENT

WOGG, OLIVER

20 SECS

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers is putting 58-million dollars towards the construction at Locks and Dam Number Four in Charleroi. U.S. Senator Bob Casey made the announcement yesterday, saying the investment signals a "generational change to the region's waterways" and will provide a stable base of funding for the future.

2/4/15

CRIME

WOGG, OLIVER

20 SECS

A man is facing charges after authorities say he posed as a police officer to try and get a teenage girl into his car in Westmoreland County. William Michael Durci Jr. was arraigned yesterday. He is facing attempted kidnapping and luring charges.

SAFETY

WOGG, OLIVER

20 SECS

Seven people are confirmed dead and more than two dozen injured after a New York commuter train exploded and caught fire after hitting an SUV during the evening rush hour yesterday.

BUSINESS **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**
Apple is gearing up for another quarter of massive iPhone sales. DigiTimes is reporting that Apple has ordered 50-million iPhones for the first quarter. If Apple sells even 50-million of those phones, it would be their third biggest quarter ever.

CRIME **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**
A former middle school teacher in Fayette County has been indicted after police say he traveled to West Virginia to have sex with an underage teenager. Daniel McGarvey was indicted by a federal grand jury yesterday on one count of travel with intent to engage in sexual conduct. He was arrested in West Virginia back in October.

2/5/15
SAFETY **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**
A large fire at a gas drilling site in Washington County was sparked after a piece of equipment malfunctioned. The fire started around five o'clock last night at a drilling site off Ross Road in North Strabane Township. Some engine oil that had spilled from a piece of equipment caught fire.

POLITICS **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**
Westmoreland County Assistant District Attorney Gregory DeFloria is announcing a run for the district judge seat in Hempfield. He is looking to fill James Falcon's seat who recently retired. Assistant Westmoreland County public defender Anthony Bompiani is also running for the seat.

CRIME **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**
The operator of the Lady Luck casino at Nemaquin Woodlands Resort is being fined. The Gaming Control Board handed down the thousand-dollar penalty yesterday, saying Isle of Capri allowed patrons to get cash advances from ATMs on the casino floor, which is prohibited.

CRIME **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**
A Connellsville man is facing sentencing after being found guilty of homicide by vehicle. A jury handed the verdict down to Jonathan Schroyer yesterday.

2/6/15
CRIME **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**
A traffic stop is being credited with helping police bust a "large-scale heroin ring" in Armstrong, Indiana and Westmoreland counties. Police found 25 bricks of heroin in the vehicle during the stop and 16-thousand stamp bags, cocaine and weapons in a subsequent raid of an Apollo home. Katie Eaton and Kevin Witcher were arraigned Wednesday for the operation and police are also looking for Justin King, who is considered armed and dangerous.

SAFETY **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**
A woman is in the hospital following a fire at a Penn Hills apartment building. The four alarm fire started inside the Alcoma on the Green apartment building on Alcoma Boulevard yesterday afternoon.

SAFETY **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**
Authorities are releasing more information about a fire at a gas drilling site in Washington County. A ruptured hydraulic line led to a fire in North Strabane Township.

SAFETY **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**
Authorities are investigating the cause of a fire in Fayette County. The fire started at a house on Springfield Pike in Springfield Township late last night. Several fire companies were called in to fight the fire.

2/9/15

SAFETY WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS

Two people are injured following an ATV crash in Westmoreland County. A man and woman were thrown from their ATVs on Meadow Run Road in South Huntingdon Township Saturday night. The victims were taken to the hospital

SAFETY WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS

Four people were taken to the hospital as a precaution after a high carbon monoxide level was detected in their home in Monessen. The family on South 14th Street contacted officials after smelling fumes in their home. The fumes were coming from a faulty water heater.

SAFETY WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS

Authorities are identifying the Washington County man who was killed in a car crash on the Parkway West Friday afternoon. Joseph Ardeno lost control of his vehicle, hit another vehicle and crashed into a concrete divider before crossing four lanes of traffic and ramming into a hillside.

2/10/15

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS

A man is facing charges in connection with a car accident that seriously injured a Pennsylvania State Trooper. Police charged Albert Gundy yesterday with aggravated assault by vehicle among other charges. Gundy was behind the wheel of a vehicle that hit a trooper on Route 119 in East Huntingdon back in October.

PUBLIC INTEREST WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS

An elderly man is being credited for helping stop a shoplifter at the Washington Crown Mall this weekend. Charlie Burton noticed an officer was having trouble apprehending a suspect. That's when he jumped in and helped take the man down. The suspect also had a warrant out for his arrest.

HEALTH WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS

Grief counselors are available at schools in the Jeannette District for the next few days after the death of a high school junior. District schools operated on a two-hour delay yesterday due to the funeral Mass of a 16-year-old boy who was shot and killed last week. Another 16-year-old boy is charged with homicide and is being held without bail.

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS

The superintendent of the Bethlehem-Center School District is heading to trial. Linda Marcolini waived her case to court yesterday on charges she had a blood-alcohol level of twice the legal limit during an accident in December.

2/11/15

EDUVATION WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS

Parents of at least five students at a Westmoreland County middle school are wondering why their children were given word search puzzles containing sexually explicit terms related to the erotic novel "Fifty Shades Of Grey."

PUBLIC INTEREST WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS

Fayette County Sheriff Gary Brownfield is retiring. "Triblive.com" reports that Brownfield will retire at the end of his term on December 31st. Brownfield made the announcement earlier this week.

SAFETY WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS

Officials are investigating a threat that caused an early dismissal at Southmoreland High School. The "vague and unsubstantiated threat" was found in a boy's bathroom yesterday afternoon leading to the evacuation of the building.

CRIME**WOGG, OLIVER****20 SECS**

A man is facing up to ten years in prison for hitting another man in Rostraver while driving drunk. Donald Eichler received the sentence Monday after being convicted in November. Prosecutors say Eichler's blood-alcohol-level was more than three times the legal limit when he hit Byron White, who was in a wheelchair, on the side of Route 136 in 2012.

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POLITICS**WOGG, OLIVER****20 SECS**

Democrat Ted Kopas says he is running for re-election as Westmoreland County commissioner. Kopas announced yesterday that he will seek a second, four-year term. He was elected to his first full term in office back in 2011, following his appointment by the county judges in 2010.

SAFETY**WOGG, OLIVER****20 SECS**

A man is dead after he was hit by a train in Pittsburgh. It happened last night in the area of Cedar Avenue on the city's North Side. The man walked onto the tracks as the train was approaching.

PUBLIC INTERSET**WOGG, OLIVER****20 SECS**

Construction has begun on a new playground in Fayette County. The new playground is going up at South Side Park in Connellsville. The report says the playground could be fully functional and ready to play on by the end of the month weather permitting.

GOVERNMENT**WOGG, OLIVER****20 SECS**

Governor Tom Wolf is proposing a five-percent severance tax on Marcellus Shale gas drillers in Pennsylvania. Wolf outlined the plan yesterday saying he also wants a five-cent per thousand cubic feet tax on the gas to go towards public education.

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EDUCATION**WOGG, OLIVER****20 SECS**

the Connellsville Area School Board is bringing back a program that will allow high school students to get college credits. When the program begins this fall, the University of Pittsburgh, Mt. Aloysius College and Westmoreland County Community College will be involved.

TRANSPORTATION**WOGG, OLIVER****20 SECS**

Crews are tearing down the historic Donora-Webster Bridge. The Webster approach was demolished yesterday and the approach on the Donora side will come down next, before the main span is imploded this summer.

BUSINESS**WOGG, OLIVER****20 SECS**

"U.S. News and World Report" is out with its 2015 Best Cars for the Money, highlighting the best in quality and value. In the most popular categories, the Volkswagen Golf won best Compact Car, the Hyundai Sonata won best Midsize Car, the Chevrolet Impala won best Large Car.

CRIME**WOGG, OLIVER****20 SECS**

A drug suspect from Charleroi is in custody. James Novak was arrested Tuesday and is accused of storing ten-thousand dollars worth of crack in the apartment where he lived with his family.

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SAFETY**WOGG, OLIVER****20 SECS**

At least one person is injured following a tractor trailer collision on Interstate 70. The crash happened yesterday afternoon at mile marker five in Donegal Township.

POLITICS WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
Greene County District Attorney Marjorie Fox is running for a fourth full term. Fox made the announcement last week, saying she would consider it an honor and a privilege to continue as chief law enforcement officer of Greene County.

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
A father and his teenage son are facing charges for beating a man unconscious on a Jeannette street. Jamie Morton and his 19-year-old son, Damone, were charged Friday for the crime, which occurred Wednesday at the intersection of Clay Avenue and South Seventh Street. The victim, who is dating the elder Morton's ex-girlfriend, claims Morton has been threatening to assault and kill him since he started dating the woman.

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
A man is facing charges for threatening another man with a handgun. The victim was giving Waylon Muniz and a second man a ride from Bentleyville to Centerville last week when an argument broke out. The victim says Muniz choked him, pointed a revolver at him and threatened to blow his brains out.

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SAFETY WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
A car crash is to blame for closing the westbound lanes of I-70 in South Huntingdon yesterday. The report says the driver of a vehicle crashed into a tractor trailer and was taken by medical helicopter to an area hospital.

SAFETY WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
At least five people including three students from the private Valley School of Ligonier in Westmoreland County, were hurt in a crash involving a school bus and a van. The crash occurred in Jefferson Township, in Somerset County, around 7:30 Monday morning. A school spokesman says the student's injuries are not life-threatening.

SAFETY WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
Two towns in West Virginia were evacuated due to a fiery train derailment. It happened near Adena Village, which is about 20 miles north of Wheeling. The CSX train that derailed was carrying crude oil. More than a dozen cars have burst into flames.

GOVERNMENT WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
Governor Tom Wolf's nominee to lead the Pennsylvania State Police is facing opposition from some former state troopers. The Philadelphia "Inquirer" reports they're against confirmation of Acting State Police Commissioner Marcus Brown because he's chosen to wear the uniform, even though despite a long career in law enforcement, he didn't attend the State Police Academy.

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EDUCATION WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
Elementary students in the Greater Latrobe School District will be able to learn more about science, technology, engineering and math thanks to a grant. The Greater Latrobe School Board approved 135 thousand dollars in grant money yesterday.

GOVERNMENT WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
The Obama administration plans to appeal a federal judge's order halting the President's executive actions on immigration. The White House claims the executive actions were well within the President's legal authority. The so-called "Tebow Bill" is heading to Governor Terry McAuliffe's desk after finally clearing the Virginia General Assembly. The state Senate today approved the measure which allows home-schooled children to play sports and participate in other extracurricular activities at public schools if the local school board agrees.

SAFETY**WOGG, OLIVER****20 SECS**

A bill that would fine truckers for not clearing ice and snow from their vehicles is being considered by the Pennsylvania General Assembly. "PennLive.com" reports the bill would allow police to stop a truck if it's believed ice or snow on the vehicle poses a public safety threat.

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CRIME**WOGG, OLIVER****20 SECS**

Police have made an arrest in a decades old cold case. State Police say they've arrested Joseph Leos for the shooting death of 14-year-old John Watson back in 1974. Authorities say Watson was killed in Dunbar Township on his way to the store.

CRIME**WOGG, OLIVER****20 SECS**

An employee with the Ringgold School District is accused of having an inappropriate relationship with a student in the high school. School officials sent home a letter yesterday alerting parents of the incident.

CRIME**WOGG, OLIVER****20 SECS**

Mental health experts are expected to take the stand in the next few days in the trial of the Texas man accused of killing "American Sniper" Chris Kyle. Eddie Ray Routh [[ROWTH]] faces life in prison without parole, if convicted for the 2013 shooting death of Kyle and friend Chad Littlefield.

GOVERNMENT**WOGG, OLIVER****20 SECS**

President Obama says much more needs to be done to prevent the growth of terrorist groups like ISIS. Obama said the government will increase its outreach to communities targeted by terrorists for recruits.

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CRIME**WOGG, OLIVER****20 SECS**

The preliminary hearing for the Jeannette teenager accused of shooting and killing another teen is being rescheduled. Maxwell Marion Morton's hearing has been moved to April first in the Westmoreland County Courthouse. Morton is accused of shooting Ryan Mangan in the head and then taking a photo with the body.

SAFETY**WOGG, OLIVER****20 SECS**

The dangerous cold continues to make headlines in Pennsylvania. Most of western Pennsylvania is under a wind chill warning until noon today. The National Weather Service says low temperatures for the area could be anywhere between 12 to 18 degrees below zero, not factoring in the wind chill.

ECONOMY**WOGG, OLIVER****20 SECS**

Fewer Americans are seeking first-time unemployment benefits from the government, continuing evidence the economy is improving. The Labor Department said yesterday that it received a total of 283-thousand initial claims last week. That's about 21-thousand less than the week prior.

CRIME**WOGG, OLIVER****20 SECS**

Dunbar teen is going to prison for at least five years in connection to a fatal shooting in his home. Eighteen-year-old Andrew Hustosky received the sentence yesterday after pleading no contest to manslaughter charges for the 2014 incident.

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CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS

A Canonsburg contractor is facing charges for scamming his customers out of almost 60-thousand dollars. Salvatore Conte was arraigned last week for the two incidents, in which he accepted money from clients for work he never completed. Police say Conte was doing business under the name Three Dimensional Construction.

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS

A Grindstone man is facing charges for using Craigslist to solicit a teenage girl for sex. John Cain the third was charged Friday after police saw his ad on the site. Undercover officers answered the ad posing as a 13-year-old girl, and set up a meeting at a home in Belle Vernon.

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS

A woman and her son are facing charges for trying to smuggle marijuana into the State Correctional Institution at Fayette. Karen Griffith put balloons of marijuana into a bag of M&Ms and gave them to Jeffrey Griffith while she visited him in the facility last month.

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS

A man is facing charges for exposing himself at a North Union Township hotel. Dagoberto Martinez-Garcia exposed his genitals to a man at the pool in the Hampton Inn on West Main Street Saturday. The victim's three children were also at the pool but didn't see the incident.

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TECHNOLOGY WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS

Google and Apple could soon be taking over the dashboard in cars. The "New York Times" says dealerships around the country will begin selling vehicles capable of running Android Auto and Apple CarPlay. The systems will let a smartphone power a car's center screen and provide icons for phone calls, music, maps, messaging and other apps.

SAFETY WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS

Repairs have been made to a pipe line that caused several hundred people to lose gas in Fayette County. A pipe line in Uniontown was damaged yesterday causing an outage for close to 400 people in Fairbank and New Salem.

PUBLIC INTEREST WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS

One of the winners of the monster Powerball jackpot drawing earlier this month says she's looking forward to traveling the world and giving her kids a better education. Marie Holmes claimed her share of the 564-million-dollar jackpot today in Raleigh, North Carolina.

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS

A reward is being offered for information that leads to the arrest of a suspect in the shooting death of a Uniontown woman over the weekend. The body of 36-year-old Mya Grady was found in a car along Route 40 with a gunshot wound to the head.

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CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS

Police are releasing more information about a Hempfield woman, charged for beating a ten-month-old baby. Jessica Nichols was arrested Monday in connection to what doctors have characterized as "abusive head trauma" to the infant. The child was admitted to the hospital in June for bleeding on the brain after she had been in Nichols' care.

CRIME **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**
A Highland Park woman is facing charges for stabbing a man during a domestic dispute. Madera Johnson was arrested yesterday after stabbing the victim multiple times in the head and chest on Jackson Street. He is in stable condition and is also expected to be charged for the incident.

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Interstate 70 in Washington County is back open following a roll over crash near the West Virginia, Pennsylvania State line. Authorities say the driver of a tractor trailer lost control and went off the road yesterday afternoon.

POLITICS **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**
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CRIME **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**
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CRIME**WOGG, OLIVER****20 SECS**

A Penn-Trafford school aide is accused of assaulting a Penn Middle School special-education student earlier this month. The woman threw a shoe at the girl hitting her in the face and upper chest, and dragged her across a classroom carpet, causing a brush burn on the student's back.

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SAFETY**WOGG, OLIVER****20 SECS**

One man is dead following a crash on Interstate 70. The crash happened early yesterday morning on Interstate 70 in Buffalo Township. Authorities say 28-year-old Ryan Rungo was killed when he lost control of his vehicle causing it to hit the median and roll on its side.

PUBLIC INTEREST**WOGG, OLIVER****20 SECS**

A community in is coming together to remember a teen taken too soon. Family and friends gathered in Charleroi over the weekend to remember 18-year-old Nicholas Gavazzi. Gavazzi was killed in a car crash in Armstrong County last month.

CRIME**WOGG, OLIVER****20 SECS**

Seven people, including a Hopwood podiatrist, are facing charges in connection to a prescription drug ring. Dr. William Ainsley was charged Friday for the scheme, which operated for more than two years. Ainsley prescribed hydrocodone pills to patients who would then return some of the pills to him. Another one of the accused participants is reportedly a corrections officer at SCI-Greene.

CRIME**WOGG, OLIVER****20 SECS**

A Charleroi man is facing charges for having a sexual relationship with a 15-year-old girl. Police say Evan Bell gave the girl a cell phone so she could hide their conversations from her parents. He is also accused of giving her alcohol and cigarettes during their relationship, which lasted from October to January. He was arrested Friday and is facing multiple charges including sexual assault, corruption of minors and witness intimidation.

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SAFETY**WOGG, OLIVER****20 SECS**

A man is dead after crashing his car into a Uniontown business. Witnesses say the car hit Suzzie Jo's Beauty Salon on South Street yesterday afternoon. The driver was taken to the hospital after going into cardiac arrest, and died a short time later.

SAFETY**WOGG, OLIVER****20 SECS**

Rain mixed with melting snow is being blamed for a flood watch for the Monongahela River between Charleroi and Elizabeth. The National Weather Service says the river is expected to crest in Charleroi Thursday morning at nearly 29 feet.

PUBLIC INTEREST**WOGG, OLIVER****20 SECS**

A former White House chef is getting Washington County ready for Restaurant Week. Walter Scheib, author of "White House Chef," will be at Bistecca Steakhouse at the Meadows Casino tonight to talk about his culinary experiences as a chef for the Clintons.

CRIME**Q****WOGG, OLIVER****20 SECS**

Police are investigating an armed robbery at a Jefferson gas station. Officers say a man carrying a pump shotgun entered the BFS on Jefferson Road Sunday morning and demanded money. After getting the cash, the robber told the clerk to have a nice day and took off.

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BUSINESS **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**

A hotel in Connellsville is one step closer to becoming a reality. The Connellsville Planning Commission voted unanimously to approve plans to build a three story, 54 room hotel on North First Street.

CRIME **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**

Police are investigating a theft from the site of the demolition project at the Donora-Webster Bridge. Twenty-five-thousand-dollars worth of tools were stolen, including two large hammer drills valued at ten-thousand dollars apiece.

HEALTH **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**

More than 30 patients and staff members could be infected with the norovirus at the Phoenix VA Health Care System in Arizona. Lab results confirmed the presence of the virus that is more common on cruise ships and in schools.

BUSINESS **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**

Spirit Airlines is going to begin offering daily flights from Arnold Palmer Regional Airport to Chicago O'Hare. The service will begin in May and officials say the flights will allow Spirit passengers to connect from Chicago to Denver, Dallas, Houston, Minneapolis and Las Vegas.

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SAFETY **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**

Authorities are trying to figure out how several barges got loose and started floating down the Monongahela River. The Allegheny County's official Twitter page tweeted out the news yesterday. The barges got loose in the North Versailles area.

CRIME **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**

Officials in Fayette County say they will not be filing charges in connection with a decades old cold case. That's because the suspect in the case has died. Police have been looking for the person responsible for hitting and killing 17-year-old Nioma Sue Gallo who was walking on Route 119 near Uniontown.

HEALTH **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**

The Greene County Health Center is reopening. Governor Tom Wolf's new budget will allow the state Department of Health to begin reopening community health centers that closed under Governor Tom Corbett's administration.

CRIME **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**

A woman charged in connection to a home invasion robbery in Monessen is out of jail. Bobbi Drdul pleaded guilty yesterday to her role in the October incident.

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CRIME **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**

Police have made an arrest in deadly shooting in West Mifflin. Deandre Smith is charged with homicide and a weapons violation in connection with the death of Garrick Marshman whose body was found in the back seat of a car on Lebanon Church Road early yesterday.

SAFETY **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**

Authorities are identifying a man killed in a crash on Route 40 in Henry Clay Township. The Fayette County Coroner says Jon Kohlmeyer died from blunt force trauma.

CRIME **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**

Police are looking for two local men in connection to a cross-country drug ring. Officials announced yesterday that 14 more people have been arrested for the operation bringing the total number charged to 54. Officers say the investigation began two years ago and eventually found cocaine shipments traveling from Los Angeles to Homewood.

SAFETY **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**

An ice jam on the Youghiogheny River is to blame for the destruction of a marina in McKeesport. The ice jam took out more than 70 posts yesterday that are used to mount boat slips at the Marina at McKees Point.

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CRIME **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**

Two people are in custody in connection to a home invasion in New Kensington. The suspects kicked in the door at a house on Constitution Boulevard early Saturday morning during a robbery attempt, but one of the occupants escaped and called police. Police surrounded the home and Ian Watson and Vaughn Malone were arrested at the scene.

HEALTH **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**

A new report says bicycle racing's international governing body spent years ignoring long-standing doping problems and gave special treatment to Lance Armstrong.

TECHNOLOGY **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**

Apple is now ready to unveil its latest product, the Apple Watch. Apple CEO Tim Cook will be front and center today as the company makes its pitch for the watch at an event in downtown San Francisco.

BUSINESS **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**

Pennsylvanians can now get 12-packs at their local beer distributors. The state Liquor Control Board made the announcement Friday, saying distributors can sell the 12-packs if the manufacturer packages them for sale that way. Governor Tom Wolf says the move will enhance customer convenience and enable small breweries to compete with larger companies.

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EDUCATION **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**

The Connellsville Area School District business manager is retiring. The news was announced at last night's school board meeting. The report says Eugene Cunningham will retire effective April 5th.

GOVERNMENT **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**

America's ambassador to South Korea is out of the hospital. Doctors in Seoul removed 80 stitches needed to close the cuts on Ambassador Mark Lippert's face after he was slashed by a man with a knife Thursday.

PUBLIC INTEREST **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**

The head of the University of Oklahoma's Black Student Association is calling for forgiveness for members of a fraternity that were caught on video making racist chants.

SAFETY **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**

The power is back on for thousands of West Penn Power customers in Westmoreland County. Customers experienced a power outage yesterday after flames erupted near a substation in Hempfield. About 85-hundred people lost power.

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crime

WOGG, OLIVER

20 SECS

The 22-year-old Stowe man who stabbed Rocco, a Pittsburgh police dog, to death is going to prison for a long time. John Rush of Stowe was sentenced to nearly 18-years to as much as 44-years following his conviction in December. Rocco was stabbed in January of 2014 when police cornered Rush in the basement of a house in Lawrenceville.

Crime

WOGG, OLIVER

20 SECS

Police are investigating an apparent drive-by shooting in Homestead. Authorities say a teenage boy was shot in the leg yesterday afternoon on East 16th Avenue.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS

WOGG, OLIVER

20 SECS

Four soldiers and seven Marines are missing after an Army helicopter crashed in the Florida Panhandle. A spokesman at Eglin Air Force Base says there's no word on what caused the crash but there were what he called "weather issues" overnight.

GOVERNMENT

WOGG, OLIVER

20 SECS

Hillary Clinton says she has turned over more than 50-thousand emails to the State Department for analysis and public release. She called the release "above and beyond" what she was asked to do.

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CRIME

WOGG, OLIVER

20 SECS

A Carnegie Mellon University graduate student is facing charges for allegedly operating a meth distribution ring. David Holly was arrested and charged yesterday with possession with intent to deliver among other charges.

CRIME

WOGG, OLIVER

20 SECS

A man has been ordered to stand trial in Fayette County for the death of his girlfriend. Terry Walker was in court for his preliminary hearing yesterday. He has been charged with homicide in the death of his girlfriend Mya Ann Grady.

CRIME

WOGG, OLIVER

20 SECS

Two police officers are hospitalized after being shot overnight in the embattled St. Louis suburb of Ferguson.

POLITICS

WOGG, OLIVER

20 SECS

The White House says there's no evidence that former Secretary of State Hillary Clinton deleted any work-related emails. Clinton insists that she sent all work emails to the State Department and deleted only private emails.

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SAFETY

WOGG, OLIVER

20 SECS

Several people are displaced following a fire at an apartment building in Fayette County. The fire broke out around 6:30 last night inside the building on Liberty Street in Uniontown.

SAFETY

WOGG, OLIVER

20 SECS

One person is dead and two more are injured following a one car accident in Carrick. That accident happened around 9 o'clock last night near Beck's Run Road and Wagner Street. The vehicle crashed into a utility pole.

CRIME

WOGG, OLIVER

20 SECS

Ferguson is on edge as a manhunt continues for the person or persons responsible for shooting two police officers. The officers were shot outside the Ferguson, Missouri Police Department Wednesday, just hours after the police chief resigned.

POLITICS **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**
Rudy Giuliani is making more controversial comments about President Obama. In a radio interview yesterday, the former New York City mayor blamed the President for the shooting of two police officers in Ferguson, Missouri.

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CRIME **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**
Authorities are investigating a deadly shooting at a Westmoreland County hotel over the weekend. Brandon Gray was shot at the Garden Inn in New Stanton Saturday night. He was taken to the hospital where he was pronounced dead.

SAFETY **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**
Two people are injured following a crash between a quad and a dirt bike last night in Washington County. The report says the off road accident happened on the Panhandle Trail in Smith Township.

CRIME **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**
Investigators are hunting for the people who shot two Los Angeles Police officers. The officers were wearing street clothes and were in an unmarked car when they were shot Sunday in a residential neighborhood.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**
Secretary of State John Kerry and Energy Secretary Ernest Moniz are meeting with Iranian officials in Switzerland. They're trying to narrow differences on a deal to control Iran's nuclear development before a March 31st deadline.

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CRIME **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**
A teacher in the Greenburg Salem School District has been arrested again. A report says Brian Minick was stopped by police Monday and charged with another DUI. Minick is accused of huffing from an aerosol can.

CRIME **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**
An accused rapist from Lawrenceville is facing new charges. Dustin Moffat posted naked pictures of his ex-girlfriend on a website soliciting sex. He also allegedly posted her phone number on the page. The report says he is now facing a total of 34 charges.

CRIME **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**
A United Airlines passenger is in police custody after causing a scare on a flight to Denver. United Flight 1074 had to turn around and go back to Washington, DC shortly after take-off last night because of the unruly passenger.

GOVERNMENT **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**
Secret Service Director Joe Clancy faces some tough questions in Congress today. Clancy expects be grilled about the latest embarrassing incident involving the Secret Service at today's House budget hearin

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SAFETY **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**
Authorities are investigating a multi vehicle crash on Interstate 70 in Washington County. The crash happed yesterday afternoon in South Strabane Township. At least one medical helicopter was called to the scene. It is unclear how many victims were hurt.

CRIME **WOGG, OLIVER** **20 SECS**
A Penn State University fraternity is in some hot water. The fraternity Kappa Delta Rho has been suspended allegedly after some inappropriate posts were discovered on a private Facebook page connected with the fraternity. Some of those posts included nude or partially nude photos of women who appeared to be passed out. Police and Penn State are investigating.

BUSINESS WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
Apple is expanding its trade-in policy to include non-Apple devices. The iPhone maker started a trade-in program in 2013 to get more users to upgrade to its newest products.

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
Police are investigating after a business in Fayette County was vandalized. A business on West Apple Street in Connellsville was vandalized Monday night. A report says a double window was broken. Nothing was taken from the business.

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SAFETY WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
Park employees and first responders are looking for the man who reportedly went over the waterfall in Ohiopyle State Park Wednesday morning. The man was with a group of friends, but it wasn't clear if he was looking at the Ohiopyle Falls, or trying to take a watercraft over.

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
Vandals are reportedly hampering the controversial deer cull in Mount Lebanon. The program uses bait to lure deer into corrals where they are shot. Opponents say the method being used to reduce the deer population is cruel and unnecessary.

ECONOMY WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
The Federal Reserve is continuing to hold interest rates at historic lows. A statement from the Fed indicates growth in economic activity slowed during the winter months, and the unemployment rate remains high.

BUSINESS WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
In just four years Uber has taken over New York City. According to the Taxi and Limousine Commission, there are over 14 thousand Uber cars operating in the five boros, as compared to just over 13-thousand five-hundred yellow cabs.

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SAFETY WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
There's a recall of all seasonal, cut-out cookies baked and sold in Giant Eagle and Market District supermarkets. The cookies were not labeled as containing milk, and two people have reported getting sick after eating them. Many of the cut-out cookies were decorated for Saint Patrick's Day, and were sold plain or with icing or sprinkles at markets in Pennsylvania, Maryland, Ohio, and West Virginia.

TECHNOLOGY WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
Apple is going to let potential Apple Watch customers give the smartwatch a test run next month. Customers will have up to 15 minutes to check out and try on the iWatch starting April 10th.

BUSINESS WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
Discover and American Express are tops when it comes to customer satisfaction of the biggest credit cards. That's the bottom line of a new survey by Credo.

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
A motel fire that killed one person in Hempfield Township is under investigation. Crews were called to the Motel Three on Route 30 yesterday morning for a report of flames. Timothy Shane was found dead inside one of six small apartments on the property.

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SAFETY

WOGG, OLIVER

20 SECS

The search for the body of a man who fell into the river at Ohiopyle State Park is entering its sixth day. Michael Davila, Jr. climbed over an observation railing Wednesday to have his photo taken, slipped on a wet rock and fell into the waterfall.

CRIME

WOGG, OLIVER

20 SECS

A Clairton man is facing charges after being caught with 30-thousand dollars worth of heroin and cocaine. Police received a tip that Robert Scott had drugs and would be driving a black Kia SUV in McDonald Saturday morning. Officers stopped him and found 65 bricks of heroin, cocaine, packaging material and drug paraphernalia.

ECONOMY

WOGG, OLIVER

20 SECS

Several key economic reports are due out this week as investors try to gauge the timing of a possible interest rate hike.

GOVERNMENT

WOGG, OLIVER

20 SECS

Everyone should have W-2 forms in hand by now, but every year some employers fail to send them out on time. The IRS first suggests contacting your employer, but if that's a dead end, you can call the IRS itself.

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CRIME

WOGG, OLIVER

20 SECS

A Waynesburg man is facing charges for stabbing two people at a Franklin Township bar. Witnesses say Joseph Adams got into an argument with the victims Friday evening outside Buddy's Tavern and stabbed them both. Adams told police the men attacked him and he stabbed them in self-defense.

SAFETY

WOGG, OLIVER

20 SECS

The number of people killed in crashes linked to faulty General Motors ignition switches is growing. Seven more death claims related to the switches on GM vehicles are being approved for compensation from the fund set up by the company.

PUBLIC INTEREST

WOGG, OLIVER

20 SECS

Facebook thinks it has the answer to those annoying spam calls to your mobile phone. According to the website Android Police, the social media giant is testing out an app that will automatically block calls from commonly blocked numbers.

CRIME

WOGG, OLIVER

20 SECS

Police are investigating a bomb threat at Yough Senior High School. The message was found in a bathroom yesterday morning, causing 800 students to be evacuated from the building while crews swept the scene. Nothing suspicious was found

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SAFETY

WOGG, OLIVER

20 SECS

Two products sold in Pittsburgh-based Giant Eagle and Market District supermarkets are being voluntarily recalled. Japanese Breaded Cod Fillets is said to have an undisclosed soy allergen. Little Italy Paninis sold from the store's prepared foods is reported to have an undeclared egg allergen.

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
The death of a 16-year-old Penn Hills boy in Monroeville is being investigated. The victim was shot around 10:30 Monday night and later pronounced dead at Forbes Hospital. Anyone who lives in the area of Trefoil Court where the teen was shot who heard or saw anything is asked to contact Allegheny County police.

ECONOMY WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
California is outpacing every state in the nation when it comes to job growth. A report by the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics shows that California gained half a million jobs over the course of a year ending in January.

BUSINESS WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
Fiat-Chrysler Automobiles has trimmed their labor costs substantially. A Center For Automotive Research study shows the automaker is now close to the hourly average of Japanese competitors Honda and Toyota and about ten-dollars an hour below Ford and General Motors.

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BUSINESS WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
Kraft Foods is merging with ketchup kingpin Heinz Company. Heinz is owned in part by Warren Buffett's Berkshire Hathaway and 3G Capital.

GOVERNMENT WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
Five years later, President Obama is calling his healthcare law a success. This week marks the fifth anniversary of his signing of the Obamacare bill, and the President is celebrating by unveiling a new network to further reduce health care costs.

ECONOMY WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
Mortgage applications are on the rise with interest rates falling. The Mortgage Bankers Association says its index of home purchase demand rose nine and-a-half percent last week.

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
A man convicted of killing a Fayette County couple and their pregnant daughter is having his death sentence thrown out. Mark Edwards has been on death row for more than ten years for the 2002 murders.

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SAFETY WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
Police say two men who were reported missing last year have been found dead. The bodies of both Paul Kochu and Andre Gray were pulled from the Ohio River in West Virginia earlier this month.

CRIME WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
A grandmother convicted of running her granddaughter to death will remain in prison for the rest of her life. The girl collapsed and later died of dehydration.

BUSINESS WOGG, OLIVER 20 SECS
Google's new driverless car may take airbags where they've never gone before. A patent issued to Google on Tuesday gives the company legal rights to develop an airbag system to protect pedestrians.

