

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13G

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

(Amendment No.)

NAME OF ISSUER: Erie Indemnity Company

TITLE OF CLASS OF SECURITIES: Erie Indemnity Company
Class B Common Stock

CUSIP NUMBER 29530P-201

Check the following box if a fee is being paid with this
statement: [X]

CUSIP NO. 29530P-201

(1) Names of Reporting Persons MELLON BANK, N.A.
SS or IRS Identification Nos. IRS No. 25-0659306
of Above Persons

(2) Check the Appropriate Box (a)
if a Member of a Group
(See Instructions) (b)

(3) SEC Use Only

(4) Citizenship or Place of Organization United States

Number of Shares (5) Sole Voting
Beneficially Power 0
Owned by Each
Reporting Person

With (6) Shared Voting
Power 2,340

(7) Sole
Dispositive
Power 0

(8) Shared
Dispositive
Power 2,340

(9) Aggregate Amount Beneficially
Owned by Each Reporting Person 2,340

(10) Check if the Aggregate Amount
in Row (9) Excludes Certain
Shares (See Instructions)

(11) Percent of Class Represented 76.2
by Amount in Row (9)

(12) Type of Reporting Person BK
(See Instructions)

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(1)	Names of Reporting Persons SS or IRS Identification Nos. of Above Persons	H.O. HIRT TRUSTS IRS No. 25-6220688 and 25-6220689
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(2)	Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)	(a) (b)
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(3) SEC Use Only

(4)	Citizenship or Place of Organization	United States
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Number of Shares Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person With	(5)	Sole Voting Power	2,340 (1)
	(6)	Shared Voting Power	0

(7)	Sole Dispositive Power	2,340 (1)
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(8)	Shared Dispositive Power	0
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(9)	Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person	2,340
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(10) Check if the Aggregate Amount
in Row (9) Excludes Certain
Shares (See Instructions)

(11)	Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9)	76.2
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(12)	Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions)	00
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(1) The H.O. Hirt Trusts act through their trustees.
See item 4.

(1)	Names of Reporting Persons SS or IRS Identification Nos. of Above Persons	SUSAN HIRT HAGEN
(2)	Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)	(a) (b)
(3)	SEC Use Only	
(4)	Citizenship or Place of Organization	United States
Number of Shares Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person With	(5) Sole Voting Power	12
	(6) Shared Voting Power	1,170
	(7) Sole Dispositive Power	12
	(8) Shared Dispositive Power	1,170
(9)	Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person	1,182
(10)	Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions)	X X See item 4.
(11)	Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9)	38.5
(12)	Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions)	IN

(1)	Names of Reporting Persons SS or IRS Identification Nos. of Above Persons	F. WILLIAM HIRT
(2)	Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)	(a) (b)
(3)	SEC Use Only	
(4)	Citizenship or Place of Organization	United States
Number of Shares Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person With	(5) Sole Voting Power	10
	(6) Shared Voting Power	1,170
	(7) Sole Dispositive Power	10
	(8) Shared Dispositive Power	1,170
(9)	Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person	1,180
(10)	Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions)	
(11)	Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9)	38.4
(12)	Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions)	IN

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Introductory Statement:

The Reporting Persons filing this Schedule 13G do not believe that they constitute members of a group and are filing this statement jointly pursuant to Rule 13d-1(f). See Exhibit A.

Item 1(a) Name of Issuer:

Erie Indemnity Company (the "Company")

Item 1(b) Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices:

100 Erie Insurance Place
Erie, PA 16530

Item 2 (a) Name of Person Filing:

Mellon Bank, N.A.
H.O. Hirt Trusts (the "Trusts")
Susan Hirt Hagen
F. William Hirt

Item 2(b) Address of Principal Business Office, or if None, Residence:

Mellon Bank, N.A.
One Mellon Bank Center
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15258

H.O. Hirt Trusts
c/o Mellon Bank, N.A.
One Mellon Bank Center
Pittsburgh, PA 15258
Suite 100
Erie, Pennsylvania 16507

Susan Hirt Hagen
c/o Erie Indemnity Company
100 Erie Insurance Place
Erie, Pennsylvania 16530

F. William Hirt
c/o Erie Indemnity Company
100 Erie Insurance Place
Erie, Pennsylvania 16530

Item 2(c) Citizenship:

Mellon Bank, N.A. - United States of America
H. O. Hirt Trusts - United States of America
Susan Hirt Hagen - United States of America
F. William Hirt - United States of America

SCHEDULE 13G (Continued)

Item 2(d) Title of Class of Securities:

Class B Common Stock, no par value (the "Class B Common Stock"), stated value of \$70.00 per share.

Item 2(e) CUSIP Number:

29530P-201

Item 3 Statement Filed Pursuant to Rule 13d-1(b) or Rule 13d-2(b).

Inapplicable

Item 4 Ownership:

(a) Amount Beneficially Owned

As calculated under rule 13d-3, the Trusts beneficially own, as of December 31, 1994, 2,340 shares, or 76.2% of the Class B Common Stock. The Trusts, acting through the trustees, have sole voting power and sole investment power over all 2,340 shares beneficially owned by the Trusts.

Susan Hirt Hagen is a trustee of the Trusts and, in such capacity, shares voting and investment power over all 2,340 shares beneficially owned by the Trusts. Susan Hirt Hagen is also the beneficiary of one of the H.O. Hirt Trusts which holds 1,170 shares, or 38.1% of the Class B Common Stock for her benefit. Susan Hirt Hagen is the direct beneficial owner of 12 shares of Class B Common Stock. These holdings do not include 1 share owned by the Hagen Family Limited Partnership of which Susan Hirt Hagen is a limited partner without voting or dispositive power over the share and 2 shares owned by her husband, Thomas B. Hagen. Susan Hirt Hagen disclaims beneficial ownership of the 2 shares owned by Thomas B. Hagen.

F. William Hirt is a trustee of the Trusts and, in such capacity, shares voting and investment power over all 2,340 shares beneficially owned by the Trusts. F. William Hirt is also the beneficiary of one of the H.O. Hirt Trusts which holds 1,170 shares, or 38.1% of the Class B Common Stock for his benefit. In addition, F. William Hirt is the direct beneficial owner of 10 shares of Class B Common Stock.

Mellon Bank, N.A. is a trustee of the Trusts, and in such capacity, shares voting and investment power over all 2,340 shares beneficially owned by the Trusts.

(b) Percent of Class

H.O. Hirt Trusts, Mellon Bank, N.A., Susan Hirt Hagen,
and F. William Hirt as trustees - 76.22%
Susan Hirt Hagen - 38.5%
F. William Hirt - 38.4%

(c) Number of shares as to which such person has:

(i) sole power to vote or to direct the vote:

The Trusts, acting through the trustees Susan
Hirt Hagen, F. William Hirt and Mellon Bank,
N.A. have the sole right to vote the 2,340
shares held of record by the Trusts.

Susan Hirt Hagen has the sole right to vote the
12 shares she holds directly.

F. William Hirt has the sole right to vote the
10 shares he holds directly.

(ii) shared power to direct the vote:

Not applicable

(iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the
disposition of:

H.O. Hirt Trusts, Mellon Bank, N.A.,
Susan Hirt Hagen, and F. William Hirt
as trustees - 2,340 shares
Susan Hirt Hagen - 12 shares
F. William Hirt - 10 shares

(iv) shared power to dispose or to direct the
disposition of:

Not applicable

Item 5 Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class:

Inapplicable

Item 6 Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of
Another Person:

The H.O. Hirt Trust for which Mellon Bank, N.A.,
F. William Hirt and Susan Hirt Hagen are the
Co-Trustees was created by the settlor H.O. Hirt
and continues for the benefit of his issue.

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Item 7 Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary
Which Acquired the Security Being Reported by the
Parent Holding Company:

Inapplicable

Item 8 Identification and Classification of Members of the
Group:

Inapplicable

Item 9 Notice of Dissolution of Group:

Inapplicable

Item 10 Certification.

Inapplicable

SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best knowledge and belief
of the undersigned, the undersigned certifies that the information
as to it set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Date: February 14, 1995

THE H.O. HIRT TRUSTS
By: MELLON BANK, N.A.
TRUSTEE

/s/ Stephen A. Yoder
By: Stephen A. Yoder
Assistant General
Counsel

Date: February 14, 1995

/s/ Susan Hirt Hagen
Susan Hirt Hagen

Date: February 14, 1995

/s/ F. William Hirt
F. William Hirt

Date: February 14, 1995

MELLON BANK, N.A. TRUSTEE

/s/ Stephen A. Yoder
By: Stephen A. Yoder
Assistant General
Counsel

Attention: Intentional misstatements or omissions of fact
constitute Federal criminal violations (See 18 U.S.C. 1001).

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Exhibit A

Joint Filing Statement

In accordance with Rule 13d-1(f) promulgated pursuant to the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the persons named below agree to the joint filing on behalf of each of them of a Statement on Schedule 13G, including amendments thereto, with respect to the Class B Common Stock of Erie Indemnity Company and further agree that this Joint Filing Statement be included as an Exhibit to such joint filing.

Date: February 14, 1995

MELLON BANK, N.A. AS
TRUSTEE OF THE H.O. HIRT
TRUSTS

/s/ Stephen A. Yoder
By: Stephen A. Yoder
Assistant General Counsel

Date: February 14, 1995

/s/ Susan Hirt Hagen
Susan Hirt Hagen

Date: February 14, 1994

/s/ F. William Hirt
F. William Hirt