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News Briefs

by Sal Giarratani

Is the NRA Doing Target Practice On Democrats?

The headline on a story in the March issue of the N.R.A.'s *American Rifleman* magazine written by the NRA's Chief lobbyist Chris Cox criticizing newly introduced bipartisan universal background checks was a photo of Nancy Pelosi and Gabrielle Gifford's next to the words "Target Practice." Several liberals called the placement of the photos next to the words "Target Practice" to be an intentional attempt to incite violence against the two Democrats pictured.

According to U.S. Rep Eric Swalwell, D-CA, "The NRA's words here are clear. They may pretend that the article is about something different but everyone can see what is being suggested." Time to shut them down (NRA)!

At the moment the firestorm continues on social media. Swalwell wants to see legal; consequences against the NRA for its "Target Practice" headline. Conservatives retort that critics are reading too much into the words.

Kudos to U.S. Rep. Dan Crenshaw, R-Texas for his push back against Swalwell suggesting that the Democrat was stirring up fake outrage, "If your goal is to ensure that OUTRAGE CULTURE is alive and well, continuing to divide us, congrats," stated Crenshaw.

Rats! I'm Trapped

Somebody Call the Fire Department

Great photo story last week in the *NY Post*, it ran with a large photo of a rat trapped in a sewer grate over in Germany in the town of Bensheim. No fewer than seven fire fighters showed up to make the rescue. They lifted the manhole, lassoed the rodent and set it free. One firefighter stated, "Even animals that are hated deserve respect." (Continued on Page 10)

Appealing for the Continued Peeling of a Historic Bell

by Meghan Maloney



Many who travel down Hanover Street in Boston's historic North End, whether they are a tourist or a local, stop and look up at the bell tower that sits atop the red-bricked exterior of St. Stephen's Church. Those that know their history, know that they are looking at a tower that holds a bell made by Boston's most famous midnight rider — Paul Revere. Those that might not know the history soon discover, upon entering St. Stephen's, that they have stepped into a building that is not only where Paul Revere and his father had at one time attended religious services; but is also, the last remaining church in Boston designed by famed architect, Charles Bulfinch.

Fast-forward many years beyond Bulfinch's day, and

you have a historic landmark, emblematic of all the generations of Patriots and immigrants who had, at one time or another, lived and worshiped in the North End including Rose Fitzgerald Kennedy's family, who had her baptized at the church in the late 1800s.

But, along with that great history comes age. Today, the bell tower is in desperate need of repair, with the wood rotting and in need of repainting with special weather-resistant paint. Father David Costello, pastor of St. Stephen's, explained that funding for this important project has become complicated. With much of St. Stephen's congregation made up of visiting tourists rather than a consistent, large group of parishioners, weekly donations tend to amount to less than

those of other area churches. Additionally, many historical preservation foundations restrict funding from buildings they consider "religious," making Fr. Costello's task a daunting one. Just this week, in fact, the Supreme Court declined to hear a legal dispute from the state of New Jersey over the use of state tax money to repair churches.

Thankfully, the fundraising "thermometer" Fr. Costello has set up inside St. Stephen's doors has been an impetus for those who visit to contribute to this worthwhile effort to preserve a part of our city's history. A GoFundMe Page has also been set up under Fr. David Costello's name to allow those that can't make it to the church to donate online. "We are blessed that St. Stephen's Church is steeped in history and has been part of the fabric of the North End for so long," said Costello. "It would be remiss of us not to preserve it to allow for future generations to practice their faith and appreciate the historic and architectural significance of such a beautiful house of worship."

Costello encourages individuals and families of all faiths and backgrounds to stop by and see a part of our city's great history. Those who want to know more about helping with the bell tower project are encouraged to call Fr. Costello at 617-523-1230.

GREEN CROSS

Always More than Just a Drug Store



The Giangregorio's taking the helm of Green Cross Pharmacy. L-R: Fernando Giangregorio, Frances Parise, Palmira Giangregorio, Dr. Rosetta Amodeo-Hassen, previous owner Anthony Amodeo, Dr. William Hassen, Giuseppe "Peppe" Giangregorio, and Joseph Pagliuca. Circa 1954

Fernando and Giuseppe "Peppe" Giangregorio getting ready to close shop at Green Cross Pharmacy after 55 years in business.

*The Post-Gazette
 Wishes that the
 Giangregorio Family
 Enjoy the adventures
 that await them!*



Stirpe Nostra

by Prof. Edmund Turiello

A weekly column highlighting some of the more interesting aspects of our ancestry...our lineage...our roots.



THE HANGING GARDENS



The Seven Wonders of the World is the name given to two separate groups of buildings or works of art. Texts list the Wonders of the Ancient World and the Wonders of the Modern World. The Hanging Gardens of Babylon are listed in the first group. They occupied about one-hundred-sixty-thousand-square-feet of space in the huge complex that was the palace of King Nebuchadnezzar. The gardens were actually a series of terraces, which were constructed one above the other. Each terrace was supported on huge brick arches bringing the total height of the structure to about three-hundred-feet and equal to the height of the city walls. The ascent between terraces was by ten-foot wide stairs.

The terraces or garden areas were constructed on a base of

huge flat stones four-foot-wide and sixteen-foot-long. Over this base was set a layer of reeds mixed with great quantities of bitumen. Next came two layers of bricks closely cemented together. All of this was then covered with thick sheets of lead (lead is mentioned in the Old Testament, and is one of the first metals known to man). The lead was then covered with a layer of earth, which was thick enough for large trees to take root. All of the terraces were covered with trees, shrubs, flowers, and plants of every description including vines, which hung over the edges. Water for irrigation was raised from the Euphrates River below by an innovative type of screw pump. Several magnificent apartments were located in the spaces between the arches at the various terrace levels.

The wife of Nebuchadnezzar was a beautiful woman who came from the Country of Media and her name was Amyitis. The king built all of this as a gift, and to help alleviate the longing she had for her native land. He certainly was a generous and thoughtful husband. What have you men done for your wives lately?

NEXT WEEK:
The Tower of Babel

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Middlesex Probate and Family Court
208 Cambridge Street
Cambridge, MA 02141
(617) 768-5800

Docket No. MI19P0241EA

Estate of
CONSTANCE HAINES

Date of Death October 29, 2018

**CITATION ON PETITION FOR
FORMAL ADJUDICATION**

To all interested persons:

A Petition for S/A - Formal Adjudication of Intestacy and Appointment of Personal Representative has been filed by Ernest D. Dennison of Holliston, MA requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that Ernest D. Dennison of Holliston, MA be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve With Surety on the bond in an unsupervised administration.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before 10:00 a.m. on the return day of March 28, 2019.

This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

UNSUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION UNDER THE MASSACHUSETTS UNIFORM PROBATE CODE (MUPC)

A Personal Representative appointed under the MUPC in an unsupervised administration is not required to file an inventory or annual accounts with the Court. Persons interested in the estate are entitled to notice regarding the administration directly from the Personal Representative and may petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including the distribution of assets and expenses of administration.

Witness, HON. EDWARD F. DONNELLY, JR.,
First Justice of this Court.
Date: February 28, 2019

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate

Run date: 3/8/2019

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
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Middlesex Division
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Docket No. MI19P0823EA

Estate of
DANIEL J. MOORE

Also Known As

DANIEL JOSEPH MOORE

Date of Death JANUARY 13, 2019

**INFORMAL PROBATE
PUBLICATION NOTICE**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner **Pauline R. Moore** of Wayland, MA a Will has been admitted to informal probate.

Pauline R. Moore of Wayland, MA has been informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve without surety on the bond.

The estate is being administered under informal procedure by the Personal Representative under the Massachusetts Uniform Probate Code without supervision by the Court. Inventory and accounts are not required to be filed with the Court, but interested parties are entitled to notice regarding the administration from the Personal Representative and can petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including distribution of assets and expenses of administration. Interested parties are entitled to petition the Court to institute formal proceedings and to obtain orders terminating or restricting the powers of Personal Representatives appointed under informal procedure. A copy of the Petition and Will, if any, can be obtained from the Petitioner.

Run date: 3/8/19

Order Sons of Italy in America Charity Commission Hosts Christmas Parties

by Carol Rossi



Standing L-R: Maurizio Cattaneo, OSIA members State Trustee Kathleen Cammarata, State Trustee Michele Goss, Robert Oliverio, Past State President Florence Ferullo Guidara, President OSIA Lodge #2996 in the North End Luigi Natale, State Trustee and Charity Commissioner Carol Rossi, Charitable & Educational Trust Chairman Angelo Rossi, Magazine Chair Pam Donnaruma, Public Relations Chair Kathi Young, Luciano Graffeo. Seated Alpha Parandela-Cattaneo with the parents and children who are staying at the Casa.



The Order Sons of Italy in America (OSIA) through its Charity Commission hosted its annual Christmas party at the Casa Monte Cassino on Tileston Street in the North End. The Casa Monte Cassino is one of the local charities which the Order has supported for many, many years.

There were four patients in residence. Three patients each had one parent with them. The fourth patient had both his parents and his five-month-old brother with him. This family was Italian.

Each year the Order supplies gifts for patients and parents alike. This year there were furry, warm blanket "wrap-arounds" and toasty slipper socks for the Mamas, fleece pull-overs and warm socks for the Papas and a myriad of toys for the children. What fun and smiles these toys brought to their faces!! Music played while everyone ate pizza and delicious cookies, the patients played with their gifts and State Trustee and Charity Commissioner Carol Rossi, Charitable & Educational Trust Chairman Angelo Rossi, Past State President Florence Ferullo Guidara, State Trustee Kathleen Cammarata, State Trustee Michele Goss, Public Relations Chair Kathi Young, Magazine Chair Pam Donnaruma, Robert Oliverio ("Santa"), Luigi Natale, President of the recently installed OSIA Lodge #2996 in the North End, Louie Graffeo and John Boyden, OSIA mem-

bers, visited with the parents and Alpha Parandela-Cattaneo and her husband Maurizio.

During the festivities, the Italian father stated what his family's stay at the Casa has meant to them and expressed profound gratitude for the love and caring they have found at the Casa while they go through

this trying time for their son. He further stated he was grateful to the Italian community and to everyone who has made the Casa a refuge for hurting families.

The party at the Casa Monte Cassino is the highlight of the Christmas celebrations hosted by the Order Sons of Italy - seeing the joy on the faces of these patients who are very far from home, some with painful injuries or illnesses. Even though most of the patients and parents did not speak English, the grateful expressions of the parents and the laughter and smiles of the patients "spoke much louder than any words could". Although it was bitter cold outside, the warmth inside was tangible.

The Casa party is one of three that the Order hosts at Christmas. They also bring "Santa" and his bag of gifts to the North End Nursing Home and to the Don Orione Nursing Home.

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OUR POLICY: To help preserve the ideals and sacred traditions of this our adopted country the United States of America: To revere its laws and inspire others to respect and obey them: To strive unceasingly to quicken the public's sense of civic duty: In all ways to aid in making this country greater and better than we found it.

Revere Native Earns Junior Sailor of the Quarter Selection for Naval Hospital Bremerton

by Douglas H. Stutz,
Naval Hospital Bremerton Public Affairs Officer



It's not infrequent for hospital corpsmen in varied career stages to share a common connection.

Such proved to be the case for Navy Hospital Corpsman 3rd Class Dylan Stuart selected as Naval Hospital Bremerton (NHB) Junior Sailor of the Quarter. Stuart was one of four sailors selected

for the special recognition earned serving at NHB.

Stuart, a Revere High School graduate and Revere, Massachusetts, native, is the Leading Petty Officer of NHB's Physical Therapy and Occupational Therapy department.

For Stuart, with six years in the Navy, NHB is his second assignment after an initial tour at Branch Health Clinic in Iwakuni, Japan.

The most rewarding aspect of his career has been interacting and helping others he has worked for and worked with during his assigned duties.

"The relationships formed with my peers throughout the years has been the most gratifying, and saying goodbye to those people that I've grown close to and having to form new relationships has been the most difficult," Stuart said.

Stuart's duty in the Far East has provided him his favorite memory as part of Navy Medicine.

"As a lead emergency medical technician instructor at Iwakuni, I was seeing the students I taught put their knowledge to good use and work together to take care of our sailors, Marines and their families," Stuart said.

Although Stuart is transitioning in several years back to Revere to work for the fire department, he plans to continue to do all he can to assist others with their goals.

"There are two other third class petty officers in my department," Stuart said. "My goal before I separate, is to help them both advance in rate."

The common connection amongst the four goes well beyond being recognized as Sailor of the Quarter. Each observes the Hospital Corps pledge to hold the care of those sick and injured to be a sacred trust, as well as dedicate heart, mind, strength to their work, and do all within their power to carry themselves as an example of all this is honorable and good throughout their Navy career.

"Congratulations on your selection and thanks for your hard work, dedication and sustained superior performance," said Capt. Jeffrey Bitterman, NHB commanding officer. "Our sailors, Marines and their families depend on you. You deliver readiness and safe high quality healthcare on a daily basis. Keep up the great work."

NHB Washington has a three-fold primary mission to support our warfighters, past and present, and their families by: Providing exceptional care anytime, anywhere; shape military medicine through training, research, and graduate medical education; and to prepare our forces for deployment.

N.E.A.D. Family Dinner/Family Talk

North End Against Drugs will be having another Family Dinner/Family Talk on Monday, March 18th at the Nazzaro Center at 5:30 p.m. This event is free Our guest speaker is Dr. Christin Price, who is the Program Administrative Director of the Brigham Health Bridge Clinic and Clinical Director, Medicaid ACO at Brigham and Women's Hospital/BWPO. Dinner will be macaroni, meatballs, salad, bread and butter with a soft drink and cookies for dessert.

We hope you can make it. There is a limited amount of seating so please sign up ASAP by responding to John Romano at jromano45@gmail.com or calling 617-750-9749. All adults must be accompanied by their children and vice versa. North End/Waterfront residents, Nazzaro Center members, NEAA members and children who attend St. John or Eliot Schools are welcome. You must reserve a spot. We look forward to seeing you all there.

Event sponsored in part by Eversource, Inc., North End Against Drugs with thanks to the Nazzaro Community Center, a BCYF site.

James Sorrento

May He Rest in Peace

James Sorrento, 84, of Revere, formerly of East Boston, passed away on Tuesday, February 26, 2019.

He was the loving father of Dr. Jim Sorrento and his daughter-in-law, Rachael of Rowley, and Mark Sorrento of Winthrop. Jim was adored by his grandchildren, Stephen Moniz and Anthony Sorrento. He was the caring brother of the late Sarah Robinson, Marie Mascis, and late Joseph, Salvatore, Frank, and Charles Sorrento. He is also survived by many loving nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

Jim was born and raised in East Boston, and was an avid baseball and football player at East Boston and English High. James joined the army and was a Korean War Veteran, stationed in Europe. After his military career, he was a Waterfront Director at East Boston Camps in Westford. It was here that James met his wife, Rita. James was a graduate of Boston State, and worked as an Adjustment Counselor in Boston, a Title 1 Director in Revere, and a teacher at Lynn Public Schools.



He was a member of St. Anthony's Parish, and his favorite pastimes included watching old movies, golfing and dancing. Jim loved to travel, near and far. Above all, Jim valued family, and enjoyed raising his two sons, and later spending time and sharing his knowledge with his grandchildren.

Family and friends honored James's life by gathering in Vazza's "Beechwood" Funeral Home, Revere on Tuesday, March

5th, and again at 8:30 a.m. Wednesday morning before leaving in procession to St. Anthony's Church in Revere for a Funeral Mass celebrating his honor.

Interment followed at Woodlawn Cemetery in Everett.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in James's name to the Neighborhood PACE Program at the East Boston Neighborhood Health Center at www.ebnhc.org or to St. Anthony of Padua Restoration Fund, 250 Revere Street, Revere, MA 02151.

Jacqueline Martins

Jacqueline Martins of Revere, formerly of the North End, entered into eternal peace on March 1, 2019.

Born in Boston on July 8, 1938, to the late Antonio and Clara Martins (Souza).

Devoted mother of Fr. Michael Della Penna of Guatemala, Valarie Marchese of Revere, and the late Mark Della Penna, Sr. Dear sister of Clara Clemente and her husband Philip, Lenore Martins, Virginia Coldwell and her husband Ron, the late Dolores Siciliano and her surviving husband Eddie, and the late Richard and Jimmy Costa. Cherished grandmother of Mark Della Penna, Jr., Michael and



Mark Marchese. Also survived by many loving nieces and nephews.

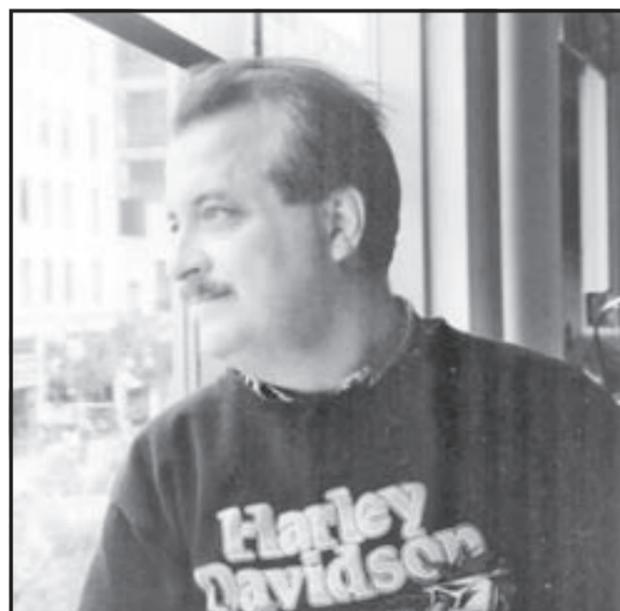
Visitation on Thursday, March 7, 2019, from 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., and on Friday, March 8, 2019, at 11:00 a.m. at the Paul Buonfiglio & Sons-Bruno Funeral Home, 128 Revere Street, Revere, followed by a celebration of the Funeral Mass at St. Anthony's Church in Revere at 12:00 p.m. Relatives and friends are kindly invited. Interment at Holy Cross Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Valley of the Angels, P.O. Box 522505, Miami, FL 33152 or at www.valleyoftheangels.com/donate.

In Loving Memory of Dominic F. Giarratani, II

March 5, 2007-
March 5, 2019

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East Boston "K" Trust 2019 College Scholarships

The East Boston "K" Trust is now accepting college scholarship applications from qualified high school seniors. Applications are accepted from all seniors who are **East Boston residents** (one year minimum) regardless of where they attend high school. The only residency exception is for seniors who are members of the Key Club of East Boston High School. Scholarships are awarded to students based on scholastic achievement, community involvement and financial need.

Applications with complete instructions are available at all area high schools (please see Guidance Counselor for an application*).

All applications must be completed and submitted by **Friday March 29th, 2019** to: East Boston

K-Trust. ATTN: Marisa Di Pietro, East Boston Social Centers, 68 Central Square, East Boston, MA 02128

Applicants will be interviewed at Spinelli's in East Boston on Tuesday April 9th, at 5:30 p.m.

Scholarship winners will be honored during a special East Boston Kiwanis and East Boston "K" Trust Scholarship Dinner on **Tuesday, April 30, 2019** at 5:30 p.m., at Spinelli's in East Boston.

RSVP's are required.

*Applications are also available at the EB Social Centers, Room 103, at 68 Central Square

Contact Marisa Di Pietro at mdipietro@ebsoc.org or 617-569-3221 ext. 107, for tickets or more info.

L'Anno Bello: A Year in Italian Folklore

Repose and Renewal at Lent

by Ally Di Censo Symynkywicz



We find ourselves in the midst of the changeable month of March, and spring seems palpably in our grasp. Sparkling shamrocks and mischievous leprechauns adorn doorways and windows across my town, reminding me of the upcoming St. Patrick's Day festivities. Robins herald the arrival of a new season with their blazing red breasts as they hop about on the slowly-budding tree branches. Crocuses and daffodils begin to wink from newly-churned dirt. However, though the signs of spring prove plentiful, other aspects of nature tell us that we are still in a period of transition, when the weather remains as unpredictable as the March winds. Clumps of old snow, stubborn to melt, cling to the ground under trees or on the edges of parking lots, while an occasional slate-gray sky threatens additional wintry weather. Bursts of frigid air still send us scrambling for heavy coats, scarves and gloves. In supermarkets, agricultural produce comes to a virtual standstill, as the lemons and oranges of winter dwindle before they can be replaced by the tender greens and herbs of spring. During this time of the year, when winter reluctantly yields its hold on spring, folk customs around the world honor the changing of the seasons. For example, we are now in the period of Lent, an interval which boasts profound religious significance but also cultural and seasonal importance. Lent mirrors the changes occurring in the natural world and guides us towards spring with a sense of promise, hope and renewal.

This year, Lent began on

March 6th, Ash Wednesday. It covers a 40-day period prior to Easter, the most important feast in the Christian calendar. These days serve to prepare the faithful for Easter through purification rituals such as prayer, fasting, charity and self-reflection. The timing of Lent is highly symbolic, as it occurs during a seemingly barren season in which nature also purifies herself after a long winter, emerging ready for the rebirth of spring. In order to appreciate the glory of Easter and spring, we need to embrace the seasonal transition with contemplation and introspection, an opportunity which Lent generously affords us. When my father was a child in Italy, Lent, or *la Queresima*, functioned as a somber and austere period, matching the chill sterility of nature. Though the rules have relaxed since then, the rite of purification remains the crux of Lenten customs in Italy and beyond. This explains the popular practice of giving up a bad habit or an indulgence for Lent, a tradition which is not mentioned in the Bible but nevertheless fits seamlessly with the folkloric cleansing rituals of the season. The purpose of this Lenten abstinence should not be deprivation, but rather a chance to examine our values or priorities and improve ourselves. This Lent, for example, I gave up my beloved iced chai lattes, in order that I may stretch out of my comfort zone and discover new flavors. The promise of Lent, however, stands in the fact that all of our hard work will be rewarded with a beautiful springtime. After all, the English term for Lent shares

the same root with the word *lengthen*, referring to the growth of daylight in the spring sky!

Lent means more than saying goodbye to your favorite treat, though. In Italy, this meditative time inspired the creation of unique folk traditions and customs that would come define the tapestry of pre-Easter celebrations. The most famous Lenten rule involves the forbidding of meat on Fridays; as such, ingenious Italian cooks devised many fish and vegetable dishes for these days. A visitor to Italy during Lent will notice farmers' markets bursting with fresh fish and *baccalà* (dried cod), along with the first spring vegetables, from which can be crafted a nourishing minestrone. Italians also snack on *quaresimali*, or almond biscuits, which, as the name suggests, are made especially for Lent. According to the author Helen Barolini in her book *Festa*, a simple and customary Italian Lenten dessert is *pizza fritta*, fried dough sprinkled with sugar. My mother and grandmother would frequently whip up this dessert when I was younger, much to my pleasure, though I only recently learned of its Lenten connotations. The people in Italy also celebrate the fourth Sunday of Lent as *Mezza Quaresima*, or mid-Lent. These festivities mark the halfway point of Lent and honor the imminent arrival of Easter, and many Italian towns and cities hold parties and processions reminiscent of Carnival. Of course, due to the self-reflection and sacrifice that accompanies Lent, it is important to remember that giving is just as powerful as abstaining. People in Italy and around the world commemorate Lent with charity and community service, and truly there is no better way to spread the light of spring than by helping others.

Though the checkered March weather makes it appear as if winter will never quite lose its grasp on spring, holidays like Lent skillfully guide us in managing this transition and welcoming a new season. Now that the luxurious chocolates of St. Valentine's Day and the raucous Mardi Gras decorations are swept away, the time proves right for purification and introspection. The rites of Lent, replete with their emphasis on self-improvement and reflection, echo the regeneration of nature as the vernal equinox, and later Easter, approach. Lent is a time to do good deeds, to ruminate on the successes and challenges of the past year, and to cleanse yourself of negative emotions and distractions prior to triumph and rejuvenation of spring. Significantly, Lent is a season of hope — hope for the promise of Easter, hope for the return of the spring sun. Nature will reawaken, the sun will resplendently shine, and the wheel of the year will roll on, carrying with us through life's treasures.

Ally Di Censo Symynkywicz is a high school history teacher. She appreciates any comments and suggestions about Italian holidays and folklore at adicenso89@gmail.com.

THINKING OUT LOUD

by Sal Giarratani



Why Do Many of Us go into Full Panic Over Snow?

This winter has been pretty mild. We are into March. This weekend, we will turn the clocks ahead. February was great. The Red Sox are playing again down in Florida. Right now, it's Sunday evening (March 3rd). We are expecting to get the biggest snowfall tonight into the morning.

I really don't care. I won't be watching the TV weather all evening long. Who needs that kind of stress? We have all seen winter in Boston before. It snows because that's normal. My God I went to the supermarket a few hours ago for milk because I actually ran out of it and

the place was a zoo. Everyone seemed to be in panic mode. I guess no one will ever see spring water again or a loaf of bread or, yes, the milk. All gone forever. Last year, I actually saw a shopper with his priorities on straight. He had a large package of toilet paper.

Oh, outside of a house, I saw a homeowner shoveling his sidewalk. Why? Just wait 'til the morning, do your shoveling then. However, at one point I was passing a car wash. I let someone out in front of me with his shiny pick-up. Once again, I asked myself WHY? It's gonna snow, just wait 'til it passes.

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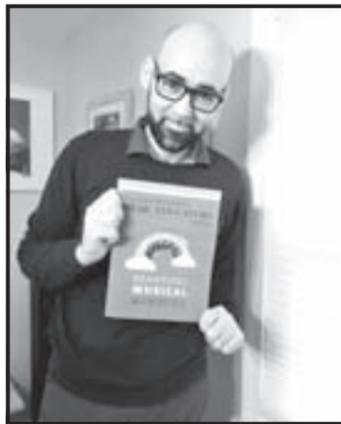
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along the way, he soon started listening to popular jazz and soul singers who would influence his learning and help shape his future performances.

Mr. Marchese moved to Rome to attend Corrado Pani Arts Accademy and graduated in Literature from Roma Tre University. He became a soloist for a variety of groups such as "Unbound Voices Gosper Choir" and "All Music Big Band," which provided him the opportunity to perform in notable stages such as "Varese International Gospel Festival" and "Villa Celimontana Jazz Festival," and work for RAI Television (Italy's public national broadcaster.)

As an educator, he has worked as a vocal coach and music director for a number of private schools in Rome including "Ars Nova School of Music," "Accademia della Musica," and "Jobel Teatro-Arteam School of Art," and public schools in Pescara like "Dante Alighieri" (Pescara) and "Liceo Scientifico Galileo Galilei." He's collaborated with Cinzia Spata on her book *Jazz Vocal* (Volonte' & Co., Milano, 2010) which has become a very popular vocal technique book in Italy.

In 2010, he moved to Boston from his native Italy to expand his music horizons and, in 2013, graduated from Berklee College of Music, majoring in Contemporary Writing and Production.

Mr. Marchese had the pleasure to be selected as music arranger for Grammy Award Nominee Luis Enrique (best known as "The Prince of Salsa") and for a Whitney Houston Tribute. He is also an avid music writer for artists and groups such as Scanzonati, Modular Art Collective Ensemble, and many others.

Since 2011, he performed with the vocal groups The Singing Tribe and Sung Deep. Marchese also had the pleasure to study and perform with wonderful musicians and artists such as Bill Elliot, Bob Stoloff, David Scott, Joey Blake, Norma Winston, JD Walter, Donna



McElroy, Barry Harris, Maria Pia De Vito, Patrice Rushen, and twelve-time Grammy Award winner Bobby McFerrin, to name a few.

In addition to Jazz, he has explored many projects that include writing jingles for advertisements and television, and for small and ensembles and film scoring.

He has produced the first TV show for Italians abroad *L'Italia Chiamò* and has directed several concert series in Boston, including NEMPAC's "Jazz in the Park."

Maestro Marchese is affectionately known by his students as "Mr. M." He is warm, honest, and passionate, yet soft, unwavering, and direct. He is undeniably a passionate multifaceted educator, performer, artist, singer, writer, arranger, composer, and producer who seeks more meaningful and cultural diversity in music.

He lives in Medford with his wife Milena (who he calls Milly), their young son Vittorio, and their dog Momo. He is a fan of the "Juve" (Juventus Football Club) and cheers the Italian soccer team when they play in the UEFA Champions League.

Mr. Marchese has already received many awards and scholarships, and we are not surprised of his continued success. We wholeheartedly congratulate him for his latest achievements.

For information about Music Education programming at NEMPAC, please visit www.nempacboston.org.

North End Music & Performing Art Center (NEMPAC) is pleased to celebrate Mr. Stefano Marchese's success! Mr. Marchese recently received his first publication in the *Massachusetts Music Educators Journal*, titled "Music Production as a Culturally Responsive Teaching Tool," and received the Music Education Award from Berklee College of Music and Boston Conservatory, which truly reflect his knowledge, enthusiasm, and unwavering commitment to music education.

Mr. Marchese has been a NEMPAC music instructor, Eliot K-8 Innovation School music director, and artistic director of NEMPAC Summer Concert Series for over three years. NEMPAC is very proud of all the work he does at our school partnership site at the Eliot K-8 Innovation School to lead its music program and is fortunate that the Eliot School and Principal Traci Walker Griffith make the arts a priority in their school. With support from the *EdVestors BPS Arts Expansion Fund* and *Liberty Foundation*, the NEMPAC/Eliot School Music Program continues to grow and develop.

He was born the oldest of three siblings — with Francesco and Frederica — in the town of Pescara, in the Abruzzo region and the beautiful Adriatic coast of Italy. His music journey began as a child, when he kicked off his music education with classical guitar and voice lessons. With the support of his family and many educators

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NEAD FAMILY PRIDE WEEK

Photos Through the Years

Thanks to N.E. Branch Librarian, Jennifer Hawes, photos from many years of North End Against Drugs' Annual North End Family Pride Week events are available for viewing at the library. Over 1,100 photos from 2002, 2003, 2004, 2006, 2007, 2009, 2010, 2016, 2017, and 2018 are at the library. Just ask at the front desk, they are in the neighborhood history section of the library. Most of the photos are taken by Michele Morgan, with some taken by several unknown photographers. "We are grateful to Jennifer for allowing the photos to be stored at the library and even more thankful to Michele for taking these awesome pictures over the years" stated NEAD President John Romano. "We hope many of you will stop by the library and enjoy looking back in time and seeing your family and friends at our great events held throughout the past years."



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Docket No. MI19P1107EA

Estate of
FRANCIS J. BURKE
Date of Death January 23, 2019

INFORMAL PROBATE
PUBLICATION NOTICE

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner **Patrick J. Burke of Burlington, MA**, a Will has been admitted to informal probate.

Patrick J. Burke of Burlington, MA has been informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve **without surety** on the bond.

The estate is being administered under informal procedure by the Personal Representative under the Massachusetts Uniform Probate Code without supervision by the Court. Inventory and accounts are not required to be filed with the Court, but interested parties are entitled to notice regarding the administration from the Personal Representative and can petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including distribution of assets and expenses of administration. Interested parties are entitled to petition the Court to institute formal proceedings and to obtain orders terminating or restricting the powers of Personal Representatives appointed under informal procedure. A copy of the Petition and Will, if any, can be obtained from the Petitioner.

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Saint Joan of Valois, O. Ann. M.

by Bennett Molinari and Richard Molinari



Joan was born on April 23, 1464, in the County of Dreux, France. She was the second daughter of King Louis XI of France and of his second wife Charlotte of Savoy. Shortly after her birth, the king signed an agreement to marry her to his second cousin Louis, the Duke of Orléans, later King Louis XII of France, who was age two, at the time.

Joan was born sickly, she walked with a limp and is believed to have had curvature of the spine. King Louis entrusted his daughters, Joan and Anne, to the Baron François de Linières and his wife, Anne de Culan. The couple discovered that although her body wasn't sound, the little girl's brain was sharp. Joan was educated in literature, rhetoric, and mathematics. Joan developed spiritually, and became a staunch devotee of Our Lady. She loved particularly to ponder the mysteries of Mary's rosary.

On September 8, 1476, at the age of 12, Joan was married to Louis, Duke of Orléans in Montrichard. She made the best of the marriage and was most devoted to her husband,

and when he was imprisoned she made every effort to secure his release, even saving his life. Nonetheless, the Duke treated her harshly, and when he ascended his throne as Louis XII he appealed to the pope for an annulment.

Pope Alexander VI granted the appeal in 1498 on the grounds that there had never been any free consent. Liberated from their union, the Queen, now named Duchess of Berry, was assigned to rule her duchy. Settling in Bourges, its capital.

Once settled in her new domain, Joan confided to her spiritual director, the Blessed Gabriel Mary, O.F.M., her desire for monastic life. He supported her in this venture, and she began to make plans for the Order of the Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary, a new enclosed religious order in honor of the Annunciation. It was established as an independent branch of the Poor Clares. The Rule of Life she had written for the Order was approved on February 12, 1502, by Pope Alexander.

On Pentecost Sunday 1504, Joan and Friar Gabriel Mary made private commitments to follow the Rule, and thereby established themselves as co-founders of the Order.

Joan died on February 4, 1505, and was buried in the chapel of the Annonciade monastery. Her grave was desecrated and her body, found to be incorrupt at that time, was burned by the Huguenots. Soon after her death, miracles and healings attributed to her occurred. The cause for her canonization was begun in 1631 and Pope Benedict XIV beatified her on April 21, 1742. She was canonized on May 28, 1950 by Pope Pius XII.

The Feast Day of Saint Joan of Valois is February 4th.



Mrs. Murphy . . . As I See It

Disturbing white nationalist propaganda was spread along Meridian

Street, Maverick and Central Squares recently. After posters promoting white supremacy appeared recently residents sprang into action walking street to street to tear them down. State Representative Adrian Madaro, State Senator Joe Boncore, and Boston City Councilor Lydia Edwards sprang into action and said East Boston will not tolerate the disrespectful degrading actions of a handful of troublemakers! The culprits have been identified as three teenagers from out of town ... And the saga continues with multi-housing complexes! Investors are expecting an army to move into East Boston ... The land that houses the Orient Heights garage is the next target for replacement with housing. MG2 Group, which has a number of East Boston projects underway, is proposing to replace the garage at the rotary in Orient Heights with a four-story, 27-unit residential building with room for ground floor retail and provide 25 parking spaces. The filing does not specify whether the units will be apartments or condos ... Eyeing the highest office in the land! Bill Weld, 73, is mulling the thought of running for president, and Marty Walsh wants to be the next governor! Ha Ha Ha! Mitt Romney should be on that list unless he gave up! ... Head on over to St. Pattyville USA!

Kiss the Blarney Stone and enjoy the Luck of the Irish on St. Patty's Day! South Boston and Charlestown will come alive with parties, parades, and reverie. It's a big day for the Irish celebrated with their signature dish Corned Beef and Cabbage with all the trimming ... Boston Planning and Development Agency approved these projects for East Boston. More housing for East Boston planned! 144 Addison will transform a surface parking lot into 230 residential units including 30 income restricted ... 101 Condor Street 18 residential units expected including 2 income restricted units ... Here's a breath of fresh air! A new three story commercial retail rental building to be built at 9 Chelsea street located at the intersection of Chelsea and Maverick streets will include five off street parking spaces ... While housing is the rage in East Boston, interest in commercial buildings and rentals appear to be dwindling. Owners of commercial rentals say inquiring calls are all about housing, not leasing for business ... There's a traffic dilemma in East Boston and everywhere. Part of it is due to all the new housing and newcomers living in East Boston! Officials are urging drivers to use public transportation or take on passengers to lessen the problems, but no one is listening. Parking violations in East Boston are being enforced to avoid the chaos of out of town people taking up spaces! East Boston has a Payless

Shoe in Central Square! Now's the time to buy shoes! If you're looking to save money, look no further. Payless Shoe confirmed that it is closing all 2,100 stores in the United States and Puerto Rico and beginning liquidation sales! ... Maybe former Congressman Mike Capuano wasn't so bad after all! Democrat Congresswoman Ayanna Presley, who beat Capuano in the last election, took to the streets in liberal Harvard Square on President's Day to join protesters against President Trump's building of a Border Wall. Does Presley care that lawbreakers are sneaking into the United States, and many could be criminals? Ayanna Presley does not speak for the nation, but only a minority of immigrants, and bleeding hearts ... Seventy-seven-year-old communist/socialist Bernie Sanders announced he will be running for president again. Free college tuition to all state colleges is on his mind. Can you imagine how much working people will have to pay in taxes to fund his communist/socialist programs if he is elected? He'll get the college students vote, who haven't invested a dime in the country yet! ... Is Eastie heating up at night??? A stabbing took place at 1:55 a.m. outside a bar on Chelsea Street on February 17th. The victim was taken to a trauma center and later died. According to reports he was a well known and respected barber who ran a business in Revere ... Till next time!

Luigi Pirandello Lyceum Presents the 22nd Annual Boston Bel Canto Opera at the Dante Alighieri Society in Cambridge



L-R: Bradley Pennington, Lisa Corranti, Meredith Hansen, Giovanni Formisano, and David Rivera-Bozon

On Sunday, February 17th, the Luigi Pirandello Lyceum sponsored the 22nd Annual presentation of the Boston Bel Canto Opera at the Dante Alighieri Society in Cambridge.

The event was sponsored by Attorney Frank Fradella, Dr. Peter Campisano and Joyce Tower. It was coordinated by Pirandello Lyceum Corresponding Secretary, Dorothy Maio, and supported by Board members Stephen Maio, Maria Luisa Saraceni and Vice-President/Treasurer Maria Capogreco.

The Opera, featured renowned Maestro Bradley Pennington and the Boston Bel Canto Opera Singers, sopranos Lisa Ann Corranti and Meredith Hansen, and tenors Giovanni Formisano and David Rivera-Bozon gave a stellar performance. It was an inspiring performance taken from some of the Masterworks

done and was breathtakingly beautiful. They all have golden voices producing music as richly and warm as it is remarkably clear. Their clarity of tone is so beautiful to hear and it's combined with a breadth and depth of emotion that creates a splendor and beauty unparalleled to our ears. As always, their performance personifies the "sublime beauty", the "Bel Canto" — beautiful singing — it is truly "bell'arte!"

Especially this year, was the presentation of the coveted "Pirandello Certificate of Recognition" awarded to the elite Boston Bel Canto Opera singers by President, Dr. Domenic Amara and Board Member, Dr. Anthony Lori.

Last year, Dr. Amara presented to the Pirandello Lyceum Board Members his idea of creating and presenting a "Pirandello Certificate of Recognition" Award to individuals or organizations that promulgated our beautiful and rich Italian Culture, History and Language. With the Board's approval, Dr. Anthony Lori and James Pinzino, President of IAM Books, were appointed to a committee to select and award a certificate that recognized their contribution and demonstrated to the recipient(s) that their contribution was understood and appreciated.

We all look forward to next year's event.



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March 8-22, 2019 Programs

EVENTS FOR ADULTS:

Friday Films @ 1:00 p.m.

Films by *Blacklisted Hollywood Directors and Writers*

March 8th — Director Cy Enfield: **Zulu** (1964)

March 15th — Screen Writer Dalton Trumbo: **Thirty Seconds Over Tokyo** (1944)

March 22nd — Screen Writer Dalton Trumbo: **Roman Holiday** (1953)

One-on-One Computer Assistance for Adults — by Appointment — Wednesdays 1:00 – 2:00 p.m. Call 617-227-8135 to reserve a 30-minute spot for personalized assistance with PC computing, laptops, iPads, tablets, the BPL catalog, and online resources. Laptops are available to use or you can bring your own.

Mah Jongg Club – Thursdays 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Come and play the American-style variant of this tile-based game that originated in China and requires skill, strategy, and calculation. Beginners are welcome. No sign up is required.

Concert: Boston Philharmonic's String Quartet — Saturday, March 9th — 11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. This MOSAIC (Musical Opportunities Supporting Arts In Communities) Concert includes discussion of the music, opportunities to ask questions, meet the musicians, and a chance to try to play these instruments in our Instrument Petting Zoo. All Ages welcome.

Crafty Grown-ups Tuesdays — March 5th & 19th — 3:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Learn to make beautiful paper flowers for spring. For grown-ups only.

Games People Play Tuesdays — March 11th & 25th — 3:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Chess, Scrabble, Bananagrams, Monopoly, Uno, anyone? Drop in to play board and card games with friends new and old! For grown-ups only.

Seniors Connect: What Can Boston Do for You? Thursday, March 21st — 10:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. The City of Boston has done a survey of its senior residents to get a better understanding of what we need. The survey results has led the City to establish various helpful programs and initiatives for the elderly. Learn about what services are available and how to access them from an age-friendly representative. This program is in partnership with Boston's Jewish cultural center, the Vilna Shul. Free, light refreshments will be served.

Adult Book Discussion Club — Wednesday, March 20th — 6:30 – 7:30 p.m. March's book is Emma Donoghue's 2016 novel *The Wonder*, in which an eleven-year-old girl is purported to have gone without eating for months in a mid-19th century Irish village. English nurse Lib Wright is sent over to see if the rumor is true and that the girl is truly subsisting on nothing. Refusing to believe, Lib is determined to end the hoax within days, but she finds herself inexplicably drawn to the "living wonder." Copies of the book are available to check out at the library's front desk.

CHILDREN'S EVENTS

Boston Ballet Storytime — Monday March 18th — 10:30 a.m. - 11:15 a.m. Listen to stories about a famous ballet or dancer. The story time is also supplemented with a movement experience that highlights major themes of the story. All story times are led by Boston Ballet faculty dance educators. This program is for children ages two and up. Younger children will need parental supervision

Homework Help — Wednesdays 4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. — Kindergarten through Grade 6. This is a free, drop-in program.



On the Aisle

THEATRE NOTES

BY BOBBY FRANKLIN

"Don't be Wastin' Life 'Cause You're Frightened of It"

Review of ONCE

Music and Lyric By Glen Hansard and Marketa Irglova ~ Directed By Paul Melone ~ Choreography by Ilyse Robbins
Now through March 30th
SpeakEasy Production Company Calderwood Pavillion, South End, Boston



Nile Scott Hawver and MacKenzie Lesser-Roy



Billy Meleady and Kathy St. George with Cast

(Photos by Maggie Hall Photography)

Once, the Tony Award winning musical based on the 2007 movie of the same name is a love story that takes place over five days in Dublin, Ireland. The lead characters are called simply Guy and Girl. The cast is made up primarily of musicians who play their instruments on stage during the performance. This gives a coffeehouse feel to the work.

Guy, played by Nile Scott Hawver, is a singer/songwriter who is despondent after having broken up with his girlfriend. She was the inspiration for his songs, and he has now decided to give up music.

Girl, an "always serious" Czech pianist, played by MacKenzie Lesser-Roy, sees Guy discard his guitar on the street and approaches him. Guy is put off by her aggressiveness as she pushes him to pick up his instrument. He resists, and then "destiny" steps in.

It turns out Guy repairs Hoovers, as in vacuum cleaners, for a living, and it just happens that Girl has a Hoover in need of repair. This sets the stage for the pretty predictable story that follows.

The two begin to fall in love, but that love will not be able to blossom for a number of reasons; however, they both have much to give to and learn from each other in the time they spend together. Until they met each other they were both stuck, and from each other they have come to understand they cannot remain that way. As Guy says, "Don't be wastin' life 'cause you're frightened of it".

Along the way there is much music and many characters, including Guy's Da (father) and Girl's mother, Baruska, played by Billy Meleady and Kathy St. George. Girl has a young daughter, Ivonka, who was played by Reagan Gardiner at the performance I attended. Clara Cochran also plays Ivonka in alternating appearances. Add to this a number of Girl's Czech friends and the local Dubliners and you get some interesting cross cultural interactions.

While the story is pretty basic and the music is not of the type you will be singing to yourself as you leave the theater, the production is uplifting and enjoyable. Ilyse Robbins has done a splendid job in choreographing the musicians, all of whom are first rate. The set design, mostly brick with wood floors, is warm and welcoming while the lighting accents the color sand frames the actors in a way that keeps them from becoming too large on the small stage of the Robert's Theatre. It is all splendidly done.

I want to make special mention of Billy Butler who plays Billy, the owner of a recording studio. Mr. Butler is quick and sharp with some great lines. He

is a pugnacious character who has to temper his fighting spirit because he has a bad back. Of course, his back seems fine until he appears ready to fight. I was quite impressed with Mr. Butler's sharp performance and well timed facial expressions.

Nile Scott Hawver and MacKenzie Lesser-Roy are charming as Guy and Girl. Both have delightful voices and are accomplished musicians. They convey warmth and understanding in their lines to each other. By the end of the two hour performance you will find you really like both of the characters.

The rest of the cast are also very good. While most are musicians they also display excellent acting talent and are quite comfortable on the theatrical stage.

This is my first time seeing *Once*. It was originally an off Broadway work that moved to Broadway. While it had great success there and won 8 Tony Awards including Best Musical, I get the feeling it works best in a smaller theatre such as the Robert's. As I wrote at the beginning, it has a coffeehouse feel to it, and seeing it staged so well on this small stage makes me believe this is how it should be experienced.

Once is a nice story and The Speakeasy Stage Company production of it is pitch perfect. I doubt it was serendipitous that a love story set in Dublin would happen to arrive on a Boston stage during St. Patrick's Day, but it is a nice treat. And get there early as the cast puts on a lively little musical session before the play begins that you won't want to miss.

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Docket No. MI19C0134CA

In the Matter of JUSTIN YUNG WU

CITATION ON PETITION TO CHANGE NAME

A Petition to Change Name of Adult has been filed by Justin Yung Wu of Medford, MA requesting that the court enter a Decree changing their name to Justin Yung.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Any person may appear for purposes of objecting to the petition by filing an appearance at Middlesex Probate and Family Court before 10:00 a.m. on the return day of March 22, 2019. This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance if you object to this proceeding.

Witness, HON. EDWARD F. DONNELLY, JR., First Justice of this Court
Date: February 20, 2019
Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate
Run Date: 3/8/19

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Middlesex Probate and Family Court 208 Cambridge Street Cambridge, MA 02141 (617) 768-5800

Docket No. MI15P4359EA

Estate of LILLIAN HENDERSON

Date of Death April 19, 2015

CITATION ON GENERAL PROBATE PETITION

To all interested persons:
A Petition has been filed by **Deepa Eberlin of Newton, MA** requesting this Honorable Court order the Personal Representative to pay 2101 Washington Street Operating Company, LLC d/b/a Newton Health Care Center \$151,035.61 plus statutory 12% interest pursuant to the execution and pursuant to G.L. c. 190B Section 3-806(b) and all other requests in said Petition dated February 12, 2019.

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before 10:00 a.m. on March 26, 2019.

This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an Affidavit of Objections within thirty (30) days of the return date, action may be taken without further notice to you.

Witness, HON. EDWARD F. DONNELLY, JR., First Justice of this Court.
Date: February 26, 2019
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BADFLOWER – OK, I'M SICK (CD)
Big Machine + John Varvatos Records

Badflower is four Southern California alt-rockers, Josh Katz, Joey Morrow, Alex Espiritu and Anthony Sonetti. They make their debut with a baker's dozen songs penned by band members that are described by lead singer Katz as "containing a lot of heavy lyrical content." Riding the wave of their lead single "Ghost," which recently hit the top of Active Rock Radio's Mediabase Chart. Badflower plants the seed that starts it all "x ANA x," feeling isolated with "The Jester," the gender issue of "We're In Love," the fear of "Promise Me," and the price to pay for "Daddy" issues. The shame and insecurity of "24" begins the second half, trailed by the addictive lyrics of "Heroin," trumping the presidency of the U.S. with "Die," questioning "Murder Games," and the tempting taste of "Girlfriend." Badflower's debut album winds down with the focus on "Wide Eyes," and the tears begin to flow with "Cry." A debut worth waiting for.

NICK SANDERS TRIO – PLAYTIME 2050 (CD)
Sunnyside Communications

Pianist/composer Nick Sanders joins forces with bassist Henry Fraser and drummer Connor Baker to form a trio that delivers an inventive mix of era-spanning jazz and contemporary classical influences on a set of stunning original music. The trio's third release, *Playtime 2050*, on the Sunnyside label consists entirely of originals. The album's opener, "Live Normal" has a taste of Thelonious Monk in it, the fast-paced "Manic Manic" is just that, the title track comes across as a skewed swing tune, followed by the moody "Prepared for the Blues," switching to the pensive ballad "Still Considering," and

then all hell breaks loose with the avant-garde flavored "The Number 3." Sanders pays tribute to his mom with "Interlude for S.L.B.," beautifully blending piano and drums for "Endless," the serene sound of "It's Like This," the dark, hard-hitting "Hungry Ghost," and "RPD" is reprised from *Janus*, Sanders' duo album with saxophonist Logan Strosahl. Winding down with the prepared piano piece, the freely improvised "Prepared for the Accident," and the spiritual "2 Longfellow Park," an actual address of an old church near us here in Boston.

SCOTT ROBINSON – TENORMORE (CD)
Arbors Records

Scott Robinson's first love is the tenor saxophone, and on *Tenormore* he gets back to basics with his first ever all-tenor release. His outstanding quartet is rounded out with Helen Sung (piano and organ), Martin Wind (bassist), and Dennis Mackrel on drums. Listeners take note that Robinson is playing a silver 1924 Conn tenor that he found and purchased from a Maryland antique shop in 1975, and has played ever since. He puts his favorite tenor front and center, beginning with The Beatles classic "And I Love Her," beautifully taking it to the next level, next up is the jaunty "Tenor Eleven," the haunting standard "Put on a Happy Face," turning it up a notch for the shining "Morning Star," hitting the halfway mark by caressing the notes of "The Good Life." Robinson continues with "Tenor Twelve," the latter containing a saucy back and forth between Robinson and Mackrel, "Rainy River" is a gospel-flavored gem, on "The Weaver" Robinson's wife Sharon plays the flute flawlessly, as Sung performs on the Hammond B3 organ for "The Nearness of You," and the title track "Tenormore" is eleven-plus minutes of pure pleasure.

HOZIER – WASTELAND, BABY! (CD)
Columbia + Rubyworks

The wait is over; multi-platinum singer/songwriter Hozier has released his sophomore album, *Wasteland, Baby!* In addition to his current singles, "Movement" and "Almost (Sweet Music)," as well as the recently released "Dinner & Diatribes." Hozier's *Wasteland, Baby* tour will step off in Buffalo on March 10th, with Hozier appearing locally at Boston Calling Music Festival (Harvard Athletic Complex, Allston on May 25th). The 13-track album opens with "Nina Cried Power" featuring Mavis Staples ... from his 2018 EP, plus the unexplained "No Plan," praising love with "Nobody," the request "To Noise Making (Sing)," the insecurity of "As It Was," and the pleading "Shrike." Second half Hozier has the imagination of "Talk," requesting consistency with "Be," reflecting with "Would That I," shining in the glow of "Sunlight," and finishing up with the title track. Hozier comes across expressing both devastation and joy, all the while exposing his soul and feelings for the world to see and hear.

The time has come, the walrus said,

TO TALK OF MANY THINGS
of shoes and ships and sealing wax of cabbages and kings

by Sal Giarratani

EAST BOSTON ANNUAL REACH OUT BREAKFAST

The East Boston YMCA will be hosting its Annual Reach Out Breakfast on Thursday, April 25th, at 7:00 a.m. at the Hilton Boston Logan Airport. For more information, go to ymcaboston.org/eastboston/breakfast.

SURVIVORS OF VIOLENCE WANT LESS TALK, MORE ACTION

Recently, Boston City Councilor Michelle Wu filed an order to continue the conversation surrounding violence and trauma across Boston neighborhoods, especially those with inordinate amounts of chronic violence.

According to neighborhood activist Mary Franklin, she's a bit tired of all the talking and seeks some action saying, "They're just putting people back to their trauma by continuing to have survivors tell their tragic stories with no outcome. People wouldn't mind sharing their stories if there was an outcome or if there was a support system to help."

Many survivors want the City Councilors to "stop talking and start listening." They all know the stories of trauma; nothing new there. "We need to start acting," they say. Survivors are tired of all the things the city keeps doing for them. Survivors want to be heard. They can offer solutions based on actual experiences.

City Councilors need to listen to the survivors, to hear their voices and hear their solutions. It is called a partnership between those who govern and those who survive.

139TH ANNUAL EVACUATION DAY BANQUET

The 139th Annual Evacuation Day Banquet will be held at the Boston Convention Center in Southie on Summer Street on Friday, March 15th. Reception at 5:30 p.m. Dinner beginning at 7:00 p.m. This year instead of the traditional corned beef and cabbage, it will be a New England Boiled Dinner. Entertainment by Curragh's Fancy. For more information, call 857-204-5825.

UMASS COMMUNITY BREAKFAST

UMass Boston interim chancellor Katherine Newman will be hosting the school's annual Community Breakfast on Friday, March 29th, at 8:30 a.m., in the campus center ballroom.

This year's Robert H. Quinn Award for Outstanding Community Leadership will be presented to Thelma Burns. The Chancellor's Award for Longstanding Community Commitment and Service will be presented to Cynthia Brewington.

JIMMY FLAHERTY KICK-OFF BREAKFAST

Every year in early March, events begin for the upcoming St. Patrick's Day Parade to be held this year on Sunday, March 17th. This past Saturday, the opening event, the Annual Jimmy Flaherty Kick-Off Breakfast, was held at the Seapoint Restaurant and chaired once again by my friend Michael Donovan, Clerk of the Courts who was first elected to this position back in 1976.

TONY WILSON, A/K/A YOUNG JAMES BROWN BACK IN TOWN



Here are Leland Stein, co-owner of the Regent Theatre with Judy Lei, Tony Wilson, Wanda Sutton, and Sal Giarratani planning the event at the Menotomy Grill and Tavern in Arlington last weekend.

Caught up with the Young James Brown, better known to friends as Tony Wilson from Chicago. Last year he did a great James Brown 50th Anniversary concert over at the Regent Theatre in Arlington and he and his sidekick Judy Lei, a fantastic virtuoso violinist, are both back in the Boston area for a series of concerts over the next several months. Her big *Celebrate Love* concert will be taking place at the Regent on Friday, March 15th.

For more information, email regenttheatre.com.

While I was there hamming and egging it up, I bumped into Southie's new State Rep. David Biele. Now he can finally put a face with my name.

HAPPY ST. PATTY'S DAY DINNER

Parishioners over at St. John Chrysostom in West Roxbury will be having a St. Patrick's Day Corned Beef and Cabbage celebration in the church hall on Saturday, March 16th, at 5:30 p.m. This is one of the few churches where Irish dinners are still held.

D.A. ROLLINS FOR THE PEOPLE OR SOME OF THE PEOPLE?

A Boston police officer was shot and I heard my Suffolk County District Attorney Rachael Rollins on the TV news offering words of solace for the dead criminal doing the shooting and his family. Are we living in Bizarro World where up is down and wrong is right?

I read a great letter to the

editor in the *Boston Herald* from writer Louis Murray from Boston. Kasim Kahrman was the name of the gunman who put three bullets into a police officer. He had been arraigned 133 times in his short life according to local media reports. He had many firearms, arrests, convictions, and other charges such as kidnapping and elder abuse. Not a nice guy. I voted for Rollins knowing I was not completely supportive of some of her ideas. As a retired police officer, I find myself holding a more conservative stance when it comes to good guys and bad guys, and the role of a district attorney.

I was hoping she could gain a better understanding about the role of a district attorney. The way in which she handled this case in her office and on television still leaves much to be desired. I hope I didn't make a terrible mistake in judgment.

PACZKI DAY IN THE POLISH TRIANGLE



Tuesday, March 5th was Paczki Day over in Dorchester's Polish Triangle. The day before Ash Wednesday is Fat Tuesday and there's nothing like a traditional Paczki before one starts fasting for the Lenten fasting season begins. Each of these donuts is heavy duty and full of decadent calories. Looking at one could put pounds on you. Shown in photo is Alian at the register busy selling calories for Paczki Day at DJ's Market on Boston Street not far from Andrew Square.

(Photo by Sal Giarratani)

Nanna & Babbonnonno

by John Christoforo

A Nostalgic Remembrance



Lent began on March 6th and ends on April 17th this year, with Easter falling on Sunday April 21st, a bit earlier than usual. The time was 1925, and the Contini family had been living at 70 Eutaw Street on Eagle Hill in East Boston for five years. Uncle Gino, my mother's youngest brother was 7 years old, Uncle Nick, 11, my mother 16, and Uncle Paul, the oldest, in his early '20s. Babbonnonno decided that he wanted to have a traditional Italian Easter, and bought a live lamb to fatten and serve as the main course at Easter dinner.

Mom, Uncles Paul and Nick understood the significance of the lamb and went along with the tradition. Uncle Gino, as I said, was seven and the only thing he understood was that he had a new pet. Babbonnonno had a German shepherd, Nanna a Calico cat and now the youngest Contini child, had a lamb. There was a shed in the back yard where Babbonnonno kept his farming tools: a pitch fork, a hoe, a couple of shovels, some hand implements used in farming and some fertilizer, thanks to a few horses in the neighborhood.

Everything was moved into the cellar (with the exception of the manure) and the shed became the location for housing the lamb. The lamb was fed table scraps and whatever else my grandparents decided would fatten up the animal as it grew. When the Contini kids came home from school, they had chores to complete or in the case of Uncles Paul and Nick, part-time jobs to contend with. After arriving home from school, Uncle Gino would change into his play clothes and head to the barn to play with his personal pet, the lamb.

Lent began on Wednesday, February 25th in 1925, and for the next 40 days, the lamb was fed anything that would fatten him up before the Easter holiday. Babbonnonno, in his spare time would even massage the lamb to keep the flesh as tender as possible. As Easter approached, the lamb grew and became fatter and fatter, thanks to the high calorie diet provided by my grandparents. When Holy Week finally arrived, Babbonnonno hired an animal skinner to help him convert the lamb into an uncooked main course that would grace the Contini table on Easter. Finally, Holy Saturday arrived and the final steps were taken for the conversion of the animal to a main course.

The family attended an early Easter Mass at the Sacred Heart church on Paris and Brooks Streets that Sunday, and once they returned home, Uncle Gino was kept busy until the slaughtered lamb found its way into the oven of Nanna's black iron stove. A few hours later dinner was served. Once Uncle Gino saw what was placed in the center of the dinner table, he started to understand, ran out to the shed and not finding his pet lamb, ran back into the house and realized what the situation was; his pet was the

main course for Easter dinner. He ran screaming from the dining room, and hid under the covers on his bed sobbing for hours. This event did not prevent the extended family from enjoying Easter dinner. It was many hours before Uncle Gino was brought back to the dining room to be with the rest of the family.

As time passed, my youngest of uncles finally got over the shock of Easter Sunday, 1925, but for the rest of his life (he was almost 101 when he passed away last year), he would never eat lamb ... true story.

At about the same time, Mom went to work as a part-time saleslady at Goldenberg's, a department store located in Central Square. They actually paid her a little extra because she could speak several dialects of Italian and could communicate with customers who had difficulty with English. Mom was in her second year of high school and loved education. She was exceptionally good at math, able to look at an addition column of several numbers across and several numbers down and immediately give you the correct answer within a second or two. In spite of her abilities, Babbonnonno didn't feel that educational was important for his daughter. He felt that she should be working full time to help support the family and to also save some money for when she would marry. As a result of Babbonnonno's pressure, Mom quit school and went to work full time.

Years later, when she would reminisce about her happy childhood, she would always add in the one regret that she had, her lack of an education, especially in math. At one point, she confronted Babbonnonno, whose archaic ideas about educating females was ever present. She used Dr. Rose Gianinni as the example. Rose Gianinni (who brought me into this world) was either the first or second (I'm not sure) female Italian American physician in the United States. When Mom threw this fact at Babbonnonno, his comment was that Dr. Gianinni's parents had no sons and their daughter, Rose, was the one to be educated. They had another daughter, Laura, who was not allowed the same privilege. In later years, she would work for Dr. Rose as her receptionist, when she became a general precisionist working out of her Winthrop home.

At least once per month, Mom would have Dad, and in later years, me, drive her to Dr. Gianinni's home for a checkup. What we discovered was that the checkups included a pot of tea, Italian cookies and conversions about their younger days growing up Italian American. She would remain our family primary care physician until she passed away.

As an adult, I often drove her to see Dr. Gianinni on a Saturday morning. I would pick her up, head back to East Boston (we were living in Belmont by then) and pick

up Sal Meli. We would drop my mother off at the Giannini residence and head back to East Boston to have lunch at an un-named store front restaurant on Sumner Street. It was run by a man named Tony DePasquale. Whatever he felt like cooking that day was what you were served. As you sat down at one of his tables, a loaf of Italian bread and a gallon of wine were placed in front of you. Chances were, you would not be able to finish what he cooked and if you asked for a doggy bag, Tony would rant and rave and tell you to eat at a Chinese restaurant if you wanted a doggy bag. He would then produce a pair of scissors, cut off your necktie (if you were wearing one) and nail it to a wall where others were hung. He would ask female customers to remove their bras and nail them to the same wall. Tony's wife, a more practical person, would actually put a doggy bag together, and when she did, I had Mom's lunch already for her.

Don't forget to order my book, *True Short Stories*, about growing up in East Boston and attending English High School. Send me a check for \$20.00 and mail it to: Beagsley Publishing Co., Box 342, Arlington, MA 02476.

Gotta go ... GOD BLESS AMERICA

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Docket No. MI19P0993EA

Estate of

ROGER MICHAEL HART

Date of Death August 26, 2017

CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION

To all interested persons:

A Petition for Formal Adjudication of Intestacy and Appointment of Personal Representative has been filed by Suzanne M. Dextraze-Hart of New Bedford, MA requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that Suzanne M. Dextraze-Hart of New Bedford, MA be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in an unsupervised administration.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before 10:00 a.m. on the return day of March 26, 2019.

This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

UNSUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION UNDER THE MASSACHUSETTS UNIFORM PROBATE CODE (MUPC)

A Personal Representative appointed under the MUPC in an unsupervised administration is not required to file an inventory or annual accounts with the Court. Persons interested in the estate are entitled to notice regarding the administration directly from the Personal Representative and may petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including the distribution of assets and expenses of administration.

Witness, HON. EDWARD F. DONNELLY, JR., First Justice of this Court.

Date: February 27, 2019

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate

Run date: 3/8/2019

Recipes from the Homeland

by Vita Orlando Sinopoli



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BRACCIOLI

Served in Tomato Sauce

- 4 thinly sliced beef steaks
- 3/4 cup flavored bread crumbs
- 1 small garlic clove chopped
- 1 tablespoon of grated Romano cheese
- 1 tablespoon olive oil
- White thread

In a bowl, mix bread crumbs, chopped garlic and grated cheese. Add olive oil to slightly moisten the bread crumbs. Take one beef slice at a time. Spread some bread crumbs in the center of meat. Leave sides of meat about half-inch clear of bread crumbs. Gently roll from long end of meat, gradually folding in the sides so bread crumbs won't fall out. Roll the meat to the end. Squeeze the rolled meat in your hands. Take white thread, and wrap around the roll and sides of meat to secure ends from opening.

Brown on all sides in a skillet before adding to your tomato sauce. Cook in sauce about 45 minutes. Before serving, remove Bracciacoli from sauce. Let stand in platter a minute before removing thread. Then slice into 1/2-inch portions and serve separately or with cooked pasta.

NOTE: I learned to make Bracciacoli from watching my mother and mother-in-law. Patience and experience are needed but are well worth the effort.

In my childhood, I remember going to Moscardino's Meat Market on Salem Street. The butcher cut the beef for Bracciacoli for the customer as we watched. Today, supermarkets have taken the place of personal butcher shops in many cities. We depend on finding thinly cut beef steaks packaged and on display. Occasionally, I have purchased a bottom of the round roast and carefully sliced thin steaks myself to make my Bracciacoli.

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Docket No. MI19D0202DR

DIVORCE SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION AND MAILING

NHUNG HONG THI LAM

vs.

DUY KHAI PHAM

To the Defendant:

The Plaintiff has filed a Complaint for Divorce requesting that the Court grant a divorce for Desertion.

The Complaint is on file at the Court.

An Automatic Restraining Order has been entered in this matter preventing you from taking any action which would negatively impact the current financial status of either party. SEE Supplemental Probate Court Rule 411.

You are hereby summoned and required to serve upon Nhung H. Lam, 82 Oliver St., #1, Malden, MA 02148 your answer, if any, on or before April 8, 2019. If you fail to do so, the court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. You are also required to file a copy of your answer, if any, in the office of the Register of this Court.

Witness, HON. EDWARD F. DONNELLY, JR., First Justice of this Court.

Date: February 25, 2019

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate

Run date: 3/8/19

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Docket No. MI19D0408DR

DIVORCE SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION AND MAILING

JOANNE JOHNSON

vs.

JOSEPH JOHNSON

To the Defendant:

The Plaintiff has filed a Complaint for Divorce requesting that the Court grant a divorce for Irretrievable Breakdown of the Marriage 1B.

The Complaint is on file at the Court.

An Automatic Restraining Order has been entered in this matter preventing you from taking any action which would negatively impact the current financial status of either party. SEE Supplemental Probate Court Rule 411.

You are hereby summoned and required to serve upon Joanne Johnson, 8 Wellington Ln., Cambridge, MA 02141 your answer, if any, on or before March 29, 2019. If you fail to do so, the court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. You are also required to file a copy of your answer, if any, in the office of the Register of this Court.

Witness, HON. EDWARD F. DONNELLY, JR., First Justice of this Court.

Date: February 8, 2019

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate

Run date: 3/8/19

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Docket No. MI19P0786EA

Estate of

ERNEST S. D'AGNELLI

Date of Death December 1, 2018

INFORMAL PROBATE PUBLICATION NOTICE

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner Lynne M. D'Agnelli of Natick, MA.

Lynne M. D'Agnelli of Natick, MA has been informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve without surety on the bond.

The estate is being administered under informal procedure by the Personal Representative under the Massachusetts Uniform Probate Code without supervision by the Court. Inventory and accounts are not required to be filed with the Court, but interested parties are entitled to notice regarding the administration from the Personal Representative and can petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including distribution of assets and expenses of administration. Interested parties are entitled to petition the Court to institute formal proceedings and to obtain orders terminating or restricting the powers of Personal Representatives appointed under informal procedure. A copy of the Petition and Will, if any, can be obtained from the Petitioner.

Run date: 3/8/19

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NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given by Stephens Automotive Transport, 60 Union Street, Medford, MA 02155, pursuant to the provisions of G.L.c.255 539A, that on March 19, 2019 at 10AM, at said address, the following motor vehicle(s) will be sold, in as is condition, no keys, at public sale to satisfy our garage keeper's lien thereon for towing, storage, and expenses of notice and sale:

2006 MAZDA 3, SILVER

Vin: JM1BK32G161436163

Jose Rodrigues

17 Winter St., Apt 2

Medford, MA 02155

2003 BMW 325xi, SILVER

Vin: WBAEU33493PF60377

Max Enly Nazaire

143 Exchange Ave.

Medford, MA 02155

2014 TOYOTA COROLLA, WHITE

Vin: 5YFBPRHE7EP026228

Jean L. Valk

11 Montvale Rd.

Woburn, MA 01801

1997 FORD F350, GREEN

Vin: FTHF36H4VEC51064

David H. Knight

37 Lincoln Ave.

Marblehead, MA 01945

2006 NISSAN SENTRA, BLUE

Vin: 3N1CB51D06L630914

Diane Burton

35 Patterson Way, Unit #107

Boston, MA 02127

Run dates: 3/1, 3/8, 3/15, 2019

• **News Briefs** (Continued from Page 1)

No Miracle on 34th Street?

The world keeps changing as Macy's reported a drop in profits during the critical fourth quarter with meager growth in same-store sales. Macy's, like so many other mall-based stores, is under pressure to reinvent itself as shoppers increasingly buy online.

Plane and Simple: Bernie's a Hypocrite

In his recent campaign video, Bernie Sanders singled out fossil-fuel industry for a tongue lashing, listing it among the special interests he plans to take on. However, in the final months of the 2016 campaign, Sanders repeatedly requested and received the use of a carbon-driven private jet for himself and his staff while swerving as a surrogate for Hillary Clinton. Remember that old saying? Do as I say, not as I do?

The Anti-Trump Resistance Can't Give Up

Hey, if they can't get President Trump for collusion with the Russians in Campaign 2016, I guess there's always something like an unwanted kiss to a Trump campaign worker back during the 2016 presidential election. They keep throwing Jell-O at a wall hoping some of it will somehow stick to Trump. These resisters are so pathetic.

Too Much Political Agenda On Capitol Hill

On Wednesday, February 27th, I received an email from U.S. Rep. Ayanna Pressley. As someone who voted for her as my congresswoman last year, I am on her email list and had also been a strong supporter of hers during her tenure as a Boston City Councilor. The following was the text of that email:

"Today, on the seventh anniversary of the murder of Trayvon Martin, we honor the memory of

his life, which hatred ended far too soon.

Trayvon, Say his name, Trayvon, Say his name, Trayvon.

We cannot accept a country where black men are killed and their justice is denied. Nor can we accept a country where such hatred is emboldened by the ubiquity of guns.

While we continue to grapple with difficult issues of racism and bigotry, we have the chance to make meaningful progress on the epidemic of gun violence. Right now, for the first time in a generation, Congress has a chance to take a major step in the right direction by voting to pass H.R.8, the Bipartisan Background Checks Act of 2019. Join me — along with citizen activists and elected leaders from around the nation — in demanding Congress pass H.R.8."

When we think of Trayvon Martin, we also think of George Zimmerman. However, I do not think that young Trayvon Martin was killed by a racist, but his life indeed ended far too soon, was not ended by either a hateful or racist culprit. Nor did it end because of the issue of too many guns out there.

Two human beings met up with each other at the wrong place and at the wrong time. Fear seemed most likely the major factor that changed two individuals forever. One died and the other will never un-live that night. I don't like the idea that this sad moment in our nation's history has become no more than a talking point for politicians. We deserve better from those we elect.

End Quote

"If you write a hundred short stories and they're all bad, that doesn't mean you've failed. You fail only if you stop writing."

— Ray Bradbury

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Docket No. MI19P0866EA

Estate of
JOHN E. O'LOUGHLIN
Also Known As
JOHN E. O'LOUGHLIN, JR.

Date of Death October 5, 2018

CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION

To all interested persons:
A Petition for Formal Probate of Will with Appointment of Personal Representative has been filed by Robert J. Barker of Jamaica Plain, MA requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that Robert J. Barker of Jamaica Plain, MA be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in an unsupervised administration.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before 10:00 a.m. on the return day of March 21, 2019.

This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

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Witness, HON. EDWARD F. DONNELLY, JR.,
First Justice of this Court.

Date: February 21, 2019

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate
Run date: 3/8/2019

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Docket No. MI19P0948EA

Estate of
GARRIY S. ZASLAVSKIY

Date of Death November 4, 2018

CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION

To all interested persons:
A Petition for Formal Probate of Will with Appointment of Personal Representative has been filed by Leo Zaslavskiy of Harvard, MA requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that Leo Zaslavskiy of Harvard, MA be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in an unsupervised administration.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before 10:00 a.m. on the return day of March 25, 2019.

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First Justice of this Court.

Date: February 25, 2019

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Docket No. MI19P0836EA

Estate of
HAROLD HESTNES

Date of Death January 19, 2019

CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION

To all interested persons:
A Petition for Formal Probate of Will with Appointment of Personal Representative has been filed by Elizabeth F. Hestnes of Weston, MA requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that Elizabeth F. Hestnes of Weston, MA be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in an unsupervised administration.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before 10:00 a.m. on the return day of March 20, 2019.

This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

UNSUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION UNDER THE MASSACHUSETTS UNIFORM PROBATE CODE (MUPC)

A Personal Representative appointed under the MUPC in an unsupervised administration is not required to file an inventory or annual accounts with the Court. Persons interested in the estate are entitled to notice regarding the administration directly from the Personal Representative and may petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including the distribution of assets and expenses of administration.

Witness, HON. EDWARD F. DONNELLY, JR.,
First Justice of this Court.

Date: February 20, 2019

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate
Run date: 3/8/2019

LEGAL NOTICE

REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS

The MASSACHUSETTS PORT AUTHORITY (Authority) is soliciting consulting services for MPA CONTRACT NO. H290-D1 RELOCATE PINE HILLS T-HANGARS, L.G. HANSCOM FIELD, BEDFORD, MASSACHUSETTS. The Authority is seeking qualified multidiscipline consulting firm or team, with proven aviation experience to provide professional services including planning, design and construction related services. The intent of this project is to design and construct several hangars for the cold storage of aircraft. The total square footage of new hangar space is approximately 25,000 square feet. The design and construction of a new section of taxiway, to provide access to the hangars, is included in the scope. These services are expected to be provided at L.G. Hanscom Field Bedford, MA. A study has been completed to identify site location options and the study will be provided upon request to CPBidQuestions@massport.com. The Consultant must be able to work closely with the Authority and other interested parties in order to provide such services in a timely and effective manner.

The consultant shall demonstrate experience in several disciplines including but not limited to Architectural, Civil, Structural, Mechanical, Electrical, Plumbing, Fire Protection, Geotechnical, Environmental, Licensed Site Professional, Airfield Engineering, Security Landscape Architecture, Code Compliance, Cost Estimating, Construction Phasing, Resident Engineering and Sustainable Design.

The contract will be work order based, and Consultant's fee for each work order shall be negotiated; however, the total fee for the contract shall not exceed NINE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$900,000).

A Supplemental Information Package will be available, on Wednesday, March 13, 2019 on the Capital Bid Opportunities web page of Massport <http://www.massport.com/massport/business/bids-opportunities/capital-bids> as an attachment to the original Legal Notice, and on COMMBUYS (www.commbuys.com) in the listings for this project. If you have problems finding it, please contact Susan Brace at Capital Programs SBrace@massport.com. The Supplemental Information Package will provide detailed information about Scope of Work, Selection Criteria and Submission Requirements.

In recognition of the unique nature of the project and the services required to support it, the Authority has scheduled a Consultant Briefing to be held at 8:00 AM on Friday, March 15, 2019 at Hanscom Civil Air Terminal, 200 Hanscom Drive, Bedford, MA 01730. At this session, an overview of the project will be provided, the services requested by the Authority will be described, and questions will be answered.

By responding to this solicitation, consultants agree to accept the terms and conditions of Massport's standard work order agreement, a copy of the Authority's standard agreement can be found on the Authority's web page at <http://www.massport.com/massport/business/capital-improvements/important-documents/>. The Consultant shall specify in its cover letter that it has the ability to obtain requisite insurance coverage.

This submission, including the litigation and legal proceedings history in a separate sealed envelope as required shall be addressed to Houssam H. Sleiman, PE, CCM, FCMAA, NAC, Hon. D.Eng., Director of Capital Programs and Environmental Affairs and received no later than 12:00 Noon on Thursday, April 25, 2019 at the Massachusetts Port Authority, Logan Office Center, One Harborside Drive, Suite 209S, Logan International Airport, East Boston, MA 02128-2909. Any submission which is not received in a timely manner shall be rejected by the Authority as non-responsive. Any information provided to the Authority in any Proposal or other written or oral communication between the Proposer and the Authority will not be, or deemed to have been, proprietary or confidential, although the Authority will use reasonable efforts not to disclose such information to persons who are not employees or consultants retained by the Authority except as may be required by M.G.L. c.66.

MASSACHUSETTS PORT AUTHORITY
JOHN P. PRANCKEVICIUS
ACTING CEO & EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Run date: 3/8/2019

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Middlesex Probate and Family Court
208 Cambridge Street
Cambridge, MA 02141
(617) 768-5800

Docket No. MI19P0954EA

Estate of
FRANZ DEMYT, JR.

Date of Death December 13, 2018

CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION

To all interested persons:
A Petition for Formal Adjudication of Intestacy and Appointment of Personal Representative has been filed by Zigrida Demyt of Wellesley Hills, MA requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that Zigrida Demyt of Wellesley Hills, MA be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in an unsupervised administration.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before 10:00 a.m. on the return day of March 26, 2019.

This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

UNSUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION UNDER THE MASSACHUSETTS UNIFORM PROBATE CODE (MUPC)

A Personal Representative appointed under the MUPC in an unsupervised administration is not required to file an inventory or annual accounts with the Court. Persons interested in the estate are entitled to notice regarding the administration directly from the Personal Representative and may petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including the distribution of assets and expenses of administration.

Witness, HON. EDWARD F. DONNELLY, JR.,
First Justice of this Court.

Date: February 26, 2019

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate
Run date: 3/8/2019

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Middlesex Probate and Family Court
208 Cambridge Street
Cambridge, MA 02141
(617) 768-5800

Docket No. MI19P0991EA

Estate of
JOHN J. TAMBOLLIO
Also Known As
JOHN TAMBOLLIO

Date of Death December 22, 2018

CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION

To all interested persons:
A Petition for Formal Probate of Will with Appointment of Personal Representative has been filed by Cherie M. Tambollio of Framingham, MA requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that Cherie M. Tambollio of Framingham, MA be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in an unsupervised administration.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before 10:00 a.m. on the return day of March 26, 2019.

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Witness, HON. EDWARD F. DONNELLY, JR.,
First Justice of this Court.

Date: February 27, 2019

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate
Run date: 3/8/2019

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Middlesex Probate and Family Court
208 Cambridge Street
Cambridge, MA 02141
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Docket No. MI19P0839EA

Estate of
BERNARD SEYMOUR YUDOWITZ
Also Known As
BERNARD S. YUDOWITZ

Date of Death December 11, 2018

CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION

To all interested persons:
A Petition for Formal Probate of Will with Appointment of Personal Representative has been filed by Ken W. Shulman of Boston, MA requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that Ken W. Shulman of Boston, MA be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in an unsupervised administration.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before 10:00 a.m. on the return day of April 22, 2019.

This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

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Witness, HON. EDWARD F. DONNELLY, JR.,
First Justice of this Court.

Date: February 25, 2019

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate
Run date: 3/8/2019

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Middlesex Probate and Family Court
208 Cambridge Street
Cambridge, MA 02141
(617) 768-5800

Docket No. MI18P1689EA

Estate of
JEANINE LOUISE MESSER
Also Known As
JEANINE LOUISE SIZORN,
JEANINE LOUISE ALINE MESSER

Date of Death May 26, 2015
CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION

To all interested persons:
A Petition for Formal Adjudication of Intestacy and Appointment of Personal Representative has been filed by Philip D. Messer of Framingham, MA requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that Philip D. Messer of Framingham, MA be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in an unsupervised administration.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before 10:00 a.m. on the return day of March 28, 2019.

This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

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Witness, HON. EDWARD F. DONNELLY, JR.,
First Justice of this Court.

Date: March 1, 2019

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate
Run date: 3/8/2019

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Middlesex Probate and Family Court
208 Cambridge Street
Cambridge, MA 02141
(617) 768-5800

Docket No. MI19P0955EA

Estate of
MARY A. WOODS ROOS
Also Known As
MARY ROOS, MARY A. ROOS,
MARY WOODS, MARY WOODS ROOS,
MARY W. ROOS,
MARY ANN WOODS ROOS

Date of Death October 21, 2018
CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION

To all interested persons:
A Petition for Formal Probate of Will with Appointment of Personal Representative has been filed by William A. Roos of Waltham, MA requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that William A. Roos of Waltham, MA be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in an unsupervised administration.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before 10:00 a.m. on the return day of March 26, 2019.

This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

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Witness, HON. EDWARD F. DONNELLY, JR.,
First Justice of this Court.

Date: February 26, 2019

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate
Run date: 3/8/2019

MASSACHUSETTS PORT AUTHORITY NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed General Bids for MPA Contract No. AP1824-C1 FY19-22 TERM VEGETATION MANAGEMENT L.G. HANSCOM FIELD, BEDFORD, MA AND WORCESTER REGIONAL AIRPORT, WORCESTER MA, will be received by the Massachusetts Port Authority at the Capital Programs Department Office, Suite 209S, Logan Office Center, One Harborside Drive, East Boston, Massachusetts 02128-2909, until 11:00 A.M. local time on **WEDNESDAY, APRIL 3, 2019** immediately after which, in a designated room, the bids will be opened and read publicly.

NOTE: PRE-BID CONFERENCE WILL BE HELD AT THE CAPITAL PROGRAMS DEPARTMENT (ABOVE ADDRESS) AT 10:00 A.M. LOCAL TIME ON THURSDAY, MARCH 21, 2019.

The work includes REMOVAL OF VEGETATION BY VARIOUS METHODS AND HERBICIDE APPLICATION ON AIRPORT PROPERTY. THE FOLLOWING TYPES OF REMOVAL ARE ANTICIPATED: MECHANIZED FELLING, MOWING, CUT AND CHIP, DROP AND LOP, AND TOPPING AND GIRDLING IN ENVIRONMENTALLY SENSITIVE AREAS. ALL WORK SHALL INCLUDE CAREFUL AND COMPLETE COMPLIANCE WITH ORDERS OF CONDITIONS FOR THE PROJECT BY THE RESPECTIVE CONSERVATION COMMISSIONS OF BEDFORD, CONCORD, LEXINGTON, LINCOLN, WORCESTER, AND LEICESTER.

Bid documents will be made available beginning **WEDNESDAY, MARCH 13, 2019**

Bid Documents in electronic format may be obtained free of charge at the Authority's Capital Programs Department Office, together with any addenda or amendments, which the Authority may issue and a printed copy of the Proposal form.

The estimated contract cost is **SIX HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$600,000).**

A proposal guaranty shall be submitted with each General Bid consisting of a bid deposit for five (5) percent of the value of the bid; when sub-bids are required, each must be accompanied by a deposit equal to five (5) percent of the sub-bid amount, in the form of a bid bond, or cash, or a certified check, or a treasurer's or a cashier's check issued by a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the Massachusetts Port Authority in the name of which the Contractor for the work is to be executed. The bid deposit shall be (a) in a form satisfactory to the Authority, (b) with a surety company qualified to do business in the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Authority, and (c) conditioned upon the faithful performance by the principal of the agreements contained in the bid.

The successful Bidder will be required to furnish a performance bond and a labor and materials payment bond, each in an amount equal to 100% of the Contract price. The surety shall be a surety company or securities satisfactory to the Authority. Attention is called to the minimum rate of wages to be paid on the work as determined under the provisions of Chapter 149, Massachusetts General Laws, Section 26 to 27G, inclusive, as amended. The Contractor will be required to pay minimum wages in accordance with the schedules listed in Division II, Special Provisions of the Specifications, which wage rates have been predetermined by the U.S. Secretary of Labor and/or the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of Massachusetts, whichever is greater.

The successful Bidder will be required to purchase and maintain Bodily Injury Liability Insurance and Property Damage Liability Insurance for a combined single limit of **\$5,000,000**. Said policy shall be on an occurrence basis and the Authority shall be included as an Additional Insured. See the insurance sections of Division I, General Requirements and Division II, Special Provisions for complete details.

This Contract is also subject to Affirmative Action requirements of the Massachusetts Port Authority contained in the Non-Discrimination and Affirmative Action article of Division I, General Requirements and Covenants, and to the Secretary of Labor's Requirement for Affirmative Action to Ensure Equal Opportunity and the Standard Federal Equal Opportunity Construction Contract Specifications (Executive Order 11246).

The General Contractor is required to submit a Certification of Non-Segregated Facilities prior to award of the Contract, and to notify prospective sub-contractors of the requirement for such certification where the sub-contract exceeds \$10,000.

Complete information and authorization to view the site may be obtained from the Capital Programs Department Office at the Massachusetts Port Authority. The right is reserved to waive any informality in or reject any or all proposals.

MASSACHUSETTS PORT AUTHORITY
JOHN P. PRANCKEVICIUS
ACTING CEO & EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Run date: 3/8/2019



EXTRA Innings

by Sal Giarratani



The Mick and Tony C

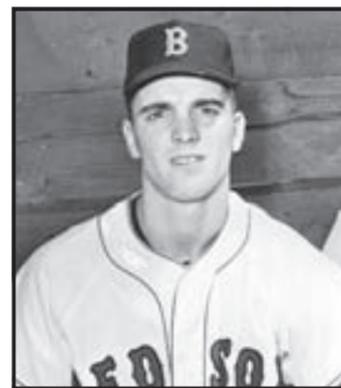
I remember when Mantle got injured at the tail end of the season and Maris passed him by ending with 61 homers to Mantle's 54 homers. I thought the wrong guy beat Ruth's record and I was far from alone.

Over time I learned more and more about the way Mantle lived his life. He could be his own worst enemy in his personal life and in the end, his health problems led to his early death at 63 years old. He was not a perfect hero but rather a flawed man. Fate played a big role in his life style. In the end he paid a heavy price for his life with his death. Heroes are often flawed and the Mick was no different than many other fallen heroes.

He was and remains the closest thing to Babe Ruth in my lifetime. Had he been healthier in body and mind, he could have been the greatest player of all time but even with his flaws, he still was so great but sadly far from perfect. Author Jane Leavy back in 2010 wrote a great biography on him called *THE LAST BOY Mickey Mantle*. Leavy said his life ended "America's childhood." I agree with that. Mantle carried a burden since so many young fans like myself got caught up in hero worship. He became an ideal that really wasn't with his coast to coast smile, the eternal kid and his great baseball prowess. In the end all the glory couldn't really take him off his road in life.

Then there was forever young Tony Conigliaro a hometown kid who made it to Fenway Park back in 1964, when I was 15 years old. I could really identify with him, a young kid with an Italian last name from right here. In his first at bat in his first game in the 1964 home opener at Fenway Park, he walloped his first home run. My brother Dominic played hookie from school and was sitting in the park for that game.

He led the league in home runs the following year. The 1965 season was not a great home run hitting season for anyone but Tony C led the league with



Tony Conigliaro

32 home runs beating out the likes of Harmon Killebrew.

However, in 1967 in late August in a pennant-hunting season, he got whacked the eye by a fastball that changes both his career and life forever. He almost died at 22 years old and would eventually die inside Sumner Tunnel in 1990 at 45 years old as his brother Billy was racing him to the hospital.

He was a hero once again to my generation of baseball fans. He too was a natural. He did comeback from his 1967 injury and hit 36 home runs for the Sox in 1970 before getting traded to the Angels. However he became the "WHAT IF" hero for me and many others. What if he never got hit in the eye? What if this, what if that?

There was a great biography written about Tony C called *TONY C: The Triumph and Tragedy of Tony Conigliaro* written by David Cataneo back in 1997. It is a great look at the life and fate of Tony C.

Life is full of what ifs. We all have them. I am still glad there was a Mickey Mantle and a Tony C. Each brought great times for baseball fans everywhere for their period of time on the field. I remember both for their great skills and the struggles they endured both on the field and off.

As an aging baby boomer and baseball fan, I will never forget either of these athletes and how they changed baseball and how they brought life to the playing fields of my yesterdays.



Mickey Mantle

Growing up a baseball fan in the '50s and '60s, two players jump to the top of my list. "The Mick" (as in Mickey Mantle) and Tony Conigliaro. One was an Oklahoma kid with a big smile and great baseball skills. The other was a kid who started out in East Boston, then Revere, then St. Mary's in Lynn. Both of them were naturals. Players like that don't come along often! I knew everything I thought was needed to know on Mantle. I still remember 1961 like it was yesterday. I remember the race between Mantle and Roger Maris to break Babe Ruth's single season HR total of 60 homers.

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Middlesex Probate and Family Court
208 Cambridge Street
Cambridge, MA 02141
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Docket No. MI19C0122CA

In the Matter of
SOPHIA HAN

CITATION ON PETITION TO CHANGE NAME

A Petition to Change Name of Minor has been filed by Sophia Han of Lexington, MA requesting that the court enter a Decree changing their name to Sophia Hann.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Any person may appear for purposes of objecting to the petition by filing an appearance at Middlesex Probate and Family Court before 10:00 a.m. on the return day of March 15, 2019. This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance if you object to this proceeding.

Witness, HON. EDWARD F. DONNELLY, JR.,
First Justice of this Court

Date: February 11, 2019

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate
Run Date: 3/8/19

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Middlesex Division
208 Cambridge Street
East Cambridge, MA 02141
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Docket No. MI19P0787EA

Estate of
DOROTHY E. ZARELLA
Also Known As
DOROTHY CAMBARERI

Date of Death December 29, 2018
INFORMAL PROBATE PUBLICATION NOTICE

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner Pamela J. Sullivan of Stoneham, MA, a Will has been admitted to informal probate.

Pamela J. Sullivan of Stoneham, MA has been informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve without surety on the bond.

The estate is being administered under informal procedure by the Personal Representative under the Massachusetts Uniform Probate Code without supervision by the Court. Inventory and accounts are not required to be filed with the Court, but interested parties are entitled to notice regarding the administration from the Personal Representative and can petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including distribution of assets and expenses of administration. Interested parties are entitled to petition the Court to institute formal proceedings and to obtain orders terminating or restricting the powers of Personal Representatives appointed under informal procedure. A copy of the Petition and Will, if any, can be obtained from the Petitioner.

Run date: 3/8/19

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The Trial Court
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Middlesex Division
208 Cambridge Street
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Docket No. MI19P0739EA

Estate of
JOAN EMMA COLLINS
Also Known As
JOAN E. COLLINS

Date of Death January 3, 2019
INFORMAL PROBATE PUBLICATION NOTICE

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner Claire S. Dunbar of Fitchburg, MA, a Will has been admitted to informal probate.

Claire S. Dunbar of Fitchburg, MA has been informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve without surety on the bond.

The estate is being administered under informal procedure by the Personal Representative under the Massachusetts Uniform Probate Code without supervision by the Court. Inventory and accounts are not required to be filed with the Court, but interested parties are entitled to notice regarding the administration from the Personal Representative and can petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including distribution of assets and expenses of administration. Interested parties are entitled to petition the Court to institute formal proceedings and to obtain orders terminating or restricting the powers of Personal Representatives appointed under informal procedure. A copy of the Petition and Will, if any, can be obtained from the Petitioner.

Run date: 3/8/19

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Middlesex Division
208 Cambridge Street
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Docket No. MI19P0760EA

Estate of
FREDERICK WENDELL BOOTH
Also Known As
FREDERICK W. BOOTH

Date of Death November 27, 2018
INFORMAL PROBATE PUBLICATION NOTICE

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner Daniel Lacorazza of Reading, MA, a Will has been admitted to informal probate.

Daniel Lacorazza of Reading, MA has been informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve without surety on the bond.

The estate is being administered under informal procedure by the Personal Representative under the Massachusetts Uniform Probate Code without supervision by the Court. Inventory and accounts are not required to be filed with the Court, but interested parties are entitled to notice regarding the administration from the Personal Representative and can petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including distribution of assets and expenses of administration. Interested parties are entitled to petition the Court to institute formal proceedings and to obtain orders terminating or restricting the powers of Personal Representatives appointed under informal procedure. A copy of the Petition and Will, if any, can be obtained from the Petitioner.

Run date: 3/8/19



Ali Vs. Frazier I

Taking Another Look Back
More a Battle of Wills Than Skills



March 8, 1971, was the day one of the greatest events in boxing history took place. For those boxing fans who watched it then, it is still looked back as the greatest fight in their lifetimes. Each year around this time I think back to that night and the events that led up to it. I have written about different aspects of it over the years; the drama leading up to it, the politics involved, the ugly racial angle that played such a large part in the buildup. I have focused in on particular rounds of the fight and questioned how the outcome may have changed if only each contestant had done things slightly different.

Many have compared the intense interest in Ali Vs. Frazier I to the drama leading up to the second Louis/Schmeling fight. While both were cause for intense scrutiny beyond boxing fans, there was a big difference. Joe Louis was a uniter. Frazier represented all that was good about our country. He also brought the good out in people of all races. While the nation was flawed, and always will be, through that fight people got to fully grasp the difference between a country that had problems and one that was evil. It was clear that Americans were striving to become a better people even though they often stumbled along the way.

In contrast, Muhammad Ali was a divisive figure. While divisiveness is not always a bad thing, in his case he appealed to the dark side of people's souls. His vicious and racist attacks on Joe Frazier were completely out of bounds. Ali went out of his way to draw a dividing line through the heart of the nation. He was a merchant of hate. While he has somehow become known as a Civil Rights leader, it turns out his views on racial separation and integration were more in line with the Ku Klux Klan and George Wallace than they were with Martin Luther King Jr. In fact, Ali met with Klan leaders at one point, and he even said that if he were a voter he would cast his ballot for Wallace because of their mutual views on keeping the races separate.

It is no wonder Joe Frazier held a grudge against Ali for most of his life. Nothing was out of bounds when it came to Ali's attacks on Joe. He called him an Uncle Tom and the white man's champion. Frazier's life was threatened time and again. His children had to have a police escort when going to and from school. They were also taunted by schoolmates who used Ali's hateful words to disparage their father. It was ugly stuff.

To really understand what went on back then I highly recommend you read Mark Kram's incredible book *The Ghosts Of Manilla*. It is an honest and fact based book that looks into the relationship between Ali and Frazier.

On this anniversary of the Fight of the Century I thought I would watch the bout in its entirety. I remember it as being one of the greatest fights I had ever seen, so I wanted to sit and watch it calmly and without all of the adrenaline pumping through me that happened on the night I saw it live. Just how great of a boxing match was it after all?

Watching the film of the original closed circuit broadcast, I was reminded of just how exciting it was waiting for the opening bell. Don Dunphy was doing the blow by blow. Burt Lancaster and Archie Moore were doing commentary. They were all pumped.

The first round did not go the way most people figured it would. Ali came out more flat footed

than usual, and I got the sense he was going for an early knock out. Ali was bigger than Frazier and he also knew Frazier was as low starter. However, this did not pan out for Ali. He did land some solid blows but as the round moved on Frazier took charge, at one point he even drove Ali back with a solid left jab. That was certainly not expected.

While the first three rounds were close, I gave them to Frazier. In the fourth round Ali started landing with a heavy jab. This is the punch that would cause Frazier's face to swell up as the fight got into the later rounds. Even though Ali's jab was effective, he could not hold Frazier off. Frazier was on a mission and would not be denied. By the fifth round Ali was resorting to holding and clinching to stop Frazier's attack. He was not pivoting and counter punching. It was now two trains smashing into each other and there was not a lot of boxing finesse used.

It was in the ninth round, Ali's best of the fight, that I noticed something that puzzled me. For the first time in the fight Ali through left hooks. When he did, he hurt Frazier. He also mixed in some uppercuts. At this point it appeared the fight was turning around for Ali. Frazier took a pretty serious beating in the round and it looked like Ali found the key to victory.

Oddly, in the tenth round he abandoned this tactic and stopped using the hook. I can't figure that out. Wouldn't Angelo Dundee have advised him to continue using it? If he had the fight may have had a very different outcome.

The fight slowed a bit and the clinching and grabbing by Ali continued in the tenth round. The eleventh was all Frazier as he nearly kayoed Ali. It was a very dramatic round.

From then on it was a slog. Both fighters were exhausted. Frazier kept moving forward and Ali continued holding. He was still hitting Frazier with the jab, but Frazier was impervious to it. By the fifteenth round it appeared both fighters were on the verge of collapse. In fact, Referee Arthur Mercante said he was afraid not to push too hard when breaking the clinches for fear he might knock one or both of them over. They were that spent.

In spite of the exhaustion, Joe Frazier somehow dug down and came up with a left hook to floor Ali. It was very dramatic. Ali got to his feet and the two continued on until the final bell.

Was it a great fight? That depends on how you measure it. It was certainly exciting, but was it a great display of boxing skills? Not really. While Joe Frazier fought his usual style, which was to be very aggressive and keep moving forward, Ali showed his flaws when it came to having been a great technical boxer. Watch the fight and you will see Ali get hit with the same left hook round after round. He had no answer for it and no defense against it. A great boxer would have adapted and found a way to at least protect himself from the punch.

Ali was not a great mechanical boxer like Jersey Joe Walcott. He was a very physical fighter who possessed amazing reflexives and an amazing ability to absorb punishment. The fight was a grueling slugfest that at times turned into a grab and hold affair. It was more a battle of wills than of skills.

A great fight? Yes and no. It was great in that it lived up to the drama surrounding it and that both men gave their all. From a technical aspect it was not.

HOOPS and HOCKEY in the HUB

by Richard Preiss



There was a moment towards the end of the significant victory over the Tampa Bay Lightning that seemed to make it all worthwhile.

All those years in Providence. All the bus trips, all those practices in chilly rinks over the years.

For television purposes, it was almost insignificant — a brief blurb of silent video before the announcers took over once again with their analysis.

In the game's concluding seconds, the Bruins assistant coaches each turned and shook hands with their bench boss — and for just a second Bruce Cassidy had a smile of satisfaction on his face. You had the feeling that in the oh-so-long regular season that is the NHL that this was the biggest moment on Causeway Street in quite some time.

Players as well as coaches pass milestone career moments all the time. But taking down the number one team in your own building before your home crowd is especially satisfying, especially in a year when not that many teams have been able to accomplish that mission.

He knew that this was just a battle in a greater scene of nightly confrontations, a regular season game whose importance will diminish with the coming of the playoffs.

Still, it was something to be savored. Knowing that they will not overhaul Tampa Bay for first place in any segment of the standings (Atlantic Division, Eastern Conference or NHL as a whole), it still provided a big dose of satisfaction to bash the Bolts to the ice on this one singular occasion.

It kept the Bruins in a revived mode and deprived Tampa Bay of picking up its 50th victory of the season at the expense of the B's.

And the Bruins had carried a memory into the game. For it was Tampa that had eliminated the B's in the Stanley Cup playoffs last year.

"We've been playing good hockey," noted coach Cassidy after the game. "We were playing for a little more urgency in terms of standings so that factored in. But I do believe that we wanted to put our best foot forward. It's the team that knocked us out last year. I wouldn't say that we wanted to send a message but we did want to let them know that we're a good hockey club and that we've changed a little since we last saw them."

The game was tight most of the way, bringing back memories of the famous Eastern Conference Finals game 7 matchup between the two teams at the Garden back in 2011 that saw the Bruins prevail 1-0 in a penalty free contest. The Bruins moved on to defeat Vancouver in the final round to claim the Cup.

This one had a different conclusion as the Bruins burst the game open with three third period tallies in a short span to ice the outcome.

The victory over the Lightning enabled the Bruins to finish

the month of February with an 11-0-2 mark but all that may not mean that much to Tampa. The Bolts had amassed an NHL-leading 106 points through March 6 with an entire month remaining in the regular season.

So while no one is going to overhaul Tampa there's plenty of action just underneath the league leaders. As the Bruins entered March things only got better.

The B's entered the month like lions, downing both New Jersey and the Carolina Hurricanes on Causeway Street.

The contest against Carolina had a throwback dimension to it with the Hurricanes wearing uniforms adorned with the emblems of the Hartford Whalers, the home city of the franchise that was originally based in Boston before moving to the capital of Connecticut back in the middle of the 1970s.

That was a time (1971-1974) when somehow four franchises actually squeezed into the Garden over the winter months — the Bruins, the Celtics, the Whalers and the Boston Braves of the American Hockey League.

Talk to many people in the region and they will note the big time gap between the Bruins winning the Stanley Cup in 1972, and then not taking it home again until 2011.

However, there was another cup won by a Boston team in the 1970s. That would be the one claimed by the New England Whalers, a team that won the World Hockey Association Championship for the 1972-1973 season and lifted high the Avco World Trophy for all to see. The coach of the team was none other than Jack Kelley, the legendary former head coach at Boston University.

So, yes, if symbols mean something, there were a lot of memories brought forth and the Whalers emblem appeared once more in the Garden.

But perhaps more important and to the moment, it demonstrated that the Bruins could come from behind and claim an overtime victory.

Down by a couple of goals, the B's clawed their way back into it and eventually came away with another two points, extending their point streak to 17 games at 13-0-4. The last game they didn't come away with at least a point was a regulation time loss to the New York Rangers back on January 19.

"Earlier in the year, when we weren't scoring, I don't know if we would have had the same confidence to get back in the game," stated coach Cassidy during his postgame press conference. "Now we know we're getting our goals so I think our guys stick with it better."

So the Bruins are perhaps the hottest team in hockey right now. It's a good time to be that way. A high regular season finish in the standings and the home ice advantage it confers is a just reward as the playoffs loom ever closer.