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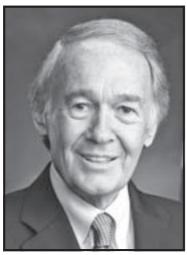
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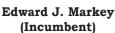
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News Briefs

by Sal Giarratani

Good Grief Charlie Brown, What's Wrong with Goodyear?

President Trump recently Tweeted a call to boycott Goodyear Tire citing a corporate diversity policy that reportedly bans employees from wearing his MAGA caps, among other conservative gear.

He slammed the tire-maker after an anonymous employee leaked a "zero-tolerance" slide, which was used as a part of the diversity training from the company's corporate headquarters.

Apparently, the company had no problem with workers wearing "acceptable" messages" such as "Black Lives Matter" but seemingly labeled "MAGA"

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Massachusetts Launches "My Local MA" Campaign

To Drive Economic Activity and Safely Support Small and Local Businesses

Governor Charlie Baker and Lt. Governor Karyn Polito announced the launch of an effort to encourage residents of the Commonwealth to support their local economies by shopping at local Massachusetts businesses and attractions, safely — in person, online, and using curbside pickup or takeout. The Baker-Polito Administration's "My Local MA" advertising campaign is kicking off today in tandem with the Sales Tax-Free Weekend taking place August 29th-30th, and was developed as a response to the economic impact the COVID-19 pandemic has had on Massachusetts local businesses and communities.

The intent of the campaign is to showcase Massachusetts' vast array of businesses and attractions — from family owned-restaurants to artisan boutiques to museums — that are a critical part of the Commonwealth's economy. From Stockbridge to Provincetown, our local retailers and restaurants are open for business, utilizing safe practices and, in many cases, for online shopping, curbside pickup or takeout and delivery.

The campaign, running through December, will include print, broadcast, billboard and digital ads, along with social media. The website:

FindMuLocalMA.com will feature resources for consumers and more information on the campaign.

Supporting local businesses also means acting responsibly. "Masking up" and practicing social distancing will be emphasized throughout the campaign to protect our quality of life and ensure that businesses can safely serve customers.

The Commonwealth's small business community plays a vital role in the composition of the Massachusetts economy. According to the U.S. Small Business Administration in their 2019 Small Business Profile, small businesses in Massachusetts employ approximately 1.5 million workers, accounting for approximately 45 percent of the Commonwealth's total workforce. For more info, visit: FindMyLocalMA.com.

This year's Sales-Tax Free Weekend will take place on Saturday, August 29th, and Sunday, August 30th. In 2018, Governor Baker signed legislation that makes the annual sales tax holiday permanent. For more info about this year's annual sales tax holiday, please review these Frequently **Asked Questions** at: www.mass.gov/info-details/ sales-taxholiday.

Stirpe Nostra

by Prof. Edmund Turiello

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



MUSAE (The Muses)

Greek mythology tells us that the Muses were originally the nymphs of springs, whose waters gave inspiration to all who bathed in them. One of these springs was called Castalia. It was a celebrated place on Mount Parnassus (southern Greece), where a high priestess of Apollo was accustomed to bathe.

The early history of Greek poetry and music includes many legends about the Muses, those goddesses of song in general. Later, as folklore developed, they became representatives of the various kinds of arts, sciences, and poetry. Homer, the traditional poet of ancient Greece, sang of the Muses dwelling on Mount Olympus and singing to the lyre of Apollo during the meals of the gods. Hesiod, who gave us the first genealogy of the gods

referred to the Muses as the nine daughters of Zeus. He listed them as 1. Calliope (she of the fair voice); the Muse of epic poetry and eloquence, the noblest of them all. She is usually shown with a wax tablet; 2. Clio (she that extols), the Muse of history who is usually represented holding a scroll; 3. Euterpe (she that gladdens),



Thalia, Roman sculpture, 2nd century CE; in the Pio-Clementino Museum, Vatican City.

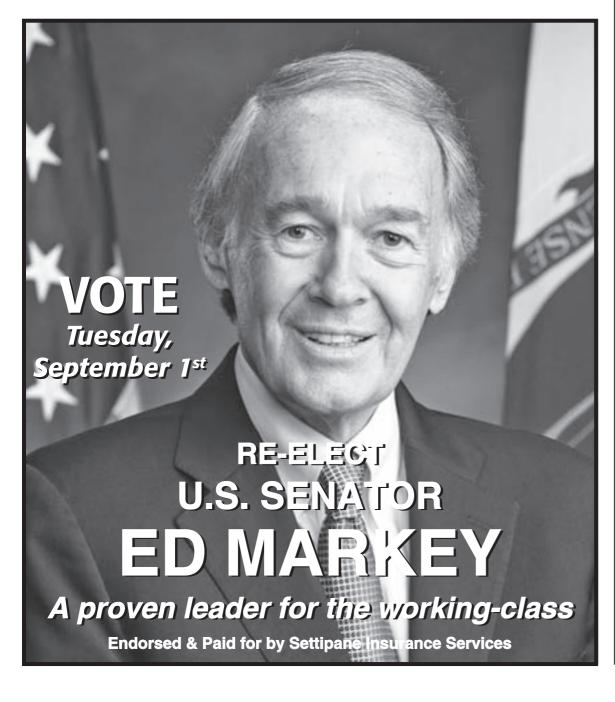
the Muse of lyrical song. She usually holds a double flute; 4. Thalia (she that flourishes), the Muse of comedy and bucolic (rustic) poetry. She is usually shown holding a comic mask, ivy wreath, and a shepherd's staff; 5. Melpomene (she that sings), the Muse of tragedy that is identified by the tragic mask that she holds; 6. Terpsichore

(she that rejoices in the dance), the Muse of dancing. She is identified by her lyre; 7. Erato (the lovely one), The Muse of erotic poetry. She is usually shown holding a small lvre: 8. Polymnia or Polyhymnia (she that is rich in hymns), the Muse of serious sacred songs. She is usually represented veiled and pensive. Lastly, there was 9. Urania (the heavenly). She is the Muse of astronomy that holds a celestial globe.

General belief held that the favorite haunts of the Muses were certain springs located at the foot of Mount Parnassus, a mountain in southern Greece. All of the Muses were usually represented as virgin goddesses with long garments and a cloak. Musical contests were held in their honor every five years. Athenians sacrificed

to them in schools, while the ancient Spartans did so before a battle. The god Apollo was looked upon as their leader, with whom they shared knowledge of the past, the present, and the future. They also gladdened the hearts of men and gods with their music.

NEXT WEEK: Museum



LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Middlesex Probate and Family Court 208 Cambridge Street Cambridge, MA 02141 (617) 768-5800 Docket No. MI20P3252EA

Estate of JOHN G. MARTORELLA Date of Death: March 20, 2020 CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION

To all interested persons:

A Petition for Formal Adjudication of Intestacy and Appointment of Personal Repre sentative has been filed by Robin A. Reeves of Reading, 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 Robin A. Reeves of Reading, MA be appointed as Persona Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in an unsupervised

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 September 08, 2020.

This is NOT a hearing date, but a dead line 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. MAUREEN H. MONKS, First Justice of this Court. Date: August 10, 2020

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate

Run date: 08/28/2020

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court **Probate and Family Court** Middlesex Probate and Family Court 208 Cambridge Street Cambridge, MA 02141 (617) 768-5800 Docket No. MI20P3671EA

Estate of WILLIAM FRANCIS MAY, JR. Date of Death: August 09, 2020 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 Sarah May Clarkson or Pocatello, ID requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that Sarah May Clarkson of Pocatello, ID be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in an unsuper-

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 September 21, 2020.

This is NOT a hearing date, but a dead line 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. MAUREEN H. MONKS, First Justice of this Court.

Date: August 25, 2020

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate

Run date: 08/28/2020

LEGAL NOTICE

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

> Docket No. MI20P3598EA Estate of

MICHAEL J. LANNAN, JR. Also Known As MICHAEL JOSEPH LANNAN, JR.

Date of Death: November 05, 2019

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 Lauren M. Kiely of Woburn, 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 Lauren M. Kiely of Woburn, 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 September 17, 2020.

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. MAUREEN H. MONKS, First Justice of this Court. Date: August 21, 2020

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate

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LEGAL NOTICE

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

Docket No. MI20P3607EA

Estate of GEORGE HENRY PHIFER, JR. Also Known As

GEORGE H. PHIFER Date of Death: April 27, 2020

CITATION ON PETITION FOR

FORMAL ADJUDICATION To all interested persons:

Petition for Formal Probate of Will with Appointment of Personal Representative has been filed by Susan E. Young of Noblesville, IN requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that Susan E Young of Noblesville, IN 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 September 17, 2020.

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Witness, HON. MAUREEN H. MONKS, First Justice of this Court. Date: August 21, 2020

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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.

U.S. Postal Service Launches New Election Mail Website

Site Provides Information for Election Officials and Voters Choosing to Use U.S. Mail to Vote

As part of its ongoing effort to ensure that voters and election officials have the information they need to successfully use the U.S. Mail to vote in the November general elections, the U.S. Postal Service has launched a new Election Mail website. The website, which provides clear and concise information about voting by mail, is available 24/7 by going to: *usps.com/votinginfo*.

The Postal Service recognizes that many states are choosing to expand mail-in voting options in the upcoming elections and that there will likely be a significant increase in demand among postal customers to participate in those elections by using the mail. In response, the Postal Service has updated its website to serve both voting customers seeking information on how to use the mail to vote and election officials seeking resources to help make their administration of the upcoming elections a success.

For domestic voters, the website provides direct links to federal election resources as well as links to state-specific resources. For overseas and military voters, the new site provides additional information, including links to resources supporting their election participation.

The site also highlights what the Postal Service views as the most critical information for voters who opt to vote through the U.S. Mail: that, in requesting or casting a mail-in ballot, they not only must comply with their local jurisdictions' requirements, but also should start the process early. To allow sufficient time for voters to receive, complete and return ballots via the mail, the Postal Service strongly recommends that voters request ballots at the earliest point allowable, but no later than 15 days prior to the election date. The Postal Service also recommends that voters mail their ballots at least one week prior to their states' due dates to allow for timely receipt by election officials. Voters should contact their local election officials for further information about deadlines and other requirements.

In addition, the site provides resources to state and local election officials as part of the Postal Service's ongoing efforts to partner with such officials to make the elections a success. The site guides election officials in contacting Postal Service personnel to discuss how they can design their mailings in a manner that comports with postal regulations, improves mail piece visibility and ensures efficient processing as well as timely delivery. The site also provides links to information, such as the official 2020 Official Election Mail Kit (Kit 600) and the State and Local Election Officials User's Guide (Publication 632), both of which were distributed to 11,500 election officials earlier this year.

The U.S. Postal Service remains fully committed to fulfilling its role in the electoral process when policymakers choose to use our services in administering elections. The Postal Service can fully handle and deliver the anticipated increase in Election Mail volume and is continuing to coordinate with state and local election officials through November. Election officials and voters are being asked to be mindful of the Postal Service's established delivery standards and consider how the mail actually works, so that voters have adequate time to request, receive, complete and send their mail-in ballots. The Postal Service will continue to do everything in its power to efficiently handle and deliver Election Mail, including ballots, in a manner consistent with the proven processes and procedures that have been relied upon for years.

The Postal Service receives no tax dollars for operating expenses and relies on the sale of postage, products and services to fund its operations.

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Cindy Lea Colafella

November 27, 1949 - August 22, 2020

Cindy Lea Colafella (Hansen) born November 27, 1949. Passed away on August 22nd, 2020 after a long and courageous battle with Multiple Sclerosis at the age of 70.

Cindy was the daughter of the late Barbara Ellen (Merry) and Richard Hansen. She was the most devoted wife of 41 years to her husband Giuseppe "Gino" Colafella. Mother of Shauna Elizabeth DeMarco (Colafella) and her husband Luigi DeMarco of Boston and her son Vincent Joseph

Colafella of Boston. Cindy was the beloved Nana to her cherished grandchildren, Victoria Merry DeMarco and Gianluca Antonio DeMarco, whom she loved more than anything.

Cindy moved to Boston at the age of 18 from Illinois where she grew up. She worked at John Hancock for many years. She married her husband Gino in 1979, and just recently celebrated 41 years of marriage. She taught Art at Saint John School in Boston's North End where she touched many lives.

Cindy loved spending time reading, gardening, drawing, doing photography, traveling, being with her little Yorkie Bruschi, and spending time with her family and friends near and far. She loved visiting with her Late Aunt Virginia (Merry) Carr and her Uncle



Arthur Carr and their families, her brotherin-law Nicola (Nicky) Colafella and her beloved Kelly Family, as well as many other family and friends. She was happiest when surrounded by her grandchildren, whom she gave the world to. She was the most loving wife, mother, nana, motherin-law, sister, sisterin-law, aunt, cousin, godmother, mentor, and friend.

Cindy also leaves behind her siblings, Richard Hansen (the late Darlene), Lesley Oran

(Michael), Jennifer Hansen (Steve), and Stephanie Hansen, all of the Midwest, as well as many sister and brother-in-laws in Italy, France, and Australia. She is also survived by so many special aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces and nephews.

Cindy touched the lives of everyone who had the pleasure to know her. She was the strength of the family, the greatest friend, and most loving and devoted wife, mother and nana and will be missed by all who had the chance to have her in their lives.

The family received visitors on Wednesday, August 26th at St. Leonard Church, Boston, a Mass of Christian burial followed.

In lieu of flowers, donations in Cindy's memory may be made to: National Multiple Sclerosis Society, $101A\ 1^{st}$ Ave., Waltham, MA 02451.

Anthony J. Martignetti

Well Known for Prince Spaghetti Commercial in North End

Anthony J. Martignetti, well known for his part in the famous Prince Spaghetti commercial, passed away on August 23, 2020, at age 63.

Anthony was a longtime resident of West Roxbury, formerly of Boston's North End

Beloved husband of Ruth E. (Ubri) Martignetti. Loving father of Anthony Martignetti of New Jersey. Beloved son of Raffaele and Carmela (D'Alelio) Martignetti of West Roxbury. Devoted

brother of Angelo Martignetti of Lynn, Andy Martignetti and his wife Suzy of Dedham, Michelle Knorring and her husband Peter of Buzzard's Bay. Also survived by many aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, and cousins.

It was 1969, when 12-year-old Martignetti filmed the commercial as the boy running through the neighborhood while his mother



(played by Mary Fiumara) yelled out "Anthony! Anthony!" from a window on Powers Court.

He later worked as a court officer in Dedham District Court.

The Martignetti family confirmed the passing in a statement on Facebook:

It is with a heavy and hurting heart that we announce to our family and friends that our brother Anthony J. Martignetti passed away suddenly in his sleep last night. None of us have accepted this yet

and I don't know when we will. RIP little brother, till we meet again, I love you.

Visitations were held at P.E. Murray - F.J. Higgins, George F. Doherty & Sons Funeral Home, West Roxbury, MA. Funeral was held on Friday at St. Theresa's in West Roxbury followed by a burial at Forest Hill Cemetery, Jamaica Plain, MA.

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L'Anno Bello: A Year in Italian Folklore

Almanacs are Amazing!

by Ally Di Censo Symynkywicz

Note: L'Anno Bello is reprinting articles that were written before the Coronavirus pandemic. Obviously, advice on gatherings and reunions contained within are not applicable to this current time when social distancing (and mask wearing!) is the best practice. Please read these articles as a testament to the joy and love that imbues Italian celebrations — and as suggestions for ways to spend time in the future once this pandemic is finally over.



If you stepped into my parents' old home on any given day, you would most likely have heard the television tuned in to the Italian language channel. I no longer batted an eye, for I have been used to this since practically the day I was born. Due to my father's love for the Italian channel, practically every day of my life has consisted of some variation of a silly variety show, hour-long quiz game, soccer match, Italian soap opera, or news program. While I used to find these shows rather goofy when I was little, I now appreciate them for helping me learn the Italian language and about Italian culture — I especially love the travel and science programs, and I now subscribe to this channel myself. However, my favorite show on the Italian channel has not aired for seven years, though I watch it regularly online. It is called *Almanacco di Domani*, or Tomorrow's Almanac, and like most good things in my life, it was introduced to me by my dad. This quaint little fifteenminute show provided folkloristic, astronomical, and fun fact information pertaining to the upcoming day — birthdays, history, recipes, notable quotes, you name it! Even saying the name in my mind conjures images of cozy dark evenings spent curled up on my couch at home, listening to the zany music announce the details of the next day.

I just love almanacs because they celebrate seasonal time and tradition, which anyone of the aforementioned television show or quick write-ups in local newspapers, are especially useful for anyone trying to find out more about the customs, beliefs and values that characterize his or her heritage. In Italian almanacs, you will almost always find the following:

1) The Saint of the Day: The calendar of saints is very important to Italian culture. Until not too long ago, this calendar often determined the name of the child born on a particular day. In this month of August, for example, you could have babies named Lorenzo (St. Lawrence's Day, August 10th), Assunta or Maria (Assumption of the Virgin Mary, August 15th), Elena (St. Helen's Day, August 18th), Bartolomeo (St. Bartholomew's Day, August 24th), or, as is the case in many a family, Rocco (St. Roch's Day, August 16th). The feast days of saints are also interesting for the holiday and seasonal lore associated with them. The Assumption, for example, acquired many customs related to the start of the grain and first-fruits harvest, which, like the feast day, occurred around mid-August.

2) The Sun and Moon: Like American almanacs, Italian almanacs will also tell the rising and setting times of the sun and the moon. In olden times, farmers would have found this information very useful. Superstition parceled out various agricultural tasks to certain phases of the moon, such as planting crops during the period when the moon grows in the sky reading this column knows I to ensure a similar result. Of wholeheartedly embrace. Italian course, nights with a full moon almanacs, whether in the form promised magic and mischief of all kinds. I like checking the rise and set of the sun in order to gauge seasonal changes. When the sun no longer sets after eight o'clock, as is happening now, I know autumn is on its way. Similarly, I love watching the sunset time progressively grow longer after the winter solstice with the anticipation of the coming spring.

3) Household Hints: Trust me, Italians seem to have more practical uses for everyday household items like rubbing alcohol, baking powder, lemon juice and candle wax than I have ever heard. These little hints are cheap, environmentally sound and just like having a wise grandmother next to vou dishing out advice! They definitively represent the more whimsical side of almanacs, true to the Italians' tradition of never taking themselves too seriously.

I love almanacs because they remind me that every day is special. Each day arrives laden with its own lore, history and curiosities. Almanacs teach us to always look forward, to keep hope and to always count even the smallest pleasures that a day can bestow. Now that the almanac bug has bitten me, I know that I will continue to pore over these olden bundles of wisdom and humor, whether in the form of Almanacco di Domanio or The Farmer's Almanac website. So thanks to my dad for introducing me to these cultural curios, and happy (almanac) reading to all!

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.

by Sal Giarratani

American Faces I Have Known

this while I was in traffic. I just couldn't listen to anymore jabbering from a radio talk show.

I started thinking back to my youth of the '50s' and '60s. My next-door neighbor on East Canton Street in the South End turned out to be a historic figure to me. He was 80-something and informed me that back in 1898, he fought in the Spanish American War and was also a Rough Rider in that expeditionary force that Col. Teddy Roosevelt led up San Juan Hill. He also informed me that he had re-enlisted in the U.S. Army and fought in World War I, too. I didn't really believe him until he showed me his Doughboy uniform and a posed photo of him, his fellow Rough Riders, and Col. Roosevelt himself.

Back then, members of the Greatest Generation that fought in World War II were still relatively young and my dad had several friends who were in the U.S. Navy on December 7, 1941, that were stationed at Pearl Harbor that quiet Sunday morning almost 79 years ago. They were some of the lucky sailors who survived that surprise Japanese attack and lived to tell the story of that morning. Many of them had visible injuries having been shot. A limp was quite evident in many

Later on as a police officer, I knew two priests from Mission Church who took turns every Sunday at the Massachusetts Mental Health Center on Fenwood Road at the bottom of the Mission Hill neighborhood. I can still clearly see both their faces and remember their tales. One priest was born at the end of the 19th century. This cleric used to walk the woods of New Hampshire every summer as a young man. Sometimes his

Recently I thought about next-door neighbor walked alongside him on those early morning walks. The guy next door was a poet named Robert Frost. When I asked him if the two of them ever came to a fork in the road he laughingly responded, "He went one way and I the other way." I still remember his face telling that story with a big Irish grin on his face.

The other priest who also was a chaplain at the Mental Health Center was a bit younger, but not that much younger. He was a Korean War Vet who told me how often he was in the battlefields saying Mass on the hood of his Army jeep. I recently found out he passed away back in July, just before his 99th birthday. His face I will remember along with his stories.

Oh, as far as politics go, I remember meeting and talking with James Michael Curley, who was quite the legendary Boston politician who also came from the same neighborhood and parish that I grew up in. Another great Irish face never to be forgotten.

I think I was born at just the right time in the 20th century where I crossed over from the old ways and into the future; 50-pound typewriters to lightweight laptops, etc.

I know I am a Baby Boomer growing older. But I also feel young because I have kept my energy, my wit, and my head of hair. Oh, and my memory, too for all those old faces that I can still clearly see and for all those new faces that still await me. Things can always be worse, but hopefully not.

Stay Healthy. Stay Alive. And for God's sake, don't lose your memories, because all those faces will just disappear and we all need face time now more than ever.

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Docket No. MI20P3289EA

Estate of FLORENCE DIANA WAXENBERG Also Known As FLORENCE DIANA LABB WAXENBERG. FLORENCE D. WAXENBERG. FLORENCE WAXENBERG Date of Death: June 26, 2020 INFORMAL PROBATE

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner Roberta T. Schotka of Somerville, MA, a Will has been admitted to informal probate

PUBLICATION NOTICE

Roberta T. Schotka of Somerville, MA has been informally appointed as the Persona Representative of the estate to serve without surety on the bond.

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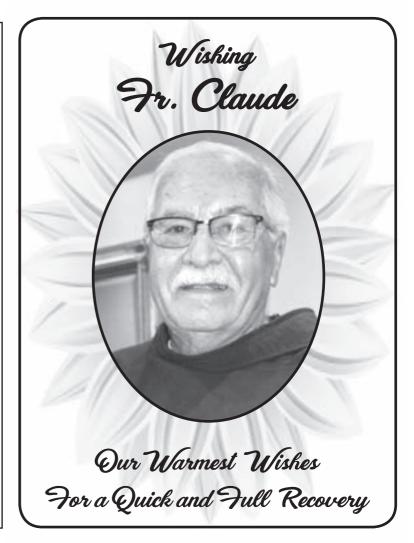
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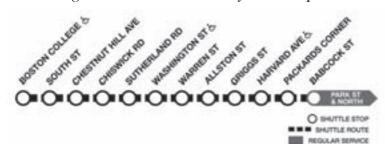
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Shuttle Buses to Replace B Branch Service From Boston College to Babcock Street **Over Four Weekends**

Regular B Branch Trolleys Will Operate on Labor Day Weekend



The MBTA is continuing a series of upgrades to the Green Line as part of the Green Line Transformation Program with the B Branch replaced with shuttle buses between Boston College and Babcock Street Stations during four weekends beginning this weekend August 29th - 30th

Following the completion of twenty-eight consecutive days of upgrades on the E Branch this week, the MBTA will shift to track and intersection upgrades on the B Branch. Over four weekends from August 29th through September 27th (no work Labor Day weekend), crews will replace 4,000 feet of track between Greycliff Road and Warren Street and possibly upgrade an intersection and pedestrian crossing. Once completed, these improvements to the B Branch will mitigate the risk of unplanned service disruptions by replacing track that is beyond its service life and improve travel times for Green Line riders.

Each weekend, work will start after B Branch service ends on Friday night (around 1:00 a.m. on Saturday) and be completed Monday morning (by 3:00 a.m.) before service resumes. Shuttle buses will replace the B Branch

service on these dates.

These improvements are in addition to the sixteen intersections that were upgraded on the B Branch in 2019, bringing even more benefits to Green Line riders, pedestrians, bicyclists, and vehicles. This work will improve accessibility for pedestrians crossing the tracks and create a smoother and safer experience for bicyclists and vehicles. New track will result in speed restrictions being lifted and a smoother ride for T users.

Shuttle Bus Information

Free, accessible shuttle buses will replace B Branch service from Boston College to Babcock Street Stations during the weekends of August 29th - 30th, September 12th 13th, September 19th - 20th, and September 26th -27th (regular trolley service will operate Labor Day weekend). Riders are reminded that face coverings are required while onboard shuttle buses and within the MBTA system.

Overnight Prep Work Schedule Overnight prep work at Commonwealth Avenue and Washington Street began on August 17 and will continue through August 21. The work will occur each night from 9 p.m. to 5 a.m. the following morning. Crews are welding segments of rail together upcoming weekend construction. The prep work does not

Impacts to Drivers on

for pedestrians, bicyclists, and drivers during each weekend at the work locations. There will also be lane closures, and some parking spaces may be temporarily unavailable. These restrictions are required for storing materials and accessing the tracks and will likely apply on the median side of the street.

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Noise issues may occur with noise levels monitored. The MBTA implements standard mitigation strategies to minimize disruptions to neighbors and responds to all noise complaints. A 24/7 noise hotline is available to report a noise issue at 508-676-3517.

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> NAOMI G. ELLIS **INFORMAL PROBATE**

tioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner Arlene E. Fuchs of Wayland, MA, Petitioner Howard M. Ellis of Maplewood, NJ, a Will has been

bond.

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Pet News *from the Gazette*

by Marie Simboli

Six Ways You Can Ease Your Dog's Fear of Fireworks



Fireworks make scaredy-cats out of many canines. That's because dogs, like humans, are hardwired to be afraid of sudden, loud noises. It is what keeps them safe. Some dogs, though, take that fear to the extreme with panting, howling, pacing, whining, hiding, trembling, and even self-injury to escape. And, unlike humans, they don't know that the fanfare on the Fourth and New Year's Eve is not a threat. Dogs hear the fireworks and process it as if their world is under siege.

How a dog responds to noises may be influenced by breed, with German shepherd dogs more likely to pace, while border collies or Australian cattle dogs are more likely to show their fear by hiding. While we don't know exactly why some dogs are afraid of fireworks and others not, many dogs that react to one noise often react to others. Therefore, early intervention and treatment are essential in protecting the welfare of these terrified dogs. Here's how you can protect your dog from fireworks.

Take your pet to the vet. If your dog is afraid of fireworks, the first step is to have your veterinarian evaluate him or her, especially if your dog's noise sensitivity is relatively new. Once recent study found a link between pain and noise sensitivities in older dogs, indicating that muscle tension or sudden movements in response to a loud noise may aggravate a tender area on the body and thus create an association between the loud noise and pain, causing fear of that particular noise to develop or escalate.

Create a "safe haven" in your home with a secure door or gate, preferably away from

outside windows or doors. Close the blinds or curtains to reduce outside noises, and play some classical music to help reduce stress by creating a relaxing environment for your dog during the show. A white noise machine or box fan may also help reduce anxiety, along with a pheromone like Adaptil sprayed on bedding, a bandanna, a collar or from a diffuser plugged into the wall.

Consider noise-canceling headphones such as Mutt Muffs to muffle the sounds and further noise sensitivities.

Find a food your pet will love. This could be cut pieces of boiled chicken or squeeze cheese. Sit with your pet and feed him or her with each boom. You can also use a long lasting food dispensing or puzzle toy to release food continuously during the fireworks. This is to help your dog make a positive association with the noises for the future.

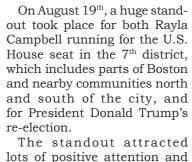
Consider anxiety wraps, fabric wraps that exert a gentle pressure on your dog's body. These may help to lower heart rate and other clinical signs of fear and anxiety, operating on the belief that they swaddle a scared animal and thus calm it fears. These work best, however, in conjunction with a complete behavior treatment plan including medication or behavior modification, or both. When it comes to comforting your dog, the jury is still out. It is difficult, however, to reinforce an emotion response to comfort. Therefore, it is OK to pet your dog when frightened by a noise event so long as the dog appears to be comforted and not more distressed by the situation.

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RAYLA CAMPBELL

Goes Down to the Wire Fighting to Win

by Sal Giarratani



The standout attracted lots of positive attention and the expected appearance of a small band of Black Lives Matter protesters trying to shout down Campbell's supporters who came from all across the district to support her write-in candidacy for ballot



Sal Giarratani stands with Rayla Campbell backing her U.S. House candidacy.

RAYLA CAMPUL CAM

U.S. House candidate Rayla Campbell standing with her supporters from across the $7^{\rm th}$ Congressional District

status on Election Day Tuesday, September 1st. However, their nasty behavior was in plain sight and their appearances mattered not at all, said several of Campbell's supporters.

With the State primary on September 1st, just days away, Campbell has been giving it everything she has. There have

been daily standouts across the district. At that latest Somerville standout last week, her supporters came from all over the district, Everett, Somerville, East Boston, Everett, Brighton, and Charlestown to stand with her up in Winter Hill on Broadway across from the Somerville firehouse.

Introducing a new book by Bennett Molinari and Richard Molinari, lifelong residents of the North End, entitled:

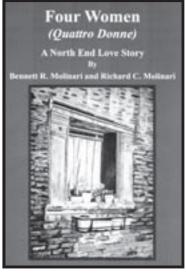
Four Women "Quattro Donne" subtitle, A North End Love Story

In the next few weeks this column will feature excerpts from this book.

THE ENCOUNTER continued As if in a dream, Carla rose

to her feet, caution giving way to passion. She slowly worked her way along the guardrail, gradually moving toward Pietro. Caught up in the moment, as she approached Pietro, she abandoned her reserve and began to sway to the rhythm of the Carmichael classic. Her entire body was in motion, rhythmically turning and swaying in the heat of the sultry evening, her arms reaching out to him, adding to her sensuous allure. Pietro turned in her direction. He felt captured by the vision of Carla shimmering in the moonlight, her dress clinging to her body. They locked eyes. He wanted to embrace her but remained fixed to the spot. Carla's movements were smooth and undulating as she drew closer to Pietro. The scent of her perfume reached him, and he reacted by reaching out to her. Carla beckoned to him, slowly they locked hands, moving separately at first then drawing closer as one, while Carla softly sang a word or two of Stardust. She went silent as her eyes cast up and down Pietro's lean body. Putting his arm around her waist, Pietro drew Carla closer. Pent up instincts were coming alive in him, instincts that aroused unfamiliar passion. Wrapping his arms around her, he backed her toward the guardrail, shielding her from view with his body. "Carla," Pietro whispered, as she rested her head on his shoulder; they remained motionless. The world had

fallen away as they abandoned



themselves to the moment, melting into the sultry summer evening.

"Carissima," he whispered. He could feel himself losing control and it frightened him. Still reacting instinctively, he took her by the hips, drew her closer to him. Suddenly, remembering his calling and coming to his senses, he pushed her away, knowing many eyes were watching them. "No! No! I can't do this!" Carla was pushed into the guardrail. The force of the blow seemed to wake her, as if from a spell. She looked around embarrassingly, hoping that her encounter with Pietro went unnoticed, but it didn't. All eyes were locked on them, especially Mom's, who had just come up to the second level of the pier, to hear the words Mom most dreaded hearing, spoken by Marina Vinci, North End's biggest gossip. "She's a disgrace. She's tempting him and he likes it. What kind of a seminarian will he make?" Hearing the words, Carla reacted by turning her

back to her taunter. Facing the ink black sea, she began to cry, visibly shaken by Pietro's rejection, and the scathing remarks of her neighbor. Pietro's caution melted at the sight of her. Her distress became his distress. As he approached Carla to comfort her, she pulled away, crouched down to the wooden pier, sobbing with her hands to her face. Pietro tried to reach out to her, but the damage was done. With tears in her eyes, she muttered, "What have I done?" She rose to her feet, turned from Pietro, then ran the length of the pier crying. All eyes were on her. Pietro was about to chase after her when Mom caught him by the arm. "Pietro, what's going on here?" Mom demanded. Pietro tried to shake loose from Mom's grip, desperately wanting to chase after Carla, but Mom's grip was too firm. "Cousin, for the love of God, let me go!" He yanked himself free from Mom's grip with a force that drove Mom to her knees, scraping them on the wooden pier, causing them to bleed, a sight bringing Pietro to his senses. Helping Mom to her feet, torn with emotion, he asked Mom to forgive him while blotting her knees with his fine linen handkerchief. Mom reached down to Pietro, lifted his face only to see his eyes filled with distress. She pulled him up to his full height, held him for a moment, and advised, "Pietro, let's leave. Everyone is watching." Pietro put his arm around Mom's waist as if to steady himself, together they walked the length of the pier; Mom knowing what just happened would be the talk of the North End in the morning.

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Preserve Your Garden Produce For Delicious Winter Meals

by Melinda Myers

All your hard work is paying off with a bountiful harvest. Fresh produce is filling your garden, countertops, and refrigerator while the garden keeps producing more. Preserve some of your harvest to enjoy throughout the winter with some tried-and-true or updated variation of food preservation techniques.

Hanging bundles of herbs to dry is a long-time practice that works. Harvest herbs in the morning just after the dew has dried off the leaves. Rinse, allow them to dry, and remove any damaged or dried leaves.

Gather the dry herbs into small bundles and secure with a rubber band. Use a spring-type clothespin to hang the bundles from a clothesline or hanger in a warm, dry, airy place out of direct sunlight.

A modern twist on this tradition is the space-saving Stack!t Herb Drying Rack (gardeners. com) hung from the ceiling. You will be able to dry large quantities of herbs in any narrow, out-of-the-way space.

Extend the life, flavor, and nutritional value of squash with proper harvesting and storage. Only store blemishand damage-free fruits and vegetables to reduce the risk of mold and decay developing during storage.

Harvest zucchini when the fruit is six to eight inches long and scalloped squash when three to six inches in diameter. Store these in a plastic bag inside the vegetable crisper drawer in your refrigerator for several days.

Wait to harvest winter squash when the fruit is full-sized, and the rinds are firm and glossy. The portion touching the ground turns from cream to orange when the fruit is ripe. Use a pruner to harvest the fruit, leaving a one-inch stem on each fruit. Cure all winter squash, except for acorn, in a warm, humid location. Then move to a cool, dry, well-ventilated area to store for several months. In the past, gardeners stored these, potatoes, onions, and fruit in wooden racks that maximized storage space and allowed air to reach each layer of produce. An updated version, Gardener's Supply Orchard Rack, adds convenient product. For most projects, you



Wooden orchard racks maximize storage space, while allowing air to reach each layer of produce. (Photo courtesy of Gardener's Supply Company)

drawers to this traditional storage system.

Boost your cabbage harvest with this trick. Remove firm full-sized heads but leave the lower ring of leaves and roots intact. The plant will form several smaller heads.

Harvest cucumbers based on how you plan to use them. Pick the fruit when it is 1 ½ to 2 ½ inches long if you plan on making sweet pickles. Allow the cucumbers to grow a bit bigger, three to four inches, if dill pickles are on the menu. Harvest those for slicing when the skin is firm, bright green and the fruit is six to nine inches long.

Turn a portion of your harvest into something delicious. Fermentation is a relatively easy preservation technique used for thousands of years. Preserve some of your cucumbers as pickles, cabbage as sauerkraut, and berries as preserves with fermentation. Store fermented fruits and vegetables in a cool, dark place or extend their shelf life by canning the finished just need the fruit or vegetables, water, salt, and spices. The desired ingredients are placed in a covered vessel, like Gardener's Supply 3-gallon Fermentation Crock. Weights are used to keep the fruit and vegetables submerged in water throughout the fermentation process.

If your garden is still producing when frost is in the forecast, extend the harvest season. Cold frames and cloches are triedand-true techniques used for extending the growing season. A modern method employs floating row covers. These spun fabrics allow air, light, and water through while protecting plants from frosty conditions. Cover the plantings and anchor the fabric in place. Lift to harvest and enjoy several more weeks and even months of garden-fresh produce.

Select the storage and preservation methods that work best for your garden produce, growing location, and lifestyle. Once you enjoy homegrown produce in winter meals, you will start growing more produce to eat fresh, share and preserve.

Melinda Myers is the author of more than 20 gardening books, including Small Space Gardening. She hosts The Great Courses How to Grow Anything DVD series and the nationally-syndicated Melinda's Garden Moment TV & radio program. Myers is a columnist and contributing editor for Birds & Blooms magazine and her web site is: www.MelindaMyers.com.

Burlington Sons of Italy

Offers Italian Classes

Due to popular demand for a continuation of Italian classes offered twice annually by the Burlington Sons of Italy for the past 25 years, COVID-19 has made it necessary for the 2020 Fall Semester to be continued through the Virtual Class concept via ZOOM!

The classes will begin on Wednesday, September 16th and will follow the same schedule that was in place for the past several years. The Burlington Sons of Italy web site will have all the class details pertaining to class times, instructor profiles, class content, cost, and just about anything you need to know. Also, the announcement itself has available a link to obtain a registration form. The web site is: www.burlingtonsonsofitaly.org.

Upon receipt of your registration form, you will immediately receive instructions on how to sign on to the classes. In addition, for those unfamiliar with ZOOM, on Monday, September 14th there will be an introductory session and tutorial pertaining to the usage of ZOOM. The time of the introductory will be a part of our acknowledgment upon registration receipt.

The Burlington Sons of Italy looks forward to your registration in continuance of your Italian language education and welcomes NEW students to join in the enjoyment and fun of learning a new language.

For answers to your questions, e-mail bsoilodge2223@aol.com, where they will be forwarded to the proper instructor(s) in question.

St. Ethelwold of Winchester

by Bennett Molinari and Richard Molinari



Called "the Father of Monks," Ethelwold was born in Winchester, England about the year 912. He grew up in the court of King Athelstan. He studied under and was ordained by his relative, Saint Alphege of Winchester who gave him the tonsure and ordained him priest.

At Glastonbury Abbey, where he was dean Under Dunstan, he was an exemplary monk. In 955, he became Abbot of Abingdon; and on November 29, 963, was consecrated Bishop of Winchester.

Ethelwold worked with Sts.

Dunstan and Oswald of York in bringing about a monastic revival after the Viking invasions. He also expelled the canons of Winchester, replacing them with monks. Ethelwold founded or restored the abbeys of Ely, Chertsey, Milton Abbas, Newminster, Peterborough, and Thorney.

Ethelwold was a scholar, teacher, prelate, and royal counselor. He supported the liturgical arts including music and manuscript illumination, his school of illumination at Winchester was famous.

He wrote Regularis Concordia, a monastic decree based on the Benedictine Rule. Ethelwold, for his efforts of reformation of monasteries was called "the Father of Monks."

Though he suffered much from ill-health, his life as scholar, teacher, prelate, and royal counselor was ever austere. He passed away on August 1, 984, and was buried in Winchester cathedral. The Feast Day of Saint Ethelwold of Winchester is August 1st.



LEGAL NOTICE

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Docket No. MI20P3486EA Estate of

JOSEPH J. BENINATI Also Known As JOESPH J. BENINATI, JR. Date of Death: April 12, 2020

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 Rebecca Amaral of Fitchburg, 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 Rebecca Amaral of Fitchburg, MA be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve With Surety on the bond in an unsupervised

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 September 14, 2020.

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. MAUREEN H. MONKS. First Justice of this Court. Date: August 17, 2020

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate Run date: 08/28/2020

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Suffolk Probate and Family Court 24 New Chardon Street Boston, MA 02114

(617) 788-8300 Docket No. SU20P1052GD

CITATION GIVING NOTICE OF PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF **GUARDIAN FOR INCAPACITATED** PERSON PURSUANT TO G.L. c. 190B, §5-304

In the matter of RICHARD O'BRIEN RESPONDENT **Alleged Incapacitated Person**

To the named Respondent and all other interested persons, a petition has been filed by Mass Dept. Of Mental Health of Westborough, MA in the above captioned matter alleging that Richard O'Brien is in need of a Guardian and requesting that

(or some other suitable person) be appointed as Guardian to serve on the bond.

The petition asks the court to determine that the Respondent is incapacitated, that the appointment of a Guardian is necessary, and that the proposed Guardian is appropriate. The petition is on file with this court and may contain a request for certain specific authority

You have the right to object to this proceeding. If you wish to do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance at this court on or before 10:00 A.M. on the return date of September 24, 2020. This day is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline date by which you have to file the written appearance if you object to the petition. If you fail to file the written appearance by the return date, action may be taken in this matter without further notice to you. In addition to filing the written appearance, you or your attorney must file a written affidavit stating the specific facts and grounds of your objection within 30 days after the return date

IMPORTANT NOTICE

The outcome of this proceeding may limit or completely take away the above-named person's right to make decisions about personal affairs or financial affairs or both The above-named person has the right to ask for a lawyer. Anyone may make this request on behalf of the above-named person. If the above-named person cannot afford a lawyer one may be appointed at State expense.

Witness, HON. BRIAN J. DUNN, First Justice of this Court. Date: August 13, 2020

> Felix D. Arroyo, Register of Probate Run date: 08/28/2020



BLUE BLOODS: THE TENTH SEASON (4-DVD) CBS DVD +

Paramount Home Ent.

Season 10 of Blue Bloods picks up with newlyweds Jamie (Will Estes) and Eddie (Vanessa Ray) attempting to balance the rocky terrain of their work and personal lives. In her role as Trial Bureau Chief, Erin Reagan (Bridget Moynahan) confronts the realities of a job that tends to be more political than she would like, and often puts her at odds with her father or brothers. Detectives Danny Reagan (Donnie Wahlberg) and Maria Baez (Marisa Ramirez) uncover and solve even more distressing crimes, and Frank Reagan (Tom Selleck) continues to confront trouble from 1 Police Plaza. No matter what may arise, however, the Reagans and their family values never fail to make it home for Sunday dinner. This 4-disc collection features all 19 episodes plus over 60 minutes of bonus features.

THE FLASH: THE COMPLETE SIXTH SEASON (5+1 Bonus Disc - Blu-ray) Warner Bros. Home Ent.

Not even The Flash can stop what's coming. No matter how fast he is, Barry Allen, a/k/a The Flash, can't outrun his fate. Or can he? With am impending Crisis threatening Central City, Barry and his wife, Iris West-Allen, cope with the heartbreaking loss of their speedster daughter, Nora, while Barry attempts to prepare Team Flash for a future without him. As Barry navigates the devastating Crisis, Killer Frost, Cisco Ramon, Ralph Dibny, Nash Wells. Joe West and Joe's girlfriend, Cecile Horton, struggle to protect their city and The Flash's legacy. Thus raising the question, will they save their world from a cosmic disaster of infinite proportions? Only time will tell in these 19 episodes filled with death-defying battles, painful reunions and secrets with the potential to throttle the Scarlet Speedster and Team Flash from within.

A WHITE, WHITE DAY (DVD) Film Movement

In A White, White Day, an off-duty police chief (Ingvar Sigurdsson) in a remote Icelandic town, begins to suspect a local man of having had an affair with his late wife, who died in a tragic accident two years earlier. Gradually his obsession for finding out the truth takes over his life and inevitably begins to endanger himself and his loved ones. This gritty Nordic noir about grief, revenge and unconditional love, has been described as one of the best thrillers of 2020, with an undeniable chill. A White, White Day, is the second feature from director Hlynur Palmason.

IRRESISTIBLE (Blu-ray) Universal Pictures Home Ent.

Written and directed by Jon Stewart, *Irresistible* is a comedy about what happens when a small town becomes the main attraction for two rival political consultants. Top Democratic consultant from D.C., Gary Zimmer (Steve Carell) sees an

opportunity to win back voters in America's heartland when a video of a passionate farmer and retired Marine colonel Jack Hastings (Chris Cooper) goes viral. After a long, hard day's work as a farmhand, Gary persuades the farmer to run for mayor for the right-wing town Deerlaken. However, when the Republican National Committee counters him by sending in his brilliant nemesis, Faith Brewster (Rose Byrne), Gary is more than primed to up his game, turning this local race into a hilarious game of tug of war. Filled with laugh-out-loud moments from start to finish, along with over thirty minutes of never-before-seen bonus

FIRST SNOW (Blu-ray) MVD Marquee Collection

Guy Pearce, Piper Perabo and Academy Award winner J.K. Simmons star in this intriguing thriller about a man whose life spins out of control after a psychic tells him his days are numbered. After his car breaks down in a desolate town, a slick salesman, Jimmy Starks (Pearce). visits a fortuneteller to kill some time. But the psychic's ominous reading sends Jimmy's life into a tailspin when he learns that his life will soon end, but he is safe at least, until the first snow of the season. Now, with his ultimate fate looming nearer, Jimmy becomes obsessed with revisiting his past in hopes of changing his destiny before it's too late.

POSSESION (Blu-ray) MVD Marquee Collection

Sarah Michelle Gellar leads an all-star cast, including Lee Pace and Michael Landes in the year's most mesmerizing thriller Possesion. Newlyweds Jess (Gellar) and Ryan (Landes) seem to have it all until a car accident renders both Ryan and his brother Roman (Pace) comatose. But things spin even more eerily out of control when Roman awakens and tries to convince Jess that he is her husband. Beside herself with fear and grief, Jess grapples with one question. Could the man before her actually be the man she lost ... or does something far more sinister await her in his arms?

EVEN MONEY (Blu-ray) MVD Marquee Collection

Academy Award winner Kim Basinger and Forest Whitaker join Danny Devito and an allstar cast in this compelling thriller. Even Money follows the lives of nine individuals, as their fates become increasingly entwined in a web of addiction and gambling culminating at the critical moment when their lives will be lost or reclaimed. Struggling wife Kate (Basinger) loses her family's savings at a casino; a washed-up magician (Devito) tries to help Carol regain her money; Clyde (Whitaker) owes to much money to his dangerous bookie (Jay Mohr) that he asks his NBAdestined nephew (Nick Cannon) to throw the game. Also starring Kelsey Grammer, Tim Roth, Ray Liotta and Carla Gugino, Even Money is a cautionary thriller about addiction and deception that hits a jackpot of suspense.

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

NATIVE AMERICANS AND FRIENDS FOR COLUMBUS FORM ASSOCIATION

The Italian American Alliance has learned that a number of Native Americans and their friends have formed an association to stand **with** the Alliance in support of Columbus Day.

The association will counter a group of individuals who allege themselves to be "Italians for Indigenous People" and opposed to Christopher Columbus. While the Alliance doubts their credibility and questions their motivations, the small group persists in their efforts to appear more significant than they are.

In fact, The Alliance favors an Indigenous Peoples Day provided that it is not a replacement for Columbus Day.

HOT REPRESENTATIVE RACE SHOULD BRING OUT VOTERS



Here's John Dillon, another longtime friend, with Dan Ryan outside his Charlestown campaign office.

(Photo by Sal Giarratani)

The race for state representative in the Second Suffolk District is going down to the wire for voters in Chelsea and Charlestown. I am supporting my friend Dan Ryan who is running for re-election this year. He's a Townie and has always had great support in his hometown.

ENCOURAGING MORE HOUSING IN CHELSEA?

Two weeks back, I was reading a page one story in the *Chelsea Record* in which Chelsea's City Manager Tom Ambrosino remarked that the city needed to be denser.

He also stated that if the downtown area was going to survive COVID-19 it had to become denser with more living units and businesses to serve new residents.

Whenever I picture the City of Chelsea, more dense housing never seems to jump to the forefront for me.

I'm thinking density probably is a factor when it comes to COVID-19 clusters in Chelsea to begin with.

Still can't figure this need to increase density at all.

THE BOB KATZEN IS ON THE AIR

I just found out that Bob Katzen, the publisher of the *Beacon Hill Roll Call* is on every Sunday night from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., for his new talk show

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The Bob Katzen Baby Boomer and Gen X Fun and Nostalgia Show. You can jump into his time capsule and go back to the '50s, '60s and '70s.

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SPEAKING OF WMEX

Growing up in the '60s, I listened to *WMEX* all the time for all that great boomer music back in the day when it was brand new.

The best DJ was Arnie "Woo-Woo" Ginsburg and his Night-train Show every night at 9:00 p.m. until midnight. If you're old like me, you probably remember Adventure Car-Hop up in Saugus on Route 1, too. Order a burger and you got it on a vinyl record.

I listened on a Sunday evening and playing the old records was Jimmy Jay, a well-known South Shore music guy who provides the best music at parties and functions. Now, he's on *WMEX*, too.

I GOT MAIL FROM THE INBOX

Recently, I found a message in my inbox from an old friend Billy Tauro, who publishes the Somerville/Medford News.

Both of us are supporting Rayla Campbell, who is running for U.S. Congress in the 7th District, which includes both Somerville and East Boston among the communities within this district.

Tauro writes, "In America the sky's the limit and that no matter who you are or where you're from, nothing can stop you from achieving the American dream." Rayla is a fighter who is willing to stand up for her principles, yet listens sincerely to all voices in the district.

Rayla believes in American exceptionalism, and that we should always honor our values, rights, and our Constitution."

Anyone out there who wants to share a thought or opinion, just email: sal.giarratani@gmail.

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Estate of CAROLINA C. PASCUAL Date of Death: August 23, 2019 INFORMAL PROBATE PUBLICATION NOTICE

Docket No. MI20P0007EA

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner Carmelita Brown of Queen Creek, AZ.

Carmelita Brown of Queen Creek, AZ 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.

e Petitioner. Run date: 08/28/2020

CHICAGO HAS BOSTON'S BACK

Italian American representatives from Chicago flew into Boston last week to trade ideas with Alliance Board Member Dr. Dom Amara. The end result will be a network whereby the various pro-Columbus group leaders can communicate with each other and confront our adversaries — wherever they may be.

BRITTANY IS BACK ON WRKO

Brittany Jennings, everyone's favorite producer on the *Kuhner Report* mornings on *WRKO* 680 until she was furloughed from the show over the pandemic, is back on the air with her own show.

You can find her Saturday evening starting a 5:00 p.m. and I've heard her twice and no radio host takes more callins. She knows that of which she speaks and she has a good sense of humor, needed now more than ever.

The other night the show's topic included the Commonwealth's decision to mandate that all school children be vaccinated for the flu prior to December 31, 2020, or they will not be allowed into schools' for in-classroom learning when it happens for them.

Brittany doesn't like this mandate and wondered what about teachers and other school staff. Will all be forced into taking the flu vaccine, too?

Check her new show out. You'll learn something and she makes great sense, too.

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Docket No. MI20P3448EA
Estate of
JOSEPH H. GOLNER

Date of Death: April 25, 2020
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 Jennifer Kettell of Natick, 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 Jennifer Kettell of Natick, 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 September 14, 2020.

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. MAUREEN H. MONKS, First Justice of this Court.

Date: August 17, 2020

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate Run date: 08/28/2020

Nanna & Babbononno

by John Christoforo

A Nostalgic Remembrance



Labor Day will be with us in a couple of weeks, but other than it being the practical end of summer, it has significance for me. I met someone during Labor Day weekend 47 years ago and we've been hangin' around together ever since.

Babbononno always used to say, "You can't pick your relatives; you're stuck with them. But, you can pick your friends, so do it wisely." Over the years, I discovered his visions were right on target. My story begins around July 4th, 1973. I had been in Hollywood doing some extra work at Paramount Studios and with the summer coming in, most of the production companies housed on the Paramount lot were shutting down for July and August. As a result, I decided to head home. My folks greeted me with open arms, and after settling in, I headed to East Boston to visit Babbononno. He was now in a nursing home and ready to turn 98. When I arrived at the Columbus Nursing Home on Saratoga Street, Uncle Nick was there visiting his father. The three of us chatted, and when it was time to leave, Uncle Nick said, "Oh, by the way, there's a Motown group passing through Boston minus a bass player ... you interested?" I said yes and let it go at that.

A day or so later, I received a call from one of the leaders of the Uniques, a Motown group that was heading north for the summer. Eddie Jackson called at the suggestion of Uncle Nick. He said that the band was heading to Maine and needed a bass player. Knowing from what Uncle Nick had said, I told Eddie that I wasn't African-American. His comment was, "What color's your talent?" I replied, "What do you mean, it's colorless." He then asked, "What color's your bass guitar?" I replied, "Black." Eddie's comment was, "Close enough." So, I joined the Uniques for the summer. I did let the guys know that I would be leaving around Labor Day as I had decided to return to teaching in the Boston schools and play music locally. They had no problem with my decision, and so, I headed to the Portsmouth Circle, met the band at the then Howard Johnson's Motor Lodge and followed the caravan northward to Caribu, Maine.

When we arrived at the location, we brought our equipment into a supper club that was part of a motel complex. The room was large, decorated like a Vegas nightclub, and the people already in attendance were

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Johnny Christy Orchestra

having dinner were well-dressed, multi-ethnic, multi-racial, and many of them were in Air Force uniforms. It did not compute. As far as I knew, that part of Maine had only white people and Indians, and most were farmers involved in Maine's potato industry. What I discovered later that evening was that there was a SAC base in Caribu, the Loring Air Force Base, the east coast's most strategic missle site. The patrons I saw were employees and servicemen and women from the air base. There was nothing else in the way of entertainment for them except the performers at the hotel.

Things went well. I fitted

in and learned their tunes and routines rather quickly. The man I mentioned, Eddie Jackson, became my roommate and we hit it off. The money was good, but as August pushed forward, I told everyone that I would be leaving around Labor Day. At the beginning of the last week of August, Jerry Cobb, the other leader of the band told me that a New York-based bass player was available and I could leave after the last show on that Friday evening. I was delighted. I had been invited to join a bunch of guys who were going to spend the Labor Day holiday weekend on the Cape. I called one of the guys and told him I would be able to make it and asked for the directions. I left Maine, stopped at the house in Belmont, packed some Cape Cod clothing and headed for Hyannis. I arrived in the middle of the night exhausted. Paul Blair, the friend who had invited me, showed me my bedroom and told me that there were some other folks coming later in the night. It seems that they all worked at a Boston nightclub and were leaving after work. When they arrived, I was awakened by the sound coming from a broken muffler, and I looked out the bedroom window. What I saw made me curious. A gray Jaguar XKE two-seater pulled up with about six people wedged into it. The driver got out and looked like a little kid with a mustache. My comment to myself was, "Oh, what the Hell," and I went back to sleep.

Late the next morning, someone yelled out brunch is ready. Everyone staying at the cottage headed for the kitchen, and I was introduced to all of them. The one who looked like a little kid with a mustache was named Dean Saluti. We sort of hit it off. He was a doctoral candidate at Boston University, working his way through the program as a

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bartender at Lucifer's, one of three nightclubs located in a complex called The Kenmore Club situated in the middle of Kenmore Square.

As the weekend progressed, Dean and I had many conversations about our backgrounds, growing up in Italian families, both having multiple college degrees, and our likes and dislikes in women, music, and food. It seemed that we were always on the same page. When the weekend came to an end, we swapped phone numbers and I headed back to Boston and returned to teaching drafting and engineering subjects at Hyde Park High School by day and playing music at night. About a week later, I called Dean and told him I was playing at a Boston hotel that Saturday evening and might be interested in getting a bite to eat after work. At about 2:00 a.m., we teamed up and headed for Chinatown and a late night dinner. During our conversation, Dean talked me into applying for entrance to a doctoral program at Boston University, where he was studying. I already had two Masters Degrees and was so busy teaching in Boston, playing music nights, and periodically heading for Hollywood when they had something for me in the way of acting, I didn't think I could handle it all.

The conversation we had over dinner that night kept cropping up in my mind over the next few weeks and I decided to take one of the exams that would allow me entrance to a BU Doctoral program. When I was sent a letter of congratulations by BU, I quickly picked my subject area, signed up for courses and contacted Dean to let him know I was now a BU graduate student. From that point on, we became closer friends, even double dating when there was time. Over the course of that fall and winter I came to know many of his friends and introduced my friends to his crowd. Uncle Nick and I often worked together on weekend nights and he enjoyed hanging out with the younger guys whenever we headed for a late night restaurant after work.

That friendship hit the 47-year mark this weekend. Dean Saluti was a groomsman in my wedding party and I fulfilled the same obligation when he married Margie Cahn. For many years after we received our degrees, we worked together in a consulting firm he put together. Today, in our senior years, I am retired, and he is a college professor. We have several Italian organizations and our antique cars to augment our lifestyles, but with the coronavirus hanging around, most of the corresponding activities are in suspended animation. More important, we have a friendship or a brotherhood that began 47-years ago and continues today, something that is rare and unique in today's world. If Babbononno was alive he would probably look at us and say, "I due fratelli."

GOD BLESS AMERICA



The Calabrian city of Pizzo is considered the home of Italian gelato. With over 20 gelateriasin the center of town, it is often referred to as "the ice cream capital of the country." Pizzo acquired this reputation after the Sicilian born gelatiera (gelato maker), Giuseppe De Maria, known to most as 'Don Pippo' created the Tartufo di Pizzo. It seems while preparing desserts for a crowd, Don Pippo ran out of molds to shape his ice cream. Having no alternative, he resorted to using his hands to form the desserts. He placed hazelnut and chocolate gelato in his palm, shaped it into a ball around a filling of melted chocolate, and dusted them with cocoa and sugar. Resulting in the appearance of truffles, Don Pippo called his creations Tartufo di Pizzo or Truffle of Pizzo. Reportedly, he handed his recipe down to his nephews, who to this day continue to run gelaterias in the center of Pizzo. The Tartufo di Pizzo are considered a significant part of Italy's heritage and have been given IGP (Indication of Geographic Protection) protected status.

Though the original recipe for Tartufo di Pizzo calls for hazelnut and chocolate gelato around a chocolate center, as with most Italian dishes and desserts, there are now many different renditions of these ice cream truffles available. I have made the original recipe and also tried different flavor combinations of gelato and fillings, as well as substituted the cocoa and sugar coating for a hard chocolate shell or even crumbled cookie coating. You can create your own using your favorite flavor combinations of homemade or even store-bought gelato. The recipe I'm sharing today is close to the original and everyone favors. Made with chocolate-hazelnut gelato, a creamy dark chocolate center, and a milk chocolate shell coating or dusting of cocoa and sugar "Chocolate Hazelnut Ice Cream Truffles" or Tartufi Gelato Cioccolato Nocciolaare simply scrumptious! Served as a dessert they make a beautiful presentation and are loved by children and adults of all ages!

CHOCOLATE-HAZELNUT ICE CREAM TRUFFLES

Tartufi Gelato Cioccolato Nocciola



Chocolate-Hazelnut Gelato

2 cups whole milk 1 cup heavy cream ³/₄ cup sugar 5 medium or 4 large egg yolks 1 teaspoon vanilla extract ½ cup Nutella

In a saucepan combine milk, cream, and ½ cup sugar. Cook over medium heat for about 4-5 minutes. In a medium bowl beat the egg yolks and remaining ¼ cup of sugar about 5-6 minutes, until the eggs are pale yellow. Slowly pour ½ cup of the warm milk/cream mixture into the egg mixture while mixing. Add this all back into the saucepan with the remaining milk/cream mixture. Cook over low heat, stirring constantly, until the mixture becomes thick enough to coat the back of a wooden spoon, about 8 to 12 minutes. Stir in the vanilla and Nutella and mix until it dissolves. Chill this mixture at least 6 hours to overnight before pouring into an ice cream maker and follow the manufacturer's instructions to freeze. It typically takes about 25-30 minutes to churn. Freeze overnight until solid.

Ganache Fudge Center

1 cup heavy cream

8 ounces semi-sweet chocolate

In a small saucepan over medium heat, warm cream. Add chocolate and stir together for a few minutes until melted, remove from heat. Set aside.

Chocolate Shell Coating

1 cup milk chocolate chips

 $2\ table spoons\ coconut\ oil$

Place chocolate and coconut oil in a microwave safe bowl, microwave in 45 second intervals, stopping and stirring after each, until melted. Blend together well and let cool before coating ice cream/gelato.

Cocoa and Sugar Coating

Combine equal amounts of pure cocoa and sanding sugar in a bowl to dust over ice cream/gelato.

You can make these as a semi-sphere or whole sphere (to make whole spheres, either use an ice-cream scoop or take 2 semi-spheres, use a small amount of gelato/ice cream, press together and refreeze until frozen). Take a 6 cavity (2.6 size) semi-sphere silicone mold and spray with non-stick cooking spray. Fill the cavities with gelato/s (homemade or store bought, and even though not authentic, ice cream works well) and freeze. When frozen, use a small melon scoop and scoop out center. Fill with ganache fudge and freeze again until solid (overnight is best). When ready, carefully remove from molds and either dust with cocoa and sugar or dip into cooled chocolate shell coating mixture (my preferred method) and let dry. Keep frozen until ready to serve.

Marianna Bisignano is a psychologist for the Boston Public Schools and can be reached at nonnasrecipebox@gmail.com

THOUGHTS BY DAN ABOUT THIS & THAT

with Daniel A. DiCenso

D-DAY



By far, the saddest yet the most courage displaying battle of WWII was D-Day, when Allied troops stormed the beaches of Normandy, open to attack, the troops fought bravely and have become emblems of the sacrifices made during the war. The result was nothing less than the liberation of Western Europe and the beginning of the end for the Axis powers.

Following the evacuation of Dunkirk in May of 1940, Allied forces were planning an invasion through the English Channel and German troops soon became privy of this. In November of 1943, Hitler set up a defense on France's

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Docket No. 09W-1739WD SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION ALEXANDRA CLAIRZIE, Plaintiff

CARMELOT PIERRE, Defendant

To the above named Defendant:
A Complaint has been presented to this
Court by the Plaintiff, seeking a Modification.

You are required to serve upon Alexandra Clairzie - plaintiff - whose address is 24 Waldo Rd., Arlington, MA 02474 your answer on or before September 30, 2020. 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 in the office of the Register of this Court at Cambridge.

Witness, HON. MAUREEN H. MONKS, Esquire, First Justice of said Court at Cambridge, this 19th day of August 2020.

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate Court Run date: 08/28/2020

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In the Matter of KAREN JEAN THOMPSON

CITATION ON PETITION TO CHANGE NAME

A Petition to Change Name of Adult has been filed by Karen Jean Thompson of Wayland, MA requesting that the court enter a Decree changing their name to Karen Jean King.

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 September 14, 2020. This NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance if you object to this proceeding.

Witness, HON. MAUREEN H. MONKS, First Justice of this Court

Date: August 17, 2020

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate Run Date: 08/28/2020



ready and, by the end of the day, 5,000 ships had left the English coast for the beaches of Normandy along with 11,000 warplanes.

At dawn on June 6th, the largest amphibious invasion began, involving 156,000 Allied soldiers landed on the 50-mile Normandy coast.

German troops were taken off guard and were no match for the Allied air command. Hitler himself was puzzled, believing the D-Day invasion itself to be a decoy attack and so delayed the deployment of defense.

Still, victory did not come easy at Omaha Beach with 4,000 Allied troops (about half of them American) falling to the



northern coast awaiting the Allied invasion. For defense, Hitler assigned Erwin Rommel to construct over two-thousand miles worth of bunkers and landmines along the shore.

On the Allied side, General Eisenhower took command of what was then known as Operation Overlord in January of 1944, and began a deception campaign, duping the Germans into falsely identifying Pas-de-Calais as the point of attack. At the same time, General Patton set up phony transmission and fake armies aimed at misdirecting the German guard.

By June 5^{th} , Eisenhower determined the troops to be

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Estate of

JOSEPH RICHARD CONNELL, SR.

Also Known As

JOSEPH R. CONNELL

Date of Death: May 01, 2020

INFORMAL PROBATE

PUBLICATION NOTICE

To all persons interested in the above cap-

tioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner Jerilyn

Connell of Kanab, UT, Petitioner Jayne

Connell of New York, NY, a Will has been

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cedure. A copy of the Petition and Will, if any,

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can be obtained from the Petitioner.

admitted to informal probate.

enemy. Still, the invasion was a success and five days later the invasion secured the Normandy coast.

With this victory, Allied forces made their way into the interior and by the end of the month had taken over the Cherbourg. By August, the Battle of Normandy was a declared victory, culminating with the liberation of Paris and the German retreat from northern France, dashing Hitler's plans to build a defense in the region against the advancing Soviet Army.

Now, the next plan for the Allied forces was going into Germany ... for the coup de grace.

• News Briefs (Continued from Page 1)

attire as "unacceptable" as was "Blue Lives Matter" or "All Lives Matter."

We Need More Civil Discourse

One of the most liberal U.S. Supreme Court justices was William O. Douglas, and he was a stickler for free speech and for that he was one of my all-time favorite justices who ever sat up there on the U.S. Supreme Court. He once said, "The answer to bad speech was more speech."

In the present toxic atmosphere with Black lives Matter or Antifa, if you don't align yourself with their speech, you have no right to counter their truths. That's not the way our democrat republic is supposed to work. We have a Bill of Rights that says we are a free nation with free speech even for those we disagree with.

Today, the Bolsheviks out there on the streets of our city are tearing us apart. Cities are being torn apart in hateful rhetoric and action. Look at Portland, Seattle, or Minneapolis. Look at the toxicity taking place there and other cities across the nation.

Recently former President Obama speaking at the funeral of John Lewis said, "Real courage comes not from turning on each other, but by turning towards one another."

We need to recapture civil discourse. We need to be able to speak up without being shut down by those who don't like what they're hearing.

Another 7th District Fight Another Fiery Republican

Here in Boston's 7th congressional district, we have a fiery GOP challenger ready to take on Ayanna Pressley for her U.S. House seat named Rayla Campbell. Down in Maryland, a Republican named Kim Klacik is looking to fill the congressional seat long held by the late U.S. Rep. Elijah Cummings. She is blasting the entrenched Democrat leaders who have looked like innocent by-standers for allowing Baltimore to descend into decades of poverty and crime.

In a walking tour video, she urges black Baltimore residents to throw out the Democrats. As she strolls through neighborhoods, she tells the audience, "Do you care about black lives? The people that run Baltimore don't. I can prove it. Walk with me." Her video garnered some 4.4 million views in less than 24-hours.

Anyone who walks around Baltimore can see crumbling infrastructures, abandoned housing, poverty, and plenty of crime. Baltimore has been ruined by Democrats for 53 years and counting.

Baltimore Democrats were outraged last year when President Trump called the city a "disgusting rat and rodent

infested mess." But wasn't he just speaking truth to power?

Keep up the fight Kim Klacik!

This is Biden's New Campaign Slogan

I watched a bit of the DNC Convention to did see Joe Biden and what you will get with him in the White House. I don't believe a word he said. While he and party insiders are trying to sell us a centrist in the model of Hubert Humphrey, the party platform is clearly that of the Sandernista socialist wing of the party.

The week of that convention never told us what they really stood for excluding that they weren't Trump. So, here's my slogan for good ole Joe, "BIDEN SAYS TRUMP BAD!!!"

College Students Have A Right to Tuition Cuts

College students across the nation are angry and are demanding tuition cuts as more colleges and universities stay online. Online learning can never be as good as actually being in the classrooms on campus. Why do you think many students, especially older students do online. It is much more affordable and works around a student's schedule.

Many colleges and universities are giving students small and neglectable discounts. Princeton and Georgetown have lowered tuition by 10 percent. However, Harvard University is still charging full tuition \$50,000 per year.

I am with the college students on this issue 100%.

Berlin Brothels Reopen But \dots

Seems Germany has taken the GERM out of GERMANY with this move to reopen the COVID-19 business shutdown. However, the stipulations attached to this reopening bans any sex inside the building. Don't know about you, but how many folks do you think go to these places looking for a nice chit-chat or perhaps a lunch date with maybe a tuna fish sandwich and a glass of German beer.

In a Similar Move

The City of Philadelphia has banned this year's running of the Naked Bike Ride due to the pandemic. I can breathe a sigh of relief. I've run into the Annual Naked Bike Ride in Boston's Faneuil Hall Marketplace area a few years back and still have some PTSD from looking at all those out of shape almost naked bike riders. Of course, if the ride hadn't been banned, all riders would have been forced to wear face masks and stay six-feet apart; it would have taken days for them to pass by.

End Quote

"When government takes away a citizen's right to bear arms, it is time for the citizens to take away government's right to govern."

— George Washington

LEGAL NOTICE

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

Docket No. MI20P3511EA Estate of

DARYL E. ALEXANDER
Also Known As
DARYL ALEXANDER

Date of Death: June 01, 2020 INFORMAL PROBATE PUBLICATION NOTICE

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner Glen
J. Alexander of Reading, MA, Petitioner
Bari-Ann Crivello of Stoneham, MA, a Will
has been admitted to informal probate.

Glen J. Alexander of Reading, MA, Bari-Ann Crivello 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: 08/28/2020



LEGAL NOTICE

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 August 29, 2020 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

> 2011 NISSAN ALTIMA, SILVER Vin: 1N4AL2AP5BN503361 Tiago Soares

8 Lohing Ct., Apt. 2 Hudson, MA 01749

2006 CHRYSLER TOWN & COUNTRY, SILVER

Vin: 2A8GP54LX6R828043 George C. Hecklev 138 Ash St., Apt. 3 Chelsea, MA 02150

2001 TOYOTA COROLLA, BLUE

Vin: 1NXBR12E51Z419772 Mario Soares 12 Dustin St. Peabody, MA 01960

2006 HYUNDAI SONATA, BROWN VIN: 5NPEU46F46H117590 NO OWNER HISTORY

2001 ACURA MDX, BLACK Vin: 2HNYD18661H502931 Frank Tichy 20 Dartmouth St. Waltham, MA 02453

Run dates: 08/14, 08/21, 08/28, 2020

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court **Probate and Family Court** Suffolk Division 24 New Chardon Street Boston, MA 02114 (617) 788-8300

Docket No. SU20P1205EA

Estate of ELLEN MARIA O'KEEFE Date of Death: April 19, 2020 **INFORMAL PROBATE PUBLICATION NOTICE**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner James A. O'Keefe of Katy, TX, a Will has been admitted to informal probate

James A. O'Keefe of Katy, TX has been informally appointed as the Personal Repre sentative 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: 08/21/2020

LEGAL NOTICE

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

Docket No. MI20P3164EA

Estate of JEROME BENJAMIN RESNICK Also Known As JEROME B. RESNICK Date of Death: May 02, 2020 **INFORMAL PROBATE PUBLICATION NOTICE**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner David I. Resnick of Lexington, MA, a Will has been admitted to informal probate.

David I. Resnick of Lexington, 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: 08/28/2020

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

Notice is hereby given by D & G Towing and Auto Repair Services, Inc., 2 Emery Road, Allston, MA, pursuant to the provisions of Mass General Laws, Chapter 255, Section 39A, that they will sell the following vehicles on or after August 29, 2020 beginning at 10:00 am by public or private sale to satisfy their garage keepers lien for towing, storage, and notices of sale:

> 1999 TOYOTA COROLLA VIN # 2T1BR12E6XC203519

> 2007 VOLVO XC90 VIN # YV4CZ982571352859

Vehicles are being stored at D & G Towing and Auto Repair Services, Inc., and may be viewed by appointment only.

> Signed D & G Towing Run dates: 08/14, 08/21, 08/28, 2020

LEGAL NOTICE

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

Docket No. MI20P3449EA

Estate of **DONNA BOSAK**

Date of Death: November 11, 2017 INFORMAL PROBATE **PUBLICATION NOTICE**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner Stephen J. Bosak of Medford, MA

Stephen J. Bosak of Medford, 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: 08/28/2020

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court **Probate and Family Court**

Middlesex Probate and Family Court 208 Cambridge Street Cambridge, MA 02141 (617) 768-5800

Docket No. MI19P1628GD

CITATION GIVING NOTICE OF PETITION TO EXPAND THE POWERS OF A GUARDIAN

> In the Interests of WARREN HOFFMAN of Watertown, MA

RESPONDENT Incapacitated Person/Protected Person

To the named Respondent and all other interested persons, a petition has been filed by Edvthe P. Perkins of South Portland, ME, Roger W. Hoffman of Arlington, MA in the above captioned matter requesting that the court Expand

the powers of a Guardian. The petition asks the court to make a determination that the powers of the Guardian and/or Conservator should be expanded, modified, or limited since the time of the appointment. The original petition is on file with the court.

You have the right to object to this proceeding. If you wish to do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance at this court on or before 10:00 A.M. on the return date of September 16, 2020. This day is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline date by which you have to file the written appearance if you object to the petition. If you fail to file the written appearance by the return date, action may be taken in this matter without further notice to you. In addition to filing the written appearance you or your attorney must file a written affidavit stating the specific facts and grounds of your objection within 30 days after the return date.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

The outcome of this proceeding may limit or completely take away the abovenamed person's right to make decisions about personal affairs or financial affairs or both. The above-named person has the right to ask for a lawyer. Anyone may make this request on behalf of the above-named person. If the above-named person cannot afford a lawyer, one may be appointed at

Witness, HON. MAUREEN H. MONKS, First Justice of this Court.

Date: August 19, 2020

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate

Run date: 08/28/2020



EXTRA Innings

by Sal Giarratani



until 1956, when the National

League required either inserts

or helmets and in 1958, the

American league followed suit.

In 1971, MLB made helmets

Helmets For Baseball Players Took Decades

Following the death of Ray Chapman in the Polo Grounds on August 16, 1920, helmets started getting pushed, but it would take decades. Recently, I read details of that fateful day when a shortstop for the Indians named Chapman died at home plate after a face-off against the Yankees's Carl Mays.

This was somehow a gruesome piece of baseball history I never knew until reading about it from Mike Vaccaro in his New York Post column of August 16,

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

Notice is hereby given by Stanley Service, Inc., 3430 Washington Street, Jamaica Plain, MA, pursuant to the provisions of Mass General Laws, Chapter 255, Section 39A, that they will sell the following vehicles on or after September 2, 2020 beginning at 9:00 am on the website http://sta.ibidsmart.com. Buyer registration is required. Those that do not sell at auction will be sold on or after September 2, 2020 by public or private sale to satisfy their garage keepers lien for towing, storage, and notices of sale:

> 1998 MERCEDES CLK320 VIN WDBLJ65G1WF043267

2012 NISSAN ALTIMA VIN 1N4AL2AP9CC192031

2007 BMW 530xi

VIN WBANF735X7CU22917

2008 BMW 328xi VIN WBAVC73558KX90051

2008 INFINITI G35 VIN JNKBV61F18M274780

2004 BMW 545i VIN WBANB33564B107957

Vehicles are being stored at Stanley Service, Inc. and may be viewed by appointment only.

> Signed Bill Blinstrub, Owner

Run dates: 08/14, 08/21, 08/28, 2020

LEGAL NOTICE

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

Docket No. MI20P3468EA Estate of

HENRI E. ROSEN

Date of Death: April 09, 2020

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 Mark A. Nowak 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 Mark A. Nowak of Boston, MA be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in an unsupervised

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 September 14, 2020.

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. MAUREEN H. MONKS, First Justice of this Court.

Date: August 17, 2020 Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate

Run date: 08/28/2020



Ray Chapman

2020, on the centennial of that deadly day in baseball.

The 1941 Brooklyn Dodgers and the 1953 Pirates became the first teams to mandate plastic inserts in the caps of ballplayers while batting. It was

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given by TODISCO TOWING OF 94 CONDOR STREET, EAST BOSTON, MA, pursuant to the provisions of Mass G.L. c. 255 Section 39A that they will sell the following vehicles.

Vehicles are being sold to satisfy their garage keeper's lien for towing, storage and notices of sale:

> 2010 HYUNDAI SONATA Vin # 5NPFT4AC6AH578766 2012 FORD FUSION

Vin # 3FAHP0HA6CR297894 2006 FORD FUSION

Vin # 3FAFP07ZX6R138783 2009 CHEVROLET COBALT

Vin # 1G1AT58H197163143 2001 TOYOTA COROLLA

Vin # 1NXBR12E11Z435774 2006 CHEVROLET SILVERADO

Vin # 1GCHK24U66E247797 The above vehicles will be sold at public auction at

TODISCO TOWING 94 Condor Street, E. Boston AUGUST 29, 2020

Run dates: 8/14, 08/21, 08/28, 2020

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Middlesex Probate and Family Court 208 Cambridge Street Cambridge, MA 02141

(617) 768-5800 Docket No. MI20P3510EA

Estate of MYRTIS A. MCSWEENEY Also Known As

MYRTIS McSWEENEY Date of Death: December 28, 2016 CITATION ON PETITION FOR

FORMAL ADJUDICATION A Petition for Late and Limited Formal Testacy and/or Appointment has been filed by Kevin Daniel Mcsweeney of Port Chartlotte FL and Judith Anne Mcsweeney of Port Charlotte FL requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

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 September 15, 2020.

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. MAUREEN H. MONKS, First Justice of this Court. Date: August 18, 2020

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate

Run date: 08/28/2020

mandatory four years after Boston Red Sox legend Tony Conigliaro nearly died at home plate from a fastball right into his face. Current ballplayers could still wear only an insert if they so chose. The last baseball player to bat with an insert and not a full helmet was Red Sox catcher Bob Montgomery, who retired in 1979.

Happy Birthday To ...

Birthday wishes to Luis Aponte who turns 67. He was 8-6 with a 3.02 ERA with the Sox 1980-83. Same goes for Jin Ho Cho who turns 45. He was 2-6 with a 5.72 ERA for the Sox 1998-99.

Next Week:

A look back on NY Yankees Horace White and Red Sox legend Carroll Hardy.

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court **Probate and Family Court** Middlesex Division 208 Cambridge Street Cambridge, MA 02141 (617) 768-5800 Docket No. MI20P3174EA

Estate of ALAN P. CARR Date of Death: June 15, 2020 **INFORMAL PROBATE PUBLICATION NOTICE**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner Anthony J. Carr of West Paris, ME.

Anthony J. Carr of West Paris, ME 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: 08/28/2020

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court **Probate and Family Court** Middlesex Division 208 Cambridge Street Cambridge, MA 0214 (617) 768-5800

Estate of KATHLEEN BRENDA WOLSKE Date of Death: March 09, 2020 **INFORMAL PROBATE**

Docket No. MI20P2763EA

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner William Belding of South Boston, MA, a Will has been admitted to informal probate

PUBLICATION NOTICE

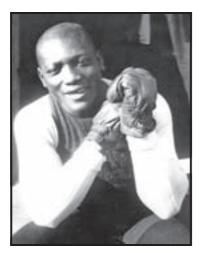
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Run date: 08/28/2020



Jacks or Better



Jack Johnson

In the history of the heavy-weight division only three champions have gone by the name Jack. Just one of them carried John as his legal first name. The three were Jack Johnson, Jack Dempsey, and Jack Sharkey. Johnson was the only one whose given name was John and he went by the nickname Jack. His full name was John Arthur Johnson, and at times he was called "Lil Arthur."

Jack Dempsey's given name was William Harrison Dempsey. When he first became a professional fighter he went by the name Kid Blackie, later changing it to Jack Dempsey after the great middleweight champion Nonpareil Jack Dempsey.

Jack Sharkey's original name was Joseph Paul Zukauskas. He was the son of Lithuanian immigrants. When he began fighting professionally he changed his name to Jack Sharkey in honor of two of his boxing heroes, Jack Dempsey and Tom Sharkey.

There was another champ named John but he never went as Jack. That would be the Great John L. himself, who was certainly one of a kind and the only champ that was known as John until John Tate came along, who was no John L. Sullivan.

Out of the three Jacks, two have been recognized as all time greats by the experts throughout history. In fact, those two, Dempsey and Johnson, are rated as the greatest in history by boxing experts. Jack Sharkey never was able to break into all-time great status,



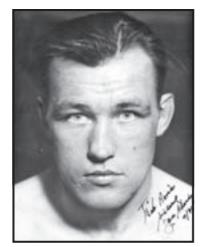
Jack Dempsey

though he may have had things gone a bit differently for him.

Two of the Jacks faced one another, that being in the controversial Dempsey vs Sharkey bout which was won by Dempsey when Sharkey, claiming he was fouled, broke the first rule of boxing: defend yourself at all times. As Sharkey turned to the referee, Dempsey launched a vicious left hook that ended the fight. Up until that moment the Jack named Sharkey was winning the fight and appeared on his way to a victory. Had he beaten Dempsey he would have been given a title shot at champion Gene Tunney. If he had beaten Tunney he would have had a claim to alltime great status, but "ifs" don't win fights.

Jack Johnson lost the title to the man Jack Dempsey would eventually win it from, Jess Willard. Johnson always claimed he threw the fight to Jess but hardly anyone buys that claim. However, if he had retained the title against Jess in 1915 there is the possibility he would have eventually met Jack Dempsey's challenge instead of Willard being the defending champ. Johnson also campaigned for a shot at Dempsey when the Mauler was champion, but he was never taken seriously as a challenger by the promoters or the public.

How would the Jacks, Johnson and Dempsey, have fared against one another in their primes? It's a difficult fight to figure out. Johnson was strong and a defensive wizard, while Dempsey was unlike



Jack Sharkey

anyone who had challenged Johnson for the title. The former Kid Blackie was fast, hungry, and a vicious puncher who also possessed remarkable boxing skills. While it is an interesting fight to think about, it very likely would have turned out to be a boring affair with Johnson using his strength and savvy to keep Dempsey tied up inside. Both fighters had solid chins, with the edge in that department going to Dempsey. I'm not so sure it would have been a memorable fight.

Could Sharkey have ever crossed the line into all-time greatness? I believe he could have if he had beaten Dempsey and Tunney. Even after losing to Dempsey he could have gotten a shot at Tunney but Gene chose Tom Heeney instead as his final challenger before retiring. I have written about a possible Tunney vs Sharkey fight in the past, and while I believe that Sharkey had all of the tools to give Gene problems, Tunney would have come out on top.

Jack Sharkey was a brilliant boxer who was strong and possessed a powerful and accurate punch, but he was also erratic in the ring. On his best nights he would have given any champ in history fits. On his off nights he would have trouble with average fighters. However, he was something else to watch in action.

The three champs named Jack were all a pleasure to watch when they step into the ring. They were also all three interesting personalities and colorful characters.

HOOPS and HOCKEY in the HUB by Richard Preiss

The final shot in a close basketball game. Right then, it is the only shot that matters. The cheering fans, the clock running down. The outcome of the game on the line. The pure excitement of it all. Score and the team that is behind will win. Miss and the team that is ahead will be victorious.

Although, upon reflection, one must acknowledge that all the shots and all the points scored up until that juncture were important, the successful shot as the game concludes will be the best remembered.

It will be the one to make the highlight videos on the streaming internet sites and on television sports shows. It will become the lead paragraphs in newspaper stories written about the game. Indeed, the end of the game may bring one fame.

Basketball has evolved into a different game than the one played for a majority of the 20th century. Back then, all shots from the field were worth two points, regardless of whether those shots were dunks, taken from the top of the key, or even beyond that range. Although there was more accuracy required to make a long range shot, it didn't matter. That shot from beyond the key counted only as much as a layup.

But all that changed for good at the start of the 1979-1980 season when the NBA instituted the three-point field goal. The NBA wasn't the first. The concept had been used experimentally here and there for at least two decades and the old ABA (American Basketball Association) had a three-point rule for its entire nine-year run from 1967 through the spring of 1976.

But when Celtics player Chris Ford sank the first three-point shot in NBA history on the opening night of the 1979-1980 season (Friday, October 12, 1979) one had the feeling that this was a strategy that would change how basketball would be played going forward.

In truth, Ford's three-pointer — and two others made that night by Houston's Rick Barry and Washington's Kevin Grevey — may well have not been the league's leading story. You see, the same time saw the NBA rookie debuts of Larry Bird and Magic Johnson, two first year players that had dueled in a well-remembered NCAA championship game that prior spring.

The three-pointer became popular — especially when the ball was in the hands of the game's greatest NBA stars. In addition, throughout the early 1980s various college conferences put in the three-pointer for conference games only. But it wasn't until the 1986-1987 season that the NCAA gave its blessing to "the trey" for use throughout the realm of men's college basketball. It was first authorized for the popular March Madness Tournament in March of 1987. It was mandated for women's college basketball starting with the 1987-1988 campaign. Most American high school leagues adopted it that same year.

Is there a more exciting play in basketball than the three-point shot — especially when one decides a game? There could be and maybe, just maybe we will see it someday.

It is the four-point shot. Yes, that is correct, one shot worth four points. According to a retired college athletic director that we know, it has been talked about at various NCAA meetings — nothing formal, just in the talking-about-it stage.

Thus it was interesting to read that the *New York Times Sports Desk* recently proposed the introduction of the four-point shot for the NBA. It didn't pick a year or a specific distance — except to say it should be beyond 30 feet.

Since all NBA, WNBA, plus college men's and women's courts are 94 feet long by 50 feet wide, it would make sense to us that this should be at least a half court shot — an attempt from at least 47 feet. That still would preserve a wide section of the outer forecourt for an appropriate three-point shot and would not allow the four-point shot to become all that common.

In fact, we would hope that it would never become as common as the three-pointer. Hopefully, such an attempt would only be made at intervals such as the end of a quarter or the half — or most especially as a game-ending shot when an attempt from closer in could not possibly win the game.

Fans have already been witnessing a version of the four-point shot in many NBA arenas over the years. That's because, as part of the entertainment during a timeout, many franchises have brought a fan to center court to attempt a half-court shot. Obviously, the odds are against it, especially since it is usually a "cold shot" with no warmup allowed. A successful shot often carries with it a prize of \$50,000 or more — underwritten by a sponsor or, as they say today, one of the team's corporate partners.

If you go on the internet you will find videos of fans who have made the shot and see the enthusiastic scene that followed as the crowd went wild and the cheerleaders and team mascot embraced the newest star — in a moment of fame that was indeed fleeting.

One of the best remembered shots by a fan was a full-court throw by a Chicago Bulls fan at Chicago Stadium in the 1990s during the Michael Jordan era. The right-on-the-money effort earned the fan a cool \$1 million and hearty congratulations from MJ himself.

In fact, such a shot did actually win a game in the old ABA back in November of 1967. A shot worth four points did not exist, but a three-point heave by Indiana's Jerry Harkness some 92 feet from the basket found the mark and beat the buzzer as the Pacers defeated the Dallas Chaparrals, 119-118.

We feel a four-point shot would work well at all levels of the game — from the NBA down to youth leagues — because it would rely on an already clearly defined demarcation on the floor — the half court line

Thus, we say "Forward with the Four" — a move that would surely bring a new and exciting experience to the grand game that had its start in Massachusetts.

Lou Tompkins All-Star Baseball & N.E.A.A. Dodgers Wrap-Up a Successful 2020 Season

LTA Baseball finished their season by crowning champions in the 17u A Division and the 15u B Division. In 17u Medford rallied as the #5 seed and took home the title with dominant pitching. They beat #1 Acton-Boxboro in the semi-finals and #3 Brookline for the title. In 15u #2 Woburn took down #3 Stoneham in the semi-finals and #1 Wilmington in the finals to secure their title. The league was played under the cloud of COVID-19 restrictions but the players, coaches and league officials all did a great job and league president Ralph Martignetti was happy to announce there were zero reported COVID cases during the season. The North End Dodgers, sponsored by the North End Athletic Association, under coach Kevin "Sully" O'Sullivan had an entry in the 15u division. The North End team was slightly undermanned this year as they had no 15 year olds on their squad but they battled gamely all year. By the end of the season the team was playing very solid baseball and even upset a couple of teams who

were battling for playoff spots. "We were young but we battled all year and never gave up," said coach Sully. We had some 12s and 13s like Matt Griffin, Max Howard, Ryan McHugh, Desmond O'Hearn, Alex Puopolo, Gunnar Larson and Richard Wells who grew all year and will be ready to hit the ground running next season. "We also had our solid 14s including Richard Bova and Nik McHugh who were leaders and will be counted on to lead us again in 2021." The North End Dodgers will be back and stronger than ever in 2021. We also look forward to renewing our Baseball Exchange with North Adams as COVID-19 forced a one year hiatus of the Exchange making this the first time in 30 years the Exchange didn't happen.

Special thanks to the N.E.A.A. who continues to support sports in the North End with an unceasing commitment. Also, to all the parents who allowed their children to play and supported the coaches throughout the season. We could not have done it without you.