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News Briefs

by Sal Giarratani

Make Space in Your Bookcase For ...

South End Incident: A True Story is author Alison Barnet's latest book about South End life. It is the story of her coming to life in the South End back in 1964, first at the Franklin Square House on East Newton Street across from Franklin Square Park. It was, back in the late 19th century, the St. James Hotel where President Grant once stayed while in Boston. It was also the site of a medical drama. Who remembers *St. Elsewhere*?

Barnet moved from that building to an apartment on East Springfield Street a few blocks away where she still lives today almost 60 years later. The characters in her books are often eccentric, funny, and real.

You can find this book down at Gifted located at 2 Dartmouth Street at the corner of Tremont Street in Boston's South End near Copley Square.

Feds Eye "Safe Needle" Sites

The Department of Justice is reportedly considering opening safe-needle injection sites despite saying during the Trump Administration that they were "utterly incompatible" with how local governments should combat the opioid epidemic.

Following a recent inquiry from the *AP*, the DOJ now reveals it is "evaluating" facilities that would provide havens for people doing drugs.

"Go Fund Me" and False Flags

According to Greg Kelly on NewsMax, there appears to be a false flag attempt taking place up in Ottawa as an attempt is being made to identify protesting truckers as a bunch of racists, insurrectionists, and there biggest boogeyman of all: Nazi-hating thugs. Kelly questioned who those Nazi and Confederate flag waving protesters were. Sounds like it might be an attempt by the Left to tarnish the legitimate protest over civil liberty restrictions, says Kelly.

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ADVISORY REGARDING FACE COVERINGS

Updated as of February 15, 2022

The Department of Public Health urges all eligible residents to get vaccinated and stay up to date on COVID vaccinations, including when eligible for booster doses. Vaccination remains the most effective protection against serious illness, hospitalization, and death.

Recognizing that Massachusetts is a national leader in vaccine acceptance, and in light of recent positive progress on COVID-19 indicators, the Department of Public Health now advises that a fully vaccinated person should wear a mask or face covering when indoors (and not in your own home) if you have a weakened immune system, or if you are at increased risk for severe disease because of your age or an underlying medical condition, or if someone in your household has a weakened immune system, is at increased risk for severe disease or is unvaccinated.

As a reminder, there are multiple conditions that may put someone at higher risk for severe disease; information on



those conditions can be found on the Centers for Disease Control and Preventions website at www.cdc.gov/coronavirus. Your primary care physician can advise you whether you are at increased risk.

For individuals who are not fully vaccinated, it is important that you continue to wear a face covering or mask to help prevent you from spreading COVID-19 to other people.

Individuals who are considered close contacts or who have tested positive must follow the isolation and quarantine guidance which includes wearing a mask in public for 5 more days after they leave isolation or quarantine on day 5, regardless

of vaccination status.

All people in Massachusetts (regardless of vaccination status) are required to continue wearing face coverings in certain settings, including transportation and health care facilities. Please see www.mass. gov/maskrules for a complete list of venues where face coverings have remained mandatory since May 29, 2021.

When you wear a face covering or cloth mask, it should:

- Be the highest quality mask that is comfortable and that you will wear consistently,
- Fit snugly but comfortably against the side of the face,
- Be secured with ties or ear
- Include multiple layers of fabric.
- Allow for breathing without restriction, and
- Be able to be laundered and machine dried without damage or change to shape.

For more info, refer to the CDC at: *Your Guide to Masks*. This advisory may change based on public health data and further guidance from the CDC.

MBTA Hosting Multiple Public Forums

for Feedback about Future Fare Media and Policy Changes as Part of Fare Transformation Initiative

MBTA staff proposed to the Audit and Finance Subcommittee of the MBTA Board several fare policy changes as part of the MBTA's Fare Transformation, which aims to make paying for transit easier and more convenient for our customers.

"These fare media updates will provide MBTA riders with greater flexibility through the introduction of 'tappable' forms of payment that are compatible with future fare readers on buses and trolleys, allowing for all-door boarding and, ultimately, for faster service," said MBTA General Manager Steve Poftak. "We know some changes will take time to get used to, like the \$3 card fee that allows for 'one more trip protection' and making sure every rider has a Charlie Card or other form of fare payment. But, if approved by the MBTA's Board in April, we're excited to make these important improvements to our fare system and to provide even more easy-to-use fare options to our riders."

Upon completion of the public input process in March and subject to the MBTA Board approval in April, these policy changes would go into effect with the introduction of the MBTA's next phases of Fare Transformation.

The MBTA is actively seeking public comment through multiple forums and channels on the following fare policy changes related to the upcoming fare media:

• Ending "Passback": Currently allowed through the legacy fare system, the same CharlieCard or CharlieTicket loaded with fare value can be used to allow multiple riders through a fare gate. The MBTA refers to this practice as a "passback." In order to have "proof of payment," introduce mobile and contactless payments, and integrate the Commuter Rail

without creating pricing errors, "passbacks" will be discontinued.

- Fare Media per Rider: Customers aged 12 and older will need to have their own fare media to ensure riders do not experience unexpected duplicate charges at fare gates and on fare readers as well as for riders to be able to provide proof of payment.
- \$3 Fare Media Fee and Free Card Distribution: There will be a \$3 card cost for most new fare media issued by the MBTA. The MBTA recognizes that the cost for fare media may be a burden for some riders and is currently developing a plan to distribute free Charlie Cards to minority and low-income communities through partner organizations. Cards will continue to be free to Reduced Fare Riders and for all riders purchasing a 1-Day Link Pass on a new Charlie Card.
- "One more trip" Protection on Charlie Cards: The upcoming fare media will allow riders to board with low/zero balance to improve convenience and avoid leaving riders stranded.

The MBTA welcomes and invites the public to provide feedback on these proposed updates and changes at a virtual public meeting to be held on **Tuesday**, **March 15**th, **at 6:00 P.M.** and at the official public hearing to be held virtually on **Tuesday**, **March 22**nd, **at 6:00 P.M.** For specific details to access these virtual meetings and/or to submit direct comments regarding these proposed updates and changes, please email: publicengagement@mbta.com. The public may submit comments through Thursday, March 31, 2022.

For more information about Fare Transformation, please visit: *mbta.com/FareTransformation* or connect with the T on Twitter @MBTA, Facebook / TheMBTA, or Instagram @theMBTA.

Stirpe Nostra

by Prof. Edmund Turiello

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



AT HOME IN OLD ROME

The Palaces of the Emperors



Domus of Emperor Augustus

We can define a home as a place where a family lives. dwells, or maintains living quarters. The Roman dwelling places fell into four groups or categories. They were the palaces of the emperors, villas or large pretentious suburban residences, insula or tenement houses, and the domus or private house.

Our column for today will confine itself to the palaces of the emperors, which are still quite impressive even in their present ruinous condition. There is still sufficient evidence to show their immensity and imposing character. Excavation work for the purpose of examining the remains of these great structures was started in 1863 by Napoleon III, the nephew of Emperor Napoleon I. Archaeological work was continued by the Italian government and has revealed the remains of palatial structures that were built by Augustus in 3 A.D. and further enlarged by Tiberius, Caligula, Vespasian, Titus, Domitian, and Septimius Severus. This group of palaces occupied the crown of the Palatine Hill, which overlooked all of the civic life below.

The emperor's palace was usually approached by an inclined slope that led up from the "Via Sacre." The principal entrance was through a portico (porch with roof supported by columns), which led directly into a "Tablinium," or throne room. The throne room was flanked by a "Basilica," or Hall This "Nymphaeum" was usually of Justice, on one side and a "Lararium," or imperial chapel for household gods, on the other

this showed that the power of the emperor was firmly fixed between religion and justice, or we might say, between the church and state.

Beyond the throne room, there was usually a square garden surrounded by marble columns. This garden area along with its beautiful colonnade was called the "Peristylium." It is where much of the pageantry and court life occurred. Then there was the "Triclinium," a beautiful banquet hall where world leaders and their guests feasted and were entertained. The daytime meals were light and usually taken in other areas, but the big spread reserved for evenings was called the "Cena." The length of the "Triclinium" was twice its width and gets its name from three reclining couches, which were a part of the normal furniture in any well-furnished Roman dining room. Each couch was designed to accommodate three guests who dined by tradition in a reclining position. At the end of the meal, the diners were always more "over-stuffed" than the furniture, and usually had to be carried home in a litter by their slaves. Some people were light eaters and their "Cena" was over by 9:30 p.m. Nero's "Cena" lasted until midnight and others lasted until the wee hours of the morning.

Most palaces also contained a "Nymphaeum," or room with a fountain, flowering plants, statues, and small waterfalls. placed near the "Triclinium" so that the coolness of the water and the scent of the flowers side. According to tradition, might refresh the guests who

were overheated from too much food and wine

Palaces also contained a "Bibliothecase," or library. Trajan's Palace had two libraries, one for Greek, and the other for Roman manuscripts. Still another room was called the "Academia" and it was used for recitations, or for other literary purposes. Finally, there were beautiful crystal stone mosaics on the floors and frescoes on the walls, while ceilings were arched or vaulted, and wall niches for marble statues were everywhere.

Additionally, there were the countless suites or apartments for those in residence, the servants' quarters, and also those extra rooms for invited guests or possibly the general, every day, run-of-the-mill hanky-panky.

> **NEXT ISSUE:** At Home in Old Rome,

> > La Famiglia

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

Notice is hereby given by Todisco Services, Inc., of 171 Boston Street, Salem, MA pursuant to the provisions of Mass G.L. c. 255, Section 39A, that they will sell the following vehicles on or after February 19, 2022 beginning at 9:00 a.m. by public or private sale to satisfy their garage keepers lien for towing, storage, and notices of sale.

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> Signed Todisco Services, Inc. Run dates: 02/04, 02/11, 02/18/2022

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Middlesex Probate and Family Court 10-U Commerce Way Woburn, MA 01801 (781) 865-4000

Docket No. MI21P6266EA Estate of **WILLIAM JOSEPH CRONIN** Date of Death: October 21, 2021

INFORMAL PROBATE PUBLICATION NOTICE

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner Debra A. Delponte of Tewksbury, MA, a Will has been admitted to informal probate

Debra A. Delponte of Tewksbury, MA has been informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve without surety on the bond.

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

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Res Publica

by David Trumbull



Made in the USA

In the summer of 1941, as World War II was devastating Europe and Asia, America watched, and hoped — hoped that it would not be a repeat of World War I, where we were pulled into a foreign war. Hoping is one thing, planning is another. We could not have anticipated that by December we would be forced into the global conflict, but wise heads in Washington did see that it was a question of when, not if, young American men (practically still boys) would be called upon to defend Democracy and risk life and limb in a foreign conflict we neither initiated nor sought. Recognizing the looming threat, the U.S. took a sober look at what we would need to fight the war when it came to us. The conclusion was that we needed a reliable domestic source of steel, and textiles. Congress passed an act to require domestic U.S. sourcing of uniforms. Since then, requirement for domestic sourcing of textiles for the Department of Defense has been renewed several times and, finally, made a permanent part of U.S. law, known as the "Berry Amendment" for the member of congress who proposed it, in its current form, over 60 years ago.

We now are facing a crisis. Due to COVID-19-related workforce and supply limitations, we are, for the first time since 1941, facing a situation where young women and men entering our armed services cannot be provided with uniforms. Back in December, the newspaper Stars and Stripes, reported that the sole domestic source for certain fabric for Air Force uniforms is unable to satisfy the need. That much is public, but the shortage goes beyond that, far beyond, and while I can't reveal details, I can tell you that the U.S. currently could not clothe enough warfighters were we to be forced into a major

COVID-19 has precipitated this crisis, but it is not the root cause. For the past 30 years, U.S. trade policy has incentivized brands and retailers to close U.S. textile facilities and relocate offshore, mostly to China. Leaving the few domestic producers of vital military textiles with few, if any, commercial customers. A law requiring U.S. textiles in tents and uniforms is of no value if there is no remaining U.S. textile industry to supply our armed services. And we certainly do not want to fall into a situation where we are dependent on a foreign nation — a potential foe — as the source of military clothing and tents.

You can help! If more Americans would buy U.S.made clothing, we could help support that industrial base that we need for national defense.

Here are a few sources for Made in U.S.A. products.

For quality hats, including

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LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Malden District Court 4040 Mystic Valley Parkway, Medford, MA 02155 (temporary location)

(781) 322-7500 Civil No. 2150CV0503

ANNA RECUPERO-FAIELLA PLAINTIFF(S),

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THIS SUMMONS IS DIRECTED TO QUISCK PLASTERING, INC.

1. This Notice is to inform you that you are being sued. The person or business suing you is known as the Plaintiff. A copy of the Plaintiffs Complaint against you is attached and the original has been filed in the Malden Division of the District Court Department. You must respond to this lawsuit in writing. If you do not respond, the Plaintiff may obtain a court order requiring you to pay money or provide other relief 2. You must respond within 20 days to protect your rights. In order to protect your right to defend yourself in this lawsuit, you must deliver or mail a written response called an "Answer" to both the Clerk's Office for Civil Business, Malden District Court, 4040 Mystic Valley Parkway Street, Medford, MA 02155" and to the individual below:

John J. Martino, at 616 Main Street, Melrose, MA 02176

Your Answer must be delivered or mailed within 20 days from the date the Summons was delivered to you. If you need more time to respond, you may request an extension of time in writing from the Court. Your Answer must respond to each claim made by the Plaintiff. You response to the statements made by the Plaintiff in the Complaint. In your Answer you must state whether you agree or disagree with each paragraph of the Complaint. You may agree with some of the things the Plaintiff says and disagree with other things. You may also say that you do not know whether one (or more) of the statements made in the Plaintiff's Complaint is true. If you want to have your case heard by a jury, you must specifically request a jury trial in your Answer. Éven if you agree that you owe what is claimed, sending an Answer will provide you with an opportunity to participate and explain your circumstances.

4. You must list any reason why you should not have to pay the Plaintiff what the Plaintiff asks for. If you have any reason(s) why the Plaintiff should not get what the Plaintiff asks for in the Complaint, you must write those reasons (or "defenses") in your Answer.

5. You may lose this case if you do not send an Answer to the Court and the Plaintiff. If you do not mail or deliver the Answer within 20 days, you may lose this case. You will have no opportunity to tell your side of the story and the Court may order that the Plaintiff receive everything requested in the Complaint. The Court may allow a motion permitting the Plaintiff take your property and/or wages. If you respond to the Complaint and appear at the hearing, you will get an impartial hearing by a judge. Even if you choose to discuss this matter with the Plaintiff (or the Plaintiff's lawyer), you should still send your Answer within 20 days. Even if you file an Answer, you can still reach an agreement with the Plaintiff 6. Legal Assistance. You may wish to get legal help from a lawyer. If you cannot get legal help, you must still provide a written Answer to protect your rights or you may lose the case. You may also obtain information at www.mass.gov/courts/selfhelp.

7. You can also sue the Plaintiff. If you believe the Plaintiff owes you money or has harmed you in some way related to the lawsuit, you must describe that in your Answer. If you do not include these claims (called "Counterclaims") in your written response, you may lose your ability to sue the Plaintiff about anything related to this lawsuit.

8. You or your attorney must attend all court hearings. If you send your Answer to the Court and the Plaintiff, you will protect your rights. The Court will send you a notice telling you the date, time, and place of an impartial hearing before a judge. The judge will hear both sides of any arguments and schedule any additional hearings.

9. The civil number appearing on the front of this notice is the case docket number and must appear on the front of your Answer.

Witness Hon. Emily A, Karstetter, First Justice on December 21, 2021

Marybeth Bradley, Clerk-Magistrate Note: The number assigned to the Complaint by the Clerk-Magistrate at the beginning of the lawsuit should be indicated on the summons before it is served on the Defendant

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COMMENTARY

LET THE VOTERS DECIDE WHO THEY WANT FOR DISTRICT 1

by Sal Giarratani

I recently read a *Boston Globe* article concerning the two candidates currently running for the District 1 City Council seat, Tania Del Rio and Gabriella Coletta. It appeared both candidates were targeted on social media for posts they made years ago showing that the two candidates have used racist and homophobic language.

Both candidates apologized for things they said that look racist and homophobic, but the posts were years old. Apparently the Woke Police saw an opportunity to embarrass both candidates and I for the life of me can't understand the motive for doing so.

I have known both candidates for sometime now and know that this social media attack is meaningless. I believe anyone can take anyone's old postings and completely take them out of both context and time. Neither of these candidates is either racist or homophobic and I would have advised them not to have apologized. The woke mentality is about all destruction and in the case of two candidates getting ready to campaign for the same elected position is mudslinging. I wonder if a third candidate is preparing to enter this race!

I heard the name of the person behind this latest attack on Coletta and Del Rio. Apparently, someone out there is just poking fun at candidates who call themselves liberal or progressive Democrats.

Let the voters of District 1 decide who will be the next District 1 City Councilor. Listen to the candidates, engage them, but pay no attention to social media outbursts designed to apparently just confuse voters. Both candidates are good people.

LETTERS POLICY

The Post-Gazette invites its readers to submit Letters to the Editor

- Letters should be typed, double-spaced and must include the writer's name, address, and telephone number. Anonymous letters are not accepted for publication.
- Due to space considerations, we request that letters not exceed two double-spaced, type-written pages.
- This newspaper reserves the right to edit letters for style, grammar and taste and to limit the number of letters published from any one person or organization.
- Deadline for submission is 12:00 noon on the Monday prior to the Friday on which the writer wishes to have the material published. Submission by the deadline does not guarantee publication.

Send letter to:

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Elena R. Barassi

Clena R. Barassi, age 91, departed this earth on February 12, 2022 to rejoin her beloved siblings Carmine, Palmi, Frank, and Albert, and her parents Elvira and Frank in heaven.

Elena was a lifelong resident of the North End, one of the ever-dwindling number of real North Enders. She attended the Girls' High School of Boston, and after graduation worked as a secretary at Liberty Mutual Insurance Company until her retirement.

A fashionista, Elena managed to walk in high heels from the

North End to the Back Bay every day with aplomb and style. She was an elegant dresser and knew how to put together the perfect outfit. In the winters, she could be found walking around the North End in her fur coats and distinctive hats.

She was a lot of fun and was always up for having lunch or coffee at Caffé Vittoria. She went to every parade, feast, concert, and movie she could fit in to her busy social calendar. She especially loved little children and frequently stopped mothers on the sidewalk to chat with them. She traveled extensively

with her family and friends. Memorable trips included a visit to Alabama to see her favorite television personality Mother Angelica live, trips to Hawaii, and of course the motherland, Italy. Young at heart well into her 80s, she went yearly to Disney World with her brother Carmine. She loved attending club with her friends at the Nazzaro Community Center, and never missed a casino trip. She was known to buy a few scratch tickets here and there.

She was a loving and generous godmother to the children of her

best friend, Rita Mulkern, and always remembered their birthdays. Many happy holidays were shared over the years between the Barassi, Palermo, and Mulkern families at the Barassis' Prince Street apartment. We were grateful to have Elena in our lives for so long. She will be greatly missed.

A Mass of Christian Burial was held on Wednesday, February 16, 2022 at 10:00 a.m., in St. Leonard Church, 320 Hanover Street, Boston. Services were conclude with interment in St. Michael Cemetery, Roslindale.

May She Rest in Peace

Bobby Andrea DiMarzo

Bobby Andrea DiMarzo passed away peacefully on February 10, 2022.

Born November 28, 1944 in Roslindale, MA to his parents Alfred DiMarzo of Boston, MA, and his mother Josephine Mirabile DiMarzo of Messina, Sicily.

He graduated from high school in Hyde Park, MA, and then went on to earn an Associate's Degree in Architecture from Boston

University. As a young man he excelled at dancing, dating, and socializing with his brother, Al, and close friends.

While working as an architect in Philadelphia, he excelled in taking photos of buildings and landscapes. He trained himself in the art that would become a passion in his life. He returned to Boston where he began working as a fashion photographer for Jordan Marsh.

Over the years, his talent and focus propelled him to the top of his craft, landing him as the publisher of the iconic North Endfocused lifestyle magazine, *Scene Boston*, part of Frank DePasquale Ventures. Through his photos and stories, he both interpreted and shaped the culture of the North End.



Bobby was a fixture in the community and made many deep and special friendships. His kindness, honesty, and humor were a comfort to many people. He always had time to talk and laugh with the people he cared about. He became family to many friends.

He is survived by his sister Diane DiMarzo Hanson, his sister-in-law Anita Forcellati DiMarzo, his nephew Dennis

Hanson and his wife Jeanine, his niece Dena Hanson, and great-nephews and niece Andy, Alex, Kaela, Ethan, Ryan, Eli, Brady, Kiernan, and some dear and devoted cousins. He is also survived by many loving friends too numerous to list, but too important in his life to not recognize here.

Bobby saw life through the lens of his heart, and it was always magnified. He lived big, and he was a true blessing to many. His vision lives on in his amazing photos, his love lives on in the heart of his friends and family.

Visitation for Bobby was held Thursday, February 17, 2022 from 9:00 AM to 11:00 AM at St. Leonard Church, 320 Hanover Street, Boston, MA 02113, followed by a Mass of Christian Burial at 11:00 AM.

May He Rest in Peace

In Memory

John J. Rosato, Jr.

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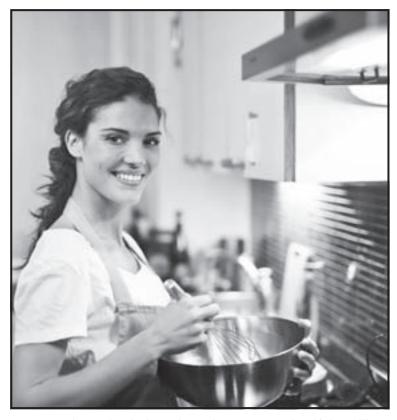
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Miss & Love You Always Mary, Jake & Jáclene

L'Anno Bello: A Year in Italian Folklore

The Jewels of Italian Baking

by Ally Di Censo Symynkywicz



I recently noticed that the culinary world is at war, a drawn-out conflict between cooks and bakers. If one believes the Internet, cooks deride bakers for their supposed lack of spontaneity and creativity; bakers prefer the comfort of following a recipe. This conflict never manifested in my childhood — my mother cooked up |a hearty meal of orecchiette with broccoli rabe as easily as she baked my scrumptious birthday cakes. However, as I grew older and developed my own identity in the kitchen, I realized that I am definitely more of a baker. I love the magic of turning the basic essentials of human life, flour and water, into substantial treats. I adore the way the oven warms my kitchen and embraces me with tantalizing scents. Finally, I do see the creativity in baking, in the way one simple recipe can be adapted, tweaked and altered to yield a myriad of delectable

A lot of praise has been heaped — justifiably! — On how wonderful Italian entrees are, but oftentimes traditional Italian desserts go unnoticed. So, in honor of my love for baking, I have compiled a list of desserts from the Old Country that stir passion and nostalgia through my veins. Since Italian desserts are plentiful, I will try to focus on desserts that pertain to the month of February, a very sweet month indeed due to St. Valentine's Day and Carnival! I hope you enjoy this trip down memory lane as much as my stomach does!

• Cannoli: Arguably the most famous Italian dessert, cannoli are a staple in cookbooks and supermarket aisles everywhere. To find an authentic cannolo, however, your best bet is a small family-run bakery or restaurant, of which Boston's Italian neighborhoods have plenty! The traditional filling for cannoli is ricotta, and the shells must be freshly filled with it to order. Leaving a cannolo languishing with cream inside will make the shell turn from a decadent crisp to a mushy mess. Interesting facts about cannoli: they originated in Sicily, specifically the Palermo region, but they are now enjoyed all over Italy and around the world. Cannoli were originally treats for the Carnival season, when dishes made of rich ingredients were eagerly consumed before the austere period of Lent. The name "cannolo" means "little tube" in Italian, speaking to their distinctive shape!

• Cenci: Known as "angel wings" in English, these fried strips of dough covered in powdered sugar are a real

Carnival delicacy in Italy. I loved making them with my grandmother on an early-spring day, when the joyous sensation of Carnival penetrates my bones and the promise of Easter seems just a few hops away. My grandmother has always called these little goodies cenci, but they are known by different names according to the region of Italy. Many of the names reflect the whimsical nature of Carnival, as you will also find them called bugie (lies) or chiacchiere (chatter)!

Crostata: A crostata is an Italian tart or pie, whose name derives from the word "crust." Crostatas are rustic, free-form pastries, and the beauty of this treat is that the filling can change according to the season. February can call for crostatas stuffed with wintry orange marmalade, tart lemon curd or a fresh pear compote. Why not extend Valentine's Day celebrations all month long by making a romantic crostata with ruby-red strawberry or raspberry preserves, or — my favorite! — Nutella?

• Pizzelle: Hard or soft? Vanilla, anise or lemon extract? No one can agree on what makes perfect pizzelle, or the waffled cookies so popular among Italians and Italian-Americans. When there is this much debate about a dessert, it must mean that it has permeated deep into the culture. I am partial to soft pizzelle, but honestly all forms are so good that I'd rather eat them than fight about them. Pizzelle are often associated with holidays, like Christmas or Easter, or special events like weddings and baby showers, so much so that I cannot think of pizzelle without imagining some kind of party in my mind. Fun fact: pizzelle originate from Abruzzi, the part of Italy my father hailed from!

• Tiramisu: I always thought tiramisu was an old Italian dessert, but quick research tells me it is a mid-twentieth century invention. That could be why tiramisu, in its modern incarnation, never appeared in any of my grandmother's childhood cookbooks. One would think that because it is a more contemporary dessert its origins would be easily investigated, but the creation of tiramisu is actually shrouded in legends and myths. Some say the earliest tiramisu was prepared in 17th century Siena for Cosimo de Medici. Others say it was created in the 1960s in the Veneto city of Treviso. All that is certain is that the name of this mascarponeand-ladyfinger layered dessert means "pick me up," which its servings of espresso will certainly do! Tiramisu is a romantic pick for continuing St. Valentine's Day desserts later into the month.

What is your favorite Italian dessert? Let me know what makes your stomach grumble and your heart melt like a chocolate zabaglione. Until then, keep cooking!

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.



Democrats are Taking Us All for Fools

the Boston Herald, I couldn't decide if masks work or don't in the battle against the COVID pandemic. It can't be both an option for the ruling class and a mandate for the rest of us peons. Do these hypocritical liberal politicians have no shame? Is there any wonder why there is widespread anger when these Pols decide to go maskless because they're out dining with close rich friends? Or when they go to a school, pose with students all masked, but then remove their own mask to smile for the photo?

I am infuriated by the apparent hypocrisy when it comes to mask mandates. Democrats are taking us all for fools. One would think these Democrats would not be so blatant about their hypocrisy, but apparently they just like telling all of US what to do, but they have their own set of rules to follow. And seemingly masks are optional for THEM.

Recently a widely published newspaper photo that included

As I read a recent editorial in Magic Johnson, London Breed the Mayor of San Francisco, and Eric Garcetti the Mayor of Los Angeles, is just the latest example of the two-tiered system of mask-wearing during the pandemic. The ruling class gets to pick and choose whether to wear a mask or not while the rest of us are mandated and are publicly shamed for being maskless.

Did the statement by Garcetti come with a laugh track? He actually said while taking that photo with Magic Johnson, he held his breath while showing off his pearly whites for the photographer. He said it was an okay thing to do since he stopped breathing during the photo shoot. Who knew that if you held your breath while maskless it prevented you from contracting the COVID

If you make the rules, shouldn't you have to follow them?

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PARKS DEPARTMENT HOSTS February Vacation Week Activities

Children, parents, and caregivers are invited to join the Boston Parks and Recreation Department for free February school vacation week activities at the Bubble at Carter Field located at 709 Columbus Avenue on the South End/Roxbury line. Online registration and more information on all these free family activities can be found at **boston.gov/sports**.

The Parks Department hosts a **February Vacation Wiffle Ball Tournament** at the Bubble on Tuesday, February 22nd. The tournament will feature two divisions for ages 13 and under and 10 and under. To register or for more information call 617-961-3083 or contact Damien Margardo at *damien.margardo@boston.gov*.

On February 22nd and 23rd the Bubble will be the site of free **Softball Hitting and Fielding Clinics** for ages 10 and up from 4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. The program features UMass Boston softball players and coaches and is open to teams and individual players of all skill levels. For more information call 617-961-3047 or email *jennifer. misiaszek@boston.gov*.

Free Baseball Clinics will be offered for ages 10 and up on February 24th and 25th from 4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Pre-registration is required. To sign up call 617-961-3093 or contact *charles.conners@boston.gov*.

The Carter Playground Bubble is also the location for the ongoing Winter Soccer Clinic series for boys and girls ages 10 to 15 that began January 30th and continues Sundays through February 27th from 10:0 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Sessions focus on ball control, dribbling, passing, shooting, and defending. Pre-registration is required. For more information call 617-961-3084 or email: **woodley.auguste@boston.gov**

In addition to these programs, Mayor Michelle Wu and the Boston Parks and Recreation Department will host the annual **Children's Winter Festival** on the Boston Common Parade Ground on Thursday, February 24th, from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

This family school vacation event is presented in partnership with the Highland Street Foundation and L.L. Bean. Additional support provided by the *Boston Globe* and Dunkin'. The festival features music, field games, giveaways, various winter attractions, treats, and crafts. Visit **boston.gov/winter-festival** for event information.

To stay up to date with news, events, and improvements in Boston parks, call 617-635-4505, visit **Boston.gov/Parks**, join our email list at **bit.ly/Get-Parks-Emails**, and follow our social channels **@bostonparksdept** on Twitter, Facebook, and Instagram.

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

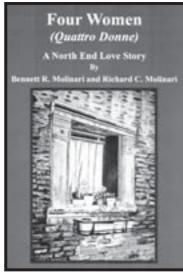
Four Women "Quattro Donne" subtitle, A North End Love Story

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

CHAPTER 70 Preparing for the Saint Francis Feast

Back then, one of the most popular feasts of the season was the Saint Francis Feast, the Saint who is everyone's favorite. For the Ricci family, it was no different, although they were fishermen and should have belonged to the Saint Andrew Feast, they were part of the Saint Francis Society because of Egidio's long time devotion to the Saint.

Three days had gone by since their meeting with Father Francesco. Carla had returned to her duties around the house. but an unnatural silence had come over her which made both Egidio and his sons anxious for her well-being. "Will you be marching with us in the Saint Francis Feast?" Egidio asked inquisitively of his daughter. "No, Papa. I will be participating in the Saint Theresa Feast, and as always, I imagine you and my brothers will be following Saint Francis to show your devotion to him." "Carla forget about me and your brothers. How are things going for you in the Saint Theresa Society?" "Very well Papa. We will be parading the Saint through the North End on Monday. We have been decorating the litter that will hold the Saint as we process through the streets." Feeling he must say something, Egidio turned toward Carla and asked, "Carla, what are your thoughts about Pietro?" "Papa, I don't want to discuss Pietro." "Carla, I need to know if you still have feelings for him." "Papa, do you think my feelings for Pietro will disappear because you want them to go?" "Listen to me, daughter. You and Pietro are



still children, you don't know your minds. You are a beautiful girl, any man would want you, and many men would try to take advantage of you. If I'm strict with you, it's because I'm your father. Not only do I love you, I must protect you." "And what about my brothers, Papa? They have managed to frighten away any man who has ever been interested in me." "Again Carla, they love you and they want to protect you." "Then Papa, what should I do with my life? I cook and clean and keep your house. Is that what you want of your daughter? You want me to be your servant?" "Carla, watch your mouth," Egidio snapped. "You are my daughter, not my servant. You're only 18 years old and you're ready to become serious with a man." "Papa, I have never known the affections of a man outside of you and my brothers, and that's not the same. If you shield me from all men, how will I ever know about men?" "Carla, it's at times like this I wish your mother was alive. She could speak to you as mother to daughter, one woman

knowing what a man desires of a woman. It's for that reason I'm strict with you and your brothers so protective of you." "Papa, you must trust me. You must trust the way you brought me up. Mama could not have done any more for me. You brought me up close to the church with good moral values. Don't you trust in the upbringing you gave me?" "Carla, of course I trust you and hope I have done a good job in bringing you up, but I don't trust the passions of men." "Papa, you must trust me. Don't you think I understand these things? Women talk to other women. In the Saint Theresa Society, we not only pray and clean the church, we also talk about men and the affairs of the heart." "So, you make dirty talk in the Saint Theresa Society, Carla," Egidio responded with a slight smile on his face. Carla was happy her father's mood had lightened, seeing he was joking with her. She tossed the dish towel in her hand at him, continuing with the joke. "No, Papa, we don't make dirty talk in the Saint Theresa Society," she said with a slight indignant tone in her voice. Egidio grabbed the cloth and looked at his daughter, happy to see a lightening in her spirit. "Carla, I'm going to the boat to see your brothers and we will be back in about two hours." Carla responded, "Papa, I will be going to the Saint Theresa Society while vou're gone to finish decorating, then return home and prepare dinner." Egidio headed to the door, opened it, turning to his daughter for a moment, blew her a kiss and left.

to another. As your father, I can

only speak to you as a man,

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Mrs. Murphy . . . As I See It

Hope everyone enjoyed Valentine's Day and restaurants did a loving business!!! ... What

happened to global warming? We've been in a deep freeze for many days ... I have heard that thirty law officers shot and it's only February of 2022. In 2021, 520 officers on duty were shot! Where's the justice there? ... Two police officers recently while on call were shot in cold blood ... Veterans are being denied organ transplants because they're not vaccinated ... On Actress Susan Sarandon's comments about law enforcements and this country being fascists. She's got it all wrong because it's Hollywood troublemakers that are Communists. Sarandon is a cop hater and has an acid tongue. Hollywood has become so political it is disgusting. Yet they praise Joe Biden after all of his nonsense!!! ... The media reported that the U.S. and many other countries are carrying out a diplomatic boycott of the 2022 winter Olympics as a symbolic gesture ... Residents on Falcon Street are complaining developers are building condos without parking. How are they getting approved??? Heard Joe Mario's new condo construction has three underground parking spaces! Other developers should follow his lead! ... Word on the street is newlyelected State Senator Lydia

Edwards is still a Boston City Councilor ... Edwards climbed the ladder fast after receiving high powered endorsements ... Rumors are McDonalds is eyeing Jeveli's property. I don't know how true that is because McDonald's already has a good location in Central Square with a drive through! ... Motorists complained that Bennington Street was a mess. There was no place to park; the street is too narrow for cars to pass with snow banks on either side. Why didn't the city remove the snow on Bennington Street instead

of giving out tickets ... Amazon

cartons line the streets for trash

pick-up day? Why shouldn't

they pick up their own leftover

cardboard boxes. They make

enough deliveries and money?

... Walkers said the puddles in East Boston are as big as ponds ... Boston Mayor Michelle Wu's Instagram live was flooded by those against the city's vaccine requirements ... Three bus routes in Boston will be fare free for two years, Riders of the 23, 28, and 29 bus routes will not be charged fares starting March 1st. The city will reimburse the MBTA for the fares through an \$8 million relief fund Boston received from the Federal Government ... While Wu is being generous with bus riders, her vaccine mandate is ruining Boston's restaurant business ... Does the new mayor really know what she's doing??? ... Till next time stay healthy!

Nazzaro Community Center

February School Vacation Week Activities

Alicia Simpson, the New Director of the Nazzaro Center has announced this list of fantastic activities for Youth and Teens ages 6 to 18 both boys and girls for February School Vacation Week, Tuesday, February 22nd through Friday, February 25th. These activities are all free of Charge and

you must register on-line at Boston.gov/BCYF-Registration. There is limited space for each session. Please check the website frequently for new activities, updates and changes. For more information or questions, please contact the Center directly at 617-635-5166.

MONDAY FEBRUARY 21st **Presidents Day CLOSED** TUESDAY FEBRUARY 22ND

Bingo & Games: 6 - 8 year olds, 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Soccer: 9 - 12 year olds, 1:30 - 2:30 p.m. Bingo & Games: 9 - 12 year olds,

2:30 - 5:30 p.m.

Basketball: 13 - 18 year olds, 5:30 - 6:30 p.m. Pool, Ping Pong/Games: 13 - 18 year olds,

6:30 - 8:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 23RD

Charades & Games: 6 – 8 year olds,

10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

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18. *#22 and #24

22. Lingerie staple 23. Public speaker

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31. Most likely to win 34. Pot contribution

37. Indian restaurant staple

40. Greece and Bulgaria peninsula

47. English course abbreviation

50. Oliver Twist, e.g. 52. *University of Virginia founder

57. *Second most-popular Presidential birth state, after Virginia

_ Rodham

8. *The only President who was a bachelor

10. Law school entry requirement, acr.

23. *One of three Presidents to win a

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38. Lacking justification 39. Office communique

42. Overnight stop

56. African prairie

62. High school club

64. Hitler's Deputy

1. Update a FitBit 2. Sound of bells

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35. By surprise

20. First-rate, slangily

21. Terminate, as in mission

8. *Like President Eisenhower's head

12. *One fourth of a Presidential term

15. *Pres. Eisenhower established this

"Beauty and the Beast"

Kickball: 9 – 12 year olds, 1:30 – 2:30 p.m.

Ping Pong, Pool, Bumper Pool: 9 – 12 year olds, 2:30 - 5:30 p.m.

Football: 13 – 18 year olds, 5:30 – 6:30 p.m. **Pool, Ping Pong/Games**: 13 – 18 year olds, 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.

THURSDAY FEBRUARY 24TH

Karaoke & Games: 6 – 8 year olds,

10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Football: 9 – 12 year olds, 1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. Fuse Beads & Games: 9 – 12 year olds,

2:30 - 5:30 p.m.

Flag Football: 13 - 18 year olds,

5:30 - 6:30 p.m.

Pool, Ping Pong/Games: 13 – 18 year olds,

6:30 - 8:30 p.m.

FRIDAY FEBRUARY 25TH

FUSE BEADS & GAMES: 6 – 8 year olds,

10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

ICE SKATING: 9 – 12 year olds, 11:00 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.

BASKETBALL: 9 – 12 year olds, 3:00 – 4:00 p.m. **MOVIE NIGHT**: 6 – 12 year olds,

6:30 - 8:30 p.m.

BASKETBALL SKILLS TOURNAMENT:

13 – 1 8 year olds, 5:30 – 6:30 p. m.

Pool, Ping Pong/Games: 13 – 18 year olds,

6:30 - 8:30 p.m.

Explore Belle Isle Marsh Reservation

During February School Vacation

AN OASIS FOR BIRDS — Saturday, February 19th, 7:30-8:30 a.m. Explore DCR's Belle Isle Marsh & vicinity, which are known birding hotspots with a total yearly bird count of about 265 species. We will search for Snowy Owls and other raptors, native sparrows, finches, and waterfowl. Expect to move to different locations by car or bicycle and on foot. Appropriate for Adults and Teens. Co-sponsored by the Brookline Bird Club and the Friends of Belle Isle Marsh.

Note that this program meets every month of the year on the 1st & 3rd Saturday of the month except when occurring on State or National Holidays.

WINTER WILDLIFE DETECTIVES — Wednesday, February 23rd and Friday, February 25th, 1:00-2:00 p.m. & 2:15-3:15 p.m. Can you imagine living outside the entire winter like the coyotes do at Belle Isle Marsh in East Boston? Join a DCR Park Interpreter as we explore the trails of the Marsh searching for signs (tracks, scat and chews) left by the wild creatures that are active during the winter. Appropriate for all ages. Co-sponsored by the Friends of Belle Isle Marsh.

For information on upcoming events at Belle Isle Reservation, please visit mass.gov/dcr/ parks/metroboston/belleisle

Boston Urban Forest Plan Virtual Open House March 14th

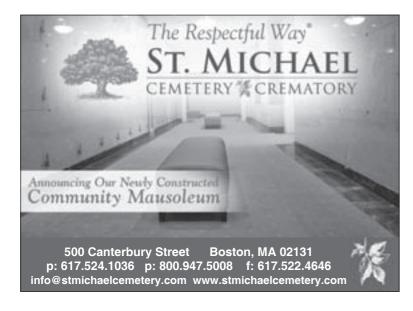
Residents interested in the future of trees in Boston are invited to join the Boston Parks and Recreation Department for a virtual conversation about the progress of the Urban Forest Plan on Monday, March 14th, from 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. To join the discussion, follow the event link at boston.gov/urban-forest-plan.

Boston's first ever Urban Forest Plan will help prioritize, preserve, and grow the tree canopy throughout Boston for decades to come. In Boston, all residents depend on the many benefits provided by the trees in our urban forest. The issues being addressed include policy, funding, workforce development, design, climate resilience, and more. The goal is to create a strategic plan based on science and defined by the needs and desires of the community to ensure that the urban forest will be better managed both today and in the future.

This project is a part of Healthy Places, a collaboration between the Heat Resilience Study, Urban Forest Plan, and Open Space and Recreation Plan. Healthy Places looks at cooling the city, expanding the urban forest, and improving the park system. For more information on any of these projects, please visit boston. *aov/healthu-places*.

Interpretation and translation services are available for the March 14th Open House at no cost. Please contact program manager Maggie Owens if you cannot attend this meeting, have any questions or comments, or if you need interpretation services, translated materials or disability accommodations by emailing: maggie.owens@boston. gov or calling 617-961-3025 by February 28, 2022.

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- 51. Away from wind
- 52. *Second most common Presidential first name, after James
- 53. Type of gin
- 54. Cross to bear
- 55. Midday slumbers 56. Chill, with 'out'
 - (Solution on Page 10)

Saint Clement Mary Hofbauer

by Bennett Molinari and Richard Molinari

He was born Johannes Hofbauer on December 26, 1751 in the Moravian region of what is now the Czech Republic. Johannes was the ninth of twelve children born to Maria Steer and Paul Hofbauer. His father was a butcher.

The young man felt a call to the priesthood, but his family was too poor to afford his education. He became an apprentice and journeyman baker at Premonstratensian monastery at Bruck, Germany. He later took up life as a Hermit.

When hermitages were abolished by Emperor Joseph II, Johannes worked as a baker in Vienna, Austria. He later became a hermit in Italy taking the name Clement. Clement made three pilgrimages to Rome. During his third pilgrimage, he joined the *Redemptorists* at San Giuliano, adding the name Marie. He met some sponsors following a Mass, and they agreed to pay for his education. He studied at the University of Vienna, and at Rome. Clement was ordained in 1785, and assigned to Vienna.

Missionary to Warsaw, Poland with several companions from 1786 to 1808, working with the poor, building schools and orphanages; the brothers preached five sermons a day. In 1788, he took up residence in Warsaw, where he worked for 20 years, establishing Redemptorist houses in Switzerland and southern Germany. He and his companions were imprisoned in 1808 under Napoleon's rule. Napoleon ordered the Redemptorist community at Warsaw disbanded and its members exiled. Clement spent the remainder of his life in Vienna where he became a noted preacher and spiritual director of an Ursuline convent.

Clement founded a Catholic college in Vienna. worked with young men, and helped revitalize German religious life. Worked against the establishment of a German national Church. He also worked against Josephinism which sought secular control of the Church and clergy.

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There he established a monastery and continued to seek government approbation for Redemptorist houses, which was granted shortly after his death. He passed away on March 15, 1820 at Vienna, Austria of natural causes. He was named patron saint of Vienna by Pope St. Pius X in 1914. The Feast Day of Saint Clement Mary Hofbauer is March 15th.

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court **Probate and Family Court** Middlesex Probate and Family Court 10-U Commerce Way Woburn, MA 01801 (781) 865-4000 Docket No. MI21D3579DR **DIVORCE SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION AND MAILING** PAULDINE TERME-SMITH YOHAN SMITH

To the Defendant: The Plaintiff has filed a Complaint for Divorce requesting that the Court grant a divorce for Irretrievable Breakdown of the Marriage 1B. The Complaint is on file at the Court.

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

You are hereby summoned and required to serve upon Wyckoff Nissenbaum, Esq., Law Office of Wyckoff Nissenbaum 775 Broadway, Somerville, MA 02144 your answer, if any, on or before March 21, 2022. 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, i any, in the office of the Register of this Court.

Witness, HON. MAUREEN H. MONKS, First Justice of this Court. Date: February 07, 2022

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate Run date: 02/18/2022

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court **Probate and Family Court** Middlesex Probate and Family Court - North **Lowell Justice Center** 370 Jackson Street, 5th Floor Lowell, MA 01852 (978) 656-7700 Docket No. MI21D0634DR

DIVORCE SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION AND MAILING YVONNE R. MOYO

ADRIAN CHIWESHE To the Defendant:

The Plaintiff has filed a Complaint for Divorce equesting that the Court grant a divorce for Irretrievable Breakdown

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

You are hereby summoned and required to serve upon David Booth Feldman, Esq., Feldman Family Law, 60 Walnut St., Wellesley Hills, MA 02481 your answer, if any, on or before March 17, 2022. If you fail to do so, the court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. You are also required to file a copy of your answer, if any, in the office of the Register of this Court.

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

Date: February 03, 2022

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate

City Reports Boston's Most Popular Dog Names

Reminder: Boston Dog Licensing Deadline is March 31st

The Boston Parks and Recreation Department's Animal Care and Control Division reminds city dog owners that the annual deadline for licensing their pets is March 31st. All dogs in Boston require a new license each year.

"Not only is licensing your pet the law, but a license is your pet's ID and provides their fastest ticket home if they become lost," notes Animal Care and Control Director Alexis Trzcinski. "We like to remind owners that if your dog ever gets out, the chances of being reunited are greatly increased with a license."

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analyzed licensing data from the previous year to reveal the most popular dog names of 2021.

The most popular male dog name in 2021 was Charlie with 82 registered in Boston, while Ziggy brought up the back of the pack with 27 males with that name. The top female name registered was Luna with 112 registered while 25th place went to Riley with 29 licensed. Other male names in the top ten were Teddy, Oliver, Max, Ollie, Milo, Cooper, Toby, Rocky, and Finn. The top ten female names included Bella, Lucy, Daisy, Penny, Lola, Stella, Molly, Bailey, and Rosie.

The data also provided the most popular dog breeds registered in Boston. In 2021 the top breeds included Labrador Retriever with 1,833 registered, Golden Retriever (703), Chihuahua (442), German Shepherd (422), Beagle (345), Yorkshire Terrier (329), Miniature Poodle (307), Shih Tzu (303), Australian Shepherd

TOP 25 FEMALE DOG NAMES OF 2021

Based on City of Boston 2021 Licensing Data 1. LUNA | 2. BELLA | 3. LUCY | 4. DAISY | 5. PENNY | 6. LOLA | 7. STELLA | 8. MOLLY **9.** BAILEY | **10.** ROSIE | **11.** MAGGIE | 12. LILY | 13. SADIE | 14. RUBY | 15. OLIVE **16.** CHLOE | **17.** SOPHIE | **18.** WINNIE **19.** COCO | **20.** WILLOW | **21.** PIPER **22.** MILLIE | **23.** MAYA | **24.** LULU



Pumpkin reminds Boston's dog owners that March 31st In preparation for the 2022 is the deadline for licensing

(278), and Pit Bull (275). Boston Terrier came in at 143 while 25th place went to Miniature Schnauzer for the males with 75 and Pomeranian for the females with 53 registered.

All dog owners need to license their dogs by Thursday, March 31, 2022. Dogs must be licensed if they are older than six months. Owners must provide a copy of their dog's current rabies certificate. For spayed and neutered pets, owners must submit proof of spaying or neutering if they have not done so previously.

Licensing fees are \$15 for a neutered male or spayed female or \$30 for an intact male or female. The dog licensing fee is waived for service animals and residents age 70 and older.

Owners must also pay any outstanding Animal Care and Control fines. The fine for an unlicensed dog is \$50. Please call 617-635-5348 or email: animalcontrol@boston.gov with any questions about the licensing process or to update your information in the database.

For an in-depth guide on dog licensing, including a link to license your dog online, visit Animal Care and Control's how-to article.

The City of Boston will also host a series of dog licensing and pet vaccine clinics from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. on Saturdays from March 5th to June 4th at seven BCYF community centers. For details, fees, and locations please visit boston.gov/animals, call 617-635-1800.

Animal Care & Control posts photos of adoptable pets on their social media accounts at instagram.com/bostonanimalcontrol, twitter.com/animalboston and facebook.com/

TOP 25 MALE DOG NAMES OF 2021

Based on City of Boston 2021 Licensing Data 1. CHARLIE | 2. TEDDY | 3. OLIVER | **4.** MAX | **5.** OLLIE | **6.** MILO | **7.** COOPER **8.** TOBY | **9.** ROCKY | **10.** FINN 11. WINSTON | 12. TUCKER | 13. HENRY

| 14. GUS | 15. BUDDY | 16. LEO | 17. BREA | **18.** LOUIE **19.** JACK | **20.** ARCHIE | **21.** BENTLEY | **22.** BRUNO | **23.** DUKE **24.** BAXTER | **25.** ZIGGY

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

Middlesex Probate and Family Court 10-U Commerce Way Woburn, MA 01801 (781) 865-4000 Docket No. MI22P0278EA

Estate of RICHARD B. LEE

Date of Death: November 29, 2021

INFORMAL PROBATE PUBLICATION NOTICE To all persons interested in the above

captioned estate, by Petition of Petitione Martha A. Lee of Adams, MA. Martha A. Lee of Adams, MA has been

informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve without surety 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: 02/18/2022



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PAUL McCARTNEY AND WINGS WILD LIFE 50th Anniversary Edition / (2LP Vinyl) / UMe

To mark the 50th anniversary of Paul McCartney and Wings' Wild Life, originally released December 7, 1971 release of Paul McCartney and Wings' Wild Life; UMe announced the February 4, 2022 reissue of Wings' debut LP as a limited edition half-speed mastered vinyl pressing. Following the eclectic charm and intimacy of 1970's solo McCartney and 1971's homespun lo-fi indiepop progenitor RAM credited to Paul and Linda McCartney, Wild Life found Paul once again redefining his post-Beatles creative identity, this time beginning his tenure as a founding member of Wings. A rollicking left turn from its predecessors; Wild Life was recorded in barely more than a week, with more than half of the songs captured in a single take. The end result would be eight songs running the gamut from joyous freewheeling jams to proto-chamber pop to spare introspective musings — all bristling with a raw, jagged energy akin to the grungiest of garage bands — whether on the careening blues-rock rave-up of opener "Mumbo," a reggae-tinged reimagining of Mickey & Sylvia's "Love Is Strange," or the plaintive and heart wrenching ballad "Dear Friend." Cracking the top 10 and going gold in the U.S., Wild Life faced an admittedly uphill battle, as the debut of Paul's first post-Beatles band. In a recent reassessment, Billboard noted that modern-day Wild Life listeners "can throw out all this cultural baggage and just enjoy the tunes ... by not reaching for any obvious Beatles tropes, Wings achieved something fresh and inviting ... and in fact, Wild Life would prove to be the first spark of the Wings phenomenon that would develop and flourish into one of the defining sounds of '70s rock n roll." The streak of #1 albums from Red Rose Speedway, Band On The Run, Venus And Mars, At The Speed Of Sound through the 3LP live opus Wings Over America, and the sold-out shows that provided the blueprint for the '70s arena rock experience can all be traced back to the bang of those first eight months during which Wings would, release Wild Life and play their first-ever live shows in February 1972. Additional tracks include: "Bip Bop," "Wild Life," "Some People Never Know," "I Am Your Singer," and "Tomorrow."

AARON LEWIS – FRAYED AT BOTH ENDS / (CD) / The Valory Music Co.

The front man of Staind, Aaron Lewis, has quietly made an impact on Country music without flexing to let everyone know what a big deal he was. With a decade invested in a genre that's seen him record with Willie Nelson, George Jones, Charlie Daniels, Vince Gill, Alison Krauss and more, Lewis has doubled down on Frayed at Both Ends. A meditation on shrinking opportunities, mistakes made, consequences

of our actions and squaring up to it all with the dignity it takes to be a full-grown man. Drawing on the tattered reality and stoicism of Merle Haggard, the yearning of David Allan Coe, and the ragged fringe of Johnny Paycheck, Lewis collaborated with many of the songwriters who've become his friends over the last dozen years for the first time. For Frayed at Both Ends they drew on the wealth of topflight musicians who've become core to reflecting the tavern country sound Lewis heard on his grandfather's George Jones, Waylon Jennings and Haggard 8-tracks. Guitarists Tom Bukovac, Biff Watson and Seth Taylor, dobroist Kitterman, acoustic slide and baritone guitar from Sturgill Simpson veteran Laur Joamets, and keyboard player Jim Moose Brown, acoustic guitar/mandolin from Tyminski were the core band. With the post-Dust Bowl Country of the reap-whatvou-sow "Get What You Get," the broken "Pull Me Under," the minor entendre road life lament "Life Between Bars," the dobro-heavy acceptance lullaby "Kill Me Like You Love Me," high lonesome memory that can't be outrun "Waiting There For Me" and the hopeful closer "Someone." For fans of Lewis' haunted, brass tacks kind of country music, this is the essence of what he's been chasing since arriving in Nashville to make music that honors the roots of his raising. Having invested in the community, the community has become an outgrowth of that love for the splinters and reckonings that once made country music such a good place to drown one's sorrows and figure out how to move on from the wreckage one creates.

LADY A WHAT A SONG CAN DO / (CD) / BMLG Records

Multi-platinum band Lady A continues to emerge with a new refined vision, as the full release of their eighth studio album, What a Song Can Do. The 14 tracks produced by Dann Huff, capture the band's signature sound and serves as a love letter to fans. Steeped in music's power to get us through, What a Song Can Do feels like a reawakening for Dave Haywood, Charles Kelley and Hillary Scott. Haywood is the designated leadoff hitter, and delivers his first-ever lead vocal on the devoted "Working On This Love," trailed by collaboration with Thomas Rhett, Darius Rucker, and Carly Pearce for the trio's rocking "Friends Don't Let Friends." The 14-track collection is a trademark Lady A release, laden with three-part harmonies that established the band initially. Kelley fires up "In Waves, with Scott taking a swing as lead singer on "You Keep Thinking That." Scott and Kelley are the perfect duo delivering joint efforts on the remainder of songs on this tasty album. Enjoy country-pop ballads 'Talk of This Town," "Fire," and "Things He Handed Down." Slowing things down with the title track, "What a Song Can Do" and then turn it up with "Like A Lady."

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

JUST HEARD RICK JAMES DOING "FIRE AND DESIRE" WITH TEENA MARIE

I love listening to the sound of R&B whether Motown or South Philly and I accidentally found a hip tune from 1981 called "Fire and Desire" by Rick James and Teena Marie. It had been ages since I heard it and listened to the song lyrics. Great stuff! I forgot how good he sounded. "Fire and Desire" had such a great sound to it. A tune I could listen to over and over again; which I probably did 40 years ago! Hearing it again recently, it sounded brand new again.

Rick James was 56 years old when he died in 2004 and Teena Marie passed away in 2010 at 54. Teena was one of the first white singers signed by Motown.

DISTRICT 1 COUNCIL RACE IS ON



Tania Del Rio and Sal Giarratani campaigning up the street from old Station 15 and City Square.

(Photo by Tania Del Rio, selfie)

I have been politically active in Charlestown over the years. My first campaign was helping Frank Bellotti when he ran for governor in 1970. Other candidates I helped were Jimmy Cushman, Bernie Kelly, Diane Modica, Bobby Travaglini, Billy McCabe, Danny Ryan, and so many others.

This year, I am with Tania Del Rio, a first time candidate running for District Councilor and have been spending time with her over on the streets of Charlestown, going door-to-door and meeting with lots of folks and listening to their concerns. I still remember when I ran door-to-door back in 1979, as a 31-year-old School Committee candidate. Now, here I am again knocking on some of the same doors in support of Tania Del Rio, who seems to me ready to be our next District Councilor. I wouldn't be with her if I didn't believe in her. She would be ready on day one in office to be both your voice and vote on the Boston City Council when it comes to represent every part of

You'll be seeing more of her on the campaign trail and more of me, too. At the moment, there may not be a preliminary, but the election itself will be held on Tuesday, May 3rd. Keep your eyes on her, she's on our side.

LATEST EMAILS FROM THE INBOX

African-American voter turnout for the last Presidential election in Georgia was 63%. In Massachusetts, it was 23%. Do we have more restrictive voter rules and regulations than Georgia?

Sean F. Flaherty, Charlestown Sal, its official: married couples and single people in MA pay in the top-tier tax-wise compared to other states. I have three suggestions to lessen the tax load of the hard-working people in the state:

1). Do away with the bottle bill. My recycle bin is as large as a small car. Most people respect the environment now as opposed to when this cash grab began.

2). Eliminate MA drivers having to pay an auto inspection fee until a vehicle is six years old. I've never heard of a new car failing the emissions test.

3). Do away with the town property tax wherein a small business is taxed every year for every desk, computer, and printer they own. Let's not forget that every small business owner is either married or single.

The next candidate for Governor should take this information and think about it. We need some relief during this terrible economy. Just sayin'

Jack Zaccardi, East Boston
"UNCLE TONY" AND
"UNCLE SAL" AT

"UNCLE SAL" AT MONTHLY VETERANS VOICE NETWORK FOOD DISTRIBUTION

Recently, on Thursday, February 10th, the Veterans Voice Network held its monthly food distribution down in Marshfield at the WMEX Radio site home of the "WMEX Good Guys. Sal Giarratani in between all his writing takes time out each month (first Thursday of the month at noon) to join his veteran friends and WMEX "band of friends in helping out.

Uncle Sal joins up with Uncle Tony, host of the Italian Music Hour on Friday evenings.

(Photo by Jimmy C. of Weymouth)

IF YOU ENJOY BOSTON BROADSIDE, CHECK OUT THE NEW BOSTON POST, TOO

Wanna get around the fake news media and can't get enough of the monthly *Boston Broadside*? Check out another great conservative site, the online edition of the *New Boston Post* at *newbostonpost.com*.

MY NEWEST CAR'S STICKER PRICE

I needed to replace my car, (which I loved by the way) after it was recently totaled by a Boston Public School bus along Hanover Street. I found a nice new used car and thanks to Bidenflation, the price was a good \$6 thousand more than it would have been a year ago. Thank you so much Biden!

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Middlesex Probate and Family Court
10-U Commerce Way
Woburn, MA 01801
(781) 865-4000
Docket No. MI22P0637EA
Estate of
FREDERICK W. GIESIN, JR.
Also Known As

Also Known As
FREDERICK WILLIAM GIESIN, JR.
Date of Death: January 09, 2022
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 Frederick W. Giesin, III of Framingham, MA requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that Frederick W. Giesin, III of Framingham, MA be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in unsupervised administration.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before 10:00 a.m. on the return day of March 14, 2022.

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: February 14, 2022

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate Run date: 02/18/2022

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Probate and Family Court Middlesex Probate and Family Court 10-U Commerce Way Woburn, MA 01801

10-U Commerce Way Woburn, MA 01801 (781) 865-4000 Docket No. MI22P0315EA Estate of

ROBERT L. BOUCHARD
Date of Death: August 25, 2021
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 Sandra Leclair of Auburn,
NH requesting that the Court enter a formal
Decree and Order and for such other relief as

The Petitioner requests that Sandra Leclair of Auburn, NH be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in unsupervised administration

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 March 15, 2022.

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: February 15, 2022

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate
Run date: 02/18/2022

Nanna & Babbononno

by John Christoforo

A Nostalgic Remembrance



Next week is president's week and that means public school vacation. Years ago, when I was a single young teacher in Boston, I would plan to go on vacation during that period of time. There were several young single teachers that I had become familiar with and we all had the same idea ... at vacation time ... go on vacation.

Many of the people I taught with liked to ski. I tried it once and decided to stick to the warm weather sports and hobbies. If none of my colleagues wanted to head to a warmer climate, I would call old friend, Sal Meli. He lived in East Boston and worked at Polaroid enjoying a rather flexible schedule that allowed him to take winter vacations.

When I told him that I was thinking of heading to Puerto Rico during the winter recess, he told me to include him in the plans. Another young single teacher that I had become friendly with at Hyde Park High School, Tom Aylward, decided to join us and I headed to Colpitt's Travel Agency in Boston. I knew the vice president as he was a friend of Uncle Nick's and had taken care of his vacation needs for many years when he and Aunt Dorothy decided to travel.

I've forgotten the man's name, but when I gave him our time frame and budget, he planned a trip for us that included Puerto Rico and St. Thomas, all in one week. We were booked to fly to San Juan at night on the Friday before the week's vacation would start. We were to stay at the Hotel Normandie, an older, but fashionable hotel that, today, is a national land mark, classified as the oldest hotel in Puerto Rico. After being there for a few days, we were booked to fly to Charlotte Amalie, the capital of St. Thomas and check into the Gramboco Inn, a local hotel that was frequented by naval officers stationed on the island. When I told Babbononno about my plans, he fantasized that he could come with us, but it was impossible. He was too old but was satisfied when I told him that I would bring him back a bottle of homemade Puerto Rican rum.

That Friday night, Dad, Mom, Babbononno and I picked up Sal and we headed for the airport. My colleague from Hyde Park High was being driven to the airport by another teacher who had wanted to come along but had to care for his ailing mother and really couldn't. It had begun to snow and Dad questioned as to whether we would take off.

Being young and positive about everything, I had him drop us off at the Eastern Airlines terminal and head home. There was a lounge at the terminal that was owned by a former senator, Mike LoPresti. I had campaigned for him when he ran for the senate and had also known one of his sons, Vincent, when we both attended English High School. When Mike spotted me, he came over to say hello and I introduced

him to Sal and my teacher friend Tom.

Mike told us to check in and then head back to the lounge for a drink. At check in, we were told that the flight was going to be delayed for an hour due to the weather. Our teacher friend who couldn't come had more than one drink, and when he headed back to the parking lot, couldn't find his car as they were all covered with snow by then. He wandered around aimlessly and then began to yell for help. A state trooper heard him and brought him back to the barracks and sobered him up before letting him continue the search for his car. The rest of us didn't know this part of the story but would find out a week or so later when we were back home. When the plane was ready to take off about an hour or two later, Mike LoPresti wouldn't let us pay for anything. I thanked him and we headed to the gate to board the plane and head south.

I don't know about Tom or Sal, but I fell asleep. A stewardess woke me up as we were ready to land and I could see that it was almost dawn. It must have been around 5:00 or 5:30 in the morning when we landed. Just as soon as we deplaned, I could feel the warm tropical climate surrounding me, a climate that I've grown to love over the years.

A Grey Line tour bus was waiting for us and brought us to the Normandie after we picked up our suitcases from the luggage area. The hotel was oval shaped with a large deck area in the middle and an Olympic sized swimming pool in the center. The room we had booked was very large and had three good sized beds which made us very happy. After check in, we changed into more casual clothing and headed to the hotel restaurant and breakfast. As we entered, I noticed a table with three or four very attractive ladies sitting around it. One of them waved and as I approached, I discovered it was the stewardess who serviced us on the flight from Boston. She and one of the other girls were from Puerto Rico and were destined to show us around San Juan. But, that's another

After breakfast, we decided to head for the pool and enjoy the sun and water while we planned what we were going to do for the next few days. Sal had been to the island a couple times and knew where to go, so we left the planning up to him. Before we did anything else, I wanted to call home and let my folks know that I was safe. Back then, to save money, I would call home collect and ask for myself. Whomever answered would say to the operator that I wasn't home and I would leave a message giving a relative's name. This would let, especially Mom, know that I was safe. Her problem was that she would always respond with, "I'll tell John that you called, and don't forget to wear a sweater if it gets cold."

Later in the day, Sal, Tom and I headed for Old San Juan, the colonial section of the city. We joined a tour and saw the historic sites that amazed me as many of them had been there since around 1500, including a fort and several government buildings that were constructed by the Spanish not long after Columbus landed on the island. Later, Sal brought us to a restaurant and we got a sample of local dishes. I loved the food and still do, roast pork, marinated in garlic, olive oil and spices with plantains on the side.

For the next few days, we headed to several beaches that were recommended to us, and at night, local clubs where the best in salsa music on the island could be heard and danced to. We also spent time at several hotels, that had casinos. Right after Cuba became off limits to American tourists, Puerto Rico passed gambling laws and several of the major San Juan hotels opened casinos to attract the tourists. It worked, and the island became a destination for Americans who had gone to pre-Castro Havana in the past. I had never been inside and developed something called beginner's luck. No matter what game of chance I tried, I won. I tried blackjack and won. I tried roulette and won. I tried craps and won. I made more money than what I had brought for spending for the entire trip. As a result, I was ready for some gift buying a few days later when we were in St. Thomas, a dutyfree port. But, that's a story for another day.

GOD BLESS AMERICA

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Middlesex Probate and Family Court
10-U Commerce Way
Woburn, MA 01801
(781) 865-4000
Docket No. MI19C1108CA
In the Matter of
NAIMA OUBAQUI
CITATION ON

A Petition to Change Name of Adult has been filed by Naima Oubaqui of Lawrence, MA requesting that the court enter a Decree changing their name to Naima Toumadi.

PETITION TO CHANGE NAME

IMPORTANT NOTICE
Any person may appear for purposes of objecting to the petition by filing an appearance at: Middlesex Probate and Family Court before 10:00 a.m. on the return day of March 07, 2022. This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance if you object to this proceeding.

Witness, HON. MAUREEN H. MONKS, First Justice of this Court Date: February 07, 2022

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate

Run Date: 02/18/2022

nonnes recipe box

by Marianna Bisignano



The season of *Quaresima* (Lent) that begins in just a couple of weeks on Ash Wednesday and ends on Easter Sunday, holds significant meaning in Italy. For the Italian Catholic people, these forty days are a time of abstinence, prayer and almsgiving. It is customary for individuals to give up something special or do good deeds, and to often even refrain from consuming meats, sweets and chocolate. The rules of the church have become less stringent, and culinary practices have changed. Today, refraining from meat is only required on Ash Wednesday and every Friday up until Easter. As a result, "Meatless Fridays" have become one of the most well-known Lenten traditions in Italy, as well as here in the states.

Though the rules of the church may have changed, many older Italian Catholics, including my own family, continue to abide by the conventional practices and some even refrain from eating meat on Fridays year-round. Growing up, "Meatless Fridays" were all I knew and my Nonna made a variety of dishes for them. One in particular I think you'll enjoy is her "Eggplant Meatballs." These meatless balls are exceptionally tasty and consist of a few simple ingredients. Eggplant, breadcrumbs, cheese, garlic, and parsley are bound together with beaten eggs, then baked and served with a light marinara sauce and generously topped with grated Parmigiano reggiano cheese. Over pasta or even on their own, *Polpette di Melanzane* makes an incredible Meatless Friday dish!

EGGPLANT MEATBALLS Polpette di Melanzane



3 eggplant, peeled and diced into 1-inch cubes ½ cup olive oil 4 cloves garlic, finely chopped ½ to ¾ cup water 4 cups fresh breadcrumbs,

reggiano cheese, grated
2-4 Tbsp. fresh chopped Italian
parsley
2 to 3 eggs, beaten
Parsley, salt and pepper
6 cups marinara sauce

2- 2 ½ cups Parmigiano

In a large pan, sauté garlic in olive oil until fragrant. Add diced eggplant, water, and cook until soft. Let cool, place eggplant mixture in a large mixing bowl. Take a baking sheet and brush with olive oil, set aside. In a medium bowl, add breadcrumbs with 1 cup of the cheese (more if desired), parsley, salt, pepper, and mix well. Add breadcrumb mixture to the eggplant. Add 2-3 eggs and mix with your hands as you would if making meatballs. Add more breadcrumbs, cheese and seasonings, as needed until mixture is moist, yet able to hold its shape when rolled into a ball. Refrigerate for 1 hour. Preheat oven to 350°. Using a 2 ½ inch cookie scoop (these are not intended to be as big as meatballs), make eggplant balls and place side by side on prepared baking sheet. Bake in oven approximately 25 minutes, cooking time varies depending on size and how moist the mixture is, turn over at the halfway point to evenly brown. Do not overcook; they should remain moist on the inside. Remove from baking sheet and top with desired amount of marinara sauce. Serve over pasta, or in a dish on their

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Meanwhile, after supporters of the Freedom Convoy started a Go Fund Me Page for the truckers that reached nearly \$10 million, Go Fund Me took the money raised and said it would disperse it to charities of its own. After a howl of protest, they said they would give donors refunds. According to Go Fund Me, the truckers are the bad guys.

Illinois School Kids Walk Out

Dozens of Chicago-area high school students recently staged a walkout after being told they had to wear masks in school. Mask-less students showed up at two high schools to protest District 128's continued mask mandates. Students were escorted to the gym when they arrived unmasked and given three options: either mask, remain in the gym for the school day, or just leave the building. A video was posted on social media showing students walking out of school after refusing to mask up.

On the 2022 Campaign Trail

There are now two Republican candidates running for governor. First out of the box was former State Representative Geoff Diehl and then a businessman named Chris Doughy. It seems the convention will be quite interesting as conservatives push Diehl and the moderates who supported Governor Baker will duke it out for the party nomination at their state convention. Perhaps, voters might actually see a Diehl/Doughy primary fight. Time will tell.

It appears that the Republicans may have two candidates ready to take on State Secretary Bill Galvin. Rayla Campbell has already filed papers for that statewide seat come November, and now it is strongly rumored that Caroline

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court **Probate and Family Court Suffolk Probate and Family Court** 24 New Chardon Street Boston, MA 02114 (617) 788-8300 Docket No. SU21P2263EA

Estate of RICHARD G. JACOBUS, JR. Date of Death: September 07, 2021 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 Barbara Wells of Wauwatosa, WI 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 March 24, 2022.

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. BRIAN J. DUNN, First Justice of this Court. Date: February 10, 2022

> Felix D. Arroyo, Register of Probate Run date: 02/18/2022

Colarusso from Stoneham could be entering that race, too. Colarusso ran for Congress in the 5th District back in 2020 and Campbell ran for Congress in the 7th District the same year.

Cecilia Calabrese, an Agawam city councilor is mulling a run as a Republican for Lieutenant Governor. Her name has been out there floating around and the idea appears to be picking up some political steam.

Anthony Amore who ran for state secretary back in 2018 is now considering a bid for state auditor as a Republican. He has supporters in the fractured party organization in both the governor's camp and state committee members who support

Arroyo Running For Suffolk District Attorney

District 5 City Council member Ricardo Arroyo is running for Suffolk County District Attorney and made his formal announcement in Roslindale back on February 8th. Several candidates are mulling this county seat making for an interesting summer for the candidates and voters.

Biden Doesn't Want WWIII

The Biden White House has signaled last week that he won't be sending U.S. Troops into Ukraine to evacuate Americans if Russia invades saving that the action could trigger a "world war" and "things could go crazy quickly.

End Quote

"I believe in faith, family, and country. I really keep it that

Sean Hannity

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10-U Commerce Way Woburn, MA 01801 (781) 865-4000

Docket No. MI22P0671EA

Estate of **MARGUERITE MAHONEY SKEHAN** Also Known As MARGUERITE SKEHAN, MARGARET M. SKEHAN

Date of Death: September 12, 2021

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 Gregory T. Skehan of Burlington, 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 Gregory T. Skehan of Burlington, MA be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in unsupervised administration.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before 10:00 a.m. on the return day of March 14, 2022.

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

Date: February 14, 2022

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate Run date: 02/18/2022

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court **Probate and Family Court** Middlesex Probate and Family Court 10-U Commerce Way Woburn, MA 01801

(781) 865-4000 Docket No. MI22P0665EA Estate of

CHERYL N. SETH Also Known As
CHERRIE NADEAU SETH Date of Death: January 03, 2022

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 Kimberly McGhee of Wakefield, 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 Kimberly McGhee of Wakefield, MA be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in unsupervised administration

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Witness, HON. MAUREEN H. MONKS, First Justice of this Court. Date: February 14, 2022

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate Run date: 02/18/2022

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Middlesex Probate and Family Court 10-U Commerce Way Woburn, MA 01801 (781) 865-4000

Docket No. MI22P0663EA

Estate of ANAND K. SETH Also Known As ANAND KUMAR SETH

Date of Death: December 17, 2021

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 Kimberly McGhee of Wakefield, 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 Kimberly McGhee of Wakefield, MA be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in unsupervised administration.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before 10:00 a.m. on the return day of March 14, 2022.

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Witness, HON. MAUREEN H. MONKS, First Justice of this Court Date: February 14, 2022

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate Run date: 02/18/2022

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

Middlesex Probate and Family Court 10-U Commerce Way Woburn, MA 01801 (781) 865-4000

Docket No. MI22P0572EA

Estate of **EDWARD J. HEINHOLD** Also Known As **EDWARD JOSEPH HEINHOLD**

Date of Death: April 14, 2020 **INFORMAL PROBATE PUBLICATION NOTICE**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner Barbara J. Heinhold of Rockville, MD, a Will has been admitted to informal probate.

Barbara J. Heinhold of Rockville, MD has been informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve without surety on the bond.

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

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

Middlesex Probate and Family Court 10-U Commerce Way Woburn, MA 01801 (781) 865-4000

Docket No. MI21P3928EA

Estate of PATRICIA DELL ELLIOTT Also Known As PATRICIA D. ELLIOTT Date of Death: May 17, 2021

PUBLICATION NOTICE To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner Deborah Sawin of Somerville, MA, a Will has

INFORMAL PROBATE

been admitted to informal probate. Deborah Sawin of Somerville, 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,

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Woburn, MA 01801 (781) 865-4000 Docket No. MI21P0241EA

Estate of HELEN R. GARFIELD Also Known As
HELEN ROTCH GARFIELD

Date of Death: September 15, 2020 **CITATION ON PETITION**

FOR ORDER OF

COMPLETE SETTLEMENT

A Petition for Order of Complete Settlement has been filed by William B. Perkins of Boston, MA requesting that the court enter a formal Decree of Complete Settlement including the allowance of a final account and other such relief as may be 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 March 11, 2022.

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 appear ance 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.

Witness, HON. MAUREEN H. MONKS, First Justice of this Court. Date: February 11, 2022

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate Run date: 02/18/2022

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

Middlesex Probate and Family Court 10-U Commerce Way Woburn, MA 01801 (781) 865-4000

Docket No. MI22P0303EA

Estate of **CORINNE McGRATH** Also Known As CORINNE M. McGRATH and CORINNE MARY McGRATH

Date of Death: October 24, 2021 **INFORMAL PROBATE PUBLICATION NOTICE**

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

Philip J. McGrath of Wilmington, MA has been informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve without surety on the bond.

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

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Docket No. MI22P0613EA

Estate of **GENE J. ROSSI**

Date of Death: December 30, 2021 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 Donna M. D'Agostino of Sarasota, FL and Dionne T. Rossi of Winchester, 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 Donna M D'Agostino of Sarasota, FL and Dionne T. Rossi of Winchester, MA be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in unsupervised administration.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before 10:00 a.m. on the return day of March 10, 2022.

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: February 10, 2022

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Docket No. MI22P0420EA

Estate of

PAUL COOLIDGE WHITE

Also Known As

PAUL C. WHITE

Date of Death: January 04, 2022

CITATION ON PETITION FOR

FORMAL ADJUDICATION

A Petition for Formal Probate of Will with

Appointment of Personal Representative

has been filed by Gregory Marshall White of

Needham, 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 **Gregory**

Marshall White of Needham, MA be appointed

as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to

serve Without Surety on the bond in 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

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and expenses of administration.

First Justice of this Court.

Date: February 10, 2022

Witness, HON. MAUREEN H. MONKS,

Personal Representative appointed

taken without further notice to you.

To all interested persons:

vised administration

March 10, 2022.

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

Middlesex Probate and Family Court 10-U Commerce Way Woburn, MA 01801 (781) 865-4000

Docket No. MI22P0593GD CITATION GIVING NOTICE OF PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF **GUARDIAN FOR INCAPACITATED** PERSON PURSUANT TO

G.L. c. 190B, §5-304 In the matter of **KATHY DELGENIO** of Reading, MA

RESPONDENT Alleged Incapacitated Person

To the named Respondent and all other interested persons, a petition has been filed by Lahey Hospital And Medical Center of Burlington, MA in the above captioned matter alleging that Kathy Delgenio is in need of a Guardian and requesting that Keisha St. Onge of West Newbury, MA (or some other suitable person) be appointed as Guardian to serve Without Surety 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 March 09, 2022. 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 nersonal 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. MAUREEN H. MONKS, First Justice of this Court.

Date: February 09, 2022

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Docket No. MI22P0388EA

Estate of **GISELA E. RITTER** Also Known As **GISELA RITTER**

Date of Death: February 23, 2021 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 Heinz W. Ritter of Framingham, MA requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that Heinz W. Ritter of Framingham, MA be appointed as Per sonal Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in unsupervised administration.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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

Date: February 02, 2022

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate Run date: 02/18/2022

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

Notice is hereby given by Todisco Services, Inc., of 171 Boston Street, Salem, MA pursuant to the provisions of Mass G.L. c. 255, Section 39A, that they will sell the following vehicles on or after February 26, 2022 beginning at 9:00 a.m. by public or private sale to satisfy their garage keepers lien for towing, storage, and notices of sale.

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2001 MERCURY GRAND MARQUIS Vin # 2MEFM75W31X644985

> 2006 FORD F150 Vin # 1FTRX12W96NA63135

> 2007 LEXUS ES Vin # JTHBJ46G172117584 2002 CHRYSLER SEBRING Vin # 1C3EL65R72N286723

2008 NISSAN ALTIMA Vin # 1N4BL24E48C101382

Vehicles are being stored at multiple Todisco Services, Inc. locations, and may be viewed by appointment only.

> Signed Todisco Services, Inc. Run dates: 02/11, 02/18, 02/25/2022

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

Middlesex Probate and Family Court 10-U Commerce Way Woburn, MA 01801 (781) 865-4000

Docket No. MI22P0532EA

Estate of KONGSUK MANTAKARA Date of Death: December 27, 2021 **INFORMAL PROBATE**

PUBLICATION NOTICE To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner Christine Mantakara of Brooklyn, NY, a Wil

has been admitted to informal probate Christine Mantakara of Brooklyn, NY has been informally appointed as the Persona 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

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Run date: 02/18/2022

EXTRA Innings

by Sal Giarratani



Happy Birthday To...

Birthday greetings go out to Nathan Eovaldi who just turned 32 years old. The righty was 15-11 with a 3.75 ERA over the past two seasons. Where would we have been without him on the mound? Yes, he has his bad days but, overall, better with him than without him.

Also, birthday wishes to Brian Rose. He was a third round pick for the Red Sox in 1994 and appeared in 46 games from 1997-2000.

Ex-Gold Glover Among Sox Spring Training Invites

The Red Sox have taken a chance on a former Gold Glove winner, signing infielder Yolmer Sanchez to a minor league deal with an invite to Fort Myers for spring training. The 29-yearold Sanchez was due for some big money after 2019 and was non-tendered by the White Sox. He ultimately returned to

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Docket No. MI22P0087EA

Estate of

MARY A. MASSE

Date of Death: November 08, 2021

INFORMAL PROBATE

PUBLICATION NOTICE

Joseph P. D'Eramo of Lancaster, MA, a Will

Joseph P. D'Eramo of Lancaster, MA has

been informally appointed as the Personal

Representative of the estate to serve without

informal procedure by the Personal Represen-

tative under the Massachusetts Uniform Pro-

bate Code without supervision by the Court

Inventory and accounts are not required to be

filed with the Court, but interested parties are

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The estate is being administered under

has been admitted to informal probate

surety on the bond.

To all persons interested in the above

estate, by Petition of Petitioner

over three seasons from 2017-2019 in which he went .253, .314 and .368. He's played 414 games at second base and 204 at third.

the Chi Sox for 11 games dur-

ing the short 2020 season and

was added to their postseason

He played at least 141 games

Giambi Death a Suicide

Jeremy Giambi passed away on February 2, 2022 at the age of 47 by suicide. Giambi played six seasons in MLB from 1998-2003 for the Royals, Phillies, Red Sox and A's — the latter alongside brother Jason, a 5-time All-Star. Jeremy was traded from Oakland in 2002, which was dramatized in the movie Moneyball. He hit 52 home runs with 209 RBIs in his career.

Gerald Williams Passes at 55



Gerald Williams was a strong defensive outfielder who was with the Yankees in the early to mid-90s, but was traded before the 1996 World Series championship run in a deal which brought back lefty reliever Graeme Lloyd.

Williams passed away from a battle with cancer. During his career he could play all three outfield positions and had a cannon for an arm. He spent 12 seasons in the majors after the Yankees drafted him in 1987. Williams reached the majors at the age of 25. He spent parts of seven seasons with the Yankees from 1992-96, and again from 2000 to 2001, and also played for the Brewers, Braves, Rays, and Marlins before finishing up with the Mets in 2004-2005.

can be obtained from the Petitioner Run date: 02/18/2022

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

Middlesex Probate and Family Court 10-U Commerce Way Woburn, MA 01801 (781) 865-4000 Docket No. MI21P6561EA

Estate of MARY JOANNE HANLEY Date of Death: November 02, 2021

INFORMAL PROBATE PUBLICATION NOTICE To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner

Edward B. Hanley of Reno, NV, a Will has been admitted to informal probate Edward B. Hanley of Reno. NV has been

informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve without surety on the bond

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

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Middlesex Probate and Family Court 10-U Commerce Way Woburn, MA 01801 (781) 865-4000 Docket No. MI22P0125EA

Estate of **EILEEN A. ROCHLEAU**

Date of Death: February 18, 2020 INFORMAL PROBATE **PUBLICATION NOTICE** To all persons interested in the above cap-

tioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner Lynda R. Maguire of Waltham, MA, a Will has been admitted to informal probate Lynda R. Maguire of Waltham, MA has

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Docket No. MI21P3387EA Estate of DENNIS G. McDONALD

Date of Death: May 01, 2021 INFORMAL PROBATE **PUBLICATION NOTICE**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner Julie Fortin of Hampstead, NH.

Julie Fortin of Hampstead, NH has been informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve without surety

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Cassius Vs. Sonny — Banks That Is

Clay Hits the Canvas for the First Time Banks' Life Ends in Tragedy



Banks floors Clay

Cassius Clay was making quite the name for himself by the time 1962 had rolled around. He had a stellar amateur career behind him culminating in an Olympic Gold medal and was undefeated in ten professional fights when he signed to fight Sonny Banks in Madison Square Garden on February 10th of the year.

Clay had already defeated some very respectable heavyweights, and this, coupled along with his self-promotion had drawn a lot of attention to the young man from Louisville, Kentucky. He had wins over the likes of Willi Besmanoff, Alex Miteff, LaMar Clark, and Alonzo Johnson. All were decent opponents

Sonny Banks had a different career arc. He had not had any amateur bouts and in his 12 fights leading up to his match with Cassius, he had won 12 and lost 2. He had been kayoed by Joe Shelton and lost a decision to Chuck Garett. He avenged the loss to Shelton with a knockout victory. His level of opposition was nowhere near the level of Clay's, but he was known for having a solid punch. They had one common opponent; Tunney Hunsaker whom Clay had beaten by decision in his first pro fight. Banks stopped him in two rounds. Hunsaker was the best Sonny

On fight night Clay was a five to one favorite. The bout didn't attract a very big crowd but was on national television. It was a replacement fight for a match between Eddie Machen and Cleveland Williams which had been postponed.

Clay was not expected to have any problem defeating Banks. He had much more experience, was faster, and was riding high at this early stage of his career. Banks was still getting his footing in the game. However, this was boxing and anything can happen in a fight. Cassius Clay was briefly tested in the early moments of the fight, and how he reacted gave some great insight into what he was made of.

In the first round of the fight Clay came out dancing and self-assured. He was taking control early and moving on his feet a lot. Banks was following after him. At one point Cassius backed Sonny into a corner and appeared to have him trapped when suddenly; Banks unleashed a vicious left hook that caught Clay flush on the jaw. The former Olympian went down hard. I have seen this referred to as a flash knockdown, and Clay did get up fast, but make no mistake about it, he was tagged hard and appeared to have lost consciousness right after being hit.

As hard as he was hit, Clay regained his feet very fast. He was sent to a neutral corner by referee Ruby Goldstein while receiving an eight count. Another sign he was hurt was the fact that he put both hands on the ropes while in the neutral corner. Goldstein pulled his arms off the strands and sent him back into action.

Cassius recovered very quickly and was almost immediately on the attack. It was the first time he had been decked as a professional and he was not happy it happened.

Clay now stopped moving as much on his feet and focused on laser focused shots to the head. His hand speed was phenomenal and he had precision accuracy. Banks is taking a frightful beating. This was quite a first round.

In round two Clay came out ready to end it. He battered Banks around the ring and dropped him near the end of the round. In the third round the attack continued and while Clay was not able to drop Banks again he gave him a terrible going over. It was getting so bad that the referee called the doctor in to examine Sonny between rounds. The doctor told Ruby to keep a careful eye on the fighter and to not hesitate in stopping

As the fourth round opened, Clay continued his relentless assault. Referee Goldstein mercifully stopped the carnage after just 26 seconds. Other than the knockdown scored by Banks, this fight was as one sided as they come. However, it did tell us quite a bit about the potential of a young Cassius Clay. It also was the beginning of another tragedy in boxing. This one involving Banks.

Clay showed he could take a really hard punch, could be on the verge of being knocked out and come roaring back. The fact that he rose from such a serious punch so quickly showed he was made of championship material. Cassius also displayed a killer instinct. Once he perceived Banks to be a threat he went to work taking him apart mercilessly. He didn't waste any motion, a fault he had throughout his career, and made every move count. He could be a brutal puncher when he put his mind to it. He had power, but more importantly he had accuracy.

Poor Sonny Banks would end up one of boxing's victims after the fight. He never should have been in with Clay to begin with. Even though they had similar professional records,



Banks crouches before Clay

Sonny had nowhere near the experience. He had no amateur career behind him and had not been in with the same caliber of opposition. I believe he was called in late to the fight as the promoters were looking to fill in the spot left open when the Machen/Williams bout fell through. Because of this Banks gained notoriety by ending up on television and also because he had decked Clay. It was the worst thing that could have happened to him.

He was definitely seriously hurt by Clay, and worse, he was now a salable commodity. He would now be elevated to a level that was beyond where he would have been had he not fought Clay and had been brought along at a normal pace for a young prospect. In his very next fight he was matched with Young Jack Johnson. Johnson was a top ten heavyweight, but he had vastly more experience than Banks, having stopped Zora Folley and beaten Willi Besmanoff, Ezzard Charles, and Marty Marshall. He had fought 41 times when he faced Banks. Johnson kayoed Sonny in the fifth round.

After the Johnson loss, Banks went back to facing opposition more on his level and put together a number of wins over the next year and a half. He had not shown much improvement but still was a known name. In 1964, he was put in with Cleveland Williams. Williams had over 60 wins at the time with most coming via knockout. He gave Sonny a terrible beating stopping him in the 6th round.

This should have been it for Sonny Banks, but it wasn't. Eleven months later he was put in with top prospect Leotis Martin. At this point Sonny had already taken at least three serious beatings. Boxing was not a profession he should have been pursuing, but he had a name because of the Clay fight.

Unfortunately, that notoriety cost him his life. In the Martin fight Sonny was knocked out in the ninth round and died three days later. It is said Sonny Banks died from injuries incurred in the Martin fight, but the circumstances leading up to his death began three years earlier in Madison Square Garden when he had his moment of glory against Cassius Clay. His fame made him marketable for promoters but he never made anything himself and was killed at the age of 24. A story not unusual in the fight game!

HOOPS and HOCKEY in the HUB



by Richard Preiss

Sports Information Director at Northeastern University, who publicized the achievements of the athletes that competed for the Huskies over the course of the Beanpot is a tournament that "brightens New England winters."

By that, Grinold, one of the administrative pillars of the 'Pot, who died in 2017, after working at Northeastern for more than 50 years, meant that the tournament takes place several weeks after the glowing Christmas decorations have been taken down and before the first hints of spring have managed to appear on the horizon.

It is a dreary time, typically dark and cold, with the throes of winter still holding the region firmly within their grasp. But then into this interlude along comes the Beanpot and immediately the local athletic scene assumes a different character. There are bands, there are students chanting in the stands, there is merriment, but most of all there is action as the four Division One schools in the immediate Boston area take to

They are there to compete for the honor of winning the Beanpot - to be the latest in a long line of players to capture the crown that has been awarded since 1952. It is about honor, pride and school spirit that provides the impetus for them to compete. In a sports world where the dollar often seems almighty, there is something refreshing, almost innocent, about that.

In the latest rendition of this time-honored event that links the middle of the 20th century with our own contemporary times, all those qualities were on display in an exciting fashion as the 69th annual Beanpot championship game was contested at the Garden.

Outside winter ruled the landscape as temperatures dropped, ice formed and darkness reigned on a night weather forecasters described as frigid. Inside the Garden the atmosphere was bright, enthusiastic and lively as Northeastern University and Boston University dueled for the duration, with BU prevailing 1-0 on a third period goal by Dylan Peterson with less than three minutes remaining. Over 57 minutes of scoreless action elapsed before the lone tally that decided the contest crossed the crease.

Terriers their 31st title in the time-honored event, a tournament they once ruled but ceded somewhat to others in more modern times. Indeed, it was their first Beanpot championship victory since 2015, a year that saw BU later advance all the way to the NCAA Division One national championship game.

By far, the hottest team in the Beanpot of late has been Northeastern, a school that once went 30 years without a title but now has won three of the last four championships. That said, BU has a Beanpot title game win streak of its own against Northeastern, the Terriers having won their last three Pot titles against the Huskies (2009, year, the Terriers also extended

Jack Grinold, the veteran their all-time record against Northeastern in Beanpot championship games to 10-5.

Northeastern's string of titles ended this year in the thrilling championship game matchup several decades, once noted that that featured continuous play with each side only called for a single penalty. The victory in the championship game saw BU extend its winning streak during the current season to seven games. It was also BU's first victory in the championship game in seven years but only its second shutout victory in the title match since the tournament began. The only other time the Terriers won the championship in a shutout came way back in 1967 when they defeated the Huskies 4-0 at the Garden.

> The two teams last played in a Valentine's Day title game back in 2005 with the Terriers defeating the Huskies 3-2 in overtime.

> When there is a paucity of scoring in hockey that usually means that stellar goaltending is on display. That was certainly the case in this year's Beanpot as those that patrolled the crease made the most of opportunities created for them by the absence of others.

> Both Northeastern's T.J. Semptimphelter and BU's Vinny Duplessis were provided with opportunities when their starting counterparts in the nets (Devon Levi for Northeastern, Drew Commesso for BU) were picked to participate in the Winter Olympics — Levi for Team Canada, Commesso for Team

> For Semptimphelter that meant playing in only his fifth and sixth games of his college career during the tournament after serving most of the season as a backup to Levi, who was leading the NCAA in shutouts with nine before he boarded a plane bound for the Olympics in Beijing.

> A freshman from New Jersey, Semptimphelter made the most of his big chance, turning in a 41 save performance as Northeastern topped Harvard 3-1 on opening night. He followed that up with a 28-save effort in the championship game, good enough for a .972 save percentage across the two games. Those stats earned him the Eberly Award as the tournament's outstanding goalie.

Duplessis, a sophomore from Quebec, also made the most of his opportunity, making 22 saves in a 4-3 opening night win over The victory brought the Harvard. He then followed that up with a 19-save shutout effort in the title contest.

It looks like BU coach Albie O'Connell and NU mentor Jerry Keefe will have some pleasant options in goal once their top netminders return from the Olympics — just in time for the start the Hockey East Tournament that will ultimately conclude at the Garden on March 18-19.

That event will be followed by the start of the forthcoming NCAA Tournament at various sites that will culminate with the Frozen Four coming to Causeway Street on April 7-9. The last time the Frozen Four was played in Boston was 2015 with Providence College defeating 2015 and 2022). In winning this BU in the national championship