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88th Saint Joseph Feast

Friday evening July 26th kicked off the 88th Saint Joseph's Feast in Boston's North End. The down pours did not discourage society members and devotees of Saint Joseph in any way as they took to the rain soaked streets like ducks to water. Fr. Jack blessed the statue of Saint Joseph in front of St. Joseph's Chapel on Hanover Street proceeded by a short procession of the Saint Joseph statue accompanied by The Italian Serenaders and the North End Marching Band.

Entertainers for the 88th Saint Joseph Feast included: "The Italian Crooner of this Century" Gian Faraone, a special performance by Marc Antonielli, music by the North End Music and Performing Arts Center, Street Magic, Ray Cavicchio and his Orchestra with special guests vocalist Frank Zarba and Sharon "Z," DJ Craig Sutton, Street Magic, The Roving Jester, and Louie Bello. Sunday's celebrations began with a Mass by Father John "Jack" Izzo. The Grand Procession took place through the streets of the North End lasting a total of seven and a half hours.



(Photos by Rosario Scabin, Ross Photography)

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News Briefs

by Sal Giarratani

Some Republicans Dump as Mules

There are many good reasons for opposing the latest amnesty-immigration bill now in the House after the U.S. Senate passed it and sent it over to the other branch of Congress. However, none to my knowledge includes a slew of drug mules ready to start hauling drugs across the border. However, that is just what U.S. Rep. Steve King, R-Iowa, has suggested.

I personally oppose the current immigration bill as nothing more than amnesty and believe it will be as effective as the amnesty bill passed in 1986 and signed into law by President Reagan when the so-called illegal count stood at 3 million. Today, the number has risen anywhere between the 11.5 million touted by the Gang of Eight which sadly includes U.S. Sen. Marco Rubio, R-Florida, whose presidential stock in 2016 took a deep nosedive.

What most Republicans are forgetting are the lessons that should have been learned 27 years ago when amnesty without real border security only increased the problem and illegal population. Under the bill being considered, forget the 11.5 million number, think 25 million because inside this bill it will most probably lead to the so-called Dreamers being granted legal status as well as their siblings, parents and grandparents. We could

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Still No Answer on Parcel 9

by Marie Matarese

Terry Francona was fired as manager of the Boston Red Sox in October of 2011. Over three (3) Years before Francona got fired, the MassDOT came to the community about its desire to develop Parcel 9 on Blackstone Street in the North End and convened a Committee of interested parties to advise it on how best to do so.

It has now been five (5) years since the summer of 2008 when the Parcel 9 process began. The number of draft RFPs, RFPs, Addenda to RFPs, Responses to RFPs, Comment Letters on RFPs, Committee meetings to review draft RFPs, RFPs, Ad-

denda to RFPs, Responses to RFPs, Comment Letters on RFPs, receive and review public comments on draft RFPs, RFPs, Addenda to RFPs, Responses to RFPs, etc, etc has become the stuff of urban legend.

Yet from the first round of Proposals - straight through the last round of Developer Responses to the umpteenth Addendum - there has been an overwhelming consensus in favor of one project. There is no debate as to which project is favored by all but one member of the Advisory Committee, by all three of the area's elected public officials, by the Haymarket

Pushcart Association (whose operations will be directly impacted by the development of Parcel 9), by the 3500 Haymarket shoppers who signed petitions, or by commentators in both the local and citywide press. Not only have those parties expressed their strong support for the Blackstone Market LLC's Proposal, but many have also expressed their strong opposition to the rival proposal to develop a hotel on the parcel.

Why is it taking MassDOT so long to announce what seems to be a no-brainer of a decision on this matter? I don't know, I asked the very same question last December!

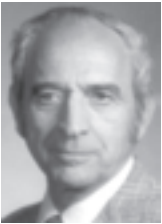
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November 19, 1831

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Moreland Hills, OH

DATE OF DEATH:

September 19, 1881

PLACE OF DEATH:

Elberon, NJ

SPOUSE:

Lucretia Rudolph

PRESIDENT:

March 4, 1881 - September 19, 1881

James Abram Garfield became our C.E.O. number twenty,
His household was poor and not one of plenty;
He was fatherless at two and a real self-made man,
Supported a mother as best as one can.

Hit the books in search of great legal knowledge,
Even served as President of Hiram College;
Became an authority on constitutional rights,
During the Civil War he advanced great heights.

The greatest event in his Presidential time,
Was the manner in which he uncovered crime;
Discovered Post Office frauds and brought them to light,
Then prosecuted the criminals with all of his might.

After Garfield attended a national convention,
He was elected President though it was not his intention;
Four months later in a local rail station,
He became our next victim of assassination.

Earlier James Garfield met a merchant's young daughter,
While she was a student at the academy that taught her;
In just a few years she walked down the aisle,
Then to the altar where she lingered a while.

He plighted his troth and she did the same,
In a matter of minutes she changed her last name;
To prove that their marriage had no bounds or lids,
Went to their new home and had seven kids.

For the next twenty-three years, had their share of good luck,
But in 1881 great tragedy struck.

It was the month of July and the weather was hot,
That's when she was told that James had been shot.

She spent most of her time at her husband's bedside,
After eighty long days he finally died; At the age of 49:

No doubt this was cause for sorrow and tears.
Do you know she survived him by thirty-six years?

Res Publica

by David Trumbull



“At that time there was a great persecution against the church.”

— Acts of the Apostles (8:1)

Three-quarters of the world's people are denied religious liberty. That alarming statistic emerged in the June 13, 2013, testimony of Thomas F. Farr before the House Committee on Oversight and Government Reform Subcommittee on National Security.

Mr. Farr's testimony "Examining the Government's Record on Implementing the International Religious Freedom Act," address the 1998 International Religious Freedom Act ("IRFA") mandate that the U.S. government promote religious freedom globally. According to Mr. Farr, director of the Religious Freedom Project at Georgetown University's Berkley Center for Religion, Peace, and World Affairs, the record is not good.

According to his testimony (and from here on I shall quote his printed remarks)

- Unjust restrictions on religious individuals and groups, as well as violent religious persecution, have steadily worsened in recent years.

- Studies by the Pew Research Center demonstrate that, as of 2010, 75 percent

of the world's population lives in countries where religious freedom is severely restricted.

- Millions are vulnerable to violent abuse, such as torture, rape, "disappearance," unjust imprisonment, and unjust execution, because of their religious beliefs and practices, or those of their tormentors.

- Of the victims of religious persecution, Christians head the list, with Muslims not far behind.

- Both groups are persecuted in the Far East, South Asia, the Middle East, and Africa.

- Strikingly, we are also seeing mounting government restrictions on and social hostility toward religion in the continent where the idea of religious freedom was born - Europe.

- There are approximately 70 countries where persecution and restrictions on religion are severe. That list includes virtually all the nations whose internal stability, economic policies, and foreign policies are of substantial concern to the United States, including China, Indonesia, Russia,

India, Pakistan, Afghanistan, Iran, Turkey, Saudi Arabia, Syria, and Iraq, as well as Egypt, Libya, and most of the nations comprising what was once wistfully labeled "the Arab Spring."

- At one time there was an argument to be made that Vietnam had improved, but that seems no longer to be the case. The US Commission has recommended that Vietnam, which was removed from the list of "countries of particular concern" a few years ago because of improvements in religious freedom, be returned to the list this year.

- While persecution in China waxes and wanes, the government still imprisons, tortures, and generally terrorizes religious groups that don't conform. It still supports forced sterilizations and abortions, and forbids Catholic priests and Protestant ministers from criticizing the "one-child" policy from the pulpit. And it continues to brutalize Uighur Muslims in China's north-west province, and to attack quite viciously the culture and religion of the people of Tibet.

Boston Marathon Victim to be Honored
Gazebo to be Named for Krystle M. Campbell

Members of the Boston Parks and Recreation Commission voted unanimously to dedicate the gazebo on the East side of Spectacle Island Park in honor of Krystle M. Campbell of Medford. Campbell was one of three people killed on April 15, 2013 following the explosion of two bombs placed near the finish line of the Boston Marathon. She was 29 years old.

The request to honor Campbell was made in a letter addressed to the Commission and signed by Boston Harbor Island Alliance President Philip Griffiths, Massachusetts Department of Conservation and Recreation Commissioner Jack Murray, and Superintendent of the Boston Harbor Islands National Park Area Kelly Fellner.

Their letter says, in part, "The bombings at the 2013 Boston Marathon were a tragic event for all of us in the City, the region and the nation. The many people who work together to manage the Boston Harbor Islands national park area lost a friend and colleague in Krystle Campbell who was killed in the bombing, and we would like to request your approval to allow us to honor her memory on Spectacle Island."

Krystle was the Catering Manager with the Boston Harbor National Park Area. She worked for five years with the team from Jasper White's Summer Shack, the

café on the island. Her colleagues state in the letter, "We came to know her very well. She loved being on the Islands, and it seems highly appropriate to honor her memory there."

The gazebo which will be dedicated to Krystle is on the East side of Spectacle Island, located between the two drumlins, and overlooking Boston Harbor in the area called the "saddle." Summer Shack owner Jeff Dugan told Commissioners that the gazebo was one of Krystle's favorite places to go to relax.

Spectacle Island is a 105 acre public park located

approximately four miles offshore. The island has a guarded swimming beach, five miles of walking paths, a visitor center, marina, and the Summer Shack Cafe. The following entities share jurisdiction for Spectacle Island: the City of Boston, the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, the National Park Service, and the Boston Harbor Islands Alliance.

Proponents of the dedication to honor Krystle will now work with the Boston Parks and Recreation Department on the wording for a plaque with her name on it to be placed at the gazebo.

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Carl J. Salvi, Jr.

Carl J. Salvi, Jr., of Boston's North End passed away on July 28, 2013. Beloved son of the late Carl J. Sr., and Rose (Cavossa) Salvi. Loving brother of Joanne Fitzpatrick and her husband Peter of Burlington. Cherished uncle of Peter C. Fitzpatrick and his wife Victoria of Tewksbury, Christopher Fitzpatrick of Burlington; great-uncle of Anna Rose Fitzpatrick. Also survived by loving aunts and cousins.



Carl was a retired employee with 33 years of service for the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and City of Boston Veterans' Services. He was a dedicated member and past president of the St. Anthony Society and its Feast Committee. Carl was a delegate for the MA Democratic Convention and served on many political committees.

Funeral was from the Boston Harborside Home, 580 Commercial Street, Boston on Thursday, August 1st followed by a Mass of Christian burial celebrated in St. Leonard Church in the North End.

Lucy (DiOrio) Virgilio

Lucy (DiOrio) Virgilio of Boston's North End passed away on July 28th. Beloved wife of the late Angelo "Gabe the Painter," devoted mother of Donna Marie Virgilio, Peter Virgilio and his girlfriend Elizabeth Treptow all of Boston's North End, dear sister of Gilda Bova of Revere and the late Phyllis Rossi, Angelina Giannato, Mary Spurduto, Gennaro DiOrio, Micheline Costa and Frank DiOrio also survived by her many loving nieces and nephews. Lucy had a great Christian devotion.



A Mass of Christian Burial in celebration of Lucy's life was at Sacred Heart Church, North Square, North End, Boston, Massachusetts on Thursday, August 1st.

Services concluded with Lucy being laid to rest in the Mausoleum in Holy Cross Cemetery with her beloved Angelo. May they both rest in peace.

In honoring Lucy, memorial donations may be made to Spaulding North End Nursing Home, 70 Fulton Street, Boston 02109 - Attn. Activity Fund.

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C.A.S.IT Starts Boston's Own Italian Immersion Summer Camp!

Submitted by Michelle Motta Dardeno

Maria Gioconda Motta, C.A.S.IT's chairman of the board together with Traci Griffith, principal of the Eliot Innovation School in Boston, collaborated and brought to fruition one of Mrs. Motta's life-long dreams — to launch a total immersion Italian summer camp for children in the heart of Boston's North End. The inaugural year of this groundbreaking program coincided beautifully with the Year of Italian Culture and Language in the USA!



Stefano Salimbeni entertaining students, parents and Ms. Griffith, Principal of the Eliot School.



Ms. Motta-Dardeno giving a visual/interactive cultural presentation on Italy.

The camp was offered for two consecutive weeks from July 8th through July 19th at the Eliot School. Participating families and students arrived from all over the Commonwealth as far as Marblehead, Waltham and Lexington as well as Boston proper. Both educators are pleased to share that it was "un gran successo."

The teaching approach was multi-sensory — taking full advantage of all of that Italy has to offer in the arts, culture, language, music, gastronomy and more! Teresa Soccio, the lead teacher, implemented the program enthusiastically and professionally along with Italian teacher Elie Giangregorio and assisted by Marisa La Polla and Marisa Arena (program coordinator).

Additionally, the program was enriched by volunteers and numerous donations from the greater Boston Italian community. Amalia Trapella brought her vast knowledge on Italian gastronomy — sharing her pasta and pizza expertise with the campers. Angela Cristiani and Stefano Salimbeni further enriched the program with their love



C.A.S.IT Summer Camp Children visited the Office of the Post-Gazette.

and passion of dance and music while Lola Lombardo gave the campers a lesson in art and sculpture. Lastly, Michelle Motta Dardeno gave an overall cultural presentation on Italy on the last day of the camp. The children completed their time at the camp enriched with Italian culture and with a greater knowledge of the Italian language.

A heartfelt "grazie" to all the families who participated, organizers who developed, staff who implemented, volunteers who

enhanced, friends who supported and Italian Consul General Giuseppe Pastorelli who encouraged this newest addition to the Italian academic landscape in Massachusetts. Sempre Avanti!

Its mission is to assist communities that wish to introduce, preserve, rejuvenate or broaden the study of the Italian language in their schools. C.A.S.IT offers grants of varying amounts for the establishment of Italian language and cultural programs with the ultimate purpose to institute Italian as a subject in the school curriculum.

For more details, contact www.casit.org/index or call (781) 224-0532 — Adelaide Guarracino, C.A.S.IT's President.



Dancing lesson with Ms. Angela Cristiani.



Pizza was made with the help of teacher, Mrs. Giangregorio.

L'Anno Bello: A Year in Italian Folklore

by Ally Di Censo

Ciao Everyone!

I am hard at work on next week's article about everyone's favorite Italian summer-time holiday: Ferragosto! In the meantime, I hope everyone has a Happy Lammass!

Grazie,
Ally Di Censo Symynkywicz

BCYF Menino Community Center Dedicated

The BCYF Archdale Community Center in Roslindale was officially renamed the BCYF Thomas M. Menino Community Center on Tuesday, July 30th. As a City Councilor, Mayor Menino was instrumental in pushing for funding in the City's Capital Plan to reopen the Archdale Community Center in 1991 after it had been closed for 16 years.

"I want to thank you for naming this center in my honor, I'm very grateful and deeply humbled," Mayor Menino said. "But this isn't about me. It's about all of you, because it was this community that brought the Archdale back and made sure it stayed special."

Hundreds of community residents, and elected and city officials attended the celebration which also served as the official reopening of the center which has been

under renovation since December of 2012. Nearly \$1 million dollars has gone into the renovation which included a new gym floor, painting throughout, new roof, HVAC upgrades, installation of a rock wall and more.

"This Community Center embodies Mayor Menino's leadership over the last 20 years — making thoughtful and meaningful investments in every neighborhood and creating opportunities for every resident," said Daphne Griffin, Boston's Chief of Human Services and Executive Director of BCYF which oversees the center as well as 34 other facilities. "Mayor Menino's advocacy for this center to become that place where children and youth fulfill their unlimited potential is a legacy that continues today."

The Archdale Community

Center opened in 1973 but closed six months later due to mismanagement, staffing issues and security problems. BCYF Menino Center Administrative Coordinator, Cynthia Johnson, was president of the Archdale Tenants Task Force at the time and spoke at the dedication.

"Councilor Menino spent so much time with us and taught us how the process worked and how to create a plan," said Johnson. "Once we had a plan, he went to the city council and pushed them to allocate the funding to renovate and reopen the center. We are forever grateful"

Members of the community center summer program wrote a poem for the occasion and read it at the event, presenting a framed copy to the Mayor after.

This is the second BCYF facility this year to undergo a renovation in Roslindale. The BCYF Flaherty Pool opened earlier this month after a nine-month, \$5.4 million dollar renovation.

THINKING OUT LOUD

by Sal Giarratani

Taxpayers as Tax Cows

Do you ever feel like you are being milked like a milk cow? We keep getting squeezed more and more and when all is said and done, we don't see much benefit for us or anyone we know. The latest insult to roll down Beacon Hill on to the Boston Common, where cows actually once roamed, is a brand new three cents addition to the gas tax. We all know that pump prices have been rising as of late and now three more cents leaves our pockets per gallon. As far as cigarette taxes go, a price for a package of cigarettes just went up one buck a package.

Can I tell you something, I find it difficult to believe that government is really concerned about improving peoples' lives by raising the tax on cigarettes. The last thing Beacon Hill wants is folks giving up cigarettes. They surely are banking on that nicotine addiction adding more dollars to the state kitty. God forbid the sale of cigarettes goes down.

Hey, at least the governor didn't get his candy tax. Raising taxes only means more money for them to spend elsewhere, like on more entitlements to folks to game the system. The last thing they need up on the Hill is less tax money rolling uphill to them.

Recently, the government vetoed the budget because it wasn't large enough. He was looking for even more of our hard-earned money to spend.

If we actually had a two-party system in this state, we would have the checks and balances in place to protect the taxpayer class. As we stand now, the only ones benefitting are those getting checks from the gov-

ernment along with their EBT, SNAP and all the other stuff the rest of us finance.

It appears the government is working night and day to hand out as much free stuff as they can since they pay the bills with our money. At election time they reap what they sow. The folks who get free stuff have only one goal — keep the free stuff coming — by keeping the same people in office.

In one way Mitt Romney was right. If you give them stuff, they will keep voting for them. The Democrats are the party of free stuff. Working people seemingly are caught in the middle between Democrats who see us as milk cows and the Republicans who can't seem to get out of their own way most of the time. Who speaks for working class families, blue collar workers, college students sinking deeper into personal debt and the elderly on fixed incomes?

Forget all this silly liberal conservative nonsense. Government seems to no longer be listening to us because we have forgotten that we, not them, are actually the government. It can be as good as we want it or as bad as we have allowed it to go over the past few decades.

In 2014, the milk cows of America must rise up and take our government back from those endlessly squeezing us for everything we have earned.

We need to go back and re-read the advice of our founders like Ben Franklin and Thomas Jefferson. We are the government and it is up to us to make it work properly. Always vote and always take a stand for America and its guiding principles.

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Sorrento Function Hall
Opens in East Boston

by Sal Giaratani



Ribbon cutting at Sorrento's Function Hall. Diane Modica and City Councilor Sal LaMattina (far right) with the Sorrento family and friends.

The new Sorrento Function Hall (Salon de Fiestas) located on Neptune Road in East Boston's Day Square, had their ribbon cutting ceremony organized by the East Boston Chamber of Commerce on Tuesday, July 23rd, welcoming East Boston's newest business venture. The new function hall fills a void in East Boston and this new family business is hoping that the community will find this site a perfect place for family functions, birthdays, baby showers, etc. The Palavicini family has already been in business in East Boston for 20 years running Vilma's Boutique in Central Square on Meridian Street.

Among the many local officials who showed up for this event were Diane Modica, President of the East Boston Chamber of Commerce who helped the Palavicini family get this function hall off the ground and City Councilor Sal LaMattina from District 1 who both encouraged and assisted the family navigate City Hall dotting all the (I)s and crossing all the (T)s.

Lorena Lanza Gets Community Support
Fighting for Her Life Back

by Sal Giaratani



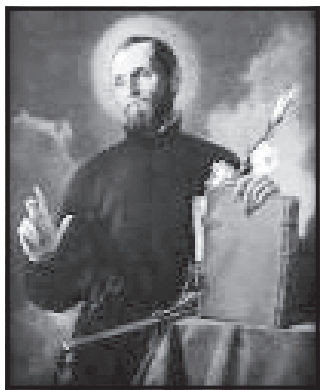
Many folks in the North End know Lorena Lanza who has been waitressing at the original Regina Pizzeria in Boston's North End. She has been there 20 years and hopes to continue to serve up those great pizzas for many more years to come. Whether you live in the North End near the place, she is known to folks from East Boston, Revere and beyond after her years of service to so many patrons. She has always been there to lend a hand, hold a hand, offer a shoulder to cry on or for prayers.

A few months back she was diagnosed with breast cancer and is in treatment. Her progress is looking good and she sees herself as a survivor and not a passive victim, but Lorena needs everyone's help now. The North End is a tight knit community and folks are coming together to help her.

Come on down to Regina Pizzeria for a special fundraiser on Tuesday, August 6th at 7:00 pm sharp. Great pizzas and fun. Donations are only \$20. I will be there and hope to see you there too. Life is to be shared. Share some of yours for Lorena at Regina's on August 6th.

Saint Cajetan

by Bennett Molinari and Richard Molinari



St. Cajetan was born in 1480, the son of Gaspar, lord of Thiene, and Mary Porta, both were among the nobility of Vicenza, in Lombardy, Italy. Cajetan was well grounded in his faith through the efforts of his mother. He studied law in Padua, receiving his degree in civil and canon law at age 24. In 1506, he worked as an envoy for Pope Julius II, and helped establish reconciliation with the Republic of Venice; he was ordained a priest in 1516.

Cajetan was called to Vicenza by the death of his mother, it was there that he founded a hospital for incurables in 1522. It was during this period that he discovered that his interests were as much or more devoted to spiritual healing than the physical kind, and he joined a confraternity in Rome called "The Oratory of Divine Love" intending to form a group that would combine the spirit of monasticism with the exercises of the active ministry.

Cajetan went to Venice where he took up residence in a hospital, there he worked among the sick, and the experience confirmed in him the idea of founding a society in which the members would attempt to live lives like the Apostles. He returned to his native Vicenza at the death of Pope Julius II in 1523, there he sought out the sick and the poor of the town, and worked in the hospital of the incurables, which he helped subsidize. He promoted spiritual life and care for the poor and sick not only with words but with his heroic example. He told his brothers, "In this oratory we try to serve God by worship; in our hospital we may say that we actually find him." But none of the horrors he saw in the hospitals of the incurables depressed him as much as the wickedness that was so prevalent in the world.

A new congregation was canonically established by Pope Clement VII in the year 1524, in the hopes that the lives lived by its members would inspire others to live holy lives devoted to Jesus. In order to accomplish this they would focus on moral living, sacred studies, preaching and pastoral care, helping the sick, and other solid foundations of pastoral life. This new order was known as "Theatines Clerks Regular", from the name of the city of Chieti (in Latin: Theate).

One of Cajetans' four companions was Giovanni Pietro Carafa, the Bishop of Chieti, elected first superior of the order, who later became Pope Paul IV. The order grew at a fairly slow pace: there were only twelve Theatines during the sack of Rome in 1527. They managed to escape to Venice after their house in Rome was destroyed when Emperor Charles V's troops entered the city. Cajetan met Jerome Emiliani, (Saint Jerome) whom he assisted in the establishment of his Congregation of Clerks Regular which was instituted upon the plan of that of the "Oratory of Divine Love" in Rome. In 1533 he founded a house in Naples. In 1540 Cajetan was once again in Venice, there he extended his work among the poor and the sick to Verona.

Cajetan died in Naples on August 7, 1547 he was 67 years old. His remains are in the church of San Paolo Maggiore in Naples. He was beatified on October 8, 1629, by Pope Urban VIII. On April 12, 1671, Cajetan was canonized together with Rose of Lima, Luis Beltrán, Francisco de Borja and Felipe Benicio. Saint Cajetan's feast day is celebrated on August 7th. He is known as the patron saint of the unemployed, job seekers and good fortune.



FELL THE ANGELS THE CASE OF THE PRIORY MURDER

by John Kerr

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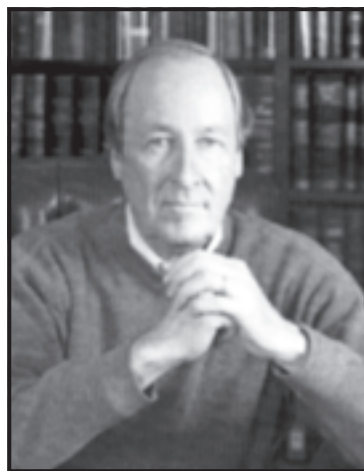
Cecilia! Cecilia! Cecilia, the foremost protagonist in this Victorian tale. Adding spice to this story is that it borders on a true tale of possible murder and sensual feelings.

Cecilia's elegant and prosperous father noting her despondency suggested that she spend a month or so in the Malvern Salon (London) a noted health salon to perk her up. The matter of dress is immediately noted. From a woman who dressed in the latest fashions to simple cotton attire that she admits to enjoy. Her day consists of getting up at six, a meager breakfast, cold water indulgers, 5 mile walks, and bed by 9:30. This severe agenda is a reflection of owner and director Dr. Gully's famous, *water cure*.

Unexpectedly and unheralded the voluptuous Cecilia and the roly-poly Dr. Gully become intimate. "... despite his age and unimposing physique, she attained heights of passion and physical pleasure she'd never dreamt possible." This sensation was wholly lacking in her drunken husband Richard Costello, who passes away due to cirrhosis of the liver, leaving Cecilia a very rich woman.

Having inherited a good sum her thoughts turn to acquiring a lavish estate named The Priory. She convinces Dr. Gully to purchase a similar estate within walking distance of her estate. Bear in mind, their affair is still highly secretive. Nonetheless, Cecilia was beginning to feel indifferently toward Dr. Gully's advancements. She was becoming more aware of his signs of age and frailties. The impossible happens, Cecilia becomes pregnant. An abortion follows, Mrs. Jane Clark, keeper of the household and confidant, advises Cecilia to stop seeing Dr. Gully. It is here that author John Kerr leads the reader to consider and wonder about Mrs. Jane Clark's emphatic love for Cecilia.

The time has come apparently, according to Mrs. Gully and frankly Cecilia that she should meet a new and eligible young man. Charles Cranston seemed to fit the bill. A handsome lawyer with money, and all the proper connections. When the supposition of marriage is introduced they both decide to confess their past interludes. Cranston makes it clear that Cecilia is not to ever again see Mr. Gully. Shockingly, Cecilia learns that once she marries all her income belongs to her husband. However, a prenuptial agreement could save her from losing her estate.



Author John Kerr

Mrs. Clarke forewarns Cecilia when she utters the following, "You must curtail your spending, no matter the size of your income, or there will be hell to pay." It

ston becomes dreadfully ill and passes away. An autopsy notes that he was poisoned by antimony. Was he murdered or else did he commit suicide? With these thoughts in mind, Charles Cranston's mother hires a consulting detective, Duncan Cameron.

It is here that I would like to express my deep admiration of author John Kerr. His clean lines and superb dialogue are extraordinary. A reader will have trouble putting this book down. Adding to this marvelous read is the fact that you will not have any idea whether or not he was murdered or else committed suicide, until the end.

While Cameron, the detective was having tea at one of his inquiries, he is inspecting an American made long-barreled Colt revolver and muses: "The Americans, he said, have produced by far the finest sidearm. Not surprising, considering the frequency with which they resort to it."

I feel privileged to have the opportunity to critique this exciting and sound book. Although John Kerr drifts in plots from two other books I had the good fortune of critiquing, *Cardigan Bay* and *A Rose in No Man's Land*, he does not lose his embedded, superb writing style.

One more thing, you had to notice but just in case you didn't, I decided to let the reader search out the supposedly villain in this book.

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was a time in history when women had few rights.

Cecilia and Charles Cranston marry. Notwithstanding, their marriage was short-lived, Now the reader is subjected, with interest, varied approaches to sex. Her first husband, Richard Costello was an inept alcoholic. Dr. Gully despite his lack of physical attraction was a complete lovemaking partner. Her latest husband, Charles Cranston, was a single-minded roughneck.

Suddenly, Charles Cran-

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WHERE DID INFLATION GO?

Shouldn't it be Rising with All this Bond Buying?

Consumer inflation just hit a 50-year low. So indicates the Federal Reserve's preferred inflation gauge — the Personal Consumption Expenditures (PCE) price index maintained by the Bureau of Economic Analysis.¹

Besides tracking consumer inflation, the PCE price index measures household purchases, a major factor in GDP growth. The core PCE index does the same thing without including volatile food and energy prices. The broad PCE index hit 0.74% in May, with core PCE at 1.05% - a new all-time low, breaking the 1.06% measured in March 1963.^{1,2}

Why isn't QE3 generating more inflation? The Fed is still "printing money" to the tune of \$85 billion a month, but the headline PCE index has fallen since last year (it approached 2.0% in early 2012). The Consumer Price Index only advanced 1.1% between May 2012 and May 2013, and that was the smallest annualized gain in the CPI since November 2010; the core CPI only rose 1.7% in that period.^{1,3,4}

What is keeping inflation in check? Chalk it up to extraordinary circumstances — and the perception that they will continue. Short-term interest rates are nil and the Fed has told the world that our benchmark interest rate will be at rock-bottom levels until our jobless rate dips below 6.5% or inflation tops 2.5%.⁴

QE1 and QE2 did boost inflation in the short-term; in fact, one of the things that prompted QE2 was the Fed's concern about deflation in 2010. Yet inflation has lessened since QE3 started.⁴

Three factors may be encouraging disinflation. One, the Fed has repeatedly emphasized that QE3 will not stoke inflation; it has not implied, hinted or communicated that it will let inflation get out of hand or exceed its present 2.0% target. Two, economists, analysts and investors seem to have widespread faith that the Fed can

capably fight sudden spikes in the PCE index or the CPI and keep things under control. Three, total government spending (as a percentage of potential nominal gross domestic product) fell about 3% from Q2 2010 to Q1 2013 — and that's not even taking sequestration into account. That implies reduced demand in the economy.⁴

Psychologically, there is little or no fear of runaway inflation and the prevalent expectation is that there will be low inflation for some time. This psychology may be influencing the current disinflation as well.

Also, while the Fed creates money and purchases bonds from banks via its ongoing stimulus, the bulk of that money has turned into bank reserves. Lenders are conservatively sitting on these reserves as they pay interest. Should the Fed boost the interest it pays on them, it will give these banks more reason to maintain them.⁴

When might inflation expectations change? If the Fed were to raise its inflation target, they would change greatly. No one sees that happening anytime soon.

Will the Fed taper sooner, or later? With such mild inflation, it might be later. On June 10, Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis President James Bullard argued for sustaining an "aggressive" stimulus given the "surprisingly low inflation readings" of recent months, markedly below the central bank's target.⁵

"Inflation in the U.S. has surprised to the downside," Bullard commented at the International Economic Forum of the Americas in Montreal, later adding that "it hasn't moved back at all. I am still waiting for that to happen and I am getting a little bit nervous."⁵

As former Richmond Fed economist Ward McCarthy noted to Bloomberg, "This is an inopportune time to be talking about curtailing [QE3]. They are missing on the inflation mandate."⁵

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Wheels & Whiskers

CAR SHOW

The 7th Annual "Wheels & Whiskers" Benefit Car Show promises a full day of family fun on Sunday, August 11th from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm at Mestek Field, 260 North Elm St. in Westfield, MA. Spectators are welcome to view scores of beautiful cars including classics, antiques, street rods, hot rods and muscle cars. The awards ceremony begins around 2:00 pm.

Browse the giant tag sale, taste the food, enjoy the music and try your luck with the Chinese and 50/50 raffles. Fun for the whole family, including the Westfield Police Department's Child Safety Identifi-

cation Program (10:00 am to 2:00 pm), face painting, children's activities, free kid's raffle and much, much more! Pets are welcome, but must be leashed and controlled.

The Westfield Cruisers present this event annually in memory of Ann Grzebien, who loved animals. Proceeds from this event will benefit the **Westfield Homeless Cat Project**; donations of canned cat food are appreciated. Free admission for spectators, \$10 donation per show car. In case of rain, a new date will be announced. For further information, please call Gary at (413) 562-1346.

Italy's Republic Day

Celebrated on the South Shore

The celebration was sponsored by the Sons of Italy's Lodge 'John A. Volpe' of Easton, MA and planned by the lodge's President Andre Urdi. It was presented on the local cable television station #9, Comcast and broadcast the following Tuesday, May 28th, Friday, May 31st and on Sunday, June 2, 2013; respectively at 8:00 pm, 6:00 pm and 8:00 pm. This year's celebration of the event was particularly significant, for it took place on the same day in 1946 (June 2nd). This 67th year celebration gave a lot to think about. Most of the present generations were not even born then. The few privileged survivors can relate what occurred. The Italian people went to the polls to express their choices. They had to solve the questions asked by the referendum: Monarchy or Republic, while a second ballot called for the election of the members of the Constituent Assembly, which would later produce a Constitution for either a Republican Government or a Constitutional Monarchy. The result of the voting was: REPUBLIC, but not by a large margin. The 'Assembly' had later to decide how to elect a Provisional President, leaving the election of the permanent President to the new, democratic Parliament. The unicameral 'Assembly' began its work in early July, and labored until mid December to complete the Constitution. The Provisional President chosen was Enrico De Nicola, a law professor at the University Federico II of Naples. President De Nicola signed the historical document on December 27, 1947. The Constitution became effective a few days later, on January 1st, 1948.

The first Parliamentary elections were held on Sunday, April 18, 1948. The universal suffrage was the "new" rule. The election lasted two days. A very high percentage of voters elected the first Democratic Parliament. A large number of political

parties appeared on the ballot, each with a particular symbol. The first political leaders, Alcide De Gasperi, Christian Democrat; Palmiro Togliatti, Communist; and Pietro Nenni, Socialist were the major leaders of the pack. A few other parties were able to grab votes and be seated, in a few cases, in the new Parliament, which assembled in PALAZZO MONTECITORIO in Rome. The first order of the day was to elect the first permanent President. The choice fell on Antonio Segni (economist).

What is outlined above is but a brief overview of the historical event we were privileged to witness 67 years ago. It would take quite a few pages to detail what transpired during voting, particularly in 1948. The voting, which lasted two days, caused the embarrassment of most women and some men, while expressing their vote. The lines outside the voting places were long, but very orderly.

As an associate of the *Post-Gazette's* staff, contributing a special feature, "Italian Trivia," I find it is my duty to express my sincere thanks and gratitude to the editor: Pamela Donnaruma. She was always my guiding light and quite generous to supply me plenty of space in the paper. I am also grateful that my friend, and also *Post-Gazette* contributor, writer and historian Orazio Buttafuoco was kind enough to offer his expertise and keen observations in outlining some of the details vis-à-vis the events of 1946 and 1948. He also joins me in expressing his own thanks to Pam for her assistance in publishing his features: "The Bilingual Corner" and "News Briefs, from Italy." We trust that the readers of the *Post-Gazette* will appreciate our efforts to enlighten the people of the South Shore, and also of Weymouth; where professor Orazio produces and broadcasts "Italian News," in Italian, every week, on his own show: PAN-ORAMA ITALO AMERICANO.

SONS OF ORSOGNA

8th Annual Golf Classic

The Sons of Orsogna will be holding their 8th Annual Golf Classic on Friday, September 6, 2013 at the Mount Hood Golf Club located at 100 Slayton Road, Melrose, MA.

Registration will begin at 12:30 pm, Shotgun at 1:30 pm and a Dinner Banquet at Mount Hood Function Room at 5:00 pm. Registration fee includes green fees for 18 holes, golf cart, dinner, entry into the longest drive competition, 5 closest to the pin, raffles and more.

Proceeds to benefit the Sons of Orsogna Scholarship Fund. For more information on this event, please email Nick Scenna at soascholarshipfund@gmail.com.

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Socially Scene

by Angela Cornacchio



A lovers Duet ... Sharon Z and host Gian Faraone took the Sicilian festival stage to serenade in only a way the Italian culture can.

(Photo courtesy of Angela Cornacchio)

Socially Scene Reviewed Now is the best time of year in my opinion (next to fashion week of course), the month of Italian festivals. There are many throughout the state but there is no comparison to what the North End brings to our city. This past weekend got started off with the Sicilian's 88th annual Saint Joseph's Feast. There are many things that can be expected from our festivals and some of my favorites are: Arrosticini D'Abruzzo, lamb skewers made by my good friend Dario also Macanudo Cigars, I just love the smell.

For those who may not know, the North End is still a very traditional neighborhood filled with generations of families. My dearest of friends here, the "Aquilino's" had been telling me all day to visit a Hanover Street home, "It is her festival, she opens up her house to the neighborhood and I will love it." They were right; it was the top of the night to be invited to see the beautiful space that hides right on Hanover street.

When I got there it was to my surprise that I happen to know the owner Joanna Belmonte and even more so work with her Michael at Quattro, I love it when the neighborhood pieces together like our own little paesano famiglia.

It was a real treat to not only be graced with the history of her father Don Angelo Piazza who was the president of the Sicilian society until he passed, also the building once was a grocery store and a part of her family legacy. The North End is the most historic neighborhood in Boston and I was experiencing it first-hand.

Ms. Belmonte was the definition of an Italian hostess with her spotless house, food all prepared and fresh coffee brewing with her girlfriends sitting around the timeless kitchen table. It was difficult for me to focus on conversation with all there was to see around me. I felt like I was in an antique shop with all the detailed crafts, traditional knick-knacks and classic interior design. I could have stayed all night

listening to the fascinating stories and indulging in the home, in which my apartment was the size of her living room but there was live entertainment to catch!

There is one truth to our Italian culture — we know how to steal the stage! The lineup for the feast was top class and it all started off with host: "The Italian Crooner of this Century," Gian Faraone. Not only can he carry a tune like "Volare Italiano," but he knew how to entertain an audience with his blue suede moves. Local Broadway beauty Sharon "Z" brought her opera sound to stage with her rendition of "Don't Cry for Me Argentina." The great "Italian Idol" Frank Zarba took some time to give Boston a little "La Femina" (bad women). My favorite and I could have sworn it was Andrea himself, Marc Antonielli gave the show a Bocelli-esque element.

Ray Cavicchio and his orchestra shared the stage and with each performer invited all the paesani to sing along. It was so amazing to see my culture at its best; lovers dancing in the streets, generations of Italians celebrating the procession together and myself so very lucky to be a resident.

You can find my up to the minute news on events in the city by following me at *SociallyScene* on FB or @SociallyScene_ on twitter.

Wine, Food, Music and More The Tanglewood Wine and Food Classic will take place August 15th-18th featuring wines from around the world and locally sourced food in eight culinary events held at idyllic locations throughout 500-acre summer home of the Boston Symphony Orchestra.

The four-day event features celebrity chef dinners, cooking demonstrations, and seminars and tastings of chocolate, cheese and wine. Featuring celebrity chefs such as Lydia Shire and Joanne Chang, the Wine and Food Classic starts off savory with a dinner and wine tasting led by chefs Jimmy Bradley and David Dubois at Seranak and ends up sweet with an exploration of fine chocolate and port with Josh Needleman of Chocolate Springs.

Widely known as one of the world's most beloved music festivals and the famed summer home of



Local Legend Lydia Shire will be whipping up some delights on Friday, August 16th with the Tanglewood Festival. (Photo Courtesy of BSO.org)

the Boston Symphony Orchestra, Tanglewood is situated in the beautiful Berkshire Hills of western Massachusetts.

The Tanglewood Wine and Food Classic kicks off with a dinner hosted by Jimmy Bradley, chef-owner of two popular New York City restaurants, The Red Cat and The Harrison, and David Dubois, now the chef and overseer of Boston's immensely popular Franklin Restaurant Group. Featuring three wines from Pio Cesare Winery, the dinner will take place from 5:30 pm to 8:00 pm at Seranak, the former home of BSO Music Director Serge Koussevitzky.

Also featured on Thursday is an exploration of farmhouse cheeses led by Ihsan Gurdal, former Turkish Olympic athlete and renowned affineur. He is the owner of Formaggio Kitchen, a group of specialty food shops in Cambridge, Boston and New York and has travelled the world discovering some of the finest cheeses available. With each trip, one central idea is reinforced: the best of the best are the farmhouse cheeses from small producers, using traditional methods. Ihsan will help broaden attendees' knowledge of cheese by sharing some of his favorite farmhouse cheeses along with a few exceptional pairings. This tasting will take place from 7:00 pm to 8:00 pm in the Formal Gardens Tent.

On Friday, August 16th, join Chef Lydia Shire, of Boston's Towne Stove and Spirits and Scampo, for an evening of creative culinary excellence paired with wines from Duckhorn Vineyards, presented by Frank Barbagallo. In keeping with Duckhorn's artisan approach to and appreciation of the "unique quality and character of their vineyards," including terroir and microclimate, local ingredients will be an important part of Shire's innovative menu. The dinner will take place from 5:30 pm to 8:00 pm in the Formal Gardens Tent.

Also on August 16th, Jim Nejaime will present blind tastings to explore the differences between the terroir in pairs of matching grape varieties from different wine regions around the world. Included may be such pairings as a Russian River Chardonnay vs. a Puligny Montrachet from Burgundy, a Napa Valley Cabernet vs. a St. Julien or Pauillac from Bordeaux, a Chambolle Musigny from the Cote D'Or vs. a Willamette Valley Pinot Noir and a West Coast Sauvignon Blanc or Sancerre vs. one from Marlborough, New Zealand. This event will take place in Hawthorne Tent from 7:00 pm to 8:00 pm.

At an hour-long event on Saturday, August 17th, vintner Joseph Carr will present the inaugural launch of his new "Morgan Wright Vineyards" luxury brand and collaboration with Aaron Pott. Proclaimed by the *New York Times*, "a producer to watch," Joseph Carr is the founder and winemaker of Joseph Carr Napa Valley. Mr. Carr will lead a tasting of some old favorites as well as his exciting new project and share his insights into the wine business. The samples are on display at noon in the Ozawa Tent.

The Grand Tasting of the 2013 Tanglewood Wine and Food Festival takes place on Saturday afternoon with a variety of events from 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm. Richard Bourdon, chef/owner of Berkshire Mountain Bak-

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TEEN BEACH MOVIE Walt Disney Records

Ross Lynch and Maia Mitchell star in Disney Channel Original Movie "Teen Beach" and the beach musical film set in the 1960s has a track that shines throughout. Cast members performing the soundtrack include Maia Mitchell, Spencer Lee, Keely Hawkes, Grace Phipps, Jason Evigan and Garrett Clayton. The party begins with Mitchell serving up "Oxygen," followed by "Surf Crazy," the knockout cut "Cruisin' For A Bruisin'," with Phipps soloing on "Falling For Ya," and a group effort on "Meant To Be." A touch of Beach Boys harmony flows from "Like Me," the banjo pickin' of "Can't Stop Singing," the summertime sound of "Surf's Up," chilling with "Coolest Cats In Town" and an explosive "Surf Crazy Finale" with the entire cast. Three bonus tracks, all instrumentals, for "Cruisin' For A Bruisin'," "Falling For Ya" and "Surf's Up." Feel the sand under your feet?

EARTH WIND & FIRE - NOW, THEN & FOREVER Legacy Recordings

Hailed as one of the world's top touring bands and with more than 90 million albums sold, Earth, Wind & Fire deliver their first new studio album in eight years. "Now, Then & Forever" contains ten tracks, with the dance delight "My Promise" the first single. Opening with the funk of "Sign On," trailed by the romantic "Love Is Law," the shine of "Guiding Lights" and the statement "Got To Be Love." EWF sashays through the pretty "Belo Horizonte," the high energy of "Dance Floor," the eerie sound of "Splashes," throw your hands in the air and lean side to side with "Night of My Life" and end with the creative "The Rush." Excellent comeback CD!

VINCE GILL & PAUL FRANKLIN - BAKERSFIELD MCA Nashville

Winner of 20 Grammy Awards, Vince Gill and famed steel guitarist Paul Franklin join forces to pay tribute to the "Bakersfield" sound — singing the songs from two Bakersfield's sons: Buck Owens and Merle Haggard. It starts with the duo's version of the Harlan Howard/Owens' feisty "Foolin' Around," Haggard's "Branded Man," the Owens classic "Together Again," a bit of kick in Haggard's "The Bottle Let Me Down," the wake-up Arty Lange/Owens plea "He Don't Deserve You Anymore" and Haggard's pretty "I Can't Be Myself." The West Coast tributes continue via "Nobody's Fool But Yours" (Owens), followed by the sadness of "Holding Things Together" (Bob Trotten/Haggard), winding down with Tommy Collins' pleading "But I Do" and the finale is Haggard's uppity cut "The Fightin' Side Of Me." The songs are classics,

but Gill and Franklin end up making them shine — again!

JIMMY EAT WORLD - DAMAGE RCA Records

Jimmy Eat World is an alternative rock band comprised of Jim Adkins (lead vocals/guitar), Tom Linton (vocals/guitar), Rick Burch (bass) and drummer Zach Lind. 'Damage' is their eighth studio album and includes previously released singles, the title cut "Damage" and the confident "I Will Steal You Back." The group is currently on tour in support of 'Damage' and will be stopping at Boston's House of Blues, Monday August 5th. Fallout from 'Damage' begins with "Appreciation," seeking support on "Lean," the tale of "Book Of Love," and reaching out with "Please Say No." Jimmy Eat World composed all the tunes on this album and contributed to its production, along with Alain Johannes. The non-stop beats continue with the questioning, "How'd You Have Me?," the dismissive "No, Never," the solemn song of lost love on "ByebyeLove" and the final track is the realization of "You Were Good." Don't miss Jimmy Eat World at the House of Blues on Monday; it's a show you won't want to miss!

EMBLEM3 - NOTHING TO LOSE Columbia Records

Emblem3 got their start competing on the second season of *The X Factor* and have propelled that opportunity to the release of their debut album 'Nothing To Lose.' Brothers Wesley and Keaton Stromberg, along with their lifelong friend Drew Chadwick comprise Emblem3. Their eleven-track collection features their hit single "Chloe (You're The One I Want)," and a host of potential winners. Pick your favorites from cuts as the high energy cut "Just For One Day," the tasty party cut "Spaghetti," offering up the love to put the "XO" in romance, being neighborly with the "Girl Next Door" and an offer she can't refuse in "Nothing To Lose." E3 wastes few words in singing the praises of the West Coast via "I Love LA," continuing by heading full speed ahead to "Sunset Blvd.," and their hasty decision to leave the East Coast in song on "3000 Miles," only to find out the grass is not really greener on the other side (coast). The talented trio takes on the royalty theme with "Teenage Kings" and put the finishing touches on an exciting debut album, with a nod to peace in the world, via the touching lyrics of "One Day." The boys will continue on a run of headline tour dates this month with local appearances at the Hampton Beach (NH) Casino August 2nd and South Shore Music Circus (Cohasset, MA) on August 4th.

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 Giaratani

"WICKED" IS FLYING BACK INTO BOSTON

"Wicked: The Untold Story of the Witches of Oz" is returning to Boston from August 7th through September 15th at the Boston Opera House in Downtown Boston. Tickets are now on sale. Call 800-982-2787 or email BroadwayInBoston.com.

LITTLE RHODY UPHOLDS CHURCH-STATE SEPARATION

Every day I thank God I do not live in Rhode Island and as bad as Governor Deval Patrick is, R.I. Governor Lincoln Chafee makes him look good. Down in Providence at the State Capitol, pro-life legislators passed a bill allowing drivers to purchase "Choose Life" license plates. Half of the \$40 surcharge would go to the state and the other half to CareNet.Rhode Island. On July 16th, the governor vetoed the bill citing the separation of church and state. You can get "Choose Life" plates all across the country, even here in the Peoples Republic of Massachusetts but apparently the wall of separation is even higher than the border fence Republicans want with Mexico.

However, while the founder of the Rhode Island colony was a firm believer in tolerance and religious freedom, how does a "Choose Life" license plate adversely affect Rhode Island's historical call for religious freedom? Sounds like more politically correct stuff and an incorrect reading of Roger Williams himself.

A PLACE FOR CONSERVATIVE MEDIA

I am a big fan of the Fox News Network and of both Sean Hannity and Bill O'Reilly. I try reading both the *Wall Street Journal* and *Investors Business Daily* as much as I can. I think the editorial pages of the *IBD* are even better than the *Journal*. The conservative perspective is sorely lacking in the mainstream liberal media. I also love conservative talk radio and miss hearing Hannity's radio show in Boston since WTKK 96.9 went off the air. While I was down in Texas on vacation, I found the Hannity show on two different radio stations. He runs on WAOI 1200 AM New Radio San Antonio and also on New Talk Radio 96.3 FM in Austin. Every day at the pool sun tanning, I had Sean on my radio by my side. He was a breath of fresh air to hear once again.

Here in Boston we have WRKO 680 and I catch Jeff Kuhner in the mornings and Mark Levin week-nights. Mark just wrote a new book, "The Liberty Amendments" about how to save our constitutional republic. His last book, "Meritopia" was also a great read. His latest is his fifth book. Quite the conservative author ... Meanwhile the *Kuhner Report* mornings are quite entertaining as well as informative. The guy



L-R: St. Joseph Society members Rosemary O'Brien and Andrea Zangla, both of South Boston.

has a good sense of humor and just the right dash of information surrounding it. Recently, the liberal media painted conservative talk radio as snake oil for old white people over the Zimmerman Trial and the Kuhnerman let them have it with both barrels. As he stated, it was the liberal media and its cronies like Al Sharpton who constantly were using the race card to make their points.

By the way, if you can pick up WCRN 830 on the AM dial out of Worcester, you can tune into Michael Graham every weekday at high noon. He is as good as ever.

I certainly hope Sean Hannity comes back on some local radio station soon. Miss his colorful opines.

KUDOS TO THE ISLAMIC SOCIETY OF BOSTON

The Islamic Society of Boston recently condemned *Rolling Stone Magazine* for featuring accused Dzhokhar Tsarnaev on its cover. The Society's statement read, 'Glamorizing violence and criminals goes against basic Islamic teachings and the moral conscience of the American people.'

ALICE COOPER COMING TO LYNN

Coming soon to the Lynn Auditorium on October 17th will be none other than Alice Cooper. A few weeks ago I got to watch the fairly new "Dark Shadows" movie starring Johnny Depp as Barnabas Collins. (Did I spell that right?) where Cooper showed up in Collinsville to do a gig at the mansion. Back when I was in college, "Dark Shadows" was a daytime soap with a large college-age following. This movie was a whole new take on the old soap opera. I had fun watching it.

IMPROPER BOSTONIAN NAMES ECCO AND RINO'S "BOSTON'S BEST" FOR 2013

Ecco was chosen as best bar in East Boston and Rino's as the best eatery in the neighborhood. I always enjoy stopping by Ecco for a great Irish coffee where they whip up fresh whip cream for their valued customers which means everyone who goes there. Next time you are there, tell Dave Modica I sent you. East Boston once was known for just Jeveli's and Santarpio's but now it is a culinary heaven with numerous Italian, Hispanic and Brazilian restaurants to choose from depending on your taste du jour.

TISEI THINKING OF ANOTHER RUN IN 2014

Republican Richard Tisei who narrowly lost to incumbent U.S. Rep. John Tierney for U.S. Congress in the 6th District by a single percentage point is seriously considering a do-over in 2014. The former state senator was the 2010 GOP nominee for lieutenant governor. Tisei who is openly gay married his longtime partner Bernard Starr early this July.

In 2012, the Democrats painted Tisei as a member of radical right Republican forces which is too silly to even comment on.

BOSTON FIREFIGHTERS LOCAL 718 ENDORSES MARTY WALSH FOR MAYOR

Inside a crowded Florian Hall in Dorchester, Richard Paris, President of Boston Firefighters Local 718 announced the endorsement of Marty Walsh as Boston's next mayor. The story on the endorsement made page one of the *Boston City Paper* and a front-page photo of Walsh being flanked by Richard Paris and former Local 718 President Eddie Kelly.

NOW PLAYING UPTOWN & DOWNTOWN



Don't miss Michael Buble's only Boston appearance at the TD Garden on September 27th! Check the MUSIC section for more details.

MUSIC

BANK OF AMERICA PAVILION
290 Northern Ave., Boston, MA
www.LiveNation.com

BACKSTREET BOYS, JESSE MCARTNEY AND DJ PAULY D — August 12th. This is one live performance that one should not miss. Coming to Boston this season are the dynamic Backstreet Boys accompanied by the likes of Jesse McCartney and DJ Pauly D. The fans of these spectacular music artists are in for a real treat as they celebrate some of their chart-topping numbers at the Bank of America Pavilion as they perform in front of the gathered fans and music lovers. The concert will be held on the 12th of August 2013 and is sure one of those live performances that will blow your mind away.

IL VOLO — September 14th. Here is the chance for the Il Volo fans to catch them live in action. The band that comprises of the musical trio will be seen performing live at the Bank of America Pavilion. The trio will be performing on the 14th of September 2013. The trio are known for their operatic pop style of music and are from Italy.

COMCAST CENTER
885 S Main St, Mansfield, MA
www.LiveNation.com

KEITH URBAN, LITTLE BIG TOWN AND DUSTIN LYNCH — August 10. Keith Urban Began playing a ukulele at age 3, guitar at 6 and was winning country-music talent shows by 8. Moved from Australia to Nashville in 1992 and formed the three-man band the Ranch before developing his solo career. Little Big Town is a country vocal quartet which began with Kimberly Roads and Karen Fairchild, two Georgia natives who began singing together in college. Arkansa-born and Alabama-raised Jimi Westbrook, a friend of Fairchild's husband, joined them to make a trio, and the group was completed by the addition of Arkansan Phil Sweet in 1998. Dustin Lynch is an American country music singer and songwriter. Lynch moved to Nashville in 2003 to pursue a career in country music. He signed to Broken Bow Records in late

2011, and he released his debut single "Cowboys and Angels" in January 2012

MATCHBOX TWENTY & THE GOO GOO DOLLS — August 18th. Matchbox Twenty released their debut album, *Yourself or Someone Like You*, in 1996. While their first single, *Long Day*, was a rock radio-only success, the album soon spawned several Top 40 singles including *Push*, *3 A.M.*, *Real World* and *Back 2 Good*. The album sold more than 12 million copies in the U.S. alone. Before recording their second album, Rob Thomas collaborated with Itaal Shur on a song called *Smooth* for Carlos Santana's comeback album, *Supernatural*. Thomas was supposed to act only as a songwriter for *Smooth*, but Santana had him sing for it after hearing the song's demo. *Smooth* was the album's lead single. In 2000 Matchbox Twenty released their second album, *Mad Seasons* which includes such hits as *Bent* and *Mad Seasons*. Also appearing on this bill are the ever popular Goo Goo Dolls, whose hits include *Iris*, *Slide* and *Black Balloon*, just to name a few.

TD GARDEN
100 Legends Way, Boston, MA
617-624-1050
www.TDGarden.com

MICHAEL BUBLÉ — September 27. Touring in support of his new #1 selling release, "To Be Loved," Michael Bublé has been called "one of the most likeable performers on Earth." His previous Crazy Love Tour sold out in 80 U.S. cities and was seen by over two million fans worldwide. His stage show is propelled by a string of smash hits including his current single "It's A Beautiful Day," "Haven't Met You Yet," "Home" and "Everything," along with Michael's distinctive interpretations of classics like "You Make Me Feel So Young," "Young at Heart," and "You're Nobody 'til Somebody Loves You." "To Be Loved" is Bublé's 4th consecutive No. 1 album.

NINE INCH NAILS — October 11. On September 3, Columbia Records will release *Hesitation Marks*, the new full-length album from Nine Inch Nails. Recorded in secret over the last year, Trent Reznor teamed with producers Atticus Ross and Alan Moulder to create the first new music from Nine Inch

Nails in five years. Plans were also unveiled for "Nine Inch Nails: Tension 2013" — a fall 2013 North American arena tour. Reznor says, "Tension picks up where *Lights in the Sky* left off. This is the full-on NIN live experience realized as we never could before."

THEATER

REAGLE MUSIC THEATRE
617 Lexington St., Waltham, MA
781-891-5600

www.ReagleMusicTheatre.org
LES MISÉRABLES — August 8th to August 18th. The celebrated Tony and Oscar-winning musical makes its long-awaited Reagle debut in a sumptuous and exciting new production! Featuring: "I Dreamed a Dream," "One Day More," "Castle on a Cloud," and "On My Own." This classic show was called "Thrilling, Spectacular, and Unforgettable," by The New York Times and The AP said, "Its melodies are as grandiose as the story, stirring, tuneful and totally capturing the emotion of the moment."

REMEMBERING THE 40'S — September 28th and 29th. Stroll down Memory Lane revisiting America's greatest generation during the war years. Delight once again in the sights of the 1940's — and oh, those *incredible, unforgettable* songs! The War Front, Home Front, Big Band Beat, Swing, Radio and 40's Hollywood and Broadway share center stage in our loving tribute. This is one from the heart! Of course, **all WWII vets are admitted free** — as honored guests.

COLONIAL THEATRE
106 Boylston Street, Boston, MA
617-482-9393

MILLION DOLLAR QUARTET — October 8 - 20. *Million Dollar Quartet* is the Tony Award-winning Broadway musical, inspired by the electrifying true story of the famed recording session that brought together rock 'n' roll icons Elvis Presley, Johnny Cash, Jerry Lee Lewis and Carl Perkins for the first and only time. This musical brings you inside the recording studio with four major talents who came together as a red-hot rock 'n' roll band for one unforgettable night.

SPECIAL EVENTS

AGANNIS ARENA
925 Commonwealth Ave., Boston
617-358-7000

www.BU.EDU/Agannis/
AMERICAN IDOL LIVE! — returns this summer on August 19th for another hit Tour to showcase the season's talented top Finalists. **AMERICAN IDOL LIVE!** gives fans the unique opportunity to be up close and personal with Season 12 Idol Finalists Amber Holcomb, Angie Miller, Burnell Taylor, Candice Glover, Curtis Finch Jr, Devin Velez, Janelle Arthur, Kree Harrison, Lazaro Arbos and Paul Jolley. Plus, Aubrey Cleland joins the Tour as the 11th Idol Finalist thanks to the AT&T **AMERICAN IDOL® LIVE!** Tour Fan Save, voted on by the Idol fans. Finalists will perform favorite moments from the season as well as never before seen performances.

CASINO BALLROOM
160 Ocean Boulevard,
Hampton Beach, NH
603-929-4100
www.CasinoBallroom.com

JEFF DUNHAM — August 7th and 8th. Jeff's television specials and series have been the highest rated programming in Comedy Central history, his DVD sales have reached seven million units, his videos have received a half a billion views on YouTube, and his live concerts have become mega-events played in front of sold-out arenas worldwide. Dunham has, of course, plenty of help on-stage: his entourage of characters who are there to challenge and chastise his every sentence. There's Walter, the grumpy retiree; the beer-swilling, NASCAR-loving and resolutely red neck Bubba J; the furry and manic Peanut; Jose Jalapeo on a Stick, the spicy pepper from South of the border; the bumbling skeletal Achmed the Dead Terrorist; the almost as dead long-lost son of Achmed, AJ; and Peanut's own ventriloquist dummy: Little Jeff. They may have all been conceived and hand crafted by Dunham, but his characters, who are anything but dummies, have now taken on a life of their own, each with their own legion of fans.

LARZ ANDERSON AUTO MUSEUM
15 Newton St., Brookline, MA
617-522-6547

TUTTO ITALIANO — Tutto Italiano is Sunday, August 4, 2013 from 10am-2pm! Bring your Italian car, motorcycle or simply your love for Italian design. We invite you to join us and appreciate the style and grace of Italian machinery at the Larz Anderson Auto Museum and to celebrate the fiftieth birthday of Lamborghini! This season, the Museum has experienced record participation at all lawn events. It is highly recommended that you pre-register your Italian show car or motorcycle for Tutto Italiano NOW! Not only will you save \$5, but you will reserve your spot at the show.

FREE HEALTH & FITNESS

BOSTON COMMON FROG POND
Tremont Street, Boston
617-635-2120

www.Frog.Pond@scboston.org
SUMMER YOGA Tuesdays from 6:00 to 7:15 pm: through August 27th. FREE Summer Yoga will feature a vibrant group of instructors who will provide power vinyasa flow for students of all levels. Class is held on the lawn adjacent to the Frog Pond carousel. Limited mats and blocks are available to borrow — please bring your own if you are able.

FREE EVENTS

CITY HALL PLAZA
Government Center, Boston
GOSPELFEST — August 4th. One

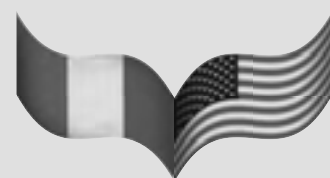
of New England's most popular Gospel celebrations, this free gospel showcase features local and national talent. Past performers include Dottie Peoples, Kirk Franklin and Karen Clark Sheard. Gospelfest is in its 13th year and will be returning to City Hall Plaza Sunday, August 4th, 2013 from 5pm-8pm. The 2013 headliner is Fred Hammond.

BOSTON URBAN MUSIC FESTIVAL — August 10th. Expanding on the Peace Hip Hop Concert, with its message of "peace," local and national performers will gather together to celebrate this new show that will showcase the very best in urban music. This free event takes place on City Hall Plaza on a Saturday evening in August. Past performers include Slick Rick, CL Smooth and Rakim.

BOSTON GREENFEST 2013 — August 15-17. Free fun fully-inclusive multicultural environmental music festival with over 200 exhibitors and vendors, more than 80 live performances on 4 stages. GreenFilmFest, Boston EcoPageant International, Forums, EcoArt, EcoPoetry and plenty more! 100,000 attendees expected. Sunday the event coincides with The Movement Festival, offering dance performances and free dance and movement classes.

WGBH
1 Guest Street, Boston, MA
<http://www.WGBH.org/studiotours>

WGBH STUDIO TOURS — On-going. Go behind the scenes for a free 45-minute tour of WGBH's all-digital studios at One Guest Street in Boston's Brighton neighborhood. Wednesdays: 2:00 pm 1st and 3rd Saturdays of each month: 2:00 pm All tours are wheelchair accessible. Accessibility tours for visual or hearing impaired can be arranged



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MUSIC & THEATER

OCT 6 | Brown University, Providence. Cameristi della Scala performing Verdi. **PROVIDENCE**
NOV 13-17 | The Paramount, Boston. Compagnia Marionette Carlo Colla e Figli Presents "The Sleeping Beauty." **BOSTON**

ITALIAN LANGUAGE & LITERATURE

OCT 16 | Center for European Studies, Harvard University. "Salvemini Colloquium" on Italian history and culture with Prof. Massimo Salvadori. **CAMBRIDGE**
OCT 30 | Brown University, Providence. "Giornata di studi sull'Italia" With the presence of Romano Prodi. **PROVIDENCE**
NOV 1-10 | Dartmouth College, University of Rhode Island. Italian preminent authors: Carmine Abbate at URI and Dartmouth. **HANOVER, KINGSTON**
NOV 8 | Emmanuel College, Boston. "The Meaning of Machiavelli's Prince." Lecture by Prof. Maurizio Viroli (Princeton). **BOSTON**
NOV 23 | Brown University, Providence. International Prize: "Boccaccio Afterlife." In cooperation with the American Boccaccio Association (ABA) and the Town of Certaldo on the occasion of the 700th anniversary of Giovanni Boccaccio. **PROVIDENCE**

ART

FALL 2013 | Providence. De Chirico Exhibition. **PROVIDENCE**

SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY

OCT 4 | Harvard University, Cambridge. International Conference on "Galileo and Sunspots." Organized by Museo Galileo, Firenze Istituto Nazionale di Astrofisica, Harvard University. In cooperation with NASA. **CAMBRIDGE**
OCT 28 | Boston. PIB Seminar Series: "Italian and American Policies on Biomedical Research." **BOSTON**

CINEMA & PHOTOGRAPHY

SEP 13-29 | Carpenter Center for the Visual Arts, Harvard University, Cambridge. "New Italian Cinema," in cooperation with Cinecittà and Harvard Film Archive. **CAMBRIDGE**

ITALIAN RADIO PROGRAMS

"The Sicilian Corner" 10:00 am to 12 Noon every Friday with hosts Tom Zappala and Mike Lomazzo and **"The Italian Show"** with Nunzio DiMarca every Sunday from 10:00 am-1:00 pm. Go to www.1110wccmam.com.

"Italia Oggi" Sundays 1:00 pm to 2:00 pm with host Andrea Urdis 1460 AM www.1460WXB.R.com.

"Dolce Vita Radio" DJ Rocco Mesiti 11:00 am-1:00 pm Sundays 90.7 FM or online www.djrocco.com.

"The Nick Franciosa Show" Sundays from 12 Noon to 3:00 pm on WLYN 1360 AM and WAZN 1470 AM.

"Guido Oliva Italian Hour" 8:00 am-9:00 am Sundays on WSRO 650 AM and online at www.wsro.com.

"Radio Italia Unita" - Thursdays 2:00 pm-3:00 pm on www.zumix.org/ radio or itunes, college radio click on Zumix. For more information, log onto www.italiaunita.org.

"Tony's Place" on **MusicAmerica WPLM FM 99.1** - Sundays 9:00 pm-10:00 pm on MusicAmerica. Host Ron Della Chiesa presents Tony's Place. Visit www.MusicNotNoise.com.

Ray Barron's 11 O'CLOCK NEWS

Ready for this? The widely read *National Examiner* July 8th edition was headlined SINATRA WAS A CIA SPY! Daughter Tina's BOMBSHELL CONFESSION. And so Tina Sinatra revealed CIA agents convinced Sinatra to work as a courier for the super-secret U.S. spy outfit. Chicago-based investigative journalist Sherman H. Skolnick says "Sinatra knew how to protect his butt — or so he thought." "He knew a lot about the CIA-Mafia joint project to assassinate John F. Kennedy. This led 'Ol' Blue Eyes' to have a falling out with JFK. But to be sure, the actor/singer kept his mouth shut." Enough said!

On sale now! *Secrets Of JFK Jr's Life & Death*. Yes, once again *The National Enquirer* after an exhaustive years-long investigation, the editors finally uncover what the government has been hiding about the circumstances surrounding the tragic flight — and what they found at the bottom of the sea. So says the *Enquirer*. It was the flight on July 16, 1999 that took the life of Kennedy, Jr. — along with his wife Carolyn Bessette and her sister Lauren.

Huh? British scientists invented a cell phone battery powered by urine. This "is about eco as it gets," said one researcher, noting that urine is a renewable resource.

Being bugged! A New York City woman set off 21 bug bombs inside her apartment, causing an explosion that collapsed her five-story building injuring 14 people.

An Indiana school district says it wasted \$300,000 last year because its students are rejecting the school's new healthy lunch program, which was designed by First Lady Michelle Obama. Students in the Carmel Clay district are dumping vegetables and fruit in the garbage or skipping lunch altogether, said food service director Linda Wireman. "There are a lot of complaints they're going home hungry," Wireman said. Carlo Scostumato suggests feeding students Italian food. "They all like pizza and spaghetti."

Blessed! Like a guardian angel, the Cerezo family's youngest daughter delivered them a \$4.85 million lottery jackpot from beyond the grave. "It couldn't have happened at a better time," says father Ricardo Cerezo. "I just thought this is how God works." Savannah Cerezo passed away during a seizure last year, but before she died, the 14-year-old gave her parents a cookie jar. After her death, Ricardo was drawn to save the Illinois Lottery tickets in the glass jar. The Cerezos — Ricardo, his wife, their son and their surviving daughter — desperately needed a windfall because a bank was set to evict them from their home in Geneva, Illinois. With all their troubles, management consultant Ricardo didn't check the tickets for about a month. Cerezo will pocket \$3,395 million after taxes.

More about lucky people. Retired postal worker Melvyn Wilson has the magic touch when it comes to lottery scratch cards — because he recently hit the jackpot for the fourth time in nine years. Wilson, of Woodbridge, VA, has bagged over \$2 million total! In 2004, he hit his first scratch-card jackpot for \$25,000, in 2005, he hit two scratch-card jackpots — one for \$1 million and one for \$500,000. Recently, he played Virginia Lottery's Millionaire Mania, scoring his fourth scratch-card prize, another \$500,000 — for a grand total of \$2,025,000! Wilson, who retired from the U.S. Postal Service in 2007, has a simple explanation for his lucky draws: "I'm just at the right place at the right time."

Uncanny! Japanese people intent on changing their fate are now having plastic surgery to alter their palms. In the ancient art of palm reading, the lines on the hands supposedly govern one's life. Plastic surgeon Takaaki Matsuoka, who charges \$1,000 per 10 minute operation, said that most male patients want to change lines associated with money and business, while women generally ask to change their love lines. "Sometimes the marriage line is there, but it came too early and the woman missed her chance," said Matsuoka. "So we add an-

other one."

Good for her! Hillary Clinton has plunged into a whirl of paid speech-making to trade associations and business groups, charging \$200,000 per speech. She and her husband, Bill Clinton, have together earned more than \$1,000,000 for making speeches since 2001.

Most politicians have four speeches: what they have written down, what they actually say, what they wish they had said and what they are quoted as saying the next day.

You name it! About 35 percent of married women in their 20s and 30s are keeping their own last names — a big increase over previous generations, according to a study by Facebook. Among married women in their 60s, only 9 percent kept their own last names.

Giuseppina, Cosce Storte, says, "Why shouldn't a woman take her husband's name? She takes everything else!"

Be aware, the average three-hour baseball game contains 17 minutes and 58 seconds of action such as pitches, balls in play, running and throws. That's a bit better than the average football game, which contains only 11 minutes of action time.

Good news! Cocaine use in the U.S. has fallen by 40 percent since 2006. Some experts attribute the drop to a doubling of street prices and successful interdiction against South American production facilities and traffickers. Others say that cocaine has simply become "uncool," with drug abusers now focusing on prescription painkillers.

Ava Gardner is back in the news! In brief, in her heyday, screen siren Ava Gardner was considered the most beautiful gal in the world, yet her love life was filled with heart-break, cheating and even a boozy beating! These are just some of the shocking confessions Ava made to now deceased writer Peter Evans, who was helping her with an autobiography shortly before she died at age 67 in 1990. Ava reveals she went to Hollywood as a naive 18-year-old North Carolina country girl and was soon scooped up by the hottest leading man in movies — 5-foot-2 Mickey Rooney. Her second marriage, to bullying bandleader Artie Shaw, also fizzled after a year. Her third and final marriage to Frank Sinatra, "the love of my life," was filled with booze, fights and his suicide attempts. It ended after six years, she says the jealous singer made her confess she'd had a drunken, one night stand with a bull-fighter while making a flick in Spain — and then "he brought it up every argument we had. He never forgave me." For the record, Ava Gardner is resting in her home state at Sunset Memorial Park, Smithfield, North Carolina

Frank Sinatra (1915-1998) was married four times. His wives were: Nancy Barbato, 1939; Ava Gardner, 1951; Mia Farrow, 1966 and Barbara Sinatra, 1976.

Italian Americans in Sports: Rocky Marciano is the only undefeated heavyweight boxing champion in history. He retired in 1956 with a 49-0 record that counted 43 knockouts. Marciano won the Heavyweight Crown in Philadelphia in 1952. He was elected to the Boxing Hall of Fame in 1959 and died in a plane crash 10 years later, the day before his 46th birthday. His real name was Rocco Marchegiano.

Wee bit of show business reminiscing with the stately musicologist and philanthropist Albert Natale. Three-time Academy Award winner Harry Warren (1893-1981), was born Salvatore Guaragna in Brooklyn and was the son of a Calabrian boot maker. One of Hollywood's most successful and prolific composers during the '30s '40s and '50s, he wrote "Chattanooga Choo Choo," "I Only Have Eyes For You," "That's Amore." Between 1935 and 1950, he wrote more hit songs than Cole Porter, Irving Berlin or George Gershwin, three of which earned him Academy Awards: "Lullaby of Broadway," "You'll Never Know" and "Atchison, Topeka and the Santa Fe."

AMERICA IS A BEAUTIFUL ITALIAN NAME



Recipes from the Homeland

by Vita Orlando Sinopoli



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BAKED SCALLOPS

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| 1 pound scallops | 2 tablespoons butter or margarine |
| 25 Ritz or Hi-Ho-type crackers crushed | 2 tablespoons white wine |
| 1 tablespoon chopped parsley | Paprika |
| | Salt |

Spread some butter or margarine at bottom of baking dish (10" x 12" x 2"). Wash scallops and drain excess water. Place scallops in baking dish. Blend melted butter into cracker crumbs. *Spread crumbs over scallops. Pour two tablespoons of white wine in a glass with two tablespoons of clam juice or water. Sprinkle gently over cracker crumbs and scallops. Sprinkle paprika over the cracker crumbs. Cover and bake at 400°F for fifteen or twenty minutes or until scallops are the right consistency to serve.

NOTE: *When preparing the above recipe for my husband and me, I sprinkle garlic powder over the scallops before adding the cracker crumbs and remaining ingredient. We enjoy the garlic flavoring.

I often bake this meal in my heated toaster oven set on broil. I cover scallops with aluminum foil before placing in toaster oven. Broil for about eight to ten minutes. Then set the toaster oven to bake for the remaining time needed.

I serve mashed potatoes or rice pilaf along with French-cut beans and/or carrot strips topped with butter or margarine.

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“An Open Love Letter to East Boston”

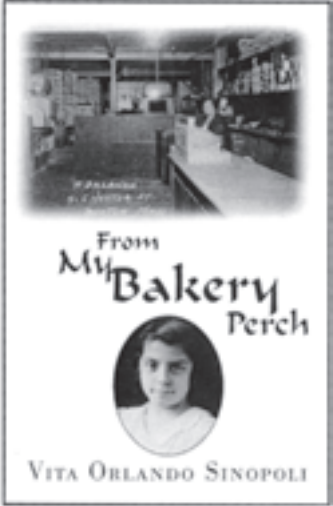
Put unromantically, the vibe of a place is roughly the sum of its geography of opportunity and the mood and moxie of its people. Eastie's vibe is as big and beautiful as the harbor views and its people's smiles — even after the B's went down in the final minutes of this season.

When our daughter's Grampa Casey started Little Folks Day Care on Eagle Hill in the early '70s (it just celebrated its 40th anniversary!), young Willy would watch the Meridian Street Bridge go up and down from his Falcon Street window (before the view was obscured by the multi-use buildings that have gone up since then).

The Dunning's moved north, but never forgot how at home they felt in Eastie. I caught the East Boston bug just 11 years ago when I needed a decent apartment near the T at a price I could afford — and fast. Serendipity made me Pasquale Capagrecio's tenant — he was more a land angel than a landlord — a neighborhood

ambassador to newcomers like me, who left a lasting impression of what a neighborhood should be: an impression that only grew fonder long after a family emergency required me to move back through the tunnel and over the Sagamore Bridge. When it was time for Will and me to purchase our first home together, choosing Eastie was a no-brainer. The tapestry woven by generations of immigrants from around the globe remained as embracing and enriching as we remembered it. Everett Street's "unofficial mayor," Frank Leone, sharing with his wife a combined 150 years on the block, made us feel like we belonged from day one and he welcomed our daughter like his own granddaughter. He clearly gifted the next generation with his gracious manners, as we experienced on our first walk on Everett Street when one of his nephews passed the football to Will (where else do kids

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Nanna & Babbonnonno

by John Christoforo

A Nostalgic Remembrance



Sixty years ago this month, Hurricane Carol hit the East Coast of the United States. The month was August and Nanna, Babbonnonno, Mom, Dad and I were at the summer cottage in Winthrop, Maine. Dad was still playing the county fairs, but during August, he would try to book in the ones closest to where we were vacationing. All I knew about hurricanes was what Mom told me, "You were born not long after the hurricane of 1938. I guess back then they were not named as of yet."

With Nanna and Babbonnonno staying with us in a one bedroom cottage, they slept on the living room couch which opened to a bed. As a result, I slept on a similar couch located on the back porch that faced the lake.

I also had a friend staying with us. Not having brothers and sisters, I had friends from home that joined me for a few days at a time. This time around, it was a fellow usher from the Seville Theater, Carl Sinatra. A folding army cot was opened every night on the other side of the back porch and this is where my friends slept.

During the mornings, we would row one of the boats out into the middle of the lake, jump overboard and swim back to the dock towing the boat. Babbonnonno would take the row boat out when he was in the mood for exercise. Nanna and Mom both had fears of water and neither would go anywhere near the lake. I also had a speed boat and that's where Babbonnonno would draw the line. The row boat was OK but not the racer.

One day, one of the locals who had befriended us, Arthur Gordon, asked Dad for a favor. He was taking his youngest daughters to a pediatrician in Portland and asked us to look in on his father, Old Vic, if the publicized storm did in fact hit us. Dad was in agreement and the Gordon family left.

Not knowing anything about the storm at that point, Carl Sinatra and I were on the lake in my speed boat. We were racing around and when the water became choppy, headed back toward our dock. Dad was standing on the dock waving us in, but I interpreted it as just a wave and I waved back. One thing looked strange to me. Dad had pulled my row boat onto the beach which was aside the cottage. As the wind

picked up, it pulled my speed boat sideways. I turned the boat into the wind and opened it up. With the throttle almost full in a forward position, I was starting to go backward. Somehow I managed to beach the boat and dragged it along the water's edge back to our beach and pulled it alongside the row boat. Dad ran over yelling at us until he discovered we didn't know why he was so upset. He yelled, "Don't you idiots know that a hurricane is coming our way? You could have been killed staying out on the lake."

Well, we next put everything that could fly around in the wind under the cottage. Next, we closed the shutters that covered the windows and made sure we had enough drinking water which was drawn from a well which was on the left side of the cottage. Not long after, the wind picked up and we sat in both the living room and kitchen listening to the happenings on local radio. We didn't have a TV set at the cottage. As a matter of fact, no one living at the lake did. The local stations broadcast whatever they were getting as news from Boston and Portland.

The storm hit in full intensity by the afternoon. The sound of the wind in the trees made Mom and Nanna very uneasy. Babbonnonno poured himself a glass of Zi' Antonio's best homemade red wine and didn't have a care in the world as a result of the effects. The sound of the rain on the roof made things a bit disconcerting but we managed to remain controlled and rode out the storm. When it seemed to have ended a while later, Dad, Sinatra and I went outside to inspect the damage. Thank God, there was none. We hadn't lost power, nor were there any branches broken off the trees and no trees were uprooted. Dad's car was OK with just leaves covering the hood and roof.

As I looked at the beach, I discovered that my boats were missing. A closer look showed us that the churning lake water had washed enough sand on shore to cover the boats and they would have to be dug out when the sand dried. So, with everything now intact, Dad said he was going down the road to check on Old Vic.

The Gordon home was on the other side of the road about a quarter of a mile away. We walked the dis-

tance due to fallen trees blocking the road which was called Memorial Drive. When we got the Gordon home, there was Old Vic sitting on the front steps whittling away with a glass of applejack on the step next to him. Dad spoke first, "Hi Vic, is everything OK?" Vic replied, "Yep." Dad asked, "Any damage to the house?" Vic replied, "Nope." Then Dad asked about the car that was left behind and Vic replied, "No damage." Then Dad asked if the dog was OK and Vic replied, "Yep." When Dad asked if there were any problems with the old barn in back of the house, Old Vic replied, "Don't know, haven't found it yet!" I ran in back and saw that the barn had disappeared. The storm had wiped it off the face of the map.

When the Gordons returned from Portland, Arthur stoically stated that he would rebuild the barn, a chore that might include all of the neighbors helping out and making a festival out of the situation. By the next day, the town had cleared away the fallen trees and things began to get back to normal.

The sun was in full bloom for the next few days and the sand on the beach dried out allowing Sinatra and me to dig out my two boats. Refloating them again, I now had a row boat and a speed boat to play with. We motored the perimeter of the lake looking for people who might need assistance, but it seemed that the lake didn't get the worst of the storm.

The next day, the folks along the lake had a cookout to celebrate the end of the storm. Old Vic brought a bottle of white lightening and Babbonnonno brought a gallon of red wine. If you add in the beer that was part of the cookout, everyone seemed to have a good time.

Labor Day was just around the corner and all of the summer residents began to pack to return home. A final party was planned and well attended by summer folks and locals alike. What they didn't know was that the following summer would have consequences that were similar. Hurricane Diane would hit the northeast, but that's a story for another day. GOD BLESS AMERICA

• Socially Scene (Continued from Page 9)



The timeless fairy tale *Cinderella* will be on stage this weekend only at The Strand Theater.

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ery, will speak and share tastes of his breads. From 2:00 pm to 3:00 pm, attendees will be treated to a cooking demo with Jeff Thompson, executive chef at Wheatleigh. Another exquisite culinary event will be announced taking place from 3:00 pm to 4:00 pm.

An event on Sunday morning at Seranak will feature Joanne Chang's delectable treats, both savory and sweet. An honors graduate of Harvard College with a degree in Applied Mathematics and Economics, Joanne left a career as a management consultant to enter the world of professional cooking, delighting Cambridge and Boston residents with her popular Flour bakery shops. Ms. Chang will share her pastries, stories and a look at her new and second cookbook "Flour, Too." Veuve Clicquot will complete this mouthwatering morning.

The final offering of the festival is an exploration of the intriguing relationship between fine chocolate and different types of port. Josh Needleman of Chocolate Springs in Lenox is a master chocolatier whose creations have achieved national recognition. Mr. Needleman's chocolates will pair with three posts. This hour-long event begins at 1:00 pm in the Formal Gardens Tent.

Now for the music; The Tanglewood Wine and Food Classic takes place in conjunction with a special lineup of programs. On Thursday evening August 15th The Goat Rodeo Show opens the show. Featuring world-renowned cellist Yo-Yo Ma, bassist/composer Edgar Meyer, mandolinist Chris Thile and fiddler Stuart Duncan, along with American singer/songwriter Aoife O'Donovan, comes to the Koussevitzky Music Shed to perform material from the 2011 album.

On August 16th, Keith Lockhart will lead the Boston Pops in a program featuring the celebrated pianist, vocalist and archivist of the *Great American Songbook*, Michael Feinstein in beloved tunes from the *American Songbook*. Conductor Emeritus Bernard Haitink joins the BSO at Tanglewood for the first time in five years on Saturday, August 17th leading the BSO in Mozart's Violin Concerto No. 5 with soloist Isabelle Faust and Mahler's Sym-

phony No. 4, featuring soprano Camilla Tilling.

The following afternoon; Sunday, August 18th, Emanuel Ax joins conductor Christoph von Dohnányi and the Tanglewood Music Center Orchestra for the Leonard Bernstein Memorial Concert and the second weekend program dedicated to the music of Mozart and Mahler. Mr. Ax will perform as soloist in Mozart's Piano Concerto No. 9 in E-flat, K.271; the program closes with Mahler's Symphony No. 1.

This annual event is filled with everything you could ask for to complete a full summer weekend! Tickets sell out fast, for more information and a complete list of all events, sponsors, participating wineries and restaurants, visit www.tanglewoodwineandfoodclassic.com. Tickets for all events are available at 888-266-1200.

A Fancy Fairytale ... This weekend only — August 1st–4th — the classical story of *Cinderella* comes to life at The Strand Theatre in Dorchester.

Rossini's clever interpretation of the *Cinderella* story comes to life in this Boston Opera Collaborative production in partnership with period orchestra Grand Harmonie. Based on the beloved fairy tale, this comic opera tells the story of a compassionate young lady who longs to escape her dreary life under the control of her arrogant, wicked stepsisters Clorinda and Tisbe. First performed in Rome in 1817, *Cinderella* features some of Rossini's most exciting writing for solo voice and ensembles. Boston Opera Collaborative Artistic Director Andrew Altenbach makes his company conducting debut leading Grand Harmonie, a period ensemble that performs the works of classical and romantic composers on the instruments for which they were written. The production will be sung in Italian with English subtitles.

It never hurts to pull ourselves away from the daily madness and step back into our childhoods of make believe. *Cinderella* will be on stage only through Sunday, so there is not a moment to delay. The Strand Theatre is located at 543 Columbia Road, Dorchester and you can visit www.strandboston.com for tickets and details.

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(FROM ITALIAN
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Compiled by Orazio Z. Buttafuoco

THE VATICAN'S BANK: I.O.R. (Institute for Religious Missions) This institution answers only to the Pope. It has a patrimony of 5 billion euro. Until now its manager has been Ettore Gotti Tedeschi (since September 2009). The I.O.R. was established by Pope Pious XII in 1942 to replace the administration created by Leo XIII in 1877. By its own statute, the I.O.R. is the keeper of the Vatican's real estate and its administration, owned or granted to the I.O.R. by individuals or judicial entities. It can also accept bequest from people of the Holy See and of the Vatican State as an administrative entity. The general administration of the I.O.R. is right inside the Holy See, although not officially part of Vatican City. All funds deposited at the I.O.R. do not belong to the Holy See. It has its own independent budget and its own administration (appointed by the Pope). The I.O.R.'s identity is complex, not easily understood by Magistrates, who recall the events that involved the Banco Ambrosiano and its head who was found hanging in London in 1989, which prompted the Pope, John Paul II to amend the statute (of the Vatican's bank). The change made possible and necessary to appoint a "Control Bureau," consisting of five Cardinals who monitor the goings on of the "Supervising Council" made up of five lay people led by a general director who reports directly to the Pope. On February 29, 2008 Pope Ratzinger changed the five Cardinals after appointing Cardinal Tarciso Bertone as State Secretary, replacing Cardinal Angelo Sodano, the monitoring commission that consists of the following Cardinals: Attilio Nicora, Jean-Louis Tauran (chief of the Pontifical Council promoting the inter-religious Dialogue), Telefore Placidius Toppo, and Odilo Pedro Scherer (Archbishop of San Paul, Brazil). People who have made deposits at the I.O.R. number 33,000, mostly Europeans (two thirds are Italians), then Polish, French, Spanish and Germans. Two thousand-seven hundred are only deposits belonging to African and South American congregations. People who intend to open an account must be a religious person (a nun or a priest), an Ambassador (Nunzio or Nuntio), a retired dependent of Vatican City, a diplomat accredited to the Holy See or members of the Pope's immediate "family" (mainly people who have received pontifical honors. About 15,000 accounts belong to Priests, over 1,600 Bishops and most of the Cardinals (about 210). No secret accounts or accounts with co-signers are accepted. The Pope has no personal account (he had one as a Cardinal). About 80% of the accounts belong to foundations, religious orders, Episcopal conferences, colleges and monasteries worldwide. The budget and the movement of funds are known only to the Pope, the College of Cardinals, the Prelate of the Institute, the Council of Monitoring and the Probation Office.

• **Hoops & Hockey** (Continued from Page 16)

per million dollars in salary. Of course, that's on top of the highest rates for U.S. income taxes and state of New York income taxes. Currently, the top New York State income tax rate is 8.82 percent or \$88,200 per million dollars of salary for married people. For the U.S. income tax it is about 35 percent for these married players. Compare that to the Miami players who only fork over the U.S. income tax since

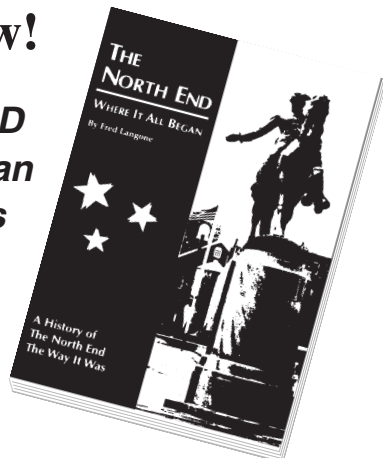
Florida does not have a state income tax and Miami does not have a city income tax. In addition, there's no state taxes on gifts or in-heritances. Somewhere, Ray Allen must be smiling. **HAPPY BIRTHDAY** — To Rene Rancourt, Boston's most popular national anthem singer (performing at the vast majority of Bruins home games for over three decades). He'll blow out 74 candles on August 4.

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be talking anywhere up to 25-30 million within 5 years. Then, don't forget all the new illegals hiding in the shadows once again. This is a never-ending battle, not against truth and justice, but against common sense of sanity. Forget about drug mules and think 30 million more registered Democrats by 2020. More welfare, more EBT cards, more checks going out, more unemployment and higher taxes. The real mules out there are working families, blue collar workers and middle-class homeowners. **More Empty Rhetoric from Obama** According to Sal Russo, who is the co-founder and chief strategist of the Tea Party Express, "The president's latest economic speech hit an unsurprising tone of class warfare and empty old rhetoric. We have heard it all before and neither the rhetoric nor the weakness of our economy has changed." Recently, President Obama said, "With this endless parade of distractions and political posturing and phony scandals. Washington's taken its eyes off the ball. And I am here to say this needs to stop. This needs to stop. This moment does not require short-term thinking and it does not require having the same old stale debates. Our focus must be on the basic economic issues that matter most to you, the people we represent. That's what

we have to spend our time on and our energy on and focus on." So far, so good, RIGHT? However, then listen to this, "With an endless parade of distractions, political posturing and phony scandals, Washington has taken its eye off the ball." **Phony Scandals?** As Michael Graham recently stated in his *Boston Herald* column, "Question: How many Americans have to be murdered in an al-Qaeda attack on a U.S. consulate before it stops being a phony scandal? Answer: If Barack Obama is president, more than four." Then there is the N.S.A. domestic spying and I.R.S. Gate. Thank God the president has so many lapdogs in the liberal media distorting the reality we face today as Americans. According to these folks, Republicans are simply obstructionists for not just rubber-stamping the Obama legacy. **Democrats Can be Just as Dumb as GOP Too** Latest scandal hitting up close and personal to an elected official is one Mayor Bob Filner who was the first Democrat elected Mayor of San Diego last November. He acted like a complete idiot in his actions with a female staffer who went public with this story. He now says he will go into intensive behavioral therapy rather than go away like most folks are now demanding. MSNBC has been leading the charge to get him to resign. Filner

prior to being mayor was a 19 year member of the U.S. House. While, the liberals are focusing on him, there has been little call by liberals to get Anthony Weiner to get out of the Mayor's Race in New York City. Both these guys are dogs and deserve to be exiled to a dog pound for good. **Quote to Note** *In the end, it doesn't matter your race or where you live, we are all people, we all bleed.* — Irene Soares **Fund or De-fund Obamacare?** Bill O'Reilly recently had U.S. Sen. Marco Rubio on his show to debate the strategy of defunding Obamacare to keep it from being implemented. However, O'Reilly disagreed and thought the best strategy would be to fund it, put it into action and watch it fail. Rubio disagreed but O'Reilly added that if the Republicans decided to defund the so-called Affordable Health Care reform, the liberal media would just go on the attack saying the Republicans don't care about poor people. The Republicans instead, he thought, should put everything into place and watch the Democrats' reaction when the health care reform drops dead before it even reaches an emergency room. I say don't de-fund it put it into action and watch what happens next. Another phony scandal coming soon from the White House. Can't blame Republicans? Can't blame Bush? Just call Ghostbusters?

• **An Open Love Letter to East Boston** (Continued from Page 12)

still play football in the street?) Harold & June and the Dyer's who've been so generous to us; the Traverse's, Eddie and Irene, Dave and his Chiara's garage team, Neff, Christine and Jessie, the Holt's down on Orleans with whom we've shared the most glorious parenting adventure, Joe the Mailman, Cesar from the city's recycling program, Senator Petrucci who remembered me as "Everett Street" after but a few visits on business — these are the people in our neighborhood who've made it hard to imagine living anywhere else. Of course there are the awesome parks and the food ... a good avocado on every corner, Rincon Limeno's unparalleled ceviche pescado and empanadas Peruanas, spaghetti alici at Jevelli's, Betty Ann's Donuts (there is no other donut!), the black and golden cherries ripe for the picking at the Ruth Street Park (with the best views of New Year's fireworks in town) ... we'll miss having such bounty at our doorstep. But it's really about the people: Adira's friendship with Cesar (who made a special trip on his day off to give her a fare-

well souvenir from his home town in Mexico), a friendship which flourished from the simple but solid foundation of a wave every Wednesday afternoon for the first two years of Adira's life as Cesar pulled up in the big yellow truck, is a disarming reminder that this is the real deal — very likely the most important lesson about authentically being human. We will try to carry this spirit with us to our new neighborhood. We will attune our senses to the wonders our new neighborhood will have to offer in its own right. And we will stay in

touch: both to keep up with our Eastie friends and to keep advocating that East Boston should one day know environmental justice. As we always have, we always will hold a torch for this one-of-a-kind urban village. And may it hold onto a piece of us in the April-blooming lilacs we planted in the 12-hour sun at the corner of Castle Court: a perennial bouquet we present with on-going affection and appreciation. *Sincerely,*
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WOMEN OF ITALY

Influencing the Culture, Science and the Arts

by James DiPrima

As Italians we are well aware of the many men who have had a great influence in Italy, such as the artists Michelangelo, Leonardo Da Vinci, Raphael and the scientists such as Enrico Fermi, Volta, Galileo and in the musical arts Verdi, Bellini, Gioachino Rossini, and so many more in their respective fields. But let us not forget some of the women of Italy who were instrumental in shaping the country.

Let us take a look at some of these women in chronological order

If we go back in time to the 11th and 12th century we come across **Trotula of Salerno**. She worked in Salerno which at that time was the center of medieval medicine throughout Europe. She was a leader in women's health being the first gynecologist in the world and wrote **books on Diseases of Women, Treatments for Women**. These books became a source of information on women's health for them as well as for doctors who had little knowledge about the female body.

Catherine of Sienna (1347-1380) as one of the two patron saints of Italy, the other being St. Francis of Assisi, was a philosopher and a theologian. She was an ambassador to Popes Gregorio and Urbano VI. It is also known that she was instrumental in her efforts to bring back the Pope to Rome from Avignon.

Dorotea Bucca (1360-1436) was a physician and the first woman to open the doors to science in Europe. She was on the board of the University of Bologna with a chair in Medicine and Philosophy for more than forty years.

Artemisia Lomi-Gentileschi (1593 – 1653) a great female painter. She was the first female painter that was made a member of the Academia di Arte del Disegno in Florence. During this time women were not able to study anatomy and not allowed to view nudes.

She could not hire models to paint in her studio because this could have a detrimental effect on her reputation. She is acknowledged as one accomplished painter during the Caravaggio generation.



Artemisia Lomi- Gentileschi

Elena Cornaro Piscopia (1646-1684) a Venetian mathematician, graduated from the University of Padua in 1678 and the first woman in the world to be awarded a university degree.

Celia Grillo Borromeo (1684 – 1777) Born in Genoa she went on to become a scientist and mathematician and famous for being able to solve every math problem presented to her. She is credited with formulating the Clelie curve whose formula she determined to be: q=mf (“the longitude and colatitude of a point P on a sphere.”)

Maria Gaetana Agnesi (1718 – 1799) she was the first important woman in mathematics. Her first book discusses differential and integral calculus. She was made an honorary faculty member of the University of Bologna.

Eleonora de Fonseca Pimentel (1752 – 1799) an Italian poet who was connected with the Neapolitan Revolution and was able to bring to Italy the values of the French Revolution.

Virginia Oldoini (1837 – 1899) was well known for her association with Napoleon III of France as his mistress. She also became well known in the early history of photography. She was also quite vain, sending portraits

of herself to friends and admirers. Unfortunately, as she grew older she closeted herself in her room draped with black curtains and eliminated all mirrors.

Maria Montessori (1870 – 1952) an educator, humanitarian and a physician, she was well-known for her positions on education. Her philosophy emphasized “independence, freedom within limits, and to have respect for a child’s psychological development.” Her ideas were well received and many schools were opened in her name around the world. The following were educated at Montessori schools: Larry Page and Sergey Brin, founders of Google, Jeff Bezos, founder of *Amazon.com*, Gabriel Garcia Marquez, Nobel Prize winner for Literature, and many others.

Grazia Deledda (1871 – 1936) Italian writer, won Nobel Prize for Literature in 1926. She was one of the leading figures in a movement called verism (From the Italian word verita, meaning “truth”) that Italian composers, such as Puccini, used as romantic means to bring realism to their operas. She was able to bring the dialect of her region and raise it to the level of literature and thus was able to contribute to the evolution of Italian Literature and language.

Anna Magnani (1908 – 1973) what can be said of

Ms. Magnani that hasn't been said many times. She was one of Italy's treasured actresses. She brought to the screen a bold and true picture of Italian women in the post-war era. She was exceptional at a time when other Italian actresses were known for their glamour and sex symbol; she portrayed women with sensuality and intelligence. Her portrayal of A Sicilian widow



Anna Magnani

in *The Rose Tattoo* won her an Academy Award. The part was written for her by Tennessee Williams.



Rita Levi- Montalcini

Rita Levi- Montalcini (1909 – 2012) we should all be so lucky to live until we are 103 years old and accomplish in our lives what she was able to do with hers. Her father, Adamo Levi was an electrical engineer and mathematician, her mother a painter. Her father did not want his children to attend college fearing that it would hamper them from becoming wives and mothers. Later he supported her in becoming a doctor. She went on to become a neurologist and one of Italy's leading scientists and together with biochemist Stanley Cohen “received the 1986 Nobel Prize in Physiology of Medicine for their discovery of nerve growth factor NGF.” This was significant in understanding cell and organ growth and its effect on diseases such as Alzheimer's, Parkinson's and Cancer.

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CITATION ON PETITION FOR ALLOWANCE OF ACCOUNT
To all interested persons:
A Petition has been filed by: Charles M. Ganson, Jr. of Boston, MA and Bradley R. Cook of Boston, MA Co-Trustees requesting allowance of the 47th through 53rd and final account(s) as Co-Trustees.
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 August 29th, 2013. This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an Affidavit of Objections within thirty (30) days of the return date, action may be taken without further notice to you.
WITNESS, HON. PETER C. DIGANGI, First Justice of this Court.
Date: July 24, 2013
Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate
Run date: 8/2/13

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Middlesex Probate and Family Court
208 Cambridge Street
Cambridge, MA 02141
Docket No. MI97P1610T6

Estate of
ARTHUR G. B. METCALF
For the benefit of Helen C. Metcalf and Others
CITATION
ALLOWANCE OF ACCOUNT
To all interested persons: A petition has been filed by Fiduciary Trust Company as remaining trustee U/ART III under the will of Arthur G. B. Metcalf for the Benefit of Helen C. Metcalf and Others requesting the allowance of the Substitute 4th, Substitute 5th, and Substitute 6th account(s) as Trustee.
You have the right to obtain a copy Accounts 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 August 29, 2013. This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an Affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return date, action may be taken without further notice to you.
WITNESS, HON. PETER C. DIGANGI, First Justice of this Court.
Date: July 24, 2013
Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate
Run date: 8/2/13

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Suffolk Probate and Family Court
24 New Chardon Street
Boston, MA 02114
(617) 788-8300
Docket No. SU13C0278CA
NOTICE OF PETITION FOR CHANGE OF NAME
In the Matter of:
ANTHONY CESSA AND ANNMARIE CESSA,
Both Of: BOSTON, MA

To all persons interested in petition described:
A petition has been presented by Anthony Cessa requesting that: Anthony Cessa, Annmarie Cessa be allowed to change their name as follows: Anthony Cesa, Annmarie D'Ambrosio.
IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT: BOSTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING (10:00 AM) ON AUGUST 22, 2013.
WITNESS, HON. JOAN P. ARMSTRONG, First Justice of this Court.
Date: July 23, 2013
Patricia M. Campatelli, Register of Probate
Run date: 8/2/13

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Suffolk Probate and Family Court
24 New Chardon Street
Boston, MA 02114
(617) 788-8300
Docket No. SU483747
In the matter of:
BARBARA PUNGITORE
Protected Person/Disabled Person/
Respondent
OF BOSTON, MA
CITATION GIVING NOTICE OF CONSERVATOR'S ACCOUNT

To the named Respondent and all other interested persons, you are hereby notified pursuant to Rule 72 of the Supplemental Rules of the Probate & Family court, that the 36th account(s) of Sheldon Ganz, Esq. of NATICK, MA as Conservator of the property of said Respondent has or have been presented to the Court for allowance.
You have the right to object to the account(s). If you wish to do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this court on or before 10:00 A.M. on the return date of August 29, 2013. This day is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline date by which you have to object to the account(s). If you fail to file the written appearance and objection by the return date, action may be taken in this matter without further notice to you. Including the allowance of the account(s). Additionally, within thirty days after said return day (or within such other time as the Court upon motion may order), you must file a written affidavit of objections stating the specific facts and grounds upon which each objection is based and a copy shall be served upon the Conservator pursuant to Rule 3 of the Supplemental Rules of the Probate & Family Court.
You have the right to send to the Conservator, by registered or certified mail, a written request to receive a copy of the Petition and account(s) at no cost to you.
IMPORTANT NOTICE
The outcome of this proceeding may limit or completely take away the above-named person's right to make decisions about personal affairs or financial affairs or both. The above-named person has the right to ask for a lawyer. Anyone may make this request on behalf of the above-named person. If the above-named person cannot afford a lawyer, one may be appointed at State expense.
WITNESS, HON. JOAN P. ARMSTRONG, First Justice of this Court.
Date: July 24, 2013
Patricia M. Campatelli, Register of Probate
Run date: 8/2/13



EXTRA Innings



by Sal Giaratani

George “The Boomer” Scott Passes Away at Age 69

Former Boston Red Sox first baseman George “The Boomer” Scott passed away earlier this week in his hometown of Greenville, Mississippi at age 69.

He will forever be one of the many faces of the 1967 pennant union “Impossible Dream” Red Sox.

He came up in 1966 as a slugging first baseman and became legendary during the 1967 season which gave birth to Red Sox Nation.

More on “The Boomer” next week.

Dave Ortiz Getting a Little Tired for Me

I think of David Ortiz as the face of the franchise but lately he has been acting like the king of the hill, top of the heap as Frank Sinatra sang about New York, New York. I still remember right after the Marathon Bombings when he went up to the microphone on the field and used the F-word in front of a surprised and packed Fenway Park. Most people applauded him for speaking from the heart but I still don't think his choice of a word was praiseworthy. However, he has become the great and powerful Oz on this team.

I take nothing away from his accomplishments since

coming to Boston from the Twins. I know he is a Walk Away Home Run King. He also inspires many other players. We also can't forget about young fans who look up to him the way I once looked up to Mickey Mantle as a kid.

Until the other day, I almost forgot about his f-word speech at Fenway back in April. Then, I saw yet another side of Ortiz. He strikes out at bat in a game the Sox had a big lead. Instead of just returning to the dugout with his bat in hand, he decided to go postal on the bullpen phone and smashed it and the bat into pieces in a rage of violence. He needed to be restrained by others around him. Total loss of control that should have scared the heck out of his teammates and fans nearby. He almost injured Dustin Pedroia in the process.

He needs to answer for his outrageous antics after a strikeout, especially when your team has as big a lead. It isn't like he doesn't strike out a lot because he does. He was ejected from the game as he should. Major League Baseball needs to give him a hefty suspension too. The Boston Red Sox probably will do very little in response since he is the team's face as angry as he got last week-end in a game against the Baltimore Orioles and home-plate umpire Tim Timmons. He should be given a fine but

I won't hold my breath waiting for it to happen.

He himself has written off the escapade by saying, “I try not to get to that point ... Things got out of control for a minute, but like I say, it's over.” HOPEFULLY NOT!

Lester Back to Form, Buchholz Still Out



Jon Lester seems back in form with two good games recently after a long string of bad ones. He now has 10 wins under his belt and has surpassed the idle Clay Buchholz for most wins. Clay hasn't pitched since going on the DL back on June 8th when he was seriously being called a Cy Young kind of pitcher. The team had been hoping for his return but he now says it may be late August or early September before he feels comfortable to pitch again. Says he is still painning too much to pitch. This is why he will never be a team ace. He is too weak to pitch an entire season without injury. Also another reason he will never make big bucks in the big leagues.

I am glad to see Lester pitching better because John Lackey can only carry this team forward so much. Lackey has become a good number two pitcher. This team still needs another quality starting pitcher in the rotation if they hope to keep pace with the quite hot Tampa Bay Rays and hold off the Orioles still breathing down their neck. Otherwise, they will find themselves in a battle for the bronze with the NY Yankees and in baseball there are no bronze winners.

Meanwhile, there is Bartolo Colon

Bartolo Colon is pitching like the face of the American League, going 14-3 with a 2.54 ERA for the Oakland Athletics. He is over 40 years old and is pitching like someone 20 years younger. Pardon me, if I doubt him but he does have a reported history with doing bad things to pitch great, doesn't he? Just as most baseball fans think that Roger Clemens was juicing since he left the Sox for the Blue Jays and put the “twilight of his career” behind him. I still think Dan Duquette was right about the twilight but sometimes players can hold off the twilight for years to come. Is Colon cheating, we don't know? Is he on Major League Baseball's radar, we also don't know. Nowadays in baseball, many players have only themselves to blame if they are considered guilty until found innocent.

HOOPS and HOCKEY in the HUB



by Richard Preiss

RUNNING ON ALL WHEELS — It was in back in February 2011 when The Wheels came off at the Garden. That was when the Bruins sent Blake Wheeler on his way near the trading deadline.

We say Wheels because that was Blake's nickname in the locker room at the Garden where he played for more than two and half seasons wearing the Black and Gold colors of the B's uniform.

But when he was traded to the then Atlanta Thrashers (along with Mark Stuart) on February 18, 2011 he was somewhat in an underperforming slump, having scored just 11 goals and adding 16 assists for 27 points across 58 games.

The team he was sent to proceeded to move on, leaving Atlanta to become the reincarnated Winnipeg Jets at the start of the 2011-2012 season. The team he left moved up — all the way up — to claim the Stanley Cup on June 15, 2011, about four months after Wheeler departed Causeway Street.

Although missing the Cup run was somewhat of a downer for Wheeler, a 6-5 forward, he has become the success story that he was meant to be — only now it is in Winnipeg. In the wind down days of a \$5.1 million contract, he recently avoided arbitration and signed a six-year deal with the Jets, a transaction that will keep him in Winnipeg for the next 72 months and pay him \$33.6 million over that span.

That's his reward for his two year performance with Winnipeg, where he most recently led the Jets in goals (19) during the 48-game lockout-shortened regular season. He also had 22 assists for a total of 43 points.

Big things were predicted early on for Wheeler. In his junior year in high school the Minnesota native led the entire hockey-mad state with 45 goals and 55 assists during the 2003-2004 season.

And when it came to college he stayed home, choosing to play for the traditional in-state powerhouse (the University of Minnesota) rather than sign with the Phoenix Coyotes, who had selected him fifth overall in the 2004 NHL Draft. During his freshman season, there was a preview of things to come as he had 23 points in 39 games while playing with future Bruin player Phil Kessel.

Then, in 2007, he scored the winning goal in overtime to lift the Golden Gophers over North Dakota in the WCHA championship game, earning him the tournament MVP award. The next year he had 35 points in 44 games.

Rather than sign with the Coyotes after all those college years, he elected to become a free agent and ink a contract with the B's. When the 2008 regular season opened, there was Blake James Wheeler in his right wing position on Garden Ice.

His stats in the Hub were decent but his production decreased each season, going from 21-24-45 during the 2008-2009 campaign to 18-20-38 in 2009-2010 to 11-16-27 for the 58 games he played on Causeway Street in 2010-2011.

Sometimes, players simply need a change of venue — like Joe Thornton who was traded to San Jose by former Bruins GM Mike O'Connell in late November 2005 and promptly became the league MVP out there by winning the Hart Trophy the very next spring. He is the only player in NHL history to win the award while playing for two different teams in the same season.

Whatever, it appears that Wheeler, who resided in the North End during his years with the Bruins, has flourished with the Jets, leading the team in scoring with a career high 64 points (17-47-64) in 2011-2012 and coming right back to pace the team again in the lock-out shortened season.

It's a fact of life that sometimes occurs with former Bruins players. When some leave town, they do better elsewhere. Only time will tell whether Blake Wheeler, who will turn 27 later this month, will continue to be numbered among that group.

THE BIGGEST LOSERS — While the Brooklyn Nets may indeed have the personnel to perhaps challenge Miami in the NBA's Eastern Conference, former Celtics Paul Pierce, Kevin Garnett and Jason Terry are in for quite a financial surprise as they move to the Big Apple.

Primarily, welcome to tax-land. New York City has its own city income tax. It's graduated and in its current configuration the top rate in 3.876 percent. For top married wage earners like these three, that's about \$38,760

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LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Suffolk Probate and Family Court
24 New Chardon Street
Boston, MA 02114
(617) 788-8300
Docket No. SU98P1571
SHORT ORDER OF NOTICE
NOTICE AND ORDER:
PETITION FOR RESIGNATION OR
PETITION FOR REMOVAL
OF GUARDIANSHIP OF A MINOR

In the interest of
SARAH CHRISTINE GRIFFIN
Of: Chelsea, MA
Minor

NOTICE TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES

- Hearing Date/Time:** A hearing on a Petition to Resign as Guardian of a Minor or Petition for Removal of Guardian of a Minor filed by Sarah C. Griffin of Chelsea, MA on July 16, 2013 will be held August 20, 2013 9:00 AM Motion Located at 24 New Chardon Street, 3rd Floor, Boston, MA 02114 - Family Service Office
- Response to Petition:** You may respond by filing a written response to the Petition or by appearing in person at the hearing. If you choose to file a written response, you need to: File the original with the Court; and Mail a copy to all interested parties at least five (5) business days before the hearing
- Counsel for the Minor:** The minor (or an adult on behalf of the minor) has the right to request that counsel be appointed for the minor.
- Presence of the Minor at Hearing:** A minor over age 14 has the right to be present at any hearing, unless the Court finds that it is not in the minor's best interests.

THIS IS A LEGAL NOTICE: An important court proceeding that may affect your rights has been scheduled. If you do not understand this notice or other court papers, please contact an attorney for legal advice.
Date: July 18, 2013

Patricia M. Campatelli, Register of Probate
Run date 8/2/13

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Suffolk Probate and Family Court
24 New Chardon Street
Boston, MA 02114
(617) 788-8300
Docket No. SU13P1658GD

NOTICE OF ORDER:
PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT
OF GUARDIAN OF A MINOR

In the interest of
SARAH CHRISTINE GRIFFIN
Of: Chelsea, MA
Minor

NOTICE TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES

- Hearing Date/Time:** A hearing on a Petition for Appointment of Guardian of a Minor filed on July 16, 2013 by Joann J. Todisco of Chelsea, MA will be held August 20, 2013 9:00 AM Motion Located at 24 New Chardon Street, 3rd Floor, Boston, MA 02114 - Family Service Office
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