

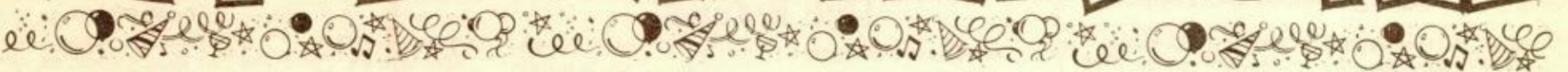
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HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL



Proposed CARD District And Navy Yard Development Topics Of B.R.A. Meeting

by Marianne Martin
The Boston Redevelopment Authority (BRA) made good on their promise to open their decision making process, as they presented Charlestown residents the opportunity to comment on future BRA action affecting the Charlestown area at a public meeting held on Wednesday, December 12, 1984 at the American Legion Hall.

Two areas of concern in Charlestown for the BRA presently are the recommended CARD program for the Sullivan Square

area and development within the Navy Yard.

Tentatively, the BRA is attempting to establish a Commercial Area Revitalization District (CARD) in order to "help" the Flatley Company and their plans to create a multi-use high technology research and development center in the former Schrafft's Candy Factory building.

Essentially, the CARD program affords commercial as well as mixed use development located within a specified area to be eligible for below

current interest rate loans from banks. These loans are termed as Industrial Revenue Bonds and generally have an interest rate 25% below the current commercial rate.

One criteria for determining an area's need for a CARD program, according to Chris Carlow, Assistant to the Director of the BRA, is that the area "be an older commercial area which has seen decline."

Carlow emphasized that the establishment of a CARD program is "not a zoning mechanism but (continued on page 4)

Christmas Tree Lighting Ceremony At Thompson Square



MAYOR RAYMOND L. FLYNN was in Charlestown recently to light the Christmas Tree in Thompson Square. The Mayor was joined by Joseph Flaherty, President of the Charlestown Board of Trade, along with local businessmen, residents, and

youngsters. The tree was donated by Joseph Barnes, Deputy Commissioner of the Boston Parks and Recreation Department and the lights were installed by J. F. Flaherty Company.

(photo by John Dillon)

Charlestown Taxpayers Due Refunds

The Massachusetts Department of Revenue listed Charlestown taxpayers who are due an extra holiday gift. The

Department is seeking to pay back \$705,868.73 in unclaimed refund checks to 6,675 people in Massachusetts, as well as

across the country and in 25 foreign countries.

Announcement of the list was made by Revenue Commissioner Ira A. Jackson, who noted that the checks range from the minimum \$1 up to \$5854.93. The average check value is \$105.74. The Department is prohibited by law from making public amounts due individual taxpayers on the list.

Last year, 1,757 previously unclaimed checks were picked up from the Department. The total amount refunded from the list was \$226,659.

Taxpayers of the refund list can now get their money after filling out a form available at the Revenue Department's

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Charlestown Community Calendar

This Week At A Glance

Thursday, December 27 Boston City Councillor Robert Travaglini Office Hours - 10:00 to 11:30 a.m. and 5:30 to 7:45 p.m. - Charlestown Community School Athletic Facility, 254 Medford Street Representative Richard A. Voke Office Hours - 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. - American Legion Hall, 27 Chestnut Street (office telephone 722-2130) Monday, December 31 New Year's Eve Party - 7:00 p.m. - Knights of Columbus Hall, 75 West School Street New Year's Eve Dinner Dance - 8:00 p.m. - St. Francis de Sales, Bishop Lawton Hall, 313 Bunker Hill Street New Year's Eve Party - 8:30 p.m. to 2:00 a.m. - St. Catherine's School Hall, Tufts Street Wednesday, January 2 Bunker Hill Irish Heritage Society Membership Meeting - 7:30 p.m. - American Legion Hall, 27 Chestnut Street

Upcoming Events

Thursday, January 3 Boston City Councillor Robert Travaglini Office Hours - 10:00 to 11:30 a.m. and 5:30 to 7:45 p.m. - Charlestown Community School Athletic Facility, 254 Medford Street Boston School Committeeman John A. Nucci Office Hours - 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. - Charlestown Community School, 254 Medford Street Representative Richard A. Voke Office Hours - 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. - American Legion Hall, 27 Chestnut Street (office telephone 722-2130) Sunday, January 6 Charlestown Preservation Society Meeting - 7:30 p.m. - First Baptist Church, 5 Monument Square Monday, January 14 Appreciation Party sponsored by Representative Richard A. Voke - 7:30 p.m. - K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street Wednesday, January 16 Court St. Jude No. 1123 Business Meeting - 7:30 p.m. - St. Francis de Sales, Bishop Lawton Hall, 313 Bunker Hill Street Saturday, January 19 Bunker Hill Irish Heritage Society Pub Nite - 8:00 p.m. - American Legion Hall, 27 Chestnut Street Tuesday, January 8 Films for Children - 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. - Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street Beginning Line Dance Lessons - 7:00 p.m. - K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street Police/Community Relations Meeting - 7:00 p.m. - Kent Community School, 50 Bunker Hill Street Dance Lessons - 8:00 p.m. - K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street Wednesday, January 9 C.C.R.D. Planning Meeting - 7:30 p.m. - American Legion Hall, 27 Chestnut Street Thursday, January 10 Book Discussion Group on Herzog by Saul Bellow - 6:30 p.m. - Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street

Charlestown Taxpayers Due Refunds

(continued from page 1) Boston headquarters at 100 Cambridge Street or at any of the Department's 10 District Offices. Information on refunds can be secured by calling 727-1200, extension 2162 in Boston, or any of the District Offices. In June the remaining unclaimed money will be turned over to the State Treasurer. Individuals due refunds can receive their money after that, but an additional step is involved. Charlestown taxpayers on the list are: Joseph Corrado of 66 Decatur Street, Jerry L. Ditsch of 90 Medford Street, Robert Flaherty of 290 Main Street, Lynn Flaherty of 1202 Eighth Street, Nancy O'Day of 5206 Eighth Street, Frank L. Ridley of 39 Pearl Street, Michael J. O'Day of 37 Mead Street, Jeanne Wilkinson of 67 Monument Avenue, Nguyen O. Van of 114 High Street, Salvatore Tartaglia of 16 Union Street and Thomas L. Snider of 19 School Street.

Kindergarten at St. Francis

There have been several inquiries concerning the opening of a Kindergarten in St. Francis de Sales School for September 1985. The faculty has given serious consideration to the proposal. In order to pursue plans for beginning a Kindergarten, it is necessary to determine how many parents would be interested in sending a youngster to St. Francis de Sales Kindergarten next September. If a sufficient number of parents are interested, there will be a meeting, January 16, at 1:30 p.m. in Bishop Lawton Hall at St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill Street.

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Notice is hereby given at 9:30 on Tuesday, January 8, 1985, a public hearing will be held by the Board of Appeal of the City of Boston in Room 801, City Hall upon the Appeal of Carol A. McClellan, Seeking reference to the premises at 54 Mystic Street, Ward 2. Variance from the terms of the Boston Zoning Code (see Acts of 1956, Chapter 665) in the following respect: Article(s) 15(15-1) 17(17-1) 20(20-1). To construct a two story addition as per plan. Legal occupancy is two family.

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Details on the event and photographs will be featured in an upcoming issue of the Patriot.

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A New Year's Wish

by Charlie McGonagle

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Become serenity,
May the clouds that kept the light away
Set your sunshine free.

May the rocky road you've traveled most
Be paved to smooth your ride
May the curator of peaceful times
Be your constant guide.



May the blizzard which has downed your tree
Be softly fallen snow,
May the sound that was so strange to you
Be one that now you know.



May your stories of sad endings
Now weave a finer quilt,
May your tunes of melancholy strains
Adopt a happy lilt.

May the mountains that have blocked your way
Become but rolling hills,
May the weeds that filled your garden
Be chased by daffodils.

May the tears you've shed for those who've passed
Evaporate with time,
May the memories they shaped for you
Help your verses rhyme.



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For every time you smile,
May the New Year's share of happiness
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Note Of Thanks

I want to express my deepest gratitude to all my friends and neighbors for all the good wishes, Masses, get well cards and gifts that I received during my recent illness.

I am starting on the road to recovery and hope to be

joining you all soon in good health.

Thank you sincerely and I wish to extend my best wishes to you all for Happy Holidays and a Healthy New Year.

Love,
Mary McGaffigan

Ring In The New Year At The K. Of C.

The New Year's Eve Party at the Bunker Hill Council No. 62, Knights of Columbus Hall has not been called off.

It will be held as advertised and tickets can be picked up at the K. of C. Building, 75 West School Street or by contacting

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rather a commercial incentive."

The Internal Revenue Department allows the lender of a commercial business within a CARD, a tax break on all monies lent. By means of this tax reduction, banks are able to offer the business a loan with an interest rate of 8 to 9%.

Carlow explained that after a bank pays taxes on loans which are 12%, the actual rate of return for a bank is 8 to 9%.

"It's a good deal," stated Carlow. "We get a good deal in that we get more investment. The bank gets the same rate of return and the developers gets a good deal because instead of 12% interest, they get 8 to 9%."

The term "bond", according to Carlow, is actually a "misnomer" since the financing is a loan, like any other loan, only the interest rate is lower.

Projects which receive the benefits of being within a CARD area are those involving commercial business under \$10 million and above \$200 to 250,000.

According to Carlow, and

BRA literature, the monetary limits of the development classify the projects as small to medium in size. Since the application fees involve the use of an attorney, the cost incurred in applying alone could range in the area of \$25,000. Carlow stated that projects under \$200,000 would not be recommended for inclusion in a CARD program.

Charlestown resident, Gus Charbonnier asked Carlow to define the term "commercial" for the audience. Carlow explained that the term referred to businesses in the category of "office, restaurant, retail and non-manufacturing."

Carlow explained that the original intention of the BRA was to benefit the Flatley Company. However, the state has required that the BRA extend the land area to be included in the CARD beyond the original plan of the Schrafft's building, back to the Little Mystic River waterfront.

The BRA then drew a tentative boundary for the CARD which was bounded by Spice Street, (beyond

Sullivan Square) and between Main Street and Rutherford Avenue as far as Baldwin Street, and from Schrafft's to the water.

Local businesses, such as B&B Oil and Liberty Bell Wholesale, favored this area since it included the BRA land parcel known as C-2 which is located on the area between Main Street and Rutherford Avenue. These businesses have expressed a desire to establish this area as future home for their displaced businesses.

Residents, on the other hand, who stated that while they do not wish to see local businesses "pushed out" of Charlestown, do not want businesses on this land for two reasons. First, many residents stated that since there limited available housing in Charlestown, they would prefer residential uses for the land rather than commercial. The second reason, is the proximity of the parcel to Baldwin Street and residential abutters.

According to Kathryn Downing, President of the Charlestown Preservation Society, there is a need "to protect the residential character of the entire length of Main Street. Trucks devalue residential areas."

According to Downing, the Preservation Society "definitely supports any residential use for the area."

Leo Carey, Executive Director of the Kennedy Center, asked Carlow if the state required a minimum square foot for the establishment of a CARD area.

Carlow stated that the size was not a specific area but a "judgemental" decision by the state.

The Preservation Society presented the BRA an alternative boundary for the CARD which instead of including the Main Street-Rutherford Avenue parcel would include all the land adjacent to the Little Mystic River along Medford Street.

The only possible hitch in this proposal, stated Carlow, is that Amstar located on Medford Street is manufacturing and does not fall with the definition of a CARD proposal.

While there are no restrictions prohibiting a manufacturing business to exist within a CARD since it is not a zoning ordinance, Carlow stated that the commercial incentive may cause another business to "buy out" Amstar in order to place commercial business on the land.

Carlow stated he would investigate the possibility of including a clause in the BRA-CARD proposal which would exclude the area which is owned by Amstar for as long as the use was manufacturing. Should the company choose to discontinue manufacturing or vacate the property at a future date, Carlow stated that the land could be included in the CARD.

The boundaries of the proposal will be redefined, stated Carlow, according to information presented by the residents.

The second topic of discussion presented at the public meeting was the status of development within the Navy Yard.

In the fall, the BRA issued developer kits for five buildings and two land parcels in the northeast section of the Navy Yard known as the Historic Monument Area. This land is owned by the Department of the Interior.

Carlow stated that the BRA received proposals from five development teams. However, there were no proposals received for the two land parcels.

Some of the area will be readvertised stated Carlow, namely the two parcels and possibly the buildings. Any decision made, however, by the BRA will result after each proposal is carefully read and "the best ideas from each proposal will become the minimum requirement for the tentative developer," stated Carlow.

One concern of the BRA, stated Carlow, is the possible "bedroom community" which could result if there is not a planned mixed use within the yard.

Many residents also expressed the same concern, but added that the development within the yard was "too rapid."

Carlow explained that while the BRA wishes "to move forward on all projects within the Yard simultaneously" there is an attempt on the part of the BRA to correct the pace.

Another concern expressed by the residents was the fact that after a tentative developer designation is granted, actual construction is not as rapid.

One means of correcting this situation is, according to Carlow, the proposal to impose a waiting fee for each month a project remains in the tentative designation stage until the developer is awarded final designation. The fee would range in the area of \$1000 per month.

"That way," stated Carlow, "The developers would not drag their feet."

In the five proposals before the BRA, two are intended for Buildings 75 and 106, and the remaining

three are for Buildings 266 and 114. Building P, which was not included in the BRA developer kit, was, however, included in two of the proposals received. Carlow stated the BRA has not made a decision as to whether to include P in their discussions.

The Nicosia Company and Basilica Associates Limited Partnership are two development teams who have submitted proposals for Buildings 75 and 106.

President Maria Nicosia of the Nicosia Company has proposed office use for both buildings. The Vitteta Group is the architect firm for the design.

Basilica Associates, with general partners the National Association of Government Employees (NAGE) Housing, Inc. and Paul May, are proposing mixed use for both buildings. In Building 75, they propose to construct 25,000 square feet of office condominiums and in Building 106, they propose retail use on the ground floor of 9,750 square feet, 61 condominium units ranging between 700 and 1200 square feet and 87 parking spaces for the condominiums.

Carlow said that the problem with the Basilica Associates' proposal is that since the land is only managed by the BRA and owned by the Department of the Interior, it was questionable whether condominiums can be sold on leased land. "From a marketing point of view," stated Carlow, "When people buy condo, they own to the center of the earth."

As for Buildings 266 and 114, three development teams are seeking tentative designation. They are Conroy-Heafitz Development Team; Fifth Avenue Professional Center Limited Partnership; and Housing Associates.

The Conroy-Heafitz Development Team is (continued on page 11)

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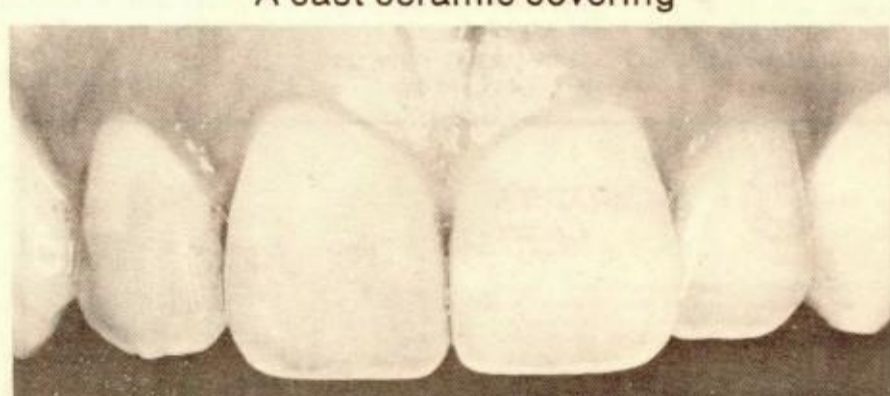
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**Mayor Flynn Presents Proclamation At
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MAYOR RAYMOND L. FLYNN, presented proclamations at the Boston Housing Authority Christmas celebration to Police Lt. Francis Roache, Father Thomas Conway, Ed Sweeney, and Mary MacInnes for their support of the Charlestown Development and the Charlestown community. The celebration took place at St. Catherine's on Thursday, December 20th. Shown (l. to r.) Lt. Francis M. Roache,

Boston Police Department; Father Thomas Conway, Saint Catherine's Parish; William Knox, Manager, Bunker Hill Housing Development; Mayor Raymond Flynn; Mary MacInnes, present Bunker Hill Tenant Task Force Chairperson; Claricia Mitchell, Boston Housing Authority, Area Director, North Area Developments; and Edward Sweeney, former Chairperson Bunker Hill Tenants Task Force.

Receive Honors

Sister M. Annata Falla, CSJ, principal of Pope John High School in Everett, is pleased to announce that two Charlestown students received honors during the first academic marking period.

Emily Riley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Riley of 50 Medford Street received Honorable Mention. She is a member of the Class of 1986.

Kathleen Kacvinsky, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Kacvinsky of 32 Dunstable Street, also received Honorable Mention. She is a member of the Class of 1988.

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Major Raymond E.A. Longo, son of Raymond E. and Mary J. Longo of 126 Old Ironsides Way, Charlestown, has been decorated upon retirement from the U.S. Air Force, culminating 20 years in the military.

Longo received the Bronze Star at Pope Air

Force Base, North Carolina, for participation in the Grenada operation.

The Bronze Star Medal is awarded to individuals for meritorious achievement or service during armed conflict.

He was an airlift control element operations officer

with the 317th Tactical Airlift Wing at Pope.

His wife, Norma, is the daughter of John F. McFaddin of Staunton, Virginia.

The major received a master's degree in 1976 from the University of Wyoming, Laramie.

Here's Wishing prosperity and luck to my Charlestown friends.

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Boston School Committee



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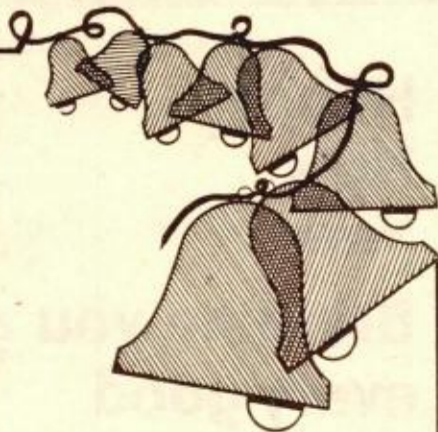
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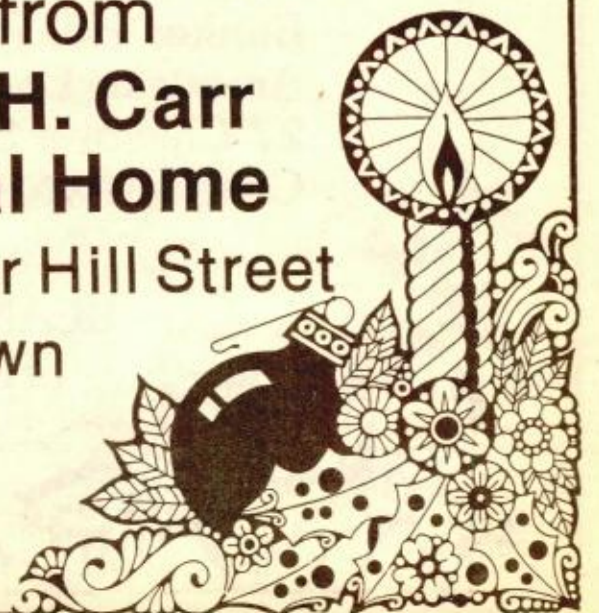
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Boston Students Relive History In Joint Educational Project

The fact that in 1765 American colonists were required by Parliamentary mandate to purchase stamps for newspapers, playing cards and marriage licenses may

seem like pale history today in a world filled with space shuttles and heart transplants.

But without opposition to the British Stamp Act by patriots like Patrick Henry

and the Sons of Liberty, the American Revolution may not have turned out as it did - and Boston fourth graders might not have had the chance to discover the connection between events

two hundred years ago in their own city and the world as it is today.

In a unique project to familiarize fourth graders in Boston public and parochial schools with the sites that make up the Boston National Historical Park, the Education Department of the Catholic Archdiocese of Boston, the City of Boston School Department, the National Park Service and John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Co. have joined together in a collaborative effort to provide students with the opportunity to learn how Boston's people and places have helped shape history of New England and the United States.

Students from Charlestown schools will be among those participating in the "People and Places" program, which is being funded over a three-year period through a \$16,000 grant from John Hancock.

The students first learn about and then visit the sites, which include the Old State House, Charlestown Navy Yard, USS Constitution Museum, Bunker Hill Monument, Old North Church and others. Pre-visit classroom activities are conducted prior to the field trip and are followed up with post-visit classroom activities.

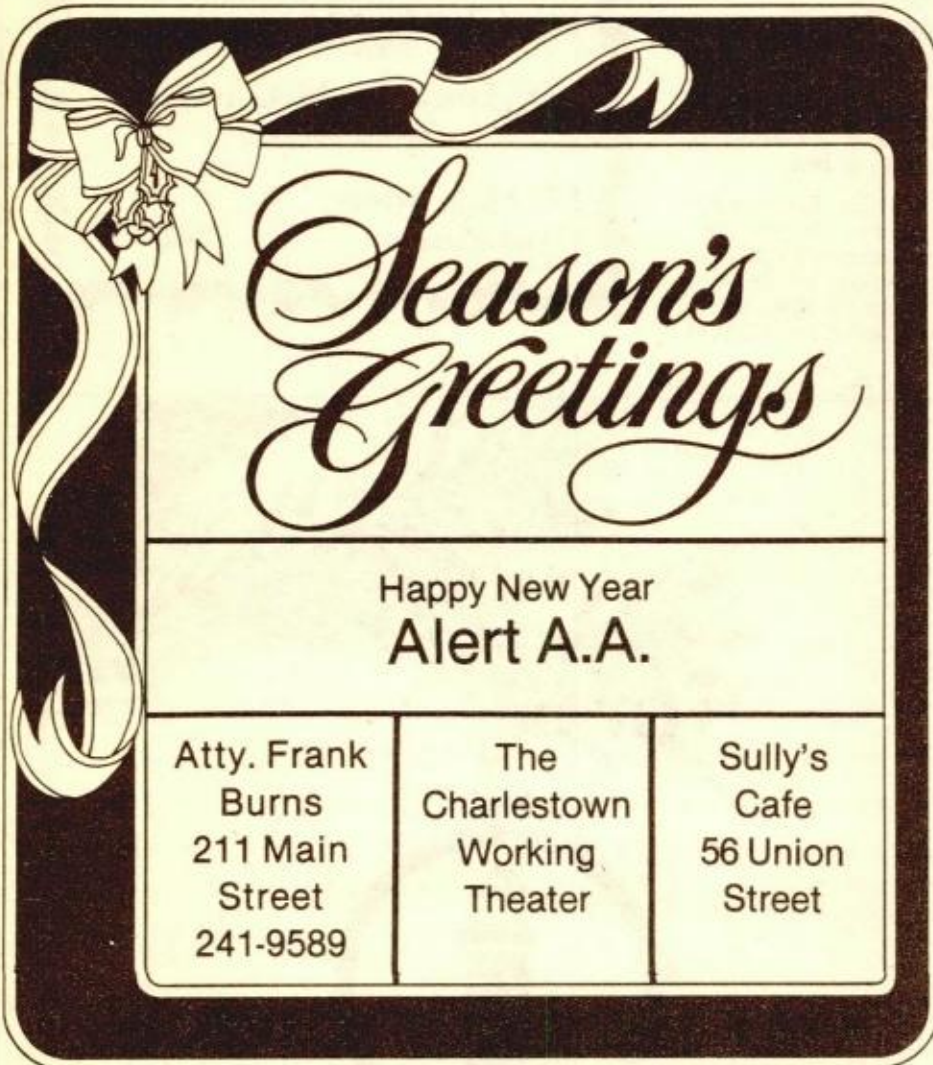
During their visit, students will participate in a

wide range of interpretive and educational learning experiences. A variety of support materials have been developed which will provide students with information and stimulate further research and review.

"People and Places" offers students five different programs, each with its own theme: "A Stamp Act Crisis" involves a visit to Faneuil Hall and the Old State House; "Powder Monkeys and Captains" is highlighted by a visit to the Charlestown Navy Yard and the USS Constitution; "Merchants and Farmers in Battle" involves a day at the Bunker Hill Monument; "Paul Revere: Working Class Hero" includes students visiting the Old North Church and the Paul Revere House; and "Resisting for Justice" features a visit to the Old South Church.

"This collaboration between Boston's public and parochial schools, the National Park Service and John Hancock is significant both for the educational growth of our city's children and for the potential future partnerships between the government and business sectors," said John Burchill, superintendent of Boston National Historic Park.

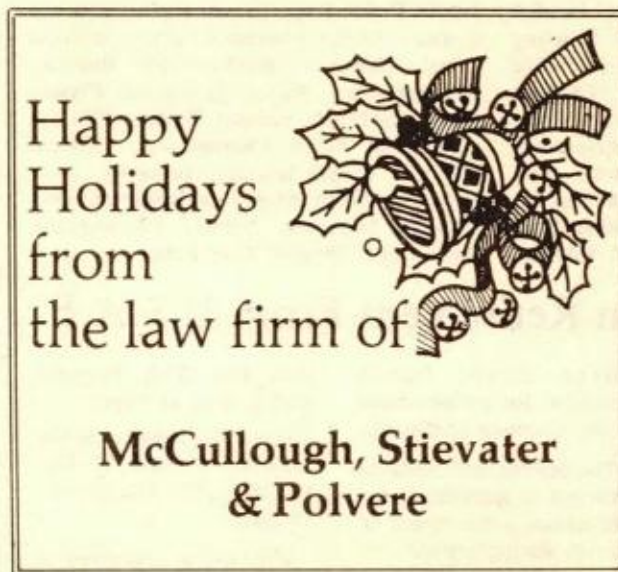
Visits to the National Historical Park sites will continue until early April.




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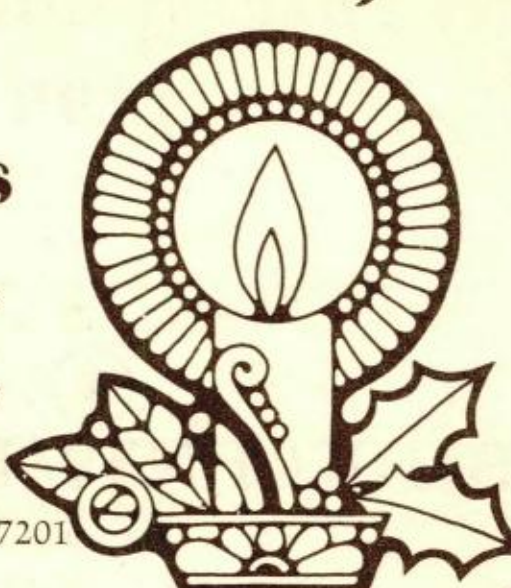


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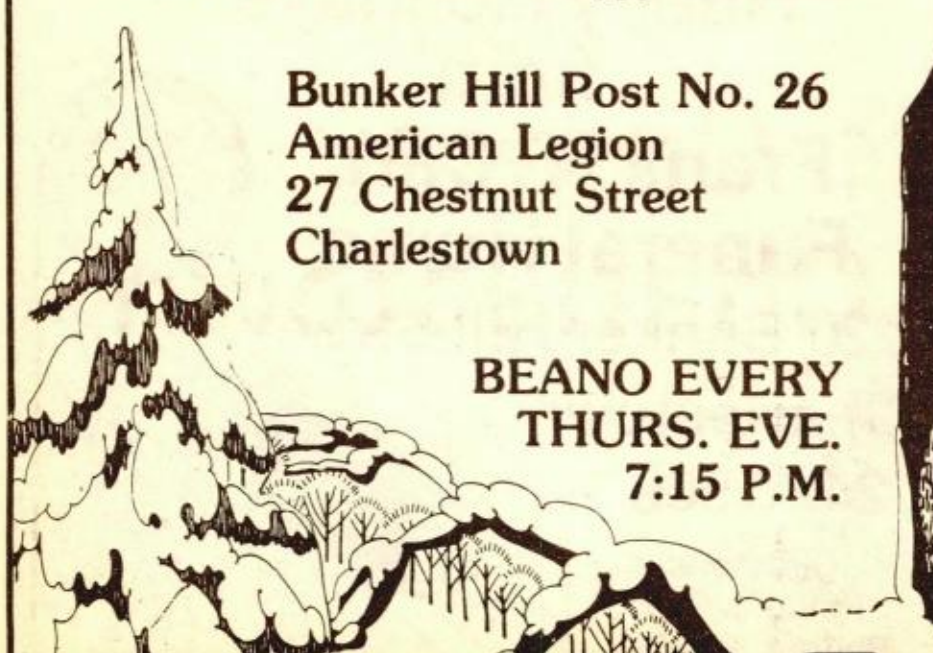
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Voke Appointed To Alzheimer's Disease Committee

Representative Richard A. Voke was recently appointed by Governor Michael S. Dukakis as a member of a special committee to study the problem of "Alzheimer's Disease."

In accepting the appointment from Governor Dukakis, Representative Voke stated that he was both honored and pleased to be chosen by the Govern-

nor to serve on this most distinguished committee consisting of doctors, experts in the field of Gerontology, families of Alzheimer's victims as well as top government officials including Secretary of the Executive Office of Human Services, Philip Johnston and Secretary of Elder Affairs Richard H. Rowland.

Representative Voke ex-

plained that Alzheimer's Disease, also known as the "Silent Epidemic," is now recognized as the most common cause of severe intellectual impairment in older adults. The disease is a progressive disorder of the brain that gradually erodes memory, thought and language, it accounts for more than one half of all cases of senility in this country. Alzheimer's Disease affects 4 to 6% of people over 65 and is expected to increase to 10 to 15% in the next 10 to 15 years. Approximately 1.5 million people are affected nationwide. Alzheimer's is destructive to its victim's

personality and identity. It can strike anyone and it brings great anguish and deep frustration to those afflicted and to their family and friends.

The purpose of the Alzheimer's Disease Committee by statute is to make recommendations to the Governor for adequate care and support for the victims of this dread disease and their families.

Representative Voke explained that home care, insurance and institutional services for the estimated 30,000 people in Massachusetts who suffer from Alzheimer's Disease are virtually non-existent,

while the physical and emotional strains of caring for an Alzheimer's patient are further exacerbated by the absence of adequate reimbursement mechanisms to alleviate some of the financial burdens. Public services have traditionally been withheld from families who choose to retain a care giving function as opposed to relinquishing care to an institution. There is an urgent need for such community based programs as in-home supportive services, day care programs designed especially for the Alzheimer's type patient and respite care beds that

can be used on a daily or week-end basis.

Representative Voke stated that it is his hope that the committee will address these important issues along with the issue of Institutional Care, the impact and needs of assistance to the family's of Alzheimer's victims as well as assessing the states current programs and the research of both the social and medical effects of the disease.

Representative Voke expects the committee to report its findings and make recommendations to the Governor by June 1, 1985.

New Year's Church Services

SAINT CATHERINE of SIENA CHURCH HAYES SQUARE


New Year's Eve Mass-4:00 p.m.
New Year's Day Masses-9:00 and 11:00 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.

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New Year's Eve Masses-4:00 and 7:30 p.m.
New Year's Day Masses-8:30, 10:00 and 11:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

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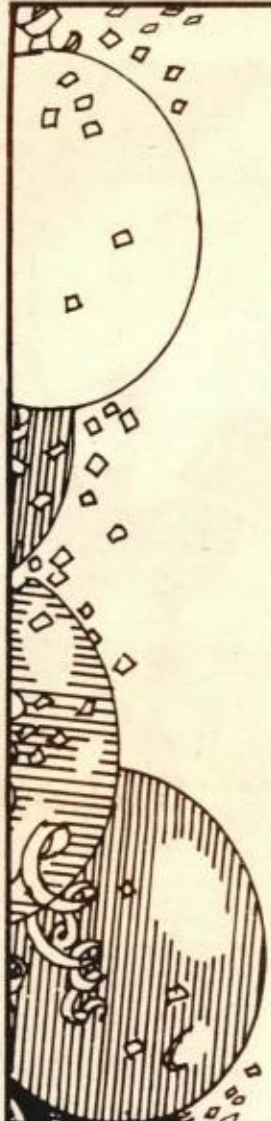
New Year's Eve Masses-4:00 and 5:30 p.m.
New Year's Day Masses-7:30, 9:30 a.m. and 12:15 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.



Happy Holidays To All from

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Best Wishes for a Happy New Year

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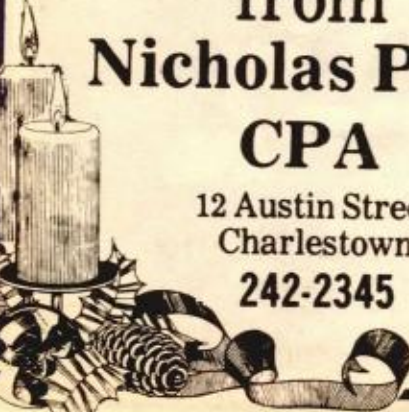



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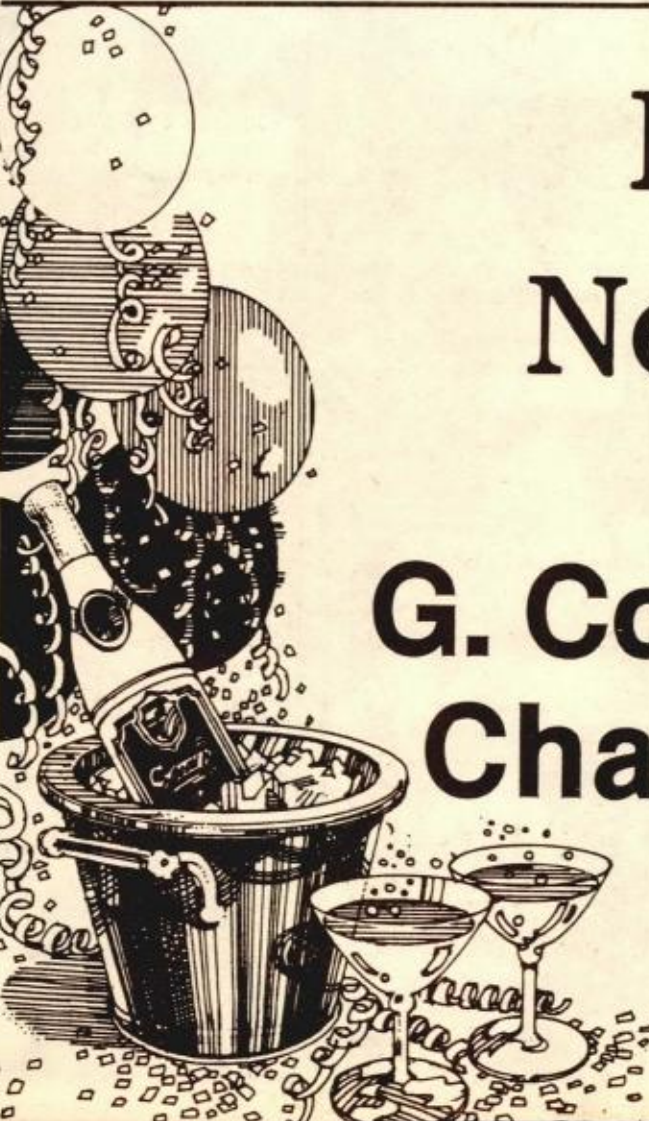
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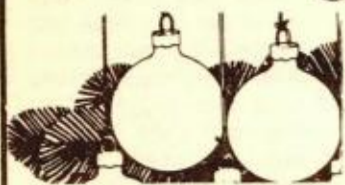
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Happy New Year from G. Conway, Inc. Charlestown

At Warren Tavern

Charlestown Board Of Trade Sponsors Christmas Party For Local Children



photos by John Dillon

Local youngsters enjoyed a Christmas Party recently at the Warren Tavern, sponsored by The Charlestown Board of Trade.

Santa was the star of the event and he presented gifts to each of the children as they sat on his lap.

The Charlestown Board of Trade wishes to thank Vinnie D'Angelo, Tom and Paula Jackson (Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus) and the Warren Tavern for their assistance in making this event a success.



On Elder Advisory Committee

Edith Healy of Charlestown was recently sworn in by Governor Michael S. Dukakis to the Citizens Advisory Committee of the Executive Office of Elder Affairs. This is a 48 member legally mandated committee on which the individual member

serves a three year term. As Governor Michael S. Dukakis swore in the Committee, he noted the "outstanding contributions made by the state's elder activist network." The Citizens Advisory Committee advises Elder Affairs Secretary Richard H.

Rowland on local concerns affecting the elderly in communities throughout the Commonwealth as well as policy issues affecting all Massachusetts elders. In this capacity, CAC members assist Secretary Rowland in assuring that those concerns are appropriately reflected in EOEA policy and planning.

Secretary Rowland expressed pleasure at the dedication and effectiveness which the Citizens Advisory Committee has displayed in the past. He said, "CAC members have made significant contributions to the growth and improvement of elder ser-

VICES offered in their respective communities. It is with great pleasure that I look forward to working with this distinguished group of elder advocates."

Among the Committee's members are Frank J. Manning, founder and President of the Mas-

sachusetts Association of Older Americans and the Legislative Council for Older Americans; Edward Bernays, nationally acclaimed fore-runner in the field of Public Relations; Myra Herrick, Director of the Boston Office of the National Association for the Advancement of

Retired Persons; and Chairwoman of the Citizens Advisory Committee Evelyn Greenman who is also the originator of local programming for elders in Massachusetts and former Director of the Brookline Council on Aging



Senior Citizen Lunch Program

The Kit Clark Senior House provides lunches for Senior Citizens on Monday through Friday under the Title III Senior Nutrition Program at the Rutherford Avenue Senior Center, 114 Rutherford Avenue.

MENU

Friday, December 28 - Crispy baked fish, au gratin potato, cole slaw, ginger bread with applesauce, rye bread with oleo.

Monday, December 31 - Navy bean soup with crackers, BBQ pork rib patty, green beans, chilled fruit, Canadian brown bread with oleo.

Tuesday, January 1 - HOLIDAY - ALL SITES CLOSED

Wednesday, January 2 - Roast turkey with gravy, mashed potato, sliced carrots, cranberry sauce, prunes, dinner roll with oleo.

Thursday, January 3 - Veal marsala, rice pilaf, oriental blend vegetable, sour dough bread with oleo, strawberry bavarian.

Milk served with all above meals

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Land Use And Development In Charlestown

Barbara Thornton is the co-chair of the Charlestown Citizens for Rational Development. She has her own consulting firm specializing in planning and management. She has lived in Charlestown with her family for over 12 years. She will periodically contribute columns to the Patriot on issues of land use and development.

ZONING

A ZONING MAP must be developed through public process. This map shows existing lots, parcel sizes and development. It is divided into districts representing the different kinds of uses the community feels are appropriate. Charlestown's zoning map is heavily industrial, including manufacturing and waterfront uses, around the edges of the community. The center of the community is mainly for residential uses, with some area for local businesses.

THE ZONING COMMISSION, is a group of eleven people appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the City

Council. This group is responsible for adopting, amending and repealing zoning regulations.

THE ZONING BOARD OF APPEAL has five members. It grants variances, conditional uses and exceptions to the Zoning Code and to the Building Code, in response to applicants who have been refused permits.

The zoning process uses several tools in order to work effectively to protect and preserve the environment of the community. It depends heavily on the public expectation that it is fair and equitable, providing no special privileges and offering a process that allows public citizens and private land owners to express their interests and concerns.

Zoning has certain specific tools, technical means that are used to limit land use and development. These include: the definition of use (residential, business, industrial), lot size, lot frontage, front, side and rear yard dimensions, open space per dwelling unit, height, set back of parapet (the edge of the roof), Floor Area Ratio (the mass of a building), and off street parking.

Boston's Zoning Code has not been rewritten for many years. Experts generally agree that it is in need of a complete revision. The Zoning Board of Appeals hears hundreds of cases a year and is backlogged for two or three months. Experts feel that a zoning code that better reflects the community's vision of Boston in the 1980's would result in less use of the Zoning Board of Appeals. The zoning for Charlestown reflects a community that is heavily industrial, dominated by the Navy Yard and sugar factories. Most Charlestown people probably now think of this community as a place to live rather than a place to work in industry. Zoning should reflect this new image.

More information on zoning is available from Linda Bourque or Noreen O'Toole, B.R.A., City Hall, 722-4300, extension 331. They have published a useful guide, Zoning Procedures, 1984.

You Don't Have To Choose Booze Mocktails

The holiday season is upon us. The Suffolk County Cooperative Extension Service, Expanded Food Nutrition and Education Program reminds "you don't have to choose booze." Listed below are some classic punch and traditional drink recipes for your merry-making, with one major twist - they contain no alcohol and are delicious.

FROZEN STRAWBERRY DAQUIRI (Yield: 3 cups)

1/3 can frozen limeade concentrate
1 cup cold water
Approximately 10-15 frozen whole strawberries, unsweetened

Put frozen limeade and water in blender; blend at high speed. Add frozen strawberries, one at a time. Continue blending until drink is thick and frothy.

PINA COLADA (Yield: 3 cups)

1/2 cup fresh, whole milk
1/2 cup pineapple juice
1 tablespoon coconut extract
1/4 teaspoon rum extract
2-3 ice cubes

Put milk, pineapple juice, coconut and rum extracts in blender. Blend mixture at high speed. Add ice cubes, one at a time, and blend. Continue blending until drink is thick and frothy.

LOW-CAL EGGNOG (Yield: 8 ounces)

Calories: 190 (if you use skim milk, contains 160 calories)
3 ounces low-fat milk (1 percent)
1 egg
1/4 teaspoon rum extract
1 packet sugar substitute
Ground nutmeg

Put all ingredients (except nutmeg) in blender. Mix at medium speed until well blended. Pour drink into a glass. Top with nutmeg for garnish.

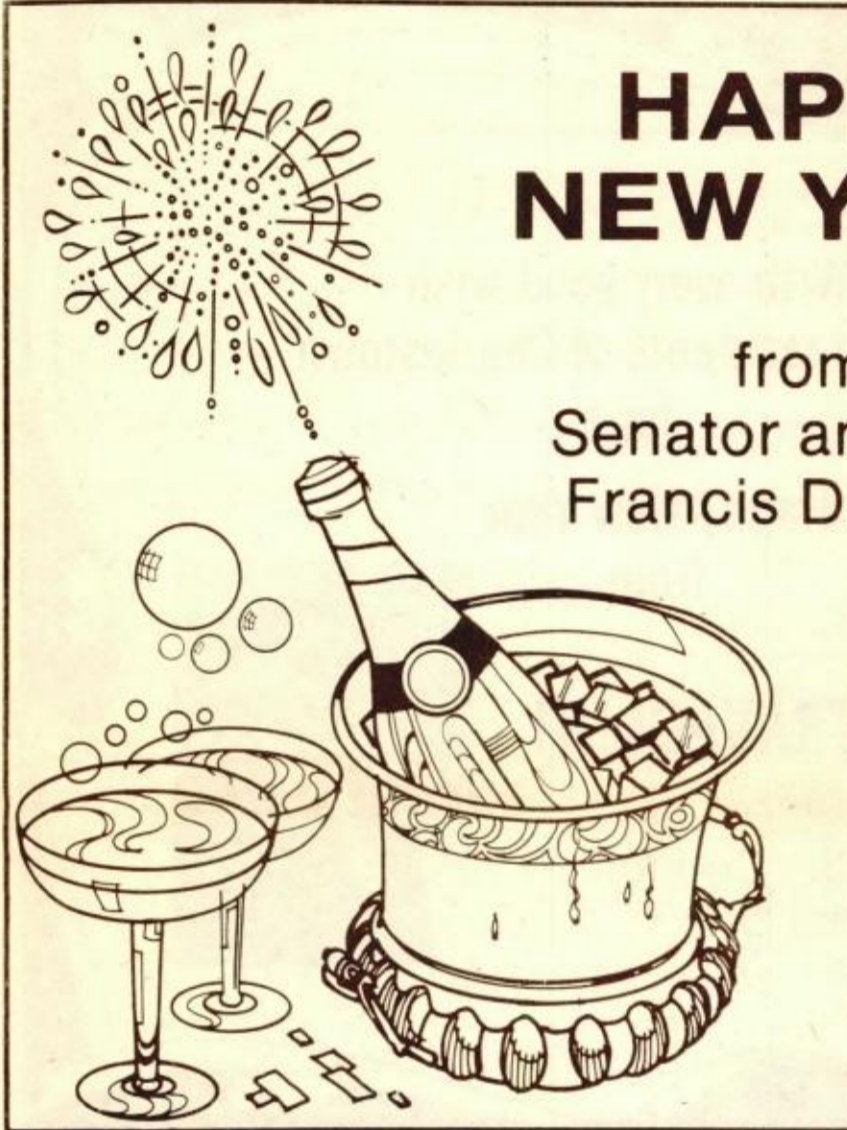
HOLIDAY DELIGHT (Yield: 1 1/2 quarts)

16 ounces orange juice
16 ounces pineapple juice
8 ounces cranberry juice
8 ounces club soda
Half of a lemon, sliced thin
Half of a lime, sliced thin
One orange, sliced thin
8 drops food coloring (optional)

Pour orange, pineapple and cranberry juices into Punch Bowl or large, clear glass pitcher. Add sliced fruit. Just before serving, add club soda and 1 cup crushed ice.

This information is provided by the Expanded Food Nutrition and Education Program (E.F.N.E.P.) of the Suffolk County Cooperative Extension Service. E.F.N.E.P. is a free nutrition education program for low-income homemakers with children. The agency also provides information and assistance on a wide variety of topics, such as: meal planning, freezing foods, balancing a budget, etc.

If you need help or more information, please call 727-4107 or write The Suffolk County Cooperative Extension Service, E.F.N.E.P. - Room 803, 150 Causeway Street, Boston, MA 02114.



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CARD District And Navy Yard Topics Of Meeting

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composed on general partner Heafitz and Company, Lewis Heafitz president; and Limited Partners of Conroy Development Company, Terence Conroy president; and Bay State Investors, Inc., Thomas P. O'Neill, III, president.

The Conroy-Heafitz proposal involves Building 266 and P and creating five office suites with a total of 32,600 square feet. Heafitz and Company, Inc. will occupy one suite and serve as property management. Ten parking spaces have also been designed for handicapped and visitor parking. The architects for the proposal include the Aldrich Company (a subsidiary of the Carlson Group); Ann Beha Associates (Preservation Architect); and the Bay State/Bostonian Group Realty Corporation.

Fifth Avenue Professional Center Limited Partnership consists of Dr. Robert Guen as a 2% general partner and an unidentified 98% limited partner. John Priestley, former Board of Appeal Chairman for the City of Boston, is the architect. Legal Council is City Councillor Larry DiCara. This proposal is for four office suites in Building 266 with a total square footage of 21,000. The developer will occupy one suite and parking will be provided on site.

The third development team, Housing Associates, has submitted plans for both Buildings 114 and 266 as well as, P. In Building 114, they propose to construct 70,000 square feet of office use and 10,000 square feet of possible restaurant space. There will be 42 parking spaces provided on site. For Building 266 and P, the Housing Associates propose 27,000 total square feet of office use with Joseph Timilty of Guthrie and Partners as possible tenants. Thirty-four parking spaces will be provided on site.

Kathryn Downing, Charlestown Preservation Society President, and Leo Carey, Executive Director of the Kennedy Center, both commented on the BRA's handling of the Navy Yard.

Downing stated that the

process of allowing residents of Charlestown the opportunity to comment on the use of land prior to issuance of developers' kits should be afforded.

Carey stated that he thought the BRA should tighten the process in order to allow all interested developers an equal chance to submit proposals.

Barbara Thorton, Co-Chair of the Charlestown Citizens for Rational Development, suggested that there be "a concept of linkage" established to help who are granted designation in order to help development in other areas of the town.

Carlow told the residents, "Those are all good suggestions" and the BRA is "trying to put together a committee which is representative of all Charlestown neighborhood concerns."

"The Charlestown Navy Yard Committee is a complete farce," stated resident Jim Conway in regards to the present committee which was established in the early 1970's under the White administration.

Conway called the committee a "political patsy" which only served as "window dressing" since it was BRA controlled the committee which met infrequently.

Carey stated that the committee was "essential" for the BRA.

Conway stated that in order for a committee to be successful, it should be controlled by the local residents who with a chairman responsible for calling the meeting which should be open-ended thus allowing non-committee members an opportunity to have input, and the committee should be accessible to anyone wishing to reach them.

A major concern expressed was the accessibility of the Navy Yard itself, not only to Charlestown residents but to anyone wishing to enter the grounds.

Several suggestions were presented by residents which included a harbor-side "quality" restaurant with a view of the harbor and the downtown skyline.

One resident stated a restaurant would be

"magnificent not only for us" but for those in the Greater Boston area.

"If it (the Navy Yard) stays condos or high rentals, it won't be accessible to anyone except those who live there," stated resident Paul McNally. "You might as well keep it (the Navy Yard) government property."

Many residents stated that the entrance to the Navy Yard is a discouragement to those wishing to enter the property. The presence of a security guard and the high brick wall surrounding the grounds prevents the public from entering the area which is public property.

"It's a public park," stated BRA Navy Yard Project Manager, Jim English.

According to English, the guards who are paid by developer, Immobiliare,

and not the BRA are there to provide direction and "have no right to restrict or discourage access to the park."

Kathryn Downing asked if it were possible for the MBTA to run a bus route through the yard.

English stated that while the "T" was willing to do so, there was "not a sufficient population." Presently, Immobiliare provides the residents of Eighth Street a shuttle bus into downtown Boston.

As for future plans within the yard, Downing asked Carlow if the BRA board would allow the community have a chance to review the plans.

Carlow stated if possible all efforts would be made on the part of the BRA to grant the community input.

"Try and keep us honest. And we'll try to be honest

without you trying to keep us honest," stated the Assistant to the Director.

Carlow reminded residents that community input into the BRA and their actions is encouraged. If

anyone wishes to contact the BRA, they can do so by writing to either BRA Director Stephen Coyle or Chris Carlow at One City Hall Square, Boston, MA 02201.

Facts About Drugs — F.A.D.

"I didn't drink that much!" "I'm so embarrassed about what I said." These are common morning after remarks.

What does happen after the first beer or glass of wine or highball? There are all sorts of ways that alcohol enters the body system. How you feel is dependent upon a lot of factors: how much you ate, how fast you drink, how tired or happy you are, and how much alcohol you drink at a time. Mix other drugs with alcohol and it is almost impossible to gage what will happen.

After alcohol is drunk, it goes right into the stomach. A little goes through the wall of the stomach and into the blood stream, but most of the alcohol goes down into the small intestine. This is where it primarily goes through the walls of the intestine into the bloodstream. The blood stream then carries the alcohol to all parts of the body such as the brain, heart and liver. As the blood, carrying the alcohol, passes through the liver, the liver changes the alcohol to water, carbon dioxide, and energy. This process is called oxidation. The liver can oxidize only about one-half ounce of alcohol an hour. This means about one drink per hour. Until the liver is able to get rid of all the alcohol, the blood stream continues passing the alcohol through all parts of the body.

As the alcohol passes into the brain, it numbs the area first where our judgements are made. This is why people who drink often do things they may not judge to be safe or funny (like driving, dancing wildly, etc.) if they were not drinking.

Keep these facts in mind during the Holiday season. Don't drink and drive. Happy New Year!

Any questions or thoughts, call Mimi White, Charlestown Boys and Girls Club, 242-1775.

NEWS FROM THE HILL ★ NEWS FROM THE HILL The Massachusetts General Hospital BUNKER HILL HEALTH CENTER 73 High Street ★ Charlestown 242-5700

We regret to announce that Dr. Robert Leet will be leaving the Bunker Hill Health Center at the end of December to expand his activities with the Multigroup Health Plan. Dr. Leet has provided fifteen years of dedicated service to the Massachusetts General Hospital and the Charlestown community, and will be greatly missed by patients and co-workers alike. We wish him all the best in his new position.

We are very pleased to have added Dr. Constance Walker to the Adult Medicine staff in November. Dr. Walker is a graduate of New York University and received her medical degree from the University of California at Davis. She completed residency training in both Internal Medicine and Family Practice at the Montefiore Hospital and Medical Center in New York, and had been an assistant professor in the Department of Family Medicine of the University of Connecticut. Dr. Walker comes to us with a very great interest in and experience at community medicine.

Dr. Barbara Penn will return from maternity leave on January 7. Dr. Penn, whose son was born on October 4, appreciated the many good wishes from her patients. We are very much looking forward to having her rejoin us.

Dr. Muriel Gillick, who is expecting her second child shortly, will also be taking maternity leave for three months.

We understand that these changes in our medical staff can be very difficult, and we ask for your patience and assistance as we strive to continue to provide excellent personalized medical care. Please call us at 242-5757 for appointments or with any questions or concerns that you may have.

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Little League News

The Charlestown Little League has been in gear for months preparing for the 1985 season. We would appreciate it very much if Little League graduates would return their uniforms, pants and shirts, to the managers or to John Curtin, 24 Monument Square, third floor.

We would like to wish a Happy, Healthy, and Prosperous New Year to

all our sponsors, business people and individuals who have supported Little League financially, as well as to the players and parents. Also, to the officers, managers, coaches and umpires who do double duty throughout the year and to the Charlestown Patriot and its great staff for the excellent coverage they gave us at all times.

Many thanks,
John Curtin

C.Y.H.A. News

All of Charlestown Youth Hockey would like to welcome it's first female hockey player, Patty Reilly. Patty played in her first game last Sunday for the Squirt B team. This is a first for the Charlestown Youth Hockey Program.

NEXT WEEK'S GAMES

- Friday, December 28**
Pee Wee B vs. Danvers at 6:00 p.m.
- Saturday, December 29**
Squirt A - Christmas Tournament
Pee Wee A - Christmas Tournament
- Sunday, December 30**
Mite B vs. Lynn at 10:00 a.m.
Mite A - Christmas Tournament
Squirt B - Christmas Tournament
- Monday, December 31**
Bantam B has a bye
- Tuesday, January 1**
Bantam A vs. Swampscott at 8:20 p.m.

Massport Sponsors Charlestown Swim Team

Massport Executive Director David W. Davis announced that the Authority has contributed \$1,000 for the sponsorship of the Charlestown "Townies" Swim Team which will participate in joint programming with the South Boston Boys' Club Swim Team during the 1984-85 swim season.

Davis said "Massport is pleased to once again assist this joint swim program which will enable

both Charlestown and South Boston residents to gain increase exposure to the world of competitive athletics, especially in the Northeast New England area where they compete."

Assisting programs like the Charlestown/South Boston swim team is only a small part of Massport's overall commitment to work closely with residents to help make their community a better place in which to live.

World Of Wheels Show At Bayside Exposition Center

Packing Boston's Bayside Exposition Center with custom vehicles and attractions, the 11th annual Budweiser World of Wheels show is the largest in its history, according to show manager Mike Sheridan. Among the attractions will be the ZZ Top Eliminator, Bigfoot and the Budweiser Lola T-800 Indy Racer, which join three other vehicles that, he says, have set atten-

dance records wherever they've appeared.

The Budweiser World of Wheels, New England's premiere automotive event, features more than 200 custom vehicles of all types, specially customized feature vehicles and attractions like television stars, according to Sheridan. The show is one of the few International Show Car Association top 5A-rated events in the country and is part of the \$750,000 Winston Championship Auto Shows' annual series.

The Bayside Exposition Center is located near the JFK Library, and can be reached from the

Patriots Garner \$46,200 For Boys And Girls Clubs

Although the New England Patriots didn't make the playoffs, their playing paid off generously for the Boys and Girls Clubs of Boston.

With the season over for the Patriots, they managed to tally a total of 462 points in four preseason and 16 regular games, 129 points more than last season. Every time the Patriots scored a point, it meant \$100 for the Boys and Girls Clubs of Boston, a non-

profit organization of more than 5,000 youngsters, from Frito-Lay, maker of Lay's and Ruffles brand potato chips and Fritos brand corn chips. This is the ninth year that Frito-Lay has teamed with the Patriots in this worthy community project, according to Phil Thomas, Frito-Lay Division Sales Manager. Over the past eight seasons Frito-Lay has contributed Boys and Girls Clubs of Boston for the points scored by the Patriots. The youngsters will receive an additional \$46,200 for the season just completed that makes a grand total of \$380,800.

Skating Lessons

Glide into 1985 on your ice skates! Group ice skating lessons for children ages four and up and adults will begin in January at the following local MDC rinks; Hyde Park, Revere, Waltham, Cleveland Circle, Milton, North End, Quincy, Somerville, Medford - LoConte, Medford-Flynn, Newton-Brighton, Neponset and West Roxbury. Find the rink nearest you and "Ice-ercise."

Skills will be taught by the Bay State Ice Skating School's professional instructors. Classes are for beginners and for those who already know how to skate and want to improve and learn new skills.

Weekday afternoon classes meet at 3:30 and 4 p.m., Saturday classes at noon, and evening classes at 7 p.m. Most series are seven weeks for \$35, plus a weekly rink admission fee of 50 cents child and \$1 adult, a reasonable fee for keeping fit while having fun and meeting new friends. Ice skating is a learning experience for children, adults, and families.

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Under the direction of Sister Miriam Terese, "The Cushing Chorus" has put together what will be a most sought after keepsake of musical selections, including such standard "hits" as "Climb Every Mountain," "Where Is Love?," "Friends With You," "Consider Yourself," "How Great Thou Art," and everybody's favorite... "Alleluia."

An accomplished pianist, violinist and mezzo-soprano herself, Sister Miriam Terese has been a special education teacher for over 27 years, and the rewarding experience of teaching special children, special music, is evidenced in this stupendous (if not miraculous) musical achievement, as well as representing many, many hours of hard and dedicated work by the 38 chorus members - all students at the Cardinal Cushing School and Training Center (formerly known as St. Coletta's). Cardinal Cushing must be very, very (and justifiably) proud.

This dedicated nun, and her charges, first came to our attention through a performance at Faneuil Hall, one of many such performances now held away from the school each year. Notwithstanding the too many physical handicaps they endure, their singing abounds with love, is enthusiastically presented and brings an indescribable joy of spirit to their audience. There wasn't a dry eye in the house that day, believe me, and mine are more than just moist as I write of this happy, fulfilling memory.

We understand that a framed message hangs in the chorus room, stating "The Lord respects me when I work but He loves me when I sing," and that Sister's office is dotted with pictures of her patron saint (The Little Flower, St. Therese), special paintings and musical mementos (including an autographed picture of John Denver), but she'll be reading here - for the first time - of my self-appointment as President of her Fan Club. "He works in mysterious ways," and Sister Miriam Terese's generous sharing and application of her talents with His special children allows us all to witness "His wonders to behold."

We've ordered our copy of the album, and suggest to you that you'll want your own, and perhaps others as gifts. The cost is \$10, and they can be picked up at the school at 376 Washington St., Hanover, weekdays 9 to 5. Mail orders are also accepted, but please add \$2 postage. They will also be retailed at special events in the New England area, and The Mustard Seed, at 664 Gallivan Blvd., Dorchester, is expected to have a limited supply available in the near future.

And do watch for an appearance of the Cushing Chorus in your area. Treat yourself to a night out in their behalf because it's an evening you'll never forget. I promise you!

AT THE SOUND OF THE BELL...

The recent First Annual Rocky Marciano Novice Bouts, sponsored by "Friends of Brockton High," proved to be a real "winner," and fight fans went home with 17 exciting bouts notched in their memory, and now a part of ring history.

Rocky's brother, Peter Marciano, was on hand and was joined by Manomet's "Babe" Woods, manager, trainer and cornerman of former Middleweight Champion of the World, Paul Pender... now a Court Officer in Brookline.

The present world middleweight champ, "Marvelous" Marvin Hagler, made a surprise appearance and, to the delight of the near-capacity crowd, reminded everyone of an earlier scrap he had in the same gym while on his way to the top of his profession; then stayed on to view the card. He's every inch a champion, and will always be my personal hero. Would you believe he once gave a fledgling, 13-year old, 110 pound junior Golden Glover (my son) a four-minute round sparring session, even though busy training hard for the first Vito Antoufermo fight? That's right, a 4 minute round... because Charlie III was so in awe and nervous he started swinging from the moment Pat Petronelli hit the warning buzzer!

It was a great night for boxing, and climaxed with a victory for Ring 4's President, Eddie Bangs, and former N.E.

Featherweight Champion Buddy Hayes' light heavyweight, champion caliber prospect, Myles Houston.

Another such night occurred Thanksgiving Eve at Freeport Hall, Dorchester. Promoter Jimmy Farrell put together four, fast-moving professional bouts, with Kenny "Special Delivery" Butler nailing down a unanimous decision over Hartford's game Marcus Starks in the main event. Medford's Frankie D'Orio, protege of Somerville Boxing Club's Gabe La Marca, continued his unbeaten string, convincingly, and is a crowd-pleaser with a promising future.

Spotted in the sell-out crowd were former Navy amateur celebrities Tommy Martini and "Butch" Attardo, along with former New England Champions Danny Wambolt (received a standing ovation), and Tommy Connors. Also on hand were ring top-rankers Jerry Albano, Clem Crowley and Mickey McGuire, Tommy Collins, high on anyone's list of all-time greats, shared referee duties, and boxing hall-of-famer Bill Marinelli turned in his usual superlative job as timekeeper. Along with Vinnie Curto, "Southie's" up-and-comer, "Little Red" Shea, received a ring introduction.

Boxing Commissioner Tommy Rawson was on hand at both affairs, and we safely predict a resurgence of interest

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The cost for Detours is \$2 per trip; non-members, \$4 per trip. For trip reservations and membership information, call Detours at The Children's Museum, Boston, 426-6500, extension 240 weekdays from 10 to 5.

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in boxing in the New England area in the months ahead.

GUEST EDITORIAL VIGNETTE....

When the time comes, as it surely will, when we face that awesome moment, the final judgement, I've often thought, as Fulton Sheen wrote, that it is a terrible moment of loneliness. You have no advocates, you are there alone standing before God - and a terror will ripple your soul like nothing you can imagine. But I really think that those in the pro-life movement will not be alone. I think there'll be a chorus of voices that have never been heard in this world but are heard beautifully and clearly in the next world - and they will plead for everyone who has been in this movement. They will say to God, "Spare him, because he loved us," and God will look at you and say not, "Did you succeed?" but "Did you try?"

Will you try?
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Job-seekers take note: The Boston Job Exchange currently has over 200 positions available in local businesses and there are many more openings than job-ready applicants.

A Job Exchange Recruitment Drive will be held on Monday, January 14th, 1985 from 3:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. for those interested in current employment opportunities. The Recruitment Drive is being held at the School Committee Building, 26 Court Street in Boston near the Government Center (T) Station.

The jobs available are in a variety of industries, including hotels, restaurants, hospitals,

banks, insurance companies and department stores. Entry-level positions include clerk/typists, secretaries, receptionists, hospital aides, kitchen help, hotel workers, assemblers, computer operators and bookkeepers. Starting pay is about \$5.00 an hour. Recent recruitment drives have already successfully placed many applicants.

The Job Exchange, a collaborative effort of the Boston Private Industry Council and the City of Boston's Neighborhood Development and Employment Agency, is a free placement service for low-income job-ready Boston

residents who are looking for full or part-time employment. Over 700 individuals have been placed in jobs annually since the service was established in March of 1982.

This personnel placement service is for Boston residents who are unemployed or underemployed; individuals must prove residency by bringing a driver's license, learner's permit with current address, recent utility bill, current apartment lease, Boston library card or hospital card or hospital identification with address.

To qualify, individuals must have one of the following characteristics:

- consistent work history (defined as remaining at previous jobs for at least

six months to one year with no unexplained extended periods of unemployment.)

- a high school diploma or GED;
- previous skill training (either from a vocational education program or from a previous job).

Job Exchange staff will be on hand at the Recruitment Drive to discuss employment opportunities. Job-ready applicants will be given appointments with a member of the Job Exchange staff to go over the applicant's qualifications and begin matching the applicant with a suitable employment position.

The Job Exchange is ready to help. For more information call Dana at 720-4325 or 353-1835.

Give Your Car A Winter Checkup

The "Old Farmer's Almanac" says this winter will be colder and drier than normal, with below average snowfall. Whether you agree with the Almanac's prediction of not, AAA Massachusetts says it's a good idea to prepare your car for winter's annual assault.

Here's a quick winter checklist for you to use:

*Battery. If it's going into its third winter, have it checked for power and condition. Also make sure battery terminals and cables are free of corrosion.

*Antifreeze. Have it tested for 20 below. Look into the radiator and make sure the liquid is clear. If cloudy, you should have it drained and replaced, because the rust-inhibiting qualities are no longer there. Proper mixture is half antifreeze, half water.

*Hoses. If any look cracked or feel mushy, or if connections show discoloration, they might be weak enough to spring a leak. Have them replaced.

*Engine Oil. A multi-purpose 10W-40 will give good results in winter, but a 5W-30 oil will be better. Winter oil should be lighter in weight (lower numbers on the can).

*Tuneup. An engine that needs a tuneup will probably let you know by stalling on the first cold morning. So find out if you need new spark plugs or carburetor adjustment in advance.

"You may think you don't need to winterize your car so long as you follow the regular maintenance schedule in the owner's manual," said Stewart W. Hall, Director of Automotive Services for AAA Massachusetts. "But New England winters can be tough, and a little extra car care goes a long way."

Apply Now For ABCD Assistance

The Action for Boston Community Development Fuel Assistance Program is now accepting applications from low-income households in your neighborhood. Both low-income homeowners and renters who live in Charlestown are urged to apply now regardless of how they heat their homes.

Intake workers at the John F. Kennedy Family Service Center, located at 27 Winthrop Street (phone 241-8866) are available to fill out fuel assistance applications. The office is open Monday, through Friday, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., and evenings by appointment only.

Applicants have until April 30, 1985 to apply for Fuel Assistance. Constance Carey, ABCD Energy Director, advises all prospective applicants to provide the following information in order to qualify for this year's program and receive assistance as soon as possible:

1. Proof of all sources of income for at least the 90-day period preceding the application for all household members aged 18 years and over. (Include letters from appropriate schools or colleges if household members are fulltime students);
2. Social Security numbers for ALL household members aged 18 years and over;
3. A copy of the most recent bill for the primary source of heat. (If the heat has been shut off prior to application, a copy of the final bill will suffice);
4. Either a current mortgage statement (if home is owned) or a current rent receipt (if applicant rents their home or apartment).

In some cases, applicants whose heat is included in their rent can receive assistance. They should provide at least 90 days worth of rent receipts or a letter from the landlord stating the monthly rent for the apartment.

In order to receive assistance under the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program a household's total gross annual income cannot exceed following guidelines:

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6	20,520
7	23,130
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Since no application can be processed without all of this information, applicants are urged to bring these records with them when they apply. Anyone with questions or problems concerning their applications should contact the local agency where they apply, or the ABCD central office, 178 Tremont Street, Boston at 357-6012.

B.H.C.C. Electronics Program

Bunker Hill Community College is now accepting applications for the Optical Electronics Technology Program. The two-year program, begins in January and combines practical laboratory experience with classroom study.

Students enrolled in the Optical Electronics Associate degree program will focus on computer systems, technical physics, lasers, electricity, microwave theory, fiber optics and electronic programming.

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Electronics program qualify for positions in troubleshooting, manufacturing, repairing and operating electrical equipment. The U.S. Department of Commerce reports that the field of optical electronics is growing 12-15% per year and that employment opportunities for graduates with training in this field will be well above average through the 1990's.

For more information about the Optical Electronics Program and other degree and certificate programs at Bunker Hill Community College, call the Admissions Office at 241-8600, extension 420.

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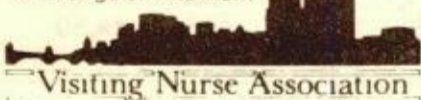
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Under The State House Dome

Teddy's Political Crossroads Nears

by J.J. Smith
Bereft of a true national leader and stripped of its once-certain electoral base in the South, the Democratic party faces an internecine "bloodbath" as it seeks to regain both middle-class voters and the White House in 1988.

Central to the goal of reclaiming lost electoral success nationally will be the emergence of a new national leader able to reforge old alliances and build new ones to reset the party of the donkey back on the winning path.

Whether or not Sen. Edward M. Kennedy can be that leader remains of more than casual interest hereabouts, in that 1988, as never before, marks the true political crossroads for him. That's when he must decide whether to take what would probably be his last crack at the White House or run for reelection in the United States Senate.

Understandably, Massachusetts senior senator remains silent on his future course, but sometimes actions speak louder than words. Teddy campaigned for Democratic candidates in 20 states in the month before the election, and has met with national power brokers with the ability to raise big money and/or influence votes.

He also distributed \$2 million to Democratic candidates nationwide through

his personal political action committee.

Teddy, who's always candidly admitted he'd like to be president someday, won't have easy sailing if he makes his bid for the top job. New York Gov. Mario Cuomo seems poised to challenge him for supremacy among more traditional Northeastern liberals. And a new, younger crop of senators — Gary Hart of Colorado, Bill Bradley of New Jersey and Joseph Biden of Delaware — are potential 1988 presidential candidates. A blood bath looms.

The future, as envisioned by the pro-Teddy clique, necessarily embraces the collapse of Reaganism and its current popularity in the four remaining years of its namesake's incumbency. It envisions, too, a plunging economy and anti-war demonstrations spawned by escalating problems in Central America and elsewhere.

Whether any or all of this truly would benefit Teddy

Doris Cited

Senator Francis D. Doris was recently cited by the Citizens Energy Corporation for his support of the fuel assistance program.

In thanking Senator Doris for his support, Joseph P. Kennedy II, President of the non profit corporation noted, "For many the energy crisis seems over, but for the poorest in Massachusetts it is an ongoing reality."

Kennedy remains a huge question mark. Rightly or wrongly, Ted and his Massachusetts cohort, Tip O'Neill, are viewed by many as heirs and enforcers of old-fashioned liberalism, the Democratic symbols of an outmoded big-government party.

The fragmentation of the party makes it difficult, if not impossible, to reach middle ground whether on special issues like abortion and school prayer, on spending or taxes, or, yes, on "reborn" patriotism. Kennedy, for one, doesn't seem ready for the kind of full-blown party soul-searching proposed by his fellow senator from Massachusetts, Paul Tsongas, since 1980.

Teddy Kennedy is wise not to tip his hand for at least the foreseeable short-term future. Whatever he decides, some of the ghosts of his 1980 presidential bid — particularly Chappaquid-

dick — undoubtedly will return to haunt him.

The reality is that 1980 short-circuited the fiction that the Democratic presidential nomination was Teddy's for the asking, when he asked. The question previously never was whether Teddy's party was ready for him but was the nation ready. The big question now is whether even his own party will be in the mood again to take his

presidential aspirations seriously. If he wants it, he must gamble all.

(J.J. Smith's comments appear in 62 Massachusetts newspapers.)

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On December 14, 1984 at 8:50 a.m., a police officer was questioning a 17 year old youth at 240 Medford Street when the suspect became disorderly, and struck the officer. The suspect was placed under arrest, and transported to Area A where he was booked for assault and battery, and being a disorderly person.

On December 15, 1984 at 12:40 p.m., police officers responded to 300 Main Street on a radio call of an assault. On arrival, the officers spoke to the victim, who stated that while walking on Main Street, he was approached by two white males. These two suspects assaulted the victim by hitting him about the face and head. Both suspects then fled on foot toward the Sullivan Square area. This incident will be further investigated by the detectives of Area A.

On December 16, 1984 at 3:25 a.m., police officers responded to a radio call of a larceny at 9 Trenton Street. On arrival, the officers spoke to a man who stated that while his motor vehicle was parked and unattended, some unknown person(s) entered the vehicle and removed an AM-FM radio. This incident will be further investigated by the detectives of Area A.

On December 18, 1984 at 12:05 p.m., detectives arrested a 17 year old on a warrant for receiving stolen goods.

On December 18, 1984 at 2:15 p.m., detectives arrested a 16 year old juvenile in his home, on a warrant for receiving stolen goods.

On December 19, 1984 police officers responded to a radio call of a breaking and entering at 90 Medford Street. On arrival, the officers spoke to the victim, who stated that while inside her home, a male suspect attempted to kick down the door. The suspect was unable to make entry, and fled the scene prior to the arrival of the officers. After receiving a description of the suspect, the officers observed him at 110 Medford Street. The suspect was taken back to the scene, and positively identified by the victim. He was then taken to Area A, and booked for attempted breaking and entering, and assault and battery.

The next community service meeting will be held on January 8, 1985 at 7:00 p.m., at the Kent Community School of 50 Bunker Hill Street.

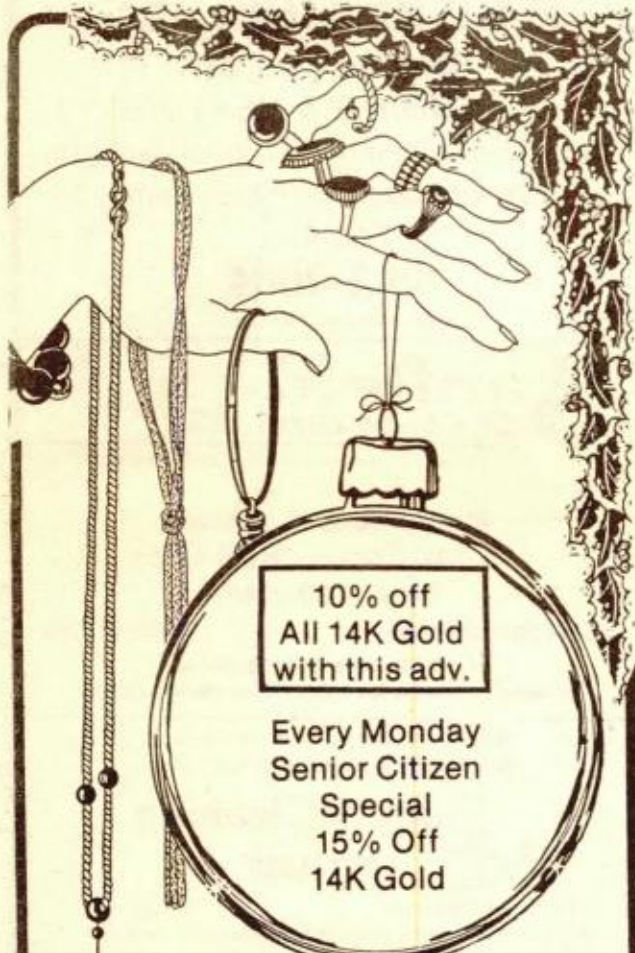
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