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Santa Claus Is Star At Holiday Party For Senior Citizens



SANTA CLAUS was welcomed by the Charlestown Community Schools staff, council and volunteers to the Annual Christmas Party for senior citizens held recently at the Knights of Columbus Hall. The event was cosponsored by Charlestown Community Schools and the Bank of New England. Shown front row (l. to r.) David Martell,

Anne Kelly, Carolyn Shannon and Mimi Dowd. Second row (l. to r.) Sherry Jackson, Sheila Walsh and Mary MacInnes. Back row (l. to r.) Jeff McGann, Paul Martell, Beverly Gibbons, Santa Claus (Tom Jackson), John Lynch, John Killoran, Jean Reilly and Karen Langan.

(photos of party in future edition)

Charlestown Neighborhood Council To Meet On January 3

The Charlestown Neighborhood Council will hold their next monthly meeting

on Tuesday, January 3 at 7 p.m. at the Knights of Columbus (lower hall), 75 West

School Street.

The public is welcome to attend.



"Townie Santa" Delivers Christmas Cheer To Elderly Charlestown Shut-ins

Worry was reflected on the faces of volunteers from the "Townie Santa" program on Saturday as snow fell with a six-inch accumulation predicted. They were painfully aware that some 144 Christmas packages, along with a hot turkey dinner, had to be delivered the next day.

With the dawn of Sunday, worry turned to smiles as the sun shone brightly and the snowfall was minimal.

The city crews had worked to clear and salt the roadways and this annual undertaking, to bring a little Christmas cheer to Charlestown's elderly, needy shut-ins was underway.

Last minute packing of fruit, juice, milk and a Christmas ornament made by Charlestown's Girl Scouts was taken on by a crew at the Mary Colbert Apartments. A last minute check of the names and addresses of the recipients and

the assigning of delivery teams was completed and "Townie Santa" was on his or her way.

Meanwhile, at the headquarters of Scalli Caterers on Sackville Street, family and friends gathered to assist Bob and Carol Scalli in the preparation and packaging of nearly 175 hot turkey dinners that would be sent along with the Christmas packages. Mayor Raymond Flynn joined the Scalli vol-

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Tudor Wharf Development Topic Of December 29 Meeting

The Housing and Development Committee of the Charlestown Neighborhood Council will meet on Thursday, December 29 at

7 p.m. in the Hull Room, Building Five, Charlestown Navy Yard. The committee will discuss the proposed development of Tudor Wharf which is located in the area of the former Rapids Furniture Warehouse adjacent to the North Washington Street Bridge.

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Children's Films

The Film Program for Children will be presented at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street on Tuesday, December 27 at 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. The features will be "Six Penguins," in which six

penguins escape a hungry bear when befriended by a whale; "The Fox Went Out On A Chilly Night," the story of a fall tradition that includes a chase through the New England countryside; and find out about the mermaid-like creatures emerging from the sea in "Merbabies."

"Lady Of The Light," in which a lighthouse keeper's daughter discovers a novel solution to her loneliness, will be shown only at 3:30 p.m.

The suggested readings in conjunction with these films are **Keep The Light Burning**, Abby by Connie Roop, **The Fox Went Out On A Chilly Night**, illustrated by Peter Spier and **The Little Mermaid** by H. C. Andersen.

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| TEQUILA SUNRISE (R) ★ 12:35-2:50-5:10-7:30-10:05 NO 12:35 12/25 FRI & SUN 12:15 AM |
| CHILD'S PLAY (R) DOLBY SOUND ★ 12:55-2:55-5:10-7:40-10:10 NO 12:55 12/25 FRI & SUN 12 MID |
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Charlestown Community Calendar

This Week At A Glance

- Thursday, December 22**
- 4:00 p.m. — Creative Drama Class for children ages 8-12, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street
 - 6:30 p.m. — Evening of holiday films for the family, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street
- Friday, December 23**
- 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. — Annual Christmas Party for members, Charlestown Boys and Girls Club, 15 Green Street
 - 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. — Dance for 6-12 year olds, Charlestown Boys and Girls Club, 15 Green Street
- Sunday, December 25**
MERRY CHRISTMAS
- Tuesday, December 27**
- 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. — Children's Films, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street
- Wednesday, December 28**
- 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. — Representative Richard A. Voke Office Hours, Bunker Hill Museum, 43 Monument Square (use Monument Avenue entrance)
 - 6:00 to 7:30 p.m. — Pre-Alateen and Alateen Meetings, St. Catherine's Hall, below the rectory, 49 Vine Street

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- 7:30 p.m. — Bunker Hill Post 26, The American Legion Meeting, First Floor, One Thompson Square

Plan Ahead

- Sunday, January 8**
- 5:00 p.m. — First Gathering of The Monument Square Community Church, Talbot Hall, 5 Monument Square
- Wednesday, January 11**
- 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. — Boston City Councillor Robert Travaglini Office Hours, One Thompson Square, First Floor Conference Area
 - 7:30 p.m. — Court St. Jude 1123, CDA Meeting, Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill Street
- Thursday, January 12**
- 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. — Congressman Joseph P. Kennedy Office Hours, Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens Street
- Sunday, January 15**
- noon — Free Throw Championship for boys and girls ages 10-14, sponsored by Bunker Hill Council 62, K. of C., Charlestown Boys and Girls Club, 15 Green Street
 - 7:30 p.m. — School Benefit Bola, Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill Street
- Saturday, March 4**
- 7:00 p.m. — Gladys 17th Annual Corned Beef Dinner, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street
- Thursday, April 20**
- 7:00 p.m. — Concert by the Princemen Chorus, sponsored by the Daughters of Isabella No. 1, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street
- Saturday, June 17**
- 10:00 a.m. — Bunker Hill Day Ecumenical Services, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill Street
 - 11:00 a.m. — Bunker Hill Day Commemorative Exercises, Bunker Hill Monument Grounds
- Sunday, June 18**
- 12:30 p.m. — Annual Bunker Hill Day Parade

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Prayer must be published.
P.C.F.

Upcoming Events

- Thursday, December 29**
- 4:00 p.m. — Creative Drama Class for children ages 8-12, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street
 - 7:00 p.m. — Housing and Development Committee of the Charlestown Neighborhood Council Meeting on the proposed development of Tudor Wharf, Hull Room, Building 5, Charlestown Navy Yard
- Saturday, December 31**
- 8:00 p.m. — New Year's Eve Party, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street
- Sunday, January 1**
HAPPY NEW YEAR
- Tuesday, January 3**
- 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. — Children's Films, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street
 - 7:00 p.m. — Charlestown Neighborhood Council Meeting, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street
- Wednesday, January 4**
- 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. — Representative Richard A. Voke

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Aquarium Proposal Met With Skepticism In Community

by Lynn Peters

New England Aquarium officials' plans for a new home in the Charlestown Navy Yard were met with mixed reviews when presented to townspeople officially for the first time on December 19. Residents seemed concerned about preliminary design and traffic and parking schemes, while aquarium, Charlestown Neighborhood Council and Boston Redevelopment Authority (BRA) representatives seemed to feel good about the results of Monday night's meeting.

Residents understood traffic and parking studies presented to them were in the infancy stages but had questions and criticisms for the experts. TAMS and Linea 5 traffic and parking study spokesmen maintained that their analyses were not definitive and done purely to suggest that solutions to accommodate the influx of aquarium visitors were possible.

Linea 5's parking studies suggested five possible sites, including a Massport property under the Tobin Bridge and National Park Service (NPS) land. Questions were raised whether either agency was willing to have their site used for the aquarium's parking.

John Burchill, NPS superintendent, was on vacation until next month, but

his deputy Wendell Simpson said NPS "had not been a part of any specific planning process." Simpson added that NPS is "interested in ways to encourage additional visitors to the park."

Massport, however, despite aquarium Executive Director John Prescott claiming this state agency expressed interest, may not have been approached at all. Teresa Alpine, Massport spokeswoman, stated that after investigation and to the best of her knowledge, Massport has not discussed any parking possibilities with aquarium officials.

Residents also questioned how the soon-to-be world's largest aquarium could be talked about in isolation from the Navy Yard's master plan presented last summer and why the traffic alternatives were presented but could not be discussed specifically.

Pat Ward, one angry resident, was skeptical about how much community concern was in mind, accusing aquarium officials of taking the 175-year-old Dry Dock 2 from Charlestown for greed. "Hasn't anyone said anything about (the dry dock) being an historical architectural site?" she asked.

Her son, Michael Ward, had similar skepticism for

Possible Parking Sites Studied by Linea 5 for New England Aquarium visitors in the Charlestown Navy Yard:

- National Park Service's Constitution Park
- Hayes Square
- Under the Tobin Bridge
- Hoosac Stores Site
- Near the Little Mystic for 15-20 buses

Traffic Figures Compiled by TAMS:

- 1.8-2.1 million visitors per year
- 32.4 percent will visit in July and August
- 90 percent of traffic will come through City Square
- Gate 1 will accommodate mostly bus traffic
- Chelsea Street and Gate 4 improvements needed
- An average of 700 parking spaces will be needed daily and 1,200 in August midday peak hours

the aquarium's community interest. "I didn't see your interest when you were across the harbor because you've never showed inter-

est in this community before," he said. "There is valid opposition here."

But Ed Roche, BRA pro-
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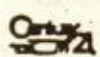
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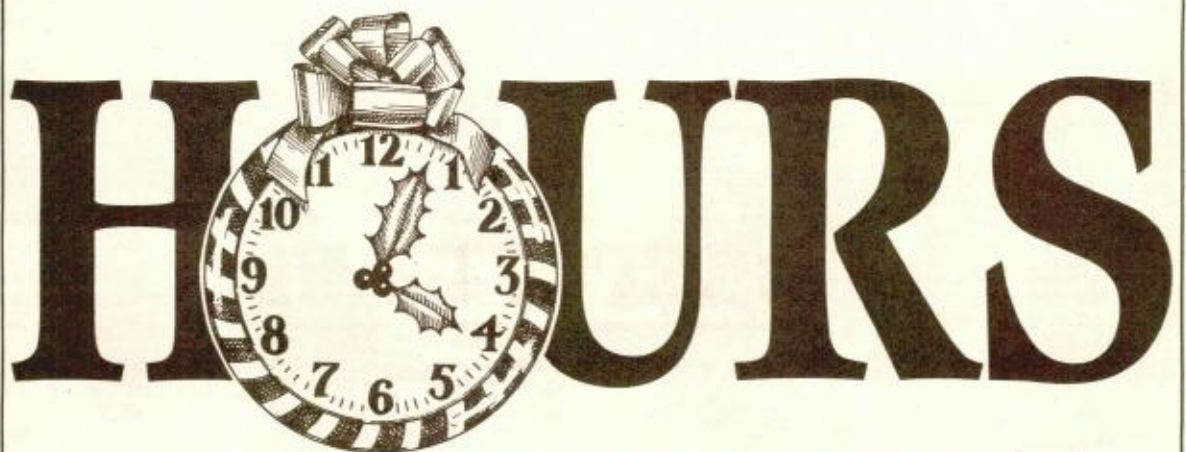


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"Townie Santa" Helpers Join Together To Deliver Christmas Baskets And A Dinner To Charlestown's Elderly Shut-ins



THEY'RE MAKING A LIST, checking it twice and even three or four times, as these Santa's helpers prepare to send volunteers out to deliver "Townie Santa" Christmas packages. Shown (l. to r.) Kay Whelan, Helen McLaughlin, Margie Kent and Kathy Getchell.

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unteers, taking his suitcoat off and rolling up his sleeves to dish out the dinners.

The Teamsters Local 25 provided their van and driver, as they have for the past few years. Their crew covered recipients in the Bunker Hill Housing Development and this year, the canteen truck of C&C Caterers followed along with the meals, keeping them hot until they were delivered.

Volunteers gathered at the stated 11 a.m. delivery time — persons from all walks of life and ranging in age from 8 to their 70s — they were all there to help in any way they could. Many businesses and organizations were represented, as well as individuals and families who just want-

ed to help.

The crew of volunteers, faced with the awesome task of delivering three boxes of food items, toiletries and gifts, along with two plastic shopping bags and a turkey dinner, was augmented by representatives of the Teen Connection and a team from the USS Constitution, led by Commanding Officer David Cashman. Boston City Councillor Mike McCormack also joined in the delivery, while Jay Ash from Representative Richard Voke's office and Charlie Clabaugh from City Councillor Robert Travaglini's office loaded boxes.

It was not an easy task, but as the volunteers returned to the Mary Colbert Apartments to enjoy a sand-

wich and a cup of coffee, each and every one of them expressed delight in being able to take part in this holiday program.

Thanks from recipients has been arriving at the Patriot office and, in turn, is being forwarded to the "Townie Santa" Committee. Several stated that their cupboards were bare and that this would tide them over for several months.

This program would not be possible if it were not for the generosity of the residents, businesses and organizations that donate in monies and goods each year. The "Townie Santa" Committee extends its thanks to all who participated in any way and wishes all a Happy Holiday!



THERE ARE NEVER TOO MANY COOKS in the kitchen of Scalli Caterers on the Sunday before Christmas as over 150 dinners are being prepared to be distributed to each recipient of a Christmas package from "Townie Santa." Relatives and friends, including Mayor Raymond Flynn, all rolled up their sleeves to lend a helping hand. Shown (l. to r.) Judy Evers, Julie Scalli, Judi Meaney, Bobbie DeCarlo, Bob Scalli, Marty O'Brien, Mayor Flynn, Steven Scalli, Carol Scalli and Monique Pare.





This past Sunday, "Townie Santa" visited some 150 elderly, needy Charlestown shut-ins to deliver Christmas baskets and a hot turkey dinner. The committee extends their sincere appreciation to each volunteer for taking time to share the "Spirit of Christmas."

THE STAR ON THE CHRISTMAS TREE IS ALMOST SHINING!

The star at the top of the Christmas tree will be shining brightly soon thanks to the generosity of the residents, former residents, businesses and organizations of this Town. As is the nature of this community, there has been an outpouring of resources, both in contributions and in the untold hours that volunteers worked to make this undertaking a success.

Donations are still welcome and will continue to be publicly acknowledged.



Donations have been received from:

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MERRY CHRISTMAS

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**William Boyle
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**Winners Of Saint Mary's
Christmas Bazaar Raffle**

Saint Mary's Annual Christmas Bazaar was held in the Parish Hall on December 10. Many shoppers were delighted with the

magnificent craftware for sale and took advantage of the bargain prices.

Many beautiful items were raffled including a

Trip for Two to Las Vegas. The lucky winner of the Vegas prize was Daniel Boudreau of Lexington Street, Charlestown.

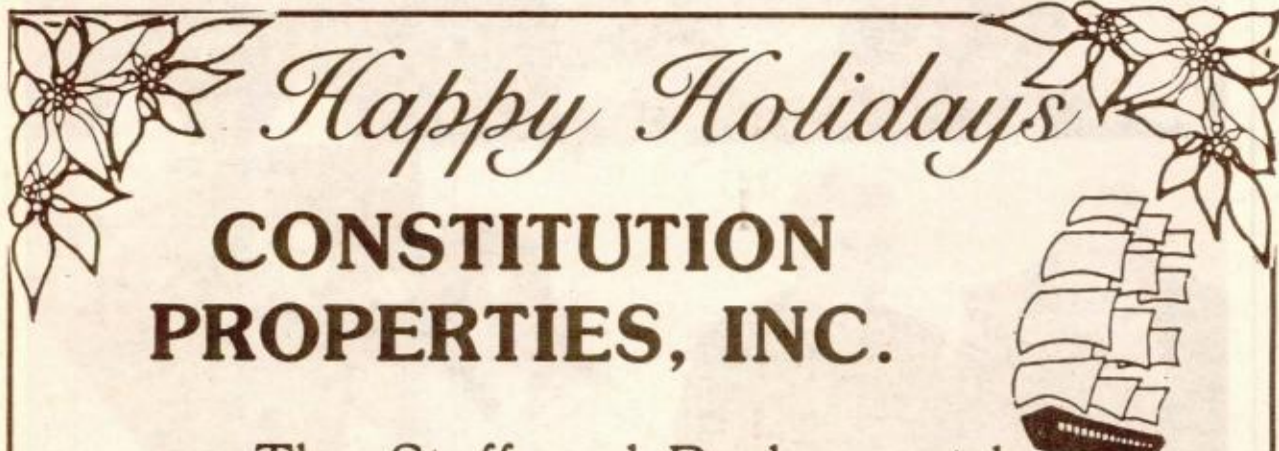
Other winners included: Dana Rodman - a pair of Celtic tickets, Lindsay Hickey - a designer jacket decorated by Sheila Sweeney

and an infant's carriage set made by Helen Winters, Jess O'Neil - an original oil painting by artist Edward Lowney of Charlestown and an afghan made by Kitty McLaughlin, Walter Dugan - an oil painting by Edward Lowney, Ricky Howland - a designer pine cone wreath made by Mary Hibbard, Beth Smith - an af-

ghan made by Mae Walsh and Madelaine Duguie - a ceramic Nativity Set created by Dot Collins.

Congratulations to all the winners and our sincere appreciation to those who made and donated the items for the raffle.

The Christmas Bazaar Committee



Happy Holidays

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LOOKING OVER the new Hamada Press which was donated by the Massachusetts Charitable Mechanic Association of Quincy to the Graphic Arts Department of Don Bosco Technical High in Boston are Father Sid Figlia, S.D.B. (center), director of the school, and students (l. to r.) William S. Miller of Dorchester, Sean C. Murphy of Sharon, David B. Benway of Kingston, Kevin C. Hickey of 14 Chestnut Street, Charlestown, Nicholas J. Gregory of the North End and Matthew J. Donovan of Dorchester. The new press will add to the versatility in the teaching of the graphic arts students and allow for greater student participation in the program to help prepare them for the many job opportunities in the field.

**Holiday Schedule At
The MGH-Bunker Hill Health Center**

The MGH-Bunker Hill Health Center at 73 High Street announces the center's schedule for the upcoming holidays. The center will be open on Saturday, December 24 from 8:30 a.m. to noon. It will be closed on Monday, December

26. The center will be open on Saturday, December 31 from 8:30 a.m. to noon. It will be closed on Monday, January 2. Happy holidays from the staff.

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Gifts Of A Different Kind



by Charlie McGonagle

While most Christmas gifts come wrapped in fine paper, complete with ribbons and bows, many of the more important variety are not wrapped at all. They usually arrive unexpectedly and offer a satisfaction not found beneath

layers of paper.

Think of how you feel when somebody stops their car and allows you to enter an unending flow of traffic. Don't you wave, smile and say thanks to a perfect stranger?

How about that feeling you receive when your child

gives you that first step or that first word?

What about the person who is now an adult who stops you on the street to thank you for doing something for him when he was a kid, something that you may have forgotten, but was meaningful enough for him to remember?

How about the old friend who calls you before anybody else when something important happens?

Explain, if you can, the feeling you get when the "old gang" travels from different places to gather for an evening.

Is there a greater gift than, "Thanks, Dad"?

And the gift of good health, for those who have it, can never be underestimated.

Many of us who were raised in this and similar neighborhoods were fortunate enough to have a Boys and Girls Club. That was, and is, a gift which provides an alternative to less productive activities.

It goes without saying, but to most of us our family is our most precious gift, but what of the people whom we have met along the way, those who have made our journey through this life a bit easier and our paths a bit brighter, shouldn't they also be considered gifts?

When life provides a person with the opportunity to share special times with both his parents and his children, he has received a very special gift.

It is a gift to see young people grow to adulthood and accept responsible positions in their community. A special tip of the hat to those whom I have met along the way who now service community schools, boys and girls clubs, special needs programs, programs that benefit both the sick and the elderly; are involved with local real estate and other productive businesses; coach athletic teams; wear police or firefighter uniforms; deliver the daily mail; or venture into any area of productivity which may benefit their community.

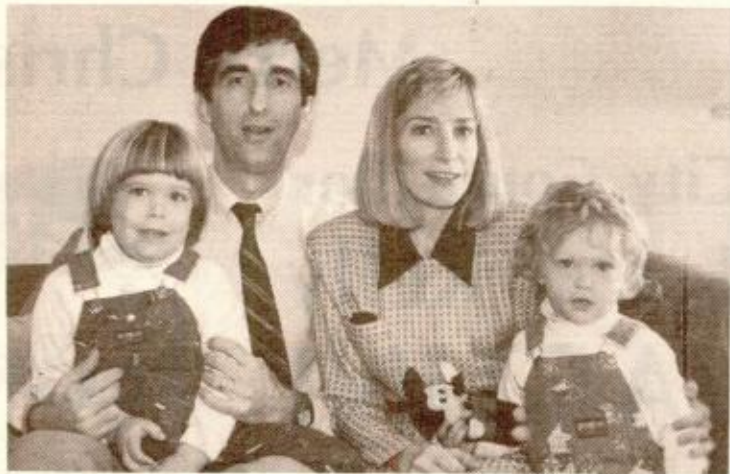
Although some days we may not agree, it is certainly a gift to wake and greet the morning.

Watching the naked trees of winter dress in the beauty of spring and summer before being painted in the glory of autumn is a gift we in this part of the country can appreciate.

Once again it is Christmas, and as we take time to remove the colorful papers and ribbons from the packages, we should remember that perhaps our greatest gifts are found not within those fancy wrappings, but within those who are the givers.

MERRY CHRISTMAS

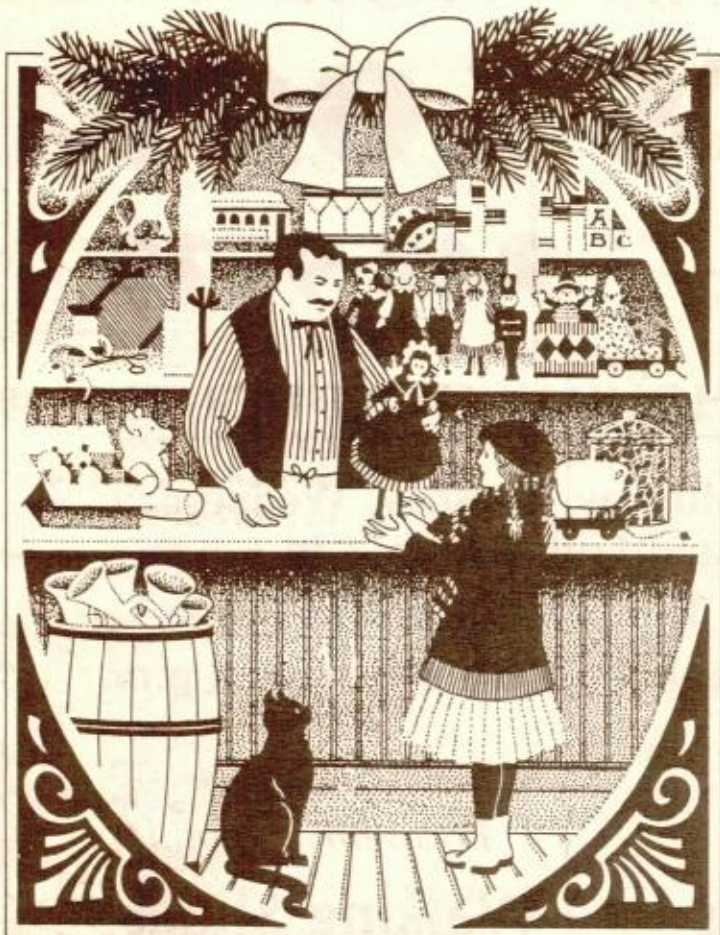
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The maternal grandfather is Richard B. Clark of Mal-

den.

The paternal grandparents are Francis X. and Gertrude P. Keough of 24 Auburn Street, Charlestown.

Alexandra was welcomed home by her sister, Jessica.

Named To Honor Roll

The first marking period at Saint Francis de Sales School has concluded and the honor roll for grades four through eight has been announced.

Those receiving honors were: grade eight - Amy

O'Callahan; grade six - Mark Lind and Adam Olson; grade five - Daniel Murphy, Michael Sullivan, Jennifer Coppinger, Kimberly Weafer and Robin Smith; and grade four - Tegan Leonard, Katie O'Leary and Brendan Sullivan.

Post Offices Will Be Closed On December 26 And January 2

Because Christmas and New Year's Day fall on Sunday this year, post offices nationwide will be closed on Monday, December 26 and Monday, January 2.

"Activities on these days will be limited to mail collections, and the delivery of Express Mail, Special Delivery and perishables," said Joseph Schraer, acting general manager of the Boston Division.

Schraer said on Saturday, December 24, regular mail delivery will be provided and all post offices will operate on their normal Saturday schedule.

"On Saturday, December 31, we will also provide normal mail delivery but in some areas retail operations will be curtailed. Therefore, we suggest customers check with their local post office before seeking service on that day," said Schraer.

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The annual Sports Mass of Don Bosco Technical High School was celebrated at Saint James Church in Boston on the Feast of the Immaculate Conception.

Father Anthony Daniele, a member of the faculty in the English Department, was the celebrant and homilist.

Students from the many

Participates In Annual Sports Mass

sports programs of the school participated in the Mass as servers, lectors and in the offertory procession. In addition to the presentation of the water, wine and


communion hosts, the students carried equipment representative of the various sports available at the school to the altar.

Kevin Feeney of 11 Wal-


ker Street, Charlestown represented hockey and presented the first reading at the Mass.

At the conclusion of the

Mass, John P. Grady, the athletic director, presented reflections on the sports program of the school.



**Wishing you the very best
this Holiday Season**



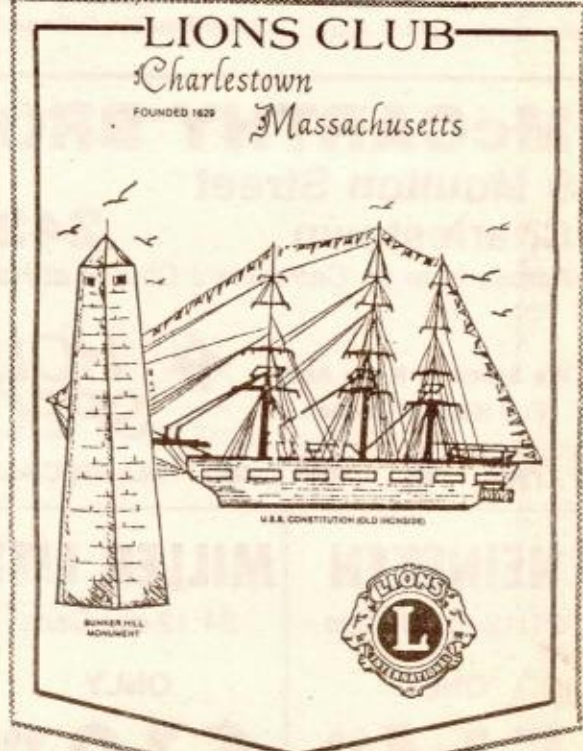


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Christmas Day - Masses at 8:30, 10 and 11:30 a.m. and at 5 p.m.

**SAINT MARY'S CHURCH
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Christmas Eve - Masses at 5 and 8 p.m. Both of the Masses will include the traditional Nativity Tableau.

Christmas Day - Masses at 7:30, 9:30 and 11:30 a.m.

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Holy Eucharist with candlelight Service at 11 p.m.

Christmas Day - Solemn Procession and Holy Eucharist at 10:30 a.m.

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ject manager, spoke of "overwhelming support" from the community, referring to jobs, community resources, education and renovation of the neglected areas around the Navy Yard that stand to benefit Char-

Aquarium Proposal Met With Skepticism In Community

lestown in the long run. Prescott spoke positively about the first public meeting. And Dennis McLaughlin, council chairman, said the presentation went well overall.

Prescott said the concerns expressed Monday were virtually the same he has heard in the last four months he has met with various business and resident groups in Charlestown. "We're at the end of the first phase," Prescott said. "Community reception has been very positive."

Prescott, who has directed the aquarium since 1972, said the idea for the glass-encased, 700-foot-long structure came in March. The BRA would transfer Dry Dock 2 to the aquarium for \$1 if plans are proved feasible and are supported by the Charlestown community.

Prescott and a group of dry dock experts would use new acrylic technology to create an aquarium design unequaled in the world. Traffic and parking concerns are expected to be the topic of many more discus-

sions during the ongoing development process. If the concept of the aquarium is approved, completion is expected to take five or more years.

In the meantime, residents will still be allowed a voice in the ongoing process through focus groups developed through the council. Discussion is expected at the next monthly council meeting on January 3 at 7 p.m. in the Knights of Columbus lower hall. The public is encouraged to attend and participate in the process.

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development.

The church will be custom designed by the people who will ultimately become part of the congregation. Worship will be held on a regular basis and on special celebrations. Christian learning will include Sunday School and adult education classes. Special age and interest groups will be established to address their specific needs. Fellowship activities are being planned for teenagers, singles, single parents and families, as well providing an opportu-

nity for volunteers interested in mission outreach.

If you are new to the community or have been searching for a meaningful way of expressing your faith, you are cordially invited to attend the first scheduled meeting on Sunday, January 8 at 5 p.m. in Talbot Hall, 5 Monument Square. A light evening snack will be served and child care will be available. For more information, contact Marty Maddox at the Church building at 241-9197.



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Say three Our Fathers, three Hail Mary's and Glorias. Publication must be promised. St. Jude pray for all who invoke your aid.

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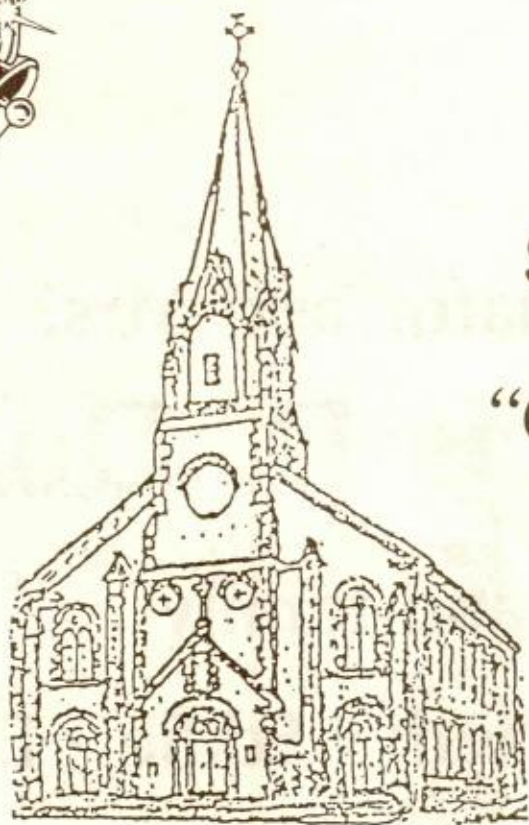
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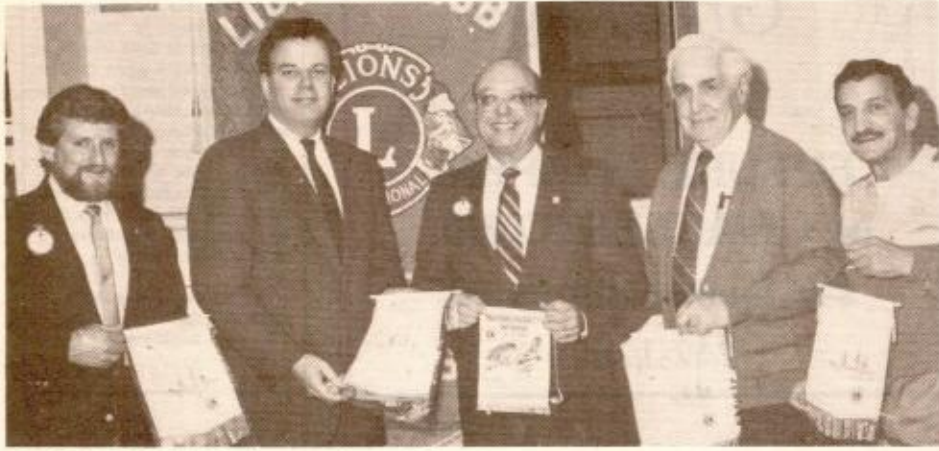
May your Christmas be Holy and Happy!

Charlestown Lions Club Awarded Governor's Banner For Service

At the December meeting of the Charlestown Lions Club, Massachusetts

Lions Governor Frank Pelleteri presented the coveted Lions Governor's Banner to

the Charlestown Lions Club in recognition of service to the Charlestown communi-



CONGRATULATING the members of the Charlestown Lions Club for their service to the community was Massachusetts Lions Governor Frank Pelleteri. Shown (l. to r.) Don Martin, State Cabinet Secretary; Jim

Walsh, club member; Lions Governor Pelleteri; Francis "Bud" Coleman, president, Charlestown Lions Club; and Reg Randazza, club member.

(photo by John Dillon)



THE DECEMBER MEETING of the Charlestown Lions Club was noteworthy to the membership as state and area Lions Club officials joined in recognizing the service to the community by the local club. Shown (l. to r.) Ed Ciampa, Eye Research Fund; Tom

McLaughlin, club secretary; Mike Venezia, club member; Phil Carr, club director; Bud Andrews, Eyemobile Fund; Charles Caliri, Blind Children's Fund; and Bill Galvin, club member.

(photo by John Dillon)

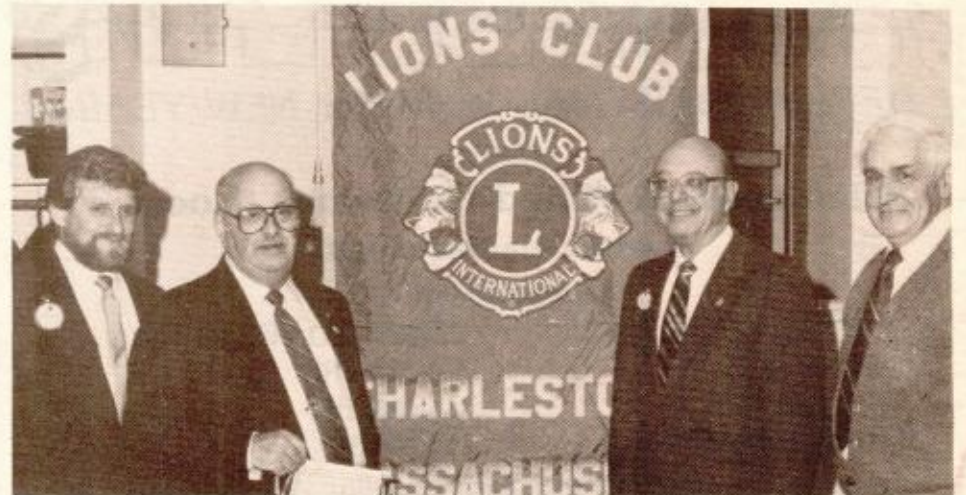
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ty by the local Lions Club. Especially noted was the club's involvement in the Eyemobile program and its contribution to the Blind Children's Fund, the Lions Eye Research Program and the Lions Club International Fund during 1988.

The banner was accepted by Club President Francis Coleman as a tribute to club members, the residents and business people of Charlestown and the many other social and service organizations in Charlestown who assisted the Lions Club programs and make Charlestown a great community.



MASSACHUSETTS Lions Governor Frank Pelleteri was on hand at the December meeting of the Charlestown Lions Club to present the Governor's Banner to the local club in recognition of their service to the community. Shown (l. to r.) Don Martin, Lions

Cabinet Secretary; Harold Zide, zone chairman for the Lions; Lions Governor Frank Pelleteri, and Charlestown Lions Club President Francis "Bud" Coleman.

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Powers Stationed In Turkey — A Land Of Contrasts

by Lewis K. Parson

ADANA, Turkey — The vast land of Turkey, stretching across two continents, operates like a car engine in perpetual idle. Occasionally it'll shift, with hesitation, into the 20th century for a brief look at the sights. Then not wanting to chance consuming too much, too quickly, shift back to a much smoother ride.

U.S. Air Force Staff Sergeant Michael F. Powers is aboard for the ride, trying to maneuver his way through a maze of social customs, religious beliefs and laws that can seem awkward at times, if not downright stifling.

Powers, 25, son of Francis J. and Carol A. Powers of 278A Main Street, Charlestown, is stationed at Turkish-owned and controlled Incirlik Air Base.

"I think the language barrier is probably the biggest cultural difference we have to cope with," Powers said.

A country of more than 50 million devout Moslems, Turkey covers 296,000 square miles between Europe and Asia Minor, roughly the same area from Washington, D.C. to Kansas City. That area includes everything from sandy beaches on the Mediterranean to mountains bordering the Soviet Union.

Incirlik Air Base hosts the 39th Tactical Group,



STAFF Sergeant Michael F. Powers, a structural repair supervisor, fashions a piece of sheetmetal at Incirlik Air Force Base near Adana, Turkey.

(photo by U.S. Air Force Sr. Airman Terrie Brooks)

which provides training support to other flying units from all over the world.

Powers is a structural repair supervisor assigned to the Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Squadron. He is accompanied by his wife, Lilia, and daughter, Liedy, age 6.

"I supervise and assist in the repair of aircraft and honeycomb structures, manufacture aircraft cables for flight controls and fashion sheetmetal parts," Powers explained.

The base sits on the outskirts of Adana, the country's fourth largest city, a dusty yet fruitful agricultural and industrial community in a semitropical climate, barely more than a stone's throw from the banks of the Mediterranean.

Adana is a city of contradictions and contrasts, where high-rises are only minutes away from the tented camps of migrant workers. Where automobiles share the highway with

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Powers Stationed In Turkey — A Land Of Contrasts

(continued from page 16) pushcarts, horse-drawn wagons and an occasional flock of sheep.

The strategic importance of the republic is evident in its history. As a crossroads between Europe and Asia, they were conquered in turn by such notables as the Hitites, Alexander the Great, the Romans, the Byzantine empire, the Ottomans . . .

Cleopatra is reputed to have met Marc Anthony at Tarsus and to this day the nation is an archeologist's dream come true, where some digs are abandoned simply because the artifacts uncovered are old — but not old enough.

If the combination of religion, custom and tradition make these people hesitant to pursue progress with the intensity of Western cultures, there are benefits to be realized as well.

"I think one of the best things about this assignment is that you're able to save money, due to the favorable monetary exchange rate," Powers said.

Popular among service members are the handmade rugs, gold, brass and meerschau pipes available for a fraction of their cost in the United States. As one of the main terminals in Europe, Incirlik is also a good jumping off point for travel to

other lands.

"When I'm off-duty, I coach one of the little league teams, attend school and like to travel," Powers said.

Mustafa Ataturk, consid-


ered the savior of Turkey, is credited with being in the driver's seat when Turkey turned its future toward Western civilization. U.S. service members like Powers might say it's time to pull out of the slow lane.

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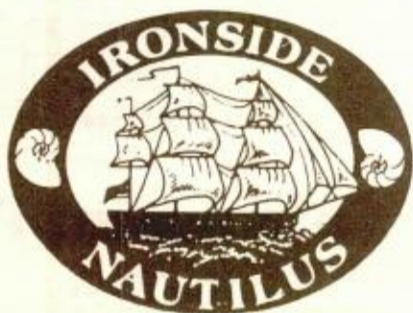
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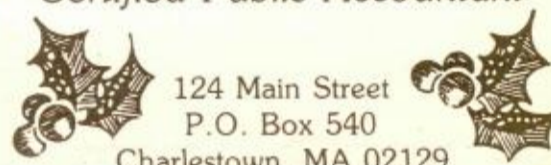
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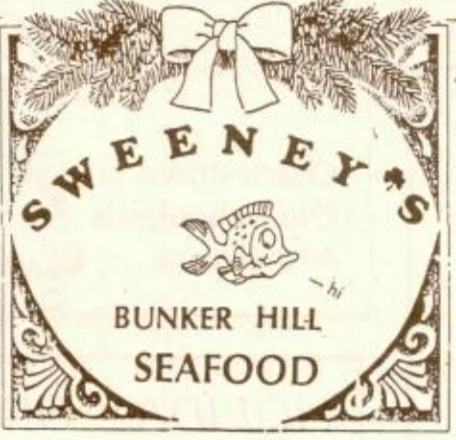
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- **You Mightn't Believe It, But . . .** Yesterday was the first day of WINTER! Could have had me fooled!
- **Bah Humbug!** . . . Just when you think you've heard it all, folks — wait 'til ya hear this one! Over 1,200 lights were torn off the Christmas tree on First Avenue in the Navy Yard. What can we say — that can be printed, that is?
- **CANA Update . . .** If all goes as scheduled, January 4 is the designated date for the new Gray Street off-ramp to open and the Henley Street off-ramp to close. Of course, this could change if inclement weather delays the construction crews. More detailed reports will follow in the next few weeks. Stay tuned!
- **What's Open — What's Closed . . .** Monday, December 26 is a federal holiday. All federal, state and city offices will be closed as will be most businesses and stores. Trash pickup scheduled for Monday will be a day late . . . A day to sit back and relax, folks! You deserve it.
- **Guess Who's Celebrating Birthdays This Week?** . . . Tim "Pudgy" O'Connell will turn the BIG 40 on December 23rd . . . and Constitution Co-op's Betty Dunphy will turn another year younger on the 26th. Our warmest best wishes for a great year to you both!
- **Honest Folks, It Wasn't Our Fault . . .** The recent visit to Charlestown by representatives of the City's Assessing department turned out to be a very aggravating experience for the over 50 residents who turned out for assistance. No abatement forms were available — as was announced they would be in our paper — making the whole process even more difficult for those needing help. We only print what we're informed of, folks! The word that came in from the city was printed as we received it. Abatement forms that were not available at the meeting were dropped off at the JobStart office the next day after the outrage of residents was voiced . . . We were blamed for the problem — it wasn't the Patriot!
- **Get Well Wishes . . .** go out to City Councillor Albert "Dapper" O'Neil who is recuperating from an operation. Get well soon, "Dapper" . . . and to Ronnie Poole who is recuperating from a recent operation at Brigham and Women's Hospital! We wish you a very speedy recovery, Ronnie!
- **Speaking of the City Council . . .** Next year's race has already begun with news that Boston School Committee President John Nucci has thrown his hat into the ring for one of the at-large seats. Good luck, John!
- **What's This . . .** Word got back to us that Johnny Fitz has been nominated to become the first American Pope! We think that honor should be given to a woman, John!
- **Drop A Card To . . .** Peter Foley at the Spaulding Rehabilitation Center, 125 Nashua Street, Boston 02201 or call him and say "Hi" at 720-6947. He'd be awful glad to hear from all his friends in Charlestown and perhaps get to know some new ones, too!
- **She's Always There When We Need Her . . .** When you're home relaxing with your family on the day after Christmas, Judy Evers will be manning the "hot line" in City Hall between noon and 4 p.m. If you have a problem, just dial 725-4500 . . . and as always, Judy will be there to help!
- **Like The Ribbon On A Beautifully Wrapped Gift . . .** were the Christmas carolers heard singing traditional holiday songs on Monday evening. The group was lead through the neighborhood by Reverend Brian Murdoch of Saint John's Church. The perfect touch as Christmas Day fast approaches!
- **What To Do With Those Few Extra Christmas Cards Not Needed . . .** Send a message to a member of the military stationed overseas showing your support. Address is "From America With Love," Lanier/Fax Voice Products, 8500 Hilltop Road, Fairfax, VA 22031. Want more info? Call 1-800-888-8196.
- **Warm Hearts . . .** will keep many homeless hands and heads warm during these winter months. Eight large bags bulging with winter hats, gloves and mittens were sent along to the Pine Street Inn from the parishioners of Saint Francis de Sales. This kind gesture of caring will be much appreciated by many who would have otherwise felt the severe bite of winter's blast.
- **Congrats . . .** to David Dow who has been elected Business Agent at Carpenter's Local 218 to fill the seat held by Herb Green who is retiring. Word has it that David received a Standing O when his appointment was announced to the membership. Best wishes, David, as you take on your new responsibilities.
- **Thank You Ed Burns and Bernie Kelly . . .** We really appreciate your thinking of us with such wonderful Christmas gifts!
- **From the Staff of the Charlestown Patriot . . .** to all our friends in Charlestown . . .

A Very Merry Christmas!

**Residents Eligible For
Installation Of Free Smoke Detector**

Charlestown residents who do not have a smoke detector are eligible to have a free one installed in their homes, city officials announced this week.

"Fire can bring tragedy to a family and to a community but an early warning can mean the difference between life and death," said Kelley Brown, executive director of the city's Arson Prevention Commission which is making the offer.

Under the program, citi-

zens can call City Hall and a member of the Arson Prevention Commission staff will arrange to visit their home and install the smoke detector at no cost. The project is being conducted in cooperation with the Boston City Hospital's Childhood Injury Prevention Program which is providing the detectors.

Residents should call 725-3609 between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, to learn more about the program.

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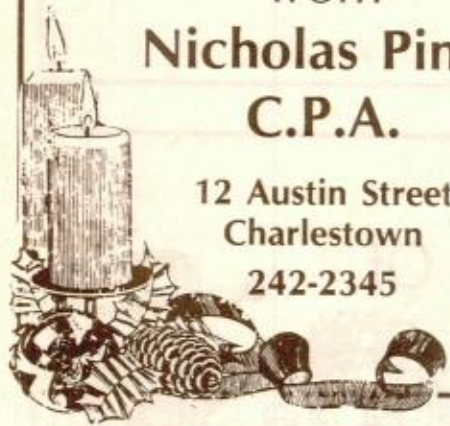


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NPS Seeks Applicants For Summer Jobs In Boston

The National Park Service has announced that it is seeking qualified applicants to fill approximately 30 temporary Park Ranger and Park Laborer positions at Boston National Historical Park during the summer of 1989.

Boston National Historical Park includes the Visitor Center at 15 State Street and eight historic sites in downtown Boston, Dorchester Heights and the Charlestown Navy Yard. Summer workers are employed in

the divisions of law enforcement, interpretation and maintenance.

Law enforcement rangers direct vehicle and pedestrian traffic, make routine foot and vehicle patrols and provide visitor information. Interpreters lead tours of historic Boston, staff the Park Visitor Center and take part in living history programs. Park laborers may be assigned to building maintenance, taking care of grounds or assisting plumbers and electricians in their

work.

Applicants for all positions must be U.S. Citizens and be 18 years of age. Park Rangers (GS-025-03) must have six months general experience or have completed one year of academic study beyond high school (at least six semester hours) in natural science, history, archaeology, park and recreation management, or police science. To qualify for Park Ranger positions (GS-025-04) applicants must have one year specialized experience in park operations or a related field or have completed two years of college (at least 12 semester hours) in the above subject areas. Applicants for the Park Laborer positions will be rated on their ability to perform the duties of the position based on the information provided in their application.

Applications may be obtained by calling the Boston National Historical Park Personnel Office at 242-5638 Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Deadline for submitting applications is February 28.

Massachusetts Special Olympics Win With 12th Jingle Bell Run



A CHECK FOR \$40,000 was presented to the Massachusetts Special Olympics following the 12th Annual Bill Rodgers Jingle Bell Run on December 11. Mayor Raymond Flynn was the honorary chairman for this annual fun run, cosponsored by the Sheraton Boston Hotel & Towers, which has hosted this event for the past eight years. Over 3,500 runners dressed in holiday colors and costumes completed the 2.5 mile run. The Massachusetts Special Olympics provides a year-round program of sports training and

competition for people with mental retardation. Shown (l. to r.) John McCullough of Charlestown, president of the board of directors, Massachusetts Special Olympics; Tom Kilduff, vice president of public affairs, Bank of New England; Joan Benoit Samuelson, famed marathoner; Michael Twiss, special olympian; Bill Rodgers, famed marathoner and founder of the annual fun run; Jean Prats, Sheraton Towers Manager; and Bernie Carroll, member, board of directors, Massachusetts Special Olympics.

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Vinnie

Tuition-Free For Veterans

A tuition-free comprehensive program for veterans is open at UMass/Boston.

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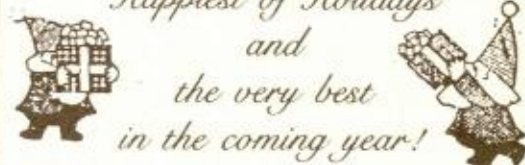
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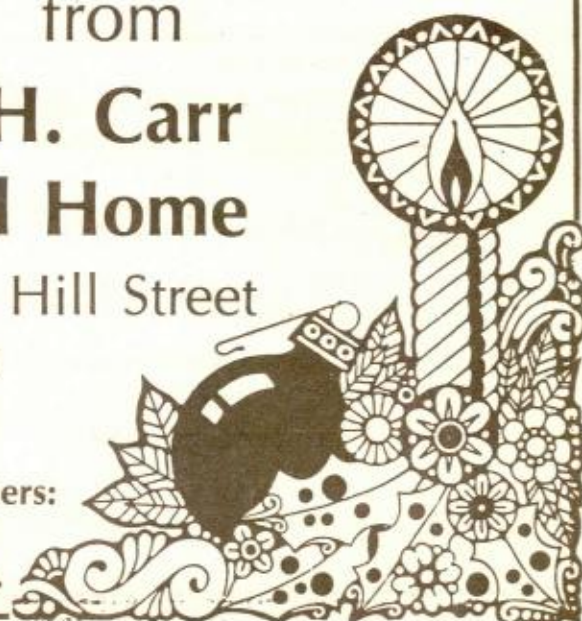
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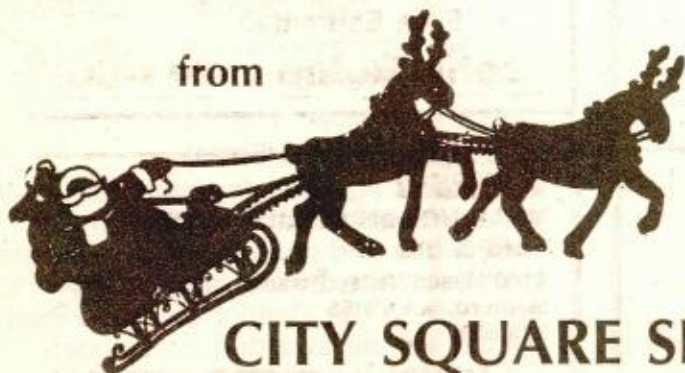
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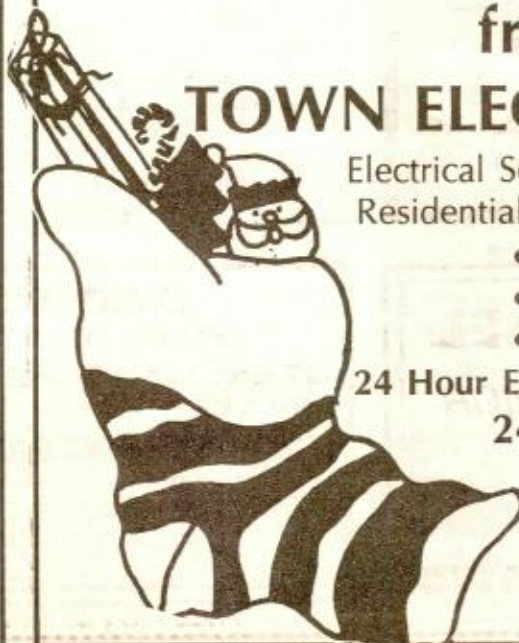
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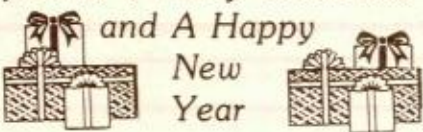


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

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 The Annual Clubhouse Christmas Party for club members will be held this Friday, December 23 from 3 to 5 p.m. There will be lots of games and activities including Frost-A-Cookie, the Driedel game, a scavenger hunt and a Pinata filled with candy. Punch and cookies will be served and everyone will be making Christmas ornaments. Plus — we hear that Santa hopes to take a little time out from his work and come to our party. We hope as many children and parents as possible will join us in our celebration.

• **CHRISTMAS DANCE**
 On Friday, following the Christmas Party, there will be a special Christmas Dance for 6-12 year olds in the Games Room from 6 to 8 p.m. Admission will be \$2 but anyone who comes totally dressed in green and red will get in free! There will be lots of dance contests and special prizes, so come check it out.

• **CLUBHOUSE DELI**
 Congratulations to the Clubhouse Torch Club, our leadership group for 6-12 year olds, who have started a Deli in the clubhouse outside the Games Room. Under the watchful eye of Carole Marks, they serve a variety of healthful foods to our club members including French bread pizza, hot dogs, tuna fish sandwiches and soup. More items will be added to the menu as they go along, but the emphasis will stay on serving nutritional foods and not junk. The Torch Club members are doing a great job staffing the Deli and they've even been known to deliver to the Director's office! Keep up the great work.

• **CLUBHOUSE HOURS**
 There will be some changes in the clubhouse hours over the holidays. Please make note of the following:
 Friday, December 23 — noon to 8 p.m.
 Saturday, December 24 — closed
 Tuesday, December 27 through Friday, December 30 — 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.
 Saturday, December 31 (New Year's Eve) — closed

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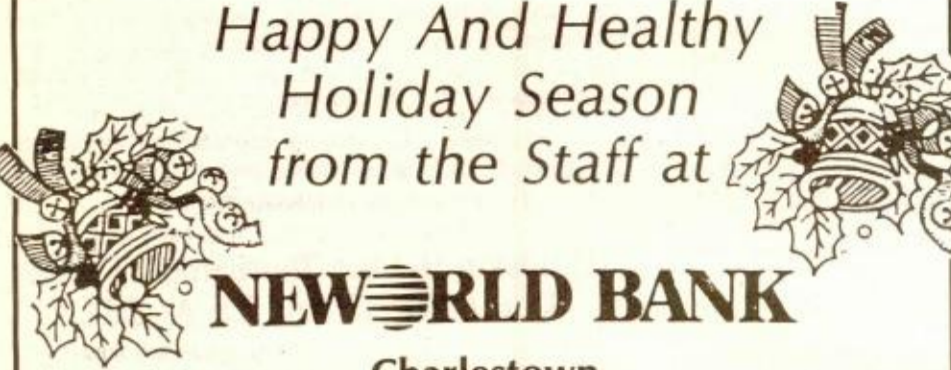
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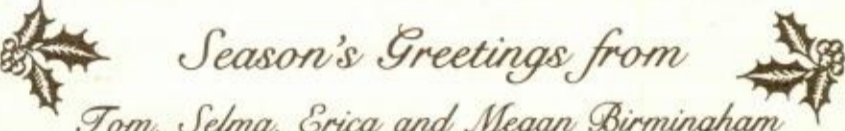
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David W. Dav's Executive Director

Townie Sports Line

The Charlestown Boys and Girls Club/Community Schools Swim Team evened their season record to 3-3 after defeating the Waltham Boys and Girls Club last Friday. The scores were:

| | Charlestown | Waltham |
|--------------|-------------|------------|
| 8-and-Under | 9 | 25 |
| 10-and-Under | 27 | 39 |
| 12-and-Under | 50 | 18 |
| 14-and-Under | 52 | 25 |
| 17-and-Under | 54 | 20 |
| TOTAL | 192 | 127 |

First places were awarded to:

8-and-Under

Katie O'Leary, 25-yard backstroke, :26.02
Free Relay, 100-yard freestyle, 2:59.86 (Megan Murray, Katie O'Leary, Christine Griffin, Erin O'Donnell)

10-and-Under

Matt Chardovoyne, 50-yard freestyle, :34.86 and 100-yard freestyle, 1:23.78

"Townies" Swim Team

Free Relay, 100-yard freestyle, 1:07.63 (Matt Chardovoyne, Kim Weafer, Eric McDonough, Jamie Hutchins).

12-and-Under

Medley Relay, 200-yard each stroke, 2:40.19 (Jennifer Evers, Stephanie Ward, Corey Gallagher, Mike Leahy)
Christine Poole, 50-yard freestyle, :37.69
Corey Gallagher, 50-yard butterfly, :40.73
Mike Leahy, 100-yard freestyle, 1:19.13
Jennifer Evers, 50-yard backstroke, :44.21
Freestyle Relay, 200-yard freestyle, 2:27.73 (Mike Leahy, Christine Poole, Jennifer Evers, Corey Gallagher)

14-and-Under

Medley Relay, 200-yard each stroke, 2:27.61 (Leah Kilmartin, Jesse MacDonald, Jonathan Heelen, Jamie Poole)
Jamie Poole, 50-yard freestyle, :30.37
Paul Griffin, 100-yard freestyle, 1:15.46
Jesse MacDonald, 100-yard breast stroke, 1:26.56
Freestyle Relay, 200-yard freestyle, 2:12.54 (Jamie Poole, Peter Truong, Chris Merullo, Paul Griffin)

17-and Under

Medley Relay, 200-yard each stroke, 2:17.75 (Mayra Adams, Susie Burke, Al Disessa, Timmy Quigley)
Michele Bryant, 200-yard freestyle, 2:34.23 and 500-yard freestyle, 6:55.47
Al Disessa, 200-yard I.M., 2:42.88
Timmy Quigley, 50-yard freestyle, :26.69
Mayra Adams, 100-yard butterfly, 1:45.41 and 100-yard backstroke, 1:27.11
Free Relay, 400-yard freestyle, 4:46.28 (Michele Bryant, Mike Walsh, Al Disessa, Timmy Quigley)

The next meets will be "back-to-back" with the "Townies" facing Arlington on Friday, January 6, with warm-ups beginning at 6 p.m., and on Saturday, January 7, they will face Pittsfield, with warm-ups at 11:30 a.m. Both of these meets will be at the Charlestown Boys and Girls Club.

The "Townies" swim team members along with coaches Ann Connolly and Shelley Montgomery would like to wish you a very safe and happy holiday season.

Knights Of Columbus To Sponsor Free Throw Championship

The contestant comes to the line, dribbles, takes aim, and releases the ball. It moves in a perfect arch towards the basket... swish! And another contestant has competed in the Knights of Columbus-sponsored Free Throw Championship.

The 1989 competition looks to be even more successful than last year's which saw nearly 1,700 local Knights of Columbus councils hosting a contest, and more than 120,000 boys and girls working their way through the local, district, regional and state competitions. The international winners are chosen by the Supreme Council on the basis of scores achieved in the various state competi-

tions. All contestants on the local level are recognized for their participation and achievement, winners receive awards at all levels of the competition.

The local competition is being sponsored by Bunker Hill Council 62 of Charlestown and will be held on Sunday, January 15 at noon at the Charlestown Boys and Girls Club, 15 Green Street.

All boys and girls ages 10 to 14 are eligible to participate. Contestants will be required to furnish proof of age and written parental consent.

Entry forms are available at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 75 West School Street; Charlestown Boys

and Girls Club, 15 Green Street; and at the Charlestown High School Gym, 255 Medford Street.

Charlestown Pride Alive!

by Coach Bob DeCristoforo

As a team we haven't had too many games, but the high school basketball season has arrived and most of our Charlestown Pride Basketball Team members are playing in their school programs.

How proud I am of this accomplishment! How proud we all can be. Hard work has paid off and Charlestown Pride is once again spread around various high school teams.

To all the players — con-

gratulations! To their parents and friends, pick up a schedule and follow our kids at their schools.

The players and their schools are:

- Captain Mike Connell - Malden Catholic;
- Bill Hayes - Malden Catholic;
- Derek Gallagher - Don Bosco;
- Steven Power - Don Bosco;
- Steve Fabiano - St. Clement; and
- Roger Britton - Umana Tech.

All Boston Hockey Tournament Set For December 27 And 28 At B.U.

Christopher Columbus High School's 1988 "Gift to the City" will take place at the Walter Brown Rink at Boston University on Tuesday, December 27 and Wednesday, December 28.

Once again it is time for the All-Boston Hockey Tournament featuring four outstanding Boston high school hockey teams which indeed represent all the fine qualities of our young people.

In the opening game, Boston Latin will face off against South Boston High School at 6 p.m., and then host Christopher Columbus will face defending champion Don Bosco.

On Wednesday, the consolation game will begin at 6 p.m. and the championship game will follow at approximately 8 p.m. At the conclusion of the championship game, awards will be presented and the All-Star Team and MVP will be announced.

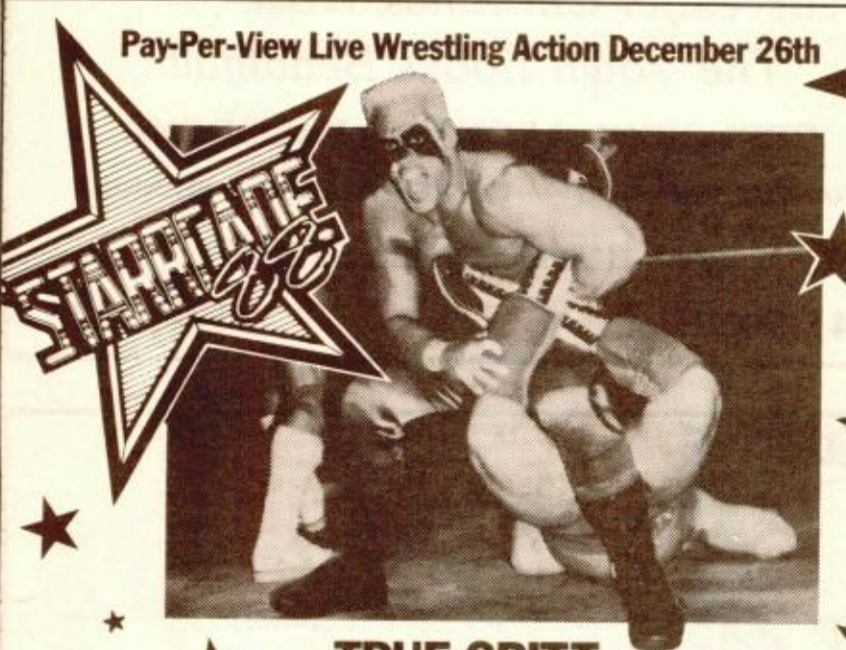
"Boston kids needed a Hockey Tournament of their own at a good facility at a time when their families, relatives and friends could attend. The All-Boston Hockey Tournament filled this need," said Tournament Director Bob DeCristoforo, who is Athletic Director at Christopher Columbus High School.

He continued, "Filling B.U. for this tournament would certainly be a great tribute to the young people on these teams, and this is our goal. We have a lot of great young people in the city and they need our support."

Tickets are \$5 per night and further information may be obtained by calling 742-2626.

Cable Vision of Boston will once again be broadcasting both the consolation and the championship games, as well as the award ceremony.

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"Scoop"

Matt O'Neil Senior Hockey League

A Merry "Matt O'Neil" Xmas And A Happy Senior League New Year

by **Bernie "Ho, Ho, Ho, Scoop" Kelly**

In keeping with the "Townie" tradition, we of the Senior Hockey League, the Commissioner Eddie "Ho, Ho, Ho, Baron" Johnson, coaches John "Tubba" Tibbetts and John "Sporty" Kelly, and your humble servant Bernie "Simply Scoop" Kelly, join in offering a Standing O to the **Charlestown Patriot's** publisher and managing editor Gloria Jean Conway and her team of newspeople, Kathleen "Cookie" Whelan Giordano (reporter-public relations), Judie "Data" Dunphy (typist-graphic artist), Lynn "Preppie" Peters (star reporter-all events) and Jeanne "Dainty" Davis (receptionist), for the wonderful coverage and reporting, with photo layouts, given to the league, not only this year but for the last five years. They have given coverage to the league with the same precision, warmth and fairness afforded every other sports organization in C-Town, presented with a totally professional touch. Congratulations!

We also extend "Holiday Greetings" to MDC Commissioner Billy Geary for favors done and to C-Town's Associate Commish Jack "Green Thumb" Whelan and his Mrs. Commish wife Ellen (not Mary-Ellen — I finally got that straight). Oh no, Jack's thumb is not bright, bright green, but that's another story, or profile, on the Commish for some rainy day . . . oops . . . I mean bright sunny day when it's "hybrid planting time." Right, Commish?

Finally, to all those dedicated people and to our elected officials who have worked on our behalf, we wish you all "Happy Holidays!"

BULLYS BURY COLONIAL BOYS 13-7!

The Salem State Captain (1987-88) Paul "Amos" Anthony exploded with a hat trick and three assists and his teammate Mark "Ace" Lally had a hat trick and one assist as the Bulllys continued to hold dominance over the Senior Hockey League. They took the starch away from the Colonial Boys in the third period as the Colonials literally fell apart. They allowed the Bulllys to penetrate their defenses in the late stages of the game that, until 10:53 in the third period, was fairly even (6-5). The Bulllys abused poor Robby "Knobby" McIntosh, peppering him with over 44 blistering shots. He turned aside 31 saves for a shattering workout that his father "Nabby" suffered through with him — another loss for both.

Also assisting in the scoring was Dennis "Dixie" Dowd whose two goals and four assists catapulted him into the top ten scorers' chart. Not bad, "Dixie," this could be your year. Others who helped in the scoring were Mike Moloney, one goal and three assists; Sean Ridings, one goal and two assists; Captain Eddie "Biff" Considine, one goal and one assist; Jay "Yarbo" Yandle, one goal and one assist and Ken Guittarr with two assists.

The Colonial Boys were led by Mike "Darts" Doherty,

who had a hat trick, and brother Richie Doherty scored one goal and one assist. Former Captain Joe Doherty had two assists. Mark Mahan lit the light once with two assists and several players had assists.

There have been some strong rumors of a goalie trade or switch. The league officials are presently reviewing other goalies to negotiate a deal. Stay tuned for the results.

The old pro and famer, Tom "Bruiser" Bryson, has fooled rink experts who marvel at the "Bruiser's" stamina and, of course, his new secret weapon, "his rump," that has been saving him time after time. I suppose if you have it, use it, right, "Bruiser?" Hmmmn . . . Tom "Rumpy" Bryson . . . sounds good!

SCORING BY PERIOD

| TEAM | PERIOD | 1 | 2 | 3 | FINAL |
|-----------------|--------|---|---|---|-------|
| Baron's Bulllys | | 4 | 2 | 7 | 13 |
| Colonial Boys | | 2 | 2 | 3 | 7 |

★ GAME STARS ★

Paul "Amos" Anthony — Hat Trick Plus
Dennis "Dixie" Dowd — Flying High
Mike "Darts" Doherty — Irish Hat Trick

IRISH REBELS SKIN BLACK & TANS' HIDE 6-5

I wonder . . . could it be that history will repeat itself again? Remember last year's champion out of Norwich University, the military unit up there in Vermont, Jack "Jocko" Martin, who started out in the first game of the season with a hat trick plus three assists and scored another hat trick in the next game. By the third game he was leading all scorers by about 14 goals. Then, like night is to day, he got caught up reading his Sports Line write-ups and from the fourth game until about the 10th game, "Jocko" couldn't buy a goal or an assist. It was in about the 12th game when he finally snapped out of it and got back to basics. Well, guess what, "Jocko" is at it again with the hat tricks and all, climbing up the top ten scorers' list and going like wild fire. This starts to worry me. I just hope his mom hides his write-ups until the season is over so history doesn't repeat itself.

Last year's league top scorer, Matt "Flash" Mahoney, seems to be getting his old legs back again along with those moves that made him one of the most feared among goalies when he appeared in front of the net. He is once again lighting the light and is sure to be a contender before the year is over. So look out, "Ace!"

That "Old Connecticut Yankee," Mike "Yank" Anthony, is returning to his old form as a playmaker and scorer, breathing heavy on younger brother, Paul "Amos" Anthony, who precedes him by six points in the top scorers' column. But the season is still early, right "Yank?" Older means wiser!

HOT RUMOR: The Irish Rebels were snickering in the locker room after last week's game as Paul "Brig-Rat" Chaisson's jersey was still hanging on the hook as he missed the game. His job as First Lieutenant (Chief Mate) aboard a vast oceanic vessel keeps him out to sea, and out of trouble. So his teammates were thinking, "Poor 'Briggy' missed the boat." So what's new? First Lieutenant Cheesy has been "missing the boat" for years. Just look at his goals and assists record — they would scuttle you. Boy, rumors can kill you, can't they? Sorry, "Cheesy!"

SCORING BY PERIOD

| TEAM | PERIOD | 1 | 2 | 3 | FINAL |
|--------------|--------|---|---|---|-------|
| Irish Rebels | | 2 | 1 | 3 | 6 |
| Black & Tans | | 0 | 2 | 3 | 5 |

★ GAME STARS ★

Jack "Jocko" Martin — Born Again
Matt "Flash" Mahoney — Bound For Glory
Mike "Yank" Anthony — On Fire

SENIOR HOCKEY LEAGUE STANDINGS

| TEAM | W | L | TIE | *POINT STANDINGS |
|-----------------|---|---|-----|------------------|
| Baron's Bulllys | 4 | 1 | 0 | 8 points |
| Irish Rebels | 3 | 2 | 0 | 6 points |
| Black & Tans | 1 | 3 | 1 | 3 points |
| Colonial Boys | 1 | 3 | 1 | 3 points |

*Point Standing - 2 points for win - 1 point for tie

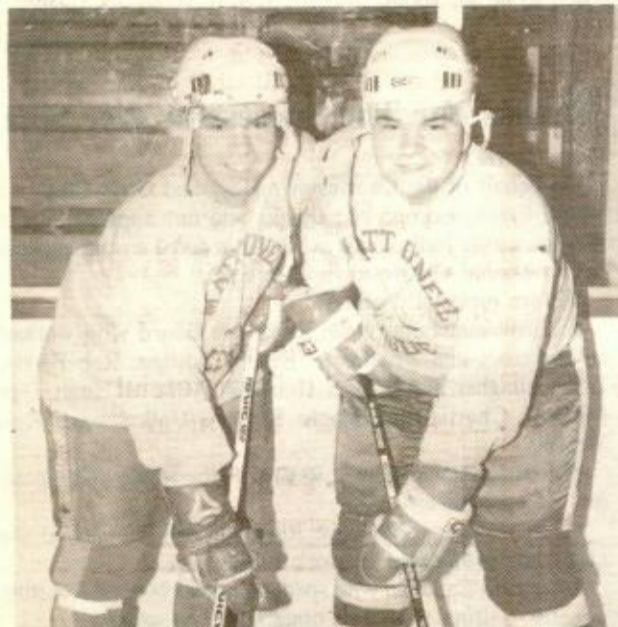
★ SENIOR LEAGUE TOP SCORERS ★

| Name | Team | Goals | Assists | Points |
|--------------------|-------------|-------|---------|--------|
| 1) Mark Lally | - Bulllys | 15 | 9 | 24 |
| 2) Paul Anthony | - Bulllys | 10 | 9 | 19 |
| 3) Mike Anthony | - Rebels | 4 | 9 | 13 |
| 4) Jackie Martin | - Rebels | 6 | 6 | 12 |
| 5) Eddie Considine | - Bulllys | 7 | 4 | 11 |
| 6) Mike Moloney | - Bulllys | 5 | 6 | 11 |
| 7) Matt Mahoney | - Rebels | 2 | 6 | 8 |
| 8) Dennis Dowd | - Bulllys | 2 | 6 | 8 |
| 9) Mike Doherty | - Colonials | 4 | 3 | 7 |
| 10) Richie Doherty | - Colonials | 3 | 4 | 7 |

Also tied with seven points each are John Dowd, Peter Enos, Sean Ridings and Eddie Kelly.

★ RISING STARS ★

Peter Enos — Colonial Boys
Mark Mahan — Baron's Bulllys
Sean Ridings — Baron's Bulllys
Richie Doherty — Colonial Boys



LEADING the Colonial Boys are (l. to r.) Co-Captain Paul "Rickshaw" Wrenn and Captain Steve "Cargo" Considine. (photo by Tom Bryson)



COLONIAL BOYS TEAM of the O'Neil Senior Hockey League. Front row (l. to r.) Warren Fitz, John Flowers, Goalie Robby McIntosh, Joe Upton and Peter Enos. Back row (l. to r.) Captain Steve Considine, Jim Hingston, Co-Captain Paul Wrenn, John Lynch, Robby Cahill, Paul Duffy and Joe Doherty. (photo by Tom Bryson)

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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Thank You, Townie Santa

Santa came early to my house this year! The wonderful people of "Townie Santa" paid me a visit last Sunday complete with Christmas joy and many, many gifts. The three young people who delivered the packages to me really made this a special Christmas.

I would like to thank everyone involved in this wonderful organization. They certainly carry the true meaning of Christmas with them.

Thank you again,
A Charlestown Senior

Thank You

Dear Editor,

Please allow me to express my gratitude to all my friends and neighbors who participated in any way to make my retirement party such a wonderful event. A special thanks to Bernie Kelly and his trio for their lively entertainment.

I especially want to thank my loving wife and wonderful children for putting so much work into giving me a memorable evening.

A thank you too, to all those who couldn't attend the party but have sent cards or called to wish me well.

Sincerely,
Red Marino

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**No To Beer And Wine —
Yes To Ice Cream**

To The Concerned Charlestown Resident of Five Years:
If you want upgraded small restaurants that serve beer and wine, move to the North End.

In less than three small blocks we have a toonie tavern, a townie bar and a yuppie upgraded restaurant. They should be sufficient to fill your "neighborhood services."

What the town needs for us teenagers, "the forgotten residents," is what was there before — Jamason's Ice Cream Parlor. I must say this because your stupid letter put me in an ice cream mood. Greed wears many faces and in the case of the owners who bought Jamason's, it went from vanilla to green quickfast.

Reading more of your letter, "I Love the City" (Patriot

**Concerned Citizen —
You Have Missed The Point**

To A Very Concerned Citizen,

Obviously, like many of your counterparts, you have missed the point. It amazes me that one so undoubtedly educated and well minded could portray such shallow and selfish reasoning. I, unlike you, have lived in this "community" all my life. I don't consider myself a resident of a "commercial zone" but rather a native of what used to be a neighborhood.

The progress which you speak so highly of is, I will not attest, progress. But who may I ask benefits the most from it? Oh, yes everyone's property value increases with these improvements. This type of reasoning presupposes that Charlestown residents are ultimately interested in selling their homes. Many of us do not want to sell, this is our home, but it is becoming increasingly too expensive to live here. The higher taxes on property combined with the same working class wage are forcing many of us out.

The other niceties of which you speak so fondly, to me are laughable and sad. Why would a Charlestown native be concerned with a "quality of life" that is not only above their means but may not even be one that is desirable? Most of us are not interested in overpriced specialty shops and restaurants. They are there for you, not us. Who ever heard of "pesto" and more importantly, who cares?

I would like to see my community prosper, but for all, not a select few. Our needs and wants are often very different from yours, that is why I say your philosophy is shallow. You have failed to consider problems such as these and the mentality behind them from any other point of view except your own. Until you do, I predict you will find very little sympathy among the "Townies."

I may sound pessimistic, however, the history of Boston has shown time and time again that economic booms are often followed by economic busts. And when this happens it will be you, my dear concerned citizen, that will be finding happiness in the suburbs while we inhabit the condos that turn to tenements and order subs from what used to be gourmet shops.

To be truly concerned I think one must be truly informed. Wake up and smell the coffee, or should I say Cappuccino?
D. Doherty
Concerned Native

12/15), I became very angry because we "Love Charlestown" and know the people of Charlestown have to travel out of our town to get good tasting ice cream.

Recently, I went to Jamason's with a few of my friends for a sandwich. I overheard a conversation between an employee and a customer. The customer said, "I heard Charlestown went through a lot of changes." The employee replied, "Well I've only lived here for three months, but from what I heard it has." The only change that Charlestown is going through is that you "liberals" come to Charlestown and think you are making a difference by changing things.

Jamason's is nothing like what it used to be. Now there is a new owner who also wants to change the name to Olive's. I just wish everything would go back to the way it was.

I know I am going to miss a refreshing cold ice cream in the summer and everyone else in Charlestown probably will too.

I like the way Charlestown was, will it ever be the same?

JoAnne Wallace
Charlestown Teenager

P.S. I also read in the Patriot that Olive's is looking for a beer and wine license. I asked my father to explain that to me, he did, and I am going to ask him and my other teenage friends' fathers to go to that meeting and say, "No to beer and wine, and yes to ice cream."

J.W.

What Christmas Is All About

To the editor,

More than seven years ago, a number of Charlestown residents decided to do something for Charlestown's elderly and shut-ins during the Christmas Season. Thus, the "Townie Santa" Committee was born. Each year since, the work of the "Townie Santa" volunteers grows. This year some 144 elderly received their Christmas provisions — gifts and a hot turkey dinner — on Sunday, December 18. Charlestown has given so much to both me and my family over the years, helping the "Townie Santa" effort is just one way many of us can pay back this nurturing community.

I congratulate all who took part in this year's drive. Charlestown always gets so much bad press, but the real spirit of Charlestown could be seen at the Mary Colbert Apartments on December 18 when the distribution effort was in full gear. While Charlestown has prospered much over the last decade, that prosperity has not reached many of the town's elderly population and those on the "Townie Santa" list were thrilled, thankful and quite surprised at all that the "Townie Santa" helpers brought them.

Sharing with those in need, offering hope and sharing a smile was the best Christmas gift that any volunteer could receive. I thank all those who volunteered in this year's effort because their good works are what Christmas is supposed to be all about.

Sincerely,
Sal Giarratani

Thanks For The Successful Tree Sale

Dear Gloria,

On behalf of the Charlestown Boys and Girls Club, we would like to express our thanks and our appreciation to the numerous individuals who contributed to the success of our annual Charlestown Tree Sale.

We are especially grateful to:

- Those members of the Executive Board who worked selling trees and wreaths — Dennis Borden, Rob Ferris, Lois Gallagher, Jim (Dinga) Houlihan, Mike McHugh, Dan McGoff, Charlie McGonagle, Kevin O'Halloran and Kim Wright;
- Board member Chuck Reilly of The Flatley Company for his assistance;
- Jim Connors and Steve Raymond who contacted the club and volunteered to work selling trees;
- Linda O'Callahan who spent countless hours decorating wreaths, selling trees and organizing the sale;
- Speedy Kane of Royal Electric who installed the lighting on the High Street building;
- Wendell Fidler who, by happenstance, was present when the truck load of trees arrived and joined in the unloading and, observing that we didn't have tree stands, arrived with 10 heavy duty stands he had constructed;
- Jim Mansfield who helped secure the necessary permits;
- The staff of the Boys and Girls Club who, on their own time, helped sell trees and wreaths — Director Jerry Steimel, Dan Frangos, Connie MacDonald, John Ezekiel, Kristi Kane, Julie Doherty and Joe Jackson;
- The youngsters from the Keystone Club of the Boys and Girls Club who worked so hard selling trees and wreaths, making posters and decorating wreaths;
- The Charlestown Patriot for its support and coverage; and
- Most importantly, we thank the people of Charlestown, whose community spirit and generosity guaranteed the success of the Christmas Tree Sale.

Once again our thanks,
Patrick J. Sweeney, Chairman
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LAST WEEK'S RESULTS (12-15-88)

GAME 1 — Silver Box 8, Parkies 0

Cheryl Collins scored five goals and Shannon Lawler added three to lead the Silver Box to their sixth straight victory. Silver Box goalie Elaine Hardy kept the Parkies scoreless, giving them their third straight loss.

GAME 2 — Barbies 4, N.B.B. 2

The Barbies may have come into this game expecting an easy victory, but got a scare from N.B.B. The Barbies had pressure on N.B.B. the entire first half, but goalie Barbara McCabe kept N.B.B. in the game, allowing only an Anne Hanson goal. Amanda Venezia answered that for N.B.B., for a 1-1 tie at the half.

However, the pressure stayed on in the second half, and two more Hanson goals plus one from Lesley Borden gave the Barbies a 4-1 lead. To get the N.B.B. offense going, McCabe moved up to forward, but her goal with 30 seconds left was not enough to keep the Barbies from winning their second straight game.

GAME 3 — Main Street 6, Chiefs 4

In a very close game, Main Street was able to get back to their winning ways and stay in a tie for first place while ending the Chiefs' two game winning streak. With a minute left in the first half, Main Street was leading 2-1 on goals by Tina Lyons and Laura Blaikie. Patty Riley had scored for the Chiefs. But with 45 seconds left, Julie Trainor scored for the Chiefs, tying the game at two.

In the second half, Lyons had two more goals and Riley answered with one for the Chiefs, and with two minutes left, it was 4-3 Main Street. April Brennan made it 5-3 with 1:30 left, and with a minute left the Chiefs' Shannon McLaughlin was robbed by Main Street goalie, Laura Blaikie. But with 30 seconds left, McLaughlin did score, making it 5-4. Kathy Kavinsky scored for Main Street with five seconds left for the final score of 6-4.

STANDINGS

| Team | W | L | T | Points |
|--------------------|---|---|---|--------|
| Silver Box | 6 | 1 | 0 | 12 |
| Main Street | 6 | 1 | 0 | 12 |
| Charlestown Chiefs | 4 | 3 | 0 | 8 |
| Barbies | 4 | 3 | 0 | 8 |
| Parkies | 1 | 6 | 0 | 2 |
| N.B.B. | 0 | 7 | 0 | 0 |

TONIGHT'S GAMES (12-22-88)

6:15 p.m. — Silver Box vs. Barbies
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7:45 p.m. — Main Street vs. N.B.B.

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by supporting the work at Dana-Farber."

Those interested in participating in next year's Pan-Mass Challenge should contact Billy Starr at 965-9624.

Charlestown resident John Eldredge was designated a "heavy hitter" for the 1988 Pan-Mass Challenge (PMC) to benefit Dana-Farber Cancer Institute's Jimmy Fund. Eldredge was recognized for raising over \$2,000 in pledges after he completed the 194-mile ride from Sturbridge to Provincetown.

Eldredge was one of nearly 900 riders who participated in the 9th annual PMC, which is celebrating a record year, having raised more than \$850,000. Nearly \$2.5 million has been contributed to date for

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Jim Cameron of Charlestown, a senior at Pope John High, was one of five Tiger football players named to the Catholic Central Small League All-Stars.

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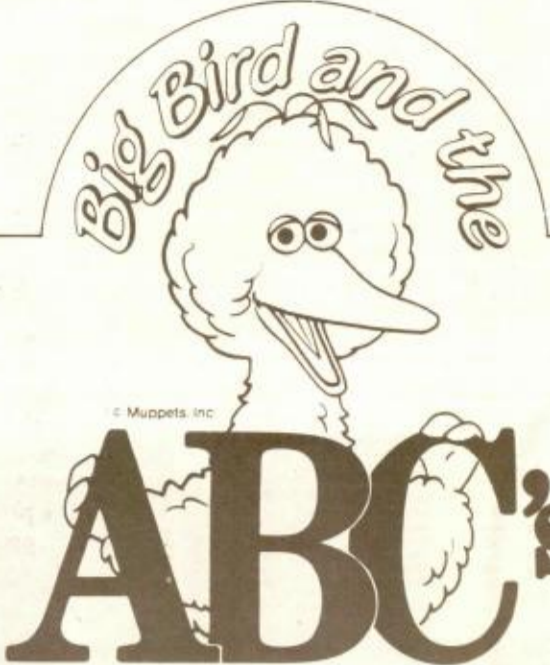
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Senior Citizen Lunch Program

The Kit Clark Senior House provides lunches for Senior Citizens, Monday through Friday, under the Title III Senior Nutrition Program at the Rutherford Avenue Senior Center, 114 Rutherford Avenue and at the Senior Lounge, 55 Bunker Hill Street.

MENU

Friday, December 23 — Breaded fish, tartar sauce, sweet potatoes, mixed vegetables, wheat bread, fresh fruit.

Monday, December 26 — ALL SITES CLOSED

Tuesday, December 27 — Beef stew, stewed tomatoes, french roll, fresh fruit.

Wednesday, December 28 — Cream of broccoli soup, baked chicken with gravy, mashed potatoes, light rye bread.

Thursday, December 29 — Juice, macaroni and cheese and tomato, wheat bread, green beans, applesauce, raisins. Milk served with all meals.

"Pat" Patch Dead At The Age Of 87

Thomas A. "Pat" Patch of Washington Street died Sunday, December 18 at the Chelsea Soldiers Home. He was 87 years old.

Patch, who was a veteran of the United States Navy, was proprietor of Bunker Hill Taxi for many years. He was the husband of the late Margaret A. (Pitts) Patch.

The funeral was from the Martin Conroy Funeral Home, Washington Street, Newton. Burial was at the Calvary Cemetery in Waltham.

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Boys' Club Happenings Of The Past



CONTESTS have always been popular at the Boys' Club and this one was to determine the club's strongest member. The Alumni Committee of the Boys and Girls Club Board of Directors is planning an Alumni Reunion on January 14. For more information, call the Clubhouse at 242-1775.

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★ EVENTS OF THE WEEK ★

Friday, December 23
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Sunday, December 25
MERRY CHRISTMAS

Monday, December 26
CLOSED

Tuesday, December 27
10:00 a.m. - Crochet, Senior Lounge
11:45 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch, Senior Lounge
1:00 p.m. - Senior-obics, Senior Lounge

Wednesday, December 28
9:30 a.m. - Stop & Shop Bus, Anchorage Apartments
10:00 a.m. - Crochet, Mary Colbert Apartments
10:00 a.m. - Arts & Crafts, Senior Lounge
10:00 a.m. - Social Services Information, Senior Lounge
11:45 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch, Senior Lounge
12:45 p.m. - Bingo, Senior Lounge

Thursday, December 29
9:30 a.m. - Stop & Shop Bus, Senior Lounge and Constitution Co-op Apartments
10:00 a.m. - Crochet, Senior Lounge
11:45 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch, Senior Lounge
1:00 p.m. - Ceramics, Senior Lounge

★ EVENTS AT THE SENIOR LOUNGE ★
Contact Fran or Phyllis at 241-8866

- New Year's Eve Party — Saturday, December 31 from 1 to 6 p.m. There will be a band, buffet, set-ups and noisemakers. The cost is \$10.
- Lifeline — Thursday, January 5 at noon.
- Penny Sale — Friday, January 27 from 9:30 a.m. to noon.

For more information on senior activities, transportation or homemaker service, contact Judi Meaney, Director of Senior Services, at 241-8866.

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- Quilting — Tuesday from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., contact Jean Reilly.
- Arts & Crafts — Wednesday from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., contact Jean Reilly.
- Flower Arrangements — Thursday from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., contact Jean Reilly
- Ceramics — Monday to Thursday from noon to 4 p.m., contact Ann Griffin.
- Beano — Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday at 12:30 p.m., contact Marge Coghlan.
- Lunch — Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday at 12:00 p.m., contact Dolly Rocco.
- Knit & Crochet — Friday from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., contact Jean Reilly.

Saint Patrick's Day Party & Clambake
A Saint Patrick's Day Party and Clambake is being planned at the Beacon Motel, Lincoln, New Hampshire. The two day, one night trip will take place on Sunday, March 5 and Monday, March 6. The trip is priced at \$95 (includes three meals) and must be paid in full when you reserve your space. The reservation deadline is December 30. Please contact Sheila Walsh at 241-7513.

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Thank You, Jack And Tom

Dear Gloria,
 I would like this opportunity to thank two very special people, Jack Leeman and Santa Claus (Tom Jackson), for helping us with our "Holiday Surprise" in the Senior Lounge.
 Jack, thank you for taking pictures of us with Santa, and Tom, thank you for making us feel like kids again. Both of you made that a day to remember.
 Happy holidays from all of us at the Senior Lounge.
 Judi Meaney,
 Director of Senior Services

I Love The Town

A "very concerned citizen," a 10-year Boston resident, a five-year Charlestown resident, purports to know what is best for the "quality of life" for an area of Charlestown. We are told ("Letters To The Editor," Patriot, December 15) that a "lack of shops and restaurants in Charlestown causes people to buy property in Back Bay, Beacon Hill and Cambridge."

The writer, and allies, support a proposed Beer and Wine license for "Jamason's" Restaurant. Abutters object because of a lack of parking facilities and concern for the possibility of diminishing property values. (The upcoming traffic changes in City Square will make parking in that area non-existent.)

A "very concerned citizen" is "upset" by a "few in the community who make a career out of stopping progress." If this is true, how did the "continuing improvements . . ." make Charlestown a place where many others want to live and visit?

We love the town — even without the aesthetics. Most of us have had a "quality of life" that overshadowed the town's cosmetic deficiencies.

The "few in the community" did not stop the Beer and Wine licenses of Barrett's, the Front Page and the Warren Tavern. Three upscale restaurants within walking distance in our one-square-mile area are sufficient!

A five-year resident speaks (pay attention!):
 . . . "We should not allow abutters . . ."
 . . . "These residents (abutters) should not live here. They will find happiness in a garden apartment in the suburbs with plenty of parking and no restaurants in walking distance." (??)

It is amusing that these sentiments surface from time-to-time. In the Patriot on March 5, 1985, 100 year residents were told to "move to the suburbs and to a driveway . . ." because they placed a space-saver for parking (which they earned by paying Boston taxes for 100 years!)

We get so many invitations to "move to the suburbs" one has to read between the lines . . . I wish these "Townies" would get out of these lovely homes in this desirable neighborhood . . . Sorry, the will is made out and our children will remain in our home. Money can't buy us out.

When the bottom falls out of the real estate market, we'll then count the "very concerned citizens!"

Meanwhile, perhaps there is "happiness" in Back Bay, Beacon Hill or Cambridge for "a very concerned citizen" who expects some residents to disrupt their "quality of life" to enhance his/hers.

. . . "These residents should not live here . . ." They should read the real estate ads.

I Love The "Town"

Three Caring "Townies"

Dear Gloria,
 I would like to take this opportunity to thank three fellow "Townies," Kevin Burke, Ron Taylor and Billy Marsden, the Charlestown crew from the Boston Neighborhood Network (BNN), for the great community service they did for On Our Way, Inc., a nonprofit organization for deaf adults.
 On Sunday, December 4, these guys gave their time, talent and service to film On Our Way, Inc.'s first annual open house. Unfortunately, the program will have been aired by the time this letter reaches you but their efforts won't go unrecognized as it will be aired again in February on BNN.
 Once again the "Townie" spirit prevails for the betterment and assistance of others, both inside and outside of Charlestown. Without their help, On Our Way, Inc. might remain little known.
 Thank you, guys, you're terrific!
 Diane Armstrong

No Room In The Inn

. . . Mary and Joseph were refused shelter by many landlords.

The homeless, too, have been rebuffed by landlords. . . . They finally took refuge in a cave where the Christ Child was born.

The homeless are sometimes squatters in heatless, dirty hovels with broken plaster and wiring, with vermin scurrying about.

. . . The Christ Child was honored by the presence of the lowly shepherds.

The homeless share their meagre possessions with each other.

. . . The greatness of the Christ Child was brought to the attention of the world by a bright star shining in the sky. Wise men from distant lands, guided by the star, brought the Christ Child expensive gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh.

The graphic pictures and bright lights of television show us the plight of the homeless on too many streets in Boston. Caring people bring gifts of food, money and clothing to the shelters.

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Make Room In The Inn

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Air Force Technical Sergeant William J. Bobick, son of Mary C. Gallagher of 130 Walford Way, Charlestown, has arrived for duty in Japan.

Bobick is a pararescue and recovery technician with the 1730th Pararescue Squadron.

His wife, Vicki, is the daughter of Larry G. and Carolyn A. Van Pait of

Niceville, Florida. Bobick is a 1975 graduate of Charlestown High School.

The sergeant received an associate degree in 1988 from the Community College of the Air Force.

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Monday, December 12

At approximately 10 p.m., there was a power outage in the area of Monument Square. Additional patrol units were directed to the area and patrolled with the blue beacon lights on the cruisers flashing. This high visibility was directed by Sergeant O'Rourke as a means of informing the citizens that any fears or concerns could be easily addressed by the officers.

Tuesday, December 13

At approximately 11:30 p.m., Officers Bollen and Whiffen responded to 90 Bunker Hill Street on the report of a fight. The officers found a 42-year-old resident in an unconscious condition as the result of a fight between him and another individual. He was taken to Massachusetts General Hospital for treatment.

A resident of 267 Bunker Hill Street reported that someone had taken his Bertin 10-speed bicycle from his house.

Wednesday, December 14

At approximately 7:30 p.m., Officer Bollen arrested a 23-year-old resident on Medford Street for operating without a driver's license.

At approximately 10 p.m., Officers Green and Conway observed an individual exiting from a building that is under construction at Adams and Chestnut Streets. The suspect, a 27-year-old resident, was carrying copper pipes. He was placed under arrest for breaking into the building.

Thursday, December 15

At approximately 12:30 a.m., Officer McLean arrested a 31-year-old Everett resident at Sullivan Square for operating with a suspended license. The suspect also had three outstanding warrants.

At approximately 1 a.m., Officers Cody and Byrne observed a group that had gathered at Main and Dunstable Streets drinking beer. As the officers approached, the group began to throw beer bottles at the cruiser, striking it. The individuals in the group then began to run. Two of the individuals, both 18-year-old residents, were recognized by the officers a block from the scene and were apprehended.

Friday, December 16

At approximately 2 a.m., Officer Bollen observed an automobile on the sidewalk with the engine running and the driver asleep at the wheel. Further investigation revealed that the driver was under the influence of alcohol. The suspect, a 26-year-old Woburn resident, was placed under arrest.

At approximately 9 a.m., Officer Whiffen responded to 42 Tufts Street on a family trouble call. There he found a 22-year-old Dorchester resident who had three outstanding warrants. The suspect was placed under arrest.

An automobile that was parked on Medford Street was vandalized by someone who smashed the front window.

These incidents are under investigation by the Detectives and Officers of Area A.

Residents are reminded: If you know of any drug activity in your neighborhood, call the Boston Police Hot-

line at 247-4697. It is not necessary to give your name and all information will be investigated.

Christmas Greetings

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The maternal grandparents are Kay and John Fiske of Charlestown and Joseph Reilly of Saugus.

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