

Navy Yard Redevelopment To Begin Bringing Jobs To Charlestown



THE BOSTON SKYLINE will be part of the "luxury" for those who live in the luxury apartments being built in the Navy Yard.

by Maria Girvin

After several months of a negotiating limbo, the Boston Redevelopment Authority (BRA) has announced that a contract will be signed on February 2, 1979 with developers Immobiliare to begin redevelopment work in the Charlestown Navy Yard. With the announcement comes the promise of jobs for Charlestown residents but prompts arguments on whether or not the redevelopment will be beneficial to Charlestown.

Accompanying the construction contract is an agreement between the BRA, the Charlestown Advisory Committee, the Kennedy Center and the Charlestown Little City Hall to establish a network of job referrals in the Navy Yard so that Charlestown residents may receive timely notice of job openings. The Kennedy Center and Little City Hall will have

these openings posted in their offices with the Kennedy Center screening all interested Charlestown residents, regardless of income, and making referrals to the developers and their contractors for specific jobs.

Arguments center around the future impact of the redevelopment on the community. Controversy also surrounds the relocation of the Massachusetts College of Art which presently is located in Brookline.

These arguments are typified in the feelings and comments of two life-long Charlestown residents, Peggy VanGorder and Jack Whelan.

Peggy is a member of the Advisory Committee, a committee comprised of Charlestown residents chosen to interact with BRA and insure that

(Continued On Page Six)

SELLING YOUR HOME? SHOP AND COMPARE BROKERS

Here are a few of the things to look for in a broker

SALES RECORD

In 1978, Betty Gibson Associates sold \$4,000,000 of homes in the neighborhoods we serve, including Charlestown.

PRICES OBTAINED

Betty Gibson Associates is known for getting the highest prices for Charlestown homes. In 1978 we sold 4 homes in the \$90,000 to over \$100,000 range. Average price for the homes we sold in Charlestown in 1978 was \$58,000.

We provide, at no obligation to the home owner, an estimate of the market value of a home before it is put on the market. We will not undersell your home.

PROFESSIONALISM

How a home is sold is very important. We use no gimmicks or "hard-sell" tactics. We rely on information, imagination, persuasion and hard work. We spend the time with our Buyers to find out what they really want and can afford.

Betty Gibson Associates takes pride in personalized service. We respect an owner's wishes about days and hours of showing, calling ahead, notifying tenants, etc.

REPUTATION AND EXPERIENCE

Betty Gibson, as for the past 25 years, is highly regarded and respected as the foremost broker of older homes in Boston's in-town neighborhoods.

Betty Gibson brokers are required to continue their training and education in all aspects of real estate: law, finance, construction, market trends.

Betty Gibson, herself, is the president of the Intown Council of the Greater Boston Real Estate Board.

RESULTS

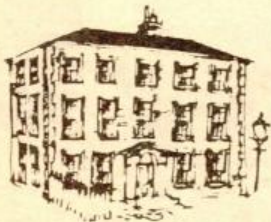
We can offer good results because we have on hand a number of qualified Buyers waiting for the right home to come on the market. Buyers looking for homes anywhere from \$20,000 to well over \$100,000.

BEFORE YOU SELL YOUR HOME GIVE US A CALL

For an estimate of the best sale price for your home, and for results when you want to sell, call JOEL CLAYDON at:



Betty Gibson
Associates
 TOWNHOUSES AND HOMES WITH INCOME
 Boston and Charlestown
426-6900



Businessmen To Meet

FINALLY!!!

This past Friday (January 19th) marked the first anniversary of a meeting that took place over coffee and Danish in Boston's City Hall.

Deputy Mayor Edward Sullivan, along with Police Department representatives and small business advisors from the City met with many of this area's merchants and businessmen to lay the groundwork to develop (or resurrect) a Businessmen's Association to deal with the multitude of problems facing our business community.

In reviewing notes from that meeting, topics were discussed such as vandalism—lighting—police protection—street repairs—sidewalks—monetary help for renovation, etc. we find that the priorities of January 1978 are still the priorities of January 1979—the difference being that a year has past.

There is only one way for the small businessman of Charlestown to exert some clout to obtain solutions for this myriad of problems, and that is to UNITE. A solid organization can exert pressure and offer support to its members in order to rectify these problems that plague Charlestown.

Little City Hall Manager Roberta Delaney has organized the first community meeting for Charlestown merchants and businessmen to activate an association. It will be held on Monday evening, February 5, 1979 at 7:30 p.m. at the Kent Community School, 50 Bunker Hill Street.

All Charlestown merchants and businessmen are urged to attend. Let's FINALLY get together and work for an improved business climate in Charlestown.

**YELLOW
CAB**

Radio Dispatched
24 Hour Service

MO6-1000

**BUNKER HILL
REAL ESTATE**

1 Monument Avenue
Charlestown
Sales-Rentals
Management
242-2600

CUMMINS PHARMACY
is devoting 100% to
prescriptions

Call Arthur Mason,
Pharmacist at
242-2899

Our main concern has
always been YOUR
health.

Mama Maria's

118 Bunker Hill Street


Now Serving
Beer & Wine
And Your Favorite Foods

Open 6:30 a.m. -

6:00 p.m.

242-4687





The
**Charlestown
PATRIOT**
and Somerville Chronicle
AN INDEPENDENT WEEKLY
7 Belmont Street
Charlestown, Mass.
GLORIA J. CONWAY
Publisher
Managing Editor
JAMES W. CONWAY
Editor
241-9511

This weekly newspaper assumes no financial responsibility for typographical errors in advertisements but will reprint that part of an advertisement in which the typographical error appears. Advertisers will please notify the management of any error which may occur.

Local news and photos are always welcome. This newspaper is not responsible for the return of photos sent for publication. Copy which is not signed will not be published. Deadline for advertising and copy is Monday at 6 p.m.

Charlestown Community Calendar

Thursday, January 25
C.Y.H.A. Meeting - 7:00 p.m. - Kent Community School, 50 Bunker Hill St.

Friday, January 26
Parents Discussion Group & Preschool Story Hour - 10 a.m. - Charlestown Branch Library
"Nite At The Races" - 8 p.m. - K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

Saturday, January 27
Gym Hockey Registration for youngsters in grades 1-4 - morning - St. Catherine's Hall.
Dance - 8:30 p.m. till . . . K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street

Tuesday, January 30
Films for Children - 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. - Charlestown Branch Library
"Townies for Canada " Meeting - 8:00 p.m. - Medford Street Gym

Thursday, February 1
Friends of the Library - 7:00 p.m. - Charlestown Branch Library

Friday, February 2
Parents Discussion Group - 10:00 a.m. - Charlestown Branch Library

Saturday, February 3
National Teamball League Game - 7:30 p.m. - Medford Street Gym

Sunday, February 4
Charlestown Preservation Society Meeting - 8 p.m. - Charlestown Community Center, 14 Green Street

Monday, February 5
Special Liturgy in honor of St. Catherine's School Week - 7:30 p.m. -

St. Catherine's Church (lower hall)
Meeting of Charlestown Merchants & Businessmen - 7:30 p.m. - Kent Community School, 50 Bunker Hill Street

Tuesday, February 6
Registration for Grade 1 at St. Catherine's - 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. - School Office
Bunker Hill Day Parade Committee Meeting - 7:00 p.m. - Legion Hall, 27 Chestnut Street

Wednesday, February 7
Registration for Grade 1 at St. Catherine's - 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. - School Office

Saturday, February 10
Charlestown Community Center Birthday Dinner/ Dance - 7:30 p.m. - K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street

Sunday, February 11
Senior Citizens Valentines Day Party - noon to 4 p.m. - Kent Community School.

Friday, February 16
Penny Sale - 6:30 p.m. - St. Catherine's School Hall
Valentine's Dance - 8:00 p.m. - St. Francis de Sales Church Hall.

Friday, March 2
Daughters of Isabella No. 1 Annual Corned Beef Dinner - 7:30 p.m. - K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street

Saturday, March 24
10th Annual Michael P. Quinn Scholarship Dinner/ Dance - 6:15 p.m. - St. Catherine's Hall.

St. Catherine's Jottings.....

Only one entry has been received, so far, for our "Jottings" logo. Anyone else have an idea? Some artwork or photography, perhaps? We would eventually like to use the emblem for t-shirts and jackets too. All are invited to participate.

Grace Marino has begun her membership drive for a St. Catherine of Sienna Fiesta Society. The group would include any adults, men and women, who would meet regularly, conduct social events, and promote devotion to St. Catherine, chiefly through the establishment of an annual celebration of the Feast of St. Catherine of Sienna with a

"street fiesta" in Charlestown (North End, better watch out!). Any interested persons may contact Grace or St. Catherine's Rectory for information.

A standing ovation to Booster Club secretaries Dottie Campanella, Mary Walsh, and Stacy Burstein for their work over the past year. Thanks to them, the club is working. The first anniversary party was a grand social success in spite of miserable weather. Great cooking by Father Serino's mother and Sister Rose! Thanks are also due to many others who helped make the night so enjoyable: Sister Ernestine, Sister

Nancy, Vinny DiCianni, Roberta DeLeo, Janet McDonough, Paul LaVallee, Dolly Starmitopoulos, and Marty Murphy.

Father Quinn is nearly ready with his committee to begin a gym-hockey program for our younger children. Nippy Nolan and Billy Kelly are assisting. Registration for boys and girls, grades 1 through 4, will be taken Saturday morning, January 27 in the school hall.

What do Sister Ernestine, Sister Franciana, Ann Reagan, Pat Russell and Beverly Wilson have in common? More clues next week.

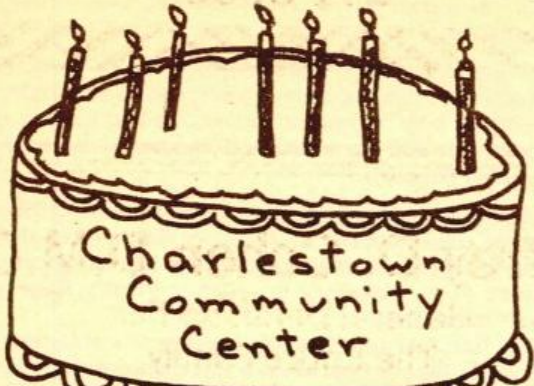
honor of St. Catherine School Week on Monday evening, February 5 at 7:30 p.m. in the lower church. We look forward to having you with us.

What is a Catholic school? The Catholic school in today's society is a formation center. Christ is the foundation of the whole educational enterprise in a Catholic school. He is the one who enables man, gives meaning to human life and is the model which the Catholic school offers to its pupils. It is the duty of the Catholic school to cultivate human values, to develop persons who are responsible and inner-directed, capable of choosing freely in conformity with their conscience. The school is an institution where young people gradually learn to open themselves to life as it is and to create in themselves a definite attitude toward life as it should be; a place where young people are

helped to direct their thoughts and actions and wills according to the Gospel, making the beatitudes their way of life. The Catholic school is committed therefore to the development of the whole person. In Christ, the Perfect Man, all human values find their fulfillment and unity.

Applications for grade one of St. Catherine's School for September, 1979 will be taken in the school office on Tuesday morning, February 6th and Wednesday, February 7th, between 9 and 11 a.m. Children must be six years' old before September 1, 1979 and must accompany their parents on the day application is made. Parents are requested to bring the following records: Birth, Baptismal, and Health records. Applications for grades 2 to 8 will be taken some time in March, and will be announced in the parish bulletin at that time.

Come celebrate our
7th Birthday Party
at the K. of C. Hall



February 10, 1979 7:30-midnight
Buffet and Dancing to the
SECOND GENERATION

Tickets: \$6.00 241-8339

Passion Play Auditions At Arch Street

In its fourth decade of existence as the sponsor of The New England Passion Play, THE CHRISTUS, The Saint Kevin Theatre of Dorchester announces that the annual auditions for roles in the traditional play will be conducted this year in the Franciscan Shrine at 100 Arch Street, Boston, in Room 22 on the 2nd floor, on Thursday and Friday of January 25-26 from 6-8 p.m. and on Sunday, January 28, from 3-7 p.m.; also, at the West Roxbury High School, VFW Parkway, West Roxbury January 30, at 7:00 p.m.

The Director of this year's production will be a Stoneham businessman and Administrative Officer of M.I.T. David J. Mauriello. A distinguished playwright, Mr. Mauriello has been active for many years as a director, actor and organizer in New England and community circles of theatre.

THE CHRISTUS ranges from Adam and Eve and creation to the various events of the birth, life, death, resurrection and ascension of Jesus Christ. It features in its Bethlehem Scene

the famous Christ Child winner. All roles are open. These include the Christus, the Virgin Mary, Pilate and Herod, Judas and Satana, the High Priests and Apostles, Magdalen and Veronica, plus scores of other openings.

People interested in any phase of this huge production, acting, secretarial, promotion, stage hands, costuming, are asked to register.

"Townies For Canada" Meeting

"Townies For Canada" will hold a meeting on Tuesday evening, January 30, 1979 at the New Gym on Medford Street at 8:00 p.m.

The main topic will be concerning parents who will have Canadian boys as house guests in the up-coming cultural/ hockey exchange with Rosemont, Canada being held in Charlestown on March 2,3, and 4. Also tentative plans have been made for transportation of both the boys and their parents to Rosemont on March 30, 31, and April 1.

This is an important meeting, for many questions must be answered if we hope to achieve the same success we had in 1978.

DON'T FORGET the "Nite at the Races" on Friday evening, January 26, 1979 at the K. of C. Hall. Post time is 8:00 p.m.

Knights of Columbus

BEANO

Every Sunday

EARLY BIRD 7:15 P.M.
DOORS OPEN 5:30 P.M.

Large Prizes-Door Prizes
Free Refreshments
Parking Available

West School St. and Rutherford Ave.

WE WANT YOU FOR 1979

Confused about coverages, policy double-talk, etc.? Give us a call or come in, and we will be pleased to sit down with you. No obligation on your part.

Visit your Independent Insurance Agent, in the heart of Thompson Square, writing all lines of insurance, including:

PERSONAL
HOMEOWNERS
TENANTS
AUTOMOBILE
MOTORCYCLES

LIFE
MORTGAGE INSURANCE
FAMILY INCOME & ENDOWMENTS
TITLE INSURANCE
ACCIDENT & FAMILY PROTECTION

BUSINESS
LIABILITY
WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION

TRUCKS & VANS
COMMERCIAL POLICIES



MAZOW INSURANCE AGENCY
TWO DEXTER ROW, CHARLESTOWN
HOURS: 8:30-5:00 DAILY-
9:00-12:00 SATURDAY
242-0321

Parade Committee To Meet

On Tuesday evening, February 6, 1979 at 7 p.m. a meeting of the Charlestown Veterans Committee and Friends of the Bunker Hill Day Parade will be held at the Bunker Hill Post 26, American Legion lower hall.

All interested residents of Charlestown are cordially invited to attend and sign up to work on the various parade committees: bands, military, militia, floats, community organization participation, fund raising etc.

With the enthusiasm shown at the last meeting and with additional volunteers this year's Bunker Hill Day Parade- Sunday afternoon, June 17th, 1979-should be one of the best in years. Chief Marshal Arthur L. Hurley and the Charlestown Veterans Committee looks forward to a

great celebration with the influx of new volunteers.

It's A Girl...

Kimberly Ann Lightell was born at Malden Hospital on January 2, weighing seven pounds, fourteen ounces. The proud parents are Paula and Bill Lightell.

Kimberly Ann was welcomed home by her three sisters, Stacey, Nancy Ellen and Jennifer.

Paula Lightell is the former Paula Fyler.

The maternal grandmother is Anne Fyler of Charlestown.

The paternal grandfather is William Lightell of Long Island, New York.

Dobie Assistant D.A.

Attorney Francis J. Dobie of Wakefield was sworn in as an Assistant District Attorney of Suffolk County by Attorney General Francis X. Bellotti in ceremonies held recently at Boston's historic Faneuil Hall.

Dobie, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis E. Dobie, former Charlestown residents, was one of 107 Assistant District Attorneys who will serve under newly-elected Suffolk County District Attorney Newman A. Flanagan, who upset former Suffolk County District Attorney Garrett H. Byrne.

The latter had held the office for 20 years.

Attorney Dobie's mother, the former Mary Hatton, taught at Charlestown High School and was retired from the Wakefield School Department last June. His father, a former steamship clerk, recently retired from the Boston waterfront.

A graduate of Stoneham High School, Attorney Dobie attended Hamilton College in New York State and was graduated from Columbus School of Law of Catholic University in Washington, D.C.

From The Office Of Representative Voke....

Representative Richard Voke was appointed to the House Judiciary Committee and the Committee on Insurance last week by Speaker of the House Thomas McGee. Both of these assignments are coveted by most legislators. Rep. Voke looks forward to serving on the Judiciary Committee because that body will be responsible for dealing with many controversial legislative proposals including mandatory sentencing and court reform. Richard hopes that his experience as a former Assistant District Attorney will enable him to have a positive impact on these very important issues when they come before the committee for debate.

Rep. Voke's assignment to the Insurance Committee should be a plus to the people of Charlestown and Chelsea who consistently have had to pay higher insurance premiums due to geographical discrimination. Richard will be able to keep a close watch on all insurance company proposals because they must pass through the committee. Richard also has a new phone number at the State House, the number is 727-5886.

Receives Special Citation



DETECTIVE JOHN DENNEHY (2nd from left) - of Charlestown, received a special citation from Boston Police Commissioner Joseph Jordan (right) for the investigation and the arrest of two men who assaulted and raped two 19 year old college students. Also

present were Robert J. Spiller (2nd from right), President of the Boston Five Cents Savings Bank, and William P. Morrissey (left) Executive Vice President of The Boston Five Cents Savings Bank, formerly of Prospect Street, Charlestown.

Friends Of The Library To Meet

The next meeting of the Friends of the Charlestown Branch Library will be held at the library, 179 Main Street, on Thursday, February 1st at 7:00 p.m.

The guest speaker for the evening, Mr. William Litant, promises an interesting and informative talk on the Museum of Transportation, its role and functions.

Mr. John Barrett
Branch Librarian

THANK YOU

I want to thank everyone - friends, neighbors, and relatives for their beautiful cards, masses, and flowers while I was in the hospital. I will be forever grateful.

Thank you,
Peggy Hennigan

Michael's Blowup Haircutters 55 Main Street, Charlestown

Open
Monday, Tuesday & Thursday
9 a.m. - 7 p.m.
Wednesday & Friday
9 a.m. - 9 p.m.
Saturday
9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Call now for appointment

241-8686

Jeffrey D. Cohen D.M.D.

General Dentistry For
The Entire Family

Nitrous Oxide (Laughing Gas) Available At No Additional Cost. Dental Insurance, Union Plans, Master Charge, And Medicaid Accepted.

Evening Appointments Available.

For Appointment Call

242-3550

338 Main Street, Charlestown Mishawum Park

KING & COMPANY INSURANCE AGENCY, INC.

Established in 1869

14 Monument Ave. 242-2200 Charlestown, Ma.

Insurance for your home
your car
your business

Hours daily from 8:30 A.M. to 4:30 P.M.

Evenings by appointment

Emergency phone numbers

479-4071

Frank Douglas Jr.

826-2150

Frank Douglas Sr.

INTRODUCTORY OFFER

* At All Participating Salons

6 weeks for \$25

UNLIMITED VISITS!

One introductory offer per person.

Fun Exercise Plan

Diets Compiled Exclusively by Our Dietitian

No Disrobing * Individual Programming

Physician Inquiries Invited About Our MED Method

No Contracts To Sign



Gloria Stevens®

FIGURE SALONS

America's fastest growing system of franchised figure salons exclusively for women

Bunker Hill Mall
Charlestown

CALL NOW
242-1660

Hours Mon. thru Fri. 9 to 9 - Sat. 9 to 3

Charlestown/Mass Art Liaison Committee Appointed

President Nolan of the Massachusetts College of Art today announced the appointment of 19 residents to the

Charlestown/MassArt Liaison Committee. In making the appointments President Nolan noted that, "... this group

represents a wide gamut of leadership in the community. The College is seeking the direct involvement of Charlestown in



MEMBERS of the Charlestown/Mass Art Liaison Committee recently toured the Brookline Avenue facility are shown (l. to r.) James Collins, Peggy Ings, Jack Whelan, Dave Semenza, Sheriff Dennis Kearney, Matt O'Neil, Sr., Paul Duffy, William Hannon (MCA), Ilona von Karolyi (MCA), Vicki

Olken, Mike Donovan, Jack Nolan (MCA), Paul V. McCaffrey (MCA). Others Members of the Committee not present for picture: Mary Colbert, James Cushman, James and Gloria Conway, Roberta Delaney, Mon O'Shea, Frank Perreault, Cecelia Wagner, Kay Whalen, Bernie Kelly.



determining how we can best respond to the community, and we are most fortunate that these distinguished citizens of Charlestown have agreed to help advise us on the needs of Charlestown. It will be the purpose of this group to advise the College on the needs of the community.

Before the College of Art can relocate to the Naval Ship Yard, the Boston Redevelopment Authority must give their approval to the plans.

Appointed to the Liaison Committee were: James Collins, Dave Semenza, Paul Duffy, Mary Colbert, Roberta Delaney, Cecelia Wagner, Peggy Ings, Sheriff Dennis Kearney, Vicki Olken, James Cushman, Mon O'Shea, Kay Whalen, Jack Whelan, Mat O'Neil, Sr., Mike Donovan, James & Gloria Conway, Frank Perreault, and Bernie Kelly.

Attention Parents Of Special Needs Children

The State Department of Education invites parents of special needs children in the Boston Public Schools to attend one of six orientation meetings concerning their children to take place in various neighborhood schools from Jan. 30 to Feb. 8. The dates and locations are listed below.

The purpose of the meetings will be to acquaint parents with

the process of the Chapter 766 Program audit scheduled to follow during the week of March 26-30. Parents will be invited later to participate in parent interviews during the on-site visit in March.

As a preliminary to the audit in March, parents are encouraged to attend any one of the following meetings, each of which will be from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m.: Tuesday, Jan. 30, Taft Middle School, 20

Warren St., Brighton; Wednesday, Jan. 31, Washington Irving School, 114 Cummins Highway, Roslindale; Thursday,

Feb. 1, East Boston High School, 86 White St., E. Boston; Tuesday, Feb. 6, Cleveland School, 11 Charles St., Dorchester, and Agassiz School, 20 Child St., Jamaica Plain; or Thursday, Feb. 8, Quincy School, 885 Washington St., Boston.

Joel's Meat & Produce Shoppe

HOURS: MON.-SAT. 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

FREE DELIVERY

CALL 242-1539

One Thompson Square
Charlestown
(Old Savings Bank Building)

BOTTOM ROUND ROAST \$1.69 LB	EYE ROUND ROAST \$2.29 LB WHOLE OR HALF
BACK RUMP ROAST \$2.19 LB	CENTER CUT BOTTOM ROUND ROAST \$1.99 LB

UNBELIEVABLE!!

LETTUCE 4 HEADS \$1.00

EASY ENTRANCE THRU POST OFFICE
ENTER THRU FRONT DOOR AFTER NOON ON SATURDAY

Super Specials For January

SQUIBB INSULIN SPECIALS

L-U 100 - \$3.95
N-U 100 - \$3.95

DISPOSABLE SYRINGES

PACKAGE OF 30's	\$3.95
B & D 100's	\$12.95
MONOJECT 120's	\$13.95

(NO MOB DISCOUNT ON ABOVE PRICES)

Photo Developing
At Discount Prices

SX 70 Land Film \$4.99

HIGH PHARMACY

54 High Street, Charlestown
242-0415

Beat the cold and inflation with:

Jenny's Pizza & Subs

231 Main Street

We will deliver piping hot pizzas and the best in subs to your door.

Watch for inflation fighting specials starting next week

For fast service call:

242-9474

To Talk Of Many Things.....

by Sal Giaratani
Standing Up for Life

This last Monday marked the sixth anniversary of the US Supreme Court Decision legalizing abortion. That death sentence has been under attack as pro-lifers are fighting to restore the right to life to unborn members of the human family.

It's been a hard fight but already 13 states have passed legislation calling for a Constitutional Amendment to reverse the court's ruling and 32 states have passed legislation cutting off Medicaid funding for elective abortions. If you believe in the right to life, you better not let your guard down until that right is restored and not even then!

Are anti-abortionists getting a fair shake?

In last Sunday's **Boston Globe**, columnist **David Farrell** wrote an article on that question and on Monday, **The Globe** gave their answer with a resounding NO!

They printed an unsigned pro-abortion column by a woman who underwent an abortion back in 1968. This only 24-hours after Farrell had quoted in print a statement by UCLA Constitutional Law Professor **John T. Noonan, Jr.** observing that "We fight against the media propagating everything that can help the other side...We fight against journalism which is either indifferent to us or hostile."

Are pro-lifers getting a fair shake? Hardly!

Country Music blackout?

Ever since **WCOP-FM** and **AM** went off the air in 1976 and 1977, Boston has been without a country/ western radio station of its own. This is a disgrace, especially since the Hub is in the Top 65 "radio markets."

The country format has always been a big favorite with political conservatives. But we conservatives with a bias for the country sound are lucky to be able to pick up **WOKO** in **Rochester, N.H.** (FM-98). However, we still

should have a local station available.

St. Finbarr Ass'n.

The Knights & Ladies of St. Finbarr, County Cork Men & Women's Ass'n. of Greater Boston have announced that **Neal Harrington**, a "Townie" native, now of **Dorchester** will be installed to the **St. Finbarr Board of Arbitration** this Saturday night at the **K. of C. Hall** in **Arlington Centre**.

Cheerleaders would be better!

President **Jimmy Carter** gave **Bella Abzug** her walking papers recently as he fired her from the **National Advisory Committee for Women** and a number of her cohorts quit in her support. **Good Riddance to them!**

They were as representative of American Women as are the **Dallas Cowgirls**. In fact, the cheerleaders are probably more representative!

Remembering Those Happy Days

This coming Monday marks the ninth anniversary of the death of **James P. Callahan**, my Uncle **Jim**.

He was born, brought up and

educated here in **Charlestown** and was the proprietor of **F.J. Ward Co.**, a wholesale produce business, for many years.

I can remember coming over to **Charlestown** often as a kid with my family to visit him down at the old potato sheds where his business was located. I think about him often, especially when exiting from **Community Station** near where the sheds stood.

I know that he had many friends, many of whom still live here and still remember him.

You know I love **Charlestown** and came here often as a kid and have always considered it a second home. My maternal roots are deep here and I hope to be able to make the kinds of contributions to the community's vitality that My Uncle **Jim** did.

City Square Sights

The other day while waiting for a **Haymarket** bus at **City Square**, I couldn't help but notice how depressing the square looks. It has the appearance of an abandoned ghost-town. One of the ugliest sights is the old **Rogan's Hall** building. The building looks like it could be rehabilitated into

some new and useful purpose but if that's not possible, perhaps it should be torn down! **City Square** could look good again and it should! After all **Thompson**

Square is looking better these days.

I hope that some community group can muster-up a proposal to upgrade this community area!

REBOP HAIR DESIGN



Now reopened at our new location
44 Main Street, Charlestown

(Near Harvard Mall & City Square)

242-9745

George, Marybeth, Barbara, Grace

Open Monday - Saturday 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Wednesday & Thursday til 7:30 p.m.

Argentina Students Visit BHCC

Sixteen graduate students from Argentina have completed a two week visit to **Bunker Hill Community College** in **Charlestown** during which time they attended seminars on North American politics and economics at the college and other sites.

Speakers during the two week visit included **Dr. Harold E. Shively**, president of the college, **Dr. Paul Samuelson**, professor of economics at **MIT**, **Professor Archibald Cox** of **Harvard University**, **Francis W. Hatch, Jr.**, former State Representative and Gubernatorial candidate, former State Senator **William Saltonstall**, various faculty members of **BHCC** and many others.

The students were sent to the United States on scholarships by a private university foundation titled "Universitaria del Rio de la Plata." They were picked from different universities throughout Argentina and had to undergo examinations and interviews during the selection process. They came from different disciplines: economics, architecture, law, engineering, medicine and anthropology.

Jessica Alonso Bethoney coordinated the program for the visitors.

After the **Charlestown** visit, the students left for a week in **Washington** and **New York**.



IF I CAN DOUBLE MY MONEY IN LESS THAN NINE YEARS, SO CAN YOU.

Trying to figure out ways to beat inflation can get so complicated, lots of people just give up.

Well, **Charlestown Savings** has not only come up with a way to fight inflation, they've made it as simple as child's play.

The answer is an 8-year 8% Savings Certificate with an effective annual yield of 8.45%. Guaranteed. And you can get them in minimum denominations of only \$1,000. And what all those

numbers mean is simply this, you can double your money in less than nine years. Nine years!

Savings certificates you can afford, at interest rates no other bank can beat. It's another way **Charlestown** helps you look out for number one. And why more people say, "That's my bank".



**CHARLESTOWN HELPS ME LOOK OUT FOR NUMBER ONE.
THAT'S WHY THAT'S MY BANK.**

*Effective annual yield provided you leave your deposit and dividends to accumulate for one year. All of the above certificates are subject to existing penalties for early withdrawal - interest rate reverts back to current regular savings rate and 90 days interest at that rate is forfeited.

Navy Yard Redevelopment To Begin

(Continued From Page One)

redevelopment plans are beneficial to Charlestown. Peggy feels that the Advisory Committee has been more of a "token committee" without any real impact on BRA site plans.

"Seems like everything's been done and now they're advising us," said Peggy. "I don't feel that we've had any real say in what's being done down there. Like other residents, Peggy feels that some aspects of the Navy Yard redevelopment could be detrimental to Charlestown's economy. "I asked how come only luxury housing is being built and they told me because no one will build anything else or they would lose money," said Peggy. "In another four to five years we won't be able to afford to live here. In some towns," she continued, "they have snob zoning to keep the poor out but what do we have to keep them (upper income) out?"

"The Navy Yard belongs to us. We suffered with it and they're selling it for a song. A majority of the residents won't benefit from it," claims Peggy.

As a member of the Advisory Committee, Peggy will take part in the signing of the agreement concerning employment of Charlestown residents, an agreement she hasn't seen. Neither has she seen the contract between Immobiliare and the BRA. "How can we endorse something we haven't seen," asked Peggy.

something for our young people so they can develop some knowledge and background in the arts. The college can help provide services and instructors at the Boys' Club, and the Kennedy Center," said Jack.

In examining the overall redevelopment program, Whelan

Boelter to the Navy Yard Advisory Committee Members, no decision will be made on the relocation of Mass Art until there has been considerable discussion between the college personnel and the Advisory Committee as well as other Charlestown residents.



PURCHASE OF BUILDING 149 is being pursued by Massachusetts College of Arts as a relocation site for their Brookline facility.

sees Charlestown property increasing in worth but not as a force which will drive out present inhabitants. Whelan sees the separation of the community from the Navy Yard as a deterrent to an increased traffic flow. Whelan posed the question. "What do you want down there, heavy industry? We have to think about the future."

Indeed Mass Art is actively

Charlestown's Kennedy Center is also interested in a building located in the Historic Monument Area and has received a developer's kit for the building, No. 39.

"We've had informal discussions with both BRA officials and with representatives of a major state agency (the Environmental Quality Engineering Dept.) who is interested in leasing space," said Robert O'Brien, Executive Director of the Economic Development Corp., (EDC) a subsidiary agency of the Kennedy Center.

Although redevelopment of that building has not been publicly posted for bid and although EDC has no architectural plans for the building, retail, commercial and office space is planned as uses for the building. "We will insure that the retail space involves community businesses to the greatest extent," said O'Brien. "Once the bidding is open, we'll be in a position to make some kind of a viable proposal."

At present the Navy Yard is divided into three areas called the Historic Monument area, the Public Park area, and the New Development area. The Historic Monument Area will remain as a preservation of buildings occupied by the Navy Yard until its closing in 1974. One such building included in this area is the Ropewalk Building which is 1360 feet in length and in which most of the U.S. Navy rope was produced until 1973. It is intended that the first floor of the Ropewalk will be left intact so that visitors may observe the entire process of rope manufacturing. Also in this area will be development of leased space for retail, office, residential, light industrial and institutional uses.

The Public Park Area is a 16.4 acre plot of land in which a park, similar to the Waterfront Park, will be built and ready to use in the summer of 1979.

The New Development Area is the area recently contracted to Immobiliare. In this area, approximately 1100 units of luxury

over \$100 million in private investment and depending on the level of Federal participation, could be self amortizing in three to five years.

Despite signed contracts and impressive pro and con arguments there are still



WORK ON THE NAVY YARD PARK continues through the winter months in an effort to finish in time for summer enjoyment.



ONCE A MACHINE SHOP, this stretch of building will be converted into luxury apartments.

Peggy is indecisive as to what advantages or disadvantages the relocation of Massachusetts College of Art would bring. According to her, only one meeting regarding the issue has been held and that was eight months ago.

Advisory Committee Chairman Gus Charbonnier, says that traffic flow, housing, student parking and other general areas of impact that the college could have on the community need to be discussed.

But Jack Whelan doesn't see any eventual threat in the College's relocation or the general over-all redevelopment of the Navy Yard.

"There are numerous benefits," began Whelan. "The art college would open a whole new field for Charlestown people to get involved in the arts. It would provide jobs for people. I look at it as an opportunity to get

pursuing the ten story "white elephant of a building", No. 149, and has been appropriated \$8 million for the first phase of building planning and development. A master plan which includes details for classroom space, indoor parking, dorms and first floor utilization by compatible businesses has been approved by the college board of trustees.

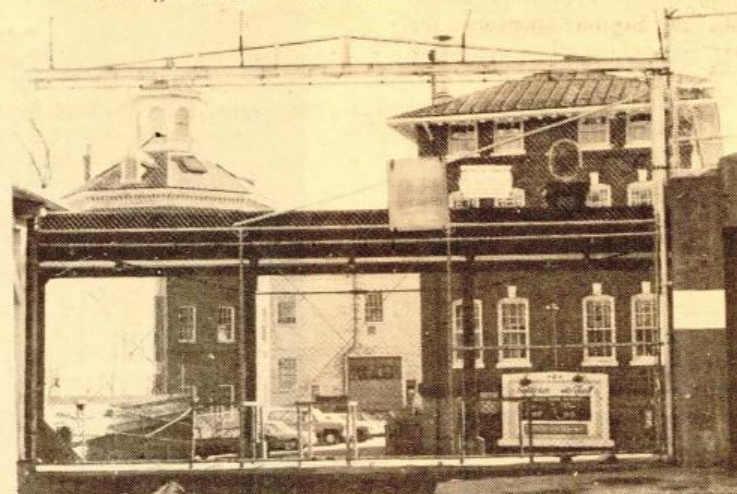
Says Public Relations Director Paul McCaffrey, "The BRA is the final determinant. They are the only ones that can designate us as developers of that site."

A liaison committee has been formed by the college comprised of Charlestown residents to "act as advocates for the college and community and help develop very sensitive and positive relationships," said McCaffrey.

According to a letter sent by BRA Charlestown Planner Alice



THE ROPE WALK (lower left) will be preserved along with numerous other buildings in the Historic Area.



GATE 4 will offer a spectacular view of the water once demolition crews remove the BRA Site Office and the Marine Administrative Bldg. (two buildings on left) leaving the "Muster House".

housing will be built, 10% of that to be set aside for elderly residents.

According to BRA, Charlestown will benefit from the Navy Yard development in 1800 new permanent jobs in service and manufacturing and 375 construction jobs. It will generate \$4 million per year in taxes, spur

numerous details to be worked out on the Navy Yard redevelopment. If the advisory committee was in fact a "token" committee before, they still have a chance to assert themselves in presenting Charlestown's needs and dislikes and weigh future impacts of the redevelopment on the community.

College Of The Air Preview

Community College of the Air will preview on Boston TV stations Channels 2 and 44 starting February 4, according to R. Brent Bonah, dean of the Division of Continuing Education at Bunker Hill Community College in Charlestown. The courses will start on February 11.

The three courses offered this semester will be Child Growth and Development, a comprehensive lower-division college level introduction to child development; Shakespeare Plays, an introduction to the drama of William Shakespeare

and U.S. History, a first semester college credit telecourse in American History from its beginning through 1876.

Participating students will attend orientation, mid-term and final exams at the college, view all broadcasts and read all texts

and study guides. In addition, many optional discussion sections are planned.

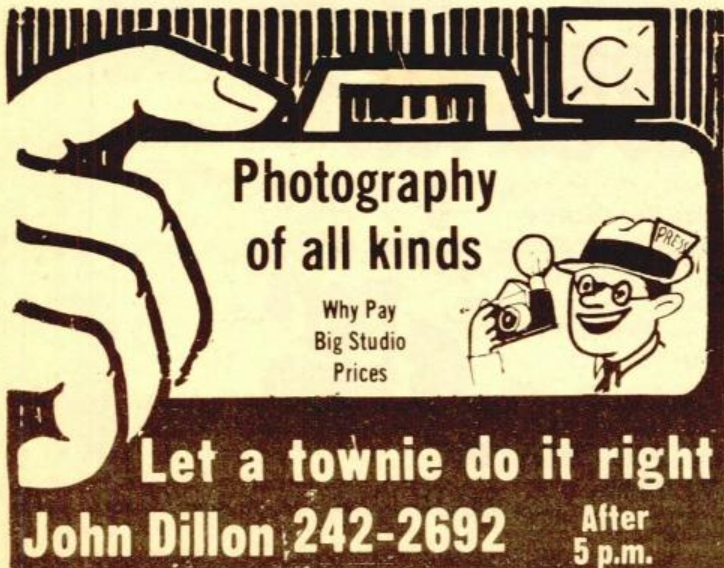
Further information and complimentary catalog may be obtained by calling 241-8600, ext. 444.

Inducted Into Honor Society

Headmaster Michael G. Contompasis is pleased to announce that the following students from the Charlestown area have been inducted into the

National Honor Society at the Boston Latin School: Francesca Fratalia, John Marra, and John McGonagle.

Congratulations!



Photography of all kinds

Why Pay
Big Studio
Prices

Let a townie do it right

John Dillon 242-2692 After 5 p.m.

Knight Knots

by Charlie McGonagle

So there's this here guy what's known as Leo McGonagle, but answers more quickly to Peter Fruit. And he's got a friend, see, what's called Cedor. But Cedor, his real name is Cedorchuk, which makes him very Polish, to which he pleads "Not Guilty". Says he's Ukranian. So somebody asks him "Why?"

"Ever hear a Ukranian Joke?" Says Cedor.

Well this here Peter Fruit and Cedor, a daily double even Jimmy The Green couldn't handicap, decide they're gonna

do somethin' to beat inflation. "Let's do somethin' to beat inflation," says Peter Fruit to his pal, rather astutely.

"Where is he P.F.? What he do to you?"

Whaddya talkin' Cedor? Inflation's what makes all the prices go up. We're gonna do somethin' for our pals, somethin' what's gonna be real cheap."

"I don't think you can bring that fat redhead Inta' the club P.F. Cunha's Beard'll get Patchy."

"C'mon Cedor, I ain't talkin' that kinda' cheap. I'm talkin' about a bargain for the Super Bowl."

"Whaddya' gonna do, SHUTTLE THE BOYS TO Miami in your volkswagen, P.F.?"

Get serious, Cedor. We're gonna set the Club up Super Sunday with a big screen for The Game. We're gonna give 'em two meals, one hot and one cold, and Open Bar for five hours."

"I thought you said you were gonna' do domethin to beat inflation. That'll cost the guys an arm and a leg."

"No it won't, Cedor."

"Hey look P.F., the only way I figure you can do that and still give one hot meal and one cold meal is ta' heat up some bologna, and by the time they come up for seconds, it's cold. And I guess ya' must mean an Open Bar, but with nothin' behind it, right. Ya' know somethin' P.F., I think it's a pretty good idea. We'll charge them twenty-five bucks apiece, toss out a coupla' pounds of hot bologna, and take the next train to the West Coast. I know these guys can take a joke. We'll be able to come back in ten or twelve years. And if we're Real Lucky we will live until 'dyin' of natural causes' while being hit with baseball bats."

"Ya' know somethin' Cedor, I think the last time you blew your nose, your brains ended up in

your handkerchief."

Well, after all was said and done, Paul Cedorchuk and Leo McGonagle did accomplish what they had set out to do, and then some.

About eighty members and guests of the Knights of Columbus, Council #62, gathered last Sunday to enjoy the Super Bowl and its related happenings. At three thirty, a meal, which included Baked Half Chicken, delicious German Knockwurst, and Oven Baked Potatoes was served. Bar service began simultaneously.

A few hours later, at The Game's conclusion, the cold buffet was offered. Roast Beef,

Ham, Turkey, Rolls, and a variety of Cheeses graced the tables. It wasn't until somewhere in the vicinity of nine o'clock when the Open Bar shifted to a Cash Bar.

Total cost per person? Fifteen Dollars!

Peter Fruit and the Mad Ukranian did beat inflation, at least for one day. Ironically, after all the bills were paid, the boys had enough money to raffle off four twenty-five dollar door prizes. Dave Cunha, Dave Donovan, Mike Tryder, and Paul Fitzpatrick not only got the days festivities for nothing, they picked up an extra ten dollars to boot.

CWAC Meeting

The monthly meeting of the ESAA Bilingual City Wide Advisory Committee will convene on Monday, January 29, 1979, at 26 Court Street, in the third floor conference room, at 5:30 p.m.

All interested parties are invited to attend.

For more information please contact Mr. Hermon Broady, Executive Secretary, at 726-6525.

Business School Registration

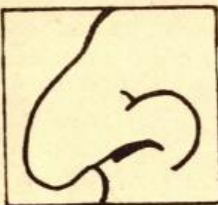
The second semester of the Boston Business School begins on Monday, January 29, 1979. Registration of new students will take place on Thursday, January 25; Friday, January 26; and on Monday, January 29 at the school, 969 Commonwealth Ave., Boston.

The Boston Business School is a junior college level program offering training in secretarial and accounting skills. There are five specific courses available: Bookkeeping, Accounting, Shorthand, Machine Transcription, and Executive Secretarial.

The School Committee of the City of Boston sponsors the Business School which is free to residents of Boston who are high school graduates.

Additional information may be secured by telephoning the school at 787-5600.

The Nose Knows



by Gadabout Charlie

Well, The Nose has been up to its nose in water this past week. Guess its time to form the "Soggy Basement Bailing Club"!

And of course with the rain, our beloved potholes have returned. As fast as they are filled in, they wash out again. Is there really only a life expectancy of two hours on the black top they use to fill those potholes?

While, on the subject, have you caught Jess Cain's piece on potholes on his WHDH morning show -- maybe Charlestown's own Bill Connell can ask Jess to do an encore. It is a classic!

I have come to believe that there is a dumpster salesman in Charlestown. Have you ever seen so many dumpsters in one community of this size? From the overflowing trash in the dumpsters at Mishawum Park housing along Rutherford Avenue, to the school yard of the Oliver Holden, to the famous (or infamous) fire hazard in Hayes Square -- now individuals are joining this new trend with dumpsters being left, in some instances for weeks, on some of the residential streets. Would be interested in knowing what city ordinances govern dumpsters (if there are any)!

The Nose received a couple of items this week from drivers who are concerned about the lack of traffic signs, namely a yield sign, for traffic coming from Rutherford Avenue into the rotary in Sullivan Square. The traffic moves at a good clip out of Rutherford -- mostly non-stop, and often cars in the rotary zig-zag to avoid collision. How about it traffic department?

Y.A.C. News

259 Bunker Hill St. 241-8460
(Y.E.S.—241-7474)

Reservations for the Bermuda Trip are going fast. Any Charlestown youth still planning on going must have their \$25.00 deposit in by Wednesday, January 31, 1979.

See Janet Woods or Frank

Boat Show Opens Wednesday

More than 400 boats, both power and sail as well as hundreds of marine accessories will fill the entire 150,000 square feet of Boston's finest exhibition hall, the Hynes Veterans Auditorium at the Prudential Center January 31st through February 4th for the big 5 day run of the premier boating event of the year. . . The Boston Boat Show. .

Being one of the first of the winter shows, many new models of boats and motors will be on display, including the new Wellcraft 18-foot sport fisherman and the Grady White 24-foot offshore powerboat and the new 16-foot Galaxy stern drive model.

Boston Boat Show hours are 2:00 P.M. to 10:30 P.M., Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, January 31st through February 2nd; and 1:00 P.M. to 10:30 P.M. Saturday and Sunday, February 3rd and 4th.

Perreault for applications and any further information.

BINGO
every Friday Night
Kent School
Early Bird 7:15 p.m. Game 7:30 p.m.
To Benefit Retarded Children

JIMMY'S LOUNGE
129 Chelsea Street, Charlestown
242-9651

Saturday Night, January 27
Dick McManus and the Irish Revolution
Dancing 9 p.m. - 2 a.m.

Wednesday Movie Night
Spaghetti Special

Thursday Special
N.E. Boiled Dinner

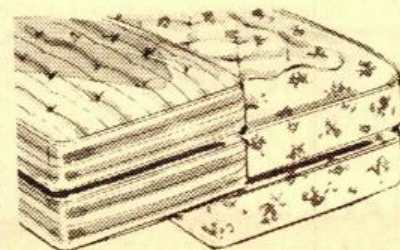
Friday & Saturday Evenings
Disco Jockey

LARGE SCREEN T.V.
PLUS 2 COLOR T.V.'S--BAR-B-Q PIT

Now Featuring Hilltop
Steak and Lobster

Charlestown's own Bob Murphy
invites you to take advantage of our
1/2 PRICE BEDDING SALE
at
MURPHY'S FURNITURE
265 Main Street, Charlestown
(across from Charlestown Co-operative Bank)
242-3950

Now's the time to buy the mattress and box spring that you need so badly.



Featuring:

- Sealy
- Spring Air
- Slumberland

Savings on all sizes - when purchased as a set, get box spring at 1/2 price!

SALE ENDS FEBRUARY 10, 1979

Lay-Away
FREE DELIVERY



Bank Financing Arranged

STORE HOURS: TUES.-SAT. 9:30-5:00 P.M. CLOSED MONDAYS.

Badger Coin Shop

Old Savings Bank Building
Buying—Old Coins and Stamps.
Silver Dollars, Gold Coins and Jewelry, Sterling Silver, Proof and Mint Sets, Large Size Paper Money, Pocket Watches, Silver Coins.

Enter through Post Office

242-1822/242-2846

Bianca's Market
156 BUNKER HILL STREET

Only Package Store Serving Charlestown Selling Imported & Domestic Cold Cuts

- Imported Cheese
- Italian Specialties
- Imported & Domestic Beers
- Fine Wines
- Fresh Italian Bread
- Cigarettes
- Newspapers
- Bagged Ice

OPEN
MONDAY
SATURDAY
9 A.M.-11 P.M.

COME IN AND BROWSE AROUND

food stamps accepted

Charlestown Community Center News

by Rosemary McHatton

Hello, again, friends, and sorry for the long time between columns. It is awfully nice of you all to call and be concerned when we miss a week or two. We are in the process of making a better system for me to get the information, so hopefully we can get back to talking with you every week. Hope the New Year has started out as you wished it to, and that it will continue to bring you nothing but happy, peaceful and fun times for the rest of 1979. Now on to some much needed news items regarding the Center:-

COMMITTEE HAPPENINGS.....

The Friends of the Center have a motto, "We'll get by with a little help from our friends!" and it's that time of the year again...ANNUAL FRIENDS DRIVE.....Would you like to be our friend? For just \$10.00 a year, you will receive a few newsletters; invitations to major fund-raising events such as the Annual Cocktail Benefit (this year to be held at the lovely Constitution Museum); and assorted other luncheons, etc. Most important is that your tax-deductible contribution will multiply to help the Center continue. Please give Moira a call for more information or to let her know you'd like to be

our friend.

The Program Committee will be having a meeting on January 30th at 10:00 a.m. to discuss the past session and to prepare for the future session. Do you have any feedback or any suggestions or ideas? Maybe you'd like to teach a class, or know a friend who'd be just great leading a group, or whatever....Give Eileen a call with your ideas or drop by the meeting, they'd love to have you. Remember, it is your Center, what do you wish for it?

The Birthday Party Committee of Maureen and assorted others want me to tell you all about the SEVENTH BIRTHDAY PARTY of the Center (can you believe it?) on Saturday, February 10th. It will be held at the Knights of Columbus Hall, with dancing to the Second Generation Band and this year it will be catered by Bob Scalli for your dining pleasure. The tickets for this fun evening of dancing and dining with friends from 7:30 to 12:00 will be the modest price of \$6.00. Why not drop by and reserve your table of 10 today and tell all of your friends and relatives about helping us celebrate seven years of growing!

COMING EVENTS:-

Wednesday, February 7th, HAPPINESS IS Pot Luck Luncheon - Since February is the

time for love and joy and happy thoughts, why not join us with your favorite or personal thought of what Happiness is and we'll fill a tree to enjoy through the dreary days of winter. Bring along your favorite recipe to share for lunch and help beat the winter blahs. Let's try to get a friend or neighbor to join us for the special luncheon!

Wednesday, February 14th - Children's Room - Valentine Celebration - Bring your preschooler to the party where they can share together in their own ways the spirit of the day. The party will be from 1:00 to 3:00 and Donna and Maureen look forward to seeing you all there.

While the children are

celebrating the spirit of Valentine's Day, the staff would like the adults to drop by for coffee and cake, and a remembering of the past seven years since the 14th is our official birthday.

Don't forget, the Center has the perfect gift for your favorite valentine.....a bright red Chas'n. Community Center T-shirt.....moderately priced and comes in assorted sizes. Pick one up today while the supply lasts!

Now before I sign off for this week, very Happy Birthdays to all the January people and most especially to two favorite people.....my son Ralph Michael, who turned 16 this year and to the

Children's teacher - Donna - who shall be a little more than 16 on Saturday. Hope this year is the best yet for both of you!

Have a pleasant week-end - do something nice for yourself - smile at a neighbor - and give some real thought to our "Happiness" Is Tree. See you all soon and I think of you often, Peace!

Free Ju Jitsu Classes

Classes in the Art of Self Defense, specifically Jiu-Jitsu are underway at the Kent Community School on Thursday evenings from 7:00 p.m. to 9 p.m. Jiu-Jitsu is a combination for Judo Karate, and Aikido.

The classes are co-ed and all ages are welcome. Register at the Kent, 50 Bunker Hill Street on Thursday night. No phone calls, please. Admission if free.

Corned Beef Dinner Planned

The Annual Corned Beef Dinner, sponsored by the Daughters of Isabella No. 1, will be held on Friday evening, March 2, 1979 in the J.F. Kennedy Hall of the Bunker Hill Council, Knights of Columbus at 75 West School Street at 7:30 p.m. During the evening there will be the drawing for a 19 inch television set. Tickets are priced at \$8.50 and can be purchased from Gladys Gauthier, Chairlady of the event.

Parents' Discussion Group

"Passages", the life stages of men and women, will be the topic of the Parents' Discussion Group of the Charlestown Branch Library on Friday morning, February 2, 1979 at 10:00 a.m. The speaker will be a staff member of the Lindemann Mental Health Center.

Children who are at least three years old are welcomed at the Pre-school story hour held at the same time.

Children's Film Program

The Children's Film Program of the Charlestown Branch Library will feature "Magic Tree", the story of a tree whose leaves turn into people, along with "Let's Have A Party" where Hamm the hamster and Roddy the rat have a party for all their riverboat neighbors, on Tuesday, January 30, 1979. The program will be shown for pre-school children at 10:30 a.m. and for school-aged children at 3:30 p.m. Book displays will accompany these films and storytelling will follow the 3:30 p.m. show.

Scholarship Dinner Dance

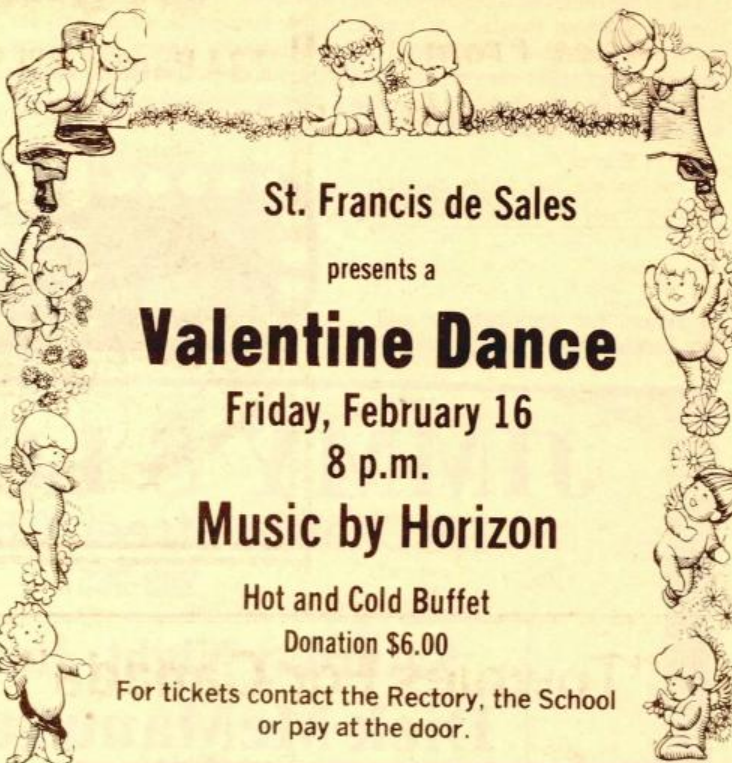
The administrators of the Michael P. Quinn Scholarship Fund are indeed proud to announce that on Saturday, March 24, 1979, they will hold their Tenth Anniversary Dinner Dance. Keeping with tradition, it will be held at St. Catherine's Hall, commencing with a social hour at 6:15 p.m., and topped off with a marvelous dinner and fine entertainment.

Tickets are \$10.00 each and may be purchased by writing to the Fund at either Charlestown P.O. Box 216, or to Mrs. Mary V. Quinn at 73 O'Reilly Way, Charlestown. In addition you may call 242-5445.

EEPA Training Program



IN TRAINING PROGRAM: Robert Case, of Essex Street, Charlestown, engraves metal tags as part of his job as an electronic technician assistant at Super Electronics, a marine electronics company in East Boston. Mr. Case learned his trade on the job in a training program funded by the City of Boston's Employment and Economic Policy Administration (EEPA). The six months of paid training combines classroom instruction and practical experience in the electronics field. EEPA has training opportunities in many fields, from electronics to health care. Unemployed Boston residents should call 725-3580 for more information.



St. Francis de Sales
presents a
Valentine Dance
Friday, February 16
8 p.m.
Music by Horizon
Hot and Cold Buffet
Donation \$6.00
For tickets contact the Rectory, the School
or pay at the door.

Secretary Wanted

Director of large social service agency is looking for a Secretary with the following qualifications. Must be able to type at least 65 wpm, and take shorthand. Must be able to deal with all levels of the public and a self-starter. Must be able to work independently and have a fairly good analytical background with at least three years' secretarial experience (business school preferred). Salary commensurate with ability. Send resumes to Keith T. Dion, 15 Green Street, Charlestown, MA. 02129. No calls please.

BUNKER HILL MINI MART

242-2278

140 BUNKER HILL STREET

MONDAY THRU FRIDAY 7-9

SATURDAY & SUNDAY 8-9

Finest Italian & American Cold Cuts & Party Platters

Play the Mass. Daily Lottery Here.
Groceries—Sandwiches—Coffee—Milk—Cigarettes
We accept Food Stamps & WICS Program

Relocation of Tony's Barber Shop

formerly at:

249A Bunker Hill Street

NOW LOCATED AT (AS OF FEB. 1ST):

1 Thompson Square

(In The Old Charlestown Bank Building)

Have Razor, Will Shave!

HOURS:

8:00 A.M.-1:00 P.M. Mondays

8:00 A.M.-6:00 P.M. Tuesdays through Saturdays

STANDARD PRICES

COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE AIR

You can learn about:

- Child Growth & Development
- Shakespeare Plays
- U.S. History

at home....on Television....

BUNKER HILL COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Division of Continuing Education

Preview week begins on February 4

Classes begin on February 11

On Boston TV stations Ch. 2 & 44

TUITION: \$22.00 per credit hour

For complimentary catalog and further information, call:
241-8600, ext. 444

Sloppy Weather Fails To Deter Pro-Life Demonstration In Boston

by Freda Getherall

At noon last Sunday, January 21, hundreds of pro-lifers sloshed in the rain, through melting snow and deep puddles to reach Faneuil Hall in Boston.

It was there that they would commemorate the lives of the millions of unborn children who have been destroyed as a result of the January 22, 1973 U.S. Supreme Court decision, legalizing abortions on demand.

Leaders of several religious denominations took part in the program, with Rev. Mark Bodholdt from the Waltham Evangelical Church as the featured speaker.

Two legislators receiving standing ovations, were State Senator Charles Doyle of West Roxbury and Boston City Councillor Raymond L. Flynn of South Boston—co-sponsors of pro-life legislation.

Pro-Lifers have concentrated their efforts towards electing candidates who share their views and are encouraged by the gains that were made last November.

After reading a proclamation of the Boston City Council

declaring Sunday, January 21, 1979 as "Right To Life Day", Councillor Flynn said: "The pro-life movement will dedicate itself to the election of a president of the United States who is committed to the principles of the right to life, whether that candidate is a Democrat or Republican, liberal or conservative, male or female, black or white."

Joseph J. Reilly, Chairman of the Massachusetts Citizens for Life Board, came down hard on several of our elected officials in Washington. Among them were Senator Edward Kennedy and newly elected Congressman Paul Tsongas, for their stands on abortion. Savoring each word, Reilly added, "the recent election returns, with the defeat of Edward Brooke, Michael Dukakis, Richard Clark of Iowa, Tom McIntyre of New Hampshire and others of their pro death propensity, brings joy to our hearts." There was loud applause.

Congressman Brian Donnelly of Dorchester, spoke briefly and said that he would continue the prolife position held by retiring

U.S. Representative James Burke in the 11th District.

Because of the inclement weather, the planned March for Life to the court house was canceled.

When President Carter relieved Bella Abzug of her duties as head of the National Advisory Committee for Women, over half its members resigned in protest. Now that's an improvement, but no one yet has designed a method to lure the rest of them out of the White House.

In 1975, this group of liberation feminists was established as The International Women's Year Commission. It has a new name, but it's the same game and that is the ERA.

The interim chairman, Marjorie Chambers, holds that passage of the ERA is the top priority of the committee. In the meantime, she is trying to calm the "scrappy cattys" and coax them back into the fold.

An act of Congress gave them 5 million dollars in "mad money" last year, but it hasn't been explained yet how they acquired funding for a \$300,000 budget for 1979.

Anyway, what's equal about a committee in which all 40 women are pro abortion and who, among them, gives one iota about the equal and human rights of unborn children?

Letters To The Editor

Letters to the Editor must be signed and include name, address and telephone number for verification. The name will be withheld if the writer so requests. Anonymous letters will NOT be published.

A "Little Guy" Speaks Out

A Letter to the Editor,

There was an article in the *Regional Review* (Vol. 8, Jan. 17) that I took great offense to. It was on page 2 and it was concerning the difficulties occurring at the Bunker Hill Mall and how if they weren't corrected, the merchants would leave! The Mall has only been here for just a year and they are finding the conditions intolerable. What about the smaller merchants in Charlestown? How long have we been here? Don't the same conditions exist for us?

There have been robberies, assaults, arsons and a general destruction of property. Is it not a sign of the conditions when you have to be buzzed into a store to purchase food?

What has made us stay is that we are so small that we know all our customers, and the majority are so nice as to make our working conditions tolerable and at times a pleasure.

Boston Globe Jazz Festival

The eighth edition of the Boston Globe Jazz Festival will be doubled in size over last year by George Wein, also producer of the world-famous Newport Jazz Festivals.

For ten days, from Friday, March 9 through Sunday, March 18, scores of the nation's greatest Jazz personalities will perform at several Boston locations. Last year the five-day program was highly successful.

The headliners will include Sarah Vaughan, Mel Torme, Herbie Hancock and the Crusaders, Dave Brubeck, Woody Herman, Gerry Mulligan, Sarah Dash, Ron Carter, Cal Tjader, Zoot Sims, Eubie Blake, Black Eagle Jazz Band, Jimmy and Marion McPartland, Vic Dickenson, Alan Dawson, Whitman Brown, Kenny Davern, Roy Eldridge, Sonny Rollins, Larry Coryell, Randy and Michael Brecker and many others.

For program and ticket information, write Boston Globe Jazz Festival, Boston Globe, Boston, Mass. 02107.

Please don't forget that we are the small guys that sponsor leagues, contribute to the local church, and donate to the community organizations!

The article was unfair and should have been a blanket statement for all the merchants. They worry about the Bunker Hill Mall becoming another Bayside Mall, well I feel that because of the smaller guys, Charlestown hasn't become a ghost town.

Jackie
Green Store

Plea From Elderly Folks

To the Editor:

Does anyone know of or have an apartment for rent on a first floor? We are elderly folks with one adult son and a dog. My husband has had a quite a bit of illness and heart attacks in the past seven years and he cannot climb stairs. We do need a yard also as a place to dry clothes etc. We are interested in four or five rooms. I would appreciate any information any one can supply us with.

Thank you,
Please call
242-5283

30-40 **DANCING** 50-60

K. OF C. HALL

75 West School Street
Charlestown

Saturday evening, January 27, 1979
from 8:30 till...

Music by The Key Notes
Featuring Frank Dennehy

Subscription \$3.50 per person

THE RED STORE

Featuring "the best cold cuts in town"

- *Bread
- *Groceries
- *Fresh Ground Hamburg
- *Tickets To The Game
- *Also we carry "The Want Advertiser"

We accept USDA Food Stamps

134 Bunker Hill Street
Open 7 days 5:45 a.m. to 11 p.m.
Delivery Service 242-9360

Party Platters A Specialty

THE GODFATHER

89 MEDFORD STREET
CHARLESTOWN

Featuring **PIZZAS & SANGWICHES**

Delivery Service Available 242-3300
Open 7 Days A Week
7 a.m. - Midnight

Window Shades

Cut To Size
Free Measuring

REGULAR SHADES \$3.99 & UP

SCALLOP & FRINGE SHADES \$8.99 & UP

WOVEN WOODS 20% OFF

Shop at Home Service
628-4100

Atlantic Industries
46 BROADWAY, SOMERVILLE
(NEAR SULLIVAN SQUARE)

— STORE COUPON —

50% off PER SHADE UP TO \$5.00
10% off PER SHADE OVER \$5.00

— WITH COUPON —

"Townies For Canada"

Presents

"NITE AT THE RACES"

Friday, January 26, 1979
8:00 p.m.

K. of C. HALL

75 West School Street
Admission \$2.00 All Welcome

Senior Citizens Valentines Day Party

PLACE:
Kent Community School Cafeteria

DATE:
February 11th 1979

TIME:
12 noon til 4 p.m.

COST:
\$5.00

Buffet & Entertainment

BUFFET BY BOB SCALLI
MUSIC BY MIKE CONNOLLY'S CELTICAIREs

Bring A Funny Valentine Card!!

Charlestown Police Line

by Thomas J. Hennessey--District Fifteen, Charlestown B.P.D.

Monday, January 15, 1979

A 37 year old Charlestown man was taken to the M.G.H. suffering from chest pains. He was admitted for further examination.

A Brighton St. resident reported unknown creep struck her van while parked and fled the scene without making himself known. Officer Ryan, Auto Specialist will investigate.

A 1976 Olds, stolen in Saugus was found on Washington St. with all the tires removed. The owner was notified and claimed the vehicle at the station.

A 24 year old Charlestown woman was the victim of the same "maggot" who has been assaulting young women in the MBTA area of the Community College. She reported while walking over the overpass this "creep" grabbed her from behind and repeated obscenities to her. He then punched her in the face causing her nose to bleed and fled the scene. Officers have a good description and possible suspects in this case. It is hopeful that this creep is arrested before being caught by a local man or men in this case, for he may wind up paying hospital bills for a long time (his own).

Two Charlestown boys were arrested for Delinquent Child to wit: A&B by means of a Dangerous Weapon a knife, when they stabbed a 20 year old woman from Monument St. They were arrested at the scene and will appear in court to answer this charge.

Tuesday, January 16, 1979

A Charlestown man reported he observed two youths firing a b.b. rifle at his trucks. He obtained names and they will appear in court to answer the charge of Wilful Malicious

Destruction of Property.

A 1975 Dodge stolen in Somerville was found on Walford Way. The owner was notified and claimed the vehicle at the scene.

A 12 year old Charlestown girl reported two creeps stopped her on Russell St. and told her to get into the car. She fled the scene on foot. She later observed them again and notified her parents who called police. A search of the area proved negative.

A 1975 Dodge stolen in Somerville was found on Old Ironsides Way. The owner was notified and will claim the vehicle at the tow lot.

A 20 year old Charlestown man was arrested for Using a M/V, W/O Authority, and Possession of Burglary Tools. He will appear in court to answer the charge.

Wednesday, January 17, 1979

The headmaster of Charlestown High School notified police that a black student who had been suspended was in the school and refused to leave. He was placed under arrest for Trespassing and will appear in court.

Thursday, January 18, 1979

A 1976 Pacer stolen in Brockton was found on Gray St. burned out. The owner was notified and will come to district fifteen.

A 1976 Chevy stolen in Arlington was found on Walford Way. The wheels were removed and the ignition was damaged. The owner was notified and responded to the scene where she claimed the vehicle.

A 15 year old Charlestown girl was shot in the leg while walking on Old Ironsides Way. She stated she was not familiar with the culprits. She was removed to the

MGH for treatment and her parents notified. An investigation is under way by Detectives.

A Winchester man reported while in Sullivan Sq. person(s) struck his vehicle and left the scene without making himself known. Officer Ryan Auto Man is now investigating.

Friday, January 19, 1979

A 1969 Chevy, stolen in Somerville was found on Phipps St. The owner was notified and responded to the scene to claim the vehicle.

A 1978 Chrysler stolen in Arlington was found on Medford St. The owner was unable to be notified and the vehicle was towed for safekeeping.

A 1974 Ford was struck on High St. by a Cadillac. The owner of the Cadillac refused to swap papers. Officer Ryan, Auto Man is now conducting an investigation into Leaving the Scene.

A 1971 Ford was parked on Pleasant St. and persons unknown damaged the ignition in an attempt to steal same.

Saturday, January 20, 1979

A Mt. Vernon St. resident reported person(s) unknown broke the windshield of her vehicle while parked in front of her home.

A 1974 Ford parked in Monument Sq. was damaged by person(s) unknown who attempted to steal it by damaging the ignition.

An Everett man reported person(s) unknown entered his vehicle and stole a typewriter and a calculator. A description was sent on teletype with serial

numbers and other information.

Sunday, January 21, 1979

Officers responded to High St. relative to a fire. On arrival they found that a faulty fire place had started the blaze. No injuries reported.

A Pearl St. resident reported person(s) unknown broke windows in his home by throwing rocks.

A BIT OF HISTORY

The Boston Police Department has the distinction of being one of the oldest departments in the country. Its earliest roots can be traced back to a town meeting in 1636, which created a night watch and made provisions for establishing a day ward. It was not until 1712 that these watches were acknowledged and a system of wages, qualification requirements and personnel lists were established. This system, which flourished for the next century, was controlled by the town selectmen. This authority was removed and given to the Mayor and Aldermen when Boston officially became a city in 1822. Thirty one (31) years later the "modern police force" was born. A product of the consolidation of the "watch" and the "ward", it was modeled after Sir Robert Peel's Metropolitan Police Force of London (founded in 1827).

The transition from the old to the modern force produced a fairly stable form of administration. Since 1853, there have only been four changes in the form of administration control. A Chief of Police was in

complete control of the department in its early years. Then, in 1878, the Mayor appointed a board of three (3) Commissioners to take over the control. They were later replaced by a governor's Board of Commissioners (3). The Board was reduced to one Commissioner by a legislative act passed in 1906 which left the appointment in the hands of the Governor, but limited the term of the Police Department returned to the city, with the Mayor being authorized to appoint the Police Commissioner to a five (5) year term.

The Boston Police Academy was established on November 16, 1931, when it provided a basic recruit training program of a few weeks. Since that time, the Academy has become an increasingly important part of the department and presently serves as the educational and training resource for 2600 man police force. Besides the basic recruit school, the Academy offers a variety of pre-service and in-service training programs.

Instructors for the Academy's programs are drawn from throughout the department and the community. The Academy staff, all of whom are specialists in selected subject areas, coordinate courses, serve as instructors in their areas of expertise, and serve as resource people to other members of the department when they are dealing with difficult problems. In this manner, the Academy maintains its position as an important part of the Police Department's efforts to provide quality service to all our city's residents.

Change In Kindergarten Times

Parents of kindergarten children in the Boston Public Schools today were alerted by school officials that there will be a change in the times of sessions for all morning and afternoon half-day kindergarten students starting Monday, January 29.

Kindergarten students currently attending for the full day under the Extended Day Program will not be affected by the changes for the half-day students.

Parents of children who have been assigned to kindergarten

later than December 15, 1978, and who are provided school transportation, are reminded that there will be no change in session times for such children.

Principals of elementary schools will notify parents of changes. Parents with questions concerning changes should contact the principal or call the Boston School Information Center, 726-6555.

Alternative Education For Charlestown

Linda Romano, 16, of Old Ironside Way, Charlestown, wasn't in school last week but her teachers weren't concerned.

That's because Linda alternates a week of school with a week of work as a Project YES enrollee participating in Triple E, a new alternative education program for out-of-school youth.

Linda is one of more than 65 Boston youth, 16-19, who are enrolled in Triple E. The City of Boston's Employment and Economic Policy Administration (EEPA) funds the program. It is operated by the Education Collaborative of Greater Boston (EdCo).

During the week of classes, basic English, math and science courses are taught in small groups. Frequent career development and counseling sessions feature speakers from a variety of community centers and programs. Students receive regular high school credit for participating in the program.

Triple E tries to match an enrollee's background and interests to the job. Some enrollees, like Linda, work in hospitals. Others work in business and law offices. Students receive regular high school credit for participating in the program.

"These kids are unlocking the future," said Mayor Kevin H. White. "New opportunities from

Boston's youth employment programs make that future more promising."

To be eligible for the Triple E program, youth must have been out of school at least six months, reside in Project YES entitlement areas and be

economically disadvantaged. Triple E is one of fourteen alternative education programs funded by EEPA.

For more information on Triple E and other opportunities in alternative education, call the Project YES Hotline at 725-3550



PROJECT YES ENROLLEE Linda Romano, 16, of Old Ironsides Way, Charlestown, is attending Triple E, an alternative education program funded by the City of Boston's Employment and Economic Policy Administration (EEPA). Linda alternates a week of school with a week of work at the hospital. Linda is a secretary in the housekeeping department. Her job includes answering the phone and keeping an employee attendance record. Linda's grades have improved in Triple E. "The teachers pay more attention to you. They don't yell as much. They try to help you," said Linda. Linda is shown above answering the phone at Massachusetts Rehabilitation Hospital.



the world's finest fish and seafood

We are a major frozen seafood processing company looking for people to work in our

PRODUCTION AREA

If you are interested in a job with competitive wages and excellent working conditions in a brand new facility, please call for an interview:

Mr. Nathanson

387-2050

COLDWATER SEAFOOD CORPORATION

60 COMMERCIAL ST., EVERETT, MASS. 02149
An Equal Opportunity Employer, M-F.

POSITIONS AVAILABLE

The Kennedy Center has been awarded a six-month research project to study the possibilities of establishing an Anti-Crime Program for the elderly of Charlestown.

The Kennedy Center is looking for qualified people to fill the following positions—which positions will terminate June 30, 1979:

ANTI-CRIME COORDINATOR (1)

QUALIFICATIONS: M.S.W. or equivalent. Experience in outreach work in human services and/or community organization. Creativity, organizational skills, communication skills (verbal and written), ability to relate well to elderly population and human service organizations, leadership skills.

HOURS: Thirty-Five Hours/Week

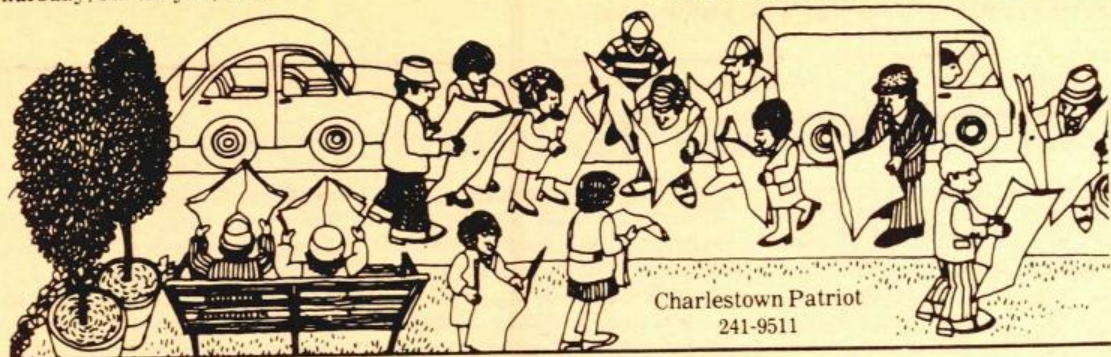
NEIGHBORHOOD HELPERS (5)

QUALIFICATIONS: Responsible, inner-motivated people of maturity and good judgment with ability to work with other Helpers and Coordinator, and to relate well to elderly and other residents in the community.

HOURS: Twenty Hours/Month

Interested applicants should direct their resumes to John T. Gardiner, Executive Director, The Kennedy Center, 27 Winthrop Street, Charlestown, MA 02129.

AN EQUAL EMPLOYMENT AGENCY



Charlestown Patriot
241-9511

Classified and General Information...

SNOW PLOWING
Reasonable Rates
CALL 241-8135
between 9 and 6

AUBURN RUBBISH REMOVAL
Clean out of cellars, yards, etc.
Appliance removal. Large or small jobs.
FREE ESTIMATES 268-0567

LOST DOG
Irish Setter, answers to
Dewy. Reward if found.
242-4578

**D & S SEWING
MACHINE SERVICE**
We service all makes of
sewing machines.
242-0342

**COMIC BOOKS
WANTED**
old or new. Will pay cash.
CALL 324-3883 after 6 p.m.

**RECONDITIONED WASHERS
& REFRIGERATORS**
Dryers & ranges. All items
guaranteed. Will accept A.F.
D.C. Also services & repair
work, on all major brands.
R. ROCKFORD SALES &
SERVICE, 95 Broadway, Som.
625-1797

**MASTER
ELECTRICIAN**
No job too big or too
small. No over-head.
Call after 5:30 p.m.
395-2001
391-4538

Fuller Brush Products
Save 20% to 50% on our
Specials. Shop at home by
appointment.
**CALL JAN JOHNSON
242-3092**

**Breed's Hill
Dog Grooming Service**
Appointments Only.
241-7779 after 2 p.m.

**NEWTOWNE
LAUNDROMAT**
97 Medford Street
Under New Management
Open 7 days
Monday thru Saturday
9 a.m.-9 p.m.
Sunday and Holidays
9 a.m.-5 p.m.
Owner on duty at all times

**CHARLESTOWN
REPAIR SERVICE**
Repair of washers, dryers, dish-
washers, refrigerators &
disposals.
242-0567

**PAINTING &
WALLPAPERING**
Free Estimates
567-0337 or 389-0649

**Bunker Hill
Glass**
267 Bunker Hill Street
242-9480
Pick up and delivery on all glass
House repairs • Chimney work
New wood & aluminum doors
and windows.
Painting • interior & exterior
Electrical • Plumbing

MASTER PLUMBER
(LICENSE NO. 8697)
Looking for work...
No overhead.
Bathrooms & kitchens com-
pletely installed. Electrical,
carpentry & tile work.
Heating and drains cleaned.
666-8387

WANTED
Used Furniture
Antiques
Old Tools
Old Machinery
391-5009

FOR RENT
Chas'n.: Newly renovated 1
bedrm. apt., living-dining area
with f.p.; w/w carpet; \$350
incl. heat & parking. Avail.
Feb. 1 **729-3787**

APTS. FOR RENT
3 rooms and 5 rooms
217 Main Street
See Eddie
242-9748

APT. FOR RENT
Mystic Street, 6 rms., \$285.00,
no utilities, security deposit
required, new decor, hardwood
floors, available March 1st, can
be seen now.
241-8469

**CHARLESTOWN
FOR RENT OR SALE**
All new 2 bedroom Townhouse
with large yard. Available
immediately. Shown by appoint-
ment only. Call:
**REALTY 1
664-4833**

BINGO
**Every
Thursday
Evening
7:15 p.m.**
Bunker Hill Post No. 26
Legion Hall
27 Chestnut St.
Charlestown

BEANO
Wednesday evenings at 7:00 p.m.
BOYS' CLUB
15 Green Street, Charlestown
Early Bird Special
Winner Take-All Cover-All

DENTAL SERVICES
Performed in my offices while you are sleeping under
general anesthesia by an M.D.-Anesthesiologist
FOR CONSULTATION
CALL 569-7300
DR. SAMUEL D. KANE
3 Meridian Street, East Boston
(at Maverick Square, convenient to MBTA)

EAGLE ENTERPRISES
275 Main Street
Charlestown
242-5355
Sportswear • Trophies
Custom T-Shirts
Awards • Posters
Silk Screening
SPECIAL RATES FOR GROUPS,
CLUBS, SCHOOLS,
ORGANIZATIONS, TEAMS, ETC.
(in the Old Eagle Market)

**WELCH
PLUMBING**
242-4128
Heating
Gas Fitting
16 Old Landing Way
Permit No. 14620

**S & D LOCKSMITHS
AND ELECTRONICS**
35 NORWOOD STREET, EVERETT
(JUST OFF EVERETT SQUARE)
389-9589
*LOCKS *KEYS MADE
*RADIOS *TAPE DECKS
SALES & INSTALLATION

HOWARD SLATER
Certified Public Accountant
Tax Returns—Accounting
Auditing—Estates—Trusts
MASTERS of TAXATION
595-0896
Daily, Evening and Sunday appointments

**Scannell
Rug Cleaning**
area
stairs
wall/wall
662-9849
FREE ESTIMATES

BELLINO
Floor Cleaning
& Waxing
Also Rug Shampooing
in Your Home.
'The Best for Less'
FREE ESTIMATES
242-2547
After 4 p.m. or
Sat. & Sun.

Town Electric Corp.
Electrical Contracting
*LIGHTS *HEAT *INSTALLATION *MAINTENANCE *POWER *REPAIRS
24 HOUR EMERGENCY SERVICE
242-4185
MARIO R. TOGNARELLI, MASS. LICENCE NO. A8200
297 BUNKER HILL ST., CHARLESTOWN

TV SERVICE
★ Save \$5.00 on first call
with advertisement ★
Color T.V. Reg. \$14.95
First Repair With Adv. \$9.95
B & W T.V. Reg. \$11.95
First Repair With Adv. \$6.95
ARCO TV CO.
Call day or night 876-3100

Neil Daly
Plumbing, Heating
Gas Fitting
Bathroom Remodeling
LICENSE NO. 14456
242-0137

Mrs. Samira
Hajj - Schumann
ELECTROLOGIST
Permanent Hair Removal
For Appointment Call
**242-0591 or
527-5346**

Boys' Club News

Professional National TeamBall Comes To Charlestown

by Charlie McGonagle

How many Professional Athletes do you know personally? Let's bring that question to a point where we include only the Charlestown Area. How many Professional Athletes do you know who are from the Charlestown Area, and are currently playing a Professional Sport?

After you have come up with an answer, try this on for size: There is a professional sports outfit which competes with teams from Philadelphia, Detroit, and several other Eastern United States cities, and is made up almost entirely of Charlestown Athletes. Not only that, but the team is coached by a Charlestown man.

The sport itself is relatively

new to this area, but has been played in Olympic Competition for quite some time. It is called Teamball and, basically, it is a combination of Basketball and Hockey, and can be adapted, very readily, to any basketball court.

At present the Boston entry in the National Teamball League, The Comets, is undefeated having topped Philadelphia in back to back encounters on a pre-holiday weekend.

Although the League is, in what may be termed, an experimental stage, those who traveled to Merrimac College to witness The Comet's first two games, came back with enthusiastic reviews.

The Boston team has no fewer than Eleven Charlestown Men on its roster, and in an attempt to expose both the sport and the

team to a local audience, The Comets will host Detroit also undefeated, on Saturday evening, February 3 at 7:30 p.m. at the Medford Street Gym.

Local men holding spots on The Comets' roster include Player-Coach Ro Walsh, who had a very successful basketball career at Merrimac College; Bob Smith, Ex-Captain of the Boston College Basketball Team; Richie Hart former Boston College and Professional Hockey Star; Bob - Gould of UMass-Amherst; Jim "Dinga" Houlihan; Steve McDonald; Mike Nigro; Joe DiRosa; Paul Chambers and Doug MacDonald.

Coach Walsh is very enthusiastic about the new sport:

"I know people are kind of reluctant to accept a new game with so many different types of

sporting events to choose from, but I'm sure if they give Teamball a chance they'll enjoy it. The sport combines the more exciting aspects of Basketball and Hockey, while at the same time, taking on an identity of its own. A sports fan who is familiar with Basketball and Hockey Rules will find it easy to adapt his thinking to Teamball.

"We think we have some of the finer ex-college, amateur, and professional athletes from the area on our roster, and we have already proven ourselves competitively by defeating Philadelphia twice."

So why don't you mark Saturday Night, February 3rd, on your calendar. Introduce yourself to the Boston Comets and National Teamball at the Medford Street Gym.

Charlestown Gets New Branch Librarian

Mr. John T. Barrett, a veteran of wide experience in the service of the Boston Public Library was recently appointed to the position of Branch Librarian in the city's Charlestown Branch. Mr. Barrett succeeds Mrs. Margaret Brown who has accepted the position of Regional Administrator at the Worcester Public Library.

Mr. Barrett is a graduate of Stonehill College. After his service in the United States Army in Vietnam, he attended Simmons College where he was awarded a Master's Degree in Library Science. He has been in the library service for ten years and has held positions of Adult Services Librarian in the Brighton Branch, of Reference Librarian at the main library in Copley Square, and also as Reader and Information Services Librarian also at the Central

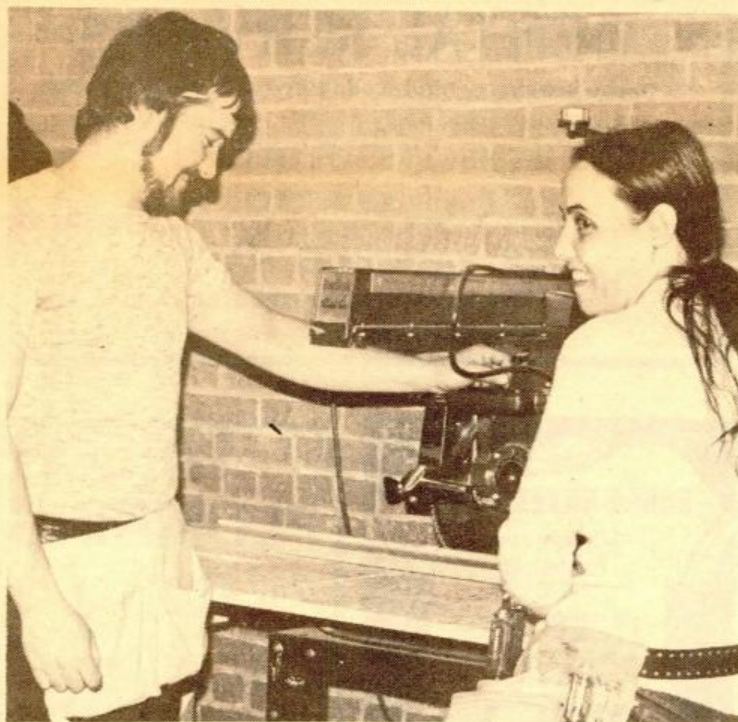
Library. He is married to the former Margaret Buckley of Hyde Park. He and his wife now reside in Westwood.

Mr. Barrett looks forward with great interest to serving the Charlestown Community and hopes that you will take the time to meet him personally.

Preservation Society To Meet

The Charlestown Preservation Society will hold its monthly meeting on Sunday evening February 4, 1979 at 8:00 p.m. at the Charlestown Community Center on 14 Green Street. The speaker will be John Ames, Executive Director of the Boston Harbor Associates.

Learn Carpentry Skills



CETA-TRAINEES Kevin Smith and Donna Callen (shown above) along with Darlene Wilson learn carpentry skills as part of their training to become energy technicians. The Charlestown residents are receiving extensive classroom instruction and hands-on experience at ECON, Inc., a Boston company, specializing in innovative energy conservation products. The City's Employment and Economic Policy Administration (EEPA) funds ECON's training course and pays trainees while they learn. "I think it's terrific," Callen said of the program. "The instructors are explicit, the people get along great, and the subjects are interesting." Graduates of the course go into fields like solar energy and energy conservation.

(photo by Beth White)

Calling All Sports Fans...

National TeamBall League

presents

Boston Comets vs. Detroit Hawks

**Saturday, February 3
7:30 p.m.**

Medford Street Gym

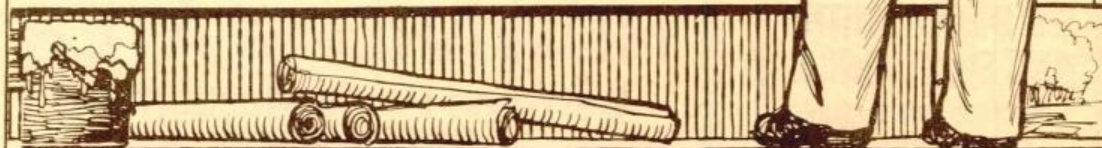
See Local Comet Players:

Ro Walsh
Bobby Smith
Rich Hart
Dinga Houlihan
Mike Nigro

Steve McDonald
Doug MacDonald
Bob Gould
Paul Chambers
Gerry McCormack

Tickets
Adults \$2.00
Kids \$1.00

Advance Tickets
Eagle Sport Centre
275 Main Street
242-5355



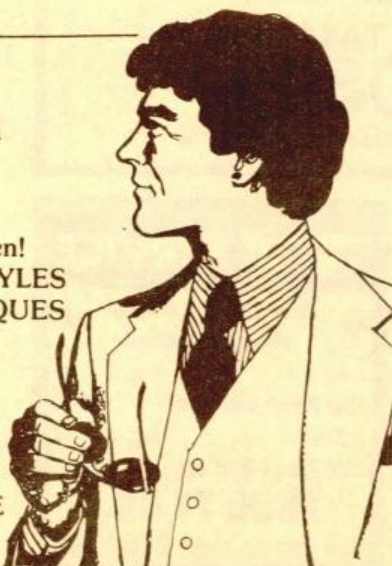
the Ultimate Touch

190 Bunker Hill Street

featuring total hair care
for women and men!
ALL LENGTHS - ALL STYLES
WITH NEWEST TECHNIQUES

- Blow cutting
- Lamp cuts
- Body waves
- Curly waves
- Frosting/coloring
- Wig service

WALK-IN SERVICE
242-9759



The Kennedy Center's

Charlestown Neighborhood Employment Center

Now located
at

1 THOMPSON SQUARE

(Formerly The Charlestown Savings Bank)

242-4548

242-4549

The Neighborhood Employment Center Provides:
Employment Evaluation and Counselling,
Referral to Jobs and Training,
FREE to all Charlestown residents.