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## Swampscott cuts off VFW

By Gayla Cawley  
ITEM STAFF

SWAMPSCOTT — Town officials have seen enough from the Swampscott Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW) Post 1240, and have opted to temporarily suspend the bar's liquor license, after four violations in less than a year's time.

The liquor license was suspended for 30 days, effective Jan. 27. The VFW can start serving alcohol again on Feb. 27, but only until 8 p.m., for another 30 days. Their bar usually remains open until 12 a.m. During that time period, all of the

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## Court saves Lynn \$35 million

By Thomas Grillo  
ITEM STAFF

LYNN — The Massachusetts Appeals Court affirmed a lower court decision to dismiss a \$35 million lawsuit against the city.

The unanimous ruling ends a nine-year battle between a former student and the school department. It began in 2008 when then 11-year-old Matthew Mumbauer, a student at the Brickett Elementary School, suffered a paralyzing spinal injury that left him a quadriplegic.

In 2011, his parents, James Mumbauer and Alyssa Cormier, filed suit

in Essex Superior Court alleging Matthew was injured when he was pushed down a flight of stairs by another student. The complaint also alleged the staff of the elementary school was aware that their son had been the victim of frequent bullying by students and failed to take action.

But the city presented evidence that careful records had been kept of instances of bullying and not a single incident where Matthew had been a victim.

In his motion to dismiss the lawsuit, James Lamanna, the city's attorney, argued that Debra Ruggiero, former Brickett principal, document-

ed reports of bullying in the school and said a review of those reports turned up no complaints or reports concerning Mumbauer.

In addition, the city argued that no one witnessed the alleged incident on the stairs and the boy never reported it to school authorities.

In 2015, Superior Court Justice Robert Tochka dismissed the case. While he did not minimize the harmful consequences of school bullying, he wrote that no facts were presented in court to prove Matthew was bullied.

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## PILLOW TALK



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## Room on Route 1 for new hotels amid motels of old

By Bridget Turcotte  
ITEM STAFF

AUGUS — With 1950s truck stop-style motels on their way out, Route 1 is making way for the hospitality needs of the future — such as hotels with restaurants on site and upscale dog resorts.

But the evolution of the road's lodging began long before the 2015 change in zoning of the major arterial commercial strip that allows for mixed residential and commercial use.

Travelers began using Route 1 as a stop along their journey to everywhere from Boston to Maine as early as the 1930s, when the road was widened and improved from a simple, two-lane stretch.

"It has basically been a commercial area since it took off after the state rebuilt the roads in the '30s," said Steve Carlson, chairman of the town's Historical Commission. "Before that, it was basically a two-lane road. There may have been a couple of small businesses,

but it was largely just open fields."

Many of the motels that still exist on Route 1 date back to the 1950s. The Colonial Traveler Inn has been family owned and operated since 1965. Avalon Motel, another family-owned establishment, calls itself an "economic solution" to Boston's high-price properties.

A room at the Plaza Motel in Peabody, known for its heart-shaped whirlpool tubs, can be rented for \$77 per night on Kayak.com. The Chisholm's Motor Inn sign is arguably as iconic as its neighbor,

the orange dinosaur.

Louis Karamas managed the North Side Motor Inn and later, Sir John's Motel in Peabody, until it was torn down in the early 2000s. Before motels popped up, one-room cabins littered Route 1, offering a place to stay along the way to the final destination, he said.

"That was the first generation of travelers' temporary lodging," Karamas said. "Then they started creating the motels

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From left, Maggie Larkin, Christine Sloss and Jenny Armini, all from Marblehead, enter the Boston Common to attend the Boston Women's March for America on Saturday.



PHOTO | PAULA MULLER

## Women take steps against Trump policies

BOSTON (AP) — Thousands of people converged on Boston Common on Saturday to march in protest of Republican President Donald Trump and stand in solidarity with society's most vulnerable people.

The Boston Women's March for America was part of a nationwide series of post-inauguration marches and rallies. Organizers and police estimated the crowd at more than 100,000.

Scores of women wore pink, cat-eared, knit hats and others held signs, including one that said, "Love Not Hate Makes America

Great."

Swampscott's Jo Ann Simons, CEO of Northeast Arc, wants to live in a country where everybody has a voice.

Speaking Friday afternoon from the airport, Simons traveled to the nation's capital for the Women's March on Washington. Nahant resident RoAnn Costin, the President, Treasurer and Secretary of Reservoir Capital Management, Inc. also made the trip to the nation's capital.

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## Library turns page on first 100 years

By Bethany Doane  
FOR THE ITEM

SWAMPSCOTT — The future of public libraries will be the next chapter for the Swampscott Public Library, which is celebrating its centennial year through monthly events scheduled from now until September.

"There truly is a danger that libraries will disappear

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First Lady of the Commonwealth Lauren Baker speaks about the Swampscott Library during the centennial celebration.

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OBITUARIES

### Kathleen Cronin, 70

LYNN — Kathleen (Mullaney) Cronin, age 70, of Lynn, passed away Friday, Jan. 13, 2017. Born in Cambridge, she was the daughter of the late James and Marie (Walsh) Mullaney. Prior to her retirement, she was a waitress. Kathleen was a member of Element Care in Lynn. She is survived by her children,

Annie, Joe and Michael Mullaney and her good friend Lorraine Russell of Cambridge.

**Service information: Visitation will be held in the GOODRICH Funeral Home, 128 Washington St., Lynn, on Tuesday, 1-3 p.m. Burial will be in Cambridge Cemetery at a later date.**

### Carol A. Stevenson, 78 1938-2017

LYNN — Carol A. Stevenson, 78, lifetime resident of Lynn, died peacefully on Jan. 14, 2017, in Bonita Springs, Fla.



Born Sept. 30, 1938, at home on Chester Place in Lynn. Carol attended Lynn Classical High School, then began work at Premium Shoe Company for seven years, followed by 28 years at Champion Lamp; after it's closing she worked another 13 years at Sears Credit Union in Salem before retiring. Always a dedicated and hard worker, Carol made many lasting friendships wherever she was.

Carol loved to travel and saw so much of the world. She was as avid a gambler as she was a traveler. Carol loved trips to Las Vegas, however nothing could compare to the three-decker that she owned in the Highlands of Lynn. She affectionately referred to it as "My Blue Heaven." Carol's one of a kind 1971 Gold Chevy Nova, which she proudly drove around for so many years, helped earn her the name "Miss Gold" to many that knew her.

Carol was a generous and loving person to all of those around her. She also earned herself a reputation for tell-

ing it like it was! Her unique laughter was a constant throughout the years, as was her love of martinis.

Carol had the sharpest mind for dates and family history. It was difficult to see Alzheimer's slowly taking her away from us, but in the end, cancer stole her only one week after making it's presence known.

Carol is survived by her sister Mary Stevens and husband Kent of Bonita Springs, Fla., nephew Tony Stevens, wife Kathy and great niece Reilly of Jericho, Vt., and countless other extended family members that each hold loving and comical memories of "Auntie."

Carol was predeceased by her parents Harry and Ethel Stevenson of Lynn, and her nephew Eric Stevens of Lynnfield.

**Service information: Carol will be cremated and her ashes will be buried in the family plot at Pine Grove Cemetery in Lynn. A celebration of Carol's life will take place at a future date, with details to follow.**

If desired, donations in her name may be made to the Alzheimer's Association - 480 Pleasant St. Watertown, MA 02472.

### Shirley J. Saunders, 81

LYNN — Shirley J. (Johnson) Saunders, age 81, of Lynn, passed away Thursday, Jan. 19, 2017. She was the wife of the late Roy W. Saunders. Born in Princeton, W.Va., she was the daughter of the late Charles W.



and Edith I. (Williams) Johnson. Shirley graduated from Princeton, W.Va., schools and then went on to McLain's Business College.

Prior to her retirement, she was an adjuster clerk for Sears, starting in 1968, and was employed there for almost 30 years. She then drove a school bus for several years.

She was a member of the Maple Street United Methodist Church and the Grace United Methodist Church. She served on the Administration Board for several years and

other committees. She was a life member of Bally's Health and fitness club. Shirley enjoyed music and walking pets.

She is survived by several nieces and nephews, among them, Michael and Joyce Webster of West Virginia, and great nieces and nephews, and a special sister-in-law, Sue Saunders of Lynn. She was the sister of the late Frances Webster and Wayne Johnson.

**Service information: Her funeral service will be held in the GOODRICH Funeral Home, 128 Washington St., Lynn, on Wednesday at 1 p.m. Visitation will be prior to the service, beginning at 11 a.m. Burial will be in Puritan Lawn Memorial Park, Peabody.**

### Daniel L. Surette, 89

SALEM, N.H. — Mr. Daniel L. Surette, age 89, formerly of Saugus, died on Tuesday, Jan. 17, at the Salemhaven Nursing Home in Salem, N.H. He was the husband of the late Marie A. (Kent) Surette.



Born and raised in Nova Scotia, Canada, he was the son of the late John M. and Melanie Ann (Muise) Surette. Daniel was a resident of Saugus for 56 years. He retired from General Electric Riverworks in Lynn as a machinist. He also served as an usher for more than 45 years at St. Margaret's Church in Saugus, was a Saugus youth sports coach and served as a leader for Boy Scout Troop 68.

Mr. Surette leaves his four children, LAPD Sgt. Timothy Surette and his wife Sally of California, Theresa Harmon, GySgt. (Ret) USMC and her husband Ted of Louisiana, Tammy Bourgeois and her

husband Michael of Methuen, Todd Surette of Beverly; Seven grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. He was predeceased by five brothers and five sisters.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Daniel's name to Care Dimensions, 75 Sylvan St., Ste. B-102, Danvers, MA 01923 or the hospice of your choice.

**Service information: Relatives and friends are invited to attend visiting hours in the BISBEE-PORCELLA Funeral Home, 549 Lincoln Ave., Saugus on Tuesday from 4-8 p.m. Funeral from the funeral home on Wednesday at 9 a.m. followed by a funeral Mass in St. Margaret's Church, 431 Lincoln Ave., Saugus at 10 a.m. Burial will take place in the spring. For directions and condolences visit www.BisbeePorcella.com.**

### Keith A. Callahan, 89 1927-2017

DENNIS, Mass. — Keith Anthony Callahan of Dennis, 89 years of age, died peacefully on Jan. 19, surrounded by loved ones. Keith was born Nov. 13, 1927, in Salem, to John and Mabel (Deery) Callahan.



He was predeceased by his siblings Jack Callahan of Marblehead, Claire O'Brien of Newburyport and Bernice "Bunny" Callahan of Lynn. He leaves the love of his life Ellen Madeleine (Canning), their four children and their spouses, Jake and Kathleen Callahan of Bellevue, Wash., Maryellen and Peter Kumięga of Brewster, Paul and Patricia Callahan of Ashland and Amie and Frank James of Marblehead. Keith was very proud to call himself Papa to Nicole, Sarah, Rowan, Griffin, Meghan, Haley, Shannon, Madeleine, Jack, Genevieve and Laurelle. He also leaves many adored nieces and nephews and his sister-in-law Jody Callahan of Marblehead.

Keith, a 1944 graduate of Lynn English High School, joined the U.S. Marine Corps at the age of 17. Keith served our country in World War II, serving in the Pacific Theater and stationed in China. After leaving the Marines, he attended Bentley College on the GI Bill and graduated with a business degree in accounting.

After working in Boston and Newburyport, Keith became the town accountant for Swampscott until his retirement in 1992.

Keith and Ellen Married on Feb. 1, 1964, and settled in Swampscott where they raised their family. After retiring, Keith and Ellen moved to Dennis where they were very active at Our Lady of the Cape Church in Brewster. Keith was a member of the men's club and a Eucharistic minister. He was also a lay member of Lady of Mount Carmel and St. John of the Cross. Keith loved his church, his family and summertime on the beach.

**Service information: Visitation will be held at MORRIS, O'CONNOR & BLUTE Funeral Home, 58 Long Pond Drive, South Yarmouth on Wednesday, Jan. 25, from 4-7 p.m. A funeral Mass will be held at Our Lady of the Cape Church in Brewster on Thursday, Jan. 26 at 11 a.m. Private burial will be at Massachusetts National Cemetery in Bourne.**

In lieu of flowers, donations in his memory can be made to Cape Cod Veterans Inc. of West Dennis. "Semper Fidelis".

Notes of comfort may be made to his family at [www.MorrisOConnorBlute.com](http://www.MorrisOConnorBlute.com).

### Norma A. O'Donnell

CHELMSFORD — Norma A. (Myles) O'Donnell of Chelmsford formerly of Saugus, died Jan. 19, 2017.

**Service information: Visitation on Saturday Jan. 28, 2017, from 9-10 a.m. with a Memorial Service at 10 a.m. in the DOLAN Funeral Home 106 Middlesex St. Chelmsford, MA 01863. Burial in the Pine Grove Cemetery,**

Westford, MA. Memorials may be made in her name to the Parkinson Disease Foundation 1359 Broadway Suite 1509, New York, NY 10018. Or Rosie's Place Attn: Donations 889 Harrison Ave. Boston, MA 02118. Arrangements by Dolan Funeral Home 978-251-4041. Guestbook at [www.dolanfuneralhome.com](http://www.dolanfuneralhome.com).

### Georgia S. Pappas, 70

LYNN — Georgia S. Pappas, age 70, formerly of Lynn, died Tuesday, Jan. 17. She was the daughter of the late Ralph and Ruth (Nikitopoulos) Mastromarino. She attended Lynn schools and had lived in Lynn for the greater part of her life.



As a young girl, Georgia was tutored at home by Miss Jean from Romper Room. She loved movies and crossword puzzles. Her greatest joy came from time spent with family.

She is survived by her sisters; Harriet Chopelas, Christine Mastromarino and Constance Mastromarino; her godson; Nicholas Whorf; nephews; Scott Barlow and Andrew Whorf; two brothers-in-law Edward "Butch"

Barlow, and Philip Burrill; her godmother, Mary Stratus, as well as her great-nieces and nephews. She was the sister of the late Olympia Barlow, and the aunt of the late Athena Chopelas-Nigro.

**Service information: Her funeral will be held on Tuesday at 12 p.m. in St. George Greek Orthodox Church, 54 S. Common St., Lynn. Burial will be in Pine Grove Cemetery. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited. Visitation will be at the church on Tuesday from 11 a.m. - 12p.m., prior to the funeral. Arrangements by the SOLIMINE Funeral Home, Lynn. Directions and guestbook at [www.solimine.com](http://www.solimine.com).**

### Arthur Cohen, 88 1929-2017

SWAMPSCOTT — Arthur Cohen, who celebrated life for 88 years as a life-long resident of Lynn, and in later years, Swampscott, passed away on Jan. 20, at the Bertram House in Swampscott after



a lengthy illness. He was born on Jan. 7, 1929, the son of the late Barney and Rebecca (Mileski) Cohen. He graduated from Lynn Classical and was member of the Jewish War Veterans, serving in the U.S. Army while stationed in Germany during the Korean War. He worked for many years as a printer at The Daily Item.

Arthur enjoyed spending time with family, walks along Fisherman's and Kings beaches and following Boston sports teams and personalities.

He was preceded in death by his brother Joseph, neph-

ew Howard Cohen, niece Sandra Cohen and sister-in-law Ruth Cohen. He is survived by his loving nephews Barry Cohen of Novato, Calif., Robert Cohen and his wife Lisa of Menlo Park, Calif.

and Jeffrey Cohen and his wife Wendy of Wilmington. He is also survived by great-niece Rachel (Cohen) Malkin, great-nephews Ariel Cohen, Michael Cohen and Matthew Cohen, as well as great-great-niece Cora Malkin and great-great-nephew Natan Benjamin Malkin.

**Service information: A graveside service will be held Monday at 10 a.m. at the Pride of Lynn Cemetery, 89 Lakeshore Rd., Lynn, MA. Services under the direction of STANETSKY-HYMANSON Memorial Chapel.**

### Charlotte E. Ellis, 98

TEWKSBURY, Mass. — Mrs. Charlotte E. Ellis, 98, of Tewksbury and formerly of Lynn died Thursday, Jan. 19, at Wingate at Belvidere in Lowell after a lengthy illness. She was the wife of the late Earle S. Ellis, with whom she shared 34 years of marriage.



Born in Lynn she was the daughter of the late Harry W. and Jessie (Alley) Dill, Sr. She attended Lynn schools and graduated from Lynn English High School, Class of 1936.

She was a member of the former Maple St. Methodist Church, where she was past treasurer and was a member of the Women's Club. She was also a member of Grace United Methodist Church, and the Ivy Rebekah Lodge, I.O.O.F. Charlotte enjoyed knitting, crocheting, reading and going to the North Shore Music Theater. She was a Red Sox fan and enjoyed watching the Red Sox and Bruins games. She is survived by two sons

Robert and Marie Ellis of Sandown, N.H., Donald and Carol Ellis of Lynn, one daughter Cynthia and Ernest Poole of Wilmington, five grandchildren, Mark Poole of Dracut, Scott Poole of Boise, Idaho, Jalis son Ellis of Peabody, Neal Ellis of Beverly, Tina Landry of Shirley, 15 great-grandchildren, four great-great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews. She was also sister of the late Harry W. Dill, Jr.

**Service information: Visiting hours will be held at the PARKER Funeral Home 35 Franklin St. Lynn Tuesday from 10-11:30 a.m. followed by a funeral service at 11:30 a.m. to which relatives and friends are invited to attend. Burial will follow in Pine Grove Cemetery. Please make memorial donations in Charlotte's name to Ascend Hospice 100 Locke Dr. Marlborough, MA 01752. Guestbook at [parkeremorialfuneralhome.com](http://parkeremorialfuneralhome.com).**

### Linda J. Erekson, 66

PEABODY — Linda Jean Erekson, 66, of Peabody, formerly of Lynn, died Friday at a local nursing home following a courageous battle with pancreatic cancer.



Born in Lynn, she was the daughter of the late Wilbert and Rita E. (Lauzon) Erekson. Linda lived in Lynn most of her life, graduating from Classical High School in 1967 and later attending Marian Court Secretarial School. She moved to Peabody six years ago.

Linda worked at both the old Lynn Hospital on Boston Street and at Union Hospital for 41 years. She started out as a candy striper as a teenager and over the years, worked in several different offices at the two hospitals before retiring due to health concerns in 2010.

Linda was an excellent bowler as a young woman and was almost impossible to beat as a member of the Union Hospital Bowling League. She could also hit a softball a country mile and was a talented painter. In her younger years, Linda sang in the Sacred Heart Church choir and was involved with the Spotlighters, a Lynnfield-based community theater group. Among the most memorable experiences of her life were the two trips she

took to Europe when she was in her early twenties.

Linda will be remembered for her kindness, her generosity and her love for her family and friends. She was devoted to her mother, providing compassion, care and life-long companionship.

Linda leaves two brothers, David Erekson and his wife, Ellen, of Newburyport, and Carl Erekson and his wife, Joyce, of Lynn; two nieces, Amanda Packard and her husband, Andrew, of Amesbury and Jennie Erekson of Lynn; a nephew, John Erekson of Lynn; a great-nephew, Owen Packard, and several cousins. She was predeceased by two brothers, Leonard Erekson and Gilbert Erekson.

**Service information: Her funeral will be held on Wednesday at 9:30 a.m. from the SOLIMINE Funeral Home 426 Broadway (Rt. 129), Lynn, followed by a funeral Mass at 10:30 a.m. in Sacred Heart Church. Burial will be in Pine Grove Cemetery. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited. Visiting hours Tuesday 4-8 p.m. Donations may be made to North Shore Elder Services 300 Rosewood Drive, Suite 200, Danvers, MA 01923. Directions and guestbook at [www.solimine.com](http://www.solimine.com).**

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# Lynn supports a food pantry for Sacred Heart

By Adam Swift  
FOR THE ITEM

LYNN — From local students to the Rotary Club to scores of community volunteers, there has been an outpouring of help and support to bring a new food pantry to the former nunnery at Sacred Heart Church on Boston Street.

The food pantry, which is expected to open in March under the direction of Catholic Charities North, will serve the communities currently served by Sacred Heart, St. Mary's Church, and the Lynn Family Mission. Since the closing of the St. Mary's food pantry 1½ years ago, the three groups have worked with the Greater Boston Food Bank to provide to those in need one Saturday per month in the St. Mary's parking lot.

"The whole idea is that there is a great need in the city of Lynn," said Bob Fiocoprile, the project manager for the Sacred Heart site. "The Greater Boston Food Bank has been a great help bringing in food and people to help direct the site (in St. Mary's parking lot)."

Food and essential supplies have been provided to about 18,000 people since the organizations have been operating out of the St. Mary's parking lot, Fiocoprile said.

Once renovations are complete, the food pantry will be open one or two Saturdays per month, and possibly a few nights per month. It will be run by Catholic Charities North Executive Fran Troutman, who also oversees about a half-dozen other food pantries across the North Shore.

But it is taking a lot of work to get the Sacred Heart location ready to open in March. Luckily, dozens of local organizations and volunteer groups have been lending a hand.

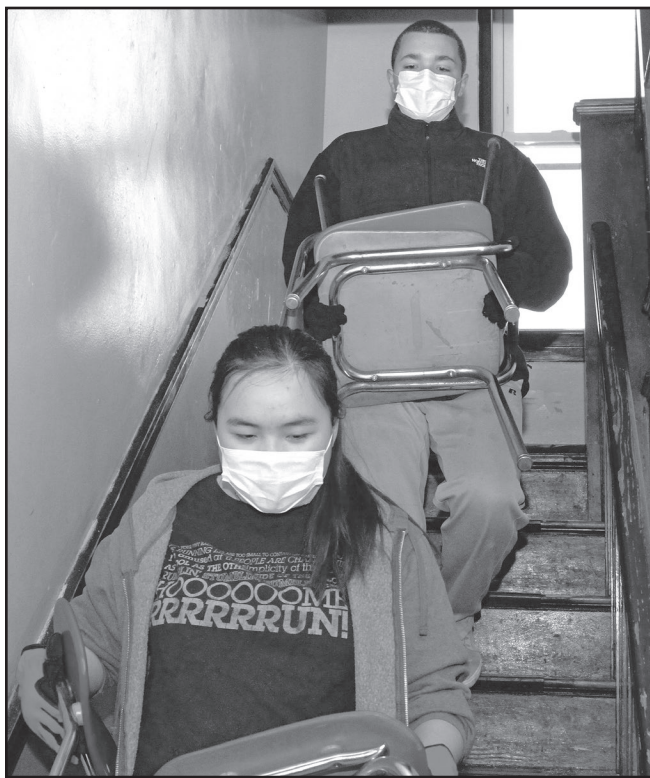


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**Amanda Tran and Andrew Medrano, volunteers from Lynn Classical, carry old chairs from the second floor of the former nunnery at Sacred Heart Church on Boston Street.**

On Saturday morning, students from Lynn Classical's Interact Club showed up to help clean out the building, sand, and paint. The Interact Club is a community service organization for students aligned with the Rotary Club.

Dina Capano, a Classical history teacher who oversees the Interact Club, said the project at Sacred Heart is a way for the students to see an ongoing community service project from beginning to end.

Classical senior Suzanne Musema said she first got involved in community service projects through Girls, Inc.

Many of the students said it was worth getting up early on a Saturday morning to help out a worthy cause.

"Working and being part of the community has been instilled in me," she said. "I cherish being able to make a difference."

Senior Glendy Alvarez said she also likes to be involved in the community and helping make people happy through her efforts.

"I love helping the community," said senior Elizabeth Tobon. "I live five minutes away, and it feels great to do something great for a great cause and give a hand to the community."

Fiocoprile said he was thankful for all the groups that have lent a hand to make the food pantry a reality.

Ray Bastarache, president of the Rotary Club of Lynn, busy scraping paint off the ceiling on Saturday morning, said he and the other Rotary members were happy to help.

"I've been in the loop for the search for a permanent site," said Bastarache. "They can't continue to operate outside, and we knew this would be an appropriate site."

# Swampscott pumps the brakes, eyes town-wide 25 mph limit

By Gayla Cawley  
ITEM STAFF

SWAMPSCOTT — Town officials have taken the first steps toward lowering the speed limit from 30 to 25 miles per hour, citing safety concerns.

"It's definitely for safety," said Peter Kane, director of community development. "That is the prime reason you do it."

Kane said the idea is to lower the speed limit in thickly settled areas. If this were rural Massachusetts, he said, slowing cars down might not be as much of a concern because homes are set back so far. But when a town is dense, more people are out, and cars should be traveling slower.

Last Wednesday, the Board of Selectmen approved lowering the statutory speed limit on all town-owned roadways within a thickly settled or business district, acting on the recommendation of the Traffic Study Advisory Committee.

"The committee recommends opting in to this on a town-wide basis due to the density of development of town as well as the street network," Kane wrote in a letter to the selectmen. "The committee has been asked to consider speed limit reductions from 30 mph to 25 mph on Stetson Avenue and

Puritan Road, and feel that this option is the best method to achieve those reductions, as well as achieve improved traffic safety on our local roads."

Reducing the speed limit requires a Town Meeting vote in May after the board voted to "opt in" to the Municipal Modernization bill, signed into law by Gov. Charlie Baker last summer. One aspect of the bill gives local government the authority to make the speed limit change, bypassing MassDOT review and study.

The Boston City Council also recently acted upon the law, by voting to reduce the city's speed limit to 25 mph. The change took effect on Jan. 9.

Kane said the change won't affect state-controlled roads, such as Paradise Road, which has a speed limit of 35 mph. Town roads with posted speed limits lower than 25 mph also won't be affected by the change.

The selectmen also approved two other recommendations from the traffic advisory committee. Neither require a Town Meeting vote.

One change was to add

a "No Parking Here to Corner" restriction on the southwest side of Burpee Road from the hill crest south of Jessie Street up to the intersection with Buena Vista Street. Prior to the modification, there were no on-street parking restrictions on Burpee Road.

"By doing this, it'll improve the visibility of vehicles at the stop sign on Buena Vista Street to more easily see traffic coming down the hill on Burpee Road," Kane wrote to the selectmen.

The other change was to add a flashing pedestrian crossing signal on Humphrey Street at St. John's Church. In December, John Lofgren, 73, of Lynn, was killed after he was struck by a car while crossing Humphrey Street in front of the church.

Kane said the request was in response to that accident. There have been other previous incidents at that location. He said the crossing signal can enhance safety by reducing crashes between vehicles and pedestrians at unsignalized intersections and crosswalks by increasing driver awareness.

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**Robert P. Meehan, 52**  
1964-2017



SALISBURY — Robert P. Meehan, 52, passed away in Massachusetts General Hospital on Jan. 19, 2017.

Born in Salem on Jan. 24, 1964, he was the son of the late Gordon A. Meehan and Doris J. Beaugard. Bob was raised and educated in Lynn and lived near family in Massachusetts and California. Most recently he had lived in Salisbury at his ocean-side condominium. He enjoyed spending time with his nieces and nephews and was beloved as the family coordinator. Bob's infectious laugh and lively disposition brightened many family gatherings. He loved cooking, traveling, living on the ocean and reveling on the beach with family and friends.

He is survived by six siblings, Jean Sohn of California, Charles Buzzell of Florida, Gayle Ronan and her part-

ner Daniel Latini of Salem, Kathy Ireland and her husband Kenneth of Danvers, Gregory Meehan and his wife Marie of Groveland, and Jerry Meehan and his partner Trish Perault of New York. He also leaves behind his close relations Brent McMahon, Shawn McMahon, Stephen McMahon, Patty Levang, Kim Ronan and many nieces and nephews who lovingly knew him as 'Uncle Bob'.

**Service information: Robert's family will receive friends and family on Thursday, Jan. 26, 2017, from 4-7 p.m. at C.R. LYONS & SONS, Funeral Directors, 28 Elm St., Danvers. All other services are private. In lieu of flowers please send donations to St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Pl., Memphis, TN, 38105. www.LyonsFuneral.com.**

**Antoinette M. Hartnett, 88**



PEABODY — Antoinette "Toni" (Killalee) M. Hartnett, 88, of Peabody, died Friday morning at Beverly Hospital following a brief illness. She was the devoted wife of Richard F. Hartnett with whom she shared more than 66 years of marriage.

Born in Boston, she was the daughter of the late Francis and Elizabeth (Kidney) Killalee. She was raised and educated in Lynn and was a graduate of St. Mary's Girls High School. She has spent the last 50 years living in Peabody.

Toni enjoyed raising her family and upon her husband's retirement she enjoyed wintering in Naples, Fla. She also maintained a life-long friendship with the girls from St. Mary's and they enjoyed playing dominos, drinking coffee and traveling throughout Europe, and their highlight was going to the Amazon River.

Besides her loving husband of 66 years, she is survived

by her son, Anthony J. Hartnett of Derry, N.H., her daughters, Elizabeth Ann Partaledis of Peabody and Susan J. Shepard of Derry, N.H., her daughter-in-law, Tonniane Bongiovanni, and also survived by her six grandchildren, Amanda Burroughs, Stephen Partaledis, Patryck, Richard and Ciara Shepard, and by Alexis Hartnett. She was predeceased by her son Richard F. Hartnett Jr. and her sister Eileen Buchanan.

**Service information: Her funeral service will be held on Tuesday at 11:30 a.m. at the CONWAY, CAHILL-BRODEUR Funeral Home, 82 Lynn St., Peabody, to which relatives and friends are kindly invited to attend. Visitation will be held prior to the service from 9:30-11:30 a.m. Burial will be in Puritan Lawn Memorial Park, Lake St., Peabody. For directions and online obituary visit www.ccbfuneral.com.**



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# OPINION

JOSHUA J. WHITFIELD

## We owe Trump love, cooperation

Well, here we are. We have a new administration, maybe even a new era. Hailed at least for the time being by some; strategically tolerated, again at least for now, by others. An unbelievable carnivalesque sound: “President Trump.”

I didn’t think we’d be here; I didn’t think it would happen. Count me among the mystified and morally shaken, silenced by a new sort of civic fear.

Yet I have not (I hope) succumbed to the irrational, the fringed fevered fears of either left or right. Both apocalypticism and quixotic glee are the passions of fools and the historically ignorant. Those who are wise have already stripped away the mythology of the man and the hyperbole of the election and have begun to set sober eyes upon a presidency of unique moment and a president of strange provenance.

Which is what we all should do, turning away from the spectacle to look simply to the man: Donald Trump. And he’s only a man, little else. Neither a monster nor an idiot nor even a politician; neither unique nor brilliant nor moral; merely a man, given now the near sacred duty to be our president.

Which again is why it’s now time to put away our biblical fears and even our biblical hopes and just get on with it. You have not awoken from this very odd dream, it happened. There’s a new president, and his name is Donald Trump. Really — whether you like it or not.

So what do we owe Donald Trump? If it’s not possible to ignore him or leave the country or collapse inwardly upon oneself, what do we owe him as citizens? If we’re to make the best of it,

what do we owe him as Americans, granted we still believe in America and in the union we hopefully still all hold dear?

We owe him, I think, a chance to succeed, which is of course also a chance to fail. We owe him reasoned cooperation as well as reasoned resistance. We owe him fairness but also fearlessness. We owe him a chance to earn the respect he has yet to realize he owes others. And we owe him our best even when he shows us his worst.

And speaking as a Christian (as I am), I suggest we also owe him love. We do not owe him unthinking obedience, as is sometimes supposed from a rather pernicious and ubiquitous reading of the New Testament. We needn’t accept the idea that somehow this new president has been ordained by God, which would be pure idolatry. Rather, we must remember that we owe no one, neither president nor peasant, anything but love.

Which, for Donald Trump, means that we owe him the better forms of love, which are the witness of moral truths, the eternal truths of what some of us believe to be a moral and eternal God. We owe him unchanging unpolitical love, love which sees Donald Trump for what he is — a child of God whom God loves — and not simply for what he can deliver the churches. (Which is something we Christians have not done hitherto, sadly the opposite.)

The tragedy is not that Christians loved Donald Trump so much they voted him into office in overwhelming numbers. It’s that they didn’t love him genuinely. It’s that they saw him only as a politician and not a brother, as only a weapon in their culture wars and not as a sin-

ner in need of God’s mercy. So far we’ve shown him only that cheap false love of false affirmation, rationalizing his sins simply because we hated the other candidate so much we were willing to justify them with thin fake religious language we would otherwise see right through, all for the sake of uncertain political victory. We used him; we didn’t love him, and we must do better. I know it sounds strange to say we owe him love, but what I mean is that we owe him the love that is also truth.

But aside from this, what we all owe our new president is a better country, a better citizenry. Václav Havel said that “a nation gets the politicians it deserves.” Politicians, he argued, both reflect and refract the morality and potential of an age and of a people. That’s why we owe our president our best selves, for the sake of ourselves and for his sake. And for the good of our country and our collective soul.

And so here’s to love, fairness, cooperation, reasonable and not irrational dialogue, sisterhood and brotherhood, empathy and lived fragile truth; these things we owe Donald Trump as well as ourselves. Whatever your joy or whatever your dread at the inauguration of this new president, of these good things we are all still capable. Or at least I hope so.

Because if we aren’t, President Trump is the least of our worries.

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### EDITORIAL

## Rights and responsibility in Lynn

With his detailed knowledge of the city’s public schools, Thomas P. Iarrobino, secretary to the School Committee, succinctly summarized the task facing local voters on March 14. That is the day city residents will be asked to approve or reject spending tax dollars on two new middle schools.

“Public schools are everyone’s right and everyone’s tax responsibility,” Iarrobino said in describing the importance of the spending vote.

Those neatly-encapsulated words bear careful examination given the expense Lynn property owners are going to be asked to bear at a time when city finances are stable but in need of improvement.

Lynn schools, as Iarrobino noted, don’t pick or choose who attends them. This right to an education is fueling a 500-student annual increase in local enrollment. It is up to local educators and city officials, and taxpayers, to find ways to cover the growing cost of local public education.

An obvious offshoot of providing an education for everyone is the need for modern school buildings sufficient in size to educate students. Building new schools in an old, land-poor city like Lynn wedged between an ocean and a woodland preserve is a challenge that educators and residents in many other Massachusetts communities don’t face.

There are people who don’t want land off Parkland Avenue turned into a new middle school. There are people living off Parkland Avenue and in nearby neighborhoods who don’t want the hassle of school traffic.

In both cases, the concerns voiced by school opponents is understandable up to the point their objections are framed against the backdrop of Iarrobino’s words.

Again, “Public schools are everyone’s right” in Lynn. The tradeoff for preserving that right is the responsibility taxpayers shoulder to maintain that right. Paying for schools isn’t just a responsibility that falls on parents with children. It is a responsibility distributed equally to every taxpayer because schools are the investment that draws people to a community and keeps them in a community.

“How good are the schools?” That is the question prospective homebuyers and tenants ask real estate agents when they consider moving into a community. Lynn’s financial health as a municipality depends on people who pay taxes. People will not move to this city if a concerted and bold effort to modernize schools is not undertaken.

A local leader — it might be the mayor, it might be one of the city’s legislators, it might be a concerned parent — has exactly 51 days to step up and galvanize a core of local residents committed to giving broader voice to Iarrobino’s words and making the case for passing the March 14 referendum.

The consequences of defeat are significant and their costs will be borne by the next generation of Lynn residents.

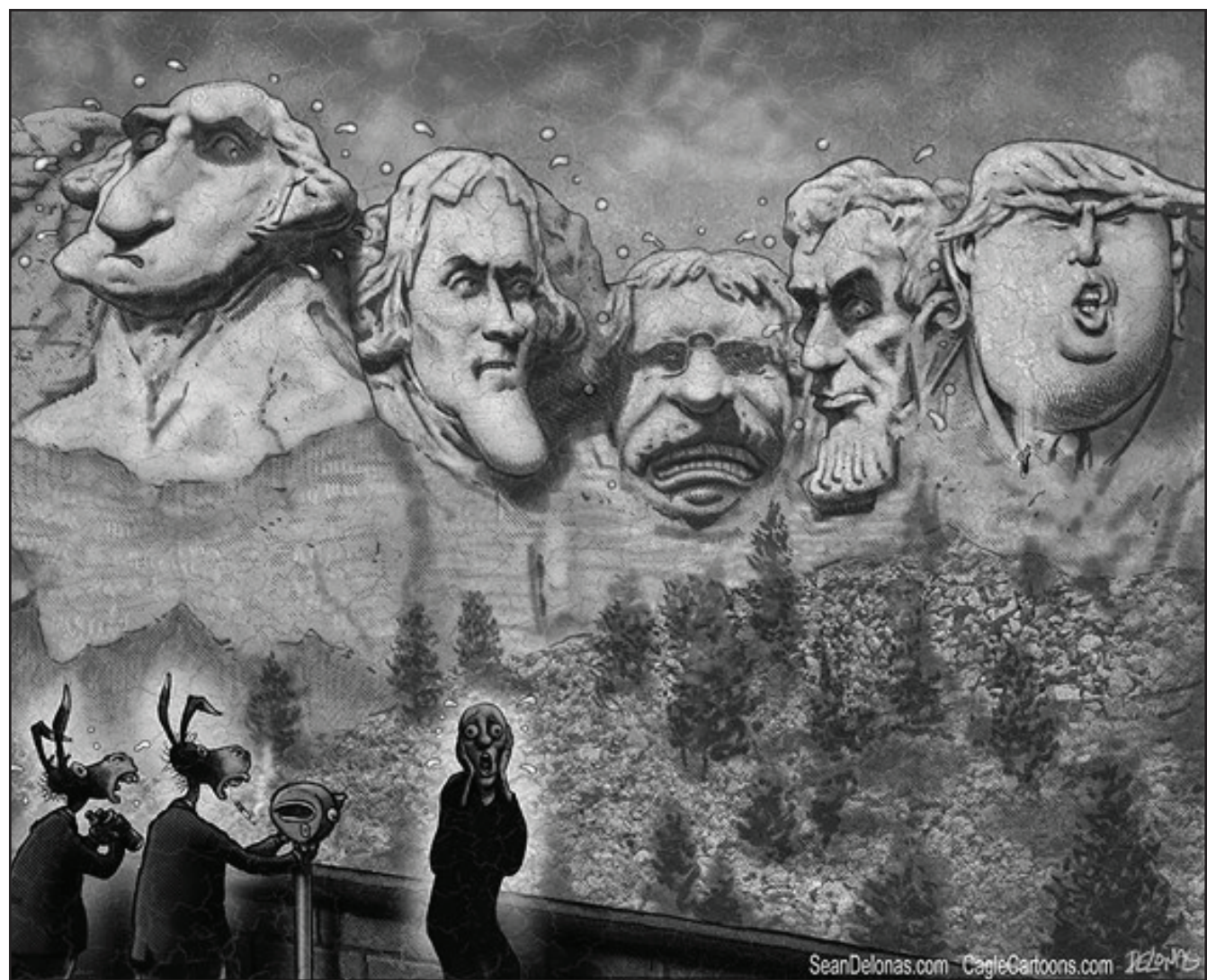


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## Manning commutation sends dangerous message

Barack Obama’s unjustified and undeserved commutation of Chelsea Manning’s sentence is very revealing. It demonstrates Obama’s cavalier attitude toward protecting our nation’s secrets, not to mention the safety of our military and diplomatic personnel.

Consider, too, the bizarre statement by the president’s press secretary, Josh Earnest. He told CBS news that he found it “outrageous” for Republicans to suggest that what Manning did was worse than what Donald Trump had done when he supposedly “encouraged WikiLeaks to collude with the Russians to hack his opponent” in the presidential race and encouraged the public to read what WikiLeaks revealed about the Democratic National Committee.

What is actually “outrageous” is for a president’s spokesman to compare Manning’s case to the DNC computer breach. In the first case, an active duty U.S. Army private first class, then known as Bradley Manning, intentionally downloaded and stole more than 400,000 classified files from government computers related to the Iraq war; 91,000 files from the Afghan war; 250,000 U.S. diplomatic cables (emails); sensitive and classified U.S. airstrike videos; and classified documents

and files from Guantanamo Bay, including assessments of Guantanamo terrorist detainees.

In the second case, you have the public disclosure of email communications between a political party and their eventual presidential nominee that revealed that while the party was publicly proclaiming its neutrality during the primary process, it was actually colluding with one candidate (Hillary Clinton) to exclude another candidate (Bernie Sanders).

There is a profound moral and legal distinction between these two cases, no matter how you spin it.

Manning committed crimes that broke numerous laws, endangered our troops and diplomatic personnel, and armed the enemy with information they never should have had. The DNC hack by Russia was a crime, to be sure, but merely aired dirty, politically inconvenient and embarrassing laundry.

At Manning’s court-martial, during the sentencing phase, Army Brig. Gen. Robert A. Carr, a top Pentagon intelligence official, testified that Manning’s disclosures “affected our ability to do our mission,” and endangered U.S. ground troops in Iraq and Afghanistan.

Patrick Kennedy, a State Department

official, testified that Manning’s actions sent the State Department into crisis and prompted a costly effort to assess the damage from the leaks. Maj. Gen. Michael Nagata, the deputy commander of the U.S. defense attache in Pakistan, testified that Manning’s actions had a very negative effect on the mission of the Office of Defense Representative in Pakistan.

Manning disclosed hundreds of thousands of secret documents containing some of the most sensitive information about our war effort in Iraq and Afghanistan as well as our diplomatic efforts. She recklessly exposed top secret files of terrorist detainees at Guantanamo. She betrayed her oath to our country, aided our enemies by arming them with information that they could only dream about acquiring, and forced our government to expend untold hours and money to minimize the damage inflicted by her criminal conduct that endangered our national security and the lives of many Americans.

In sharp contrast, the only consequence of the alleged Russian hack of the DNC files was that Sanders’ accusation that the primary system was “rigged” proved to be true. It exposed, for the world to see, the thumb-on-the-scale, hyper-partisan

nature of the DNC during its own primary process.

Critics of the Obama administration have said that it was one of the most political in history — that politics drove the decision-making on issues of domestic and foreign policy, law enforcement and national security.

Unfortunately for us, that criticism rings true in the commutation of Manning’s sentence. It’s also confirmed by Earnest’s inability to distinguish between Manning’s treasonous, criminal conduct that damaged our national security and the airing of the DNC’s dirty laundry in a political campaign.

By equating the two, the administration plainly told our military personnel and our diplomats that it considers what happened in a rough-and-tumble political campaign to be as important as the grave danger Manning’s illicit disclosures posed to their lives and our nation’s safety.

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# Trump's media war raises questions of trust

By David Bauder  
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NEW YORK — Donald Trump's "running war" on the media is continuing into his presidency, with statements over the weekend calling into question the extent to which information from the White House can be trusted.

White House Press Secretary Sean Spicer on Monday will hold his first daily press briefing at which he could face questions about a statement Saturday night that included demonstrably false assertions about the crowd size at Friday's inauguration and a promise by the new administration that "we're going to hold the press accountable."

Some Trump supporters will no doubt cheer the continued antagonism toward the media that was central to the Republican's campaign for president. Now the stakes are higher.

Press secretaries have been lied to by their bosses, or misled reporters through the omission of information, but veteran journalist

Dan Rather said Sunday it was the first time he could recall false material being delivered in this way.

"I hope that people will stop, pull back for what we in television call a wide shot and see what is happening," Rather said. "This is a deliberate propaganda campaign."

Longtime Republican operative Spicer, who most recently was the spokesman for the Republican National Committee and also worked for President George W. Bush, is known for fighting tenaciously for his employers. His briefing on Saturday followed a Trump appearance at the CIA where the president criticized the media for its reporting his criticisms of the intelligence community and took exception to stories saying the crowd for his inauguration was smaller than those for predecessor Barack Obama. Trump declared that journalists are "the most dishonest human beings on Earth," saying "I have a running war with the media."



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White House press secretary Sean Spicer as he speaks at the White House, Saturday.

Spicer made two unprovable statements in his briefing: that photographs of the audience at Trump's inaugural were intentionally framed to minimize the appearance of support, and that Trump drew the largest audience ever to witness an inauguration.

But he also made statements that were quickly disproven: that the Washington Metro system recorded more riders on the day of Trump's inaugural than when Obama was sworn in for his second term, that Friday marked the first time that white

floor covering was used on the Washington Mall that amplified empty spaces, and it was the first time spectators were required to pass through magnetometers to enter the Mall.

Spicer's briefing, during which he did not take questions from reporters, was

televised live on Fox News Channel and MSNBC. CNN did not air the session but showed highlights later.

Confronted by "Meet the Press" host Chuck Todd on Sunday with "falsehoods" stated by Spicer, Trump adviser Kellyanne Conway called them "alternative facts." She accused Todd of laughing at her and said he symbolizes how Trump has been treated by the media.

One person who has been in Spicer's position, former White House Press Secretary Ari Fleischer, said it seemed clear to him that Spicer was acting on orders from his boss. Press secretaries have to walk a fine line between reflecting the thinking and wishes of the president while trying to help the people covering him do their jobs, said Fleischer, who, like Spicer, worked for Bush.

Fleischer said he never knowingly delivered false information to the press while at the White House.

"You can't do that," he said. "It will shorten your career."

# Swampscott Library turns page on first 100 years

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if they're taken for granted by the public, and if they're lacking in funding and support," said Mary Ann Cluggish, Chairwoman of the Massachusetts Board of Library Commissioners.

The backbone of the public library is the community, and libraries in turn serve to educate citizenry on how to make democracy work properly, Cluggish said, and to provide equal access of information for everyone.

Cluggish spoke at the Swampscott Public Library's centennial celebration kickoff, "The Past, Present and Future of the Library," along with First Lady of the Commonwealth, Lauren Baker, and Sylvia Belkin, of the Swampscott Historical District Commission.

"The future of the public hinges on the future state of libraries," said Cluggish.

"Libraries are given a great deal of trust by people, who turn to them for information when they don't know where to go. They have information that you can trust; the library works to fight controversy by informing the public accurately, not persuasively. We are passionate about providing the truth," said Cluggish.

The Swampscott Library has 132,000 available items as resources to the community; in addition to an expanse of literature, there are DVDs, audio-

books, CDs, 19 computers for public access, and an art collection which features seven valuable paintings of American marine impressionism.

In 1983, libraries in Massachusetts created a network of digital resource sharing because there was not enough money for them to continue buying more items.

"Computers became a booming time for public libraries. Libraries are underfunded, not dying. Four and a half million people use public libraries yearly in Massachusetts, which is more than the number of people who attend Patriots, Bruins, Red Sox, and Celtics sporting events combined," said Cluggish.

Three hundred libraries in the Commonwealth are connected through digital resource sharing, which provides more services for customers while saving money for libraries.

"Libraries have to change with time and grow to meet the public's needs, and the Swampscott Library is doing just that," said Baker.

The digital network of resource sharing with libraries across the Commonwealth gives people access to 67 million items. Last year, Swampscott lent out more than 14,000 items, and accessed more than 15,000 for their members.

Public programming, sustained through state and federal funding, is

another area where the Swampscott Library has kept up with the times.

"The library works hard to seek and receive state and federal grants, and with these funds it's evolving to continue offering resources, and programming, made accessible to everyone in the community," Baker said.

Public programs provided through the library answer the needs of the community. One of the Swampscott Library's many public programs is Practically Speaking, which is geared toward American immigrants.

"I'm so thankful to the library for providing a wonderful center of new culture to me and my family," said Vera Joffe, a Russian immigrant living in Lynn. Joffe said she goes to the Swampscott Library specifically because it has so many books in Russian, including contemporary Russian literature.

For 100 years, the Swampscott Public Library has been meeting the needs of the community through free public access to information, technology, and community programs.

"We always say there is a future for the library. It will be different. Libraries are morphing to adapt to changes in technology and changes in the needs of community members. We always want people to feel like they're at home here," said Swampscott Public Library Director, Alyce Deveau.



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A crowd fills Independence Avenue during the Women's March on Washington, Saturday.

# Defiant women to Trump: Your agenda won't go unchallenged

By Nancy Benac  
and Ben Nuckols  
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WASHINGTON — In a global exclamation of defiance and solidarity, more than 1 million people rallied at women's marches in the nation's capital and cities around the world Saturday to send President Donald Trump an emphatic message on his first full day in office that they won't let his agenda go unchallenged.

"Welcome to your first day, we will not go away!" marchers in Washington chanted.

Many of the women came wearing pink, pointy-eared "pussyhats" to mock the new president. Plenty of men joined in, too, contributing to surprising

numbers everywhere from New York, Philadelphia, Chicago and Los Angeles to Mexico City, Paris, Berlin, London, Prague and Sydney.

The Washington rally alone attracted over 500,000 people according to city officials — apparently more than Trump's inauguration drew on Friday. It was easily one of the biggest demonstrations in the city's history, and as night fell, not a single arrest was reported.

The international outpouring served to underscore the degree to which Trump has unsettled people in both hemispheres.

"We march today for the moral core of this nation, against which our new president is waging a war," actress America Fer-

rera told the Washington crowd. "Our dignity, our character, our rights have all been under attack, and a platform of hate and division assumed power yesterday. But the president is not America. ... We are America, and we are here to stay."

Turnout in the capital was so heavy that the designated march route alongside the National Mall was impassable. Protesters were told to make their way to the Ellipse near the White House by way of other streets, triggering a chaotic scene that snarled downtown Washington. Long after the program had ended, groups of demonstrators were still marching and chanting in different parts of the city.

# Rhode Island governor looks to pioneer free tuition for all

By Matt O'Brien  
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PROVIDENCE, R.I. — A college-for-all idea that sparked Democratic voter enthusiasm during the presidential race could now be tested in the smallest state.

Democratic Gov. Gina Raimondo said she is pushing to make Rhode Island the first state to guarantee free access for every student who wants to go to college. The idea of expanding free public education beyond high school catapulted into the national discourse during Vermont Sen. Bernie Sanders' Democratic presidential campaign, and is now being considered seriously by states including New York.

"As a country we have to start asking ourselves, 'Isn't it the right thing to do now?'" Raimondo said in an interview Friday. "What's the magic of 12th grade? Once upon a time, that's what you needed to



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Rhode Island Democratic Gov. Gina Raimondo delivers her State of the State address to lawmakers and guests in the House Chamber at the Statehouse, in Providence, R.I., Tuesday.

get a job. Those days are long gone and vanishing quicker every day."

At a cost she described as a \$30 million "drop in the bucket" of Rhode Island's \$9 billion budget, Raimondo's proposal would give in-state residents two years of free

tuition at public colleges. Details were released Thursday when Raimondo submitted her annual spending plan to state lawmakers. It would need approval from the legislature, which has the nation's second-largest Democratic majority.

# Some question push for tougher penalties for attacking cops

By Summer Ballentine  
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JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. — Gov. Eric Greitens is pushing to toughen Missouri's already stiff penalties for attacking a police officer, reflecting similar efforts underway in other states and pleasing many in Missouri's law enforcement community, which has been on the defensive since the police killing of an unarmed black 18-year-old in Ferguson more than two years ago.

Whether such changes are needed is debatable — among those who think they aren't is a fellow Republican lawmaker and legal expert who helped craft revisions of the state's criminal code that just took effect.

"We can feel like we're doing a great thing and we're really solving the problem," said state Sen. Bob Dixon, a leader on criminal law and chair of the chamber's committee on criminal laws. "This does not



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Missouri Gov.-elect Eric Greitens speaks in Jefferson City, Mo.

solve that problem."

Greitens, a former Rhodes Scholar and Navy SEAL officer who ran multiple campaign ads featuring him firing large guns, pledged during his first major policy speech to help pass "the toughest laws in the country for anyone who assaults a peace officer," even though Missouri already has harsher penalties for people who hurt cops or first responders.

He also spoke about a "Ferguson effect," which allegedly has made officers more hesitant about performing their duties since the 2014 killing of Michael Brown due to a fear of being questioned later on. Brown's killing by a white Ferguson officer sparked months of protests and led to a Department of Justice investigation of the department. The officer wasn't charged.

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**LYNN**

**Arrests**

**Donald Dahlbeck**, of 78 Hawthorne St., was arrested on a warrant charge of Class A drug possession at 9:48 a.m. Friday.

**Paul Gioiosa**, 39, of 25 Hamilton Ave., was arrested and charged with disturbing the peace and resisting arrest at 1:44 p.m. Saturday.

**Omar Nyang**, 24, of 7 Carlton St., was arrested and charged with destruction of property, disconnecting the sprinkler system and on warrant charges of assault with a dangerous weapon and witness intimidation at 12:38 p.m. Saturday.

**Kayla Tanzella**, 25, of 69 Burley St., Danvers, was arrested and charged with sexual conduct for a fee at 7:53 p.m. Friday.

**Ana Magaly Vasquez**, 25, of 26 Porter St., was arrested and charged with failure to stop/yield, OUI liquor and negligent operation of a motor vehicle at 3:27 a.m. Sunday.

**Accidents**

A report of a motor vehicle accident at 11:32 a.m. Friday at 250 Maple St.; at 1:38 p.m. Friday at 2A Adams St. Extension; at 4:04 p.m. Friday on Ashton Square; at 4:15 p.m. Friday at 65 Astor St.; at 5:17 p.m. Friday at Boston and Mall streets; at 6:03 p.m. Friday at 527 Lynnfield St.; at 12:01 a.m. Saturday at 232 Lynnfield St.; at 12:43 a.m. Saturday at Chestnut and Lewis streets; at 9:31 a.m. Saturday at Blossom Street and Neptune Boulevard; at 2:34 p.m. Saturday at 780 Lynnway; at 4:47 p.m. Saturday at 70 Walnut St.; at 6 p.m. Saturday at 439 Boston St.; at 2:22 a.m. Sunday at Chestnut Street and Western Avenue; at 3:26 a.m. Sunday at 8 Basse Road.

A report of a motor vehicle accident with personal injury at 9:24 p.m. Friday at 40 Rockaway St.; at 11:39 p.m. Friday at Broadway and Hudson Street; at 12:47 a.m. Sunday at Mobil Gas Station at 512 Chestnut St.; at 11:44 a.m. Sunday at Mall Street and Western Avenue.

A report of a motor vehicle hit and run accident at 10:14 a.m. Saturday at 153 Lynn Shore Drive; at 2:23 p.m. Saturday at 471 Broadway; at 7:49 p.m. Saturday at Lynnway Sports Center at 491 Lynnway; at 1:33 a.m. Sunday at Chestnut and Essex streets.

A report of a police motor vehicle accident at 6:38 p.m. Saturday at Chestnut and Union streets.

**Assaults**

A report of an assault at 11:56 a.m. Friday on South Common Street; at 8:09 p.m. Saturday on Hanover Street.

A report of a sexual assault at 6:19 a.m. Saturday on Oakville Street.

**Breaking and Entering**

A report of a motor vehicle breaking and entering at 10:01 a.m. Friday at 22 Tarmey Lane; at 5:24 p.m. Saturday at 27 Atkinson St.; at 12:06 a.m. Sunday at 124 Green St.

**Complaints**

A report of a disturbance at 1:54 p.m. Friday at 150 Lewis St.; at 2:04 p.m. Friday on Lynn Shore Drive; at 2:46 p.m. Friday at Connerly Elementary School at 50 Elm St.; at 11:36 p.m. Friday at 160 Neptune Blvd.; at 11:49 p.m. Friday at Walgreens at 21 Joyce St.; at 2:20 a.m. Saturday at 534 Essex St.; at 4:05 a.m. Saturday at 78 Lexington St.; at 4:18 a.m. Saturday at 145 Lewis St.; at 5:13 a.m. Saturday at 42 Baker St.; at 11:59 a.m. Saturday at 810 Lynnway; at 12:33 p.m. Saturday at 25 Hamilton Ave.; at 12:53 p.m. Saturday at 46 State St.; at 4:12 p.m. Saturday at 5 Hamilton Ave.; at 6:39 p.m. Saturday at 77 Green St.; at 7:57 p.m. Saturday at 15 Grover St.; at 10:41 p.m. Saturday at River Works Credit Union at 947 Western Ave.; at 1:20 a.m. Sunday at 124 Green St.; at 1:25 a.m. Sunday at 577 Lynnfield St.; at 1:30 a.m. Sunday at 408 Summer St.; at 2:58 a.m. Sunday at 104 Newhall St.; at 4:46 a.m. Sunday at Williams Avenue Playground at 75 Williams Ave.; at 10:26 a.m. Sunday at 27 Astor St.; at 11:52 a.m. Sunday at 9 Barrett Court.

A report of a gunshot at 12:41 p.m. Saturday at 105 Robinson St.

**Overdose**

A report of an overdose at 4:28 p.m. Saturday on Eastern Avenue; at 8:22 p.m. Saturday on Essex Street; at 8:48 p.m. Saturday on Fuller Street.

A report of a robbery at 11:34 a.m. Sunday at 20 Park St.

**Theft**

A report of a larceny at 10:56 a.m. Friday at 8 Chase St.; at 3:17 p.m. Friday at 59 Laurel St.; at 3:58 p.m. Saturday at 27 Ashland St.; at 5:32 p.m. Saturday at 6 Wilson Terrace.

A report of motor vehicle theft at 10:53 p.m. Friday at 479 Boston St.

**Vandalism**

A report of motor vehicle vandalism at 9:51 a.m. Saturday at 67 Elmwood Ave.

**MARBLEHEAD**

**Arrests**

**Ryan P. Bach**, 25, of 17 Girdler Road, was arrested on a warrant at 12:49 p.m. Saturday.

**Complaints**

A woman walked into the police station with a fake item, a copy of a \$1 bill, she found on her front steps at 2:30 p.m. Friday on Broughton Road.

A caller reported a group of seven kids in the park picking at the rocks at 3:24 p.m. Friday on Lighthouse Lane. She was concerned they might hurt themselves.

A caller reported that while she was at the Mayflower Cleaners, she was run into by a young teen on a bicycle at 4 p.m. Friday on Atlantic Avenue. She wasn't injured but felt he was careless and didn't stop to ask if she was OK. She declined medical assistance.

A report of gunshots or fireworks at 8:04 p.m. Friday on Mckinley Road. Police checked the neighborhood and were unable to locate anything.

A caller reported her neighbor had been running the washer and dryer for two hours and had not stopped at 12:22 a.m. Saturday on Watson Street. The caller indicated the neighbor was doing it "out of spite" and stated she had been having issues with that neighbor for the

past few months.

**PEABODY**

**Arrests**

**Robert P. Andruskiewicz Jr.**, 43, of 5 Wanda Lane, Exeter, New Hampshire, was arrested and charged with operation of a motor vehicle with a suspended license and no inspection/sticker at 6:22 p.m. Friday.

**Reginald Antwan Rivette**, 31, of 32 Annese Road, Lawrence, was arrested and charged with disorderly conduct at 2:39 a.m. Sunday.

**Accidents**

A report of a motor vehicle accident at 4:11 p.m. Friday at D&R Market at 54 Foster St. Jacob Blumenthal, 30, was summoned for unlicensed operation and operating an unregistered/uninsured vehicle; at 6:30 p.m. Friday at 96 Washington St. and 2 Clement Ave. One person was taken to Salem Hospital; at 8:09 p.m. Friday at 80 Main St. and 2 Wallis St.; at 11:23 p.m. Friday at 28 Washington St.; at 1:13 p.m. Saturday at Andover Street and Route 128 North; at 1:13 p.m. Saturday at 37 Walnut St. and 20 Wallis St.; at 3:31 p.m. Saturday at Bagel World Bakery & Deli at 10 Sylvan St.; at 2:39 a.m. Sunday at 19 Collins St. A caller reported a vehicle hit parked cars. Reginald Antwan Rivette, 31, of Lawrence was arrested for disorderly conduct.

**Assaults**

A report of an assault and battery at 7:16 a.m. Saturday on Moulton Road.

**Breaking and Entering**

A report of a breaking and entering at 5:56 p.m. Friday at 11 Calumet St. A resident thought someone broke into her residence.

A report of a motor vehicle breaking and entering at 8:42 a.m. Sunday at 9 Quail Road; at 9:23 a.m. Sunday at 1 Smoke Rise Circle. The incident occurred on Christmas morning. A green woman coat, worth \$70, was taken.

**Complaints**

A report of a disturbance at 2:20 p.m. Friday at 27 Shore Drive; at 7:50 p.m. Saturday at 80 Northend St. and 41 Driscoll St.; at 8:19 p.m. Saturday at 112 Tremont St. and 2 Driscoll St.; at 9:38 p.m. Saturday at 30 Hampshire Road; at 4:26 a.m. Sunday at Dunkin' Donuts at 162 Washington St. A caller reported three intoxicated males attempting to enter the business.

A report of suspicious activity at 7:17 p.m. Saturday at U.S. Post Office at 13 Wallis St. A caller reported kids trying car door handles in the area. Police reported nothing appeared to be taken.

A caller reported it appeared that someone was crawling in his ceiling after squirting baby powder at him through the doorway at 3:44 a.m. Sunday at Northfield Properties at 2 Main St. Police reported the matter was unfounded.

**Vandalism**

A report of vandalism at 12:02 p.m. Friday on King Street. The damage was reportedly done by either a rock or BB gun.

**SWAMPSCOTT**

**Complaints**

A report of a disturbance at 11:12 a.m. Friday at 1002 Paradise Road; at 2:06 p.m. Friday on Humphrey Street; at 2:36 p.m. Friday at 186 Norfolk Ave.; at 7:56 p.m. Saturday at 406 Paradise Road.

**Danvers carjacker arrested in Peabody**

PEABODY – State Police arrested a man on Route 1 in Peabody in connection with a Danvers carjacking incident on Saturday.

State Police received information from Danvers Police that Guillermo Jose Torres, 37, of Boston, had just carjacked a 2004 Ford Explorer, according to a

statement from state police.

Trooper James Maloney noticed the car traveling at a high speed in the breakdown lane on Route 1 South around 3:15 p.m. He was able to initiate a motor vehicle stop, the statement said.

After a brief struggle,

Torres was arrested on charges of receiving a stolen vehicle, using a vehicle without authority, resisting arrest, operating on a suspended license, a breakdown lane violation and speeding.

He will be arraigned in Salem District Court on Monday.

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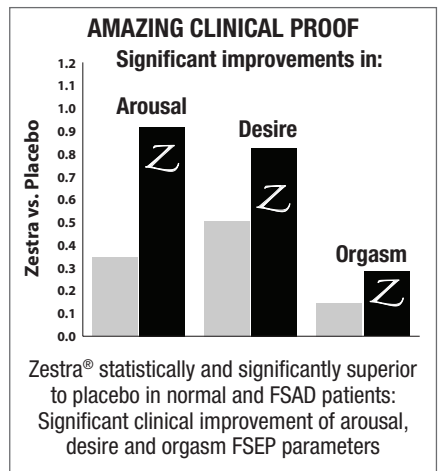
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# Swampscott cuts off VFW

VFW  
From A1

bartenders would be required to attend Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission (ABCC) training. Management is required to come before the board again in April.

Naomi Dreeben, chairwoman of the Board of Selectmen, said the VFW's license had not been suspended previously, but after viewing their four infractions, the selectmen felt that something major had to happen. The infractions were presented during a disciplinary hearing last Wednesday, with Swampscott Police Chief Ronald Madigan and Detective Ted Delano present.

"We had to ensure the community would be safe," Dreeben said.

Three of the infractions involved over-serving patrons, and the fourth involved serving alcohol to nonmembers of the club, when no members were present. The club's license allows members to bring in guests, but people who aren't members are not allowed to be there alone. During the fourth infraction, police were doing a routine alcohol compliance at the VFW, and determined that seven people were present at the bar, but there were no members there.

Two of the incidents, involving serving patrons who were intoxicated, resulted in car accidents, and subsequent arrests for OUI liquor. Both drivers told police they had been drinking at the VFW. One woman said she had been served four tequilas with midori, and police were unable to perform a breathalyzer test due to her level of intoxication. The other driver's alcohol test came back at twice the legal limit.

The third person who was over-served was arrested for disorderly conduct, after urinating in public, in front of the VFW. The man told police that he had three beers at the VFW post, but Delano said his blood alcohol level of .182 was not consistent with that number of drinks.

Two infractions occurred last March, one occurred in September and the fourth was in November.

Dreeben said before the four infractions that were presented last week, neighbors had come before the selectmen in 2014 with similar concerns, when the VFW's liquor license was up for renewal. They reported unruly behavior and unsafe driving.

Madigan said after the first two infractions last March, representatives from the VFW were brought into the police department to address the incidents, but no further action was taken.

Laura Spathanas, vice-chair of the board, said public safety is important,

including that of VFW customers, residents who may come by the area of the club, and the property nearby. She said some of the neighbors have been concerned about their property being damaged.

"You've met with the chief of police," she said. "It seems like that wasn't really a wake-up call as to really buckle down and make some serious changes."

VFW finance officer George Fitzhenry said he doesn't believe that the man caught urinating drunk at the club. He thinks it was a man who had been barred from there, and was drinking elsewhere.

Fitzhenry said steps have been taken recently to ensure that people can't just walk into the VFW. Two months ago, he said a key card system was installed, and only members have access. Three other organizations use the VFW, and are also considered members. Key card access shuts off after 11:30 p.m. The only people with 24-hour key card access are Fitzhenry, the bar manager and the custodian.

He said the bartenders are TIPS (training for intervention procedures) certified, so that they don't overserve. The bartender who served the woman involved in the accident was in the process of TIPS alcohol certification, but the others involved in the infractions had completed their training.

"We'll do whatever we can to make it safer," Fitzhenry said. "We've taken some steps and we'll take whatever other suggestions are made."

Selectman Peter Spellios questioned why the manager wasn't present and was told by Fitzhenry that he had some health issues. Spellios said there were lots of things that indicated there was vast disorganization going on at the VFW and very little accountability. He said the manager wasn't managing, and it was unclear who was running the bar.

In addition to attending mandatory ABCC training, the selectmen required that the manager appear before the board in April, and that representatives submit in writing ways to remediate the problems identified during the hearing.

"There really needs to be a lot more presented to us when you come back," Spellios said. "Respectfully, there was very little said tonight, I think, to give confidence that things are being run well."

The VFW has the right to appeal the suspension to the ABCC. Calls to the VFW requesting a manager or a representative for comment went unreturned.

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## Court saves Lynn \$35 million

LAWSUIT  
From A1

"Nor are there any facts demonstrating that the Lynn School District or its employees failed to take appropriate action to remedy this bully, if it did exist," Tochka wrote in the order.

Following the decision by Superior Court, the family appealed to the appellate court, which rejected the appeal last week.

Lamanna said the city is pleased with the most recent decision.

"The injuries were tragic, but we had reason to believe they did not happen in school, that it actually occurred at home," he said. "Witnesses said Matthew and his brother were playing when the it happened. And there was absolutely no evidence that he was bullied."

Susan Bochnak, the family's attorney, did not return a call seeking comment.

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The empty lot where Ferns Motel once stood shows that truck stop-style motels are on their way out and Route 1 is making way for the hospitality needs of the future.

# Making room on Route 1 for new hotels amid motels of old

ROUTE 1  
From A1

in a strip sort of assembly. It was less expensive to build motels. Then it just took off."

Sir John's and other area motels got a bad reputation on their stretch of Route 1, which was also home to strip clubs and trailer parks, Karamas said.

"I used to keep a notebook of weird stories," he said. "We were on a first-name basis with all the police departments. We were attracting those types of people because they couldn't afford to go anywhere else. The franchises required credit cards on file. It was part of the business, we just tried to be careful with who we let in."

"When I was out trying to find a franchise company that might be interest-

ed, it was a big drawback that on one side of the property there is a trailer park; on the other side is the Golden Banana," he said. "But if you want to be on Route 1, sometimes you have to live with neighbors like that."

Still, Karamas said disturbances didn't typically escalate past a couple fighting or a wife on the hunt for her husband who didn't come home.

Bob Long, former Saugus selectmen, planning Board chairman, and town moderator, said traffic changes and time led to the demise of many of the original motels.

As newer, franchise hotels began to open, families stopped choosing the mom-and-pop stops, he said.

Fern's Deluxe Motel had its share of crime and controversy during

its reign. If the decline in cash that thieves walked away with is an indication of the dropping value of a night's stay, the transition didn't take long.

In 1982 Fern's was robbed for \$100. Two years later, a knife-wielding thief made out with \$70. In 1988, a bandit got his hands on just \$27.

The motel was later deemed uninhabitable for long-term housing and eventually torn down, though the well-known sign offering free HBO and whirlpool tubs still marks its former space.

"They're in locations where traffic patterns changed," Long said. "In the beginning, there was no (Route) 128. We didn't have the highways like we do now. A lot of the motels were built when we had a different network of roads." But with Route 1's

proximity to Boston and Logan Airport, developers still see the need for temporary lodging.

A \$120 million development under construction at the former Route 1 Miniature Golf & Batting Cages site will include 250 apartments, two hotels, shops and a parking garage.

WoodSpring Suites will be constructed at the former Cap World Truck Accessories & Trailers site at 832 Broadway this year. The \$9 million hotel will be a four-story building with 122 rooms and parking. The units, of various sizes, will feature kitchenettes.

The Red Dog Resort & Spa, a luxury pet hotel, is slated to open this spring.

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# Women take steps against Trump policies

WOMEN'S MARCH  
From A1

Her reasons for attending the march aren't political, she said. It's to "make sure that we illustrate that there's room at the table for everybody."

Simons is marching for women, but she's also marching for people with disabilities.

"Every day is a precious day, and I want to make sure we are moving forward," she said.

Marblehead resident Dr. Allyson Preston, an Ob/Gyn at North Shore Medical Center, has taken part in marches since the 1970s. She also joined Saturday's march in Boston.

"We as a nation, not just women, need to make it very clear that some of the things that (Trump) mentioned during the presidential campaign ... are not what we believe," she said before the march.

Dr. Preston cited groups who were "maligned" during the campaign: women, minorities and people with disabilities.



PHOTO | PAULA MULLER

Shauna Gorham, right, of Swampscott holds up her sign "Reproductive Justice for All" and is joined by other Boston Women's March for America participants at Wonderland Station as they wait for a train into Boston on Saturday.

But she doesn't place all of the blame on Trump. He was an "instigator" who "hit a nerve," she said, prompting more division.

"We clearly have a lot of work to do," Dr. Preston said. She was joined by her sister, Ricky Preston, from Lynn, a nurse/practitioner at Mass General/

North Shore Cancer Center.

U.S. Sen. Elizabeth Warren called for challenging any Republican efforts to overturn abortion rights, take away healthcare from millions of Americans and tear apart immigrant families through deportation.

"Donald Trump's cam-

# Saugus to offer school budget workshops

By Bridget Turcotte  
ITEM STAFF

SAUGUS — The town is offering an inside look at the finances and budgeting of Saugus Public Schools.

Town Manager Scott Crabtree is hosting the first of a series of budget workshops on Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. in the Town Hall Auditorium.

Mark Abrahams, certified public accountant and president of The Abrahams Group, a Framing-

ham-based consulting group, will lead the discussion and presentation.

"The purpose is to start the process of working collaboratively in a partnership, through accurate information presented through a third party so that we can develop solutions for the school budgeting process," Crabtree said. "This is a way of making a commitment to prioritize working together to change the way we've done business in the past." Those in attendance will

learn about actual net school spending, the total education budget and other aspects of the budget. The workshops are intended to give the public a better understanding of the budget, the budget process and the local school finances and net school spending requirements.

Abrahams is an independent consultant who teaches, writes and consults on governmental financial, operational and performance manage-

ment. He served as the financial management coordinator for the city of Worcester; an assistant to the Massachusetts State Comptroller; chief of the Compliance Bureau for the state's Department of Revenue; and partner-in-charge of KPMG Peat Marwick's Boston Office Government Consultant Group.

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Lynn state Rep. Dan Cahill, Aspire Executive Director Lori Russell of Peabody, Aspire Board President Annie Walsh, and Board member Jim Healey, both of Lynnfield, enjoyed themselves Friday night during Aspire Development Services' casino night, hosted at Spinelli's in Lynnfield.



Noah and Jody Heller of Swampscott and Elias and Sarah Demakes of Marblehead supported Aspire Developmental Services' casino night Friday at Spinelli's in Lynnfield and helped raise more than \$70,000 for Aspire's new facility on Franklin Street in Lynn, scheduled to be completed this summer.



David and Andrea Cohen and Carol and James Goldman, all of Swampscott, supported Aspire Developmental Services' casino night Friday at Spinelli's in Lynnfield, and helped raise more than \$70,000 for Aspire's new facility on Franklin St. in Lynn, set to be completed this summer.



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Actress Emma Watson sits in the crowd during the Women's March on Washington, Saturday.

A-list celebs out in force for anti-Trump women's marches

WASHINGTON (AP) — If you wondered where many of Hollywood's A-list celebrities had gone during President Donald Trump's inauguration, you didn't have to wonder any longer on Saturday, when scores of them showed up at huge women's marches in Washington and other cities to send the new president a pointed message that he was in for a fight — and that, as so many signs said, women's rights are human rights.

Madonna, Julia Roberts, Scarlett Johansson, Cher, Alicia Keys, Katy Perry, Emma Watson, Amy Schumer, Jake Gyllenhaal and feminist leader Gloria Steinem were just some of those at the march in Washington, where officials said the crowd could number more than half a million.

In New York, Helen Mirren, Cynthia Nixon and Whoopi Goldberg joined a crowd of protesters marching to Trump's home at Trump Tower. In Park City, Utah, where the Sundance Film Festival was underway, TV host Chelsea Handler was joined by Charlize Theron, Kristen Stewart and more. In Los Angeles, Miley Cyrus, Jamie Lee Curtis, Demi Lovato and Jane Fonda were among tens of thousands protesting.

In the capital, a sea of pink, pointy-eared "pussyhats" mocking the new president stretched far and wide as Madonna took to the stage — and, to no one's surprise, held little back.

"Yes, I have thought an awful lot about blowing up the White House," she said. "But I know that this won't change anything. We cannot fall into despair." Instead, she called for a "revolution of love."



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A model wears a creation during Christian Dior's Men fall-winter 2017-2018 fashion collection presented in Paris, Saturday.

Boy George talks politics at Paris menswear

PARIS (AP) — Music maestro Boy George got political at Paris Fashion Week as Dior Homme went to the dark side, creating a hard, brooding fall-winter collection. Here are the highlights of Saturday's menswear shows.

A demure and relaxed Paris Jackson dodged journalists as she arrived at the Dior Homme show in a black Dior perfecto jacket and stylish white pleated skirt.

The daughter of pop icon Michael Jackson vied for attention with music legend Bono, who dominated the front row in his customary shades next to LVMH fashion tycoon Bernard Arnault, owner of the fashion house.

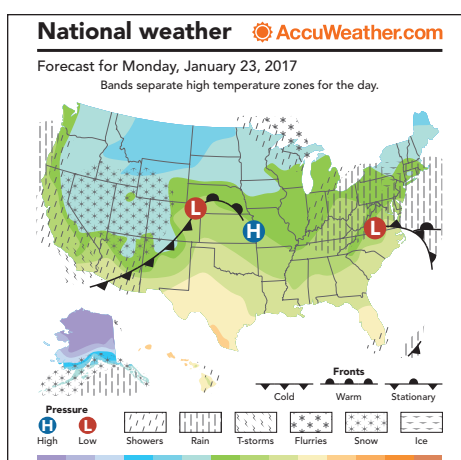
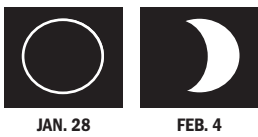
But it was Boy George who did all the talking. The former "Culture Club" front man got political, defending new U.S. first lady Melania Trump against negative press about her former modelling career.

"You know what — as somebody who has a past — I think it's really wrong and mean-spirited of women to be so abusive," Boy George told The Associated Press from beneath an exuberant embellished hat. The fashion icon added that, in the Herve Pierre-designed inauguration gown, Melania Trump "looked amazing."

The singer, who is gay, said people should "remain positive" about the next four years in the United States. Still, he lamented — with a hint of humor — that President Donald Trump didn't mention the LGBT community — "or me" — in his inauguration speech.

WEATHER

**SUN, MOON, TIDES**  
Sunrise today 7:03 a.m.  
Sunset today 4:48 p.m.  
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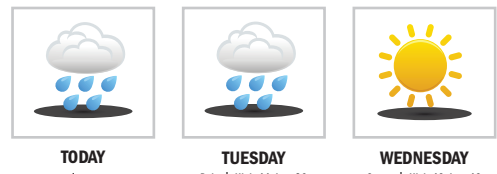


TODAY'S FORECAST

Mostly cloudy and windy with showers developing later in the day. Temps nearly steady in the mid to upper 30s.  
Tonight: Windy with periods of rain. Low 37. Winds NE at 25 to 35 mph. Chance of rain 100%. 1 to 2 inches of rain expected.

MARINE FORECAST

E winds 25 to 30 kt with gusts up to 40 kt. Waves 2 to 3 ft., except 5 to 8 ft at the outer harbor entrance. A chance of rain.  
Tonight: E winds 25 to 30 kt. Waves 2 to 3 ft., except 9 to 14 ft at the outer harbor entrance. Patchy fog. Rain. Vsbty 1 nm or less.



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Saturday ..... 7678	Saturday ..... 6733
Friday ..... 4400	Friday ..... 8363
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Any 2 ..... \$60	Any 2 ..... \$53
Any 1 ..... \$6	Any 1 ..... \$5
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Last 3 ..... \$116	Last 3 ..... \$256
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<b>Sat. Megabucks: 12-22-29-38-44-46</b>	
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ITEM FILE PHOTO

Swampscott's Mike Johnson scored the game-winning goal with 26 seconds to play against Danvers Saturday.

## Johnson snags hat trick, game-winner

By Scot Cooper  
FOR THE ITEM

BEVERLY — Swampscott center Louis Olivieri sent winger Mike Johnson down the middle with under 30 seconds left in a tie game against Danvers. Johnson put the game away with goal No. 3, giving the Big Blue a thrilling 3-2 win Saturday at Raymond J. Bourque Arena at Endicott College.

Swampscott had fallen behind 2-0 on goals by the Falcons' Nic DiSciullo and Tom Mento before Johnson buried two goals to tie it in the second period. Johnson completed his hat trick with 26 ticks left in the third period, propelling Swampscott (11-1-0) to its 10th-straight win.

The Blue haven't lost since falling in Winthrop on Dec. 19. Danvers coach Steve Baldassare was oblivious to the Swampscott winning streak, and very unimpressed with the effort of his team on

Saturday night.

"That was not Danvers Falcon hockey out there tonight," the coach said outside the home team's dressing room.

The mood in the Swampscott dressing room was more upbeat, after the team topped Danvers for the second year in a row. Last winter's 3-0 Blue win snapped a 13-game losing streak against Danvers.

Johnson, a senior co-captain back in his second game after missing close to a month with a wrist injury, said that it was a big win, and there is a big difference in the locker room this winter for his team.

"We didn't quit, even when we were behind, this team never quits," Johnson said. "It was hard to be out and have to watch, but we kept winning, it's great to be back, and great to keep the streak going."

"There's a big difference in the locker room this

**BIG BLUE, B2**

# SUPER BOWL-BOUND



PHOTO | ASSOCIATED PRESS

New England Patriots wide receiver Chris Hogan (15) runs against Pittsburgh Steelers defense during the second half of the AFC championship game Sunday.

## Brady, Belichick grab seventh AFC title

By Steve Krause  
ITEM SPORTS EDITOR

FOXBOROUGH — A season that began in uncertainty, with a four-game suspension of their star quarterback, will end in two weeks in Houston with the New England Patriots playing the Atlanta Falcons in Super Bowl LI.

The Patriots punched their ticket to Houston Sunday at Gillette Sta-

dium with a dominating 36-17 rout of the Pittsburgh Steelers.

Tom Brady, who returned to the Patriots in Week 5, controlled the game from stem to stern, throwing three touchdown passes, two to receiver Chris Hogan and one to Julian Edelman.

Hogan was the unlikely hero of the game, catching nine passes for 180 yards. And Brady was 32-for-42

for 384 yards.

The Super Bowl, which will be held Feb. 5, will be the seventh in the Brady-Bill Belichick era — an NFL record. It is also the ninth Super Bowl for the Patriots — also an NFL record.

The Patriots' path to the Super Bowl was made much easier by

**PATRIOTS, B3**

## Pioneer hockey's struggles continue

By Anne Marie Tobin  
FOR THE ITEM

PEABODY — Chalk it all up to a couple of ill-timed penalties, sloppy stick-handling and losing the battle of special teams and the Lynnfield boys hockey team simply had too much to overcome in a 5-2 loss to visiting Pentucket at McVann-O'Keefe Memorial Rink Saturday afternoon.

The Pioneers came into the game with only one win in their last four games, while the Sachems came in flying high, having not lost a game in more than a month after starting

the season 0-2.

Pentucket seized control of the game midway through the first period with two goals inside an 81 second span, to take a 2-0 lead.

Lynnfield pulled to within one goal at 2-1 in the second period on a goal by senior forward Johnny Percoskie, and also narrowed the gap to one goal at 3-2 in the third on goal by sophomore forward Will Garofoli, but a Sachems power play goal by senior right winger Johnny Orlando with a little more than five minutes to go put the game out of reach.

"Last Saturday was our biggest

win of the year for us, beating Masconomet 2-1 at Haverhill and we had the best week of practice we have had since I got here," Lynnfield head coach Jon Gardner said. "We talk about simplifying things, about not giving anything away and staying out of the penalty box, but we can't seem to do that. We stressed all week long that we wanted to keep the game low, like 2-1, and we got the two goals, but we lost the battle of special teams both ways."

Pentucket started slow, but five

**PIONEERS, B2**

## Tanners offense hot in win

By John E. Madigan  
FOR THE ITEM

PEABODY — In two games against Shawsheen this season, the Peabody girls hockey team has scored 15 goals.

In the other eight games against six different opponents, the Tanners have managed only 11.

Cassandra Mirasolo and Erin Hunter combined for four goals in the 7-0 win against the Rams Saturday at McVann-O'Keefe Memorial Rink, as the Tanners improved their regular season record to 4-5-1.

"It's a big two points, just like any other win for us," said head coach Michelle Roach, who was pleased with the plethora of goals scored by her team.

The team has had its struggles, as it's lost four games by two goals or less in the last month. However, knowing their opponent, the Tanners knew they had to grab two points while they could this past weekend.

"We came out focused and we did all the right things," said Roach, who was encouraged by her

**TANNERS, B3**



PHOTO | BOB ROCHE

Trailing 1-0 in the final minute, St. John's Prep sophomore Joe Bevere tries to push the puck by Malden Catholic goalie Brian Cannata.

## Prep offense falters against Lancers

By Gordon Vincent  
FOR THE ITEM

MIDDLETON — The offensive problems continued for the St. John's Prep hockey team Saturday, when the Eagles were shut out by Malden Catholic, 1-0, in a Catholic Conference showdown at Essex Sports Center.

Colin Nestor got the only goal of the game for the Lancers (6-1-1; 4-0) 42 seconds into the third period. The Eagles (3-5-2; 0-4-1) managed just 13 shots during the game, including six in the first two periods combined.

St. John's has been shut out twice in a row, and four times in 10 games thus far.

"It's so frustrating," Eagles coach Kris Hanson said. "I feel like we've got a Super 8-caliber defense, but we just haven't had anyone step up on offense. We don't have that sniper up front who can score goals for us when we need to."

St. John's also got off to slow starts in each period on Saturday, most notably in the first and third periods. The Lancers had the first seven shots of the

**EAGLES, B2**

## Marblehead girls have winning weekend

### HOCKEY ROUNDUP

By Scot Cooper  
FOR THE ITEM

The Marblehead girls hockey team got six points from Cate Delaney and Grace Moroney and held on for a 3-1 win Sunday over Bishop Fenwick.

Moroney set up Delaney early

in the first period for a 1-0 Magician lead, and Delaney returned the favor, with 1:50 left in the first to put Marblehead up 2-0 after 15 minutes.

Delaney scored her second of the game with 8:36 to go in the second period for a 3-0 advantage. Fenwick got on the board late in the second period on a goal by Meghan Carney on the power play. Amanda Blanchette

and Lexi McNeil picked up assists on Carney's goal, but that was it on the offensive end for the home team.

The Magicians got 11 saves from Sarah Ryan, winning their fourth in a row to improve to 5-6-1. Cailyn Wesley stopped 20 shots for Fenwick, which slipped to 2-6-1.

"Once again we had a good effort against another good team

this weekend," Fenwick coach Doug Anderson said. "It was a little frustrating, I thought we had Marblehead on the ropes after we scored, but we didn't do anything on a few power plays in the third."

Marblehead coach Emily Hudak said scoring early helped, and Ryan continues to get better

**HOCKEY, B2**

# Peabody basketball cruises past Essex Tech

By Katie Morrison  
ITEM STAFF

The Peabody boys basketball team cruised to an 81-46 win over Essex Tech Sunday. Chris Canela had the hot hand, putting up 23 points and grabbing six rebounds for the Tanners. Junior Estrella also had a good day with 18 points and eight rebounds. Chibuikem Onwuogo, Jake Diezemann and Jake Irvine also played well for Peabody, which next takes on Marblehead on Tuesday.



FILE PHOTO

**Peabody's Chris Canela put up 23 points against Essex Tech Sunday.**

(1:10.31).

Fenwick (6-0) will host its final dual meet of the season against Austin Prep next Sunday to determine the Catholic Central League championship.

#### GYMNASTICS

**Peabody 120, Gloucester 114**

Peabody senior Shelby McKie was first overall, her teammate Katie Cohen was second on the balance beam, third on the floor and third on the parallel bars, and Lily Avila finished second on the balance bars.



PHOTO | BOB ROCHE

**Kyle Hentosh can't get his stick on the puck in front of the Lancer's net in the closing seconds of a 1-0 Prep loss.**

# Eagles' offense stumbles

#### EAGLES

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game before the Eagles managed to get a shot on Malden Catholic goalkeeper Brian Cannata, almost nine minutes into the game.

In the third period, Nestor jammed a third-chance rebound into the net, after St. John's goalie Cam Ludwig denied a shot from the left circle by Jagger Benson and then a bid by Ryan Noonan just outside the crease.

"I thought we played them evenly after the first period, where we came out slow," said Hanson. "Part of the problem is the schedule were been playing. You could make an argument we've played seven of our 10 games against programs that are usually

among the best 4-5 in the state."

The Eagles best offensive moments were in the last five minutes of the game, when they pushed forward for a tying goal. K.J. Sarni's shot from the right point made it through to Cannata, but neither Kyle Hentosh nor Ryan Farrow could settle down the rebound. Tim Usalis had a chance at the end of an 3-on-2 rush, but his shot from the right circle went high. The last, best chance was a backhand by Joe Bever that was saved by Cannata with just under three minutes left.

About five minutes into the first period, Malden Catholic's Cameron Lawhorn rang the crossbar with a shot from the point, and about three minutes later Thomas Albert had

a chance after an Eagles' turnover but shanked his shot wide.

For St. John's in the first period, Brian Carrabes had the two best chances — a backhand that forced Cannata to make a good stick save, and a shot at the end of a 3-on-2 that caromed off the goalkeeper out of play.

Malden Catholic had the two best chances in the second period. Albert tried to hook up with Justin Collins on a 2-on-1, but St. John's defenseman Ben Essesna broke up the play. With about five minutes left in the middle period, a loose puck popped free to Collins just to the left of the net, but Ludwig made a nice save.

The Eagles play at Xaverian on Wednesday (6:30).

# Marblehead girls hockey has winning weekend

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between the pipes.

"The kids have been skating and playing with confidence during this little winning streak of ours," Hudak said. "We scored early and had a good game from our team, and Sarah (Ryan) in goal."

Fenwick will look for win number three Friday night against Peabody. Marblehead plays Beverly on Tuesday night at Endicott College.

Marblehead also went up north Saturday and came back home with their third straight win, a 3-0 decision over Falmouth, Maine.

Sydney Cresta scored a pair and Olivia Fusegni also lit the lamp for the winners. Cresta, Caroline Kinne, Abby Kalinowski and Bella Peters had assists backing up the shut-out goaltending of Ryan.

"Sarah, and the team, are playing with a lot of confidence these last few games," Hudak said. "The folks in Maine couldn't have been better hosts, they only have 13 or 14 girls' teams Maine, so they were glad to have us up, and we came out with a win."

**Westford Acad. 4,**

**Fenwick 1**

At Westford, the Crusaders put up a good fight on the road Saturday. Anderson said his freshman goalie, Cailyn Wesley, was outstanding, but his team couldn't put the puck in the net.

"Very good team, Olympic-sized rink, we played well, with a good effort," Anderson said. "Cailyn (Wesley) was great, she really was, and we just couldn't get our offense going.

The kids have come a long way, but we still need

to keep improving."

Lexi McNeil scored for Fenwick, set up by Emily Charette and Meghan Carney.

**Beverly 4, Duxbury 2**

The Panthers improved to 11-0-1 with the win. McKinley Karpa scored twice, including the clincher with 50 seconds left in the third to make it a two-goal game. Sydney Foster and Brittany Foster also scored for the winners.

Beverly had a 3-0 lead before Duxbury closed it to 3-2 late in the final period, setting the stage for Karpa to ice it with her second tally.

#### BOYS HOCKEY

**Medford 4,**

**Marblehead 1**

Saturday night at Salem State the Mustangs stopped the Magicians' seven-game unbeaten streak. Marblehead was up 3-0 in the third before Sheridan got the home team on the board.

Sheridan took a pass from Mike Kagan in the left faceoff circle and rifed one home to make it 3-1. With goalie Ronan Cunningham on the bench for a sixth attacker, Medford's Jack Lonergan scored into an empty net to seal things with 54 seconds left."

Marblehead hosts Saugus at Salem State, Wednesday evening at 6:30 p.m.

**Revere 4, Beverly 2**

Revere coach Joe Ciccarello's team got him his first win over an NEC North team in his five seasons with the Patriots, with their 4-2 win over the Panthers. Revere improved to 5-4-1 behind two goals from Mike Cecca, and single strikes from Jim Pandolfo and Mike Giordano.

"We were committed to play a good game defen-

sively and we did that," Ciccarello said. "It's been quite a while, it was good to finally win over a team in the NEC North."

**Arlington Catholic 2,**

**Fenwick 1**

It was a heartbreaking home loss for the Crusaders Saturday night against the Cougars. Trailing 1-0 late in the third, Fenwick's Casey O'Brien set up Rob Murphy to make it 1-1 with just 1:40 left in the third period. The Cougars pounced on a loose puck in the home team's end and scored with 40 seconds left to take it, 2-1.

"We outplayed them, certainly, we outshot them 31-20, we just had a tough one go in against us late," Fenwick coach Jim Quinlan said. "We played a pretty good game. We tied it up, (but) unfortunately it got away after we tied it up after a faceoff and a scramble in our zone."

**Winthrop 5 Gloucester 0**

The Vikings cruised past the Fishermen Saturday afternoon behind a shutout in the net from Ryan Skoczylas. Charlie Page paced the Winthrop attack with a goal and two assists, Henry Brooks had a goal and an assist for the winners. Steve Holgerson and Dave Barry were solid on defense in the win over Gloucester, according to coach Dale Dunbar.

"Just a really good game, a good team game from us, top to bottom," Dunbar said.

The Vikings are on the ice next in a big NEC showdown Wednesday night at Endicott College against Danvers.

*Games Saturday between Lynn and Peabody and the St. Mary's girls and Lynn/Winthrop, scheduled at Connery Rink, were postponed due to a water pipe bursting at the arena.*

# Pioneers' struggles continue

#### PIONEERS

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minutes in they began to step up the offense, testing Pioneer senior netminder Dave Langone early, who made a couple of key saves early on junior defenseman Liam McDonough.

With 7:33 left, Lynnfield went a man down after a tripping penalty. Working the right point, McDonough launched a slap shot that was blocked by junior forward Kyle Nekoroski. A scrum ensued in front of the goal with the puck popping out to senior center Max Whitmeyer, creeping in from the right slot, who beat Langone at the 6:39 mark.

The block cost Lynnfield dearly as Nekoroski left the game and did not return.

About a minute later, a turnover at its own blue line proved costly for Lynnfield. Pentucket broke out

on a three-on-two rush, and senior Ben Gardner slipped the puck to freshman forward Josh Smith, who made it 2-0 with a wrist shot, top shelf.

"It's just inexcusable stuff, it was a stupid blue line turnover that ultimately turned in first a measly three-on-two, then a two-on-one that ended up basically a breakthrough," Gardner said. "You just can't spot a team like that a 2-0 lead the way we did."

Percoskie got Lynnfield on the board at the 9:56 mark of the second period. Christian D'Agostino, who had a phenomenal game in the faceoff circle, won the draw and played it to Percoskie, creeping in from the middle into the slot. Joey Mack and defenseman Ryan Freitas picked up assists.

With 1:07 left in the period, Pentucket cashed in again. Whitmeyer won a faceoff after Lynnfield was

called for offsides and got the puck to Orlando, who rifled it past Langone to make it 3-1.

In the third period, Garofoli made it a one goal game with 8:09 to play, but McDonough sealed the win with a power play goal from Orlando with 5:13 left to go. Orlando capped the scoring with an empty-net goal with 40 seconds left.

"We didn't get the job done on penalty kills and we made so many mistakes when the puck was on our sticks," Gardner said. "You've got to handle the puck and our guys didn't handle pucks today. I give them (Pentucket) all the credit today, but we are just not playing our system."

"Our guys know what they have to do, but right now we are in that situation where you can lead a horse to water but you can't make 'em drink."

# MLB's Ventura, Marte die in weekend car crashes

SANTO DOMINGO, Dominican Republic (AP) — Kansas City Royals pitcher Yordano Ventura and former major leaguer Andy Marte died in separate traffic accidents early Sunday in their native Dominican Republic.

Highway patrol spokesman Jacobo Mateo said Ventura died on a highway leading to the town of Juan Adrian, about 40 miles (70 kilometers) northwest of Santo Domingo. He said it was not clear if Ventura

was driving.

Metropolitan traffic authorities said they had opened an investigation into the crash, as well as that of Marte, who died when the Mercedes Benz he was driving hit a house along a road between San Francisco de Macoris and Pimentel, about 95 miles (150 kilometers) north of the capital.

Traffic authority spokesman Diego Pesqueira told The Associated Press there were no rains registered at the time of Ven-

tura's accident but that it is often foggy in the early morning. He added that the vehicle's tires were in good condition and experts think the cause of the accident was an excess of velocity. The official results of the investigation will be released in the coming days.

The country, whose roads are among the world's most dangerous, has now lost four current or former major leaguers to traffic accidents in recent years.

# Johnson scores hat trick, game-winner for Big Blue

#### BIG BLUE

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year, everyone is focused, there's no fooling around at all, it's all business with this team," Johnson added. "We know we have a good team here, and we're determined to have a good regular season and go deep in the state tournament. If everyone

keeps playing the way we know we can, we can be a very good team."

Olivieri and Zach Elwell set up Johnson's goal that made it a 2-1 game, and Stevie Santanello and David Peterson set up Johnson's score that tied it up heading into the third period.

Goalie Dan Johnson blanked the home team in the third pe-

riod, giving his big brother an opportunity to send the Swampscott fans home happy.

"The guys do a great job on defense, they let me see the shots, and they clear out the traffic in front," Dan Johnson said. "I'm confident the offense will come through if the games are close."

Big Blue coach Gino Faia said defensive pressure and a good

forecheck have been the keys to the great run his team has been on so far this winter.

"This is a huge win for us, we were in another close match, but we picked it up after the second half of the first period," Faia said. "The guys came back from down 0-2 and battled all the way back in the third. A very big win for our team."

"The big things for us this year have been great work in our end, on defense, and putting pressure on the other team in their end," Faia added. "It's been hard work that's worked for us on both ends of the ice."

The Big Blue will try to make it 11 straight wins Monday night on the road against Weston.

**SCHEDULE**

MONDAY	
<b>Boys Basketball</b> St. Mary's at Williams (6:30)	<b>Girls Basketball</b> Georgetown at Lynnfield (6:30) Gloucester at Revere (7) Marblehead at Peabody (7) Salem at Classical Saugus at Beverly (7) Swampscott at Danvers (7) Tech at PMA (5:30) Winthrop at English (7) Fenwick at Act-Boxboro (6:30)
<b>Girls Hockey</b> Framingham at St. Mary's (8)	<b>Girls Hockey</b> Marblehead at Beverly (7:20)
<b>Track</b> Gloucester/Saugus/Winthrop at Swampscott (4)	<b>Gymnastics</b> Medford at Beverly (6) Salem at Marblehead (7:30)
<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>Swimming</b> Gloucester at Marblehead (7) Revere at Peabody (7:15) Swampscott at Beverly (8)
<b>Boys Basketball</b> Beverly at Saugus (7) Classical at Salem (7) Danvers at Swampscott (7) English at Winthrop (7) Lynnfield at Georgetown (6:30) Peabody at Marblehead (7) Revere at Gloucester (7) Whittier at Tech (5:30)	<b>Track</b> Lowell Cath. vs. Fenwick (4:30) St. Mary's vs. Arlington Cath. (4:30)

**SPORTS BRIEFS**

**Lynn Little League registration**

City-wide registration for Lynn Little League Baseball and Softball will be held on Saturday, January 28 and 29 from 12:30-4 at the Lynn Housing Authority at 10 Church St. This will be the last city-wide registration event for the year. All players must bring a birth certificate and proof of residence. For more information, contact your local league or email Joe Baglieri at joebnj@gmail.com. Please do not contact Lynn Housing, as they will not have any information.

**Tech boys JV team wins two**

The Tech boys JV basketball won against Essex

Tech, 55-35, Friday and beat Whittier Tech, 53-36, Saturday. Carlos Mateo had the hot hand, scoring 10 points against Essex and 13 against Whittier. Luis Pineiro and Anthony Imenel each scored eight points against Essex Tech. Elian Sosa scored 10 points against Whittier, and Greg Hernandez and Brandon Lopez played excellent defense, providing a spark for the Tigers.

**Wyoma Little League fundraiser**

Wyoma Little League will be holding a fundraiser on January 28th at Gannon Golf Course. The event will run from 7p.m. - 11 p.m. For further information please contact the league at wyomalittleleague16@gmail.com.

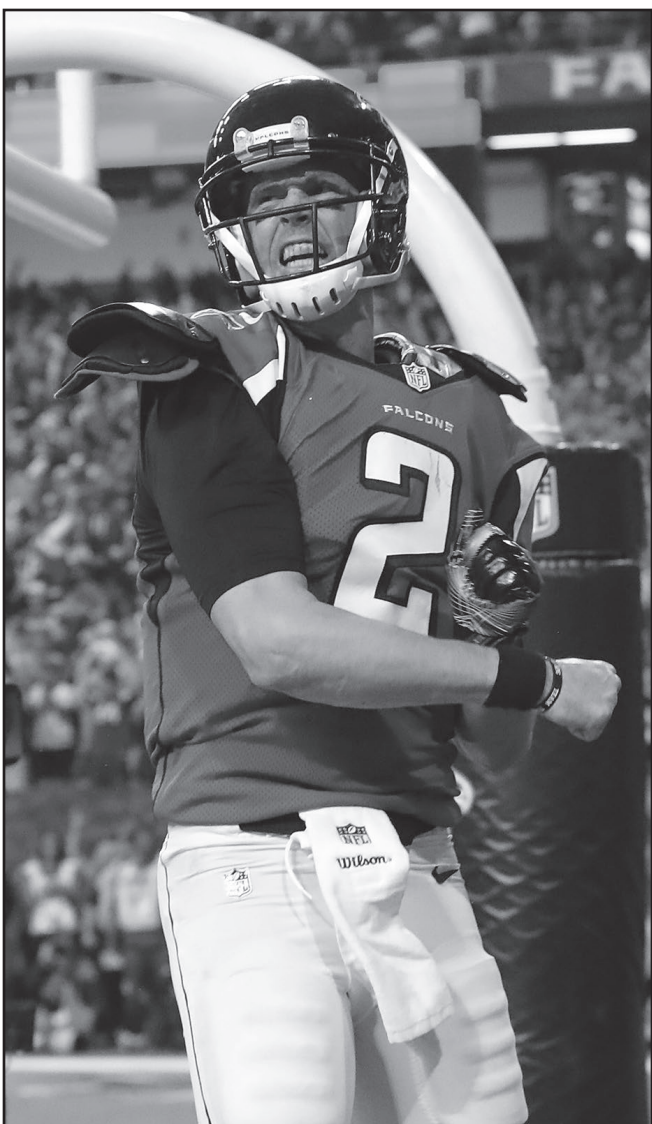


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**Atlanta Falcons quarterback Matt Ryan reacts to scoring a touchdown against the Packers Sunday in the NFC title game.**

**Falcons rout Packers, head to Super Bowl**

ATLANTA (AP) — Matt Ryan tumbled into the end zone, slammed the ball to the turf with a thunderous spike, and let out a scream that showed just how much he wanted this game.

He wants the next one even more. With another MVP-worthy performance and plenty of help from Julio Jones, Matty Ice guided the Atlanta Falcons to a 44-21 rout of the Green Bay Packers for the NFC championship Sunday, a showing that erased any doubts about whether Ryan can win the big games.

In his ninth season, he's finally headed to his first Super Bowl. Call him Super Matty. "We'll enjoy it because it's hard to get to this point. I know that from experience," Ryan said. "But our ultimate goal is still in front of us."

The Falcons (13-5) will face either New England or Pittsburgh on Feb. 5 in Houston, just the second Super Bowl appearance in Atlanta's 51-year history. Eighteen years ago, they lost to Denver in John Elway's final game.

Ryan threw for 392 yards and four touchdowns, but it was his 14-yard scoring run — his first TD on the ground since 2012 — that really set the tone. Jones was right in the middle of things, too. After barely practicing during the week because of a lin-

gering toe injury, he finished off the Packers with a 73-yard catch-and-run on Atlanta's second snap of the second half, pushing the lead to 31-0 and essentially turning the rest of the Georgia Dome finale into one long celebration. "He's a beast," Ryan said. "I've been lucky to play with him as long as I have. He was impressive today. I know he wasn't feeling his best, but he's a warrior."

Jones finished with nine catches for 180 yards and two scores, which included a toe-dragging catch for a 5-yard touchdown with 3 seconds left in the first half, sending the Falcons to the locker room up 24-0.

After the break: the play that showed every one of Jones' remarkable skills. He blazed down the middle of the field, shook off LaDarius Gunter's attempt to grab him on a cut toward the sideline, hauled in the pass from Ryan, broke Gunter's diving attempt at tackle, and defiantly knocked away Damarious Randall's with a brutal stiff-arm.

Ryan sparked more delirious chants of "MVP! MVP! MVP!" as he carved up an injury-plagued Packers secondary that had no way of stopping a team that averaged nearly 34 points a game during the regular season and romped to a 36-20 victory against Seattle's Legion of Boom last week.

**Penguins take down Bruins**

PITTSBURGH (AP) — Conor Sheary is in the midst of a career-best stretch — and he enjoyed another big game against his hometown team.

The Pittsburgh forward scored two goals, Sidney Crosby added his league-leading 28th and the Penguins won their fourth straight game, 5-1 over the Boston Bruins 5-1 on Sunday.

"It's fun to play against your hometown team," said Sheary, a native of Winchester, Massachusetts. "There's a lot of people watching and you kind of get up easy for these games. It's fun to be a part of."

Sheary scored his 17th and has nine goals in nine games. The 5-foot-8 forward, who signed with Pittsburgh as an undrafted free agent in July 2015, equaled a career-best four-game point streak against his hometown Bruins on Sunday.

"I felt strongly that Conor could be a good player in this league," Penguins coach Mike Sullivan said. "I'm not going to suggest that I thought he'd have 17 goals halfway through the season, but I knew he could be a solid player at the NHL level." Pittsburgh led 2-1

through two periods before breaking out in the third with three goals in the span of 2 minutes, 57 seconds.

Bryan Rust added his 12th and Patric Hornqvist his 11th for the Penguins, who won a season-high seventh straight at home. Pittsburgh the NHL's best home team, is 13-0-1 in its last 14 home games.

Evgeni Malkin had two assists for a season-best seven-game point streak. Crosby added two assists for a three-point game. Matt Murray made 44 saves to win his fourth straight game. Murray stopped 90 of 93 shots in his past three starts.

David Krejci scored his 11th for the Bruins, who have lost four straight and five of their last six. The Bruins were unbeaten in their previous nine at Pittsburgh with wins in their last seven before Sunday's loss.

Tuukka Rask stopped 20 of 22 shots for Boston before he left the game because he said he had a migraine that started in the second period. Rask was replaced by Zane McIntyre with 8:12 to play in the second period. McIntyre stopped 11 shots.

**Tanners offense hot against Rams**

**TANNERS**

From B1

team's efforts on all aspects of the game.

The scoring started immediately after the puck drop. Literally.

In the first 40 seconds, Mirasolo put home the Tanners' first goal after Rams forward Julia Ryan was called for checking in the opening seconds. Capitalizing on the power play opened the floodgates for Peabody as the skaters looked confident in their ability to get quality looks at the net, something the Tanners have lacked all season.

In fact, the Tanners scored six of their seven goals in the first period, and that allowed them to open up the attack for their entire team -- a luxury Roach often doesn't have. Although Mirasolo and Hunter tallied the first four goals in just six minutes, the Tanners received some offensive production from more than just the usual suspects such as sophomore defenseman Charlotte Grant, who added the final goal off a one-timer from Alycia Gillen in the beginning of the second period.

Also contributing were Kathryn DiGulio and Sammy Mirasolo, who tacked on goals in the first period after Cassandra Mirasolo and Hunter's first four goals.

"I was mostly pleased with our ability to make strong tape-to-tape pass-

es, to get the puck into the front of the net from the weak sides of the ice and also recycling the puck," Roach said.

Shawsheen had no answer for the Tanners' outburst of offense as they were unable to keep up with Peabody's skaters due to the lack of depth on the bench. The Rams only dressed 12 skaters.

Despite being outnumbered and out-skated, the Rams played disciplined hockey as they committed only two penalties.

After the early second period goal from Grant, Roach and the Tanners pumped on the brakes and began to work on schemes they normally wouldn't be able to in a game situation. Positioning was imperative to Roach and to see her team be in the right spots at the right times is something that she wants to see improve for the future.

Senior goaltender Jillian McCormick didn't have any positioning issues as she earned the shutout while starting goalie Abigail Buckley took the day off. Downer kept the Tanners off the scoreboard in the final period but with Peabody's play in the first 30 minutes, they were able to secure the 7-0 win.

Buckley and the Tanners will be back in action on Wednesday when they travel to Winthrop to take on the Bulldogs at 5:15 p.m. for a NEC showdown.

**TV/RADIO**

**MONDAY TV**

**College basketball:** N.C. State at Duke, ESPN, 7 p.m.; TCU at Oklahoma St., ESPN, 7 p.m.; American University at Holy Cross, CBSN, 7:05 p.m.; Texas Southern at Miss. Valley St., ESPN, 8:30 p.m.; Oklahoma at Texas, ESPN, 9 p.m.

**Women's college basketball:** Mississippi State at South Carolina, ESPN2, 7 p.m.; Penn State at Indiana, Big Ten Network, 7 p.m.

**NBA:** New York at Indiana, TNT, 8 p.m.

**NHL:** San Jose at Colorado, NBCSN, 9 p.m.

**Tennis:** Australian Open, ESPN2, 3 p.m.

**NHL**

**EASTERN CONFERENCE**

**Atlantic Division**

GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA	
Montreal	48	28	13	7	63	144	121
Ottawa	45	25	15	5	55	122	120
Boston	50	23	21	6	52	123	129
Toronto	44	21	14	9	51	136	131
Florida	48	20	19	9	49	112	133
Detroit	47	20	19	8	48	120	136
Buffalo	46	19	18	9	47	110	128
Tampa Bay	48	21	22	5	47	130	142

**Metropolitan Division**

GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA	
Columbus	46	32	10	4	68	155	106
Washington	46	31	9	6	68	149	100
Pittsburgh	46	30	11	5	65	169	134
N.Y. Rangers	47	30	16	1	61	164	125
Philadelphia	48	23	19	6	52	136	154
Carolina	46	21	18	7	49	125	131
New Jersey	48	20	19	9	49	110	136
N.Y. Islanders	45	19	17	9	47	129	133

**WESTERN CONFERENCE**

**Central Division**

GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA	
Minnesota	45	30	10	5	65	150	102
Chicago	48	29	14	5	63	133	120
Nashville	46	22	17	7	51	126	120
St. Louis	47	23	19	5	51	134	147
Winnipeg	49	22	23	4	48	140	151
Dallas	48	19	20	9	47	129	151
Colorado	44	13	29	2	28	89	148

**Pacific Division**

GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA	
Anaheim	49	26	14	9	61	130	123
San Jose	47	29	16	2	60	125	107
Edmonton	49	26	15	8	60	144	131
Calgary	49	24	22	3	51	130	138
Vancouver	47	22	19	6	50	114	131
Los Angeles	46	22	20	4	48	115	117
Arizona	46	14	26	6	34	102	150

NOTE: Two points for a win, one point for overtime loss.

St. Louis at Pittsburgh, 7 p.m.  
Columbus at N.Y. Islanders, 7 p.m.  
Los Angeles at New Jersey, 7 p.m.  
Detroit at Boston, 7 p.m.  
Calgary at Montreal, 7:30 p.m.  
Washington at Ottawa, 7:30 p.m.  
Buffalo at Nashville, 8 p.m.  
San Jose at Winnipeg, 8 p.m.  
Tampa Bay at Chicago, 8:30 p.m.  
Minnesota at Dallas, 8:30 p.m.

**Wednesday's Games**  
Toronto at Detroit, 7 p.m.  
Philadelphia at N.Y. Rangers, 8 p.m.  
Vancouver at Colorado, 9:30 p.m.  
Edmonton at Anaheim, 10 p.m.

**NBA**

**EASTERN CONFERENCE**

**Atlantic Division**

	W	L	Pct	GB
Toronto	28	16	.636	—
Boston	26	17	.605	1½
New York	19	26	.422	9½
Philadelphia	15	27	.357	12
Brooklyn	9	34	.209	18½

**Southeast Division**

	W	L	Pct	GB
Atlanta	26	18	.591	—
Washington	23	20	.535	2½
Charlotte	23	21	.523	3
Orlando	18	28	.391	9
Miami	14	30	.318	12

**Central Division**

	W	L	Pct	GB
Cleveland	30	12	.714	—
Indiana	22	21	.512	8½
Chicago	22	23	.489	9½
Detroit	21	24	.467	10½
Milwaukee	20	23	.465	10½

**WESTERN CONFERENCE**

**Southwest Division**

	W	L	Pct	GB
San Antonio	34	9	.791	—
Houston	34	13	.723	2
Memphis	26	20	.565	9½
New Orleans	17	27	.386	17½
Dallas	15	29	.341	19½

**Northwest Division**

	W	L	Pct	GB
Utah	29	16	.644	—
Oklahoma City	25	19	.568	3½
Denver	18	25	.419	10
Portland	19	27	.413	10½
Minnesota	16	28	.364	12½

**Pacific Division**

	W	L	Pct	GB
Golden State	38	6	.864	—
L.A. Clippers	29	16	.644	9½
Sacramento	16	27	.372	21½
Phoenix	15	29	.341	23
L.A. Lakers	16	32	.333	24

**Sunday's Games**  
Golden State 118, Orlando 98  
Dallas 122, L.A. Lakers 73  
Phoenix 115, Toronto 103  
Minnesota 111, Denver 108

**Monday's Games**  
Washington at Charlotte, 7 p.m.  
Golden State at Miami, 7:30 p.m.  
L.A. Clippers at Atlanta, 7:30 p.m.  
Sacramento at Detroit, 7:30 p.m.  
San Antonio at Brooklyn, 7:30 p.m.  
Cleveland at New Orleans, 8 p.m.  
Houston at Milwaukee, 8 p.m.  
New York at Indiana, 8 p.m.  
Oklahoma City at Utah, 9 p.m.

**Tuesday's Games**

**NFL PLAYOFFS**

**Divisional Round**  
**Saturday, Jan. 14**

Atlanta 36, Seattle 20  
New England 34, Houston 16

**Sunday, Jan. 15**

Green Bay 34, Dallas 31  
Pittsburgh 18, Kansas City 16

**Conference Championship Round**

**Sunday, Jan. 22**

**AFC**  
Atlanta 44, Green Bay 21

**NFC**  
New England 36, Pittsburgh 17

**Super Bowl**  
**Sunday, Feb. 5**  
**At Houston**  
New England at Atlanta, 6:30 p.m. (FOX)

**Patriots sail to win over Steelers**

**PATRIOTS**

From B1

the first-half injury to Pittsburgh running back Le'Veon Bell, who left midway through the second quarter, never to return. Bell finished the day with only 20 yards. Meanwhile, with Bell out, the Patriots defense could key on Pittsburgh quarterback Ben Roethlisberger and receivers, dropping more linebackers into coverage. The defense gave up only two touchdowns — the second well after the outcome had been settled.

Even though the Patriots finished the regular season with a 14-2 record, the knock on them was that they hadn't faced an elite quarterback since they lost to Russell Wilson and the Seattle Seahawks.

"For a number of different reasons, all of you here know how important this win was," said team owner Robert Kraft.

Kraft, who at one time was close to NFL commissioner Roger Goodell, has had a falling-out with him since the Deflategate scandal. Goodell skipped Sunday's game, choosing to go to the Green Bay Packers-Atlanta

game instead.

Brady came out firing right away, hitting Martellus Bennett for a 12-yard gain and then Edelman for 41. The drive stalled, but the Patriots were deep enough into Pittsburgh territory for a Stephen Gostkowski field goal.

While the Steelers had some trouble getting untracked early, the Patriots never really faltered. And with 2:55 left in the first quarter, Brady hit Hogan with a 16-yard pass for the team's first touchdown and a 10-0 lead.

That's how the first quarter ended. But the second period wasn't even four minutes old when Pittsburgh got one back. Bell was still in the game, and between him and Roethlisberger, Pittsburgh went 84 yards in 13 plays, with D'Angelo Williams running the last five for the score. The PAT was wide, however, and the Patriots had a 10-6 lead.

That quickly became 17-6 when Brady found Hogan again for 34 yards — on a flea-flicker — and a score.

"My motivation (for winning) was right here, with these fellas," said

Brady, pointing to his teammates standing below the dais where the post-game celebration on the field was held. "These guys showed up and they played great. We have to do it again in two weeks."

The Steelers got a field goal to make the score 17-9 by halftime, but it was a moral victory for the Patriots who put up one of two goal-line stands on the evening.

A Gostkowski field goal at 10:04 of the third period increased the lead to 20-9, and from there, the Patriots poured it on. An eight-play, 88-yard drive culminated with a one-yard plunge by LeGarrette Blount to make it 27-9, and, after a fumble recovery by Rob Ninkovich, Brady found Edelman in the end zone to make it 33-9 (Gostkowski missed the PAT).

Gostkowski added a fourth-quarter field goal, and the Steelers scored a late touchdown to narrow the gap to 19 points.

"We won a lot of different ways, under a lot of different circumstances," said Brady. "Mental toughness. That makes all the difference."

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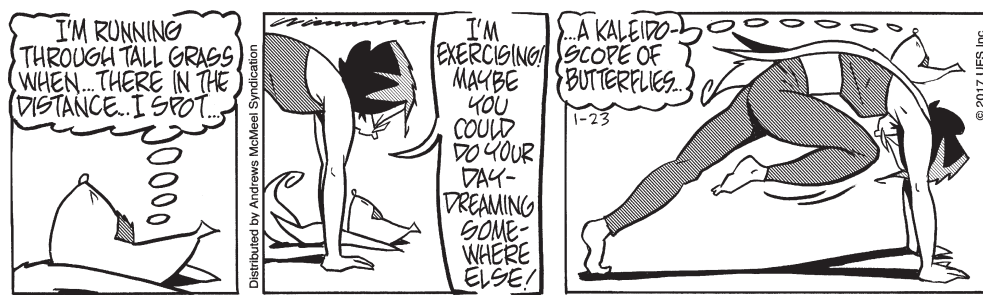
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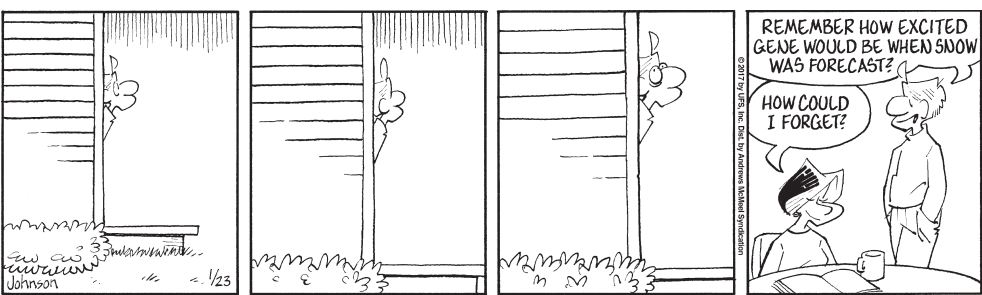
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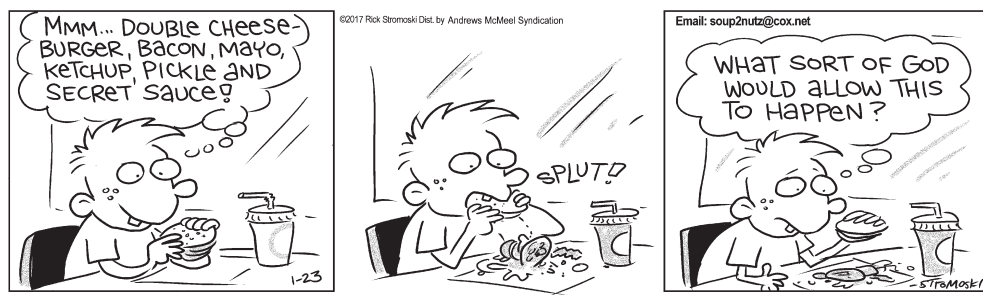
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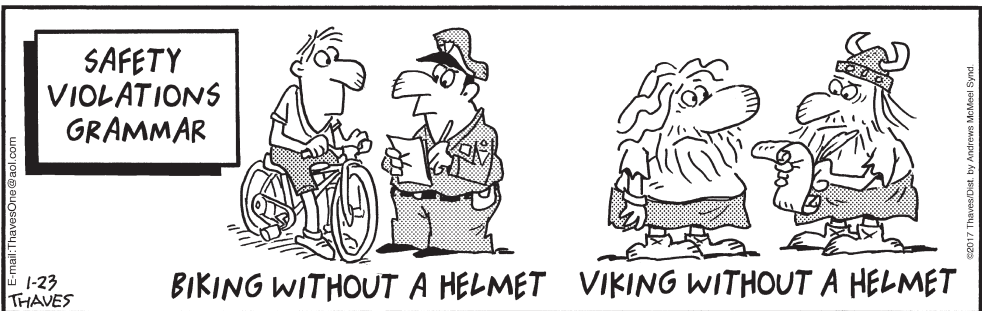
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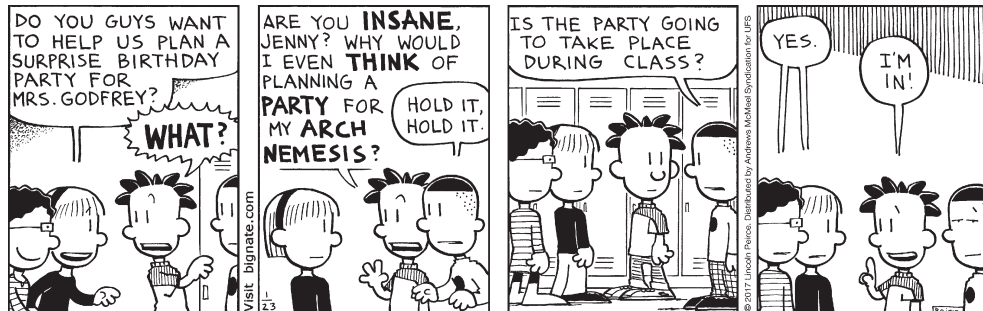
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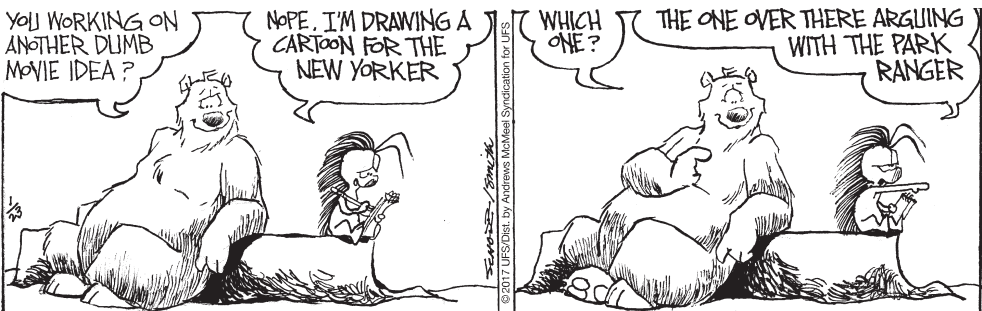
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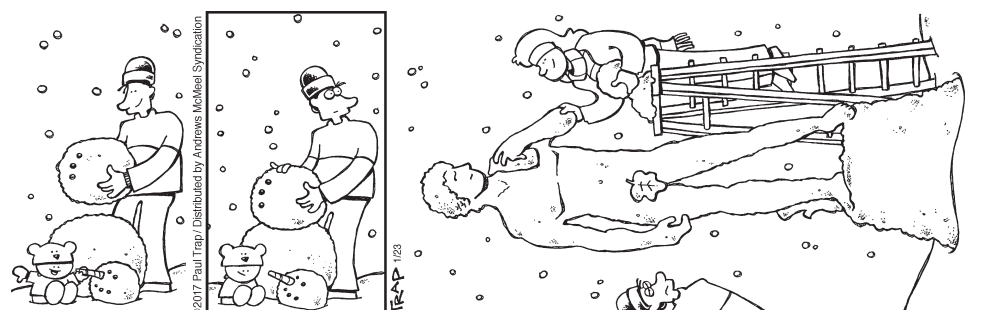
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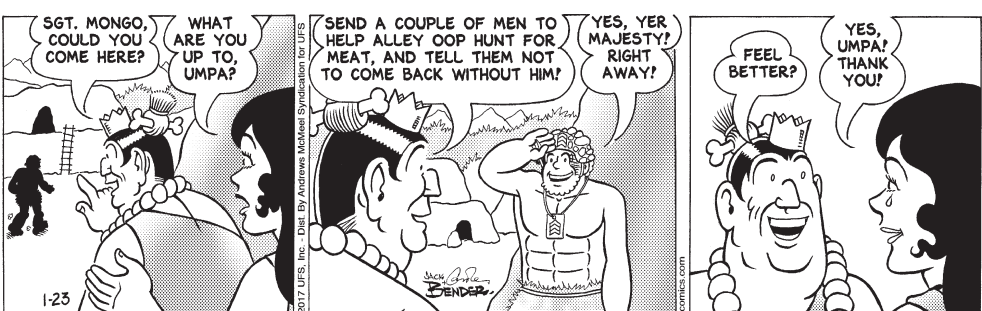
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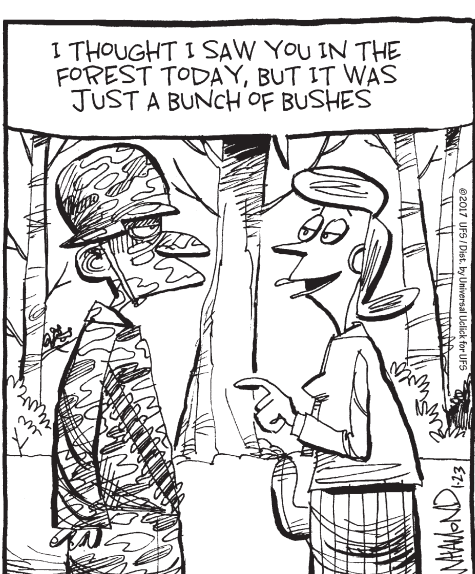
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## WORD WARP

1/23/17 by Bill Biggar and Tom Gauer

Find the word held in common by the three words in each puzzle. The three solution words will form a fourth puzzle. The numbers indicate each answer's length, and the + tells you its position.

Example: The solution to +FLOWER, WAILING+ and BERLIN+ is WALL.

auto+	6	+
drag+		+
barrel+		
safety+	3	+
stick+		
bobby+		
southern+	6	+
French+		
Hyundai+		
FINAL ANSWER	6	+

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# DIVERSIONS

## HOROSCOPE

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19)**  
Step into action and lend a helping hand whenever possible. Your no-nonsense way of getting things done will impress onlookers and make you feel terrific.

**ARIES (March 21-April 19)**  
Participating in an activity or offering your services, skills and experience will pay off. Gestures of friendliness will lead to personal and financial gains. Self-improvement projects are favored.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20)**  
Before you leap into action, consider your audience. Not everyone will favor your actions, and some may even use your words to make you look bad.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)**  
If you want something, you must do your part and go after it. Get involved, ask questions and be a part of whatever is going on around you in order to excel.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23)**  
It's a good day to deal with friends, siblings and matters in your neighborhood that concern you. Be willing to do the work in order to get the results you want. Take care of your responsibilities.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21)**  
You'll face discord if you haven't been honest about your feelings. Don't make a premature change just to allay anxiety. Tell it like it is and make your move.

**PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20)**  
Make a point to finish what you start. Don't give anyone a chance to interfere or meddle in your affairs. Do what needs to be done and don't look back.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20)**  
Follow through with your plans. If you just talk about what you want to do instead of doing it, you won't make progress. Protect your assets and your emotional and physical well-being.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22)**  
Communication is your best option. Sharing your ideas and listening to what others have to offer will help you determine what to do next. Romance will improve your life.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)**  
Don't take anything or anyone for granted. An emotional incident can put a wedge between you and someone you care about. Communicate and clear up any misconception before it festers.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)**  
Your mysterious nature will attract interest. Try something new and form friendships with people who can offer you something unusual. Challenges will result in personal growth.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)**  
As long as you are moderate and have good intentions, everything will fall into place. Don't let the actions of others cause you to be uncertain. Trust in your skills and intelligence.

## DEAR ABBY

### Longtime family friend feels hurt by sulky teen's attitude

**DEAR ABBY:** I have had a best friend for more than 20 years. We met when we were 18 and have been inseparable ever since. I was best man in his wedding, and when his first child was born, I traveled six hours to be at the hospital when "Sara" was born. I have never missed a birthday or Christmas. When my friend announced they were moving from Ohio to Arizona, I knew I couldn't be away from him and his family, so I moved as well. I have no family of my own, and I adore his two girls. Well, Sara turned 13 this year and like most teenagers, she's distancing herself from her family and even more so from me. When her mom and dad invite me for dinner or a family get-together, she barely acknowledges me when I say hi or ask how she's doing. She wants nothing to do with me. It breaks my heart. I love her and I consider her to be family.



Dear Abby is written by Abigail Van Buren, also known as Jeanne Phillips, and was founded by her mother, Pauline Phillips. Contact Dear Abby at DearAbby.com or P.O. Box 69440, Los Angeles, CA 90069.

My question is, should I continue to go and support her with her sporting events at school? (I have never missed a game.) Do I continue to shower her with birthday and Christmas gifts? On one hand, I tell myself this is just a phase she is going through and to change nothing, hoping one day she realizes that I'm her biggest cheerleader and recognizes the love I have for her. On the other hand, I think she's acting like a spoiled brat, and if she doesn't know how to treat people, then I want nothing to do with her. How should I handle this?

**DEAR UN-UNCLE:** I am sure that you are feeling isn't any different than what Sara's parents are feeling right now. I agree that she is probably going through a phase and "just being a teenager." My advice is to give her some space and hope that when she finally pulls out of it she will recognize how lucky she is to have such a loving un-uncle. I'm keeping my fingers crossed for you.

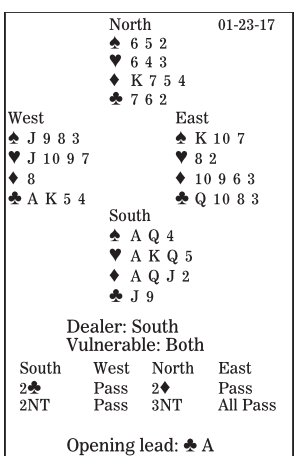
**DEAR ABBY:** My sister and I are senior citizens with health problems, so we share an apartment to minimize expenses and to be sure someone is around if needed. My brother and his wife sometimes socialize with us. The problem is, my brother has a friend. The friend and his wife constantly use foul language. I don't like hearing the F-bomb used as an everyday part of speech. I have tried modeling correct behavior and not cursing, but it hasn't worked. How can I ask them to stop without alienating them and losing my brother and his friend?

**UN-UNCLE IN ARIZONA**

## BRIDGE

### Should you follow line a or line b?

Laura Schlessinger claims that her radio show preaches, teaches and nags about morals, values and ethics. She said, "Children are our second chance to have a great parent-child relationship." Some do not need that second chance; they had a great relationship with one or both of their parents. But others do want that second opportunity. Bridge declarers can be like that. They see two ways to get the tricks needed for their contract — let's call them line A and line B. Sometimes declarer must choose between them; on other deals, it will be possible to succeed if either A or B works — which is obviously preferable. In today's deal, South is in three no-trump. West leads the club ace: two, 10, nine. West continues with the club four (in case his partner has only queen-third of clubs). East wins with the queen, returns the club three, wins the fourth trick with his club eight and shifts to a low spade. How should South try to benefit from the 4-4 club split? South starts with eight top tricks: one spade, three hearts and four diamonds. The obvious chances for a ninth trick are the spade finesse working — line A, let's say — or the missing hearts splitting 3-3 — line B. Which would a mathematician recommend? A finesse is theoretically a 50-50 shot, but a 3-3 break happens only approximately one time in three. So, the finesse is the better percentage. This means that South, after discarding the spade four at trick three, should pitch the heart five at trick four and bank everything on the spade finesse, which, of course, works!



## EVENING TV LISTINGS MONDAY'S TV JANUARY 23, 2017

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00	12:30	1:00
<b>BROADCAST STATIONS</b>	WGBH Greater Boston	Stevens' Europe	Antiques Roadshow (N)	Antiques Roadshow "Santa Clara"	Independent Lens The 1964 murder of Kitty Genovese. (N)	Charlie Rose (N)	Greater Boston	Midsomer Mur.					
<b>WBZ CBS</b>	Wheel of Fortune	Jeopardy!	Kevin Can Wait	Man With a Plan	2 Broke Girls (N)	Big Bang Theory	Scorpion "The Hole Truth" (N)	WBZ News	Late Show-Colbert	Late Late Show With James Corden			
<b>WCVB ABC</b>	News-Center 5	Chronicle	The Bachelor (N)		Quantico "CLEOPATRA" (N)	News-Center 5	Jimmy Kimmel Live	Nightline (N)	Celebrity Page (N)				
<b>WBTV NBC</b>	Boston News	Ac. Hollywood	The New Celebrity Apprentice	Contestants market health food. (N)	Timeless (N)	Boston News	Tonight Show-J. Fallon	Late Night With Seth Meyers (N)					
<b>WFXT FOX</b>	Ent. Tonight	TMZ (N)	Gotham (N)	Lucifer "Love Handles" (N)	FOX 25 News at 10PM (N)	FOX 25 News	TMZ	Simpsons	The Insider (N)	FOX 25 News			
<b>WUNI UNI</b>	La Rosa de Guadalupe (N)	Despertar Contigo (N)	Vino el Amor (N)	El color de la pasión (N)	Noticias Nueva	Noticiero Uni	Contacto Deportivo (N)	La Mujer del					
<b>WSBK MNT</b>	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	WBZ News (N)	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	How I Met How I Met	King of Queens				
<b>WGBX PBS</b>	Ask This Old House	Test Kitchen	Midsomer Murders "Country Matters"	Inspector George Gently "Gently Among Friends"	Vicious	PBS NewsHour (N)	Tavis Smiley	Stevens' Europe	Antiques				
<b>WBIN MNT</b>	Family Feud	Family Feud	Family Guy	Family Guy	Harry Bryshere Y. Gray, Algee Smith.	NH1 News Tonight (N)	American Dad	American Dad	Cleveland King of the Hill	News Tonight			
<b>WLVI CW</b>	Modern Family	Modern Family	Supergirl "Supergirl Lives" (N)	Jane the Virgin "Chapter Fifty-Two"	7 News at 10PM on CW56 (N)	Pawn Stars	Pawn Stars	Cleveland Anger	Anger				
<b>TELE</b>	Caso Cerrado: Edición Estelar (N)	La Fan (N)	La Doña (N)	El Chema (N)	Al Rojo Vivo	Titulares y Más	La Doña	El Chema					
<b>WABU ION</b>	Criminal Minds "Machismo"	Criminal Minds "Charm and Harm"	Criminal Minds "Secrets and Lies"	Criminal Minds Psychopathic Killer.									
<b>CABLE STATIONS</b>	A&E Leah Remini: Scientology	Leah Remini: Scientology	Leah Remini: Scientology	Leah Remini: Scientology	Leah Remini: Scientology	Leah Remini: Scientology	Leah Remini: Scientology	Leah Remini: Scientology	Leah Remini: Scientology	Leah Remini: Scientology	Leah Remini: Scientology	Leah Remini: Scientology	Leah Remini: Scientology
<b>AMC</b>	(5:00) *** "Inside Man" (2006)	*** Pearl Harbor (2001, War) Ben Affleck, Josh Hartnett. Best friends become fighter pilots and romantic rivals in 1941.	*** Walk the Line (2005, Biography) Joaquin Phoenix, Reese Witherspoon, Ginnifer Goodwin.										
<b>BRAVO</b>	Vanderpump Rules "The D Pic"	Timber Creek Lodge "Jax's Roast" (N)	Summer House Carl gets caught in a lie.	Watch What Happens "Jax's Roast"	Summer House Carl gets caught in a lie.								
<b>CSNE</b>	Monday Patriot	Quick Slants	NFL Postgame Highlights and scores.	Monday Patriot	Sports Tonight	SportsNet	Sports Tonight	Sports Tonight	SportsNet	Sports Tonight	SportsNet	Sports Tonight	SportsNet
<b>DISC</b>	Fast N' Loud	Fast N' Loud: Revved Up (N)	Fast N' Loud "Opening Bid" (N)	Diesel Brothers (N)	Fast N' Loud "Opening Bid"	Diesel Brothers	Fast N' Loud						
<b>DISN</b>	K.C. Undercover	Good-Charlie	Stuck! Middle-Charlie	Good-Charlie	Liv and Maddie	Liv and Maddie	Bunk'd	Bunk'd	Jessie	Jessie	Girl Meets Best Friends	Austin & Ally	
<b>ESPN</b>	College Basketball Duke, Cameron Indoor Stadium. (N)	North Carolina State at Frank Erwin Center. (N)	College Basketball Oklahoma at Texas. (N)	SportsCenter (N)	SportsCenter (N)								
<b>ESPN2</b>	Women's College Basketball State at South Carolina. (N)	Mississippi State at South Carolina. (N)	2017 Australian Open Tennis Quarterfinals. From Melbourne, Australia. (N)										
<b>FREE</b>	(6:00) *** "Despicable Me" (2010)	Shadowhunters "Day of Wrath" (N)	Beyond "Fancy Meeting You Here"	Shadowhunters "Day of Wrath"	The 700 Club (N)	Gilmore Girls "The Breakup, Part 2"	Gilmore Girls						
<b>FX</b>	(5:30) *** "Men in Black 3" (2012)	*** Captain America: The First Avenger (2011, Action) Chris Evans, Hayley Atwell, Sebastian Stan.	*** Men in Black 3 (2012) Will Smith. Agent J must go back to the past to save mankind's future.										
<b>HBO</b>	"The Visit"	VICE News	The Young Pope "Third Episode"	The Young Pope "Fourth Episode"	Beware the Slenderman (2016, Documentary) 'NR	*** The Revenant (2015) Leonardo DiCaprio, R'							
<b>HIST</b>	American Pickers	American Pickers "Catch-32"	American Pickers "Beer Factor" (N)	Pawn Stars (N)	Pawn Stars (N)	Pawn Stars	Pawn Stars	American Pickers "Catch-32"	American Pickers				
<b>LIFE</b>	(5:00) "Something's Gotta Give" (2003)	Beaches (2017, Drama) Idina Menzel, Nia Long, Colin Lawrence.	Beaches: The After Party	Little Women: Atlanta	Beaches (2017, Drama) Idina Menzel, Nia Long.								
<b>MTV</b>	Friends	Friends	Teen Mom 2 "Homecoming"	America's Next Top Model (N)	Teen Mom 2 "Privacy Please"	Are You the One? Gianna is torn.	Ridiculousness						
<b>NESN</b>	English Premier League FC vs Swansea City AFC.	Red Sox Town Hall Meeting	Sports Today	Sports Today	Sports Today	Sports Today	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program				
<b>NICK</b>	Paradise Run (N)	Thundermans	Thundermans	Nicky, Ricky, Full House	Full House	Full House	Full House	Full House	Full House				
<b>SHOW</b>	The Affair Noah's world collapses.	Homeland	The Affair Noah's world collapses.	Homeland	The Affair Noah's world collapses.	*** Bridge of Spies (2015) Tom Hanks. 'PG-13'							
<b>STARZ</b>	(6:20) "Sleepless in Seattle" (1993) 'PG'	*** Pirates of the Caribbean: At World's End (2007) Johnny Depp. Jack Sparrow's friends join forces to save him.	*** Money Monster (2016) George Clooney, R'	*** The House Bunny (2008)									
<b>SYFY</b>	(5:30) *** "Volcano" (1997)	*** Se7en (1995, Suspense) Brad Pitt, Morgan Freeman. A killer dispatches his victims via the Seven Deadly Sins.	*** Push (2009) Chris Evans, Dakota Fanning. Rogue psychics battle a covert government agency.										
<b>TBS</b>	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	American Dad	American Dad	Family Guy	Family Guy	Conan "Howie Mandel; Daniel Sloss"	2 Broke Girls	Conan "Howie Mandel; Daniel Sloss"			
<b>TNT</b>	(6:00) *** "The Expendables 2"	NBA Basketball New York Knicks at Indiana Pacers. (N)	Inside the NBA (N)	NBA Basketball New York Knicks at Indiana Pacers. (N)									
<b>USA</b>	Modern Family	Modern Family	WWE Monday Night RAW (N)	Friday Night Tykes	CSI: Crime Scene Investigation	CSI: Crime Scene Investigation	CSI: Crime Scene Investigation	CSI: Crime Scene Investigation	CSI: Crime Scene Investigation				
<b>VH1</b>	Love & Hip Hop	Love & Hip Hop	Amina gives birth.	Leave It to Stevie	K. Michelle	America's Next Top Model (N)	Love & Hip Hop	Amina gives birth.	Leave It to Stevie	K. Michelle	Top Model		

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## LEGALS

**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS**  
**THE TRIAL COURT**  
**PROBATE AND FAMILY COURT**  
Docket No. ES17P0090EA  
**INFORMAL PROBATE PUBLICATION NOTICE**  
Essex Division  
Shetland Office Park  
45 Congress Street, Suite 170  
Salem, MA 01907  
(978)744-1020

Estate of: Marie Alina Saulnier

Also Known As: Marie Alina Saulnier

Date of Death: 12/19/2016

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of

Petitioner Richard P Saulnier of Peabody MA and Lorraine M Brennan of Lynn MA a Will has been admitted to informal probate.

Richard P Saulnier of Peabody MA and Lorraine M Brennan of Lynn MA has been informally appointed as Personal Representatives of the estate to serve without surety on the bond.

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

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## CITY OF LYNN

The City of Lynn will receive bids for the following:

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Specifications may be obtained at the OFFICE OF THE PURCHASING AGENT, Room 205, City Hall, Lynn, Massachusetts.

Bids must be sealed and marked accordingly and submitted to the **OFFICE OF THE PURCHASING AGENT, ROOM 205, CITY HALL, LYNN, MASSACHUSETTS** prior to **11:00 A.M., MONDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 2017** and will be publicly opened and read aloud and forth-with in Room 205, City Hall, Lynn, Massachusetts.

Certifications regarding Public Contract Debarment under MGL, Chapter 29, Section 29F, Certificate of Non-Collusion, MGL, Chapter 40, Section 4B1/2, or Chapter 30, as applicable and the Attestation Statement Payment of Taxes, MGL, Chapter 62C, Section 49A, must be signed and submitted with an original signature or the bid will be rejected.

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Charles E. White  
Purchasing Agent

Item: January 23, 2017

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### GENERAL HELP WANTED

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## LEGALS

**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS**  
**THE TRIAL COURT**  
**PROBATE AND FAMILY COURT**  
Docket No. ES16W2317WD  
**DOMESTIC RELATIONS SUMMONS**  
Julissa E Alvarado Alvarado  
vs.  
Luis R Martinez Olanio  
Essex Probate and Family Court  
45 Congress Street  
Salem, MA 01970  
(978)744-1020

To the above named Defendant:

You are hereby summoned and required to serve upon:

Tamara A Murray, Esq.

Murray and Associates Law Group, LLC  
270 Union Street  
Suite 305  
Lynn, MA 01901

a copy of your answer to the complaint for **Custody-Support-Parenting Time filed December 30, 2016**, which is herewith served upon you, within 20 days after service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of service. If you fail to do so, the court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. You are also required to file your answer to the complaint in the office of the Register of this Court. at the above named court either before service upon the plaintiff or plaintiff's attorney or within a reasonable time thereafter.

WITNESS, Hon. Jennifer M.R. Ulwick, First Justice of this Court.

Date: January 6, 2017

Pamela Casey O'Brien  
Register of Probate

Item: January 23, 2017

**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS**  
**THE TRIAL COURT**  
**PROBATE AND FAMILY COURT**  
**DIVORCE SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION AND MAILING**  
Essex Probate and Family Court  
45 Congress Street  
Salem, MA 01970  
Docket No. ES16D0778DR  
**Harold Y Martinez vs. Alexandra N Munoz Santos**

To the Defendant:

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

The Complaint is on file at the Court.

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

You are hereby summoned and required to serve upon:

Harold Y Martinez

501 Washington Street  
Apt 406  
Lynn, MA 01902

your answer, if any, on or before 05/01/2017. If you fail to do so, the court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. You are also required to file a copy of your answer, if any, in the office of the Register of this Court.

WITNESS, Hon. Jennifer M.R. Ulwick, First Justice of this Court.

Date: December 06, 2016

Pamela Casey O'Brien  
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## LEGALS

### MORTGAGEE'S NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

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The land in said Lynn being shown as Lot A on a Plan entitled "Plan for the Transfer of Land Made for David J. and Mary J. Solimine, Lynn, Massachusetts," dated October 7, 1969, said plan to be recorded herewith and further bounded and described as follows: Northwestly by Belmont Avenue, 75.07 feet; Northeastly by Spruce Street, 100.00 feet; Southeastly by Lot C as shown on said plan, 75 feet; and Southwestly by Lot B as shown on said plan, 96.85 feet. and The following described parcels of land:- Parcel I The land in said Lynn, being shown as Lot B on a plan entitled "Plan for the Transfer of Land Made for David J. and Mary J. Solimine, Lynn, Massachusetts," dated October 7, 1969, said plan bounded and described as follows: Northwestly by Belmont Avenue, 25.02 feet; Northeastly: By Lot A as shown on said plan, 104.26 feet; Southeastly: By Lot 35 as shown on said plan 25 feet; and Southwestly: By Lot 32 as shown on said plan, 103.23 feet. Parcel II: The land in said Lynn, being shown as Lot C on a plan entitled "Plan for the Transfer of Land Made for David J. and Mary J. Solimine, Lynn, Massachusetts," dated October 7, 1969, said plan recorded with Essex South District Deeds Book 5678, Page 395, and further bounded and described as follows: Northwestly: By Lot A as shown on said plan, 75 feet; Northeastly: By Spruce Street, 7.41 feet; Southeastly: By Lot 35 as shown on said plan, 75 feet; and Southwestly: By Lot B as shown on said plan, 7.41 feet.

The premises are to be sold subject to and with the benefit of all easements, restrictions, building and zoning laws, liens, attorney's fees and costs pursuant to M.G.L.Ch.183A, unpaid taxes, tax titles, water bills, municipal liens and assessments, rights of tenants and parties in possession.

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Other terms if any, to be announced at the sale.

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Item: January 23, 30, February 6, 2017

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Rescuers work in the area of the avalanche-hit Rigopiano hotel, central Italy, Saturday.

# Search intensifies for 23 missing in Italian avalanche

By Colleen Barry and Paolo Santalucia  
ASSOCIATED PRESS

FARINDOLA, Italy — The strain showed on Fabio Salzetta's face. The maintenance worker at the luxury Hotel Rigopiano who escaped being buried under the deadly avalanche because he had gone to check the boiler told Italian media Saturday that he called for hours to find survivors, but no one responded. The scene, he said, "felt like it was a dream. It was a nightmare."

One of the people buried inside, and among the 23 still missing, is his sister. His voice shaking, he said he last saw her in the

kitchen. Five people have been confirmed killed, including two hotel waiters, while nine, including four children who had been on family vacations, have been pulled alive from the reinforced concrete structure buried beneath as many as eight meters of snow last Wednesday. Doctors at the hospital in Pescara said one of the adults underwent surgery for a crushed arm, and was in fair condition, but that all of the other patients were doing well. The children were being moved from intensive care to the pediatric ward. Buoyed by the rescues on Friday, more than two days after the disaster,

search crews were intensifying their round-the-clock operation, fighting against the clock and deteriorating weather conditions including fresh snowfall and freezing temperatures. "The research is difficult also because the site is in a precarious equilibrium, that's why the interventions are made very carefully and why we cannot intervene with big machineries risking to modify a very vulnerable situation," said Titti Postiglione of Italy's civil protection agency. Instead, workers pushed ahead using saws, shovels and gloved hands, listening for any sounds that might suggest more survivors.

# Former mayor's Wild West dream heads for courthouse showdown

By Mark Scoloro  
ASSOCIATED PRESS

HARRISBURG, Pa. — An obsession with the Wild West compelled then-Mayor Steve Reed to scour the country for artifacts and plan for a museum to house them all in the unlikely location of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania. The museum never came close to being built, and on Monday prosecutors and his lawyers will begin to pick a jury for Reed's trial on 112 counts of receiving stolen property.



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**An 1800s revolver that Wyatt Earp kept in Tombstone in the Arizona Territory, displayed at the Harrisburg, Pa., Mayor Stephen Reed's office.**

Investigators say they recovered some 1,800 artifacts, many from his home, and jurors will hear about dozens of them. They include stagecoach equipment, saddles, a dice game known as chuck-a-luck, copies of the Tombstone Epitaph newspaper, knives and a gun collection that includes a "Whorehouse Box w/pin fire revolver." His lawyer, Henry Hockeimer Jr., said Reed, who is dealing with what he described as serious health issues, denies the

allegations. "Suffice to say that we believe the evidence at trial will show that Mr. Reed ... did not steal anything and was in fact in lawful possession of the items the attorney general's office charged him with," Hockeimer said. Reed, a Democrat, had been a phenomenally successful politician in Pennsylvania's capital city, winning re-election six times and receiving plaudits for revitalizing the city's din-

g downtown. But the Wild West museum was clearly his pet project, an effort he continued to push even after it became public and attracted derision and pointed questions about the costs, paid by a city fund that Reed controlled. A grand jury report issued nearly two years ago described Reed's compulsion to buy artifacts as "an almost pathological preoccupation."

# Trump's children revel in first 24 hours in White House

By Jonathan Lemire  
ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON — Backstage photos from the black-tie inaugural balls. A quick peek out the Truman Balcony to admire the view of Washington. A visit to the basement White House bowling alley.

President Donald Trump's grown children and their families have revealed in the first hours as the first family and have enthusiastically documented it all on social media.

The build-up to the inauguration began days ago as daughter Tiffany Trump and Lara Trump, who is married to Trump's son Eric, posted photos of themselves prepping for some of the week's black tie-events. Lara Trump included a caption that read "Dinner date" and a smiling face emoji.

Donald Trump Jr., the president's eldest child, documented much of his Inauguration Day on Instagram. He first posted a photo of his family riding



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**Eric Trump, center, and Donald Trump, Jr., attend the presidential inauguration of their father on Capitol Hill in Washington, Friday.**

in a presidential limousine on the way to the U.S. Capitol on Friday. Later, he posted a video of him dancing with his wife, Vanessa, at a ball, and then for his nightcap, an encounter at the family's new Washington hotel with the cast of the reality show "Duck Dynasty" and a slightly disheveled Fox News personality Sean Hannity.

Ivanka Trump and her husband, Jared Kushner, a senior adviser to the president, chronicled her family's ride to the inaugural parade with an Instagram of the two of the couple's children secure in car seats rolling to the viewing stand. Each held a distraction in hand — one a tablet, the other a smartphone — a detail likely to earn knowing nods from many parents.



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**Madison Stubbs speaks during the Animated Women symposium at California Institute of the Arts in Valencia, Calif.**

# Female animators draw away clichés

By John Rogers  
ASSOCIATED PRESS

SANTA CLARITA, Calif. — The California Institute of the Arts was created partly by Walt Disney's desire to bring more top-flight animators into the profession. And it has during its 47 years, though for a long time almost all were men.

Now, nearly three-quarters of CalArts' more than 250 animation students are women, and there's a new goal: ensure that when they land jobs, they get to draw female characters reflective of the real world and not just the nerds, sex bombs, tomboys or ugly villains who proliferate now.

"Male villains, for example, can be any shape or size. But female villains are usually in their menopausal or postmenopausal phases. They're older, they're single, they're angry," said Erica Larsen-Dockray, who teach-

es a class on "The Animated Woman" for CalArts' experimental animation program. "Then you have the innocent princess," she added with a chuckle, "whose waist is so small that if she was actually alive, she wouldn't be able to walk." To call attention to that cartoonish reality, CalArts has played host the past two years to "The Animated Woman Symposium on Gender Bias." This year it focused on the roles of "Sidekicks, Nerd Girls, Tomboys and More."

During a recent raucous two-hour symposium, nearly a dozen student researchers who spent months watching cartoons and reading comic books questioned why almost all female sidekicks look like nerds. Also why female heroes like Kim Possible are over-the-top beautiful. And why there are so few gay, lesbian and

transgender characters. There's a reason for such drawings and scenarios, said Marge Dean, president of the industry group Women in Animation: Men still fill animation's writing rooms and director's chairs. "Many, many, many women are going to animation schools. At CalArts, it's over 70 percent. But yet if you start looking at women in creative roles, the last number we have is only 22 percent," said Dean, whose organization tracks figures through schools and industry groups. In an effort to boost those numbers, CalArts faculty invites studio representatives to campus for events like portfolio days and maintains a close relationship with groups like Dean's, which is pushing the studios to have a creative workforce of half women and half men by 2025.

# HEALTH

## How do you recognize the early signs of Alzheimer's disease?

**By Tammy Smith**  
TRIBUNE NEWS SERVICE

You're deep in a conversation with a friend and suddenly you can't remember an acquaintance's name.

You can see her face. That name is almost, almost there. But not quite.

Blushing, you laugh, call it "a senior moment" and move on. Five minutes later, that person's name comes to you. You might overlook it, but then you might wonder, "Am I losing my memory? Should I be concerned?"

Probably not. We all have memory lapses every now and then, and with information overload on a daily basis, it's no wonder. But there are some signs of Alzheimer's disease to look for as we get older.

The Alzheimer's Association offers these early signs and symptoms you might want to consider if an aging friend or loved one's behavior has changed recently. They could signal Alzheimer's or another form of dementia.

"Every individual may experience one or more of these signs in a different degree. If you notice any of them, please see a doctor," alz.org says.

### Memory loss that disrupts daily life

There's forgetting that name, and then there's forgetting something you just learned or asking the same questions repeatedly. New, extreme reliance on memory prompts, such as lists, is another sign.

### Difficulty planning or solving problems

A family member might have trouble following a recipe that has been a kitchen staple for 30 years or keeping track of monthly bills.

### Difficulty completing familiar tasks

This includes losing your way to the church you attend regularly or to a friend's house, or forgetting the rules of SEC football when you've been a fan since your college days.

### Time or place confusion

In addition to forgetting where they are or how they got there, those possibly suffering from Alzheimer's might forget what month or season of the year it is.

### Trouble with spatial relationships

This can affect driving or walking. It includes trouble judging distance, color and contrast.

### New speaking or writing difficulties

One example is being in the middle of a conversation with friends and suddenly be unable to continue in the conversation, perhaps unable to continue a thought or to keep up with what others are saying. The person may struggle with once-familiar words or call things the wrong name.

### Misplacing items, difficulty backtracking

We all misplace things, but a person with early onset of Alzheimer's might put them in unusual locations (car keys in the freezer, for example). Once the

item is misplaced, the person has difficulty retracing steps to locate it. The person might accuse others of stealing, and this problem can increase over time.

### Poor judgment

The scary incidents include giving large sums of money to strangers, but more subtle signs include a marked decrease in grooming or keeping themselves clean.

### Withdrawal from activities

This includes withdrawing from clubs, sports or social gatherings that once brought enjoyment. The person might have trouble following the rules of the sport, or because they can tell something is amiss, they want to avoid others so the problems are less likely to be detected.



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Fresh red apples from an orchard.

## An apple a day

**By Barbara Quinn**  
TRIBUNE NEWS SERVICE

It's not everyday I find a box — a big box — of fresh apples on my front porch. In the middle of winter, no less. It was from a friend who insisted I try this new type of "Envy" apple. Interesting name; these apples are a cross between the more familiar Gala and Braeburn varieties. And they are grown around the world in regions of New Zealand, Chile and Washington (our nation's top apple growing state).

When I called my friend to thank him, he said, "I eat one every day. Is that OK?"

More than OK. Here's how a beloved apple a day can help keep the doctor (and the dentist) away:

It's a nutritious fruit. Apples are "fruits" — the parts of flowering plants that bear seeds. A medium-sized apple — about 3 inches in diameter — provides about 95 calories of energy, according to the National Nutrient Database of the United States Department of Agricul-

ture. One apple provides about 25 grams of carbs (in the form of fructose, a natural fruit sugar) of which 4 grams are in the form of dietary fiber (that's good).

While not a great source of vitamin C like citrus fruits and strawberries, apples' claim to nutritional fame is soluble fiber. This type of dietary fiber forms a gel in the intestinal tract that helps pull cholesterol out of the system. And that's good for keeping arteries clear. Eat your apples with the skin to get the most benefit.

They are low in potassium. And that's good news for people with kidney disease who must avoid foods high in this nutrient.


They're nature's tooth brush. The high water and fiber content of whole fruit helps to clean the teeth when we munch, says the American Dental Association. Crunching on fruit (and vegetables) also stimulates the production of saliva which can wash harmful acids away from our teeth.




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Barrie Page Hill, right, shares a moment with her mother Bobbie Wilburn, 79, in Arlington, Texas.

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