Boston's Night of Horror

Nov. 28, 1942 ... Cocoanut Grove ... 492 Died

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THOMAS J. FOLEY, G.K. JOHN P. O'FLANAGAN, rec.

regret to announce the death regiver John F Maloney Fu-from the J F O'Brien Funeral t. 145 Dorchester at South FAUL T DONOVAN, Fin. Secy

ABERDOUR LODGE, A.F. & A.M. ethern, with deep norrow we an-te the death of Brother Harry trof 56 Cotion st. Newton Cer-Maronic Functal Services at the Chapel, 410 Harvard st. Brook-landsy. Nov 27 at 2 p.m. You could be attend without furth-older

### IN MEMORIAM

1965-Ella W. Bland-1966 smile for all, a heart of rold as of the best this world could held beld ever milish, always hind here ate the memories she left behind ovingly remembered by hus-band. Mariha and Elme.

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SAN JUAN, Puerto Rico-Sol Fox, 62, former promi-Sol Fox, 62, former promi-nent Republican leader from Pennsylvania, died here early Saturday at Presbyterian Hospital. Attending physi-cians said he suffered a heart attack.

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Mr. Jacobs was a member
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He leaves a wife, Sarah (Saiway) Jacobs; two daughters, Mrs. Mildred Golden of Berkoppin and Mrs. Gladys Sidney Jacobs et Natick, a brother, Leo of Portsmouth, N.H., and Il grandchildren. Interment will be in Baker Street Cemetery, West Roxbury,



### Arnaldo Cortesi Dead at 69: Was Journalist

Associated Press
MILAN, Italy — Arnaldo
Cortesi, retired New York
Times foreign cortespondent
who headed the newspaper's
Rome bureau for 34 years,
died here Saturday after an
illness of several months. He
was 69.



ARTHUR COSTA

### Arthur Costa Of Cambridge Services Held

Noted for R.I. Radio Sermons

Fr. Truss, 68;

Twenty-four years ago Monday, Boston went rough its night of infamy.

Just after 10 p.m. on Nov. 28, 1942, a Saturday night, fire broke out in the basement of the Cocoanut Grove nightclub in the city's theater district.

Hundreds died, caught in the panic of a flash fire fed by cloth decorations of the Melody Lounge or trapped by a jammed revolving door.

Scores lingered in Boston hospitals and died

later of burns and pneumonia caused by the in-

Today, the site of the Cocoanut Grove holocaust is indistinguishable. A black-topped parking lot fills the spot. No marker signifies the site of New England's worst fire.

halation of poisonous fumes.

Mrs. Donahue

Mass Monday

In Needham

Needham, and a Edwin, of Abington.

Alice C. Coffee

40 Years With 'Phone Co.

LYNN—A requiem Mass for Alice C. Coffee, 57, a chief operator in the Lynn office of the New England Telephone & Telegraph Co., will be sung Tuesday at 9 s.m, in St. Pius V Church.

The death toll was 492.

A solemn requiem Mass will be offered for Mass Marion (Shea) Donahue, R.N., 53, of 76 Lane dr., Norwood, Monday at 9 a.m. at Sw Joseph's Church in Needham. Joseph's Church in Needham:
The widow of Dr. L. Charles
Donahue, general practitioner
in Needham for 18 years, She
died Thanksgiving Day at
Norwood Hospital: She suffered a cerebral hemorrhage
the previous day while on
duly at Norwood Nursing
Home.

Radio Sermons

PROVIDENCE — Rev. Cyprian Truss, a World War 1
British flight commander who became a Capuchin Friar renowned for hie radio sermons, died Friday night in Springfeld Mass. He was 68.

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He had been visiting in Springfield.

Fr. Truss program, "From the Pilot's Seat," was broadcast in Providence for some 20 years, until the mid-1950s, and attracted thousands of listeners. He began his radio career on Long' Island.

Born in Chester, Englend, he was a pilot with the Royal Flying Corps during the first war, serving for four years in France. He ioined the Franciscan Monastic order in 1922.

A resident of Needham for 20 years, Mrs. Donahue moved to Norwood after the death of her husband in 1954.

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Born in Boston, she was the
daughter of policeman
Michael Shea. She was graduated from Mission High
School in Roxbury and the
Boston City Hospital School
of Nursing.
She worked briefly at City
Hospital before her marriage
to Dr. Donahue in 1937. In a deep, resonant voice and with a British wryness, he struck out in broadcasts against what he saw as cur-rent evils. Gambling was among his favorite topics. She leaves two daughters:
Mrs. Mur! (Jane) Grandier
of St. Louis, Mo., and Marion
of Norwood; two sons: Christian of Norwood and Lt
Charles M. Donahue, USN; a
sister, Mrs. Mario DeFazio of
Needham. and a brother.

Fr. Truss became a United States citizen in 1944, when, at the invitation of a judge in Federal District Courf. Prov-idence, he told 115 other new citizens, "Don't let's hve on America, let's live for Amer-ica."

Fr. Truss aid Mass Friday at the Franciscan chapel in Springfield, where he was visiting. He collapsed and died Friday night. He will be buried at Our Lady of the Atonement Monastery in Cumberland.

## Jos. Verrochi Rites Thronged

Tuesday at 9 a.m. in St. Pius V Church.

Miss Coffee died Friday at her home, 558 Eastern av., after a lengthy illness.

A lifetong resident here, she was with the telephone company for four decades, and member of the Telephone Pioneers of America.

Edwin Cree leaves a brother, Mrs. Ruth O'Keefe, Mrs. Ruth O'Keefe, Mrs. Catherine McCullough Mrs. Mary and Mrs. Mary P. Murphy of Malden,

While physical evidence of the tragedy has all but disappeared with time, the tangible benefits which it produced stand as eternal tributes to its memory.

The blaze subjected Boston's fire codes to severe scrutiny and resulted in one of the most stringent sets of codes in the country.

Smoking is outlawed in stores and theaters.

Outward-opening doors are mandatory on all public buildings.

Out of the tragedy, too, came invaluable medical techniques and treatments for the badly burned.

And, for as long as they live, to a select group? of people—the survivors of the Cocoanut Grove the date for Thanksgiving is always Nov. 28.

## Cambridge Man Killed In Car-Train Crash

A 55-year-old Cambridge were struck by a hilt-run man was killed at 4:15 am. Saturday when the car he was driving was in collision, with a Boston & Maine freight train at the Willow st, Sometrille, crossing.

Bernard McGinnity of 45 Stearns st. had been thrown in the Stearns st. had been thrown in the standard found near the wreckage and was taken to Somerville Hospital.

His death brought the Massachusetts Thanksgiving the Massac

In Woronoco, west of Chicopee, a 19-year-old Chester man Richard Hitchcock, was kulfed and his 44-year-old father injured when they

### Dr. Grady, 70, Salem Dentist 47 Years, Dies

the conflict in Viet Nam.

MILLER IN VIET Nam.

ALABAMA—Spec 4 Forters & Harden Sections of Forters & Harden Sections & Har Many persons thronged St. Agatha's Church, Milton, Saturday morning at service for 47 years, died Saturday for Joseph Verrochi, 87, of Milton, founder of the Marianucci Construction Co. He died Tuesday.

The solemn requiem Mass where he was an outstanding was celebrated by Rt. Rev. athlete and received his Ralph J. Gallagher, pastor of DMD. degree in 1919 from School of Cheege Williams, deacon, and Cheey Benefit of Cheege Williams, deacon, and Che

CARD OF THANKS

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I-Harold L. Andersen Jr.—'(
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Often bring a silent tear
Lavingly remembered and madly missed by his family.

are being said Nov. 19 at 7:00 Bi. Pairick's Church, Ranbury.

In Medford Nov.

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Burke, Henry T.

Brookline, Nov. 24, beloved husband of colory) Watson. Resivard av. Father of Ward av. Father of Frederick W. Watsouth, Funeral service t the George J. Lacres, 129 Harvard st., ling at 11 o clock, friends are kindly as hours Sunday 2-4 interment Woodlawn rett.

Dorchester, Nov. 24, ved husband of Mrs. y) Welch of 40 Morther of Mrs. Viola m. Rufus, Theresa, Michelle, Jacquelynich Jr. Funeral ser-Nov. 28, at 1 p.m., ury. Family present in at the funeral and friends invited.

rett, Nov. 25, Bertha mother of Winthrop enry E., Mrs. Emma and Frank E.; sister Porter, Also survived dchildren and nine dren. Funeral seriest Baptist Church, c.m. Friends may call k Funeral Home. 605 urday, 7-9 and Sun-

Joburn, Nov. 25. Annaton, age 86 years.
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h Boston, Nov. 24, Langlois, Edith

## **DEATHS**

Bethune, Mabel P. Burke, Henry T. Case, Herbert E. B. Cash, Margaret B. Clark, Marie M. Clayton, Samuel C. Cloutier, Leo Connell, Helen C. Connelly, John J. Cowan, Mary C. Crew. Ollie

Cummings, Roslindale. formerly lain. Nov. 24. Mary lain. Seand mother of Clare F., Gerard C., i Joan M. Weidman. and Theresa Casey. the Robert J. Lawler, 363 South Hunting—AICA PLAIN (oppo—O'Connell. Seminary)—In Solem High Mass in the Holy Name Roxbury at 9 a.m. friends are invited. Saturday 7–10. Sunfriends are invited. Saturday 7–10. Sunfriends are invited. Saturday 7–10. Sunfriends are invited. Sembers. Elien Club. Perpetual Help M.C.O.F. Immaculate ourt #294 C.D.A.. Gatti. Bruno Gaudet, Mary J. Gear, Dorothy H. Gibbs, Sara C. Gillis, Elizabeth J. Richard J. Pollay, Lucy Ray. Frank Rougvie, Janet G. Russell, Edna M. Gillis, Elizabeth J. Golding, Joseph H. Gozzi, Vincent Grady, Dr. John J.

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Anna MacRae, Cora Madigan, Lena M. Mallard, Cecelia K. Maloney, J. F. Margegon, Edythe Martin,

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James Mathew McQueen, William A.

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Post, Nathan Provizer, David Raduazzo, Pasquale Roach, Agnes Ross, Mary Ethel

Ryan, Michael E. Ryan, James F. Sanborn, A. L. Sanders, Louise Saxon, Joseph J. Scannell, Agnes Scahill, Pfc E. J.

Sena, Matteo D. Stertz, Rose Stewart, Edith Stone, John H. Sullivan.

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Tardo, Ralph A. Terilli, John Thomas, Gertrude Tiano, Antonino Tripoli, Mary B. Varner, Cecil Vergnes, Eugenie

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Interment was Wednesday with full military honors at Long Island National Cemeterv.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Grant, he was graduated from Matignon High School, Cambridge, in 1957 and attended Boston College before enlisting in the Army.

Commissioned a lieutenant in 1964, he had served in Korea, Alaska and Central America with the 101st Airborne and 4th Infantry Division before going to Viet

Lt Grant also leaves a wife. the former Kwan Soon of Pelham, N. Y., a brother, John Grant, and four sisters. Mary and Catherine Grant and Mrs. Maureen Forbes of and Mrs. Arlington, Prendiville of Bedford.

## Sol Fox

Was GOP Leader in Pa.

Associated Press

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Mr. Jacobs was a member Humboldt of the Avenue Assn.

The World War I Army veteran was a member of Congregation Beth El of Dorchester.

He leaves a wife, Sarah (Salway) Jacobs; two daughters, Mrs. Mildred Golden of Mattapan and Mrs. Gladys Berkowitz of Sharon; a son, Sidney Jacobs of Natick; a brother, Leo of Portsmouth, N.H., and 11 grandchildren.

Interment will be in Baker Street Cemetery, West Roxbury.



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