

TREACY NEWSLETTER

January, 1995

No. 3

William O. Treacy, Ed.

ISSN 1074-0066

LICENSE TO PUBLISH TREACY CLAN ANCESTRY CHART GRANTED

Through the kind offices of Wm. P. Durning, Director of The Irish Family Names Society, permission has been granted for Treacy Newsletter to publish, from Wm. & Mary Durning's book A Guide to Irish Roots, a genealogical chart showing the roots of the Irish Treacys. It is attached. Taken from ancient Irish oral tradition, passed down by court genealogists and reduced to writing in St. Patrick's time, it purports to show the Treacy line back to Prince Heremon of Spain, one of the Celtic invader/conquerors of Ireland who lived around the time of Moses.

SHOWS TREACYS DESCENDED FROM KINGS, HEROES, DIETIES

The chart shows Treacys descended directly from many, many kings (virtually all of the persons on the chart are royalty) thus reinforcing the common Irish belief that all native Celtic Irish are "descended from kings." It also shows Conn of 100



CONN

Battles as a direct ancestor. In addition to his own heroic feats, Conn is credited by historians with capturing and enslaving St. Patrick, then a young boy, along with a thousand or two others and transporting them to Ireland. Patrick escaped only to return and convert Eire to Christianity as an adult clergyman. It also shows Treacy kinship to the legendary warriors Cuchulainn, the "Hound of Ulster," and to Fionn Mac Cumhail (Finn Mac Cool), leader of the Fianna warriors who give their name to the present Sinn Fain political party in Ireland. Since both Cuchulainn and MacCumhail are reputed be descended from gods & demi-gods, ergo so are the Treacys.

CHART HAS SOME VALIDITY

Ancient genealogical charts in Ireland are generally accepted as valid from the 10th century on. Before that they or may not be. This chart, for example, shows Treacys to be descended from Anmchadh. He held forth as king in Siol Anmchadh in southeastern Galway County some 45-50 miles southeast of Dunmore, from whence the Treacys emigrated. Oral family tradition in Ireland has the Dunmore Treacys as coming to that community after Cromwell's defeat of Ireland in the 17th century, from near the present day city of Ballinsaloe, which sits squarely within the territory which was formerly Siol Anmchadha. It also shows the Treacys to be cousins, albeit distant



CUCHULAINN

to the O'Maddens. One Irish amateur historian, Lorcan O'Treasaigh of Dublin and formerly of Galway, asserted to your editor that the Treacys were the hereditary men-at-arms for the ruling O'Maddens before the coming of Cromwell.

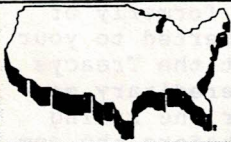
FAMILY TREE UPDATED

Stephen Delos Treacy of Anchorage has again updated the James Patrick Treacy/Estelle Magdelene Rasche family tree and has furnished Treacy Newsletter with a copy. It is current to October 1, 1994 and it forms an attachment to this issue. Thanks again, Steve!

FATHER/SON HONORED BY
GUATEMALAN LAW COLLEGE

Following their joint presentation concerning the administration of criminal justice in Florida and the U.S. delivered to students and faculty at the University of Francisco Marroquin in Guatemala City, Guatemala, Bill and son Brian Treacy were awarded diplomas from the law school of that institution. The team outlined the criminal procedure from police investigation through trial and appellate process, with Bill focusing upon that of Florida and Brian upon the U.S. in general. After the lectures the two entertained questions from the audience. As many of the questions were posed in Spanish, Brian's fluency in that language proved invaluable. An informal mixer with refreshments was provided by the host college for the two Treacys and the program attendees following, where more in-depth exchanges were held.

A copy of the notice of the event printed in the student bulletin accompanies this article.



CONFERENCIA:

LA ADMINISTRACION DE JUSTICIA
PENAL EN LOS ESTADOS UNIDOS
DE AMERICA:

Los Doctores en Jurisprudencia Norteamericana, Dr. William Treacy y Dr. Brian Treacy, dictarán esta interesante conferencia el día jueves 10 de noviembre, de 8:50 am a 11:00 am, en el Auditorio del 3er. nivel. Esta actividad está destinada para alumnos de 3o. y 4o. año. No obstante, la Licda. Brenda Quiñones, por este medio, hace extensiva la invitación ha todos aquellos alumnos y catedráticos de otros años que deseen atender.

I N M E M O R I A M

Helen M. (Chisholm) Treacy
Nov. 1, 1917 - May 20, 1994

John Joseph Day, Jr.
Sept. 4, 1992 - Mar. 10, 1993

MAURICE F. TREACY ATTENDS
WWII SHIP'S COMPANY REUNION

IS RECOGNIZED BY SPEAKER

Former Lieut.(j.g.) Maurice F. Treacy of Baltimore, flew to San Diego to attend the Sept. 29 - Oct. 2, 1994, reunion of the crew of the USS Kenton (APA 122). The speaker, former Boatswains Mate 1st Class Val Velasco spoke of the radio message from the commander of transports he received on April 6, 1945 during the invasion of Okinawa. It directed all of the attack transports, Kenton of course included, to fire at all aircraft approaching them. Velasco mentioned that the Japanese had launched 900 planes from nearby Kyushu specifically to attack the transports and had directed its finest warship, the Yamato to Okinawa with the same mission. He noted that 79 of the planes breached the U.S.Navy's picket line and reached the transport area some flying "lower than our smokestack." He recognized by name, several of the radiomen, gunners, mechanics, corpsmen, and "two of our officers, Maurice Treacy and Ken Clewett..." who were at battle stations that day. (Ed. note: Yamato was sunk by U.S. aircraft before it reached Okinawa. U.S.S. Kenton escaped any hits.)

James. It is not the Latin 'Owen' which means 'well-born', but rather the anglicized rendition of the Gaelic 'Eoghan' which means 'born of the yew.' The yew tree was sacred to the pagan Celts.

The most common given name among the Treacy, Boyle, Rasche and Rowan lines is Owen (See attached family tree). It is borne by six generations in a row in the Treacy line, outdistancing runners-up Mary &

THESPIAN TREACY RECEIVES
RAVE REVIEWS

Hot on the heels of his stage triumph in "A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum" Steve Treacy of Anchorage, AL received this accolade in the Theater Review of the Anchorage Daily News following his performance as an octogenarian in Herb Gardner's 1984 comedy "I'm Not Rappaport." The critic, Catherine Stadem, a Fellow of the National Critics Institute writes:

"Treacy, as the only actor in 'Rappaport' holding a professional actor's Equity card becomes the standard bearer... he lives up to the expectation. As a dear old man of many names and occupations, Treacy found acting nirvana at Thursday's opening and sustained a sensitive, quirky, sympathetic portrayal throughout the show's two acts." Steve comes by his talent honestly (See Clan Notes - Virginia). Stick with it Stevie & one day you'll get the lead in "That Scottish Play!"



A rubbing from an 1878 silver dollar which was said to have been given to Katherine Rowan by Henry Rasche when the latter met her with a horse & buggy at the Oakland, Md., train station in that year. The story goes that Henry, newly a widower, learned that she came to Oakland to teach, among other subjects, piano. He gave Kate the dollar, newly minted, in exchange for her commitment to teach music to one or more of his children by his first wife, Ellen Cullen.

ALASKA

Steve Treacy reports from Anchorage: "The Alaskan branch returned from a summer vacation to the smoggy East Coast, reuniting with various Treacys. Aside from 'rounding up the usual suspects' they visited Uncles Casey and Billy, cousins Jane & Phil & Lisa, and first cousins once-removed Meghan and Nicholas. They enjoyed a few days at a cottage shared by Aunt Betty Treacy and girls, before spending a rather bewitching night in Salem Massachusetts. Unc-man Jim took (sons) Mike and Dave to a rad '94 Lollapalooza with the Beastie Boyz and the Smashing Pumpkins. Yo! Since returning to Alaska Steve led another aerial survey of Beaufort Sea whales. Ann completed volunteer research on local history for the Anchorage Museum of History & Art. Mike began college at University of Alaska Anchorage, majoring in journalism whilst playing lead guitar for a grunge rock band called Legitimate Edgar. Eighth grader Dave will exchange skateboarding for snowboarding, just as soon as the long arctic winter descends."

ARIZONA

Kevin Treacy of Phoenix had out-patient arthroscopic knee surgery in October, 1994, and by this writing we trust has resumed his much loved running. Hang (or maybe run) in there Kev.

Becky Treacy, also of Phoenix, continues with sales at Target stores and is into extended automobile trips to Carlsbad, NM, the West Coast & other points.

COLORADO

Matthew Treacy of Denver and buddy stayed a week in his Uncle Bill's guesthouse in Ft. Walton Beach, FL, last summer only to be inundated with rain via Tropical Storm Alberto. So much for the Sunshine State!

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Jane Estelle Treacy and Phil Eagleburger of "Treacy and Eagleburger, Architects" became, besides partners in business, partners in marriage on May 4, 1993. They immediately bought a home near the zoo in downtown Washington and have remodelled it extensively. Jane reports that: "Our most interesting project is a new house for year-round residents of Martha's Vineyard (Massachusetts). This project was submitted to an exhibition...currently (as of October, '94) open at the National Building Museum in D.C.." Congratulations Jane & Phil!

FLORIDA

Editor Bill Treacy traveled to Maryland in July where he attended, and addressed those gathered in Oakland for, the 50th reunion of the O.H.S. class of '44. Proceeding on to upper New York state he visited the Carrolls, friends from the hometown of Ft. Walton Beach, FL, and the three crossed into Canada where they toured the impressive Canadian Parliament buildings. It was doubly meaningful for Bill since his great-grandfather, Thomas Rowan was a masonry sub-contractor in the construction of that edifice in the early 1860s. Coming and going

Bill stayed with sister-in-law Laura Ellen Treacy in Huntington, WV, and with long time friend Kitty Gonder in Oakland.

Andrea Bronwen Treacy Libby and husband Lloyd of Niceville together carry on a nearly full time job of computer architectural design, producing detailed construction plans, at home, on top of Lloyds full-time day job in the defense sector. They concluded two protracted legal battles, both over a lot they own, represented by pricey private counsel and by more moderate dad, Bill Treacy, which were successfully concluded. But, they vow never to get into another one. Andrea enjoyed a 10th college reunion with several classmate girls at F.S.U. in Tallahassee and Lloyd madetwo trips to the Libby homeplace in Maine mostly to visit aging and infirm grandparents. Son Kyle Patrick, now newly 9, is a 3rd grade honor student and an avid piano student. Keep up the good work Kyle!

Patrick Treacy has changed residences in Tallahassee after many years and now resides at 5011 Center Dr., Tallahassee 32310. Pat continues as an accountant and legal opinion writer with the Fla. Dept. of Revenue. In his spare time he's into war games, painting lead soldiers, ships, weapons and the like, plus moping about Miami's defeat of F.S.U. and the latter's failure to attain the national championship.

The Weimer Clan gathered in Tallahassee over Christmas, 1994, staying at both the suburban home of Bill and Mary Treacy Weimer & at their Gulf cottage: Bob & Anita, Tracy and James Patrick Friedlander of Miami; Paul & Marcy

plus son Peter Weimer of Atlanta; Steve & Janice, Karen & Katie Nashatker of Aiken, SC; and Karen Weimer of Coral Gables. It was the first ingathering of all three generations.

GUATEMALA

Brian Leo Treacy and wife Patricia O'Connor are now both employed with U.S. Aid for International Development (USAID) in Guatemala City. Brian, an attorney, is charged with reform of the national criminal justice system, and Patricia, an epidemiologist, with reform of the Guatemalan public health system. Daughter Caitlin, 4½, did pre-kindergarten in 1994 and is now a full fledged-kindergartner. Nathan, born October 5, 1993, manages their home, with the aid of a governess/house keeper team, for the other three. They keep a get-away house in quaint, quiet & ancient Antigua for rest & relaxation away from the bustle of the capital city. Brian's dad, Bill, visited them in November, 1994, and was able to meet grandson Nathan for the first time, attend the Marine Corps embassy guard ball along with Pat & Brian, speak to a local university group (see separate story), visit Antigua and the get-away, and to meet and visit with Bill's (Christian Children's Fund) sponsored child of many years in rural Guatemala.

MARYLAND

Elizabeth "Liz" Treacy Schlacter and husband Andy are the proud parents of Alexander James, born October 28, 1993, and are now again expecting. Andy, and Air Force captain, recently was granted a regular commission assuring a career in the military service, and is currently enrolled in a post-graduate course in Military Intelligence at Bolling Field.

Maurice F. Treacy of Baltimore attended his old World War II ship's company (USS Kenton, an attack transport) reunion on October 1, 1994, in San Diego. "Casey" had also helped to organize and had attended the 1993 reunion of the same group in St. Louis in 1993. (See related news article.)

Suzanne Treacy Woodside reports that there is no news from Takoma Park; that she'll "leave that to my more creative and exciting cousins..." Come on, now Suz!

Lisa Treacy Lamberth and husband Terry hosted cousins Ann and Steve Treacy and boys of Anchorage last summer and reports a great time. Daughter Meghan, 8½ and her soccer team's goalie, just lost her first tooth and is happy with the achievement, having been envious of her friends who had been rewarded by the tooth fairy many times over. She's nearly a year into piano. Nicholas, 6½ and a first grader is doing 2nd grade reading and is also a karate aficionado. Lisa has returned to hospital nursing after a stint with home health care. If the Washington Redskins build their stadium in Laurel as planned, the Lamberth home may end up as part of the parking lot. Ah, progress!

NEW MEXICO

Leo E. Treacy celebrated his 70th birthday at home in Carlsbad October 23, 1994. In attendance for the big day besides wife Patricia were Matthew Treacy, their Denver son, and Amy Treacy Brown, their New Zealand daughter. The latter got the prize for coming the farthest.

Robert Treacy of Socorro reports that wife Karen has now completed her third novel "...but has not selected an appropriate publisher as yet (maybe it's the other way around)."

NEW ZEALAND

Amy Treacy Brown ranks 8th out of the 100 pool shooters (read: sharks) in her group in Auckland. Pidgeons beware!

PAKISTANI

Carole Hanlein Treacy, despite expecting to deliver their third child in late January, '95, commenced a home school program for Gaelan, 6½, and Gabriel, almost 5. She and husband, Mark are presently exploring the possibility of a private teacher for the two, particularly since Mark is giving serious consideration to yet another year with the Swiss sponsored Pakistani program of forestation and development. Mark, disguised as a clown at son Gabriel's 4th birthday, swung a cricket bat onto his ankle, cracking it in two. The local Pakistani physician didn't repair it well and Mark later had to have it re-broken and bolted at a city hospital. Now, nearly recovered, Mark enjoys taking the boys, and himself, fly fishing in the Himalay- and foothills. The family visited Washington and its Air & Space Museum when in the states last winter and the boys just recently told Mark that they were able to go inside one of the displayed craft. Mark asked if there was a pilot inside and Gaelan replied "Yes, a dead one" and Gabriel added "Yes, dead and stuffed!"

PENNSYLVANIA

Jackie Treacy Owens has recently purchased a 90 year old house in West York (1436 W. Market St., York 17404), a former physicians office and residence, and is busy fixing it up. Son Chris, now a senior, will graduate from the U. of Va. at Charlottesville with a degree in civil engineering this coming Spring. Good on you, Chris!

Jeanette Owens Day and husband John have started a home business in York, Christian Dating Service (See classifieds). Their daughter, Erin, is taking ballet and has now succeeded in swimming across the pool, having been encouraged with the promise of a swimming Barbie Doll when she accomplished it.

Mary Treacy Schultz & husband Danny report that they're "...trying not to get too fat and sassy" in Dallastown, but offer no news. Try harder, Mary Marr!

SOUTH CAROLINA

Janice Treacy Nashatker of the Aiken cousins reports: "On the home front, we continue to be a lackluster bunch. Aside from St. Patrick sightings (attributable, according to some, to Guinness ingestion), we don't get out much. Steve is in his second to last semester at Univ. of S.C. where he is pursuing an MBA. Our elder daughter, Karen, is an 8th grader this year. Her dance & drama class has been invited to perform at Carnegie Hall this May, which she is REALLY looking forward to! Katie, our younger daughter, has proudly joined the ranks of "middle schoolers" this year in the 6th grade. She is an avid dance student who participates in jazz, tap and ballet and is a member of an elite local troupe that entertains at half-time shows during high school and college basketball games. Me, I'm your run-of-the-mill high school foreign language teacher. (You can probably hear the chorus of teenage voices saying "yuuuccckkkk!!!" from where you are!) In my defense, however, I must brag that last week I was informed that I had been named one of 20 "Outstanding Educators in the State of S.C." and the school district will be sending me to a week long seminar on one of the barrier islands ...(in October, 1994)...just one more of the many, endless sacrifices that we teachers must be willing to make for the general welfare of our kids."

WEST VIRGINIA

Nurse Cynthia Treacy Folk & husband State Policeman Jack, together with children Jennifer, Erin & Cara expect to move to Romney, WV sometime in 1995, Jack having been transferred to that community.

Laura Ellen Moore Treacy entertained your editor, Bill Treacy, at her Huntington home in July, 1994. Also visiting his mother & his sister's (Laurie's) family at the same time were Steve & Ann Treacy & boys from Anchorage. Your editor was treated to a showing of the tape of "A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum", a Sandheim musical performed by the Alaska Festival Theatre, in which vocalist & cetologist Steve soloed as the householder & noble Senex, "impeccably" according to the Anchorage Daily News drama critic. Your editor heartily agreed!

Laura Treacy (Mrs. Ralph) Bentley of Huntington, besides enjoying continuing success in having her poetry published, has been honored by the West Virginia Commission of Arts and Humanities for her submission of childrens stories. In recognition, the commission awarded her a grant of \$3500.00. Congratulations Laurie!

VIRGINIA

Dennis Henry Treacy and wife Donna were recently visited by Denny's mother, Laura Ellen Treacy, at their Hanover home. Laura Ellen auditioned for a number of legitimate theatre parts while there. Lots of luck Laura!

Eight Irish-American Tracys served as officers in the American Revolutionary Army and Navy, four of whom were born in Ireland.

The Pakistan office of the Mid-east bureau, T.N., reports that on January 20, 1995, a robust seven pound baby boy was born to Carole Hanlein & Mark W. Treacy. Mother and baby doing fine and were welcomed home by the baby's older brothers, Gaelan & Gabriel.

(Ed. note: Since the baby is as yet unnamed T.N. has decided to offer a free lifetime subscription to T.N. to the winner of its NAME THE BABY CONTEST. Subentries to: Treacy Baby Name, Kalam Integrated Development Project, P.O. Box 2, Saidu Sharif, Northwest Frontier Province, Pakistan [Tele Fax (0092) 536 - 710525 (for KIDP)]. Subscribers to T.N., their kith & kin ineligible for prizes. Decision of impartial judges Carole, Mark, Gaelan & Gabriel is more or less final.)

NEWSLETTER ASSIGNED ISSN

FILED IN LIBRARY OF CONGRESS

Treacy Newsletter has now been assigned an International Standard Serial Number (ISSN) by the Library of Congress. Copies of the first three issues have been forwarded to the Library for filing in that institution. Readers will note the addition of the ISSN, 1074-0066 on the dateline/masthead of this issue.

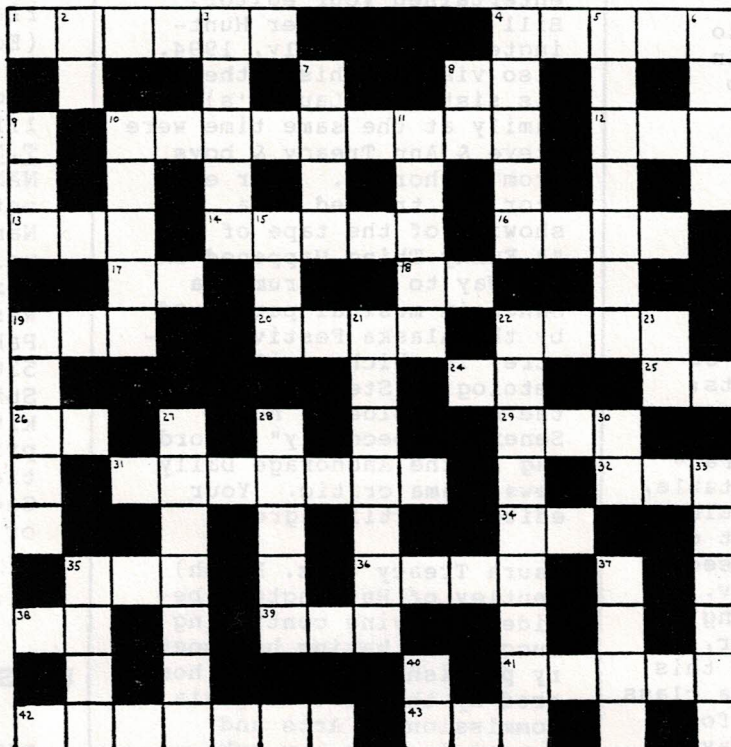
The benefit of assignment of an ISSN is to be able to accurately cite the newsletter, for researchers and other interested persons to find and retrieve the work by citing the number, and to facilitate interlibrary loan. It is, of course, hoped that others interested in Treacy and related family history and genealogy will utilize T.N. and exchange information helpful to our readers.

ACROSS

- 1 This _____ Newsletter
 4 Ancestor born in Eire in 1837
 8 Erin _____ Bragh!
 10 Failed to follow postcard instructions, forgot words to _____.
 12 Henry Rasche arrived in _____ 1849 (Abbr.)
 13 Some Treacys served with mil. faction of Sinn Fein, _____.
 14 "Down by the _____ Gardens."
 16 Gaelic for Ireland. Also _____ E. Folk & _____ Nicole Day.
 17 "Is there a _____ in the house?" Only P.J. Rowan answered.
 18 Mil. rank held by Leo Rasche in WWI, by John and Maurice Treacy in WWII. (Abbr.)
 19 A favorite Irish tenor of Mom Treacy, Dennis _____.
 20 Yet another name for Ireland.
 22 Editor's middle moniker.
 24 Heinrich R.: "Mother may I go to America?" Anna Maria R.: "_____."
 25 The Rasches ran the Oakland Hotel in Kennedy, _____, in 1890s. (Abbr.)
 26 Amy Treacy Brown lives here. (Abbr.)
 29 This puzzle is about your "kith & _____."
 31 Few of these in Treacy family tree are saints.
 32 "Foggy, foggy _____."
 34 Steve, Ann, David Galway & Michael Star buck live here. (Abbr.)
 35 Four generations of Treacy tree bear the name of this Pope.
 36 Little mermaid in Copenhagen harbor erected by Maurice Francis _____.

CROSSWORD

- 38 Jack & Helen raised their children in this state. (Abbr.)
 39 None of our girls became one.
 40 Personal pronoun.
 41 Grandmother of Nash-atker, Friedlander, & P. Weimer children.
 42 Mom Treacy's and Mrs. Rupert Buckalew's given name.
 43 Most of these clues are clear as this substance.



Solution on next page.

DOWN

- 2 First U.S. employer of James Joseph Treacy: B.&O. _____.
 3 Treacy, Grady, Boyle, Kenny, Dockry, Rowan, ancestors all members of this ancient race.
 4 Writer of "Trees."
 5 Casey's proper name.
 6 Jack's name in Gaelic.
 7 "_____ come" to the next family reunion.
 8 Peter, Paul & Marcy all live in this state. (Abbr.)
 9 Green, white & orange form the Irish _____ color.
 10 James Joseph Treacy's mother's maiden name.
 11 This Michael was double 1st cousin to James Patrick Treacy.
 15 Beverage her physician recommended for Estelle R. Treacy when she was pregnant with James.
 19 This Virginian legal eagle named for his egg head Rasche great-uncle.
 21 Earliest known form of name of Treacy Teutonic forbears.
 22 Maryland town where Treacy & Rasche lines merged.
 22 Town where Treacy and Rasche lines merged.
 23 Leo & Pat raised kids and now play golf in this state. (Abbr.)
 27 Treacys hailed from this County Galway crossroads, Gort-_____. (Gaelic for 'field of geese'.)
 28 "Wearin' of the _____."
 30 Both Rasches and Treacys were Fighting Irish here. (Abbr.)
 33 Bill, husband of 41 across.
 35 Counterparts of lassies.
 37 Counterparts of pops.
 40 Cohan tune Mom Treacy loved to play on the piano: "_____ a Yankee Doodle Dandy."

LETTERS TO & FROM THE EDITOR

Congratulations on getting out the 2nd issue of the Treacy Newsletter! Superlative reading and, at the same time, a valuable family record. Have you considered registering it with the Library of Congress or linking it with a family newsletter directory?

S.D.T.
 Anchorage

Ed.: Yes. See news story.

The recent (1993) newsletter is superb! You have really done a great job...so informative - catching me up on the Treacy Clan. Thanks.

L.E.T.
 Huntington, WV

Dear Readers,

I sincerely hope you enjoy the crossword puzzle contained in this issue. Its likely to be the first and the last as it took me and my friend Judy Handley many, many hours to construct. Unless, of course someone else volunteers to create another one. And this brings up a point: Except for Steve Treacy in Alaska, his sister Laura Treacy Bentley in West Virginia, and to a degree, Janice Nashatker of South Carolina, none of our vast readership has contributed any matter copy-ready for inclusion in T.N. Come on! Get with it! There's lots of talent out there and your aging editor needs your help. Send articles, pictures, short stories, & as mentioned, cross word puzzles, anything of fam-

ily interest. You might consider sending expressions and idioms your forbears used, not necessarily of Treacy blood. Send them to the editor, 214 Lafayette Cres., Ft. Walton Bch. FL 32547. As concerns Steve, he needs to feed into his computer for further print-outs the middle names of all of the persons shown on the JPT/EMR family tree without them. And, while you're at it send him, as applicable, your, your spouse's, your children's, your grandchildren's birth, marriage, & divorce dates and places. Steve's address is: 3020 Redwood St., Anchorage, AK 99508-4212.

Slaintè

William O. Treacy

T.N. AWAITS RESPONSE FROM HATMAKER TREACY

People Weekly magazine of July 4, 1994, carried an article concerning Philip Treacy of London who has created hats for such dignitaries and notables as Elizabeth II, Diana Ross, Boy George, Fergie, and Tracey Ullman. Thereafter, because the article noted that Philip, 27, was born in County Galway, Eire, T.N. Editor Bill Treacy in September, '94, obtained People's permission to re-publish the text and wrote to Philip asking for a photo and a comment, particularly as to his possible kinship. As yet hatmaker Philip has not responded. Should he do so T.N. will cover the matter in its next edition.

Sonority

The air is a smoky E minor.
A fluorescent light flickers
in the restless dark.

The guitarist
crosses a bare stage
bows
sits
wipes his wet hands.

The room goes soft.

The hands take over:
fingers of the left spider the neck,
the right
blurs with a carnal knowledge.

Sparks from nylon.
Resonance from rosewood.

The audience dissolves.

(Where do you go while your fingers play?)

A poet of rivers
cascades
oceans.
Song rushes his veins
spills out
through calloused fingertips
out
to a Segovia silence
where water meets electricity.

Laura Treacy Bentley

SUPPORT T.N. ADVERTISERS PRESENT & PAST

1905

J. P. TREACY,
— Dealer in —
Poultry, Game & Vegetables
Telephone Connection.

1995



II COR. 6:14

CHRISTIAN DATING SERVICE

- Single - Divorced - Widowed
- All Denominations Welcome

Let God Help Us Lead You To That Special Someone

(717) 840-4826

1980



Bill Treacy
county judge

pd.pol adv. by Bruce C. Babbitt, Campaign Treas

1995



Jan Nashatker
South Aiken High School
232 E. Pine Log Rd.
Aiken, S.C. 29803
(803) 641-2600

1954

WILLIAM O. TREACY

DISTRICT 14, DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE

FOR

THE OFFICE OF

STATE'S ATTORNEY



GENERAL ELECTIONS NOV. 2, 1954



1950

JOHN T. 'Jack' TREACY

Democratic Candidate For

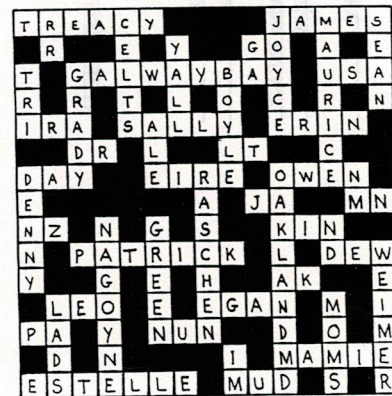
HOUSE OF DELEGATES

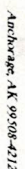
- Native of Garrett County
- Graduate of Georgetown University
- Oakland Businessman
- Navy Lieutenant, World War II
- Member of the American Legion, Lions Club, and Young Democratic Club of Garrett County

YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE APPRECIATED

TREACYS CASH STORE ARTICLE NEARLY COMPLETE

Since announcing in the first issue of Treacy Newsletter (TN #1, June, 1991), your editor has collected considerable material, mostly from Maurice F. Treacy of Baltimore about Treacys Cash Store, enough to put together an article concerning its operation in Oakland, Maryland for over 50 years. The article, too late in preparation for this issue will form a part of TN #4.



+ Bernard REYNOLDS

IDIOMATIC EXPRESSIONS & COLLOQUIALISMS OF MOM TREACY

[ESTELLE (nee RASCHE) TREACY 1884 - 1985]

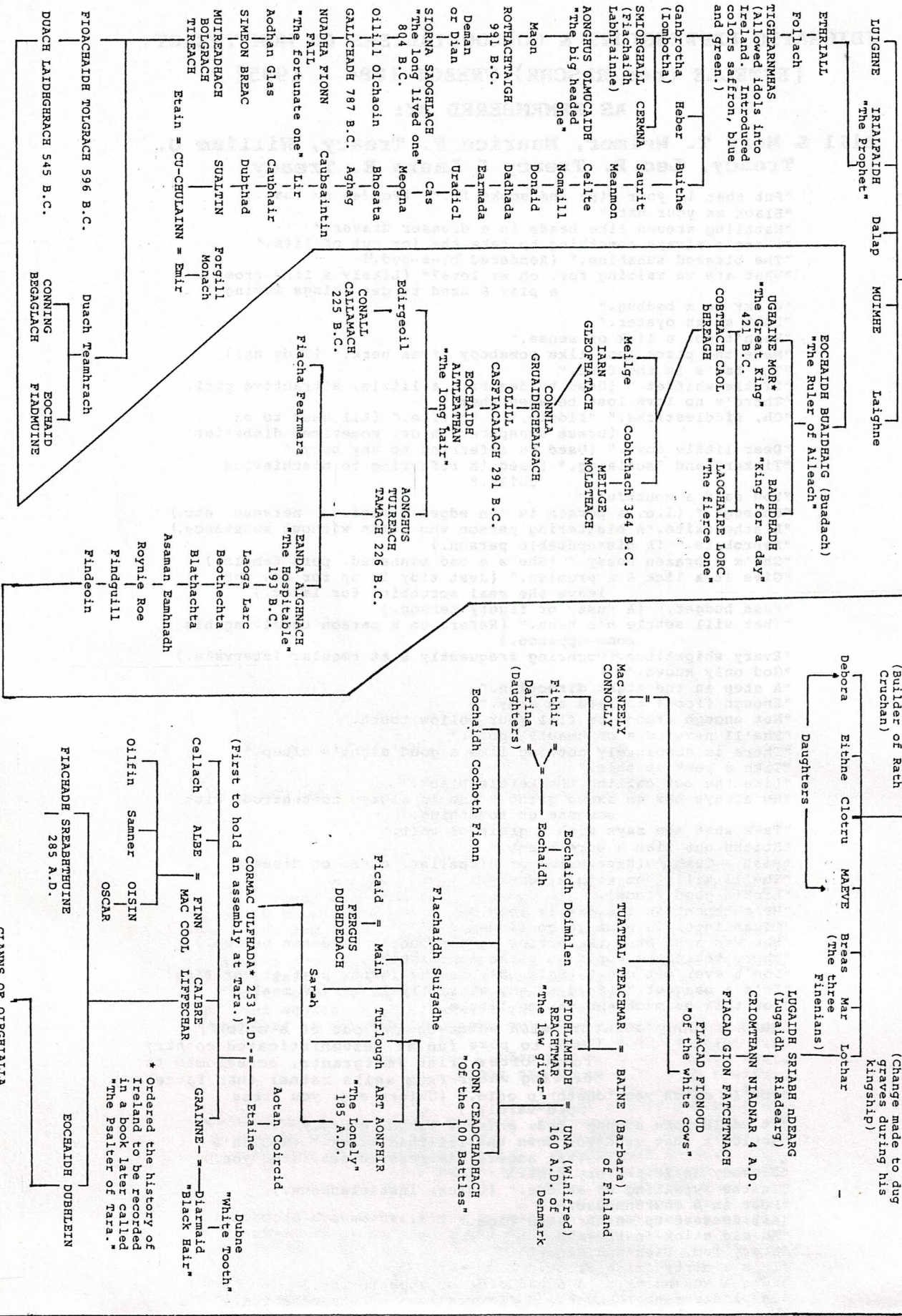
AS REMEMBERED BY:

Bill & Mary T. Weimer, Maurice F. Treacy, William O. Treacy, Leo E. Treacy & Laura E. Treacy

- "Put that in your pipe and smoke it." (Ponder on that.)
"Black as your hat."
"Rattling around like beads in a dresser drawer."
"There's always something to take the joy out of life."
"The blessed sunshine." (Rendered 'bles-sed'.)
"What are we waiting for, oh my love?" (Likely a line from a play & used to get things moving.)
"Crazy as a bedbug."
"Dumb as an oyster."
"Hasn't got a lick of sense."
"Make the place look like somebody lives here." (Tidy up!)
"The fat's in the fire."
"Little whiffet." (Used to describe a little, attractive girl.)
"There's no love lost between them."
"Oh, fiddlesticks," "fiddle," & "piffle." (All used to express exasperation or, sometimes disbelief.)
"Dear little dove." (Used in referring to any baby.)
"Tinker" and "scalawag." (Used in referring to mischievous child.)
"You said a mouthful."
"On edge." (i.e. a person is "on edge" - anxious, nervous, etc.)
"Blatherskite." (A blustering person who talks without substance.)
"Reprobate." (A disreputable person.)
"She's a brazen hussy." (She's a bad mannered, pert female.)
"Give it a lick & a promise." (Just tidy it up for now and leave the real scrubbing for later.)
"Fuss budget." (A fussy or figety person.)
"That will settle his hash." (Refers to a person receiving his come-uppance.)
"Every whipstitch." (Occuring frequently & at regular intervals.)
"God only knows."
"A step in the right direction."
"Enough (food) to feed an army."
"Not enough (food) to fill your hollow tooth."
"She'll never die of beauty spots."
"There is absolutely nothing like a good night's sleep."
"Take a peek at this."
"Like the pot calling the kettle black."
"He always has an axe to grind." (He is always contentious with someone or something.)
"Take what she says with a grain of salt."
"Sticks out like a sore thumb."
"Pish - Tush." (Expression of disbelief, doubt or disdain.)
"She'll kill them with kindness."
"Lickin good (food)."
"He's honest as the day is long."
"Cleanliness is next to godliness."
"She was a saint." (Referring to a recently deceased person.)
"Where would the world be without artists?"
"Don't ever get old." (Said only in the latter part of her life)
"It's a banquet." (Said of any attractively served meal.)
"You talk so much and say so little."
"It's a funny country, with water coming out of a stick!"
(Used to poke fun at unsophisticated country folk, often Irish immigrants, accustomed to drawing water from wells rather than faucets.)
"You'll catch your death 'o cold." (Unless e.g. you dress more warmly.)
"It would make a body (sad, grieve, laugh, etc.)."
"Wouldn't that send you down the railroad track." (Wouldn't that anger, distress, upset, etc. you.)
"Licked split." (Very fast.)
"In the twinkling of an eye." (Quick; instantaneous.)
"Poor as a churchmouse."
"All dressed up in her glad rags."
"An old stick-in-the-mud."
"Every Tom, Dick and Harry."
"It's a dirty Irish trick."
"He's a squandral." (A squanderer or spendthrift.)
"Oh fiddle" and "Oh pshaw." (Expressions of exasperation.)
"Wouldn't that stick in your craw?" (Wouldn't that cause you consternation?)

"Tough as shoeleather" and "Tough as old Billy." (Both refer to a tough food, usually meat - 'Billy' referring to a billy-goat.)
"It's like a bone in his throat." (He has a problem he can't resolve - he can't swallow it or cough it up)
"That's a fine kettle of fish." (A disagreeable problem.)
"That just beats the devil."
"I'm much obliged to you."
"He's a rascallion." (A mischief maker.)
"It's raining pitchforks", "It's a cloudburst", and "It's a deluge". (All refer to levels of rain.)
"He has a bone to chew on." (He has a problem to ponder upon)
"Ye gods and little fishes."
"Snug as a bug in a rug."
"There's no fool like an old fool."
"They fight like cats and dogs."
"She leads a dog's life."
"He's a no-good shitepoke." (As near to profanity as both Mom Treacy & her mother, Kate R. Rasche got. A 'shitepoke' is a wading water-bird which excretes feces upon taking off after startled)
"You hush, now." (Used to both hush up children and to tell another to stop teasing.)
"Lace curtain (as opposed to 'shanty') Irish." (Her son, Jack said of them: 'They have fruit when nobody's sick and flowers when nobody's dead.')
"A snickelfritz." (An infant or little child.)
"Life is such a jolly mess."

Descendants of HEREMON, son of MILE
His wife believed to be named ODBHA



* Macha Mongruadh was foster mother of Ughaine Mor

"Like the pot calling the kettle black."
"He always has an eye to a bird" / "He is always contentious with"

