



City of Cambridge

COUNCILLOR DANEHY

11.

IN CITY COUNCIL

September 15, 1986

- WHEREAS: On September 21, 1896, Mr. and Mrs. John Flood of Canton were blessed with the birth of a girl, which they named Ellen Marie; and
- WHEREAS: Ellen Flood attended the elementary and high schools of Canton and excelled in academic study; and
- WHEREAS: Ellen Flood worked in Boston, which at that time was a significant distance to travel; and
- WHEREAS: In the year 1925 she caught the eye of a young man from Cambridge by the name of J. Henry Quinn; and
- WHEREAS: J. Henry, as he was fondly referred to, was active in the community and was also a member of the famous old North Cambridge baseball team which played on Sundays and that would attract upwards of 30,000 people to Russell Field; and
- WHEREAS: J. Henry was well known in baseball circles for his remarkable fielding accomplishments and having a throwing arm with uncanny accuracy; and
- WHEREAS: Nellie Flood would faithfully attend all of the games, a story-book courtship began; and
- WHEREAS: Nellie and J. Henry were married on June 8, 1927 and began to raise a family of five children:- Mary, a teacher in the Cambridge School System; Joan, a teacher and mother; James, a real estate broker and insurance agent; John, an attorney; and last, but certainly not least; Margaret, a nurse and a mother and a good friend - and my "favorite"; and
- WHEREAS: Nellie and J. Henry were pillars of the church and community they resided in, a bond of friendship was established with scores of people both in their community and their church parish; now therefore be it
- RESOLVED: That this City Council go on record extending its sincere congratulations to Mrs. Nellie Quinn on the occasion of her 90th birthday, with the wish for many more "Happy Birthdays" to come; and be it further
- RESOLVED: That the City Clerk be and hereby is requested to forward a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution to her on behalf of the entire City Council.

In City Council September 15, 1986.

Adopted by the affirmative vote of 9 members.

Attest:- Joseph E. Connarton, Acting City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:- Joseph E. Connarton, Acting City Clerk.



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ORDERED: That the City Clerk be and hereby is requested to prepare a suitable resolution congratulating Mrs. Ellen (Nellie) Quinn on the occasion of her ninetieth birthday.

In City Council September 15, 1986.

Adopted by the affirmative vote of 9 members.

Attest:- Joseph E. Connarton, Acting City Clerk.

A true copy

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Joseph E. Connarton".

ATTEST:-

Joseph E. Connarton, Acting City Clerk.

Order #11

S-533

C. Danehy order re: City Clerk to prepare a
suitable resolution congratulating Mrs. Ellen
(Nellie) Quinn on her 90th birthday.

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