

# The Bulletin

*“All The News That’s Not Fit To Print” - July 2021 Edition*

Having newly situated myself in a brownstone haven in sight of the **Grand Central Station Red Zone**, my thoughts are drawn to the mysteries within. Rumor has it that magical practitioners are behind this particular exclusion zone, but what exactly that *means* I haven’t a clue - they seem content to leave us alone if we leave them alone, unlike the various flavors of vampire-hunters we see elsewhere, but that doesn’t mean it’s wise not to poke. Possibly I am just overly curious... possibly.

Efforts are underway to block the worst choices of political candidates on the ballot, with **Verify Point Media’s** favorite lobbyist **Theresa Cassidy** currently the front-runner and the political firebrand **Cynthia Roosevelt** (yes, of *those* Roosevelts) not far behind and gathering steam as a more liberal feel is in the air these nights. The boys in blue and especially the NYPD **Technical Assistance Response Unit** would apparently be happy with either, which leads me to believe the Patrolmen’s Benevolent Association knows something about Ms. Roosevelt that hasn’t hit my ears yet. Anyone know what’s up, if they’re willing to work with the Working Families Party candidate that has said in public rallies she’s all for cutting their budget back by 20% and cutting overtime to zero? Notable public vigilante and Republican mayoral candidate **Curtis Sliwa** has likewise been aiming to get Cassidy out of first place so he can face the WFP candidate instead, and it’s rare indeed for the NYPD and the Guardian Angels to agree on *anything*.

Last month I announced support **Zachary Teachout** for Mayor in the Democratic primary, he seemed to me to be the safest and best compromise candidate for defending our interests against **the Unlocked Tower** and **The Alphabet Soup Agencies**. Others within the **Compass Table** have solidified behind **James Vandermeer** and have partaken in efforts to boost his candidacy, so I would be remiss if I were to work at cross-purposes to the rest of the Table. I look forward to lambasting Vandermeer in future editions as he takes on the mantle of **Hizonner**, as no matter how hard we try to control politics in this city for our own benefits we have to sleep *sometimes* and these politicians just do their own things sometimes. What can you do?

The aftermath of **L’Affaire Brighton Beach** continues to develop, with the **Caitiff of Coney Island** vigorously rebuffed from their territory grabbing only to see the city’s **Five Families** working together again in a way we haven’t seen since the early Nineties before Rudy Giuliani made his name putting the mob behind bars. Local gangs seem to be networked and working together peacefully under some new cease-fire agreement, and while that’s good for everyone involved we have to wonder exactly what the terms of this new arrangement are. Especially with unknown **daywalkers** verified to have been part of the Anarch organization, whenever bunches of mortals start working together in ways we don’t understand it’s time to start looking for those unknown unknowns.

Thanks to the concerted efforts of **Clan Tremere** and their mortal assets, lower Manhattan has returned to its prior status quo. The Sabbath ignoramuses who had wandered into our backyard looking to die in some glorious last stand have just died ignominiously instead, and as word passed around the mortal

population about where it was no longer safe to go out after dark and the populace took up arms and moved in new patterns. Slowly but surely word has trickled through to tell the people it's safe again, and the hunting grounds they had disrupted have calmed back to their prior level of care and cultivation.

In gentler news, there's a new clinical trial in town that has caught everybody's attention - from the chief medical examiner of the City of New York to the cigar-chomping Good Ole Boys down on Wall Street. The compound doesn't have a brand name yet but the limited-liability corporation formed to hold the patent and fundraise off of speculative interest is called **Regenertron** and early results suggest it's a big win for whoever picks it up. Special purpose acquisition companies are looking for ways to build it into a big vertical supply chain system to create an instant competitor to any large pharma multinational, and I have to assume any such companies would *love* to smother a rival while still in its crib by buying the patent rights themselves. I don't understand the science behind these tinctures of stem cell thingamajigs, but it has had quite salutary benefits upon my herd so far and I shall continue to report back as the study continues.

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