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Tuesday, January 14, 2014

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Boston Globe

Jail warden to review policies after Bulger wrote letters

By Milton J. Valencia

Saturday, January 11, 2014

The warden of the Donald Wyatt Detention Facility in Rhode Island said Friday that he will examine his jail's policies to determine whether James "Whitey" Bulger's attorney...

Bulger's attorneys insulting our intelligence

By Kevin Cullen

Tuesday, January 14, 2014

Among the things we learned about Whitey Bulger last week is that he harbors murderous intent toward me, a yearning desire to strangle me in fact. We know this because his lawyer, Jay...

Wyshak to head the US attorney's public corruption unit

By Milton J. Valencia

Tuesday, January 14, 2014

Assistant US Attorney Fred M. Wyshak Jr., a prosecutor who has been at the helm of some of the higher-profile criminal cases in federal court in recent years, was tapped Monday to head...

Boston Herald

'WHITEY' off to Sundance

By Gayle Fee

Monday, January 13, 2014

Filmmaker Joe Berlinger, whose "Paradise Lost" tril-ogy helped free the West Memphis Three from prison, has turned his camera on James "Whitey" Bulger and his new film...

['WHITEY' off to Sundance](#)

Boston Magazine

Anonymous hackers mess with MIT website

By Steve Annear

Saturday, January 11, 2014

Members of the group Anonymous, "a very loose and decentralized command structure" of online "hacktivists," cracked into part of MIT's website Friday, and left a note to remind...

[Anonymous Hackers Mess With MIT Website](#)

Washington Post

Aaron Swartz died one year ago today

By Henry Farrel

Saturday, January 11, 2014

He will be remembered for his political activism, but one of the more insignificant causes he took up was the Monkey Cage; he was one of our boosters in our early days, long before...

[Aaron Swartz died one year ago today](#)

Atlantic

Why we're marching across New Hampshire to honor Aaron Swartz

By Lawrence Lessig

Friday, January 10, 2014

A year ago tomorrow, Aaron Swartz left. He had wound us all up, pointed us in a million directions, we were all working as hard as we could, moving things forward.

[Why We're Marching Across New Hampshire to Honor Aaron Swartz](#)

Slate

A year after Aaron Swartz's death, our terrible computer crime laws remain unchanged

By Justin Peters

Monday, January 13, 2014

On Jan. 18, 2013, one week after Aaron Swartz committed suicide, a group of his friends and admirers gathered in the lobby of the MIT Media Lab to commemorate Swartz's life and...

[A Year After Aaron Swartz's Death, Our Terrible Computer Crime ...](#)

Huffington Post

Eric Holder criticized on anniversary of Aaron Swartz death

By Matt Sledge

Friday, January 10, 2014

Members of the House and Senate are pressing U.S. Attorney General Eric Holder to answer questions about the "aggressive" prosecution and "tragic" death of internet activist Aaron...

[Eric Holder Criticized On Anniversary Of Aaron Swartz Death](#)

Noam Chomsky: MIT shares blame for Aaron Swartz tragedy

By Zach Carter and Ryan Grim

Friday, January 10, 2014

The Massachusetts Institute of Technology bears some of the blame for the tragedy of Internet activist Aaron Swartz's suicide, according to author and activist Noam Chomsky...

[Noam Chomsky: MIT Shares Blame For Aaron Swartz Tragedy](#)

The Guardian

Hacking of MIT website marks first anniversary of Aaron Swartz's death

By Martin Pengelly

Saturday, January 11, 2014

Saturday marked one year since the death of the internet activist Aaron Swartz. The 26-year-old, who was one of the builders of Reddit, killed himself in New York City...

Hacking of MIT website marks first anniversary of Aaron Swartz's death

MassLive.com

Longmeadow urologist agrees to pay \$300K fine to close investigation into improper Medicare billing

By Patrick Johnson

Friday, January 10, 2014

U.S. Attorney Carmen Ortiz announced Friday that Longmeadow urologist Stanley J. Swierzewski has agreed to pay \$300,000 to settle allegations that he improperly billed...

[Longmeadow urologist agrees to pay \\$300K fine to close ...](#)

Boston gangster's belongings to be sold at auction

By Denise Lavoie, Associated Press

Sunday, January 12, 2014

Authorities are preparing to auction off Boston gangster James "Whitey" Bulger's belongings to raise money for his victims.

[Boston gangster James "Whitey" Bulger's belongings to be sold at ...](#)

The Hill

Lawmakers press DOJ for Aaron Swartz files

By Julian Hattem

Friday, January 10, 2014

A bipartisan group of lawmakers is demanding answers from Attorney General Eric Holder about the Justice Department's treatment of the late Internet activist Aaron Swartz.

[Lawmakers press DOJ for Aaron Swartz files](#)

BostInno

How much would you pay for Whitey Bulger's belongings?

By Nick DeLuca

Monday, January 13, 2014

Long before Whitey Bulger was transferred to the high-security prison in Tucson, Ariz. and long before he stood a high-profile trial in Boston's Seaport District, the notorious Southie mobster...

[How Much Would You Pay for Whitey Bulger's Belongings?](#)

Taunton Gazette

Dighton man sentenced to prison after pleading guilty to tax fraud

By Gerry Tuoti

Friday, January 10, 2013

A Dighton tax preparer was sentenced Friday to six months in prison after pleading guilty in US District Court to fraudulently filing his own personal income tax returns.

[Dighton man sentenced to prison after pleading guilty to tax fraud](#)

Wicked Local Wareham

Clock ticking on Ibragim Todashev shooting death report

Sunday, January 12, 2014

The clock has reportedly started ticking down to the FBI's release of a report into the May 22, 2013 Florida shooting death of Ibragim Todashev, a reported friend of the deceased Boston...

[Clock ticking on Ibragim Todashev shooting death report](#)

ProHealth

Glaxo says it will stop paying doctors to promote drugs

Tuesday, January 14, 2014

Last month, Glaxo's chief executive Andrew Witty announced the company would no longer pay health care professionals to promote its products or the diseases they treat...

[Glaxo Says It Will Stop Paying Doctors to Promote Drugs](#)

CNN

For Boston Marathon bombing victims \$8.4 million of assistance

By Rande laboni

Monday, January 13, 2014

The U.S. Department of Justice announced on Monday it would provide a grant of nearly \$8.4 million to organizations providing support to victims, witnesses and first responders involved...

[For Boston Marathon bombing victims: \\$8.4 million of assistance](#)

ABC

States urged to register compounding pharmacies

By Associated Press

Friday, January 10, 2014

The commissioner of the U.S. Food and Drug Administration has sent letters to state agencies and other stakeholders across the country calling on them to encourage compounding...

[States Urged to Register Compounding Pharmacies](#)

WBUR

Interrogation turned deadly: questions remain in Todashev shooting

By David Boeri

Tuesday, January 14, 2014

In May 2013 a FBI agent from Boston shot and killed a man in his home in Orlando, Fla., during an interrogation. The man's name was Ibragim Todashev and the FBI was investigating his...

[Interrogation Turned Deadly: Questions Remain In Todashev Shooting](#)

Reuters

US to pay \$8.4 million to victims, responders at Boston bombing

Tuesday, January 14, 2014

The U.S. Justice Department on Monday said it would make an \$8.4 million grant to groups helping victims and first responders involved in the bombing attack at the 2013 Boston...

[US to pay \\$8.4 million to victims, responders at Boston bombing](#)

Other News

Boston Globe

Marijuana advocates lay groundwork for legalization in Massachusetts

By Joshua Miller

Monday, January 13, 2014

Advocates of marijuana legalization, emboldened by successes with ballot questions in Colorado and Washington state, are laying the groundwork for such a battle in Massachusetts in the...

NPR

Side effect of legal pot: police budgets take a hit

By Bill Chappell

Monday, January 13, 2014

Some U.S. states are viewing the legalization of marijuana as a chance to gain new sources of tax revenue. Several states allow its use for medical reasons; Colorado has approved its...

Side effect of legal pot: police budgets take a hit

State House News Service

DPH names medical marijuana program director

By Michael Norton

Monday, January 13, 2014

The former chief operating officer of a Dorchester public health program will oversee the state's medical marijuana program as its executive director.

The preceding material was all gathered from public sources such as Lexis and Westlaw and open intelligence sources. The points of view presented do not necessarily reflect the opinions of the Department of Justice.

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