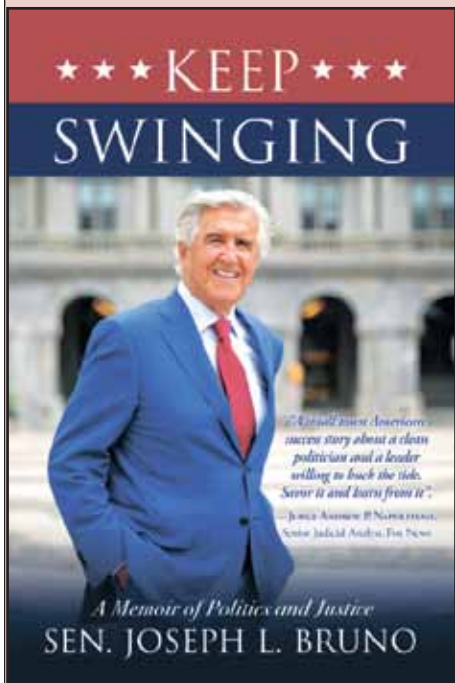


Joe Bruno's autobiography

Editor's note: Joe Bruno, 87, the Glens Falls native who for 14 years served as New York State's powerful Senate Majority Leader, has an autobiography coming out later this month. We had hoped to land him for last weekend's Chronicle Book Fair, but the timing didn't

ANOTHER CHRONICLE EXCLUSIVE



'Three men in a room' — At the peak of his career, **Joe Bruno**, center, was the New York State Senate Majority Leader who, with **Assembly Speaker Sheldon Silver**, left, and **Governor Eliot Spitzer**, largely controlled the legislation enacted in New York State.

quite work. Cathy DeDe caught up with him by phone on Monday, the day after the Book Fair.

By Cathy DeDe

Chronicle Managing Editor

Keep Swinging is the title of former State Senator Joseph

Bruno's new autobiography, and the Glens Falls native pulls few punches in his memoir of more than 30 years in office, the legal troubles, collegial relationships and some nearly knock-down brawls with the likes of Eliot Spitzer, Donald Trump, Hillary

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Stunned beyond belief!!!

By Mark Frost
 Chronicle Editor

I never saw this coming. I never saw any chance that Donald Trump would be competitive in his race for the Presidency, let alone that *The New York Times* would declare before 11 p.m. on Election Night that he has a 95 percent chance of winning it!

We'll be going to press before final results are locked down, but this night is already the most shocking political result of my lifetime.

People are indeed fed up with the ruling class. This is "Brexit" arriving in America — ordinary people rejecting the institutional elite.

Everything will now be recalibrated. The voters are speaking. This is democracy at its most powerful, undeniable, dramatic.

Trump rides high & reveals America is angrier than most of us knew



'Spamalot!' at the Wood

The Glens Falls Community Theater presents four performances, Friday to Sunday, Nov. 11-13. Mickey Luce directs. ▶ **24**

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Ban trapping, she urges

To the Editor,

Trapping is one of the most cruel activities imaginable. Over 70 countries have banned the leg-hold trap as too inhumane to use.

Over the years I have found two skunks, each of whom had chewed his or her foot off to get

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