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## Edward J. Kovačič za okrajnega komisarja

V tork dne 7. maja se po državi Ohio vrše primarne volitve pri katerih bodo državljanji opredeljeni na politične stranke izvolili oziroma nominirali kandidate za javne uradnike, kateri bodo šli meseca novembra na splošne volitve.

Demokratska stranka bo izbrala svoje in republikanska svoje kandidate, kateri bodo pri glavnih volitvah tekmovali za zmagu. Vsi oni kandidati, ki ne dobe prvenstveno ali zadostno število glasov pri primarnih volitvah so avtomatično črtani iz volilne glasovnice za jesenske volitve.

Po ameriški ustavi se državni politični ustroj deli na posamezne samoupravne cele in sicer: mestne, okrajne, državne in federalne ente. Za nas so važne vse, še posebno ker si jih sami postavljamo in v zastopstvo volimo upravne javne uradnike. V temu članku se hočemo nekoliko poglobiti v urad okrajnega komisarja. Okrajni volilni sistem zahteva, da se v ta urad izvolijo trije komisarji in sicer za dobo štirih let. Dva komisarja sta izvoljena skupaj in eden dve leti pozneje iz razloga, da ne pridejo v urad sami novinci, katerim ne bilo poslovanje poznano.

Nalogi okrajnih komisarjev je, da gledajo na gospodarstvo okraja, določajo proračun za vzdrževanje drugih okrajnih uradov, določajo vsote za javne naprave in nakupec posestva, katera so potrebna odkupiti za javne naprave. Določajo stroške za okrajne ceste in mostove ter pažijo na izdano imovino, da se porabi v namen za kateri je bil izdan. Kratko rečeno, so oni faktorji, kateri z modrim in previdnim gospodarstvom veliko prihranijo davkoplacalcem ali pa mašomarno razisploje ljudski denar. Od okrajnih komisarjev je zelo veliko odvisno, kje se izboljšave storijo, ali v naselju bogatašev ali v naselju priprostega dela. Mi smo zainteresirani za izboljšave malega človeka pa bil to mali trgovec, obrtnik ali delavec. Vsi se moramo vsak po svoje boriti za kos kraha in obstanek. Če smo davkoplacalci hočemo od tega imeti tudi koristi, ker itak moramo bogatejše sloje potom naše fizične sile ali potom kupovanja indirektno podpirati. Če je njih zahteva upravičena je naša dvakratno, ker le mali človek je oni, ki s svojim trdim delom in žgočimi žulji kopije zlato za prosvitljence. Ker je temu tako zahtevamo za sebe mesto, kjer se naši daki delijo in za javne naprave določajo.

V urad okrajnega komisarja letos kandidira na demokratski glasovnici naš rojak Edward J. Kovačič sedaj in štiri zaporedne termine zastopnik v mestni zbornici. Kdo je Edward J. Kovačič se nam zdi nepotreben povdarijeti. Njegov energični nastop v mestni zbornici, njegova odločnost kjer koli se je šlo za malega človeka, trgovca ali obrtnika nam je temeljito poznana. Edward Kovačič je oni, kateri se je po robu postavil plinskim družbam in oni bori, kateri se je boril za znižanje električne proti električnem trstu v kobilu malega človeka. Nastopal je vselej tako odločno in svojega stališča gotov, da mu niso bili kos visoko plačani in dobro terminirani kompanijski advokat. Karijera katero je vršil v mestni zbornici ga je odlikovala in lokalno ameriško casopisje ga je kvalificiralo enega izmed najboljih mestnih zastopnikov.

V mestni zbornici je zadnja dva termina nastopal neodvisno, takoj kakor se mu je zdelo najboljše za delavstvo, male hišne posetnike, trgovce in obrtnike. Vrzel ni slepoti in nezmotljivosti strankinega vodstva. Zagrizel se je posebno po bližnjem spoznanju zakulisne politične igre proti našemu rojaku Frank J. Lauschetu na prislovico: "Gnilo naj odpade in zdravo naj služi narodu." Dosledno se je držal gesla: "Iz naroda za narod."

V živ spomin nam prihaja velika nesreča 20. oktobra predlanskoga leta. Noč in dan je bil na delu in v pomoč neščnim, kateri so pri plinski razstrelbi zgubili vse, svojice in premoženje. Trudil se je, da je dobil od mestne uprave izdatno pomoč, trudil, da se je vsaka nadaljnja nevarnost iz naselbine odstranila, prosačil za ponesrečene in nešte to potov napravil za obnovno naselja. Storil je veliko več, kakor ga je dolžnost vezala in vse to, ker se je v polni duši zavedal, da je on sam eden izmed tistega naroda, ki je v katastrofi doprinesel največje žrtve.

Globoko nam je še v spominu njegov nastop pred političnimi oblastmi in tudi pred sodnijo v borbi proti tovarni na 64. cesti, katera je s svojimi velikimi kladvi na parni pogon počasi rušila okoliške hiše, narodne ustanove in kalila mir v mirnem naselju. V spomin nam prihaja, kako so se hotele v naše naselje uriniti nezaželeni tovarnarji in uničiti vrednost naših slovenskih hiš brez da govorimo o smradu in gnilobi, ki bi se širila do naših hišnih pragov. Kjer koli

se je šlo za korist prebivalcev in državljanov 23. varde smo Eddija našli v prvih vrstah in boril se je za njih pravice, kakov bi bila cela 23. varda njegova neizključna lastnina.

Ob koncu našega toplega priporočila, da naši ljudje, oziroma vsi Slovani storijo vse za njegovo izvolitev in agitirajo z dodatno pripombo, da ima v mestni zbornici izmed vseh poleg Ed. Pucelja najboljši rekord pri posecanju mestnih odborov in podoborovih sej — zakaj, ker je vesten, počten in zmožen ljudski zastopnik. Pojdimo 7. maja v volilne koče in glasujmo zanj brez vsakega pomisnika ali zadržka. Je sin naše krvi in del onega naroda, kateri je v moderni zgodovini doprinesel največ žrtve in trpljenja za splošno civilizacijo in človečanstvo.

## Oddajte odrezke in denar v nedeljo

Odbor za NASH avtomobil v korist cerkve sv. Vida prisi vse farane in prijatelje, da oddajo odrezke in denar v priroženi kuverti že to nedeljo pri kateri koli sv. maši. Do sedaj kažejo prejemki, da bo ta priredeva ena najboljših v zgodovini fare. Zato ste prošeni, da pomagate, da se bo to res tudi uresničilo. V nedeljo od 9 do 12 dopoldne boste imeli priliko si ogledati nov NASH na razstavi pred cerkvijo sv. Vida na Glass Ave. Če imate že kupljeno delnico zanj, se boste morda 5. maja lahko peljali v njem domov.

## Newburške novice

Velikonočni prazniki so šli mimo nas tako prijazno, da le redko kdaj tako. V tem času, ko se narava prebija v vse vstaja k novemu življenju, je pač primerno, da obhajamo tudi Vstajenje Gospodovo. Saj ravno v tem je toliko upanja tudi za nas, da veren človek, če se mu še takoj slabo godi tukaj na zemlji, pa Veliko noč le vztrepa vesela in se mu čelo zjasni, ko zasihi veseli glas: "Alezja! Alezja! Vstal je Kristus. Alezja!" Kajti, če je Kristus vstal, je s tem dal pečat, neodlučljivi pečat, na vse Njegove besede in obljube. In On je tisti, ki je nam obljbil, da bomo vstali od smerti tudi mi. "Jaz sem vstajenje in življenje. Kdor v me veruje, bo živel, če ravno umrije." In zopet: "Kdor je moje mero in pije mojo kri ima večno življenje v sebi." Čas je kot eskelator. Naprej proti smrti in grobu nas nese, hočeš, nočeš. Človek pa noče umetri, živeti hoče. To je naravno. In to stalno življenje nam obljubila Tisti, ki je sam najprej smrt premagal in od smerti vstal. Velika noč je zagotovilo teža življenja večnega in to zagotovilo ne daje zmotljivi človek. Bog sam nam ga daje, ki ne more varati in ne varan biti. Zato te pretresljive Aleluje, zato ta nepopisljiva radost ob Kristusu v tem vstanju.

Že dolgo niso orgle sv. Lovrenca itako mogočno zagrmele kot na Veliko noč zutraj o petih pri tretji Aleluji. G. Ivan Zorman je dal delo vsem piščalim, da so nas basi spominjali na večikonočni potres in drugi glasovi pa na angelske besede "Vstajenje. Ni tu takaj!" Pevci vseh krovov so se res potrdili in pri vseh petih mašah je bilo čutiti, da se niso za stonj vadili. Iskre na zahvala vsem. Še prav posebno pa se je odlikoval šolski kor, prav za prav, solarji sploh, ker vsi pojeno. Petje ima zelo veliko vlogo pri cerkveni liturgiji.

Zdravnik: "Vaš kašelj je znatno lažji danes."

Pacient: "Za to gre kredit meni, ne vam. "Saj sem se celo noč vadil."

V nedeljo boste videli, kako se ozdravi gotove vrste bolezni. Igra "Its a Long Lane" vam to pokaže. "Teta Lenka" je hudo bolna. Jean Snyder jo izborno predstavlja. "Teta Dora," katero igra Dorothy Snyder, je zelo dobro počnega. Teda nečakina "Helen," ki jo izvrstno igra Anna Petrič, se končno naveliča vsega in napove svojo neodvisnost. To hudo pobere njenega brata "Ronalda." Donald Ferfolja bo pokazal kako, in "sestoro Margie," ki jo bo predstavljal Dolores Zagar tako, da sta oba kot spokorna grešnika skesanata, na je prepozno. Vmes pride tudi "Bizzie Craig" (Anton Gliha Jr.) "Frank Pearce" (Anton Lekan) ima svojo mero "trubla" ker mu je "Teta Lenka" hotela odčuti njejovo "soprog," "Maggie" (Margie Suhadolnik) pa jo je še potolažil in končno pride "P. J. Wheatley," ki ga izborno pobere Wilfred Grden, in vse se veselo izteče. Tako vse se vselej izteče. Tako vse se vselej izteče.

Ce bi bila ta tragedija konec vsega, kako nedopovedljivo žalostna življenska zgodba bi bila to. Ker pa to ni konec, ampak še začetek prave sreče in breskončnega življenja, kot nas zagotavlja Zveličar, imajo sorodniki, zlasti pa soproga in starši neprcenljivo tolažbo v zavesti, da se bodo zopet videli, zopet sešli v krajtu kjer ločitve ni več.

"Boj obriral vse solze, in žalosti ne bo več, ne joka in ne srčne boli." Frank Tomšič je bil eden onih naših doberih mož, ki redno vsak

svoje znanke, povabite prijatelje. Vsak je dobrodošel.

V sredo se pričnejo šmarnice. Zelo krasne šmarnice bom imeli letos. Dobilo smo jih naravnost iz Ljubljane. Imenujejo se: "ROŽNI VENEC IN SLOVENSKI NAROD." To so šmarnice, ki pripovedujejo o Naši ljubi Gospe Fatimski in imajo zgled iz zadnjih časov domače slovenske zgodovine. Šmarnice bodo vsake večer. O torkih bodo v angleškem jeziku. Prihajajte k tem pobožnostim in oklenimo se naše matere Marije naj izprosi, da čim prej Bog naredi konec sedajnem nečloveškim razmeram v Sloveniji.

Dragi članice, ostanimo dobre in zveste članice Slovenske ženske zveze in bodimo si prijatelje med seboj, saj vemo vse, da prepričamo razdor. Bodimo zveste naukom, ki nas jih je učila naša mati. Kadar se nam dobro godi, ne poznamo Boga, kadar pa naša zadene nesreča in se nam slabo godi, ga zaničujemo in preklinjam in premnogi, katere so duhovniki trn v peti, ničesar ne prispevajo ne za cerkev in ne za kako drugo katoliško stvar. Zato pa bodimo vsaj me katoliške žene priatelice med seboj in delujmo složno za naše skupne cilje.

Nekdo razlagata besedo "Barber" (brivec) in pravi, da pride iz latinske besede "Barba," ki pomeni brado. Potemkem je na slovensko prestavljeno, brivec prav za prav "bradač." Ali ne?

Zvedli smo, po zanesljivem viru, da je bil Rev. Darko Slapšak, brat Rev. Julius Slapšaka, obsojen na 16 let, baje delo med drvarji. Zakaj je bil obsojen? Poslušajte in strmite. Njegova pregraha je bila nežnosna.

Učiteljica v onotdni šoli je bala vrgla križ iz šolske stene na tisto, da se je razletel. Father Slapšak je pa to obsojal, tako pripovedujejo, in to protestiranje (par besedi proti takemu skrunjenju sv. Razpela) to je tista stršna zločin, radi katerega je bil obsojen na 16 let. Ali ni res to nezasišana verska svoboda? Človeku vajenemu ameriških razmer in svobočin, kar ne gre v glavo, da bi bila kje kakša vlada, ki bi mogla biti tako zverinsko krvica in hudobna. Ali je to tista vlada, za katero se potegujejo nekateri slovenskih ljestov v Ameriki?????

Nekdo pravi: "V vojnem času moraš, kar kupiš dvakrat načrte, trikrat plačati, dobiš pa enkrat." Pa vojni ni dosti boljše. Mi smo že dvakrat naročili motorni stroj za travo kosit, plačali sicer še nismo, dobili bomo pa morda tja meseca decembra, ko trave več ne bo.

Jutri večer prirejajo naši dosluženci "The Catholic War Veterans, St. Lawrence Post," ples v dvorani Narodnega doma in vabijo vse take, ki ne morejo pri miru stati, da se udeležijo.

Pa je res to. Nekdo piše: "Ljudem lahko pove koliko kosti imajo v svojem telesu in vrljih, trikrat plačati, dobiš pa enkrat." Pa vojni ni dosti boljše. Mi smo že dvakrat naročili motorni stroj za travo kosit, plačali sicer še nismo, dobili bomo pa morda tja meseca decembra, ko trave več ne bo.

Ako imate katere izmed teh številk, prosim, da bi jih dostavili v urad S. N. Doma, ali pa poklicite upravitelja muzeja, E. Goršeta, HE 4245, da jih pride iskat. Prosimo sodelovanja če vse vsekogar, ki more kaj pomagati.

John L. Stoddard je bil konvertit. Po pristopu v katoliško vero, se ga njegovi prijatelji spraševali, kako se počuti v tej novi veri. Stoddard jim je odgovoril: "Katoliška vera mi je dala red, kjer je bila poprej zmenjava, gotovost, kjer je bil poprej dvom, luč, kjer je bila poprej tema in bistvo, kjer je

bila poprej le senca." Tako je Edino katoliška vera zamore datu nam red, gotovost luč in konkretno resnico. Lansko leto je Nadaljevanje na 3. strani

## "Razvalina življenja"

Euclid, O. — Vsem, ki morda še ne veste, naznjam, da predi naša podružnica št. 14 SZZ v nedeljo 28. aprila krasno drago "Razvalina življenja," ki je res nekaj lepega in zato vabim prav vse naše članice, kakor tudi vse članice sosednjih podružnic v Clevelandu, da pride pogledat.

Dragi članice, ostanimo dobre in zveste članice Slovenske ženske zveze in bodimo si prijatelje med seboj, saj je tudi sam eden njih, ki je tudi sam eden varni v vojnem času. Pa pri simpatizirajo z vojaki vojni. Ako bo on izvoljen imeli korist davkoplatačevlavci in veterani.

Volvicem se vselej rad vsakomur. Vselej zastopa ca, ker je on sam eden njih, saj je tudi sam eden varni v vojnem času. Pa pri simpatizirajo z vojaki vojni. A. J. K.

## Veteranom I. svetovne vojne

Cleveland, O. — Nas predvsi in borce za ljudske pravice Martin L. Sweeney je zoper dat na kongresnika v 20. letu, katerega je zmožno nad deset let. Veterani predvsi vselej vodilni v vojnem dobro v Slovenski družbi na Recher Ave., kjer je krasni predstavi, ki jo bo podala naša podružnica št. 14 SZZ. Na svidenje,

U. Trtnik.

## S. N. Muzej išče številke Ameriške Domovine

Cleveland, O. — Sedaj je na vrsti vezava letnikov dnevnika Ameriške Domovine v Slovenskem narodnem muzeju SND na St. Clair Ave. Radi bi izpolnili navedene letnike, da bi bili popolni. Ako ima kdo stare številke, kolikor že od spodaj navedenih, je prošen v imenu muzeja, da bi jih podaril za slovensko zgodovino, ki se zbrina in ure

# Turjak

Oni trije so se spogledali, roda.  
Bali so se njegove odločnosti.  
Nadnje se je znašel Dule:  
"S civilistom ne govorimo!"  
"Tako je," sta pritrdirila ona  
svoja.

"Torej odidem."

"Le pojdi! Naj pridejo na  
pogajanje oficirji, če jih sploh  
nimate."

Zupan ni rekel nobene besede.  
Molče je odšel.

"Ko bomo videli, da so oficirji  
prišli, se bomo tudi mi vrnili,"  
zavplil za njim Hribar.

Cez nekaj minut so stopili  
v gradu oficirji: "Žuraj, Perne  
in Pograjc.

Stopali so s trdim, vojaškim  
štamkom. Preko ramen so jim  
padale brzostrelke, za pasom  
tikičali samokresi. Zravnane  
postave so bile že lepše zaradi  
teh uniform, ki so se jim lepo  
vilegale. Nič niso govorili.

Mir je ležal nad vso deželo.  
Mir je zapela triroga kapa. Takoj na-  
je zapela brzostrelka . . .

Oficirji so se vrgli v kritje.  
"Bandit — slabu si meril," je  
zavplil Pograjc in snel brzostrel-

"Jaz bom bolje!"

Omadava pa sta mu prepo-  
veli streljati. Premirje jima  
bilo nekaj svetega. Zarop-  
alo je po grmovju in tolov-  
ju zvezdal. Oni trije so se vrnili  
grad.

Takoj nato so tolovaji pos-  
lali pred grad žensko. Na vsa-  
ca je govorila, da naj opro-  
stijo, da se je zgodila neljuba  
pomota.

"Pomota se je pač zgodila,"  
spregovoril Turjak, "neljuba  
tako, ker bandit ni zadel, kaj?"

Kljub temu so se Legionarji  
občili, do ponovno odidejo na  
pogajanja. Morda bodo parti-  
cipanti prav zaradi tega bolj po-  
stavljeni.

Mirno so prišli v vas. Tudi  
mirno so prišli v nas.

"Perne,"

"Turjak," so se z odločnim  
zadnjim predstavili Legionarji.

Skrtni sovražniki so si sto-  
jali na načelih pravice spravi-

še na načelih pravice spravi-

## ŽIVI VIRI

IVAN MATIČIĆ

Zahotel se jim popustiti niti trohice. Ko je pa se izgovarjali na dež in na vse mogoče, nekateri celo na sušo, češ, da ni moč kosit in bo treba počakati, da kaj primiči. In tudi gozdarji so popustili polles; živinče se jim je videlo že močno zdelano, mora se malo oddahniti.

Vse je tišalo v krčmo. Ni jih pa vleka toliko žeja, temveč mikalo jih le bolj to, kako so odrezali rudarji. In ko so prihajali kmetje v krčmo, je na prvi hip izgledalo, kakor da so zaslutili pri rudarjih denar in samo po sebi umnevno — pole ne bokale vina. Saj so jih res povabili pit; vsakomur, kdor je vstopil, so ponujali polne kupe vina in celo žganja. Ne, hvala! Kmetje res ne premorejo denarja, pri mnogi hiši ga ni božjaka, toda na žulje teh izgarancev pa ne marajo pit, Bog, ve, da ne. Prišli so mednje z golj iz nekakega sotčaja in da jim izkažejo svojo vzajemnost v borbi, kakor so jo bili dokazali včeraj, ko so šli z njimi s kosami in sekirami.

Sicer pa prav brez božjaka so le redki prestopili krčmo. Nekateri so šli in sneli morda poslednji srebrnec iz skrinje ali pa komaj nekaj ržencev, samod so mogli k zbranščini.

Od sile so bili bojeviti ti izgaranci. Bili so ob mizo in vsi križem vpili, da bo treba gnati borbo do kraja. Tri srebrnike na dan — ali pa naj se rov zasujo! Od tega ni maral nikhe!

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Mi dajemo zelene Eagle znamke

poudaril kot bi pribil žebelj v hrastovo mizo. "Jaz na njenem mestu bi prav tako storil. Greh je, da bi se zemlja ledila! Jaz imam tudi dosti zemlje, vsi veste, ali sam Bog ve, kako bo še. Dva je vuela vojna, enega imajo tam doli, en sam je doma. Če bo pa moral konje, lahko vprasate ženske, pa je levemu spaku podkev odletela. Da bi ga šment! Upredi se, pravim, upreti kletemu goltu z vsemi štirimi! Za, našega Tilna in za vse se jím bom puntal vsem grunton, s konji, z volmi in z ajdovim kruhom. Bog daj zdravje!"

"Repčevka! Šment te našmental, Polona! Na, pij! Včera si se izkasala, klemana Polona! Pij!"

Od vseh strani so tiščali vanjo, ona je pa stala sredi hiše, vzvišena in modra, in sam Repčevka je bil ponosen nanjo. Ne, Polona ne pije, ni prišla spričo tega, temveč le zato, da vidi razpoloženje. Rekla je, da jih rajši vidi pijane doma, kakor pa lačne v jami. Tedaj se je zasmajala, prisledila in ostača nekaj časa med njimi židane volje, nakar je zopet odšla.

Prišli so tudi Jarmovi trije. Jaremca je le našla oba, vrnila jima denar — in vsi trije so se podali v krčmo. Jarem je bil sprva nekako nerazpoložen, sčasoma se je pa v zbranščini razvlnel in je odrajal ženi kar ji gre. Očetu je sledil tudi sin: bajto trέba krepko podpreti, da se podere!

Drogz tišči v Skuka. "Kar pusti, Skuk, tisto hudičevu jamo! Čemu bi se pretegaval za goltavega tujca, ki ti hoče izpiti kri. Glej, meni so tudi pozgali, kakor tebi, ti se ubijaš zdaj v jami, jaz pa hodim v gozd, pa boš videl, da si bom jaz prej opomogel kakor ti. Da bi svoj lastni les plačeval tem ciganom — saj nisem padel na glavo! Skuk, rečem ti; kar v gozd! Rok imaš dovolj pri hiši, vse si lahko zgradite po mili volji, gozd vam da vsega kar želite. Le nekaj je v gozdu, kar nekdaj ni bilo: tako čudno mrtvo je. Nobene divjadi ne vidim, niti ne slišim je več, vse je že požrl ta zločesti, lakomni svet! Gozd brez divjadi je kakor jalov, brez sadu. Saj ne da bi jih bil lačen, ne, vesel si, če gledaš in poslušaš te živali. Ali spričo tega nič ne maraj, kar pusti jamo, saj ni vredno. Neter naj gredo kar poštajne same."

Skuku so se široko odpirale oči in bilo mu je kakor da mu nekdo dviga težko izgarano telo.

Tavželj Jarmu:

"Kaj ti pomaga jama, dvakrat, trikrat se bosta opila s fantom, pa bo vse v kraju. Potem boste do jeseni špet lahko pili. Mi se pa ubijamo sami, ko ni delavnih rok. Ne, to ne gre, to stvar bo treba zasukati drugače."

Simenca vstopi. Videti je utrujena. Ne da bi se odzvala povabilu pivcev, obstane kar sredi hiše in prične: "Recite kar hočete, tako ne pojde več! Pomislite, možje, taklik ubijanja za to ubogo plažo, delavev pa nikjer! Seve, s čim naj jih pa plačam? Premišljam in premišljam, koka bi zemlja se mi pa smili, ker se bo zalednila. Rok, ni in tudi jedcev ni. Pa naj poreko ljudje kar hočejo: pol grunta oddam in še več. Ja, kar pridite, kdor hoče naj si vzame od njiv in senožeti; oddam mu na uživanje in nič ne zahtevam. Ko se vrne Žara, naj pa ona kako drugače razsodi, če hoče. Dotlej si pa vzemite — in naj vam rodijo moja zemlja in Bog jo blagoslovci, saj jama vam ne more rodit!"

Bajtarji so onemeli in vsa hiša je gledala ženo in ni mogla verjeti. Simenca se je vzravnala, ozrla se po ljudeh, s čimer je hotela potrditi, da je govorila živo resnico; potem je pa odšla. Pustila jih je, naj razmisljajo sami.

Najprej se je oglasil Muren. "Prav je ukrenila Simenca!" je

Ne sprejemem teh denarjev, težki so, obup se jih drži. Niti tvojega ne sprejemem, Muren, kar spravi si ga nazaj v skrinjo, saj je morda poslednji klas. Ne, danes zastonj, ker ste se močno držali. Tudi jaz sem hotel z vami, sem že naprejal konje, lahko vprasate ženske, pa je levemu spaku podkev odletela. Da bi ga šment! Upredi se, pravim, upreti kletemu goltu z vsemi štirimi! Za, našega Tilna in za vse se jím bom puntal vsem grunton, s konji, z volmi in z ajdovim kruhom. Bog daj zdravje!"

"In moško se držite — pa uženemo poštajno! Vi s kopačo, mi s koso in sekiro — ni zlomka da ga ne užugamo. Ne vdaje se, z ajdovim kruhom vas podpremo, nihče med vami ga ne sme biti lačen. Kos zemlje vam dam v bogajme, če se vrne sin, pa ne gmajne, ampak njive. Če se pa ne vrne, nu, potlej naj greše grunt v ime božje: Bršlin ga bo z vami delil, delil grunt in ajdov kruh. Pijte in nič se ne bojeti!"

"Bajtarji so bili po teh besedah ginjeni, da so kar jecali, pomilovali Bršlina spričo sina pa hvallili njegove modre besede, ki so bajtarje globoko ganile. Kos zemlje v bogajme! Čudo božje! V bogajme se daje priglšč moke, kos kruha ali kak rženec, — da bi pa dal kdo kos zemlje, ne, še nikoli ni bilo slišati. In Bršlin bo tudi to storil, saj njegova beseda drži kakor kavelj. Da bi se pa Velij ne vrnil? Ne, kako bi Jasinja brez Velija! Dasi so bajtarji potrebeni zemlje, vendar bi ne marali Bršlinovega grunta za ceno sina in njegove krvi. Ne, ljubši jim je Velij, nego grunt!

"Tako so gorovili. Če bi jim pa utegnil kdo potipati do živega, bi pa spoznal, da bi hoteli prav za prav oboje: Velija in grunt. Niti bi jim ne mogel nihče tega

zameriti.

Na Zoranju je bila natrpanata in mu v zvrhano kupu dolga Tislove krčma. Med domaćimi vina, "Na, kar pij, nič se ne boš, pa bili pomejani tudi ligurski prmej hudič da ne! Mi vse kači kopači. Niso pa bili prav nič sprevidimo, ki je kaj prida in ni prevzeti ali zajedljivi, temveč proti nam. Če kopljep v jami kar krotki so ždeli tu, trudni in potlej si že za kakšno rabo. Če se ti tam ne dopade, pride lahko k meni, mi boš za hlagati ali pa za pastirja. Jesti ti ne boš hotel, kar pridi! Na, pojdi manjkalo, trikrat na dan boš plačilo bo pa seve bolj pič, ker mi kopljemo kruh, ne kruh, kar pridi! Na, pojdi in v radostnem razpoloženju.

(Dalje prihodnjie)

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(Progresivni demokrati okraja Cuyahoga v Slovenskem narodnem domu, 6417 St. Clair Ave)

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## St. Mary's Weekly Flashes

**WHAT BRINGS LIFE**  
He is risen—He is not there—  
those inspiring words of the ages  
have brought hope and happiness  
to Christians down through the  
ages.

In these words, the bed rock  
of the authenticity of  
the Christian mission on earth was estab-  
lished for all eternity. He came into  
the world to show mankind the way  
of life, which was to eli-  
minate sin and evil in the world and  
conquer Death itself (which is  
sin with sin) by rising from  
the dead.

What a lesson this teaches  
us! The wisdom of Our Lord and  
Him in all the paths and  
ways of life, especially to the  
cross, our own cross.

It could not have been done in  
any other manner. In everything that  
is material or spiritual, some life  
must be given up in order that an-  
other new life may begin. In the  
material world, a mother gives part  
of her flesh and life in order that al-  
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die in the spiritual world, one must  
die in the old habits of sin (the old  
one is it were) in order to have Life  
again. Thus the words of the  
Eternal Life in the world beyond and  
the answer to all our doubts and an-  
xieties and problems. "He is Risen—  
He is not here".

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### March of Dimes

A REPORT TO THE COMMUNITY ON THE 1946 MARCH OF DIMES.  
DANCE HELD JAN. 30, 1946.

We wish to take this opportunity to make a general financial report on the 1946 March of Dimes held on January 30, 1946 at the Slovenian Auditorium, 6417 St. Clair Avenue for the benefit of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

Receipts were as follows:  
From SDZ and SNPJ Lodges  
From coin boxes and coin  
cards ..... \$195.30  
Donations from individuals ..... 230.30  
(ticket sales) ..... 191.40  
Ticket sales by individuals in  
and in stores ..... 51.00  
Refreshments ..... 429.15  
Donation from Richman Bros. ..... 25.00  
Choral Club ..... 25.00  
Ticket sales at door ..... 192.60  
Check room proceeds ..... 15.25

Total Income ..... \$1330.00  
Expenses were as follows:  
Bar expense ..... 81.66  
Signs ..... 9.00  
Dance hall inspectors ..... 14.00  
Music ..... 60.00  
Office expense ..... 10.07  
Grocers ..... 27.65  
Printing ..... 32.31  
National Name expense ..... 130.98

Total Expense ..... \$365.67

Balance on hand ..... \$964.38  
A check for this amount was turned over to the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis on March 7, 1946.

Your committee believes that the results were beyond our expectations and we certainly are grateful to every one who supported this cause.

We are especially grateful to the children of St. Vitus School who contributed \$120.00; to the North American Bank for their \$25.00 contribution and to Mr. Anton Grdina, Sr., for his \$25.00 donation. We wish to thank the Bond Drive Committee, Dr. V. Opaskar, to Oblak Furniture, Louis Erste for their donations.

The dance and campaign would never have succeeded if it wasn't for the splendid help and cooperation we received from the SDZ and SNPJ Lodges and for the many individuals who gave of their time and effort before the dance and during the dance.

We especially want to thank Miss Jeannine Prince, Mr. Frank Jaksic, Jr., Mr. Peter Popovic, Sr., Mr. Anton Grdina, Sr., Miss Eleanor Kortlinger, Mr. John Canta, Mr. Chas. Vrtovnik, Mr. Joe Okorn, Mrs. Josephine Petric, Mrs. Mary Smrak, Mr. Frank Cesnik, Mr. Jos. Fifelt, Mrs. John Gornik, Sr., Mrs. Mary Hrastar, Mrs. Brancel, Mr. Jos. Hocavar, Miss Mary Grdina, Sam Richter, Boy Scouts and Sea Scouts of Troop 250. The Richman Bros. Company and the Choral Club, the various merchants and Slovenian Homes and to all who attended the dance and supported the March of Dimes Campaign. If we have overlooked anyone, please excuse us, but nevertheless many thanks. It was a real pleasure to serve as co-chairman when we realized the community was behind us 100%.

FELIX A. DANTON  
JOHN GORNICK, SR.  
Co-Chairmen

Get ready for a city income tax, which Cleveland officials are now discussing. The plan would levy a 1 per cent assessment against the earnings of all persons employed in the city.

The well-known Mr. John Drenik, owner of the Drenik Beverage Dist. Co., of 23776 Lakeland Blvd., has undergone an operation at Mt. Sinai Hospital. We wish him a speedy recovery.

General Draja Mihalovich will go on public trial as a traitor in May according to the announcement of the Yugoslav Interior Minister.

Mrs. Doris May Grigsby, 21-year-old English bride, flew the Atlantic in a tragic flight against time to be with her husband before he died and she won by only half an hour.

At Greenville Hospital is Mrs. Frances Dular of 903 E. 70 St. where she is to undergo an operation. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Chief Justice Harlan F. Stone of the United States Supreme Court died Monday of a cerebral hemorrhage a few hours after being stricken ill on the bench. He was 73.

That Americans have more headaches than ever before is evidenced by the report of the Bayer Co. which shows a 20% increase in production and still this does not fill the demand.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Ingoldsby were in Columbus this week, attending an insurance conference at the Ohio State University.

The United States and Canadian governments have reached agreement on the inauguration of airline service between Cleveland and Toronto, with stops at London, Ontario, beginning July 1.

Franklin D. Roosevelt will be memorialized by a statue in London's Grosvenor Square. The sculptor will be Sir William Reid Dick.

Carl Erickson of Detroit has an oil well right in the basement of his own home. It is oozing through the unpaved basement. Nobody knows where it comes from, as the nearest pipe line is two miles away. Authorities told Erickson not to light any matches.

The occasion was an afternoon tea at the bishop's residence. Among those present was a certain little curate of a painfully nervous temperament who constantly made awkward remarks intended as compliments—to the bishop and others.

On the way home he was taken to task for his failings by a senior curate.

"Look here, Jones," said the senior, decidedly, "You are an ass! Why can't you keep quiet, instead of making asinine remarks? I am speaking to you as a brother!"

Loud laughter interrupted him at this point, and for a moment he wondered why.

We are happy to have Dr. Michael F. Oman back with us again, who has recently returned from his convalescent vacation in the South. He has resumed his office practice at the same address, 6411 St. Clair Ave. Dr. Ray H. Long, M.D. is the associate physician.

The OPA has unveiled a giant black market organization in Detroit which sold used autos as new at \$500 to \$600 over the ceiling price. Taking part in this million dollar racket are 31 names.

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## NEWBURGH NEWS

### ARE YOU COMING???

Are you coming to the Slovene National Home TOMORROW NITE to welcome home our returned G-I's? Their friends, plus my friends, plus your friends will all be there—and that's EVERYBODY—just everybody has plans to attend the gala "G-I JOE AFFAIR" of St. Lawrence Post No. 553. The tantalizing melodies of PETE SRNICK and his orchestra will tempt all dance lovers to dance to their heart's content. Refreshments will be served in the lower hall throughout the evening.

Let's mark this a "MUST" on tomorrow's date list and go where they're all going—TO THE SLOVENIAN NATIONAL HOME on East 80th Street off Union for another of those "old time" get-togethers where Slovene songs and melodies prevail and everybody's happy and gay.

Are we coming?—WE CERTAINLY ARE! EVERYBODY, TOO! See you all Saturday evening, APRIL 27th!

### SUNDAY NITE

The St. Lawrence Dramatic Guild will entertain you with another Star production in the church hall, Sunday evening at 8 P. M.

Enacting the characterization of "IT'S A LONG LANE" are Jean Snyder, as Aunt Lena; Angela Petrich as Helen Gorton; Dct Snyder as Aunt Grace; Donald Ferfolia as Ronnie; Dolores Zagar as Madge Gorton; Anthony Gilha as Buzzie; Anthony Lekan as Frank Pearce; Marge Suahdolni as Mattie Pearce and Wilfred Grden as P. J. Wheatley.

A GREAT cast for a hilarious comedy that will give you satisfaction and entertainment! You and your friends are cordially invited! A repeat performance is scheduled for MONDAY NIGHT! If you can't attend Sunday, see it Monday evening at eight. It's a date!

### DANCE FORECAST:

May 18th: Scalidys' 30th Anniversary Celebration May Dance featuring Vadnal's Orchestra

May 19th: KSKJ Victory Dance. The Kay Jays have booked our EDDIE ZABAK and his boys

May 25th: Annual Dance featuring Johnny Vadnal's Orchestra

## ST. MARY'S NEWS

(Continued from page 5)

### A REMINDER TO OUR H. N. MEN

All in all, the number of young men of the Holy Name Society who are faithfully attending the monthly gathering at the Communion table are to be highly commended. Our percentage is not dropping, to say the least, but it should and it could be just a little better in percentage. How about a 100% turnout for May, the month of Our Blessed Lady? Our Lord does not want just a few of us at His Table but all of his faithful. He desires that all should Eat of His Flesh and Drink of His Blood.

### LETTER FROM HERSHEY, PA.

If you didn't know it, our star first basemen of last year's Class "D" team, Joe Ferra, now is signed up with the Detroit Farm Club at Jamestown, Pennsylvania. According to his latest letter, Joe is progressing very well. Before long we hope, we will be able to pride ourselves of a great professional ball player from St. Mary's. Everything is possible, so we are anxiously awaiting the distinction.

### ST. MARY'S DAY

Samuel L. Clemens, under the pen name of Mark Twain, gained worldwide fame and a literary reputation that grows brighter through the years. Tom Sawyer and Huckleberry Finn are American Traditions...as American as apple pie or corn bread. This pair of Missouri rascals are the most famous boys in American literature. When Mark Twain wrote his introduction to Tom Sawyer in 1876, he could not have known how true these words would be:

"Although my book is intended mainly for the entertainment of boys and girls, I hope it will not be shunned by men and women on that account for part of my plan has been to try to pleasantly remind adults of what they once were themselves, and how they felt and thought and talked, and what queer enterprises they sometimes engaged in."

Today, the world over, young and old reread the pages of these immortal books.

The movie "Adventures of Tom Sawyer" is scheduled to appear at the Slovenian Home on Holmes Ave. on May 30th. If you want to enjoy a picture of a true American boy's life, be sure to buy your ticket before hand. Donation expected is 50¢ for the Movie and Dance celebrating our "St. Mary's Day." Anyone not approached by our boys can procure a ticket at the parish-house. Remember, all proceeds are put into our Athletic Fund. Are you going to do your part?

### CARD PARTY LOVERS

Our readers are cordially invited to attend Joint Card Party to be held by the St. Mary's Boy Scout Troop and the Cub Scout Pack. There will also be movies, so keep May 8th open. Come and enjoy yourselves and also help out the boys. Don't forget to attend the Joint Party at St. Mary's hall 7:00 P. M. Make a real day of it. We'll be seeing you there!

### CATHOLIC'S NOTICE!

It is becoming more and more common that Catholics and non-Catholics have a peculiar idea about dispensations granted by the Church. The idea seems to be that if you know some influential priest and can explain your case well enough to him and so gain his sympathy, he can obtain a dispensation for you from the law that universally binds other people. This comes especially in matters concerning marriage. More than once people have thought that when circumstances become extreme, divorce or birth control can be permitted in a particular case. This erroneous attitude comes from

Further details will be given at the YLS meeting.

### THE CASE OF THE MISSING BASKETBALL

St. Mary's boys suffered for a day this week just because of a missing basketball. Their privileges which consist of playing pool and hockey in the Portable, were discontinued for one day. After some Sherlock Holmes detective work the case was solved. The solution? Mr. Urbas, church janitor, had the ball in the school basement. Was he having fun?

Afterthought: John Pezdirtz, Whitey Kapor, "Edchu" Valencic, Tony Rutar and "Mayor of the Town," "Eggs" Grosel suffered most from this abolishment of privileges.

### GIRL'S BALL TEAM

Saint Mary's girls baseball team had their first practice April 22, and though it was rather hasty, they looked pretty good out on the diamond. They might snare another championship. Perhaps!!!

### ST. VITUS

(Continued from page 5) THER." and may you have many, many more.

Truthfully, the evening hadn't come to a close then, for it wasn't long before Joey Kauchic entertained all with his polka's and waltzes. Because of a hasty departure, yours truly missed the remainder of that night's fun, and other newsworthy items that may have been snatched, but then there always is another week.

Or wait, I did come across the following. Couldn't help noticing that our music Maestro has obtained his new and long awaited accordion. Looks super . . . Member Dotty Lausin, had a wonderful Easter Sunday, for it was then that her beau Bill Schroeder presented Dotty with a beautiful ring.

The glee club wishes to extend Best Wishes and Congratulations, to both of you. Another Doty, looking very happy, was Dct Cimperman, who attended the social with her fiancee, Stanley Gedic, who was recently discharged from the service. Welcome back Stan, it was grand seeing you with the group again.

### IMPORTANT NOTICE

Bowling will be at 1:30 at Grdina's this Sunday. Lucky, the lucky gal, at Sunday's game.

### FOURTY HOURS DEVOTION

The glee club will have their prayer-hour from 4:00 to 5:00 this Sunday afternoon. Girl's let's be prompt, and all attend.

### PEN SKETCH

No doubt, you are acquainted with or else have heard of this striking personality, Agnes Kosec. If you haven't met her as yet, here is a brief sketch that will make you want to meet her very soon. She sure is one wonderful person who is liked by all because of her alluring disposition. With her dark brown hair and starry eyes of green, together with her charming smile, she can win over your friendship immediately, without a single word spoken. As for her activity, here is just a little picture. She is President of the Orels, Captain of the St. Vitus Girl's League and a very faithful member of the Baraga Cle Club. She is always very co-operative when it comes to offering help. As for sports, she enjoys dancing, skating and bowling. When it comes to hobbies, you can see her either painting a picture or else playing a tune on the piano. Oh yes, she is a very fond lover of song and takes the Alto part in the BGC Trio. Her favorite song is "Star Dust". Food is also one of her weaknesses, especially when it comes to Breaded Veal and French Fries. She attended St. Vitus School and then continued on through Jane Addams Vocational School. After graduation she began working at Goodman's, Inc., where she is still employed as a Power Machine operator. Her friendship is really enjoyed by everyone, especially by her close friends, Frances Zakravsek, Millie Erbezink and Mary Alice Klemenc.

If the Church teaches that something is wrong, it is not because a certain number of Her members arbitrarily decided upon it like a political party decides upon the planks in its political platform before elections. No, it's because Jesus Christ, our God, our infinitely wise and good God, said it was wrong. And if it's wrong for one, it's wrong for another, with no respect had for persons. As a great convert once remarked, "Henry VIII for his second marriage, went to lean his arm on the cushions of Pope Leo, and found he struck his elbow on the Rock of Peter." It was a showdown for the Catholic Church. The Pope knew that if a dispensation for divorce could be granted Henry VIII the Catholic Church in England would remain unharmed; and he also knew that if Henry broke away, he would take Catholic England with him. But Henry received the same answer that other unfortunate men and women before and after his time have received: "No!"

But it is wrong to think that the Church is primarily concerned with teaching "Don'ts". In passing along the highways, you see that at dangerous places in the road you are protected by strong steel fences, and you find blinking danger signals at bad crossings. Yet nobody accuses the highway commission of constricting freedom of driving and making life miserable by slowing us down at dangerous curves. The Church, like the road commission, is interested only in keeping traffic moving but in keeping it moving SAFELY. The business of going to heaven is not quite as easy as falling off a log. We need help and we need guidance. The Church will be here until the end of the world to see that all men have this help and this guidance.

### Engagements

Mr. and Mrs. John Tomazic of 16621 Grovewood Ave., announce the engagement of their daughter, Helen J. Tomazic to Mr. James G. Mahoney of 2255 Lake Shore Blvd. Mr. Mahoney has been recently honorably discharged from the army, after 3 years and 18 months of service.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pajk of 6812 Edna Ave., announce the engagement of their daughter Mary to Mr. Joseph Otnichar, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Zirne of Biwabik, Minnesota.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Godic of 1105 Norwood Rd., announce the engagement on Easter Sunday of their daughter Molly to Herman Meglich, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Meglich of 1003 E. 64th St.

### DEATH NOTICES

Gornik, John, Sr.—Husband of Mary (nee Cimperman), father of John, Jr. Andrew, Joseph, Anthony, Edward, Frank, William, Frances, Vidmar, Pauline, Zenzel and Marie. Residence at 1331 Giddings Road.

Grilz, Anna—Wife of John, sister of Hannan Dolinar. Residence at 1591 Whitcomb Ave.

Jurkovic, Vincent—Husband of Mary, father of Mary Robert. Residence at 1748 E. 36th St.

Kustis, Mary (nee Snider)—Mother of Ruth, Constance, Robert, William, daughter of Mary, sister of August, Albert, Milly, Albinia. Residence at 1418 E. 41st St.

Starke, Anton—Residence at 1225 E. 61st St.

Tomicic, Frank—Residence at 4096 E. 139th St.

Udovich, Frank—Husband of Rose, (nee Mismas), father of Frank, Victor, Joseph, Dorothy, Elsie, Rose, Marie, brother of Anton. Residence at 692 E. 98th St.

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