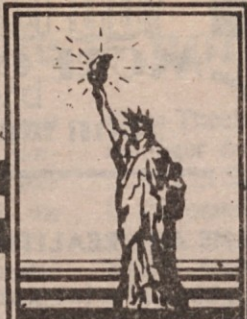


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Winters Celebrate 50 Golden Years



Louis and Ann Winter of Cleveland, Ohio celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on Sunday, November 3rd, at the Spanish Manor in Euclid.

They were married November 1st, 1941 at St. Mary Church (Collinwood), Cleveland.

Louis is a retired foreman from Fisher Body, Euclid Plant for 10 years. Ann is a homemaker, and currently holds the position of Recording Secretary for the Slovenian Women's Union, Branch 50 of Euclid, Ohio.

The "family party" was given by their daughters Dorothyann Winter of Cleveland, and Mr. and Mrs. John (Alyce) Germovsek of Willoughby Hills.

Iz Clevelanda in okolice

Prodaja peciva—

Materinski klub pri Sv. Vidu vabi na prodajo peciva, ki bo to soboto in nedeljo po vsaki sv. maši. To nedeljo prireja članice tudi zajtrk in sicer od 8.30 zj. do 1.30 pop. Nakaznice se bodo dobile pri vhodu in sicer po \$4 za odrasle in \$2 za otroke. Pridite!

Upokojenci Slov. pristave—

Klub upokojencev Slovenske pristave ima mesečno sejo v sredo, 20. novembra, ob 1.30 pop. v Baragovem domu. Članstvo lepo vabljen.

Seja že prihodnji teden—

Klub upokojencev v Nevburgu-Maple Hts. obvešča svoje članstvo, da bo zaradi Zahvalnega dne praznika redna mesečna seja teden preje in sicer že to sredo, 20. novembra, ob 1. pop., v Slovenskem narodnem domu na E. 80 St. Na tej seji si bodo mogli člani rezervirati vstopnice za božično kosilo.

Seja—

Podružnica št. 50 Slov. ženske zveze ima sejo v sredo, 20. novembra, ob 1. pop., v Euclidski javni knjižnici. Na seji bo tudi izvoljen odbor za prihodnje leto.

Taroški turnir—

V soboto, 30. novembra, bo taroški turnir in sicer v šolski dvorani pri Mariji Vnebovzeti.

Podporni prireditvi—

V stalnem boju za obstoj, prireja Slovenski narodni dom na St. Clairju razne prireditve. Naslednji dve bosta 27. in 29. novembra, torej dan pred in po Zahvalnem dnevu prazniku. V sredo, 27. nov., od 7.30 zv. do 1.30 zj. bodo igrali razni polka ansambli, na voljo bodo okrepčila (kuhinja in bara), vstopnina bo \$2 za nečlane SND. V petek, 29. nov., od 7. do 11. zv. bo pa ples, za katerega bo igral Joe Fedorchak orkester. Vstopnina bo \$5, odprti bosta kuhinja in bara. Prebitek bo namenjen vzdrževanju tega osrednjega narodnega doma. Za več informacije kličite tajnika SND na 361-5115 čez dan od torka do sobote.

30 let za Tonyja Petkovška—

Letos obhaja 30 neprekinjenih let na radijskih valovih Tony Petkovšek. Obletnico bo praznoval na letošnjem Zahvalni dan polka zabavi 28. novembra v Stouffer Tower City Plaza hotelu v mestnem središču. Zabava se bo pričela ob 4. pop. in trajala do 2. zj. Vstopnice po \$10 so v predprodaji, ali pa jih boste dobili pri vratih. V angleškem delu je oglaš z več podatki. Vstopnice se dobe pri Polka Hall of Fame, 291 E. 222 St. ali pri Kollandrovi agenciji na 971 E. 185 St., tel. 692-1000.

Lep koncert—

Preteklo soboto zvečer je imel pevski zbor Jadran jesenski koncert v SDD na Waterloo Rd. Udeležba je bila dobra, prav tako koncert.

Za Korotance—

Pevski zbor Korotan bo začel z vajami v soboto, 30. novembra, ob pol osmih zvečer, v Slovenskem narodnem domu na St. Clairju. Novi člani so dobrodošli.

Obisk—

Pretekli četrtek je nas obiskal dr. Janez Arnez in se zadržal z urednikom v daljšem pogovoru. Kot poroča na str. 9, je v Sloveniji ustanovljen raziskovalni institut Studia Slovenica. Hvala za obisk in pomenek!

Zborovanje v Miamiu—

Družba za slovenske študije bo imela nekaj sekcij na letnem zborovanju Ameriške zveze za slovanske študije, ki bo od 22. do 25. nov. v Miamiu. Sodeluje več ameriških slovenistov, več raziskovalcev bo prišlo tudi iz Slovenije. O zborovanju bomo še poročali.

Članstvo KSKJ št. 226—

Društvo Kristusa Kralja št. 226 KSKJ bo praznovalo praznik Kristusa Kralja v nedeljo, 24. novembra, s sv. mašo ob 10.30 v cerkvi sv. Vida. Takoj po cerkvenem opravi bo kosilo za člane društva v šolski dvorani. Prijave potrebne, kličite 944-0020.

Delajmo vsi za priznanje
Republike Slovenije!

Why isn't US supportive of Slovenia?

AMER. DOMOVINA 14 NOV 91 (AI)

by Patrick Buchanan
Nationally syndicated
columnist.

If the Black Berets of Boris Pugo and tanks of the Red army were rampaging through Lithuania, Americans would know what to do: suspend aid to Moscow, denounce the crime at the United Nations, impose sanctions, provide moral support for the embattled Lithuanians.

Why, then, are we paralyzed and silent at the ongoing rape of the republic of Croatia by the second-largest Red army in Europe and the Black Berets of Serbian Stalinist Slobodan Milosevic?

For three months — since Slovenia broke free of Belgrade — a bloody war of aggression has been waged against Croatia. First, by Serbian irregulars; now, by the Yugoslav army, with its blockades of Croatian ports and its airstrikes on Croatian towns. Initially, Serb nationalists said they only wanted to liberate Serb-populated areas; but, now, attacks are taking place all over Croatia in a Balkan reenactment of the wilding attack in Central Park.

Last June, leaders of the European Community, jealous of Mr. Bush's global standing, declared, "This is the hour of Europe!" Since then, they have fumbled the ball repeatedly, showing themselves incompetent to bring peace.

The reasons are familiar. Europeans are hopelessly divided because they are a diverse, contentious and amoral lot who, facing a crisis, immediately consult their own narrowest interests. They ask only one question: How will this affect me? For all the talk of a dynamic new "United States of Europe," they are the same old quarrelsome, disputatious and jealous

crowd they always were.

Thus, Berlin supports Slovenia and Croatia, both part of the old Hapsburg Empire, while Paris fears the detached republics will join an emergent German economic bloc. The British and Spanish fear that if they support Croatian independence, they may encourage their own independence-minded Welsh, Scots, Catalans and Basques.

So, the slaughter of the Croats goes on.

But where are the Americans who do enjoy a reputation for standing up for principle? Nowhere to be found — having taken a back seat to the squabbling Europeans who will not take the wheel.

Should Mr. Bush send the U.S. 7th Army in nearby Bavaria crashing into Croatia? Of course not. But cannot the White House see that Mr. Bush's endless emphasis on order and stability is being translated in Belgrade as U.S. indifference at best and indulgence at worst of a war of repression against a democratic republic seeking to shake free of the clammy hand of communist control?

Why is America not more supportive of Slovenia and Croatia?

No vital U.S. interest is at risk should the artificial creation of Yugoslavia come apart. Indeed, there is little we could do to hold it together, if we wished. As the breakaway republics are modeling their new nations on U.S. ideals, why not take their side?

True, there are billions in outstanding loans to Belgrade made in the past decade by American diplomats — some of whom are still steering U.S. policy in the Balkans. But, as some of us warned at the time, that money was gone the day we sent it.

What can America do?

Inform Belgrade that if it

does not halt its attacks on Croatia, we are calling in our loans, and putting them in default.

Second, state our view that not only is Europe communism dead but the old Yugoslavia is now history, and not only Croats and Slovenes but Serbs should choose their own future.

Then, recognize Slovenia and warn Belgrade if its army does not withdraw we will recognize Croatia — and put Mr. Milosevic in the same political basket as Saddam Hussein.

What Mr. Milosevic and his crowd want to do is create a Greater Serbia by using a superior military machine to seize as much territory and as many people as possible. (While Belgrade claims only to want to keep the Serbs together, it used force to hold Kosovo as well, which is 90 percent Albanian.)

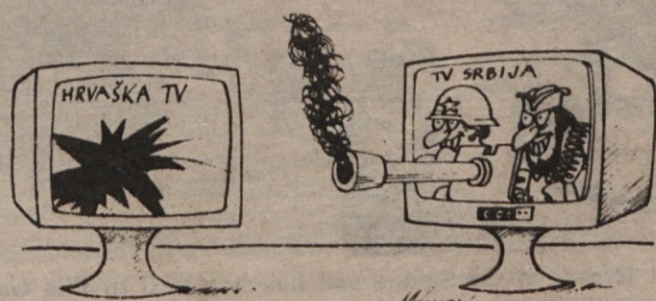
Theirs is a formula for permanent war in the Balkans. We are living in an age, Margaret Thatcher reminds us, where the notion of one people ruling another against its will is no longer tolerable.

In the crumbling Soviet Union, Great Russian chauvinists are watching Yugoslavia. If Europe and the United States will permit Serbia to bring dissident peoples under its control by force, they may believe there will be no objection if, in the name of keeping all Russians under one roof, Moscow's armies march into Kazakhstan or Ukraine.

Serbia's war in the Balkans could be the dress rehearsal for Russia's war to hold those swatches of the old empire where Russians live.

In Yugoslavia, there are deep wounds that have never healed. During World War II, Croatia sided with the Germans; the royalist Draža Mihailovich and his Chetniks

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by James V. Debevec

My heart goes out to the people of Dubrovnik. This city goes back not a few hundred years but for over a thousand. It was formerly called Ragusa and two hundred years ago was the second country in the world to offer formal recognition to the United States when it was fighting for its independence. Dubrovnik, a city in Croatia, is located on the northwest coast of the Adriatic Sea, nestled at the foot of the mountains.

Today it is under siege by the Yugoslav army.

Two years ago Madeline and I took the "Dalmatian Sunshine" tour and our first overnight stop was in Dubrovnik. Even though our flight landed in Belgrade, the capital of Serbia, and our luggage was confiscated by the authorities, and our connecting flight was delayed by hours and we were still functioning after almost a full day's traveling from Cleveland, we were stunned by the beauty of Dubrovnik. Upon arrival at the airport, we walked outside and just stopped and looked around. There were the mountains on one side and the green sea on the other, and in the middle was this ancient-walled city with a modern, busy town surrounding it. It was breathtaking.

The next day we toured the walled-in city that was founded by Greek refugees in the 7th century. We visited one of the world's oldest pharmacies in the Franciscan Monastery. (Our own Slovenian pharmacists, Joe Sheliga, Bogomir Kuhar, and Rudy Kozan and Frank Krasovec could certainly appreciate this first pharmacy). The charm of the city was exquisite. We were not the only ones who shared this thought, none of the members on our tour were from any of the republics of the former Yugoslavia and all agreed it was magnificent. A movie was being shot in period costumes as we watched. The people there were very friendly, and the food in the restaurants was delicious as we found that to be true throughout Croatia.

We walked on the ancient walls just as people did a thousand years ago. We walked to the harbor and took a boat ride to a neighboring island. It was a delightful and relaxing experience. (As John Mercina might say, we stopped to smell the roses, there).

The front page of The Cleveland Plain Dealer Wednesday, November 13, "In the port of Dubrovnik, gunners shelled the medieval center of the city, killing at least 20 people."

It is intolerable that Dubrovnik should be the target of destruction and ruin. *You don't rebuild something that took over a thousand years to build.*

It is unthinkable that the United States is standing by and letting this most important historical site be destroyed.

It is unreasonable and unbelievable that the United States is letting a part of world history succumb to modern-day firepower.

The Plain Dealer, further states, "Dubrovnik, under attack for five weeks, is a key Adriatic port and is an important cultural and historical site."

In September we took a tour of Washington, DC and our favorite site was the Thomas Jefferson Memorial. There are many of his writings on the walls of that open-air monument in which he faces the capital building. His thoughts are so important they are carved in stone. He is the prime author of the Declaration of Independence and stressed that free people govern themselves better under democracy than under any other system. If he were alive today, there would be tears in his eyes for Dubrovnik, one of the best friends of the United States, which is tragically being annihilated.

On television last night Prof. Brasia Krekic, now a professor of history at UCLA and formerly at the University of Indiana, and a specialist in the history of Dubrovnik, (which, as Dr. Rudolph Susel, editor of the Ameriška Domovina says the archives there are "extraordinary" and appear to be lost), said, "If this were Florence, the world would not stand by and let this happen. It must not happen. Its archives are irreplaceable."

My heart goes out to the people of Dubrovnik. The city must be preserved. The invasion is intolerable. The half-hearted attempt by the European Community and the United Nations to stop the havoc and destruction, is unfathomable and unacceptable.

It is the moral obligation of the free world to save the ancient city of Dubrovnik, the pearl of the Adriatic, and a retrospection of civilization itself.

Radio Zagreb Appeals

In its Tuesday, Nov. 12 broadcast, Radio Zagreb made an impassioned appeal to all Slovenians, Croatians, and peace-loving people in the United States. Specifically it urged everyone to write to their Congressmen and Senators regarding several bills coming up in Congress soon.

It referred to House Bill No. 3518, seeking sanctions against the Serbs. It has been co-sponsored by a number of members of Congress.

The second House Bill No. 224 is for recognition of both the Slovenian and Croatian republics.

In the Senate, Bill No. 1793 also asks for sanctions against Serbia. It is sponsored by Senator D'Amato.

Senator Gore is sponsoring the senate bill for recognition of both Slovenia and Croatia.

Letters should be written at once. The deadline is November 22nd, according to Radio Zagreb.

Letters and wires should be sent to House of Representatives, Washington, DC 20515.

Senators should be addressed: The Senate, Washington, DC 20510.

—Joseph Zelle

Buchanan...

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with the West; Marshal Josip Broz Tito with Stalin. On all sides, horrific atrocities were committed; no one can undo that terrible history or erase those awful memories.

But such a past makes it imperative that the future be built on ideas upon which Serbs, Croats and Slovenians can agree: freedom, liberty, self-determination, majority rule with full guarantee of minority rights, a commitment to the peaceful settlement of disputes, freedom of travel for all citizens, and a right of return.

Not a perfect formula, but it is about the best we have to offer to bring about the greatest measure of justice, tolerance and peace to regions that have known too much injustice, hatred and war. It is the American ideal.

100 WORDS MORE OR LESS by John Mercina

DREAMS AND REALITIES I

A neighbor of mine was a long-distance runner. At least three times a week he would run ten miles and regularly enter in the marathons. His dream was to compete in a marathon in Ireland and did so two weeks ago. Halfway through the grueling run he complained of chest pains and collapsed. He had a stroke and has since been in a coma.

Another neighbor of mine met a family recently which started a new life in this country. This family had no relatives or friends. My neighbor organized a drive at his office and in our neighborhood and in four days collected enough clothes, bedding, furniture and food to outfit a two-bedroom apartment. He found a job for the male and assisted in getting the children into a private school. When entering the apartment, the man exclaimed in broken English: "America—a dream!"

Dreams and realities in a typical American neighborhood on any given day. Take time to smell the flowers!

MJ

MATH CAN BE FUN

104. Multiply 1089 by 1, 2, 3, ... 9 writing the products in vertical arrangements. What do you observe about the order of the digits in the results?
105. Put numbers 1 — 11 on the dots so that the sums on eight diagonals are equal.
106. How can you show that one half of twelve is seven?

Previous problems:

101. — $11000 + 1100 + 11 = 12111$
102. — American Home
103. — Example: October 18, 1964, as shown:

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The St. Vitus Alumni honored four persons on Sunday, October 27. Joseph Zelle was one of them and his biography is hereby printed:

Joseph Zelle is the founder and first president of St. Vitus Alumni. He is a graduate of St. Vitus, Class of 1926.

In the fourth grade he was awarded a book entitled, "Hans Brinker and The Silver Skates," for being an outstanding student. As a young man, he attended Mass at St. Vitus every morning with his mother.

After his parents died he stayed with his sisters and took care of his younger brother. Every day he comes home from work and on his lunch hour takes Rudy (his brother) to lunch at different restaurants, an arrangement that makes Rudy very happy.

Rounding out his education: 9th grade - Willson Jr. High, Cathedral Latin - received medal for honor student and medal for excellence in German from Rt. Rev. Msgr. Nicholas Pheil; John Carroll University - graduated in three years with a Bachelor of Arts degree, Suma Cum Laude.

Zelle attended Cleveland College and Western Reserve University and received a Master's Degree.

His extra schooling includes Capital Radio Engineering Institute, Washington, D.C.; Radio Broadcasting Engineering, 1942 - 1947; two more years at Western Reserve University in physics and math. His formal education ended at John Carroll with more courses in physics and math in 1966.

Even with all the schooling, he made time to be editor of the Holy Name News and editor of the American Home, English page; was active in St.

Vitus Theatre Guild as a stage manager for 43 productions, mostly in Slovenian. He made 8 documentary films, eight poems and 12 manuscripts which were accepted. Also wrote 45 articles translating from Slovenian to English.

The Federal Communications Commission issued Mr. Zelle five licenses: Radio-telephone, Radio telegraph, Radio Amateur, Electrical Driver and Professional Engineer.

For employment, Zelle was studio engineer at WGAR, Cleveland, CBS, Columbia Broadcasting System in New York City, studio and transmitter engineer. He worked for OWI, Office of War Information (now Voice of America) as a radio consultant engineer.

He was radio engineering and instructor in electronics at Max Hayes Trade School, Cleveland; instructor in Slovenian at Cleveland State University; radio announcer on WERE and was a part-time instructor at Cuyahoga Community College in physics and electronics.

He was a consultant during construction of E.E.G. Lab at St. Luke's Hospital for Dr. Centa, a St. Vitus graduate.

Noteworthy: Zelle was one of the very first in the whole world to pick up and record the signals of Sputnik as it passed over Cleveland just before midnight on Friday, October 4, 1957.

The following month on November 23, a beeping signal was picked up for three or four minutes before it faded out. It was believed to be the failed Sputnik III. The signal reappeared 1 hour and 49 minutes later at 3:40 for 10 to 15 seconds but was extremely weak. It was denied by Moscow. Numerous articles

from radio were translated from Russian by Joe Zelle.

He is self-taught to read and play music on the piano and electronic organ. He also accumulated a minor in music from Western Reserve University. Zelle is listed in *Who's Who* in the Midwest, in *Frontiers of Science and Technology* and in *Science and Engineering*.

Not selfish with all his knowledge, he believed he could still teach students, but because of age, Cuyahoga Community College refused to rehire him as part-time instructor in 1985-86. Joe's contract was renewed after settling out of court.

Awards received:

Outstanding Public Service, Edison Radio Amateur Citation; National Academy of Sciences, U.S. National Comm.; Honorary Engineer - Comp. Inc.; Certificate of Appreciation - United States Air Force; Honorable Mention - Documentary films; Man of Year Award - Bishop Baraga Association; Honor Citation 1979 - Religious broadcasts; Golden Anniversary Award 1989 by Quarter Century Wireless Association; Honoree 1991 - Founder of

St. Vitus Alumni and First Founding President of St. Vitus Alumni, two terms 1988 - 89.

Lifetime Member:

Ohio Retired Teachers, KSKJ No. 172, St. Vitus Holy Name, Slovenian Research Center, Friends of Slovenian Home, 700 Club, North Shore Animal League, Executive Member of Slovenian Chapel, Washington, D.C.; Vice President, Catholic Missions, Cleveland; Executive Committee President for Bishop Gregory Rozman's Portrait for the Mohorjeva Družba in Celovec, Corinthia, Austria, and St. Vitus Alumni, Cleveland, Ohio.

—Submitted by Vera Hlad

Turkey Festival

St. Mary parish, 15519 Holmes Avenue, Collinwood, Cleveland will sponsor its Fall Turkey Festival on Sunday, Nov. 24 from 2 to 8:30 p.m. in the old church hall.

Chicken/roast beef dinners will be served in the school cafeteria the same day (\$8 for adults and \$4 for children under 12).

Bake Sale

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— Recent Deaths —

ANTHONY ZALLER

Services for Anthony Zaller, 89, of Euclid, a former machinist for the General Electric Co. in Cleveland, were at 9:30 a.m. Wednesday, November 13 at St. Felicitas Church, Euclid. Mr. Zaller died Saturday, Nov. 9 at his daughter's home in Eastlake.

Born September 27, 1902 in Forest City, Pa., he lived in Cleveland before moving to Euclid 34 years ago.

He was employed with General Electric for 34 years before retiring in 1967.

He was a member of St. Joseph Lodge No. 169 of KSKJ, and Moose Lodge 117, and Holmes Avenue Pensioners.

Survivors are his daughters, Frances Belcher of Eastlake, and Alice Suchevisit Kufrin of Euclid; son, Robert of Phoenix, Ariz.; brothers, Edward of Eastlake, and Cyril of Euclid; sisters, Josephine Grdina of Euclid, and Julia Maizel of Willowick; and 11 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

His wife, Frances (Lavrich); son, Raymond; brothers, John, Daniel, and Frank; and sisters, Pauline Belgan and Agnes Pirnat, are deceased.

Friends called at Brickman and Sons Funeral Home, 21900 Euclid Ave., Euclid. Burial was in All Souls Cemetery in Chardon Township.

The family suggests contributions to the Slovene Home for the Aged, 18621 Neff Road, Cleveland, 44119.

PAUL J. KARAZ

Paul J. Karaz, 65, died suddenly Tuesday, October 15th.

Mr. Karaz was born in Masury, Ohio and came to Cleveland in 1946 after serving in the U.S. Army during WWII.

He was employed as a sewing machine repairman at the Euclid Division of Fisher Body for 31 years, retiring in 1979.

He was the brother of Helen (Karaz) Cvetic, Martha (Blatnik) Kaska, John Karaz (CA), and Joseph Blatnik (Secretary of SNPJ Farm Board for 25 years).

He was the uncle of five and great-uncle.

Friends called at Zele Funeral Home, 452 E. 152 St. Thursday, Oct. 24. Mass was held Friday at St. Mary Magdalene Church at 10 a.m. Burial in All Souls Cemetery.

Donations to the American Heart Association or a charity of your choice, in his memory, would be appreciated by the family.

JOSEPH GODEC JR.

Services for Joseph Godec Jr., 65, of Wickliffe, a retired machinist were Wednesday, Nov. 13 at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church, 29840 Euclid Ave., Wickliffe.

Mr. Godec died Saturday at Richmond Heights Hospital.

Born May 19, 1926, in Cleveland, Mr. Godec lived in

Wickliffe for the past 60 years.

He was a member of the Euclid Veterans Club, George Washington Lodge 26 and the SNPJ Loyalties Lodge 158.

He worked as a machinist at Ajax Manufacturing Co. in Euclid for 40 years. For the past seven years, he worked at the TRW Valve Division in Euclid until his retirement earlier this year.

Survivors are his wife, Eleanor; daughters, Judith Ann Grady of Wickliffe and Janet Marie Gooding of Twinsburg; son, Ronald of Wickliffe; four grandchildren; and sister, Julie Sabbatis of Florida.

His brother, Stanley Godec, is deceased.

Friends called at Brickman Funeral Home, 21900 Euclid Ave., Euclid.

Burial was in All Souls Cemetery in Chardon Township.

FRANK J. BERZIN

Services for Frank J. Berzin, 77, lifelong Euclid resident, owner of Palisades bowling centers in Euclid, Wickliffe and Mentor, and Normandy Party Center and Pine Ridge Country Club, both in Wickliffe, were at 9:30 a.m. Monday, November 11 at St. Paul's Catholic Church, East 200t and Chardon Road, Euclid.

Mr. Berzin died Thursday, Nov. 7 at home.

He was born April 17, 1914 in Cleveland.

Mr. Berzin was a founder of the former Independent Bank in Euclid and a trustee for Richmond Heights General Hospital. He was a member of the Euclid Exchange Club.

Survivors are his wife, Dorothy (Zelenka); son, Russell of Highland Heights, daughter, Lois Cross of Euclid; sister, Mary Veinfortner of Bedford Heights; and several grandchildren.

His brothers, Joseph and Anthony, are deceased.

Friends called at Brickman & Sons Funeral Home, 21900 Euclid Ave., Euclid. Burial was in All Souls Cemetery in Chardon Township.

The family suggests contributions to American Cancer Society, 1148 Euclid Ave., Cleveland 44115.

MARY MAROLT

Mary Marolt (nee Skuly), 79, died Friday, November 8th in Wickliffe Country Place.

Mary was born in Cleveland, the daughter of Frank and Anna Skuly, both deceased. She was the wife of Edward who died in 1964, the sister of Anna Krulac (dec.), and Rose Tisavec; aunt of five.

Funeral services were held Monday at Zele Funeral Home, 452 E. 152 St. Burial in All Souls Cemetery.

FRANCES TURK

Frances Turk (nee Zalar), 97, of East 64th St., passed away in Meridia Euclid Hospital on Saturday, November 9th.

Frances was born in Borov-

nica, Carniola, Slovenia and came to Cleveland in 1911.

She was the widow of Anton who died in 1937, the mother of Anthony (dec.), Frances (Thomas) Stadler, Mary Jane (Louis) Lerer (Toledo), Josep and Dorothy DiLillo; grandmother of 16; great-grandmother of 19.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at St. Vitus Church. Burial was in Calvary Cemetery. The family suggests donations, in her memory, to St. Vitus Church, 6019 Glass Ave., 44103.

EDWARD KOVIC

Edward Kovic, 81, a resident of Euclid for 45 years, formerly of the Collinwood area, died at his daughter's residence in Mentor, on Saturday, November 9th.

Ed was born in Yugoslavia and came to Cleveland in 1921.

He was retired from Lincoln Electric where he was employed as a Supervisor of the Tool & Die department for 37 years. He was a former supervisor at Mutual Metal Products.

He was a member of KSKJ lodge St. Joseph No. 169, the Euclid Pensioners, Fairport Pensioners, Fraternal Order of Eagles Aerie No. 2221 charter member.

He was the husband of Frances (nee Stimac); father of Joyce Kranik, and Judith Naininger; grandfather of eight; and brother of Mary Stimac, Katherine Cesen (dec.), and John (dec.).

Funeral services are today (Thursday) November 14 at Zele Funeral Home, 452 E. 152 St., at 8:45 and at St. Christine Church at 9:30 a.m. Burial in All Souls Cemetery.

ANGELA SEBOLD

Angela Sebold (nee Certalic), 79, died Saturday, November 9 in Wickliffe Country Place. Angela was born in Cleveland, Ohio. She was a resident of Willowick for 27 years.

She was a member of KSKJ Lodge No. 162 and SNPJ No. 556.

Angela was the wife of Alfonse.

Funeral services were private. Burial was in Calvary Cemetery. Zele Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

EMMA PLUT

Emma Plut (nee Misich), 87, a Euclid resident for 35 years, passed away in University Hospitals.

Emma was born in Cleveland. She was employed at Meldens Dept. Store and Wrights Dry Goods for 30 years as a sales clerk.

Emma was a member of SNPJ No. 158 Loyalties, AMLA No. 27 and the Euclid Pensioners.

She was the widow of Martin who died in 1976 and the sister of Theodore Sr. and Frank (both dec.), aunt of Ted, Gary, Don and Dave Misich and Donna Ulthe; great aunt of 11, great-great aunt of two.

Friends called at Zele Funeral Home, 452 E. 152 St., Wednesday, Nov. 6 where services were held Thursday, Nov. 7 at 11 a.m. Pastor James Davis of the Willoughby Hills Friends Church officiated. Burial was in Knollwood.

St. Clair Pensioners News

The group that traveled to the Carousel Dinner Theatre on Wednesday, October 30th, enjoyed a real treat. The scheduled production was "Fiddler on the Roof." Many of us had at one time or another enjoyed the movie version, but the Carousel staged production, in my estimation, was more impressive and superbly presented. I am glad that I was able to squeeze it into my schedule. Wouldn't mind seeing it again.

Not much left to the year and still much to do before the year's end. For instance, at our November meeting, Thursday, November 21st, we will be electing officers for the coming year. We urge members, if at all possible, to attend this important meeting. It is your duty to take part in the elections.

Then on December 2nd, the representatives to the Federation of Pensioner Clubs meet at our St. Clair meeting area. The Federation currently consists of the Clubs from Barberton, Euclid, Holmes Avenue, Maple Heights, St. Clair, and Waterloo. They meet quarterly, and by rotation at the various club meeting places. They will be electing officers for the Federation for 1992, at the December meeting.

And then on Thursday, December 12, members of our St. Clair Club will celebrate the Holiday season with a dinner. We remind members that their dues must be paid up to be eligible. This should be done at the latest at the November meeting, when tickets will be available.

Along with these Club activities, we all will no doubt be busy in preparation and celebration of the approaching holidays.

I am happy to report that Jennie Strumbel is again circulating among us, as she continues in the healing process. Good to have her back.

Kaj Plavan is now residing at the Gateway Euclid Family House. "Amazing Kati" at age — shows little signs of ever slowing up. Even the surgery she underwent some months ago, did nothing to curb her energy. I do expect to see her at our Christmas dinner.

Julia Kamber, after a short hospital stay, is back at the Gateway and is glad to be back.

Anne Filipic is slowly on the recovery road. Hopefully she will soon be seen out among her circle of many friends and admirers. She is missed.

Josephine Mohorcic, sad to say, is going through a period of misery and has had to curb her activities for a while.

We received a card from Angela Kovach thanking us for our wishes and prayers, and asks that we continue with the prayers as she struggles toward recovery. Angela was a regular at our meetings and she is missed; hope to have her back soon.

To these and others who are on the sick list we pray will soon be fully recovered. Winter is upon us, so bundle up, stay warm and take your vitamins.

As we draw close to this Thanksgiving Day, the officers of the St. Clair Pen-

sioners Club wish to extend their greetings to all of our members, and to their many friends. May your Thanksgiving be a happy gathering of family and or friends.

Let us bow our heads and thank God for all of his goodness. Let it be a true and sincere Thanksgiving Day!

Will see you at the meeting on Thursday, November 21st.

—Stanley J. Frank

AHA Auxiliary News

The Slovenian Home for the Aged Auxiliary will decorate the Home for Christmas on Monday, December 2nd at 9:30 a.m.

Make reservations for lunch by calling Eleanor Pavey or Bertha Walden at 531-4445.

Decorations will be removed on Monday, January 13 at 9:30 a.m.

In Memory

Enclosed is a check for \$45 to cover annual subscription plus \$20 in memory of my parents, Louis and Jennie Sever.

Dorothy (Sever) Kraft Mt. Clemens, Mich. P.S.—Since our trip to Slovenia in 1983 my husband Bernard is an avid reader of AH English section, and especially articles pertaining to Slovenia.

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—M. Markun

Eleanore C. Karlinger, St. Vitus Honoree

Eleanore Karlinger was honored on Sunday, October 27 as one of the four St. Vitus inductees into their hall of fame. Eleanore C. Karlinger was secretary at St. Vitus Parish for 33 years until the onset of her illness in 1970. During those years she worked with the late Msgr. Bartholemew J. Ponikvar, Msgr. Louis B. Baznik, and the late Rev. Rudolph Praznik.

Eleanor was born in Cleveland to Charles and Johanna Karlinger, the third of four children. At the age of three, she was stricken with polio. She was determined it would not hamper her life or her activities.

She enrolled in St. Vitus School in the seventh grade, and graduated in 1925. At age 16, she graduated from Notre Dame Academy, as class valedictorian. She received a four year scholarship to Notre Dame College, but was unable to attend, as there was no public transportation to Green Road.

For a short time after graduation, Eleanor did voluntary teaching of singing and music at St. Vitus school. She helped care for the sick, and assisted mothers with their newly born babies. After a lapse of one year, the Sisters at Notre Dame College insisted she attend, and live in residence. That was in 1930. To help defray the cost of the residents fee, Eleanor worked 25 hours a week at the college, in various duties. She completed one year at Notre Dame College.

After that, Eleanor became involved with various projects and organizations. On September 1, 1937, Eleanor began as a paid employee of

St. Vitus parish. She began by assisting Msgr. Ponikvar with enrollment of school children.

In addition to her parish duties, she assisted Father Andrew A. Andrey with the *Sodality News*, Father Mathias Jager with the Baraga Glee Club, and upon his appointment as Pastor of Sacred Heart Church in Barberton, Ohio, took over as director of the glee club. The organizations Eleanor belonged to which are no longer in existence, were Orels, Our Ladys Sodality and Father Andrey's Study Club. She is still a member of the St. Vitus Holy Name Society, of which she is a lifetime member. She belongs to St. Vitus Christian Mothers Club, St. Vitus Altar Society, S.W.U. No. 50, and St. Vitus Alumni.

Upon the death of her father in 1951, Eleanor continued with the insurance business her father had established. This she did in addition to her employment at St. Vitus.

While at St. Vitus, Eleanor took care of all the First Mass banquets for the newly ordained priests. In the early years of the St. Vitus Holy Name Society, there were at least 450 members in attendance at Mass and group communion each month. Some of the men who were most active in the Holy Name at that time were Frank Brooks, Stanley Frank, the late Michael Kolar and the late Abbott Bonaventure Bandi.

During her years at St. Vitus, there were many hardships to endure, obstacles to hurdle, but to Eleanor it was a privilege to work in the shadow of the Tabernacle. It was her vocation. She had other goals in life, but they did

not materialize. Her niche in life was carved. *It was St. Vitus.*

Eleanor touched the lives of hundreds of persons, and still does to this day. She is an inspiration to all who are privileged to know her. She is loved and respected by all, especially for her kindness and caring ways. So much has been added to the lives of her friends and to the community by this most remarkable lady.

—by Dorothy A. Stanonik

Meeting

Because of the Thanksgiving holiday the meeting of the Newburgh-Maple Heights Pensioners Club will be held one week earlier on November 20 at 1 p.m. at the Slovenian National Home, East 80 St.

Please come and make your reservations for the Christmas dinner.

Meeting

Slovenian Women's Union Branch 50 will meet on Wednesday, November 20th at 1 p.m. at Euclid Public Library. Election of officers will take place. All members are urged to attend this important meeting.

RECIPE

PORK CHOPS WITH HONEY PEACHES

4 medium-sized peaches
1 tablespoon Dijon mustard
1 tablespoon salad oil
1/2 teaspoon salt
honey
4 pork loin, blade, rib, or sirloin chops, each 1 inch thick
parsley sprigs for garnish
About 45 minutes before serving:

1. Peel, pit, and chop 2 peaches. Peel, halve, and pit remaining 2 peaches; set aside.

2. In 1-quart saucepan over medium-high heat, heat chopped peaches, mustard, salad oil, salt, and 2 tablespoons honey to boiling, stirring occasionally. Reduce heat to low; cover and simmer 5 minutes. Remove cover and cook 5 minutes longer, stirring occasionally.

3. Preheat broiler if manufacturer directs. Arrange pork chops and peach halves, cut-side down, on rack in broiling pan. Spoon half of cooked peach mixture over pork chops; brush peach halves with some honey.

4. Place pan in broiler at closest position to source of heat; broil 10 minutes. Turn pork chops and peach halves; spoon remaining peach mixture over pork chops and brush cut sides of peaches with honey. Broil 8 minutes longer or until chops are fork-tender.

5. With pancake turner, remove broiled peaches to cutting board. Cut peach halves into fans: Starting close to stem end, cut each peach half lengthwise into 7 or 8 thin slices. Spread slices to form open fan, being careful to keep peach halves intact.

6. Arrange pork chops and peach fans on platter; garnish with parsley sprigs. Makes 4 main-dish servings.

Teacher: Use the word "tackle" in a sentence.

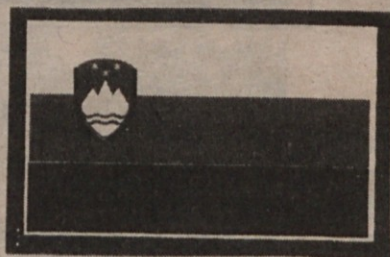
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Coming Events...

Saturday, November 23

Indianapolis, IN — Fantje na Vasi and the Alpine Sextet will be performing at Holy Trinity's Bockhold Hall, 902 N. Holmes Street at 7 p.m. For tickets, \$10, call 271-8340 or 299-3266. Sponsored by Slovenian Cultural Society and Slomšek Kulturno Društvo.

Sunday, November 24

St. Mary (Holmes Ave.) parish annual fall festival and turkey raffle starting at 3 p.m. in the old church hall.

Wednesday, Nov. 27

Pre-Thanksgiving Jam Session, Club of Associations of SNH, 6409 St. Clair Ave., featuring Zeke and Charlie the Boys from St. Clair, Roman Possedi and many more. 7:30 p.m. until ?

Thursday, November 28

Tony Petkovsek's 30th Thanksgiving Polka Party at Stouffer Tower City Plaza, downtown Cleveland. Donation \$10.00.

Friday, Nov. 29

Post-Thanksgiving Dance, Slovenian National Home, 6417 St. Clair Avenue. "Full Ballroom Dancing" featuring Joe Fedorchak Orchestra, 7:30 p.m. until ?

Saturday, Nov. 30

The Collinwood Slovenian Home 'Polka Capital's' Ninth Annual Thanksgiving Dinner Dance from 6 p.m. until... Donation \$12.00

Tuesday, Dec. 3

Slovenian Women's Union No. 14 Christmas Party, 6 p.m. at Slovenian Society Home, Euclid. Members call 481-7473 or 585-4227.

Sunday, December 15

Christmas Party for KSKJ Youth members of lodges St. Lawrence No. 63, St. Joseph No. 146 and St. Anne's No. 150 at Slovenian Hall on E. 80th St., 3 p.m.

Tuesday, Dec. 31

Singing Society Korotan New Year's Eve Party. Music by Trio Mejač.

Cleveland food drive

Cleveland Mayor Michael R. White joined Fr. Walter Jenne, Chairman of the Greater Cleveland Committee on Hunger (GCCH), and its membership to announce a joint community-wide food drive campaign in February, 1992.

GCCH members taking part include the Cleveland Foodbank, Inc., the Greater Cleveland Interchurch Council Hunger Task Force, the Catholic Hunger and Shelter Network, the Salvation Army, the United Way Services, the Jewish Community Federation and the City of Cleveland.

"The first annual campaign is set to kick-off next February with a goal of raising \$500,000 worth of food. I would like to take this opportunity to join GCCH in inviting Cleveland's industries, media and organizations to play an active part in this humanitarian cause," said Mayor White.

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A visit to St. Matthew Cathedral, Washington

by Rev. Victor N. Tome

The culmination of the memorable Baraga Days trip this year was the visitation of St. Matthew Cathedral.

This site should never be missed when one comes to the capitol city of our country, Washington, D.C.

Although the area in which this important building is situated, the business section, that is somewhat congested, it is not a too impressive building.

However, on entering the interior, one is filled with awe at the enormous, majestic, assembly place for the religious observance of the official honor and praise to the glory of God, for all diocesan functions.

In this cathedral, the funeral rites were performed for the late President John F. Kennedy and his brother, Senator Robert Kennedy, both buried from this gorgeous religious center.

On entering the main entrance and passing through the large vestibule, one enters the nave of the church where the sanctuary light catches your attention to observe the place of our Eucharistic Lord's presence at the left side altar of the main sanctuary of the church. The mosaic on the near wall depicts the scene of the two apostles leaving Jerusalem for Emmaus. They left in dejection that now all was in vain since Christ's death, First Friday.

Remember, when Christ came in their presence, they did not recognize him until He was invited for a repast at the inn. At the breaking of the bread, He was recognized.

The tabernacle is set to the front and the apostles, one on either side. What an awesome depiction of the event.

The side altar to the right of the sanctuary shows the "Espousal" (engagement) of Mary to Joseph, a truly magnificent art piece.

Everyone greatly appreciated our stop to be able to view this beautiful House of God — the capitol city of our beloved country, where Christ is given official honor and praise in the name of all Catholics in the United States of America. This was our final stop before

we left the capitol and will be a joyful memory to our group for many years.

When ready to leave, the traffic situation had increased, but was capably handled by our men travelers who stopped traffic with arms out-stretched while the police just stood and smiled. Momentarily we thought we'd be given a citation for taking the law into our

own hands.

All agreed that this Bishop Baraga trip of 1991 was the most exciting and gratifying and definitely the best of all of our 17 yearly trips, commemorating and praying for the beatification of Bishop Baraga.

Thanks to our bus driver Jack Kellog, who made this trip an exciting and enjoyable experience.

Vice Postulator for Bishop Baraga's Cause,
Rev. Victor Tome

Jam Session

Slovenian National Home Club Room, 6409 St. Clair is sponsoring its 2nd annual "Jam Session" on Wednesday, November 27 from 7:30 p.m. to 1 a.m.

Featured artists include Chicago's Roman Possedi, Corky Godec, Zeke and Charley, Rudy Bukovec's "Homesteaders," Pinky Trinko, Johnny Gerl, Lorain's Jack Bibble, Ron Slogar, and WELW's Denny Bucar.

Refreshments will be available. Admission is \$2 at the door for non-members.

For more information contact the secretary at 361-5115 days, Tuesday thru Saturday or Publicity Chairperson at 943-5190 evenings.

Art Guild News

The Slovenian National Art Guild will meet on Monday, November 18 at 7:30 p.m. at the Slovenian Society Home, 20713 Recher Avenue, Euclid. Hostesses are Millie Hegler, Bea Pestotnik and Enika Zulic.

The featured guest will be Mitsuko Sakata, Master artist of Japan who will demonstrate Sumi, an ancient Oriental art form developed from the calligraphy of 11th century China and 14th century Japan which strives to capture the inner essence and serene spirit of nature.

The "Splasher Books" will make lovely Christmas gifts, especially at the attractive price of \$4. Contact Doris Sadar at 943-1959 and she will get the books to you.

Members of the Art Guild will be teaching a class in Slovenian Culture on Saturday mornings in February at Forest Park Middle School in Euclid. Classes are open to all children in grades 3 to 6. Children do not have to live in Euclid. Cost is \$40.

Easter Seals Polkathon in PA

The Slovenian Heritage Association will sponsor the Third Annual Easter Seals Polkathon at the Hermine Slovenian Ballroom on Sunday, November 17.

Come out to meet the new Easter Seals Poster Child. Jennifer Gabriel is four-and-one-half years of age and resides in Jefferson Boro. This will be her first appearance as the Poster Child.

The Slovenian Heritage Association will be in charge of the kitchen, bazaar and bake sale. The Easter Seal Society will have members at the door to greet guests.

Entertainment will be by Sam Pugliano Orchestra, the Joe Grkman Orchestra, the Frank Kalik Orchestra, the Buttoneers, the Logan's Ferry Button Box Club and the Hermine Button Box Club.

Donation for this annual event to help crippled children is just \$5.

For additional information call Sally Leskosek, Chairperson, at 446-7023 any evening.

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Evropska skupnost in ZDA končno uvedle ekonomske sankcije zoper Srbijo — Veliko žrtev v zadnjem tednu — Slovenija mirna

V zadnjem tednu so domala vsa zahodna sredstva obveščanja namenila veliko pozornosti srbskim napadom na mesto Dubrovnik. Ti napadi so najbrž vodili neposredno do sankcij zoper Jugoslavijo oz. Srbijo, ki so jih uvedle države Evropske skupnosti. Tem sankcijam so se brez navdušenja pridružile tudi ZDA, čeprav je predsednik Bush rekel, da ne pričakuje uspeha po tej poti. S tem je soglašal tudi predsednik hrvaške vlade Franjo Grgurić, ki je označil sankcije kot »mehek in negotov« političen pritisk, ki ne bo imel posebnega učinka.

Poročila iz bojišč v Hrvatski poudarjajo, da so bili spopadi najsrditejši doslej. Tako so poročila, da je bilo v bojih v okolici Vukovara v treh dneh ubitih 140 hrvaških vojakov, v enem dnevu pa naj bi padlo po poročilu v londonskem *Financial Timesu* skoro 50 vojakov JA. V Vukovaru še vedno potekajo poulični boji, v katerih pa menda srbska stran napreduje.

Danes je v Beogradu lord Carrington, angleški diplomat, ki načeljuje mirovni konferenci o Jugoslaviji, ki jo sponzorira Evropska skupnost. Ločeno se je sestel s hrvaškim predsednikom Franjom Tuđmanom in srbskim predsednikom Slobodanom Miloševićem. Navzoč je tudi bivši ameriški državni sekretar Cyrus Vance, ki je angažiran kot posebni odposlanec generalnega sekretarja Združenih narodov. Varnostni svet ZN naj bi odobril sankcije zoper Jugoslavijo, predvsem v zvezi z nafto. Evropska skupnost bo zaprosila za izredno zasedanje Varnostnega sveta z namenom, da obravnava poglobljajočo se jugoslovansko krizo.

Včerajšnji *Financial Times* poroča, da so zahodni diplomati v Jugoslaviji zaskrbljeni med drugim nad uvedbo cenzure nad domačim in tujim tiskom v Hrvaški, ter nad vojno psihozo, ki prevladuje v Srbiji.

Kljub izgubam, ki jih je Hrvaška utrpela v neenakih bojih z močno oboroženo srbsko vojsko oziroma JA, je hrvaški Vrhovni svet izjavil, da se bo Hrvaška branila pred napadalci. Govorice, nadaljuje izjava, da je Hrvaška pripravljena pristati na pogajanja o

odstopu najmanjšega dela hrvaškega ozemlja, so neresnične, to s še posebnim poudarkom na Dubrovnik in Vukovar. Poveljnik hrvaških sil je rekel, da pričakuje v naslednjem tednu odločilen napad s strani JA.

Wall Street Journal o Jugoslaviji

V torek je objavil vplivni *Wall Street Journal* daljši uvodniški komentar o uvedbi sankcij zoper Srbijo. Časopis, ki je bil vedno dokaj naklonjen republikam Sloveniji in Hrvaški, to posebej v primerjavi z *New York Timesom*, meni, da sankcije ne bodo nič prispevale k ustavitvi srbske agresije. Če bi bile ZDA in Evropska skupnost razsodnejše v priznavanju neizogibnosti razpada Jugoslavije že pred meseci, bi najbrž bila njih politika uspešnejša. ZDA so bile mnjenja, meni *WSJ*, da bodo mogle uporabljati ekonomsko pomoč kot pritiskovalno sredstvo, s tem pa so usodno podcenjevale ambicij Miloševića in njegovih vojaških pajdašev. Ko so ZDA svojo napako ugotovile, je bilo prepozno, in so krizo prepustile Evropski skupnosti. Za list, ki običajno močno podpira predsednika Busha in njegovo politiko, so te besede precej hude.

V svoji analizi poudarja *WSJ*, da je Nemčija želela priznati Slovenijo in Hrvaško v času potem, ko je slovensko in nato hrvaško prebivalstvo glasovalo za neodvisnost. Glavna ovira naj bi bila Francija. Končno sta se Francija in Nemčija sporazumela o nekakšni mirovni enoti ES, vendar pod pogojem, da soglašajo vse sprte strani v bivši Jugoslaviji z ZN vred. *Wall Street Journal* priznava, da je absurdno misliti o kakšni novi Jugoslaviji v času, ko so druge republike SFRJ odklonile srbsko dominacijo. Dejstvo je, zaključuje list, da zahodne politike do Jugoslavije sploh ni, ker dvanajst držav ES, ki sicer govorijo o želji za politično združevanje, ne more doseči nobenega soglasja razen za uvedbo ekonomskih sankcij. Morda bodo res uspeli ustaviti vojno s prepovedjo izvoza masla v Jugoslavijo oziroma Srbijo, a se ne zdi verjetno.

V poročilih osrednjih zahodnih sredstev obveščanja v zadnjem tednu, je Slovenija le redko omenjena. Izjema je članek v torkovem *Financial Timesu*, ki poroča o rednem delovanju ljubljanske borze.



V torek je jugoslovanska vojska obstreljevala tudi osrednji del Dubrovnika s pristaniščem vred. Poročilo v včerajšnjem *New York Timesu* pravi, da so bili uničeni vsi čolni in jahti ter druge ladje v pristanišču. Posnetek zgoraj bi to prej potrdil kot zanimal. Granate so baje poškodovale med drugimi umetnostnimi spomeniki frančiškanski in dominikanski samostan ter Stradun, glavno mestno sprehajališče. Posebna tarča topničarjev so tudi hoteli, v katerih so ob odsotnosti turistov nastanjeni begunci. Več teh hotelov je ali uničenih ali močno poškodovanih. V Dubrovniku je po zadnjih podatkih še 50 tisoč ljudi.

NOVI GROBOVI

Anna Voje

Umrla je Anna Voje, rojena Miklavčič, vdova po Josephu, mati Josephine Strle, Anne Krevh in že pok. Sylvije Krasovec, 10-krat stara mati, 13-krat prastara mati. Pogreb bo iz Grdina-Faulhaber zavoda na Lake Shore Blvd. danes, 14. nov., v cerkev sv. Viljema ob 10.30 in nato na Vernih duš pokopališče.

Antonia Tolwinski

Umrla je 71 let stara Antonia Tolwinski, rojena Gričar, vdova po Franku, sestra Frančiške Bratković, Ančke Čonta in Milke Kramar (vse v Slov.), teta Marijana Gričarja ter Janeza, Tonija in Rudyja Bratkovića, vsi z družinami. Pogreb bo iz Zak zavoda na 6016 St. Clair Ave. danes, 14. nov., v cerkev sv. Vida dop. ob 9.30 in nato na pokopališče sv. Križa.

Edward Kovic

Dne 9. novembra je na domu hčerke v Mentorju umrl 81 let stari Edward Kovic, rojen v Sloveniji, v Cleveland pa prišel l. 1921, zadnjih 45 let živeč v Euclidu, prej v Collinwoodu, mož Frances, roj. Stimac, oče Joyce Kranik in Judith Naininger, 8-krat stari oče, brat Mary Stimac ter že pok. Katherine Cesen in Johna, zaposlen pri Lincoln Electric 37 let, do svoje upokojitve, član KSKJ št. 169, Kluba upokojencev v Euclidu

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Dubrovnik in srbska logika

Srbsko obleganje Dubrovnika traja že poldrugi mesec. Nima namreč nobenega smisla pisati ločeno o Srbiji in srbskih vstajnikih na eni ter »Jugoslovanski« armadi na drugi strani. Gre za eno in isto. Nobeno drugo dejanje v vojni med Srbijo in Hrvaško ni toliko razburilo svetovno javnost kot ravno srbski napadi na Dubrovnik. Če kaj, je obstreljevanje Dubrovnika igralo pomembno vlogo pri tolikokrat ob prejšnjih izzivanjih s srbske strani odloženi odločitvi Evropske skupnosti, da končno uvede sankcije zoper Srbijo. Tem sankcijam so se pridružile tudi ZDA, čeprav je predsednik Bush dejal, da ne pričakuje kaj prida uspeha od le-teh.

Srbsko vodstvo, s Slobodanom Miloševićem in vojaškim vrhom na čelu, je moralo pričakovati, da bodo zahodne države slej ali prej prisiljene javno ukrepati zoper Srbijo. Ker so izbrali ravno Dubrovnik za tarčo napadov, so morali v Srbiji vedeti, kakšna bo zahodna reakcija. Če kaj, so v Beogradu najbrž več presenečeni od tega, da reakcija zahodnih držav ni bila hitrejša in ostrejša.

Upravičeno smemo torej sklepati, da je v beograjskem početju v vojni zoper Hrvaško in tu s poudarkom ravno na Dubrovnik vendarle precej logike v navidezni ponorelosti. Če pristanemo na ugotovitev, da je srbski cilj ustanovitev nekakšne »Velike Srbije«, dobiva srbsko oziroma vojaško početje zadnje mesece na Hrvaškem in v Sloveniji določeno smisel. Kljub temu, da Evropska skupnost ponavlja, da agresija ne bo nagrajena, Srbija na to ne stavi veliko, in gotovo ima prav. Pričakovati je namreč, da bo na en ali drug način končno prišlo do nekakšne resnejše »mirovne« konference za Jugoslavijo. Na tako konferenco bo Srbija pristala, ko bo imela še več ali vsaj močnejše karte v svojih rokah, Hrvaška pa manj. Slovenija, mimogrede povedano, tu ne pride v poštev, ker ni misliti, da bo Slovenija na taki mirovni konferenci posebej prizadeta.

Srbija mora računati, da ta prihajajoča konferenca ne bo skušala Jugoslavije restavrirati, da zahodne države si ne bodo upale prisiliti predvsem Slovence in Hrvate, da zopet živijo v isti državni tvorbi s Srbi. Ravno krutost sedanje vojne dela temu v prid in potrjuje, da tudi Srbi take države ne želijo več. Konferenca se bo ukvarjala predvsem s tem, katere nove države na nekdanjem jugoslovanskem ozemlju bodo nastale in priznane, in kakšne bodo njihove meje. Nekatere te nove države so absolutno znane: Slovenija, Hrvaška in Srbija. Z izjemo Slovenije ni pa nič jasnega glede mej teh držav, tudi nič o usodi

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Nadejal sem se, po trenutni evforiji sodeč, da je naše narodno in versko življenje tu le zdrselo v čisto drugačne in nove kolesnice. A sem se v svojem nadejanju kar močno »urezal«. Že naslednje nedeljo, tretjo julijsko, smo naše življenje zavozili nazaj v stare tirnice, po katerih nam gre najlažje, brez posebnega napora in žrtvovanja.

Tudi farna pisma nam prihajajo po neki utečenosti že dokaj let. Cerkveno leto in tek letnega časa jih župniku ukaže in narekuje. Z njimi skuša doseči tiste živeče farane in slovenske njujorške srenjčane, ki cerkev poredko obiskujejo, mnogi pa je sploh ne. Takih rednih farnih pisem je nekako pet na leto. Prihajajo nam za svečnico, postno-velikonočno pismo, poletno, nato pa še novembrsko ter božično. Novembrsko dobimo že sredi oktobra.

Tako je prišlo tudi pismo, ki ga imam v mislih, in mi je dalo naglavje današnjemu kroniškem zapisu. To pismo nas opozarja, da se približuje dan spomina »na tisto tiho domovanje, kjer dragi spe...«, kot je Gregorčič zapisan za dan Vseh svetih in vernih duš. Opomin tega dneva je vedno močno prisoten v meni, saj me č.g. Ponikvar v prvih urah tega dneva krstil za smrt. A sem še zmerom živ, da lahko pišem kroniko sv. Cirila na Osmi.

drugih morebitnih držav ali njih ozemlja — Makedonije in Makedoncev, Albancev in njih ozemlja, da omenjamo samo dva druga naroda, o muslimancih pa še molčimo.

Težava za zahodne države pri reševanju jugoslovanske krize je v tem, da jasnega izida, ki bi upošteval legitimne interese vseh prizadetih narodov, ni in ga tudi ne bo. Z eno izjemo: Slovenijo. Naj torej še toliko sočustvujemo s tistimi, ki trpijo zaradi sedanjega vojskovanja v bivši Jugoslaviji, tu še posebej s Hrvati, naj pa skušamo kolikor moremo Sloveniji pomagati doseči mednarodno priznanje in gospodarski napredek. Kajti, če bomo pasivno sprejeli še vedno prevladujoče mnenje tako v Bushovi administraciji kakor Evropski skupnosti, da je mogoče jugoslovanski »problem« rešiti le celotno, ne pa v rešljivih etapah, torej z ločenim priznanjem in sodelovanjem s Slovenijo, bomo prispevali svoj delež k zavlačevanju slovenskega vprašanja. Mednarodno priznana Slovenija že iz lastnih interesov bo mogla Hrvaški veliko več pomagati, kot to more sedaj, saj bo taka Slovenija imela med drugim tudi mednarodno priznano mejo (pod popolnim slovenskim nadzorstvom oz. kontrolo) s Hrvaško. Tudi Hrvaška naj bi to razumela in ne nasprotovala ločenemu priznanju Slovenije. Po dosedanjem obnašanju, žal, ni misliti, da razpolaga hrvaško vodstvo z za to potrebno bistrovidnostjo.

Čeprav naš župnik, p. Robert, v tem pismu opominja, da ne smemo pozabiti na tiste, ki so živeli med nami, ki so nam dali božji hram — in hkrati narodnega — cerkvico sv. Cirila, nas je tudi povabil na farno zabavo: na vinsko trgatv. Na njej se pa smrt zabrisuje, ker je v tem vabilu tudi poziv k življenju. Takih pozivov in spodbud bomo odselej vedno bolj potrebovali. Kajti čim pogostejše bomo prišli skupaj, tembolj bomo življenjski, in naša narodna skupnost na Njujorškem se bo ohranjevala in še živela.

In zakaj bi samo svoje misli zapisoval? Naj zapišem tudi nekaj župnikovih iz zadnjega farnega pisma:

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Na začetku poti teh slovenskih izseljencev so bili maja 1945 begunstvo, obup, negotovost, strah, smrt, tragedija vrnjenih, begunski šotori in barake, vizija apokalipse, ki jo v drugih okoliščinah podoživljamo danes v Kalvariji Kurdov. Vse to je še zvenelo v polnem naletu viharja groze, ko se je med njimi pojavila tudi beseda — njihov begunski tisk v avstrijskih in italijanskih taboriščih.

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Prvi slovenski begunski listič Demokratična Slovenija je začel izhajati že 12. maja 1945 v Lienzu. Urejal ga je Ruda Jurčec. Izhajal je do konca maja, ko so skupino iz Lienza premestili v Italijo. Begunski dnevnik Domovina v taborišču, ki ga je urejal dr. France Kremžar, je začel izhajati 15. maja v Vetrinju. Po vrnitvi domobrancev je 29. maja prenehal izhajati, ponovno pa je začel izhajati 6. junija z novim urednikom Francem Perniškom. Tega je kmalu nasledil dr. France Blatnik. Domovina v taborišču je izhajala do svoje 40. številke v Vetrinju, zadnja, 41. številka pa je zaradi ukinitve vetrinskega taborišča in preselitve beguncev izšla že v taborišču Peggez pri Lienzu.

V Vetrinju je izhajalo tudi glasilo 2. bataljona 2. domobranskega polka Za lepšo bodočnost, in sicer od 17. do 26. maja 1945. Urednik je bil domobranski kurat Jaka Mavec.

V taborišču Peggez je dnevnik Novice začel izhajati že 3. julija in izhajal je vse do 13. novembra 1946, ko so se begunci selili v Spittal. Urednik je ostal dr. Blatnik. Ker je Novice nadzorovala angleška taboriščna uprava, ki je predpisovala, kaj morajo v njih objavljati in česa ne smejo, so se v uredništvu odločili izdajati še en dnevnik, ki pa bi ga prikrili britanski cenzuri. Že 5. julija so dobili taboriščniki v Peggezu prvo številko popoldnevnika Domači glasovi in se tako lahko postavljali kar z dvema dnevnikoma. Britansko nadzorstvo so obšli tako, da so

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časopis, ki so ga pripravili in razmnoževali v taborišču Peggez, predstavljali z glavo kot natisnjene v Celovcu, v Lienzu pa naj bi prišel po pošti z vlakom, zato so ga začeli deliti ob petih popoldne.

Urednik Domačih glasov dr. Blatnik se v svojih spominih, objavljenih najprej v Ameriški domovini, nato pa ponatisnjenih v Taboru, spominja, kako je imel težave pri urejanju »legalnih« Novic. Kako so bili Domači glasovi v resnici tajni, pa priča dr. Blatnik, ko je v spremstvu dveh taboriščnih britanskih Welfare oficirjev obiskal svojega slovenskega duhovniškega kolega v tirolskem Anrasu, so na njegovi mizi zagledali Domače glasove.

Oficirja sta Blatniku dejala, da je njegovo delo daljnosežno. Ta je pač skušal ohraniti zgodbo o tiskanju v Celovcu, vendar mu je eden od obeh prijazno odvrnil: »Gospod doktor, ne imejte me za tako neumnega!«

Celovškega kritja je bilo očitno konec, toda list je lahko še naprej nemoteno izhajal, in to podobno kot dopoldnevnik Novice na dveh ali občasno štirih straneh. S celovško glavo je izhajal do konca oktobra 1945. Ker je britanski nadzor popustil, je izšla naslednja številka kot 1., ko je časopis prenehal izhajati v Lienzu. Izhajal je vse do 12. novembra 1946, ko so taborišče Peggez ukinili in, kot rečeno, begunce preselili v Spittal. Ponovno so Domači glasovi začeli izhajati 1. julija 1948 v taborišču Triestachu pri Lienzu, po razselitvi beguncev pa so se priključili ameriškem dnevniku Ameriška domovina.

V taborišču Št. Vid pri Glini je začel v prvih dneh julija 1945 izhajati dnevnik Slovenski taboriščnik, ki ga je urejal prof. Janez Sever. Do 86. številke je izhajal v Št. Vidu, nato pa od oktobra do 26. februarja 1946 v Bistrici na Dravi (Kellerberg). Selitev beguncev v Spittal je potem končala listovo izhajanje.

V taborišču Leichtenstein pri Judenburgu, ki je bilo najmanjše in najbolj odrezano od vseh slovenskih begunskih taborišč, je 14. julija začel izhajati dnevnik Dom ob Muri. Urejal in razmnoževal ga je najprej Ivan Oven, nato pa je postal urednik Roman Malavašič. Tretji letnik se je končal 11. maja 1947, ko je bil ukinjen z argumentacijo angleške taboriščne uprave, da beguncem zadošča Koroška kronika.

V taborišču Spittal je izšla 14. avgusta 1946 prva številka Taboriščnika, ki ga je urejal Janez Sever. Izhajati je prenehal 11. maja 1947, ko se je na zahtevo Jugoslovanske misije začel pritisk angleških oblasti za repatriacijo beguncev.

Na tem mestu seveda ne moremo objaviti analize posameznih glasil. Na kratko navedimo le nekatere skupne značilnosti slovenskih begunskih dnevnikov v Avstriji. Po tehnični izvedbi so bili vsi seveda

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Narodni svet koroških Slovencev

Narodni svet koroških Slovencev, osrednja zastopniška organizacija koroških Slovencev, danes gleda na več kot štideset let razgibanega dela v prid slovenski narodni skupnosti.

Ko je v prvih povojnih letih skupina krščansko usmerjenih mož z dr. Joškom Tischlerjem na čelu spoznala, da je koroška osvobodilna fronta podaljšana roka komunistične stranke v Jugoslaviji, je po hujših konfliktih z voditelji OF izstopila iz te organizacije in v posebnem sestanku zaupnikov 28. junija 1949 ustanovila Narodni svet koroških Slovencev. Za prvega predsednika so zaupniki izvolili dr. Joška Tischlerja, ki si je pridobil velike zasluge ob vračanju izseljenih koroških Slovencev nazaj na svoje domove.

Septembra 1949 je Narodni svet koroških Slovencev (NSKS) začel izdajati tedensko svoje glasilo »Naš tednik«.

NSKS je društveno organiziran in temelji na osebnem članstvu. V organizacijo je danes včlanjenih okoli 2000 koroških Slovencev in Slovenek. Člani so združeni v krajevnih odborih, ki obstajajo v 30 občinah na južnem Koroškem. Vsaj enkrat letno obiščejo zastopniki predsedstva NSKS krajevne odbore. Vsak krajevni odbor odpošlje tri zastopnike v osrednji odbor NSKS, ki se sestaja četrtletno. Predsedstvo NSKS pod vodstvom predsednika pa na mesečnih sejah določa smernice nadaljnje dela organizacije. Sklepe predsedstva izvršuje osrednji tajnik skupno s svojimi sodelavci in sodelavci.

S svojim delom doprinašajo sodelavci organizacije važen delež k uveljavitvi slovenske narodnosti v politični javnosti Koroške in Avstrije. Med nastavljanje organizacije štejejo tudi uredniki Našega tednika, ki poskrbijo za tedensko izhajanje glasila NSKS. Sedež organizacije je v Mohorjevi hiši v Celovcu, Viktringer Ring 26, telefon 0463/51528, telefax 0463/51 25 28 - 22.

Dr. Tischlerju, ki je predsedoval organizaciji v letih 1949 do 1960, je sledil kot predsednik dr. Valentin Inzko. Dr. Tischler je odložil funkcijo predsednika, ker je medtem postal prvi ravnatelj novoustanovljene Zvezne gimnazije za Slovence v Celovcu in se je hotel temeljito posvetiti novi nalogi.

Dr. Inzka je nasledil dr. Reginald Vospernik, ki je predsedoval NSKS-u v letih 1968—1972. Leta 1972 pa je predsedstvo organizacije ponovno prevzel dr. Joško Tischler. Istega leta je prišlo tudi do hude zaostritve narodnostnih razmer na Koroškem, v naslednjih letih pa do najhujših sporov po drugi svetovni vojni. Jeseni 1972 je avstrijska oblast postavila po občinah južne Koroške dvojezične krajevne napise. Okoli 10. oktobra 1972 pa so v organiziranih pohodih nemški nacionalisti napise spet odstranili. Pritisk s

strani nemškonacionalnih sil je dosegel leta 1976 svoj višek, ko je avstrijska zvezna vlada klonila njihovim zahtevam in izvedla t. i. ugotavljanje manjšine. Narodni svet koroških Slovencev je koroške Slovence pozval k bojkotu napovedanega štetja.

Bojkot je uspel, vsi podatki so bili očitno nerealni in s tem neuporabljivi. V tem razburkanem času, 15. 5. 1976, je prevzel predsedstvo NSKS dr. Matevž Grilc, odvetnik iz Celovca, in mu predseduje tudi še danes.

Ko zahteva Narodnega sveta, da bi Avstrijska ljudska stranka (ÖVP) pri deželno-zborskih volitvah 1965 kandidirala koroškega Slovenca na vidnem mestu, ni bila upoštevana, se je NSKS odločil za samostojno kandidacijo slovenske liste. »Koroška volilna skupnost« z glavnim kandidatom Mirkom Kumrom-Črčjem iz Blata pri Pliberku je takrat dosegla 4272 glasov, kar seveda ni zadostovalo za sedež v deželnem zboru.

Pri občinskih volitvah 1972 so slovenske liste dosegle 25 mandatov, pri kmečkozbornih volitvah 1971 pa je bil Mirko Kumer-Črčej izvoljen za zborničnega svetnika v Koroško kmetijsko zbornico.

Leta 1973 se je z ustanovitvijo Kluba slovenskih občinskih odbornikov še bolj utrdila politika samostojnih slovenskih volilnih nastopov.

Leta 1975 pa je dr. Pavel Apovnik, sedanji podpredsednik NSKS, kot glavni kandidat Koroške enotne liste dosegel 6130 glasov. S tem pa je KEL le za las zgrešila sedež v deželnem zboru. Tega volilnega rezultata so se ustrašile v deželnem zboru zastopane stranke in spremenile volilni red z uvedbo štirih volilnih okolišev, kar pomeni, da smo koroški Slovenci razkosani na tri volilne okoliše.

Podpiranje samostojnega nastopanja pri volitvah se je pa vseeno obrestovalo, saj je v občinskih svetih dvojezičnih občin medtem zastopanih že 50 odbornic in odbornikov samostojnih slovenskih list. Leta 1986 pa je na listi Zelene alternative bil izvoljen predsednik Koroške enotne liste, Karel Smolle, za državnozbornskega poslanca. To funkcijo je opravljal štiri leta v veliko korist koroškim Slovincem. Dolga leta je bil Karel Smolle tudi vodilni funkcionar in podpredsednik Narodnega sveta.

mag. Marjan Pipp

Ta članek je izšel v brošuri, ki ga je izdal koroški odbor za Svetovni slovenski kongres junija 1991.

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Misijonska srečanja in pomenki

920. Poročilo MZA Gilberta za Misijonsko nedeljo 1991.

Predsednica Anica Tusharjeva je 28. oktobra poslala naslednje poročilo o praznovanju Misijonske nedelje: »Naša maza slovenska skupina se je tudi letos zbrala pri vedno gostoljubnem župniku g. Janezu Šušteršiču na Aurori.

V nedeljo, 6. oktobra, popoldne smo skupno molili in peli pri slovenski sv. maši, katero je daroval za vse naše misijonarje in misijonarke č.g. Jože Vovk. Kljub svojim visokim letom je še zmeraj mladeniško čil in povzdigne svoj glas, da odmeva po lepi farni cerkvi Rožnvenške Matere božje. V lepi in podučni pridigi je povezal delo naših misijonarjev in našo trpečo, svobodno Slovenijo.

Po sv. maši smo se zbrali v dvorani ob kavi in pecivu, katerega so pripravile naše dobre žene. Slišali smo tudi nekaj poročil. Predvsem o Misijonskem kongresu v Sloveniji koncem meseca septembra. Veliko se je molilo za lep uspeh, ko so se vse župnije doma strnile v enoto in razmišljale o misijonskem sodelovanju domovine.

Izročili smo vsem pozdrave duhovnega vodja č.g. Karla Wolbanga. Preko AD nas tedensko seznanja z delom naših misijonarjev na terenu in našimi odseki v zaledju. Napisal je že preko 900 člankov. Poslali smo mu kartico s pozdravi in podpisi vseh navzočih, kakor tudi glavni tajnici gdč. Ferjan, ki je tedaj prestala operacijo na obeh nogah. Zaželeli smo ji naglega okrevanja, da bo mogla kmalu spet nadaljevati svoje bogato delo, ki ga vrši v fari in za vse naše misijonarje v MZA.

Omenjena so bila Misijonska Obzorja, ki jih izdajajo v Ljubljani in so poleg koroške Nedelje edina vez misijonske dejavnosti preko oceana. Med našo skupino prihajajo v zelo majhnem številu. Misijonska Obzorja bodo v bodoče, kot so sklenili na Misijonskem kongresu, izhajali vsak mesec; poleti pa na dva meseca v dvojni številki.

Spomnili smo se naših bolnih.

Tako Miha Sodnika in Ivanke Kovač, ki nas je samo par dni kasneje za vedno zapustila. Ljubila je misijone in je tudi podpirala svojega bogoslovca v Afriki, ki bo drugo leto posvečen.

Sredi vročega avgusta smo izgubili Krulčevo mamo, ko jo je mlad fant zadel z avtom blizu doma, ko je prečkala cesto. Tudi ona je zelo rada prihajala k našim prireditvam in bila misijonom izredno naklonjena. Podpirala je svojega bogoslovca in naročila otrokom, da to nadaljujejo. Lepo so že izpolnili mamino željo.

Komaj mesec za njo smo izgubili Marijo Menart. Tudi ona je vedno rada prihajala in zelo rada pomagala pri naših nabirkah in drugače. Dolgo je trpela in zdaj se z ostalimi ve-

seli srečanja dragih pri nebeškem Očetu in uživa plačilo za vse dobro, storjeno na tem svetu.

Iskreno lepo se zahvaljujemo vsem, ki ste prišli in darovali za naše misijonarje, za darovano pecivo, in posebno še obema č.c. gospodoma za pomoč in ljubeznivost. Naj bolni Bog vsakemu posebej povrne tam, kjer sam najbolj potrebuje.

Nabirka za Misijonsko nedeljo v MZA Gilbert.

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Družina Silve in Jožeta Dolenc je darovala istočasno \$300 za junega bogoslovca Patricka Murunga, torej svoj drugi oz. zadnji obrok, ker bo kandidat kmalu posvečen.

Marija Štrukelj je plačala za Misijonska Obzorja \$15. Več jih je darovalo za sv. maše, med njimi Kobetovi za rajne družine Mary in Johna Janchar. Ga. Tushar pa je, kot običajno, priložila nove ameriške četvorčke znamk, ki so pravkar izšle.

Od župnika Jožeta Snoja iz Kalifornije pa je dodala vrstice, ki jih je od njega prejela začetku oktobra: »Prisrčna Vam hvala za lepo pismo in še posebno za pomoč, ki jo dajete g. Wolbangu pri njegovem ogromnem delu za misijone. Ostanimo združeni v molitvi za misijone in posebno še za svobodno Slovenijo in Hrvatsko! Bog z Vami vsemi in Marija z Brezijo! V Kristusu Vaš Jože Snoj.«

Iz Geneve, Ohio, se je 29.

oktobra oglašil zvesti misijonski dobrotnik Frank Staniša. Zahvalil se je za pismo v septembru, potožil, da je zelo zaposlen in da mu tudi zdravje ni kaj dobro. Priložil je krasen ček za \$1,400 »...za sedem misijonarjev, vsakemu po \$200, s prošnjo, da opravi vsak po dve sv. maši za njegovo zdravje«. Ob delitvi v kratkem bomo z veseljem to uredili in prošnji lahko ustregli.

Za svojega bogoslovca, ki ga vzdržuje, sprašuje 31. oktobra M.N. iz Alberte. Prilaga ameriški stotak (\$100) za naše misijonarje, ki jim bomo delili kot vsako leto pomoč okoli Božiča.

Iz Menomonee Falls, Wis., pošilja 4. novembra dobrotni-

ca Mary Krampel ček za \$200 za najbolj potrebne v misijonih. Sprašuje tudi, kako je z njenim zadnjim bogoslovcem, ki ga vzdržuje ta leta. Več jih je že podpirala v letih za nami. Pri jaslicah upa, da se bomo v molitvah vsi združili.

Iz Vancouvra, B.C., zvesta sodelavka in dobrotnica F.G. pošilja \$50 kan. za naše misijonarje. Omenja, da bi večkrat kaj dala, če bi kdo v bližini za misijone pobiral in tako vidimo, kako veliko dobro delo oni vršijo, ki kot sodelavci ali poverjenice MZA krajevno kje podpirajo. Meni tudi, da bi bilo drugače, če bi bil med njimi redno duhovnik. Osebnim dvomim, da bi to nagnilo k večji darežljivosti take, ki se hvalijo, koliko že imajo in vedno še kopičijo, samo Bog ve za koga.

Te dneve smo doživeli tragedijo češkega židovskega begunca iz Anglije Roberta Maxwella, katerega naglo telo so našli v morju ob njegovi jahti in ne morejo razumeti, kako je umrl. Kljub dvema milijardoma dolarjev premoženja, ki ga je nakopičil, trdi pisec njegovega življenjepisa, da skoraj ni imel prijatelja in da so ga mnogi sovražili. Kako vse drugače ves svet gleda na Mater Terezijo, ki nima ničesar zase in jo vse občuduje, kako zna ljubiti in sebe za druge žrtvovati.

Vdova Frances Ošaben iz Barbertona, O., pošilja ček za \$1,100. Stotak za naše misijonarje in tisočak za ljubljansko nadškofijo, kar bo dobil nadškof dr. Šuštar za bogoslovce in bogoslovce. Sicer ona pravi: »...kjer najbolj potrebujejo«.

Meni je umrla 27. oktobra v Metliki sestra Hilda, poročena z rajnim nadučiteljem Jarnovičem in že več let vdova ter bolehnata. Naj v miru počiva! Najmlajša moja sestra Vida seveda žaluje. Njen sin Milan Jarnovič je poročen carinik v Št Ilju pri Mariboru in ima eno hčerko. Moj rajni brat Marjan, domobranec, mučen v Kočevskem Rogu, čaka še na nas. Da bi le mogli vsi tako živeti, da bi smrt bila vsakemu od nas mogočna zmaga, saj »Life is not ended for those who have been faithful«. Bliža se Božič. Darujmo za naše misijonarje(-ke) v zahvalo za vero.

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skromni, nikakor pa ne po profesionalno novinarski plati. Svoje novice so črpali zlasti iz britanskih in ameriških časopisov, iz BBC-ja, in slovenskega radia, iz pisem, ki so jih dobivali iz matične Slovenije ter iz slovenskih in drugih jugoslovanskih ali — kot so jim rekli — »titovskih« časopisov. Ponatisi delov ali včasih tudi celih člankov iz Slovenskega poročevalca, Ljudske pravice, Primorskega dnevnika, Mladine pričajo, da so do teh izvodov prihajali zelo hitro, včasih le z nekajdnevno zamikom.

Glavni poudarki v begunskih dnevnikih so naslednji: odnosi med Sovjetsko zvezo in zahodnimi velesilami s posebnim poudarjanjem naraščajočih sporov med njimi, odnosi med Titovo Jugoslavijo in zahodnimi zavezniki, posebno na vročih stičiščih: — Primorski in Koroški — spet s posebnim poudarjanjem razlik in sporov. Ti so beguncem v začetnem obdobju zbujali celo upanje, da bodo Anglo-Američani pomagali k vrnitvi kralja Petra II. in k vzpostavitvi, kot pišejo npr. konec leta 1945 v Domačih glasovih »Zedinjene Slovenije«, demokratične federativne kraljevine Jugoslavije.

Pogoste teme so delovanje slovenskih oziroma jugoslovanskih predstavnikov med koroškimi in primorskimi manjšinskimi Slovenci. Zelo obsežno in stalno je spremljanje dogajanja v Sloveniji, tako v celoti kot v posameznih krajih.

Pri spremljanju usode vrnjenih domobrancev in civilistov je značilno, da je bil slovenskim beguncem že vsaj junija 1945 jasen njihov tragičen konec, tudi na podlagi podatkov, ki so jih dobili iz matične Slovenije. Posebno pozornost namenjajo sodnim procesom, splošnim razmeram, razpoloženju prebivalstva do nove oblasti ter položaju Cerkve, pastirskemu pismu jugoslovanskih škofov, volitvam, novim beguncem iz Jugoslavije. Slednje v listih pogosto predstavljajo z obširnimi intervjuji.

Veliko prostora je namenjenega življenju beguncev v taboriščih, opozarjanju na njihove naloge, pozivom proti brezdelnosti, ki jo označujejo kot najhujšo nadlogo begunskega življenja, ter svarjenju pred poskusi jugoslovanskih oblasti, da bi begunce pripravile do repatriacije.

Prav vprašanje vrnjenih domobrancev je bilo pogosto tiho, ob katerem so se razdrli vsi poskusi prijateljskega prepričevanja. Ob trditvah, da so ti živi, amnestirani in podobno, se je ne enkrat oglašil iz jam rešen domobranec in jugoslovanske odposlanke postavil pred vsemi begunci na laž.

Časopisi so polni podatkov o bogatem kulturnem, glasbenem, dramskem, šolskem, verskem, športnem, izletniškem in drugem delovanju beguncev, tudi drobnih podatkov o taboriščnem vsakdanjem živ-

ljenju, ki se kažejo npr. v malih oglasih, kasneje o njihovi poti v izseljenstvo.

Zanimiva so prizadevanja, da bi s pismi rojakom in znancem zlasti v ZDA spremenili gledanje tamkajšnjih Slovencev na medvojna dogajanja v Sloveniji, ki je bo besedah iz taboriščnih listov vse preveč »prooefarsko« tudi med katoliškimi Slovenci in duhovniki.

Proučevanje slovenskega tiska v begunskih taboriščih v Avstriji in Italiji ter seveda tudi življenja beguncev v celoti, posebno v luči taborišč kot prehodnih postaj na njihovi poti v izseljenstvo, je nedvomno odgovorna in nujna naloga. Zavezuje nas zaradi dolgih desetletij molka in popačenega slikanja in zaradi prizadevanj, da bi bila naša zgodovina končno zgodovina vseh Slovencev, kot naj bi naša Slovenija končno postala domovina vseh Slovencev brez vsakih ideoloških in političnih izključevanj. Na poseben način pa zavezuje tudi pisca tega prispevka, ki ima v svojem rojstnem listu zapisan datum marea 1947 in kraj Seeboden pri Spittalu ter v svoji osebni zbirki zlik fotografijo dojenčka pred spittalskimi barakami.

Slovenski svet
Štev. 2, 26. VI. 1991

NOVI GROBOVI

(nadaljevanje s str. 1)

nov. iz Želetovega zavoda na Vernih duš pokopališče.

Frances Mekinda

Umrla je 91 let stara Frances Mekinda, rojena Ponikvar, vdova po Josephu, mati Frances Kilroy in Josepha (pok.), 6-krat stara mati, 6-krat prastara mati, 4-krat praprastara mati, sestra Sophie Benko (Slov.). Pogreb je bil 9. nov. s sv. mašo v cerkvi sv. Kristine in pokopom na Kalvarije pokopališču.

Angela Sebold

Dne 9. nov. je v Wickliffe Country Place umrla 79 let stara Angela Sebold, rojena Certalic v Clevelandu, zadnjih 27 let živeča v Wickliffu, žena Alfonsa, članica KSKJ št. 162 in SNPJ št. 556. Privaten pogreb je bil v oskrbi Želetovega zavoda. Pokopana je na Kalvarije pokopališču.

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✓ 25 LET ŽIVLJENJA IN DELA

TORONTO, Ont. — Pred petindvajsetimi leti je bil obnovljen Baragov misijonski krožek v župniji pri Mariji Pomagaj. Bilo je to 26. junija 1966. Od takrat naprej je bil ta misijonski krožek zelo delaven. To dokazujejo tudi vsakoletne številke, ki povedo, koliko denarja je šlo po svetu našim misijonarjem.

Letos je bila misijonska nedelja 27. oktobra. Popoldne so bile v cerkvi najprej molitve kot vsako leto, potem pa je bila v dvorani tombola z mnogimi večjimi in manjšimi dobitki. Prišlo je res lepo število ljudi. Dvorana je bila nabito polna, skoraj premajhna za to priliko.

Priznanje je treba dati vsem požrtvovalnim ljudem, ki so to skupaj spravili in organizirali. Od prodaje tombolskih tablic je prišlo v blagajno kar \$6,878, od darov se je nabralo \$4,609, in od kuhinjskih dobrot pa več kot tisoč dolarjev.

Zdaj pa nekaj števil o tem, koliko je ta misijonski krožek dobil in razposlal denarja misijonarjem v razne dežele letno v teh 25 letih:

1966	\$ 725.55	1979	\$10,270.98
1967	\$ 1,576.16	1980	\$11,367.83
1968	\$ 1,258.73	1981	\$13,494.94
1969	\$ 3,449.79	1982	\$15,185.14
1970	\$ 3,588.63	1983	\$17,547.91
1971	\$ 3,351.58	1984	\$20,077.58
1972	\$ 4,467.32	1985	\$21,568.94
1973	\$ 5,665.93	1986	\$24,905.53
1974	\$ 5,809.02	1987	\$27,881.00
1975	\$ 7,974.63	1988	\$29,951.57
1976	\$ 8,187.16	1989	\$32,329.70
1977	\$ 8,637.09	1990	\$28,911.10
1978	\$ 9,811.83	1991	\$12,574.56

Mnogim misijonarjem je ta pomoč zelo prav prišla, kar je bilo tudi izraženo v mnogih pismih, ki jih je prejel misijonski krožek tekom let.

Marija Markeš

Svetovni slovenski kongres

Seja glavnega odbora

TORONTO, Ont. - 2. in 3. novembra se je v Celju v dvorani mestne hranilnice vršila prva seja glavnega odbora Svetovnega slovenskega kongresa. Prisotnih je bilo 23 članov. Navzoči so bili predstavniki sledečih območij: Avstrija, Anglije, Avstralije, Kanade, ZDA, Nemčije, Koroške, Furlanije-Juljske krajine, Švice, ter predstavnikov republike Slovenije. Odsotni sta bili konferenci iz Argentine in Francije.

Uvod v dvodnevno zasedanje je bilo zelo slovesno; bilo je simbolično nadaljevanje junijskega kongresa, ki ga je časovno prikrajšala vojna. Na seji v Celju je navzoče pozdravil celjski župan Anton Rojc in predsednik celjskega SSK Peter Simoniti. Oktet, sestavljen iz Kopolčanov, je otvoritveni del obogatil z Zdravico in Slovenec sem.

Po slovesnostih se je seja nadaljevala in imela izključno delovno obeležje. Predsednik SSK Bojan Brezigar je navzoče naslovil z željo, da bi Kongres začel z ustvarjalnim delom, kar pomeni, da se ne bi ozirali samo v preteklost, da pač moramo kot člani slovenskega občestva skrbeti za življenje, ki je pred nami. V ta namen je potem glavni odbor obravnaval številne listine, ki potrebujejo dopolnitve junijskemu zasedanju. Odbor je sklenil, da bo objavil vse dokumente in listine, kot so bile sprejete. Le en dokument bo objavljen pogojno, ker ni bilo potrebne ve-

čine pri sprejetju junijskega dokumenta. Resolucija o domobrancih bo ponovno predložena konferencam v obravnavo.

Avstralska delegacija je predložila osnutek za ustanovitev mednarodnega združenja slovenskih razvojnih partnerjev kot svetov za mreže poslovanja, izvedencev, strokovnjakov, ki naj bi se vključili v gospodarski razvoj Slovenije. To združenje bo nedobičarsko in nevladno in bo pod okriljem SSK, s sedežem v Trstu. Odbor je tudi podprl predlog oblikovanja »banke« podatkov o Slovencih po svetu, od kulturnikov do znanstvenikov ter poslovnih.

Glavni odbor je tudi sklenil, da se bo v naprej prizadeval, da se uredi vprašanje državljanstva za Slovence po svetu. Odbor je že navezal stike s slovensko vlado in pričakovati je, da bodo morebitne nesporazume ugodno rešili. S tem je mišljeno, da bodo popravljene krivice tistim, katerim je prejšnji režim oporekal slovensko državljanstvo.

Glavni odbor je sprejel tudi dve resoluciji in sicer o knežjem kamnu ter o letalski družbi Adria Airways, ki naj bi v ime družbe že nosila slovensko obeležje. Glavni odbor meni, da je knežji kamen izraz slovenske državnosti in demokracije, in je hkrati tudi simbol SSK. Prav zato ima slovenski narod kot tudi slovenska država pravico, da ga uporablja.

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Svetovni slovenski kongres

(nadaljevanje s str. 11)

Člani odbora so tudi sklenili, da bodo sodelovali pri organizaciji mednarodnega srečanja turističnih delavcev oz. podjetij.

Dne 3. novembra se je odbor sestel k izvršnemu delu dvodnevja in sprejel predloge prejšnjega dne. Sprejel je tudi odstop Johna Hočevarja, ki je bil izvoljen na kongresu SSK v Ljubljani za finančnega koordinatorja (iz ZDA). Na njegovo mesto je glavni odbor soglasno izvolil Jožeta Slobodnika, člana kanadskega kongresa, ki je bil na junijskem kongresu izvoljen v častno razsodišče. Na isti seji je bil umeščen sodnik France Miklavčič kot predsednik častnega razsodišča. Glavni odbor je tudi sprejel poročilo statutarne komisije, katero sestavljata odvetnika Drago Demšar iz Ljubljane in dr. M. Bitežnik iz Trsta.

Slovenski mediji so bili številčno zastopani oba dneva. Opaziti je bilo prisotnost ameriške CNN mreže, ki je ves prvi dan zasedanja spremljala dogajanje.

Dne 2. novembra je Ivan Bizjak, direktor zdravilišča Dobrna, pripravil slovesen sprejem, ki je bil združen s kratkim kulturnim sporedom. Sprejema se je udeležil tudi minister za informiranje Jelko Kacin, ki je pozdravil glavni odbor SSK. Kacin je tudi govoril o trenutnem položaju v

Sloveniji. Naslednji dan je ob zaključitvi zasedanja vse prisotne povabil na sprejem predsednik občine Žalec, prof. Dobnik.

Dvodnevno zasedanje glavnega odbora SSK ne bi bilo tako uspešno, če ne bi imeli toliko moralne in materialne podpore celjskih oblasti, celjskega SSK, zdravilišča Dobrne ter občine Žalec.

Celjani so že za junijski kongres izdali obsežno študijo Nade Klajić, prof. zagrebške univerze, Zadnji knezi celjski v deželah sv. krone, izdelali srebrne kovance s SSK obeležjem v kovnici celjskih grofov, ter celo napravili priložnostne etikete celjskih vin. Celjanom gre vsa zahvala in pohvala za uspešno organizacijo, prisrčen sprejem ter za izraze dobrih želja vsem slovenskim rojakom po svetu. Omeniti kaže tudi, da je mesto Celje in njegova okolica popolnoma obnovljeno po lanskem poplavih.

Kanadski kongres so zastopali: Jože Slobodnik, član predsedstva, dr. France Habsjan, član glavnega odbora, ter dr. Zlato Verbič, član nadzornega odbora. Sobotnega zasedanja so se udeležili tudi člani kanadskega kongresa: Jože Kastelic, Ludvik Stajan, Mara in France Osredkar ter V. Kavčič s soprogo.

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Naznanilo in Zahvala

Vdani v voljo Stvarnika, naznanjamo, da nas je zapustil in odšel po večno plačilo, v 86. letu starosti, naš dragi skrbni ata, stari ata, prastari ata in stric



JOŽE KASTELIC

Rojen je bil v fari Podgrad pri Novem mestu. Kot mlad fant se je s starši preselil v vas Dobrava, fara Dobrnič. Umrli je v Torontu, Kanada, 3. junija 1991, v splošni bolnici. Šel je skozi internacijo na Rabu, čez Vetrinjsko tragedijo l. 1945, in končno l. 1948 došel v Kanado. Bil je faran Marije Pomagaj v Torontu in zveze P.K.B. Pogreb je bil 6. junija s sv. mašo v cerkvi Marije Pomagaj, pokopan je pa na pokopališču sv. Križa.

Iskreno se zahvaljujemo vsem prijateljem in znancem, ki ste našega ata v tako velikem številu obiskali v pogrebem zavodu, molili zanj, darovali za sv. maše, krasne rože in za Dom Lipa, ter ga spremili do groba. Hvala lepa tudi 6 vnukom, ki so nosili krsto.

Posebno zahvalo smo dolžni g. župniku T. Batiču, ki je našega ata obiskal v bolnici, mu podelil zadnjo popotnico sv. maziljenja, za molitve v pogrebem zavodu, za darovanje sv. mašo in tolažilni nagovor v cerkvi. Hvala tudi č.g. Mejaču za somaševanje. Posebno zahvalo smo dolžni nadškofu dr. Alojziju Ambrožiču za udeležbo pri maši in potrebnem opraviilu. Hvala lepa tudi č.g. Kopaču za bodrilni nagovor in č.g. Mavriču za molitve v pogrebem zavodu ter č.g. Janu in Časlu, ki sta ata obiskala na domu, ter vsem, ki so nam stali ob strani in izrekli sožalja. Naj vsem Bog obilo povrne!

Žalujemo: Sinovi in hčere z družinami

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