



Piknik Slovenske šole pri Mariji Vnebovzeti

CLEVELAND, O. - Prav te dni poteka 30 let, odkar se je začela Slovenska šola pri Mariji Vnebovzeti v Collinwoodu. Iz počitniškega tečaja se je spremenila v sobotno šolo. Pobudnik vsega tega pa je bil pokojni Zdravko Novak, ki je pri pokojnem župniku Mateju Jagru izposloval prostore pod cerkvijo. Prva učiteljica sta bila sedaj pokojni Peter Golobič in Slavo Oven, ki živi v Kaliforniji.

Vseh teh pokojnih vključno učiteljico Jožico Pavli in duhovnika Rev. Raymonda Hobarta ter živih učiteljev in učiteljic, od teh pa najbolj zvestega g. Rudija Kneza in g.

župnika Victorja Tomca, ki nam je odprl šolsko poslopje, se bomo spomnili na našem pikniku.

Piknik Slovenske šole bo v nedeljo, 26. junija, na Slovenski pristavi. Prišel se bo s sveto mašo ob dvanajsti uri pri kapelici. Po sv. maši bo na razpolago kosilo s svinjsko ali govejo pečenko in prikuhami za ceno \$5.50 za odrasle in \$3 za otroke.

Lepo vas vabimo, dragi rojaki, nekdanji učenci, starši, da se nam pridružite ta dan in z nami delite pikniško veselje ob 30. obletnici!

Odbor staršev

Piknik Misijonske Znamkarske Akcije

CLEVELAND, O. - Iz dvoran raznih prireditev, se je pomaknilo življenje v prosto naravo — na piknike. Vse hiti na sonce, v vodo, na sveži zrak.

V nedeljo 10. julija bo piknik Misijonske Znamkarske Akcije na Slovenski pristavi. Piknik se bo pričel s sv. mašo ob dvanajsti uri, nato bo na razpolago kosilo — segedin golaž ali goveja pečenska s prikuhami. Tudi za žejo bo poskrbljeno z mehko in alkoholno pijačo. Ves dobiček tega dne gre v sklad za vse slovenske misijonarje, kar ob koncu leta dobe.

Kdor prebira petkove »Misijonska srečanja in pome-

nki«, ve, da bo ob priliki piknika tudi srečanje s člani drugih odsekov. V ponedeljek po pikniku, to bo 11. julija, bomo pričeli srečanje s sv. mašo ob 9. uri v cerkvi Marije Vnebovzete, potem se bomo podali v šolsko dvorano. Pregledali bomo naše poslovanje in dan končali s potegnitvijo 6 srečnežev.

Lepo vas vabimo, dragi prijatelji slovenskih misijonarjev, da se udeležite piknika in morda tudi našega srečanja. Ne prezrite te prošnje, pač pa se z veseljem odzovite, saj nas sv. oče Janez Pavel II. stalno opozarja, da je naša dolžnost, da svet spozna Kristusa!

MZA — Cleveland

Prijavite se že danes za romanje Zveze oltarnih društev v Lemont!

CLEVELAND, O. - Naglo se nam približuje čas romanja Zveze oltarnih društev iz Clevelanda k Mariji Pomagaj v Lemont. Prepričana sem, da ste imele dovolj časa za odločitev, zato je napočil dan, da se prijavite za to letno romanje.

Ker se število starejših romaric zaradi bolezni ali smrti krči, se obračam na vas, žene in matere, ki ste že tu v Ameriki rojene, da se zavzamete in nadaljujete to, kar ste podedovale po svojih dobrih materah, ki so leto za letom z velikim veseljem romale k Brezjanski Mariji ter spregledavale vse težave in bolesti v želji, da bi Njej častile.

Sprejem častitih patrov frančiškanov je vedno tako priskrben in domač, da se takoj počutimo doima.

Upoštevajte, prosim, da moram imeti do konca julija vse v redu glede avtobusov. Prostor imamo na dveh avtobusih za 94 romarjev. Apeliram na vse tri fare, da se pohitite in se javite!

Pokažimo, da nam je pri srcu Marijina romarska pot. Darujmo dva dni naši Nebeški Materi po naročilu, katerega

je izročila otrokom v Fatimi: Molite, molite se prav posebno sveti rožni venec!

Naši starši so bili globoko verni, izročili so nam bogato dediščino ljubezni do Marije in slovenskega naroda. Obdržimo, kar imamo! Ohranimo ta zaklad, ki naj nam bo svetla zvezda, vodnica in spremljevalka skozi naše zemsko življenje.

Na aprilski seji ZOD je bilo sklenjeno, da bo cena za prevoz iz Clevelanda v Lemont in nazaj, prenočišče in hrano: \$70. Mislim, da ni nič preveč, če upoštevamo današnjo draginjo. Prosim vas, da se prijavite za romanje brez odlašanja in sicer pri eni od sledečih:

Mary Marinko - 486-5156

Mary Gerl (za faro Sv. Kristina - 261-1316)

Rose Bavec (za faro Marija Vnebovzeta - 531-6167)

Anna Brodnik (za faro Sv. Vid - 361-3948).

V soboto, 13. avgusta, bosta dva avtobusa pobirala romarje na vnaprej določenih prostorih, kakor je običajno vsako leto, okoli sedme ure zjutraj pa se bomo podali kot vesela

romarska družina na slovensko-ameriške Brezje, k Mariji Pomagaj v Lemont.

Zelo želim, da ne bo moj klic in klic odbornic fara brez odziva ter da se boste kmalu prijavile in ne čakale do zadnjega trenutka. Kakor smo uspele s kosilom za »Ave Marijo«, tako upam, da bomo imele isti uspeh pri romanju. Bog bodi z vami vsemi!

Mary Marinko

P.S. Žene in dekleta, ako niste nikoli romale z nami v Lemont, pridružite se nam letos. Prepričana sem, da se boste vrnila vesele in hvaležne, da ste se romanja udeležile. Nikakor ne boste razočarane. Torej, odločite se in se javite!

Novi grobovi

Andrew Turkman

Preteklo sredo zjutraj je po dolgi, hudi bolezni umrl 65 let stari Andrew Turkman, bivač na 23821 Greenwood Rd. zadnjih 20 let, rojen v Clevelandu, mož Josephine, roj. Turk, brat Sophie Elersich, stric Douglasa in Andrewa Elersicha. Pokojnik je bil zelo aktiven na društvenem in kulturnem polju, bil je predsednik pevskega zbora Zarja 15 let in član 49 let, član U.S.S., SNPJ št. 5 (pri tem društvu je bil 18 let zapisnikar), pred leti je bil član direktorija Slovenskega narodnega doma na St. Clair Ave., Slovenskega doma za ostarele na Neff Rd., bil je član Kluba društev pri SND na St. Clairju ter aktiven v nekdanjih dramatskih društvih Ivan Cankar in Anton Verovšek. Pred mnogimi leti je v sodelovanju s Kollandrovo agencijo koordiniral eden prvih čarterskih poletov iz Clevelanda v Slovenijo in sicer ob 50-letnici Zarje. Bil je veteran druge svetovne vojne ter služil v letalskih silah ZDA. Pokojnik in žena sta lastovala in vodila trgovino Tivoli v SND na St. Clairju polnih 29 let, vse do februarja letos, ko ga je bolezen prisilila, da je šel v pokoj. Pogreb bo iz Želetovega pogrebnega zavoda na E. 152. cesti jutri, v soboto, dopoldne ob 9.30 na pokopališče Crown Hill v Twinsburgu. Na mrtvaškem odru bo danes, v petek, popoldne od 2. do 5. in zvečer od 7. do 9. Nocoj ob osmih se bo poslovil od svojega predsednika pevski zbor Zarja. Družina bo hvaležna za darove v pokojnikov spomin Slovenskemu domu za ostarele.

Stephanie Smole

V ponedeljek, 13. junija, je nenadno preminula Stephanie Smole, roj. Neubauer, žena Josepha J., mati Lillian Barbara Novak, mačeha Josepha G. Smoleta in Darlene Rodamer (Wis.), 6-krat stara mati, hči Josepha in Frances, roj.

Iz Clevelanda in okolice

Spominska proslava—

V soboto in nedeljo, 18. in 19. junija, na Slovenski pristavi, priredi Društvo Tabor DSPB Spominsko proslavo, na kateri se bo spominjalo vseh žrtev komunistične revolucije v Sloveniji. Letošnja proslava združuje 40-letnico Grčaric in Turjaka, 40-letnico ustanovitve slovenskega domobranstva in 38-letnico Vetrinske tragedije.

Jutri prodaja krofov—

Jutri ima Oltarno društvo pri Sv. Vidu prodajo krofov. Pridite v društveno sobo šolskega avditorija!

Prav tako jutri ima Oltarno društvo pri Mariji Vnebovzeti prodajo krofov. Prodajati bodo začele ob 11. dopoldne v šolski jedilnici. Vabljeni!

Očetovski dan—

V nedeljo je očetovski dan. Vsem očetom čestitamo in jim želimo vse najboljše!

Na obisku—

Na obisku v Clevelandu te dni je g. Vinko Levstik, slovenski hotelir iz Rima. Lastuje Hotel Bled v središču vesoljskega mesta. V našem Clevelandu bo ostal do ponedeljka in ga boste lahko dobili ali v Baragovem domu ali pri g. Antonu Oblaku. Dobrodošli!

Seja—

V sredo, 22. junija, ob 1.30 popoldne ima Klub slovenskih upokojencev za Neuburg in Maple Hts. redno mesečno sejo in sicer v Slovenskem domu na Maple Hts.

V bolnišnici—

V Hillcrest bolnišnici se nahaja odvetnik Robert M. Debevec, ki je srečno prestal operacijo. R. M. Debevec je brat lastnika A.D., Jamesa Debevca. Želimo mu hitrega in popolnega okrevanja!

Mozina, Neubauer (oba že pok.). Pogreb je iz pogrebnega zavoda Zak na 6016 St. Clair Ave. danes dopoldne ob 9.30, v cerkev sv. Vida ob 10., nato na Kalvarijo.

Angela Pirc

Pretekli ponedeljek je po dolgi bolezni umrla Angela Pirc, rojena Bolka v Ely, Minn., od koder je prišla v Cleveland l. 1929, vdova po l. 1965 umrlem možu Johnu, mati Louisa Pierce (profesor na univerzi Notre Dame v South Bendu, Ind.), 5-krat stara mati, 2-krat prastara mati, sestra Frančiška Podgoršek (Cerkle, Slov.), članica ABZ št. 37, SNPJ št. 126 in PSA št. 3. Privaten družinski pogreb je bil v torek na pokopališču Lake View. Darove v pokojničin spomin Holy Family Cancer Home bodo s hvaležnostjo sprejeti.

Gremo na počitnice—

Letošnje običajne dvotedenske počitnice pri Ameriški Domovini bodo letos od 25. junija do torka, 12. julija, ko bo AD zopet izšla. Tisti, ki bi radi kaj objavili pred počitnicami, naj pošljejo svoje dopise uredniku čim prej.

Žalostna vest—

Louise Kosmerl je dobila žalostno vest, da je umrla l. junija Mary Ponikvar roj. Štrukelj, stara 79 let. Ga. Ponikvar je bila žena od bratranca ge. Kosmerl in je živela v Warren, Ohio. Rojena je bila v vasi Zalest pri Sv. Trojici. Zapušča moža Franka, sina Harrya in 9 vnukov, sin Frank pa je umrl že l. 1967. R.I.P.

»Pool« tekmovalje v Baragovem domu—

Člani Kluba Baragovega doma so preteklo soboto in nedeljo priredili »Pool« (biljard) tekmovalje v Baragovem domu. Za prvenstvo se je pomerilo 16 igralcev. Sreča je bila naklonjena - seveda tudi sposobnost - Martinu Merela, ki je dobil prvo mesto. Drugo mesto je zasedel Valentin Cindrič. Po tekmovalju so bili vsi igralci pogoščeni s prigrizkom. Tekmovalje ni bilo namenjeno kot borba za trofeje, marveč kot prijateljsko tekmovanje v izurjenosti pri igranju, v čemer je najlepše uspelo.

Rojstni dan—

Pretekli petek je prazovala svoj 92. rojstni dan ga. Mary Frank. V nedeljo, 5. junija, je bilo v Hofbrau Hausu skupno slavlje družin Frank, Sustarsic, Frey in Turner, na katerem je bila ga. Frank posebej počaščena. Iskrene čestitke ob tako visokem življenjskem jubileju in še na mnoga leta!

Kip pri Sv. Kristini—

Prihodnji četrtek, 23. junija, zvečer ob sedmih bo pri Sv. Kristini na 840 E. 222. cesti U.S. Pilgrim Virgin kip. Vsi ste vabljeni, da pridete na to svečanost.

Zahvalna sv. maša—

V nedeljo, 26. junija, ob 2. popoldne v cerkvi sv. Križa v Euclidu bo daroval zahvalno sv. mašo novi duhovnik, Rev. Robert E. Hogan SM. Po maši bo sprejem v cerkvenem avditoriju. Novemu duhovniku čestitajo stara mati Nettie Mihelich, sorodniki in znanci ter vsi pri Ameriški Domovini!

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Pred dvema tednoma sem v prvem delu tega uvodniškega članka pisal o spremenjenem načinu dela pri Ameriški Domovini, ki ga zahteva nova oprema. Danes pa bi se rad lotil nekaj drugih vprašanj v zvezi z našim listom, ki so se pojavila zadnje mesece. Pisal bom o treh teh vprašanjih. Najprvo o našem novem stroju, potem o številu slovenskih strani v A.D. ter o številu izdaj na teden. besede.

Naš novi tiskarski stroj je zelo sodoben. Ni dvoma, da lepše tiska kot je prejšnji. Ker je pa nov tip, so imeli več začetnih težav, kot so pričakovali. Ponovno so nas obiskali razni mehaniki, inženirji in drugi strokovnjaki iz tovarne. Kot je pisal lastnik pretekli teden v angleškem delu, je nas obiskal celo predsednik podjetja Solna. Začetne težave premagujejo v tiskarni in to ob sodelovanju podjetja Solna. Torej glede stroja gredo stvari očitno na bolje.

Pereč problem je število slovenskih strani v Ameriški Domovini vsak teden. Pisal sem že, da je v torkovi A.D. celo več prostora, kot ga je bilo v prejšnji obliki lista: 640 inčev namesto prejšnjih 560. Petkova je pa vidno prikrajšana, kar je težavno tudi za urednika A.D. in ne samo za bralce. V teku so posvetovanja o tem, kako bi povečali število slovenskih (in morda angleških) strani na teden. Ker trenutno ni nič odločnega, ni mogoče biti preveč konkreten. Možnosti so pa tri:

- 1) da povečamo petkovo na več strani, največ do 16, in da bi bilo v povečani izdaji največ slovenskega gradiva;
- 2) da zopet tiskamo A.D. trikrat tedensko, nova izdaja pa naj bo v celoti ali večinoma slovenska;
- 3) da hkrati povečamo petkovo A.D. in tiskamo tretjo številko na teden.

Če kaj, dejansko prideta v poštev le prvi dve možnosti.

Kakšne so pa težave v zvezi z eno ali drugo možnostjo? Gre za tri vrste oz. kategorije težav. Ti so: stroški, osebje pri A.D. in slovensko gradivo.

Na prvem mestu za podjetje A.D. so stroški. Več strani pomeni več stroškov, posebno če mislimo na tretjo številko v tednu. Točnih podatkov o tem urednik kot uslužbenec seveda nima pri roki. Vsakdo pa razume, da, če tiskamo več strani, to več stane, bodisi za papir, kemikalije, črnilo, elektriko, pošto itd. Zadeva v tem oziru ni tako enostavna za lastnika, kot menijo nekateri, ki teh skrbi nimajo.

Drugo vprašanje je osebje pri A.D. Urednik je že zdaj zaposlen polni čas. Edini je v podjetju, ki vsaj toliko obvlada slovenski jezik, da lahko pripravlja gradivo za tisk. S prihodom računalnika za postavljanje gradiva, tudi vse slovensko gradivo postavlja razen oglasov. Da bi sam prevzel vso odgovornost še za osem slovenskih strani, bi pomenilo breme, ki ga ne bi bil zmožen. Ni vprašanja denarja, ampak samega časa. Tudi to stvar obravnavamo z namenom, da bi našli primerno rešitev. Pretehtamo razne možnosti.

O vprašanju vsebine slovenskega dela A.D. bom pisal prihodnji petek na tem mestu. Moja poglobljena želja je, da bi bralci lista vedeli o prizadevanjih, ki so v teku, za izboljšanje našega lista. Upam in pričakujem, da bo mogoče v prvih tednih po naših počitnicah konkretnije pisati o teh načrtih.

Rudolph M. Susel

Misijonska srečanja in pomenki

595. Uršulinka s. Marija Frančiška Novak

sporoča 1. maja, da je premeščena na nov misijon: Kularb Wattana School, 1328 Yotha Rd., Sampunthawong, Bangkok 10100, Thailand.

Zahvaljuje se za dar MZA za njihove uboge \$400 in za \$100, ki jih je prejela nedavno od G. F. Joseph Rus iz Berwyna, Ill. Takole nadaljuje:

»V 35 letih misijonskega življenja sem se že večkrat selila. Ko je sv. Oče naznanil posebno Sveto leto, se je tudi meni zdelo, da bo Gospod zahteval kako posebno žrtev in nisem se zmotila. Tajski sever mi je zelo ljub, tako Chiangmai -Novo mesto, in še posebno bližnji misijoni med gorskimi plemeni, ki jih od časa do časa lahko obiščem, čeprav mi ni dano med njimi živeti. Vzgam njihovo mladino in se zanimam za njihove potrebe. Tudi podnebje je tu milejše kot na jugu. Noči so hladnejše in pozimi nas tudi zebe, kar je prijetna sprememba.

Vendar grem z veseljem na jug v petmilijonski Bangkok na našo farno šolo Kalvarijo, ki je skoraj v srcu mesta in ne daleč od stolnice Vnebovzetja, kjer je zdaj ustoličen prvi tajski kardinal. Na to šolo so uršulinke prišle novembra 1924. Med štirimi sta bili tudi ss. Rafaela in Ksaverija. Tam so začele v velikih težavah. Sedaj imamo tam lepo novo župno šolo. Prejšnja generalna prednica, ki nas je pred leti obiskala, je dejala, da je to naša najlepša šola v Siamu.

Katoliških učenk je tu razmeroma več kot v Regini Coeli ali v Chiangmai-u, kjer je budizem zelo ukoreninjen. Kalvarija je bolj kitajska fara Marije Presvetege Rožnega Venca. To je tudi v imenu naše šole: Regina Rosarii - Kularb Wattana. Kularb je po tajsko vrtnica: Šola, Marijina Roža. Lepo, kajne, je tudi iti z Marijo na Kalvarijo.

Pretekli teden sem opravila duhovne vaje. Mnogo poljudnega umetniškega dela me še čaka s slikanjem kipov in podob, potem pa oddidem v Bangkok.

Bog povrni za AD v novi obliki, delo novih strojev. Naj Bog blagoslovi to izredno koristno versko in kulturno delo. Bom samo 5 ali 6 km daleč od s. M. Ksaverije, dasiravno 750 km od Chiangmai-a.

Po Majniški Kraljici najlepše pozdravljam gđc. Sonjo in vse misijonske prijatelje in dobrotnike. V Gospodu hvaležno vdana s. M. Frančiška Novak, O.S.U.»

Misijonar Andrej Majcen

pozdravlja iz Rima vse misijonske sodelavce MZA in dobrotnike. Prav tako s. Ivanka Pokovec iz Avstrije. Ona je na naslovu: Annunziatakloster, Furth 5, 3032 Eichgraben, Austria. Tole dodaja: »Ena naših mlajših sester, ki je delovala v Cerkljah posebno med mladino, je začetku maja odletela v Francosko Gujano.«

Iz Kenije se je 24. aprila oglašil kratko misijonar Šte-

fan Burja: »Ne najdem besed, da bi se primerno zahvalil za dar MZA. Sv. maše bom začel opravljati 1. maja in bodo kot naša zahvala za Vašo dobroto.

Bog res redno pomaga, ko je potreba največja. Dne 23. marca so nas obiskali tatovi. Deset jih je bilo, oblečenih kot policija in vojaki. Odnegli so nam veliko, a nam niso fizično škodovali na telesih. Bog Vas živi in hvala za vse. Vaš Stefan.«

Misijonar Louis Rink deluje sedaj v Keniji. Leta je misijonaril v Ugandi, kamor se pa ne more več vrniti. Zahvaljuje se za pomoč MZA. Živi z Maryknollskim misijonarjem, ki je deloval v Tanzaniji prejšnja leta. Veliko revščine imajo okrob sebe v Nairobi-ju. Srečen je, da se je mogel vrniti med uboge in da more misijonariti v Afriki. Način misijonskega pioniranja se spreminja in veliko poudarjajo manjše skupnosti vernih, ki skušajo doseči čim več duš v okolici.

V petek 13. maja

ob pol sedmih zjutraj smo imeli v farni cerkvi Brezmadežnega Srca požar. Popolnoma so pogoreli vsi trije oltarji, čudovito lep kip Brezmadežnega Srca Marijinega in tabernakelj smo našli na tleh v pepelu. Zakristija, z vsem inventarjem (cerkvena oblačila, liturgične knjige, zapisnik o ministrantih, bolnikih, itd.) je uničena. Kreditna zadruga je izgubila svojo sobo pod zakristijo, ker je strop ves pogorel.

Električna ura v zakristiji se je ustavila ob 5.32, druga pod korom pa ob 5.55 zjutraj. Orgle so poškodovane, zidovje vse počrnelo od silnega dima in hude vročine. Zažgana je bila tudi papeška zastava in večina cerkvenega posodja je uničena (Monštranca, patene, svečniki, kadilnice, kropilnik, itd.).

Terazo tla so precej poškodovana; postaje križevega pota, okna, strop, vetrnice (fans), vse je zelo umazano od dima in kemikalij. Električna napeljava je nanovo vzpostavljena - bila je močno uničena - in čistilno podjetje je zasilno umilo zidove do višine 6 čevljev, da smo šli lahko, po enem tednu službe božje v telovadnici naše katoliške šole, nazaj na nedeljsko službo božjo v cerkev.

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Hockeython Nets \$1,000 for Aged

Members of the St. Vitus Catholic Youth Organization held a Hockey-thon on Friday, June 10, and raised \$1,000.00 which will be donated to the Slovene Home for the Aged on Neff Rd.

The moderator of the group is Rev. John Kumse (center). Members of the CYO asked businesses and individuals if they would donate money for each game they played. Also, spectators were charged \$1.00 to watch the exciting contests. The action began at noon and ended at midnight.

"The amount of money raised for the old age home was beyond our wildest dreams," Father Kumse said.



Dan's Diary

College-Bound Mentor Girl Wins Scholarships

By Dan J. Postotnik

"Give credit where credit is due," is the saying, so I want to give well deserved credit to a very outstanding young lady by the name of Catherine M. Streiner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley W. Streiner, 7094 Burrigle Rd., Mentor, O. She was a member of the 102nd graduating class at Notre Dame Academy, Chardon, O. on May 27.

Catherine was awarded no less than six scholarships, and accepted the Catholic Order of Foresters Scholarship, a four-year \$4,000 grant.

Streiner was inducted into the National Honor Society, had a

top 4-year class average of 4.034, was a National Merit finalist, and a member of the 4-H Royal Court. She is listed in Who's Who, America's Outstanding Names and Faces, and has won a number of horse show awards. In addition, she received the Bausch and Lomb Science Award, and an Elementary Religion Teaching Certificate.

Extra curricular activities included: 4-H, Junior Leaders, Guitar Choir, school musical, Diocesan Youth Chorus, C.Y.O., and horseback riding. Catherine is also chairman for the school religious activities committee and tutors, plus a

volunteer for riding for the handicapped.

She plans to attend Wheeling College in Wheeling, W.Va. and study pre-veterinary medicine.

By the way, Anthony J. Urbas, 1226 Norwood Rd., Cleveland, the financial secretary for Baraga Court No. 1317, C.O.F., is Catherine's proud grandpa.

Congratulations and best wishes go out to Catherine and her parents for her achievements to date, and much success is wished her for future years.

Dr. Vladimir and Nona Rus, 2604 Ashurst Rd., University Hts., Ohio, have recently announced the engagement of their daughter, Elizabeth M. to Capt. Anthony G. Bonutti, U.S. Air Force, son of Attilio and Bruna Bonutti, 705 E. 249 St. Euclid, O. A September 1984 wedding is planned.

Elizabeth, a very pretty lass, is a 1981 graduate of Case Western Reserve University with B.S. and M.B.A. degrees, and is presently employed in the Materials Management Division of Cleveland Clinic.

Tony graduated from the U.S. Air Force Academy at Colorado Springs, Colo. as a lieutenant in May 1979, and on May 30, 1983 was promoted to Captain. He was recently on a one week's leave, and I had the pleasure to meet his fiancée. Handsome Captain Tony Bonutti is stationed at McGuire Air Force Base,

and is a C-141 military transport aircraft commander.

Congratulations and best wishes are extended to the newly engaged couple, and also to their fine parents!

Here are some important birthday observances by St. Vitus Holy Name members.

John Hocevar, 90th, May 2
Mirko Stupnik, 75, July 11
John Lube, 70, May 9
Dominic Stupica, 70, July 4
John Oster, 65, June 6
Dan Postotnik, 65, June 24
Rudy Massera, 60, May 25
Anton Oblak, 60, May 4
Mirko Vombergar, 60, May 8
Louis Petelin, 55, June 20
George Pöprik, 55, June 21
Tone Vogel, 55, May 28

And a very Happy Birthday to that wonderful lady, Mrs. Dorothy Urbancich, 22601 Chardon Rd., Euclid, OH 44117, mother of Madeline Debevec, who will celebrate her day on June 24.

To all of these nice persons, we wish many more years of health and happiness.

Thought you would enjoy this one. A surgeon, an architect and a politician were arguing as to whose profession was the oldest. Said one surgeon, "Eve was made from Adam's rib, and that surely was a surgical operation."

"Maybe," said the architect, "but prior to that, order was created out of chaos, and that was an architect's job." "But," interrupted the politician, "somebody created the chaos first."

A speedy recovery is wished Father Julius Slapsak, who injured himself in a fall, and is now recuperating at St. Augustine Manor, 7818 Detroit Ave., Cleveland, OH 44107. I am sure he will appreciate get well cards from his many friends.

Happy Father's Day this Sunday, June 19 to all fathers, and let us remember our deceased fathers with a special prayer. I always remember mine with love, prayers, and gratitude.

Happy Birthday

June Name	Age	Birthplace
8, Anton Celhar	96	Orehka, Yugoslavia
8, Leopold Furlan	71	Cleveland
10, Josephine Haffner	89	Cleveland
13, Josephine Antonin	71	Cleveland
14, Mary Urbanick	90	Yugo.
15, Vid Hribar	94	Croatia
15, Gertrude Stuber	80	Cle.
16, Hedviga Rakitic	63	Croatia
21, Louis Boit	91	Uvic, Yug.
21, Louise Ursic	89	Strnica, Slovenia
24, Frank Perme	89	Slov.
26, Antanina Atkocaitis	72	Lithuania
28, Alice Grosel	94	Tedavi Mist, Yugoslavia
28, Antonia Kostrevec	73	West Virginia
30, Thomas Petrovic	90	Slovenia

American Slovene Club Seeks Saleable Items

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The Slovenian Youth Choir of SNPJ Circle 2 are. 1st row, (left to right) Annie Dolgan, Nina Valencic, Cecilia Dolgan (Director), Douglas Elersich (pianist), Chrissy Valencic, Bobby Dolgan; 2nd row: Cathy Kastelic, Michelle Valencic, Jeanette Hiti, Andrea

Spendal, Nancy Sankovic, Karen Kovach, and Christine Mihelich; 3rd row: Eddie Sumrada, Tony Mihelich, Joey Tomsick, Jeff Loiko, Chuck Sumrada, Dave Rogant, John Klancher, and Jim Loiko. Missing from photo is Suzanne Lisac.

Circle 2 Youth Choir Slates European Tour

The Circle 2 SNPJ Slovenian Youth Choir is busy preparing for its forthcoming concert tour of Slovenia and Italy leaving June 29. The 20-member choir will be performing a most versatile program which includes American country and patriotic songs and square dancing, Slovenian choral music, dances, and button accordion ensemble.

The program planned for Slovenia will offer music from George Cohan to Slavko Avsenik, arrangements by John Denver and Radovan Gobec.

The Folk Ensemble includes 12 musicians, with eight button accordion players, and four other instruments. The vocalists will be singing with a five-piece orchestra.

The depth of the singers ability is based on their musical experience. For example, Jeanette Hiti and Nancy

Sankovic play in the Lake Catholic High School band. Andrea Spendal is a member of the Lake Catholic "LC Singers". Christine Mihelich recently played one of the leading roles in "Carousel" at Euclid High School. She and brother Tony, also a part of the chorus, sing with Glasbena Matica Slovenian Singing Society.

Joey Tomsick, besides directing the button box ensemble, teaches accordion at Tony Petkovsek's Polka Village and he plays tuba in the St. Ignatius High School Band. Jeanette Hiti and Karen Kovach are members of the United Slovenian Society Concert Band. Karen, who is Miss SNPJ 1983, plays saxophone, clarinet and flute. The Sumrada brothers, Eddie and Chuck, have their own orchestra. As members of the Circle 2 Touring Choir, along

with Dave Rogant, they play chromatic accordion, electric keyboard, banjo, guitar, bass drums, and saxophone.

The ages of the youth range from five years to 19. With most of the choral arrangements in three and four-part harmony, everybody has been alert and doing his or her best in rehearsals.

Rounding out the troupe is pianist Douglas Elersich, an Ohio State University music education grad. Doug is also assistant director of Zarja Slovenian Singing Society and soloist with the group.

Music director of the Slovenian Youth Choir is Cecilia Dolgan, who has been teaching the youth for the past 18 years. She has a vast background in music having been a Cleveland area contralto soloist for a number of years and a past member of the Robert Shaw Cleveland

Summerfest Info

Here is some of the excellent food which will be available at the St. Vitus Summerfest '83 which will be held Friday thru Sunday, July 15, 16, and 17 on the school grounds.

Friday — Pigs in Blanket or Fish \$4; Saturday Spaghetti and Meatballs w/sauce \$4; Sunday — Roast Beef or Chicken \$5.00 The kids get a child's portion for half price. On Friday and Saturday the dinners begin at 5 p.m. and on Sunday at 11:30 a.m. Then there's krofe on Friday and Saturday morning.

There will be cultural entertainment in the big tent. Groups performing will be Fantje na Vasi, Lilija, Showcase, Korotan, and Kres. There will be button box clubs from Euclid and Maple Heights as well as the Alpine sextet, the United Slovenian Society Band and Pecon. Also for your enjoyment will be the Zagreb Tamburitians, Mladi

Harmonikarji, and the St. Vitus Youth Choir.

There will be games inside, and plenty of socializing.

This year marks the 90th anniversary of St. Vitus church. There will be historical and cultural exhibits in the auditorium.

All this is called Summerfest '83. Everyone is invited.

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Frank Kondrich

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June 17, 1983, Cleveland

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St. Christine Hosts Fatima Statue

St. Christine parish, 840 E. 222 St., Euclid, O., will host the U.S. Pilgrim Virgin statue of Our Lady of Fatima on June 23 at 7 p.m. with a concelebrated Mass. All are welcome to attend this memorable event.

Emily Jelenic,
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Slovenian School Picnic June 26

St. Marys Slovenian School will sponsor its annual picnic on Sunday, June 26 at Slovenska Pristava. Everyone is cordially invited to come and enjoy the fun-filled day.

SHA Auxiliary Meets June 23

The Slovene Home for the Aged Auxiliary will meet at 7:30 p.m. on Thursday, June 23 at the Home on Neff Rd. Anyone interested in joining the group is most welcome to attend.

St. Vitus Krofe Sale June 18

St. Vitus Altar Society will sponsor a krofe sale on Saturday, June 18 in the social room of St. Vitus Auditorium.

Coll. Slo. Home Party June 26

On Sunday, June 26 the Collinwood Slovenian Home is sponsoring a homecoming dinner and dance featuring the Polka King himself, Frankie Yankovic.

Baraga Bus Trip Tickets Available

Anyone planning to attend the Bishop Baraga Days in Michigan can get bus tickets on a first-come, first-serve basis.

Only 40 seats are available for the trip from Sept. 2-5. The group will stay at Manistique, Mich., and will visit Marquette.

Call Father Vic Tomc for tickets at 761-7740.

FRANK BELGAN

Frank Belgan (formerly of Willoughby Hills), age 86, passed away at his home in Royal Oak, Michigan.

His wife, Mary P. (nee Zaller), died in 1954. He is survived by his two children: Frank of Royal Oak, Mich., and Elsie Turner of Clearwater, Fla. He was the grandfather of six, and great-grandfather of two.

Funeral Mass was Tuesday, June 14 at St. Marys Church (Holmes Ave.) at 10 a.m. Interment at All Souls Cemetery.

Grdina Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

MARTHA E. BRESKVAR

Martha E. Breskvar (Marcie) age 74 passed away at Euclid General Hospital Wednesday, June 8.

She is survived by her husband Raymond F. (formerly

of the North American Bank), and her children: Ray J., Ronald P., Marilyn Fiorette and Michele Ackerman. She was the grandmother of nine and great-grandmother of one. She was the sister of Albert Dutchcott and Ruth Petsche.

Funeral services were at Shore Haven Lutheran Church Saturday, June 11 at 10 a.m. Interment at Crown Hill Memorial Park Cemetery. Grdina Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

FRANK CESEN SR.

Frank Cesen Sr., age 93, of 18960 Newton Ave., Euclid, where he resided for 40 years, died in Euclid General Hospital June 11.

Well known in cultural and fraternal circles, Mr. Cesen was interested in dramatics, directing many plays, dramas, and comedy in which he often took part.

He was a member of Lodge V Boj 53 SNPJ, the Euclid Pensioners, a certificate holder in three Slovenian National Homes, and in 1972 he was honored as Slovenian Man of the Year by the Federation of Slovenian Homes.

In his younger years he was a member of many singing societies and dramatic clubs such as Anton Verovsek and Ivan Sankar societies, Slovan Singing Society, and Zarja. He also wrote for Enakopravnost and Prosveta.

Funeral services were Wed., June 15 from Zele Memorial Chapel, 458 E. 152 St. Interment in Lake View Cemetery.

Mr. Cesen was born in Dob at Domzalah, Slovenia on Jan. 23, 1890. He came to the U.S. in 1906. He was a resident of Cleveland except for a 10 year period when he lived in Detroit. He was employed by Eaton Yale Towne as a sheet metal worker for 10 years where he worked on experimental designs.

He is survived by his son, Frank Jr., two daughters, Ann Roberts and Agnes Henderson; two sisters, Josie Correll and Louise Drugovich. He was preceded in death by his wife, Anna, and four brothers Peter, John, Paul, August, and a sister, Anna.

In lieu of flowers the family would appreciate memorials in his name to the Slovene Home for the Aged.

Businessman Andrew Turkman Dies

After a long illness, Andrew Turkman, 65, of 23821 Greenwood Rd., died Wed., June 15. He is survived by his wife, Josephine (nee Turk); sister Sophie (Mrs. Frank) Elersich; nephews Douglas and Andrew Elersich; great-nephew Aaron Elersich.

Mr. Turkman was born in the Newburg area of Cleveland, lived in the Waterloo section for 10 years. He was owner, operator of Tivoli Enterprise with his wife, Josephine, for 20 years.

He was on the Board of Directors of Slovenian National Home on St. Clair for many years. Mr. Turkman was also on the Board of Directors for the Club of Associated Slovenian National Homes.

For 49 years he was a member of Slovenian singing society

Zarja, and served as its president for 15 years. He was active in the Slovenian dramatic societies of Ivan Cankar and Anton Verovsek. And, he was a member of the United Slovenian Society.

He was a veteran of World War II and served with the Eighth Air Force and was one of the first groups to go overseas to England in 1943.

Services Saturday, June 18 from the Zele Funeral Home, 452 E. 152 St. Visiting hours Friday 2-5 and 7-9.

Donations to the Slovene Home for the Aged in his memory would be appreciated by the family.

Zarja will sing today at the funeral home at 8 p.m.

Interment at Crown Hill Cemetery, Twinsburg, O

Holmes Ave. Pensioners

Here is some news about the Holmes Hall Buttonaires, the newest Button Box group in the Collinwood area. It was organized on Aug. 5th 1982 by Gus Petelinkar, vice president of the Holmes Ave. Slovenian Pensioners Club. The leader of the Buttonaires is Tony Fortuna of Cleveland. Public Relations man is Frank Dremel of Euclid. Other members are Ray Delly of Wickliffe, John Goryance of Willowick, Millie Budnar, Rose Intihar, and Connie Lee of Euclid.

This group participated in the Memorial Day parade in Euclid. They also performed at the All Nations Festival on the Mall, adjacent to City Hall on June 167 at 6:45 p.m.

Their next performance will be at the Old World Festival at St. Joseph High School in the big tent on Aug. 6 at 10 p.m. Then they return home for the Collinwood Slovenian Homecoming on Aug. 28.

At the last regular meeting of the Holmes Pensioners Club, Howard Freeman was the guest speaker who spoke at length on operations of insurance companies.

Prior to the conclusion of the meeting Mary Fende, Travel co-ordinator, announced proposed trips. They are Sea World Sept. 10, Geauga Lake Octoberfest Sept. 17, and Carousel Dinner Theater with "Oklahoma" on Sept. 24.

All pensioners are invited to the annual picnic of the Holmes Slovenian Pensioners

Club on July 13 at St. Joseph Picnic Grove on White Rd. about 2 miles East of Bishop Rd. The festivities begin following a short meeting at 1:00 p.m. Enjoy yourself while you can. It's later than you think. If you don't belong to any club, why not join the club of your choice.

Plenty of refreshments will be on hand at nominal prices. Music for dancing will be by Chuck Krivec with his daughter doing the vocals and guitar strumming.

Joe Gornick

In Memoriam

Enclosed please find a check for \$30 as a donation towards your new printing press. This donation is in memory of my wonderful maternal grandparents Vincent and Amalia Povirk who always supported the goodness of the "Domovina".

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St. Vitus Retreat

Last call for the St. Vitus Men's Retreat July 29 to 31. It will be held at the Loyola of the Lakes Jesuit Retreat House. Reservations must be made by June 29. Call Mr. Kolar at 881-6587 for details.

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Campus News

Stanley T. Hocevar, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stane Hocevar of Euclid, Ohio, received a master's degree of science in mathematics from John Carroll University. He was able to complete the usual two-year program in one year and is presently employed at an actuarial firm in downtown Cleveland.

Also graduating from John Carroll was **Joseph J. Omahen**, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Omahen of Richmond Hts., who received a bachelor of science degree in business administration. Joe graduated "cum laude," with honors.

Both had been graduates of St. Joseph High School prior to attending John Carroll. Best of luck to both and sincerest wishes to these fine young men from their family and friends.

Jadran Presents Songfest

The Jadran Chorus is sponsoring an evening of refreshments and song beginning at 8 p.m. Saturday, June 18, at the Slovenian Workmen's Home, 15335 Waterloo Rd.

The chorus will offer a few songs while the Jadran Buttonboxers, introduced at the March concert, also are scheduled to play. The Jadran Songbirds — Angela Zabjek and Florence Unetich — have a few numbers planned.

The gala also features wine and cheese, canapes, coffee and desserts. For tickets, contact a Jadran member or call Jo Tomsic (481-5437).

AMLA Kras No. 8 Sponsors Picnic-Dinner on June 25

AMLA's Lodge Kras No. 8 will sponsor its annual picnic and dinner on Saturday, June 25, at the AMLA Recreation Center.

The goulash and polenta dinner will be served from 4-6 p.m. Music will be provided by the Luzar Aggregation from 6-10 p.m.

Tickets are \$5 and may be reserved by contacting Jennie Kapel at 486-6245.

The Mission Aid Club

will sponsor its annual picnic on Sunday, July 10, at Slovenska Pristava.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend. Proceeds benefit Slovenian Missionaries throughout the world.

On Stage

The Geauga Lyric Theater Guild is presenting the Rodgers and Hammerstein musical, "Oklahoma," at 8:30 p.m. on June 17, 18, 24 and 25

in the Newbury High School Auditorium on Auburn Road, just north of Rt. 87 in Newbury.

Playing the lead role of Curly is **Dr. Max Gorenssek**, who has been soloist with Korotan for many years. Tickets are \$4 for adults and \$2 for students and may be purchased at the door.

Recent Graduates

Audrey Ann Miller, daughter of Jean M. Miller of Willowick, Ohio, was graduated from Notre Dame Academy in Chardon on May 27. She has been accepted at the St. Vincent Charity School of Nursing where she will begin classes in the fall.

Audrey, the granddaughter of the late Steven and Jennie Zele, has received a scholarship from the Lake County Medical Auxiliary and received a grant from Ohio Regent Scholarship. Congratulations from Mom and friends.

Marty Croak was recently

graduated from the University of Wisconsin Law School while his sister, **Anne**, was graduated from Monona Grove High School, also in Wisconsin. They are the children of Phil and Marian (Mocnik) Croak.

Meanwhile, in Cleveland, **Tom Mocnik** graduated from St. Joseph High School. He is the son of Donald and Pat Mocnik of South Euclid.

All three are grandchildren of Mary Marinko of Cleveland.

A speedy recovery to attorney **Robert M. Debevec**, who is recuperating at Hillcrest Hospital following surgery this week.

What a Ham!

A new member in the Quarter Century Wireless Assn. is radio ham Dorothy Truhlar of Chicago, Ill. Her call is N9ALC. To qualify for admission in the QCWA, a radio ham must have been licensed continuously for 25 years. Congratulations, Dorothy!

Happy Father's Day to all!!!

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