

VESTI IZ SLOVENIJE

STRELJANJE NA MEJI. — SPOSTOVANJE ljudske vo- Dne 20. februarja jutraj ob 4 lje. — Lansko leto so bile voli- uri se je slišalo na tržaško-jugo- slovanski meji streljanje iz pušk, ki je trajalo 20 minut. Streljanje je bilo na jugoslov- skem ozemlju. Med streli se je slišalo tudi vpitje ljudi in klica- nje na pomoč. Vselej po takih dogodkih so ljudje pribežali pre- ko meje. Toda to pot 4 ure po končanem streljanju ni bilo na tržaško stran še nobenega ube- žnika. Toda ponovni in ponovni prebegi preko meje, ko ljudje riskirajo življenje so najhujši dokaz, da je življenje pod komu- nističnim režimom nevzdržno.

SILJENJE KMETOV v kol- hoz. — Poročevalec je tole oseb- no doživel in piše 21. februarja: Neka ženska, doma v Gori- škem delu Slovenije, je prišla na obisk k svojim sorodnikom v Vi- dem v Italiji. Jokala je kot otrok. Njen mož je zaprt. Do- ma je 7 malih otrok. Ima kmet- sko posestvo, 6 glav živine, kr- me pa nobene. Oblast ne pusti prodati živine, krme za živino ni, ker jo je oblast pobrala takoj ob košnji. Oblast hoče ženo tako prisiliti, da bi vstopila v komu- nističen kolhoz. Obljubljajo ji, da bo potem takoj dovolj krme za njeno živino. Žena je pripo- vedovala, da oblast može in po- sestnike zapira, da bi jih prisi- lila v kolhoze.

Nasilno uvajanje komuniz- čnega gospodarstva je sedaj na kmetih največja bolečina. Komu- nistična trditev, da uvajajo svoje kmetijske zadrage le tam, kjer jih ljudje prostovoljno sprejmejo, je laž. IZ ZAPORA. — 24. decembra 1949 je prišla iz ženskih zapo- rav v Rajhenburgu Valerija Stanjo iz Lubnja pri Tolminu. Žena je stara okrog 50 let, je bi- la obsojena na 5 let in je bila že v zaporu 4 leta.

CLOUDY Vremenski prerok pravi: Oblačno in topleje popoldne, mrzlo, zvečer in v soboto.

Tri na dan Guverner Lausche je oni dan dovolil nekemu na smrt obsoje- nemu, da se z smrtno kaznijo po- čaka za 60 dni. Apeliralo se je namreč nanj, naj to stori, da bo- do še enkrat preiskali njegov slučaj, če morda ni po nedol- žnem obsojen.

Zdaj mu pa časopisje poje le- vite, češ da je bila zločincu kriv- da temeljito dokazana in da so njega, guvernerja, pošteno po- tegnili.

Po našem mnenju je napra- vil guverner prav. Ako bi ne bil dovolil zločincu odloga in bi ga bil poslal kljub apelu na elek- trični stol, bi vsi zavpili, da je poslal nedolžnega človeka v smrt. Tako pa, če je dotični strel, ne bo izbegnil električnemu stolu in je vseeno, če sede nanj zdaj ali čez 60 dni. Ako se pa izkaže, da ni imel poštene obravnave in da je bil krivično obsojen na smrt, je pa guverner popravil krivico sodnije.

TITO APELIRA NA OMRŽENE "KULAKE"

Belgrad. — Maršal Tito je v svojem govoru, ki ga je imel v nedeljo v Bosni, nujno apeli- ral na neodvisne kmete (kula- ke), naj vendar že nehajo s svojim pasivnim odporom na- pram režimu.

Njihov odpor, ki se izraža v obliki neobdelanja in neposeja- nja vse orne zemlje, je imel že resne posledice, kakor je raz- vidno iz številk, ki jih je ob tej priliki navedel Tito. L. 1949 je bilo n. pr. posejanih pribli-žno 500.000 hektarov (1.250.000 akrov) manj orne zemlje kakor leta 1948.

Dalje je Tito povedal, da se je zelo znižala jesenska setev. Vsega skupaj je bilo leta 1949 obdelane in posejane 6.800.000 hektarov (17.000.000 akrov) zemlje v primeru s 7.000.000 hektari leta 1939.

Apelirajoč na sodelovanje neodvisnih kmetov (kulakov po- novem), je Tito izjavil, da se mora izrabiati maksimalna si- la v vseh vejah deželne ekono- mije, "ker smo že napeli vse svoje sile bolj kot je bilo mo- goče."

Nato je Tito obljubil neod- visnim kmetom (kulakom), da se jih ne bo sililo v obdeloval- ne zadrage in da se bo poslej vlada prav tako pobrigala za njihove želje in potrebe, ka- kor za potrebe zadrugarških ali kolektivnih kmetov. Rekel je, da večino zemlje še vedno obdelujejo neodvisni kmetje in da vlada razumva njihove te- žave.

SMRT OB TELEFONU Cleveland. — Mrs. Anna Seitz, stara 25 let in stanujo- ča na zapadni strani Clevelan- da, se je pogovarjala po tele- fonu s svojo prijateljico, na- kar se je nenadoma zgrudila in umrla. Poleg nje je sedel njen mož, ki se je igral z dve- ma otrokoma, ki ju imata za- konca.

V Albaniji bodo 28. ma- ja volitve London. — Agencija Tass poroča iz Tirane, da bodo v Albaniji 28. maja volitve v dr- žavni zbor.

Novorojenček umrl V četrtak jutraj je umrl star- šem Anthony in Mary Ferfolia, 592 E. 80. St. sinček novoro- jenček. (Dekliško ime matere je bilo Strekla). Poleg staršev za- pušča sestro Marie Antonette. Pogreb bo v soboto popoldne ob- dveh iz Louis Ferfolia pogreb- nega zavoda v cerkev sv. Lov- renca in od tam na pokopališče.

Iskrene čestitke! Vsem Jožetom in Jožefi- nam, Pepcam in Joškom želi vse najboljše k njiho- vem godu ter jim kličo še na mnoga leta! TONKA JEVIK.

Chambersu grozi usoda Trockega New York. — Whittaker Chambers, ki je razkrinkal de- lovanje Algerja Hissa, je ta- ko rekoč jetnik Zed. držav. Ne- davno se je bil namenil pod- vzeti potovanje izven Zed. dr- žav, toda bilo mu je namig- njeno, da ga bo zadela usoda Trockega, če se prikaže izven mej Amerike.

Čeni dobivajo nauke o sov-

Stara, pa resolutna Amazonka

Blackhawk, Colo. Mrs. "Clear Creek Annie" Da- vis, 68 let stara premo- garka, je držala s puško v roki svojo "trdnjavo," to je bajto, ki je njen dom, proti celi armadi inženir-jev in delavcev, ki izpelju- jejo in gradijo novo cesto. Cesta, ki je tri in pol mili- jonski projekt, ima biti iz- peljana preko zemlje, na kateri stoji njena koča. Inženir Mark U. Watrous je priznal, da jih je stara ženska držala dolgo vse v šahu.

Ženska je sedela 24 ur na straži, da ohrani svojo kočo pred cesto, ki ima steči kot stranska cesta iz Denverja v Idaho Springs. Cestni department je do- bil sodniško dovoljenje, da delavci lahko podro- hiše, toda ženski je uspe- lo dobiti 45 dni odloga.

Uveljavljanje starega zakona o "coprnica"

Wilmington, Del. — Tukaj so izbrskali z zaprašenih polic- stari zakon o "coprnica," ki je bil v veljavi v Novi Angliji ob času, ko so se coprnice se- žigali na gredah. Na podlagi tega zakona bo obtožena "co- pranja" mlada, 23 let stara ženska, ki je mati dveh otrok. Ta ženska je Mrs. Helen E- vans, ki je po "pcklije" vede- ževalka. Ona pravi, da je ob- tožba navadna bedastoča. Se- danj je na svobodi pod varšeno in bo zaslišana v torek zaradi obtožb, katere je naperil pro- ti njej detektiv George Kein- berger.

Keinberger jo je obtožil, da je napovedala neki ženski iz nje- ne rčne pisave, da je "uroče- na" ter ji je dala neko "copr- nijo," na kateri naj leži, ko bo šla spat. Mrs. Evans je naro- čila dotični ženski, naj se vrne čez nekaj dni in ji prinese 10 dolarjev, dotlej pa tudi uroki- ne bodo imeli več moči nad njo.

Statut, po katerem je bila Mrs. Evans aretirana, ni bil v rabi sodišča, da bi pomnil kak sodnik ali policijski uradnik.

DAJ BRAT, DAJ SESTRA, SPOMNI SE BEGUNCEV S KAKIM DOLARJEM

ACHESON KITAJCEM: NE ROVARITE ONSTRAN MEJI!

Sovjetski imperializem samo "perverzira" resnične ljudske revolucije, katerih cilj je svoboda in ne- odvisnost narodov, pravi Acheson.

San Francisco, Col. — Dr- žavni tajnik Dean Acheson je imel 15. decembra tukaj važen govor, v katerem je posvaril kitajske komuniste, naj nikar ne delajo zgage izven svojih mej. Med drugim je dejal: "Mi moramo pomagati na- redom, da si izoblikujejo svo- jo usodo na svoj lasten način. Ne po našem načinu, temveč po svojem lastnem."

Izjavil je, da Sovjetska zve- za skuša samo "perverzirati" za svoje lastne imperialistične namene politične in socialne iz- premembe, ki se jih trudijo do- seči narodi sveta. Nato je na- vedel za zgled Kitajsko, kako se sovjetski imperializem po- lasti vsakega ljudskega giba- nja za neodvisnost. Posvaril je kitajske komuniste pred delanjem zgage izven njihovih meja.

"Azijska ljudstva so že več zadnjih desetletij v revoluciji, v kateri se žele iznebiti revšči- ne in zatiranja preteklih sto- letij. Prizadevajo se doseči ne- odvisnost, boljše izobrazbo, po- stenejšo razdelitev lastništva in zemlje in dobiti hočejo kon- trolo nad svojo lastno usodo."

"N. golo naključje, da so njihovi cilji in naši cilji ena- ki. Ameriško ljudstvo se je že 150 let borilo za te cilje in se še vedno bori. — Sovjetski imperializem pa samo "perver- zira" resnično demokratično revolucijo, ki je pričela iti pre- ko vsega sveta mnoge prej, kot je kdaj kaj čul o komunizmu. Mi nečemo izrabljati azijskih ljudstev, temveč jim pomagati. V nekaterih slučajih bo na- ša pomoč vojaška, v drugih bo ta pomoč v dajanju posojil, kakor je zdaj slučaj pri repub- liki Indoneziji, kateri smo da- li 100 milijonov dolarjev poso- jila."

V Kitajski je komunizem po- pačil resnične namene revolu- cij. Zakaj dočim so sosed- ne države dosegle resnično na- rodno neodvisnost in svobodo,

Razne drobne novice iz Clevelanda in te okolice

Nova iznajdba — Mladi in nadarjeni Robert Simens iz 694 E. 200 St. je iz- umil nove vrste beneške zasto- re, ki stoje v oknih ali na vrati- h pokončno ali počez, kakor beneški zastori. So zelo lični. Ogledate si jih lahko v trgo- vini s pohištvo, A. Grdina in Sinevi, 15301 Waterloo Rd.

Važen sestanek — Vsi slovenski fantje, kakor tudi mlasi mozje, ki jim je pri- srečo delo za slovensko stvar, ste vabljeni na važen sestanek v nedeljo 19. marca ob 2:30 v "Slovenski pisarni". Vljudo- ste vabljeni tudi tukaj rojeni slovenski fantje. Pridite v ve- likem številu, ker je setanek namenjen za čim širši krog.

Iz bolnišnice — Iz bolnišnice se je povrnila Mrs. Margaret Rožance, 15216 Lucknow Ave. Prestala je tež- ko operacijo. Prijateljce jo zdaj lahko obiščejo na domu. Tem potom se želi zahvaliti za obiske, kartice in za cvetlice, poslane ji v bolnišnico.

Važna seja — Odbor Zveze slovenskih dru- štev Najsv. Imena vabi v ne- deljo popoldne ob 2. na važno sejo pri sv. Lovrencu v New- burghu. Prošeni so vsi odbor- niki, da se gotovo udeležijo. Pobiranje asesmenta — V ponedeljek 20. marca bo tajnica dr. št. 162 KSKJ po- birala asesment v šoli sv. Vida, soba št. 2, od 6 do 7 zvečer. Članice so prošene, da to upo- štejavajo.

Za Pepce in Joške — Društvo Waterloo Grove št. 110 WC vabi v nedeljo večer na prireditve v SDD na Wa- terloo Rd. Za fino zabavo in dobro postrežbo je vse dobro preskrbljeno. Nova tajnica tega društva je Celia Jaklitz, tel. RA 1-9405.

Molitvena ura — Društvo Sv. imena fare Ma- rije Vnebovzete bo imelo v ne- deljo 19. marca ob 2. popol- ne molitveno uro, potem bo pa seja. Udeležijo naj se vsi člani.

Izredno lepa prilika — Norwood Appliance & Fur- niture Co., 6202 St. Clair Ave. vam nudi izredno nizke cene, po katerih imate priliko naku- piti potrebne stvari za hišo in dom. Oglejte si oglas v da- našnjem listu in boste videli, da se vam bo izplačalo, da se te dni zglasite pri prijaznem Joznu Sušniku.

Preznu podjeka — Frank Rich, ki vodi poprav- ljalnico in barvanje avtov na 1078 E. 64. St. je prevzel zna- no Tomovo garažo na 1080 E. 64 St. Lastniki avtov dobe se- danj tam kompletno postrežbo za svoje avte.

Novo v Philco — Philco nudi zdaj ledenice, ki imajo shrambo za zamrzneje v polni širini v gornjem pre- delu. Oglejte si jih pri Brod- nick Bros., 16013 Waterloo Rd.

Seja društva št. 18 SDZ — Društvo sv. Cirila in Metoda št. 18 SDZ ima nocoj ob 7:30 redno mesečno sejo v navadnih prostorih.

Ne tvegajmo, ne riskirajmo. Življenje je v naših rokah. Ka- dar hodimo ali sami vozimo, bodimo previdni in modri.

Tako kuje življenje. . .

Slavni Roberto. — Pariški satirični tednik "Canard En- chaine" je objavil pretekli te- den sledeče "Vesti iz svetovnih prestolnic":

Predsednik Truman v Wa- shingtonu se je odločil, da ne prizna sina filmske igralka In- grid Bergman.

Generalisim Stalin v Moskvi pa se je odločil, priznati Ro- berto Bergmana, ki bo dobil naslov Častnega sinu Očeta ljudskih množic.

V kongresu v Varšavi so Sa- telitski Očetje soglasno spre- jeli predlog za priznanje sina Ingrid.

Predsednik zamorske republi- ke Liberije v Monrovijsi se je odločil, priznati vsakogar, ki mu plača. Naslove in denarne nakaznice je poslati na njegov naslov.

Čeni dobivajo nauke o sov-

jetski gostoljubnosti. Lansko poletje je Kremelj povabil ne- katere češke atlete v Moskvo. Tja so se odpeljali s posebnim letalom, nastanili so jih v naj- lepših stanovanjih in jih go- stili s kavijarjem in vodko. . . Sovjetska propaganda je raz- glasila to gesto prijateljstva in pobratimstva po vsej Evro- pi. Račun pa je prišel pretek- li teden. Moskva je namreč poslala češki vladj račun za zabavanje atletcv in je celo zahtevala plačilo v ameriških dolarjih. . .

V Neaplju je 14. marca uto- nil italijanski kmet Francesco Falco. To bi ne bilo sicer nič tako čudnega, saj je že mnogo ljudi utonilo, toda ta ni utonil v vodi, temveč v vinu. V opi- tem stanju se je prekučnil v kad, napolnjeno z vinom.

Knjigovodja neke posojilni-

ce v Fresno, Cal., je vrgel v ša- li v košaro za ničvreden papir- vrečo s \$6.000, kar je izzval smeh njegovih tovarišev. To- da potem je pozabil na denar in ga ni vzel iz košare, ki so jo- bili med tem pobrali in izpraz- nili na smetišče, kjer je bilo vse iskanje zaman.

Nek prodajalec v grocerijski trgovini v Columbia City, Ind., je dal odjemalcu v šali tako cigaro, ki je narejena da eks- plodira. Ta je prižgal cigaro, ki je res eksplodirala ter mu poškodovala oko. Odjemalec je tožil prodajalca za \$5.000 od- škodnine.

Ko so prišli roparji v trgo- vino Benjamin Greenfielda v Newarku, N. J., mu niso vzeli samo \$15.000, temveč tudi njegove hlače, ki jih je moral sleči in izročiti roparjem, da- ne bi mogel za njimi na ulico.

V drž. departmentu ni komunistov

Louisville, Ky. — Mrs. Ele- anor Roosevelt je označila obtožbe, da so komunisti v dr- žavnem departmentu, za "be- daste in brez podlage." Vpra- šana, zakaj senator McCarthy obtožuje državni department, da ima komuniste v svoji sredi, se je zasmejala in rekla: — "Menda zato, ker je drž. de- partment v upravi demokrati- čnosti." (McCarthy je namreč re- publikanec).

Iz raznih naselbin

CHICAGO. — V Berwynu je radi srčne kapi naglo umrla Kri- stina Harej, vdova, stara 56 let, doma iz Sela v Vipavski dolini, v Ameriki od 1921. Mrtvo je našel na tleh sin, ko se je v so- boto zvečer vrnil domov. Zapu- šča dva sina, v starem kraju pa 95 let starega očeta.

Dne 5. marca je umrl Joseph Zupanc, star 81 let, doma nekje na Dolenskem, star naseljenec. Tukaj zapuša nečaka in tri ne- čakinje.



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Dragi prijatelj!

Se še spominjaš: v Getsemanskem vrtu, med oljčnimi nasadi sva stala pretekli teden in prav ob blizu opazovala trpljenje svojega Gospoda. Res, kot kamen trdo, kot led mrzlo bi moralo biti najino srce, da bi z Oljske gore odšla brez vtisa, brez notranje duhovne preobrazbe.

Toda v času, ko Jezus trpi in s krvavimi kapljami svoje ga potu izumiva naš greh se v Jeruzalemu z mrzlično naglico pripravljajo veliki dogodki. Juda, Njegovega apostola, doma iz Kariote, je obsedel hudič-mamon. V roke so ga dobili Jezusovi sovražniki, denarja so mu obljubili, če jim pomaga pri zločinskem delu, ujeti Jezusa, da ga bodo umorili. Kot črv se je zagrizla v Judovo srce strast po denarju, bogastvu, napredovanju v očeh sovražnikov Jezusovih. "Kaj bi hodil s tem beračem Jezusom, tu bo slaba karijera, tu ni denarja, ni časti, kaže, da bodo vsi Njegovi preganjani, trpinčeni radi te nove vere, zato bo boljše iti na drugo stran, tam bo življenje varno in še kak groš bo padel v žep." — tako premišlja Juda. In sklep je storjen: "Kaj mi daste, pa vam ga izdam?" In obljubili so mu 30 srebrnikov.

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ge, za vas sem delal!" Cinični nasmeh se razlije čez duhovniške obraze, obrnejo mu hrbet, kdo bi se ukvarjal s to propalico. "Kaj nam mar, ti glej!" je razsodba in obsoda, ta tolažba zvodnikov za svoje zapeljance. In ta zgodba prokletstva se ponavlja do današnjih dni in ne zmordri nikogar, čeprav tisoči odhajajo na Judovo pot.

In konec? Z vrvo okrog vratu visi na samotnem drevesu Juda, izdajalec Jezusov. V enakomernih sunkih maje veter njegovo truplo, vrv se utrga in nad njegovim truplom vrešče krokariji. Njegova duša pa je v peklju pokopana. Nagrobni govor pa mu je govoril Kristus sam: "Bolje bi bilo, da bi ta človek ne bil rojen."

Prijatelj, nikar ne mečiva kamenja na Juda, nikar ga ne prekolniva, saj je morda tudi nama že kdaj moral Kristus reči: "Prijatelj, ali s poljubom izdajaš svojega Gospoda!" Pač pa rajši prisluhniva Judovim opominom iz pekla: "Večji od greha izdaje je greh obupa!"

In kaj bova naredila? K Jezusu pojdiva pa takole reci: "Učenik, sprejmi moj poljub kesanja in vrni mi poljub odpuščenja."

S prijateljskim pozdravom,

tvoj prijatelj.

Newburške novice

Veste ljudje božji, nekaj smo se pa katoličani celo od komunistov naučili. Saj pravijo, da moramo ogenj z ognjem gasiti. To sem opazil še kot otrok. Kadar nam je doma v Minnesoti pretil kak velik gozdni požar, so šli farmarji in zažgali ogenj, ki je šel nasproti požaru.

V New Yorku in nekaterih drugih velikih mestih, so komunisti in druga taka sodrga, zbiral na cestah ljudi okoli sebe in jim govorili ter jih ščuvali proti vladi in cerkvi. Pridobili so marsikaterega in to sicer zato, ker jim na njih lažnjiva predbacivanja ni nihče odgovoril.

To je podkurilo nekatere vne katoličane, da so se organizirali v takozvane "Campaigners for Christ." Po našem bi rekli, borilci za Kristusa. Sli so naravnost med nje in na miren pa dostojen način pobijali laži komunističnih Stalinovih agentov. American fair play, je vselej zmagal. Amerikanec, če tudi se ne strinja s teboj, hoče slišati tudi tvojo stran.

Tako se je zgodilo, da se je nekoč širokoustil neki mlad pobaltn na Union Square v New Yorku, kjer so bili do takrat rdečekarji edini, ki so pridigovali ljudem.

"Jaz sem odpadel katoličan," je kričal Stalinovec. "in sem ponosen na to. Papež je vodja novodobnih fašistov. Ali ni res, da je on blagoslovil italijanske vojake, ko so šli preganjati Etiopijce? Pa naj rečejo katoličani, da to ni res, če morejo."

Katoličani, ki so se na to pripravili in se pridružili poslušalcem, so takoj razložili ljudem, da papež blagoslavlja vse ljudi, tudi nekatoličane, ker je pastir celega sveta. Stalinovci so videli, da imajo tukaj opraviti z ljudmi, kateri povedo resnico. Metali so vsakovrstna vprašanja, opazke in psovke na govornika. Ta pa je mirno odgovarjal; na dostojna vprašanja dokler niso ta ponehala. Potem pa je stopila dekle na "prižnico," vzela rožni venec v roke in začela moliti rožni venec: "Verujem v Boga očeta..."

Kar jih je bilo katoličanov so molili znjo, drugi pa so se, nekateri odkrili, drugi pa so se ne kaj časa posmehovali, potem pa potuhnjeno odšli. In tako je bil prvi moljen rožni venec prav na Union Square, kjer so do takrat letale le psovke na Boga in Njegovo Mater ter katoličane.

No, in kaj pa tisti, ki je malo poprej kričal, da je ponosen na svoj odpad?

Očividce pravi, da je nekaj časa debelo gledal, potem pa sam začel odgovarjati "Sveča Marija mati božja..." In, pravi isti pisec, "ko sem to videl sem zahvalil Boga in čakal, da smo zmolili. Ko smo pobirali svoje reči skupaj, se je boječe približal nam in dejal:

"Kaj takega nisem videl v svojem življenju."

"Koliko časa pa je odkar si bil zadnjič pri spovedi?" ga vprašam.

"Štiri leta," je bil odgovor.

"Nekoliko čez dve uri pozneje sem ga opazil, ko je prihajal iz spovednice v cerkvi sv. Frančiška s solzami v očeh."

To je samo en slučaj izmed sto in sto drugih, kateri so po neustrašenem zagovoru katoličanov prišli nazaj na pravo pot. Ne bodi nikdar strahopeten, če je treba zagovarjati svoje prepričanje. Tudi se nikar ne razburjaj, če te kdo sprašuje, tudi ne, če se ti morda posmehuje. Saj ne ve bolje, pa magari če je tudi nekoč bil katoličan. Morda je eden izmed onih nesrečnih ljudi, ki so radi premalega pouka in nevednosti odpadli in potem prebirali sam strup, samo natočevanje in laži glede katoliške cerkve in vere. Da boš pa zamogel zagovarjati sv. vero, beri včasih katekizem. Boš videl, koliko reči je tam notri, katere si nekoč morda znal na pamet, pa si jih popolnoma pozabil. Garantiram ti, da se ne boš kesal, če vzameš katekizem zopet v roke in ga bereš. Če pa si zmožen angleščine imaš pa na razpolago stotine zanimivih brošuric.

V državi Maryland je baje postava, ki prepoveduje ženi stikati po žepih svojega moža. "Pri nas," je rekel nekdo, "pri nas je pa to samo muja zastoj."

Prav vesel nas, da se je Martin Jerič trliko opogumil, da je prevzel trgovino z železnino na Union Ave. in 75. cesti. Martin bo vodil to trgovino po modernih metodah, to se pravi, imel bo vedno novo blago in cene take, da jih nikjer ne bodo prekosili. Sicer ni naša dolžnost delati reklamo za kak biznis. Povejmo to radi tega, ker vemo, da je vsak začetek težak in zato, ker je Martin Jerič naš dolgoletni dober faran. We wish you the best, Martin.

Nekdo pravi: "Končno sem pronašel, da je sreča vselej posledica trdega dela." Vzemimo eno primer: Tam okoli sv. Stefana v Minnesoti imajo sedanji potomci slovenskih pionirjev lepe in obširne farme, katere obdelujejo, primeroma z lahkoto, ker imajo za vsako delo posebne stroje. Ali njih stari očetje in stare matere so delali od zore do mraka in se ubijali, da so se zvečer komaj po koncu držali.

V nedeljo je praznik sv. Jožefa. Naše društvo sv. Jožefa K. S. K. J. bo v nedeljo ob 7:15 pristopilo skupno k sv. obhajilu. Naj ne manjka nikogar. Father Slapšak, duhovni vodja društva, bo imel mašo in primerno pridigo. Vsem Jožefom v fari in drugod voščimo to srečo, katere bodo deležni člani društva sv. Jožefa, ko pristopijo k mizi Gospodovi.

Tak naj vendar stopi temu levu marcu kdo na vrat, da ne bo uganjal tako razgrajanje, sneg, veter, mraz, sneg, veter, mraz in to zdaj, ko ga je polovico že mimo.

Člani društva Najsvetejšega

Imena so se dobro odzvali klicu Father Baznika, ki jih je vabil k polni udeležbi pri skupnem sv. obhajilu zadnjo nedeljo. Pri skupnem zajtrku, ki je sledil, je bil glavni govornik Mr. Nagy, mestni nadzornik igrišč. Tukaj zdaj preti nevarnost, da vzamejo našim otrokom, še tisto bore igrišče ki so ga do sedaj imeli. Tukaj bo treba nam vsem, zlasti pa našemu councilmanu, Jože Kovaču, podvzeti odločne korake, da dobijo naši otroci vsaj nekaj tiste preskrbe za igranje, o kateri se toliko piše pa govori vsako leto pred volitvami. Mi zahtevamo za naše otroke iste pravice, kot jih imajo drugi.

"Kadar človek umrje drži v rokah samo to, kar je drugim, ubogim dal dokler je bil še živ," pravi Rousseau. V nedeljo je prilika, ko se pobira za stradajoče v Evropi, pokazati, koliko si pripravljen nesti seboj.

Veseli nas, da se je Joe Lekanu zdravje obrnilo na bolje. Upamo, da bo zopet kmalu med nami na prostem.

Drugi član dr. Najsvetejšega imena pa je John Peskar. Tudi ta je že več mesecev zaprt v bolnišnici sobi. Priporočamo ga članom v molitev za zdravje.

Father Louis Bayless, misijonar v Afriki pripoveduje o čudnih imenih, ki jih nevrojeni otroci dobivajo tam. Na primer: "Motocar," "Kongo" (pomeni pivo), "Nedge," (pomeni airoplan.) He, he, heh. Zdaj samo čakamo, kedar bodo tudi naši prišli s takimi imeni na okoli, kadar pridejo naročat krst. "Scooter," na primer, ali pa "Bingo," bi se ne glasilo preslabo: he, heh.

Father Roman Homar O. S. B. dolgoletni indijanski misijonar v Minnesoti in vse skozi pristni Slovenec, se je zadnjič oglašil v A. D. Bil sem še otrok, ko je on imel novo mašo v naši cerkvi. Pa nisem bil navzoč, spominjam pa se je prav dobro. Ker nihče drugi ni hotel biti za "Baby-sitterja," zato so meni poverili to imenitno šaržo. Father Roman je bil izvrsten pevec in dober govornik. Obhajal je že 60 letnico mašništva, pa je še korenjak. Bog naj mu nakloni še nekaj let na Ogema, potem pa naj mu odkaze prostor poleg svojega nekdanjega opata Ločnikarja tam gori med svojimi Indijanci, katere je spravil preko sv. Petra skozi nebeška vrata.

O Pasijonu

Cleveland, O. — Kaj malo se piše o našem nameravanem Pasijonu, ki bo podan slovenski javnosti na cvetno nedeljo 2. aprila, ako Bog da zdravje in srečo, pa dober nastop igralcem, ki se trudijo, da čim lepše podajo na odru to največjo svetovno dramo: trpljenje, smrt in vstajenje našega Gospoda Jezusa Kristusa; v kolikor se po človeško, po prizadevanju igralcev pač da.

Razen o prvih naznanilih in vabilih na vaje se dosedaj sploh ni delalo kake večje reklame. Za kake druge predstave je že morda bolj treba bučne reklame, za Pasijon pa menda ne tako, ker ta drama ni za kako zabavo ali za smeh; pač pa da ob tem ljudje bolj mislijo na Njega, ki je storil vse za človekovo odrešenje; tudi smrt na križu, mu ni bila preveč. Žrtvoval se je vsega.

Za danes naznanim to, da so sedaj v prodaji vstopnice za to predstavo, katerim cena je: \$1. \$2 in \$3 dolarje. Visoka cena je, boste rekli. Res višja kot je vstopnina za kake druge predstave; ampak je tudi v vseh ozirih obsežnejša, zahteva veliko več truda kot pa razne druge predstave. Povem vam, da je bolje režirati magari 10

iger kakor pa en Pasijon. Dva-najstkrat je treba urediti oder; to se pravi, da je takorekoč 12 dejanj. In koliko je treba pri tem igralcev! Skoroda kakor za kakih 10 navadnih iger. In potem veliki stroški, ki presežejo stroške katerikoli igre. Saj so znašali stroški prvega Pasijona leta 1930 nad tri tisoč dolarjev. Katera predstav slovenskem odru je stala toliko denarja?

In potem težkoče in napori, za katere vedo samo tisti, ki so bili na vodstvu Pasijona in oni, ki so res sodelovali na doru. Kaj čuda, da se niso mnogi potem ogrevali za Pasijon, katerega vpriporitev je zvezana veliki težkočami in stroški. In bi se tudi zdaj ne, da niso prišli sem naši Slovenci iz begunstva. Tako se je spet poiskusi- lo vpriporiti Pasijon in zdi se mi, da bo najbrže tudi zadnji.

V teh časih veseljačenja in brezbržnosti je pač težko kaj takega spraviti na oder, ko mnogi rajše svoj prosti čas ob večerih obrnejo kam drugam kot pa, da bi hodili na vaje, katerih je treba dosti več kot pa za kakšno drugo igro. Mnogi ljudje pa tudi rajše gledajo kaj takega, da se od srca nasmejejo. Najbolj resni časi, pa največ veseljačenja.

Zato je iz teh in raznih razlogov to najbrže zadnji Pasijon. Ne bom trdil tega z gotovostjo, le zdj se mi tako. Da se ga je vpriporilo še enkrat je kar na mestu: prvič ker je sveto leto, drugič, ker je letos ravno 20 let, ko je bil vpriporjen prvi Pasijon, tretjič pa, da se ob misli na Njega, ki je umrl na križu, spomnimo tudi našega slovenskega naroda, ki razpet na svoj težki križ trpi kot še ni trpel nikdar prej v zgodovini.

Tako ste povabljeni vsi, ki se zanimате za Pasijon, da si ga še lahko ogledate, ter sežite po vstopnicah, ki so v razprodaji. Napravite malo veselja požrtvovalnim igralcem, ki se večer za večerem trudijo, da kar najbolje podajo slovenski javnosti Pasijon; ne mraz in ne slabo vreme in ne druge okoliščine jih ne ovirajo, da ne bi prišli na vaje. Jaz mnoge kar občudujem kako vztrajani so pri tem. Pokažite zanimanje tudi vi s tem, da pridete.

Vstopnice se dobe v Orazmo-vi slaščičarni v S.N. Dcmu in pa v Slovenski pisarni na Glass Ave. Na željo jih vam tudi preskerbe igralci Pasijona. Dosedaj se je priglasilo že več ljudi, ki so vprašali za vstopnice in kar je značilno, da so vprašali za najboljše, ki se dobe. Vsi tisti, ki so jih naročili, jih bodo dobili takoj; drugi se pa potrudite pravočasno.

Se pa še ob priliki kaj oglašim. Jože Grdina, režiser Pasijona.

— Delavci, ki so bili zaposleni pri izkopavanju peska za Friant jez v Kaliforniji so odkopali v istem času za okrog 100.000 dolarjev vrednosti zlata.

— Devet vojaških generalov je dočakalo čast, da so bili izvoljeni predsednikom Zed. držav in sicer: Washington, Jackson, William Harrison, Taylor, Pierce, Grant, Hayes, Garfield in Benjamin Harrison.

ČE VERJAMETE
AL' PA NE

Trantarjev Jože je služil pri domobrančih. Rekli so jim tudi: cvet krompirjevega pridelka. Ko je služil že toliko časa, da je vedel, pri katerem koncu sfrči krogla iz puške, je moral tudi na vahto. Neke noči je stražil skladišče slame zadel za cukrbrko. Jože je vedel, da straža ni važna, ker si ni mogel misliti, da bi kdo prišel in si naložil slame iz cesarskega skladišča. Vedel je, da bodo dolge ure na straži, zato si je kupil v kantini, predno je odšel na stražo, klobaso in žemljo, pri vojakih priznana za pohanimi piškami najboljša rihta pod cesarjem. V tornistro je vtaknil telesna dobra dela in šel krotko za frajtarjem, ki je bil za tistih 24 ur vrhovni komandant čez slamo.

Okrog enajstih ponoči je bilo, ko se je Jožetu zdelo, da je pravi čas, ko bi si privoščil ekstra podporo za telo. Pa se primeri, da je ravno takrat, ko je Jože zasadil svoje zdrave in močne zobe v jed, da ga je obiskal dežurni stotnik, tista sitna glista od 9. kompanije, ki ni bil srečen, ako ni vselej, kadar je imel on službo, zasačil vsaj eno stražo, ki je teptala in malicila cesarske paragrafe in ukaze.

Stotnik se ustavi pred Jožetom, ki se pa ni zmenil za častni obisk, ampak je mirno užival naprej od svojih prihrankov. Jože stotnika ni poznal. Kako naj v tehn tednih, ko je komaj opravil regrutobrihtungo poznana že vso cesarsko armado.

Stotnik je pa tudi že kalcmedleval od gnjeva, da se straža ne zmeni zanj in mu ne izkazuje predpisanih časti. Stotnik težavo požre ploho pripravnih besed, ki jih je hotel v prvem trenutku vsuti na Jožeta, pa je rajše s kolikor mogoče človeškim glasom nagovoril stražnika:

"Kaj še ne veste, kdo sem?" Oliko so pa poznali v armadi, tisto pa. Vsakega so vikali, kadar so bili v službi.

Jože pridrži klobaso in žemljo, si ogleduje moža pred seboj, potem pa zmaje z glavjo: "Kaj vem, kdo ste. Morda sam ljubljanski župan." Jožetu se je kar dobro zdelo, da je tako pogruntal. Stotnik se ni mogel premagovati in je Jožetu povedal, kdo da je prav za prav in po kakšnih opravkih je prišel tod mimo.

"Križ božji!" zavpije tedaj Jože, "zakaj mi pa takoj ne povesite tega. Bodite tako prijazni in malce primite tole klobaso in žemljo, da vam salutiram po foršifiti!"

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"Tlic, še kluha. Plosa, plosa."

Tleska z ročicami in se steguje proti mizi.

Zdaj Klemena zmaga. Z obema rokama zgrabi otročica in g stisne k sebi.

"Ti ubogi beraček!"

Tokrat se je Klemen zasedel. Nekaj minut čez zapovedami čas je prišel v semenišče. Moškaj je bil že v talarju in je sedel na mizo. Klemen se je prepravil in segel po svetem pisnu. Duhovnega branja za danes še ni bil opravil.

Moškaj je jedel bel kruh in prigrizoval pečenko. Udobno zleknen na stol je bral.

V Klemenu se je nabirala itha. Vse v njem je vrela. Cenekove ročice so vstale in proslile pred Moškajem. Moškaj pa je jedel in z mastnimi prsti obračal liste v knjigi.

"Pojdi iz sobe, Moškaj," je bruhalo iz Klemena.

Moškaj je začudeno obrnil glavo.

"Grešiš vpričo mene. Otrokom si odjedel podporo, sam pa se mašiš s pečenko."

Moškaj golta. V obraz je posinel in hlasta za besedami.

Iz Klemena vre.

"Pojdi, pojdi! Ti ki lačne nasičuješ z gobezdanjem, mestjan polizani."

Kar vzdignile ga je od mize.

"Ti si, ti si..."

"Nesramen si."

Klemen sede trdo nazaj na stol.

"Zapomni si, da si vzel otrokom. Lačnim si vzel. Svetničiš se, toda spoznal sem te do kraja. Svetohlinec!"

Ni mogel več vzdržati. Pori ml je stol od sebe, vzel knjigo in odšel na hodnik.

Videl je, kako je Moškaj sihal. Zdel se mu je podoben krapu, ki ga je nekdo vrgej na suho.

Na hodniku se je umiril. Dobro mu je delo, da se je izdivjal, da je bruhal iz sebe, kar ga je vseskozi tiščalo.

Pri večerji je bil Moškaj bled. Proti Gorniku še pogledal ni. Klemen je vedel, da ga je zadel.

Po Veliki noči je umrl Modrišev Tonček. Modriš sam je

Klemena je zadelo. Brez moči je stal pred Modrišem, ki se mu je tresel glas.

Popoldne si je sprosil dovoljenje, da je smel v "Sibirijo". Šel je s strahom, z bolečino, ki je glodala prav pri srcu.

Tonček je ležal v krsti. Suih obrazek je bil miren, voščeno bel, suhe bele roke sklenjene kakor zlomljene in položene na prsi.

Modriševka je planila v vek. Tudi Modriš je vokal. Klemen je stal sklonca mize in gledal v mrlička. Jok ga je davil, toda z vso silo je tiščal solze nazaj.

Zdela se mu je, da stoji sredi strahovitega veletoka, da se upira razdivjani moči težke vode, da skuša reševati, kar se rešiti sploh še da, pa se mu sproti vse izmika iz rok. Beden kamenček je, nič več.

Kriknil bi rad, zarjul, nato pa po kolenih šel od barake do barake in vsakemu poljubil boste noge. Vsem od kraja. Starcem in ženam, umazaniam in ušivim otrokom in vse poprosil za odpustanje.

"Odpustite, ljudje božji. Dal bi, pa nimam. Naj bom berač z vami."

Nato so se mu orosile oči. S pušpanovo vejico je pokropil mrlička, se poslovil in utonil na cesto. Pijan je bil od bolečine.

Lep dan pe bil, sončen in jasen in barake so stale za drevjem. Kakor kolibe gobavcev, ki z gnili udi okužujejo zrak.

Ko je prišel v mesto, ga je obsedla blažna misel, da bi moral zdaj stopiti sredi trga, dvigniti roke, ustaviti ljudi in vozila in zakričati v množico.

"Ljudje, kam? Počakajte, vrnite se domov. Umrl je otrok, Modrišev Tonček. Umrl, ker ga niste poznali."

Moškaj niti glave ni vzdignil, ko je vstopil. Klemen je sedel in do noči ni odprl nobene knjige.

Velikonočne počitnice so bile Klemenu odveč. Nič prave volje ni bil. Vreme je bilo sicer lepo, toda Klemenu se je zdelo, da se je odtrgal od nekod, da ni prav, da je prišel domov.

Še gospod Vencel so ga uganili, da ga nekaj grize.

"Tišči te nekaj, fant. Nič nisi pravi."

"Premajhen sem, gospod župnik."

"Premajhen?"

Vencel ga ne morejo umeti.

"Premajhen, da bi mogel vsem pomagati. Brez moči stojim pred beračijo, kakor da so mi roke zvezane."

"Eh, fant, zdaj te razumem. Mlad si, pa bi rad svet vzdignil. Ne zaleti se, da ne zaideš. Sedi."

Klemen je sedel. Okno v sobi je bilo odprto in zrak, ki je vel v sobo, je dihal po strdi, po sokovih, ki so vrelj v drevju zunaj.

"Krivico vidiš in bi jo rad z enim zamahom podrli. Mnogi so poskušali. Gelj, Kristus je prišel na svet in tudi ob njegovem času je bila krivica v cvetju. Meso sužnjev in suženj so metali v hrano ribam in bili so ljudje, ki so živeli od krvi drugih. Pajki, ki so puščali prazne mešičke."

"Nekje mora biti rešitev," se je odtrgalo iz Klemena.

"Modrišev otrok je umrl in nisem mu mogel pomagati. Nekateri pa jedo bel kruh in pečenko."

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P. K.

Brez tega lista bi ne mogel biti

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Veste, mene noge bolijo, da ne morem dosti hoditi. Samo po hiši se malo premičem, pa moram imeti palico, da se opiram. Zato pa večinoma sedim in berem, da mi ni dolg čas. Kaj bi počel, če ne bi imel branja, pa še tako zanimivega, kot je v Ameriški Domovini.

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Tudi mene so neprestano pikali, ponoči in podnevi. Dvakrat sem bil tam, da so me napikali prav povsod, pa ne vem, če mi je kaj pomagalo ali mi ni. Pa menda mi je že, ker me ne boli več toliko, kakor me je prej. Da bi se le kaj ne povrnilo pa bom že prestajal.

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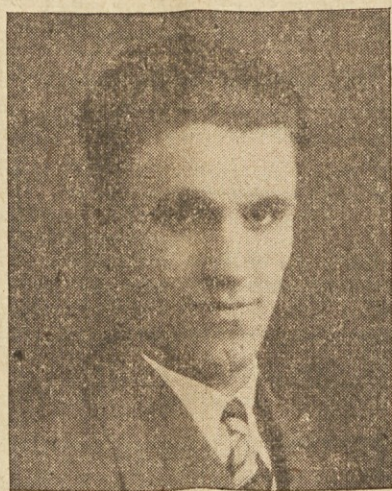
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Spodaj, ko se je Jean zopet vrnil k vodi, je našel Maurica zaspanega, kakor slaboumnega po razdraženju krizi, ki ga je trla med vožnjo.

"Lahka reč ne bo... Ali moreš vsaj še hoditi, mali moj?" "Da, da, ne bodi v skrbeh; prišel bom že, pa naj bom živ ali mrtev."

Toda pot po kamenitih stopnicah ga je stala mnogo truda. Zgoraj po nabrežju je hodil počasi ob rokji tovariševi, s koraki mesečnega bolnika. Dasi se ni bil dan, je odsev bližnjih požarov osvetljeval široki trg s svinčeno jutrajno zarjo. Korakala sta po samoti, srce skrinčeno od tega mrklega opustošenja. Na obeh koncih, na drugem kraju mosta in ob iztoku ceste Royal, sta se videli megleni, pošatni masi, Palais-Bourbon in cerkev sv. Magdaliene, obedve okrušeni od kanoade. Tuilerijska terasa ki je kazala vrzel ob vrzeli, je bila deloma porušena. Na trgu samem so bile krogel preluknjane bron vodometov, orjaško truplo kipa mesta Lille je ležalo na tleh, razbito od granate, poleg njega pa je stal kip Strassburga, ogrnjen s črnim pajčolanom, kakor da žaluje ob tolikem zlu. Blizu nepoškodovanega obeliska je ležala v jarku plinova cev, ki se je, razklana z udarcem lopate, slučajno užgala in je bruhala zdej z ostrim šumom curek ognja.

Jean se je ognil barikade, ki je zapirala Royalsko ulico med nepoškodovanima poslopjema mornariškega ministrstva in državne orodnice. Za vrečami in sodi s prstjo, iz katerih je bila zgrajena, je slišal grobe vojaške glasove. Spređaj je varoval barikado jarek, v čigar gnilobni vodi je plaval truplo nekega zaveznika. Skozi neko vrzel so se videle hiše na vogalu ulice Saint-Honore, ki so vzlic vsem puhajočim gasilnim brizgalkam iz predmestij pogorevale od tal. Na levi in desni so bila mala drevesa in ute prodajalcev časopisov zdrobljene in preluknjane od toče karteč. Oglašal se je glasen krik: ognjegasi so bili našli v kleti neke hiše sedem napol zgorelih trupel njenih prebivalcev.

Dasi se je zdela barikada, ki

je zapirala St-Florentinsko in Rivolsko ulico, zaradi svoje velikosti in modro preračunane izvršitve še strašnejša, vendar je Jean instinktivno začutil, da je tamkaj prehod manj nevaren. In zares je bila popolnoma izpraznjena, ne da bi jo bilo zasedlo vojaštvo. Topovi so spali tam, okorni in zapuščeni. Nobene žive duše ni bilo za tem nezmagljivim nasipom, razen blodnega psa, ki je bežal. Toda ko je Jean hitel po ulici Saint-Florentin, podpiraje oslabelega Maurica, se je zgodilo, česar se je bal; zadel sta ob celo kompanijo 88. linijskega polka, ki je bila obšla barikado.

"Gospod stotnik", je pojasnil, "tovariš je, ki so ga ti razbojniki ranili, in ki ga vodim k ambulanci."

Plašč, ki je visel Mauricu čez rame, ga je otel, in Jeanovo srce je utripalo, kakor da bi hotelo počiti, ko sta šla naposled po ulici Saint-Honore navzdol. Jedva da se je daniel, puške so pokale po prečnih ulicah, kajti boj je še trajal po vsem tistem oddelku mesta. Čudež je bil, da sta mogla dospeti v Frondeursko ulico brez novega zlega srečanja. Hodel sta neznansko počasi; zdelo se je, da ni konca tistih tristo ali štiristo metrov, ki so jima še ostali. Nato sta v Frondeurski ulici naletela na komunardsko stražo; a ta se je zbalala in zbežala, meneca, da prihaja cel polk. In preostajala je le še pot skozi kos Argentineulske ulice, da sta dospela v ulico Des Orties.

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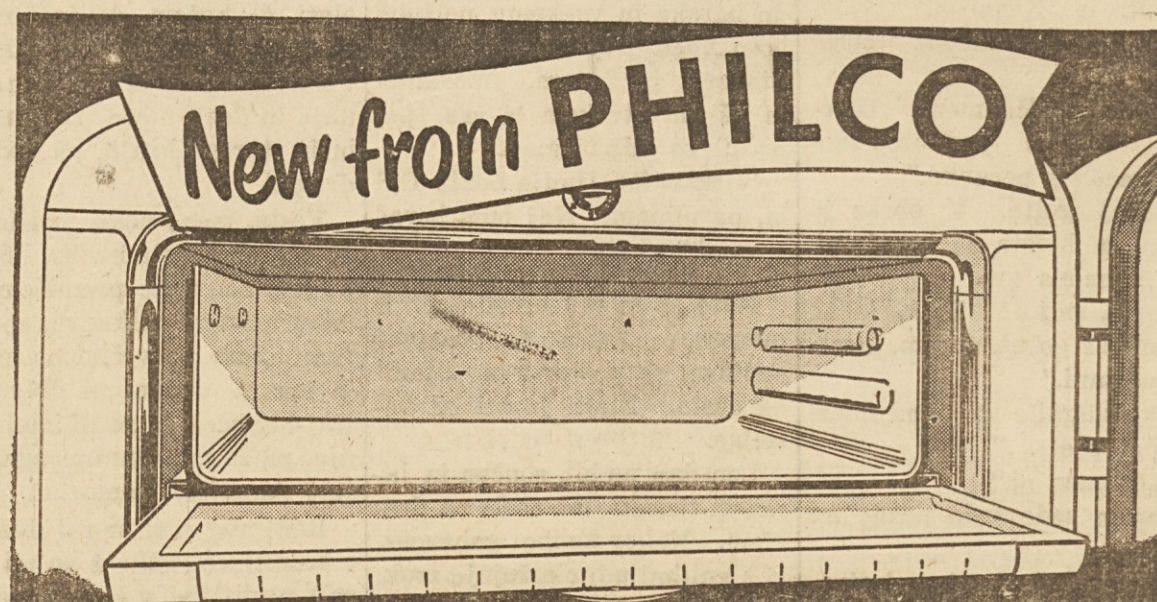
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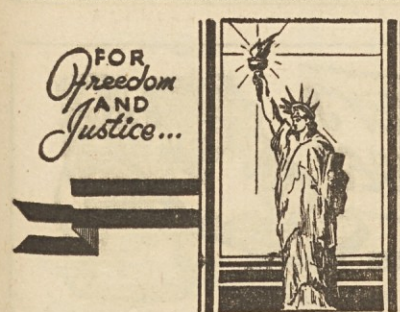
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Euclid Youth's Hobby Turns Into Profitable Business

Robert Simen's hobby like Jack the Giant-Killer's beans, has taken root and sprouted sumptuously overnight.

At 21, Simens is a full-fledged business man, and the head of his own firm, Crown Corncorn Co. His wares are on display at the A. Grdina and Sons Furniture store at 15307 Waterloo Rd.

While attending Benedictine High School several years ago, Bob became interested in wood-working, bought some machinery and began making simple household articles for his mother in the basement of the Simens' home at 694 E. 200th St.

One day he made some window cornices for the house. Friends and relatives admired them, so Bob bought more power tools and built a garage on a lot in the rear of his home to make more cornices.

By the time he graduated in June, 1946, he had his own company. Since then, he has combined profitable manufacturing operations with dealerships in draperies, rugs and sun blinds.

Despite his business interests, Bob still has an eye on a college diploma, however. He has been attending evening classes at Fenn and Cleveland Colleges, cruising toward a degree in business administration.



LORETTA THOMAS, model for Simen's lobby show, "sells" vertical blinds of celanese fabric and wooden cornices.

Behind the Scenes of a Movie

Ginger Rogers and Dennis Morgan, plus ten other featured players tried and true, experienced every emotion and every discomfort known to a jury on a murder trial in their new Warner Bros. picture, "Perfect Strangers," due March 22nd at the Hippodrome Theatre.

"I've never felt so crowded in my life," Ginger moaned.

"Like a New York subway station during the evening rush hour," was Morgan's impression.

Maigalo Gillmore, famed Broadway actress, in Hollywood for the first time in many years for her important, "Perfect Strangers" role, admitted to absolute bafflement and confusion. This is because practically all of the action takes place in the jury box in the courtroom, or in a community hotel parlor and bedroom where the jury spends its nights.

To make it cozier, and more authentic, director Bretaigne Windust, in many scenes, played it with scrambled

ed dialogue, everyone talking at once in hot argument.

"Please be a bit more quiet!" Windust roared above the din of voices. "They can hear you all the way over to Stage 8."

"What's shooting there?" "Montana," and they're really shooting to day," he said.

"PERFECT STRANGERS" opens at the Hippodrome Theatre, Wednesday March 22nd.

How to Insure Future Happiness

The readers of this page are particularly asked to be sure to read this page next Friday, March 24th to find out how to insure future happiness. Read the article how John and Mary Fortune purchased a NEW HOME.

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CONDENSED NEWS FROM OUR HOME FRONT

Cleveland, Ohio

Greetings from Florida were sent by Cyril Kunstel and his wife, Mary, and Mrs. Mary Burdeck of Detroit.

A visitor from Chisholm, Minn., last week was Mrs. Mary Laurich. She stayed at the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Kordish at 13515 St. Clair Ave., who recently became the parents of a baby girl.

Frank Zagorc of 18608 Kewanee Ave., has returned home from the hospital. He thanks all his friends for their visits and cards.

Taken to Glenview Hospital last week was Peter Coleman of 986 E. 218 St. We wish him a speedy recovery!

Home again, after a stay in the hospital, is Mrs. Frances Majer of 6732 Edna Ave. She wishes to express her thanks to all for their kind visits, gifts, flowers and cards.

From sunny California come greetings from former Clevelanders, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Udovich, who are in Los Angeles.

Funeral Director Jos. Zele celebrated his 83rd birthday last week. He is still under the doctor's care due to a recent operation.

Steve Markovic, 64, will be deported to Yugoslavia. In 1945 he was given a choice of either going to jail or back to Yugoslavia. He chose to go home and disappeared. Last week he was taken into custody in Youngstown and now he has no choice in the matter.

Bishop Gregorius Rozman left for Waukegan, Ill., where he will hold a mission from March 12th to March 19th.

Here's to many more years for Bishop Rozman, who celebrated his 67th birthday and Name Day last week. Congratulations!

Edward and Justina Krapenc have taken over the cafe known as the "L.L." at 6507 St. Clair Ave. Good Luck!

Maynardville, Tenn. — Sheriff Graves went ahead and arrested his brother Carl, who killed a third brother, Earl.

Petersburgh, Ind. — Rev. Chas. Bond, Evangelist, had the following sermon: "I am ready to go. I would rather die in service than be helpless." Then he sat down and died of a heart attack.

Duluth, Minn. — The use of television in bars and taverns was banned by the City Council after church groups presented a protest signed by 300 persons.

New York. — Leading politicians who were formerly for Dewey, will now back General Eisenhower for president and they claim that he will be a willing candidate if he sees that the people want him. Only if Senator Taft will be elected again, then he will want to be a presidential candidate.

Washington, D.C. — U.S. Secretary of Commerce Chas. Sawyer underwent an operation recently for gallstones. Mr. Sawyer is 63 years old and is from Ohio.

Nogales, Ariz. — The whole Nogales Police Department was out on practice on the pistol range. Eleven-year-old "Bonnie McDonald," the chief's daughter, won the department's annual pistol shoot.

Chicago, Ill. — The Chicago Internal Revenue office received a dirty \$500 bill and a note which read: "I am an aged man and will soon face my God. During the past years I withheld some of my income. I trust this \$500 will square matters. A citizen."

Topeka, Kansas. — Mrs. L. D. Morris had a needle imbedded in her foot for 25 years and didn't know it was there. Taken to a hospital for treatment of Phlebitis, known as milk leg, she was found, through an X-ray examination to have a needle imbedded in the foot arch.

Brockton, Mass. — It was easy for Mrs. Virginia Silvestrino to report a \$40 holdup to police. She said 2 young men robbed her directly across the street from police headquarters.

Hollywood, Calif. — Movie actor Chas. Chaplin, who became a millionaire in America, declared that he will never become a citizen of United States. He is in this country 40 years and is still a British subject.

Jonesville, La. — Within three days, three children were born to Mrs. Lester Hardie. The first, a boy, was born Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock. A baby girl was born Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock and on Thursday morning at 12:15 another baby girl was born. Doctors claim that this is a very unusual event.

Home from St. Alexis Hospital is Anna Grodzanich. Friends can visit her at her home at 14930 Sylvia Ave.

Marylyn Glavan and baby have returned home from Lakeside Hospital. Both are staying at 872 E. 139 St.

The well known Jos. Cebular of 15414 Lucknow Ave., celebrated his 70th birthday on Mar. 13th. He has been our faithful subscriber since 1914. Congratulations!

Anton Petkovsek, Frank and Victoria Koman send greetings from Florida. They write that it is pretty warm down there — about 78 degrees.

Register Now for May Primaries

Residents of Cuyahoga County, who desire to vote in the May 2nd, 1950, Primary and who are not now registered, may register at the office of the Board of Elections, 119 City Hall, Cleveland, on any day up to and including March 22nd. Office hours are from 8:30 a. m. to 4:30 p. m., Saturday to Noon, except that on MARCH 20th, 21st, and 22nd, the office will remain open until 9:00 p. m.

St. Lawrence PTA

The St. Lawrence PTA is sponsoring its second Annual Card Party, bake sale on Sunday, March 19, 1950 at St. Lawrence Hall East 81 St., off Union Ave.

There will be over 50 door awards as well as table awards and favors for everyone at your table. Bring your friends and neighbors. Admission is only 75 cents for an enjoyable evening. Refreshments will be served.

Chairman for the card party is Mrs. A. Suhadolnik, co-chairman is Mrs. S. Novak and publicity chairman is Mrs. Frank Bubnick.

Mind Your Motor Manners

There's nothing strange in the fact that good manners are really important when you drive or walk.

Good manner on the streets and highways mean even more than correct social behavior — they mean the saving of lives.

Irresponsible, discourteous and impatient behavior behind the wheel of an automobile or while walking has no place in society according to Emily Post, the eminent authority on good manners.

Traffic etiquette is always one's best assurance of safety. The considerate, courteous motorist and pedestrian can make driving and walking more pleasant and safer for everyone on Cleveland streets.

Driving at excessive speed, ignoring the right-of-way, driving under the influence of liquor, driving on the wrong side of the road, passing improperly, disregarding traffic control devices come under the Cleveland Police Department heading of discourteous acts.

Traffic safety is a matter of give-and-take — give consideration and take care. In other words — Mind Your Motor Manners!

THE EUCLID SCENE

By MICHAEL BOICH
Councilman of Ward 3

Mr. Sam Hoffman of the F. S. Corp., of Arizona presented a plan to the Euclid Council for approval to build 425 homes east of 260 St. and Lakeland Blvd. These homes will be without basement and will have 42 ft. by 31 ft. livable space. Including a garage attached and utility room with gas heat, these homes will be built on lots 65 ft. by 113 ft. deep.

Six rooms are all on one floor with 3 bedrooms and the home sells for \$9,875 complete. Sewer water, sidewalks and paving of street are included in the selling price of \$9,875, paid for by the F. S. Corp.

These homes will be of all brick veneer ranch type with FHA approval. This is about the best plan ever to come to Euclid but the City Council must be cautious in their study.

Hawaii has a land area of 6,540 sq. mi.

1950 Indians Due to Fatten Batting Averages in Coming Season



For the first time in his nine year tenure as Manager, Lou Boudreau directed a batting practice session on the Opening Day of spring training. Even the veteran newsmen present at the inaugural drill failed to recall a time when Cleveland stalwarts had jacked up their warchests for action without a preliminary routine calisthenics and running.

"I hadn't planned it that way," commented skipper Boudreau, "but when the boys began showing up with mid-season waistlines and the pitchers volunteered readiness to throw, there was no sense in wasting time."

"You know," he added, "I don't think I'll ever see an entire roster report in better physical shape!" Then Boudreau patted his own stomach and broke into a wide grin of satisfaction. And no one had a better right to do so than the former Boy Wonder who became baseball's Man of the Year in 1948. He'd steepled enough potatoes and gravy during the off-season to weigh in 15 pounds below his bulging 197 of a year ago.

Sam Zoldak, who was able to win only one game, showed up at 189 instead of 210 while Allie Clark, whose early season batting slump resulted in an assignment to San Diego, checked in without 11 unneeded pounds. Several others were lighter by as much as eight.

Perhaps it was all due to the letter that Manager Boudreau had sent the players in January. Or maybe it was a general realization that excess padding had been a big factor in last summer's failure. But whatever the reason the result was a squad so streamlined that the Indians were able to schedule an intra-squad game on the fifth day of practice.

One other thing is certain. Even if the Indians fail to regain the heights of 1948, they'll be a far better club than the third placers of last summer. Those summer waistlines can mean only fatter averages in 1950!

Wonder How They Figured That Out

Merced, Cal. — Officers at Castle Field Air Force base received a huge crate object along with a shipment of B-50 bomber parts.

After puzzling over it, they decided it must be part of a battleship. They forwarded it to the Navy.

Foreign Language Press Chooses Best Pictures

"All The King's Men," a Columbia Pictures Production, was awarded top place this past Thursday night, as the Best Motion Picture of 1949 by the Foreign Language Press Film Critics' Circle. The award was made during a half-hour broadcast on New York City's municipal broadcasting station, WNYC.

"All The King's Men" is the first picture since 1943 to receive six of the nine awards given by the Circle. It was stated by Sigmund Gottlob, Executive Director of the Circle, Producer of the Year, Best Director and Best Screenplay awards went to Robert Rossen for his work in the film. Erickson Crawford, star of this film, won the year's Best Actor award.

In the foreign division, the "Bicycle Thief" won top honors with the award given to the De Sica Production Company. The picture was directed by Vittorio De Sica and was distributed in the United States by Mayer-Burstein. Joseph Burstein accepted the award in behalf of De Sica.

"The Fallen Idol" released in the United States by David O. Selznick, was awarded the Best British Film of the year. The award was accepted by the producer-director, Carol Reed in a unique interview transcribed in English and flown to New York. Olivia De Havilland was awarded Best Actress for "The Heiress."

The film awards were presented by Dr. Manfred George, editor of the German-language newspaper Aufbau, and President of the Foreign Language Film Critics' Circle. Sigmund Gottlob, Executive Director of the Circle, was master of ceremonies. Chief speaker of the broadcast was Benjamin Cohen, Assistant Secretary General of the United Nations. Mr. Cohen's topic was "Films Speak for Peace."

Band Notes

THE BAND OF OHIO — newest civic group of Cleveland is now permanently located in the Auditorium of Natural History Museum at 2177 Euclid Ave. where rehearsals are held second and fourth Tuesdays. The band was organized for recreational purposes and will furnish good concert band music for any worthwhile civic activity without charge. Bandsmen who can qualify are invited to investigate. There is no charge for membership, and is intended especially for business and professional men, school and college graduates, and any other good musician who like to play good music in a fine band, just for fun. Clifford Bruce, 830 Williamson Bldg., is president and manager. Billy Brill, 39118 Detroit Rd., Elyria, is bandmaster. There are several openings on various instruments.

Wesley Franks, 23, heard the frantic yelps of Lassie, a Cocker Spaniel, as he stood by the river yesterday. He found eight-year-old Jimmy Balsank wedged between ice lakes, struggling to free himself.

Antelope Are Swift
American antelope are extremely swift and have been paced by automobiles at 79 miles an hour.

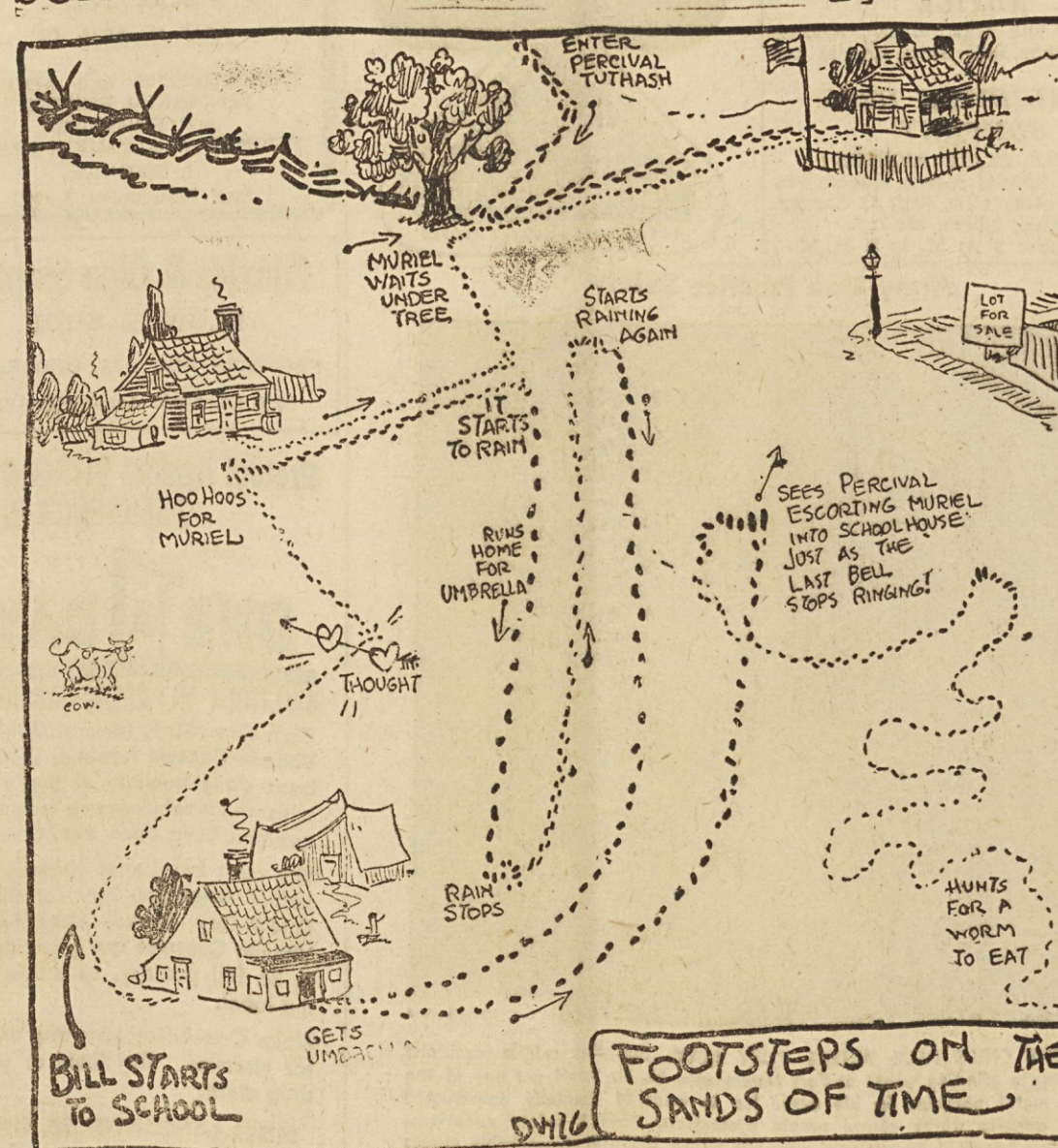
Deaf-Mute Boy Saved From River by Dog

Cedar Rapids, Ia. — A dog lent his voice to a deaf-mute little boy who fell thru ice into the Cedar River, and was credited with saving his life.

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SCHOOL DAYS By DWIG



Agriculture Supports Progressive Retailing

One of the most interesting phases of the government's anti-trust suit, which is designed to dismember the country's largest retail food chain*, is the virtually unanimous opposition it has encountered on the part of agricultural producers.

The list of farm organizations which have gone on record against the suit would be a long one. A few typical examples follow.

The Cooperative Grange Federation Exchange, Inc., of Ithaca, New York, said that the nation's greatest increases in living standards have come during a period when corporations have been getting larger, which indicate that bigness in business has not destroyed the competitive forces that create better living standards.

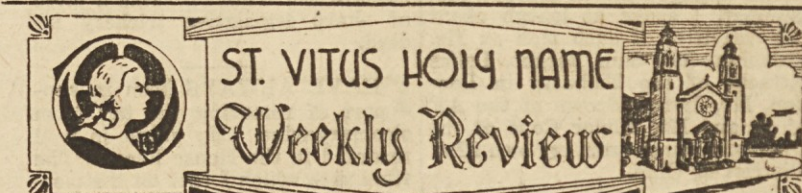
The Michigan State Horticultural Society said the Justice Department's action appears to be socialistic in nature and purpose.

The Wenoka Federation of Washington, the world's largest apple shipper, said the chain has reduced distribution costs between producer and consumer.

The Maine Fruit Producers Cooperative said that dissolving the chain would seriously interfere with the incomes of Maine farmers.

Some 1200 Atlantic County, New Jersey, farmers described the chain as "the best friend we have ever had."

So the testimony goes. This chain, like other retail organizations large and small, has materially helped the producer and the consumer. It is not a monopoly—it must compete with thousands of other stores. It is no wonder that there is much speculation over just what the Justice Department's true motive is.



LAST MINUTE FLASHES!

L. 1. Juniors Play Barborton

Basketball game with Sacred Heart Church in Barborton will be held at 7 p. m. at Wilson Junior High Gym on March 23, 1950. Welcome to Cleveland, Boys!

2. Usual Sunday Hike on March 19th

Just 13 members plan to brave the wilds of one of our Metropolitan parks this Sunday. The place is yet unknown but wait till our next report. We know a swell time will be had by all.

3. Gang Plans Baseball Teams

According to present plans our Juniors expect to support three teams in Baseball this year. Good work boys, keep it up!

4. Easter Monday Ball

Yes, sir, we even look after the social life of the neighborhood. Do you want to have a good time? Come our way Easter Monday, April 10th at the St. Vitus Auditorium. Ray Rolik and the Mellow Moods will play. Just asking a donation of 50 cents. Get your tickets early.

ST. VITUS POST CATHOLIC WAR VETS



EASTER DUTY

On Sunday, March 19th, at the 8:00 o'clock Mass, St. Vitus Post 1655 Catholic War Veterans will receive Holy Communion in a group. This is an opportunity for you to fulfill your Easter Duty and also to strengthen the ranks of CWV. The group will assemble at 7:45 a. m. in the post club room. As before we will offer up our communion for the Veterans souls in Purgatory, who depend on us, the living, to plead their cause.

In these times of turmoil and uncertainty let us also offer up our prayers, sacrifices, and penance to Our Lady of Fatima to help us combat the persecution and communism the world over, so that we will again have world peace.

Any non-member who wishes to join the CWV in receiving Communion Sunday, March 19th, at the 8:00 o'clock Mass is welcomed to do so.

MEETING NOTICE

On Tuesday, March 21st, St. Vitus Post 1655 Catholic War Veterans will hold their regular monthly meeting in the Post Club room at 8:00 p. m. Membership is still open to any eligible Catholic War Veteran, drop in at our next meeting and meet your old buddies.

St. Vitus Men's League

A two year losing streak was broken at the March 9th meeting of the St. Vitus Men's Bowling League. In a red-hot battle the Malensek Bros. team took three points from the Jimmy Slapnik Florists. These points were the first taken from the Jimmy Slapnik five by the Malensek entry since the close of the 1947-48 season of the league. Bob Koehnig 224, 575, Al Kodramaz 549 and Vic Melle 204, 549 led the Malensek Bros. entry to two wins and a narrow total pins victory. Ray Schadolnik 204, 578, Carl Kukucka 236, 564, Bart Lanchman 545 and Ed Avsec 221, 530 put up a hard barrage for the Slapnik five but one victory was all they could pull from the fire. The Florists lead the league by eight points while the Malensek entry is tied for 4th place.

The Chas. - Olga Slapnik five moved into a tie for second place once again as a result of their three point win over the Norwood Men's Shop Squad. John Figurski 534, Al Jalen 530, Al Orehek 523 and Tony Brodnick 518 did some fine pin-topping for the Chuck and Olga crew as they climbed to a position 8 points behind the first place team. Wm. Kovacic tried to hold up the Norwood Men's Shop cause with a 530 series but he could assist in bringing only

a single win into the Men's Shop coming win.

The Cedar-dwelling Yale Flower Shop team pulled a two point win over the second place Cimperman faket five to come up with the surprise of the night. The Marketers managed to salvage the total pins point however and gained an even split with the Flower Shop crew. Joe askovic 548 and Tony Cvelbar 501 led the Flower Shop to their two wins. Al Intihar 232, 543, Max Germ, 531 and Hank Szymanski 510 came thru o build up the Marketer total pins advantage and snare the extra point.

The Kollander Agency five stopped the current upward surge of the Kat. Ket Coal team as they came up with a three point win over the Coalmen. The Agency win kept the team in 6th place in the league standing and dropped the Mar-Ket squad into a tie for 4th.

Ed Ratkay 535, Bill Javan 211, 520 and Al Kodramaz 511 reached the 500 circle for the Kollander cause. Joe Marinko topped the scoring column for the Mar-ket five with a nice 543 total which highlighted a nice 224 game.

The Norwood Appliance team hopped on a cool Zalcak Delicatessen team to take three points as a result of two victories and a total pins decision. John Novak 518, Emil Zadnik 512 and Stan Merhar 502 helped the Appliance squad to their three point win. Joe Kukac topped the Zalcak scoring with a 496 three game total. The Appliance entry is now in 7th place with the Delicatessen boys in a tie for tenth.

The fight for a higher place in the standings was continued by the Brodnick Bros. five which walked off with a three point win over the Clover Dairy entry. The Brodnick Squad is now in 8th place but if they keep up the pace they have been setting for the past few weeks they will be a lot higher by the close of the season. Matt Minar advanced the Brodnick cause with his 534 three game total. Frank Flivch put together a fine 569 series for the Clover Dairymen. As they came back to take the final game of the match, The Dairy-men are tied for tenth place in the league standings.

Standings	W	L	P
J. Slapnik Florist	48	27	65
Chas and Olga Slapnik	42	33	57
Cimperman Market	41	34	57
Mar - Ket Coal	42	33	56
Malensek Bros.	42	34	56
Kollander Agency	39	36	52
Norwood Appliance	39	36	51
Brodnick Bros.	35	40	49
Norwood Men's Shop	30	45	43
Zalcak Delicatessen	33	42	40
Clover Dairy	31	44	40
Yale Flower Shop	29	46	34

RESULTS OF MARCH 9, 1950

Malensek Bros.	859	948	885	2692
J. Slapnik Bros.	843	879	961	2683

Chas. - Olga Slapnik	855	796	929	2580
Norwood Men's Shop	770	849	774	2393

Cimperman Market	792	901	847	2540
Yale Flower Shop	851	814	862	2527

Kollander Agency	920	873	740	2533
Mar-Ket Coal	785	831	785	2401

Norwood Appliance	824	817	798	2439
Zalcak Delicatessen	781	834	717	2332

Brodnick Bros.	816	899	768	2483
Clover Dairy	775	739	783	2297

SCHEDULE FOR MARCH 23rd

1-2: Clover Dairy vs Kollander Agency
3-4: J. Slapnik Florists vs Mar-Ket Coal

5-6: Chas. and Olga Slapnik vs Cimperman Market
7-8: Brodnick Bros. vs Malensek Bros.

9-10: Norwood Appliance vs Yale Flower Shop
11-12: Norwood Men's Shop vs Zalcak Delicatessen.

Sodality News

Hurry! Hurry! Hurry! This is your last opportunity to cash in on the "Miss Sh-h-h contest". Tomorrow at midnight the contest closes. Here is the third and final clue.

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This and That from Washington

By Congressman Frances P. Bolton



Mrs. Bolton

THE COMMITTEE on Foreign Affairs of the House is now holding open hearings on the Economic Cooperation Administration bill until 10:00 a.m. and in the afternoon. The objective of the committee studies is looking toward the self-sufficiency of such nations as we have been aiding under the E.C.A.

One of the interesting witnesses this week was Boris Shishkin, head of the Labor Division of E.C.A. in Paris, who came back to this country to report before the Committee. He gave us a splendid, candid outlook on labor conditions abroad, particularly so with respect to what the representatives of American organized labor, now in Europe, are doing to check the influence and spread of Communism in Western European countries to the detriment of world peace and security.

In my report to the House on October 13 regarding the work which engaged me in Europe last summer, I spoke at length about the activities of such men as Mr. Shishkin, Mr. Sam Berger, Labor Attache of the Embassy in London, Mr. Irving Brown of the A.F. of L., and Mr. Elmer Cope of the CIO, who comes from my own 22nd District of Ohio.

I AM VERY happy to report that while there still remains much to be done, the conditions of European refugees and displaced persons have been improved tremendously in the last two and a half years.

A report which came to my desk recently from the International Refugee Organization indicates that little Israel has received 116,000... Australia 105,000... while 150,843 such persons have come into our own country. About 500,000 refugees are still receiving aid from IRO, but it is good to

know that of this number almost 300,000 are no longer in need of care and maintenance, requiring instead legal and other types of assistance.

CONSERVATIONISTS will be interested in Norway's planting of 22,000,000 trees last year of which 18,000,000 were spruce. The planting schedule is 2,000,000 this year, 30 million next year and no less than 40 million in 1952.

AFFIRMATIVE action has been taken in the House on Statehood for Alaska and Hawaii. The wisdom of the decision is exceedingly questionable especially in the case of Alaska which has only 100,000 inhabitants of which 20,000 are federal government employees. Voters are estimated at 22,000. This means that, if the Senate concurs, Alaska will have one member in the House and the usual two Senators—although her population is only equal to that of our city of Lakewood, Ohio.

Hawaii has an estimated population of about 400,000—about half of Greater Cleveland—but she too will have one Representative and two Senators.

FOR THIS Congress to amend a piece of legislation in its most important particulars by use of a "rider" . . . introduced in order to obscure the truth . . . was a piece of sharp legislative trickery indeed.

I HAVE ALWAYS been in support of removing the tax from oleomargarine. My stand is well recorded in the House Record. The final vote which I cast on the oleomargarine bill was not a vote to retain the federally imposed tax. It was a vote in protest against the passage of an amendment to that bill which had absolutely no relationship to the oleomargarine question and which was in my opinion of vital importance to all types of business activity in the entire district and which can easily become highly disadvantageous, not only to business enterprise in general but to every wage earner as well.

In the light of this situation I felt duty bound to oppose such procedure.

If at all possible, we urge you heartily to avail yourself of this WONDERFUL OPPORTUNITY of seeking God's special graces, of which we are all so much in need.

REV. F. M. BARAGA

P. S. — Young women of any of the other Slovene parishes are most welcome to join our retreat group. All those interested, please fill out the following form and return it to me at St. Vitus Rectory, 6019 Glass Ave., Cleveland 3, Ohio NOT LATER than March 28th.

Name _____
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THE JUNIOR SODALITY

Our last meeting found us gathering up the loose threads of past articles written by yours truly in this column. I must admit that I REALLY forgot (now you know WHY I received a birthday card addressed to "FORGETFUL") to thank the rest of our benefactors, who so generously contributed towards the success of our last social. To Stan Majer, Mr. Anzlovar, Mr. Jerne, Mrs. Poklar, Mr. Mandel, Mrs. Smrekar, Mr. Susnik Carl's Food Market, Happy's Delicatessen, Louis Majer, Josephine Cimperman, Prime's Food Store, Louis Slapnik and to all those who baked pastries or did any favor to assist us, THANKS A MILLION! May Our Lady reward you a thousand-fold and bless all your undertakings in compensation for what YOU have done for US!

After discussion of a few business details at the meeting, our committees also met. John Zakrajsek, Apostolic chairman, announced that tax stamps, Christmas cards and cancelled postage stamps would be collected at the next meeting. Madeline Grdina of Our Lady's and the Eucharistic Committee complimented the Junior Sodality upon their excellent attendance at the group Holy Communion, urging the girls to keep up this standard; Barbara Prosek of the Catholic Truth Committee asked for old books and pamphlets for the Missions. The Social Life Committee announced plans for a bazaar in the near future, while the Publicity girls have undertaken the project of decorating the Sodality and church lobby bulletin boards.

In conclusion, may we also say, that our new Juniors have co-operated very nicely thus far. They have attended all our activities and have shown an excellent spirit. Keep it up, girls!

P. S.: (I) One more thought occurred to me as I wrote the word "activities". Amelia, Patsy, Margie and Carol — if you MUST "giggle", please don't do it when we're praying . . . you know what I mean, on Block Road, any nights!!! It behooves a good Sodality NOT to be distracted while at prayer. Hummmmm . . .

(II) Dear above mentioned Juniors: I will be available to defend myself at the next meeting. No harsh weapons please. I will indulge ONLY in a verbal battle!!

BIRTHS

The family of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lelzer of 730 Lorain St., Toledo, Ohio, has an addition to the family — a baby boy and the first child. The mother's maiden name was Mary Turk, daughter of Mrs. Frances Turk of 1102 E. 68 St., who is grandmother for the second time. Congratulations!

A baby boy was born on March 10th to Mr. and Mrs. Anthony and Josephine Linc of 55 E. 236 St., East Lake, O. This is the third in the family — the others are Tony and Robert. The young mother is the daughter of Mrs. Mary Cervan of Kildeer Ave., who is grandmother for the eighth time. The happy daddy is the son of Mrs. Mary Linc of Abby Ave., who is grandmother for the 7th time. Congratulations!

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STRAIGHT FROM WASHINGTON



By
STEPHEN M. YOUNG
Ohio
Congressman-at-Large

Washington. — This Congress will probably enact into law (A) a plan to expand medical education and provide scholarships for needy and worthy medical students, (B) appropriate \$25,000,000 for periodic examinations, vaccinations and inoculations, designed to prevent contagious diseases among school children and (C) provide establishment of county health units at an additional expense of \$60,000,000.

The 80th Congress appropriated \$60,000,000 for elimination of hook and mouth disease in cattle in Mexico, but nothing whatever for Federal health aid for American children. The present Congress has reversed that trend.

"Socialized medicine?" Operators of the AMA, who have been notably backward and reactionary, simply fling out this expression in order to "blackjack" members of \$25.00 as an assessment against a "threat" they know does not exist. There is no legislation providing socialized medicine pending or even proposed in this Congress. National health insurance is a completely different thing.

RICH SENATOR

U. S. Senator Theodore Green, (D), Rhode Island, is one of America's richest men. He is eighty-two years old, weighs perhaps 140, walks rapidly, wrestles with college athletes, plays tennis and, as a marathoner could tire Congressmen half his age. He customarily walks from his Washington apartment to his office in the Capitol — a little matter of three miles. Maybe Senator Green became one of the country's richest men from never frittering away his money on taxi fares.

GOOD DEAL FOR US
Chinese Communists are keeping as prisoners a Marine Master Sergeant and a Navy Chief Electrician's Mate. Our government has convicted Judith Coplon of conspiring with our enemy of the cold war. She is a traitor. Taxpayers' dollars have been spent to try her and Valentin A. Gubitchev, Soviet agent. Here is a cheap, simple and complete solution. Exchange these two with the Soviet Union upon the safe return of our loyal Americans. Then America could give one way passage to these two worthies as soon as our two real Americans are returned to safety. The facts are, the Russian, Gubitchev, is likely to be deported in any event. After all,

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CIVILIAN CONSERVATION CORPS
This Congress may reestablish the CCC. The CCC, during the post depression years 1933-41, made a record of great accomplishments. At the time we established it a Congressman said, "Herbert Hoover made monkeys of us and now President Roosevelt gives us trees to climb."

MORE SPUDS

This may surprise you but it is a fact Senators Brewster, (R), Maine and Aiken, (R), Vermont, are the loudest advocates of economy in the Senate; and at the same time the most articulate and vociferous in demanding continued price supports for their potatoes. Agriculture Secretary Brannan has fixed the price support at 60 per cent, which is the lowest permitted under the present law. These Senators urge ninety per cent parity support for potatoes.

COMMUNISM

Congressman Ed Breen, (D), Ohio, said, "Communism means if you have not got anything, you want to share it with everybody; but in a democracy if you have got little something then you want it."

DEATH NOTICES

Cerne, John — Husband of Frances (who is in Europe). Residence at Lorain, Ohio.

Malikovic, Anna (nee Perman) — Wife of John, sister of Louie Perman (of Bridgeport, O.) Residence at 1850 E. 63 St.

Novosel, Frank — Husband of Mary (nee Kvartio), father of Frank, Mary Varvir, Amelia Savarino, Josephine Latero, brother to Anna Znidarsic. Residence at 18903 Cherokee Ave.

Sitbil Gary — 7-month-old son of Joseph and Mary Sitbil, brother of Charles. Residence at 4412 Bradley Rd.

Hyenas Kill Children

New Delhi, India. — Fifty-two children have been killed or mauled by hyenas in the last two weeks in the same area where nearly 100 babies were eaten by animals last year, press reports from Lucknow said today.

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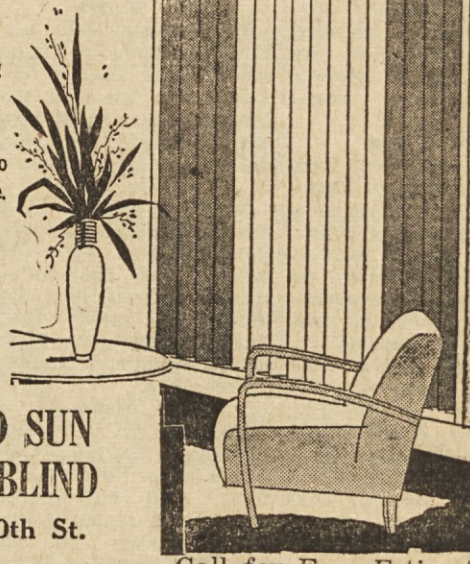
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ATTENTION: ALL SODALISTS

An English Mission will be held at St. Mary's the week of the 19th — that is beginning **THIS SUNDAY!**

This Mission will be conducted by Fr. Cyril Sirel of the "Franciscan Fathers".

All Sodality members are expected to attend. Please try and bring along a Catholic friend — or a non-Catholic friend — the main thing is — **MAKE IT A POINT TO SPREAD THE NEWS (AND) try to make the attendance swell each evening.**

REMEMBER! — THE PURPOSE OF THE MISSION IS: . . .

1. CONVERSION
2. INSTRUCTION

(OR)
TO — make us realize again the purpose of our life. This is an invitation from Christ Himself, to look into our lives to see where we stand in relation to Him. The distractions of the world have a tendency to take us away from the purpose of our life. It is necessary from time to time to check ourselves, we are looking forward to seeing you there.

The Weekly Wash as it Dries on the Line

The Holmes Ave. Leaders went thru the Zorko Five to take three points from them. Matty Dolence and Joe Zabukovec had them in line. Matty came thru with a 597, and 203, 228 single game. Joe Zabukovec totaled 525 pins. The Zorko's didn't show up on time and so no one was able to register any decent score. This added a few more points to the Leaders' score, and helped to strengthen the Holmes Market Lead.

The Perme's went through the Nottingham Cleaners for 4 points. Capt. Bernie Zalar led his men to this victory with a 523 series. The Cleaners couldn't find the range at all. The Perme's turned on their Range and roasted the whole gang.

The Dave Shoes walked into trouble last Sunday when they tangled with the Sulak Five. The Shoes were walking barefoot when the series of games was over. Bob Oredkar's 538, with 202, 148 games led the way for the winner's. Rudy Sulak's 503 and Bob Glavan's 507 followed in close order. The Shoes were all out of step in this game.

LAST SUNDAY'S SCORES

Holmes Market 810 802 740 2352
Zorko Five 687 766 755 2280
Nott. Cleaners 706 786 704 2196
Perme's 787 795 802 2384

Dave Shoes 740 789 753 2282
Sulak Five 761 796 827 2384

THE TOP LEADERS

Ind. Hi 1 Game:
Sulak 241
Achin 235
Ind. Hi 3 Games:
Sulak 620
Dolence 608
Team Hi 1 Game:

Dave Shoes 933

Perme's 931

Team Hi 3 Games:

Sulak's 2547

Perme's 2535

Standings:

	W	L	P
Holmes Market	41	25	55
Dave Shoes	33	33	46
Nottingham Cleaners	33	33	46
Perme's	34	32	45
Sulak's	33	33	44
Zorko's	24	42	28

ST. VITUS

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Who is the Mystery Girl, It really isn't a mystery, 'Cause the Kitten said, "The whistle knows".

Mail all entries to Miss Olga Geulla, 993 Addison Rd. All entries must be accompanied with \$3.00 worth of Tax Stamps. The stamps on the envelope will be used to help pay the tuition of young men entering the Seminary.

ATTENTION, YOUNG WOMEN:

Being in the midst of the Lenten season, it is time again to consider the annual spiritual RETREAT for the young women of St. Vitus Parish.

We have reserved the week-end of **PALM SUNDAY, MARCH 31st to APRIL 2nd**, since it is not only a fitting manner in which to begin Holy Week, but because retreatants in past years have favored this date. Retreat Exercises will be held at the **DIOCESAN RETREAT HOUSE, 18485 Lake Shore Blvd., from 7:00 o'clock on FRIDAY evening, (opening with dinner) until 5:00 o'clock on SUNDAY afternoon, with the concluding Holy Hour. Both MARRIED and SINGLE women may attend the same retreat, which will be conducted in English, of course.**

Since the number of retreatants is limited, we urge you to return your reservation AT ONCE. Since some sixty-five young women made the retreat last year and many of these have already made tentative reservations for 1950, we particularly stress the importance of an **EARLY REPLY**. The fee remains the customary amount — fifteen dollars. However, if anyone is unable to pay the full amount and wishes to make the retreat, she may attend REGARDLESS, and any reasonable amount will be accepted or it may even be paid over a period of time. This arrangement, of course, will be made in **STRICT** confidence.

In order to assure an accurate list of reservations, we are asking a deposit of FIVE dollars from each prospective retreatant. Please enclose this sum with your reservation slip. The remainder may be paid at the Retreat House on FRIDAY evening, immediately after the registration is completed.

Perhaps you have made the two previous retreats, and for NO particular reason, you are hesitant in making your decision to attend this year.