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## OB TEDNU

Nemci zapuščajo vzhodni del Budimpešte, ker se boje napada zadej

London. — Nemški radio je včeraj naznajal, da nemške čete izpraznujejo vzhodni del Budimpešte. To vključuje mesto in predmestja na levem ali vzhodnem bregu Donave. Ta del mesta se imenuje Pest, dočim se imenuje del mesta na zapadnem bregu Buda.

Nemci so začeli odhajati z levega brega Donave, ker se boje, da bodo Rusi napadli Budimpešto od zadej, ker so že prešli Donavo južno od prestolnice.

Budimpešta je eno najbolj težih mest v Evropi, brojejo 1,162,000 prebivalcev. Zapadna polovica, Buda, je bil ustanovljena leta 1247 ter je postala prestolnica Madžarske leta 1361. S Pešto na vzhodnem bregu Donave se je Buda spojila v eno mesto leta 1872. Oba dela veže šest velikih mostov.

### SND toži kladivarno za \$275,000 odškodnine

Družba SND na St. Clair Ave. je vložila na okrajni sodniški tožbo proti Steel Improvement & Forge Co., 960 E. 64. St. za odškodnino v znesku \$275,000. Razbijanje z ogromnimi kladivi te tovarne je napravilo škodo na poslopju naravnega doma, se glasi tožba.

V tožbi se navaja, da se je radi razbijanja zrahjal temelj, da je pošilj omet po stenah in stropih v taki meri, da je cena poslopju padla in da je ogroženo prebivanje v njem.

Vodstvo tovarne pravi, da ni nobene pritožbe od tega slovenskega podjetja in da izvršuje tovarna važna vojna dela.

Na lovsko večerjo vas vabijo naši jagri

Kot vsago leto bo tudi letos priredil Euclid Rifle klub srnjanovo večerjo in lovski ples. Letos bo v nedeljo 7. januarja zvečer v Slovenskem domu na Holmes Ave. Naši slovenski lovci jih odvajajo že lovijo po Pennsylvaniji, srnjake in medvede, če ni morda obratno, zlasti kar se medvedov tiče. Ampak dva velika srnjaka sta garantirana za večerjo Euclid Rifle kluba.

Novi guverner države Ohio, Frank J. Lausche, bo odpotoval v sredo v Columbus, kjer se bo sestal z sedanjim guvernerjem Brickerjem. Posvetovala se bosta glede problemov države.

**V Florida!**  
Mrs. Jennie Jerič iz 940 E. 185. St. je odpotovala včeraj v Florida. Želimo ji prav veseli dini pod toplim floridskim soncem.

Prva obletnica

V torek 5. decembra bo darovana v cerkvi sv. Kristini ob 8:30 maša za pokojnega Frank Majera v spomin prve obletnice njegove smrti.



### Nemci zdaj grozijo že New Yorku

London. — Nemški nacijsi zdaj priovedujejo narodu, da imajo v delu nove vrste orožje, ki ga imenujejo V-3. To so nove vrste leteče bombe, ki jih bodo začeli spuščati proti koncu decembra — na New York.

To izjavilo je podal nemški de la vski minister Speer pred odsekom za vojno proizvodnjo. Kakšne vrste je to novo orožje, ni hotel povedati.

### Za časa vojne ne bo obravnave zaradi Pearl Harborja

Washington. — Sedanji dokazi niso take vrste, da bi opravicevali sodniško postopanje proti generalu Shortu in admiralu Kimmelu, ki sta poveljevala posadki v Pearl Harborju, ko so ga napadli Japonci 7. decembra 1941. Preiskava je sicer končana, toda dokazi so bili položeni v arhiv do konca vojne. Tako sta izjavila vojni in mornariški oddelek.

Deset dni po napadu na Pearl Harbor sta bila oba poveljnika razrešena svoje službe in začela se je preiskava, ki naj dozene, če sta svoje službene dolžnosti znamernjala, da so se mogli Japonci prikrasti prav v pristanišču, ne bi bilo slutil njih bližino.

Senator Taft je izjavil: "Če nista zakrivila Short in Kimmel največjo katastrofo, ki jo je doživel ta dežela, kdo jo je? Narod je upravičen to vedeti. Očvidno je to ležeče na administraciji v Washingtonu."

### Iz raznih naselbin

East Helena, Mont. — Dne 18. nov. je v letalski nesreči bližu McDill Fielda, Fla., izgubil življenje Edward J. Strainer.

Pri vojakih se je nahajjal od prošlega januarja. Zapusča brata Steva, ki služi pri mornarici, sestro Bernice v Arcadiji, Cal., dvostrica — Antonia Strainerja tukaj v Johna Strainerja v Great Fallsu, Mont., in dve teti — Mary Kercher, Arcadia, Cal., in Anne Filipich, Cleveland, 0.

Milwaukee. — Dne 31. okt. je umrla Sally Ann Tekavec, stara 33 in roj. Pasich. Zapusča moža, hčerk, sina, tri sestre in štiri brate. — Isti dan je umrla Ann Repnik, stara 28 let, roj. Swiderski in žena poročnika Frančka Repnika. — Dne 2. nov. je v West Allisu umrl Anton Krase, star 60 let in doma iz Trebelnega na Dolenjskem. Zapusča ženo, hčer in tri sinove. — Dne 9. nov. je umrla Dora Zorman, stara 66 let. — Dne 18. nov. je v Madisonu umrla Julia Ann Kuliga, stara 30 let in hči družine Frank Remshak iz Milwaukee. Poleg moža in staršev zapusča sestro Birdell Virant, dva brata in več sorodnikov. — Dne 20. nov. je v West Allisu umrl Frank Božič, doma iz Novega mesta. — Vile rojenice so obiskale družino Anton Muhich in pustile hčerk. — Iz Kitajske se je oglasil sin družine Frank Jager, ki poroča, da je zdrav in veliko sveta. Najprej je bil v severni Afriki, odkoder je bil poslan v Burmo. Služi pri letalskih inženirjih in je star 21 let. Pri vojakih je od julija 1943.

Pvt. Joe Makse, sin Mrs. Julije Makse iz 997 E. 62. St., posilja pozdrave svojim prijateljem iz Luxembourg. Prav velje Ameriške Domovine, ki jo redno prejema in angleška stran romo od enega fanta do drugega pri njegovem stotniju.

Pomagajte Ameriki, kupujte vojne bonde in znamek.

Razne vesti od naših borcev v službi Strica Sama

Nadporočnik Frank Jakšič, sin Mr. in Mrs. Frank Jakšič iz 611 St. Clair Ave., je prišel domov na zaslužen dopust. Nadporočnik Jakšič je služil kot navigator v zračni trdnjavi in je napravil več kot 75 misij na razne tarče po južni Evropi. Mnogokrat je za las ušel smrtni, vendar se je s svojo posadko vselej srečno izmotil iz zagate.

Po dveh letih in pol od doma je dospel domov na dopust Sgt. John Koman, sin Mr. in Mrs. Frank Mauer iz 1029 E. 5. centov pri funtu več za 50 kava drugo leto racionalno ceno namreč zahteva. Včeraj je baje ukazal mornaricu, ki nam dovažajo druzko malho.

Spanjola je bila nedavno podkaj velika krsta. Ameriški detektivi skušajo stvari do dna. Nekateri misljijo, da v krsti ni bilo ampak nemško zlato.

Ameriška vlada ne bo dočakala dva leta, da bo v krsti našlo zlato.

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### Dve novi zagozdi v nemško linijo

#### V RIMU SO SE VRŠILI IZGREDI RADNI ZASTAVE

Rim. — V Rimu je bila vojaška parada nove armade in ob tej priliki je prišlo do velikih izgredov. Komunisti so predeli kordon policije, sneli spomenika Julija Cesarja italijansko narodno zastavo in na jeno mesto obesili rusko zastavo z rdečo zvezdo, sropom in kladivom.

Tedaj so se zagnali protinjmonarhisti, ki so hoteli strgati rdečo zastavo, nakar se je vnel pravcati pretep. Šele policiji na konjih se je posrečilo razgnati izgrednike.

### Clevelandska okolica bi rada dobila 5 letališč

Bedford, East Cleveland, Cleveland Heights, Berea in Chagrin Falls, ki so nekaka predmestja Cleveland, so vprašala kongres za 5 letališč. Ta letališča so del programa, da se zgradi 1,625 novih letališč po Ameriki in sicer naj bi bila dogravjena najkasneje 10 let po vojni.

Ta nova letališča, ki naj bi bilo v državi Ohio 51, bi vredno \$31,161,000. Letališče v Lorainu, na primer, naj bi vredno najmanj \$960,000, izboljšave na dve letališčih v Akronu pa \$610,000.

V tem programu ni pa vključeno letališče v Clevelandu, ki samo zahteva izboljšav za \$5,000,000. Za ta letališča, naj bi plačala vsak polovico, zvezna vlada in država.

### Na Hrvatskem so obesili 20 oseb radi sabotaže

Washington. — Zagrebški radio je poročal, da je bilo nedavno obesih 20 oseb radi prestopkov proti državi, kot to določajo zakoni proti sabotaži, ki jih je napravila Paveličeva vlada.

Kot en vzrok te eksekucije, je poročalo radio, je bil ta, ker je bil na 4. novembra iztirjen vlak, ki je vozil iz Zagreba v Maribor, pri čemer je bilo ubitih in ranjenih veliko oseb. Radio pa ni potovel, če so bile obesene osebe direktni zvezi s to želežniško nezgodzo.

### Pobiranje asesmenta

Tajnik društva Dvor Baraga št. 1817 COF bo pobiral jutri asesment in sicer od 9 do 11 do poldne v novi šoli sv. Vida.

### Nov naslov

Mrs. Frances Skully in hči Josephine, ki sta prej živeli na 1036 E. 61. St. stanujeta zdaj na 1105 E. 64. St.

### NAJVEČJA BOJNA LADJA ANGLIJE JE GOTOVA

London. — Anglija je dogotovila največjo bojno ladjo. Prinčesa Elizabeta jo je krstila. Velikost in tudi ime te nove tajne je še tajnost. Naznanjen je samo njen namek — boj proti japonski mornarici.

Samo toliko se lahko reče, da ima nad 40,000 tonaze, da bo reza valove najmanj 30 vozlov na uro in da ima "morda" devet 16 palčnih topov.

### Na obisku v metropoli

Mrs. John Tahule in Miss Jennie Loushin iz Chisholm, Minn. sta na obisku pri svoji sestri Mrs. Louis Zgone, 885 E. 232. St. Želimo jima mnogo zavabite v naši metropoli.

### Lepo toda mrzlo.

Vladni vremenski urad napoveduje za danes lepo, toda mrzlo. Včeraj je kazal topomer v Clevelandu 22 stopinj.

### Kupujte vojne bonde!

### Pozor, društva!

Na svojih letnih sejah med drugim tudi sklenite, da bo dobro vaše društvo letni oglas v Ameriško Domovino. Tak oglas je priobčen vse leto po enkrat na mesec, včasih tudi večkrat in stane za vse leto samo \$5.00.

V takem letnem ogasu ima društvo imena svojih uradnikov ter čas in prostor mesečnih sej. Važno je, da vidi članstvo vsaj enkrat na mesec v dnevniku imena in naslove društvenih uradnikov ter čas in prostor sej.

Društva naj nam tudi sporoči imena novih uradnikov, da jih priobčimo zaston na prvi strani. Obenem nam naj pa sporočijo, če hočejo imeti v Ameriški Domovini letni oglas.

### Tukaj ni nobene sebičnosti ali pretiravanja.

Na drugi strani ceste se tudi nahaja tovarna, toda tista je povsem drugačna, ker iz nje se ne sliši ropota; tam so uslužbeni samo veščaki. Take tovarne mi ne preganjamo in ne odganjam. Le nesnago in prah ter ropot ne smemo in ne bomo trpel med seboj.

Zato se naproša vse, katerim je kaj na tem, da se v pondeljek zberete v mestni hiši tik poleg županovega urada v 2. nadstropju mestne hiše, da pokažete svoje zanimanje, da bodo videli odvetniki tovarnarja, da vam je za to, za kar se zvezama odbor in naši mestni odborniki. To je poziv, ki se ne sme pregledati. Na delo sedaj ali pa nikoli! — A. Grdina, predsednik.

### Važno v korist vse slovenske naselbine

V teh dneh se odloča usoda okolice, ki je pogorela 20. oktobra in ga glede tovarne, ki se nahajajo v tej okolici in ki so neznotra nadlega za stanovalce.

Zadnji četrtek je bilo v mestni hiši zaslisanje lastnikov domov in to okolice in lastnikov zemlje, na kateri stoejo te tovarne. Odvetniki tovaren so se odzvali številno. Tudi lastniki domov so dobro pognali za svoje pravice.

In pondeljek ob 9:30 dopoldne bo odločilno zaslišanje lastnikov domov na 62. in 63. cesti, ki so zelo občutno prizadeti zadnja leta po tovarni na 1043 E. 62. St. Ta tovarna povzroča ropot, smrad in prah in je tudi nevarna radi ognja, kar se je že zgodilo.

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## Zaupajmo v narodovo zdravje in moč

Zapisali smo včeraj v članku "Demokracija in Jugoslavija," da bo komunizem, ki mu grozi, minil, narod pa bo ostal.

Ko vino vre, izgleda kot da je le neka zmešanca in umazana tekočina, iz katere ne more priti nič dobrega. Toda, ko vrenje poneha, se vino izčisti, dobi svoj pravi okus in svojo barvo. Ko je enkrat zares izčišeno, vino tako tudi ostane. Tudi nad narod pridejo preizkušnje in trpljenja, ki skale njegovo narodno življenje. Včasih se zazdi, da je vsa bodočnost temna in da je vse izgubljeno. Krivi nauki mnoge zmešajo, začno se prepriji in boji, zdi se, vse vre in kipi. Končno pa zdrava narava naroča zmaga, zmota izgine, zmeša se unese in narod zaživi novo močnejše življenje.

Slovenski narod in vsa Jugoslavija preživlja danes velike težkoče in ni dvoma, da jih bo še. Vojna doba že sama povzroči podivjanost. V času, ko se vojaki na frontah tepo, tudi ljudje doma pozabljajo na ljubezen do bližnjega. Na Slovenskem se strahovito gospodarili Italijani in Nemci. Ti so v svoji surovosti in krivičnosti ljudi navajali na maševanje. Prišel pa je še komunizem in začel v Jugoslaviji državljanško vojsko, da bi tako zmagal komunistična diktatura. Ni čuda, če imamo pričakovati po vojni nekaj časa silno težke razmere. Zelo je verjetno, da bo začasno tam na Slovenskem komunizem tudi res zmagal. Poudarili smo v našem listu, da se delajo poskusi, kako rešiti demokracijo, vprašanje pa je, v koliko meri se bo posrečilo. In kaj pomeni na naši strani, če zmaga komunizem, smo že večkrat povedali. Za ljudstvo to pomeni sužnost pod komunističnimi komisarji, pomeni, da narod ne bo imel nobene besede in odločitve, pomeni, da bo le tlačan, ki bo moral garati za čistokrvne komuniste, svoje valpte.

Toda vse to nas ne sme napraviti za prevelike črnogledne. Zgodovina nas uči, da narod take zmede primeroma kmalu prenese in premaga, če je v jedru zdrav. Zlasti doba po zadnji vojni nam živo kaže, kako ljudstvo tam doma naštale zmešnjave kar hitro prestane.

Naj omenimo tri take borbe.

Prva tak zmešnjava, ki je mnogo ljudi spravila za nekaj časa s tira, je bila brž po zadnji vojni. Slovenci so naenkrat prišli izpod Avstrije v Jugoslavijo. Mnogi se niso znali hitro znajti in odločiti. Z Ruskega so prihajali domov vojni ujetniki, mnogi prepojeni z duhom ruskega boljševima. Komunizem je že takrat mislil, da je prišel njegov čas. Komunisti so začeli s terorjem nad delavstvom, da bi spravili vse na svojo stran. Od vsakega so zahtevali, da se vpriče v njih stranko. Zgodilo se je, da so z nasiljem vrgli iz tovaren na cesto katoliške delavce, ki se niso uklonili komunističnemu terorizmu. In tudi takratni vodja slovenskega liberalizma, dr. Žerjav, je mislil, da bo v tej dobi končoveljano stolico opisovanega "klerikalnega zmaja," ki desetletja ni dal spati ubogim starim naprednjakom. Žerjav je hotel strelti politično moč slovenskih katoličanov s tem, da je razdelil liberalne čete na troje: na kmečko stranko, na narodno socialistično in na demokratsko. Tako so naskočili katoličane pri volitvah v ustavotvorno skupščino leta 1920 vsi skupaj: komunisti, socialisti in tri napredne stranke. In res so trenutno zmagali. Slovenska ljudska stranka, ki je bila zastopnica katoličanov, je dobila samo 37% glasov pri volitvah. To je bilo zmagoslavnega vpitja in kričanja radi te zmage, kot da Jeriho podirajo.

(Konec prihodnjih.)

## Nekak račun brez krčmarja

Pri vseh Združenih narodih se danes govorimo samo o svetovni organizaciji, ki so ji diplomati v Dumberton Oaks že dali nekaj podlage, čeprav je še daleč od pravega temelja, ki ga mora taka organizacija postaviti, če hoče biti uspešna. Vendar je gotovo, da bo do take organizacije prišlo, zato čitamo in slišimo danes o njej v časopisih, revijah, na radiju in povod - pri civilnem prebivalstvu. Mi, ki smo doma na varnem, debatiramo in argumentiramo o bodoči svetovni mirovni organizaciji. Nihče se pa ne vpraša: kaj pa neki misljijo o tem naši vojaki, naši borci, ki se danes bijejo po džunglah in po močvirjih, v snegu in blatu zato, da bodo dosegli tako zmago, ki bo za vselej onemogočila kako nadaljnjo vojno.

Ali ne smilimo, da bi morali biti ti naši borci tisti, ki bi govorili o svetovni mirovni organizaciji, kakšna naj bo, na kakšnih principih ustanovljena, da bo predstavljala res to, kar bo govorilo njeno ime.

Mi imamo pod orojem nekako 12,000,000 fantov in mož, Anglija jih ima okrog 9,000,000 in Rusija med 10,000,000 in 12,000,000. Torej do 33,000,000 krepkih mladih mož, ki danes ne misljijo o kaki svetovni mirovni organizaciji, ampak samo misljijo, kdaj bodo šli domov, kakšna bo njih bodočnost doma, ali bo zanje dela in kruha.

Res je, da ti milijoni krepkih mož danes ne misljijo drugač kot kakor hitro mogoče končati vojno, pa hajd domov, ko se bodo enkrat doma ustanovili, takrat bodo pa začeli misljiti na svetovno mirovno organizacijo, ki naj bi prihranila njih sinovom to, kar so morali prestati v tej vojni sami.

Zato je naše mnenje, da nismo mi poklicani ustvarjati svetovne mirovne organizacije, ki nismo poskusili gorja vojne, ampak poklicani so jo ustvarjati tisti, ki vedo, kaj pomeni, kadar žvižgajo svinčenke, kadar reglajo strojnice, kadar udarjajo granate, kadar renče proti tebi tanki. Ne naši diplomati, ampak naši borci naj bi imeli besedo.

## BESEDA IZ NARODA

### Veselica št. 5 SMZ

Sporočeno vam je bilo že, da se nočjo 2. decembra zvečer, vrši veselica naše podprtžnice št. 5 SMZ in sicer v dvorani št. 1. novo poslopje Slovenskega narodnega doma na St. Clair Ave. To je prva in edina veselica tega društva v tem letu zato pa prav prijazno vabim vse člane, da govorite pridete in se z nami kratkočasite. Kar nas je članov, se z odborom trudimo, da bi bil ta večer res uspešen v vseh ozirih. Za godbo smo dobili dekleta, ki nam bodo izvrstno zaigrale. Poskrbljeno bo pa tudi za jedila in pičačo, da bo vsega dovolj.

Naš predsednik brat Frank Čenski tako nosi v vozi skupaj, da bi človek kmalu mislil, da bo ta veselica trajala kar cel teden. Zato pa mu člani pokažimo, da znamo ceniti njegovo delo in skrb in sicer s tem, da se vsi udeležimo in bomo skupno veseli. Pa še nekaj, Jože Pograjec tako nekam pokonci hodi in pravi, da bo vsem ženam in dekletom postregel na veselicu z najboljšo stvarjo, ki se jo bo tam dobil. Rekel je, da bo moške pa k bari zapeljal in tam bomo pa zapeli v vriskali, da se bo narodni dom tresel (vsaj upam, da ne bo kakšne škode).

Vabim pa tudi glavne odbornike in sploh vse prijatelje poštene domače zabave. Seveda urednika Ameriške Domovine vabimo in jih pričakujemo. Vidite, to je veselica, samo enkrat na leto, pa takrat veselo. Pokažimo naši bratski zvezi, da smo za skupnost v društvu in veselju. Klicem vam na veselo svidenje nočjo v dvorani št. 1 SND na St. Clair Ave. Z bratskim pozdravom,

Louis Erste član št. 5 SMZ,  
"Slovan" v Maple Heights

Zadnjo nedeljo, 26. novembra, smo bili tam in smo se prav imenovali zavabili na jesenskem koncertu zboru "Planina."

Dragi mi pevci! V resnicu je dobroče se kam gre, kaj novega vidi in sliši, kajti ob takih prililkah vselej kaj odnese, kar je dobro za vsakega. Kar se tiče koncerta mislim, da so bili vsi lahko zadovoljni, tako smo bili "Slovan."

Zbor nam je podajal lepe slovenske narodne pesmi. Predvsem pa nam je ugajal dalmatinski šajkaš, ki ga je avdijenca zahtevala v ponovitev. Dvorana je bila nabito polna.

Vse vodstvo tega zboru je v spremem vodstvu Frank Vautarja, kateremu gre vse priznanje za njegov trud. Seveda pri tem je treba povedati, da ima tudi dobre pevce in pri tem pa je glavno potrpljenje in pa vselej do petja. Ce tegu ni, ne pomaga vse prizadevanje nič.

Prav tako si je sedaj po dolgem času tudi zbor "Slovan" začrtal svojo pot, da priredi zopet svoj pomladanski koncert, ki bo nekako 22. aprila, seveda tudi pod vodstvom pevovodje Frank Vautarja. Zato pa že sedaj apeliram na vse pevce "Slovana," da se redno udeležujejo pevskih vaj našega zabora, katere se vrše vsako soboto ob pol osmih v Slovenskem društvenem domu na Recher Ave. Saj sedaj se ne more nihče več izgovarjati, da mora doma korenje okopavati ali kaj podobnega. Zato ponovno apeliram na vsakega posameznega pevca, da se redno udeležujejo vaj, saj veste, da je tudi za pevovodjo neredno in težavno, če enkrat prideš in trikrat pa ne.

Pevece tudi opozarjam in sploh člane "Slovana," da je v soboto tudi začnja seja v tem letu. Tre-

vsako cev, če katera kje pušča, zato se mi pa vidi zelo čudno, da bi jim tam ravno pred nosom puščal tako velik tank.

Ko sem tako hodil tam po tistem pogorišču, mi je prišlo na miselj opis koristi ognja kot ga je opisal Slomšek. Da, ogenj je koristen, a kadar človek zgubi nad njim svojo oblast, tedaj je nekaj grozneg, kar lahko vsak razume, če si ogleda to strašno pogorišče.

Matevž Leskovec.

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Washington. — OPA je preklical določbo, da morajo lokal Price and Rationing Boardi nabit vsak teden imena prisilcev katerim so bile ugodene prošnje za nakup novih avtomobilskih plaščev. Preklic velja od 22. novembra naprej. Mesto tega bo vsako mogel dobiti vpogled v seznam prisilcev pri vseh local Boardih. (OWI)

Prošnje za nove tovorne avtomobile morejo biti predložene

Washington. — Urad za vojni transport javlja, da interesanti morejo zdaj vložiti prošnje za dodelitev novih kamijonov, zgrajenih v letu 1945 pri svojih lokalnih uradilih Office of Defense Transportation. (OWI)

Produkcija polnilnih peres po večana

Washington. — War Production Board poroča, da je armada na shodu sveta industrije polnilnih peres in mehaničnih zavojčnikov zahtevala povečanje produkcije teh predmetov za kritje potreb vojakov na stran morja. (OWI)

Govorce o povečanju dodelitev olja za kurjavo neutemeljene

Washington. — Administrator za petroloj, Harold L. Ickes je izjavil, da so govorce o obilju olja in zvišanju odmerkov prihodnjem mesec "krive in obžalovanja vredne." (OWI)

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## SPORTS

## FOOTBALL

A Cleveland Stadium crowd of 52,388 persons last Saturday watched Cathedral Latin School successfully defend its city championship by crushing Lincoln High School, 33 to 0, in the 14th annual Plain Dealer Charity Football Game. This was their 10th consecutive victory of the campaign. The net proceeds will exceed \$19,800.

At Columbus, Ohio, a great dream came true after nearly a quarter of a century, when the Buckeyes, led by hot terrific one-man Parma typhoon, Art Horvath, the greatest college halfback in the country, completed their

first perfect record in 24 years by defeating the Michigan team, 18 to 14.

With six straight victories went the undisputed Big Ten championship.

## BASEBALL

Last Saturday, death claimed 78-year-old Kenesaw Mountain Landis, unwavering, fearless, and always the champion of the "little guy," the commissioner died of heart disease in St. Luke's Hospital in Chicago.

Jeff Heath underwent an operation at a Seattle, Washington, hospital, for removal of cartilage from his ailing left knee last week.

The Cleveland Indians will have Osie Mello, former St. Louis Browns infielder, as coach to succeed Del Baker, who resigned to join the Boston Red Sox. Mello was a Cleveland coach from 1938 to 1940 and again in 1942.

The Baseball Writers' Association named Marty Marion, the champion St. Louis Cardinals' sensational shortstop as the National League's most valuable player of 1944, and Hal Newhouser, pitching star of the Detroit Tigers as the American League's most valuable player of 1944.

## HOCKEY

On Wednesday, November 22, the arsons figuratively swept the stunned hornets in Pittsburgh off the ice with score of 7-1. The seven goals represented a new high for Cleveland this season, scoring twice in the final session with only five players on the ice.

Continuing their surge to the top of the American Hockey League's western division, the arsons Saturday night delighted 9,052 customers at the Arena by dealing out an 8 to 4 whipping to the Indianapolis Capitals.

## GOLF

Recently discharged from the Navy after 28 months of service, Slammín Sam Snead, making his first major golf tournament start in more than two years, won the \$15,500 Portland War Bond Open with 289.

## WRESTLING

On Monday night, for the second time in a row, Frank Sexton defeated Ivan Rasputin in the main bout on the rassle card at Public Hall. Although the falls were even, Referee Ernie Maddock, who lost most of his shirt in the wild fray, awarded the decision to Sexton. Ivan appealed to the crowd, but won only a shower of peanuts and popcorn.

Other matches resulted as follows: Dan Karloff, cousin of the movie star, Boris Karloff, defeated Nick Maiche; Stan Maysiek, bewhiskered Polish giant, defeated Rough-house Fred Bozik; Joe Komar defeated Jack Graham.

## DEATH NOTICES

A Abram, Jacob—Brother of Anton. (In Europe, mother, brother and sisters.) Residence at 3915 E. 97 St. Dejanovic, Jela (nee Sajatovic)—Mother-in-law of Joseph Ducic. Residence at 4709 Superior Ave.

Koffolt, Mark—Husband of Mary (nee Ribaric), father of Norma, Barbara, Theresa, brother of Joseph, half-brother of Frank and Mrs. Mamie Koren. Residence at 3922 St. Clair Ave.

Mayer, Anton—Husband of Josephine (nee Koenig), father of Joseph, Franklin, Rudolph, brother of Joseph and Cyril. Residence at 15906 Corsica Ave.

Pirnat, Christine (nee Zibert)—Wife of Andrew, daughter of Angela, sister of Alice Novak and Ann. Residence at 1288 E. 167 St.

## BIRTHS

A baby boy, their first, was born to S. Sgt. and Mrs. Ernest Novak of 6811 Bonita Ave. Mother and baby are doing well at St. Ann's Hospital. The proud grandparents are the well-known Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Novak, owners of the confectionery store at 6122 St. Clair Ave., and Mr. and Mrs. Andy Cedar of 6811 Bonita Ave., all of whom are grandparents for the first time. Congratulations!

A Professor and Mrs. Carl Sewisher of Cincinnati, O., announce the birth of a baby girl, Marion Margaret, born October 13. The young mother is the daughter of Frank and Marion Kuhar of Addison Rd., who are grandparents for the first time.

## ADVENT

Tomorrow is the first Sunday of Advent, a season of preparation for the coming of the Son of God. We therefore, unite in spirit with our boys who are serving throughout the universe to plead for everlasting Peace. Since this issue will reach many of you in distant lands just before Christmas, we, the parishioners express sincerest wishes for every possible happiness that can be yours this Holy Season.

## THE SHADOW

A bum approached a fellow on the street and asked for a half a dollar for something to eat. "Tell you what I'll do," said the prosperous-looking gent. "I'll buy you a drink!" . . . "No, I don't drink," persisted the down-and-outer "just give me fifty cents to get something to eat!" . . . "Here, have a Corona-Corona," offered the other . . . "All I want is a bite to eat," pleaded the panhandler. "no cigar." . . . "Look," offered the guy with the dough, "I know some nice girls. I'll phone and make a date and we can have some fun!" . . . "Pleasee miser," begged the bum, "all I want is half a dollar to get something to eat." . . . "Okay," the fellow said. "I'll give you the fifty cents if you'll come home with me." . . . "Why should I go home with you?" asked the mooker. "Because," was the amazing retort. "I want to show my wife what happens to men who don't drink, smoke or go out with women!"

## MORE ENGLISH NEWS

## St. Mary's Weekly Flashes

## MARY MOST PURE

Mother whose bosom was uncrossed With the least shade of thought to sin allied Woman above all women glorified, Our tainted natures solitary boast, Purer than foam on central ocean tossed.

—Woodworth.

On Friday, December 8, our Holy Mother the Church again rejoices and commemorates the glory of Mary's Immaculate Conception, adoring and thanking God for having given to us such an exalted and privileged Queen, to be our Advocate, our Queen, our Mother.

Mary is the fairest and the rarest, the purest and sweetest of God's creatures. She alone of all the daughters of Eve was exempted from the taint of original sin and the stain of actual sin. One can imagine how She cherished this grace, She who considered Herself unworthy to be His Handmaid. Thus does God reward the pure and humble soul. She is a worthy model for us to imitate. She, the Immaculate Virgin, aids young men and women to lead pure and upright lives. Have recourse to Her in life's temptations.

"Oh, Mary, conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to Thee!"

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started to discuss the possibilities of a square dance. Just then Sister Ignatia walked in and told us that she would tell us how to do the square dance, if we would be more quiet. Four girls went home, the others watched. Someone gave us a send of the "Irish Lullaby" and we soon swung into it. Just as we were getting good we were interrupted in our trail. The result is that we still can't do the square dance, not to save our lives.

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## ST. VITUS

## Baraga Glee Club

## WELCOME SOLDIER

Overwhelming with patriotic enthusiasm, and a spirit of cheerfulness, our fighting men here at home, the lasses have extended their invitation to the soldiers of Crile hospital, to be our honored guests at a dinner which will be served them, this coming Wednesday, December 6, in the school auditorium.

Dinner will be served at 7:45 p. m. by the members who will act as hosts.

The menu for the evening consists entirely of Slovenian dishes, which will be prepared by Mrs. Brancej and Mrs. Hraster, mothers of two of our members.

Following the dinner, Slovenian delicacies will be served buffet style, and the hall will resound with Slovenian polka's and waltz. This affair will most certainly enter onto the pages of our book of Memoirs, for it is our privilege to entertain the men who have done so much for us, and with the aid of the motherland of our parents, we will not fail to succeed.

A couple other new comers to the eague are: Merle Supanick and Bob Strun.

What happened to our "Star" bowler, Tony Moze, that he didn't appear at the alleys Sunday? We thought you would have a perfect record for the season. Not any more, Tony! Can you imagine for yourself a fellow getting three "Beer frames" in a game? Yes, sir, Vince Fortuna did. If he continues to do this, he will be in a poor house soon, Eh?

It seems we will have to send our reporter to the alleys to get his news about bowling from now on, for he doesn't get too much otherwise.

## SODALITY NEWS

## RECEPTION OF NEW CANDIDATES

On Sunday, December 3, 1944, the Young Ladies' Sodality of St. Mary's Parish will again receive its new members. The reception is to be Sunday evening at 7 o'clock in a ceremony in the church. Father Climerman of St. Clemens' Parish will deliver the address on the occasion. Installation of the new officers for the coming year will take place also.

New officers of 1945—Prefect, Betty Raddell; Vice Prefect, Lillian Rudolph; Secretary, Josephine Swigel; Treasurer, Carol Pirovec.

Retiring officers are the following—Prefect, F. Tomazic; Vice Prefect, B. Raddell; Secretary, L. Rudolph; Treasurer, J. Planicek.

A cordial invitation is extended by the Sodality to friends of these girls and all members of the parish to attend this lovely ceremony. The mothers of the Sodalists and our former Sodalists are invited down to the Study Club Room following the reception for a get-together to welcome our new girls.

## NOTICE TO ALL SODALISTS

All Sodalists must attend Mass and Communion at the 8 o'clock Mass on Sunday morning, December 3, 1944.

All new members and Sodalists are to be present in the Study Club Room no later than 6:15 Sunday evening, in order to be ready to go into church at 7 o'clock. Please be prompt and make every effort to be there at this time as last minute details must be taken care of then.

**THANKS MR. MULGREW!** For what, you ask? In the past weeks, we overlooked the fact that Mr. James Mulgrew donated \$20 for our outdoor basketball court. The amount really came in handy and we do appreciate your charitable deed.

## PAPER SALE

On Tuesday, November 21, St. Mary's School had a paper sale. The eighth graders were all working very hard for two reasons. One being, that Sister Agatha suggested a party for the winning team. This party would be given by the losing team. The second reason being that the losing team would have to clean the school after school hours.

Well, it all ended up like this, the boys won and the girls had to clean them.

Here we have the menu of the party.

Each boy had an ice-cream sundae, one bottle of pop, one cup-cake, and even got out of school 15 minutes earlier.

The poor girls had to stay and clean the school, but they didn't mind it for once.

After school was out, the girls went to do their various jobs. When, at around 4 p. m., we finished our work, Sister Agatha found only seven of us who had not gone home, namely: Mary Jaksejich, Marie Godosky, Margaret Kovach, Mary Strancar, Elizabeth Ostanek, Margaret Laurich, and Irene Walter.

Sister discovered that there was forty cents left from the boys party, so she treated us each to a bottle of pop. We pitched in our nickels and each had a dixie. We then settled ourselves in the kindergarten room to eat and talk.

A few songs were sung, which would put Lily Pons to shame. Then we

## Sodality News

Those melodious strains on the piano were played by none other than our moderator, Fr. Audrey, as the Sodalists walked into the Sodality room.

What beautiful music, Father—how about a treat like that on every meeting night?

At the designated time, order was called: prayers were said; minutes were read and the meeting began.

Our new prefect, Anne Winter, really took over, but good! It seemed as though there was nothing to it being perfect—how nicely she conducted the meeting.

Some of the subjects discussed were:

A Sodality Triduum (Masses and Communions) will be made in preparation three days prior to the feast of the Immaculate Conception for the intentions of our Holy Father. All Sodalists are asked, if at all possible, to make this triduum.

Character Builder for December:

Virtue: Hope—a firm and preserving trust in the promises of God; Opposing Faults—presumption and despair; Inspiration—"O Sacred Heart of Jesus, I trust in Thee."

Tomorrow is Communion Sunday for the Sodality—so let's not forget to attend the seven o'clock Mass!

December 8 is the important night where the Sodality is concerned—it's the night we receive new members into our group. All girls are asked to come down at 6:15 (Sodality room), wearing pastel colored dresses and their blue capes, as we are to walk down the aisle without coats.

Reminder to those girls who promoted cakes for that night: Don't forget to bring them down!

After that prayers were said again and the meeting came to an end.

Publicity Committee.

P. S.—A hearty welcome is extended to all our new officers—we know you'll all do a grand job!

To the old officers: Thanks loads for the swell job you did while in office!

## ARMY NEWS

Pvt. Joseph M. Grdina, son of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Grdina, 1053 E. 62 St. has a new address as follows: Pvt. Joseph M. Grdina, 35927537, 70th Co. C Camp Barkeley, Texas.

Having been transferred to Service School, Joseph Baskovic, son of the Baskovic family of 6614 Bliss Ave., sends the following new address: Joseph S. Baskovic, F 2/C, Brks. 304, Sec. B-11-28, Serv. School, USNTS, Great Lakes, Illinois.

On a 13-day furlough is Cpl. Jim Berlin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Berlin of 1970 E. 221 St., Euclid, Ohio. He serves Uncle Sam at Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri.

Pvt. Joseph Roberts, son of the Roberts family of 905 E. 237 St., has been transferred from Oakland, California to San Diego. He is in service with the Marines at the following address: Pfc. Joseph Roberts, 911362, M. W. S. 1, Sec. 6, MCAD, Camp Miramar, San Diego, Calif. He writes that he enjoys the American Home which he receives regularly and has even learned to write letters in Slovenian to his mother.

Andrew F. Zakrajsek, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Zakrajsek of 1266 E. 59 St. (formerly of 1131 E. 60 St.), volun-

teered for service in the Navy, leaving for Great Lakes, Ill., on Thanksgiving Day. He attended St. Vitus School and many of our subscribers remember him as one of most diligent newspaper carriers. When he left for high school, his brother, Stanley, took over, while he, himself, took a Plain Dealer route in the early hours of the morning. His parents have subscribed to the Saturday edition of the American Home for him, to be sent to the following address: Andrew F. Zakrajsek A. S. Co. 2170, USNTS, Great Lakes, Ill.

Transferred from Florida, Cpl. Louis E. Grdina send in the following new address: Cpl. Louis E. Grdina, 35306429, 505, AAF, B. U. Scott Field, Ill.

Home until December 19 will be Joseph Zakrajsek, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph of 15904 Arcade Ave. He took part in many battles with the Japanese in the Pacific. This is his first furlough after 18 months of service with the Navy.

Cpl. John F. Pike, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pike of 6602 Bonita Ave. has received an honorable discharge after 30 months of service with the Army. During his service in the Army he has experienced many interesting adventures.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Jaksic of 1414 E. 53 St. received a Japanese flag and a sword from their son, Cpl. Edward, who is somewhere on the Pacific. He took them from the Japanese on Saipan Island while fighting against them with the Marines. Any friends who wish to send him a card, may get his address from his parents at the above address.

On an 8-day furlough is Marine Edlund J. Turk, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Turk of 1046 E. 69 St. He is in service in North Carolina and makes fine-looking Marine.

The Hegler family of 765 E. 236 St. reports the new address of their son, Joseph, as follows: Joseph Hegler, 414-32862 Sec. 597, Bar. 4, Camp K. NSCS Brooklyn, N. Y.

Louis Uranin, 16005 Parkgrove Ave., ordered the Saturday edition of the American Home for his son, to be sent to the following address: Louis Uranin, S. 2/C, Unit XIMC West NOB, VTS, Norfolk, 11, Va.

From Belgium, Edward Intihar writes to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Intihar of 21491 Nauman Ave. He writes that he is fine and still "all in one piece" and that he enjoys the American Home Saturday edition very much, which he receives regularly.

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## NEWBURGH NEWS

**ATTENTION**

Tonight — Pre-Advent Servicemen's Benefit Dance will be held at the Slovene National Home on E. 30 St. Parishioners and their friends, both young and old, are invited to an evening of dancing entertainment which begins tonite at 8. The program will include your favorite tunes, lively polkas and enchanting waltzes.

Tickets are in circulation, but Jo Hocavar, who is in charge of ticket sales informs us that admissions will also be available at the door. Net proceeds will be used to cover costs of mailing expenses involved in sending greetings and various materials from th eparish to "our" Servicemen.

**HISTORY WAS MADE**

The entire parish was represented at Slovenia's Silver Jubilee Banquet Sunday. Favorite vocal selections by the choral group Slovenia, the Rev. Francis P. Johns S. T. D. and the "eighth-grade girls" rate honorable.

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**WINS AWARD AND DECORATION**

An Eighth Air Force Bomber Station, England—Tech. Sgt. Edward Gramc of Geneva, Ohio, has recently been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross for extraordinary achievement in aerial combat.

T-Sgt. Gramc, radio operator and gunner on the B-17 Flying Fortress "Bolo Babe," has participated in many daylight bombing attacks against the Nazi war machine in Europe. In addition to the DFC he has been decorated with the Air Medal with three Oak Leaf Clusters for meritorious achievement in aerial combat.

He is the 23-year-old son of Mr. Joseph Gramc family of R.R. No. 3, Geneva, Ohio. His wife, Mrs. Edward Gramc, lives at 836 West Grand, Pomona, California.

Prior to his enlistment in the army Air Forces on March 12, 1942, T-Sgt. Gramc was employed as a moulder by Jack Waite and Company, Geneva, Ohio. He has been serving in the European Theater of Operations since May 5, 1944.

**Introducing the New Manager of the North American Bank****Why, Guv — All You Wanted Was a Room!**

The governor-elect, Mayor Lausche, is today still a little shaken by his experiences last night.

Following Council meeting, Mrs. Jane Lausche waited in her husband's office while he telephoned to Columbus to get hotel reservations. He identified himself to the operator.

While he waited for the call to be completed, he turned casually to his wife, forgetting to cover the mouthpiece, "Let's go some place to eat."

Came a voice from the wire: "I know now, governor, but I'll be through at 11."

**Children Xmas Party**

All the little girls that are members of the children's group from S. Z. Z. No. 14, are invited to a Christmas party in their honor. Santa will be there,

too, and he has a nice gift for each one of you. All that come should bring a 10¢ gift with them because there will be exchanging of Christmas packages.

There will be loads of fun, so don't forget to come at 6 o'clock at the usual place, Rechar Ave. Hall, December 6.

Also the regular S. Z. Z. No. 14 meeting will be that day, starting at 7 o'clock that is one hour earlier. We want to have a good start so that after the meeting we will celebrate the birthdays of all the members whose birthdays have been the past three months, October, November, December.

So mothers and daughters, come and enjoy yourselves and bring a dollar gift along—we also will exchange gifts. Come and find out how your Zvezda is progressing. I'll be seeing you on December 5.

Your Treasurer.

**EXTRA! EXTRA!**

The curtain will slowly rise at the scene of the Glasbena Matica's annual fall concert, and the lights will be dimmed as strains of Johann Strauss' melodious will be heard throughout the auditorium.

The chorus will fill your hearts with beautiful melodies from many lands. Your popular quartet will sing some of your favorite tunes, which I'm sure you will enjoy.

The second part of our beautifully arranged program will be a pleasant surprise for you. The members will come forth in the national costumes. Folks songs and waltzes will be a specialty.

The beautiful love song "Fo Gorah Grmi in se Bliska" will be sung by the chorus with featured solos by June Marie Babbit and John Sams.

A special arrangement of cecili gori will be sung by the women's chorus. Our leading soloists will be right on hand to entertain you. All your troubles and cares will fly away when you come to hear this beautiful arranged concert on Sunday, December 3, 1944 at 7:30 p.m. at Slovenian National Home.

Our boys are over there fighting and dying so that here in America we can still have the privilege of presenting you these concerts.

At this concert many of Glasbena Matica's boys will be missed, but wherever they are they will know that we will all be there enjoying the music they all love.

Be sure to be there early because I know the hall will be over-flowing with music lovers.

ALICE SOMRAK

**Annual Meeting!**

Members of the St. Mary Magdalen Society No. 162, K. S. K. J. are hereby notified that the Annual Meeting will be held on Monday, December 4 at 8 p.m. at the new St. Vitus School building. It behooves each and every member that is interested in the Lodge's progress to be present. Besides other important matters, the election of officers for 1945 will take place.

Those members that are in arrears with their dues, are hereby reminded to be sure to take care of them on December 4 at this Annual Meeting. Assessments will be taken up from 6 o'clock on.

Hoping to see many of you younger members of our society at this meeting, I am,

Sincerely yours,  
MARY HOCHVAR, Secy.

America has shipped 719 million pounds of food to the Allies during October, which is about 400 million pounds less than in October 1943.

The cost of living on farms rose faster and higher than in the cities. During the 23% rise in the cities between December 1940 and March 1944, it rose 45% on the farms.

British newspapers report that Gen. Mihailovich has arrived in Foglio, Italy, arriving with an American bomber. The report does not state whether he intends to stay there or to move to some other place.

An explosion of a bomb depot at Burton-on-Trent in England may cost some 200 lives and many wounded. It shook houses 60 miles around, many buildings totally demolished.

Mrs. Pauline Markl underwent an appendicitis operation Tuesday morning at St. Alexis Hospital. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Strumly of Highland Rd., South Euclid, Ohio.

The Polish-Russian question that Hitler is neither dead nor has he fled to Japan, but that he is a very sick man.

Another couple to celebrate 25 years of wedded bliss are Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ave., their anniversary falling on Sun-



Pfc.

Anthony J. Fortuna, Jr. was killed in action in France, the War Department notified his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony J. Fortuna, 1093 E. 64 St.

Pfc. Fortuna enlisted May 12, 1943 and took his basic training at North Camp Hood, Texas, and Camp Maxie, Texas. Later he transferred to the ASTP at Carnegie Tech in Pittsburgh Pa. He went overseas in August, 1944.

Pfc. Fortuna was born in Cleveland, June 27, 1922. He graduated from St. Vitus School, East Technical High School and was attending Fenn College at the time of his enlistment. He also worked at Warner and Swasey Co. He was a noted athlete in sandlot baseball and basketball. He was very active with the Holy Name Society of St. Vitus. He was also a member of St. Vitus Lodge No. 25, K. S. K. J.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony and Anna Fortuna, a sister Dorothy, and a grandfather, Frank Sodnikar.

May the young hero rest in peace in the foreign land for which he gave his life, and our deepest sympathy to the bereaved survivors.

**A Busy Student Writes**

Cincinnati, O.

Well, I just finished mid-semesters exams last week, and now I am resting up for my recital which is to be Thursday, November 30 in the Conservatory Concert Hall. I am going to sing the following: "Halt" in German and "Muth" also by Franz Schubert. My last number is "Adieu Forets" from the French Opera Jeane Darc by P. Tschaikowsky.

I'm quite happy that mother shall come down to hear me and also to see my little niece, Marion Margaret Sennher, for the first time. She was born on October 13.

I like my studies very much. It is hard to believe that Christmas is just around the corner.

Before I forget, I want to tell you how much the Ameriška Domovina means to me. It is wonderful, for it keeps me posted on all the happenings in Cleveland; tells me what my friends are doing—friends in service and last but not least, it keeps me brushed up on my Slovenian. I have passed my copies to many of my friends who are fascinated by the headlines and language, so the Ameriška Domovina is well known here.

Hope this finds you all in good health. I am.

Sincerely,

MARION KUHAR.

**Remember, December 7.**

December 7! Pearl Harbor Day! Women of Cleveland are taking over the day for the Sixth War Loan Drive. An All Women's Rally at 10:30 in the Higbee Auditorium for the women of Cleveland will open the day's activities. The speaker that morning will be Eleanor "Bumpy" Stevenson, Red Cross worker who followed the Fifth Army with General Clark through Africa, Sicily, and Italy. Prior to that she was head of personnel in the London Red Cross office. "Bumpy" Stevenson is known in this country for her articles "I Knew Your Soldier" which appeared in the Saturday Evening Post this fall. The Women's Committee of the War Finance invites all women of Cuyahoga County who are interested in knowing more about their boys overseas to hear Mrs. Stevenson Thursday, December 7, at 10:30. There is no admission charge.

**YOUR PERSONAL GOAL**  
- AT LEAST ONE EXTRA \$100 BOND!

The War Department notified Mr. and Mrs. John Smrtnik, 1972 Muskoski Ave., were notified by the War Department that their son, Sgt. John J. Smrtnik, 24, was wounded in France on August 17, but has now returned to duty.

Sgt. Smrtnik entered service in March, 1942, and went overseas last January. He has been awarded the Silver Star for gallantry in action. He attended Collinwood High School and was employed as a carpenter.

His brother, Cpl. Frank, is serving in the South Pacific.

The War Department notified Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kozoglow Sr., 1182 E. 83 St., that their only son, Sgt. Joseph Kozoglow, 22, suffered shell fragment wounds in his arm and back during action in France on August 13.

The sergeant, who serves with the armored infantry, entered the service in April, 1943, and was sent overseas in January. He attended East Technical High School and was employed by the Erie Dye and Processing Co.

Sgt. Joseph L. Kolat, 21, was wounded for the second time in France, according to word received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kolat, 1940 Chickasaw Ave.

The sergeant, a veteran of Iceland, Ireland, England and Belgium, was wounded on August 22 and October 18. He is now in a hospital in England. Before enlisting in the Army in October, 1940, he attended Collinwood High School.

He was sent overseas with the infantry in September, 1941. His brother, James, was recently given a medical discharge from the Army.

On August 16, Sgt. Michael Brezovek, 26, was killed in France. He leaves a mother, Anna Markovic in Indianapolis, Ind., a sister and a brother.

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**NEWS FROM OUR BOYS IN THE ARMY**

Pfc. Lou A. Bandi writes the following letter to his father Lawrence Bandi of 1017 E. 72 Place.

Somewhere in France, Oct. 20, 1944.

Dear Pop:  
Just a few lines again, to tell you that all is as good as can be expected. One can't say it is quiet out here, as it isn't. Something is always going on, but of course, we are not at liberty to tell.

But what I really would like to say is that the majority of us, even though it is tough and rugged out here, know that it is not in vain. You would really and truly understand if you were here to see what we are fighting for. It's terrible what the people here have to go thru just because some individuals become too strong in politics. The physical and mental suffering is inhuman. Our country, even though it is the best, could now be suffering the same fate. We always had ideals as to how our people should live and enjoy life, and how we are all born with equal rights to life, freedom and pursuit of happiness. But unfortunately, some of these countries here disregard these principles—naturally—the conflict. We feel honored and find it our duty to fight for the defense of our country, although there are a few who can't come back to enjoy it.

Let's all hope that the day is drawing near when our job will be finished and we will all be homeward bound. That's going to be one great day.

Here's hoping this letter finds you all in the best of health and spirit and reminding you that it can't last much longer. They're getting both barrels now! I am getting the American Home regularly. Regards,

Your son,  
PFC. LOU A. BANDI.

Somewhere in France, Oct. 22, 1944.

Dear Editor:  
How are you these days? And how are things going along back home in Cleveland?

I've traveled quite a lot through this country and saw what was left of a number of cities in which major battles were held. To date, the closest to Paris I got was the city of Verneuil.

I am now located at a place which formerly was a Nazi camp and the room in which I am right now still has a lot of German writing on the walls.

The other evening we saw some movies, which were shown in an old stable. Along with the main picture there was a short reel regarding bowling. Various fellows, who are famous in this line, gave demonstrations. You can imagine my surprise when none other than Charlie Lausche was shown on the screen, throwing his famous ball down the alley for a clean strike.

Best regards to you, Charlie and all my friends.

Yours for victory,  
CHARLES A. TERCEK.

Cpl. A. Tomich writes from Australia to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Tomich, 1193 E. 61 St.

Dear Folks:  
I hope you are living back in the house again and everything is under control. Have they found all the people that were missing yet? It sure will be a sad holiday season for a lot of people. I'm sure glad the President got re-elected again. I understand our Mayor Lausche was elected gov-