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Uspeh aktivne razvojnosti?

V Veliki Britaniji izhajajočem slovenskem listu "Klic Triglava" zavrača dr. Ciril Žebot, pisec knjižice "Slovenija — včeraj, danes in jutri", sumnjenja, da bi bil pisal to svoje delo na kakršenkoli namig, nasvet ali prizadevanje "Tijetovih agentov" ali "cerkvenega Rima". "Knjiga nima nobene zveze s kakršnimikoli zarotniškimi viri ali nagibom... izjavlja avtor, nato pa nadaljuje (Klic Triglava, januar 1968, str. 6 — pod naslovom 'Bolezen zarotniškega sumnjenja'):

"Citatelji knjige vedo, da je pisana z odkritim in edinim namenom, da z analizo dejanskih silnic slovenskega razvoja pomaga k uspehu aktivne slovenske razvojnosti. Edina alternativa je novo brezupno nasilje in uničevanje. Zato v Sloveniji prevladuje zavestna težnja in konstruktivni pristisk k vedno večji svobodi Slovencev in k samostojnosti njihove lastne države. Ti silnici oblikujeta osnovno dinamiko današnje Slovenije, ki je — tako smemo upati — ne morejo več ustaviti ne notranji nasilniki z leve ne zunanjim skrajneži z desne."

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Tile "zunanjii skrajneži z desne" so posebno zanimivi za tiste, ki poznavajo Slovenijo od "včeraj" pobliže in se spominjajo Cirila Žebota ter njegovih somišljencov povezanih v "Straži". Tedaj je bila ta skupina znana kot "skrajna desnica" katoliškega tabora. V letih 1933-1938 se je odlikovala po tem, da je na zborovanjih akademikov na ljubljanskem univerzitetu skušala z zbornim kričanjem, s takozvanimi "sprekori" previpiti svoje nasprotnike na "skrajni levi" — komuniste. Zbor na "skrajni desni" je kričal vstajno "Dols-Komin-ter-no! Dols-Ko-min-ter-no!...", udarniki na "skrajni levi" pa so ga skušali prekrčati s klici "Ven s klerofašisti!" "Živila zveza balkanskih sovjetskih republik!"

Obe skupini sta z enako vstajnostjo in žilavostjo skušali preprečiti vsako trezno razpravo, onemogočili svobodo govora na svobodnih akademikov tleh. Trezna slovenska akademska mladina je z nejelo in zaskrbljenostjo gledala te besedne spopade, ta fanatizem in udarništvo, ki je zavral trezno tehtanje razlogov za in proti, ki je načelno zavral vse predloge nasprotnika, ker pač niso bili "naši", pa naj so bili tudi pametni in sprejemljivi. Žalosten je bil pogled na vodnike kričačev, ko so se jim od napora izbuljile oči in so jim od besa, fanatizma in božjastne zagnanosti silile pene na usta.

Ti ljudje so bili tako prepričani v pravilnost svojih nazorov, misli in predlogov, da so odklanjali vsako razpravo o njih. Vse, ki niso bili voljni slediti njihovim predlogom in se podrediti njihovemu vodstvu, so gledali s skrajnim nezaupanjem. V tem pogledu med skrajnimi levičarji in skrajnimi desničarji ni bilo veliko razlike, oboji so načrtno gojili fanatizem, zahtevali disciplino in udarost!

Nihče ni odrekal katoliški slovenski mladini, ki se je zbirala v "Straži" in izdajala svoje glasilo "Straža v viharju", idealizma in predanosti katoliški "stvari", kar je njene sodobnike motilo pri tem krogu, je bilo pomanjkanje trezne preudarnosti, pripravljenosti razčiščevati nesoglasja in različne nazore v prosti akademski debati. Bilo jih je strah pred njenim fanatizmom, ki je kazal, da bi bili ti ljudje pripravljeni iti do postavljenega cilja preko vseh zaprek in ga doseči za vsako ceno.

Treznii del tedanje slovenske katoliške akademske mladine je na akademskih zborovanjih skušal na nevarno vreme opozoriti starejši akademski rod, ki je bil že na odgovornih mestih in v čigarskem rokah je bila usoda naroda. S posebnimi deputacijami je opozarjal odgovorne cerkvene in narodne vodnike na nevarnost načrtne gojenja fanatizma, strumne pokorščine in udarnosti na škodo tolerance, svobodne razprave in odločanja po lastnem prepričanju med slovensko akademsko mladino. Vse to ni veliko zaledlo, tedanje čas je bil čas strumnosti in udarnosti!

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Od tedaj je minilo že dolgo let. Ni več Hitlerja in ne Mussolinija, tudi slave belgijskega Degrella, ki naj bi po traditivah nekaterih v onih dneh služil za vzor "Stražarjem", je že davno konec. Le še španski Franco se drži in ima celo upanje, da bo umrl naravne smrti.

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Clovek z veseljem in zadoščenjem bere, da se skušajo nekdanji slovenski "skrajni desničarji" priključiti končno trezni slovenski narodni sredini, se oprijeti načela "aktivne razvojnosti", objektivne sodbe in mirnega, stvarnega razpravljanja. Pri tem si želi le, da bi bil ta "razvoj" iskren in trajen.

Vsekakor bi bilo za slovensko politično javnost v svetu in doma zanimivo vedeti, kje sedaj Ciril Žebot vidi "zunanje skrajneži z desne", ki bi radi zavirali notranji razvoj k večji svobodi v Sloveniji.

Upajmo, da bo tudi o tem kaj napisal v novem letu na tretji strani Slovenske države, kjer pravi, da "bo objektivno razčlenjeval dosežke, možnosti in težave nadaljnega slovenskega razvoja — dokler ne bo v Sloveniji popolne prostosti javnega razpravljanja o teh osnovnih vprašanjih slovenske bodočnosti".

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Nekaterih pojavorov in stremljenj v človeški družbi ni mogoče pravilno razumeti in jih ne pravilno oceniti brez poznavanja njihovega ozadja in preteklosti. Da bi bile te težave odstranjene, samo zato so bile napisane tele besede.

Vili

BESEDA IZ NARODA

Tri iz Kolinuva

CLEVELAND, O. — Igrala "Vaška Venera" je bila prav uspeh za Lilijo. Ljudje jo kar ne morejo pozabiti. Nekaj se sliši, da pripravljajo igro "Grči" za pustni čas. Tako bo vsak prišel na svoj račun.

Slovenski dom na Holmes Avenue lepo napreduje v vseh ozirih. Dvorana je lepo preurejena, prenovljena tako, da marsikdo ne verjame, da je prišel na pravi kraj, ko stopi vanjo. Na občnem zboru delničarov je bilo sklenjeno, da bo do prav tako preuredil in prenovili tudi spodnjo dvoranico. Odborniki s predsednikom E.

Grošljem na čelu delajo za preureditev prostorov. Vsi delničari in vsa društva, ki zbirajojo v tem domu, jim moramo trdno stati ob strani, da bo dosežen cilj vsem Slovencem v penos. V zadnjih desetih letih, ko je bil predsednik Habat, Viktor Derling pa upravnika, doma, je bil napravljen lep začetek s preureditvijo točilnice, modernizacijo kuhinj in drugega. Ne smemo pozabiti, kaj se je vse uredilo, kaj dobrega storilo pri domu. Sedanji upravnik Tone Bokal in prijazna žena Eleanor se lepo uveljavljata in pridobivata veliko prijateljev.

Precej dolgo me ni bilo pri Ferdu, tako me je kar pismeno

povabil na šah. In res sem ga se sam prepričaj: šah in mat o prvi pričak: šah in mat.

Obiskal On Ferdu!

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Sesti kegljaški turnir Lilije bo trajal šest tednov. Izgleda, da boste borbe trde, tako pri možkih kot pri ženskah. Ustanovili smo mladinski odsek, v katerem igrajo tisti izpod 16 let. Zelo lepo kegljajo. Najboljši bo nagrajen. Nekateri so nas presenetili. Pridno so trenirali, čeprav to zanikajo. Resnica se je izkazala prve tedne. Marsikdo je upal: Letos bom jaz pokazal, kako se kegljati podira.

Hren France jih je zadnjic podrl 202-567, nedaleč za njim je bil F. Dolinar 203-547, nato J. Ferral 201-540, L. Mohar 507, S. Denša 503, C. Stepec 500, E. Veider 492, P. Gerdin 489, F. Zalar 482, P. Hren 478, T. Medved 470.

Za upravnih odbor: M. D. hvala tudi vsem gostom, so s svojo navzočnostjo prisegli k finančnemu uspehu, kakov tudi SND za vso uvednost in točno postrežbo. Na prisrtečnega zahvala gre gotov članoma Jimmy-ju in Jamesom S. p. n. i. k., lastnikom Slapnik cvetličarne na 66. St. Clair Ave., katera sta priljubljena 200 kraljev za naše goste dame. Morda so prav tako celotni prireditvi skrivnostno veličastni izvena — dekle — roža. Thaža million, Jimmy!

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Castro dolži sovjetske plombe ščuvanja k zaroti

HAVANA, Kuba. — Kubanska vlada je javno obdobje enega sovjetskega diplome in dva uslužbenca sovjetske poročevalske službe v Havana, da so ščuvali kubanske komuniste k nastopu proti Castrovi vladi in jih bo ukradli "protipartijske" dejanja postavila pred sodiščem, kot izdaljale kubanske revolucije.

Navedeni so nasprotni Castrovi bojeviti zunanjji politiki v Latinski Ameriki, pa di proti omejeni gospodarski politiki doma.

Podpis dogovora za gradnjo slovenske kapele v Washingtonu, D.C.



Prvi ček za zgradnjo slovenske kapele v Washingtonu. — Od leve proti desni so č. g. Dr. Blatnik, Joe Nemanich (predsednik KSKJ), ga. Antonija Turek (predsednica Slovenske ženske zveze), G. Frank Turek (tajnik narodnega odbora za slovensko kapelo) in rev. F. McDonough, upravnik Narodnega svetišča v Washington, D.C. (Photo National Shrine).

WASHINGTON, D.C. — V petek, 19. januarja, ob petih po polne so se zbrali v upravnem uradu Narodnega svetišča — National Shrine — slovenski zastopniki in podpisali dogovor za pričetek gradnje slovenske kapele. Narodni odbor so zastopali gospod Joe Nemanich ter gospod F. Turek iz Cleveland. Prisotni so bili tudi člani washingtonskega krajnevnega odbora Slovenske, čeprav skromna, je bila nadvse prisršna. Č. g. McDonough, upravitelj svetišča, je v kratkem nagovoru poudaril, da je ponosen, da lahko prisotvuje tako pomembnemu dogodku v zgodovini ameriških Slovencev.

To pa ne samo zato, ker se vrši ob stoletnici smrti velikega Slovenca in ameriškega škofa Friderika Barage, pač pa tudi zato, ker je on, Father McDonough ponosen na to, da je eden izmed redkih ameriških duhovnikov, ki mu besede Slovencev in Slovenija niso tuje, pač pa mu vzbujajo lepe in prijetne spomine. Tako po končani sve-

te imel priliko, da se je za kratek čas ustavil na Brezjah in da mu zato tudi ime Brezijanske Marije ni tuje. Cestital je zbranil k delu in vztrajnosti, ki sta rodila tako lep sad in nato vse zbrane povabil, da si po končanem podpisu ogledajo novo zakristijo in — Baragovo okno!

Po kratki razlagi osnovnih točk in pogojev dogovora so zgojeni člani narodnega odbora iz Cleveland podpisali dogovor in predložili prvi ček kot prvo naplaci za kapelo. Uradni fotograf je seveda vso slovensko povabil, da si po končanem podpisu ogledajo novo zakristijo in — Baragovo okno!

Sledil je obisk nove zakristije in z njim najlepše presenečenje, ki bi si ga zbrani mogli želite, kajti v novi, nedavno skončani zakristiji so zbrani v resnici vi deli krasno okno iz barvnega stekla s sliko škofa Barage, v naravnih velikosti. Pogled na krasno zbranim ni mogel obudit prijetnejših občutkov. Tu so videli priznanje velikemu Slovencu, čeprav za to priznanje nihče prosil ali moledoval. Okno je bilo zgrajeno izključno le na podlagi odločitve ameriških škofov, ki so smatrali, da je treba Baragi izraziti posebno priznanje za njegovo apostolsko delovanje v Ameriki in zasluge za ameriško katoliško cerkev.

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Bogomir Cholek

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Sir Arthur Conan Doyle:

IZGUBLJENI SVET

(THE LOST WORLD)

Ozrl sem se na svoje tovariše. Lord John je še vedno stal nepremično s kazalcem na petelinu svoje težke slonovke, in lovška strast mu je sijala iz ponosnih oči. Kaj bi vse dal, da bi lahko obesil slično glavo med prekrizana vesla nad pečjo v svojem albaniskem zavetišču! A vendar je ubogal lastno razsodnost. Zakaj vsako nadaljnje raziskovanje čudežev nepoznane dežele je bilo odvisno od tega, da ne bi zvedeli o naši navzočnosti njeni prebivalci. Oba profesorja sta bila zatopljena v molčečo blaženost. V svojem razburjenju sta se nehote prijela za roke in tako stala kakor dva otročiča vprivoč čudeža: angelški smehljaj se je izrazil po Challengerjevem napihnenem obrazu, Summerleeju pa je ublažilo navdušenje in spoštanje sicer strupene poteze.

"Nunc dimittas!" je naposed zaklical, "kaj bodo rekli na Angleškem?"

"Dragi moj Summerlee, strogo zaupno vam lahko natančno povem, kaj bodo rekli na Angleškem," je odgovoril Challenger. "Rekli bodo, da ste nesramen lažnik in znanstven slepar, natančno isto, kar ste trdili vsi in vsi ostali o meni."

"Tudi ključ u fotografiskim posnetkom?"

"Potvorba, Summerlee! Neredna potvorb!"

"Pa klub samim živalim?"

"No, s tem jim menda že lahko pridemo do živega! Malone pa njegova umazana Fleet-streetska družba bodo zdaj zavijali na vse načine, da nas proslavijo. Dne 28. avgusta — to je dan, ko smo videли petorico živih iguandonor sredi jame v Maple Whiteovi deželi. Zabeležite to v svoj dnevnik, mlađi priatelji, pa posljeti onim časnikarskim pi sunom."

"Pa pazite dobro, da ne dobiti poštene brce od uredništva," je dejal lord John. "V Londonu bodo namreč vse te stvari dokaj drugače izgledale, dragi moj mladenič. Marsikateri mož ničesar ne pripoveduje o svojih pustolovinah iz strahu, da mu ne bodo verjeli. Kdo bi jim to smel štetiti v zlo? Čez mesec ali dva se bo zdele še nam vse, kar smo tu videli, kakor sanje. Kako ste rekli, da se pravi tem zverinam?"

"Iguandoni," je odgovoril Summerlee. "Njih sledove srečate lahko povsod po hastingskih sipinah, v Kentu pa tudi Sussexu. Mrgolelo jih je neko

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Prilezli smo do njega in pogledali čez rob skalovja. Pred nami je zijala velika vdrtina, ki je bila morebiti v starih časih žrelo manjšega ognjenika. Enega onih, ki so delovali na planoti. Imela je obliko sklede in na dnu, nekoliko sto yardov od roba so bile lame polne gnojče vode, z bičevjem obrastlo in z zeleno peno pokrite. Že kraj sam na sebi je bil dostopn, toda njegovi prebivalci so mu dajali zunanjost sedmega kroga Dantejevega pekla. Tukaj so imeli pterodaktilli svoje vališče. Sto in sto jih je čepelo drug poleg drugega. Ob mlakužah na dnu je vse mrgolelo mladičev in pošastnih samic, ki so sedele na usnjatih, rumenkastih jachih. Odtod, kjer je na kupu gomazela in s perotmi plahutala vsa ta golažen, se je dvigalo ono neznošno vreščanje, ki je ostalo v zraku in pa zatohli, nepopisno zoprni smrad, ob katerem je prihajalo človeku slabo. Višejo po obronkih so čepeli, vsak na svojem kamnu, popolnoma nepremični veliki, sivi samci, ki bili bolj slični zbirki posušenih v mrtvih, kakor res živili, če ne bi obračali rdečih srepih oči in hlastali z debelim, mišnici sličnim kljunom po mimo letečem kačjem pastirju. Zložene, velike opnaste peroti so jim skrivali prednje okončine, in so zgleddali kakor orjaške staruhe, zavite v zoprne sive pajčevinaste rute.

Tudi jaz sem bil prepričan, da nas obdaja skrinvost in nevernost. Zdeto se mi je, da stalno preži na nas v somraku med debli nepoznana nevernost, in če smo pogledali medtem listje navzgor, nam je zadruhelo da nepoznane groze srce. Velikanski nestvori, kateri smo videli, so sicer bili preveč nerodni in mirni, da bi koga napadli, a Bog ve, kaki ostanki prazgodovinskega živalstva bi se lahko še našli v tej čudovini deželi, katere krvolocene in urne pošasti bi nas lahko naskočile iz svojih skrivališč med skalovjem in v grmovju? Slabo sem bil poučen o prazgodovinskem živalstvu, a vendar sem se dobro spominjal knjige, ki je govorila o strašilih, katera bi lahko pogolnila naše leve in tigre kakor mačka miško. Kaj, ko bi živele slične zverine tudi v pragozdu Maple Whiteove dežele?

Usojeno nam je bilo še tekom istega jutra — našega prvega jutra v novi deželi — spoznati, kake neznane nevernosti nas pričakujejo. Če nam bo ostala v spominu poljana z iguandomi — po besedah lorda Johna — samo kot sanje, nas bo tlačil spomin na močvirje s pterodaktilli nedvomno kakor težka mora. A dovolite, da poročam natančno, kar se je dogodilo.

Napredovali smo jako počasi skozi gozd, deloma radi tege, ker je korakal lord John vedno naprej kot izvidnik, preden smo smeli za njim, deloma pa zato, ker je vsak trenutek obstal eden ali drugi profesor z začudenim vzlikom pred katerokoli cvetko ali mrčesom, da ugojni zopet nepoznano novo vrsto. Prehodili smo dve ali tri milje vedno ob desnem bregu potoka, preden smo dosegli do večje jase sredi gozda. Skozi grmovje, posejano s skalovjem, smo zgleddali kamenito, razdrto planoto. Počasi smo prodrali skozi skalovje in goščavo, ki nam je segala do pasu, pa smo nenadno začuli čudno votlo žvižganje in hreščanje, ki je kar stresalo zrak in prihajalo menda izza skalovja, ki je bilo nedaleč pred nami. Lord John nam je dal z roko znamenje, naj počakamo, sam pa je previdno in sklučen odhitel proti steni tam spredaj. Videli smo, kako je pogledal čez njo in zopet z roko izrazil začudenje. Obstal je ves zatopljen v nekaj, kot da bi pozabil na nas vprivoč tega, kar je gledal. Naposled nam je pokimal, naj pridemo bliže, a obenem visoko dvignil roko v znak opreznosti. Ves njegov nastop je kazal, da nas pričakuje izredno zanimiv, a obenem nevaren prizor.

Izdhni plemenito dušo dne 4. februarja 1963.
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Leo Zakrajšek

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JOSEPHINE TURSIC,
URSULA ZAKRAJSEK,
ANNA JERICH.
New York, N.Y., 2. februarja 1968.

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NAS JE ZA VEDNO ZAPUSTILA
NAŠA PRELJUBA SOPROGA IN
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iz katerih so molele samo divje glave. Najmanj tisoč teh smrdljivih pošasti, velikih in malih, se je nahajalo v peklu, ki smo ga gledali.

Naša profesorja bi tu najrašči ostala ves dan, tako ju je navdušila ta priložnost za proučevanje življenja predzgodovinske dobe. Kazala sta drug drugemu po skalovju razmetne ribe in mrtve ptice, kot dozakrane, ki so jo vživali neštovni, in sem čul, kako kraljica drugemu čestitala, da se jima je posrečilo ugotoviti, iz katerega vzroka so vedno nashi toliko kosti teh kraljic z jasno začrtanimi mejami, kot na primer v skalovju Green-Sand ob Cambridgeju: zdaj smo sami videli, da so živelji pterodaktili kakor na primer tolščaki v velikih skupinah.

Toda naposled je pomolil Challenger glavo izza skale, da bi dokazal neko trdičev, ki jo je Summerlee pobijal. S tem bi nas vse malodane ugonobil. Vistem trenutku je zapiskal nam najbližji samec z rezkim, hreščecim glasom, odpril svoje opnaste, dvajset čevljev široke

peroti in se dvignil v zrak. Samice in mladiči so se strnili na kup poleg vode, medtem ko je hotel ves krog čuvanje drug za drugim vedno više. Lepo je bilo videti, kako je letalo naposled lastovkam slično nad nami kakih sto teh orjaških, grozovitih strašil in stresalo zrak z naglimi udarci svojih peroti; a kmalu smo se preričali, da ne bo samo pri tem ostalo. Od kraja so letale velike pošasti v razsežnem krogu kot da bi se hotele natančno prepričati, kako jim preti ne-

varnost. A potem so se spuščajo le polagoma vedno nižje in me. (Dalje prihodnjic)

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Joseph Gregorich

Pokojni je bil rojen dne 19. marca 1886 v vasi Bistrica pri Št. Ruperti na Dolenjskem, Slovenija, Jugoslavija. V Ameriko je prišel leta 1914.

Pokopali smo ga dne 21. decembra 1967 na pokopališču Kalvarija. Rt. Rev. Msgr. Louis B. Baznik je v Zeletovem pogrebni zavodu na St. Clair Ave. blagoslovil truplo in opravil začetne svete pogrebne obrede, v cerkvi sv. Vida daroval slovesno pogrebno sv. mašo in opravil zaključne žalne obrede in molitve vso naklonjenost in duhovno tolubo.

Toplo zahvalo naj prejmejo odborniki in člani društva št. SNPJ za vse, kar so storili v počastitev pokojnega kot preminula lega člena tega društva, zlasti Mr. Krebel, ki se je v imenu vseh od pokojnega poslovil. Prisrčno zahvalo izrekamo članicam Christian Mothers Club, ki so skupno molile sv. rožni venec ob krsti. Skupno molite sta vodili Mrs. Brinovec in Mrs. Snyder. Tudi članice Marijine družbe za mladence pri sv. Vido so skupno molile za pokojnega v pogrebni zavodu. Stotera jim hvala. Krsto so nosili: Jack Josie, Jim Delie, Gary Christopher, Joseph Zgone, Matt Hegler, Tony Gabrenja. Najtopleje se jim zahvalimo. Iskreno hvala Zeletovemu pogrebnu zavodu, ki je izvrstno vodil sprevid v urel vse pogrebne priprave.

Zahvaljujemo se vsem, ki ste darovali za sv. maše, poklonili cvetje in vence ter tistim, ki ste dali na razpolago avtomobile za pogrebni sprevid. Bog povrni hvala vsem, ki ste prišli kropiti in se posvetiti v pogrebni zavodu, vsem ki ste bili pri sv. maši in ste spremljali pokojnega do njegovega groba. Hvala vsem za sožalne izjave in vso pomoč pri tej žalostni prilikai.

Počij od ludih, težkih let
Ti, o Jezus, naš premili,
preblago ocetovo srce;
ko zadnje trombe zadone,
Ti dobrotno se ga usmilili,
veseli snidemo se speti.

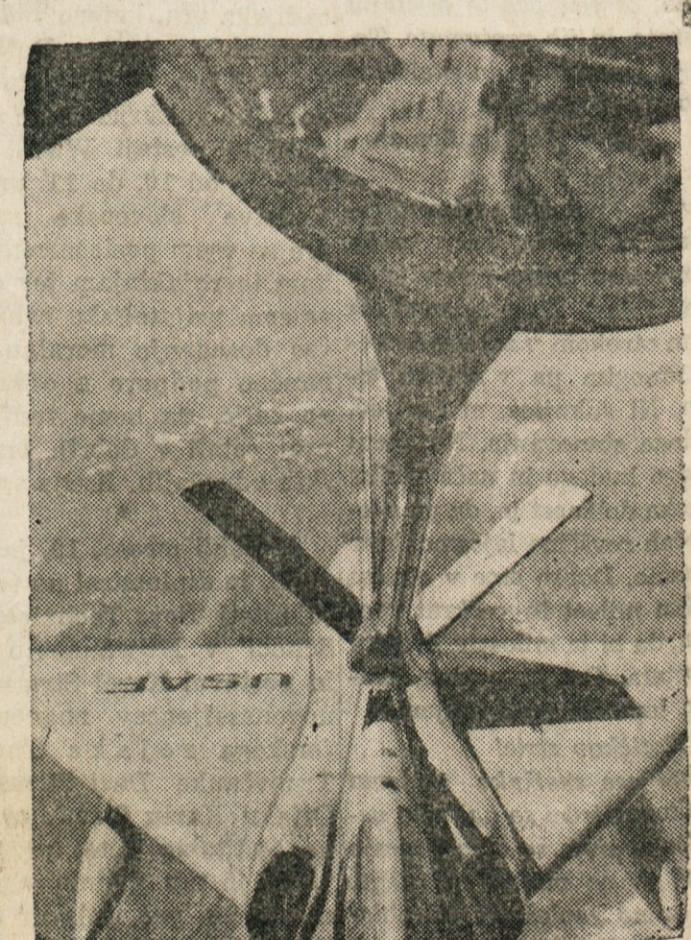
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in soprog ANNE; snaha ROSE MUHIC;
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Cheese-Filled Red Snapper
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1/4 cup (1/2 stick) Danish flavor margarine or butter	2-1/2 cups (one 8-oz. bar) Borden's Wisconsin Old-Fashioned Sharp Cheddar Cheese, finely shredded
3/4 cup chopped celery	2-1/2 lbs. (one whole) red snapper, split and boned
1/2 cup chopped onion	1/4 cup sliced unblanched almonds, optional
1/2 teaspoon salt	
3 cups (1/2-inch) fresh bread cubes	

In a 10-inch skillet, melt the margarine or butter. Sauté celery and onions until tender, about 5 minutes. Remove from heat. Add salt, bread cubes and about 1-1/4 cups shredded cheese. Gently mix thoroughly. Place fish in a well-greased 13-1/2 x 9 x 2-inch, 3-quart shallow baking dish. Spoon stuffing inside; secure with wood picks. Brush with melted margarine. Bake in a moderate (375°F.) oven, for 30 minutes. Sprinkle remaining 1-1/4 cups cheese on top of fish. If desired, sprinkle with almonds. Bake an additional 10 minutes. Serve immediately.

Slovenian Chapel Campaign

Cleveland, O. — Secretary of the Slovenian Chapel Fund, Mr. Frank A. Turek, reported that further contributions from outlying districts have been received. This in addition to the steady flow from lodges and individuals in the Greater Cleveland area. With the down payment now made for the Slovenian chapel, the goal of \$70,000.00 looms.

Mrs. Albina Novak, of the Slovenian Women's Union, and secretary of the Chicago chapter of the Slovenian chapel sent along a check for \$5,627.00. This amount represents the Chicago Slovenians effort thus far. Detailed reports of contributors was given by Mr. Fred Orehek of the Chicago Herald-American, and were published in the January 18th 1968 issue of the English page of the American Home.

Another active group was represented by Mrs. Marie Prisland of Sheboygan, Wisconsin. She and her co-workers collected a total of \$650.00 thus far, which was sent to the secretary, Mr. Turek.

From Forest City, Penna., an additional \$90.00 was sent in for this small but very generous Slovenian community. Rose M. Chesnik was the diligent worker in Forest City.

Credit must also be given to Tony Petkovsek for his constant reminders on the radio to the Slovenians about the chapel fund. Tony has a polka show daily on WXEN-FM, 106.5 megs. in the afternoon. His listeners have responded enthusiastically with donations.

Contributions are still being accepted for the Slovenian chapel to be located in the Immaculate Conception Shrine at Washington, D.C. Donations should be sent to Mr. Frank A. Turek, Secretary, 986 Bryn Mawr Ave., Wickliffe, O. 44092. Checks should be made payable to: Slovenian Chapel Fund. All donations are acknowledged by receipt and are published in the Slovenian sections of Ameriška Domovina and the Amerikanski Slovenc.

J. Z.

CYO Hi-Club Winners

The Third Annual CYO-Hi-Club Talent Showcase held at St. John's College Auditorium last Sunday had 16 acts. First-place winners were the "Bettie Halfe" folk singers. The three young ladies, Juniors from Regina High School are: Sue Gorin, Rita Grdina and Debb Vandam. Msgr. Thomas Corrigan presented them a beautiful trophy and individual plaques. Beside the trophy, the three girls are to appear on the Polka Varieties in the near future. Congratulations to all!

Ricky Needs Help

A black and white photograph of a young boy sitting on the floor, looking up.

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The Bells of St. Mary's Extended One Week

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Lew Looks Like Million To Globetrotters' Coach

Fresno, Calif. — Bobby Milton, coach of the Harlem Globetrotters, thinks UCLA star Lew Alcindor could be worth \$1 million to a pro basketball team.

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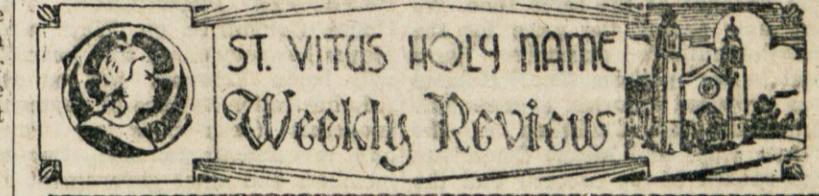
Detroit — About six million new motor vehicles are sold in a year today, compared with only 4,000,000 in 1950.

MODERN JOURNALISM IN THE JET AGE

Without being entirely facetious, one might say that nothing has had a greater influence on the destiny of mankind since the invention of the wheel than international air transport. Today's high speed jets that every day carry people by the thousands to every corner of the globe have made a practical reality out of the somewhat idealistic people-to-people campaigns of a few years ago. These campaigns were soundly based on the idea that if enough people from one country could meet enough people from another country the cause of peace would be immeasurably advanced. The trouble was that, except for a comparatively few people, time and cost were prohibitive obstacles to travel. The jet has changed all this. In fact, it has gone farther. It has not only broadened the movement of people, it has extended the reach of the news.

The international jet air carrier has made the publication of many leading newspapers and periodicals a worldwide business. An official of one publication has observed that, "Without air delivery, we wouldn't have a product to sell." This publication's 180-country operation depends on routine use of the facilities of a major international airline to deliver the news while it is still fresh. Another publication's presses start rolling at 9:45 p.m. By 11 p.m., copies are being loaded on jets for distribution to Puerto Rico, South America, Canada and the U.S. The paper is on the stands in Buenos Aires before noon on the day of its publication. These are but samples of how modern journalism and the jet age have become allied in spreading the news. Worldwide news dissemination of this kind is a part of the people-to-people story that few of us know anything about.

It has often been said that an informed public is the basis of freedom under representative government. By the same token, a world of informed people may one day provide a solid foundation for peace and goodwill. If and when this happy time arrives, the jet airplane will deserve no small share of the credit.



St. Vitus Christian Mother's Club Meeting

The St. Vitus Christian Mother's Club will have their regular meeting on February 7th, at 7:30 p.m. in the school auditorium. We will celebrate Founders Day (Dad's Nite) and honor the past presidents.

Special guest speaker will be Sarah Harding Hurter, name of her topic "To L With You." She is the author of two books, "As I See You," and "You Can Be A Master Speaker".

Bake Sale

The traditional Parish Pre-Lenten Social will not be held this year. In its place, all the women's church organizations will unite their efforts in sponsoring a GALA BAKE SALE on Sunday, Feb. 25.

Get Well

Wishes to Mrs. Dorothy Strissa, 1161 Norwood Rd. Dorothy fell and broke her wrist. Lucky you! Not having to do all those dishes. Seriously, hope that cast is off soon.

Get well wishes to Millie Odar, 1042 E. 72nd St. What started out to be an enjoyable afternoon of skiing ended in an evening with a broken leg. Millie was going up the ski lift for one last time before heading home when the ski lift stopped suddenly and just as suddenly started up again throwing Millie off balance and down to the ground. We hope your leg mends quickly and you are able to (pick up where you left off) just a little humor there!

Birthday Greetings

To: Anne Arhar, 1137 Addison Road, Feb. 19th.
Darlene Urbas, 6519 Bonita Ave., Feb. 20th.
Mary Strein, 6402 Orton Ct., Feb. 4th.

Lillian Petrovic, 1068 E. 68th St., Feb. 8th.
Dorothy Kirk, 1095 East 64th St., Feb. 23rd.

Belated wishes to Sister Mary Ramon, SND who celebrated her Feast Day Jan. 23rd.

Wedding Anniversaries

Congratulations to:
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Booth, 5814 Bonita Avenue celebrating 18 years on Feb. 25th.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Belaj, 1106 E. 63rd St., celebrating 11 years on Feb. 23rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Beach, 1193 E. 61st St., celebrating their Silver Anniversary, Feb

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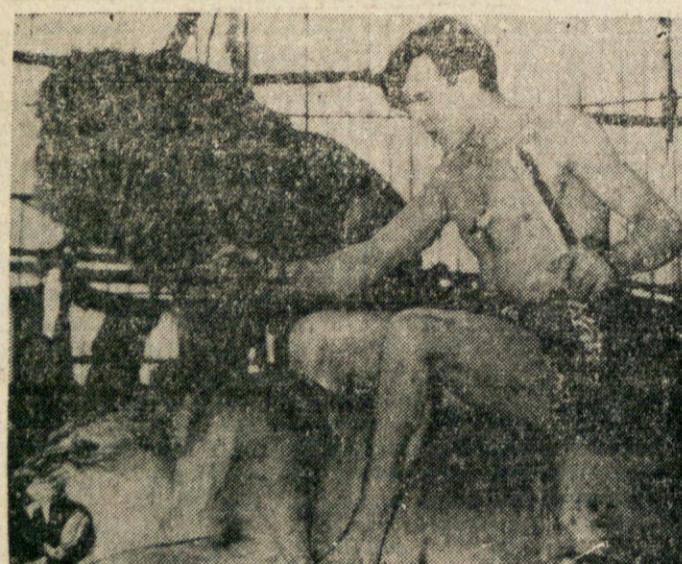
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TAX BOOKLETS. The first of the year brings with it the unpleasant but necessary task of filing income tax forms. To assist in this endeavor the Internal Revenue Service has published the following new booklets: **Your Federal Income Tax**, 160 pages, is designed primarily to help individuals prepare their 1967 returns. It includes a sample filled-in form with entries keyed to pages in the text where explanations of the treatment of each item may be found. The Federal tax laws applying to individuals are discussed in detail, and in plain language. Fully spelled out are the taxpayer's rights and responsibilities. **Tax Guide for Small Business** explains Federal tax requirements as they pertain to sole proprietors, partners, partnerships and corporations. Income, excise, and employment taxes are discussed in non-technical language and many examples are provided. Both publications are for sale by Internal Revenue field offices or can be ordered from the Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402. The price is 50 cents per copy.

HEARINGS ON BALANCE OF PAYMENTS PROPOSALS. The House Committee on Ways and Means has announced that hearings will begin February 5th on the Administration balance of payments proposals (restrictions on travel and investments abroad). Cabinet members and other government officials will be heard and then the hearings will be suspended until February 19th, at which time the Committee will begin receiving testimony from the general public. Those who would like to be heard should submit a written request to the Chief Counsel, Committee on Ways and Means, 1102 Longworth House Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20515. In lieu of a personal appearance, the Committee will be happy to receive a written statement from any interested organization or person to be included in the printed hearings. In such cases, a minimum of three copies of the statement should be submitted.

GROTTO CIRCUS

JON ZERBINI THE GREAT makes a brilliant comeback at Public Hall in the 39th annual Grotto Circus following his severe mauling by the lions in his 1967 performance. Zerbini isn't looking for trouble, it's just there in the cage.

The triumphant return of the fabulous Jon Zerbini to the scene of his near-fatal escapade with his untamed lions, highlights the 39th Annual Al Sirat Grotto Circus at Public Hall on February 15 through February 25.

Zerbini, who was attacked last year during a Saturday matinee performance, required 500 stitches before he was released from St. Vincent Charity Hospital. His father also escaped death in the attack.

The 1968 Grotto Circus presents an all-new and all-star cast which include 14 acts making their first appearances in the Cleveland rings.

Making their American debut will be the fabulous Les Blocks on the high wire, featuring a new pyramid presentation. The family is now completing a European tour in the Herd.

The 1968 Grotto Circus is filled with aerial thrills. Another headliner making her first Cleveland appearance is the sensational La Toria whose skill on the trapeze made her climb to circus stardom one of the swiftest in many years.

The Flying Artons hold the center of attention on the flying trapeze while the Kimris Duo return to the dome of the Public Hall Arena for their exciting airplane ride.

One of America's great troupe of rosinback riders is the Joe Zoppo Family, making their Grotto Circus debut.

Other ground talent in the newest Grotto Circus edition include the acrobatic and tumbling skills of the Zavatta's Ladders, Arthur and The Queens, The Marsans, The Bratons, The Sensational Chateaus and The Fridanis.

Postal Revenues

Washington — Post offices in New York and Chicago account for about 15 percent of the total postal revenues.

"Know Your Slovenian Home"

The First of Nine Articles Giving a Brief History of the Greater Cleveland Slovenian Homes in Conjunction With Federation of Slovenian Homes

The Collinwood Slovenian Home was the first hall of its kind to be built in Ohio; if not the U.S.A. The Collinwood Community was born with the large scale immigration of the Southern Slaves in the 1880's and 90's. It was in Collinwood that first known Slovenians settled in this part of the country and their descendants still live in the same houses as did their pioneer ancestors.

The founders of our Home were a singing society named, "Soca". It was instituted in January, 1919 when Anton Vidmar presided at a meeting held expressly for this purpose. It was also decided at this meeting to call it "Slovenski Dom," Slovenian Home.

With the formation of a board of action composed of John Prusnik, Matt Kastelic, Vinko Blasko, Anton Rovtar, Frank Smerdal, Anton Grmosek, Anton Baraga, Chas. Krall, Krist Stokel, John Huch, Joe Kausek, and Frank Martinjak, the initial presiding board of directors was elected on Jan. 30 and Mr. Prusnik was elected President. Matt Intihar held the incorporation papers. The first stockholders meeting was held February 5th and a collection was taken up for books and misc. expenses amounting to \$3,80. The 56 people attending signed up for \$1,320.00 of stock at \$10.00 each. In March the construction was started under the supervision of Luke Tercek and the corner stone was laid April 27th. Originally it was planned just to have a one story building, but prior to putting the roof on, it was decided to add another floor. In addition to the two halls, there was a bar and three bowling alleys in the basement.

The ribbon cutting ceremony was conducted by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Svetek at noon, Sunday, August 24, 1919. The total cost was just under \$75,000.00 and of this amount \$10,000.00 was donated, \$17,000.00 was raised by stock sales and the balance was debt.

A Slovenian Library was added in 1921 and is still in use today.

In 1941 the present stairs and lavatories were added to the original building and the clubroom was enlarged with the removal of the bowling alleys. The original main entrance was removed and a bar and kitchen were added to the first floor hall. The total cost of the additions was \$27,000.00.

As in the past we had many social and fraternal organizations affiliated with our home but we have left only one cultural organization "Lilia" a dramatic club. It is our aim this year to organize a male singing group as well as a social activities club to convey our Slovenian Culture and Language to the third and fourth generation. It is also our wish to reestablish a Ladies Auxiliary.

Present officers are Ed Grosel, Pres.; Al Marn, Sec.; Frank Hren, Rec. Sec.; Cy Stepec, Vice President; John Tercek, Treasurer. Directors are: H. Bokal, J. Hribar, E. Kocin, J. Jevrikar, G. March, F. Somrak, D. Spilar, F. Sustarsich, L. Zavadnik. Alternates: D. Pavsek, E. Strancar. Managers: Tony and Elinore Bokal. Custodian Mr. and Mrs. Oswetcar.

Facilities include basement, Clubroom, open to members only. Two meeting rooms accommodate up to fifty people. The First Floor, auditorium with stage and complete bar and kitchen facilities will hold up to 250 people. Second Floor complete with bar and kitchen will accommodate 450 people. Outdoors — 2 Balina Courts.

Future plans including razing a home on western edge of our parking lot to expand it, and complete the remodeling of the entire building including the exterior. We will this year complete the air-conditioning and the rewiring of the whole building in addition to the remodeling of the first floor.

Annual Events are: Appreciation Nite every February honoring the man of the year and our members; Homecoming Day is held every August; Clam Bakes in September; A Thanksgiving Eve Dance; and New Years Eve Dances, round out the schedule.

Club Room activities include our Machine Bowling League, which has 22 teams this year. We also sponsor one or more football trips every year to towns with Slovenian Homes where the Browns play. We hope to go this year, to either San Francisco or Los Angeles. Starting in February we also have fish and meat dinner every Friday.

The Man of the Year selected this year at our Home is our youthful president Ed Grosel. He will be honored along with Senator Frank Lausche at the Federation Dinner on March 17th. E.G.

"Our Favorite Recipes" Cookbooks

The American Slovenc Club announces that they have received a new shipment of their cookbook, "Our Favorite Recipes" which can be bought at Grdina Shoppe, 6111 St. Clair Ave., and at Cerne Jewelery, 6412 St. Clair Ave.

HOME AND FLOWER SHOW

Your snowy crystal ball foretells a "Touch of Magic" in store in little over a month. It's the theme for the 1968 Cleveland Home and Flower Show whose gala 25th anniversary will be celebrated for nine days beginning Saturday, March 2 through Sunday, March 10, throughout six vast halls of Public Auditorium.

During the past quarter century Moses and Mrs. Cleveland's annual civic garden party has grown so dear to the hearts of its viewers that it has become the largest combined Show of its type in the U.S., as well as the largest indoor exposition in Ohio with visitors from many other states. This year exciting new dimensions have been added to favorite attractions to salute the magical living advances of the past quarter century.

Always it is a touch of magic to wander out of winter blizzards into the famed fairytale of living gardens put together by magicians of the Florist Association of Greater Cleveland, under the supervision of the association's experienced triumvirate: Fred E. Laisy, Donnell C. Brown and Andrew Prok. This year, it will be an especially enchanted land with an electronic mobile "Garden of Oz" straight out of the whimsical childhood classic.

For the second successive year, Thomas W. Hill, past president of the Ohio Society of Landscape Architects, is official Landscape Architect with top garden floor design responsibilities. This year Hill has given a new three dimensional aspect to the gardens with raised walks for visitors through some of the gardens.

Elsewhere in the Show, a fantastic ROBOT GIRL at the beck and call of the easy-living HOMEMAKER OF THE FUTURE will work magic with an exciting ULTIMATE APPLIANCE of the future, a combination of all scientific homemaker tools invented in the past 25 years plus all those to come in the next quarter century. She will perform daily, surrounded by hundreds of modern day household appliances on the 1968 market.

The American Institute of Architects revolving Show Committee composed of previous Cleveland Home and Flower Show architects has tapped brilliant young James G. Herman, partner in the award-winning architectural firm of Weinberg, Teare, Fischer & Herman, to develop an exciting two-story family home for walk-thru visitors.

An award winner in design at Cornell University, Herman's background includes three years with world-famed Minoru-Yamasaki and Associates of Detroit before joining his present firm.

"LIVE-IN '68", which he has created, is an open-area home with a novel upside down roof. Nearby, an intricately detailed scale model of 80 such homes will depict part of a condominium neighborhood possibility Herman foresees for the future.

The Home Builders Association of Greater Cleveland, under the supervision of its Executive Director Jerome J. Madigan, will once again be in charge of construction as it

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Schedule for February 8, 1968

Alleys 1 and 2	Norwood Men's Shop vs.
	Grdina Recreation

Alleys 3 and 4	C.W.V. Post 1655 vs.
	C.O.F. No. 2

Alleys 5 and 6	Dependable Supply vs.
	C.O.F. No. 1

Alleys 7 and 8	Hecker Tavern vs.
	Mezic Insurance

Alleys 9 and 10	Cimperman Market vs.
	Dot and Beanie's

Alleys 11 and 12	K.S.K.J. No. 25 vs.
	Hofbrau House

Team High Three	Cimperman's Market
	Dot and Beanie's
	C.O.F. No. 1
	Hecker Tavern

Team High Single	Dot and Beanie's
	Cimperman's Market
	Hecker Tavern
	C.O.F. No. 1

Individual High Three	R. Massera
	J. Tratinik
	A. Dobrohnik, Jr.
	W. Stangry

Individual High Single	R. Massera
	J. Tratinik
	D. Telban
	J. Tratinik

Happy Birthday to Delene Grosel 10 years old on February 3rd.

Dan and Lena Pavsek celebrated their twenty-fourth Wedding Anniversary Monday, January 29th. Congratulations!

Keep Sunday, March 17th open for the "Man of the Year Dinner" sponsored by the Federation of Slovenian Homes at the Recher Ave. Slovenian Home.

Our officers for the coming year are as follows: President, Ed Grosel; Vice President, Cy Stepec; Secretary, Al Marn; Treasurer, John Tercek; Rec. Secretary, Frank Hren; Ch. Auditors: Joe Hribar, Frances Somrak, Joe Kozar; Ch. House Committee: Hank Bokal, Dick Spilar, and Dan Pavsek.

Congratulations!

Ed Grosel, President

DEATH NOTICES

Achin, George T. — Husband of Frances, father of Helen Barbo, George Jr., Robert. Residence in Wickliffe, Ohio.

Brachick, Nicholas — Father of Judy Boyd, Martha Frieden, Mary Kozelka, Genevieve Smith, Michael, George. Residence at 14405 Maple Ave., Maple Heights.

Gregor, Vinko — 8-year-old son of Anton and Amalia (nee Povirk). Residence in Youngstown, O.

Hocevar, Charles — Husband of Mary (nee Skufca), father of Charles, Albina Mohner, Betty Ann Peal, brother of John, Jennie Sadar (Denver, Colo.), Mary (Slovenia). Residence at 15910 Raymond Ave., Maple Heights, O.

Hribar, Pauline (nee Zupanic) — Mother of Pauline Miklaucic, Frank, sister of Agnes Urkar, Helen Tople (Yugoslavia). Residence at 1202 E. 168 St.

Mencin, Mary A. — Mother of Angela Krecic, John, Martina Mog. Residence at 1142 Addison Rd.

Mramor, William J. — Husband of Betty (nee Zenco), father of William Jr., brother of Frank, Anthony, Beverly, Hilton, Anthony Petrich.

Perko, Jacob — Brother of Primoz (Cleveland), Peter, Andrew, Johanna (all three in Slovenia). Residence at 18915 Muskoka Ave.

Zbacnik, Mary — Mother of Hilda Pugel (Willowick), Eric, sister of Vera Krajic (Cleveland). Former residence in Cleveland, O.

Bride Grooming

"Bride Grooming," a three session program of helpful hints for brides-to-be and new brides, sponsored by The Illuminating Company and Halle Brothers, will begin on Monday evening, Feb. 5, 1968 at 6:30 p.m. Admission is free.

The three two-hour programs will be held in The Illuminating Company's Electrama Auditorium, 55 Public Square, Cleveland, on successive Monday evenings, Feb. 5, 12, and 19. Reservations can be made.

Joining in the festivities was our State Representative George Voinovich, who also had a few nice words to say about us on the broadcast. (Thanks, George, I'll give you equal time in the future.) Incidentally, George is seeking re-election and I'm sure we've never had better representation in the legislature, than during the present session.

Also stopping in were Yak and Alice Cersik of Gorse's Bar.

Various bandleaders also stopped in to say hello, among them were: Ray Champ, Duke Marsic, Al Markec, Al Tercek, also dropping in were Jerry Bukac and Mike Benoul of WXEN-FM.

Music was provided by a very talented group of youngsters called the Versatones". This band hails from Wickliffe and is headed by John Gerl Jr. Our thanks also to John Gerl Sr. who brought the boys down. Sitting in with the boys were Ed Buehner, Ray Griff, Ray Modic, Mike Marich, Frank "Bones" Skufca, Dick Spilar and Frank Yankovic.

Appearing on the broadcast were Golden Agers John Tercek, Lou Paulich, Frank Pizmout and Tony Bokal. I'm sure we're all richer from the experience.

Appearing in force were the Somrak Family, our board member Frances brought along her husband, Joe Sr., Joe Jr., and his wife Bernice and their children.

Frank Perme, the ex-furniture man, now a realtor, stopped in to say Hello.

John Hoffant and family were seen enjoying the jam session immensely.

I extend my sincere appreciation to Kenny Bass of Radio Station WLEW for his tribute to us on his Saturday "Polka 90" Show. We are going to see if we can arrange to have Kenny broadcast his program "Live" from our clubroom in the very near future.

Harry Blatnik, prexy of the Slovenian Workmens Home on Waterloo Rd., stopped in to say hello Saturday. It will be his turn on Feb. 17.

Sunday, March 10th is the date of our annual Appreciation Day. This year's affair will be better than ever. Admission is free to all members. Music will be provided by Dick Spilar and his Orchestra. Many surprises are planned. So please reserve this date. The festivities start at 3:30 p.m. Watch this column for further details. Membership cards can be obtained at any time from the clubroom.

Get well wishes are extended to Johnny Pecon and Lou Jerkisch. Both are in Euclid Glenville Hospital.