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Močan potres prizadel Mehiko — Ubitih najmanj 250 ljudi — Reševalci iščejo žrtve, ki so v ruševinah velikih stavb

MEXICO CITY, Meh. — Včeraj dopoldne ob 9.18 je glavno mesto Mehike in krajev zahodno od nje prizadel močan potres, ki je imel moč 7,8 po Richterjevi lestvici. Potres je bil torej eden najmočnejših v zadnjih letih. V središču mehiškega glavnega mesta so se podrle številne velike stavbe, med njimi mnogi hoteli. Moč potresa so čutili celo v Houstonu, Teksas, ki je oddaljen dobrih 800 milj.

Reševalci pravijo, da še niso prišli do mnogih prizadetih krajev, menijo pa, da je potres terjal najmanj 250 življenj. Po neuradnih vsteh je pričakovati, da je umrlo več kot tisoč ljudi, več tisoč jih je ranjenih, več deset tisoč pa je brez strehe. Mexico City je sicer največje mesto na svetu, saj šteje kar 18 milijonov prebivalcev. Turistično mesto ob obali Tihega oceana Acapulco, ki je bilo zelo blizu potresovega epicentra, menda ni bilo tako hudo poškodovano, vendar so komunikacijska sredstva še pretrgana in zanesljivih poročil še ni. V mestu Ciudad Guzman naj bi bilo ubitih in ranjenih veliko vernikov, ko se je zrušila cerkev.

Mehiški predsednik Miguel de la Madrid je obiskal prizadete kraje in dejal, da je ogromno človeških žrtev in tudi gmotne škode. Mehška vojska pošilja vojake v prizadete kraje, da sodelujejo v reševalnih akcijah in skrbijo za red. Predstavnik State Departmenta v Washingtonu je izjavil, da je ameriška vlada takoj ponudila Mehiki vso ustrezno pomoč.

Reševalci imajo težave tudi, ker so bile poškodovane ali uničene številne bolnišnice na potresnem območju. Zdravniki potrebujejo predvsem zdravila in kri za ponesrečence.

Ameriški talec v Libanonu Benjamin Weir izpuščen — Ugrabitelji zahtevajo izpustitev pajdašev iz kuvejtskih zaporov

WASHINGTON, D.C. — Včeraj je imel tiskovno konferenco protestantovski duhovnik Benjamin Weir, ki so ga izpustili preteklo soboto muslimanski skrajneži v Libanonu. 61 let stari rev. Weir je bil v ujetništvu skoraj 500 dni. Na tiskovni konferenci je reklo, da zahtevajo njegovi ugrabitelji izpustitev iz zaporov v Kuvajtu 17 njihovih pajdašev. Ti so v zaporu zaradi raznih terorističnih akcij v Kuvajtu. Ako ZDA ne bodo kmalu pritiske na kuvejtsko vlado glede izpustitve omenjenih oseb, je dejal Weir, bodo ugrabljeni v Libanonu še drugi Amerikanci. Ugrabitelji so pripravljeni celo ubiti ostalih 6 Amerikancev, ki so v njihovih rokah, je povedal Weir.

Rev. Weir je reklo, da se je pred izpustitvijo srečal s štirimi od ostalih šest priprtih Amerikancev, med njimi tudi z Rev. Lawrencem Jencom, katoliškim duhovnikom iz Jolietta, Ill. O usodi drugih dveh talcev, je reklo Weir, ne ve nič.

V Beli hiši in State Departmentu so sicer veseli, da je bil Rev. Weir izpuščen, vztrajajo pa na stališču, da ZDA ne bodo svoje politike spremenile in pritiske na kuvejtsko vladu, naj vendar izpusti omenjene zapornike. Vedno smo pripravljeni pogajati se glede varnosti ameriških državljanov, je reklo predstavnik predsednika Reagana Edward Djerejian, ako bi pa klonili pred zahtevami teroristov bi teroriste le spodbujali k novim akcijam.

Danes dopoldne se bo s svojci drugih ugrabljenih talcev v Libanonu srečal predsednik George Bush.

Južnoafriške enote bodo zapustile Angolo najkasneje do pondeljka — Predsednik Mozambika na obisku v ZDA

JOHANNESBURG, J. Af. — Južnoafriške enote, ki so vdrle iz Namibije v južno Angolo pretekli pondeljek, bodo Angolo zapustile do prihodnjega pondeljka, je povедal vojaški poveljnik gen. Constand Viljoen. V Angoli so južnoafriški vojaki napadli oporišča namibijskih gverilcev. V akcijah sodelujejo tudi letalske enote. Angolska vojska ni ovirala vdora južnoafriških enot.

Ta teden je na uradnem obisku v ZDA mozambijski predsednik Samora Machel. Včeraj ga je v Beli hiši sprejel predsednik Reagan. Mozambik je marksistična dežela, vendar v zadnjem času išče stike z zahodnimi državami. Posebnost v politiki Mozambika je dejstvo, da je dežela podpisala mirovno pogodbo z Južno Afriko. Kljub temu trdi Južna Afrika, da Mozambik še vedno podpira črnske gverilce, ki nasprotujejo apartheidu. Južna Afrika je priznala, da kljub mirovni pogodbi podpira mozambijske gverilce, ki nasprotujejo režimu Machela. Včeraj je Reagan dejal Machelu, da obžaluje južnoafriško kršenje mirovne pogodbe.

Francija bo reorganizirala svojo tajno službo — Odgovornost za potopitev ladje Greenpeace je baje res francoska

PARIZ, Fra. — Včeraj je predsednik države Francois Mitterand odredil temeljito reorganizacijo francoske tajne službe. V pismu, ki ga je naslovil na predsednika vlade Laurenta Fabiusa, je Mitterand dejal, da razkriva časopisje nove podatke o potopitvi ladje Rainbow Warrior v Novi Zelandiji 10. julija, ki kažejo, da je odgovornost res pri francoski tajni službi. Vendar zaradi nesodelovanja omenjene službe, teh podatkov ni mogoče preveriti. Stanje je nevzdržno, nadasljuje Mitterand, in torej je reorganizacija potrebna.

Vodilni časopis *Le Monde* je objavil pred dnevi članek, v katerem trdi, da je francoski obrambni minister vnaprej vedel za nameravano akcijo zoper Rainbow Warrior, po dejanju pa je svojo vlogo in vlogo tajne službe prikril. Sedaj je sam Mitterand v zadregi, ker se je nanesel na trditve obrambnega ministra.

Kratke vesti —

ŽENEVA, Švi. — Včeraj so začeli z novo serijo pogajanj o omejevanju oboroževalne tekme predstavniki ZDA in ZSSR. Vsaka od prvih dveh serij je trajala šest tednov, niso pa pogajalci našli skupnega jezika. Sedanja serija sestankov bo zadnja pred napovedanim srečanjem v tem mestu 19. in 20. novembra predsednika Reagana in Mihaila S. Gorbačova.

LA PAZ, Bo. — Včeraj je bolivijska vladna proglašila izredno stanje v deželi, ki bo trajalo 90 dni. V teku je splošna stavka, oblasti so že priprle 250 oseb.

ATENE, Gr. — Grška vlada je vložila protest v Moskvi zaradi vohunske afere, v kateri so bili vpleteni sovjetski diplomati. Aretirani so bili dve civilisti in mornariški častnik, ki so baje prodajali zaupne dokumente sovjetskim diplomatom. Grčija še ni izgnala nobenega sovjetskega diplomata.

Iz Clevelandu in okolice

Za škofa Barago —

Z blagoslovitvo Baragove slike se začeno v sredo, 25. septembra, ob 7h zvečer pri Mariji Vnebovzeti »Baragovi dnevi«. Nadaljevali se bodo tudi v četrtek in petek, 26. in 27. septembra, slovensen zaključek pa bo v nedeljo, 29. sept., pri sv. maši ob 12. uri opoldne, kateri bo sledilo kosilo v Slovenskem domu na Holmes Ave.

Romanje v Frank —

Odhod avtobusov bo to nedeljo, 22. septembra, ob 8. uri zjutraj izpred cerkve Marije Vnebovzete in ob 8.30 izpred Baragovega doma na 6304 St. Clair Ave.

Nocoj predavanje —

Nocoj ob 7h ima v Baragovem domu na St. Clair Ave. č.g. Franci Godec krajše predavanje. Videli boste tudi diafantine o Ribnici, Žužemberku in Trebnjem. Vabljeni!

Poroka —

Jutri, v soboto, pri sv. maši ob 11.30 dop. se bosta poročila Richard Tomick in Mary Beth deHaas. Želimo jima ves božji blagoslov na skupni življenjski poti!

Seja —

Klub slovenskih upokojencev v Nevburgu-Maple Hts. ima redno mesečno sejo v sredo, 25. septembra, ob 1. pop. v Slovenskem narodnem domu na E. 80. cesti. Člani in članice so vabljeni, da se seje udeleže ter da dvignejo vstopnice za banket.

»Fantje na vasi« vabijo —

V soboto, 5. oktobra, ob 7h zvečer bo koncert »Fantov na vasi« v Slovenskem narodnem domu na St. Clair Ave. Gostoval bo tudi pevski zbor »Zvon« iz Fairfielda. Glejte članek na str. 2.

Trideseti dan —

V četrtek, 26. septembra, se bo v cerkvi sv. Vida darovala sv. maša za rajno go. Amalijo Krek, ženo rajnega ministra dr. Miha Kreka, ob tridesetem dnevnu njene vrnitve k Bogu.

Družabni večer —

Tabor, DSBP Cleveland, sporoča članstvu in vsej javnosti, da lahko dobite vstopnice za družabni večer, ki bo v soboto, 19. oktobra, v Slovenskem domu na Holmes Ave., ako pokličete tel. št. 851-4961 ali pa 943-4681.

Koncert Marijinih pesmi —

»Fantje na vasi« iz Toronto bodo priredili koncert Marijinih pesmi v nedeljo, 6. oktobra, ob dveh pop. v cerkvi Marije Vnebovzete. Vstopnine ne bo, vabljeni ste vsi.

Spominska sv. maša —

To nedeljo, 22. septembra, ob 12. uri opoldne bo v cerkvi sv. Vida sv. maša za Mary Petkovsek, ob 26. obletnici njene smrti.

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Koroška slovenska stvarnost

II.

Ljubljana podpira v prvi vrsti tisti del koroških Slovencev, ki režima v Ljubljani vsaj ne obsoja, če ga že ne sprejema, katoliški del dobi komaj kaj več kot drobtina. Ob boljših gospodarskih in denarnih razmerah bi te drobtine nemara zavrnili, pri sedanjih stiskah pa sprejme, kar koli že dobi, da se obdrži nad vodo.

Na vse to moramo misliti, vse to tehtati, ko presojamo življenje in ravnanje koroških Slovencev in njihovih ustanov, zlasti Mohorjeve družbe, njenih knjižnih izdaj in njenih dijaških domov.

Nekateri med nami se jezijo na katoliški del koroških Slovencev, ki da je premalo zaveden in premalo jasen ter odločen v odnosu do komunizma in komunističnega režima v Sloveniji. Kadarkoli govorimo o Slovencih na Koroškem, ne smemo pozabiti, da je proces naravnega in tudi katoliškega prebivanja, ki se je začel koncem pretekla stoletja, na Koroškem ustavila prva svetovna vojna in po njej pričakovnost Koroške Avstriji. V času med obema vojnoma so koroški Slovenci iskali podporo v svojih stiskah v Ljubljani, tudi v času druge svetovne vojne in komunistične revolucije v Sloveniji, so koroški Slovenci budno sledili razvoju južno od Karavank.

Osvobodilna fronta je kmalu po svojem nastanku začela iskati pristaše tudi med koroškimi Slovenci. V začetku je bil uspeh skromen, ko pa je postal poraz Nemčije očitnejši, je bilo tudi delo OF uspešnejše. Ob koncu vojne je propaganda OF preplavila vso slovensko Koroško, le zelo skromen del koroških Slovencev je tedaj precej po prizadevanju protikomunističnih beguncov propagando OF odklonil, še manjši jo je bil voljan javno zavračati.

Rojaki, ki so prišli ob koncu druge svetovne vojne v Združene države Amerike, se dobro spominjajo, kako so njihovi rojaki staronaseljeni v Clevelandu, Chicagu, Milwaukeeju in drugod navdušeno govorili o novi Jugoslaviji in o Titu. Minila so leta, bilo je potrebno veliko trtega in vztrajnega dela, da je večina predvojnih slovenskih prilejencev v ZDA spoznala in sprejela resnico o komunistični revoluciji in o komunistični diktaturi v Jugoslaviji.

Na slovenskem Koroškem resnica o komunistični revoluciji v Sloveniji šele sedaj prodira na dan, propaganda Ljubljane je bila vsa leta po vojni načrtna, dosledna in dobro financirana, zato skromni poskusi nekaterih katoliških Slovencev proti njej niso uspevali. Večina koroških Slovencev se je v razmerah, kakršne so bile in so še sedaj, ko je v Sloveniji na oblasti komunistični režim, odločila za mirno sožitev z njim, ko išče pri njem podporo v boju za svoj narodni obstoj.

Vodniki katoliškega tabora med koroškimi Slovenci nas prosijo, da jih skušamo razumeti, ko v danih razmerah vztrajno delujejo za ohranitev slovenstva, za poglobitev in utrditev katoliške vere med svojimi rojaki, zlasti z versko vzgojo slovenske študirajoče mladine, pa se pri tem izogni-



»FANTJE NA VASI« vabijo

CLEVELAND, O. - Kakor vsako leto, tako tudi letos »Fantje na vasi« pripravljamo svoj koncert. Vršil se bo v soboto, 5. oktobra, kot vedno v Slovenskem narodnem domu na St. Clair Ave.

Na letošnjem našem koncertu bo nastopil tudi moški zbor »Zvon« iz Fairfielda, Connecticut. »Zvonovci« so naši stari znanci in so že gostovali v našem mestu. »Zvon« je edina slovenska pevska skupina v Novi Angliji. Ustanovljen je bil pred 18 leti, pozornost pa je zbudil leta 1967 z uprizoričitvijo operete »Miklavž prihaja«. Zbor je nastopil že v domačem Fairfieldu in okolici, New Yorku, Washingtonu, Johnstownu, Pa., Torontu in Clevelandu. Ob priliki 41. mednarodnega evharističnega kongresa pred leti v Philadelphia, so »Zvonovci« nastopili v velikem stadionu pred 30.000-glavo množico.

Z »Zvonovci« smo »Fantje na vasi« večkrat nastopili v raznih mestih. Kadar se srečamo, vedno prevladuje splošno veselje in prisrčno, domače priateljstvo. Zato pričakujemo njihovega ponovnega obiska v Clevelandu z velikim veseljem.

Vabimo vas vse, da se udeležite skupnega nastopa zborov »Fantje na vasi« in »Zvon« v soboto, 5. oktobra, v SND na St. Clair Ave. Koncert se bo pričel ob 7. uri zvečer, po koncertu pa bo zabava in ples, za katerega bo igral Alpski sekstet.

Vstopnice so po \$5. Mize lahko rezervirate, če poklicete Marka Jakomina (486-0840), Janeza Sršena (946-9607), ali Janeza Tominca (531-8855). Posamezne vstopnice lahko dobite v predprodaji pri vsakem članu zборa ali pri obeh Slovenskih sobotnih šolah, na razpolago bodo seveda tudi pri vhodu v dvorano na večer koncerta.

Naslednji dan, v nedeljo, 6. oktobra, pa bodo gostovali tu

bajo odprtemu boju s komunizmom in s komunističnim režmom v Sloveniji.

Ko razmišljamo o tem, ne pozabimo, da so se tudi vsi oni nekdanji protikomunistični borci med nami, ki so odšli in ki kar v velikem številu redno odhajajo na obisk v Slovenijo, pomirili s tamkajšnjim režmom, se odločili za mirno sožitev z njim!

Koroški Slovenci zaslužijo in potrebujejo vso našo moralno in materialno pomoč! Prav posebej zasluži vso našo pomoč in podporo Mohorjeva, njeni dijaški domovi in vsi drugi njeni naporji v korist in obrambo slovenstva in slovenske vernosti na Koroškem!

(Konec)

Koncert Marijinih pesmi

»Fantje na vasi« iz Toronto bodo priredili koncert Marijinih pesmi v cerkvi Marije Vnebovzete na Holmes Ave. v nedeljo, 6. oktobra 1985, ob dveh pop.

pnine za ta koncert ni. Lepo ste torej tudi vabljeni, da se udeležite tega koncerta. Torontoški »Fantje« se bodo udeležili tudi našega sobotnega koncerta.

Obeta se vam torej v soboto in nedeljo, 5. in 6. oktobra, lep in bogat konec tedna oziroma »weekend« pristrega slovenskega petja. Na veselo svodenje!

Fantje na vasi

je Slomškovim prijateljem iz Clevelandu in iz Chicaga na sestanku g. Korošak iz Rima zagotovil, da sta obe zadevi — Slomškova in Baragova — v polnem teku (le delavcev je premalo), da bomo dočakali — dva svetnika.

Iskreno vabljeni na Slomškovo kosilo v Chicagu 29. septembra!

Ana Gaber

V New Yorku dan za slovenske misijonarje bo 29. septembra

NEW YORK, N.Y. - Nedelja, 29. septembra, je zopet dan za slovenske misijonarje. Po deseti sv. maši se bomo zbrali v dvorani sv. Cirila, da podpremo te naše slovenske misijonarje. Ni jim lahko delati med pogani, gobavci in drugimi ljudmi, ki še vode nimajo. Mi pa imamo vsega dovolj. Delimo to srečo in pokupimo vse srečke, ki so v predprodaji za to prireditev.

Umetnik Jože Vodlan nam je daroval sliko in certifikat za meso, Štefan Vlaj pa blago iz svoje trgovine, kot vsako leto, dodal pa še \$100.

Naše sožanje gdč. Sonji Ferjan ob izgubi brata p. Innocenca.

Torej, rojaki in rojakinje v New Yorku in okolici, na svodenje 29. septembra!

za N.Y. odsek
Helena Klesin

Dodatek

GILBERT, Minn. - V mojem poročilu o smrti in pogrebu Mirkota Sešek, sem pomotoma pozabil navesti, kdaj je umrl in bil pokopan. Mirko Sešek je umrl v ponedeljek, 5. avgusta, popoldne, pokopan pa je bil v četrtek, 8. avgusta. Toliko v vednost in pripravo. Jože Škorjanec

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Iz življenja Slovencev v Milwaukeeju

MILWAUKEE, Wis. - Če poslismo, kako hitro so nam minili lepi poletni dnevi, kar verjetno ne moremo. Čas počitnic, čas lepih izletov, romanj in obiskov ter piknikov in drugih lepih dni zunaj v mirni prosti naravi, to je za letos že mimo. Zanimivo, kako teče čas in še posebno, kako hitro mine vse prijetno. Delo in skrb za vsakdanje življenje kličeta človeka nazaj k delu, mladina pa hiti s knjigami nazaj v šolo.

V letosnji poletni sezoni smo imeli stalno lepo vreme, brez neurij in viharjev, bila pa je suša, ki je močno prizadela polja in vrtove.

Zadnji poletni piknik Triglava je bil 18. avgusta ob krasnem vremenu in lepem obisku. Žal, ni bilo mogoče se izogniti številnim drugim piknikom, ki jih je res veliko v avgustu. Tako smo Triglavani po nesrečnem naključju trčili s piknikom »Sloga«.

Triglavski piknik se je pričel ob enajstih dopoldne s sv. mašo. Maševalec je bil duhovni vodja društva Triglav Rev. dr. Jože Gole, ki je imel za to priliko pomemben govor. Med mašo so peli skupni pevci pod vodstvom Mare Kolman, kar vedno naredi na navzoče lep vtip.

Maši je sledilo dobro pripravljeno kosilo, ki je vsakega pritegnilo, bara pa je poskrbela za žeje, saj je bila huda vročina. Za prijetno razpoloženje so igrali »Veseli Slovenci« iz Sheboygana, ki so s seboj pripeljali še poln avtobus domačih in veselih priateljev. Triglavanke so napekla precej domačega peciva, po katerem gostje vedno radi sežejo.

Hvala vsem za odlično postrežbo, prav tako vsem, ki se naših piknikov radi udeležuje! Naš zadnji poletni piknik je

bil res lep in domač!

V jeseni nas čaka še eno tradicionalno srečanje v Triglavskem parku: Vinska trgačev. Letos bo v nedeljo, 6. oktobra. Opoldne bo servirano dobro kosilo, z novim in stari vinom in trgovin primerno zabavo. Prijazno vas vse vabi, da se naše vinske trgovine udeležite. Saj veste, kmalu bo naš lepo urejeni Park objelo dolgo zimsko spanje...

Baragovi dnevi

Letos so se vršile Baragove slovesnosti 31. avgusta in 1. in 2. septembra na lepem turističnem otoku Mackinac v severnem Michiganu. Iz Milwaukeeja, od fare sv. Janeza, sta na slovesnost odpeljala dva avtobusa, ki ju je organiziral sposobni Marty Gregorčič. Proslave sta se od nas udeležila tudi dva para v narodnih nošah in sicer Janez in Loni Limoni ter Jakob in Ivanka Modic. Noše so slovesnost zelo povzdignite, pravijo naši romarji. Ker bi bila za mene dolga pot preporna, se Baragovih dnevov nisem mogel udeležiti. Zato tudi kaj več ne morem pisati, upam in pričakujem pa, da bodo o tem lepem romanju poročali nekatere od tistih, ki so bili navzoči.

Poročili so se

V avgustu in začetku septembra smo imeli pri nas vrsto porok. Skoraj vsi so bili iz vrst društva Triglav in člani oziroma, članice folklorne plesne skupine.

Poročili so se: Loni Limoni (bivša podpreds. Triglava) in dr. James Kaye, Katy Bergin in Jeffrey M. Marquardt (oba iz plesne skupine), Anni Mejč in Leon Sagadin (prav tako oba iz plesne skupine). Na svatbo so prišli tudi stric Lado Jarc z ženo in sinom z družino, iz Toronto. Isti dan se je poročil najmlajši sin Justi Veselove Franci z Louise Huettl. Na poročno slavje so prihiteli tudi

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ki nas je za vedno zapustila
22. septembra 1962.

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vso ljubezen ste nam dala,
vse moči in vse skrbi.
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naj bo Vaša v večnosti!
Vedno žalujči:

sinova Frank Grdanc
in John Mivec
hčerki Mary Kaucnik
in Anna Mivec

Cleveland, 20. sept. 1985.

Mary Petkovsek

ki je zatisnila svoje blage oči
17. septembra 1959.

V hladnem grobu zdaj
počivaš,
rešena si vseh skrbi,
mi pa mislimo na Tebe,
Te pogrešamo vse dni.

Žalujoči:

Anton — soprog
Tony ml. — sin

Cleveland, 20. sept. 1985.

strica Štefan in Milan z družinama.

V soboto, 7. septembra, se je poročil Rudi Dovnik z gdč. Chris. Svatba je bila v parku Triglav ob velikem številu sorodnikov in svatov.

Vsem iz tega mesta izrekamo iskrene čestitke z najlepšimi željami sreče na novi, skupni življenjski poti!

Jože Smolič

je te dni stopil v svoj zasluženi pokoj. Jože je že vsa leta eden trdnih stebrov društva Triglav. Sicer skromen in tih mož, vendar ni v Parku nobenega večjega podvetja, kjer ne bi bila njegova mojstrska ruka zraven, saj je mizarski mojster, ki se razume na vsako delo.

Naj bo Jožetu na tem mestu, kot zvestemu naročniku A.D. in Triglavu, v imenu Triglavov in prijateljev izrečena iskrena zahvala in čestitke! Dragi Jože, naj te Bog ohrani družini in nam zdrave-

(dalje na str. 4)

Poroka

FAIRFIELD, Conn. - V soboto, 7. septembra, se je v tukajšnji cerkvi madžarskih frančiškanov St. Emery poročila Melita Kurbus, mlajša hčerka vodje »Zvona«, dobro poznanega in najbolj prizanega slovenskega pevskega zbora na vzhodu Združenih držav, gospoda Armina Kurbusa in soproge Hane.

Sorodniki in prijatelji ženina g. Jeffrey David Allsop, predvsem pa še prijatelji družine Kurbus so domala napolnili cerkev. Med gosti so bili tudi prijatelji nevestine družine iz Kanade in Washingtona ter nevestina teta iz Švice, ki je prišla z družino; med posebnimi gosti na desni strani cerkve pa je bila ženinova stara mati.

Pater Robert je med sv. mašo in v nagovoru poudarjal svečanost trenutka, nenavadna je bila poročna pesem, ki jo je med darovanjem pela ženinova mati ga. Rosemary Allsop. Ubran je bil slovenski očenaš, ki ga je zapel pevski zbor »Zvon« pod vodstvom nevestinega očeta g. Armina. Med mašo je »Zvon« tudi pel slovensko pesem »Presveto Srce, slavo«, isto pesem, ki jo je isti zbor pel na Evharističnem kongresu v Philadelphiji med mašo sedanjega papeža Janeza Pavla II., a takratnega kardinala Karla Wojtyle.

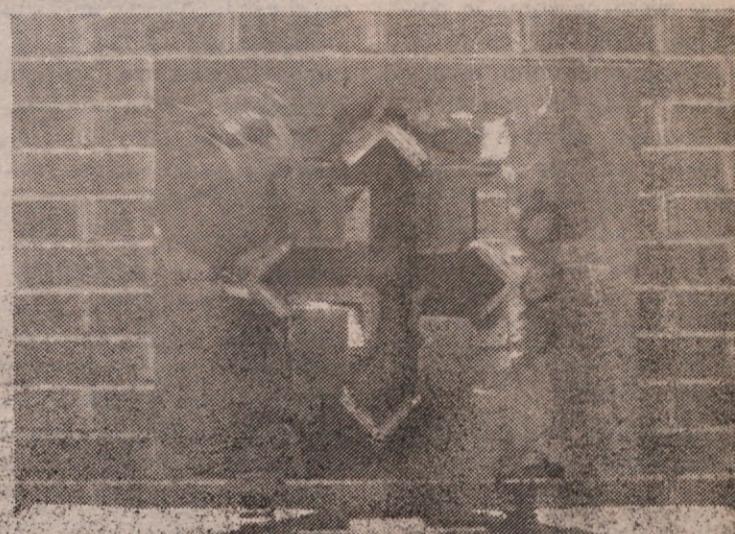
Zbor »Zvon« je zapel, v veliko odobravanje gostov, tri slovenske pesmi na poročnem slavju v Sante's Manor, v sosednjem Millfordu. Gostija je bila skrbno pripravljena in nad 200 gostov se je prijetno zabavalo v pozen večer, še ko je polnoč oznanila začetek novega dne.

Ko čestitamo ženini in nevesti in jima želimo srečo, čestitamo tudi staršem, predvsem staršem neveste, g. in ge. Arminu Kurbusu, za tako skrbno pripravljeno ženitovanje.

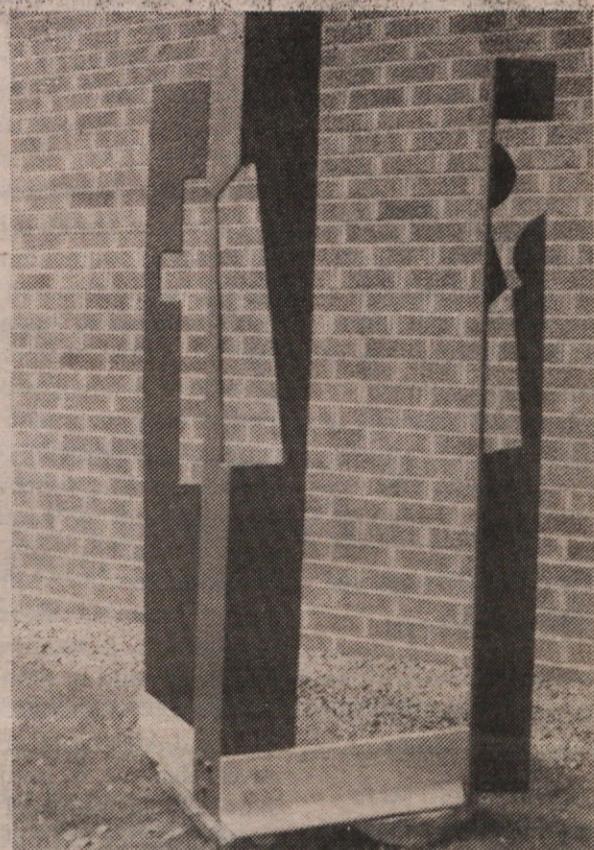
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Ob štiridesetletnici konca druge svetovne vojne je povod po svetu bilo veliko razpravljanja o tej vojni, njenem poteku in njenih posledicah. Nič čudnega, saj so te posledice segle v vse dele sveta. Med nami Slovenci je bilo več razpravljanja kot o drugi svetovni vojni o revoluciji, ki so jo komunisti začeli v Jugoslaviji v času njene največje stiske, ko je bila država pod tujo vojaško zasedbo.

V zamejstvu in izseljenstvu, pa tudi doma v SR Sloveniji je bilo v tisku posvečeno veliko prostora razpravljanju o poteku komunistične revolucije, o zločinih in nasiljih, ki jih je izvajala, prav posebej pa o pomoru protikomunističnih borcev, ki so se ob koncu vojne umaknili iz Jugoslavije v Avstrijo, pa so jih od tam Angleži z zvijačo in z nasiljem izročili Titu.

Komunistični režim v SR Sloveniji, ki je dolga leta vztrajno in dosledno molčal o pomoru izročenih mu protikomunističnih borcev, je ta pomor letos končno javno priznal, pa ga skuša obrazložiti in celo opravičevati z »razmerami in razpoloženjem, ki je vladalo v onih dneh«. Vsako mi-

Iz življenja Slovencev v Milwaukeeju

(Nadaljevanje s str. 3)

ga in veselega do skrajnih meja življenja. Bog Te živi!

Janez Levičar

se je zadržal nekaj dni v bolnišnici. Zdravniki so opravili manjšo operacijo in je po nekaj dneh Janez že spet doma. Upam, da ga bomo kmalu spet videli veselega in zdravega v parku Triglava, kamor s svojo ženo Ano vedno rad zahaja.

Oba sta še posebno vesela, ko sta med tem časom postala stara starša. Sinu Jankotu in njegovi ženki se je namreč rodil zdrav in krepak fantič — Michael David. Vsej družini naše iskrene čestitke!

Tole pa malo za špas!

Zadnjič sta se na pikniku srečala stara prijatelja Janez in Tonče.

»Kako pa ti?« vpraša Janez.

»O, nič gut ne filam,« pravi Tonče. »Ges me badra. Kaku pa ti?«

»O, kar gut! Žena je šla sinoč k Mariji Pomočnici pomagat kuhat in rekla, da naj si kar sam diner sfiksam. Zadišali so mi česplovi knedelni. Rečeno storjeno. Zamesil sem testo, nabral na begjardu česplje in začel s kuho. Voda je zavrela in narejene knedelne sem začel kuhati. Ko že lepo vro, sem zapazil, da sem pozabil na mizi česplje. — Gut, da me ona ni vidla pri tej packariji, ker se rad pobaham, kako gut kuhar da sem...«

Lepo jesen vsem bralcem tehle vrstic!

France Rozina

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CHICAGO, Ill. - V mesecu aprilu sem objavila članek o uspešni zbirki za obnovo cerkve Sv. Štefana v Semiču, v Beli krajini. Mnogim darovalcem, katerih imena so bila že objavljena, se je pridružilo še nekaj radodarnih rojakov in sicer:

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Če vas kdaj pot zanese v Belo krajino, upam, da se bo ste ustavili tudi v Semiču in boste imeli priložnost obiskati našo lepo cerkev. Torej še enkrat: Bog povrni vsem!

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St. Cyril Church funds Slovenian priest visit

I read with great dismay in the August 16 edition of Ameriška Domovina the article entitled "Slovenian Franciscans study at parishes."

It disturbs me very much the way Mr. Rozina describes the financing of the trips for the young, dedicated Franciscan seminarians from Slovenia. If I read the article correctly, the financial burden to bring these seminarians to the United States was born by the Holy Family Society. I cannot speak for other cities, but I can certainly speak for the parishioners of St. Cyril's Church in New York and their friends.

I was directly involved with our pastor, Father Robert



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Lou Bajc Day is September 29

History will be made September 29 as the leading polka bands and musicians in Northeastern Ohio gather to pay a memorial tribute during the Lou Bajc Day Polka Festival. It will be held at the AMLA Recreation Center on Kniffen Road in Leroy, Ohio. The public is invited.

Sharing the bandstand will be bands led by Joe Luzar, Jeff Pecon, Johnny Vadnal, Art Perko, Fred Kuhar, Harry Faint, Tim Grzely, and the Fairport (Button Box) Ensemble. Other well-known musicians and singers will be on hand to entertain. Also participating will be the Geneva Grape Dancers.

The event will feature continuous music from 1 to 9 p.m. Refreshments will be on sale. Admission tickets are \$2 if purchased in advance and \$2.50 at the gate. Tickets are available at Tony's Polka Village and the Fairport Slovenian Club.

Lou Bajc, a well-known and popular polka accordionist, passed away unexpectedly on January 28. Surviving are his wife, Kathy, two sons, Larry and Eddy, and a daughter, Nadeen. Eddy, who has been handicapped since birth, resides with his mother at the family home on Morley Road, Painesville Township.

Lou Bajc Day is being sponsored by an ad-hoc committee of his friends in cooperation with Grand River Valley Lodge No. 30 of AMLA, of which Lou was a lifetime member.

Lou started taking music lessons at a pre-school age and formed his first band while attending Fairport Harding High School. He was featured on his own radio program out of Ashtabula. Except for a tour of duty in the Army, he lived his entire life in the Fairport-Painesville area.

At the time of his death, Lou was a supervisor in the Properties Division of Lake County. He was active in the

Shrine Festival set Oct. 6th

The public is cordially invited to attend the annual Fall Festival and Bazaar to be held Sunday, Oct. 6 at the Shrine of Our Lady of Lourdes, 21320 Euclid Ave.

Morning Masses at 8:00, 9:30, 10:30 and 11:30. The Bazaar from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. at which many hand-crafted items and home-baked goods will be for sale.

Regular devotions at 1:00 and 4:00 p.m. with candlelight procession at 4:00 p.m. Dining Room open from 9:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. All welcome.



Lou Bajc

American-Slovenian Club in Fairport and played for many events there over the years. He loved to entertain and would often pick up his accordion wherever his friends were gathered.

Recipe

LEMONY WHOLE MUSHROOMS

1 1/2 pounds small mushrooms

1 medium-sized lemon

1/4 cup salad oil

2 tablespoons soy sauce

1/4 teaspoon salt

1/4 teaspoon sugar

About 20 minutes before serving:

1. — Trim tough stem ends from mushrooms. Rinse mushrooms with running cold water; pat dry with paper towels. Cut 6 very thin slices from lemon and squeeze 2 teaspoons juice from remaining lemon; set aside.

2. — In 3-quart saucepan over high heat, into hot oil, stir mushrooms until well coated with oil. Stir in lemon slices, juice, soy sauce, salt, and sugar; cook until mushrooms are tender, about 5 minutes. Makes 6 accompaniment servings. About 120 calories per serving.

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Dorothy Kirk, sister
and other relatives



Memo from Madeline

by MADELINE DEBEVEC

Last weekend was a busy one for the Cleveland Slovenians.

On Friday evening the Slovene Home for the Aged Auxiliary Card Party was a huge success. The majority of members, most of whom are over 65, worked from early morning until late evening.

On Saturday evening more than 3,100 persons were present at the Avsenik Ensemble Concert at Music Hall celebrating Frank Sterle's Slovenian Country House Restaurant's 25th Anniversary. The reaction of the crowd was demonstrated by the many standing ovations.

The ladies from St. Vitus Altar Society served more than 725 dinners on Sunday. St. Vitus Parish is indeed fortunate to have such dedicated, hard working women.

Cleveland's Fantje na Vasi will present their 8th annual concert on Saturday, Oct. 5th at the St. Clair Slovenian Home. Special guest performers will be the Zvon singers of Fairfield, Conn. Seating on the main floor is cabaret style. You may reserve your tickets either individually, or by the entire table. Tickets for the 7:00 p.m. show are \$5.00 and may be reserved by calling 946-9607 or 486-0840. A dance and social will follow featuring the Alpine Sextet.

A portion of the proceeds will be donated to the Slovenian language schools at St. Vitus and St. Mary.

A Baraga Day Dinner will be sponsored by the Cleveland Chapter Baraga Cause on Sunday, Sept. 29 at 1:30 p.m. at the Collinwood Slovenian Home, 15810 Holmes Ave.

"Never cut what you can untie." — Joseph Joubert

Donation is \$8 a person. Tickets are available at St. Mary's Rectory (761-7740) or at the American Home (431-0628).

The festivities will be directed by Reverend Victor Tomc, pastor of St. Mary's Church who is vice postulator of the Cleveland Chapter of the Bishop Baraga Cause. Abbot Jerome Koval will be the main celebrant of the noon Mass at St. Mary Church. The Rev. Jerome Turins will deliver the homily pertaining to Bishop Baraga's life.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

St. Vitus Ladies Auxiliary of Catholic War Vets Post 1655 will be celebrating their 35th Anniversary on Saturday, Nov. 2 with a family style dinner served at Sterle's Restaurant on E. 55 St. Cocktails at 6 p.m. and dinner at 7. Early reservations are advised. Call Patty Nousak White at 881-5957 or Kathy Merrill at 692-2210.

The Vets Auxiliary will also hold a Boutique at St. Vitus School Auditorium on Sunday, Dec. 1 from noon to 5 p.m. Table reservations available by calling Rose Poprik 532-5700 or Patty Nousak White 881-5957.

The St. Vitus Ladies Auxiliary of C.W.V. Post 1655 is inviting ladies to become members. For more information call Marcie Mills 431-9492.

Veneskey-Sternisa Wedding

Michelle L. Sternisa and John E. Veneskey exchanged wedding vows Aug. 31 at St. Mary Magdalene Catholic Church in Willowick. The Rev. Robert Kropac officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Sternisa, 312 E. 293rd St., Willowick. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Veneskey, 725 Pendley Road, Willowick.

Karen Avenmarg of Willowick was maid of honor with bridesmaids, Kristi Niblack of Ohio and Kristi Kolengowski of Cleveland, cousin of the bride.

Phil Berg of Kansas City, Mo., served as best man. Ushers were Dennis Sichner and Matt Burless of Willowick.

A reception at the Italian-American Club in Wickliffe honored the couple before a wedding trip to Los Angeles, Calif., and Las Vegas, Nev. They will live in Boardman.

The bride is a graduate of Cleveland State University and is an accountant for Packard Electric, Division of General Motors Corp. in Boardman. Her husband is a graduate of Bowling Green State University and is a graduate assistant at Youngstown State University.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Godic, 1234 E. 61 St. celebrated their 39th wedding anniversary on Sept. 14th.

Also belated happy birthday to **Josie Godic** which was Sept. 3rd and to **Ann Kern** which

was Sept. 8th.

On Sept. 18th **Jennie Strumbel** celebrated her 75th birthday.

Congratulations and best wishes to all.

A Speedy Recovery to **Frances Kotnik** who is

Euclid Pensioners plan 'Vegas' Trip

By Helen Levstick and Eleanor Cerne Pavey

The Slovenian Pensioners Club of Euclid met as usual at the Slovenian Society Home on Recher Avenue on Wednesday, Sept. 4.

Thomas Hayes of the County Auditor's Office, in the absence of Timothy McCormack, addressed the membership on a very timely subject, the recent publicized property tax increase. Of great interest to many was the micro-fische machine which gave out data on property owned by individuals.

After, Frank Ilc, a member of our club, spoke and showed slides on his trip to Morocco.

The season for the one-day trips planned by Ann Mark is fast coming to an end. But there is still the trip to the Amish country in Geauga County on either Tuesday, Sept. 24 or Wednesday, Sept. 25. A new trip on Ann's Agenda is a trip to Wheeling, West Virginia, on Wednesday, Oct. 16 to the dog races.

The pensioners are planning a trip to Las Vegas on Nov. 21-24, a three-day, four-night stay. Call Ray Bradac or Stella Kostick for a reservation or for more information.

The club lost two good members during the month of August, Josephine Prince and Mollie Maurer. May they rest in peace. Our heartfelt sympathy is extended to their families.

Joe Parker has been our very faithful representative at the funerals of our deceased. Our

undergoing tests at St. Vincent Charity Hospital.

This Saturday, Sept. 21 **Richard Tomsick** and **Mary Beth deHaas** will be married at St. Vitus Church at the 11:30 a.m. Mass. Congratulations to the couple and their families.

flag is always at the wake and he represents us with a short eulogy and a song in Slovenian. It is very gratifying to receive "thank you" notes from the families of the deceased for our remembrance, with special thanks to Joe Parker for his presence.

Tony and Sylvia Turk were congratulated on their 50th Wedding Anniversary in August and received a cake baked by Mary Ster. May the happy couple enjoy many more years together.

Ray Bradac, our financial secretary, asks that members check their membership book to see if their dues are paid up to date. Call Ray at 289-0209 if you have questions to ask. If a member feels that he or she cannot continue as a member, it would be appreciated if Ray were notified to that effect.

The happy winners for September raffle for the benefit of the Slovene Home for the Aged were Joseph Kodrich and Joseph Bratush.

We keep thinking about Charlie Tercek and expecting him month by month to attend one of our meetings. When you feel you can, surprise us at one of our meetings, Charlie. It's been a long time!

A very worthwhile subject will be discussed at our October 2 meeting, our eyes. A speaker from the Society of the Blind will talk about eyes and how to care for them. Try to make our meeting before the winter really keeps us away.

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Slavko Avsenik plays his accordion at Cleveland Music Hall. Everyone agreed he and his musicians and singers were the best the world has ever produced.



Frank and Ančka Sterle applaud the music of the Slavko Avsenik Ensemble on Saturday, Sept. 14 in downtown Cleveland. A gathering of 3,100 filled Cleveland's Music Hall. After, most of the audience continued the happy evening at Sterle's restaurant with outside and inside dancing.

(All photos by Madeline Debevec)



Some of the happy persons at the Avsenik Concert.



Frank Sterle (second from left), owner of Sterle's Slovenian Country House Restaurant and his wife, Ančka present a painting of his restaurant as a gift to Slavko Avsenik. The occasion marked the 25th anniversary of Sterle's Restaurant on E. 55th St. At left is radio personality Tony Petkovsek who was English M.C.



Most of the Slavko Avsenik Ensemble.



Comedian Franc Kosir kept the audience in stitches with his humor and outrageous costumes.



Cleveland Mayor George Voinovich (left) declares Slavko Avsenik an "Honorary Citizen of Cleveland, Ohio."



Mayor Voinovich designates Sept 14 as "Frank Sterle's Slovenian Country House Day." Tony Petkovsek (center) and singer Alfie Nipic watch the happy moment.



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A Fascinating Trip to Japan

by Cmdr. E. A. RYAVEC

Santa Monica, Calif. — Our trip to Japan this June was again a pleasure particularly because we visited our eldest daughter and her family who live in Tokyo.

Since we were last there, they had moved from the Yoyogi area to the Hiro-o area so that Michael Teru, our four year old grandson, could attend Sacred Heart School. We attended his graduation play which was presented for parents.

His classmates included boys and girls from Finland, Holland, Germany, Iran and other countries including Japan and the United States. He was given a 1985 Sacred Heart Yearbook with a picture of each student. The yearbook gave major attention to each of the school's graduates who were the equivalent of high school graduates.

From the first grade on, only girls attended this prestigious private school. Students are from Europe, the Mid-East, Central and South America, Asiatic countries with many from Australia, New Zealand, Canada and the United States. Entrance requirements for Sacred Heart School are very

rigorous and include the requirement that each child's mother speak English. So, I was surprised to see pictures in the yearbook of some four lovely Yugoslav girl students as well as girls from Bulgaria and the Soviet Union. The yearbook included compositions by each of the high school graduates. Imagine the force for the encouragement of mutual respect and understanding among the students at Sacred Heart School.

One morning while jogging in the local park, I was fascinated to see a group of young men performing strenuous exercises. One exercise each man performed consisted of leaping from a squat position - a bunny-hop up some 30 or so foot high steps each about a yard deep without a pause.

The leader confirmed my guess that the group was the local Judo Association of Hiro-o. He added with modest pride the group contributed members to the Olympic team. The members exercise nearly every morning year-round before going to work or to school. They were in excellent physical shape. The word

"judo" means the gentle way, that is using an opponent's attack to unbalance him at least a little and then throwing him down. The Japanese founder of the sport, Jigoro Kano, who transformed "Jujutsu" from a deadly combat method, emphasized the slogan "Maximum Efficiency with Minimum Effort" to a sport he called "judo" which eliminates deadly strikes and holds.

To digress somewhat, we were very happy to hear of our daughter Carole's and that of our son-in-law Mamoru Nakamura's work accomplishments with Merrill, Lynch Company Tokyo Branch. Carole is an International Equity Analyst specializing in computer, data processing, semiconductor and other advance technology developments for investments.

Mamoru (Shu) is a vice-president specializing in commercial real estate investments and in private placements for Japanese financial interests. Recently he crafted a complicated long-term financial arrangement involving a Danish firm, Canadian firms (Quebec), and two Japanese life insurance companies and two Japanese banks whereby each participant achieves an on-going increase in financial return in the joint effort. He is increasing private placement business.

It is interesting to relate how Carole got to Tokyo. She became interested in Japanese language and culture as a result of a college professor's stimulating introductory literature course. After study in night school for a year, she was awarded a Columbia University Fellowship by the Department of East Asian Languages and Cultures to complete her Ph.D. dissertation which required residence in Japan.

She completed her dissertation on the sources and foundation of Japanese law studying at University of Tokyo law archives and reading medieval Japanese scrolls in Tokyo for some three years.

For her last year of study she was awarded a Japanese Foundation Fellowship which was more than double her initial Columbia University Fellowship with the injunction that she would not engage in any part time employment (as she had to do to meet living expenses for two years).

After award of her Ph.D. degree by Columbia University she taught at the Asian Legal Studies Department at Harvard Law School. Then upon her marriage to Shu in



Mausoleum of Ieyasu Tokugawa Nikko, Japan is in the background as seen by Commander Ernest Ryavec and his grandson Michael Teru (Terry) Nakamura.

New York City she joined the Chemical Bank as a management trainee and then was transferred to their Tokyo Branch. Shu at the same time received his graduate degree in business at Columbia University and joined Smith, Barney with subsequent transfer to their Tokyo Branch. Job offers brought them to Merrill, Lynch and Tokyo Branch.

Carole recently visited one of Hitachi's TV color production plants and related that some 10,000 color TV sets were completed there each day, 1,250 sets each on eight fully automated production lines, the entire production going to mainland China.

Japanese manufacturing effort is concentrated on developing quality robotized production lines whereby very high production output can amortize plant investment in a relatively short time. Also, the aim is to eliminate inventory by having finished materials, parts and assemblies arriving on a scheduled as-needed basis. Of great importance, industry strives to utilize labor at high skills and to eliminate de-humanized labor with overall greater rewards to individuals and more high-paying jobs. Unit costs go down and market share increases by these methods - witness the video recorder and camera Japanese market share dominance.

At Akihabara (Tokyo electronic sales center) I saw the recently released Hitachi VHS all-in-one video camera and recorder with some 160 minutes recording time, very light weight structure (a boy can carry and operate) and ability to record inside without artificial light. Within this year such advanced quality units from a few Japanese firms will be available worldwide at lower costs. USA name brand compact VHS camera-recorders made by Hitachi and other Japanese manufacturers will be on sale soon in the U.S.A.

We had hoped to visit the Tsukuba Expo '85 but did not since it was reported that many exhibits had up to three

hour waiting times plus travel time and transfers.

After the joy of family visiting including a shabu-shabu exquisite dinner hosted by Batan and Guitan (Terry's other grandparents) the highlight of our June visit was our trip to Nikko, a national treasure dedicated to the first shogun (lord) of the Tokugawa Regime in the early 17th century. There is an old Japanese saying, "You can't say kekko (wonderful) until you have seen Nikko."

There are a number of ways to get to Nikko from Tokyo: by Japan National Railroad which is the most economical especially if you have a JNR weekly pass (must be purchased in the USA) but more time consuming, by one of many commercial buses subject to slow going by heavy traffic through Tokyo, by car again subject to delays due to traffic, and by subway to the Asakusa Station (NOT the Akasaka Station) where one turns left coming out of the subway and walks some 100 yards to the pointy wedge of the Tobu Railways Building where upon entering you find the ticket office. It is suggested you take Train named Kegon-7 which leaves at 0840. This is one of the private Tobu trains that go direct, take the least time, no transfers and you have reserved seats. There is excellent buffet service available at your seat. The ride is through beautiful countryside - especially the neatly tended rice fields in summer.

One arrives at the Nikko Station at 1021 - 84 miles north of Tokyo. So as to maximize all you can see in one day, immediately beat the crowds by taking Bus No. 2 in front of the station and go up to Lake Chuzenji about a half-hour ride. The bus goes up to some 4,100 feet elevation through some 48 hairpin turns, the same number as sounds in the Japanese alphabet. The Irohanazaka highway gets its name from the first three sounds of the alphabet I.R.O.H.A, equivalent to ABC in English.

(To Be Continued)

Coming Events

Sunday, Sept. 22

Walter Ostanek and his entire band in concert at Slovenian Society Home in Euclid, O. Velma Kapel will sing. See George Knaus for tickets.

Sunday, Sept. 29

Benefit polka festival for Lou Bajc family at AMLA Recreation Center 1 to 9 p.m. with Luzar, Pecon, Perko, Vadnal, Kuhar, Faint, Grzely, and other bands.

Saturday, Oct. 5

Fantje na Vasi in concert with special guest the Zvon Octet from Fairfield, Conn. The Alpine Sextet will entertain.

Saturday, Oct. 5

Steak fry and dance at West Park Slovenian Home. Donation \$11.00. Eddie Buehner will furnish the music.

Sunday, Oct. 6

Our Lady of Lourdes Shrine and Grotto, (Chardon Rd., Euclid) Fall Festival and Bazaar from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. Dining Room open from 9:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. All welcome.

Saturday, Oct. 12

Newburgh Maple Hts. Pensioners Club, dinner dance at Newburgh Slov. National Home on E. 80 St.

Sunday, Oct. 13

The Club of West Side Slovene Lodges is sponsoring a dance with cocktails at 3:30 p.m., music by Eddie Stampfl, open bar.

Sunday, Oct. 13

The Club of West Side Slovene Lodges sponsors Slovenefest with food, dancing from 3:30 to 8:00 p.m. Tickets \$8.00. Call 676-8315 or 661-0785.

Saturday, Oct. 19

Glasbena Matica Concert, dinner and dance at Slovenian National Home on St. Clair Ave.

Sunday, Oct. 27

Clam Bake - Steak Roast at Slovenian National Home, 3563 E. 80 St., Cleveland. Serving from 2 p.m. Music 4 - 8 p.m. by Vadnals. Steak or Bake \$12.50 per person. For tickets call 641-9072 or 662-2027.

Saturday, Nov. 2

St. Vitus Ladies Auxiliary of Catholic War Vets Post 1655 35th Anniversary with family style dinner at Sterle's Restaurant beginning at 6 p.m. For tickets call 881-5957 or 692-2210.

Friday, Saturday, and Sunday November 8, 9, 10
Fall Festival at St. Vitus parish, Cleveland.