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## Hitler je že gospodar v lepi Italiji

Ves žalostni položaj, v katerega je pahnil Italijo Mussolini s svojim fašizmom, temeljito opisuje ameriški časnikar John T. Whitaker, ki je bil svoje čase v Italiji, pa je bil od tam izgnan, ker je poročal iz Italije stvari, ki se fašistom niso dopadle.

Po desetih mesecih vojne je Italija popolnoma poražena in da ne bi sklenila premirja z Anglijo, je Hitler prevzel nad njo oblast. Italijanska vlada, njena armada, policija in večina industrije je že pod nemško oblastjo. Benito Mussolini ni danes drugega kot namestnik v zasedenem ozemljju.

To je žalostna slika 19 letnega vladanja fašizma. Pa ne samo to, ampak je tudi tragični konec zedinjene Italije, ki si je priborila svojo neodvisnost od Nemčije komaj pred 80 leti za časa vlade starega očeta sedanjega kralja, ki je vladar sedaj samo po milosti Adolfa Hitlerja, kar pomeni, da je vladar samo še po imenu.

Kako je popeljal Mussolini Italijo v vojno, za katero je bila popolnoma nepripravljena; kako je ta zmotnjava razkrinkala pravo nraču fašizma italijanskemu narodu in končno, kako je Hitler v kratkih osmih tednih brez prelivanja krvi zasedel Italijo, se zdaj lahko pove.

Mnogo časnikarjev v Rimu to ve, toda imajo zavezana usta, ker vlada nad njimi stroga cenzura. Toda Mr. Whitaker je bil izgnan iz Italije in pše zdaj lahko brez nadzorstva cenzure. Izgnan je bil zato, ker je pisal v osišču nepriznjenem tonu in ker je imel dostop v boljše italijanske kroge. Mr. Whitaker je večkrat govoril z Mussolinijem in zunanjim ministrom Cianom, pozna osebno maršale Badoglio in Graziani. Mr. Whitakerju se zdi, da je njegov izgon iz Italije ukazal Berlin.

Najbolj čudovita spremembra, ki se je izvršila v Italiji, odkar gospodari nad njo Nemčija je zadržanje naroda proti Zed. državam. Nacijska propaganda se trudi na vse načine, da uči Italijane sovražiti Amerikance. Italijansko časopisje zdaj trdi, da je v Zed. državah 40 odstotkov Judov, da je Roosevelt absolutni diktator, ki hoče podjaviti ves svet, da je ameriški narod brez srca, ki je preveč bojazljiv, da bi se sam bojeval, toda nasprotuje osišču samo zato, ker se čuti vzvišenega nad njim.

Ta propaganda je začela roditi sad, ker pričenjajo Italijani misliti, da bi zdaj že živelji v miru in praznovali sijajno zmago, če bi ne bilo Amerikancev, ki pomagajo Angliji, da se vojna vleče, s čemer Amerikanci bogatijo na račun izmognane Evrope.

Kmalu potem, ko so postali Nemci gospodarji Rima, sta moralia zapreti ameriška konzulata v Palermu in Naplu. Ameriška vlada je odgovorila s tem, da je zaprla dva italijanska konzulata tukaj. Bolj važno kot to, da se izgnali iz Italije ameriške konzularne uradnike je fakt, da je Nemčija natvežila italijanski vladi, da so to navadni vohuni. Povprečen Italijan zdaj verjame, da so ameriški konzuli dajali znamenja Angležem, ko so napadli Genovo in drugod, čeprav je to iz trte izvita laž, pa še zelo podla zraven. Takim bedstočam se sicer smejo italijanski in nemški uradnik, toda preprost narod pa rad nasede na take stvari.

Že v začetku debate v ameriškem kongresu radi posojilne postave, so Nemci nahajskali Italijane, da so pričeli z demonstracijami proti Zed. državam. Toda razen male demonstracije pred ameriškim konzulatom v Turinu, demonstracije niso uspele. Italijanski narod ni hotel zgrabitati prijazno vabilo.

Toda nemška propaganda je neprestano vrtala in končno je okužila tudi sicer zdravo pamet italijanskega naroda.

Noben italijanski častnik ali diplomat v Rimu danes ne sme obiskati kakega Amerikancev, če nima za to pismenega dovoljenja od vlade. Kamorkoli greda Amerikanci po Rimu, jim vedno sledi policija v gotovi razdalji. Policija tudi vedno sprašuje o služabništvu ameriških družin, kdo pride na obiske in o čem se pogovarjajo.

Policija zapiše ime in naslov vsake osebe, ki pride k ameriškemu poslanstvu. Vsi telefoni Amerikancev, dalje vse stene v ameriškem poslanstvu in v konzularnih uradih imajo posebne praprave, da policija lahko sliši, kaj se govoriti tukaj. Dvomljivo je celo, da bi mogel ameriški poslanik imeti kak zaupen razgovor z ameriško vlado v Washingtonu, ne da bi prisluškovala policija.

Skratka: Italija je zdaj nemška in italijanski narod se lahko pripravlja, da bo Hitler za Italijo napovedal Zed. državam vojno, čim bodo začele ameriške ladje voziti material v angleška pristanišča, ali pa dajati varno spremstvo angleškim ladjam.

Roparji! Razbojniki! Tatovi! in kaj še vse vpijejo v Berlinu in Rimu nad ameriškimi republikami, ki so se držnile zaseči ladje osišča, da jih ne bi njih posadka požigala in potapljala v ameriških pristaniščih ter s tem ovirala prenos drugim ladjam. Nacijski in fašistične cigane bi pa vprašali: kdo je pa klical njih ladje, da so iskalo zavjetja v ameriških pristaniščih? Kaj pa, če so hoteli napraviti tako, kot je že zlisico, ki ga je sprejela na jerperge? Po dokazih vidimo, da so zmožni vsega in vsa čast ameriški vladi, ki je pokazala, da se ji ne tresejo hlače pred rujavo in črno osjo.

## BESEDA IZ NARODA

### Naš čas je tukaj

S preobratom evropskega položaja je postal vprašanje rešitev Primorskih Slovencev v Italijanega pomena. Proč s tarjanje in jamranjem nad kruto usodo naših bratov in sester v suženjstvu in tiraniji. Dela in akcije potrebujemo, da jih rešimo trinoga in ropstva. Vsa Primorska Slovenija danes z upanjem zre na Ameriko kot rešiteljico njih obupnega položaja. Naše matere in očetje pričakujemo, da izpolnimo obljubo, katero smo dali ob slovesu, ko smo jim sveto obljubili, da ne bomo nikoli pozabili svoje grude in rojstne domovine. Tudi oko naših bratov in sester se v solzi kristali, ko misljijo na nas in upajo, da jim vračamo ljubezen do rodne grude.

Cas je, da gremo na delo, čas je, da pričnemo skupno akcijo,

katera je v prvi vrsti naša in za naše ljudi, ki žive pod peto suženjstvo. Milo se zdi človeku, ko vidi, kako se drugi Slovenci, kateri žive v svobodni državi, z vso vremem trudijo odprimo našim rojakom v Primorju, ko pa mi spimo, se ne ganesmo ter smo jadikujemo nad kruto usodo naših ljudi. Ali nam lahko ne rečejo drugi, če ne podvzamemo nobene akcije v prid našim staršem, bratom in sestram, da smo malobični in narodno mrzli, narod, ki ni vreden sodelovanja in simpatij.

Ali ne bo to žalostno za nas tukaj živeče primorske Slovence, da med tem, ko so naši rojaki iz svobodne Slovenije delovali na osvoboditvi naših rojakov pa smo mi prispevali bore malo, čeprav je naša prva narodna dolžnost, da jim pridemo in drugi prosimo za sodelovanje.

Stopimo na noge, zdramimo se v narodni zavesti, poslušajmo klic naše milie domovine in stopimo na plan za PRAVICO in SVOBODO našega naroda.

Toplo apeliram na gospoda Marijana Urbančiča, kateremu je do podrobnosti poznano trpljenje našega naroda v Primorju, da stopi na celo naše narodne borbe in mi drugi bomo stali ob njem z delom in pomočjo. Gospod Marijan Urbančič, Vaša pomoč nam je neobhodno potrebna. Mogoče leta dni trde borbe za naše rojake v Primorju, bo stotisočerim nedolžnim žrtvam obrisalo solze. Radost bo nepopisna, ko se bodo odprala vrata ječ, temnic in konfinacijskih taborišč. Dan bo združeni vse naše rojake v Severni in Južni Ameriki v eno organizacijo ter z vso silo delovati za osvoboditev naših krajev, kateri naj se pridružijo skupnemu narodnemu telesu jugoslovanske države.

Namen te organizacije naj bo informirati merodajne faktorje o naši upravičeni zahtevi ter podpreti z dokazi, da naša zemlja ne sme ostati v suženjstvu tujih narodov!

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Rada pišem in imam prijatelje na Škotskem, v Čile, Južni Ameriki, Puerto Rico in v raznih državah v Ameriki, s katerimi si dopisujem, kako je skoraj dva tisoč let ponavljajo moderni judje da ga ni, pa jim vse nč ne pomaga, je in bo med nami do konca dni.

Zbor se je potrudil kar je bilo v sedanjih razmerah mogoče.

Gotov sem, da nikomur ne bo žal, če se udeleži tega nabožnega koncerta.

Torej Slovenci tukaj se vam nudí lepa prilika, poslužite se je in pridite v nedeljo 6. aprila v slovenski cerkev Marije Vnebovzetje na Holmes Ave. ob 7:30 zvečer.

Pridite od blizu in daleč prostora bo za vse. Pozdrav in na svinjenje.

volja, videla prekrasno staro domovino. Zato pa, če bi imela še več prijateljev tam, bolj bi me veselilo jo kdaj obiskati.

Potom takega dopisovanja pa bi v naši starji domovini zvedeli, kako dobra nam je naša nova domovina — Amerika. Zvedeli bi o razmerah tukaj in o naši kulturi ter kako Slovenci tukaj napredujemo.

Upali in molili smo, da bi se Jugoslavija ne podala osišču. Podala se ni in s tem je naš narod pokazal, kako je krepak.

Tudi mi, mladina tukaj, smo ponosni, ker smo otroci Jugoslovjanov. Pisati jim moramo v zahvalo in povedati jim, kako smo bomo stali na strani, da ostane naš narod svoboden. S takim pisanjem jim lahko damo pogum in pomoč s par besedami.

Prosim gospod urednik, da pošljete moje ime in naslov za korespondenco z staro domovino.

Pozdrav vsem in za velikočno voščilo naj Zveličar bla-goslovje slovenski rod po celem svetu.

Lucinka Trškan.

### Svetovidski oder

V nedeljo, 6. aprila zopet ponovimo igro "Dolžnost jo veže." Gledali so bili prav zadovoljni zadnjo nedeljo. Zato pa vi, kateri ste videli igro zadnjo nedeljo, povejte še drugim, ki jo niso videli, da naj prav gotovo pridejo. Le malo poagitirajte za nas.

Obisk zadnjo nedeljo je bil prav dober. Če bodo naše prireditve vedno tako dobro obiskane, vas zagotavljamo, da bo še donela slovenska gvorica raz svetovidskega odra.

Upamo, da boste napolnilni šolsko dvorano sv. Vida do zadnjega kota, da boste potem lahko rekli, če vas kdo vpraša, če je bilo veliko ljudi, kakor bi ribničan rekel: "Ja še tjabe je majnkalu, pa b bli kukr fajer-cajh u škatlc."

Stopite v Novakovo slaščarno po vstopnico in prodali jo vam bodo z veseljem.

Nasvidenje v nedeljo večer, 6. aprila v novi šoli sv. Vida pri ponovitvi igre "Dolžnost jo veže."

Člani Svetovidskega odra.

### Koncert pri fari Marije Vnebovzetje

V zadnjem dopisu ali razlagi, našega koncerta ki se vrši v nedeljo 6. aprila, sem opisal nekako do polovice. Sedaj pride na vrsto peta beseda: "Žejen sem." Tako je prosil Jezus, Judje so hodili mimo, Ga zasmravali: "Ce si ti kralj naš, reši se zdaj." Isto kot danes, tudi danes imamo veliko takih judov, ki kriče na desno in levo:

"Nič ne vidim, zatoj tudi ne verujem." Zate je prosil, takoj v prvi besedi: "Oče odpusti jim, saj ne vedo kaj delajo."

Sesta beseda "Oče, v roke twoje izročam dušo svojo, saj Bog si moj Ti in Oče si."

Sedma beseda. In zaklical je Jezus z močnim glasom: "Dopolnjeno je." In nagnil glavo in izdihnil dušo svojo. Judje so bili sedaj gotovi, da so se ga iznenabili, že skoraj dva tisoč let ponavljajo moderni judje da ga ni, pa jim vse nč ne pomaga, je in bo med nami do konca dni.

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M. Rakar.

### "Težke ribe"

Mogoče bo kateri izmed bralecov, ko bo prebral ta naslov, rekel: kaj ne bi vedel kakšne in kako težko so ribe, ko pa smo jih cel post imeli na mizi.

Te ribe, o katerih vam hočem sedaj nekaj napisati, pa se bo videlo v nedeljo 20. aprila na odu Slovenskega doma na Holmes Ave. in zato pa je to nekaj popolnoma novega, kajti ribe na suhem, to je na odu, kjer bodo te ribe hodiči po dveh nogah, no, takih pa že vem, da še niste videli. Zato pa vas opozarjam, da si preskrbite vstopnice k igri "Težke ribe," katero predi društvo sv. Helene št. 193 KSKJ.

Igra je vseskozi polna humorja, tako da vam je zagotovljeno večer krasnega užitka. V tej igri se bosta najbolj postavila dve težki ribi. Ta dva bosta vzbudila toliko smeha, da se vam bo kar težko vzdržati na sedežu. Kajti gospod Pagatovič, nekoliko starejši fant z dobro službo, toda nekolič bolehen, vam bo povedal zakaj se ni oženil, vseeno pa se zaljubil v dekle, kateri je še kot malci nosil kurke.

Htere imajo rajši kakor sinove

Na Kitajskem imajo rajši si v mnogih delih Vzhodne Azije pa si domaćini nasprotljivo prav mnogo otrok ženega spola. Dekleta so nam pogosto največja glavnica, katero razpolaga zamorski. Ko pričakuje novega otroka, sklene včasih že pred njegovim rojstvom z družino svoj bodočega zeta kupno poteka za primer, da se bo rojeno hči. Zetova rodbina izroči često že kmalu po rojbi bodoče snahe tele kot načelilo in potem sledijo vsako dnevno placila. Vsaka hči je torej zamorskega očeta vir znati dohodkov in pazi na htere ameje kakor na sinove. Če umre, preden se poroči, tega njen oče vsa naplačila vrin in to mu povzroči lahko gospodarske težave. Pošiljka teh nenavadnih običajev je ta, da je umrljivost dečnosti večja kakor umrljivost deklet. Če zvoli dekle, priamorec kmalu po belega žarka, ki se ga drugače izvede, a tē mu zvoli sin, se obiskava za zdravnika niti ne zmeva.

Pijano kačo so ujeli japonski list "Niči niči" opisal zanimivo zgodbo o veliki kači, ki je delala na otoku Hainan, veliko škodo. Kača je bila sedem metrov. V neki noč za nočjo ubijala kmetje so jo skušali na načine ujeti, pa ni šlo. Nastopile so se obrnili na vojaško vojsko, nuj jih reši te nadložili. Vojaki so najprej pozvedeli prihaja kača k vaškim domom in so na pot postavili veder močnega japonskega kača. Ko je kača prisla, jo je privabil prijeten vinski vojnik in je takoj pokusila vino sproga vedra. Vino ji je vseeno celo prijal, ker je skoraj popila. Vojaki, ki so kačo sklepali, so spoznali, da je žena. Navalili so nanjo iz zvezali z verigalj in jo poslali v živalski Tokiu.

## IZ DOMOVINE

Pri angleških operacijah v Ljubljani sodelujeta tudi dva francoska bataljona generala de Gaulleja.

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PONDELJEK 14. APRILA

Sayao, Rothberg, Stevens, Brownlee, Pinza, Bacalloni, Ballet, Panizza.

**TRISTAN UND ISOLDE**

TOREK, 15. APRILA  
Flagstad, Thorborg, Melchior, Huehn, Kipnis, Darcy, McArthur

**DAUGHTER of the REGIMENT**

SREDO, 16. APRILA  
Pons, Petina, Bacalloni, Jobin, D'Angelo, Kent, Ballet, Papl.

**DIE WALKURE**

ČETRTEK, 17. APRILA  
Flagstad, Bampton, Thorborg, Votipka, Melchior, List, Huehn, Leinsdorff.

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**DOVJNA PREDSTAVA: PETEK POP.**  
18. APRILA

**CAVALIERA RUSTICANA**  
Milanov, Kaskas, Doe, Jagel, Warren, Papl, Followed by

**PAGLIACCI**  
Burke, Melchior, Bonelli, De Paolis, Valentino, Papl.

**BARBER OF SEVILLE**  
PETER ZVEREC, 18. APRILA  
Sayao, Petina, Schipa, Bacalloni, Brownlee, Cordon, Papl.

**FAUST**  
SOBOTO POP. 19. APRILA  
Jepson, Browning, Kullman, Pinza, Bonelli, Ballet, Pelletier.

**RIGOLETTO**  
SOBOTO ZVEREC, 19. APRILA  
Tumino, Castagna, Votipka, Landi, Tibbett, Cordon, Ballet, Panizza.

V bombnih napadih na London so bila uničena tudi velika skladnišča založništva Simpkin Marshai s petimi milijoni knjig.

**NEWBURG NEWS**  
**SODALITY NEWS**

The Young Ladies Sodality of St. Lawrence Parish will commemorate the twenty-fifth anniversary of its establishment on Sunday, May 4, 1941. Great plans are being formulated to make this Silver Jubilee Anniversary a huge success.

There will be a Solemn High Mass at 9 o'clock that morning, at which the Rt. Rev. Msgr. Carl Frey of the Seminary will deliver a sermon. The sodality choir will sing for the first time at this Mass. All sodalists, present and former, including those from other parishes, who receive Holy Communion at this Mass are invited to a breakfast, which will be served immediately after the Mass at Slovenian National Home on East 80th St.

A solemn May crowning will take place at 2 p.m. In the evening at 6:30 o'clock a Jubilee Banquet will be held at the Slovenian National Hall. The banquet ticket (\$10 per person) will also include admission to the Jubilee Dance which follows the banquet.

In an effort to include every sodalist in this celebration of the jubilee, an explanatory letter has been sent to all present and former sodalists. There is still time to make returns for advertisements and patrons. Make your returns to any of the officers. It is hoped that every sodalist will co-operate. Remember your co-operation will mean success.

Many of those attending the various festivities on that day will be friends you had lost track of through the years. Plan now to attend at least one of these functions and thereby renew old friendships. We are counting on you to be there.

Watch this column for more news concerning Jubilee Day.

## SODALITY REPORTER

## LORAIN CALLING

Come one—come all to the Sunshine Benefit Dance given by the SWUA Drill Team No. 40 of Lorain, Ohio, at the Slovenian Home, 31st St. and Pearl Ave. on Sunday, May 4.

Plenty of fun and entertainment in both halls. Popular music will be furnished by the "Tophatter" Orchestra in the upper hall and Slovenian music played by "We Three" in the lower hall. We will cater to both older and younger people.

Tickets are now on sale at 25¢ and can be purchased at any of the branch secretaries of the SWUA.

## Naprodaj

Proda se konfekcijska trgovina, električni soda fountain, 6% pivo in vino licenca, rent pocieni. Dober kup za pravo stranko. 1401 E. 55. St., telefon ENdicott 9707. (80)

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Za 2 družini, garaža, furnez; cena \$3,700.

Za 3 družine, s trgovino, 4 zidane garaže, furnez, rent \$100 na mesec; cena \$7,500.

Za 2 družini blizu Lake Shore Blvd., 10 sob, moderna; cena \$5,800.

Za 4 družini; cena \$4,200.

Za 2 družini v Euclidu; 10 sob; moderna; cena \$4,800.

Apartment za 8 družin, 8 furenzov, kot nova; se mora prodati za polovično ceno.

Za 2 družini zidana hiša. Cena \$5,500.

Imam še več drugih hiš za eno ali dve družini in kjerkoli želite. Za podrobnosti se obrnite na

Joseph Globokar

986 E. 74. St.

ali poklicite:

HENDERSON 6607. (80)

**Mlekarija naprodaj**

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## LETTERS POUR IN FROM ARMY MEN

Letters are starting to come through from the various army camps and the draftees are expressing themselves in their own original manners. How is life in camp? How was the trip? What is in store for the on-coming new draftees? These and a host of other questions are being asked by those of us who are to follow or not.

For that reason we have made arrangements with various young men to write from time to time telling all their experiences and reactions, which undoubtedly will interest the reader. At the same time, however, these boys have suddenly been torn away from their homes and they are passing through a psychological stage of adjusting themselves to a new life.

Here is where you come in. Why not write to these friends of yours. They are eagerly awaiting for word from home and the postcard or letter which you send along will make them happy. Remember them on their birthdays or some similar occasion by sending a telegram of congratulations or a greeting card.

One way that you can make your drafted friend boundlessly thankful is to subscribe his name to the Saturday issue of the Ameriška Domovina. We have been receiving requests from camps for this copy. "We have a lot of time on our hands when work is through, and we just gobble up news from home," reads more than one letter. If one of your friends is leaving in the next few months, show him that you are thoughtful by subscribing to this special issue. You can get more information by calling HENDERSON 0528.

Here are more draftees who will leave Cleveland: Victor Louis Zgond, 1123 E. 71 St., Frank M. Jaks, 882 E. 200 St., Louis J. Nosse, Frank J. Pike, and Henry Zupan, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Zupan, 1493 E. 120 St.

**NATIONAL DEFENSE**

We stumble along, weak and weary, Our legs are bowed and our eyes are bleary.

Our tongues are thick, they drag on the floor.

We eye with longing the locker-room door.

We hear a rattle—castanets? no—our knees!

Won't some kind being heed our pleas?

Instinct tells us we've had enough Of these gym exercises, for us they're too tough;

They say it's all for our country's sake, But there's one point that we'd like to make,

"Tell us, Mr. Shafer, please, without fuss."

Who will be left to defend us?"

**MODIC AND KECK** in Collinwood Spotlight

By Private Will Gihla  
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## At A Glance . . .

## IT RUNS IN THE FAMILY TRADITION AND SO JOE IS ONE OF THE TOP BOWLERS

**LATIN:** EDWARD PEVEC, sophomore and JOSEPH VOSMIK, freshman, led 85 Latin honor men with averages of 97 for the fourth period. . . . LOUIS LEKAN held honors in the Junior Commercial division . . .

**BENEDICTINE HIGH:** New reporter added to the school staff is RAYMOND SUHADOLNIK . . .

**NOTRE DAME ACADEMY:** About May 15 the school's magazine "Tower Light" will make its appearance . . . a member of the editorial board is MARY CATHERINE SELISKAR, senior, chosen for her excellence in English . . .

**VILLA ANGELA ACADEMY:** School honors for the fourth six weeks were achieved by LILLIAN KAPEL, junior, DOROTHY LENARCIC, sophomore, and DANIELLA GRILL, freshman.

**WESTERN RESERVE:** Baritone ED SLEJKO appeared in Reserve's opera, "Dido and Aeneas" presented March 26 in Eldred Theatre . . . The Playmakers, a freshman dramatic club at Mather College presented Thomas Silvers' "Zing" on March 26 . . . included in the cast was EMMA SKOFF, graduate of Collinwood High.

**FENN COLLEGE:** Formal initiation of Kappa Sigma Upsilon sorority pledges took place last night in the Spanish Room of Hotel Carter, and among the initiates was IRENE PETRIC.

**COLLINWOOD HIGH:** In the greater Cleveland vocal contest ANNA WISE and BERNICE RESKE duet received an excellent rating . . . ALICE KOSCERL and ROSEMARY GUSTEK were in the field trip to County Jail . . . JOE CENTA took examinations in the engineering division for a Fenn College Scholarship . . . VLADIMIR MOHORCIC is taking machinemanship . . . RITA FURLAN will soon be displaying a royal blue box-pleated skirt made in the sewing class . . . TOM KASUNIC is a property man . . . The Arena indoor meet saw STAN GUSTEK entered in the hurdles for Collinwood . . . Alumnus JOHN SETNICK left for an Army Camp on March 10 . . . Being a secretary in four classes is a record of some kind for JOSEPHINE MERVAR, 8A.

**EAST TECH HIGH:** The Scarabean Honor Society included VICTOR SCOMRACK, 12B . . . BILL GALLIVIC, AUGIE KORACH, JOE SMOLE, and JACK VEVAR won basketball letters . . . VEVAR scored a total of 143 points for the current season and his closest rival was SMOLE with 47 . . . GALLOVIC and SMOLE will be lost next year through graduation.

**EAST HIGH:** Clothing III class will be parading in some new class made outifts this Easter . . . There are, for instance, ALBINA IVANCA and FRANCIS CIZEL . . . Remodeling old clothes to fit the streamlined tempo will be illustrated by MARY TURK'S innovations . . . HELEN SORN was on the committee of the Senior Dance Social on March 19 . . . EMMA PINTAR helped the entertainment committee during the PTA birthday tea party . . . MARY DRONIK was among the eleven girls elected by the Gym leaders to be placed on probation list . . . JIGGERS MOHORCIC contributed a total of 120 points, averaging 9.2 points per game . . . ANNA LONCHAR participated in the chemistry demonstration of liquid air for the "A" and "B" assemblies . . . ALICE BIRTIC was cast in a short French play by the Junior French Club.

**BARBERTON CENTRAL HIGH:** JOHN ZUPIC was initiated into the Hi-Y Club . . . ERNEST KRASOVEC reported for the track team . . .

**STANARD:** VICTOR TANKO of Room 109 brought his pet cat, Tommy, to school to be used in a radio broadcast on pets.

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His schooling started at St. Vitus from where he moved to Collinwood. The following year he enrolled at Latin.

He was cheer leader of the school for two years and when the scholastic bowling dad took hold of students, Joe joined the grand mellee. Immediately he proved to be one of Latin's best pinmen.

Joe is proud of his 236 high game in the scholastic league and ordinarily rolls a 165 average. Perhaps his knack of handling the ball comes from his father, a veteran in the bowling game, and owner of Waterloo Recreation. At any rate, Joe Pozelnik is an outstanding high school bowler in the City of Cleveland.

**CARRYING ON FOR A PRINCIPLE**

**LAKE SHORE POST NEWS**  
**AMERICAN LEGION**  
**BY JOHN WENZEL, JR.**

On Saturday, March 8, the Lake Shore Post and Unit experienced one of the most interesting events of their history, together with the people of this community. We were enabled to give the young men within this locality a splendid farewell dinner party.

We were also very fortunate to have the Honorable Judge Frank J. Lausche as the principal speaker for the evening, who inspired the young men about the rudiments of the army camp life he has experienced. One point he stressed was, if one was to get ahead that he would surely reach the goal by hard work. He also advised the men to join in all activities of sports such as baseball etc.

Another notable member was the former Cuyahoga County Commander, Jack Persky, who also enlightened the young men about the life in camp and the master of ceremonies, John L. Milich, did likewise. Mr. Anton Grdinic Sr. and Mr. John Gornik Sr. whose son was also an honored guest, spoke in behalf of the other fathers. Although most of the speeches were more or less on the serious side, Dr. J. W. Mally, consul of Yugoslavia rose to the occasion when called upon and brought out hearty laughter from the crowd. Our present councilman, Edward Kovacic and former councilman John Novak together with many other notable business men were present at this affair.

At this time we members of the Lake Shore Post and Unit wish to express our very sincere thanks to Mr. John Milich the organizer of this event and to the people who helped make it a success.

We wish to say thank you to the sexton who opened our program with "God Bless America," and to Miss E. Karlinger who accompanied them at the piano. To Mr. Danton and his Sea Scouts for their excellent services at the tables, Mr. Matt Grdinic for the pleasant program and the arranging of the stage, to the entire entertainment committee. Last but not least, Mrs. Julia Debevec, for the beautiful cake she donated to this affair.

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Good Friday evening—Sermon and Stations of the Cross, 7:15 p.m. Saturday—Blessing of the Food.

Easter Sunday Masses—4:30 a.m., 6:30 a.m., 8:30 a.m., 10 a.m. and 11:30 a.m. Forty Hours Devotions for St. Vitus Parish will be held during the days of April 27, 28, and 29.

**ST. VITUS YOUNG LADIES' SODALITY NEWS**

On Palm Sunday, April 6, the Young Ladies' Sodality will attend regular monthly mass and communion at the 7 o'clock mass. The general intention designated by the Holy Father to be remembered for the month of April is, "For a Flourishing Parish Life," and the mission intention, "The Conversion of Buddhists."

**UNION MEETING:** At the Diocesan Sodality Union meeting on April 7 a guest speaker, the Rev. E. J. Mondziewski, chaplain of St. Joseph's Convent will explain the ceremonies of Holy Week. The evening

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**NOCTURNAL ADORATION**

Band No. 6, which includes the St. Vitus men, of the Nocturnal Adoration Society will meet tonight from 10 to 11 at the St. Paul's Shrine, Euclid Ave. and E. 40 St.

**SHARING SHARES**

Of course, you know that tomorrow is the deadline for the return of the shares and donations which the Holy Name Society sponsored this Lenten season. Have you done your share towards lightening the burden of the church debt? You still have a chance. At the same time, you can participate in the distribution of fourteen special gifts at the M. C. Day in the St. Vitus Hall on Sunday night, April 20.

Bring your friends down on April 20 and make it a family affair. The lads who are arranging the evening's festivities have again promised to make the hall one gay atmosphere. And the climax will come with the donations which total a hundred thousand pennies.

**DOLŽNOST JO VEŽE**

All those who saw this fine Slovenian comedy raved not only about the actors but the play itself. Last Sunday the hall was packed with an appreciative audience. They will tell you that you must see this comedy which has never been beaten on any stage in Slovenia.

It is a story of a Slovenian family living in Patinske and describes their home troubles, which includes a radio contest, an automobile accident, and some misunderstandings between the parents and girls.

See "Dolžnost jo veže" tomorrow night in the St. Vitus School Hall at 8 o'clock.

**HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE**

Palm Sunday, April 6

Blessing and distribution of palms at 10:00 o'clock Mass.

Holy Week Services

Tenebrae — Wednesday and Thursday, 7:15 p.m.

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