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Pogajanja v jeklarski industriji so že v teku

Sedanja pogodba poteče s koncem julija, časa torej ne bo preveč.

NEW YORK, N.Y. — Sedanja mezdna pogodba v jeklarski industriji poteče 1. avgusta, torej v manj kot v dveh mesecih. Zato so jeklarne in unija že začele pogajanja. Prve seje naravno ne pomenujo dosti. Obe stranki še tipata, kaj hočeta doseči.

Unije so že napovedale, da bodo vztrajale na večjih mezdhah, ker se življene tako hitro različi. Unijski zastopniki ugovarjajo stališču 11 jeklarn, da so mezde postale glavni element v njihovih prodajnih cenah, ki se pa ne dajo poljubno zvišati. Že sedaj namreč uvažamo 12% domače porabe jeklenih izdelkov.

Vsak povišanje ceni bi ta odstotek le še dvignilo. Jeklарne bodo zato zahtevale od federalne administracije, da vpeljejo kvote za uvoz jekla in jeklenih izdelkov. Unije so pa rekle, da jih bodo v tem podpirale. Kvote pomenijo odprta vrata za višje cene. Tako bo zopet potrošnik nosil na svojih ramah vse stroške nove mezdne pogodbe.

Za koliko bodo povišane mezde v prihodnjih treh letih? Najmanj za 5.5%, kajti za toliko so bile povišane mezde v nekaterih drugih industrijah, na primer v topilnicah in rafinerijah za aluminij.

Med tem obratujejo jeklarnje s polno zmogljivostjo. Vse mezdne industrie se namreč zalažajo z jeklom in jeklenimi izdelki. Hočejo se vsaj deloma ogniti v višjim cenam. Obenem se pa tudi hočejo zavarovati proti morebitnemu štaku v jeklarski industriji. Sicer ga ne pričakujejo, toda nevarnost zanj pa obstaja.

V jeklarski industriji je sedaj zaposlenih okoli 400.000 delavcev. Sedaj znaša njihova osnova na povprečna plača \$3.71 na uro, ako vpoštovamo še vse obrubne koristki, pa se delavski prejemki na uro dvignejo na \$4.93.

Studentje poučujejo Titu

BEograd, SFRJ. — Univerzitetni študentje se niso zadovoljni, da bi obravnavali le svoje boleznine na univerzi, ki jih ni malo. V svojih debatah in plakatih so si privoščili tudi domačo in zunanjino politiko sedanega komunističnega režima, ki pri njih ni našla usmiljenja. Tako so na primer povedali Titu, da je sedaj v Pragi več svobode kot v Beogradu in da naj zato Tito poslje svoje tovariše v Prago, da se bodo tam naučili, kaj naj bo "socijalistična svoboda".

Jugoslovanski delavci niso bili navdušeni za študentovske pogoje. So tupatam za kratek čas prenehali z delom, nato so ga pa nadaljevali.

Pri študentovskih manifestacijah tudi ni manjkalo nekaj črnih zastav, ki so policijo posebno bodile v oči.

Iz slov. naselbin

AMHERST, O. — Preteklo nedeljo je umrla v Kaliforniji 76 let star Louise Maticic, 496 High Meadow Rd., rojena v Sloveniji, od koder je prišla v ZDA leta 1913 in preživelava ves čas v Lorainu, Ohio, faranka sv. Cirila in Metoda, članica ADZ št. 21, SZZ št. 40, SNPJ št. 17. Pokojna je zapustila sinova Williama (Amherst) in Franka (Lorain), hčer Mrs. James Foster (Huntington Beach, Calif.) sestro Mrs. Antonio Kos (Lorain), dva brata v Sloveniji in pet vnukov in vnukinj. Truplo pokojne so v torek prepeljali v Lorain, kjer je bila na mrtvaškem odru v J. M. Bodzash pogrebnu zavodu, včeraj pa je bil od tam njen pogreb s slovensko pogrebno sv. mašo ob 9.30 v cerkvi sv. Cirila in Metoda, nato pa na pokopališče Kalvarija.

Ruski vojaški konvoj vozil v bližini Prage

PRAGA, ČSR. — Konvoj 90 ruskih vojaških vozil se je v sredo približal Pragi, kamor je privozil preko Moravske. Nočeval je komaj 20 milj od glavnega mesta pri vojaškem oporišču Lysa. Konvoj sestavlja enote za zvezne in pomožne osobe.

Spremlja ga českoslovaška vojaška policija. Ruski vojaki se obnašajo sproščeno in prijazno. Pri Libavi v bližini Ostrave, nedaleč od poljske meje, naj bi bili videli tudi ruske tankovske oddelki. Cesta proti Libavi od Hranice je zaprta za civilni promet.

Načelnik glavnega stana Varšavske vojaške zveze ruski gen. Mihail I. Kazakov prisika baje na vlado ČSR, da bi pustila na svoje ozemlje v okviru vojaških vaj zvezne tudi tankovske enote in letalske sile. V Pragi se temu upirajo. Obrambni minister gen. Martin Dzur je rusko zahteval dklonil češ, da pri sedanjem stanju vaj odločitev o njej še ni potrebna.

Vladni krogovi v Pragi zagotavljajo, da bodo vsi tuji vojaški oddelki po končanih vojaških vajah zapustili državo.

Enako število

Latinska Amerika ima približno toliko prebivalcev kot Združene države.

Hanoi še ne popušča

Sedmi sestanek zastopstev ZDA in Sev. Vietnama v Parizu v sredo je bil zopet brez uspeha. Prihodnji sestanek je določen za sredo.

PARIZ, Fr. — Na svojem sedmem sestanku sta delegacijski ZDA in Sev. Vietnama ponavljali stare očitke in zahteve. Vodja hanoiske delegacije Xuan Thuy je vprašal Harrimanu, kdo mize: "Kdaj bodo Združene države brezpostojno končale vse letalske napade in druga vojna dejanja proti Demokratični republiki Vietnam, da bo mogoče začeti razpravo o drugih vprašanjih?"

Harriman je na to vprašanje odgovoril z lastnim vprašanjem, ali je Thuy pripravljen razpravljati o vprašanjih, ki so povezana z vprašanjem bombardiranja. Thuy je to zavrnil in vztrajal pri že znanim stališču. Severni Vietnam je po njegovem odgovoru Johnsonu na omejitve bombardiranja s tem, da je prišel na razgovore. Sedaj je na vrsti Washington, da ustavi vse letalske napade in vse druge sovražnosti proti Severnemu Vietnamu, da bo mogoče preiti na prava pogajanja o končanju vojskovanja.

Ameriški zastopnik je to zavrnal. Opozoril je na 40.000 severnovenamskih vojakov v Laosu, kjer bi v smislu ženevskega dogovora iz leta 1962 ne smelo biti nobenega. Zanikati to dejstvo bi "bila žalitev pameti svetovne javnosti", je dejal Harriman. Znova se je pritožil nad množično "infiltracijo" severnovenamskih čet v Južni Vietnam.

Na predlog severnovenamske delegacije je bil nov sestanek odločen do prihodnje srede, torej za vse teden, kar je doslej najdaljši odmor med dvema sestankoma.

Scorpion "izgubljen"!

NORFOLK, Va. — Admir. Moore, načelnik pomorskih operacij, je objavil, da je atomska podmornica Scorpion z 99 možnimi na krovu "izgubljena v globinah Atlantika". Sodijo, da se je podmornica izgubila in pomeščela zaradi netočnih zemljovidov morskih globin Atlantika.

Tisoči se vrste mimo krste mrtvega sen. Kennedyja v stolnici sv. Patrika

Zadnje vesti

WASHINGTON, D.C. — Predstavniški dom je včeraj izglasoval v senatu odobreni predlog o nadziranju zločinstva, ki vsebuje tudi določilo o lastovanju strelnega orožja in trgovanja z njim. Predsednik bi rad v tem pogledu ostrešil zakon, sedanji predlog je omejen na revolverje, predsednik hoče, da bi obsegal tudi puške in vse drugo.

LOS ANGELES, Calif. — Policija išče neko belo 25-27 let staro dekle, ki so jo videli v družbi Shirhana Bishara Shirhana, predno je to streljal in sen. R. F. Kennedyja. Nekdo iz Kennedyjeve okolice, ki je bil na balkonu, jo je baje slišal vzklikniti "Mi smo ga ustrelili", ko je bežala iz hotela Ambassador.

BELGRAD, SFRJ. — Študentje na univerzi še vedno drže zaseden rektorat. Tam jih vstraja 2000. Oblasti so sprejele nekatere njihove zahteve, druge pa odklanjajo. Študentje zahtevajo med drugim tudi odstop belgrajskoga župana Branka Pešica in sekretarja mestnega odbora Komunistične partije Sime Zatnika.

PARIZ, Fr. — Splošni štrajk se naglo lomi, le najbolj trmast še vstraja. Računajo, da se bo prihodnjem pondeljkom velika večina štrajkujočih vrnila na delo in da se bo zivljene skoro normaliziralo. Letalski promet upajo, da bo mogoče vzpostaviti že jutri, med tem ko ves ostali promet v glavnem že redno teče. Včeraj so prvič po dolgem času štrajka dostavili pošto. Nocoj bo govoril predsednik De Gaulle in obrazložil svoje načrte in predloge volivcem.

Bodi previden in pazljiv, pa se bo izognil marsikateri neštevil!

Sinoči ob 8.58 je pristalo predsedniško jet letalo na letališču La Guardia v New Yorku s trupom pokojnega sen. R. F. Kennedyja in njegovimi spremiščevalci. V avtomobilski koloni je bilo po kratki molitvi nadškofa T. Cooke prepeljano v stolnico sv. Patrika, kjer leži od danes zjutraj ob 5.30 na mrtvaškem odru. Tisoči prihajajo, da izkažejo pokojnemu zadnjocast. Pogrebna sv. maša bo jutri ob desetih dopoldne, k zadnjemu počitku pa bo truplo položeno na Arlington narodnem pokopališču južni popoldne.

NEW YORK, N.Y. — Sinoči ob 8.58 je po petih urah leta od Los Angelesa pristalo na La Guardia letališču predsedniško jet letalo s trupom pokojnega senatorja Roberta F. Kennedyja iz New Yorka in z njegovimi 74 spremiščevalci, med katerimi sta bila poleg pokojnikove žene Mrs. Ethel Kennedy, treh od njegovih 10 otrok, Kathleen, 16 let, Johanna, 15 let, in Roberta, 13 let, ter drugih članov rodbine tudi Mrs. M. L. King, vdova umorjenega dr. M. L. Kinga, ter Charles Evers, brat umorjenega črnskega vodnika in borca za civilne pravice Medgarja Eversa. Ko so prinesli mahagonijev krst s trupom iz letala, je newyorški nadškof Terrence Cooke opravil kratko molitev, nato je kolona avtomobilov s krsto na čelu odpeljala proti stolnici sv. Patrika v mestu. Tam je sprevod pričakalo kakih 8.000 ljudi. Truplo pokojnika je bilo položeno v stolnici na mrtvaški oder danes zjutraj ob 5.30. Množica pokojnikov prijateljev, častilcev in pristašev, pa tudi nasprotnikov političnega nasilja in političnih umorov se je začela razvrščati mimo krste, da izkaže pokojnemu poslednjo čast, njegovi rodbini pa sožalje nad novo, tako tragično izgubo.

Pokojnikovo truplo so včeraj zdravnik natačno preiskali, da bi jasno ugotovili vzroke smrti in se izognili vsem kasnejšim dvrom. Zaradi tega je bil njegov prevoz v New York zavrnjen za 6. ur. Truplo so odpeljali iz bolnišnice Good Samaritan ob 3.37 (po clevelandskem času) na letališče, kjer so ga ponesli v predsedniško jet letalo. To se je s 74 spremiščevalci, neposrednimi članji družine, rodbine, sodelavci in prijatelji dvignilo ob 4.28 s tal in poletelo v New York, kjer je pristalo ob 8.58 na letališču La Guardia. Sen. R. F. Kennedy je bil zopet doma, njegovo delo opravljeno.

Po porazu pri primarnih volitvah se je sen. R. F. Kennedy z vsem ognjem podal v volivni boj v Kaliforniji in z vstrajnim delom skozi vse teden uspel, dosegel lepo zmago. Veselega in samozavestnega po doseženi zmagi je podrla morilčeva krogla. V sredo zjutraj ob 0.15 je bil smrtno ranjen, včeraj zjutraj ob 1.44 je umrl, ne da bi se po usodnem strelu še vrnil k zavesti.

Truplo sen. R. F. Kennedyja bo ležalo do 10 zvečer nocoj v stolnici sv. Patrika. Jutri dopoldne ob desetih bo slovenska pogrebna sv. maša, nato bodo po opravljenih pogrebni molitvah odpeljali truplo na leženiško postajo, od koder bo prepeljano v Washington, D.C. Truplo bodo v sprevodu peljali mimo Kapitola in mimo poslopja zveznega pravosodnega tajništva na narodno pokopališče Arlington, kjer bo položeno k zadnjemu počitku verjetno v bližini pokojnega brata predsednika Johna F. Kennedyja.

Turški demokratje se odrezali pri volitvah

ANKARA, Tur. — Vladna demokratska stranka, ki jo vodi Demirel, je proti pričakovanju odrezala izredno dobro pri zadnjih volitvah. Kar sedem strank je tekmovalo z njim za zaupanje volivcem, pa je pri tem dobljalo 55% vseh oddanih glasov. Zato je nanjo odpadlo od 53 senatnih mest kar 39, pa tudi vseh pet svobodnih mest za kongresnike.

Ni slabo odrezala tudi druga najmočnejša (republikanska) stranka, toda propadlo so vse male stranke. V parlamentu ne pomenujo praktično ničesar več. Pri občinskih volitvah so pa male stranke prišle bolj do veljavne. Moralibla Roberta Svetovčeta, nato se ne meša v izraelsko-arabski spor. Ako bi bil Kennedy opozoren na vse to, bi se debati o sporu v arabskem svetu izogibal in se s tem ognil nevernost, da ga bodo Arabci, tudi tisti v Ameriki, smatrali za prijatelja Izraela.

Clovek bi rad vedel, kdo med ameriškimi policijskimi oblastniki bi mogel priti na letošnje volitve imajo radi tega svoj pomen, ker so pokazale, da vživa vladna stranka še zmeraj zaupanje volivcem. Demirelovi stranki se torej ni treba batiti, da bo poražena pri prihodnjih splošnih parlamentarnih volitvah, ki bodo že prihodnje leto.

I. A.

Iz Clevelandanda in okolice

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Slov. pristava —

V nedeljo, 16. junija, bo Slovenska pristava uradno odprtva za letošnjo sezono. Na razpolago bo kosilo. Kdor bi ga želel, naj kliče vključno do nedelje zvečer, 9. junija, tel. EX 1-4042 ali pa tel. 361-9373.

Seja —

Klub slov. upokojencev na Waterloo Rd. ima v torek, 11. junija, ob dveh popoldne redno sejo. Seja je važna zaradi piknika. Po seji bo zabava. Vse članstvo vabljeno!

Podr. št. 10 SZZ ima v torek ob sedmih zvečer sejo v navadnih prostorih.

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Zadušnica —

Jutri ob sedmih zjutraj bo v cerkvi sv. Vida sv. maša za pok. Mary Fink ob 1. obletnici njene smrti. V nedeljo, 9. junija, ob desetih dopoldne bo v cerkvi sv. Lovrenca sv. maša za žive in mrtve članice Podružnice št. 47 SZZ.

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Cerkve jih je strah

Marijan Tavčar je v Glasilu Zveze komunistov Jugoslavije Komunist objavil članek "Kdaj in kakšna sočenja komunistov s Cerkvijo". V njem ugotavlja, da je "pokonciljska renesansa" duhovniškega in cerkevnega prizadevanja zatekla slovenske komuniste idejnno-politično in organizacijsko premalo pripravljeni. Slišijo se resignirane tožbe, češ da "višji" ljubujejo in taktizirajo z višjo duhovščino, preproste komuniste pa silijo, da gredo v konkretnih primerih v žerjavico po kostanj.

Očvidno je, da je sam podpis protokola v premnogih komunistih vzbudil občutek popuščanja in kapitulantstva jugoslovanske zvezne vlade pred rastočo močjo in vplivnostjo Cerkve, vere in Vatikana. Odtod pripravljenost verjeti vsakomur, da je vse, česar se sedaj loti duhovnik, v skladu in branjeno od tega že čisto sfetišiziranega protokola. Odtod molk časopisa, če izvzamemo revijo "Teorija in praksa", ki se je redkodaj spozabi, da bi ožigala "eskalacijo" nekaterih duhovnikov pri iskanju zmeraj novih in novih vplivnih prostorov v družbi. Še več! Dogaja se celo, da duhovniki svojo vedno bolj razširjeno dejavnost branijo s sklicevanjem na domnevna določila protokola in na razne koncijske odloke.

Slovenska Cerkev je odkrila, da se najlaže uveljavlja tam, kjer so krajevne skupnosti zanemarile razna področja družbenega življenja. Samim komunistom se marsikje že zdi čisto naravno, če Cerkev s svojo dejavnostjo zadovoljuje resnične potrebe ljudi, potrebe, ki jim niso znale ali mogle ali hotele zadostiti laične organizacije in ustavne. Zato danes vse pogosteje in že nekako navajeno prisostvujemo športni, zabavni, kulturno-vzgojni, rekreacijski, izobraževalni, versko-spreobravčevalni, socialno-dobrodeleni in moralno-oblikovalni dejavnosti, ki poteka v tem ali onem kraju, v režiji tega ali onega vnetega duhovnika in župnišča. Način organiziranja verouka postaja nasilen, saj se smeši ateiste, se izvaja s socialno-psihološkimi prijemi pritisk na neverno mladino in se zahteva ideološka neutralizacija šole in pouka.

Marijan Tavčar je nad to miselnostjo ogorčen. Zagrenjeno ugotavlja, da se slišati tako redko glasove, ki bi Cerkevi odrekali pravico, da širi svoj vpliv po neobredni poti, izkorisčajoč pomanjkljivosti, vrzelj in težave naše socialistične družbe. Za marsikoga je postal zahteva prepojiti šolski pouk z ideologijo partije le še ostalina starih časov "ideološke ere" socializma.

Ni čuda, pravi Tavčar naprej v svojem jeremijevskem jadikanju, da postajajo duhovniki drzni v svojih zahtevah in nastopanjem. Tako je npr. "oče Bojan" iz Kopra razposlal pismo delu koprskih mladih, ko propagandno izrabila obisk predsednika zveznega izvršnega sveta Mika Špirjaka pri papežu, kjer je Špirjak dejal, da so lahko tudi verniki dobri državljanji. Ali ogorčenje bralca verskega lista Družina, ki se pohujša nad šolnik-komunisti novomeške občine, kateri so na svojem sestanku opozorili na neskladnost, da ideološko določene predmete poučujejo tudi verni učitelji.

Marijan Tavčar se tudi obregne ob cerkvene pogrebe članov Zveze komunistov, ki jih večkrat zahtevajo njihovi verni sorodniki, neupoštevaje pokojnikovo življensko prepričanje. Ali ni bridko, pravi Tavčar, da se le redki komunisti še nad to nedoslednostjo razburjajo, od katere ima korist le duhovnik, saj mu poraste moralni prestiž, pa čeprav na račun špekuliranja s človekovo smrto in pogrebom.

V zvezi z mrtvimi ožigosa Tavčar končno še tiste, kateri so se drznili na idrijski občini vložiti prošnjo za prekop "dveh duhovnikov, ki sta bila skupaj z ostalimi izdajalci obsojeni in ustreljeni v Cerknem, ko je padlo 47 mladih partizanskih tečajnikov. Ni mar ta zahteva močno sorodna z Žebotovo zahtevo, da je treba spodbudno prekopati in v duhu "resničnega človečanstva" pokopati obsojene belogardistične klavce in izdajalce? Ali se tak "svečan" prekop ne bi sam po sebi sprevrgel v taho rehabilitacijo zavoženih nehumanih idealov, ki jih belogardizem ni mogel ovekovečiti že za svojega življenga?"

Da, Marijan Tavčar ima po svoje prav. Prekopati in krščansko pokopati teh petnajst ljudi, med njimi oba naš narod tako ljubeča duhovnika Ladota Piščanca in Ludvika Sluga, bi pomenilo rehabilitirati, oprati posmrtno ime ljudem, ki so bili pomorjeni nedolžni, saj je sedaj že dokazano, da je bil izdajalec v sami tečajniški šoli in je on Nemec poklical iz Idrije v Cerkno. Seveda, vztrajati na laži je kritične kot priznati resnico, saj bi primer iz Cerkna sprožil verižno reakcijo po vsej Sloveniji, ki je preporna grobov sredi gmajn, gozdov in kraških jam, kjer čaka vstajenja toliko v toliko Slovencev, krivčno obsojenih ali brez sodbe pomorjenih.

Iz BARAGOVE DEŽELE



Del malih pevčkov na koncertu mladih harmonikarjev dne 22. aprila 1968. Tuk dirigenta Rudija Kneza Martinček Gorše.

MARQUETTE, Mich. — V Baragovem deželi smo še vedno pod vtišom sprememb v vodstvu škofije. Novi škof Karel Salatka je 25. marca prevzel škofijo. Nastopal zelo previdno. Ker mu je škofija popolnoma nova, se mora najpreje seznaniti z razmerami v škofiji. V to mu služijo zlasti birmovanja po raznih župnjah. Sklical je že nekaj dekanijskih sestankov duhovnikov. Glede Baragovega postopka ne namerava dati nobenih novih navodil, dokler se ne razgleda po škofiji. V kolikor pa nekateri vedo za njegove neuradne opazke glede Baragovega procesa, bo napravil nekaj osebnih sprememb. O Baragovi zvezi je rekel, da jo bo treba postaviti na široko ameriško podlago (nationwide base). Zveza slovenskih duhovnikov v Ameriki je napravila zelo koristno gesto, ko je škofu ob prilikah prevzema škofije poslala pozdravno pismo in opisala svoje želje glede Baragovega procesa. Predsednik Baragove zveze msgr. Scherlinger je škofu opisal, kako stojimo z Baragovim postopkom in kakšno je delo zveze. Škof je govoril tudi že nekajkrat z Baragovim zgodovinarjem Fr. Wolfom. (Fr. Wolf pozna Clevelandčani, ko je pričkal Baragovo svečo na koncertu mladih harmonikarjev dne 22. aprila letos in isti dan ob prilikah priznajete sveče pri Mariji Vnebovzetji pridigal tam pri vseh sv. mašah.)

Zabeležiti moramo med novicami iz Baragove dežele, da je predsednik Baragove zveze msgr. Francis Scherlinger slovensko obhalil 35-letnico svojega mašništva dne 23. aprila v cerkvi v šolski dvorani, kjer se je zbral ob banketu preko 400 njegovih prijateljev. Navoz je bil tudi škof Noah, ki živi kot upokojenec v Marquette v bližini Baragove kripte. Monsignor Scherlinger čestito tudi njegovi mnogi slovenski prijatelji širom Amerike in želimo, da bi še nadalje uspešno vodil Baragovo zvezo, dokler ne doseže svojega v zvišenega namena: digniti škofa Baraga do časti oltarja.

Baragovo svečo so Mr. in Mrs. J. Stupar ter Fr. Wolf po vrtnitvi z Clevelandom spet postavili na oltar v Baragovem kripti pod marquettovo stolnico. O obisku Baragove sveče v Clevelandu se še vedno komentira tu v Marquette. Marquettečani so odnesli od clevelandskih slovesnosti najlepši vtis. V dvorani nove bolnice St. Mary's smo imeli predavanje s filmskimi in sklopičnimi slikami. Prvi del so bile slike od St. Mary's (Marije Vnebovzetje) in je razlagal Fr. Wolf. Navozče so bile tudi sestre učiteljice vseh katoliških šol v Marquette. Drugi dan so otroci ljudskih šol predstavili veliki pomen Društva Najs. Imena za župnijo in našeljino; priporočal je možem in fantom češčenje Majniške Kraljice ter vzgledno in vzorno življenje.

Pri zadnjem sestanku v mesecu maju je bil naš duhovni vodja c. g. Raymond Hobart odsonen radi bolezni; zastopal ga je naš novi kaplan c. g. dr. Pavel Krajnik, ki se je vladivo predstavil na društveni seji ter v angleškem in slovenskem jeziku povdral veliki pomen Društva Najs. Imena za župnijo in našeljino; priporočal je možem in fantom češčenje Majniške Kraljice ter vzgledno in vzorno življenje.

Na binkoštno nedeljo, 2. junija 1968, se je vršila pri Mariji Vnebovzetji velika svečanost nove maše ob 5. uri popoldne. Med prazničnim zvonjenjem se je vila izpred župnišča veličastna procesija; od spredaj dolga vrsta ministrantov s krizem na celu, za temi se je vrstila češ duhovščina iz bližnjih in daljnih krajev, sledilo je 12 duhovnikov-koncelebrantov v rdečih mašniških ornatih, naposlед dostojanstveni v viti novomašnik Rev. Thomas Zagorc, S. S. S.

V cerkvi je zadonela s kora večno lepo pozdravna himna 'Novomašnik bod' pozdravljen!' Okrašena prostorna cerkev je bila nabito polna vernikov in v ospredju svetišča je bilo nešteto redovnic v novih redovniških uniformah.

Slavesni trenutek nove maše se je bližal; utihnilo so pevci in orgle, utihnilo so tudi glasovi vernikov in novomašnik je veličastno zapel svojo prvo Glorijo, nakar so zagrmele orgle in pevski zbor Ilirija je svečano izvajal "Slavo božjo".

Pri sv. obhajilu se je zdelo, da se je zgrnila cela cerkev okrog oltarja, da prejme Kristusovo Telo iz rok novomašnika. Ob koncu maše so pevci in pevke na krovu peli zahvalno pesem in celo cerkev je pela z njimi "Hvala večnemu Bogu!".

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Za marsikaterega starejšega človeka je največja težava osamljenost. Ta ga spreminja na vsakem koraku in mu greni zadnja leta življenja. Postavlja se vprašanje, ali ne bi bilo najbolj normalno, da osamljeni materi ponudi dom poročena hčerka ali oženjen sin?

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Mladi ljudje navadno ne razumejo, kako hudo je ostareli materi, ki je bila vse življenje same v domu, sedaj pa je nenačoma odvisna od tistega, ki je bil še do včeraj odvisen od nje. starejši ljudje so včasih res zelo neprjetni, sebični in brezobjektivi. Včasih so celo sposobni ovirati osebno življenje svojih najbližjih. Toda vedeni moramo, da vsakdo — ne glede na leta starosti — postane nadležen same mu sebi in drugim, če se dolgočasi in če ima občutek, da je nekoristen.

Če živimo s starejšim človekom v skupnem gospodinjstvu, je najbolje, da mu damo — če je le mogoče — posebno sobo ali vsaj kotiček, kamor se bo lahko zatekel tedaj, ko bo utrujen in ko si bo zaželel miru. Lastna sobica mu bo tudi omogočila, da bo sprejemal obiske svojih prijateljev, kadarkoli si bo to zaželel. Vsakdo izmed nas si od časa v preteklosti. Bara je k temu še kar najbolj "po pravici" odločno povedala. Rekla je:

"Kaj so naredili? Nekaj so, a vedno najprvo za sebe. Za druge so imeli pa le vedno polna usta besed, drugega pa nič."

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Ne. Izjema je le edini preživeli sin, katerega brat ali bratje so padli v vojski.

Karel Mauser:

VEČNA VEZ

— Nič več, — je rekel Matt.
Oči so se mu začele zapirati. Matt ga je odel in odšel v hišo.

Prvi dnevi, ko je bil Matt še poln vitov, so prešli in nenašla doma občutil, da mu je dolgčas. Oče in mati sta se izpovedala, brat je ostal zaprt in Matt se ni mogel otepiti misli, da se je domu odtujil. Ko sta hodila z otrokom po polju, po tistih starih stezah, so se zganili v srcu spomini, toda samo spomini. Nič ni bilo tiste velike sreče, katero je pričakoval. Kakor da so se ljudje in njive premaknili s svoje poti in niso več kakor so bili. Zemlja je še imela isto barvo, isti duh, toda Matt je imel občutek, da se je presadil, da je tista zemlja na madisonski farmi bolj njegova kakor ta, po kateri zdaj hodi. Bajta je bratova, njive so bratove, oče in mati imata kot in nič več. Vse je nekam tuje. Vmes so leta, to ve. Toda še nekaj mora biti. Ne ve si odgovora.

Po dobrem mesecu je pisal Franku. Napisal mu je dolgo pismo in sporočil pozdrave iz Zdeneke vasi. Potlej je pripisal še nekaj za Steva. Za Dorothy ni mogel. Ko je pismo že nesel na pošto, se je premislil in se vrnil. Pripisal je pozdrave in med vrstami povedal, da se bo vrnil. Potlej je poklical Andreja, mu porinil v roko svinčnik in ga vodil, da se je podpisal.

Otrok je norel od veselja. Prvi je odpisal Frank. Prve besede so bile zmerjanje, potlej je bilo o delu in nazadnje o Dorothy. Da je vekala od veselja, da se je je spomnil in da pisma ni hotela dati nazaj. Steve da je tudi smrkal.

In na koncu je pristavil:

— Če bi bil jaz mlajši, bi ti pisal, da tam ostani. Tako pa vem, da me Dorothy noče, če bi bil iz zlata. Tebi pa še tako povem, kakor sem ti takrat, ko si odhajal. Mi ni nič žal. Pa če me kaj napodiš, ko prideš nazaj. In Andreju povej, da mu bom za konja cel teden skupaj, če bo hotel. Samo kmalu naj pride.

Dva dni potlej je prišlo pismo od Dorothy. Bilo je naslovljeno na Andreja. Matta je zaboletelo. Pisala je o veliki sreči, da čaka in misli vsak dan nanj in da je Barbari tako dolgčas, da bo umrla, če skoraj ne pride. Prav na koncu je pripisala pozdrave zanj in da je na Janin grob nasadila toliko rož, da se prst ne vidi.

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— Bi, — je rekel, ko mu je tresel roko. — Pa me je še enkrat udarilo in je noga trda. — Andrej se je ves vesel smožkal okrog njega, toda se kar napreg povračal k Dorothy. Sele mod vožnjo se je unesel. Trenutno ga je naredilo trudnega.

Frank ni zapeljal domov, temveč naravnost k Stevu. Kristina je čakala na pragu in planila v tak vek, da je nazadnje zasmrkal še Frank.

— Sanavagan, kaj se derete? — je zavplil, da bi zmagal ganočje. Pa ni bil prav nič hud. Andrej je takoj tekel za Barbaro.

Pri mizi je Dorothy sedela ob Mattu. Je hotela streči, pa Kristina ni pustila.

— Sva še za kaj, — je rekel smeje Frank z Andrejem, ki je za mizo zaspal. Zadnji je odšel Matt.

— Ne po bližnjici — je rekla Dorothy.

Bila je topla noč. Ko sta prišla pod drevje, je Matt poiskal Dorothyno roko.

— Dorothy, zdaj vem, da Jane ne bo huda. Andrej ne more živeti brez tebe. —

— In ti, Matt? — Naslonila se mu je na ramo.

Stisnil jo je, da je zaječala. Potlej jo je spremil nazaj do doma. Na dvorišču jo je nenašla vzdignil in zanesel v kuhihino.

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Ko je Matt prvič orál na svojih in Stevovih njivah, ki so bile zdaj njegove, je odvezal rdečo ruto, ki jo je prinesel z doma in na vsako njivo zagnal pest domače prsti.

Dorothy ga je začudeno gledala.

— Prst z mojih njiv doma, Dorothy. Niso več moje. Moje je zdaj to, — je zakrožil z roko in jo objel okrog vrata.

Zasmejala se je in mu šla s prsti skozi skuštrane lase. Obesihil jih je bilo že nekaj sivih.

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je čepe ogledoval velika obleda srca in nerodne rože.

— Sreč bom prebarval, Dorothy, toda les je še dober. Deset jih še ozdobljive, če treba.

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lovali. Vsa reč je šele na preizkušnji, je pojasmil docent Dietrich, vendar že zdaj kaže, da se po zaslugu te celice znatno podaljša čas, ki ga ima kirurg za presaditev človeškega srca.

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Umrla si nam, zlata mama, vedno dobra, ljubezna. V črni zemlji zdaj počivaš, a nisi ne ostala pozabljena.

Kako pozabit' to gomilo, kjer Twoje zlato srce, ki brezmejno vdano bilo ves čas do zadnjega dne!

Mirno spavaj, ljuba mamica, v življenju bila si odvzeta nam, v naših srčih boš živila do konca naših dni.

Žalujoči ostali:

Louis Fink, soprog
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(Memphis, Tenn.) sinova
Mary Schifler (Villa Park,
Illinois), Josephine in
Antoinette Kožel
(Willowick, O.), hčere

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SLOVENIAN MORNING NEWSPAPER

Bride Says "Thank You"



One of the best ways for a bride to let her friends know how much she appreciates all of her lovely gifts is to schedule a gift display at her home shortly before the wedding.

Many brides ask whether all of their separate gifts of sterling flatware should be shown. The rule is this: show only one place setting of sterling, displayed along with a place setting of china and crystal just as it would look on a dining room table. The only exception to this rule is when sterling is given in a chest, in which case the entire chest may be displayed. All individual gifts of sterling flatware, such as serving pieces, should be set out, just as are gifts of silver holloware.

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AMERICAN HOME

CONDENSED NEWS FROM OUR HOME FRONT

★ On May 30th, Anton Urbanic of 6308 Carl Ave., celebrated his 81st birthday. Congratulations and wishes for many more happy and healthy birthdays!

★ Mrs. Pauline Stampfel was taken from St. Vincent Charity Hospital to Snow View Nursing Home, Snow Rd., Parma, Ohio. We wish her a quick recovery!

★ A baby girl, their fifth child, was born to Dr. and Mrs. Valentine F. Mersol of 2077 Campus Rd., Cleveland. Mother and daughter, who was named Lea Renee, are doing fine. Congratulations!

★ Mrs. Jennie Lavrich of E. 73 St., was taken to Marymount Hospital. We wish her a speedy recovery!

★ From the refugee camp Latina in Italy, came Mr. and Mrs. Milan Ivankic and their two sons, Zeljko and Rudolph, and another recent arrival was Oscar Zuber. Welcome!

★ A two-faced 10 spot in the result of an error Uncle Sam made in printing a bill. Somehow the plate for the front of the bill also printed the back. Mrs. Helen Vidmar, owner of Helen's food market, 2562 Noble Rd., Cleveland Heights, discovered the bill. Coin dealers say it might be worth as much as \$140. She is keeping it as a conversation piece. "It's the most exciting thing that has happened in the store for quite awhile," she said.

★ Goldsboro, N.C. — Starched and curled girls and slicked-up boys performed for proud parents at a piano recital over the weekend. But one boy brought down the house without striking a note. There was a long pause when his name was called to play. Then he explained: "I can't get the chewing gum off my fingers."

★ Annapolis, Md. — The flip of a dime in the General Assembly cost Maryland \$700,000 in additional sales tax money. Members of the House Ways and Means Committee said. Dr. Efren Ramirez, commissioner of the city addiction service agency, estimated there are 200,000 drug users in the city, half on addictive drugs.

★ Wichita Falls, Tex. — A trusty at Wichita County Jail landed himself in jail recently on a charge of driving while intoxicated — in the Court House. The trusty was operating the elevator for visitors of jail inmates and getting happier by the hour, until a deputy sheriff caught a whiff of his breath.

★ Rochester, N.Y. — Mrs. Jane Warner, organist-pianist at a local night spot, learned to play the hard way — by Braille. As a child in Oneonta, N.Y., the blind musician would first "read" the music, then memorize it and play it line by line. "It was kind of slow, but thorough," she recalls. "You really knew it when you were finished." Now she learns by ear, plays vast repertoire from memory.

★ Mobile, Ala. — A customer pulled up to a gasoline pump here while a robbery was under way. One of the holdup men put his gun in his pocket, stepped out and filled the gas tank for the motorist. He took the money for the gasoline, then went inside and assisted his partner in stealing \$142 from the service station.

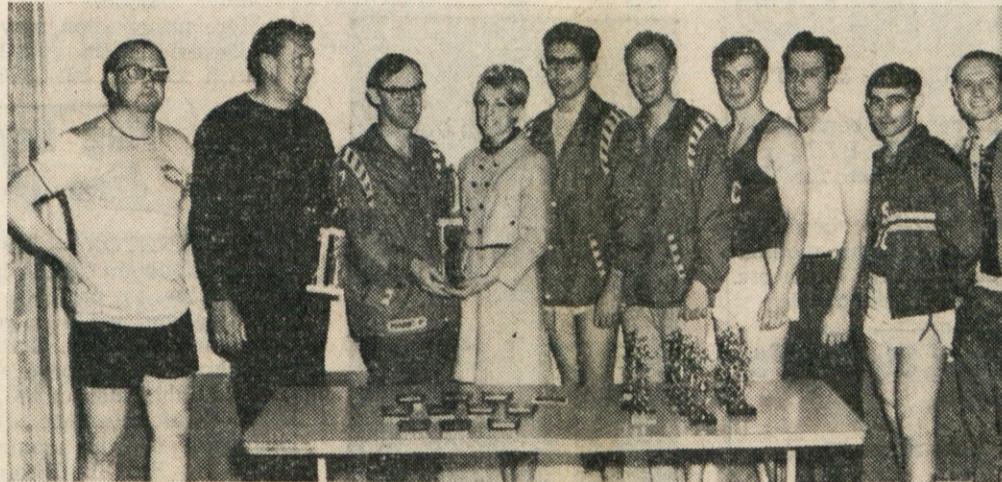


Always hold
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MARIO PERCIC AND CY SELAN SOCK IT TO 'EM

Slovene Sports Club Wins Volleyball Championship



VOLLEYBALL CHAMPIONS. Linda Fox, Euclid's 1968 Volleyball Tournament Queen, presents the championship trophy to Mario Percic of Slovene Sports Club. From left: tourney chairman Ted Stepien, Bill Hornsby of the runner-up Euclid Y team, Percic, Miss Fox, Joe Kosir, Mario Zakel, Frank Tomine, John Ambrozic, Cy Selan, co-chairman Jerry Dylag.

The Slovene Sports Club captured the first Euclid Invitational volleyball tournament championship recently at Memorial Park Arena by winning its last seven games to finish with an 8-2 mark.

Defeated in two of the first three starts by Nor-Ferrous and Nationwide Advertising, the Slovenes rallied behind the outstanding play of Mario Percic and Cy Selan to gain top honors in the six-team tournament.

Euclid YMCA, pre-tourney favorites, could not get untracked but managed to finish second by virtue of a double forfeit win in the last round. Al Luikart's Non-Ferrous spikers played well, but the five-hour tournament was too much.

Nationwide Advertising, runner-up in the Euclid Volleyball League, jumped out to an early lead by winning five of its first six games, but faltered after three straight losses.

Player-coach Ted Stepien, who also served as co-chairman of the tournament, was without the services of 6-8 Dick Theisen, fourth-place finish on the outstanding setups of Ed Mikovich and Sherman Lanning.

The remaining entry from the Euclid Volleyball League, the Bugmen, finished last with 10 straight losses despite a top performance from Jack Barno.

Bake Sale June 8-9 In St. Vitus Social Room

SWU Branch No. 25 is having a Bake Sale Saturday, June 3 and Sunday, June 9. Any donation will be welcome and accepted.

Please help us make this another successful venture as you have done in the past. We will be grateful for whatever donation you can bring.

Baked goods accepted and sold on Saturday from 12:00 noon until 5:00. Baked goods accepted and sold on Sunday from 8:00 a.m. on. Saturday's "special" is krofe.

Slov. Home for Aged Annual Meeting

At the annual membership meeting of The Slovene Home for the Aged in Cleveland, Ohio, held on Friday, May 17, 1968, the following persons were elected as Trustees: for a three year term, Andrew Turkman, Joseph Zele, Fred Krizman, John Cech, and Vida Shiffner; for a two year term, Frances Y. Zak; for a one year term, Josephine Henkman. Agnes Pace was elected as first alternate, John DiVito as second alternate.

Incumbent trustees are Marie Shaver, Alma Lazar, Mike Telich, Joe Gabrowshek, Tony Mrak, Jakob Strekal, Mary Furlan, and Anton Svec.

Officers of the new Board of Trustees were elected at the first regular Trustees' meeting after the annual meeting, as follows: Fred Krizman, President; John Cech, Vice President; Vida Shiffner, Recording Secretary; Frances Y. Zak, Corresponding Secretary; and Alma Lazar, Treasurer.

The new Board expresses its sincere appreciation of the prevailing good will at the annual meeting, and acknowledges the very generous and enthusiastic attendance which is convincing evidence that the Slovene people of our community are truly devoted to the Slovene Home for the Aged, its effective operation and progressive growth in serving the aging people in our midst.

Vida Shiffner

Stamp Exhibitions Set For Summer Months

"Give your collection a summer treat," will again be the theme of this year's one-day Summer Bourses staged by the Northern Ohio Stamp Dealers Association on Saturday, June 15th, from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the air-conditioned Otis Room of the Manger Hotel, East 13th and Chester Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio.

Future Saturday bourse dates are July 13th and August 10th.

The purpose of these bourses is to help keep stamp collecting "alive" over the summer months. Last year's dates were highly successful and well received by the public. Admission is free.

Natural Divide

Helena, Mont. — Montana and Idaho are separated by the continental divide which also extends through Wyoming, Colorado and New Mexico.

Rev. Soklic Observes Silver Jubilee



Rev. Sebastian Soklic, TOR

Lorain, O.—Father Sebastian F. Soklic, Third Order Regular Franciscan, an Air Force chaplain, came home to Lorain to offer his silver jubilee Mass in his boyhood church, SS. Cyril and Methodius, on Memorial Day, May 30.

He is the son of Frank Soklic, 1729 E. 32 St. His mother died two years ago. He also has two sisters in Lorain, Mrs. Mary Sesek and Mrs. Anthony Yelenc.

Preaching at the Mass for Father Soklic was Franciscan Father Vincent Negerbon, president of the order's St. Francis College in Loretto, Pa. A reception was held in the school hall after Mass.

Father Sebastian, who attended SS. Cyril and Methodius School, has been an Air Force chaplain since 1959 and holds the rank of major. He served his first tour of chaplain duty in the Air Force from 1952 to 1954.

Father Sebastian entered the Franciscans July 4, 1936, and was professed four years later. He was ordained May 8, 1943, in Altoona, Pa., by Bishop Richard T. Guiloyle.

Before serving in the Air Force, he had been assistant headmaster at St. Francis Prep School, 1943-46; did graduate work at Catholic U., Washington, 1946-48, and served on the faculty at Steubenville (O) College, 1948-52.

After returning from his first tour as Air Force chaplain, he served for five years as dean of students at Loretto St. Francis College until recalled to duty in 1959.

Federation of Slovenian Homes

The Federation of Slovenian Homes at its bi-monthly meeting Tuesday, May 22, 1968 installed its new officers: Edwin Grosel, President; Harry Blatnik, Vice President; Stanley Pockar, Financial Treasurer; Joseph Fortuna, Recording Secretary; Auditors Albert Marn, Anton Zak, Joseph Trebec; Corresponding Secretary Mickey Dancul.

The Annual July 4th (Independence Day) "Slovene Home Day" Picnic will again be held at the SNPJ Grounds on Heath Rd. This year's edition promises to be bigger and better than ever. We will feature four of the best bands in the land for your dancing and listening pleasure. Starting off the festivities will be the Madisons, winners of "The Polka Band of Tomorrow Contest"; at 4 p.m. Duke Marsic and his Happy Slovenes will take over followed by the Rich Vadnal's Orchestra at 6 p.m. Bringing down the curtain will be the World's Polka Champ Frankie Yankovic and his Yanks.

In addition, we will have games, pony rides, and many other surprises for the children. A Balina Tournament is scheduled for the adults. Assemble your team now and register with your home president. There is no charge to enter. Prizes will be awarded to participants in 3 classes: professional, old timers and women.

General chairman for the picnic is Tony Zal assisted by the following committee chairmen:

Food — John Taucher
Refreshments — Joe Fortuna,
Bank Bokal, and Harry Blatnik

Gifts — Mickey Dancul
Balina Tournament — Stan Pockar

Soft Drinks — Al Marr
Games and Rides — Emil Martinic

Tickets — Frank Bavec
Ed Grosel,
President

All Star Amateur Boxing Show

Cleveland and other Lake Erie Association boxers will oppose an all star boxing team from Detroit and environs (Michigan A.A.U.) on Saturday, June 15, 1968 at Navy Park Gymnasium. First bout starts at 8:15 p.m.

The Show sponsored by the Olympic Development Program of the Amateur Athletic Union will consist of ten (10) or more bouts.

The purpose of this show is to improve the caliber of amateur boxers. Regular competition against strong opposition will attain peak physical condition and boxing ability.

The first Inter-City Show (Cleveland vs. Cincinnati) was enthusiastically received by a large audience.

Other shows against Toledo, Syracuse, Columbus and Buffalo are planned.

While with the Air Force, Father Sebastian served in Mississippi, Texas, England, Tripoli, Saudi Arabia, Turkey and the Philippines. He is now stationed at Kirtland AFB, New Mexico.

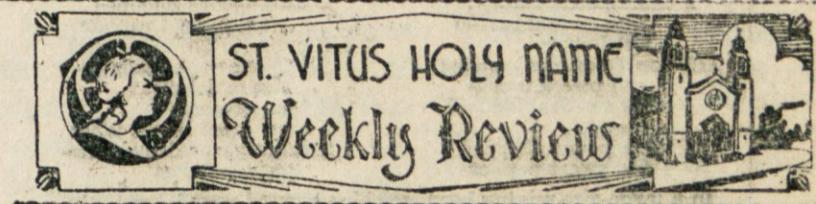
LIFE'S WORK BEGINS

School is out, the report card taken home with pride or disappointment and a veritable army of young people are looking about for summer's change of pace. To some, the summer will be a time of relaxation, sports and rest; to others it will be a time to sample the world's work, to earn some coveted possession. To the graduates, who will turn their backs on schools, it will be a time to meet the responsibilities they will face the rest of their lives.

As the measure of the school system is the degree of eagerness and preparation with which the graduate comes to the adult work-a-day world, so the measure of the community is the understanding and enthusiasm with which he is greeted. If the truth of the old American concept of opportunity for all is to be preserved, then those opportunities must exist and the newcomers must be helped over the rough spots to find them.

Not every graduate will be qualified for the job he wants, or opportunities may be limited in the area he has chosen, but all must be greeted with encouragement rather than rejection, aid rather than disinterest, as they seek their place in the world of today to do their part to create a better world of tomorrow.

The community of business and industry needs the constant infusion of youth and fresh eagerness if it is to find the answers to problems created by the great number of technological changes.



Holy Name Society News

COMMUNION — MEETING INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

The regular monthly meeting of the St. Vitus Holy Name Society will be held this coming Sunday morning. The group will proceed from the auditorium to the church at 7:45. Mass will be at 8 o'clock. A short breakfast meeting will be held in the church hall after Mass.

The intention for the month is for our dads and sons. So bring your dad or your son.

Installation of new officers for 1968-1969 will be the most important item on the program.

St. Vitus School Honor Awards

GRADUATION AWARDS FOR SCHOLARSHIP

Paul Dolenc, \$100.00, Holy Name

Society.
Barbara Walsh, \$100.00, Ladies Auxiliary.
Candice Prebil, \$25.00, Ladies Auxiliary.
Clare Godic, \$25.00, Ladies Auxiliary.

FOR CITIZENSHIP

Kenneth Tomsick, \$100.00, Catholic War Vets.
Debby Koesel, \$100.00, Catholic Foresters.

The following received Honor Ribbons because they were honor students for at least three marking periods: Mark Avsec, Mirko Brezavsek, Joseph Cancic, Paul Dolenc, Tom Lobe, Anton Ogrinc, Joseph Petelin, Robert Prijatel, Norbert Stransky, Kenneth Tomsick, Carol Andrews, Denise Archacki, Marilyn Dezelan, Clare Godic, Deborah Koesel, Antonia Meglic, Cecilia Modzelewski, Candice Prebil, Helga Schoder, Josephine Staric, Marie Vidmar, Barbara Walsh.

SHORTS ON SPORTS



N. L. Gives Divisional Plan Cold Shoulder

Chicago, Ill. — Just a day after the National League closed the expansion gap by going to 12 teams for 1969, another gulf developed between the two major circuits. Now there is a schedule gap.

The American League announced here May 28 that its clubs had approved a 156-game schedule with two six-club divisions for 1969. The World Series representative will be decided in a best-of-five play-off between the division winners.

The league was divided up geographically like this:

EASTERN DIVISION: — Boston, New York, Baltimore, Washington, Cleveland and Detroit; WESTERN DIVISION: — Chicago, Minnesota, Kansas City, Oakland, Seattle and California.

President Joe Cronin said the proposal was adopted by majority vote.

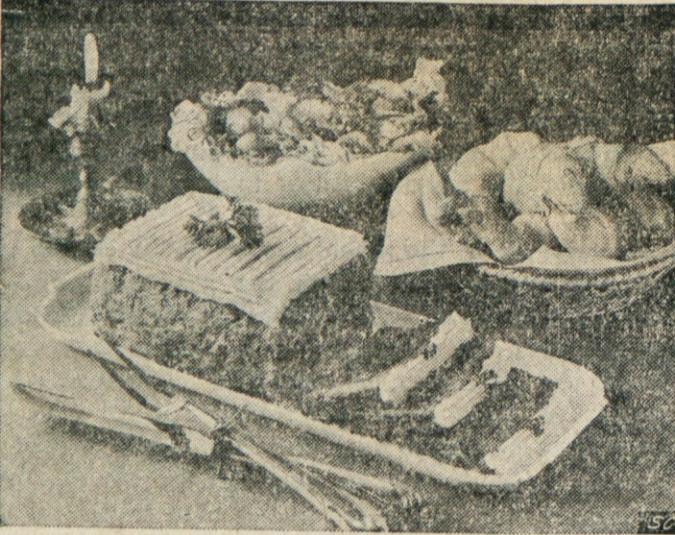
About a half hour later, N. L. President Warren Giles said his league was considering, but had not yet adopted, a 162-game schedule for a non-divisional 12-club setup.

"We do not subscribe to divisional play," said Giles. "We do not believe a league's representative in the World Series should be decided any other way than by the traditional and historical method that the team which wins the greatest number of games percentage-wise should be the champion."

Fat Strikes Are Fatal

Los Angeles, Calif. — Don Drysdale, whose endurance and competitive zeal seldom have been matched, says the difference between a good and a bad year usually involves no more than three or four inches.

"Any guy can throw strikes," he said, "but it depends on what kind of strikes he throws. In 1966, my strikes were catching four or five inches of the plate. With fat strikes like that, you can forget it."

How To Loaf With Mince Meat

Fill-em-up fare from the Borden Kitchen: a meat loaf sparked with the pungent good taste of ready-to-use mince meat.

Mince Meat Stuffed Meat Loaf

(Makes 6 servings)

2 lbs. ground round	2 eggs, beaten
2 tablespoons plus 1	1 teaspoon salt
teaspoon (one-half	2 tablespoons dehydrated
of 1-1/4 oz. pkg.)	parsley flakes
onion soup mix	

STUFFING:

2 tablespoons Danish	2 tablespoons chopped
Flavor Margarine	green sweet pepper
OR butter	1-1/3 cups (1/2 of 28-oz. jar)
1/2 cup (4-oz. can) stems	None Such ready-to-
and pieces mush-	use mince meat
rooms, drained and	
chopped	
2 tablespoons chopped	1/2 teaspoon salt
red sweet pepper	2 cups dried bread cubes
	2 tablespoons dehydrated
	celery flakes

In a large-size mixing bowl, combine ground round, soup mix, eggs, salt, and parsley flakes. Line the sides and bottom of a 9 x 5 x 3-inch loaf pan carefully with approximately 3/4 of the meat mixture. In a large skillet, melt margarine or butter. Sauté chopped mushrooms and peppers until golden brown. Add remaining ingredients; mix lightly. Spoon stuffing into meat-lined loaf pan. Press firmly. Cover with remaining meat mixture. Bake in a moderate (350°F.) oven about 1-1/4 hours, or until top is dark golden brown. Pour off liquid from pan. Invert pan over serving platter; carefully remove pan. If desired, pipe onion whipped potatoes through a decorators' bag across top of meat loaf.

Reporting from Washington

CHARLES P. BURKE • Supervisor, 2nd Dist., Ohio
COLUMBUS NEWS STAFF, WALTER L. COOPER

NEW LAW AGAINST AGE DISCRIMINATION IN EMPLOYMENT. On June 12, 1968, the new Age Discrimination in Employment Act of 1967 (Public Law 90-202) goes into effect. Here are the basic provisions: Employers of 25 or more persons, involved in interstate commerce, may no longer refuse to hire workers aged 40-65, nor may they fire them on the basis of age alone. Employment agencies may no longer refuse to refer workers in this age group to prospective employers, or no longer may even try to classify them on the basis of age. Labor unions may no longer exclude those in the 40-65 age bracket from membership or refuse to refer older members to employers simply because of their age. In essence, only where age is "a bona fide occupational qualification reasonably necessary to the normal operation of the particular business" may employers continue to bar the older worker.

Today more than one in four job openings are closed to those over age 45 and two in four job openings are barred to those over 55. This type of discrimination is a key reason why so many Americans are now choosing early retirement at greatly reduced pension benefits. For years employers have been shunning the older worker on the basis that he or she is physically weaker, has a high rate of absenteeism and isn't adaptable to change. At the same time study after study has shown that older workers actually have lower absenteeism rates, change jobs less frequently and perform their jobs more enthusiastically than do younger workers.

The ban on age discrimination is a vitally important addition to the national prohibition, under the 1964 Civil Rights Act, against job discrimination because of race, creed, color, sex or national origin. But as far as age is concerned, this should be just a starter. For instance, I have long thought that the earnings limitation in the Social Security law should be repealed so that those over 65 could work and earn money without losing benefits. My bill on this subject is H.R. 297. The present limit on earn-

ings of \$1,680 a year under Social Security discourages persons over 65, many of whom have vitally needed skills, from continuing in employment or seeking part-time jobs. This is a great loss from both a social and economic standpoint.

HELP FOR VIETNAM ORPHANS Army Specialist Jon H. Grim of Cleveland, currently stationed with the 9th Infantry Division in Vietnam has written me as follows: "Recently my buddies and I felt the need and responsibility to do something for the many orphans here and much to our surprise and elation, we discovered an orphanage just six miles from our base camp. There are 72 Buddhist monks and nuns and 250 boys for them to care for! These people are so dedicated to the children. I think that dedication is one reason they accepted our help and put aside all of their suspicions. All of us are working for the betterment of the children's living conditions. But we need some stateside help! The big need is for clothing and rubber clogs as the monsoon season rapidly approaches. Also soap is a great item with them as it is so hard to obtain over here. You might be interested in knowing that they will not accept money as they feel it brings bad luck. If you could have any interested people drop me a card I will be more than happy to answer all questions I can."

Anyone who would like to write should address their cards or letters as follows: Sp 4 Jon H. Grim, 9th Admin. Co., A & D 9th Infantry Division, APO San Francisco 96370.

LAND AND WATER CONSERVATION FUND ACT AMENDMENTS. The House has passed and sent to the Senate H.R. 3578, amendments to the Land and Water Conservation Fund Act of 1965. This bill is designed to provide additional revenue for park land acquisition by earmarking 35 to 40 percent of the receipts from off-shore oil production. With our ever growing population there is a great need to develop recreation lands and waters as well as to preserve certain areas for the enjoyment of future generations.

GUIDE TO SIZE OF AIR CONDITIONER

A pair of shoes and a room air conditioner might seem to have nothing in common, but you can end up being pretty uncomfortable if you buy either one too small.

You can't expect to squeeze a size 10 foot into a 6AAA shoe and you cannot satisfactorily air condition a 15-20 foot living room with only a 4,000-BTU unit.

With the desire for cool comfort expected to be uppermost in most people's minds for the next four months, The Illuminating Company offers the following simplified guide to enable consumers to calculate in BTU's the size of room air conditioner they need to assure comfort and efficient operation.

(All manufacturers now rate their air conditioners in BTU's — or units of heat per hour which the room cooler must be capable of removing.)

First, allow 18 BTU's per square

foot of floor area of the room to be cooled. However, if the room is on the top floor of the building, where the cooling load is almost doubled, allow 33 BTU's per square foot.

Next, consider the windows in the room. If there are unshaded windows facing west, allow an additional 150 BTU's per square foot of glass area.

The value of shading windows to reduce summer heat is emphasized by the fact that if these windows are shaded by draw draperies, window shades, venetian blinds or awnings, you need allow only 45 BTU's per square foot of glass area.

If there are no windows facing west, then measure those facing east, allowing 90 BTU's per square foot of glass if unshaded, but only 40 BTU's per square foot if shaded.

If the room lacks windows facing west or east, then allow 70 BTU's per square foot of glass for un-

shaded windows facing south, and 20 BTU's per square foot for shaded windows.

Note: Disregard any windows facing north. Also, if windows in a room face more than one direction, measure only those facing the direction with the highest BTU factor.

To illustrate the calculations, take a 12 x 16-foot bedroom on the top floor, with two standard-sized (9 square feet) shaded windows facing south and two facing west.

The arithmetic goes this way:

12 x 16 equals 192 square feet.
192 times 33 BTU's equals 6,336 BTU's. 2 windows (each 9 square feet) facing west 2 x 9 = 18 sq. ft.
x 45 BTU's = 810 BTU's.

Total: 6,336 BTU's plus 810 BTU's = 7,146 BTU's.

Therefore, a room air conditioner with a rating of 7,200 BTU's per hour would be suitable for the above-described room.

Although considerably simplified here, this is basically the method used by air conditioning engineers for calculating residential needs.

Soccer Game Saturday At Cleveland Stadium

The Cleveland Stokers and the Detroit Cougars, two teams fighting for leadership in the Lakes Division of the North American Soccer League, will clash Saturday, June 8 at 8 p.m. at Cleveland Stadium. Featured at halftime of the game will be a penalty kick contest with local radio and television personalities trying to beat the Stokers' fine Yugoslavian goalkeeper, Marko Bilic.



Dietrich Albrecht is No. 11, Wing Forward, on the Cleveland Stokers soccer team. He is 6'3", weighs 165 pounds, and is 28 years old.

Albrecht is a very good and speedy shot with either foot, and played in 29 of 32 games for the Philadelphia Spartans in 1967.

He gained his job with the Spartans by walking into practice and asking for a tryout. He is a product of the German-American League in New York. He was born in Germany, came to the U.S. at age 11. He is married.

Collinwood Slovenian Home Notes

This Friday, June 7th, our clubroom will present a new innovation, "Sing-a-long with Gene" starring Gene March on the keyboard.

You can request your favorite ballad and then join the gang in the song. If the past sessions are any indication, we should have a house full of harmony, Friday evening, starting at 8 p.m. Come early to enjoy our Fish or Meat Dinner and then join the fun.

Our Clubroom Bowling League will hold its Family Party Sunday, June 9th starting at 3 p.m. All bowlers are urged to bring their families along, especially the children, as we have planned some activities especially for them. In addition, we will have a Balina Tournament for the Moms and Dads.

The Collinwood Slovenian Sports Club is now in the formation stage. Any sports minded male over 21 years of age interested in joining may contact Hank Bokal. One of the future events for this group will be a dance.

Tony Petkovsek's "Polka Band of Tomorrow Contest" was a tremendous success in that it exposed "publicly" eleven of the greatest young bands in the area. It is unfortunate that only three of the groups won prizes, as they were all very talented. First prize winners were the Madison's led by Ed Kenik Jr. 1st runner up was Bob Oblocki and his orchestra. The Pol-kas-ters were the 2nd runners up led by Bill Srnick Jr.

We Slovenians should consider ourselves very fortunate to have such talented youngsters ready to step in where the Yankovic's, Pecon's, Trebar's, Vadan's, etc. retire. I hope all of our fraternal, social and other organizations, contact these orchestras when in need of a good band.

The Federation of Slovenian Homes will feature the Madison's along with the Duke Marsic, Rich Vadal and Frank Yankovic Orchestras at its Independence Day, July 4th "Slovene Home Day" outing at the SNPJ Picnic Grounds on Heath Rd.

Last Wednesday, we visited the Euclid Slovenian Home to attend the Circle Two Dinner-Dance. The food was delicious and the entertainment superb. It was gratifying to see the hall filled, in tribute to these hard working youngsters, their parents and directors, especially so since they have had to do it on their own, without the help of their Parent Organization. We wish them Bon Voyage and the best of everything on their European Tour.

Ed Grosel, President

Summer Classes Open For Adult Education

Free summer classes opened the week of June 3 in the Adult Basic Education program of the Cleveland Public Schools. These will be held in 35 neighborhood locations.

Classes are offered to all adults who desire help in reading, writing, spelling, arithmetic, or history at all levels through the eighth grade.

Special citizenship classes are offered to immigrants who wish to

prepare for citizenship examinations. Citizenship classes will be held at the Main Branch of the Cleveland Public Library and at John Marshall Adult Center this summer.

Lessons in English for the foreign born offer an opportunity for recent immigrants and others to learn to read and write English and to better understand American government and customs.

Each class meets two or three times a week, daytime or evening. The summer session is scheduled for nine weeks. Students may enroll at any time throughout the summer session.

More information may be obtained by calling the Adult Education Branch Office, 621-6360.

Flag Day June 14

WASHINGTON — The formation of a nationwide "Pride in America" Committee to promote display of the flag and pride in country was announced recently. Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower will serve as honorary national chairman of the committee.

The announcement of the establishment of the committee was made by Fred L. Dixon, a Washington, D.C., investment broker, who is serving as national chairman of the group. Dixon said a top-level board of directors made up of some of this Nation's most prominent citizens will be announced shortly.

"The Pride in America Committee was established," Dixon said, "to counterbalance the wave of lawlessness, violence, flag-burnings and similar activities which have been sweeping the country and to provide a rallying point for citizens who still have faith and pride in this Nation and its flag."

The first phase of the committee's plan to restore respect for the flag will come on June 14, which is Flag Day. On that day, and on subsequent national holidays, Americans across the country will be asked to clip small (4 by 6 inch) flags on their car radio antennas, to wear metal lapel flags on their suits or dresses, and display flags on their homes and places of business.

"What we're trying to revive with this committee," Dixon said, "is a spirit which has been too long dormant — namely, pride in country and respect for and display of the American flag. We are pleased that former President Eisenhower has enthusiastically agreed to serve as honorary chairman of this committee and we expect to announce shortly the membership of a board of directors composed of some of this Nation's leading citizens from all walks of life."

Dixon said the committee is a non-profit venture designed solely to promote pride in flag and country. He said there will be no dues or membership assessments. "We are promoting only pride in America," said Dixon, "and we invite all Americans to join us."

He said the committee plans no demonstrations, marches, parades or other group activity — only the individual participation of citizens displaying flags on their car antennas, on their clothing or their homes and places of business on occasions such as Flag Day, the Fourth of July and other holidays.

Fun Tours Offered by CTS

The Cleveland Transit System will operate a Fun Tour to the Blue Hole in Castalia, Ohio, on Saturday, June 15th, E. C. Krueger, CTS General Manager, has said.

Tour buses will leave Cleveland's Public Square between 9 and 9:30 a.m. and the last bus will leave Castalia for the return trip at 3 p.m.

Tickets are \$4.00 for adults and \$2.50 for children 12 years of age and younger and are available at the CTS Information Booth on Public Square, or by sending a check or money order to Fun Tours, CTS, 1404 East 9th Street, Cleveland, O. 44114.

Daily bus service to the Cleveland Zoo is being offered again this summer by the Cleveland Transit System, starting June 15th.

Two colorful buses are operated between Public Square and the Zoo over Route 20C-West 25th Street. One of the Zoo Special buses has brilliantly colored rhinoceroses parading around its sides — the other bus has colorful monkeys climbing over it.

Hourly service is provided on weekdays and Saturdays between 10 a.m. and 5 p.m. and half-hour service is offered on Tuesdays and Sundays.

The regular CTS local rate of fare is charged and special Zoo timetables are available by calling 621-9500.

All youngsters who ride the Zoo Specials will receive a free CTS Zoo Coloring Book.

Have a Heart

A famous artist's likeness of a magnate's wife was not pleasing to the wealthy one. Remonstrating with the artist he complained: "Why, you've got the plainest woman I've ever seen on that canvas."

"Maybe," replied the painter, "but if you wanted me to paint a peach, why did you bring me a lemon?"

HEALTH TIPS FOR VACATIONS**Death Notices**

Bambic, William (Lefty) — Husband of Lois (nee Powell), father of Sandra, Mary Ann, Sharon, William, brother of Michael, Frank, Joseph, Stanley, Rudolph, Mrs. Homer (Frances) Hall. Residence at 700 E. 241 St.

Cirko, Frank — Husband of Florence "Dotty" (nee Hunter), son of Joseph Cirko of Grovewood Ave., brother of Joseph A. Jr., Mrs. Albert (Irene) Beck. Residence at 29616 Sylvan Dr.

Cosko, James — Husband of Stela (nee Gardner), father of Robert L., Leslie G., Helen Powis, George C., Jeanne M. McCloskey, brother of Mary Bertini, Anne Canastaro, Carmen, Joseph. Residence at 8301 Kormak Ave.

Makar, Nicholas — Husband of Alice (nee Herak), father of Nicholas, Peter, John, Michael, Mary Relic, Anne Ferris, brother of Daniel, John. Residence at 7917 Maryland Avenue.

Nose, Louis — Uncle of Mrs. Mary Intihar, great uncle of Michael Lesica. Residence at 15913 Holmes Avenue.

Probst, Dorothy — Mother of Francis Jr., sister of Leo A. Krause. Residence at 17572 Lake Shore Blvd.

Samardge, John P. — Brother of Catherine, Agnes Juricevic, Nick, Michael, Peter. Residence at 5725 South Blvd., Maple Heights, O.