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bilijonov za dve leti

V dobrih dveh letih je guverner povečal državne izdatke za preko 50%.

COLUMBUS, O. — Državna poslanska zbornica je izglasovala državni proračun za prihodnji dve leti v obsegu 9.9 bilijonov dolarjev. To je doslej največji državni proračun. Zanj je glasovalo 56, proti pa 39 poslanec. Ne predvideva nobenih novih davkov ali povišanja sedanjih.

Demokrati, ki imajo v zbornici večino, so proračun zagovarjali kot stvaren in praktičen, med tem ko ga je vodnik republikancev, ki so v manjšini, označil za "grabljenje davkov brez ozira na potrebe po davčnih olačavah in davčnih reformi".

Predloženo je bilo več reform pri obračunavanju državnega dohodninskega davka, zlasti za zakonske pare, pa so bili vsi predlogi odklonjeni. Protiv njim se je izjavil sam guverner J. J. Gilligan, pa četudi je očitno, da je sedanji zakon za zakone pristranski in škodljiv.

Predlog je bil poslan v obračunavo v Senat, kjer so demokrati v manjšini, in ga zato brez dvoma čaka precej težav.

Državni proračun v času guvernerja J. Rhoda je v zadnjih dveh letih znašal 6.1 bilijonov, gov. Gilligan ga je v svojih prvih dveh letih povišal na 8.1 bilijon, v drugem dvoletju pa že kar na 9.9 bilijonov, torej v dobi dveh let kar za preko 50%!

Turki na Cipru pozivajo Turčijo in Grčijo, naj napravita na otoku red

NIKOZIA, Ciper. — Ko se nadšef in predsednik republike Makarios boril z gen. G. Grivasom za vpliv med otoškimi Grki, postaja Turkom na otoku tesno in negotovo. Zato se je nujno izvoljeni vodnik obrnil na Turčijo in Grčijo ter ju pozval, naj na otoku napravita red.

Turek trdi, da je med prebivalstvom vse preveč orožja in da je to treba pobrati. Tega domača ciprska uprava ne zmori, to moreta storiti le Turčija in Grčija s skupnim nastopom po predhodnem dogovoru. Če pride do večjega odprtrega boja med Grki na otoku, sodi turški vodnik Denktash, da bi mogle biti v zvezi s črpanjem, hranjenjem in prevozom olja.

Spor med Grki se med tem nadaljuje in nobena od obeh grških skupin ni voljna dati otoškim Turkom toljko samoupravo, kot jo ti zahtevajo. Grki trdijo, da hočejo ciprski Turki državo v državi.

Najmanj 500 mrtvih od tornada v Banglades

DAKA, Bang. — Včeraj so tod objavili, da je tornado, ki je deljal nad okrajem Manikganj, počkal najmanj 500 ljudi, več tisoč pa jih ranil.

To je bila v teku enega tedna že druga takata nesreča, ki je zadevala državo Banglades.

Vremenski prerok



Delno oblačno z možnostjo neviht, soporno. Najvišja temperatura do 77.

Zadnje vesti

WASHINGTON, D.C. — Watergate aféra se razvija dalje, ko je J. Dean, predsednikov pravni svetovalec v Beli hiši, dejal, da ne bo postal "grešni kozel" in ko je J. Mitchell, kot poročan danes NYT, priznal, da se je trikrat razgovarjal o načrtih za vohunjenje v demokratskem glavnem uradu, pa da je vselej predloge za to odklonil.

WASHINGTON, D.C. — Predsednik R. Nixon odletel danes popoldne za čez praznike v svoj dom v Key Biscayne v Floridi. Razpoloženje v Beli hiši je med tem zaradi Watergate afere postal naravnost turbovno.

PHNOM PENH, Kamb. — Pri sestavljanju nove vlade je prišlo do težav, ker zahtevata vodnika opozicijskih skupin odstranitev predsednikovega brata gen. Lon Nona, ki je bil doslej glavni svetovalec predsednika Lon Nola, iz vlade in če le možno tudi iz dežele. Menda pojde za poslanika v ZDA.

WASHINGTON, D.C. — Po uradnih podatkih je gospodarstvo v prvih treh mesecih letosnjega leta rastlo v povprečju 14.3% inflacija pa istočasno v povprečju 6%. Tak položaj je nevzdržen in zvezna vlada bo morala nekaj nujno ukreniti za odločnejše zaviranje inflacije. Njen sedanji val je v glavnem krivda vlada, ker je lani pustila v gospodarstvo preveč denarja, da bi preprečila vsako možnost zastoja, ko je bila dežela pred predsedniškimi in kongresnimi volitvami.

Države lahko terjajo za škodo onesnaženja

Zvezno vrhovno sodišče je edločilo, da so družbe odgovorne finančno za onesnaženje z oljem.

WASHINGTON, D.C. — Zvezno vrhovno sodišče je potrdilo floridski zakon, ki dolča odgovornost bordanjskih podjetij in petrolejskih družb za onesnažitev morja in krepna z oljem. To se nanaša ne le za prevoz in zaloge olja, ampak tudi za njegovo iskanje in črpanje. Države imajo možnost in pravico zahtevati odškodnino za vsako škodo v zvezi s črpanjem, hranjenjem in prevozom olja.

Odločitev Vrhovnega zveznega sodišča je posebno važna v času, ko so kar na tihem znotražili črpati olje v prelivu pred Sv. Barbaro v Kaliforniji in v času, ko ugotavljajo bogata ležišča olja na kontinentalni plošči pred atlantsko obalo ZDA.

Pregled sedanjih geoloških podatkov za atlantsko kontinentalno ploščo, ki sega na raznih krajinah več sto milij v ocean, kaže, da so možna tri večja nahajališča olja vzdeči atlantske obale. Največ si obetajo od področja vzhodno od Long Islanda. Nekatere ugibljajo, da utegne biti v zemeljskih plasti, pod morjem tod toliko ali še več olja, kot so ga našli pred obalo Louisiane v Mehškem zalivu.

Ko je tliko govorjenja in pišanja o pomanjkanju olja, ne bo nemara preveč dolgo, ko bodo začeli vrtati za oljem ob atlantski obali. Za enkrat še ni jasno, kdo ima tam pravico do podelitve dovoljenja za vrtanje, državne vlade ali zvezna.

VESELO VELIKO NOČ!



(Linolej Franceta Goršeta)

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AMERIŠKA DOMOVINA želi vsem svojim naročnikom, sodelavcem, podpornikom in čitaljem veselo Veliko noč!

FRANCOSKI ŠKOFJE POZIVAJO VERNIKE K SPOŠTOVANJU JUDOV

PARIZ, Fr. — Katoliški škofje Francije so pozvali verne, naj spoštujejo jude, ker da ti često zaslužijo naše občudovanje, včasih našo prijateljko in bratsko kritiko, vedno pa našo ljubezen.

"Morala je pa tisto, kar oni najbolj pogrešajo in v čemer je krščanska vest najbolj kriva," pravi škofovsko navodilo.

Dokument je bil sestavljen v soglasju z zadevno izjavo vatiskanskega cerkevnega zboru iz leta 1965. Prišel je za Veliko noč, ko se kristjani spominjam Ježusovega križanja in pozivov ju-dov pred Pilatom: "Njegova kri-naj pride nad nas in naše otro-

ZDA končale vsako podpiranje Ugande

WASHINGTON, D.C. — Združenje države bodo s koncem sedanjega proračuna 30. junija 1973 končale vse podpiranje afriške države Ugande. Tamkajšnja vlada je o tem že obveščena in je predsednik republike Idris Amin preko radia Kampala izjavil, da so Ugandčani sposobni s trdim delom pomagati sami sebi in napredku.

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ZDA privijajo Hanoi

Zaradi kršenja določil pariškega dogovora od strani Severnega Vietnama so ZDA prekinile odstranjevanje min pred pristanišči Severnega Vietnama in ustavile razgovore o svoji pomoči pri obnovi Severnega Vietnama.

WASHINGTON, D.C. — Vlada ZDA se je naveličala opaziti Hanoi, da ne bo mirno trpe-la grobo kršenje dogovora v Parizu. Pozivi in svarila niso zaledli, zato ameriško letalstvo vztrajno napada rdeče v Kamboži in je dva dni na prošnjo laoške vlade tolko tudi rdeče v Laosu, ko so ti kljub premirju z večjim vojaškim nastopom zasedli mesto Tha Vieng, južno od Planote vrčev. Severni Vietnam bi bil moral v smislu določil premirja umakniti svoje čete iz Kambožije in Laos in ustaviti vsako pošiljanje novih vojnih potrebščin in svojega vojaštva v Južni Vietnam. Vsega tega se ni držal; tako vsaj trdi vlada ZDA.

ZDA so prekinile odstranjevanje min pred pristanišči Severnega Vietnama. To je prvi objavil Hanoi in pri tem obdolžil ZDA, da hočejo tako podaljševati blokado Severnega Vietnama. V svoji izjavi je zunanje ministvrstvo v Hanoiu trdilo, da so ameriške pomorske sile, ki so mine odstranjevale, doslej unočile le tri. Predstavnik vojne mornarice ZDA, ki je odgovorna za čiščenje min, je že pred časom poudaril, da je to zapleten in počasen posel, ki ga ne bo mogoče končati pred 6 meseci.

Sedanja prekinitev odstranjevanja min je druga, ZDA so to delo prvič prekinile pretekli mesec, ko je prišlo do spora zradi izpuštanja ameriških vojnih ujetnikov v Laosu. Hanoi je nato naglo popustil. Tokrat je vprašanje težje in ni gotovo, če bo pritisk na Hanoi hitro privadel do uspeha.

Državno tajništvo je pozvalo iz Pariza M. Williamsa, načelnika delegacije ZDA, ki se je pogajala s predstavniki Severnega Vietnama o načrtih za pomoč ZDA pri obnovi Severnega Vietnama na gospodarskem področju. Državni tajnik W. P. Rogers je dejal, da vlada ZDA ne bo predložila Kongresu nobene pomoči Severnemu Vietnamu, dokler ta ne bo nehal kršiti določila pariškega sporazuma.

V državnem tajništvu priznavajo, da pomenita prekinitev odstranjevanja min in ustavitev razgovorov v Parizu večjo kršitev pariškega sporazuma od strani ZDA, toda poudarjajo, da je to "odgovor" na kršitev Severnega Vietnama. Pripomnijo, da sporazum sam "ni v neposredni nevarnosti". Ameriški ukrepi naj bi le prepričali rdeče, da ZDA mislijo resno in da vstrajajo na izpolnjevanju sporazuma, ki so ga z njimi sklenile.

Nevesta je bila voljna odpustiti, sodnik pa ne

LONDON, Vel. Brit. — Nevesta je bila pripravljena odpustiti in pozabiti svojemu ženinu, s katereim se sta sprla in jo je pri tem ranil z nožem, da bi se lahko poročila.

Sodnik je na temelju zakona odločno dejal: Ne! Tako bosta moralna Cheryl Simms in njen malo divji ljubi potrpeti dve leti, da bo ženin odsedel kazen.

Iz Clevelandanda in okolice

Služba božja v mestni hiši—

Nedavno so nam sporočili, da bo župan R. J. Perk uvedel v mestni hiši službo božja vsak drugi mesec. Govorili bodo znični verski vodniki iz Clevelandanda, vse potrebno pa bo vedno prispeval Daniel T. Mausser, poseben pomočnik župana, ki opravlja svojo službo za \$1 na leto. K vsaki službi božji bodo povačili okoli 400 družin. Prva bo 29. aprila ob 2. popoldne.

Sv. maša v Starostnem domu—

V nedeljo ob 4. popoldne bo v Starostnem domu na Neff Road slovenska sveta maša, ki jo bo opravil rev. Matija Balazic, pri nej pa bo pel pevski zbor od Marije Vnebovzete.

Prijeten obisk—

Zadnji torek se je oglasil v uredništvo rev. Matija Balazic, član Misijonske družbe sv. Vincencija Pavlanskega, ki je prišel v Cleveland voditi duhovno obnovno za Slovence pri Mariji Vnebovzeti. V uredništvo ga je spremil rojak Janez Rigler. Bil je sicer kratek, pa prijeten in ponuden razgovor ter zanimivo srečanje. Hvala obema za obisk!

Seja—

St. Clair Business Ass'n bo imel v torek, 24. aprila, ob 8. 30 v Starostnem domu v zvečer Slovenske narodne domu, staro poslopje, svojo letno sejo. Vse članstvo vabljeno!

Kdo je izgubil—

V uradu AD so ključi prijeti na igralno kocko. Kdor jih je izgubil, jih lahko dobi.

Zadušnica—

V torek ob 8.15 bo v cerkvi Marije Vnebovzete sv. maša za pok. Alice Yerak v spomin 9. obletnice njene smrti.

Blagoslov jedi—

Pri Sv. Vidu bo jutri, v soboto, blagoslovitev jedi ob 1. in ob 3. popoldne ter ob 6. zvečer, pri Mariji Vnebovzeti pa ob 3. in ob 4. popoldne.

Vstajenska maša—

Vstajenska sv. maša bo pri Sv. Vidu v nedeljo ob 6. zjutraj, pri Mariji Vnebovzete pa ob 6.30!

Novi grobovi

Agnes Udovich

Ko je Jezus umrl na križu



In zagrinjalo v templju se je pretrgalo od vrha do tal. Zemlja se je tresla, skale so se razpočile, grobovi so se odprli in mnogo teles svetnikov, ki so bili zaspali, je vstalo. In po njegovem vstajenju so šli iz grobov in prišli v sveto mesto ter se prikazali mnogim.

Ko so pa stotnik in ti, ki so z njim Jezusa stražili, videli potres in kar se je godilo, so se silno prestrašili in so govorili: Resnično, ta je bil božji Sin!

In vse množice, ki so se bile sešle, da bi to videle, so se trkale na prsi, ko so videle, kaj se je zgodilo, in so se vračale.

MISIJONSKA SREČANJA IN POMENKI

152. VSTAJENJSKI DUH VELIKE NOĆI.

Pred leti smo v domovini silno hrepeneli po vsakoletni vstajenjski procesiji. Danes, po načrtih božje Previdnosti, razmetani in raztreseni po vseh kontinentih, spet duhovno povezujemo naše napore in stremljenja v posvezanosti MZA. RAZMISLJAJTE, usmiljenke Marije-Andreje Šubljeve tokrat obdeluje VSTAJENJE.

"Na vse zgodaj zjutraj hiti Marija Magdalena h grobu. Najde praznega. Teče k Petru in Janezu in jim pove... Zvezec istega dne sta v Emavsu učenca spoznala Vstalega. Tako se vrneta v Jeruzalem, da obvestita apostole... IN MI?"

Tako smo navajeni, da imamo farne cerkve, nedeljsko sv. mašo in vse premalo se spomnimo na DOLŽNOST: OZNANJATI VESOLO OZNANILO — EVANGELIJ, kot pravi pesem, "njim, ki so blizu, in njim, ki sodale".

Jezus je prisel za vse ljudi, vse časov in narodov. Ne samo za nas, ki smo se rodili v slovenski katoliški družini. VERA JE KAKOR ŽERJAVICA VELIKONOČNE VIGILIJE, da prižege sto in sto luč v temi naši cerkve in morje luči v 'veliki vasi človeške družine', ki se imenuje SVET.

Ali se vam ne zdi, da nam manjka tistega notranjegaognja dveh učencev? Bila sta dosledna in velikodušna. Jezus se jima je pridružil na poti. Spoznala sta ga pri LOMLJENJU KRUHA. Tako sta mislila na enajstere, tam v Jeruzalemu. Zrtvala sta njun načrt za počitek. K nogam sta se vrnila v Jeruzalem, da OZNANITA VESELO NOVICO: JEZUS JE VSTAL!

KRISTUSOVU VSTAJENJE je največji čudež v človeški zgodovini. VSTAJENJE je tako izreden dogodek za človeštvo, da zanj ni primere v zgodovini in je ne bo. Mi, ki vemo za to resnico, smo premalo cuteči. Če kdo zadene loterijo, se kot blisk raznese novica o tem. Ob čudovitem dogodku, ki se za nas ponavlja pri vsaki sv. maši in govoru za večino od nas vsako nedeljo, dasiravno ga na IZREDEN NACIN DOZIVLJAMO NA VELIKO NOĆ, je vredno, predmetni Kalkute. Father Joe da premislimo: KOLIKO SMO še zelo živi v molitvah naših dijakov. Isti dan je iz Jolieta, Ill.

sporočila njegova teta, upok. učiteljica Lojzka Verbičeva, kako rada bi njemu in o. Poderžaju kaj pomagala, če bi zmogla. Njena molitev zanju je dragocena pomoč.

7. aprila se oglaša MZA pionir Fr. Jože Ferkulj, ki se počasi privaja "na spremenjeno življeno, z ozirom na operirane oči, vendar gre silno počasi in še zelo slabo vidim, dasi imam za eno oko že permanentno lečo. Že kaže tri dni sem delal zunaj po nekaj ur. Prvi dan sem obrezal nizke vrtnice, klečoč, na koleni. Po končanem delu sem bil ves trd v nogah. Včeraj sem dal v zemljo prva semena petršilja, solate in redkvic.

Včeraj sem dobil od g. Kopča Mauserjevo knjigo 'LE ENO JE POTREBNO'. Komaj nekaj strani sem prebral, pa je branje zelo privlačno, napeto. Bog vedi, koliko teh knjig je bilo poslanih našim misjonarjem? Ali bi bilo pametno, da bi knjige dobil vsak naš misjonar? Bil bi pripravljen plačati knjigo za vse naše misjonarje. Založili so 2000 izvodov, prodali pa 500. Knjiga lepe vsebine tako med Slovenci kot med Amerikanci ne gre v prodajo. Samo senzacionalne in pornografske knjige in revije gredo v prodajo na milijone." Da, dragi gospod Jože, vsak naš misjonar bo hvalezen tak velikonočni pih, v obliki Baragovega življenejepisa. Iskreno, storkat Zahvaljen za misel in objavljeno plačilo knjig! Bomo prosili sodelujoče v Torontu, če bi nam pomagali lahko zadevo čimpreje urediti.

Cudovit duh misijonskega optimizma veje iz mnoge pošte MZA pionirjev na terenu in v zaledju. Misijonar Silvo Česnik se oglaša iz Vichy-ja v Franciji, po zdravniškem pregledu, ki mu je dal upanje, da bo šel lahko nazaj na Madagaskar. Omenja 3. aprila v pismu, da bosta dva nova misjonarja iz Slovenije verjetno letos odšla z njim na otok. Pismo je vsebinsko vredno, da ga objavimo kmalu v celoti.

Sr. dr. Terezija Žužek bo ostala še preko praznikov v Maleziji in se čuti že malo bolj spočito. V Abesiniji zaradi pomanjkanja vode, ob hudi suši, grožijo epidemije in sestra dr. Agnes Žukove omembla mnoge primere nalezljivega meningitisa in hepatitisa.

Sestra Silva v Philadelphiji že išče vizum za v Ghano in gleda naprej na obisk v Toronto, kadar sodelavka Marjeta Kvasova sporoča, da se v Baragovem misijonskem krožku pripravljajo na obisk in istočasno sporajo sodelavka Mimi Martinčičeva iz Maidstone, Ont., da bi jo želeli imeti med seboj za predavanje tudi rojaki v Windsorju. Sr. Silva piše 10. aprila, da se politični položaj v Ugandi slabša in imajo medicinske sestre že težave za zdravila v njihovi bolnici.

Pionirji clevelandske MZA, ki so zadnji teden dodali svoje vtiše o kisu MZA, med njimi so bili: Jože Želle, Frank in Jelka Kuhelj, Marica Lavriša, Ivanka Pograjec, Caroline Kucher. Posobno je razveseljivo, da je bilo SODELOVA NJE TOKRAT MOČNO SPLOŠNO. Drugo leto mislijo dobre gospe pripraviti še več cvetja za prodajo misjonarjem v pomoč.

Miss Jozefa Staniša je poslala iz Geneve, Ohio, \$200 v pomoč in razdelitev vsem našim misjonarjem. Mrs. Milka Skalar \$100 iz Parkers Prairie, Minn., za sr. Magdaleno Kajnč in vse na Madagaskarju, ali pa "uporabite, kjer vidite največjo potrebo". Blagoslovljen praznik Vstajenja želim vsem! Rastimo skupno v MZA sodelovanju, dokler ne bomo vsi skupaj doživeli — vstajenje mesa in večno življene. Aleluja!

Rev. Charles A. Wolbang, C.M. St. Joseph's College Box 351 Princeton, N.J. 08540

MIDRIFT-INTEREST — Red and white embossed cotton creates a breezy outfit for Maid of Cotton Debra Ploch. A deep bertha collar encircles the abbreviated top above straight-legged pants with oversize pockets and white leather tie belt. A Pierre Cardin design.

Tiskovni sklad A.D.

Mrs. Frances Brodnik, McKeeks Rocks, Pa., je darovala \$5 za tiskovni sklad A.D., ko je obnovila naročnino. Iskrena hvala!

Mrs. Helen Petric, Jefferson, Ohio, je darovala \$2 za tiskovni sklad A.D., ko je obnovila naročnino. Lepa hvala!

Mr. Robert Lumpert, Cleveland, O., je daroval \$1 za tiskovni sklad, ko je obnovil naročnino. Hvala!

G. Jože Dolenc, Cleveland, O., je daroval \$2, ko je obnovil naročnino. Hvala!

Mr. Postotnik, Cleveland, O., je daroval \$2, ko je obnovil naročnino. Lepa hvala!

Mrs. Frances Cotman, Cleveland, O., je darovala \$2 za tiskovni sklad A.D., ko je obnovila naročnino. Založili so 2000 izvodov, prodali pa 500. Knjiga lepe vsebine tako med Slovenci kot med Amerikanci ne gre v prodajo. Samo senzacionalne in pornografske knjige in revije gredo v prodajo na milijone."

Joseph J. Pesely, Ely, Minn., je daroval \$1 za tiskovni sklad A.D., ko je obnovil naročnino in sporoča, da je 14. aprila praznoval 94-letni rojstni dan. Čestitke in hvala!

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POVEST

France, saj veš, takrat, ko sva stražila pri Tinetu in si govoril o vonju pesmi, o ljubezni žene in o brdkosti svoje mladosti. Tedaj si rekel, da od žalosti piješ žganje, ki ga sicer ne moreš. Zaupal si mi strašno ljubezen svoje materje, ki Ti je štireletnemu silila strup, da Te ne bi preživel. France, še danes ne razumem, čemu si tisto povedal, čemu si govoril o podedenovanju in v kaki zvezi si omenjal Heleno. France, ne zameri, a meni se zdi, da vendar vem, kaj Te je bolelo tisto noč. Ali naj povem? Kako? To je kakor v pesmi. Besede pojo, a vse besede niso. Vse je vonj, je duša pesmi. France, Ti ljubiš Heleno, France, Ti ljubiš ženo in žene še ne poznaš!"

Helena je kriknila ob nebeskem razdružetju, ki ga je brala iz Sivčevega dnevnika.

"Če je to res, France, če je res, kako malo sem te vredna, kako malo sem ti podobna. France! Če je to res, potem sem grešila, stokrat, tisočkrat. Pljuvala sem nate, tebi v obraz, v lepe oči, tebi v močno in verno dušo. France, slepa sem bila, zastrašena, strahove sem videla. Neumna sem bila, v domišljiji sem spočenjala strašne prizore, do gnusa. Gledala sem te v blodnih razmerah, videla sem te v blatu, studu in grehu. Roke si polagal ženskam ob pas, šalil si se z njimi, kvantala. Vse so bile neumne nate, še s prstom ti ni bilo treba pomigniti. France, ali sem grešila? France kaj je resnica? France, jaz hočem verjeti učitelju, ki je veren. Toda omejen je. Sam pravi, da je omejen. France, kaj je resnica?"

Zdaj, ko je stal geometer pred njo v svoji praznični, od cestnega blata oškropjeni oblek; živ v oči in obraz, ji je sililo to vprašanje na ustnice in ni moglo.

"Roko mi dajte!" je odgovoril nenadoma, hitro in vedro. Stegnila jo je izpod volnate rute, ki jo je bila ovila okoli pleč in prsi. Sklonil se je pojno in jo poljubil. Nato je zaprosil:

"Helena, ali se nisva že tika? Ali se ne smeva več?"

"Smeva se!"

"Helena, kraljica moja!" je zašepal in ji zopet poljubil roko. Nato je molčal dolgo in nato je kakor zavrelo iz njega:

"Svoja usta mi daj!"

Omahnila je za korak in zašepta boječe:

"France, nocoj ne, nocoj ne!"

Vzdihnil je globoko iz prsi. Njej se je vnelo oblije v mehko rdečico. Tiho je zapela:

"Jutri! Ob šestih na mami nem grobu!"

VIII.

Jutro je bilo vedro in mrzlo. Nejasna svetloba je ležala v dolini in na trgu. V cerkvi je pozvonilo k prvi maši. Tokrat so zakričala železna vrata na pokopališče. Geometer se je zganil na Tinetovem grobu in stopil s hitrim korakom Heleni naproti. Prizdignila je bila rahlo krila, rosa ji je močila drobne čeveljke.

"France!"

Rahlo se je opotekla ob grobni grivi. Geometer je ujel z močno roko in jo privzdignil k sebi, k obličju...

Potem jo je prijel za roko, jo vedel s seboj in vprašal:

"Ali si spala? Ali si spala dovolj?"

"Malo," se je nasmehnila, "nismo mogla!"

"Jaz ko polh," je odvrnil veselo.

Stala sta ob novem grobu. Zemlja se je bila za spoznanje vdala, usedla.

"Tine," je rekla, "ubogi Tine, tvój prijatelj in tovarij moje mladosti! Nesrečni fant!"

"Zdaj je miren," je odgovoril France.

"Zadnjo noč si stražil pri njem," je govorila Helena. "Bil si žalosten. Pa pil si in o vonju pesmi si govoril."

"Učitelj je čenča," je vzkliknil geometer. Helena se je še tesneje privila k njemu:

"Reci, da me ljubiš!"

"Ljubim te, Helena!"

"Tudi jaz tebe, France. A joka ka bi!"

"Se je dvom v tebi, še brid kost," je odgovoril in ji šel božajoče čez lice kakor bolnemu otroku.

"Še," je dahnila, "a vedno manj. In ti mi moraš pomagati, da bom vsa vesela in tvoja."

"Ali še nisi?"

"Bojim se te!" je zašepatala, "vedno se te bojim."

"Ljubosumna si," se je nasmehnil geometer.

"Molči," je vzkliknila solzna.

"To je grda beseda! Nič ne razumeš, nič ne veš. Pa žganje si pil, ko si bil žalosten. Fej, fej! In kako si o materi govoril... Takšen si. Ali naj te bom ve-

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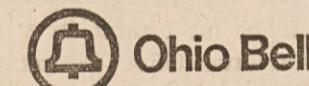
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ST. CLAIR SAVINGS PROMOTES EIGHT WOMEN

OFFICERS OF ST. CLAIR are, seated, left to right, Lillian Ribarich, Mary Jane Rush, and Anna Ogrin. Standing, left to right, Carolyn Budan, Connie Pierce, Pat Fees, Janet Tilly, and Donnie Nealon.

Harold R. Swope president of St. Clair Savings recently made the following announcements concerning eight female promotions at the 57 year old, \$130 million savings association.

Carolyn J. Budan, Main Office receptionist, has been elected assistant secretary. Miss Budan joined St. Clair in 1951 as a teller at the 63rd St. office. She has held various positions in the company including bookkeeper and loan secretary. In 1959 Miss Budan was appointed receptionist of the Main Office which is located on East 185th Street. She is an accomplished coloratura soprano and is an active member of Glasbena Matica, a nationally known Slovenian choral group. Miss Budan resides in Cleveland.

Anna M. Ogrin, head teller and savings department counselor at the association's Euclid Office, has been promoted to assistant secretary. She started with the company in 1956 as a teller, having formerly worked for another financial institution. In 1960, Mrs. Ogrin was responsible for establishing a teller trainee program and was in charge of training all new tellers for the company. She was promoted to head teller of the Euclid Office in 1965. Mrs. Ogrin and her husband reside in Euclid.

Lillian J. Ribarich has been elected assistant treasurer. Mrs. Ribarich started at St. Clair in 1957 as a teller trainee. She was promoted to bookkeeper in 1959 and three years later assigned to help establish the data processing department. In 1970, she was appointed data processing supervisor and in 1973 appointed assistant manager of the data processing department. Mrs. Ribarich has completed many courses at the American Savings and Loan Institute related to her areas of responsibility. She is married and resides with her family in Euclid.

Janet R. Tilly has been elected assistant secretary. She started with St. Clair in 1958 as a teller trainee at the main office and worked there until she was promoted to head teller, Lake Shore Office. In addition to supervising the teller department operation, her responsibilities also include savings counseling. Mrs. Tilly is a graduate of the American Savings and Loan Institute. She is married and lives in Euclid.

Mary Jane Rush, promoted to assistant secretary, joined St. (Continued on Page 6)

HEY, THESE ARE OUR FRIENDS

Sometimes a person can get disgusted to hear so many people complain about the success of others. Case at point, Edmund Turk who got appointed as Chairman of P.U.C.O.

All of us in the 23rd Ward and 32nd Ward and people of Slovenian and Slavic background should jump with joy that one of ours is going or reached the top of the Ring of Success.

The constituents in the 23rd Ward above all should be darn

proud of their people, names like Slapnik, Zak, Kovacic, Woods, Turk, Lausche, Baznik, Debevec, Novak, Sterk, Petkovsek, Dolgan, Katalinas, Benic and Krakowski, all these names have contributed in Education, Politics, Communications, Religion, Sports and Judiciary.

I would think that all of us would say, "Hey, these are our friends", but no, instead they are criticized for how much money they make, the position they hold, and how unqualified they are. I hope these poison drop-

pers meet with success; so that I may wish them well.

There is a saying, "The danger of minding other people's business is twofold, first, there is the danger a man may leave his own business unattended to; and, second, there is the danger of an impudent interference with another's affairs." The "friends of humanity" always run into both dangers.

With this thought in mind, I want to again congratulate the 23rd Ward for contributing such fine leaders. God bless!

JOE WOODS



Naturally, I was scared at first

JOANN BIRSA

Denver, Colo. — It was an experience I had been looking forward to for several months — a return, after an absence of nine years, to the place where I first earned my own living. It was just a short visit, but one which will remain in my memory for a long time.

My basic preparation is in instrumental music education, but since very few school districts hire women to teach band, I was assigned in an area where I had no preparation at all — to be the first music teacher in the new Fletcher M. Miller Special Education School in Jefferson County, Colorado.

Naturally, I was scared at first, not knowing anything about how to teach handicapped children. It required a great deal of outside study and planning to do a good job. It demanded infinite patience, tact and prudence. The year was a difficult one, but I finished it as a better person, knowing that I had done my best work.

In 1963, Miller had some 20 classes of children from ages 3-14 to teach the profoundly deaf and hard-of-hearing, the mentally retarded and brain damaged, the blind and partially sighted, and the orthopedically handicapped.

Now children with single handicaps are taught in special classes at various schools throughout the district. Miller is reserved for those with multiple handicaps.

I was very pleased when Miss Janet Geist, the present music teacher, now in her fourth year at the school, asked me to come and entertain the children. She asked for some songs for "sing along" and some instrumental selections to illustrate "what pretty music the accordion can make."

Of course, the school has changed a great deal since I left, but what struck me first was the informality of the teachers.

While we were required to dress neatly, the present faculty were dressed in clothes suitable for a picnic — women in jeans, men in plain old work clothing. It must be a modern way of establishing a closer relationship with the children.

Only three of the original faculty remain — the art teacher and two teachers of the mentally retarded. A home-economics center has been added to the school, and other specialized facilities have been incorporated to make the teaching more effective.

These children responded en-

thusiastically to the music. They sang rousing versions of "The Happy Wanderer," "Yankee Doodle," and even "Jingle Bells," then calmed down with the beautiful "All Through The Night" and "Now The Day Is Over."

Instrumental entertainment was best kept short. We let the children imagine they were spending a summer weekend in the country, while the accordion created moods of the afternoon carnival, followed by a square dance and church on Sunday morning.

This was one of the most appreciative audiences I have seen in a long time. It will be a joy to play for them again.

My first year as music teacher at a newly-opened special school was a hard one. But I am proud to have been a member of a team dedicated to helping people less fortunate than most of us to take a productive place in society.

Easter Mass for aged

A Mass will be offered Sunday, Easter, at 4 p.m. at the Slovenia Home for the Aged on Neff Rd. Rev. Matthew Balazic will offer the Mass and the church choir of St. Mary's (Colinwood) will sing.

St. Clair Business Assn. aids area companies

The St. Clair Businessmen's Association will lend its knowledge and moral support to six Cleveland companies who are banding together to help solve mutual problems.

The six companies are located in the general downtown area. Their mutual help body is called Lakeside Area Development Corp. (LADCO). It is designed to serve companies with plants between Memorial Shoreway N.E., the Inner Belt Freeway, E. 55th Street and St. Clair Ave.

Companies which formed the group are Osborn Mfg. Co., the Horsburgh & Scott Co., Elwell-Parker Electric Co., Tempcraft Tool Mold, Inc., Day-Glo Color Corp., and Cleveland Twist Drill division of Acme-Cleveland Corp.

Besides the St. Clair business group, Cleveland's department of human resources and economic development also cooperated.

"There are 50 companies in the area, with total employment of about 10,000," says John P. Gaeth, president of Osborn and the association. "We hope the other companies will join with us in efforts to solve some of our common problems, such as traffic flow, parking, security, public transportation, lighting, water supply and street improvements."

Mayor Ralph J. Perk reportedly pledged cooperation in the group's efforts. At an organizational dinner meeting, the mayor said a similar group, the Woodland East Community Organization has been successful in helping industries in that area. Other groups are being planned for other industrial parts of the city, Perk said.

Gaeth said the group's program will be developed after companies have been contacted.



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**NEWS
from our
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★ Al and Betty Orehek, 18144 Lake Shore Blvd., send greetings to all their friends from the Canadian Rockies and proclaim the skiing is great.

★ Mrs. Mary Nosan, 6411 St. Clair Ave., has now returned home and wishes to thank her many friends for visits, flowers, cards and gifts during her stay in the hospital and rest home. Visitors are welcome at home.

★ Rose Kovacic has returned home from Memorial Hospital in Geneva, but she is still under the doctor's care. She wishes to thank everyone for visits, gifts and cards. We wish her a speedy recovery!

★ A daughter, Sharon Lynn was born at Euclid General Hospital to Susan and Gerald Kozlevcar of 354 E. 222 St. The baby weighed 7 lbs. Congratulations!

★ Robert L. Zgongc has been appointed systems officer in Central Information Services at National City Bank. A graduate of Euclid High and Lakeland Community College, he joined National City in 1971 as project manager and was named manager of Commercial Systems in 1972.

★ Thomas J. Murnick, president of T. J. Murnick Mfg. Inc. 23700 St. Clair Ave., has been appointed to the National Advisory Council of the National Federation of Independent Business.

★ Mr. and Mrs. John Benchina Sr., 13903 Deise Ave., observed their golden wedding anniversary on April 14. They have two children, Mrs. Daniel Maurer of Wickliffe and John Benchina of Willowick and six grandchildren. Congratulations!

★ Mr. and Mrs. Frank Zavrl of 1250 E. 168 St., celebrated their golden wedding anniversary on April 15th. Congratulations!

★ Ronni Lee Tevault, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Tevault, 11805 Mortimer Ave., is engaged to Kurt Thomas Stanic, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Stanic Jr., of 20571 Linden Ave. A September 7th wedding is planned.

★ St. Alexis Hospital Guild biennial rummage sale "Bargains and Botique" will be held on Thursday and Friday, April 26 and 27.

The "Bargains" will include a variety of articles, from a mink stole to hand cut crystal along with any and everything for home and family.

Featured this year will be a "Boutique" in which all the articles are hand made. Included are such articles as decoupage handbags; sea shell rose buds in bud vase, French beaded key rings, crocheted and knitted shawls and slippers and live and artificial floral arrangements.

The sale will be held in the Residents' Hall located at 5111 Fowler Ave., which is adjacent to the hospital.

Hours are 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. on both the 26th and 27th. Free parking is available in the Residents' Hall lot directly opposite the hall's main entrance.

Letters To The Editor

AGAINST SMALLER COUNCIL

Amplifying my statements of two weeks ago regarding the Question of Reducing the Cleveland City Council to 15 members, the ethnic groups should fully realize that there is a fundamental conflict of interest between themselves and the Citizens League, which I think stands for quality education, integration, and the expansion of schools, for the benefit of the some 100,000 new citizens who came from the south within the last 15 years... and at the expense of the Ethnic groups which must pay about 80% of the real estate taxes, because the new citizens live mostly in government housing. How much taxes the ethnic groups paid is indicated by none other than Estal E. Sparlin, recent head of the Citizens League, in his article in the Cleveland Press last Saturday in which he said that "In the last ten years, we have spent more than \$200,000,000 on construction of school buildings.

I admit that I made a big mistake in my last article when I stated that the Citizens' League could readily control a small council (by controlling only 8 members); the real situation is that the League might even be able to hand-pick their favorite councilmen, just as they hand-picked the Cleveland members of the Board of Education. As expressed by Don Robertson of the Cleveland Press, who believes that Council reduction is a fraud; on March 22nd he stated, "If he (the average taxpayer) loses control of his councilman, he will lose the last responsive link he has with his government. The Establishment will trot out 15 hand-picked flunkies, and that will be that."

Don Robertson urges all his readers to vote down the Council Reduction.

Prof. Wm. J. Kennick
Former Councilman

Happy Easter to all

Ukrainian, Khrystos voskres

★ The world famous Great Moscow Circus, one of the foremost widely-popular entertainment attractions, will present its 1973 edition for eight performances, Wed., April 25th thru Sunday, April 29th at the Cleveland Arena.

The thrilling one-ring Great Moscow Circus, a critical favorite everywhere, features sparkling new acts never before seen on this continent. Its rare tour is again being presented by Morris Chalfen under the official U.S. Cultural Exchange Program.

Performers in the circus enjoy a distinction which we in the U.S. accord only our greatest musicians, painters and other artists. In the U.S.S.R. the circus artist is called just that and approaches his skill with the same seriousness, dedication and intense practice as any piano virtuoso.

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JACOB STREKAL

A VERY CATASTROPHICAL ECONOMIC DEPRESSION!



Memories take me back to the years of the 1930's. We were then in our upper teens, happy, courageous, ready for work, but there were no jobs available.

America and the world were in a very catastrophic economic depression. We could not earn enough to purchase our own pants or clothes.

My many friends then were newly arrivals from Slovenia, though they were born in the coal mines of Pennsylvania, or the forests of West Virginia, they were taken to Austria before the outbreak of the first World War. After the hostilities in Europe, and the formation of new Jugoslavia, they as American Citizens returned to America, only to be unemployed with us.

Amongst us were Jacob Sernel, then a good button box accordion player, Frank Lencar, who later had his own body shop. John Rozanc, Frank and John Svet, Tony Bucan, John and Joe Sustarsic, Joe and Frank Zihel, Stanley Stefancic, John Zupancic, Tony Mramor, and many others.

Of the places we would visit were Frank Beretics farm, Frank Kozlevciks and Kosiceks on Dock Road, Madison, Vincent Strnad, Kluns or Korens in North Geneva. In South Geneva were Grabskeks, Grubers, Pecjaks, Joe Gramcs, Frank Klauses, Kocjanics, Juratovics, Lazars which today is known as Slovenska Pristava, Cugels, Zakrajseks, Kerzics, Grlics, Lipolds, Anton Debevecs, Jack Guscinc and many others.

To make us feel more inviting, many farmers, if they knew we would come to visit them, butchered a calf so we would rest up after an evening of partying, we would lay down in the hay mow, or as they say in Slovenian, kozolec. All we needed was a few hours of sleep in the early morning hours and we were ready for another day of picnicking Sunday afternoon. People would drive by, see many cars at a certain well known farm, they too drove in. It was not unusual to have 100 or more people at these farms, while the couples danced and harmonized, their youngsters went swimming at a nearby spring or lake, or they played baseball and other athletic games.

Standings April 12

Team	W	L
Mezic Insurance	30	12
C.O.F. No. 1317	28	14
Doo Drop Inn	26	16
Lube Lounge	21½	17½
Kurtzner Rad.	24	18
K.S.K.J. No. 25	21	21
J. T. Adams	20½	22½
Norwood Drug	20	22
Hofbrau Haus	20	12
Cimperman's Market	18½	23½
Norwood Men's Shop	12	30
Par Fi	7½	34½

Schedule for Final Night
APRIL 26

Alleys
1-2 Norwood D. vs. Kurtzner
3-4 Cimperman vs. Lube L.
5-6 Par Fi vs. Mezic Ins.
7-8 Doo Drop Inn vs C.O.F. 1317
9-10 Norwood M. vs. J. Adams
11-12 Hofbrau Haus vs KSKJ 25

St. Clair Savings Promotes Eight Women

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Clair in 1960. She is assigned to range of experience, having held the mortgage loan origination department and her responsibilities include loan settlement and supervision of the mortgage loan stenographers at the Main Office. Mrs. Rush is a graduate of the American Savings and Loan Institute having taken many courses related to mortgage lending. She and her husband live in South Euclid.

Daniela B. Nealon has been elected assistant treasurer. She joined the company in 1962 as a teller. In 1964 she was promoted to head teller and one year later promoted to bookkeeper in the accounting department at the main office. Currently she is assistant manager of the accounting department. Mrs. Nealon, her husband and family reside in Willowick.

Tony Kushlan dies

Anthony (Tony) R. Kushlan, a resident of 730 E. 155 St., died last Thursday at Cleveland Clinic at the age of 70 years.

He was born near Trieste in Slovenia, Yugoslavia, from where he was brought to the U.S. in 1907 at 5 years of age.

He was very active in Saint Mary's Church events, and in St. Mary's Parish. He was its Communicator and Commentator, and also its Executive Counselor.

He was a member of St. Vincent DePaul Society at Charity Hospital, where he spent most of his Sundays visiting the sick and generally consoling them.

He was the Treasurer and Past Chief Ranger for the Catholic Order of Foresters No. 1640. He was a member of St. Joseph Lodge No. 169 KSKJ; he also was a member of the Comrades Lodge No. 566 SNPJ. He also belonged to the North East Council of the Knights of Columbus; and a member of the Holy Name Society of St. Mary

Lube Lounge knocked first place C.O.F. No. 1317 into second place because of a three game sweep over Par Fi Young Adults. Tony Maestle's giant 233-614 led his team to victory.

Doo Drop Inn 960-1062-965-2987

Par Fi 946-952-870-2768

Doo Drop Inn went to third place as a result of a 3 game sweep over Par Fi Young Adults. Tony Maestle's giant 233-614 led his team to victory.

Doo Drop Inn 960-1062-965-2987

Par Fi 946-952-870-2768

Lube Lounge 996-994-1042-3082

C.O.F. 1317 965-840-990-2795

Mezic Insurance climbed to first place as they blanked Cimperman Market. Mike Percic with his torrid 234-611 sparked Mezics.

Patricia M. Fees was elected secretary and manager of the Savings Department, main office. She joined St. Clair in 1972 and has been in the savings and loan industry since 1957. She brings with her a wide

Slovenski Fantje concert

The "Slovenski Fantje", a male chorus numbering some 21 voices will present their annual concert on Saturday, May 19, in the St. Vitus Auditorium, E. 62nd and St. Clair Ave. at 8 p.m. He passed away suddenly last September.

The chorus has presented several concerts in the Cleveland area to date and one in Toronto, Canada.

The group has been busy rehearsing for some time and will offer Slovene folk songs which have not been included in any of their previous public appearances.

Accompanying the male chorus on several selections will be a group of outstanding female vocalists from the Euclid, Collinwood and St. Clair areas, who will add much to the program.

Featured at the concert will be a special tribute in song and word to Mr. Frank Kolaric, former President of Slovenski Fantje. He passed away suddenly last September.

We extend a special invitation to all lovers of Slovene music both near and far to spend an evening with us.

The concert will be under the capable direction of Mr. Martin Kosnik.

Tickets are \$2 and are available at Tony Petkovsek's Polka Village, E. 185 St., and at Melcher's Men's Store, E. 62nd and St. Clair Ave. Also the members have tickets.

Music after the concert will be provided by the "Sonet" Ensemble.

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