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"Hrana za mir" naj bi
rešila deželo viškov
farmarskih pridelkov!

Po načrtu nove vlade naj bi
Združene države v okviru
programa "hrana za mir"
razdelile med potrebne dežele
na leto viške deželnih
pridelkov v rednosti treh
do štirih bilijonov.

CHICAGO, Ill. — Skupina strokovnjakov za rešitev farmarskega vprašanja in viškov deželnih pridelkov nove vlade razpravlja o možnosti razdelitve edvišne hrane in drugih farmarskih pridelkov iz zveznih skladnic deželam, ki jim teh pridelkov hudo manjka, pa nimajo sredstev, da bi jih kupile. Predvidevajo, da bi v okviru tega programa, ki naj bi utrjeval mir v svetu s tem, da bi odstrajeval stisko med revnimi plastmi ljudstva v gospodarsko šibkih državah, razdelili na leto raznih deželnih pridelkov v skupni vrednosti treh do štirih bilijonov.

Ce bilo ta načrt mogoče izvesti, bi bilo po sodbi istih strokovnjakov vprašanje viškov v naši deželi rešeno v nekaj letih. Stvar seveda ni tako enostavna, ker se bodo takemu načrtu upirale one države, ki se boje, da bo delitev ameriških deželnih pridelkov škodovala njihovi trgovini.

Hitrejsa gospodarska rasi dežele potrebna

Za redno zapošljitev delovne
sile je po sodbah strokovnjakov potrebna letna rast
gospodarstva za 4.5 odstot-

ka. WASHINGTON, D. C. — Naročna načrtna komisija, privatna raziskovalna organizacija, je temelju obširnega študija prišla do zaključka, da bi za normalne potrebe po novih delovnih mestih zadostovala rast naravnega gospodarstva za nekako štiri in pol odstotka na leto, med tem ko v času Eisenhowerjeve vlade ni vedno dosegala niti treh odstotkov.

Za nov zagon in za rešitev sedanje krize bo vsaj za prvo dobro potreba hitrejsa rast. To je očitno pozbeno, če vzamemo v početku, naglo rast brezposelnosti v zadnjih tednih. Ta je posebno občutna v jeklarski in avtomobilski industriji, o katerih so napovedovali, da bosta letos dobro delali.

Nova delitev sil na Srednjem vzhodu?

BAGDAD, Irak. — Tu trdijo, da je možno zbližanje med Irakom, Jordanijo in Saudsko Arabijo, kjer je izgubil oblasti princ Fejsal, prista egiptskega Naserja.

Nova zveza naj bi skušala cemjeti Naserjev vpliv v arabskem svetu in prinesi več ustajenosti na Srednji vzhod.

Novi grobovi

Frank Rodic

V sredo ob pol desetih dopoldne je nenadoma pri delu na posledicah srčne kapi umrl rojak Frank Rodic z 1144 E. 169. St. v starosti 67 let. Pokojnik zapušča v Clevelandu žalujočo soprogo Mary Agnes, roj. Miller, sinovo Franka, Williama, Edwarda in Jamesa ter hčerki Terese in Maryann, 18 vnučkov in vnučinj ter več drugih sorodnikov. V Ameriko je prišel leta 1913 iz Tomače vasi pri Novem mestu na Dolenjskem. Bil je član društva Clevelandski Slovenci št. 14 SDZ. Pogreb se bo vršil v soboto ob devetih dopoldne iz Jakubs & Son pogrebnega zavoda na 936 E. 185. St. v cerkev Marije Vnebovzetje, nato na pokopališče All Souls.

Ana Perko

V sredo je umrla v Deaconess bolnišnici 89 let stara Ana Perko, roj. Kuznik, doma iz Zužemberka, od koder je prišla v to deželo l. 1892. Družica je živila dolga leta na 1433 E. 52 St. pokojna, ki je bila od l. 1926, ko ji je umrl mož Ignacij, pa je živila zadnjih osem let pri hčeri Ani Yanak na McCleary Rd. Bila je mati Jamesa, Mary Vidmar, pok. Anthony, pok. Joseph, Frančka, Johna, Ane Yanak, Edwarda in pok. Rudolfa, 11-krat stara mati in 7-krat prastara mati. Pokojna je bila članica Društva Srce Marije (staro) in Bratovčine sv. rožnega venca pri cerkvi sv. Pavla. Pogreb bo v sobotu zj. ob 8:45 iz Grdinovega pogreb. zavoda na E. 62 St. v cerkev sv. Pavla na E. 40 St. ob 9:30, nato na Kalvarijo.

John Rogelj

V St. Alexis bolnišnici je umrl 69 let stari John Rogelj s 3593 E. 81 St., doma iz Gor. Nemške vasi pri Trebnjem na Dol, od koder je prišel pred 50 leti. Do voknjivite pred 4 leti je bil zaposlen v newburški tovarni American Steel & Wire Co. Po krajnji je zapustil ženo Mary, roj. Cehovin, sestro Mary Jeric in druge sorodnike. Bil je član Društva Najs. Imena fare sv. Lovrenca, Društva Zvon, Društva sv. Lovrenca št. 63 KSKJ in Društva Mir št. 10 SDZ. Pogreb bo v ponedeljek ob 8:30 iz Fortunovega pogreb. zavoda na 5316 Fleet Ave. v cerkev sv. Mary A. Svetek.

Anglija in Amerika že ves čas po vojni ne presojata enako političnega položaja v vzhodni Aziji. To se je pokazalo pri urejevanju odnosov do Japonske, tekom korejske vojne, pri oceni vrednosti, ki jo ima za svobodni svet Čankajškov režim na Formozi, tekom državljanske vojne v Vietnamu in sedaj v laoški krizi. Glavna razlika med Washingtonom in Londonom je v tem, da angleška vlada ne glede vsakokratnega položaja tako temno kot Washington.

Državno tajništvo ZDA se na primer trdno drži sedanje vlade princa Bouma Ouma kot edine zakonite laoške vlade. V ta namen je pregovorilo sedanjega laoškega kralja, da je prevzel prav posebno pokroviteljstvo nad to vlado in da je naročil svojemu parlamentu, naj ji izglasuje zaupnico. Vse to je bilo potrebno, tako mislijo v državnem tajništvu, da se spomakne politična opora neutralni "vladi" princa Souvanne Phoume, ki je zbe-

Borba proti integraciji šol v Louisiana teče dalje

BATON ROUGE, La. — Nižja zbornica državne zakonodaje je odobrila z nad dvotretjinsko večino predlog za zvišanje prodajnega davka, ki naj bi vrgel \$28,000,000 v sklad, iz katerega bi država dajala podporo onim staršem, ki bi svoje otroke pošljali v privatne segregirane šole namesto v javne integrirane.

Novi zakon naj bi na ta način pripravil tla za ukinitev javnih šol, ki morajo po odločitvi zveznih oblasti jemati v svoje učilnice poleg belih tudi črne šolarje.

Ping-Pong — japonski narodni šport

Le malokje je namizni tenis tako priljubljen kot na Japonskem. Namiznoteniška zveza te dežele je štela letos pet milijonov članov.

Na mnoge namiznoteniške tekme prihaja tudi po 30,000 gledalcev.

Lovrenca ob devetih, nato na Kalvarijo.

Mary Brodnik

Včeraj zjutraj je umrla v visoki starosti Mary Brodnik, roj. Vidmar, doma iz Žužemberka na Dol, od koder je prišla v Ameriko l. 1893. Soprog John ji je umrl l. 1927. Pokojna sta živila v slovenski naselbini kakih 15 let, pa se l. 1912 preselila v West Park kot prva slovenska družina. Rajnka je zapustila hčerko Mary, por. Dress, Ello, por. Perme, in Josephino, 13 vnučkov in 39 pravnukov. Sin Louis je l. 1950 umrl. Bila je članica Geo. Washington št. 180 ABZ in Društva sv. Vida št. 25 KSKJ. Pogreb bo v ponedeljek zjutraj iz Corrigan pogreb. zavoda na Lorain in W. 148 St. v cerkev Marijinega Oznanjenja na W. 130 St. in dalje na pokopališče.

Mihail Schuster (Suštaršič)

Na poti v bolnišnico je sinoči umrl Mihail Schuster (Suštaršič) z 12004 Salmore, rojen na Vrhniku. Zapustil je sina Ernesta, hčer Janette Baudek, sestro Mary Romich tu in sestro Valentino Šuštaršič v starem kraju. Bil je član The Macabees No. 1288. Pogreb bo v ponedeljek ob 8:15 iz Grdinovega pogreb. zavoda na Lake Shore Blvd. v cerkev Marije Vnebovzetje ob devetih pod vodstvom Mary A. Svetek.

Kuba žaka na vpad

HAVANA, Kuba. — Vlada Fidel Castro je poslala vse razpoložljivo vojaštvo in milico na polozje ob obali in na druga vojaško pomembna mesta, ker pričakuje "vpada" Združenih držav. Predstavniki vlade podarjujejo pripravljenost, med tem ko kakem nameranem napadu ni nikjer niti sledi.

Med tem odhajajo s Kube zadnji uradni predstavniki Ziruženih držav in še preostali državljeni, ki nimajo na otoku kakih izredno nujnih poslov.

Ko bodo zadnji uradni predstavniki ZDA

Kubo zapustili, bo prevzela varstvo koristi Združenih držav na otoku Švica, kubanskih koristi v Združenih državah pa Češkoslovaška.

Pokažite

"AMERIŠKO DOMOVINO"

prijateljem in znancem;

poveste jim, da jo pošiljam

brezplačno na ogled.

Angleška vlada in kriza v državi Laos

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V tem je glavna razlika med Londonom in Washingtonom.

Ni pa včeraj. Že v decembru

sta se o tem razgovarjala državni

tajnik Herter in angleški zuma-

nji minister Home. Herter je

tekrat privolil, da londonska vlada

da vpraša uradno kraljevsko la-

čko vlado, ali je pripravljena

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Aleksander Petofi:

KRVNIKOVA VRV

ROMAN

"Dvoboj? Zakaj pa?"

"Ha, uropati mi hčete ljubico, blagor moje duše, a še vprašuje: zakaj dvoboj?"

"Bedasti pobič," je govoril smehljak, "radi take malenkosti torej tak strašen hrup?"

"Malenkost!"

"To ni vredno niti besede. Saj sem ti že povedal svoje mnenje o ljubezni."

"In jaz sem ti povedal svoje."

"Ti si bolan, dragi priatelj, bolan. Toda upam, da boš s časom ozdravel."

"In ti bi zbolel, Ternjej, a k temu ti bom pripomogal jaz, če boš nadaljeval svojo hinavščino."

"Cakaj, Matija, da ti doppem. Poizkusiva si priti na jasno. Veš kaj? No, da govorim resnico . . . tudi jaz ljubim Rozo . . . Ne sili kvišku . . . ne preklinjam me . . . puсти, da tudi jaz povem svoje. Ti ljubiš Rozo, jaz tudi; ti jo hočeš imeti za ženo, jaz tudi . . ."

"Da mi molčiš!" sem ga prekinil.

"Ti molči, dokler jaz govorim, nato lahko poveš svoje. Oba torej hočevo Rozo za ženo. Ona je bržkone naklonjena tebi, a njeni starši meni. To je zelo naravno. Jaz sem bogat, a ti si ubog. In ali si na to, Matija, pomisli, le malo pomisli, da si ubog? In da je zakon za reveža le neskončna muka? Ali bi mogel gledati z mirno vestjo, kako ženska, ki jo ljubiš, trpi pomanjanje in vene? Kaj! Pomisli na vse to, prijatelj Matija."

"In kaj, če pomislim?"

"Uvidel boš, da nisi za zakon."

"In potem?"

"Da je zate bolje, če se odpoveš Rozi. Odpovej se ji, dragi priatelj. Veš kaj? Če se ji odpoveš, ti dam polovico svojega premoženja. Da, tako velikodušen hočem biti."

"Velikodušen? Ničvrednež si!"

"Torej ne sprejmeš moje ponudbe? Še nikoli nisem vi del pri takem revežu tolake zadržnosti."

"Dovolj! Zdaj mi je zadostiti . . . poberi se!"

"Čakaj, le še nekaj ti povem . . ."

"Nič več nočem slišati . . ."

"Dobro, torej vedi samo to . . ."

"Nič, nič!"

"Samo to, če Roza ne bo moja, tudi twoja ne sme biti."

Hotel sem mu odgovoriti, a je bil naglo odšel.

5.

"Če Roza ne bo moja, tudi twoja ne sme biti!"

O, koliko trpljenja so mi povzročile te besede. Noč in dan so mi brnele v ušesih in njihovo brnenje mi je bilo tako strašno, kakor je strašen plat zvona za gospodarja goreče hiše. Njihovo brnenje mi je bilo tako grozno, kakor da bi slišal morski val, ki mi dřvi naproti in me hoče požre ti. Slednjič je izginila pošast, ki me je neprestano strašila. Zaročil sem se z Rozo.

Ternjeja od onega dogodka nisem več videl. Ob času zaročke tudi nisem mislil nanj. Nobeno čudo, ker me je napolnjeval ena sama misel: Roza. O, kako sem jo ljubil!

(Dalje prihodnjih)

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Raznobarvne "ceste prihodnosti" bodo cenejše od dosedanjih

Graditev cest se ni spremenila tako rekoč že od starega veka, čeprav se je tehnika uveljavila vsepovod. Rimljani so pri gradnji cest, med katerimi jih precej klub strosti 2000 let še vedno služi namenu, upoštevali določena, še zdaj veljavna pravila. Vse od tistih časov veljajo vremenske razmere — vročina, dež, sneg in led — za najhujše sovražnike cest. Čeprav Rimljani niso poznavali težkih oklepnih vozil in tovornjakov, so skrbno gradili svoje ceste, izkopali so globok jarek in nasuli vanj različne plasti kamenja, šele potem so uredili vrhni ustroj.

Tisto popolne pred dnem najine poroke sem bil pri Rozi. Šalila sva se, se dražila in se smejala . . . Bila sva prava otroka. Nazadnje je sedla na moja kolena, se mi privila na prsi, sklonila glavico na mojo ramo, tako sva si venomer šepatala:

"Jutri ob tem času, moja Roza!"

"Jutri ob tem času, moja Roza!"

"Jutri ob tem času, moj Matija!"

S poljubi sva pila solze raznajina lica.

O, če bi človek mogel gledati v prihodnost! Ob besedah "jutri ob tem času" bi ne bil ne jaz ne ona, nobeden izmed naju pretakal solza rado sti.

6.

Veliki dan je napočil.

Odkar sem prvič srečal Rozo, sem se izgobil Beti. Izgobil sem se je celo v mislih. Nič nisem slišal o nji, tudi nisem hotel ničesar slišati in . . . ponoči sem sanjal o nji. Ko sem se prebudil, sem mislil na to, toda ravnočuno. Zdela se mi je kakor upopljenka, ki je dolgo plavala na dnu valov, se še enkrat prikazala na površju, da nato izgine za veden. Plavala je v reki mojega pozabljenja, bilo mi je, kakor da je mesečina spomina vrgla le še en bledi žarek na njenom mrtvo obliče.

Sanje pretekle noči so mi kmalu izginile iz spomina.

Slednjič se je približala ura, ki me je klicala v cerkev, pred oltar. Ura, o kateri sva z Rozo govorila prejšnjega dne: "Jutri ob tem času." Z nekim občudovanjem je visel moj pogled na lepi zaročenki. Kako krasna je bila v svoji poročni obleki, z vencem na glavi. "In vsa ta lepota je moja," sem mislil in je ne bi dal za zvezzano nebo.

Prikazali so se svatje. Zbirali so se. Že smo bili pripravljeni za odhod, ko je vstopil — Ternjej.

"Oprostili mi boste," je govoril, "da sem se nepoklican vrnil med vas. Prinašam veselo vest Andorlaku, ki bi mi štel v greh, če bi odlašal le za trenutek, da mu jo naznam."

Prijatelj Matija, ne res, ti sam nisi mislil, da boš danes obhaja dvojni praznik, namreč portoročni in krest . . ."

"Kaj mi je to mar!" sem rekel.

"Ej, radi božje ljubezni, kako da bi ti tega ne bilo mar?"

je nadaljeval Ternjej. "Saj si ti oče . . . Da, priatelj moj, mala Beti ti je rodila sina."

To je bilo ko nočni prizor na pokopališcu. Zdelo se mi je, kakor da se je Ternjej izpremenil v cerkveno uro, ki bije dvanajsto in kliče duhove iz grobov.

Bledi obrazci in tišina.

"Prijatelj Matija, torej tako nemo je tvoje očetovsko veselje, kaj? Toda kdor ni dober oče, tudi ne more biti dober soprog," je nadaljeval Ternjej.

(Dalje prihodnjih)

— 0 —

V našem času najširše motorizacije bi menili, da se je izpolnila tudi graditev cest, vendar pričajo cestička zaradi zmrzovanja, da sodobne ceste niso odpome proti temperaturnim spremembam.

Res je, zdaj lahko gradimo ceste, ki zelo uspešno kljubujejo zimski in drugim pojavitvam, ker uporabljamo pri graditvi beton in bitumenske plasti. Največjega pomena pa je še vedno globok jarek, ki vanj nasušemo za vodo propustne snovi. Zato so dobre ceste drage. O tem je razmišljal hamburški inženir Ostermann, ki je iskal možnosti za ceneno, vendar trpežno klasično cesto. Našel jo je in jo označil kot "cesto prihodnosti."

Gra za polistirol, umetno snov, ki je postala po določenih izpolnitvah zelo odporna proti temperaturnim spremembam. Polistirol sodi med temmoplastike, med raziskovanjem so odkrili njegove presenetljive lastnosti. Številke: poskusni kos snovi — dolg je bil 28, širok 8.6 in debel 0.74 cm — je vzdržal pritisk 2.5 tone na kvadratni centimeter. Za poskušnjo so ga trikrat poselili in se je presenetljivo počasi obrabil.

Iz razumljivih razlogov je izumitelj izobiloval nov material za graditev cest v tramovih in ne v ploščah, ker se je s tem izognil možnosti lomljenja, razen tega pa je poenostavil prevoz in polaganje ter kasneje zamenjavo obrabljenih delov. Tramovi so praviloma dolgi tri, široki pol metra in visoki 15 cm, tehtajo pa 600-800 kg in jih bodo polagali pod kotom 35 stopinj. Izumitelj pravi, da bo to olajšalo zaviranje in bo torej ohranjal avtomobilske plašče.

Plastični tramovi bodo ležali na betonskem ogrodju, v vrzeli med njimi pa bo mogoče polagati telefonske in električne napeljave, katerih žice naj bi bile ovite s penasto gumo.

Izumitelj je mislil tudi na prometne nesreče, ki so pogosto posledica utrujenosti voznika zaradi enoličnosti. Nove ceste nameščajo graditi v barvah. Pravi,

WASHINGTON, D. C. —

Odgovor na to vprašanje spa-

da se da polistirol poljubno pobratvi.

In še nadaljnje prednosti "ceste prihodnosti": odporna je proti velikim temperaturnim razlikam, saj prenese polistirol 80 stopinj Celzija mraza in 125 stopinj vročine, ne da bi se sprememile njegove lastnosti. Polistirolske ceste bi torej lahko gradili v Sahari in na Antarktiki. Inženir pravi, da bi se dalo zgraditi v mesecu dni pet kilometrov také plastične ceste; delovne sile bi bilo treba polovico manj, prav tako za polovico pa bi se znižali gradbeni stroški v primerjavi s "klasičnimi" cestami.

Španski kardinal se spravlja s diktatorjem Francom

MADRID, Šp. — Španska javnost je dobila posebno novoletno darilo, ki ga ni pričakovala. Voditelj španskih katolikov kardinal Pla-y-Daniel je pisal diktatorskemu režimu ostro pismo, ki

v njem protestira proti prega njenjem katoliških delavskih bratovščin po vladni delavski sindikalni zvezi. Sindikalna zveza ima monopol, lahko torej gospodari med delavstvom po milijon volj.

Trn v peti so ji katoliške delavskie bratovščine, ki se ji nočejo pokoriti, ker so glasom konkordata podrejene samo cerkevni oblastem. Bratovščine sicer niso številčno močne, toda užijo velik ugled kot edini simbol neodvisnosti od Francove diktature. Zastopniki bratovščin so bili na primer na obisku pri ameriških unijah, kar režimu ni bilo prav.

Sindikati so upravičeno bojijo, da bodo delavci kar drli v bratovščine, kakor hitro se bo začel majati Francov režim. V Madridu je spor med kardinalom in generalom rodil splošno pozornost.

Koliko je "literalnih" republikanskih kongresnikov?

WASHINGTON, D. C. —

Odgovor na to vprašanje spa-

da med najtežje na Kapitolu. Na njem so najbolj zainteresirani liberalni demokratje, ker vidijo v liberalnih republikancih svoje prirodne zaveznike pri glasovanju za socialne zakone. Demokratje so jih letos našeli kar "40 in morda še več."

Liberalna struja v predstavniškem domu bi potem takem imela okoli 150-200 kongresnikov na svoji strani in bi bila komaj kos konservativni, kamor spada okoli sto južnih demokratov in neznan število republikancev. Jeziček na tehnicu ostanejo "neutralni" kongresniki, kot je to bilo tudi v prejšnjih kongresih. Sprememba je samo v tem, da je število liberalnih kongresnikov nekaj narastlo, število konservativnih za nekaj malega pada.

Italija podpira plačilno bilanco Združenih držav

RIM, It. — Laška vlada je pokazala za težave plačilne bilance Združenih držav polno razumevanje. Skupala je administraciji olajšati položaj, kar se je le dalo, s sledenimi upravnimi sklepi: dovolila je večji uvoz ameriškega blaga; bankam je naročila, naj odplačajo okoli \$400,000,000, ki so jih bile dolžne Ameriki; laška Narodna banka ni hotela kupovati zlata v Ameriki in tudi ni sprememila obrestne mere; laški turisti, ki hodijo na obisk v Ameriko, lahko vzemajo seboj \$800 po osebi in ne samo \$500.

Vse skupaj je toliko pomagalo ameriški plačilni bilanci, da je sedaj Amerika napram Italiji poslovni upnik in ne dolžnik. Imata okoli \$100,000,000 več terjatev kot dolgov. Razume se, da je sedaj laški gospodarski ugled v Ameriki zelo visok.

Do konca tega tedna je treba plačati zemljarinu!

CLEVELAND, O. — Blagajnik Brennan, ki ga vsi davko-plačevalci zemljarine poznajo vsaj po imenu, opozarja, da je treba zemljarinu poravnati do konca tega tedna. Pristavil pa je, da se to večine malih davko-plačevalcev ne tiče, kajti ti vsi so že poravnali svoje obveznosti pred prazniki, deloma tudi radi tega, da bodo plačano zemljarinu lahko porabili kot odbitno postavko v napovedi dohodnine.

Pri vsem tem še ni bilo plačanih do 1. januarja celih 50 milijonov iz predpisanih 86. "Večike davečne ribe" čakajo namreč do zadnjega. Take so velike tovarne, banke itd. V nekaterih slučajih morajo položiti v davčni

no blagajno zneske, ki presegajo milijone.

Brennan je tudi povedal, da bo predlagal v Columbusu, naj tam spremeničo čase za plačevanje zemljarine, ki so postali zelo nepraktični. Obroki padajo ravno sredi poletja, ko vse šteje dolarse za počitnice, in pred božične praznike. Brennan bo predlagal nove roke z aprilom in oktobrom.

Novega predsednika so že začeli kritizirati

WASHINGTON, D.C. — Kennedy ima svoj kabinet že skoraj popoln, manjka mu samo še kandidatov za par mest. Tako ni še zasedeno mesto tajnika za armado. Južna demokrata kongresnik Vinson in senator Russell, oba mogočni osebnosti na Kapitolu, sta mu ponujala guvernerja države Georgia. Kandidat je razvilit konservativec in nasprotnik integracije na vseh področjih. Zato so proti njemu liberalni politiki tako protestirali, da ga Kennedy ni mogel nastaviti.

V Kongresu so senatorji in kongresniki včeraj vlagali ves čas svoje zakonske predloge, poleg tega pa nadaljevali s prepričil, kdo bo kaj itd. Danes se bodo sponzori v plenumu senata pristaši in nasprotniki neomejene obstrukcije. Liberalna republikanska senatorja Clark in Javitz sta napovedala, da bo debata o tem trajala tja do dneva inavguracije. Seveda bodo skušali vmes obravnavati tudi par važnejših zakonov.

V rdeči Kitajski gre vse na debelo

RANGOON, Burma. — V Burmo se je dal povabiti kitajski ministrski predsednik Ču-En-Laj na "misijo do

Višarska polena

spisal Narte Velikonja

"Psa obvezuje, za tujega otroka skrbi, le vdovi, ki jo snubi zaradi grunta, tej se laže!"

Občutila je pred njim nepopisen sram in stud.

"In še pasjo dlako je imel na rokavu. Mokro pasjo dlako!"

In kakor da je pasja dlaka višek umazanosti, jo je stresel tak gnus, da je pljunila čez prag. "Po mokrem psu smrd!"

Ko je prinesla Tinetu večerjo, je ta sedel na klopi pri oknu ter zrl na dvorišče.

"Lopa pušča!" je dejal. Cel curek dere na vozove. Ali ga ni, da bi kaj popravil?"

"Matijec ima polne roke dela, ne vidi vsega."

"Da votle strehe ne vidi!" je zmajal Tine z glavo.

"Saj ni dolžan! Ali je dolžan skrbeti in delati? Dela, kolikor sam hoče. Njegovo ni in plačam mu ne!" ga je razburjeno braničila, da Tine ne bi uganil njene misli.

"Ce pa vidi, da drug ne more. Da nimate nikogar! O, ce bi ne moral ležati! Mene boli srce, prav res, da me boli, če vidim, da kaj razpada!" je dejal Tine in njegove besede so se zdele Franci odkritosrčne.

"Pokazala mu bom."

Tine je že mogel za silo stopti na nogo. Roka in rebra so mu že bila zdrava. V postelji se je bil zredil, le roke so mu poštale bele v sobi.

"Lahko bi jedel že zunaj," je dejal, ko je sedel k skledi.

"Boš že še!" je odvrnila krateko ter mu popravljala posteljo. "Ali ti naj prevežem nogo?" je dejala ter prisledila k njemu. "No, roka pa je že," je z zadovoljstvom prijela za desnico. "Ali te je danes kaj trgal po nej?"

"Prav nič," je dejal Tine. "Se noga se ni oglasila!"

"Potem bo pa res kmalu dobro!"

"Kako naj se zahvalim za vso skrbi?" je spet Tine zamišljal ter se s čudnim pogledom ozrl v gospodinjo.

"Kako! Saj boš še pri hiši!"

"Slišal sem, da se možite!"

"Kdo je to dejal?"

"Kaj vem, kdo, ko jih je bilo toliko pri meni. Nekaj bo le res."

"Česa ljudje ne govore!"

"In ko se omožite, pojdem jaz iz hiše!" je bruhično strastno Tine ter jo držal, preden se je zavedela, za roke. "Da, pojdem. Drugemu gospodarju ne bom služil."

Tine, kaj delaš?" je prestrasheno polglasno kriknila, ko je čutila njegov močni prijem za členkom. "Kaj ti je?"

"Rekel sem!" je pouparil.

"Kaj ti je, Tine?" je strmela v njegov od strasti razpaljeni obraz. Njegovi beli zobje, beseida in njegovi plameneči pogledi so jo omamljali; njegova bližina ji je jemala zavest.

"Jaz bi ne imel mirne ure, če bi vedel, da je kdo drug pri Vas. Ob pamet bi bil, Franca! Da, Franca, ne gospodinja, Drobeževa Franca, jaz bom ob pamet!"

Spustil je njen levico ter jo krepko prijel okoli pasu, da jo je zabolelo, zabolelo prav do srca. Izgubljala je zavest, vsa čumnata se je zasukala okoli nje.

"Tine, Tine, kaj delaš z menoj?" je bolno dahnila.

Tine je strastno govoril v njeni lice:

"Drobeževa Franca! O, tudi Drobeževa Franca! Kaj naj delam s teboj? Samo tu bodi, tu bodi!"

Franci je izgubljala zavest, v njenih mišicah ni bilo nobene moči, nobene volje, nobenega odpora.

"Franca!" je zaslišala zunaj glas. Bil je Blaž. "Močnik bo vzkipele."

Zdrznila sta se, Franca je planila kvišku. Težko sopeč si je popravila lase.

"Saj je komaj začel vreti!" je dejala s prisiljeno mironostjo. Toda Blaž jo je pomenilovo, vsevedno pogledal ter dejal prav tako mirno in s poudarkom:

"Samo da je začel!"

Franca je vzkipele moko naglo ostrgala v žerjavico ter mu nio pogledala v oči.

Blaž je zaprl vrata za seboj, stopil počasi in plaho proti Tinetu, ki je bobnal v zadrgi po mizi.

"Dež je!" je pokazal skozi okno.

"Da, dež!"

"In dolgčas!"

"In dolgčas!" je ponovil Tine.

Blaž je stopil k vratom, pogledal, če so zaprta, in se natov v tesni zadregi obrnil k Tinetu:

"Nihče ne sliši!"

"Kar odpri, da bo kdo slišal!" je bruhično Tine, ki so mu od divje strasti že vedno trepetale vse žilice.

"Prav nič se me nisi nadejal!" je mirno dejal Blaž.

"Prav res ne!" je rezko odvrnil Tine.

"In sem te le prišel pogledat. Zdi se mi, da v pravi čas," je spet Blaž povlekel.

"Kako, v pravi? Zdrav sem že!"

"Tudi to vidim!"

Tine je vstal in šepal proti njemu.

"Kaj prav za prav hočeš?"

"Prišel sem, da ti povem, da ne delaš prav. Enega človeka si umoril," je siknil pritajeno, "drugega nameravaš; in ta je Franca!" Oči so se mu skrivnostno svetlikale v poltemi. "Vsa France se usmili! Kaj sta imela?"

"Nič! In tudi če bi kaj imela, tebi nič mar! Rekel sem, da jo zasnubim in jo bom!"

"In boš človeka umoril. Moža si ji v naglici, njo boš pa počasi, kapljo krvi za kapljo krvi. Ali misliš, da ne zve? Če solnce ve, bodo tudi ljudje zvedeli. In jaz vem."

"Če res kaj veš, pa me ovadi! Le govor! Rekli bomo, da bledoš. Priče so videle, da je bil udarjen po hlodu. Ali ni imel zmečkanih prsi, kaj?"

se je nasmejal Tine. "Jaz ga nisem." Njegov smeh je bil prisilen in čudna plašnost je zvenela v njem. Glas se mu je tresel.

"Jaz te ne bom ovadil. Zapomni si, da boš sam povedal. Čas je že. Obljetnica je že minila. Sam stopi pred sodnika!" je pritajeno šepetal Blaž in ves trepetal od čudne boli.

"Za velik greh mora biti velika pokora, zato si ne tovori drugega, prav tako velikega, na dušo. Kako boš opravil velikonočno spoved?"

"Kaj tebe briga?" je Tine stopil naprej. "Kaj tebi mar? Kaj si mi?"

"Mene skrbi tvoja duša! Meni je za Kristusovo ovčko, Tine. Kaj bo, če jo pogubiš?"

In pogubiš jo, če boš tako delal."

"Nehaj s svojo ovčko!" ga je navidez brezbrizno zavrnil

Tine, ki ga je tresla groza ob čudnem pritajenem glasu, še petajočem v mraku pred njim. Blaževa postava se je skrivnostno megnila iz temnega obrova; kakor tajinstvena prikazan je stal berač v čumnat ter dvigal roko. Njegovo glas ni grozil, temveč molil in prošil:

"Nehaj z ovčko, za svojega kosmetega koštruna skrbi!" si je Tine delal pogum, ker je čutil, kako ga vse prevzema.

"Skrbi me! Toda zdaj vidi, da hudič grabi z vso silo po tebi, in sem dejal, da mu vržem poleno! Zmerom bolte bo imel. Otresi se ga, da ne bo zagospodaril. Ti si dober fant, samo vrglo te je v strugo in ne moreš h kraju. Ne si v vrtinec!"

"Meni je že vsega dovolj! S kakšno pravico siliš vame?"

"Blaž je strepel ob teh besedah po vsem telesu. Kakor da ga je udaril po glavi.

"Meni je že vsega dovolj! S kakšno pravico? Ker ti hočem dobro. Ker vem za tvojo skrivnost. Ker hočem Franci dobro, Matijcu dobro, vsem dobro. Ne segaj po tujem blagu. Ta grunt je Mohorjev. On ga je spravil skupaj. Zdaj pa sega po njem, ki si hlapec na njem. Ta grunt naj reši Mohorjevo ime, nihče drug nima pravice in še najmanj ti, ti, ki se te drži še na rokah sveža Mohorjeva kri."

"Molči!" je planil Tine besen proti njemu ter ga zagrabil za grlo. "Molči, če ne, mi ne boš več črhnil besede!"

"Tine!" je zamotovil Blaž z rokami. "Tine, pusti, ne umazi si duše še z očetovo krvijo! Da, Tine, zato te ne ovadim! Glej, tu na kolenih te prosim, kakor še ni nihče niko prosil," je zdrknil ves beden in v solzah na kolena, "pusti Franco in ne zapisuj hudi-

ču duše, da je ne pogubiš!"

"Ti da si moj oče?" je Tine omahnil na stol in počasi ponavljal te besede.

Nastal je strašen premolk. Tine je zbiral misli, slednji pa premagal hipno grozo ter zamahnil z roko odločno in sovražno:

"Dokler se ne izpričas s pričo, tega ne verjamem. Vsak postopač bi mi bil zdaj oče! Kje pa je bil oče, ko sem ga potreboval?"

Odprl mu je vrata ter ga potisnil v kuhinjo.

Blaž je nemo in plaho ubogal kakor otrok.

Tine je dolgo molčal, nato stopil po sobi gor in dol in s silo dušil bridko bolečino, ki se mu je mešala s sovražtom.

"Kje si bil, če si res, ko sem potreboval? Kaj bi bil jaz, če bi bil imel očeta! O, to bi ne bil, kar sem!"

In žoga bolečina mu je krčila srce, da se je spustil na

klop ter nemo strmel predse.

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"Bog plačaj, Franca, zdaj pa že imamo mleko. In teličko kakor jagnejče!" je Klančar prinesel lonec mleka nazaj, ki ga je bila poslala po Blažu.

"Glej ga, pa nazaj prinešes?"

"Jaz ne maram krasti. Ti si mleko dajala, ko ga nismo imeli. Zdaj ga pa imamo in bilo bi ukradeno, če ga obdr-

žimo."

"Tako pa le ni. Kar vzemi mleko nazaj!"

"Da ga daš? Potrebovali ga bodo za tega malega."

"Kako je kaj z njo, z ženo?"

"Bolje, zdaj že vstaja. O, na spomlad bo prav lahko že sadila krompir in kopala. Danes je že otroka sama umila. Pa ga tudi je, otroka. To je storilo samo Vaše mleko."

"Matijcu se zahvali, on ga je pripravil!" je izbegnila Franca.

"Prav res, Matijcu. Zlat

človek je. Zadnje čase pa tako ošaben?"

"Nikoli ni preveč govoril."

"Zato pa. Zdaj pa čisto molči in umika se človeku. Nekaj mu leži na duši."

"I kaj, čuden človek je!" je rezko odvrnila Franca.

"Čuden, res. Ampak jaz pravim, kaj če mu roji po glavi kaka ženitev!"

"Ženitev?"

(Dalje prihodnjic)

— Na vsakih tisoč patentov v Združenih državah je eden last žensk.

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New Small Business Investment Company Gets Green Light



Capital Funds Corporation, a small business investment company wholly owned by Society National Bank, received official word to begin operations from the Small Business Administration.

From left to right: Wilbur L. Grandjean, Chief, Investment Division, S.B.A.; Mervin B. France, President of the new company and of Society National Bank; Hudson Hyatt, Acting Regional Director, S. B. A.; George G. Litzko, Vice President of Capital Funds Corporation and Senior Vice President of Society National Bank.



CONDENSED NEWS FROM OUR HOME FRONT

★ On a visit from Yugoslavia is Miss Frances Drolc, who came to visit her cousin, Frank Capuder of 3934 St. Clair Ave. Welcome!

★ Mrs. Sava Stojadinovic came from Europe for permanent residence with her husband, Milorad Stojadinovic of 3437 E. 102 St. Welcome! Both trips were arranged by Kollander Travel Bureau.

★ Anton Novak of 1000 Creek View, has been taken to Euclid-Glenville Hospital. We wish him a speedy recovery!

★ Taken to St. Vincent Charity Hospital was Steve Mejek of 15913 Whitcomb Rd. We wish him a fast recovery!

★ Mary Strukel sends greetings from Van Nuys, California, to all her friends. She writes that the weather is fine in California and the temperature is 82 degrees.

★ Jelena, wife of Marko Apic, 3911 Warren St., arrived for permanent residence. The trip was arranged by Bled Travel Service.

★ Mrs. Frances Maver arrived from Europe to visit her brother, Louis Grzelj, 1055 N. St. Clair St., Painesville, O. All necessary details for the trip were arranged by Kollander Travel Bureau.

★ On a 20-day leave is Marine Joseph Kokalj of 15228 Saranac Rd. He returns to service on January 12th. Have a good time!

★ Joseph Vercik, 5082 Greenhurst Dr., Maple Heights, is celebrating his 84th birthday today, January 6. Congratulations and here's to many more!

★ Sundance, Wyo. — Wyoming's 1961 automobile license plates will have a red background with white letters and numerals. This prompted the following headline in the weekly Sundance Times: "New 1961 Plates in the Red Like Everything Else."

★ London — Some big wheels use bicycles to slip thru London's heavy traffic. John Fernald, a principal at the Royal Academy of Dramatic Arts, reported after a test of the route between his home and office: "Taxis take 25 minutes, bus and underground up to 40 minutes. I do it on my bike in 18 minutes."

★ Cheyenne, Wyo. — Do you remember when a high school basketball team was lucky to have a 6-footer for center? Carey Junior High School can field a team of 9th graders averaging 6-feet-5.

★ Cleveland — Two goal tenders in the American Hockey League are wearing masks this season. They are Gil Mayer of Cleveland and Gerry McNeil of Quebec. Mayer began the fad in the A.H.L. last season.

★ Mangum, Okla. — In 1895 William Mikemar set out four pear trees in an orchard near here. The four still were producing in 1960.

★ New York, N. Y. — Edward Quigley, 27, jumped off the Brooklyn Bridge, a drop of 133 feet, and was rescued by police after swimming around for an hour in the river.

The National Catholic Society for Animal Welfare

A folder explaining the need for protection of meat animals from slaughterhouse cruelties has just been published by The National Catholic Society for Animal Welfare. Entitled "Your Responsibility," it describes the method by which animals are slaughtered in plants still using a procedure that has been outlawed in most other countries.

The NCSAW folder reports that a Federal humane slaughter law, requiring that meat animals be made insensible to pain before they are shackled, hoisted, stuck or bled, was enacted in 1958. The Federal law became effective July 1, 1960 but applies only to plants selling meat to the Federal government. Only six states have enacted the state humane slaughter laws necessary to supplement the Federal law, The NCSAW says.

Mgr. LeRoy E. McWilliams, Jersey City, N. J., is President of The NCSAW which was founded in 1959. The Society's purpose is to make the Church's merciful teaching on the animal world better known in this country. The organization also is active in such nation-wide activities for the prevention of cruelty as the campaign for humane slaughter of meat animals.

Sample copies of "Your Responsibility" may be obtained free from The National Catholic Society for Animal Welfare, 733 Fifteenth St., N. W., Washington 5, D. C.

"Thank You" from Father Rebol

Just a word of thanks to you for prayers and sacrifices and for helping to make our Christmas here in Yuan Li Formosa a real happy one. We told the Gospel story of God's love to thousands; but more important, we tried with your help to spread a little of that Christmas message that the angels sang on that first Christmas so long ago on the hills of Israel: "Behold, I bring you good news of a great rejoicing for the whole people."

This year there will be over eighty new Catholics, who will greet the Infant for the first time this year. They will pray for you and together with all of us here wish you all a "VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A BLESSED NEW YEAR."

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Death Notices

Domic, John — Father of Paul, John, Anna Ruschak, Mary Praznik. Residence at 6516 Bonna Ave.

Mikulich, John — Father of Mary Schurach, Alice Miller, John, Frank, brother of Josephine Klun. Residence at 674 E. 160 St.

Novak, Frank — Father of Glenn, Frank, son of Frank and Jennie, brother of William, Olga Gilbar, Lane DeLeese, Ann Adams, Lillian Zingales, Florida. Residence at 3705 E. 108 St.

Pourlour, Jennie — Sister of Frank Longar (4030 St. Clair Ave.), Molly, Rose. Residence in Somerset, Wis.

Card playing can be expensive—but so is any game where you hold hands.

SHORTS on SPORTS

They Only Won \$400,000:

It was another dismal year for Southwest Conference in bowl games — three lost and one tied.

In 1958 the conference had three teams in bowl games and lost all.

The only bright spot this year was Texas' 3-3 tie with Alabama in the Bluebonnet Bowl on Dec. 17. The conference, however, got about \$400,000 out of the four games.

Pro Bowl Coaches

Select Aids:

Buck Shaw and Vince Lombardi picked members of their own coaching staffs to assist them in directing the East and West All-Stars, respectively, in the Jan. 15 Pro Bowl game at the Coliseum.

Shaw, who piloted the Philadelphia Eagles to the National Football League championship, named Nick Skorich to coach the East's line and Jerry Williams to tutor the backs. Skorich has been mentioned as possible successor to Shaw at Philadelphia.

Lombardi, chief of the Green Bay Packers western division champion, assigned his regular aides, Phil Bengston and Bill Austin, to assist him.

Draft Parade Led by Pitt:

The University of Pittsburgh led the National Football League draft selections, recently. Eight Panthers were among the 280 picks. Illinois, Northwestern, Mississippi and Syracuse were tapped for seven players apiece.

Proceeds for the nine-day event go to charity. Advance sale tickets are now available through boating organizations and marine dealers throughout the region.

Feminine Logic Aids Gus Bell:

Feminine logic scored a telling point in one of the many letters the bobby-sox crowd has written to the Cincinnati Reds' front office protesting a rumored trade of Outfielder Gus Bell.

Wrote one young lady: "Bell is often compared with Wally Post as far as fielding is concerned. People usually bring up the fact that Post has the strongest throwing arm. However," concludes Bell's feminine fan, with the perfect logic of a woman, "Bell is the better fielder, and you can't throw a ball unless you catch it."

Dean Saddened at Own Runback:

Ted Dean, whose 58-yard kickoff return was the longest sprint of the Eagles-Packers title clash, was unhappy over his failure to go all the way for a touchdown. "They set up a perfect 'cup' to my left," said the rookie back. "I was supposed to fake to my right, then hit the lane up the sidelines. With the blocking I got, I should have made it."

When quarterback Norm Van Brocklin peeled off this famous No. 11 jersey after the game, he was asked if he was taking the shirt home as a souvenir.

"I never want to see the thing again," he replied.

Alien Report

Thomas M. Pederson, District Director of the Cleveland, Ohio Immigration and Naturalization Service has again reminded all aliens to report their addresses during January.

Cards with which to make the reports are available at Post Offices and offices of the Immigration and Naturalization Service throughout the country. The reports must be submitted to one of those offices.

Parents or guardians submit re-

Unusual Boat Exhibit To Be Seen at Cleveland Boat Show

What's the best way to show boats at a boat show? An unusual answer to the problem will be seen at the fourth annual Mid-America Boat Show in Cleveland Public Hall, January 21-29.

A huge tank, 22 feet by 22 feet by 8 inches deep, filled with water and complete with fish and water flowers has been developed by the Delta Boat Co. of Oak Lawn, Illinois to insure show visitors of a true picture of their 1961 boats from the water line up.

Besides unusual displays, the show features many new products. One such item is the Plane-O-Matic elevators developed by the Sea-Trim Corp. of Plymouth, Ind. According to the manufacturer, when attached to the transom of any boat, water forced against the elevators creates an upward thrust which allows the boat to go faster and ride smoother.

Always looking for new boating products, the Boat Show staff is now engaged in a pleasant search for an Ohio miss who will be named queen of the show. Her prizes include a trip for two to New York City, a wardrobe, and a complete personal development course. The Boat Show, largest all-marine exhibition in the Ohio region, covers five acres of exhibit space.

Proceeds for the nine-day event go to charity. Advance sale tickets are now available through boating organizations and marine dealers throughout the region.

15 Sledding Areas Announced

Recreation Commissioner John Nagy and Police Chief Frank Story announced 15 areas where youngsters will be permitted to coast on sleds when the ground freezes over.

When sledding weather arrives, they said, police will barricade these hills to keep motorists away. Sledding hours will be from 4 to 9 p.m. The sites are:

Glenside Ave., between Clearaire and Clermont Rds.; Nell Ave., between E. 144th and E. 146th Sts.; the Garfield Park hillside; Coates Ave., south of Miles Ave.; Dillwood Ave., between E. 177th St. and Nottingham Rd.; Landchester Rd., off Schaaf Rd.; Leefila Ave., between W. 130th and Bellaire Rd.; W. 38th St. and Murial Ave.; W. 93 St. at Detroit Ave.; W. 11th St., between Castle and Branch Aves.; Treadway Ave., between W. 19th St. and Broadview Rd.; W. 155th St., from Lydia to Greenway Ave.; Old Lorain Rd., from Riveredge Ave. to the river bridge; the Brookside Stadium hillside, and W. 90th St., between Denison and Almira Aves.

In Sequence

Two ladies who had not seen each other for a long time met on the street.

"Oh, Mary," exclaimed one of them. "So many things have happened to me since I saw you last. I've had my teeth out and an electric stove put in."

ports for alien children under 14 years of age.

Mr. Pederson urges all aliens to report before the end of January, as willful failure to do so may lead to serious penalties.

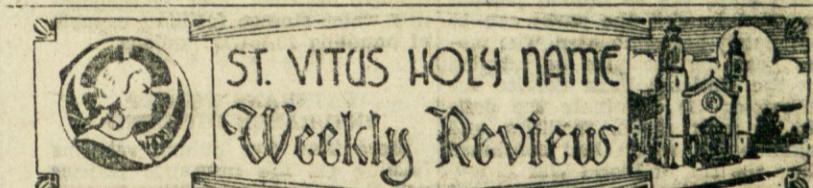
Election Laws Need Revision

Nearly 70 million voters cast ballots in the general election just concluded. What most people do not know is that but for our archaic voting laws the turnout of voters last November could have approached the 80 million mark. Between 5 and 10 million American citizens were forced to stand on the sidelines while their fellow citizens went to the polls. These 5 to 10 million disenfranchised citizens were deprived of the right to vote for president because they had moved recently and could not meet the residency requirements in the states to which they had moved.

We have become a mobile nation, not only for pleasure but of necessity. Countless thousands of persons employed by larger corporations have to change residences as they are transferred or promoted. When this happens shortly before a presidential election under our present laws they automatically lose the right to vote for president.

The irony of the situation is expressed with feeling by one victim of disenfranchisement who was recently promoted and transferred by a major oil company. He writes, "We were being exhorted on all sides to get out and vote. When Arthur Godfrey told my wife (via radio) 'to get off your duff and vote' she wrote him immediately saying she would be glad to but the states would not let her. She committed a terrible crime—she moved!"

There should never be another election in which millions of American citizens lose the right to vote for president because they move from one state to another. The first order of business of state legislatures should be to modernize our election registration procedure.



Holy Name Family Communion

The St. Vitus Holy Name Society

will hold its monthly corporate communion this Sunday, January 8th at the 8 o'clock Mass. Since this day is the feast of the Holy Family all members and their family are urged to corporately receive Holy Communion at this mass. A breakfast and talk by Judge John Toner of the Juvenile Court will follow.

Please note that all the members of your family without exception are invited to attend. A special effort on your part will benefit you, your family and the society.

St. Vitus Men's Bowling League

December 29, 1960

With half of the season over, we will start 1961 with Hecker Tavern in first place and a three way tie for second place. The boys ended 1960 bowling without an extra spurge of good kegling. John Kromar had both highs 223-587 this evening. Other better scores were: H. Dule 226, J. Macek 224, F. Praznik 216, C. Mirozinski 214, F. Debelak 214, S. Mezic 213, P. Jelenic 212, H. Szymanski 212, A. Germ and J. Burckhardt 210. Among the teams Cimperman Market had the best single game 982 while Charles Slapnik Florists had the top series 2687.

CVW Goldbricks blanked C-L Pizza in all three games. Johnny Kromar's 228-587 led the Vets to victory in a very tight match.

CVW Goldbricks 848 868 865 2581
C - L Pizza 845 861 862 2588

Brodnick Bros. Furniture and Appliances defeated first place Hecker Tavern in two games. John Pagonis starred for the victors on a 570 series.

Brodnick Bros. 907 833 861 2321
Hecker Tavern 789 834 935 2558

Charles Slapnik Florist outscored Mezic Insurance in two games. Ed Salomon 545 won scoring honors for the Florists.

Ch. Slapnik Flor. 881 869 937 2687
Mezic Insurance 890 845 880 2615

CVW Wildcats shut out CVW Launchers in all three games. John Burckhardt's 210-566 sparked the Kittens to the victory.

CVW Wildcats 829 831 889 2549
CVW Launchers 785 825 879 2489

Norwood Men's Shop jolted Cimperman Market in two games. Tony Urbas had 560 to pace the clothiers.

Nwd Men's Shop 826 825 869 2520

Cimperman Mart 776 982 842 2594

KSKJ No. 25 whitewashed COF Baraga Court in all three games. Joe Nemanik topped the Kay Jays with 202-544. Joe Marinko made the difficult 4-7-10 split while Bernie Orehek completed the 6-7-10.

KSKJ No. 25 891 925 859 2675

COF No. 1317

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HAPPY NEW YEAR! And may 1961 put in your hands health work, play, increased vision and greater capacity to attain the joys you seek—Heaven blessing you.

MISSION 66 NEARS HALF-WAY MARK IN PARK IMPROVEMENT

Mission 66—the 10 year program of the National Park Service designed to raise the standards of the parks and increase facilities—on January 1, 1961 will have completed the first four and a half years of its operation. Progress was inaugurated in 1956 by the Interior Department because facilities throughout the national parks used by visitors and park management had deteriorated to the extent that roads were unsafe, campgrounds run down and over-crowded, and most conditions at a substandard level. In the first year of the program the parks were visited by nearly 55 million persons. In 1959 the figure was 62.8 million. The objective of Mission 66 is to realize the potential of the national parks so that, in 1966, the year the program ends, the 80 million persons expected to visit the parks can be adequately accommodated. The major goals of the plan as adopted by the National Park Service are threefold: (1) Eliminate the deficit in park staffs, facilities and maintenance which had continued since the end of World War II and increase services in anticipation of future needs. (2) Provide full protection of natural, historic and prehistoric areas in the National Park System. (3) Evaluate outdoor recreation resources in cooperation with other public agencies in order to develop a national recreation plan for the United States.

To give you some idea of the accomplishments, the following is a breakdown of the various areas in which the Park Service in the past four years has made improvements under Mission 66: **Campsites**—Campsites within the various

campsites in 1956 totaled 12,833. The service has planned to make 17,760 new campsites by 1966, bringing the total up to 30,593. At the end of the four-year period campsites numbered 22,956. **Roads and Parkways**—In 1956 there were 600 miles of parkways for visitors throughout the national parks. The goal laid down in Mission 66 was the construction of another 500 miles. By July, 1960, more than 100 miles had been built with another 145 under construction. **Land Acquisition**—When the parks were originally designated, persons owning land within the areas were permitted to retain it and use it any way they chose. As the owners died or moved away the service acquired the land, incorporating it into the park. During the 10 years of Mission 66 the service has aimed for the acquisition of 363,750 acres of these "isolated" lands. By the end of fiscal 1960 the Park Service had acquired 190,132 acres. The National Parks Service by June 31, 1960, had also: increased parking facilities by 19,666 spaces; constructed 1,438 exhibits; erected 45 new visitor centers; built 234 new sewage systems; and constructed new water storage facilities capable of handling 18,151,755 gallons.

VETERANS TO GET INSURANCE DIVIDEND

More than five million veterans holding GI life insurance policies will share in \$285.5 million in regular annual dividends during 1961. Veterans Administrator Sumner G. Whittier said the dividends are primarily a refund to holders of participating policies of part of their premium payments. The dividends will be paid automatically as soon as possible after the 1961 anniversary of the date that policy was issued. Mr. Whittier said the refunds are made principally because the death rate among GI policy holders continues to be lower than the rate upon which the premiums were established by law.

Alcoholism

Alcoholism is a major health guilt because of this need. When does a person stop being a "social drinker," and become an alcoholic? The line is hard to draw, but most authorities agree that when any of the following symptoms are evident, a person can be classified as an alcoholic: (1) He drinks in great excess of what is normal for his social group. (2) His drinking is increasingly beyond his rational control. (3) His drinking clearly damages his life emotionally, physically, or socially.

Alcoholism does not occur overnight. It is an illness, and like many other illnesses, its early stages appear relatively harmless. Often it is not recognized until it is already deeply embedded and causing severe damage to the individual. Like many other illnesses, it attacks people of both sexes, of all races and creeds, on all economic and social levels. Alcoholism is the third greatest public health problem in the United States. According to the U.S. Public Health Service, it costs the nation more than 60 million man-hours every year. Clevelanders can be grateful that their community is aware of its needs in the field of alcoholism, and is attempting to satisfy them.

Sales Tax Deductions

A table reflecting average Ohio state sales tax payments by district residents was announced by Melvin J. Burton, District Director at Cleveland, O. Mr. Burton said that the table may be used as a guide by district taxpayers in claiming sales tax deductions on Federal Income Tax Returns for 1960.

Taxpayers who itemize their deductions instead of taking the standard deductions on Forms 1040 or 1040-W may find the table helpful in estimating the amount to claim for sales taxes on their returns, he said.



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HERE THEY ARE — Mrs. Kaethe Kruse, 77, has two dolls that brought her world fame 50 years ago in Munich, West Germany. She made them for her children, then started a doll business that lasted until she retired two years ago.

Mr. Burton states that the law requires taxpayers to substantiate any deductions claimed on their returns and if requested they must be prepared to do so. Ordinarily, however, they will not be asked to produce records to support the sales tax deductions claimed, unless it exceeds the amount shown in the table.

The table contemplates normal and abnormal purchases subject to sales tax. Where the taxpayer would claim an amount in excess of the estimate used in the table, adequate records should be retained to support the entire sales tax deduction.

Taxpayers who have questions on this subject may telephone Internal Revenue headquarters office at TO 1-2700 or any IRS office in the Cleveland District, Mr. Burton advised.

Adjusted Gross Income	Sales Tax Payments
Under 1,000	\$ 19
\$ 1,000 to \$ 1,499	19
1,500 to 1,999	24
2,000 to 2,499	28
2,500 to 2,999	35
3,000 to 3,499	41
3,500 to 3,999	46
4,000 to 4,499	51
4,500 to 4,999	57
5,000 to 5,499	62
5,500 to 5,999	68
6,000 to 6,499	73
6,500 to 6,999	79
7,000 to 7,499	84
7,500 to 7,999	90
8,000 to 8,499	95
8,500 to 8,999	100
9,000 to 9,499	105
9,500 to 9,999	111
10,000 to 10,999	119
11,000 to 11,999	128
12,000 to 12,999	138
13,000 to 13,999	147
14,000 to 14,999	156
15,000 to 15,999	164
16,000 to 16,999	172
17,000 to 17,999	180
18,000 to 18,999	187
19,000 to 19,999	195

Complete Boating Info at Boat Show

Cleveland — The opportunity of learning about all phases of pleasure boating "first hand" from experts will be offered to visitors to the Mid-America Boat Show January 21-29, Cleveland Public Hall.

Public service organizations, comprised of individuals who have devoted many years of effort to boating practices and procedures, will offer free information on subjects covering the water front — from navigation to water skiing to the boating laws.

Included among exhibitors are the U. S. Coast Guard and Coast Guard Auxiliary — information regarding navigation, rescue and proper equipment; the U. S. Corps of Engineers — maps and charts of the entire Great Lakes region, and the Ohio Bureau of Watercraft — the state boating laws.

Information covering navigation and proper water sports procedures will also be made available by the U. S. Power Squadron, the Greater Cleveland Boating Association and by several water ski associations.

Of a more unusual nature, the safety services department of the American Red Cross will present live demonstrations of proper swimming and SCUBA (self-contained underwater breathing apparatus) procedures in a 24-foot water-filled pool.

Another "live" demonstration provided by the Aetna Surety Co. will test show visitors on their boating skills by taking them on a five minute dry-land boat ride by way of the motion picture screen aboard the "Sailorometer."

The show will also feature over 400 boats and hundreds of boating accessories in five acres of exhibit space.

Confused

A woman motorist was driving along a country lane when she noticed two men climbing a telephone pole.

"Whatever are they doing that for?" she said, turning to her companion. "Surely my driving isn't as bad as that!"

Travel Program at Library

Twelve free travel programs are scheduled for Cleveland Public Library's annual series of "Away We Go" programs, which begin Monday evening, January 9 at 7:30 p.m. in the Library Auditorium. Admission will be by FREE ticket, available from the Information Desk of the Library.

Highlights of Hawaii, Spain, Israel, and Russia are programmed for January. February evenings are devoted to Portuguese Ports of Call, Quebec, The Gaspe, and Northern New England, Italy, Greece and Yugoslavia. For the month of March, travoluges on Europe, Africa, and Czechoslovakia are scheduled. All speakers are local and well known travelers.

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