



OB TEDNU IZ U. S. JE POSLAN OSTER PROTEST JAPONCEM RADI POSTOPANJA Z UJETNIKI

Washington. — Ameriški državni oddelek je dal v javnost nove dokaze o barbarskem postopanju Japoncev z ameriški vojnimi ujetniki. Pomožni državni tajnik Stettinus naznanja, da je ameriška vlada zahtevala od japonske vlade, da naj takoj podvzame potrebne korake, da se z Amerikanci boljše postopa v ujetniških taborih.

Ameriška vlada je poslala japonski vladi oster protest radi umorov, mučenja in stradanja ameriških vojaških in civilnih ujetnikov. V protestu ameriška vlada navaja dokaze, da se z ameriški vojnimi ujetniki slabo postopa, da nimajo dovolj hrane in zdravil, da se jih brutalno muči in pretepa. Dokazani so tudi slučaj, ko so oslabljene vojne ujetnike celo žive zakopali. Ta oster protest ameriške vlade je bil izdan 27. januarja in je bil izročen japonski vladi po švicarskem vladnem zastopniku.

Zanesljivo je znano, da je v prvih mesecih ujetništva v taborišču O'Donnell na Filipinih umrlo do 2.000 Amerikancev in najmanj 20.000 Filipincev. Danes je dokazano, da je imelo jeseni 1943 najmanj polovica vojnih ujetnikov v taborišču Davao jako malo prilike ostati pri življenju. Dalje je dokazano, da je mnogo ujetnikov pomrlo v taborišču Cadanatuan, ker jim japonske oblasti niso hotele dati zdravil, ki jih je poslal Rdeči križ.

Transportno letalo je padlo v reko, pri čemer je izgubilo življenje 24 oseb

Memphis. — Obrežna straža motorje letala nizko nad zemljo in eden je celo videl, kako je letalo treščilo v reko vse v plamenih in da je v par sekundah izginilo v vodi. Letalo bi bilo moralo pristati na letališču v Memphisu ob 11:38 ponoči.

Armadni inženirji so križarili tri ure po vodi, da bi našli kako sled za letalom.

V letalu je bilo 24 oseb in sicer 21 potnikov in trije možje posadke. Letalo je bilo last American Airlines družbe.

Ameriške podmornice so potopile 12. jap. ladij.

Washington. — Mornariški tajnik Knox je včeraj poročal, da so ameriške podmornice potopile nadaljnjih 12 ladij Japoncem na Pacifiku in Daljnem vzhodu. Med temi so bili trije transporti, dva velika tankerja, šest tovornih ladij in neka velika pomožna ladja.

S tem so Amerikanci potopili ali poškodovali Japoncem od četke vojne do danes 584 ladij. Japoncem tako zelo primanjkuje ladij, da ne morejo dovažati potrebščin svojim posadkam na raznih otokih, ki umirajo od glada.

Kje je sorodnik?

Ivan Tomir, ki je bil rojen na otoku Vis, Dalmacija, ima sedaj gostilno v mestu Tocopilla, republika Chile. V Clevelandu ima, kot trdi, sorodnike in prosi, naj bi se mu pismeno zglasili. Njegov naslov je: Ivan Tomir, Club Jugoslavo (Jugoslovanski dom), Tocopilla, Chile, South America.

Za pomoč domovini

John Zaman iz 15226 Saranac Rd. je daroval \$5 za pomoč stari domovini, Mrs. Frances Skul, 1036 E. 61. St. za \$3. Denar zbira župnijska pomožna akcija. Obema iskrena hvala.

Dar za kantino

Mrs. Frances Skul, 1036 E. 61. St. je darovala \$2. za Cathedral kantino. Najlepša hvala.

Washingtonu, obdeluje zdaj kavčukaste nasade v Peru, ki je rojstni kraj njegove žene. Grof Jerzy Potocki, bivši poljski ambasador v

Nekaj novega!

Z današnjo številko smo začeli na angleški strani priobčevati nakratko razne zanimive vesti. Tako bodo naši vojak, ki dobijo Ameriško Domovino na razne fronte vse od Pacifika pa gori do Islandije, obveščeni o vseh važnih dogodkih, zlasti o slovenskih.

Številna pisma od naših fantov nam pričajo, kako z veseljem čitajo Ameriško Domovino, zlasti angleško stran, ki jim obvešča o življenju doma. Prepričani smo, da jim bomo s tem novim dodatkom zelo ustregli in še bolj povežemo stike med nami in namni doma.

Ako vaš sin, brat ali mož ne dobi Ameriške Domovine, pošljite mu vsaj angleško stran v pismu in zvedel bo o vsem, kar se godi doma.

Republikanci so na delu, da izberejo svojega kandidata

Washington. — Republikanski voditelji, ki so bili izbrani iz vse dežele v prestolnici pri banketu v počast Abrahamu Lincolnu, so ob tej priliki tudi pridno ugibali, javno in privatno, kdo bo njihov predsedniški kandidat.

Kot stoji stvari danes, je na prvem mestu newyorški guverner Dewey, na drugem Wendell Wilkie, na tretjem general MacArthur in na četrtem ohijski guverner Bricker.

Mnogi prerokujejo, da bosta na narodni konvenciji Dewey in Wilkie dirkala rama ob rami in da noben ne bo dobil večine in takrat bo imel priliko dobiti nominacijo tretji, morda Bricker, Taft in celo senatorja Burtona se omenja, ter kalifornijskega guvernerja Warrena.

Vabilo na sejo

Vsi moški od fare sv. Vida, zlasti pa tisti, ki ste ali ki ste bili vpisani pri društvu Najsv. Imena, ste vabljeni na važno sejo jutri popoldne ob treh v novo šolo sv. Vida v 1. nadstropju.



Dajmo ... posodimo STRICU SAMU

4. VOJNEM POSOJILU da bomo hitreje dosegli zmago!

Do sinoči je v Greater Clevelandu podpisalo 709.029 oseb za \$24.996.515 vojnih bondov serije "E." Vsega skupaj je podpisane četrtga vojnega posojila v Clevelandu za \$174.310.200. Kampanja se zaključuje v torek.

Zakladniški urad v Washingtonu poroča, da je bilo podpisane do zdaj za \$12.621.000.000 vojnega posojila ali 90% vse kvote, ki znaša 14 milijonov dolarjev.

Boj pod Rimom divja z vso silo

OHIO JE POD DEBELO SNEŽNO ODEJO

Včeraj čez dan in ponoči je zapadlo po državi Ohio nad osem palcev snega. Danes zjutraj so bili taki zameti po cestah, da je bil ponekod ves promet ustavljen. Snežni plugi so delali po mestih vso noč, pa niso imeli dosti uspeha.

Tekom noči je kazal termometer 12 stopinj nad ničlo, za danes obetajo 16 stopinj, toda proti večeru bo padel nazaj na 2 stopinji.

Poljedelci so snega veseli, najsi je trenutno nevšečen, ker bo zmočil zemljo, ki je bila čisto osušena.

Tri steklenice ruma bo lahko dobil vsak v državi Ohio

Columbus, O. — Državni direktor Don Fisher naznanja, da bo tekom sedanjega obdobja, ki se konča 1. marca, vsaka registrirana oseba lahko dobila tri steklenice ruma. To je poleg steklenice žganja in steklenice ruma, kar dobi zdaj vsaka oseba. Odredba stopi v veljavo v ponedeljek. S tem se bodo ljudje lahko založili z rumom, predno stopi v veljavo nov federalni davek, ki čaka na predsednikov podpis.

Tudi gostilničarji bodo lahko dobili dodatno množino ruma in sicer 10% več kot je njih navadna kvota.

Tisti, ki so že dobili predpisano kvoto žganja in ruma za sedanjico obdobja, grede lahko po te tri dodatne steklenice v državne prodajalne. Prodajalne sicer trenutno nimajo dovolj ruma za ta dodatni bonus, toda v nekaj dneh ga bodo dobile od države.

Fisher pravi, da so ljudje od praznikov sega tako malo kupovali rum, da se je zaloga nakupila.

"Tarča za noč"

Ameriški hrvaška relifna zveza bo kazala v nedeljo popoldne ob treh v SND na St. Clair Ave. zanimivo sliko "Target for Tonight." Vstopnina bo 50 centov. Govoril bo tudi sodnik Samuel Silbert. Ves čisti preostanek bo šel za ameriški vojni relif, za Rdeči križ in U. S. O. Narod je prijazno vabljen, da obišče v velikem številu to prireditev.

Poroka

Mr. in Mrs. Anton Jereb iz 6904 Peck Ave. naznanjata, da se bo poročila njiju hčerka Margaret z Sgt. Anthony Pavli, Poroka bo v torek 15. februarja ob desetih v cerkvi sv. Vida. Ženin je sin poznane družine Mr. in Mrs. Anton Pavli iz 6514 Edna Ave. Sorodniki in prijatelji so vabljeni k poročni maši. Vse najboljše želimo mlademu paru v novem stanu.

Zopet doma

Mrs. Frances Mola, 905 Ansel Rd. se je vrnila iz bolnišnice in se nahaja doma pod zdravniško oskrbo. Želi se zahvaliti za obiske, cvetlice in darila.

Conemaugh, Pa. — Družina Frank Margić je 1. t. m. dobila dvojčke, sina in hčer.

Zavezniške čete so se pomaknile nekoliko naprej, toda njih pozicije so še vedno v resnem položaju. Na livi ovirajo zračno armado pri napadih.

ZOPET STA BILI UBITI DVE BOLNIČARKI V ITALIJI

New York, 12. febr. — Danes zjutraj je poročal radio iz Londona, da se poroča iz fronte pod Rimom, da so se zavezniške čete nekoliko pomaknile naprej na dveh točkah v sektorju pri Carroceto. Zavzele so važne pozicije in prehod čez neko reko, kjer so dozdaj Nemci najbolj napadali.

Sinočno poročilo iz glavnega stana 5. ameriške armade pravi, da so bili ameriški fantje v boju z Nemci mož proti možu, kar pomeni boj na bajonete in ročne granate. Amerikanci so izvedli napad v največjem naliivu in se jim je posrečilo potisniti Nemce nekoliko nazaj.

Toda zavezniški glavni stan ne zanika, da je položaj zavezniških armad pod Rimom jako resen. Ameriške in angleške čete zdaj v prvi vrsti gledajo, da se vdre na obrežju, potem pa, če mogoče, napredujejo.

Preko Sredozemlja je včeraj divjala nevihta z naliivom, točilo in snegom. To je bil vzrok, da zavezniška zračna armada ni mogla stopiti v akcijo in pomagati četam na tleh. Po nižinah so nastala cela jezera. Toda to ni oviralo ameriških fantov, da ne bi takoj ob dnevu prešli v izpad. Slabo vreme je bilo v korist Nemcev, ker se jim ni bilo treba bati zavezniških bombnikov. Napadli so z vso silo s tanki in pehoto in skušali na več krajih predrati zavezniško linijo. Hitler ima tukaj menda pet divizij.

Predsednik Roosevelt je opisal položaj na tej fronti kot jako napet in da zavezniški poveljniki vneto molijo za lepo vreme.

Včeraj so padle na ameriško zasilno bolnišnico za fronto pod Rimom štiri kroglice iz nemških topov ter ubile dve bolničarki, ranile štiri zdravnike in tri vojake. Tako je bilo na tej fronti dozdaj ubitih že šest ameriških bolničark. Štiri so bile ubite, ko so nemški bombniki obsuli vojaško bolnišnico s kroglicami pred nekaj dnevi.

Naši fantje - vojaki V SLUŽBI ZA SVOBODO IN DOMOVINO

Pfc. Frank Strumbel Jr. se je oglasil neke iz Anglije in piše, da je pri dobrem zdravju in upa, da so tudi doma vsi zdravi. Prosi tudi očeta Franka iz 5612 Carry Ave., naj mu pošlje kak slovenski časopis, da bo videl, kaj se godi doma v Clevelandu in pa da svoja materinega jezika ne bo pozabil. (Vsa čast, Frankie! Op. ured.) No, časopisi so že na poti v Anglijo. Frank naroča pozdrave vsem prijateljem in znancom. Njegov naslov je: Pfc. Frank Strumbel Jr., 35043549 Co. C, 327 Glider Inf. APO 472 c-o Postmaster New York, N. Y.

Včeraj smo imeli priliko pozdraviti v našem uredništvu zauber mornariškega častnika, Ensign Alberta Gregoriča, sina slovenske trgovske družine Mr. in Mrs. Louis Gregorič, 1171 E. 74. St. Albert je izšolan inženir kemije in je bil zaposlen pred vstopom k mornarici pri Pennsylvania Refining Co. Mornarica ga je poslala za nekaj mesecev na Princeton univerzo, zdaj bo šel pa v svrhu nadaljnjih študij v New York. Na dopustu bo ostal doma samo do ponedeljka. Od nas je šel vrli častnik na slovensko banko, kjer je kupil vojne obveznice in sicer je naročil, naj to zapišejo na kredit kampanji Slovencev. Vsa čast, Albert in vso srečo!

Z onstran morja se je oglasil bivši slovenski čevljar Joseph Grbec. Prijatelju Petru Zupinu, 1204 E. 6. St. piše, da se mu prav dobro godi, da piše ameriški fantje fino vino in mečejo svoje oči po črnokih signorinah. Glej ga, Jožeta! Njegov naslov je: Pfc. Joseph Grbec, Battery H 67, C. A. (A.A.) APO 464, c-o Postmaster New York, N. Y.

Pvt. Matthew F. Nousak Jr., sin Mr. in Mrs. M. Nousak iz 1133 E. 67. St. je prišel domov na dopust za deset dni iz Clinton, Mississippi.

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**Kako je Lincoln razumel
demokracijo**

Ker bi ne maral biti suženj, zato bi tudi ne hotel biti dik-
tator. To je moja ideja o demokraciji. Kar je drugače
kot to, ki bi ustvarjalo razliko — to ni demokracija.
A. Lincoln.

Gornje besede je zapisal in podpisal veliki Amerikaneec,
eden največjih človekoljubov — Abraham Lincoln, katerega
rojstni dan praznujemo danes. Naj ob tej priliki zapišemo
par besed v spomin možu, ki je razumel
besedo "demokracija" res tako, kot jo
beseda predstavlja in kar bi moral biti.



Abraham Lincoln, "eden največjih
Amerikancev," kot ga nazivljemo, je
bil rojen pred 135 leti. Njegova dogma
o demokraciji nam prihaja v spomin
uprav danes, v tej kritični dobi, ko se
beseda demokracija tako neusmiljeno
mrcvari in ko se marsikdaj na njen
račun dogajajo stvari, ki so tako daleč od demokracije, kot
je oddaljeno sonce od zemlje in ko se na njen rovač tako ra-
do trka po prsni in kliče za priče nebo in zemljo.

Tudi drugi odlični Amerikanci so živeli in umrli in tudi
druge dobre predsednike je že imela Amerika. Toda tista
leta, ki jih je Lincoln dal svoji domovini, ne bodo v spominu
pravih Amerikancev nikdar umrla, ker on je bil, ki je Ame-
riko obdržal svobodno in zedinjeno v tej svobodi.

Lincoln je rekel: "Ako ne bo zadeva nas vseh, da reši-
mo staro dobro ladjico naše Unije na njeni vožnji, ne bo imel
noben drugi prilike voditi to ladjico na neki drugi vožnji!"

Lincoln je svaril: "Mir ni tako daleč na obzorju, kot je
bil. Upam, da pride kmalu in da bo potem ostal. Ta mir naj
bo tak, da ga bo vredno obdržati. Potem šele se bo izkazalo
med svobodnimi možmi, da krogle ne morejo nadomestiti
glasovnic. Kdor bi skušal izvesti kaj takega, bo koncem
konca svojo igro izgubil in tudi stroške plačal."

Lincoln je apeliral: "Ako damo sužnjo svobodo, bomo
s tem zagotovili svobodo tudi prostemu človeku."

Lincoln je pisal neki materi, ki je izgubila v državljans-
ki vojni pet sinov, sledeče: "Draga gospa! Med listinami
v vojnem oddelku sem videl, da ste vi imeli petih sinov, ki so
padli slavne smrti na bojnem polju. Čutim, kako slabe in
brezpomembne morajo biti vsake moje besede, s katerimi
bi vas skušal tolažiti radi te velike izgube. Toda naj mi bo
dovoljeno, da vam izrazim sočustvovanje v imenu republike,
za katere rešitev so umrli. Naj vam nebeški Oče prinese to-
lažbo in zavest, da ste donesli tako ogromno žrtev na oltar
svobode."

Lincoln je obljubil: "Ker je delavstvo izvršilo in dopri-
neslo toliko dobrega, iz tega sledi, da morajo biti te stvari
last onih, katerih delo jih je ustvarilo. Toda dogajalo se je
vse od postanka sveta, da so nekateri delali, drugi so pa brez
dela uživali velik del teh sadov. To ni prav in tako ne bi
smelo iti naprej. Vsaka dobra vlada bi morala gledati na to,
da dobi vsak delavec kolikor mogoče koristi od sadov svoj-
jih rok."

Lincoln je predvideval: "Ako nas bo kdaj nevarnost
zasedla, se bo pojavila med nami samimi. Nevarnost ne mo-
re priti od drugod k nam. Ako bomo razdejeni, bomo mi za-
četniki in izvršitelji tega razdejanja. Kot narod svobodnih
mož moramo živeti vedno v takem svobodnem duhu, ali bo-
mo pa umrli."

Lincoln je svaril: "Ako enkrat izgubite zaupanje svojih
sodržavljancev, ne morete nikdar več dobiti nazaj od njih ve-
ro v vas. Res je, da nekaj časa lahko vodite za nos vse lju-
di; lahko tudi vodite za nos nekaj ljudi ves čas; toda vi ne
morete voditi za nos vse ljudi ves čas."

In Lincoln je zapisal sledeče zgodovinske besede: "Z
sovrastvo do nikogar; z dobrohotnostjo do vseh; s trdno ro-
ko v pravico, kakor nam jo Bog pokaže videti, naj nadalju-
jemo z delom do konca, v katerem smo; da bomo obvezali
narodu rane; da bomo skrbeli za one, ki bodo trpeli v voj-
ni; da bomo skrbeli za vdove in otroke naših bojnikov —
da bomo s tem delom dosegli pravičen in trajen mir med na-
mi samimi in z vsemi narodi sveta..."

**Bitka za Rim je za Nemce
važna, kot je videti**

Poročila o bojih pod Rimom dokazujejo, da smatrajo
Nemci boj za posest Rima bolj važnim, kot vse druge boje.
Ta bitka ni samo za posest mesta Rima, ampak izid te bitke
pomeni vse kaj drugega za Nemce. Ko bodo Nemci izgubili
Rim, bo boj v Italiji končan.

Kakor hitro bodo enkrat zavezniki imeli Rim v rokah,
in ko bodo vzpostavili bojno linijo severno od mesta, bodo
zavezniki tudi pripravljeni, tako sodijo vojaški strokovnja-
ki, udariti na rajh iz južne Evrope in preko Balkana. Ta-
krat bodo pa zavezniki tudi pripravljeni, da udarijo preko
Rokavskega preliva in iz Rusije, da strejo Nemčijo v ogrom-
nih kleščah.

To uvidevajo tudi Nemci, zato so z vso silo udarili na

BESEDA IZ NARODA**Poročilo slovenske sekcije
4. vojnega posojila v
četrti diviziji**

Predsednik slovenske sekci-
je v četrti diviziji je Mr. Paul
Schneller, tajnik St. Clair Sav-
ings & Loan Co.; podpredsed-
nik je pa Mr. Anton Grdina,
predsednik North American
Banke. Obe slovenski banki sta
torej zastopani v izvršnem od-
boru in obe ustanovi izdajata
bonde. Za tiste, ki pa delajo po-
dnevi in ne pridejo v dotiko z
nabirateljci, je pa na razpolago
ob torkih večer do devetih urad
SDZ na 6409 St. Clair Avenue
in ob četrtih večer pa urad taj-
nika SNDoma v starem poslop-
ju S. N. Doma. Obe banki sta
pa odprti vsak petek večer do
osmih.

Poročilo doslej ni tako si-
jajno kot bi želeli, da bi bilo,
ampak imamo še nekaj časa,
da storimo svojo dolžnost in
upati je, da bom odsegli našo
kvoto pred zaključkom kampa-
nje.

Ena najtežjih nalog je hodi-
ti od hiše do hiše ter ljudem
razlagati, zakaj ste prišli, ker
velikokrat se primeri, da pade
vsaka beseda na gluha ušesa in
včasih se dobi še kakšno nepri-
jazno besedo v odgovor. Toda
od vlade je prišlo povelje, da
morajo vsaka divizija imeti na-
biralatelje, ki bodo obiskali vse
domove. Ker je to prišlo od vlade
in vsaka divizija se mora
ravnati po teh predpisih, nam
torej ne preostaja drugega, kot
jim to ugoditi.

Četrta divizija sega od 30.
ceste do Gordon parka od je-
zera do Payne Avenue in Wade
Park do 105. ceste. Torej je
precej polja za obdelati.

Od 30. do 55. ceste je načel-
nik nabiratelj Mr. A. Karlinger,
4029 St. Clair Avenue.

Od 55. ceste in St. Clair Ave-
nue do jezera ter Lake Court
in po 61. cesti severno od St.
Clairja je načelnica Mrs. Ag-
nes Trebar.

Potem od 55. ceste in St.

JOSEPH G. ŽITKO

Gornja slika predstavlja
ameriškega vojaka, sarženta
Josepha G. Žitko, ki je bil v bo-
jih v Italiji nevarno ranjen.
Zadet je bil v nogo, ko je neki
nemški letalec škropil s svin-
čenkami svoje strojnice ame-
riško vojaštvo. Žitko je bil za-
det v trenotku, ko je pregledo-
val truplo mladega nemškega
narednika, katerega je trenu-
tek prej ustrelil. Pri ubitem
naredniku je iskal morebitne
listine, ki bi utegnile koristiti
ameriškemu poveljstvu.

Saržent Žitko, ki še ni okre-
val od ran, katere je takrat do-
bil, potuje sedaj z nekaterimi
drugimi veterani po Ameriki v
svrhu prodaje vojnih bondov.

Joseph G. Žitko je član dru-
štva Slovencev, med čigar usta-
novitelji je bil že njegov po-
kojni oče. Njegov brat An-
thony, ki je tudi član omenje-
nega društva kakor sploh vsa
Žitkova rodbina, pa je sedaj
na ameriški fronti v Italiji.

zaveznike pod Rimom. S padcem večnega mesta bo prišel
začetek konca nemškega rajha.

**Kaj je torej s komuniz-
mom in komunisti?**

Piše Andrew Tome
Johnstown, Pa. — Kakor
pravi poročilo, je Rev. Vodusek
v svojem pojasnilu, kaj je par-
tizanska stranka v Jugoslaviji,
rekel, da "Tito je komunist, to-
da na vse zamotano gibanje
moramo gledati od vseh strani,
da ga pravilno razumemo."

Za koliko smo na boljše s ta-
kim pojasnilom? Kako naj si
ga razlagamo, kako naj stvar
presojamo? To bi se nekako
rekel, da komunizem ni kaj ta-
kega, za kar smo ga katoličani
toliko let imeli. Da smo se
glede komunizma hudo motili
in da moramo sedaj istega gle-
dati skozi drugačna očala, ker
je prišel glede tega do nas glas
celo od katoliškega duhovni-
ka, kar bi naj pomenilo, da je
resnica...

Ne, ne! Glas novejših zgo-
dovine Rusije, Mehike in Špa-
nije je pač veliko glasnejši, kot
pa more biti glas kakoga du-
hovnika. In ta glas pa je ves
drugačen, ki ve o komunizmu
in komunistih vse kaj drugega
poročati in povedati kot pa to,
"da je treba od vseh strani gle-
dati, da se pravilno razume..."

Če je tako, zakaj pa je po-
tem Tito komunist, da se ga ne
razume drugače, kot da se ga
gleda od vseh strani? Zakaj
pa ni kaj drugega? Zakaj je
kakor rdeča luč na križpotih,
kjer mora človek gledati na
vse strani, da ga avto ne po-
vozi?

Če je biti komunist kaj do-
brega, zakaj bi se komunisti
potem pravilno ne razumelo?
Če je komunizem nekaj take-
ga, da je treba od vseh strani
gledati, da se komuniste pravi-
lno razume, potem komuni-
zem ni nekaj, kar bi bilo pripo-
ročati, ker potem so eni za ko-
munizem in drugi pa proti nje-
mu in tako eni vlečejo naprej,
drugi pa nazaj. Vsled tega pa
nastane med ljudmi na mesto
sloge le nesloga, ki je vir vsa-
kovrstnih nemirov in zmešnjav.

Pogled v novejšo zgodovino
že omenjenih treh dežel, ki
nam pokaže, kaj vse se je v teh
deželah strašnega dogajalo,
kako se je katoličane prega-
njalo in strahovalo, duhovne
in redovne osebe mučili in mori-
lo, kako je tekla kri, kako se
je cerkve in vse druge katoli-
ške naprave požigalo in rušilo,
ko je tam zavladal komunizem
in zavladal v vsem svojem raz-
mahu, nam pa pokaže komuni-
zem v vsej njegovi goloti, kru-
tosti in brutalnosti.

Ali se je tam vse to godilo,
kar se je godilo, le zato, ker se

komunistov gledajoč od vseh
strani ni pravilno razumelo in
da so vsled tega komunisti, na-
mesto izvrševati kaka druga-
dobro dela, bili prisiljeni pre-
ganjati katoličane, duhovnike
in redovnike, jih mučiti in mori-
titi, cerkve in drugo pa poži-
gati in rušiti?

Če je komunizem tak, da
njega pripadnikov ljudje ne
razumejo pravilno in da zato
komunizem izvršuje taka gro-
zodejstva in razdejanja ter ro-
di najžalostnejše sodeve — po-
tem je komunizem nekaj hu-
dega, nekaj, za kar se posebo-
no mi katoličani ne moremo
ogrevati in pri čemer bi posebo-
no vsak duhovnik moral sma-
trati za svojo dolžnost, da lju-
di svari pred komunizmom in
komunisti, ne pa istih še pripo-
ročati in podpirati ter delati
zanje propagando.

"Po njih sadovih jih boste
spoznali..." nam pravi za-
stoj naš Zvečlar.

Kakršni so sadovi komuniz-
ma, tak je tudi komunizem. Če
bi nas to, da je Tito komunist
ne smelo nič motiti, bi nas tudi
ne smelo motiti, kar so komu-
nisti že kaj hudega naredili in
povzročili.

Če bi komunisti ne bili to kar
so, zakaj se pa tako neradi iz-
dajajo za komuniste, zakaj se
lastnega imena tako sramuje-
jo?

Če je Tito proti katoličanom,
kako bi ga mogli mi katoličani
podpirati in kako ga more kak
duhovnik zagovarjati in nam
pripočati, da mu pomagamo
priti do vlade nad našim kato-
liškim narodom, da bi mogel
kot tak nad njim svojo moč in

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kvalifikacija**

To je naša majhna organiza-
cija. Tako hočemo imeti, ker
nam omogoča, da damo vsake-
mu v vsakem slučaju svojo
osebno pozornost in nadzor-
stvo. To tudi pomeni, da je
vsak član našega štaba profe-
sijsko kvalificiran za odkazano
delo. Naše največje zadoščenje
pa dobimo od zavesti, da smo
vse storili vestno ter tako do-
prinesli vsaj mal delež k tola-
žbi onim, ki žalujejo.

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stave se vrše vsak dan popoldne
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do vstevši 26. februarja.

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pokazal svojo umetnost med 40
najbolj divjimi zvermi sredi
arene v železni kletki.

Nastopil bo tudi akrobat s
svojimi vratolinnimi vajami,
videli ga boste lahko, ko bo od-
skočil izpod stropa arene v ena-
kem skoku, ki je bil usoden za
slavnega akrobata Petersa, ki

je napravil svoj zadnji skok v
St. Louisu, kjer ga je obduo-
valo na tisoče gledalcev, ko se
mu je zadržila vrvi pri odsko-
ku, kar je bilo usodno zanj. Ta
odskok bo napravil akrobat
Gregoresko, ki pravi, pa je še
tako srečen, da to lahko izvrši,
kar se je ponesrečilo Petersu
in ga poslalo v smrt.

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gih zanimivosti. Vstopnice so v
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* Če pa Tito ni proti ko-
nom, potem pa sploh ko-
ni in se potem ne bo ho-
munista imenovati, ko ho-
pravi komunisti nočejo
ti za komuniste.

Naj z ozirom "na vse"
tano gibanje gledamo
strani," kolikor hočemo,
Tita, tako tudi tega ne
pravilno razumeti, kako
kak katoliški duhovnik
tako trditvijo na dan.



Predno gremo s sodno
navo naprej, imam spe-
neko važno pripombo.
ra v beli dan, da se ne
la v moji bisagi brez
Kot veste, sem pred
vi tolmačil Jimu, na ka-
bi mi lahko dobili fine
za v kempo, namreč, če
šali v mili Domovini.
sem, da bi vzeli eno 40
ro, ali pa dve po 20. Vi
zadnja pripomba pa
dopadajena na celi
skrajno zanesljivih vi-
namreč zvedel, da so se
treh nas, ki smo bili v
rečno prizadevi, izjavil
skupno zapele v tercetu
mladih se vam če, nore
Iz te nežne pripombe
dalo sklepati, da nam
20 ne bodo kuhale, ker
sile rekle — zapik. To
zdelo vredno pripomni-
rilo, če bi se katera mo-
pravljala, da bi vložila
za drug vseslovanski
so kempo, ki bo enkrat
sv. Jurija, ko gre živina
šo. Svoji k svojim!

Torej zdaj pa v kempo
"Orajt," začne Leo, ki
postavlja predsednikom
rma, "pa nadaljujmo s
nom. Ti, Jim, ki si naj-
povej najprej pritožbo
"Če bo šlo po starosti
vi govoril Jack," zagvi-
"Vidiš jo, obledo," ga
krenem nazaj v pravo
"kaj te ni že Marnov
tam v Hudejem oslata
ko zaradi dekleta, ko
jaz še v plencah? Kdo
leta prodal, a?"

"Če bi vaju kdo gledal
iz eroplana v glavo, bi
"Ta dva sta že dodelala
svetu. Bog jima bodi mo-
sodnik!" ste vtakne v
ljubi kuhinjski šef Fran-
nama je bil očitno mo-
klonjen, odkar sva ma-
večerjo. "Roženkranc
fantečka pa s pokoro
dokler sta še toliko pri-
lahko pokleknela."

"Več kot 300 dni
nama ne fali vsled tre-
ki sva ga morala danes
ti zaradi večerje," mu
Jim, kateremu sem vne-
kundiral tudi jaz, kot
zvest tovariš v sreči in
"No, pa naj začne Pro-
se mi zdi, da je bil glav-
ča, ko sem prišel sema-
ne Leo na Franceta.

"Čakaj, da si malo
grlo," je bil France ve-
da je imel dober izgovor
ti steklenico. Je res ču-
ko pride v takem slu-
veku vse prav: če je je-
je; če je vesel, pije; če
sten, pije. Ampak to mo-
reči, da držali smo pa
kot veriga, ker nikdar
sam pil. Tukaj se nis-
li po izreku: danes me-
tebi, ampak: vsi bomo
pa noben! Če to ni pro-
ščanska bratovska ljube-
tem ne vem, kaj je. Za-
tudi potem tako prišlo,
imeli vsi hkrati rdečo
se ni bilo treba nobene-
dvati na drugim, če ga
oziroma hočem reči, če
bilo malo preveč, kot pri-
ze Špan.

Naš kuhinjski šef je
rej besedo, katero bom
prihodnjič.

Priznanje pragozda

JAMES OLIVER CURWOOD:

Pik je zdaj cvilil, tiho in žalostno stokal, prav tako, kakor je slišala nekdanji stokratni majhni dete, ki je umiralo. In njena duša je jokala obupno, zakaj vedela je, da tudi Pik umira. In ko se je zdaj opotekala naprej — naprej k črnemu pragozdu, je pritiskala lice k Piku, ihtela in klicala:

"Pikec — Pikec — Pikec!"

In Pik, srečen in hvaležen za njeno ljubezen in za zvok njegovega glasu, je iztezal jezik in jilizal lice.

Nađa pa je glasno zaihtela in se opotekala dalje.

"Spet bo dobro, Pikec!" ga je tolažila. "Nič se ne boj, otroček! Nič več te ne bo udaril. Zdaj greva čez potok h kočij gospoda Rogerja in tam boš zopet srečen. Tam ti bo dobro."

Glas ji je odrekel in njeno materinsko srce ji je pokljalo. Skoraj prav tako, kakor oni majki, ki ji je umiralo dete. Zakaj njuno gorje je bilo pred božjim obličjem isto. Mali Pik pa je pritiskal svoje kosmato lice k njenemu grlu, javkal in ječal tiše in zadovoljen, da umre v gorkem objemu bitja, ki ga je tako ljubil.

"Ne jokaj, otroček!" ga je ljubljala. "Ne jokaj, Pikec! Kmalu bo zopet vse dobro — vse se ozdravi —" A ihtenje ji je znova stisnilo grlo, kakor bi jo hotelo zadušiti. . . .

Končno sta dospela do roba pragozda.

Ozrla se je na Pika in opazila, da ima zaprte oči. In zdaj se je zavedla docela čudovite istine, da ni razločka med obrazom umirajočega deteta in umirajočega Pika, samo da je bil eden mehak in bel — Pikov pa je porasel z dlakom.

"Bog poskrbi zate, Pik," je šepetala. "Bog in jaz in gospod Roger —"

Vedela je, da ni resnica, kar mu pripoveduje, zakaj nihče, niti Bog se ne bo več brigal za Pika — na tem svetu. Njega ubogo, udrt obličje in grozna žal v njenem srcu sta ji to rekali. Saj Pik ima zlomljen hrbet in umira — umira zdaj, ko beži z njim, jokajoč po globokih presekah pragozdovih. Ali preden umre, preden preneha njegovo srce utripati ji v naročju, je hotela doseči Rogerjevo kočjo sredi velikega barja za potokom.

Ne zato, da bi morda mogla Pika rešiti. Ali nekaj ji je govorilo, da bo v prisotnosti Rogerjevi Pikovi lažje umirati in da tudi nji ne bo pri tem tako strašno. . . .

Tekla je torej k plitvini potoka, dobre pol milje pod kočjo, v kateri je prebival ta tujec. Omahaovala je in jedva soglajala, ko je dospela do nekdanje plitvine. Osupla in plašna je gledala. In zdaj se je spomnila, da ji je pravil Roger, da je potok narasel ter da drvi po strugi globoka in divja vodna struga.

In ozrla se je na Pika, revčka pohabljenca, brez moči v njenem naročju. In nato se je oddihnila in odločila.

Vedela je, da na tej plitvini ne bo višje vode nego do pasu niti v tej dobi povodnji. Ali struga je bila divja kakor v mlinskem koritu.

Pritisnila je ustni k malemu Pikovemu obrazu in ga poljubila.

"Dospela si, Pikec," je šepetala. "Nič se ne bojiva, mar ne, otroček? Dospela si — gotovo — gotovo."

Pogumno je stopila dalje. . . . struja ji je začela umivati gležnje, pa kolena in boke. In nenadoma so jo nevidne roke pod vodo zgrabile, da je čutila, kako jo stiskajo in vlečejo, dokler ji ni stopila voda preko prsi. V naslednjem trenutku se je že borila, trudeč se vzdržati se na nogah in zbiračjo vse silo, da bi ji struja ne vrgla.

(Dolje prihodnjič)

DNEVNE VESTI

Ceste se pogrezajo nad premogorovi

Gillespie, Ill. — Ceste v tem mestu so se pogrezile vse od enega palca do 18 palcev, ko so se zrušili premogorovi pod mestom. V dolžini 8 mestnih blokov so se radi vpadli cesti naginile hiše.

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New York. — Savage Arms Corp. naznanja, da je dozdaj izdelala že 2,000,000 vojaških pušk v svojih tovarnah Utica in Chicopee Falls, N. Y.

Mero gazolina ne bo treba zmanjšati

Washington. — Urad za kontrolo cen in petrolejska administracija izjavljata, da v prvem četrtletju letos ne bo treba zmanjšati motoristom mero gazolina. To je za dobo do 31. marca. Za pozneje se pa še ne ve.

Izdelavo umetnega kavčuka porabijo sproti

Washington. — V januarju so producirali 50,000 ton umetnega kavčuka. Za drugo polovico 1944 ga pa napovedujejo industrije 75,000 ton mesečno. Armada ga sproti porabi, torej ga ne preostane za civiliste nič.

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Washington. — Urad za vojno produkcijo pravi, da ne bo letos skoro nič lesa na razpolago za zgradbe hiš in drugih objektov. Ves les zdaj porabi armada. Za vse zahteve bi potrebovali 34 milijonov čevljev lesa in od tega ga zahteva armada 70%. In bolj ko se odpirajo nove fronte, več lesa gre za bojno silo.

Finci beže iz svojega glavnega mesta

New York. — Radio iz Švedske je poročal, da je evakuacija Helsinkij, glavnega mesta Finske, v polnem razmahu. Vsi avtomobili v mestu so bili dani na razpolago beguncem.

NJENA TEŽA JI JE POMAGALA

New York. — Rose Kramer, ki potegne 220 funtov žive vage in ki je policiji poznana kot spretna tatica, je zopet pod ključem. Oni dan je hotela nekemu moškemu nad podzemski železnici potegniti iz žepa denarnico. Z roko je prišla spretno v žep, toda ven je ni mogla potegniti, roka je bila predebela.

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Chris Tintihar, f.	4	0	8
Louise Recher, f.	5	0	10
Ella Praznovsky, c.	1	0	2
Milly Habic, r.	2	0	4
Toots Balt, g.	0	0	0

TOTALS 12 0 24

Last week the girls tried out the Euclid Road team and were victorious. 23-11. Louise and Chris shared top honors for the evening. Martha Gollmar, Toots Balt, Milly Habic, and Doris Propst were on hand to aid the team in some fine guarding, intercepting and what not.

League victories for the boys are: St. Christine's 46, Mt. Carmel 32. St. Christine's 32, St. Philomena 17. At the Mt. Carmel game Ed Posch meshed ten markers resulting in 20 points and to Eddie goes the honor. Tommy Langa scored 8, with Stopar and Hirsch accounting for 6 respec-

tively. Swita coming in with 4, and Krall having 2 points to his credit.

At the St. Phil's game an added attraction was the performance staged by Tom Burns, when he hit the baskets for 18 markers. None of the other players were even too close for comfort, so top honors to Burns.

You're doing very well boys, but better overcome this thing called "Good," don't let it go to your heads. You know a "good" sport can take both a win and defeat and smile, can you?

Then at our home floor our boys challenged the Shore boys, which resulted in one win and one defeat. Result of the first game, 46-31, Shore's favor. Here again Burns monopolized the basket with 16 points. At the second game, our team proved victorious, 50-47. This Burns fellow again was on the beam this time making a total of 24 points. Bill Swita had a good shooting eye it seemed for he meshed 6 field goals, totaling 12 points, next was Tommy Langa, affording 10 points. And that's that for basketball. And I'm sure you all know this old one, Good Luck All!

THE SPY

ARMY NEWS

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Hace, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hace, (Shoe Repair), 6210 Bonna Ave., will return to duty on February 22nd. He tells of his unexpected meeting with his brother Sgt. John in Africa a year ago. Part of his time was also spent in Sicily. Friends are invited to visit him.

Arriving from Fort Fannin, Texas, and on his way to Fort Meade, Md., Vinko Zupan, son of Ivan Zupan, editor of Glasilo KSKJ, visited our office. His wife and daughter accompanied him to Cleveland but after his departure for Maryland, they will go to her parents in Jackson, Mich. Before his induction, Vincent was manager of a big department store for a number of years in St. Louis, Mo. But just as his four brothers did, he also answered the call of his country. We wish him good luck, and after victory, a happy return to his family.

On February 11th, Frank Debelak, son of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Debelak, of 893 E. 75 St., left for the service of Uncle Sam. Good luck to you!

On a 15 day furlough from Great Lakes, Ill., is Seaman Anthony Albin Vadal, son of Mrs. Anton Vadal of 1023 E. 70 St. Friends can visit him at the above address until February 17, when he returns to duty.

An interesting letter from S/Sgt. Edward Meglich from New Guinea tells us how much he appreciates receiving the American Home every week, saying that it keeps him close to home. He mentions that he is fine, working all the time and that the weather is hot. He has met Hank Malsenk there. Enclosed with his letter was a little newspaper called "Guinea Gold," which is published by their army dated January 26, 1944, and which carries world-wide news. His address is: S/Sgt. Edward J. Meglich, 79th Airdrome Sqdn, APO 929, c-o Postmaster, San Francisco, Calif.

Sgt. Stanley Modic, son of Mr. and Mrs. Matt Modic, 1148 E. 76 St., was wounded in an explosion during the initial landing on Bougainville. He suffered burns from his waist up, including his hair. The doctor said that his skin is too tender for duty and that he may go home soon. Having volunteered in the Marine Corps on February 17, 1941, Sgt. Modic has been overseas for two of his three years in service. He is also a veteran of Guadalcanal. His address is: Sgt. Stanley Modic, 3rd Div. Casualty Co., c-o Fleet Post Office, San Francisco, Calif.

Seaman I/C Edmund Zalel, son of John and Mary Zalel of 15247 Saranac Rd., has been discharged from the Merchant Marine because he was under age. He was only 15 years old when he enlisted, receiving his basic training at Great Lakes, Ill., before he was sent to sea.

From distant Australia, soldier Joseph Ambrozic, son of the well known Ambrozic family of E. 71 St., writes home asking them to relay his thanks for Christmas cards and gifts from friends and asks to be remembered with cards in the future. His address is: Pfc. Joseph M. Ambrozic, ASN 35314307, Co. C, 800 M. P. Bn. APO 922, c-o Postmaster San Francisco, Calif.

Home until Monday will be Pfc. Anthony Cek, son of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Cek, 22677 Ivan Ave., Euclid, O. Friends can visit him before he returns to his station at Camp Gordon, Georgia.

Pfc. Frank Azman arrived from Eaglewood, California, on a short furlough. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Azman of 6501 St. Clair Ave.



A lady on the Madison Avenue bus took the only empty seat—next to a harmless-looking little drunk—and opened a map. It was, a friend of ours discovered by craning his neck a bit, a detailed map of Manchuria. The drunk studied the map for a time, too, and finally addressed the lady in different tones. "Sure you're on the right bus?" he asked.

German clock manufacturers in pre-war days did a large trade in cheap clocks among the natives of the west coast of South Africa. British clock-makers obtained a sample of the German product and, finding there was a huge profit in its sale, invested a large sum of money in making a better article, thousands of which they shipped to the same market. But their sales were slow, while the German clocks continued to sell like hot cakes.

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NEWBURGH NEWS

FEATURE PRESENTATION:

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WHEN: TONITE at 8 P. M.

WHY: To enjoy a well-balanced dance program sponsored by the Dramatic Club "KRKA."

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You and your buddies should all be there!

ADDITIONAL SHORT:

Join the CYO Athletic Club in an evening of entertainment on Shrove Tuesday, February 22, 1944, in the St. Lawrence School Hall at 8 P. M. A reasonable donation will entitle you to participate in this informal dance program. Contact any CYO member for admissions.

NEWSY NOTES:

All adults and converts of the parish who haven't received the Sacrament of Confirmation are requested to contact Fr. L. E. Baznik at the rectory within the next two weeks. Tony Valencic, Bernadette Supan, Dot and Paul Sovder, Vicky Hovevar, Annie Lekan, Tony Lekan, Henry Paulin Will Grden and Tony Zupancic will not be in town tomorrow because they have been requested to stage their dramatization of "CONQUERED" in Lorain, Ohio. Another memorable evening has been experienced by all who attended the UFANO AMISTAD Lead Year Dance; (too bad you missed it.) Anne Jeric just back from California was almost tempted to make the south her permanent residence. Mrs. Gus Zupancic of Indiana was in town a few days to visit former classmates and friends. Em Urbancic soon hopes to resume bowling activities after a brief absence. Jerry Krzic, minus his "bestest buddy" Lee, appears quite lonely these days. St. Clair is still Eddie Kenik's favorite locality. You must hear Paul Vanchar (of Vardal's Orchestra) sing! Cpl. Bill Debelak of California, Pvt. Albert Lipnos of Georgia, Pvt. and Mrs. Phil Gikbaker of Tenn. and Frank Blatnik have enjoyed recent home leaves. Seaman Rudy Blatnik and Frank Kuznik are about for a few days after completing "boot training" in Chicago. Cpl. Chas. Blatnik of the Aleutians traveled back to the states by plane and train and will be about town to renew old friendships and temporarily forget the memories of

active duty. Seaman Frank Ponikvar has been transferred from Tenn. to Florida upon completion of a course as aerial gunner. Pvt. Jerry Gilha ploughs through heavy snows to convey greetings via V-Mail from the Aleutians. Ed Hrovat and Daddy Kramer post military greetings from England. Cpl. Frank Hovevar is living in a grand castle (formerly a convalescent home for the coal miners of England). From across the seas the voice of Cpl. Eddie Planisek of England echoes a cheery "Hello." His Christmas solos at midnite Mass were greatly appreciated. Pvt. Emil Yachich just landed in England and passes time "chopping wood." Sgt. Louie Cherney of England will enjoy a furlough in the near future but not in Cleveland. England ought to be "Reversia" for according to him "all the rights are on the left." Congratulations to Cpl. Martin Stegar upon his recent promotion. He is anticipating "overseas duty." Cpl. Louis Arko is back in North Carolina and thanks all of his pals for a grand time shown him during his recent leave. The Heavy artillery takes up most of Pvt. Edmund Hovevar's time and energy. Pvt. Henry Debelak of La. just walks and walks and walks; he just returned from a 20 mile hike which was made in 5 hrs. and 10 min. Seaman Lou Bosner greets his buddies from Panama where he is engaged in radio activities. A letter a day keeps the blues away, so write to our boys NOW!

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY:

Greatness is like charm; when you begin to think you have it, you no longer have!

Hugh Carney is
Candidate for Sheriff

According to an announcement, made by Hugh Carney, former Chief Jailer of County Jail and former superintendent of Warrensville Workhouse, he will be a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Sheriff at the May Primaries.

His petitions are now in circulation. By his announcement he became one of the first candidates for county office to declare officially. Carney was Chief Jailer under former Sheriffs William Smith and Sulzman. Former Mayor Ray T. Miller appointed him as superintendent to Warrensville Workhouse.

His campaign manager is well-known Slovenian "strong man" Joseph Poznik.



St. Mary's Spectator and Commentator

SOCIALITE

Prospects of an eventful year were in the air Tuesday, February 1, at the Sodality meeting. Most important though was our welcome to Father Victor Tomic, our new sponsor. I think he must be quite convinced of our welcome. Father Olesnik came in later just to see how we were treating him, and naturally Father Baraga graciously accepted our invitation when he heard we were having refreshments!

New committees were organized which promise fun for all. To begin with, names and addresses of service men were exchanged and valentines are to be sent to them. It keeps up our morale as well as the boys. Betty Raddell, our social chairman, was responsible for the bright idea! Plans were suggested in having a "Father and Daughter" communion, only the problem was how to entice our fathers to come. Some bright soul suggested cold beer and pretzels. Now, that's no promise. Dads, but won't you consider coming anyway?

Happy as our treasurer, Helen Kozel, who collected almost \$14.00 as a result of sending out fake telegrams (letter form) with "We regret to inform you that—" shown half way in the window of the envelope with the address. She scared the daylight out of most of us, but believe me, it brought results. Ingenuity is what I call it!

And just when we were sure we were impressing Father Vic, up walks Helen Tomazic (in the middle of discussion), whispers to our Prefect, and calmly walks out the door. (She went to get tea and you'll have to take my word for it!)

Can you imagine our Father Baraga being threatened to change his seat because he had the girls listening attentively to him instead of our Prefect? Well, he was our guest anyway!

Some of our "not-so-often-seen" members were present Tuesday (must have been the telegrams), and we all want them to know it was swell seeing them again. Won't you come again—every month if possible?

We're still going around hearing "The Sunday before the Wednesday before the Saturday" alliteration from our Jennie Planisek who aims to get our column in on time every week.

Weds Petty Officer

BOCK-ARTEL

Mr. Michael Bock, 1725 W. 69 St., announces the marriage of his youngest daughter, Helen Ann to C-2 Petty Officer (USN) Andrew M. Artel, Jr., only son of Mr. dan Mrs. Andrew Artel Sr., 1184 E. 167 St., on Saturday, Feb. 12, at 9:30 A. M. in St. Boniface Catholic Church, 3545 W. 54 St. 2/C P. O. Artel, has arrived from Cherry Point, N. C., on a ten-day leave.

To the young couple we extend our best wishes for a "happy wedded life."

Monthly Meeting

The Slovenian Women's Union, No. 50, will hold their monthly meeting, Feb. 14, Time, 8 p. m. at 6117 St. Clair Ave. (upstairs). All members are cordially invited to attend. A Valentine Party will be held after the sessions. At this time we are also honoring our members who have their boys in the service. So please try and come.

The secretary will be at hand to collect your dues at 7 o'clock if you cannot stay for the meeting.

FRANCES KURRE, Sec'y

BIRTHS

The family of Mr. and Mrs. Al Simon entertained the stork, who left them a baby boy, weighing 8½ pounds. Mother and baby are doing well at Glenview Hospital, while the daddy is in the service of Uncle Sam in California. The mother's maiden name was Amelia Skala, 1259 E. 61 St. and Mr. and Mrs. Anton Skala are grandparents for the first time.

Special New Feature

Our English Section on Saturdays has strived to please all its readers. We have added new features from time to time to further please them. We have heard from our fighters from all over the globe. They are pleased with our section and especially are they enthused with our "Army News." Beginning with this issue, we have inaugurated a new feature that should please our men all over the globe even more. We shall strive to print in this special column a condensed version of our daily paper. In it we shall try to tell in a few words the important happening in Cleveland during the preceding week. Of course we shall feature Slovenian news items.

Our soldiers, we know, like to read the Saturday "American Home." They are pleased to receive clippings of the entire page. Won't you make your soldier happier by taking a little time and mailing him the Saturday pages? With this new feature, he'll keep informed on the important goings-on in the city.

ARMY NEWS



Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dolenc of 1131 E. 63 St., report the address of their sons as follows: S/Sgt. Frank Dolenc, 600th Bomb. Sqdn., Army Air Base, Rapid City, South Dakota. — Cpl. Al J. Dolenc, 11th Co. A. S. Trk. Gp., Fort Knox, Kentucky. — Cpl. T/S John J. Dolenc, 35043534 Medical Detach. 1878 Unit, Camp Claiborne, La.

On furlough until February 14th is Pvt. Edward Koch, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Koch of 730 E. 160 St. He came from Fort Crockett, Texas. A new member of Uncle Sam's Navy is Albin James Kremzar, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albin Kremzar of 18526 St. Clair Ave. He left for Great Lakes, Ill., on February 10th. Good luck and a safe return!

Addresses of two sons of Mr. and Mrs. L. Turk, 23301 Arms Ave., are as follows: Pvt. Emil Turk, 35044209, 3rd Bn. Hq. Co. 303 Inf. APO 445, Fort Leonard Wood, Mo. — A/C Frank S. Turk, 11th A.A.F.T.D., Class 44, Sqn. 8, Ryan Field, Tucson, Arizona. On a ten day furlough was Pfc. Anthony J. Turk, ASN, 35053275, Medical Det. Hq. Co. 304th Sig. Ogn. Bn., Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

The family of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Strudel of 14500 Sylvia Ave., were notified by Admiral Jacobs that their son, Seaman 1/C Joseph William Strudel was killed in action, while serving with the Navy. William was 21 years old and was a graduate of Collinwood High School. Previous to his entry in the Navy, he was employed at the Thompson Products Co. He was engaged to Miss Marie Uile. All honor to the young hero who gave his life for his country and our sympathy to the bereaved family!

Seaman Anton and Joseph Nagel were home on short visit to see their mother, Mrs. Stephanie Nagel, 23126 Lakeland Blvd. They returned by plane on Thursday to their stations. Their late father fought in the first World War. Their army addresses are: Anton Nagel, E.M. 1st Class, 235-36-64, U.S.S. Cincinnati, New York, N. Y. — Joseph F. Nagel, A.O.M. 3rd Class, V. P. 73, c-o Fleet Postmaster, New York, N. Y.

Friends can visit T/Sgt. Frank L. Glavich at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anton Glavich at 6308 Bonna Ave. He arrived from the South Pacific and was also on Guadalcanal. The date of his departure is February 22nd.

Arriving from Italy, Cpl. Stanley Continued on Page 3

Intercultural Library
Presents A Program
Of Music

An unusual program of music of the Jews of many lands will be presented by the Jewish Committee at the Intercultural Library, of the Cleveland Public Library System, East 55th Street and St. Clair Avenue on Sunday afternoon, February 13 at 4 p. m. Included in the program will be singing of Sacred and Secular songs by Mr. Saul Meisels, cantor of the Temple-on-the-Heights. Dr. Jerome Gross, violinist will play music by modern composers arranged especially for the violin. A dramatized presentation of ceremonial songs in the home will be given in tableau form by the Junior Hadassah Singers. The dancing of the Hora will be included.

This program is one of a series being planned and presented by nationality or ethnic groups to promote a better understanding and appreciation of neighbor Clevelanders. Admission is free of charge and everyone is invited to attend.

ST. VITUS HOLY NAME
Weekly ReviewCOME ON, NOW, ALL YE
ST. VITUS MEN "GET-TOGETHER"
TOMORROW AFTERNOON

All men of St. Vitus Parish are invited to a "Get-together" meeting tomorrow afternoon at 3:00 p. m. in Room 4 of the new school. If you have ever belonged to the Holy Name Society, either Junior or Senior, you are especially invited. We must make plans for our parish society. Let us keep up the moral on the Home Front so that our Soldiers and Sailors will come back to a "Live" society. We'll be seeing you tomorrow!

JUNIOR HOLY NAME
JOURNAL

MEETING NOTES: At the meeting of February 7, four board members were chosen. They are: Fred Merhar, Ray Ogriac, Ray Slogar and F. Winter.

There will also be a "Get Together" meeting this coming Sunday, February 13, at 3 o'clock in the Holy Name Room. All members are invited to come.

NOTICE: All Juniors are asked to attend this Sunday at the 7 o'clock Mass and we will go to Communion in a body.

JUNIOR FIVE WINS, 36-12

With Eddie Avsec swishing the nets for a total of 12 points, the Juniors trounced Holy Family by a lopsided score of 36-12. Although the first quarter score was 8-3, the Juniors took the lead in the second quarter and held it throughout the rest of the game. This Thursday St. Christine will attempt to halt the fast-stepping cagers. Below is the complete box-score of the Holy Family game.

	G	F	T
Golobic, rf.	3	0	6
Lautzlar, lf.	4	0	8
Zupancic, c.	1	0	2
Avsec, rg.	5	12	
Orehek, fg.	4	0	8
TOTALS	17	2	36

THE YOUNGER SET AT ST. CHRISTINE

WHAT'S NEW???

Here are a few of our fighting boys who were seen around town within these past weeks. Both the Navy and the Army were represented in the Ivanic home this past week, when Cpl. Frank Ivanic, and Seaman Ed Ivanic arrived home. Both attended mass together which made a beautiful sight, hm, or aren't boys beautiful? Then there's Sgt. Joe Gomback who became engaged while home on furlough. To you Joe and Marie Penko I say, Loads of luck and congratulations!

In the sports field we see both the girls and boys basketball team playing good ball. For a little review, here is how the girls' team is progressing. They are now tied for the first place position with the SPARS team. This decisive game will be played this week. The sheets show 5 victories to one defeat.

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AMERICAN HOME

CONDENSED NEWS FROM OUR HOME FRONT

Cleveland, Ohio

Sat. Feb. 12, 1944

Very much in the news is Cleveland's Mayor, Frank J. Lausche, whose life story appears this month in the American Magazine. The writer, Jerome Beatty, came to Cleveland for a special interview with the Mayor, because he wanted to see this "marvel" who received 71 votes out of 100 in the last elections. He calls him "Everybody's Mayor." As this magazine is sold all over the United States, it will give everyone in the country a chance to learn something about our great mayor. Beatty expresses himself in very complimentary language of the impressions he received of Mayor Lausche's sincerity, honesty and love of justice to one and all.

A mass was offered at St. Mary's Church in Collinwood for the late John Lindic, who fell on the battlefield on Bougainville on January 7th. He was the son of the family of Peter Lindic of E. 456 St.

On Feb. 8, officials of the Mechanics Educational Society of America ordered their members to return to work after a four day strike, while they confer with the Labor Board in Washington. The strike included about 25,000 workers in Ohio and Michigan.

The thermometer, which has appeared in Ameriška Domovina finally went over the top on Saturday, Feb. 5th, when the Euclid Rifle Club donated \$185.50 to reach the \$10,000 which is for the poor people in the old country, and which is being collected by the Slovenian Parish Relief. Collections will continue.

This will be in effect seven days in the week. It is hoped that this system will lessen the crowds during the morning and evening rush hours.

A sharp battle is going on between Mayor Lausche and the Cleveland Federation of Labor, which is demanding \$1.72½ per hour for plumbers in the city employ. The Mayor states that this is 50 cents more than the industry pays for such work. If the council approves this raise, the Mayor will veto it. The Mayor states that the city is willing to pay union workers the same wages as are paid in the six largest cities in America, and no more.

Mrs. Theresa Kmet of 3922 St. Clair Ave., celebrated her 78th birthday on February 7th. In May she will celebrate 55 years since her entry into America.

The Cleveland City Council accepted a resolution to legalize bingo. This will be in effect around April 7th, if nothing happens. The Mayor and the council have doubts, whether the state law, allowing bingo for charity purposes, is legal. Anyone requesting a license for bingo will have to report for what purpose the money will be used. A bond of \$1,000 will be demanded where the prize will not be over \$500, but if the prize will be more than \$500, then a \$100,000 bond will be necessary. Playing will be allowed only from 1:30 until 4:30 P. M. and from 7:00 P. M. till midnight.

John E. Lokar, Al Milnar, Tony Skufca and Phil Mocilnikar, owners of the 185th Bowling Center, have announced that bowlers can join the Cleveland Press Headpin Tournament at their establishment. The total cash prizes amount to \$4,500. The tournament started on February 7th and will last one month. The price for three games is \$1.50. As the prizes are the largest ever offered, a lot of competition is expected.