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Vrednost povpraševanja zavisi tako od stavljenih vprašanj kot od iskrenosti in premišljenosti odgovorov na nje.

WASHINGTON, D.C. — Zavodi, ki preiskujejo javno mnenje, prihajajo v zagate. Tehnično so o njihove organizacije na vrhuncu, kar ugotovijo, je res, nič dodanega ali izpuščenega. Zmeraj v ažnejši pa postaja vprašanje, koliko so take ugotovitve sploh vredne. Temelje na izjavah vprašanih, tu pa tudi jedro zla. Ljudje, ki so vprašani, namreč strašno hitro menjajo svoje poglede. To, v kar verujejo danes, jim postane tuja ali celo nepravilno že po nekaj dneh. Pri izrednih vprašanjih bi človek se razumel, ne bi pa to smelo biti nekaj vsakdanjega pri takih vprašanjih, ki so cela leta na dnevnu redu.

Kakšna je priljubljenost predsednika, izražena v odstotkih? To vprašanje se ponavlja od tedna do tedna, stavi ga sedaj ta sedaj drugi zavod. Prva misel, ki pada človeku v glavo, je domnevna, da vsak Amerikanec ne bo menjal kar na hitro svojega mnenja o predsedniku brez posebnega razloga. Pa se je to zgodilo pred našimi očmi ravno tečase. Gallupov zavod je sredi marca dognal, da je le 36% vprašanih zadovoljnih s predsednikom Johnsonom, 6. aprila je bilo že 49%. Potemtakem naj bi povprečno kar tretjino Amerikancev spremeli s svoje mnenje o Johnsonu v kratki dobi treh tednov. Tako vihri pa Amerikanci vendarle ne morajo biti. Imajo gotovo bolj stalno mnenje o Johnsonu, le nestanovitvi so, radi podležejo prvemu vtišu kakega novega političnega dogodka.

To je izredno nerodna plat ameriškega političnega sistema. Naši politiki le vse preveč visijo na odstotkih, ki jih objavljajo zavodi za pozvedovanje. Po njih se ravnavajo, kadar sklepajo o svojem delu o svojih odločbah. Tudi Johnson ni nobena izjema. Ako sklepajo o čem v dnevi visokih odstotkov, sklenejo nekaj drugega, kot bi sklenili, aki bi delali sklep v dnevi nizkih odstotkov. Le redki so, ki znajo pripisovati pozvedovanjem pravovo vrednost.

Niso pa samo politiki krivi, da je stanje tako. Krv je tudi ameriški volivec, ki velikokrat premočno tehta pravilnost svojega stališča, zato ga pa prelahko menja v lastno škodo, pa tudi v škodo ameriške politike. Nekaj več stalnosti v presoji političnih dogajanj bi našemu volivcu nič ne škodovalo.

Petorčki v Iranu zdravi

TEHERAN, Iran. — Preteklo soboto so se rodili v samotnem, odročnem kraju Lalan v obmejnem področju proti Sovjetski zvezji iranskemu farmerju in njegovi 35 let starji ženi zdravi petorčki, trije fantki in dve dekli.

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Novi grobovi

John Riddell

Sinoč je umrl v Euclid bolnišnici John Riddell z 242 E. 238 St., katerega žena je umrila pred dobrim letom, oče Johna, Mrs. Edward (Ann Marie) Klucaric in Mrs. Joseph (Janice) Somrak, 4-krat stari oče, brat Davida, Georgea, Andrew, Thomasa, Janet in Elizabeth (vsi na Skotskem). Pogreb bo iz Grdinovega pogrebnega zavoda na Lake Shore jutri, v soboto ob devetih, v cerkev sv. Roberta ob desetih, nato na Kalvarijo.

William Voinov

Nenadno je umrl med košnjem trave na svojem domu na 1544 Compton Rd. na Cleveland Heights 67 let stari William Voinov, rojen v Banatu, od koder je prišel v ZDA pred 45 leti, vdovec po letu 1965 umrli Mary, roj. Udovich, oče Millie Ann Burke (Minneapolis, Minn.), Geraldine Udyovich (Newark, N.J.), Georgine, Marlene in William (U.S. Airforce), 3-krat stari oče, brat Louise Martinov, pok. Rudyja in pok. Charlesa. Družina je preje stanovala na Argus Ave. in pokojnik je bil preko 46 let zaposlen kot električni inženir pri Cleveland Illuminating Electric Co. Pogreb bo iz Grdinovega pogrebne zavoda na Lake Shore Blvd. jutri, v soboto, ob enih popoldne v pravoslavnemu rusku cerkev sv. Mihaela na Union Avenue ob 1.30, nato na pokopališče sv. Teodozija.

Ekonomska konjunktura v ZDA še zmeraj raste

WASHINGTON, D.C. — Federalno tajništvo za trgovino in federalne rezervne banke so sporočile, da je naša konjunktura prve tri meseca letosnjega leta večja od lanske z \$20 bilijonov, ali za 2.5%. En odstotek odpade na naraščanje cen, za 1.5% je pa dejela več producirala blaga in uslug. Če bo šlo tako naprej, bo letosnjša naročna in proizvodnja prekoračila \$880 bilijonov.

To je lepo, ima pa tudi temnočat. Cene bodo tekoma na rastre za 4%, ako ne več. Povečal se bo uvoz in z njim tudi pri-nanjkljaj v naši plačilni bilanci; za 4% večjo draginjo bodo na predvsem čutili naši revni sloji. Vojaška diktatura je v začetku tedna stavila Papandreoua in Canellopoulosa, vodnika desničarskega krila Narodne radikalne unije, v hišni zapor, da bi imajo onemogočila vse politične akcije za obletnico vzpostavite vojaške diktature. Papandreou je kljub vsemu uspel napisati izjavo in jo spraviti v roke tujih poročevalcev. V njej

Južna Koreja vztraja pri postavljenih ciljih

Predsednik Park je na se-stanku s predsednikom Johnsonom na Havaji in branil odločno stališče proti komunistični napadalnosti tako v Koreji kot v Vietnamu.

HONOLULU, Hav. — Včeraj je predsednik L. B. Johnson na končanih razgovorih s predsednikom Juž. Koreje Parkom odstrelil domov v Teksaš. Na poti tia se je ustavil v Kaliforniji, kjer je imel kratek sestanek z bivšim predsednikom Eisenhowerjem, ki je eden najdolješnjih podpornikov Johnsonove vietnamske politike.

V skupni izjavi ob koncu razgovorov pravita predsednik L. B. Johnson in predsednik Park, da bosta obe državi v smislu zavezniške in vojaške pogodbe iz leta 1953 skupno nastopili proti novim komunističnim akcijam v Koreji. Južna Koreja, ki ima v Vietnamu skoraj 50.000 svojih vojakov, bo sodelovala pri mornarskih razgovorih o Vietnamu, tukaj pa tudi drugi zavod. Prva misel, ki je prišla v Banatu, od koder je prišel v ZDA pred 45 leti, vdovec po letu 1965 umrli Mary, roj. Udovich, oče Millie Ann Burke (Minneapolis, Minn.), Geraldine Udyovich (Newark, N.J.), Georgine, Marlene in William (U.S. Airforce), 3-krat stari oče, brat Louise Martinov, pok. Rudyja in pok. Charlesa. Družina je preje stanovala na Argus Ave. in pokojnik je bil preko 46 let zaposlen kot električni inženir pri Cleveland Illuminating Electric Co. Pogreb bo iz Grdinovega pogrebne zavoda na Lake Shore Blvd. jutri, v soboto, ob enih popoldne v pravoslavnemu rusku cerkev sv. Mihaela na Union Avenue ob 1.30, nato na pokopališče sv. Teodozija.

Papandreou poziva svet k bojkolu vojaške vlade

ATENE, Gr. — Bivši predsednik vlade G. Papandreou je klub hišnemu zaporu in veljavni vojaški zakon izdal v sredo počiv vsemu svobodnemu svetu, naj začne bojkot grške vojaške diktature, ki bo v nedeljo, 21. aprila, obhajala prvo obletnico prevzemanja oblasti.

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Dr. Celestin Jelenc umrl

CLEVELAND, O. — Tajnik Narodnega Odbora za Slovenijo je sporocil žalostno novočo, da je na Veliki petek, dne 12. aprila, umrl dr. Celestin Jelenc, član in več let podpredsednik tega slovenskega zastopstva v emigraciji. Številni slovenski naseljeni v Buenos Airesu so se od njega poslavljali v Slovenskem Narodnem Domu v Carapachaju, pokopali so ga pa na pokopališču v Olivusu, kjer so letos v mesecu marcu položili k poslednjemu počitku tudi truplo njegove po-knjige sproge Julije, roj. Zurc, iz znane Zurčeve družine v Kanadi pri Novem mestu. G. Staro poroča, da je še na Cvetno nedeljo pokojni dr. Jelenc prišel k seji Narodnega Odbora, podobor za prve zavetje dela raznih skupin in organizacij v izseljenstvu. Zivahn je podal svoj dobro pripravljen referat in se udeleževal razprave. Za velikonočno številko Svobodne Slovenije je prispeval svoj zadnji članek. Na Veliki petek ga je nenadoma zadela kap.

Dr. Celestin Jelenc je v Narodnem Odboru zastopal skupino slovenskih socijalnih demokratov. V Ljubljani je bil zelo dobro znan odvetnik in predsednik Socijalno-demokratske stranke za mesto in okolico. Bil je neupogljiv, vztrajen nasprotnik komunistične diktature. V emigraciji je pridno sodeloval pri vsem in vsakem narodno-političnem delu. Posebno uspešno je izkoristil svoje zvezne socijalistični skupinami, strankami in posameznimi politiki in državniki v svobodnem svetu. Do-povedoval jim je resnico o razvoju komunistične revolucije na Slovenskem in utemeljeval stališče v ravnanje demokratičnih strank združenih v Narodnem Odboru za Slovenijo.

Slovenska politična emigracija je z dr. Jelencem izgubila svojega, pri vseh skupinah splošno priljubljenega, izredno pridnega in spremnega politika. Naj počiva v miru! Demokratični Sloveni mu ohranimo najlepši spomin!

Dr. Miha Krek

pravi med drugim: "Letos sovpada dan Gospodovega Vstajenja z obletnico ljudskega križanja. Vojaški udar 21. aprila je u-ničil vse svobode!"

Pravoslavna cerkev praznuje v nedeljo Veliko noč.

Upavitelj praške nadškofije pred tujimi časnikarji

PRAGA, ČSR. — Ker v Praji vlada svoboda govora in tiška, obletavata tuji časnikarji vse tiste Čehe, ki so moralni molčati celih 20 let. Tako so dobili "v roke" tudi upaviteljja praške nadškofije škofa Tomašeka, ki dejansko vodi katoliško Cerkev na Češkem, dokler se ne vrne iz Rima kardinal Josef Beran. Škof Tomašek je zato časnikarjem priredil tiskovno konferenco, ki je na njej povedal par zanimivih stvari.

Družišči so težko bolni, ali pa je režim prepovedal naslednjim, da vršijo svoje dolžnosti. Tomašek upa, da bo Vatikan najprvo rešil to vprašanje. Najprvo bodo zopet prišli na svoja mesta škofje v Brnu, Litomerice in Budjevcih. Na svoja mesta se bo lahko vrnilo tudi okoli 1,500 duhovnikov, ki živijo sedaj zunaj svojih župnij kot poljedelski in tovarniški delavci.

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WASHINGTON PREDLOŽIL HANOIU 10 NOVIH MEST

Združene države so včeraj predložile Severnemu Vietnamu 10 novih mest za predhodne razgovore, 6 v Aziji in 4 v Evropi. Državni tajnik Rusk je Hanoi posvaril znova, da ameriška potrebeljivost ni brezmejna.

WASHINGTON, D.C. — Ko se vprašanje kraja predhodnih razgovorov med Združenimi državami in Severnim Vietnamom ne premakne nikam, so Združene države predložile 10 novih mest za te razgovore, 6 v Aziji, 4 v Evropi. Odgovora iz Hanoia med tem še ni kljub posredovanju generalnega tajnika Združenih narodov U Tanta. Državni tajnik Dean Rusk je včeraj pozno popoldne na tiskovni konferenci, kjer je razkril ameriški predlog 10 novih mest, posvaril Severni Vietnam, da je preteklo že 18 dni od omejitve ameriških napadov na Severni Vietnam, pa še vedno ni bilo mogoče doseči niti sporazuma o tem, kje naj bi se začeli predhodni razgovori. Poudaril je, da gre ameriška potrebeljivost h kraju in da je zato skrajni čas, da da Hanoi resen odgovor.

Rusk je navepel kot Združenim državam sprejemljive države za razgovore v Aziji Cejlon, Japonsko, Afganistan, Pakistan, Nepal in Malezijo, v Evropi pa Italijo, Belgijo, Finsko in Avstrijo. Od azijskih sta dejansko nevtralni le Afganistan in Nepal, Japonska in Pakistan sta ameriška zaveznika, Cejlon in Malezija pa sta člana britske Skupnosti narodov. Od evropskih predloženih držav sta Italija in Beigija članici NATO, torej Hanoi komaj sprejemljivi, Finška in Avstrija pa sta nevezani in res nevtralni državi.

Rusk je popolnoma prešel Francijo, katere glavno mesto Pariz je za razgovore predložil generalni tajnik ZN U Tant. Očitno so v državnem tajništvu mnenja, da bi bil Pariz Hanoi takoj nesprejemljiv, kot bi ga Združene države javno predložile kot primereno mesto za razgovore.

Vprašanje kraja razgovorov je prešlo v javnost in postal propaganda. Severnemu Vietnamu ta propaganda prav hodi in jo hoče izkoristiti do zadnjega, pri tem mu odlično služijo ponovne nekdanje izjave predsednika Johnsona in državnega tajnika Ruska, da so se Združene države pripravljene srečati s predstavnikom Hanoia "kjerkoli in kadar koli". Hanoi jemlje te izjave dobesedno in po črkri ter spravi, čemu se jih Washington sedaj ne drži in zavrača tako Phnom Penh kot Varšava kot kraj razgovorov.

WASHINGTTON, D.C. — Federal Reserve Board je včeraj izglasoval povišanje obrestne mreže za denar, ki ga daje na razpolago posameznim z njim povezanim bankam za pol odstotka. Razstava se bo vrnila v farni dvorani to soboto, od 11. dop. do 10. zvečer in to nedeljo, od 1. dop. do 9 zvečer. Vstopnina samo 1 dollar.

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Razstava —

Od 21. aprila do 4. maja bo v Garfield Heights Library na 5409 Turney Rd. umetniška razstava, na kateri bodo tudi dela Billa Grzincica, sina Mr. in Mrs. John Grzincic, 959 E. 67 St. Seja — Društvo sv. Ane št. 150 KSKJ ima v nedeljo ob enih popoldne sejo v SND na E. 80 St. Podr. št. 5 SMZ ima v nedeljo ob 9.30 dopoldne sejo v SND na St. Clair Avenue, soba št. 1. Zadužnica — V nedeljo ob osmih zjutraj bo v cerkvi sv. Vida sv. maša za pok. Marija Kolarčič, roj. Pograjec, ob 1. obletnici njene smrti.

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Trnjeva pot narodov v svobodo

II.

Upoštevajmo, da sedaj in v dogledni bodočnosti ni v Evropi na dnevnem redu nobeno prestavljanje državnih meja. Nasprotno, prav sedaj se ustaljuje in dobivajo priznanje tisti meje — recimo zapadna poljska meja — ki so bile dve desetletji nepriznane in sporne. Zahteve po novih državah in novih mejah so v današnjih naših prilikah kot oblaki, ki nam zakrivajo sonce svobode. Posebej zagotavljajam, da sem prepričan, da danes ni na svetu državnika, ki bi dovolil parcelacijo Jugoslavije, ker bi s tem odpril vprašenje vseh mej ob Jadranu, v Podonavju in na Balkanu.

In posebej pri Slovencih. V naši preteklosti smo narodnostno rastli in napredovali tem močneje, čim bolj smo poleg narodnostne zavesti in vse kulture poudarjali tudi slovensko in južno slovensko zaledje. Povod in vselej smo narodnostno nazadovali, kjer in kadar smo to zaledje izgubili iz um in oči. Najnovejše izkušnje iz časov med drugo svetovno vojno in po njej dovoljujejo, žal, trditev, da bomo verjetno v mnogo hitrejši progresiji narodnostno propadali v bodočnosti, kot smo v preteklosti, če se odrežemo od slovenskega zaledja.

Redna, logična, organična razvojna pot narodnostne politike je lepo povedana v dr. Koroševi Slovenski deklamaciji iz leta 1931. Mi moramo pred vsem združiti vse narodnostno ozemlje, ki na njem Slovenci strnjeno prebivamo. Nikjer ne vidim druge moči, ki bi dajala upanje, da bomo mogli doseči kak uspeh v tej, prvi naši narodnosti nalogi. Jugoslavija pa se je v zgodovini že dvakrat izkazala kot tista odrešilna sila, ki tudi v tem oziru nekaj zmore.

Za rojstvo nove slovenske države bi bil poleg enodušne volje in zahteve slovenskega naroda potreben še pristanek, sporazum, tak ali tak, Dunaja, Rima in Bonna, če ne Berlinja. Pod kakimi pogoji bi tak pristanek dobili, si lahko mislimo. Ni treba biti nikak prerok, zdrava pamet pove, da bi Slovenija v teh geopolitičnih razmerah, ki z njimi moramo računati, bila prvo uro svojega rojstva bolj odvisna od svojih velikih sosedov, kot je kdajkoli bila katerakoli slovenska provinca odvisna od Belgradu. In ta odvisnost bi bila posebno živo pekoča prav v narodnostnem področju državnega delovanja.

Pri vsem tem je treba upoštevati, da vsaka akcija za odceploprenje Slovencev od drugih narodov na slovenskem jugu nosi nevarnost, da bo v tisti ura, ko bi padle jugoslovenske meddržavne meje, postal naše vse ozemlje sedanje Jugoslavije konkurzna masa, ki bi bo iz nje vsak pograbil svoj plen, ki ga bo dosegel. To pomeni nevarnost, da nas večji sosedje razdele. Kadars tvegamo svoje osebno življenje in imetje, smemo tvegati vse, tveganje na narodov račun pa mora biti utemeljeno, ne le za nekaj poedincev, ampak za vse. Tveganje, ki se tu zahteva v razmerah, ki moramo z njimi računati, bi bilo po mojem prepričanju brezvestno.

Tako sem mislil pred petimi leti in sedaj, potem ko sem bral vse popise pisane zbirke novih držav, ki naj nastanejo na ozemlju Jugoslavije, sem še bolj utrjen v tem prepričaju.

Tekrat smo napisali in podpisujem tudi sedaj:

"Vsak narod ima pravico na svojo samostojno in neodvisno državo. To pravico imajo tudi vsi narodi Jugoslavije..."

"Smatramo, da je državna zveza Srbov, Hrvatov, Slovencev, Macedoncev in bosansko-hercegovskih muslimanov nujna za ohranitev narodnosti, zemljeplisne in politične nedotakljivosti vsakega naroda Jugoslavije in vseh skupno. Prepričani smo, da bi vsak poskus razbijanja okvirja sedanjih mednarodnih mej Jugoslavije resno ogrozil integracijo vseh njenih narodov..."

"Zato smo mnenja in predlagamo, da naj bi bodoča svobodna, demokratska jugoslovenska državna zveza morala biti zgrajena na teh temeljih:

1. V zvezo stopijo štirje suvereni narodi: Srbci, Hrvati, Slovenci in Macedonci. Zvezo sestavlja pet enakopravnih držav: Srbija, Hrvatska, Slovenija, Macedonia in Bosna-Hercegovina.

2. Osnovni princip, ki na njem sloni vsa zveza, je suverenita poedinih držav, ki svobodno odstopijo nekaj svojih določenih poslov in sredstev v skupno upravljanje Zvezni. Temeljni kamen je čuvanje koristi vsakega poedinega naroda in vsake države ter usoglaševanje interesov v zvezi."

Vsa naslednja podrobna določila tistega dogovora med nami vsebujejo samo uporabo teh dveh izhodnih misli v zgradbi demokratičnih ustanov po načelu enakopravnosti vseh narodov in vseh držav v zvezi.

Se nekaj, morda zanimivih podrobnosti.

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Prav tako je s cerkvenimi prazniki. Če so v koledarju zato, da imamo novo obleko in nov klobuk, pa se srca dotaknejo le od zunaj, nič ne ostane. To je najhujše. To čudovito življenje, ki je nekoč velo od vseh koncev in krajev, je odšlo, naše moderno življenje postaja kakor tisti sestav molekule, ki se ga učite v kemiji. Kakor mreža so in če jo na hitro pogledaš, se ti zdi, da se ne loči veliko sestav vodne kapljice in diamanta.

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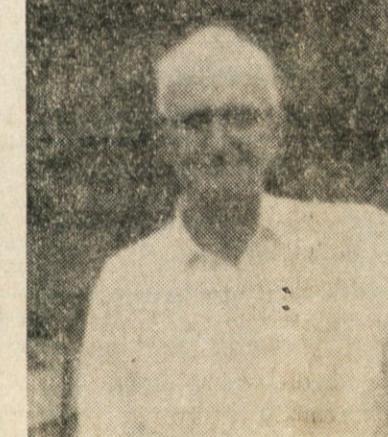
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Pokopali smo ga dne 18. marca 1968 na pokopališču Kalvarija. Prelat Louis B. Baznik je za pokojnega opravil svete cerkvene obrede v Zakrajškem pogrebnom zavodu in na pokopališču v cerkvi sv. Vida, daroval zanj slovensko pogrebno sv. mašo. Iskreno smo mu hvalzni za vso naklonjenost, za duhovna tolazila, posebej paše, da je pokojnega med bolezni dvakrat obiskal, mu podelil svete zakramente in ga pripravil za srečno zadnjo uro.

Zahvaljujemo se najlepše odboru in članom društva Sv. Janeza Krstnika št. 37 Am. Bratske Zvezze za vse, kar so storili v počastitev pokojnega kot svojega premilnega člena. Posebej hvala predsedniku društva za tople besede zahvale in tolazibe, ki jih je govoril v slovo.

Trije sinovi, dva vnuka in en nečak pokojnega so nosili krsto, da so tudi s tem izkazali pokojnemu našemu neomejeno ljubezen in spôstovanje.

Prav lepa hvala Zakrajškemu pogrebnu zavodu, ki je izvrstno uređil vse pogrebne priprave in odlično vodil pogrebni spredvod.

Prisrno se zahvalimo sorodnikom in prijateljem, ki so prihitali k pogrebu iz oddaljenih krajev, posebno iz države New York.

Naj dobr Bog povrne vsem, ki ste darovali za sv. maše in druge dobre namene, vsem, ki ste okrasili krsto, kapelo v pogrebnu zavodu in njegov grob s številnimi, krasnimi venci in drugim cvetjem ter vsem, ki ste dali svoje automobile za pogrebni spredvod.

Razposlali smo zahvalne kartice vsem, kolikor smo imeli naslove. Če bi radi kake pomote kdo naše posebne zahvale ne bil dobil, lepo prosimo naj nam opresti. Sprejmite, prosimo, tole skupno, javno zahvalo vsi, ki ste nam ob prilikih te bričke izgube kakorkoli izrazilj svoje sočustvovanje, naši skrušni tolazili in nam lajši bolečino; vsi, ki ste nam v najtežjih urah po smrti prihitali v pomoci in priprigli, da so bile pogrebne slovesnosti tako ganljivo lepe. Srčna hvala za vse pismene in osebne izraze sožalja, posebno pa hvala za vse molitve za pokojnega.

V miru božjem zdaj počivaj, dragi, nepozabni nam; v nebesih večno srečo uživaj do svidenja na vekomaj.

Ti v zborih nebeskih prepevaj zdaj slavo, mi v sveti ljubezni s Teboj smo vsak čas, kjer Stvarnik je Tvoje neskončno placiš, tja s svojo priprošnjo pripelji še nas.

sopoga MARY PRUDIC, rojena MOHAR, sinovi: FRANK, STANLEY, in ANTHONY; snake: RIDA, HELEN in DOROTHY; vnuki in vnukinja: MARY, DIANE, STANLEY, MARGARET, ANTHONY, DOROTHY, JOSEPH in NANCY; trije pravnuki in ostali sorodniki.

Cleveland, Ohio

IVAN TAVČAR:

V ZALI

Takrat se je izplačala moja opreznost in razpel sem široki, rdeči dežnik, da je bilo strehe obema dovolj. Pod to streho sva tičala, ali prestopiti se nisva mogla, ker bi naju bila ploha zdajci premočila do kože. Obstala sva torej na mestu in se skoraj tičala drug k drugemu, ker je lilo kakor iz škafa. Sedaj sem ji že bliže videl v obraz in rečem: bila je bleda in upadla, da me je bilo kar groza. Vedno tudi nisva mogla molčati. Torej sem dejal: "Ali ti kaj piše oni iz Amerike?" "Nič," mi odgovoril zamolko.

"In denarja ti kaj pošilja?" "Nič!"

"Lepa je ta!" si mislim. "Pisma nič, denarja nič, lepa je ta!" Zatorej se vprašam: "In deklece, kakšno je? Ali se ti dobro redi?"

"Malo že govori! In vsi pravijo, da mu je zelo podobna!"

"Lepa je ta! Pa pisma nič, pa denarja nič! In v Ameriki pravijo, da se tako lahko prisluži denar!"

"Oj, moj Bog! Oj, moj Bog!" je vzdihnila in že je imela polne oči samih solza. "In zadnjic je prišel Brinovčev iz Amerike in po njem mi je sporočil, da se ženi v Ameriki in naj ga ne čakam, ker ga ne pričakam do

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"Kdo te vzame, Lenčika? Če drug ne, te pa jaz vzamem in prav rad te vzamem in tudi z otrokom!"

Tako sem ji odgovoril, ne prepogumno, in malone sram me je bilo. Potisnil sem ji dežnik v roke in dejal: "Imej ga, da se ne premoči! Pridem jutri in z materjo se dogovorita in dobro premisliata vse! Hišico imam, deset mernikov je posveti v dve kravi priredim brez težave. Ena reč in druga, dolga ni preveč, pijem ne, delam pa rad. Razgovori se z sodnega dne!"

"Ta zverina, ta zverina!"

In povem vam, da bi bil takrat Pečarjevega najrajsi zadušil. Pa ga zaduši, če ga moreš, z rokami čez mörje!

"Moj Bog, ko bi le otroka ne imela!"

Že je zajokala in tudi meni se je milo storilo. Pa komu bi se ne, če je kaj takega! No, dobro!

"Veš kaj, Lenka," ji odgovorim, "brezpartmetna ne bodi in ne jokat se! Ce se oženi v Ameriki, naj se! Bog že ve, kaj dopušča; da pa temu malopridnežu — in niasi je v Ameriki — ne bode dal sreče, to je ena! Kaj bi ga

čakala, omoži se tudi ti! To je druga!"

"Kdo me vzame," zastoka Lenka; "kdo me vzame z otrokom?"

materjo, po odgovor pa pridem jutri! Oni v Ameriki naj se pa oženi, pusti ga, naj se oženi!"

To rekši, se spustim niz dol, dekleta z dežnikom pa pustim v klancu in tako me je bilo sram, da se nisem upal nazaj pogledati proti njej, ki sem jo ravnokar snubil za svojo ženo. Kar tekel sem neprestano in dež je bil in premočil mi je vsako krpo, da je kar curljalo po meni. Pač, enkrat sem se vendar obrnil in zakričal: "Veš, otroka pa tudi vzamem, da veš!"

Potem pa sem tekel ves zasopen proti Poljanam. Tako sem se ženil, da veste! No, dobro!

Drugo dopoldne se res primotovilm h Komarjevi hiši v Vinharjih. Nekaj od vasi stoji in polno orehov, visokih, starih dreves, je okrog nje. Nič mi ni bilo dobro pri srcu, ko sem prihajal bliže. Bal sem se, po pravici rečem, bal sem se in čudno mi je bilo tudi zato, ker je le nekaj posebnega, kadar hodi možak za žensko, da bi se vzela.

Prišel sem skoraj do hiše in

dobro sem slišal, da so se zaprla vrata nekje znotraj. Morda odhaja tuj človek in ta naj me vidi, mene, šepastega snubača! Zdržnam za bližnji oreh, da bi se skril. Pa je bila nepotrebna ta plahost. Nikogar ni bilo iz hiše.

(Dalje prihodnjič)

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 4. JAZ BI RAD RUDEČIH ROŽ, Kvartet VINKO VODOPivec
 - J. Penko, R. Sterle, M. Dolenc, F. Ivancic
 5. KENTUCKY BABE, Kvartet A. GEIBEL
 6. VINSKA DR. ANTON SCHWAB
 7. OJ TA MLINAR, Solist R. Sterle Z. SVIKARSIC
 8. GREETINGS TO SPRING J. STRAUSS
 - ODMOR
 9. TAM, KJER PISANA SO POLJA DANILO BUČAR
 10. NA STRAŽI, Solist M. Dolenc NARODNA
 11. TEČE REKA SOČA, TEČE V. VODOPivec
 12. KJE JE MOJ MILI DOM NARODNA
 - OKTET — J. Penko, R. Zupancic, R. Sterle, D. Mulec, R. Kozan, M. Dolenc, F. Ivancic, J. Zadnik
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NAZNANILO IN ZAHVALA

Z globoko žalostjo v naših srcah naznanjam, da je 19. marca 1968 nadomama umrla naša ljubljena mati in stará mati, tašča in sestra,

Katarina Modic

roj. LESKOVEC

Rojena je bila 12. nov. 1888 na Verdu pri Vrhniku, odkoder je prišla v Ameriko leta 1903.

Pogreb se je vršil 23. marca 1968 iz Železovega pogrebnega zavoda v cerkvi sv. Jeroma, kjer je Father O'Shaughnessy daroval sv. maso zadušnico za pokojno. — Potem pa smo jo prepejali na pokopališče ALL SOULS in jo položili k večnemu počitku v družinsko grobno.

Pokojna je bila članica društva Mir št. 142 SNPJ, društva Woodmen of the World, Kluba groceristov v Collinwoodu in društva upokojencev na Waterloo Road.

S tem se iskreno zahvalimo Father O'Shaughnessy za molitve v pogrebni zavodu in za darovanje sv. mašo. Father McCann-u pa za molitve v pogrebni zavodu.

Srečna hvala vsem, ki so darovali za sv. maše in za dobrodelenne namene; vsem, ki so ob odre pokojnice položili tako tepe vence vjetja in jih s tem izkazali svojo ljubezen in spoštovanje. Toplo se zahvalimo vsem, ki so pokojnico prisli kropit in molit ob njeni krsti. Posebej se zahvalimo članom in članicam društva, ki jim je pokojnica pripadala, za lepo in gimbivo slovo od svoje umrle sestre.

Hvala pogrebcem, sorodnikom pokojne, ki so nosili njen krsto.

Hvala vsem, ki so dali svoje avtomobile na razpolago za spremstvo na pokopališče.

Izkrena hvala vsem, ki so nam ustmeno ali pismeno izrekli svoje sožalje, kakor tudi vsem, ki so nam v dnevih naše žalosti bili na pomoč. — Prisrečna hvala vsem našim dobrim sosedom, ki so zbirali za skupni venec in za sv. mašo.

Posebej se zahvalimo naši sestri in hčerkki pokojne, ki je iz daljnega mesta Beirut (Lebanon) priletala na pogreb svoje ljubljene materje.

Toplo se zahvalimo osebju pogrebnega zavoda Jos. Žele in sinovi za vzorno urejen pogreb in za vsestransko izvrstno postrežbo.

Razposlali smo zahvalne kartice vsem, ki smo imeli za njih naslove. — Ako kdo take kartice pomotoma ni prejel, naj nam oprositi in naaj s to splošno zahvalo sprejme našo glibok o hvaležnost.

Ljuba mati, stará mati, tašča in sestra, počivaj v miru v blagoslovjeni ameriški zemlji in lahka naj Ti bo njena gruda!

Bila si polna ljubezni do nas in skupaj z našima očetom in bratom Augustom, ki sta pred Teboj zapustila to sočilno dolino, si storila streljiva dobra dela vsem potrebnim. Zato pa skupaj počivajte v božjem miru. Vi dragi, nepozabni nam in v nebesih uživajte rajsko srečo, dokler se vse ne snidemo. — Do takrat pa se Vas bomo spominjali z ljubezni in hvaležnostjo v naših mislih in molitvah!

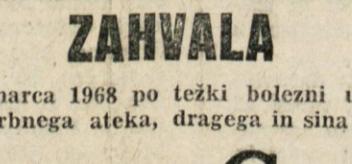
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Cleveland, Ohio, 19. aprila 1968



Rojen L. 1926
v Vojniku pri Celju



Umrl L. 1968
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ZAHVALA

Po volji Vsemogočnega je L. marca 1968 po težki bolzni ugasnilo življenje našega iskreno ljubljene soproga, zlatega in skrbnega ateka, dragega in sina in dobrega brata

Franca Grajzl

Na zadnji poti smo ga spremili v pondeljek, 4. marca 1968 ob deseti uri v cerkev Matre Božje in po opravljenih cerkvenih obredih na All Souls pokopališče.

Naš nepozabni pokojnik počival v grobu št. 501, sekacija 15.

Ob tej bridi in prezgodnji izgubi se iskreno zahvaljujemo vsem številnim prijateljem in znalcem, ki so v težkih trenutkih z nami sočuvati, ki so nam toliko dobrega storili.

Posebno zahvala izrekam žaljuča vdova vsem dobrim in usmiljenim prijateljem, ki so mi v teku dolge in težke bolzni ljubljenega moža nesobično pomagali, me tolažili in bedrili.

Kako pozabit to gomilo, kjer Tvoje zlato spi sreča, ki mi je vedno vdano bilo, prav do zadnjega je dne.

Ljubljeni, počivaj v miru, mi pa Te bomo ohranili v trajnem spominu!



AMERIŠKA DOMOVINA

AMERICAN HOME

SLOVENIAN MORNING NEWSPAPER

Kaffeeklatsch With Pecan Bread



"Coffee and" inspires friendliness just about any time, anywhere. Even such a warm and welcome tradition needn't become commonplace, though, not with the intriguing good taste of this pecan bread from the Borden Kitchen. It's made inexpensively and easily with instant nonfat dry milk. Accompany with colorful preserves or more simply with margarine and cream cheese.

Lone Star Pecan Bread

(Makes one 9 x 5 x 3-inch loaf)

2-1/2 cups sifted all-purpose flour	1 cup Borden's instant nonfat dry milk, dry form
1 cup sugar	1 cup water
1 teaspoon salt	2 eggs, well beaten
2 teaspoons baking powder	1 cup finely chopped pecans

In a large size mixing bowl, sift together flour, sugar, salt baking powder and nonfat dry milk. Stir water into beaten eggs. Add eggs and chopped nuts to sifted dry ingredients; mix just until blended. Butter a 9 x 5 x 3-inch loaf pan; line only the bottom with buttered waxed paper. Pour batter into prepared pan. Bake in a moderate (350°F.) oven 1 hour, or until a cake tester or wooden pick inserted in center comes out clean. Let cool in pan 10 minutes. Turn cake out of pan; carefully peel off paper. Cool thoroughly. If desired, serve with cream cheese or margarine.

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CONDENSED NEWS FROM OUR HOME FRONT

★ Taken again to the Cleveland Clinic was Mrs. Jennie Strnad of 1191 E. 61 St. We wish her a speedy recovery!

★ The Holy Name Society of Our Lady of Perpetual Help, 18022 Neff Rd., announces a Pancake and Ham breakfast, Sunday, April 21, 1968, serving from 7:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

★ Mr. and Mrs. John Zigman, 20160 Lindbergh Ave., announce the engagement of their son, Joseph J. Zigman to Karen Theresa Guist, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin W. Guist, 818 Bayridge Blvd., Willowick, O. Joseph served with the Marines for three years, spending one year in Vietnam. Karen will graduate from Ursuline College in June. The wedding is set for June 22nd.

★ The Holy Family Cancer Home Guild plans to hold its seventh annual Card Party and Tea on Saturday, May 4, 1968 at the Higbee Auditorium at 2:00 p.m.

★ Cousins Leopold and Ignatius Ribic of Yugoslavia, who worked about two years in Germany, arrived April 9th in Cleveland for permanent residence. They were assisted by the League of Catholic Slovaks. Welcome!

★ A baby boy, their first child, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Smrdel of Cherokee Ave. The proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ludwig Smrdel of 24300 Lindbergh Ave., and Mr. and Mrs. Anton Sustar of 20561 Lindbergh Ave. Congratulations to all!

★ Mrs. Mary Kraich of 1109 E. 63 St., was taken to St. Vincent Charley Hospital. We wish her a speedy recovery!

★ A baby boy, their first child, was born to Adolph and Anita Witt of Toledo, O., on March 28th. With this blessed event, Mrs. Mary Sremec of 6127 St. Clair Ave., became grandma for the first time. Congratulations to all!

★ Enough is enough, James Frazier, 26, an attendant at the Shell Service Station, 2165 E. 55th St., was surprised enough recently when a man sauntered into the station, took Frazier's gun from the office and robbed him of \$20. But he was more startled minutes later when the same man returned, handed him the pistol and bullets, thanked him and drove off again. Frazier is still out \$20.

★ Ames, Iowa — He's no climatologist but Iowa State's wrestling coach, Harold Nichols, is sure he can make a forecast on a couple of blizzards next year and be right. He points to Feb. 8 and Feb. 15 as 1969 dates to expect snow storms — those are the dates of his annual meets here with Oklahoma State. The last four times either of these wrestling teams were here, it has

SHORTS ON SPORTS

Kennedy Gets Wish;
Clipper Will Tutor A's

Oakland, Calif. — Manager Bob Kennedy had wanted Joe DiMaggio to be an active coach for the Athletics right after the former Yankee Clipper was named executive vice-president of the Oakland club last October.

DiMag also wanted the job. It was just a question of his bad back. He tested it during the spring on long bus trips and sitting on the bench during the stretched-out exhibition games. Near the end of the training tour, he announced that he would be a coach for this year.

"He will be on the bench with me," Kennedy said at a press conference recently. "This entails a full time duty with the club."

Six Champs Will Receive Series Mementos by Mail

St. Louis, Mo. — Six members of the 1967 world champion Cardinals will not be on hand to receive World Series rings in person when the mementos are presented to the Redbirds before their Sunday, April 21 game with Chicago at Busch Memorial Stadium.

Infielder Eddie Bressoud retired immediately after the World Series. Pitcher Hal Woodeshick and catcher John Romano were released in the fall, outfielder Alex Johnson was traded to the Reds and pitcher Al Jackson was returned to the Mets in payment for Jack Lamabe, who had been obtained last July.

Lamabe, in turn, was lopped off the roster just before the Cardinals got down to the 25-man limit to open the 1968 season.

A seventh player, Jim Cosman, who pitched in only five games with the Redbirds when he was up and down last season, received a full Series share, but did not qualify for a ring because he was not among the 25 players certified as Series eligibles. He was optioned out in the Cards' final squad cut April 5.

Lomborg Won't Be Paid Till He's Ready to Pitch

Boston, Mass. — Jim Lomborg, the Cy Young Award winner, is off the payroll of the Red Sox because of his knee injury.

"He is on the restricted list and will not be paid," said General Manager Dick O'Connell.

Then, O'Connell left the door open a little by saying: "If Jim comes back and is able to pitch for us, there may be an adjustment made in his salary at that time."

Lane Suggests A Lower Mount To Help Hitters

Baltimore, Md. — If baseball would nudge the pitchers off their pedestal, it would restore more offensive action to the game, Frank Lane believes.

The Oriole super-scout concurs with Atlanta's General Manager Paul Richards that something must be done to offset the advantages which have accrued for pitching in recent years.

He does not subscribe, however, to the proposal that the distance from home plate to the mound should be extended two or three feet beyond its present 60 feet, six inches, as Richards suggested last December.

Lane simply would lower the upward slope of the mound by five inches from the prevailing 15 inches above infield ground level.

"The dimensions of a baseball diamond are traditional. Tampering with the distances between bases or the distance a pitcher has to throw would destroy the equilibrium of the game," he said.

Ceramic Hobbyist Guild Show

This year as in the past thirteen years, the Ceramic Hobbyist Guild of Greater Cleveland will sponsor their annual show. It will run for six days: from April 29th thru May 4th, 1968; being open to the public free of charge from 10:30 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. daily. The Mall at the Richmond Shopping Center, corner of Richmond and Wilson Mills Rds., will be the site of the show.

This show is the finale of a year of preparation by over 250 members, representing the amateur hobbyist and professional teacher and manufacturer. The Guild was formed in 1956 to promote interest in the ceramic arts as a therapeutic hobby as well as a vocation; with its membership open to anyone interested. Regular meetings are held on the second Saturday of each month at the Cleveland Sheraton Hotel.

Approximately 900 pieces will be entered in over 25 classes in 4 divisions; including sculpture, decorated greenware, porcelain lace, draping, china painting, stain work, enamel-

CONCERT Young Accordionists

at St. Vitus Auditorium

Sunday, April 21, 1968

at 3:30 p.m.

PROGRAM

1. Folksongs —
2. The beautiful Upland —

3. On the Narciss Mountain (Golica)

4. Little Mill — (Band)

5. Folksongs — Piano: Anna Marie and Carmen Lorber

6. Guitar duet: Margie and Natalie Kastigar

7. Down on the purging Sava River Terceet: Marija and Zalka Zupan, Katy Avsec

8. Flutophones — Margaret Kokal Anna Marie Lorber Barbara Modic Anna Urankar

9. Piano — T. Hauptman

10. Three birdies —

INTERMISSION

11. Easter song —

12. Accordion Solo — S. Krevh

13. For Elise — L. V. Beethoven Piano Solo: V. M. Rus

14. Guitar duet — A. Nemec and M. Dreu

15. Little Boat — tercet

16. "Wanderers"

17. Guitars —

18. Silk Umbrella — Piano: T. Likozar Accordion: J. Jurkovic

19. From Dr. Zhivago's Movie Picture

20. Mayokla —

After the Concert social and refreshments

Proceeds from the Concert for the Canonization of Bishop Baraga

Signing Up Extended For Interracial Visits

Clevelanders are being given an extra week to sign up for interracial home visits.

So far 1300 applications have been received, reports Lovell Johnson of the Community Relations Board staff. This is just short of the number of persons who took part last year.

The visits will be Sunday, April 28, from 3 to 5 p.m. Whites and Negroes are being asked to volunteer either to visit homes of persons of another race or to entertain visitors of another race.

Interested persons can take part by calling the Community Relations Board: C34-3290, before next Sunday.

St. Ann's No. 150 Meet

St. Ann's Lodge No. 150 KSKJ will hold its regular monthly meeting on Sunday, April 21, at 1 p.m. at the Slov. Nat'l. Home on E. 30 Street.

ing and fired glass to name a few. School students and handicapped artists as well as amateurs and professionals will be competing for over 40 trophies and 170 ribbons. As a first this year, the nationally accredited "Freddies" will be awarded.

Ceramics "in action" will be demonstrated by our members during the show hours. Many of the exhibitors will offer their prize winning work for sale to the general public at this time.

"My husband would never chase after another woman," declared the lady. "He's too fine, too decent, and too old."

Federation of Slovenian Homes Says 'Thanks'

The Federation of Slovenian Homes extends its sincere gratitude and appreciation to all attending its 1968 edition of the "Man of the Year" Awards Dinner. In every sense, the seventh edition was the biggest and best yet. Over 1,000 people attended, to pay tribute to Senator Frank J. Lausche and the nine other men of the year award winners.

An affair of this magnitude required many tedious hours of preparation and this year the following people endeavored to make the dinner the success it was:

General Chairman: Tony Zak Awards Chairman: Harry Blatnik Publicity Chairman: Ed Grosel Program Chairman and M.C.: Charles Ipavec

The outstanding radio coverage was very apparent for this event and heading the list was last year's Man of the Year, Tony's Polka Party) Petkovsek of Radio Station WXEN-FM. His "Know Your Slovenian Home" series was colossal and the remote broadcasts aided immensely in promoting this event.

Also the personal interview of Senator Lausche and the programming of the awards presentation was very well received. Rudy Menart, Tony's Slovenian counterpart, was also very effective in promoting this event. Kenny Bass of Station WLEW was instrumental in effecting coverage of the dinner on several occasions, he highlighted the Collinwood and Euclid Slovenian Homes. Heinie Martin Antorci of WDOK-FM also aided immensely in the promotion of this event. Our thanks also to Tom Burzatis of the Scoop and Euclid News Journal for his complete coverage and fine pictures. Our American Home, Mrs. Debever editor, also afforded us complete coverage.

Plaudits are also in order for the delicious food prepared by Mrs. Mary Kobal and her fine staff of cooks.

The musical entertainment was very enjoyable as Glasbena Matica, Jadran, Circle No. 2, Ed Kenik, and Cecilia Valencic overwhelmed the audience with superb renditions of the lovely Slovenian songs.

In conclusion we thank everyone, who in any way aided the Federation in the Annual Awards Dinner. Ed Grosel, Pres.

Fiftieth May Show Year Includes Look Backward

The Cleveland Museum of Art is observing the 50th anniversary of its annual MAY SHOW with a retrospective exhibition containing works of art from each of the forty-nine preceding May Shows. The 120 retrospective works will be displayed almost simultaneously with this year's May Show. The retrospective will be held April 23 through June 16 in galleries A, B, C and D. The 50th May Show will begin May 1 and run through June 16 in the special exhibition galleries. Included in the retrospective will be paintings, prints, drawings, sculpture, photographs and an assortment of crafts executed between 1919 and 1967.

The May Show was organized as, and continues to be, representative of the current work of regional artists and craftsmen. At first only Cuyahoga County natives and residents could enter out in 1961 eligibility was expanded to include residents of the twelve other counties of the original Western Reserve.

Work submitted is divided into categories (paintings, graphics, photographs, sculpture and crafts) and is selected by a jury. There were seven judges for this year's 50th May Show (a nickname which has become more or less official in the past ten years; originally it was called "The Annual Exhibition of Cleveland Artists and Craftsmen").

In the beginning artists could enter multiple editions of works and had twelve categories in which to submit. Today, artists are limited to three objects in any of six categories.

The retrospective show, selected from the Museum's May Show collection and from works belonging to private Cleveland owners, was prepared by Edward B. Henning, in charge of the May Show and curator of contemporary art, and Mrs. William Weinberger, assistant in the department of paintings. The retrospective works will be listed at the end of the catalog for this year's May Show.

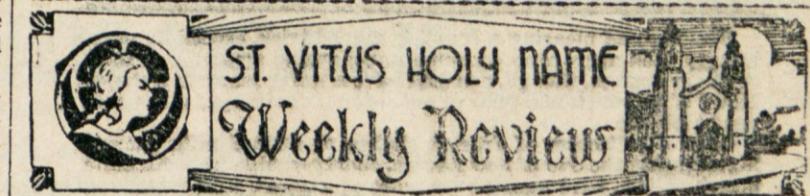
Ceramics "in action" will be demonstrated by our members during the show hours. Many of the exhibitors will offer their prize winning work for sale to the general public at this time.

"My husband would never chase after another woman," declared the lady. "He's too fine, too decent, and too old."

NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK

April 21-27 will mark the observance of National Library Week. The purpose of this occasion is to encourage the development of lifetime reading habits as the foundation of a better informed people. Within our nation's libraries are stored all the wonders of the world's literature. Scientific and technical knowledge, philosophy, economics, art, politics — every area of imaginable human interest — await the exploring mind.

When man learned to record his accomplishments, permanently storing the sum of his knowledge, progress became a cumulative thing, each generation building upon the progress of the past. Without this, we would very likely still be living in caves. Mankind must summon the wisdom of the ages and harness technologies yet unborn to build a peaceful and a better world for the future. Our libraries are a basic tool of learning for each of us — a priceless asset to a nation that would set its feet upon the path of leadership in a complex and changing world.



St. Vitus Men's Bowling League

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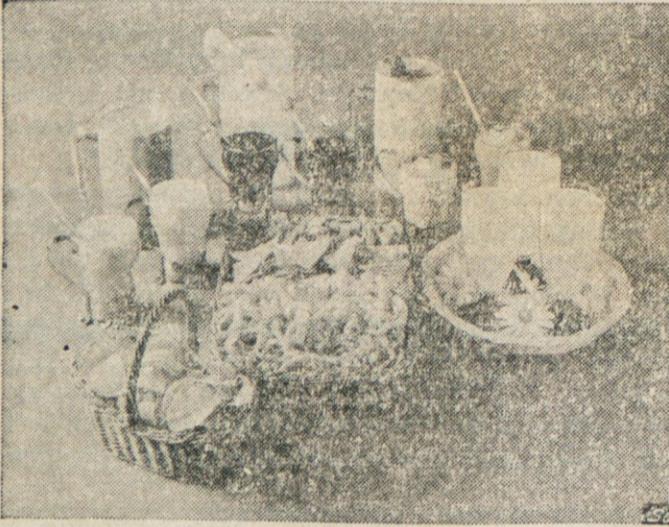
We extend our deepest sympathy to our secretary Dave Telcan and his wife and family on the loss of their beloved daughter and sister Julie. We remember her in our prayers and know that she will remember her loved ones from heaven after her long suffering on earth.

With only one more night to go, C.O.F. No. 1 needs to win only one game to cinch the title. Frank Bisjak, after a rather disappointing season, blasted out a terrific 245-201-635. His teammate Paul Vavrek was right behind with 222-203-618. Dot and Beanies had the top series 225 and C.O.F. No. 1 the high single game 996.

Cimperman Market jolted C.O.F. No. 2 twice. Rudy Massera's 220-577 scintillated for the Grocers.

Cimperman Market 877-914-927-2718
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On The Honor Roll Of Snacks



Feeding and pleasing a crowd is a good trick, especially ever-hungry teen-agers who consume unbelievable amounts of food. A clever hostess, though, can still have a party ready in a shake. How? With punch-and-pour or quick-to-mix beverages plus packaged nibblers.

Offer a collection of frosted shakes or canned milk shakes, highlighting the duo of new flavors, cherry-vanilla and chocolate marshmallow. Give guests even more of a choice with raspberry drink, lemonade, and ice tea made in minutes from a mix. Spark the sippers with a potpourri of nibblers—cheese doodles, potato chips, onion-flavored rings, and old favorites.

Bet all the guests will tip their hats to this party-perfect collection from the Borden Kitchen.

Reporting from Washington

CHARLES P. MERRILL • General Manager, Met Opera, Inc.
CITY CLOTHES, INC., DALLAS, TEXAS

THE CIVIL RIGHTS BILL — H. R. 2516

This week the House completed action on H.R. 2516, the Civil Rights bill, and sent it on to the White House by a vote of 250-171. The legislation passed the House originally on August 16, 1967, as a measure to provide penalties for interfering with the rights of another person to vote, to secure employment, to attend school or college, to use the facilities of interstate commerce, or to enjoy what we generally call a Citizen's Civil Rights. I supported H. R. 2516 at that time and it passed by a vote of 326 to 93.

The Senate defeated the bill for many weeks, adopted numerous amendments, including the controversial "open housing" section, and finally passed it on March 11, 1968, having previously invoked cloture to shut off a filibuster. The "open housing" section prohibits discrimination with certain exceptions, on the basis of race, religion, color or national origin, in the sale or rental of a dwelling. These are the exceptions: The law will not apply to the sale or rental of a single family home where the owner does not use in any manner the services of a real estate broker or agent. Also exempted from the provisions of the law are owners who rent not more than three single-family houses, and owners of one-to-four family apartments, one of which is owner-occupied. Thus, the bill legalizes discrimination in these instances. H. R. 2516 includes these enforcement provisions: Any offended party may file a complaint with the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development who has authority to work out programs of voluntary compliance. If this fails, the offended party may go into a Federal District Court to seek an injunction or other court order. The court may award to the plaintiff actual damages and not more than \$1,000 punitive damages together with court costs and reasonable attorney fees.

Although I have in the past supported Civil Rights legislation and worked to fulfill the dream of brotherhood, justice and equality for all, it is my firm conviction now, as it was two years ago when I cast my vote against an even milder Federal open housing bill, that such federal restrictions on the rights of the owners of private property will create more problems than they will solve. Therefore, I voted against the Senate amendments to H.R. 2516. I have always worked for decent housing for all our citizens and shall continue to do so. Many thousands of fine negro families have moved into good homes in the suburbs of the 22nd District in recent years without the necessity of Federal intervention. This has been peacefully accomplished on the basis of State and local legislation and the efforts of private groups and individuals to better the housing conditions of all our citizens. This is as it should be, for fair housing solutions must be developed and encouraged at the community level.

The House acted on H. R. 2516 in an atmosphere of high emotion and with troops guarding the Capitol Building itself against possible civil disturbance. I fervently hope that this legislation does not foster discord between the races at a time when calmness and a unified approach to civil rights problems are so desperately needed. The rights of all people are involved and legislation conceived in haste can do harm where good is intended. The problems of our metropolitan areas are vast. Our elected and appointed officials at every level of government must concern themselves with efforts to bolster the health, educational, employment and housing opportunities of our disadvantaged citizens. However, legislation of far-

Proper Care of Your Color TV

Your color television receiver is the most complicated piece of machinery in your home, so use it right and treat it with consideration, to enjoy long and trouble free performance and pleasure.

If and when it should need service, call a reliable television serviceman rather than fool with it yourself. Servicing an investment of from \$300 to over \$1,000 is no job for the average do-it-yourself tinkerer, any more than you would consider removing your own appendix.

A new color TV owner should be "home" when the set is installed. This will enable the installing serviceman to explain proper use of "fine tuning" control, "hue" and "color" knobs, and "brightness" and "contrast" settings.

Many color set owners do too much unnecessary knob twisting because they do not understand the simple controls.

The average color set costs you less than one cent per hour to use it. And sometimes it can cost you more to turn it off than to leave it on.

For example, if you are going to leave the room for 10 minutes or less, you might as well leave the set "on".

The more you turn your set on and off, the more wear and tear on the small tubes or picture tube filament.

Also, since a color TV receiver uses 400 watts of electricity per hour, do not locate it any closer than five feet from your furnace thermostat, and never against the wall underneath the thermostat.

The set produces about 1,300 BTUs of heat per hour, enough to throw off your heating system. The thermostat could be "satisfied" by the warmth from the set and not call for additional heat, even tho it might be cold elsewhere in the house.

Because of the amount of heat produced, do not "build in" your color set (or even your black-and-white receiver) unless some efficient means of ventilation is provided. Heat is a great destroyer of electronic parts.

A good antenna, properly-installed, is important for good color reception.

Otherwise you may pick up second images, or "ghosts," which are even more annoying if color than in black-and-white.

Whenever you have a ghost on one or two channels, and a good picture on the remaining channels, very likely the problem is in your antenna, not in your set.

In some areas, of course, you may never be able to receive a perfect picture. A hill or a tall building between you and the television station's transmitter, can cause you to receive ghost images most of the time.

It is an invitation to eye strain to watch television in a totally dark room, but also a mistake to have the room too bright. Too much light will wash out the color.

A 150-watt lamp in the average size living room (250 square feet) is about right. The lamp should be to one side of the receiver, so there is no direct reflection into the TV screen.

For the best viewing, do not sit too close to the screen. Sitting about one foot from the screen for each two inches of screen size will give you satisfactory watching. For example, 10 feet from a 20-inch screen, or 12½ feet from a 25-inch screen, etc.

Children, usually, have a habit of sitting (or more probably, lying on the floor) too close to the screen for eye comfort.

Once your color receiver is properly installed and located, do not move it from its position, or turn it at an angle. Despite built-in automatic "degaussing" devices, moving the set could throw off the relationship between the set and the earth's natural magnetic field, thus affecting the color purity.

So could turning off a vacuum cleaner near the set. Operating the cleaner near the set is okay, and so is turning it on. But move the cleaner to the other end of the room when you want to switch it off.

Also, never allow children to put toy magnets on the color screen. This could magnetize the "shadow mask" and badly affect the color purity.

Do not engage in needless control knob fumbling because you made the mistake of expecting a perfect picture all the time.

No two stations broadcast the same color values all the time. Color may differ from program to program on the same station, and even from camera to camera.

Colors are often paler during the commercials than during the regular programs.

Colors in motion pictures, particularly older ones, and of programs filmed out of doors, are not always as bright as in programs broadcast indoors from studios where the lighting is exactly right.

Adjust your set to the best picture and color values on the strongest station and then leave the controls alone.

Buyer: For a modern house, these walls don't seem very sturdy.

Seller: Well, maybe, but remember, they're not painted yet.

High Fashion Hair Styles



Cleveland women can now share in World High Fashion Hair Styles.

Andre Duval beauticians, back from one week's seminar at America's foremost styling school, Zegrelli Brothers Institute — have captured the "With It" secret. And "with it" Cleveland women will swing into spring with this year's latest fashions. "With it" taught at the Zegrelli Institute is hair brushed forward with bubbly curls. An Andre Duval fringe benefit is payment for this national seminar for all operators wishing to attend. The secret in the new styles, according to the Zegrelli Brothers, is getting the correct cut and setting the hair with clips and small rollers. But longer hair hasn't been ignored.

Emphasis is also being placed upon clustered and molded curls with less teasing. Included in these "long hair" techniques and thoroughly mastered during this session were the Basketweave, Grecian curls and triple pony tails done in long clusters of curls. So Andre Duval is ready — whether your most flattering hair style is short or long — to make you the most smartly coiffed woman in America.

April Is Cancer Crusade Month

The American Cancer Society has repeatedly pointed out that cancer is no longer an automatic death sentence.

Yet, the Society also points out that about 100,000 Americans will die of cancer this year — needlessly. That is the shocking part: that one little word, "needlessly." For if those 100,000 had had their disease diagnosed and treated in time, chances are they would be alive and well.

Why won't they be?

Many — perhaps most — of them have doubtless heard of the need for early diagnosis and treatment. Thanks largely to the co-operation of the nation's press, the Society has been able to bring its life-saving message to the attention of a big percentage of the American people. Great numbers of people know that something should — and can — be done about cancer. They have "gotten the message."

The trouble is, too often they don't act on it.

Since April is Cancer Crusade month, this would be a good time for everyone to schedule his yearly medical examination.

But don't stop there. Knowledge of the Seven Warning Signals and the taking of a few elementary precautions can also be life-savers.

The American Cancer Society needs our dollar-support to do its job; a job it is doing magnificently well. Remember that when the volunteers call on you or Cancer Crusade Sunday, April 28th. The goal in Cuyahoga County is \$575,000.

But the other half of the job is ours: to act on the knowledge given us. No one else can force us to. Saving our lives begins with us.

DEATH NOTICES

Fox, Albert H. P. — Brother of Clara Fox, Edwin. Residence at 1894 E. 123 St.

Glaeke, Minnie — Mother of Johanna Hayden, Gertrude Koesel, Edna Mayer, Clarence, John. Residence at 1221 E. 359 St.

Malin, Telesphor Ted (Malinowski) — Husband of Joan (nee Sichner), father of Rhonda Lynn, Norbert. Residence at 4168 Oxford Dr., Brunswick, O.

Paynich, Matthew D. — Brother of Arthony, Joseph, Martin, Mary Hisnay, Sophie Cejinsky. Residence at 1009 E. 74 St.

Perencevic, Anna (nee Klisuric) — Wife of John, mother of John (of Glasbena Matica), Anne, Walter, Mark, Mary Kay. Residence at 1057 Mozina Dr.

Sernel, Anton — Husband of Jenny (nee Zakrajsek), father of Anthony, Frank, brother of Jacob (Yugoslavia). Residence at 18810 Groverwood Ave.

Telban, Julie P. — 10-year-old daughter of David and Julia (nee Kosec), sister of Linda, Deborah, David, granddaughter of John and Agnes Kosec and the late Frank and Mary Telban. Residence at 1134 E. 60 Street.

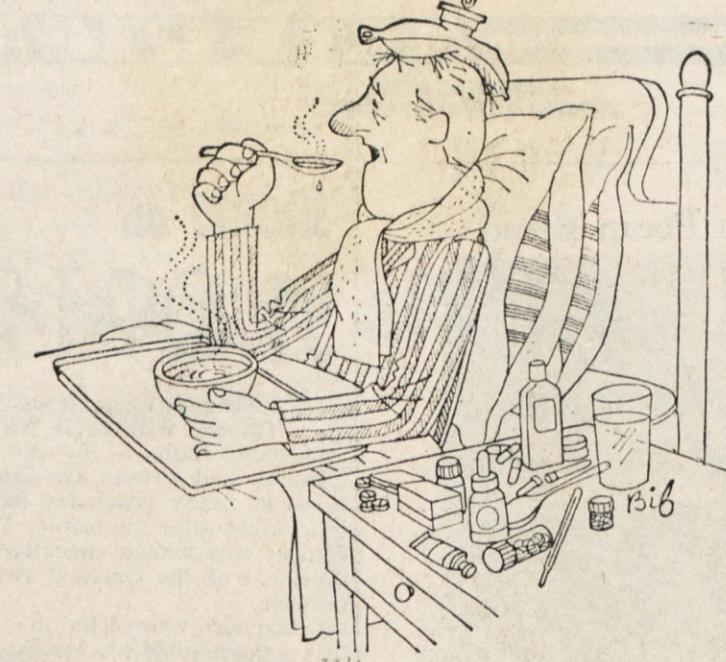
Zele, Antonia — Mother of Mrs. John (Nettie) Zarnick, Mrs. Frank (Julia) Gerchar, sister of Jennie Pate (Wickliffe), Mary Fonda (Yugoslavia). Residence at 1745 Sherman Blvd., Euclid.

Zgong, Victor — Son of Joseph, brother of Frank, Rudolph, Louis. Residence at 1123 E. 71 St.

Rupnik, Argela (nee Terlep) — Mother of Anthony Zaverl, Mrs. Mike Chester (Alice) Morris, Mrs. Helen Saytovic, sister of Joseph Terlep (Yugoslavia). Residence at 1282 E. 167 St.

Mihelich, Julia (nee Wolf, for-

WHAT'S AHEAD FOR THE COMMON COLD?



Who sneezed first — Adam or Eve?

Nobody knows. But it seems reasonable to assume that even the Garden of Eden was invaded by the coughs, sneezes and wheezes of man's most persistent affliction, the common cold.

Outnumbering other diseases by an estimated 25 to one, the cold has played a role in the economy, history and literature of all nations. An accurate description of its symptoms was written by Charles Dickens:

"I am at this moment deaf in the ears, hoarse in the throat, red in the nose, green in the gills, damp in the eyes, twitchy in the joints and fractious in temper from a most intolerant and oppressive cold."

According to American Medical Association reports, more than 20 million of us suffer similar discomforts on any given day. The cost to the national economy, in terms of time lost from work and wages paid for non-production, has been calculated as high as five billion dollars annually.

Though medical scientists have been hot on the trail of the common cold, a really effective "cure" is many snifflly years away. Since antibiotics are not effective against colds, scientists are continually trying to develop a vaccine, such as the ones that now work so effectively against polio, measles and smallpox. Seven pharmaceutical firms, 11 universities and 12 research labs and hospitals are pursuing a vaccine that can help the red-eyed, swollen-nosed victims of this all-too-common woe. But they face a big problem: there are at least 50, and possibly as 150, different cold-causing viruses and a vaccine that might work against one type of virus would be ineffective against another variety. It seems the experts are little further from where they started.

If yours is an average cold, it will run its course in five to ten days. And if you make use of the modern medications and advice on treatment now available, the experience will be more tolerable than that of either Adam or Eve — who had to find out for themselves.

Other possibilities exist. In 1957, some British scientists discovered that the body's own cells produce an antiviral substance called "interferon." Since then, researchers have discovered how to synthesize this substance and have been looking into its mechanism as a possible clue to a cure for colds and more serious viral infections.

Many of us, accepting the common cold as a disagreeable but unavoidable fact of life, fail to follow certain simple precautions which can shorten its duration and protect us from more serious complications.

A cold, first of all, should be treated with respect. Certain symptoms, such as chills and fever, rapidly rising temperature, difficult breathing or pains in the chest or side, are danger signals that call for prompt investigation by your doctor.

Assuming no complications, your present or next cold will be identified by the usual miseries — a dry, scratchy, irritated feeling in the nose or back of the throat in the early stages, perhaps slight rise in temperature, and, in full bloom, the familiar sneezing, coughing and "stopped up" nose and head.

Those with a philosophical disposition may welcome the symptoms of the common cold because they represent the body's efforts to resist the infection. The stuffy nose is suffused with extra blood for defensive purposes and its air passages are partially closed with an excess of mucus to wash out the invading virus. Sneezing and coughing are attempts to remove irritation from the respiratory tract.

Remember that colds literally are "caught," with the usual method of transmission by droplet infection spread by the sneezing, coughing or even talking of someone already infected. Your chances of avoiding colds are best if you can avoid those who have one, and if you keep in good physical condition with a well-balanced diet, plenty of rest and proper protection against inclement weather.

Although there is no cure for a cold in this age of vital organ trans-

plants and space exploration, ways have been found to treat the symptoms — making the condition more endurable and our biological defenses more effective.

Medically-approved non-prescription remedies for the symptoms of coughs and colds can be used judiciously. Some, like Cheracol by Upjohn, have stood the test of time with formulas updated to keep pace with scientific knowledge. The modern formula, Cheracol D, is non-narcotic and may be administered safely to children as well as adults for cough symptoms. It is always wise to consult your doctor if you are in doubt about the treatment or procedures to be followed, or if symptoms persist.

Rest in bed is recommended at least during the first few days to give your body a chance to mobilize its defenses — and also to prevent giving the infection to others.

Aspirin may help. You may find that one of the combination symptomatic remedies like Cheracol Capsules will ease the headache and stuffy nose, steam or inhaled medications that shrink the membranes of the nose, and plenty of fluids — such as fruit juices — can be helpful.

Though common, the cold is not a very democratic thing. "Thinnies" have more colds than "fatties." Infants and older people have fewer colds than small fry from one to three and their mothers, who rack up the highest scores. Surprisingly, the rugged outdoor farmhand isn't so rugged, and gets a higher total than his city cousin.

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