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PREGLED NAJAVAŽNEJŠIH DOGODKOV

— Te vesti so bile pripravljene v četrtek popoldne —

Reaganovo zdravje sedaj predmet volivne kampanje — Po debati je Mondale res napredoval, a še vedno zaostaja

WASHINGTON, D.C. — Reaganova kampanjska organizacija je v skrbih zaradi vtisa, ki ga je v debati z demokratskim temnecem napravil predsednik, da ni pri najboljšem zdravju. V debati je bil namreč videti utrujen, nekateri njegovi odgovori na stavljenega vprašanja niso bili jasni, kar so opazili tako gledalci kot novinarji. Prvič v kampanji so se pojavili resnejši dvomi o Reagovem zdravstvenem in tu predvsem duševnem stanju. Znano je seveda, da je Reagan star 73 let, ko bi potekla njegova druga predsedniška doba, bi bil blizu svojega 78. rojstnega dneva. Pri mnogih volivcih je nastalo vprašanje, ali bo Reagan sposoben izvrševati svojih silno odgovornih predsedniških dolžnosti vse do januarja 1979. leta.

Vse to pomaga Walterju Mondalu in je zaradi tega ta teden demokratični kandidat videti navdušen, prav tako njegovi kampanjski svetovalci in delavci. Prvič v dolgi kampanji imajo upanje na uspeh, čeprav je Reagova priljubljenost pri volivcih po najnovjejših ugotovitvah javnega mnenja od 15 do 20 odstotkov. V republiškem taboru so v skrbih in skušajo na vsak način preprečiti nadaljnje padanje Reagove priljubljenosti. Tako je ta teden Reagan zelo aktiven v kampanji, njegova pisarna pa je objavila poročilo o izidu njegovega zadnjega zdravstvenega pregleda, v katerem so zdravniki trdili, da je zelo zdrav za njegovo starost.

Opazovalci politične kampanje menijo, da so republikanci klub vsemu trenutno na defenzivi, da pa še ni mogoče misliti na Mondalovo zmago na volitvah 6. novembra. Druga debata med Mondalom in Reagonom, ki bo v nedeljo, 21. oktobra, bo torej velikega pomena. V Mondalovi organizaciji so nekateri v skrbih, da bo Reagan odpovedal udeležbo v tej debati, ki bo v celoti posvečena zunanjim politikam. Prepričani so namreč, da bo Mondale boljši v debati o zunanjih politikah ZDA, kot je bil preteklo nedeljo, ko je besešča tekla izključno o domači oz. notranji politiki.

(O debati med podpredsedniškima kandidatoma Georgeom Bushom in Geraldine Ferraro ne moremo poročati, ker so bile te vrste pripravljene v četrtek popoldne. Ur.)

Včeraj sta se dva astronauta uspešno sprehajala po vesolju — Pristajanje Challengerja bo jutri na Floridi

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. — Včeraj sta astronauta David Leestma in Kathy Sullivan zapustila zrakoplov Challenger in se za več kot tri ure sprehajala po vesolju. Sullivan je s tem sprehodom postala prva ameriška astronautka, ki je to storila, in druga ženska. Sovjetska kozmonautka Svetlana Savitskaja je namreč 25. julija postala prva »sprehajalka« po vesolju. Pri NASA menijo, da so soveti to storili, ker so vedeli, da bo Sullivanova zapustila Challenger. Hoteli so biti prvi v tem oziru.

Kljud temu, se polet Challengerja nadaljuje brez posebnih težav. Pri NASA menijo, da bo Challenger pristal jutri na letališču pri Cape Canaveralu. Vremenarji omenjajo možnost močnega vetra, kar lahko vodi do odložitve pristajanja za en dan. Ker nima Challenger nobenega motorja, morajo biti vremenske razmere za pristajalni manever zelo ugodne.

Danes praznujejo v Domikanski republiki ob navzočnosti papeža Janeza Pavla II.

500-letnico odkritja Amerike

SANTO DOMINGO, Dom. rep. — Včeraj je prispel na ta otok papež Janez Pavel II. Udeležil se bo slovesnosti v zvezi s 500-letnico odkrita ameriškega polobla, do katerega je prišlo 12. oktobra 1492, obhajanja te obletnice bo pa trajalo kar devet let.

Preteklo sredo je bil Janez Pavel II. v Španiji, kjer je enem njegovih govorov kritiziral socialistično špansko vlado, ki ni naklonjena ideji državne finančne podpore katoliških šol. V molitvi je dejal papež, da upa, da bodo imeli očetje v Španijo pravico izbirati tisto izobrazbo, ki jo želijo imeti za svoje otroke. Janez Pavel II. je bil že drugič na obisku v Španiji.

Državni tajnik George P. Shultz se mudil v El Salvadorju — ZDA podpirajo sestanek med predsednikom Duartejem in gverilci

SAN SALVADOR, El Sal. — Ameriški državni tajnik George P. Shultz je v krajšem obisku v El Salvadorju dejal, da ZDA podpirajo sestanek med predsednikom Josejem Duartejem in vodilni gverilci, do katerega bo prišlo prihodnji ponedeljek v mestecu La Palma. Duarte je bil predlagal sestanek, gverilci so ga pa presenetili, ko so povabilo sprejeli. Duarte pravi, da se zanima za pogajanja, katerih namen bi bil napraviti konec kravavi državljanški vojni v državi. Opazovalci el salvadorskih razmer pa dvomijo, da bo to prvo srečanje uspelo.

Shultz se je ustavil v El Salvadorju na poti v Panamo, kjer se bo udeležil zaprisege novega panamskega predsednika Nicolasa Ardita Barlette.

Kampanja za nove naročnike

Dne 1. oktobra se je začela kampanja za pridobivanje novih naročnikov naše Ameriške Domovine. V tej kampanji že sodeluje več naših priateljev, ki jih imenujemo spodaj skupaj z imeni novih naročnikov. Veseli bomo, če se boste tej kampanji pridružili tudi Vi!

Iskreno se zahvaljujemo sledečim osebam, ki so nam poslali imena novih naročnikov, ter seveda tudi novim našim bralcem. Upamo, da boste z listom zadovoljni, prav tako bomo veseli vaših pripomemb in nasvetov!

Ludvig Jelenc, Berwyn Illinois —

Marica Kučič, Brookfield, Ill.
Martin Hozjan, Westmont, Ill.
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Tony Lavrisha —

Albert R. Amigoni, Euclid, O.
Mark Lavrisha, San Francisco, Ca.
Matt Zunič, Toronto, Ont.

Janez Dejak —

Ivo Gajšek, Islington, Ont.
Matt Zunič, Toronto, Ont.

Eleanore Karlinger je pa naročila A.D. za g. in go. Josepha Zupancica, Lyndhurst, O. ter Ann Krajc, Cleveland, O.

Iz Clevelandia in okolice

Posebna priloga —

V današnji A.D. boste našli posebno prilogo o zgodovini DNIJ pri Sv. Vidu, ki obhaja to nedeljo svoj zlati jubilej. Vabljeni ste na sv. mašo, potem pa dvorano na zajtrk in program.

Koncert —

Glasbena Matica vabi na svoj jesenski koncertni nastop, ki bo v soboto, 20. oktobra, v SND na St. Clairju. Pred koncertom bo večerja. Vstopnice po \$12 imajo člani, ali poklicite Johna Vatovca v večernem času na 524-4053.

Prodaja krofov —

To soboto, 13. oktobra, ima Oltarno društvo pri Sv. Vidu ob običajnem času prodajo krofov v društveni sobi farnega avditorija. Pridite!

Novi grobovi

Anthony Gliha

Nenadno je umrl 74 let stari Anthony Gliha, brat Mary Pagon, Lillian Maleckar, Edwarda in Williama (pok.). Informacijo o pogrebu boste dobili, ako pokličete 486-4584.

John L. Lukanc

V petek, 5. oktobra, je umrl 90 let stari John L. Lukanc, vdovec po Heleni, roj. Sila, in Antoniji, roj. Alic, oče Mildred Drake (pok.), Olge Legan, Marie Svrga, Helen Gonsik, Johna in Sylvie Duerr, 16-krat stari oče, 24-krat prastari oče, 1-krat praprastari oče. Pogreb bo iz Brickmanovega zavoda na 21900 Euclid Ave. danes, v petek, v cerkev Marije Vnebovzete dop. ob 10. uri in od tam na pokopališče Vernih duš.

Mary Rita Janes

V pondeljek, 9. oktobra, je v Slovenskem domu za ostarele umrla 71 let stara Mary Rita Janes, prej bivajoča na 428 E. 157. cesti, rojena Kekic, vdova po Leslieju, sestra Ann Galovic, Johna, Helen Blatnik, Nicholasa in Thomasa. Pogreb je bil včeraj iz Želetovega zavoda na E. 152. cesti na pokopališče Lake View. Družina bo hvaležna za darove v pokojnici spomin Slovenskemu domu za ostarele.

Vincent Codosky

Umrl je 70 let stari Vincent Codosky z 1055 E. 67. ceste, roje v Strabanu, Pa., vdovec po pok. ženi Hedig, oče Marion Scarpucci (pok.), Patricie Talani in Kathleen O'Neill, 4-krat stari oče, brat Mary Krann, Julie Yoncosky ter že pok. Michaela Kolodowskija, Josepha in Johna. Pogreb bo iz Želetovega zavoda na 6502 St. Clair Ave. jutri, v soboto, v cerkev sv. Vida ob 9.30., od tam na Kalvarijo. Na mrtvinskem odru bo danes, v petek, pop. od 2. do 5. in zvečer od 7. do 9.

Poroka —

Jutri, v soboto, ob pol enih popoldne, se bosta v cerkvi sv. Felicite poročila g. John S. Jalovec in gdč. Janet Marie Lester. Mladi ženin je sin g. Josepha in ge. Ane Jalovec iz Richmond Hts. ter vnuk ge. Mary Jalovec z E. 64. ceste. Iskrene čestitke in vsega blagoslova na skupni življenjski poti!

Okrevata na domu —

Mary Kokalj iz Saranac Rd. je prestala težko operacijo. Sedaj je že doma, kjer je še pod zdravniško oskrbo. Zahvaljuje se vsem, ki so jo spomnili v času bolezni s sv. mašami, molitvijo, obiski, s kartami, cvetjem in darovi. Posebna zahvala gre Fr. Victorju Tomcu, župniku fare Marije Vnebovzete. Naj Bog poplača vsem. Obiski dobrodošli.

G. Ignatius Zupančič z Bonna Ave. pa je prestal operacijo na srcu, v kateri je dobil »pacemaker«. Sedaj okreva na domu.

Obema našima naročnikoma želimo hitro vrnite zdravja!

Seji —

Redna seja Kluba slov. upokojencev na St. Clairju bo v četrtek, 18. okt., ob 1.30 pop. v prizidku SND na St. Clairju. Vhod skozi vrata v ozadju poslopja. Članstvo vabljeno!

Kr. št. 2 PSA ima sejo v sredo, 17. okt., ob 2.30 pop. prav tako v prizidku SND na St. Clairju. Govoril bo predstavnik East Ohio Gas Co.

Družabni večer —

Vstopnice za družabni večer, ki ga prireja Tabor DSPB v soboto, 20. okt., so že na razpolago. Pokličite Filipa Oreha (943-4681) ali pa Milana Zajca (851-4961), najbolje ob večernih urah.

Res izredna podpora —

Rev. Viktor Tomc, župnik fare Marije Vnebovzete, je daroval A.D. \$200.

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Slovenci v ZDA in »topilni lonec«**II.**

Pred dvema tednoma sem v prvem delu tega članka omenil željo nekaterih naših bralcev in naročnikov — ne gre namreč vedno za eno in isto osebo —, da bi postala Ameriška Domovina bolj »odprt« list. Tako naj bi našli veliko več naročnikov, predvsem iz tistega dela slovenske skupnosti, ki se smatra za politično, deloma pa tudi versko »pasivno« ali pa »napredno«. Kar želijo ti ljudje, je, da bi naš list v določenem oziru spremenil svoje dosedanje uredniško stališče. Pravijo na primer, naj bi ne imeli toliko člankov zversko vsebino, prav tako ne toliko člankov, v katerih pisci kritizirajo sedanji režim v Sloveniji in SFRJ ter obravnavajo dogodek iz druge svetovne vojne in revolucije v staro domovini. Predvsem pa ne želijo videti, da bi naš list kdaj kritiziral tiste člane in članice naše slovenske skupnosti oz. njih organizacije, ker v našem mnenju pretesno in preveč nekritično sodelujejo z željami slovenskega režima. Konkreten primer: Prihodnji petek bo v SDD na Waterloo Rd. tu v Clevelandu koncert Ljubljanskega okteta. Ta oktet je glasbeno na višini in bo koncert v tem oziru prvoroden. Lahko pa tudi pričakujemo, da se bodo pojavit predstavniki Slovenske izseljenske matice, ki bodo predstavljeni občinstvu in imeli tudi nekaj za povedati, morda celo odlikovali nekatere osebe, katerih imena so za to čast predlagale njihove organizacije. Za »napredni« del naše skupnosti naj bi vse to bilo nekako normalno, nepolitično, mi pa, ki smo do takih stvari kritični, mi naj bi bili »politični«! Ali naj bi v A.D. vabili ljudi na ta koncert, ne da bi jim povedali, da bodo poslušali ne samo izvrstno slovensko petje — kar brez dvoma bodo —, ampak po vsej verjetnosti govore predstavnikov režima v Sloveniji? Mislim, da ne. Osebno se bom koncerta udeležil. Govori, ki jih bom poslušal, me ne bodo motili. Poročal bom, kaj je bilo povzano in dodal svoje osebno mnenje.

Klic po »odprtosti« pomeni nekaj posebnega, ker je jasen dokaz težnje po enotnosti, ki je vedno vidnejša v ameriški slovenski skupnosti. Iz zelo različno mislečih slovenskih skupin naj bi nastala nova, v kateri bi prišlo do veljave neko poslošeno slovenstvo. Vse oblike tega novega ameriškega slovenstva niso še povsem jasne, nekatere pa so. Slovenski jezik bo imel neznatno vlogo in bo za večji del te nove naše skupnosti celo napota. Politično bo ta skupnost pasivna ali neutralna do režima v Sloveniji. Sprejemala bo predstavnike režima nekritično, pod pogojem seveda, da ti predstavniki ne bodo šli predaleč v njihovih zahtevah. Pozabiti ne smemo namreč, da so »napredni« Slovenci praktično brez izjeme patriotični, čeprav liberalno usmerjeni Amerikanci in ne bi dolgo trpeli od slovenskega režimovca kritiziranja ZDA. Bil sem že na lokalnih sestankih, na katerih so morali predstavniki slovenske vlade poslušati marsikatero zelo kritično besedo.

To »novovo« slovenstvo — ki seveda ne bo za mnoge nas nobeno pravo slovenstvo, bo pa obstajalo — ne bo torej hotel dosti ali sploh kaj slišati o medvojnih dogodkih in zločinu. Izgovor, ki ga je najpogosteje slišati od »naprednega« ali politično pasivnega dela skupnosti, je, da je pač bilo klanje na obe straneh, da so v tem oziru tako eni kot drugi za to odgovorni in nima smisla o vsem tem več govoriti ali pisati. Kar je bilo storjeno, je bilo storjeno in se ne more danes popraviti. Naj na vse to kar pozabimo enkrat za vse-

NA PRAGU

CLEVELAND, O. - Stojimo na pragu štiridesete obletnice največje tragedije, ki je zadela naš narod, odkar se zaveda svojega obstoja. Sramotna izročitev slovenskih domobranov in njihova veličastna smrt v slovenskih gozdovih, bo za vse večne čase ostala kot strahotni dokaz zverinstva komunistične partije ob koncu revolucije v Sloveniji.

Štiri desetletja potekajo od tistih strašnih dni, ko je cvet slovenske mladine umiral v kraških jamah Kočevskega Roga in drugod po moričih na slovenski zemlji. Vsa ta štiri desetletja pa današnji oblastniki v Sloveniji niso našli moralnega poguma, da bi priznali ta vnebovpijoči zločin. Prekrili so ga z zagrinjalom laži, zanikovanj in premetene propagande. Toda, stojimo na pragi ne le 40-letnice tega zločina, temveč tudi na pragu dneva, ko jim bo strgana z obrazov hinavska maska »narodnih osvoboditeljev« in bodo pred lastnim narodom in vsem svetom razgaljeni kot največji krvniki slovenske zgodovine.

Kot je kri pomorjenih slovenskih domobranov pronica v potoke okrog morič, kot so njihova trupla silila na dan in klicala po krščanskem pokopu, tako nezadržno prodira resnica, ki jih bo slednjič pokopala ter odvrgla v ropotarnico zgodovine tudi vso marksistično navlako, ki jo vasiljujejo slovenskemu narodu.

Za mnoge med nami prihajo ti dnevi prepozno. Mnogi naši soborci so odšli za poklani bataljoni, toda resnica sama bo prevladala in v merilu časa in zgodovine je to edino, kar je važno.

Leto za leto vas vabimo na svoje prireditve in vselej ponavljamo, za kaj si prizadevamo,

lej, itd. Sprememba v tem oziru je v mojem mnenju možna samo v slučaju, da bi prišlo do kakega bistvenega preobraza na samem Slovenskem. V našem listu smo v zadnjih mesecih že večkrat poročali o nekoliko odprtnejšem obravnavanju nekaterih medvojnih in povojskih dogodkov v Sloveniji, denimo o vlogi škofa Rožmana, o političnih procesih v prvem povojskem obdobju, itd. Zanimivo pa je, da vse to spregleda na primer čikaška *Prosvesa*, ki je običajno pripravljena poročati oz. posredovati »novice« iz Slovenije. Za takšne novice, čeprav prihajajo iz starega kraja, še ni nobenega prostora.

Mnogi naši pisci obžalujejo, da je za mnoge ameriške Slovence slovenstvo to, da gredo na kako veselico ali se udeležijo kakega tekmovanja v peki potic ipd. Na žalost, mislim, da bo vedno več tega. Preteklo soboto po koncertu Fantov na vasi sem govoril s članom zborna Glasbene Matice o zborovem koncertu, ki bo 20. oktobra v SND na St. Clairju. Po prejšnjih nastopih sem bil kritičen, ker poje zbor — v mojem mnenju — preveč angleških oz. neslovenskih pesmi. Povedal je, da o tem vedno debatirajo na zborovih sestankih, spoznali pa so, da publika, ki obiskuje njihove prireditve, ki so sedaj združene z večerjo, v večini slovenskega petja ne razume in se zanj toliko ne zanima, ter da zbor ne more najti novih pevcev in pevk, ki so zmožni slovenskega petja. In ta zbor ni edini, ki se nahaja v tem položaju. Menda zbor »Slovan« ne obstaja več, čeprav o kaki uradni razpustitvi nismo prejeli nobenega obvestila. Ta primer jasno kaže, kako se že obstoječe slovenske kulturne in tudi druge ustanove prilagajajo novim razmeram, pri tem pa dejansko ustvarjajo hote ali nehote tisto novo slovensko skupnost, o kateri pišem v tem članku. Kje naj bi bila vloga Ameriške Domovine v vsem tem bom obravnaval v naslednjem, zaključnem delu tega članka.

Slovenski dan v Chicagu

CHICAGO, Ill. - Vsakoletni »Slovenski dan« v Chicagu, ki ga prireja Slovensko ameriški radio klub, se bo to leto vršil v soboto, 27. oktobra, ob 7. uri zvečer v veliki svetoštefanski dvorani na 1835 W. 22nd Pl., Chicago, Illinois. Vabljeni so Slovenci širom srednjega zahoda na ta »družabni večer leta«, ko obenem praznujemo 34-letnico slovenskih oddaj na chicaškem radiju.

Pester, a jednat program bo letos osvetljeval orkester Veseli Slovenci iz Cleveland, pod vodstvom Dušana »Duke« Maršiča, ameriškega Avsenika. Veseli Slovenci razveseljujejo Cleveland in okolico že več kot 20 let z odlično slovensko narodno glasbo in je že skrajni čas, da bodo tudi čikaški Slovenci enkrat deležni teh

kaj želimo, kaj bi radi dosegli, česa še nismo, in zakaj nam je vaša naklonjenost še vnaprej potrebna. Tak je tudi naš letoski poziv: pridite v našo družbo, pogovorili se bomo o vsem tem, spomnili se bomo vseh, ki so ostali večno mladi in drug drugemu bomo vili nova upanja v končno zmago pravice.

Stojimo na pragu 40-letnice Vetrinjske tragedije. Prestopimo ga v zvestobi vsem tistim idealom, za katere so umirali naši vrstniki tisto strašno poletje 1945. leta. Prestopimo ga v trdnem pripravljanju, da prestopamo tudi prag v obdobje, v katerem bo prevlada resnica o tistih dneh.

Krajevni odbor Tabor-a, DSPB vas iskreno vabi, da mu tudi to pot potrdite svojo naklonjenost z udeležbo na našem družabnem večeru v soboto, 20. oktobra, v Slovenskem domu na Holmes Ave.

Pridite!

Krajevni odbor
Tabor DSPB

dobrot za ušesa, srce in pete. Prepričan sem, da bo ta prvi nastop Dušana Maršiča v Chicagu z velikim navdušenjem sprejet.

(V Chicago nameravata priti tudi lastnika lista Ameriška Domovina James in Madeline Debevec. Z veseljem bosta srečala ob tej priliki naše naročnike. Op. ur.)

Ljubka »Gospodična Slovenskega dne« Dana Rebrica, učiteljica »malih« plesalcev SARC, bo prebrala uradne proglase Slovenskega dne v Chicagu in Illinoisu in naši izurjeni in priznani plesalci in plesalke SARC bodo zaokrožili program. Kakor po navadi, bosta seveda bara in kuhinja dobro založeni z vsemi potrebnimi dobrotami za žejo in glad.

Odbor se je potrudil, da predi prijateljem SARC in Slovenske radijske ure od blizu in daleč, v duhu slovenske domačnosti prijeten in spomina vreden večer. Torej prijatelji od blizu in daleč: Na veselo svetuje v soboto, 27. oktobra, zvezcer v dvorani pri Sv. Štefanu!

Za odbor SARC: S.S.

Za lačne po svetu

CHICAGO, Ill. - Misijonski odsek v Chicagu pripravlja misijonsko kosilo prav na misijonsko nedeljo, ki se obhaja letos 21. oktobra širom katoliškega sveta. Naši misijonarji čakajo in prosijo za pomoč. Potrebe niso manjše kakor pred desetletji, saj poročila in slike na TV kažejo in poročajo, da je čedalje več lačnih ljudi na svetu.

Ko marsikdo zagleda sliko otroka, katerega je sama kost in koža z velikim in nabuhlim trebuškom, pravi: »Takoj bi mu vsak dan odstopil svojo hrano, samo, če bi prišel do njega.« In dobremu našemu človeku se nudi taka prilожnost! Zaupaj in daruj! Pri slovenskih darovalcih ni nobenega vmesnega člena, ali posredovalca — dollar gladko preide v roko misijonarja ali misijonarke.

Premnogokrat slišimo od razsodnih naših ljudi opazke, da imajo sami med seboj veliko potreb za posameznike in za slovenske ustanove. »Teh Slovenci ne vidijo, denar pa 'mečejo' tujcem, ki nas nič ne brigajo.«

Odgovor naj da tole pismo, ki je pred kratkim prispele na naš naslov:

25. sept. 1984
Heirachabis,
S.W. Africa

Spoštovani!

Predvčerajšnjim sem prejela vaše lepe in tako dobrodošle 3 pakete, ki so vsi nepoškodovani. Ne bom vsega imenovala, kar ste poslali, pač pa vam vsi na misijonu izrekamo tisočeri »Bog lonaj«.

Naš č.g. misijonar si je kar izbral hlače, ki jih tako potrebuje, ker za sebe nima nikdar nič. Vse, kar ima, razdeli ubogim. Na misijonu smo imeli

(Dalje na str. 4)

Rudolph M. Susel

Misijonska srečanja in pomenki

637. MRS. MARY VAVPOTIČ.

prva predsednica MZA ob njenih začetkih in častna predsednica zadnjega leta, je umrla v Chicagu 22. septembra. Pokopana je bila v župniji Sv. Štefana, kamor je spadala s svojo družino dolga leta. Pisek teh vrstic je telefonično prosil o. Kalista Langerholza, da ob njenem pogrebu poudari njeno veliko ljubezen do slovenskih misijonarjev in misijonark in še posebej njeno pionirske sodelovanju pri razvoju sodelovanja v MZA.

Dne 20. avgusta je pisala: »Lepo se zahvalim za Vašo skrb za mene. Dvakrat sem videla že v A. Domovini, da ste me priporočili v molitev za zdravje. Sedaj Vas pa prosim, da za zdravje ni treba več moliti, ampak samo še za srečno zadnjo uro.«

Sem že prosila škofa Barago, da naj mi še toliko pomaga, da bi Vam mogla odpisati. Zelo se mi smili o. Inocenc. Sem poslala o. Kalistu za dve sv. maši, da naj jih opravi za njegovo zdravje.

Jaz bom 31. decembra stara že 96 let, zato zdravja ne morem več pričakovati. Molim samo še za srečno zadnjo uro, ki vem, da se mi približuje. Tudi Vas prosim, da molite v moj namen.

Ne morem več. Lepo pozdravite o. Philipa in tudi gdč. Sonjo, njegovo sestro. Zelo upam in želim, da ga škof Baraga ne bo pozabil in mu izprosil zdravje, lahko še s čudežem. Jaz to pričakujem.

Bog z Vami in lep pozdrav od Mary Vavpotič.«

Prav gorenjska grča

je bila rajna Mary. Ob prihodu iz Kitajske sem jo prvič srečal leta 1952, na potu skozi Chicago. Z možem je živila v bližini farne cerkve sv.

V BLAG SPOMIN

OB TRETIJ OBLETNICI
NAŠEGA LJUBLJENEGA
MOŽA, OČETA, SINA
IN BRATA



ANTHONY KOŠIR

ki je za vedno zatisnil
svoje blage oči
dne 12. oktobra 1981.

Žalujoči ostali:
Anne Košir – soproga;
Tony, Tom, John, Mark –
sinovi;
Anton Košir – oče;
Ivan, France, Francka Jakič,
Mara Skuk, Bernardka
Adamič in Anica Martinčič –
brata in sestre (vsi v Sloveniji)
Euclid, O., 12. okt. 1984.

Štefana. Preprosta je bila, a njena vera in ljubezen do misijonov sta bili izredni. Izšla je iz rodu, ki je v ZD veliko pregaral, da je družino spravil lahko na noge. V časih, ko ni bilo kot danes, ko si večina lahko poišče delo in okolje, kot si ga sam želi. Naši izseljeni so morali prijeti za najtežja dela in redko kdo je dosegel kako pomembno mesto. So pa verni ohranili slovenska in katoliška izročila in bili ustvarjalni na mnoge načine kot marsikdo v novejšem rodu ni več. Mary je živila iz vere.

Skrajno iznajdljiva je bila v misijonskem sodelovanju. Vedno je steknila kakega darovalca ali poslala za kako sv. mašo za naše misijonarje. Dobra gdč. Ahačič, Remčeva gospa in Gabrovi so živeli v njeni bližini. Velikokrat je tudi omenjala gdč. Mokorel. Z vsemi je ohranjala tesne stike in bila je kot vir misijonske energije in ljubezni sredi plemenitih misijonev ljubečih rojakov. Mož ji je kmalu potem umrl. Njen sin in hčerka sta zvesto ohranjala stik z materjo. Sama pa je kot čebelica skupaj nosila vse, kar je mislila, da lahko misijonsko delo naših pionirjev in pionirk na misijonskem terenu olajšuje in krepi.

Vsa MZA bo skušala z molitvijo pri Bogu izprositi, da bi dobra rajna Mary našla v večnosti mir, ki si ga je zadnja leta posebej tako želela. Ko je to in ono odpovedovalo in je videla, kako ji pešajo moči. Kljub temu, da je že silno slabovo videla, je zadnje pismo v avgustu še natipkala.

V BLAG SPOMIN

OB DRUGI OBLETNICI SMRTI
NAŠEGA DOBREGA MOŽA
IN OČETA



MIKE PINCULIČ

ki je zatisnil svoje blage oči
13. oktobra 1982.

Dve leti sta minuli tuge in bolesti,
dom je prazen in otožen,
ker Te več med nami ni.
V nebesih večno srečo uživaj,
na svidenje na vekomaj!

Žalujoči ostali:

Žena: Anna (roj. Muhič)
sin: Michael Pinculič z ženo
Dorothy

vnuča: Michael Schneider
z ženo Lin,
Joseph Schneider
pravnuk: Paul Schneider
pravnukinja: Mary Louise
Schneider
ter ostalo sorodstvo tu
in v Sloveniji.

Euclid, O., 12. okt. 1984.

Mary, počivaj v miru Kristusovem, ki si ga s tako ljubeznijo skušala razširiti na svojki način po vsem božjem svetu!

Za svete maše

prosi v pismu 15. septembra misijonar Ivan Bajec. Ta kole piše: »Tokrat se Vam oglašam iz župnije Guitry, kamor me je letos poslal tukajšnji škof. Do sedaj sem bil skoraj 8 let v župniji Fresco. Ta župnija ima nekaj več prebivalcev kot prejšnja. Jih bo okrog 30.000. Delo je seveda precej podobno kot poprej.

S predstavljivo se spremeni tudi moj naslov, ki je sedaj: Rev. Ivan Bajec, Mission Catholique, B.P.84, Guitry, Côte D'Ivoire, Afrique.

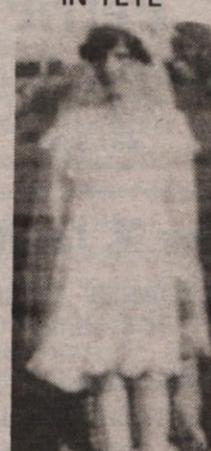
Na isti naslov mi pošiljajte, prosim, tudi Ameriško Domovino. Ob tej priliki se Vam zahvaljujem za vse darove MZA in Vam želim veliko božjega blagoslova pri Vašem delu. Če bi mi lahko poslali kaj mašnih intencij bi Vam bil tudi zelo hvaležen. Lep pozdrav

Ivan Bajec.«

Nekaj mašnih intencij, ki jih imamo pri rokah, bomo g. Bajcu v kratkem poslali. Ko bomo h koncu leta spet vsem našim na terenu delili MZA letno pomoč, bomo posameznim, ki se za sv. maše priporočajo, tudi nekaj intencij znova priložili. MZA je vedno hvaležna posameznikom, ki za sv. maše kaj pošljejo in po sodelujočih zberejo. Mnogim, ki

V BLAG SPOMIN

48. OBLETNICE NAGLE
IZGUBE NAŠE LJUBLJENE
HČERKICE, SESTRICE
IN TETE



ALICE PINCULIČ

ki jo je ljubi Bog poklical
k Sebi dne 26. maja 1936.

48 let je minulo, odkar ljubi Bog Te je tako naglo poklical, in naše prošnje k Njemu pošiljamo, da božja roka Tvoje plačilo naj deli.

Žalujoči ostali:

Tvoja ljubeča mama
brat: Mike Pinculič z ženo
Dorothy

nečaka: Michael Schneider
z ženo Lin, in
Joseph Schneider
pranečak: Paul Schneider
pranečakinja: Mary Louise
Schneider
ter ostalo sorodstvo tu
in v Sloveniji.

Euclid, O., 12. okt. 1984.

za uboge zvesto zberejo. Mnogim, ki za uboge zvesto skrbijo, je vsaka intencija vedno znova blagohotna pomoč.

Iz Batawe, Ontario,

se je oglasil 16. septembra poverjenik MZA g. Ivo Medved, s priloženim čekom za 125 kanadskih dolarjev za vse naše misijonarje(-ke), ki so jih darovali: g. Stane Klemenčič \$25; Franc Škerl \$20; po 10 dolarjev gg. Ivan Trček, Franc Košir in ga. Angela Medved; g. Ivo Medved pa \$50.

Tole je pripisal: »Ker nas je malo, je tudi vsota skromna. Verjetno Vam je že znano, da je 31. maja umrl moj brat Venceslav. V aprilu pa sem bil v Sloveniji na pogrebu moje sestre.

Iskreno Vas pozdravljam
Ivo Medved.«

V New Yorku je MZA imela misijonsko prireditev v nedeljo, 30. septembra. Predsednica ga. Helena Klesin je v AD o tem nedavno poročala. Upamo, da je bil uspeh popoln.

G. Frank Staniša iz Geneve, Ohio, je obnovil vzdrževalino za domačega bogoslovca in dodal v čeku za \$600 še lepo vsoto v pomoč vsem našim misijonarjem.

Mrs. Louise Šustersich iz Timmins, Ontario, pošilja \$100 za vse naše misijonarje in se priporoča v molitev. Od sv. očeta blagoslovljen molek si želi in ga bo dobila.

Rojaki iz Lethbridge, Alberta,

so poslali po poverjenici ge. Antoniji Fylypczuk nabirko za naše misijonarje(-ke), kot to storijo vsako leto. Darovali so skupaj \$325 v kanadski valuti naslednji dobrotniki:

D. Pahulje \$40; Z. Dimnik \$30; po \$20 tile: F. Šifrer, C. Kaplan, S. Dimnik, A. Boh, J. Dimnik, A. Rogan, M. Fekete in A. Fylypczuk; po \$10 naslednji: P. Kveder, S. Špenko, T. Dimnik, A. Toplak, M. Previšč, M. Ambrožič in S. Zrim. J. Vidmar je daroval \$8

V BLAG SPOMIN

OB ČETRTI OBLETNICI
SMRTI NAŠEGA MOŽA,
OČETA IN STAREGA OČETA



JOSEPH KONCILJA

Umrl je 14. oktobra 1980.

V božjem njivu zdaj počivaj,
dragi, nepozabni nam.

V nebesih večno srečo uživaj,
do snidenja na vekomaj.

Žalujoči ostali:

Žena – Stefie
sinovi – Joe, Frank in
Victor z družinami
hči – Stephanie Segulin
z družino
14 vnukov, 21 pravnukov
in 2 pravnuka
Cleveland, 12. okt. 1984.

in po \$5 pa J. Mahnič, L. Novak in J. Hribar. J. Boltazar je dal \$2.

G. A. Fylypczuk je še dodala kanadskih \$50 za poravnavo naročnine Katoliških Misijonov (\$25) in za petkovo Ameriško Domovino za o. Jožeta Grošlja je obnovila z dodatnimi \$25.

Iz Sudburyja v Ontariju so poslali Vid in Marija Rovanšek dodatek za obnovo bogoslovne vzdrževalnine, da znesе skupaj za eno leto ameriških 250 dolarjev.

Iz Nemčije se je oglasil g. Franc Šeškar in vse lepo pozdravlja. Zvesto mašuje za nacene MZA. Molimo za njegovo zdravje.

Vsem darovalcem, kjer koli že sodelujejo z MZA, se iskreno zahvaljujemo v imenu vseh naših na terenu misijonskega pionirjenja.

Dr. Janez Janež 18. septembra pošilja spet lepe znamke (FDC) in dodaja: »V Kanadi doživljate spremembo, pri nas pa je vse kot je bilo in lahko kar lepo delamo. Izgleda, da bo zopet Reagan zmagal in dokler bo on na krmilu nas rdeči ne bodo nadlegovali. Naši tu so veseli s spremembo v Kanadi, s prejšnjo vlado niso posebno dobro vozili. Lepe pozdrave vsem znamkarjem in Vam vdani J. Janež.«

Tako MZA po vseh kontinenta skrbno orje in seje misijonsko misel in ideje. Mnogi, ki doraščajo ob dobrih starših, bodo polagoma prevzeli v MZA vloge, ki jih čakajo...«

Rev. Charles Wolbang, CM
Scarborough, Ontario
Canada M1N 3J7

Nekaj zgodovine DNIJ fare sv. Vida

(nadaljevanje iz 8. str.
posebne priloge o DNIJ)

Leta 1935 se je vršil svetovni Evharistični kongres, katerega se je udeležil tudi tedanji ljubljanski škof dr. Anton Bonaventura Jeglič. Člani Društva Najsvetnejšega Imena Jezusovega fare sv. Vida smo se polnoštevilno udeležili sv. maše v clevelandskem stadionu. V stadionu se je zbralo nad 150.000 ljudi, ogromna množica se je počasi zgrinjala v obsežni prostor. Člani Društva Najsvetnejšega Imena od Sv. Vida smo prišli že ob enajstih in stali nad tri ure, nato pa odšli domov peš, ker so bili avtobusi prepolni.

Več članov Društva se je pridružilo nočnemu češčenju Sv. Evharistije. Enkrat na mesec smo molili po eno uro med 11. zvečer in 6. zjutraj v cerkvi sv. Pavla na Euclid Avenue in E. 40 cesti. Na Veliki četrtek smo v naši cerkvi sv. Vida imeli več let molitvene ure od 10. zvečer do 6. zjutraj. Zadnja ura od 5. do 6. je bila slovenska. Vodil jo je pokojni France Sever.

Od začetka je bilo Društvo Najsvetnejšega Imena župnikova desna roka v fari. Že prvo leto je dobilo srebrno kupo, ker so naši fantje pro-

(Dalje na str. 4)

Za lačne po svetu...

(nadaljevanje z 2. str.)

zadnji čas zelo veliko dela, tudi dva jubileja: 50-letnico mašniškega posvečenja, jaz 50-letnico zaobljub. Poleg g. Škofa, je bilo navzočih mnogo duhovnikov in sester ter ogromna množica katoličanov in tudi nekatoličanov. Vsak je nekaj dobil za pod zob. Dobri g. misijonar je kupil vola, katerega so spekli in razdelili. Pri teh ljudem mora biti vedno kaj za želodec, drugače niso zadovoljni.

Ubogi naš misijon! Kje vse to dobiti, da nasitimo na stotinu ljudi? Že šest let ni bilo dežja; za živino, ki je še živa, moramo kupiti vso hrano, saj tudi ne gre več na pašnike, ker tam ni ničesar. Ljudje se zanašajo na misijon. Če jim kaj manjka, so hitro tukaj.

Večina belcev je že odslovila svoje delavce, ki so pazili na živino, ki so jo imeli na pašnih na tisoče, pa ne sedaj več. Najmanj tri četrtine živine je poginilo. Bojimo se, kaj bo s toliko brezposelnimi in misijon ni zmožen vsega. Imamo velik naval.

Z veliko hvaležnostjo pozdravlja vse dobrotnike
Sr. Marie Vincent Novak

Druga misijonarka, Jeanne Elizabeth Pogorelc, se lepo zahvaljuje za paket, v katerem so bile odeje za otroke in lične male jaslice iz kartona tudi za otroke. Ona pa prosi še za denar, da bo lahko plačala carino – in to v »bogati« Južni Afriki.

Da se nabere malo več denarja za slovenske misijone tudi v našem Chicagu, imamo že nekaj let pri fari sv. Štefana misijonsko kosilo. Kosilo organizirajo, pripravljajo in delajo v kuhinji, v dvorani in pri postrežbi samo dobrovoljci, taki, ki imajo smisel za potrebne in lačne po svetu. Resnično, zelo potrebujemo tukaj v Chicagu za to velikodusno zbiranje darov mlajši in delavnici odsek ali misijonski odbor, ker starejši omagujemo zaradi visokih let in šibkejšega zdravja. Naj se oglasi kdo in reče: »Pripravljen sem pomagati in sodelovati.« Prosim!

Iskreno vabimo za udeležbo kosila! Cena je \$6 za odrasle in \$3 za otroke. Serviralo se bo v nedeljo, 21. oktobra, opoldne. Verjemite, da je vsem težko prisiti, a vendar rabimo: pomoč pri delu, pecivo, dar v denarju, mogoče tudi darilce za srečkanje (raffle). Kajne, da vsi razumemo?

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Ana Gaber

Nekaj zgodovine...

(nadaljevanje z 2. str.)

dali največ sreč za piknik združenih društev fare. Pomagamo pri vseh prireditvah v korist fare. Prve "bingo" igre so bile pod vodstvom našega društva, prvi karnevali v korist cerkve so bili v rokah članov našega društva, prav tako evharistični ministri.

Naše društvo je več let sodelovalo pri Zvezi Društev Najsvetejšega Imena slovenskih fara v Clevelandu. Pri tem so bili posebno delovni: pokojni Matt Tekavec, pokojni Frank Hocevar, pokojni Ignacij Resnik, pokojni Anton Grdina in pokojni Lovrenc Bandi st.

Ko je prišlo 20. oktobra 1944 do eksplozije treh velikih tankov plina East Ohio Gas Company na njenih prostorih med E. 55. in 62. cesto, je ogenj zajel večino hiš v bližini, mnogo je bilo popolnoma uničenih. Pri nesreči je 131 oseb izgubilo življenje, med njimi tudi več članov Društva Najsvetejšega Imena. Cerkev sv. Vida, poslopje Ameriške Domovine in Slovenskega narodnega doma so bili komaj kaj prizadeti. E. 61. in E. 62. cesti sta bili na novo urejeni, ob njih so zrastle nove, modernejše hiše.

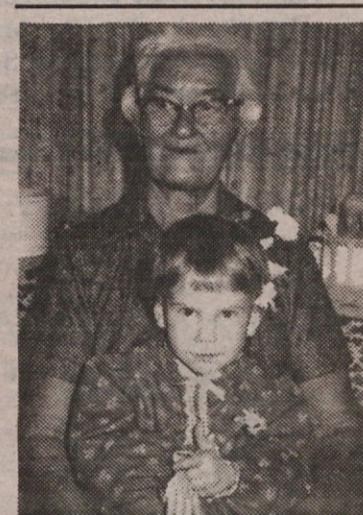
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Monthly Economic Review

October, 1984

By Daniel A. Pavsek

Economist — AmeriTrust Company

Little doubt now remains that the pace of economic activity has moderated; despite concerns to the contrary, cyclical forces seem to be proving irresistible. The consumer sector, which has been bearing the standard of the recovery from the start, has retreated from its free-spending ways of earlier. Retail sales have declined for two consecutive months while the sale of autos and homes has been showing persistent weakness. Retail sales - including autos - are expected to pick up again in the fall with the new model year and with the holidays approaching, but the housing sector has most likely seen its best days of the cycle.

These developments, along with the anxiously awaited slowdown in business credit demand, helped long-term interest rates to continue their decline. The shorter end of the yield curve remains relatively high and has moved higher, partly in response to the actions of the Federal Reserve, which has as yet been reluctant to make a significant easing move. This could still change, as long as money growth and economic activity remain moderate.

Agnes Rufus Enjoys Recipes

Editor:

Since I am the directress of promotion for the Cause of Bishop Baraga here in Marquette, Mich., and for the entire Baraga Association, it is natural that the first thing I look for in your paper each week is something about Baraga. Occasionally I do read something, especially when Father Victor Tomc is planning a Baraga trip. I do wish there were more frequent reminders about Baraga's Cause and the need for involvement in that Cause.

However, the reason I write

this letter has nothing to do with business. Like so many other women, I, too, look for recipes. At long last I have found one my dear Mother used to make when I was a child. I refer to the Roux Soup which was submitted by Marie Dular. It was in the September 28 issue which I received today (Oct. 4).

Thank you and Marie for that recipe. I have tried many and have shared them with many friends. I believe that the Finnish, French, and others with whom I have shared them have found that Slovene cooking is something special!

Agnes B. Rufus
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FRANCES PERCIC

Frances Percic (nee Bresar), 76, died suddenly at her Euclid home Oct. 4.

She was the wife of Franc; the mother of Filip of Willoughby Hills, Janez of Yugoslavia, Mario of Richmond Heights, and Wilma and Olga, both of Euclid; the grandmother of 12; the great-grandmother of 2; and the sister of Jozef of Canada, Angela of Yugoslavia and the following deceased: Franc, Andrej, Janez, Micka, Johana and Marija Bresar.

She was a member of the Altar and Rosary Society of St. Mary's Church (Collinwood) and St. Joseph Lodge No. 169 of KSKJ. She was born in Slovenia Kranj and came to the U.S. in 1949. She moved from Cleveland to Euclid in 1976.

For more than 20 years she worked as a machine operator for Morrison Products.

The funeral Mass was Monday (Oct. 8) at St. Mary's, with the Grdina Funeral Home, 17010 Lake Shore Blvd., in charge of arrangements. Burial was at All Souls Cemetery.

Pensioners to Meet Thursday

The St. Clair Avenue Pensioners Club will meet at 1:30 p.m. on Thursday, Oct. 18, in the annex of the St. Clair Slovenian Auditorium.

If you have a friend who qualifies for membership, bring him or her along. We are still accepting new members.

Also bring your ideas and suggestions on how to make our meetings more interesting. We should begin now to plan a program for the coming year. We need your help.

Stanley J. Frank
Secretary

Happy Birthday

Happy Birthday to these Special Residents of the Slovene Home for the Aged for the Month of October:

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Josephine Turk, 73
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St. Clair Featured in Mag

By Joseph Zelle

The October issue of the regional magazine *Ohio Magazine*, carries a fascinating article about Saint Vitus neighborhood. It is entitled, "The Neighborhood That Wouldn't Die." Subtitled, "A Little Bit of Cleveland That is Forever Slovenian," it is the staff assignment of Sue Gorisek. She is a senior writer for *Ohio Magazine*, working out of Cleveland.

The article is beautifully illustrated by color photographs of a highly skilled and artistic photographer, Jay Paris. A very unusual shot of the front of Saint Vitus Church from the yard across the street presents a strikingly unorthodox view of our fine Romanesque structure. A casual inhabitant in dishabille leans against the house, oblivious of the photographer. In another scene we glimpse an unposed Joe Smole in front of the old barbershop located directly across from Saint Vitus School on Glass Avenue. In a third picture we see Helen Zele unobtrusively watering her little patch of colorful flower garden on Addison Road, right behind the Zele Funeral establishment.

The article itself is no less intriguing. Written with a good command of the American language, it gives an excellent portrayal and conveys the atmosphere of the old neighborhood. Gorisek is well versed and did her homework, for the story is well documented.

Apparently the occasion for the article is the fortieth anniversary of the great and tragic East Ohio Gas Company gas tank explosions and fire. While the article dwells mostly on the destruction of East 61 Street; East 62nd and East 63rd are almost overlooked. Nevertheless there was extensive damage also on those two streets. And Kurje Vas (Chicken Village) on Lake Court was all but wiped out. Today, no vestige of those once thriving humble people's houses remains.

For this very well written article, Ms. Gorisek is to be warmly complimented and we would like to see more of her

specialized work in print in the future. The same goes for N. Jay Paris, photographer extraordinaire and senior writer for *Ohio Magazine*.

Even despite this worthwhile contribution, *Ohio Magazine* is a highly recommended sliver magazine. It not only contains articles about Ohio and its inhabitants, but it is crammed with exciting advertisements and guides for the local gourmet and tourist throughout Ohio.

Recipe

APPLE MEAT LOAF

2 1/2 lb. ground beef

1 1/2 cups bread crumbs

2 cups diced apples

1 egg

1/4 cup minced onion

2 tablespoons mustard

2 tablespoons Worcester

shire sauce

1/3 cup catsup

Mix all ingredients thoroughly. Bake in a greased loaf pan at 350 degrees for 1/4 hours.

Miss Stefie
Cleveland

Bake Sale

St. Mary's Altar and Rosa Society is sponsoring their annual "Bake Sale" on Saturday and Sunday, October 13 and 14 in the school auditorium.

Enjoyed Kress Dance

Editor:

Recently I attended the second performance of the Kr. Folklore Group at the St. Clair Slovenian Home and I must say this was an afternoon well spent.

The young men and women as well as the children of the dance group did themselves proud in presenting the various dances and the Gaspari painting interpretations. I also commend the instructors who prepared the dancers for this fast moving and colorful show.

On behalf of the Board Directors and myself, I wish them continued success as I am pleased they perform here at our Slovenian Nation Home.

John N. Perencev
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By Madeline Debevec

Louis Kompare, a Lorain native, recently returned to his hometown to present a videotape program on computer use at Epcot Center.

The 43-year-old corporate manager for scientific systems at Walt Disney World's Epcot, is responsible for the magical special effects visitors see at the center as well as in the park's Haunted Mansion, Pirates of the Caribbean and Hall of Presidents. He also is in charge of development of computer special effects for the company's motion pictures and for computer operations that run the day-to-day functions at the resort, which covers 27,000 acres near Orlando.

The son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kompare of the well-known Slovenian family, he was graduated from Lorain High School in 1958. His wife Emily is also from Lorain.

After two years of study at Case Institute of Technology, he moved to California in 1962 where he became a mathematics technician for a subcontractor who built control systems for nuclear submarines.

In the next eight years, Kompare learned as much as he could about computer systems and eventually got a degree in applied math.

Just down the street from where he worked, Kompare stopped one day at a small "nebulous building with no name on front," which turned out to be a division of Walt Disney Enterprises. Before he knew what happened, he found himself helping design the computer systems for the Magic Kingdom in Florida, which opened in 1971.

In 1981 Kompare began working on plans for Epcot and since then has been called on to do a number of things, including riding the Space Mountain rollercoaster hundreds of times to test the computer controls. As part of his management training, he also had to dress up as "Brer Fox" and wander around the park in preparation for the day he and other management employees might have to fill in in an emergency.

RUS-BONUTTI WEDDING

Ms. Elizabeth Marie Rus, daughter of Dr. Vladimir J. Rus and the late Mrs. Rus, wed Captain Anthony George Bonutti, son of Mr. and Mrs. Attilio J. Bonutti, on September 8. Bishop A. Edward Pevec performed the ceremony in Gesu Church in University Heights.

The bride was attired in a custom-designed powder white gown of peau de soie and tulle with an attached cathedral train. It had a sheer mandarin collar and yoke. The gown had a fitted bodice embroidered with an intricate floral motif. This motif was exquisitely replicated in the three-quarter royal wedding sleeves and in the wide border of the full skirt and train.

Memo from Madeline

He Makes Magic for Disney's Epcot

Mrs. Bonutti wore a wreath of seed pearls together with satin roses and leaves. A cascade veil of two tiers flowed from the wreath, with the cathedral length tier complimenting the floral pattern embroidered throughout the train.

She carried a formal bouquet of fragrant white gardenias and orchids. Sprigs of baby's breath and ivy foliage completed the floral design.

Ms. Sonja M. Scancar served as maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Ms. Katherine Gradojevich and Ms. Helen Malhotra. The attendants wore floor length gowns of old rose peau de soie, with elbow length puff sleeves and crossover bodices accentuated with narrow folds. They carried bouquets of pink rhubarb lilies and carnations intertwined with baby's breath and ivy foliage.

Miss Angela Bonutti, the groom's niece, and Miss Gretchen Fiebig were flower girls. They wore dresses of ivy moire with short puff sleeves and long skirts, trimmed with ruffles and lace. They carried nosegays of tea roses and carnations.

The groom wore the officer's summer dress uniform of the U.S. Air Force, including a short white jacket, white shirt and black bow tie.

Larry Etzel served as best man. Capt. Thomas Hunter and Capt. Michael McKenna were groomsmen. The sabre bearers were Capt. Joseph Alfano, Capt. Brian Dobbert, Capt. Raymond Johns, 1 Lt. James McFeeters, Capt. Peter Penta, 1 Lt. Lawrence Ruggiero, Capt. Brian Sutter, and 1 Lt. Robert Wind. All of the gentlemen were attired similar to the groom. The sabre bearers also wore sword belts and carried sabres.

The Gesu Choir sang for the wedding service. Choir director Adeline Huss was also the organist and Mary Jane Carlin was soloist.



Elizabeth Marie (Rus) Bonutti

A wedding brunch at the bride's home immediately followed the nuptial ceremony.

An evening reception was held at Casa Di Borally where the tables were decorated with rose candles and nosegay confetti. In keeping with military custom, the bride and groom cut the first slice of wedding cake with the groom's sabre. The traditional Slovenian unveiling, led by Mr. and Mrs. Jože Likozar, highlighted the evening's festivities.

Formerly, the bride, who graduated from Case Western Reserve University with a master's degree in business administration, was assistant director of materials management for the Cleveland Clinic. The groom, a graduate of the Air Force Academy, is a commander with the U.S. Air Force, currently stationed at McGuire Air Force Base (New Jersey). The couple will reside in Mount Laurel, New Jersey near the groom's base.



Fred and Josephine Strnisa

45th Anniversary Garden Surprise

Fred and Josephine Strnisa recently renewed their marriage vows at a Mass at St. Mary's Church, with Father Victor Tomc officiating and Toni Lamovec and Tillie Spehar doing the singing. Five grandchildren also took up the offering at the Sunday, Aug. 5, Mass.

Afterwards there was a surprise garden party at the home of daughter Joan and son-in-law Walter Simmons. The 45th anniversary gala included five hours of continuous music in a beautiful garden tent, with tables and all the trimmings.

Surprising the couple from New York were their son, Dr. Fred Strnisa, and wife Diana. Also in on the surprise party were Greg and Pat Strnisa, along with the Simmons' clan.

Ignatius Zupancic of Bonna Avenue in Cleveland recently returned home from the hospital where he was fitted with a pacemaker.

Best wishes for good health from everyone at the American Home.

The Slovenian American Radio Club of Chicago is celebrating its 34th anniversary with a dinner-dance and

program on Saturday, Oct. 27, at St. Stephen's Hall. Dinner will be served between 5-7 p.m., followed by a short program featuring the Radio Club Dancers and "Mladinski Orkester," a new orchestra of teens, under the direction of Father Vendelin Spendov.

The latter group will lead off the program with the National Anthem. The Duke Marsic Orchestra will provide music for your dancing pleasure.

Art Show

The eighth annual Mayfield Area Recreation Council (MARC) Art Show is inviting all artists to submit their entries for a juried art show Oct. 22-28. Entries will be accepted from noon to 8 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 18, and 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Friday, Oct. 19.

The show is a joint community venture of Mayfield Heights, Mayfield Village, Gates Mills and Highland Heights, through MARC. All area artists are welcome. Original work in painting, drawing, pastels, sculpture, textiles, graphic prints and photography will be accepted.

An opening reception will be held from 2-4 p.m. Sunday.

Art lovers also may be interested in a folk art trip to Pittsburgh on Tuesday, Oct. 23, sponsored by the John Carroll Celebrates Cleveland group.

Exhibits at both Duquesne University and the University of Pittsburgh are on the agenda. Cost is \$22 for the all-day trip and a meal. Call Mrs. Fran Babic at 491-4371 or 442-0231 for reservations.

Italian Dinner

St. Peter's Church, 1533 E. 17th Street, will host its annual fall Italian dinner from noon to 5 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 21.

The entire dinner is \$5 for adults and \$3 for children. Tickets are available at the door or by calling the church at 861-1798.

St. Peter's is a beautiful historic German church in downtown Cleveland. It was originally established more than 130 years ago to serve the needs of German immigrants and is also the mother church of St. Vitus, which was established later.

Currently, the church serves the German community, downtown senior citizens and students from Cleveland State University. It is staffed by a Slovenian pastor, Rev. Frank P. Kosem, and two Italian associates in residence.

Nearly New Sale

The 26th annual nearly new sale, sponsored by the Senior Board of Euclid General Hospital, is a sure winner for smart shoppers.

Bargains of every kind can be found at the annual fundraiser from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Monday, Oct. 15, and from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. on Tuesday, Oct. 16.

The sale features clothing, jewelry, shoes, small furnishings, household appliances, toys, games, books and decorative items, among other bargains in good repair. Money from the sale will be used to purchase new medical equipment and hospital furnishings.

Those attending the sale should enter through the hospital's south door. Security guards will be available to assist with parking.

Kay Petkovic of Euclid is chairman of this year's event. Co-chairman is Marie Plevnik, also of Euclid. Anyone wishing to donate items can arrange for pick up by calling 531-3841.

The Great Prognosticator
Football fans across the nation were surprised to hear of Purdue's upset of number two ranked Ohio State last Saturday.

We enjoyed a great weekend at Purdue and took an active part in the events. The administrators we spoke to beforehand didn't think their Boilermakers had a chance. But I predicted to Jim and Jimmy that Purdue would

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Memo From Madeline

(Continued from page 6)

Purdue's Coach Burnett had inspired the team and their fans with positive thinking. He even flew in Fred Mills, the president of EDGE Inc., a firm that promotes positive-thinking, to walk the sidelines with him.

The words "desire," "sacrifice," "discipline" and "preparation" were on the chalkboard in the Boiler-makers' meeting room. They

are the words Mills believes are the keys to success.

The theme of the Saturday night Mass was victory. Even the priest emphasized it was not luck that won the big game, but the fact that Purdue worked harder to win and played a better game.

If you wish to place ads or submit articles for the Slovenian Society Home of Euclid Special Edition, please contact Joe Petric at 481-1098.

Klub Ljubljana Celebrates Oct. 21

Another October has arrived and with it comes the Klub Ljubljana annual dinner-dance. This 55th gala celebration will be held at the Slovenian Society Home, Recher Ave., Euclid, on Sunday, Oct. 21st.

Dinner will be served between 4:30 and 7:30 p.m. Chef will be Mary Ster and she will be assisted by her very capable crew of girls. Immediately following the dinner, the Joe Luzar Aggregation will entertain for listening and dancing.

Glasbena Matica Concert Oct. 20

On Saturday, Oct. 20 the Glasbena Matica Slovenian Chorus will present a Concert and Dinner Dance at the Slovenian National Home at 6417 St. Clair Ave. The theme for the evening is "Night With the Stars."

Director Vladimir Malek has prepared a very interesting program of popular Slovenian and English melodies. Reginald Resnik will be at the piano to accompany the singers.

As in the past, the hall will be beautifully decorated in order to put everyone present in the proper mood to enjoy the evening under the stars.

Steffie Smolic and her assistants will again prepare a delicious full course dinner. Ray Polantz with his fine orchestra, will accompany some

All this for the nominal donation of \$9.00.

A telephone call to the following will reserve your invitation: Christine Kovach 481-0205, Steffie Jamnik 261-7977, or Caroline Lokar 731-8373. The dinner is limited to 400 guests. Be sure to procure your invitations no later than Monday, Oct. 15. If the above numbers can't be reached, call Mitzi Miklavcic at 731-5633. Don't get shut out.

Rudy Lokar

of the songs, and will also furnish the dance music.

Doors will open at 6 p.m., dinner served at 7 p.m., followed by the concert, then music for dancing.

Tickets can be obtained from chorus members or by contacting John Vatovec at 621-7151 until 4:30 p.m. weekdays and 524-4053 evenings and weekends.

Charles Terček

Keeps in Touch

Editor:

Enclosed is \$16.00 for the press fund. Although the Friday paper does not reach me on Saturdays, it is nice reading on Monday. This is one way one has contact with the mother tongue and friends around Cleveland.

Gayle Sajovic,
Richmond Hts., O.



Fantje na Vasi members applaud the capacity audience at their concert at the Slovenian National Home on Sat., Oct. 6.

(Photo by Ivan Hauptman)

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AMLA West Park Singers to Honor William Sinkovic

On Sunday, October 21, the AMLA West Park Singers will present a "mini" concert featuring button box players and honoring William Sinkovic, past president and past secretary of the Board of Directors of the West Park Slovenian Home on West 130 St. He also served as secretary of AMLA Lodge Valentin Vodnik No. 35.

Following the formal program, the Don Slogar Orchestra will play for dancing.

Tickets can be secured by calling Marie Pivik at 433-1941 or Joe Pultz at 741-5824. They will also be available at the door.

Hoyer Tunes 'Redone' in stereo

"Hoyer plays Hoyer" is the name of a new cassette recording by Matt Hoyer and son Ted. The Ted Hoyer side is of historic value since it brings out of retirement Frank Culovic who performed with the original Hoyer Trio from 1936 to about 1958. That was after Eddie and Frankie Simms left the original Hoyer Trio. Thus, side A is the Hoyer Trio of the 1930s, 1940s, and 1950s without Matt Hoyer.

Teddy Hoyer knows Hoyer music inside and out. It has been said Teddy knew what his dad was going to play almost before he played it. The original accordion team of Matt and Teddy Hoyer is recaptured in this cassette. Teddy, the wizard of the fingers, does what he and his dad used to do together in their arrangements. The feel is there for those who want not only the later Hoyer style of

two chromatic accordions, but also for those who like and long for some earlier Hoyer memories of the 1920s.

At the request of the Hoyer family a few precious memories of the Hoyer Trio in the 1920s have been included in the cassette along with marvelous stereo arrangements by Teddy Hoyer and his Hoyer Trio - in the style and arrangements when Matt and Teddy played together with banjo artist Frank Culovic.

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Art Guild Focus on Bozidar Jakac

The monthly meeting of the Slovenian National Art Guild will be held at 7:30 Monday at the Slovenian Society Home on Recher Avenue in Euclid.

Following the business meeting, the focus will be on the life of Bozidar Jakac, who was honored in July in Slovenia on the occasion of his 85th birthday. The Guild is fortunate to have two artist members familiar with the works of Jakac.

Mary Batis, a direct cousin, and her daughter Mary Lou Bryja of Texas were in attendance in Novo Mesto representing the American relatives of "Stric" Jakac. She also made presentations on behalf of the Art Guild.

Member August Pust was a student of Jakac's, and his

personal recollections together with his knowledge of Slovenian enabled his translation of background data from a book about Jakac.

A master of simple pencil sketches, dry point pastels, complicated oils and most other techniques, Jakac has numerous ties to America, which he made during his two trips to the States. A two-year visit from 1929-31 included landscapes made during a cross-country tour.

His second visit in 1956 included a one-man show and produced many portraits of Cleveland personalities. Examples of his work have been on display at the Slovenian National Home, Sorn's Restaurant and Erste's for many years. He also is known

for his portrait of Ivan Zorman, one of the few likenesses of the poet.

Interested persons are invited to attend Monday's meeting. Refreshments will be served.

Slovene Octet in W. Allis Oct. 23

The Ljubljanski oktet (The Ljubljana Octet) from Slovenia will perform at the West Allis (Wisconsin) Central High School Auditorium, 8516 W. Lincoln Ave on Tuesday, Oct. 23 at 7:30 p.m.

Tickets are \$5.00 and may be brought from any USPEH Chorus member. Immediately following the concert a reception with refreshments and entertainment will be held at the West Allis Knights of Columbus Club House, 1800 So. 92nd, donation \$5.00.

The USPEH Chorus has recently returned from an engagement touring Slovenia. They have now resumed classes at the University of Wis., Milw. under the direction of Prof. Leo Muskatevc.

On Dec. 7 they will hold a Sacred Concert at the Sacred Heart Convent Chapel with Liturgical songs. Featured guest soloist will be Paul Sifler from California. He has written and dedicated a composition "Go To Bethlehem" to the USPEH Chorus. Tickets can be obtained from any USPEH Chorus member in Wisconsin.

Joseph Zelle

Count Tolstoy Interviewing Here

N.Y.

Tolstoy is a British subject now, with Russian ancestors. He is the nephew of the famed Russian novelist, Leo Tolstoy.

The count has been examining de-classified British information available following the 30 year rule. He is now expanding his article into a book with very much additional data and historical information. He is concerned not only with the Yugoslav tragedy, but the Polish and Ukrainian atrocities as well.

Joseph Zelle

Kuhar's Korner

by Stane J. Kuhar

The recent cultural performances by Kres and Fantje na Vasi at the Slovenian National Home (St. Clair Ave.) have proven again that the real emeralds of the Slovenian communities in Greater Cleveland are the cultural groups. Both groups deserve a round of applause for providing the Slovenian culture and heritage for so many years.



The establishment will remain a restaurant but look for a few Greek dishes to possibly be added.

St. Vitus School may project a new high-tech look in 1985 with the strong possibility of computer terminals to be added inside the school. There is currently only one terminal in the school.

Who's coming to Cleveland in 1985? Look for the Lojze Slak Ansambal to make its trek to North America next year.

Congratulations to the St. Vitus Holy Name Society on its 50th year anniversary.

There has been much activity between the streets of E. 40 and E. 39 on St. Clair Avenue. Three-to-four buildings have been purchased and demolished in the past two months. Local rumor has it that a new building is being erected on its site. The tenant? Look for Central National Bank to possibly relocate its current branch on E. 66 St. and St. Clair Avenue to this new location.

Also look for Sorn's Restaurant to change hands within the next few months.

The Renaissance Has Begun

The Ameriška Domovina Campaign to obtain new subscribers has officially started on October 1st. Won't you help us?

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This makes a total of 15 new subscribers so far this month. We are off to a tremendous start. Now, we ask our readers to help. If you know of anyone who might be interested in receiving our paper, whether they know only Slovenian, or only English, please let us know and we will have one of our committee contact him. Don't forget, the Ameriška Domovina makes a fine gift that lasts all year long. And, you will be preserving a Slovenian heritage and at the same time expand the readership base for furthering culture here in America. Also, you will be strengthening the Ameriška Domovina, an institution worth preserving and extending.

A WARM WELCOME TO ALL THE NEW SUBSCRIBERS. WE SINCERELY HOPE YOU WILL ENJOY READING THE AMERIŠKA DOMOVINA AND WE LOOK FORWARD TO HEARING FROM YOU WITH YOUR NEWS!

Coming Events

Friday, Oct. 12

Card Party sponsored by Catholic Daughters of America at noon at Euclid Club House on E. 222 St.

Sunday, Oct. 14

St. Vitus Holy Name Society Family Communion Breakfast celebrating 50th Anniversary.

Friday, Oct. 19

Ljubljanski Oktet Benefit Concert at Slovenian Workmen's Home, 15335 Waterloo Rd. at 7 p.m. Call 481-0047 or 289-2373 for tickets.

Saturday, Oct. 20

Glasbena Matica dinner-dance with concert at Slovenian National Home, 6417 St. Clair beginning at 7 p.m. For tickets call 621-7151 or 524-4053.

Sunday, Oct. 21

AMLA Singers of West Park will stage a mini-concert

Sunday, Oct. 28

Roast Beef and Chicken Dinner from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at St. Vitus Auditorium for Bishop Slomsek cause. For tickets call 481-3465 or 481-3762, or 531-8982.

Friday, Nov. 2

The Slovene Home for the Aged Auxiliary is sponsoring a dinner - reverse raffle. Cocktails at 6 p.m. Dinner at 7:00. Donation \$50.00. Call 731-5776 for tickets.

Saturday, Nov. 10

St. Vitus parish Dinner-Dance-Culture program featuring Fantje na vasi and Kres. Call 361-1444 for tickets.

Saturday, Oct. 27

Slovenian American Radio Club of Chicago 34th anniversary dinner, dance, program at St. Stephens Hall.

Saturday, Dec. 8

St. Mary Magdalene Lodge No. 162 KSKJ adult and youth Christmas party at St. Vitus Social Room at 2 p.m.

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The Beginning

Rally Results In Creation of Holy Name Society

By Stanley J. Frank

On September 6th, 1931, a group of young men from St. Vitus parish attended the Cleveland Diocesan Holy Name Rally. It was one of the first major events held in the huge newly built Cleveland Stadium. A temporary Altar had been erected on the open field, and the stands were filled to capacity for the closing ceremonies. A procession of dignitaries and clergy, religious orders, and uniformed organizations with their many banners, filed into the stadium and onto the field. All for the honor and glory of His Holy Name. A memorable and inspiring occasion.

I believe it was the witnessing and participation in this great Holy Name Rally that planted a seed in the mind and heart of at least one of these men from St. Vitus.

The seed lay dormant for some time. True, it was a topic of discussion on occasion, but as is often the case, it appeared that the dream of a St. Vitus Holy Name Society would remain but a dream.

Fortunately, Lawrence Bandi, a zealous young man of our group, would not and did not allow this to happen. It was in the early fall of 1933 that he persuaded me to accompany him to a seminar in Rocky River. The subject was, "The Holy Name Society and how to organize in your parish."

As a result on January 14, 1934 at an informal gathering with Michael Kolar, Frank Zabukovec, Anthony Baraga, Lawrence Bandi, and myself, the actual first steps were taken with definite intent of establishing a Holy Name branch at St. Vitus.

Once the decision was made, we began to plan our course of action. First was the presentation to our pastor, Rev. Ponikvar for approval. He welcomed the idea and promised his full support. Father stressed Catholic Action must be the Society's prime objective. He also reminded us that an attempt had been made some years prior, to organize a HNS at St. Vitus, but failed possibly due to inadequate planning. Thus we were made aware, that to bring our dream



ST. VITUS HOLY NAME SOCIETY OFFICERS AND BOARD MEMBERS IN 1934: Seated, left to right: Martin Sveti, Board Member; Michael Kolar, Vice-Pres.; Rt. Rev. Msgr. B. J. Ponikvar; Frank Brooks (Zabukovec), President; and Stanley Frank, Board Member and later that year, Secretary.

Standing, left to right: *Louis Shuster, Board member; *Lawrence Bandi (who became Rev. Abbot Bonaventure Bandi, O.S.B.), Secretary; Joseph Modic, Board Member (now Dr. Joseph Modic, M.D.); *Rudolph Kasunic, Treasurer; and Anthony Baraga, Board Member. (*deceased)

to life, much planning beforehand would be necessary.

And so, during the following weeks, this group of five and our pastor met often to acquaint ourselves with the rules and by-laws of the HNS, to plan how best to organize the men, to lay the groundwork for the eventual election of officers, and to consider the best possible plan of grouping of the potential candidates into Senior and Junior divisions. All of these areas had to be resolved before approaching the men of the parish.

Announcements were made of the intention of forming a Holy Name Society in the parish. We met with three separate groups and outlined

the purpose of the Society, and our plan of organization. Applications for membership were distributed and Feb. 18 was announced as the date of the first meeting.

Approximately 130 men answered the call. Acting chairman, Michael Kolar, welcomed all and gave a brief history of the HNS and told of our desire to form a branch at St. Vitus.

The major business of the first meeting was the election of officers. Elected were Frank Zabukovec, president; Michael Kolar, vice-president; Lawrence Bandi, secretary; and Rudolph Kasunic, treasurer. To complete the Executive Board, Father Ponikvar appointed the

following to serve: Anthony Baraga, Joseph Modic, Martin Sveti, and Stanley Frank. The new president announced further business would wait until the next general meeting on the first Tuesday of the month.

The Executive Board worked diligently to make this the most active and exciting club of the parish. Records show it held a total of 35 Board meetings that first year, and 11 general monthly meetings. It instituted quarterly group Communions, along with a Eucharistic group of voluntary monthly communicants. At that time, it was felt the first effort should be the introduction of quarterly Communions, and at some future

date, change over to a monthly schedule. (The Eucharistic group, for example, would act as a catalyst for bringing this about).

Recognizing that additional activities would be necessary to satisfy the needs of the young men, the Executive Board scheduled speakers from all walks of life to address the members at the monthly meetings. It also polled the membership to determine its other interests. As a result, a baseball league of six teams was formed. Also a bowling league, basketball and gymnastics. Music interests saw the formation of an orchestra, and a Gregorian choir. There were hikes, a card

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How the Holy Name Newspaper was Born

By Joseph Zelle

Among the many activities that sprung up with the formation of the Saint Vitus Holy Name Society was the *Holy Name News*. The project was the brainchild of the late Abbot Lawrence Bandi.

The first issue of the *Holy Name News* was dated Sunday, May 13, 1934. On the front page it carried a picture of the Rev. B. J. Ponikvar, H.N. Spiritual Director and pastor of St. Vitus Church.

The paper was a legal-sized type-written mimeographed version of a newspaper, published in the interest of St. Vitus.

On the editorial page the statement was brief and direct: "The *Holy Name News* is making its first appearance today as a part of the Society's program. To further the cause of the *Holy Name* organization and to acquaint the parishioners with its activities is our prime purpose in publishing this organ. We wish to instill in everyone, nevertheless, a spirit of cooperation in all parish undertakings and thus give an impetus to that vital question of the day, Catholic Action."

The editorial board consisted of Lawrence Bandi, editor, M. M. Kolar, R. A. Praznik (who later became a priest and eventually pastor at St. Vitus), and J. F. Zelle as associate editors. Sports editor was J. L. Modic. Art editors were Matt Mlinar and Edward Baznik Sr. Martin J. Sveti was listed as business manager and Ernest A. Ogrinc was the advertising manager.

During its existence, serving as a kind of church bulletin, it contained articles in both Slovenian and English. Various features began to appear from time to time. For example, Matt Mlinar had a cartoon entitled "High Lights" which put in pictorial form some of the interesting events of the month. A *Holy Name Orchestra* was started under the direction of William Kremzar. H. N. championship baseball series was reported in glowing terms. The annual Fall Festival was started at this time. An essay contest sponsored by the H. N. News was won by Fr. Frank Kuret. The story was entitled, "The Presek Pass".

With the Sunday, October 14th issue of the same year, Joseph Zelle became the H. N. editor. More editorial changes

occurred at this time. F. G. Zabukovec became an associate editor, and A. E. Baraga the sports editor. Some of the men were going off to college and to the seminary.

In paging through the issues of the *News*, it is interesting to see the advertisements. There was the Beros Studio at 6122 St. Clair Ave., Novak's Confectionery, 6128 Saint Clair Ave., Dominic Krasovec of 6025 St. Clair Ave., Norwood Floral Shoppe operated by John Murgel, Jr. at 6120 St. Clair Ave. All of these establishments are gone, and in several cases even the buildings have disappeared.

But there were more, many more businesses which are no longer in existence. There was Frank Belaj at 6205 St. Clair Ave., Ogrinc's Market at 6414 St. Clair Ave. featuring home smoked meats. There were also Frank Butala, Gornik's Men's and Boy's Wear, Frank Čebul, Lud Metlika, Dr. James W. Mally, Henry J. Frank, Frank Černe Jeweler, Mrs. Mary Kushlan's Slovenian National Home Confectionery, Kozan Shoe Repairing, John Potokar's Double Eagle Bottling Co., and Komin's Pharmacy. All of these businesses and businessmen which were thriving along the Slovenian Strip of Saint Clair have since disappeared.

Some of the names, however, are still in evidence today. They are A. Grdina & Sons, Anton Anzlovar, John Smrekar, and Frank Azman. They are still on St. Clair operated by sons and daughters of the original owners.

In preparing the "News" a tremendous amount of work was required from writers, artists, and mimeograph printers. In those days, though, young and old were largely unemployed due to the Great Depression. Therefore these persons had plenty of time on their hands. The enthusiasm engendered by the new Romanesque structure of Saint Vitus Church, which sparked the founding of the *Saint Vitus Holy Name Society*, was carried over into all of these extra-curricular activities.

The final issue of the *News* is dated Sunday, December 9, 1934. Its demise in part was the result of a column, *Holy Name News*, which began appearing in the *Ameriška Domovina*, in the American language. For the first time young people who did not have too good a knowledge of Slovenian were now able to read of Slovenian events in the English vernacular.

The column was started by Joseph Zelle at the request of Mr. Louis Pirc, owner and managing editor of the *Ameriška Domovina*. The masthead for the column was designed and drawn by Matt

Mlinar. In fact the present day masthead of *Ameriška Domovina* is also the work of Matt Mlinar who today lives happily married in Parma.

Gradually other columns began to appear in the *Domovina*. First from St. Mary's Church on Holmes Ave., then St. Christine's in Euclid, and St. Lawrence's in Newburgh. Even Barberville was reporting from time to time. Eventually a full page of English articles were appearing in the *American Home*.

When Zelle accepted a radio engineering job at CBS in New York in the Fall of 1941, the editorial duties fell to Michael Kolar Sr. who was plant foreman at the American Home print shop. He was helped by the late Vic Knaus and his brother Jerry Knaus. Subsequently the entire task fell on the shoulders of James Debevec Jr. and his capable wife, Madeline. They are the present publishers and editors of the *American Home*, with Dr. Rudolph Susel as the editor of the Slovenian section.

In retrospect, the *Saint Vitus Holy Name News* made a very valuable contribution not only to the *Saint Vitus* parish, but to the entire Slovenian Catholic community. It started to mold the younger generation of Slovenian parishioners in what would have been a continuation of the Slovenian tradition of the old timers, the Slovenian immigrant pioneers who with their toil and troubles helped to make our country the greatest country in the world.

Our hearty Slovenian pioneers, one by one left to sleep the sleep of peace. World War II broke out and our young men and women were scattered throughout the world. They never came back to our community.

Gone, gone are all the old familiar faces and business places, but the pioneer Slovenian tradition still lives on. It is a part of American history.

This special edition of the *Holy Name News*, commemorating the Golden Anniversary of the *Saint Vitus Holy Name Society* was prepared and edited by Michael M. Kolar Sr. Now retired from the *Ameriška Domovina* for some time, Mr. Kolar is still active in parish activities.



1984 ST. VITUS HOLY NAME OFFICERS, Left to right, are: Emil Gorsek, Slov. Vice-Pres.; Charles Winter, Treasurer; Joseph Hocevar, Eng. Vice-Pres.; Gregory Hribar, President; Daniel Postotnik, Slov. Rec. Secretary; and John Hocevar, Eng. Rec. Secretary.

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1942	Frank Branisel		
1943-6	Michael Kolar		
1947	John Persin		
1948	Anthony Baznik		
1949	Ken Tomsick		
1950	Michael Kolar		
1951-2	Anthony Sajovic		
1953	*Charles Winter		
1954-5	*Frank Matjasic		
1956-7	*Frank Oblak		
1958-9	Albin Orehek		
1960	Frank Zupancic		
1961-2	Edward Thomas		
1963-5	*Frank Grdina		
1966-8	John Hocevar		
1969-70	Edward Arhar		

Family Rosary Crusade

By invitation of Bishop Edward F. Hoban, Rev. Father Patrick Peyton led our Cleveland Diocesan Rosary Crusade on a beautiful Sunday late in June, 1953. All 80,000 present at the Stadium were encouraged to recite a Rosary with their entire family, daily.

The Diocese requested each parish to organize a committee to reach every household in their parish, to conduct the Crusade. "The Family that prays together will stay together" was the slogan that was popularized during the

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St. Vitus Holy Name Society at the church Diamond Anniversary, 1968.

Join the St. Vitus Holy Name Society

See any of our Holy Name officers for an entry blank to join St. Vitus Holy Name Society, or stop in at the parish rectory and sign up.



1984 ST. VITUS HOLY NAME OFFICERS AND BOARD MEMBERS: Front row, left to right, Frank Zupancic, Charles Kikel, Greg Hribar, Stanley Hribar, Michael Kolar and Daniel Postotnik. Back row, left to right: Albin Orehek, Edward Thomas, Wencel Frank, Emil Gorsek, Charles Winter, Joseph Hocevar, Frank Kern, and John Hocevar.

St. Vitus Holy Name News in Pictures

St. Vitus Holy Namers Congratulate the late Charles Winter Sr. on receiving the Holy Name Medallion Circle Award from Bishop Anthony Pilla. The presentation was made at the annual Holy Name Officers Bishop's Dinner at the Towne and Country Restaurant in Strongsville, Ohio on November 1, 1980. The Medallion Circle Award is the highest honor in the Society and is given as recognition "for dedication and excellence in working for the honor and glory of God through the Confraternity of the Holy Name."

The late Charlie Winter certainly earned the award as he was a 50-year charter member of the St. Vitus Holy Name and had held just about every HNS post in the group. He was also active in many other parish activities.



Left to right: Frank Kern, Rev. John Kumse, John Hocevar, Honoree Charles Winter Sr., Joseph Hocevar, Charles Winter Jr., and Frank Zupancic. Not in picture are Dan Postotnik and Ken Tomsick.



Left to right: Wencel Frank, Joseph Hocevar, Mrs. Bernice Wilson, Mr. William Hallisy, Albin Orehek, Edward Thomas and Frank Zupancic.

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The Holy Name Society Pro-Life Dinner Committee presented two checks of \$1,020.00 each to Mrs. Wilson of Birthright and Mr. William Hallisy of Womankind. The amount was realized from profit from the Chicken and Spaghetti Dinner held Oct. 5, 1980 at St. Vitus Hall. Various other clubs of the parish assisted at the dinner.

The Early 1950's

Although the Society was low in numbers at this time, an influx of New Slovenian families from Slovenia settled in our parish. They were encouraged by our pastor, Msgr. B. J. Ponikvar to join our group.

Some of them were go-getters, especially Mr. Franc Sever who recruited nearly 200 new members. Mr. Sever was thrilled to find a society for men only who so practiced their faith by the regular reception of the Sacraments.

He and others organized a Slovenian Men's Retreat at the Diocesan Retreat House on Lake Shore Blvd. and had Bishop Rožman as their Retreat Master. Men like Tony Oblak, Miro Odar, Frank Kamin and others served on our Board and fully cooperated with our English speaking group.

We, at this time, inaugurated bi-lingual meetings. So the society's growth at its peak in the early 1960s reached a figure of nearly 500 men!

Annual Retreats

Our first retreat at the new Diocesan Retreat House on Lake Shore Blvd. and E. 185 St. was on the last Sunday in September of 1948. This was at the peak of the year for the Indians Baseball team which was battling to get into the World Series.

We maintained strict silence for three days at the week-end retreat, yet we were wondering what was happening to our beloved Indians who were playing the New York Yankees that weekend.

On Sunday afternoon we found out the Indians won two out of three games and went on to win the American League title in a playoff game with the Boston Red Sox and eventually won the World Series.

Retreats have continued annually at St. Joseph's, St. Stan's, and Loyola of the Lakes Jesuit Retreat House. Some of the men have made it every year since 1948.

— Mike Kolar

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Ye Olde Fall Festival	
1934-1984	
By Frank Zupancic	
For the first 27 years, the St. Vitus Holy Name Society sponsored an annual social event called, "Ye Olde Fall Festival."	
A dinner of sauerkraut and sausage, a floor show and a band that provided music for dancing were the main ingredients. The hall was decorated with corn stalks, pumpkins and strung leaves. The atmosphere was definitely rustic-country since the idea for the event was a spin-off of the popular barn dances.	
The first Fall Festival headlined the appearance of the Clevelanders' Orchestra. The Vadnal Trio entertained with some old-fashioned songs followed by Mike Suhadole's Skating Triplets who performed fancy feats in a roller skating act.	
Some 300 persons jammed into the tiny school hall (now a library) in that very first festival in 1934. Admission and dinner cost a total of 50 cents!	
This popular social presentation continued on through the years, featuring mostly talent from the parish, the Matt Mlinar Orchestra was a perennial favorite and they had the distinction of playing for the last Fall Festival held in 1960.	
That year, a professional songstress made an appearance along with parish talent and the menu was beef goulash. Price was \$1.50 - a small sum today.	
Roast Beef Dinners on Sunday afternoons replaced this long running event in 1961.	

A4 The Pancake and Sausage Breakfast Takes Hold

This year the St. Vitus Holy Name Society sponsored the 25th Pancake and Sausage Breakfast and celebrated the Silver Anniversary of the event.

In 1960, one of our more active members, the late John Spech, a grocer, suggested that our group try a Pancake and Sausage Breakfast. John personally secured all the necessary information and costs pertaining to staging this breakfast. With his urging, the first Pancake and Sausage Breakfast became a reality.

Sunday, March 27, 1960 dawnded and on that

memorable morning 650 persons were served the hearty meal. The admission was only \$1.00. It was also an "All you can eat" event.

Through the succeeding 24 years, the attendance for the meal has averaged approximately 1,000. The chef in charge has been Joe Komat. Joe has been an excellent and dedicated culinary expert. To him is owed a debt of gratitude.

The original chairman was John Spech. He was succeeded by Frank Zupancic and since 1974 Joseph Hocevar.

35th Anniversary Memories

By Frank Zupancic

A Concelebrated Mass for the living and deceased members of the St. Vitus Holy Name Society took place on Sunday, Oct. 20, 1969 at 11:45 a.m. It marked the observance of the 35th Anniversary of the Society.

Nearly 500 Holy Name members, wives and friends attended the Anniversary Banquet at 1 p.m. in the parish hall, following the Mass. Chairman of the event was Frank Zupancic, along with much assistance from Miss Eleanore Karlinger, then Parish Secarety, and also President Edward Arhar.

Two of our officers, Michael Kolar and France Sever were guest speakers. Both men had done much to promote the Holy name to unexpected heights.

Since Msgr. Louis B. Baznik had just been transferred to St. Patrick's Parish in Thompson, our 35th Anniversary Banquet afforded an opportunity for all to welcome our new pastor, Rev. Rudolph A. Praznik. Msgr. Baznik was the emcee at the banquet.

It was wonderful to see so many of the former presidents, officers and past members of the St. Vitus Holy Name. To them is owed a debt of gratitude for their efforts in the early days of the society. During the program, the Holy Name Men's Choir sang several selections in Slovenian as well as "America the Beautiful."

Some of the excerpts of Michael Kolar's talk included the following, "Our founders, including Msgr. Ponikvar would indeed be happy to see the results of their labors in starting the society, to see that after 35 years, we have an active Holy Name Society with nearly 500 members..."

"The first guest speaker at our monthly meeting was then Judge Frank J. Lausche who rose to even greater prominence in future years..."

"After participating in the 1935 Eucharistic Congress, conventions and in the Slovenian Holy Name Union, World War II slowed our pace as many of our members were in Service — and many didn't return..."

"The East Ohio gas explosion in October, 1944 caused the loss of some of our historical films... When the boys came back after the war, the society swelled its ranks with many displaced persons fleeing Communism in Slovenia. Among the most active and most cooperative was Franc Sever..."

"Our Society had a capella choir led by Mr. Ivan Racic and later by Martin Kosnik... Retreats began to be an annual event for our men at the St. Joseph Retreat House..."

"In conclusion, it is a great honor to be able to welcome back home our new pastor, Father Rudolph Praznik who was an associate editor of the Holy Name News in the beginning years..."



1961 PANCAKE AND SAUSAGE BREAKFAST PHOTOS: Front row, left to right: Ed Kuhel, John Spech, Joe Cimperman, Chef Joe Komat, Frank Bisjak, Anton Oblak, Joe Conaley and Charles Winter Sr.

Top row, left to right: Julius Baca, John Royko, Jim Glavich, Victor Strauss, John Hocevar Sr., Franc Sever and Ted Zak.

Shown in the bottom photo, left to right: Ed Thomas, Chairman John Spech, John Royko, and Frank Zupancic, president in 1960.



President's Message of Congratulations

Congratulations to the members of the St. Vitus Holy Name Society on marking their 50th Golden Anniversary.

They have been dedicated to spreading and increasing love for the Sacred Name of Jesus Christ by word and by the example of a sensible religious life. Every member, young and old, must continue to be

dedicated to this cause even more today.

"If you continue in my word, you are truly my disciples, and you will know the truth, and the truth will make you free."

John 8:31-32

The members of the St. Vitus Holy Name Society, past and present, young and old, are truly His disciples.

Congratulations again and

continue to work in His Name.

Greg Hribar

President, St. Vitus HNS

In Appreciation

We wish to thank all of our patrons for making this historic story and highlights of our Society possible.

We especially wish to thank our feature writers Stanley Frank, Albin Orehek, Joseph Zelle, and Frank Zupancic, especially, for his time in accumulating the material.

We wish to thank James Debevec of the American Home for his help and patience with us in preparing this tabloid.

Thanks also to Joseph Melaher for his proofreading.

If there are any mistakes or omissions, please forgive us.

"Committee"

1935 Eucharistic Congress at Stadium

The world-wide Eucharistic Congress was held in Cleveland in 1935. The largest crowd ever to assemble at Cleveland Stadium showed up when 150,000 men attended the Midnight Mass there.

Our St. Vitus group walked to the Stadium and back. We joined the group from Pittsburgh to get into the stadium.

All the seats were taken by 11:00 p.m. So we and thousands of others had to stand on the field.

Huge as the stadium is, every inch of space was filled with humanity all over the field.

Holy Communion was not distributed because of the huge turnout.

Many HNS Members Saw Military Action

WORLD WAR II HONOR ROLL OF THE 1,089 St. Vitus parishioners who served in the U.S. Armed Forces. Fifty-three gave their lives, the supreme sacrifice.

This Honor Roll, as you see by the picture, was at the Blessed Virgin Altar in St. Vitus Church.

Most of our Holy Name members, Seniors and Juniors, were in the military service and some lost their lives. The Holy Name Society in our parish was down to less than 50 members during this time.

At the war's end, our men returned home and became active again. But as they came back, many of them married and moved out of our neighborhood. The rest were active once more in the Society.

— Mike Kolar



World War II Honor Roll of the 1,089 St. Vitus parishioners who entered the U.S. Armed Forces. Fifty-three gave their lives.



Scene taken in the early 1950s — A Holy Name Men's Outing



THE 1959 ST. VITUS HOLY NAME BOARD (25th Anniversary Celebration): Front row, left to right: *Charles Winter Sr., Anton Oblak, *Frank Grdina, Rev. Victor J. Cimperman, Michael Kolar, Edward Thomas, Frank Bisjak and Albin Orehek.

Second row, left to right: *Frank Sever, Victor Strauss, Stanley Streiner, Julius Baca, Frank Zupancic, Raymond Novak, and *Frank Oblak. (*now deceased)

Holy Name Society

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tournament, and outings.

In 1934 we presented our first Fall Festival. For a mere "1/2 a buck," as the ticket stated, you were entitled to a lunch of sausage and sauerkraut, dancing, and a floor show. The Fall Festival theme became a popular annual event.

As an organization of the parish, we participated and helped in the various parish events, and gave support to other parish organizations. It should be noted here, that in turn, the young ladies of the Sodality and the Baraga Glee Club, under the capable supervision of Eleanore Karlinger, were of great help to us at our Fall Festivals, Communion breakfasts, etc. Eleanore also was the organ accompanist for the Gregorian choir.

At the urging of both Michael Kolar and Lawrence Bandi the HNS embarked upon a task of publishing a monthly newspaper. It was given the

title of *Holy Name News*. Its page size was 8 1/2 x 14", and each issue consisted of four to eight pages, with a special Christmas issue of 12 pages. Printing was by mimeograph process, a slow and messy job, when compared to today's method of copy reproduction. Many hours were spent by the editor and his staff in editing, typing of the mats, printing of the copies, and finally assembling the pages.

The first editor of the paper was Lawrence Bandi. In September, because of the pressure of his school work, Lawrence asked to be relieved of his duties as editor of the paper and also as secretary of the society. Frank Zabukovec temporarily assumed the duties of editorship, and then appointed Joseph Zelle from associate to editor.

Eventually, through the efforts of Michael Kolar, the American Home publishers granted us space in their newspaper, for a weekly

"Holy Name News" section.

Stanley Frank took over the duties of secretary. Lawrence Bandi continued with the News as associate editor, and remained as a member of the Executive Board. At the same time, Louis Schuster, a very active and major asset to the HNS, was added to the Board.

Of the original "Five", Lawrence Bandi (Rt. Rev. Bonaventure Bandi) died on June 16, 1984, after a long bout with cancer. He lived to see the beginning of our 50th anniversary, since February 18th was the actual date. It was his hope to be able to celebrate the occasion with us this fall. But it was not to be.

Of the other four, Frank Zabukovec (Frank Brooks) lives on the West Side of Cleveland. Anthony Baraga after his retirement, moved to Florida. Michael Kolar and I have remained at St. Vitus.

Special recognition must be given to Michael Kolar. Not only does he have the distinction of being one of the original five, but he has also continued to be an active and participating member throughout the 50 years. Truly a dedicated member!

After the Mass, a Breakfast was served in the new parish hall. Shortly after, a brief program began with President Albin Orehek and Msgr. Louis B. Baznik, pastor, awarding Presidential plaques and pins to all the former presidents. Thirteen of 15 were in attendance to accept the awards.

Father Victor J. Cimperman, who guided the Society from 1955 to 1960 at St. Vitus was given much recognition at this event for his ardent zeal and labors in promoting the Holy Name Society in our parish. It was under his guidance that the Society reached unparalleled heights with a membership of over 500 men.

Rev. Leonard Bogolin, O.F.M. was the guest speaker at this Silver Anniversary Breakfast.

50-Year Highlights

- Our own baseball league, consisting of eight "indoor teams".
- Society-sponsored bowling league with six teams.
- Society's "Holy Name News," a mimeographed monthly paper.
- Society Orchestra, also Holy Name Choir with Mr. Ivan Racic, Director
- Holy Name reporters began the first "English Page" column in the American Home
- Nocturnal Adoration Society at St. Paul's Shrine, E-40th and Euclid
- Annual picnics, wiener roasts and hikes, etc.
- Celebration of new Masses by our members — 11 in all.
- Guest speakers which included among others Senator Frank Lausche, Judges Pryatel, Lavrich, Turk and Talty, also Chinese missionaries Rev. O'Donnell and Rev. Francis Rebol — and many other notable speakers.
- The continuous "Ye Olde Fall Festival" which ran for 25 years in a row.
- Formation of the Junior Holy Name Society a few years after the Senior Society was formed.
- Starting of Penny Bingo - later regular Friday night parties. The proceeds went for a stained glass window in our church sanctuary and for other parish needs.
- Prayer hours for Forty-Hours Devotion.
- Prayer hours for Good Friday and Holy Thursday.
- "Millionaire for a Day" Party which turned into the regular annual parish bazaars and carnivals.
- memberships in the Slovenian Holy Name Union.
- During the war years, when most of our members were in Service, "Give him a Spiritual Bouquet of a Communion Sunday" was initiated. Many letters and gift packages were sent to the servicemen.
- Following the end of the war — The Fund for the disabled member veteran was established.
- Formation of the parish bowling league at Grdina Recreation.
- Change-over from Quarterly Communion to monthly receptions, after the war.
- Prayer hours for the deceased members and close relatives.
- Origination of the closed retreats at the Diocesan Retreat House, St. Stan's and Loyola of the Lakes in Akron.
- change of meeting date from second Tuesdays to Sunday mornings with Group Communion at 8 a.m. Mass, followed by a breakfast-meeting in the church hall.
- The Annual Pancake and Sausage Breakfast event has been held for 25 years consecutively.
- Five St. Vitus Holy Name men have been bestowed with the Diocesan's highest award, the "Circle Medallion." The quintet includes Rev. Victor Cimperman, Michael Kolar, the late Charles Winter, Albin Orehek, and Frank Zupancic.
- Our Society has been well-represented with delegates in the National Holy Name Conventions in Boston, Detroit, Pittsburgh, Buffalo and New Orleans.
- Holy Name Chef Joseph Komat, with help from the ranks, has prepared and served such culinary delights as Chow Mein, Chinese Roast Beef, Italiano Spaghetti and Meatballs, Hungarian Goulash and Southern Fried Chicken. The food was well-received by the general public who attended past dinners with attendance hovering around 800.
- Parish Outings sponsored by our society were held in the 1960s at the Pristava and Saxon Acres in the early 1970s.

Dec. 14, 1959 25th Anniversary Celebration

By Frank Zupancic

To commemorate the Silver Jubilee of the St. Vitus Holy Name Society, a Mass for the Living and Deceased Members was offered on Sunday, December 14, 1959 at 8 a.m. Mass.

A huge turnout of over 400 Holy Name Seniors and Juniors was a most impressive sight.

Honorary Woman HNS Member

The St. Vitus Holy Name Society has an honorary female member. She is Miss Eleanore C. Karlinger who has helped out at different functions with her advice and typing. (We may be the first Holy Name Society in this country to have a lady honorary member for 50 years!)

Paper Dedicated to Abbot Bandi

This 50th Anniversary celebration of the St. Vitus Holy Name Society in Cleveland tabloid newspaper is dedicated to the memory of the late Abbot Bonaventure Bandi, OSB (Lawrence Bandi). He was one of the original founders of the Society.

When we visited him in the summer of 1983 at the Cleveland Clinic, he was hoping to live long enough to join in this celebration. He did live to see the 50th birthday in February, but died June 16, 1984. His heart and soul was in our Society. May he rest in peace.



View of the Holy Name Rally at the Cleveland Stadium in September, 1931.

Ulrich Lube Super Salesman

Ulrich Lube, who passed away nearly 10 years ago, was the most successful ticket seller in our Society. His selling techni-

que was unmatched and needless to say, we still miss the late Ulrich and his energetic sales pitches.

Dear Mike:

... In regard to the Golden Anniversary of our St. Vitus Holy Name Society. I used our advisedly as I happen to be one of you during the Organization Drive. I can truthfully say that we were all fired up when we gave those talks to the younger boys to get them to join the Holy Name Society.

We were like the Evangelists sincerely and whole heartedly preaching the merits of our new church organization. I believe even Monsignor Ponikvar was impressed because we sincerely believed in this undertaking.

I do not know at this time if I will be able to attend the 50th Anniversary of our beloved St. Vitus Holy Name Society. I hobble around a bit as I have arthritis in my left knee, more of an inconvenience than an ailment. Give my regards to all "old timers" from the St. Vitus Holy Name Society.

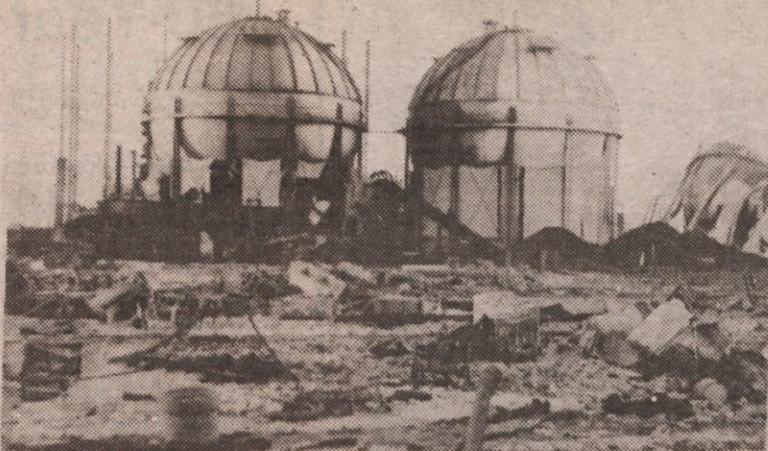
Sincerely,
Tony Baraga

Altamonte Springs, Fla.
(*Tony Baraga is a brother of the late Rev. Frank Baraga who was our spiritual director from 1945 to 1950.*)

PRE-1934!

Just as we are ready to go to press, we have been told that as mentioned in our history, an attempt to found the Holy Name Society was made earlier. Now, we are told that some meetings were held in the old Sodality Room in the St. Vitus School basement.

No dates or records are available, except that Lawrence Bandi and Anthony J. Urbas were the organizers.



The remains of some of the tanks and the devastation of homes and property after the East Ohio Gas Explosion in 1944.



This is the same area taken after the East Ohio Gas Explosion which burned down homes in the area and many persons were killed.

Gas Explosion and Fire

On October 20, 1944 on a Friday afternoon at 2:40 p.m. one of the liquid gas tanks exploded and then ignited another larger tank at the East Ohio Gas property between East 55th and 62nd St. (Please be advised that at that time East 61 Street met at the corner with East 55th So. so there were no other streets between E. 55 and E. 61 St.)

The frozen liquid gas fell over the whole E. 61st, E. 62nd, Sts., partly covered E. 63rd, E. 55th and also Lake Court Ave.

Before long the next larger cylindrical tank (shaped like a ball) blew up. This caused a flame hundreds of feet in the sky and it looked like the whole Slovenian community would be destroyed.

Luckily, the wind shifted and blew the flames towards the lake across the railroad bridge and tracks to old Kurja vas (Chicken Village).

The two photos show what the area looked like after the fire. One-hundred and thirty-

one persons died in the fire. Most of the dead were East Ohio Gas employees. Our neighborhood casualties numbered 10 dead, and over 100 homes burned to the ground.

Many of our members were in service at the time and Nazi propaganda showed pictures of the fire as if they had bombed Cleveland. The description in newsreels and newspapers said the whole area from E. 55 to Addison was destroyed, but fortunately our church, Slovenian Home and American Home were not.



This picture is of houses on the West Side of East 61 St. taken this year. You can see St. Vitus Church tower in the background.

The "Junior" HNS Active in Own Way

By Albin Orehek

The St. Vitus "Junior" Holy Name was organized soon after the "Senior" Holy Name in 1934 to serve the spiritual and social needs of our parish's young boys. The Juniors were then transferred to the Seniors at adulthood.

The first Moderator for the Juniors was the well-known Charles Winter who acted as liaison between societies. The Juniors were autonomous, having separate meetings conducted by a junior slate of officers who depended upon the guidance and advice of the senior group.

Many memorable, happy and productive years can be recalled for those who were active members. They had their own "Namer" news journal which provided up-to-date news to its members. The Juniors also provided many enjoyable hours to audiences who attended the Minstrel Shows, capably produced by members for many years in a row.

One of the "sparkplugs" instrumental in organizing and promoting activities was Fred "Bam" Orehek who in later years became a Chicago Tribune journalist prior to his untimely death seven years ago.

Eventually the popularity of Minstrel Shows diminished and the Juniors in the early forties began producing Variety Shows which remained popular through the fifties.

Moderators during the Variety Show days were Revs. Francis Baraga and Victor Tomc who served countless hours to help direct and produce the shows.

Talented Ken Tomsick served as the popular "M.C." for the Variety Shows for many years and Don Močnik contributed immensely helping to produce yearly shows. Space does not permit listing all the

participants who worked so diligently to keep the society so vibrant and active throughout 50 years. Many members are deceased, but many still recall the happy and active days spent with the Juniors. God only knows how many young boys avoided a misdirected life by receiving the spiritual and constructive guidance offered abundantly through the Holy Name Society.

After 50 years the Juniors are still active, capably directed by the popular Greg Hribar who coaches the youth in basketball and other athletic events.

50th Golden Anniversary and Family Communion St. Vitus Holy Name Society

Cleveland, Ohio
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 14, 1984

9:15 A.M. Concelebrated Mass of Thanksgiving for the Living and Deceased Members of the St. Vitus Holy Name Society, and Family Communion. — The Liturgy to be opened with remarks by Cleveland Diocese Bishop Anthony M. Pilla.

10:30 A.M. Family Breakfast and Celebration of the Golden Jubilee of the Society.

PROGRAM

1. — OPENING PRAYER Rev. Joseph Bozner, Pastor and Spiritual Director President Greg Hribar
2. — ANNOUNCEMENTS
3. — GREETINGS
4. — INTRODUCTION OF PRESENT OFFICERS
5. — INTRODUCTION OF PAST PRESIDENTS Rev. Joseph Bozner
6. — MAIN PRESENTATION Rev. Joseph Bozner
7. — CLOSING COMMENTS Rev. Joseph Bozner
8. — CLOSING PRAYER Rev. Joseph Bozner



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NEKAJ ZGODOVINE DRUŠTVA NAJSVETEJŠEGA IMENA PRI FARI SV. VIDA

Pred pol stoletja je bilo v fari sv. Vida polno življenja in živahnega delovanja. Tedanji župnik rajnki msgr. Jernej J. Ponikvar je ustanovil veliko farnih organizacij, med njimi Ditaro - društvo, Marijino dekliško društvo, pevski zbor Lira in slovenskega katoliškega "Orla". To društvo je imelo obsežen program dela, ki ni bil omejen na telovadbo, ampak je obsegal tudi dramatiko, petje in tamuraško skupino. Naše šolske izvorane so bile zasedene vsak večer z različnimi vajami.

Največja pozornost je bila posvečena mladini, njenemu razvedrilu, vzgoji in vodstvu v uhi katoliških načel.

Vsako zimo so pripravili in odali vsaj tri igre v Knausovi vorani. Delovanje "Orla" se posebno raztegnilo od jeseni leta 1928, ko je župnik dobil iz slovenije rev. Matijo Jagra, ki mu pomaga pri delu v fari sv. Vida. Novi kaplan je pospeševal telovadbo. "Orl" je začel nastopati v slovenskem narodnem domu St. Clair Avenue pa tudi na

deželi. Za nastop na prvem Slovenskem ameriškem dnevu v Chicagu in v Lemontu so našli cel vlak. Iz Clevelandu se je te pomembne prireditve udeležilo okoli 300 ljudi.

Rev. Matija Jager je režiral tudi več iger, s katerimi je njegova igralska skupina nastopila v Slovenskem narodnem domu na St. Clair Avenue, pa gostovala z njimi tudi v Collinwoodu, Newburgu in West Parku. Ko je rev. Jager po nekaj letih opustil "Orla" in je ta organizacija svoje delo omejila bolj na družabno področje, je ustanovil "Slovenski oder". Prostori, ki so dotej služili za telovadbo, so služili poslej za igralske vaje in odrške nastope. Ker dvorana ni bila velika, imela je le okoli 250 sedežev, so igre ponovili enkrat ali dvakrat zapored, da so jih mogli vsi videti.

Rev. Matija Jager je ustanovil tudi "Dekliški Baragov zbor", ki je imel več koncertnih in drugih nastopov.

V tej dobi je prišlo do velike



Stara lesena cerkev sv. vida vsredini, na levi Župnišče na desni pa stara lesena šola sv. Vida. Ta poslopja so še stala koje bilo DNIJ ustanovljeno leta 1934. Sedaj je na tem prostoru nova farna dvorana in parkališče.

depresije, ki je trajala od leta 1932 pa vse tja do začetka druge svetovne vojne. Mladi fantje so se tedaj začeli bolj zanimati za ameriške športe, baseball, basketball (Košarko) in kegljanje.

Septembra 1931 je bil v novem stadionu velik nastop moških iz vsega Clevelandu pod vodstvom Društva Najsvetejšega Imena iz fara vsega mesta. Tudi iz fare sv. Vida nas je bilo nekaj navzočih. Mogočni zbor, ki se ga je udeležilo nad 50.000 mož in fantov, je napravil na nas močan vtis. Navdušeni nad tem smo šli k župniku msgr. Jerneju Ponikvarju, in mu predložili ustanovitev Društva Najsvetejšega Imena tudi v naši fari sv. Vida. Župnik je imel tiste dni veliko dela in skrbi z gradnjo nove cerkve, tako nam je svetoval, naj počakamo, da bo nova cerkev dograjena in urejena. Dejal je, da bo tedaj na razpolago več prostora in bomo imeli boljše možnosti za shajanje in seje.

Ko je bila nova cerkev blagoslovljena, so se pobudniki za novo organizacijo 14. januarja 1934 zbrali v Kolarjevi hiši na 1021 E. 61 St., da svojo zamisel izvedejo. Navzoči so bili: Lovrec Bandi (pokojni opat Bonaventura Bandi), Stanley Frank, Anthony Baraga, Frank Zubukovec (Brooks) in Mihael Kolar. Sklenili so, da gredo k župniku in začno z društvom.

Župnik msgr. Jernej J. Ponikvar nas je veselo pozdravil in sprejel ter nam obljubil vso pomoč. Povedal nam je, da je že dolgo mislil na ustanovitev društva, ki naj bi

**Po vaših delih vas bodo poznali,
da ste moji učenci**

Ob nedeljah in zapovedanih praznikih hodimo v cerkev k sv. maši, prejemamo sv. obhajilo, opravljamo vsakdanje molitve, izpolnjujemo božje in cerkvene zapovedi, smo torej katoličani, celo tudi dejavnici katoličani. Za take nas imajo sosedje, znanci, okolica na splošno.

Jezus je dejal svojim učencem, ko so ga vprašali, kako naj se izkažejo, da so njegovi učenci: "Po vaših delih vas bodo spoznali!"

V teh Jezusovih besedah ni obseženo le zunanje izpolnjevanje božjih zapovedi, ampak še bolj notranja združitev z Bogom. Ta se izraža v vsem našem življenju povsod in vselej. Če se vedno zavedamo božje prisotnosti, če hočemo vsak čas služiti Bogu, če vsak čas gorimo v ljubezni do Njega, potem se to tudi vsak čas odraža v našem življenju, v naših odnosih do soljudi, v našem odnosu do dela, v izpolnjevanju naših dolžnosti in obveznosti. Če v nas gori resnična ljubezen do bližnjega, bomo to kazali v svojih dejanjih, z ljubeznivo besedo, z dobrim zgledom.

Kot člani Društva Najsvetejšega Imena sodelujemo z drugimi društvimi in skupinami v korist fare, njenega vzdrževanja in rasti. Pri tem naj bi nas vedno vodila misel, da delamo v božjo čast, da iščemo najprej božjo slavo, saj nam je reklo Gospod: "Iščite najprej božje kraljestvo in vse drugo vam bo navrženo." Ko bi se ravnali po teh Jezusovih besedah pri vsaki razpravi v farni skupnosti, posebej ko te neposredno zadevajo faro, njeni cerkev in farno versko življenje, bi med nami ne bilo zadreg in trenj. Četudi ne bi bili vedno vsi enakih misli, bi ljubezen do Boga in bližnjega vselej našla pot k mirni, prijateljski rešitvi vseh nesporazumov, zadreg, različnih želja, razhajajočih se mnenj.

V katoliških krogih že skozi vrsto rodov razpravljamo o dolžnostih katoličanov javnosti, v javnem življenju in delovanju. Tisti, ki so resnično prežeti s Kristusovim naukom, niso imeli in nimajo posebnih težav. Odločajo se v vsem, kot bi se odločali in kot bi delali v Njegovi prisotnosti, torej v vsej globini in obsežnosti Njegovega nauka.

Precej kristjanov, tudi precej katoličanov živi svojo vero v svojem domu in v božjem hramu, v javnem življenju in delovanju pa se drži poti, navad in morale svoje okolice. Pri tem se niti ne zavedajo, da tako ravnanje vzbuja dvom v njihovo resnično vernost, saj življenje po veri pomeni službo Bogu, izpolnjevanje Njegove volje, izražene v božjih zapovedih, v Kristusovem nauku.

Kot člani Društva Najsvetejšega Imena premišljamo ob petdesetletnici našega društva, sklenimo posebno to da bomo poglobili svojo vero, da bomo z življenjem in delom po njej kazali, da smo Njegovi učenci!

(član)

ČAS BEŽI

pridobil, da sem šel na duhovne vaje!

Ko Franceta Severja ni bilo več, so slovenske duhovne vaje začele počasi umirati. Nismo mogli več dobiti dovolj mož in fantov, da bi dobili prostor v domu. Tudi jaz sem pomagal pridobivati udeležence, a nisem imel Francetove gorečnosti in požrtvovalnosti. Ko ni bilo več slovenskih duhovnih vaj, sem se pridružil skupini, ki je hodila na angleške duhovne vaje. Tedaj sem bolje spoznal moža, ki je bil globoko veren in je dobesedno gorel za DNI - Frank Grdina. Na vsakem sestanku vzpodbjal, naj veliko molimo, posebno za papeža in Cerkev. Bil je vedno živahan in vesel, čeprav njegovo življenje ni bilo posejano s samimi rožicami. Samo enkrat sem v osebnem pogovoru z njim zaslutil, koliko trpi. Čeprav že v letih, je bil delaven član DNI do svoje smrti.

Ne bom Vaju pozabil. Hvaležen sem Bogu, da sem vaju srečal.

m. o.

* Z veseljem sporočamo da smo imeli letos v februarju zopet slovenske duhovne vaje v domu za duhovne vaje na Lake Shore Blvd. blizu 185 ceste. Tudi prihodnje leto bodo zopet.

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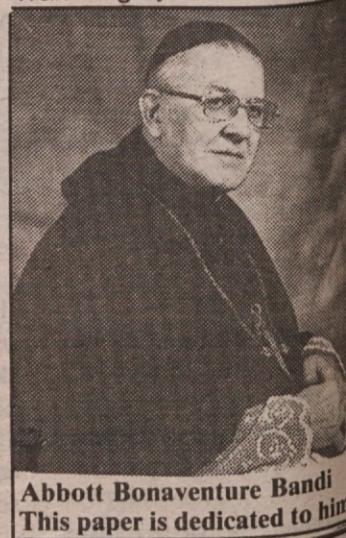
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Joe Komat, chef extraordinaire, has prepared over 35,000 meals for Holy Name events, and every meal was a delectable delight!

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Abbott Bonaventure Bandi
This paper is dedicated to him

NEKAJ ZGODOVINE DRUŠTVA NAJSVETEJŠEGA IMENA PRI FARI SV. VIDA

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vodilo "katoliško akcijo" v fari sv. Vida. Svetoval nam je, da se dobro pripravimo, predno bomo sklicali člane na ustanovno sejo.

Iz župnijskih knjig smo dobili imena vseh graduantov farne šole zadnjih deset let. Imeli smo tri pripravljalne seje, na katere smo vabili te fante in jim razložili namen in pomen Društva Naјsvetejšega Imena. Potrebno gradivo o tem smo dobili iz glavnega urada tega društva v New Yorku. Fantje so se odzvali in pokazali veliko zanimanje. Ustanovna seja je bila v dvorani pod cerkvijo v torek, 18. februarja 1934.

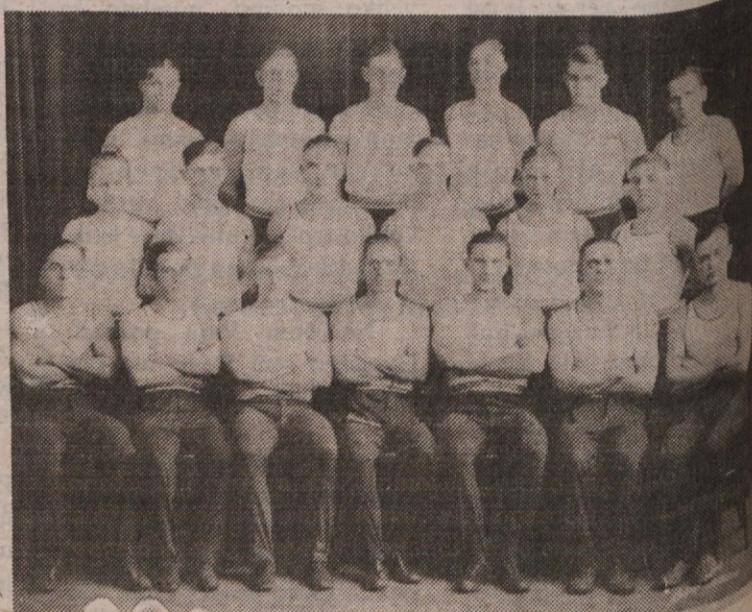
Župnik msgr. J. Ponikvar je z očitnim zadovoljstvom in veseljem pozdravil kakih 135 navzočih. Govorili so tudi Lovrenc Bandi in drugi iz skupine petih pobudnikov in ustanoviteljev društva. Udeleženci, večina višešolci, visokošolci in semeničniki, so navdušeno sprejeli predložene programe. Sklenjeno je bilo, da bomo imeli skupno sv. obhajilo vsake tri mesece. Nekaj let kasneje smo se odločili za skupno obhajilo vsak mesec. Seje so bile določene enkrat na mesec, vršile naj bi se zvečer, odbor pa naj zboruje tedensko. V prvem letu je bilo 35 odborovih sej.

Pri volitvah so bili izvoljeni v prvi odbor društva: predsednik Frank Zabukovec (Brooks), podpredsednik Mihael Kolar, tajnik Lovrenc

Bandi, blagajnik Rudolph Kasunic. Župnik je nato imenoval v odbor še Stanleyja Franka, Josepha Modica, Anthonyja Barago in Martina Sveteta, sam pa je prevzel mesto društvenega duhovnega vodje.

Društvo Naјsvetejšega Imena je vedno znova poskrbelo za različne dejavnosti, ki naj bi pritegnile in zaposlike mladino. Ta je imela v času velike depresije veliko časa, saj kake zaposlitve ni bilo mogoče najti. Imeli smo "baseball" ligo s 6 skupinami, "basketball" s 4 skupinami in 5 skupin za kegljanje. Pripravili smo izlet v naravo, pričeli z orkestrom in pevskim zborom, organizirali jesenski festival z večerjo in zabavo, kateri se je nato vršil vsako jesen skozi 25 let.

M. K.



Na sliki vidimo telovadce svete vidskega "ORLA" leta 1928.

MOLITEV K NADANGELU MIHAELU

Sveti nadangel Mihael, brani nas v boju zoper moči teme in zalezovanje hudobnega duha! Ukrati naj ga Bog, ponizno za to prosimo. In Ti, vodnik nebeške vojske, satana in druge hudobne duhove, ki hodijo po svetu v pogubo duš, z božjo pomočjo v pekel pahnji! Amen.

To je bila najdražja molitev ranjkega Franka Grdina našega priljubljenega pokojnega bivšega predsednika in angleškega vodje katolske akcije.

Pogrešamo njegove mesečne misli na naših sejah.