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Zanimive vesti iz življenja naših ljudi po ameri- ških naselbinah

Kongresman James iz Michigana je priporočil za vstop v vojaško akademijo mladega Ferdinanda Česarka iz Celumeta, Michigan, sina urednika tamojšnjega časopisa "Hrvatska."

V Calumetu, Michigan, se je pretekli teden poročila mlada Slovenka Miss Elsie Majerle s Fincem Abiel Kargela.

V mestu Cle Elum, Washington, je kandidiral letos za župana tudi naš rojak John Sober, ki je dobil vsega skupaj 198 glasov.

Slovenski demokrati klub, obstoječ iz slovenskih državljanz, se je ustanovil v Brooklynu, N. Y. Številno Slovencev, ameriških državljanov, je bilo navzočih pri prvem sestanku, katerega je aranziral poznani rojak Anton Cvetkovič.

Slovinci v Brooklynu, N. Y., so preteklo nedeljo priredili krasno Meškotovo dramo "Matj." Režijo igre je imel naš odlični pevec g. Anton Šubelj. Dramsko društvo "Domovina" se pripravlja na ponovno igro. Igrali bodo lepo igro "Materin blagoslov," ki je v Clevelandu že štirikrat do-prinesla tako sijajen uspeh.

Viktor Skufe, slovenski dijak v Seattle, Washington, star 13 let, je dobil smrtno telesno poškodbo v football igri. Umrl je na potu v bolnico.

Telefon številka

Naše pogrebne, društvene tajnike in vse druge, ki kličejo zadnji trenutek jutraj po telefonu glede novic za časopis, prosimo, da kličejo dokler se nahajamo v začasnih prostorih, našo telefonsko številko

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To pa samo med 7. in 8. uro, jutraj, za vse druge klice, ob vsaki drugi uri je telefonska številka HENDERSON 0628. Samo med 7. in 8. uro jutraj pa kličejo ENDicott 4088. Uredništvo se nahaja v sosednjem poslopiju od tiskarne, in ker je urednik med 7. in 8. uro jutraj v tiskarni, ne more slišati telefona v uradu, zato pa kličejo med 7. in 8. uro jutraj ENDicott 4088, ki je telefonska številka naše tiskarne, a številka našega uredništva je HENDERSON 0628. Prijazno prosimo, da si izrežete to notico in jo spravite za prihodnje tri mesece, dokler ne bomo v našem novem poslopiju.

Earle Martin

Brez dvoma je, da je Mr. Earle Martin, ki je bil imenovan te dni za glavnega urednika časopisa "The Cleveland News," eden najbolj zmognih urednikov v državi Ohio. Mr. Martin je bil svoje dni glavni urednik "Pressa," in je bil časopis "The Cleveland Press" pod njegovim vodstvom jako uvažen dnevnik. Upamo, da bo Mr. Martin kot urednik "Newsa" pripomogel k dostojnosti, točnosti in resnicoljubnosti in poročevanju, ter uvedel etiko časnikaštva, ki je tako potrebna nekaterim angleškim listom.

Gostje iz Chicage

Za koncert, ki ga priredi pevski zbor "Zarja" na Zahvalni dan v Slov. Narodnem Domu, vlada veliko zanimanje. Udeležba obeta biti jako velika, in tudi vstopnice je prodanih lepo število. Mnogo gostov je naznanjenih iz Chicage. Kdor si hoče nabaviti vstopnico, jo lahko dobi v slešičarni Mrs. Kushlan v SND.

Suhači trdijo, da so politi- karji, pa ne narod, volili pri zadnjih volitvah

Washington, 22. novembra. F. Scott McBride, načelnik Anti-Saloon lige v Ameriki je danes zaeno z drugimi voditelji suhačev izjavil, da ne verujejo v sodbo naroda pri zadnjih volitvah, da naj se odpravi prohibicija v Zedinjenih državah. Suhači so enoglasnega mnenja, da zadnje volitve niso bile izraz narodne volje, pač pa izraz politkarjev, ki so volitve tako napeljali, da so propadli zagovorniki prohibicije, Suhači, da niso imeli pri zadnjih volitvah nobene prilike izjaviti svojega mišljenja. Dočim so imeli mokri tri pota in načine, kako voliti za svoje kandidate, so bili suhi brez vsakega vodstva. Raditega se suhi ne bodo podali in bodo postavnim potom poskusili vsa sredstva in pota, da se prohibicija še nadalje obdrži v Ameriki.

Gospodinje pozor!

Ko kupujete danes kokoši, race, gosi ali purane za svoje kosilo v četrtek, vas prav vljudno opozarjamo na naše domače, slovenske mesnice. Zakaj? Ne samo iz vzroka, ker so lastniki naši domačini, rojaki, pač pa iz vzroka ekonomije, ker si prihranite denar, ako kupite pri domačih ljudeh, kajti naši ljudje prodajajo mnogo cenejše kot veržne tuje trgovine, poleg tega ste pa lahko prepričani, da dobite popolnoma svežo, dobro in okusno perutnino, ničesar preležanega na ledu in v skladiščih kot se to dogaja drugod. Naši slovenski trgovci vam nudijo najfinje goscje kokoši po 18c funt, dočim oglašujejo veržne trgovine 23c funt. Meso puranov oglašujejo veržne trgovine po 28 centov funt, pri naših trgovcih dobite svežega purana po 24 centov funt. Vi vidite oglaševanje naših slovenskih trgovcev vsak teden v "Ameriški Domovini." Obrnite se z zaupanjem do njih. Prepričani ste lahko, da dobite veliko cenejše, boljše in bolj okusno meso kot pa v tujih, veržnih trgovinah.

Community fond

Sinoči je bil zaključek velike kampanje za Community fond. Prvič po dolgih letih se ni doseglo svote, ki je bila postavljena za cilj. Dočim bi se imelo nabrati vsega skupaj \$4,250,000, pa so z največjo težavo nabrali \$3,793,326, torej nekako 11 odstotkov do skupne svote. Mogoče je, da se v teh dnevih še kdo oglasi z večjim darilom. Kljub temu, da cilj ni dosežen, pa so ljudje darovali do skrajnosti, ker pomisliti je treba, da so letos za 65 odstotkov manj delali in zaslužili kot lani.

Štirje kongresmani

Demokratski kongresmani države Ohio so prišli do sporazuma, da dobi Cuyahoga okraj še en kongresni distrikt. Dosedaj jih imamo tri, in v kratkem dobimo še enega, tako da bodo prebivalci Clevelanda in okolice zastopani v kongresu po štirih kongresmanih. Meje novega okraja še niso določene.

Pokojninski fond

Dva republikanska councilmana, ki sta bila doslej člana pokojninskega fonda policistov in ognjegašev, sta resignirala, in na njiju mesto sta bila imenovana demokrata Artl in Grossman. Dr. Zupnik, poznani zobozdravnik, je predsednik tega odbora.

Kdo bo predsednik, ako umrje Franklin Roosevelt pred četrtem marcem?

Washington, 22. novembra. Milijone Amerikancev je, ki se redno na vsaka štiri leta vprašujejo, kaj se bi zgodilo, ako bi novoizvoljeni predsednik umrl pred 4. marcem, ko nastopi svoj urad? Ali ostane stari predsednik v uradu, ali nastopi podpredsednik svoj urad, ki je bil zaeno izvoljen z novim predsednikom? Odgovor na to vprašanje je zelo preprost. Ameriška ustava govori, da državljani ne izvolijo predsednika in podpredsednika, pač pa izvolijo ameriški državljani le predsedniške elektrorje. Ti elektrorji so oni, ki izvolijo predsednika, in lahko se zgodi, kot se je zgodilo že trikrat, da elektrorji ne postavijo onega za predsednika, ki je dobil najvišje število glasov, pač pa kot oni, elektrorji, določijo. V rokah teh elektrorjev je torej, kdo bi bil predsednik v slučaju, da izvoljeni predsednik umre. Vseh elektrorjev je 531. Rečuna se, da je bilo letos 488 demokratskih elektrorjev izvoljenih in samo 43 republikanskih. Ako bi Roosevelt torej umrl danes, jutri ali pred 4. marcem, bi večina demokratskih elektrorjev izvolila predsednikom onega, ki je dobil za Rooseveltom na demokratski konvenciji največ glasov, to je, Alfred Smitha. To bi se zgodilo, ako bi Roosevelt umrl pred 1. januarjem, 1933, ko nevažno elektrorji glasujejo. Ako bi pa Roosevelt umrl med 1. januarjem, potem ko so elektrorji že glasovali za njega, in med 4. marcem, tedaj pa nastane drugačen položaj. V tem slučaju bi elektrorji potrdili podpredsednika za predsednika, a ured pravega predsednika bi ostal vseeno prazen. Podpredsednik kot začasni predsednik bi takoj imenoval svoj kabinet, in če bi tudi on slučajno umrl, bi mu nasledil državni tajnik, zakladniški tajnik, itd. Povsem drugačen slučaj pa bi bil, ako bi novoizvoljeni predsednik in podpredsednik oba umrla pred 4. marcem po izvolitvi. V takem slučaju bi stari predsednik sklical kongres k izvanredni seji in ta seja bi imenovala novega predsednika.

Slovenski radio

V obilici dogodkov v naselbini pretekle dni smo pozabili omeniti slovenski radio program od pretečene nedelje. Nastopil je kvartet mladih slovenskih pevcev, in sicer John in Eddie Bradač, John Samsa in John Lube. Kot nam pripovedujejo poslušalci radio programa, so jim vse pesmice prav ugajale, in prav gotovo bo ta kvartet še kaj se oglašil na slovenskem radio programu. Poleg tega je pa orkester Mr. Charles Zorman na mestu, ker nam prinaša izključno slovenske komade, ki tako prijetno odmevajo iz radio aparatov. Tiste pol urice slovenskega radio programa je najbolj prijeten čas, kar ga doživimo v nedeljo.

Zopet komunisti

V pondeljek popoldne so komunisti zopet "napadli" City Hall in hoteli govoriti z županom. Ker pa niso imeli ničesar posebnega, razven senzajcio, jih je policija lepo po gentlemansko potolazila in prepodila od mestne hiše. 20 policistov na konjih je radovedne komuniste odrinila, in komunisti so bili pri volji odpotovati. Nihče ni bil ranjen, nihče aretiran, vse je bilo o.k.

ALFRED SMITH IN F. D. ROOSEVELT

Ko sta se spoprijaznila, segla v roke in se pobratila Alfred Smith in Franklin Roosevelt, je bilo znamenje, da vlada v demokratskih vrstah harmonija in sloga. Smith in Roosevelt sta najbolj odlična zastopnika ameriških demokratov, in dokler bodo demokratski edini med seboj, bodo tudi kaj storili za deželo. Alfred Smith in Franklin Roosevelt sicer ne bosta prišla nocoj na veliki demokratski ples, ki ga priredi Slovenski politični klub 23. varde v Grdinovi dvorani, ker sta preoddeljena, toda zato so pa vabljeni prav vljudno vsi naši demokrati v Clevelandu in okolici, da posejijo nocojšni ples, na katerem boste imeli izvrstno zabavo, ko bodo demokrati praznovali svojo zmago pri volitvah 8. novembra. Pridite nocoj v Grdinovo dvorano k prijetni domači plesni veselici, da se kaj dobrega pomenimo, malo poveselimo in pokramljamo med seboj. Pridite, stari in mladi, vsi dobrodošli. Vstopnina je samo 25 centov, in tako imate cel večer prijetne domače zabave. Enkrat se lahko pokažemo, da smo zmagaali, in pokažimo se nocoj večer v Grdinovi dvorani. Boste videli, kdo bo tam! Le pridite!

\$300.00 skritih na domu odnešenih po roparjih

Peter Kosar, 9617 Elizabeth Ave. je sinoči s svojo ženo in tremi otroci sedel pri večerji, ko se kuhinjska vrata odpro in vstopijo trije neznanji moški. Eden izmed njih je pokazal .32 kaliberski revolver in spodil vso družino v kopalnico, kjer jo je stražil z revolverjem, dočim sta ostala dva roparja začela premetavati po hiši, in sta v resnici dobila \$300.00, katere je imel Kosar spravljene v front sobi, v skrinji. S tem denarjem so roparji odšli. Mudili so se kakih 15 minut v stanovanju. Starejši fant Kosarjeve družine je hitel za avtomobilom, s katerim so se roparji odpeljali, toda radi teme številke ni mogel videti. Zopet en nauk: denar je za banko, ne za skrinje in modroce! Koliko stotisoč dolarjev so roparji odnesli že letos priprostim družinam!

Na razstavi

Neutrudna narodna delavka, Mrs. Marion Kuhar bo tudi danes popoldne na mednarodni razstavi v mestnem avditoriju kazala krasne slovenske čipke, vezanje in pletenje, dočim bo naš Ribničan Mr. Trdan kazal umetnost v lesorezu. Nocoj večer nastopi Mr. Eddie Simms, ki bo s svojim izvrstnim igranjem na harmoniko spremljal plesalke od Jugoslav kluba. Jutri, na Zahvalni dan, je plesni program slovenske šole, in sicer popoldne. Igrala bosta Germ brata, dočim bo nastopila tudi Mrs. Kuhar in Mr. Trdan. Na večer pa bomo videli plesalce od "Orlov," katere bo spremljal Jackie Zorc. Ob 10. zvečer bo kot posebna točka revija slovenskih plesalcev in plesalk.

Predsednik Hoover najbrž ne bo podpisal postave za prodajo dobre pive

Washington, 22. novembra. Predsednik Hoover je včeraj izjavil, da nikakor ni njegov namen in volja, da bi podpisal postavu, ki naj dovoljuje dobro pivo v Zedinjenih državah, v slučaju, da kongres naredi enako postavu. Hooverja je obiskal neki kongresman, ki mu je povedal, da bo kongres glasoval v prvem zasedanju glede pive, in je indirektno omenil predsedniku, če bo podpisal postavu. Hoover sicer na to ni direktno odgovoril, povedal pa je, da ga ne zanima enake postavu, iz česar se sklepa, da bo predsednik Hoover prepredil vsak poskus upeljati dobro pivo v Ameriki, dokler bo on predsednik. V tem slučaju nikakor ne bo mogoče, da dobi ameriški narod vino in pivo, dokler je predsednik Hoover na vladi, in bomo morali čakati, da Roosevelt pride v predsedniški urad. In še to ne zadostuje, kajti novi predsednik Roosevelt mora sklicati kongres k izvanrednemu zasedanju, in šele ta kongres bi odobril postavu glede pive, katere postavu je Roosevelt pripraviljen takoj podpisati. Da je Hoover sovražen povrnitvi pive in vina, je dokazal tekem svoje predsedniške kampanje, ko ves čas ni omenil niti z besedo o prohibiciji. Baš to je vzrok, da je Hoover pri volitvah propadel kot pred njim še noben drugi predsedniški kandidat.

Predsedniški glasovi

Washington, 22. novembra. Končno in uradno štetje za izvolitev predsednika Združenih držav, še sedaj ni končano, ker poročila iz nekaterih držav niso še dospela v glavno mesto. Do danes pa stoji štetje glasov sledeče: Roosevelt 21,357,057 glasov, Hoover 15,091,259 glasov, Thomas, socialist, 616,185 glasov, Upshaw, suhač, 32,684 glasov, Harvey, liberalna stranek (!!) 21,282 glasov, in Reynold, kandidat socialistično-delavske stranke pa 21,711 glasov. Pričakuje se, da bo se znalo za natančno število glasov šele v začetku decembra.

Progresivni klub

Danes večer, v sredo, 23. novembra, se vrši redna mesečna seja Jugoslovanskega Progresivnega Kluba v prostorih Slovenskega društvenega doma na Reher Ave. Vsi člani so prošeni, da se gotovo udeležijo, ker je več jako važnih zadev na vrsti. — Odbor.

Kristus — upornik

"Krist je bil največji upornik, kar jih je kdaj tavallo po svetu," se je izjavil protestantovski pastor Roy Lawther. Da ni bilo "uporniškega" duha Krista na zemlji, bi ne imeli današnje civilizacije.

Brezposelno zavarovanje

Seja za brezposelno zavarovanje je v starostno pokojnino se vrši v petek, 25. nov., ob 8. uri zvečer, v S. N. Domu, dvorana št. 2, novo poslojpe. Zastopniki naj se gotovo udeležijo radi bodočega delovanja. — Tajnik.

Skupna društva sv. Vida

Nocoj, v sredo večer, se vrši seja skupnih društev fare sv. Vida. Prošeni so vsi zastopniki in zastopnice, da se udeležijo nocojšnje seje, ko se bodo razdelila pisma zastopnikom in zastopnicam, da jih ponesejo na društvene seje.

Velika besedna bitka med Japonci in Kitajci na zboru Lige narodov

Geneva, 22. novembra. Danes sta nastopila pri zborovanju Lige narodov po en zastopnik Kitajske, dr. Wellington Koo, in en zastopnik Japonske, Josuke Matusoka. Šlo se je za vprašanje Mandžurije. Kitajski zastopnik na zborovanju je izjavil, da Japonci brez usmiljenja koljejo kitajske državljane v Mandžuriji in plenijo njih premoženje. Japonski zastopnik je pa prosil za potrpežljivost in izjavil, da bo politika Japoncev v Mandžuriji se končno izkazala za pravilno. Matusoka je v imenu japonske vlade izjavil, da je Kitajska dežela neredov in nemirov, dočim mu je kitajski zastopnik odgovoril, da je Japonska se neprestano umeševala v kitajske zadeve. Nato je japonski zastopnik povedal, da je nameravala Kitajska ekonomično ubiti Japonsko z bojkotiranjem japonskega blaga, a kitajski zastopnik je izjavil, da je to pošteno orožje v rokah naroda, ki se ne more drugače braniti. Japonski zastopnik je nadalje trdil, da so prebivalci Mandžurije sem zahtevali, da sem pridejo Japonci in naredijo red v deželi, nakar je kitajski zastopnik odgovoril, da so Japonci le hoteli si podjarmiti kitajsko Mandžurijo za svoje imperialistične namene. Angleški in francoski zastopnik na konferenci Lige narodov sta ves čas debate med Kitajci in Japonci — spala na svojih sedežih.

Pionir umrl

Zopet je umrl eden slovenskih pionirjev Clevelanda, naš stari znanec, Mr. Anton Antončič. Preminul je po daljši bolezni v starosti 63 let. Umrl je v terek dopoldne. Ranjki je bil doma iz vasi Vrhe, fara Stari Trg pri Ložu, odkoder je prišel v Ameriko pred 29. leti. V domovini zapuščal pokojnik dve sestri, tu v Clevelandu pa soprogo Frances, sina Franka, hčer Frances, poročeno Prah ter sinove Louis in Rudolpha. Ranjki je bil član društva sv. Vida, št. 25 K.S.K.J., društva Srca Jezusovega in društva Cleveland, S.N.P.J. Ranjki je bil delavec vse dni svojega bivanja v Ameriki v tovarni American Steel & Wire Co., kjer je bil poznan vsem po svoji prijaznosti. Zadnja tri leta je bil upokojen. Mož je bil priljubljen pri vseh, ki so ga poznali v Clevelandu, in imel je lepo število prijateljev in znancev. Pogreb Antončiča se vrši v petek dopoldne iz hiše žalosti na 1096 E. 71st St., pod vodstvom A. Grdina & Sons. Preostali družinski izrekamo naše globoko sožalje! Bodi lahna ameriška zemlja ranjkemu!

Bazar nocoj

Nocoj večer se vrši v šolski dvorani sv. Kristine velik bazar, v četrtek na Zahvalni dan pa priredi klub društev domačo plesno veselico v korist cerkve sv. Kristine. Odbor prav prijazno vabi občinstvo k obilni udeležbi.

Silvestrov večer

St. Clair Merchants Improvement Association nam naznana, da bodo imeli na Silvestrov večer, 31. decembra, zabavo v Knausovi dvorani. Zapomnite si ta večer.

* Vatikanska država je dala kovat svoj lasten denar.

* Trije rudarji so bili ubiti v zlati jami v Sonora, California.

Poštni ropar, ki se je skri- val 34 let, se podal in bil pomiloščen od vlade

Kansas City, Kansas, 22. novembra. William Kirby Robinson, 65 let star, bivši poštni ropar, ki je pobegnil in se mu je posrečilo 34 let bivati na svobodni, dokler ga ni začela grizti vest in se je podal zveznim oblastem, je bil danes pomiloščen od predsednika Hooverja in se vrne lahko v javno življenje z vsemi pravicami kot dober državljan. Robinson je bil obsojen v letu 1898 na štiri leta ječe radi poštnega ropu. Ko so ga na vlaku peljali proti zveznim zaporom v Leavenworth, Kansas, se mu je posrečilo skočiti z vlaka. To se je zgodilo v tedanjem Indian Territory. Robinson je šel najprvo v Galveston, Texas, potem pa v Californijo, kjer se je poročil, razporočil in zopet poročil. Svoji ženi je povedal, da je pobegnil zločinec. Ves čas ga je globoko pekla vest. Ustanovil si je dobro trgovino in si nabral malo premoženje, ko je sklenil, da se prostovoljno izroči oblastem. Oktobra meseca je prišel v zvezne zapore v Leavenworth, Kansas, kjer pa niso imeli nobenega zapisnika o njem, in vzel je en mesec, predno so v Washingtonu dognali, da je on v resnici pred 34. leti obsojeni poštni ropar. Včeraj je Hoover poslal brzozjav, ki oprošča Robinsona nadaljne ječe.

Novice iz Barbertona

Nagloma je preminula v Barbertonu Lucy Rozman, članica društva Srca Marije K. S. K. J. in članica društva sv. Martina, J. S. K. J. Ranjka je bila stara 27 let. Rojena je bila v Iški vasi pri Ljubljani. V Ameriki je bivala 18 let. Tu zapuščala žalujče starše, dva brata, Antona in Johna in sestro Jennie, eno sestro pa v Lorainu, Ohio. Prizadeti družniki naše iskreno sožalje! — Naš lovski klub nam je, kakor običajno vsako leto, tudi letos preskrbel en lep večer. Letos so nas obiskali tudi clevelandski lovci. Jakata seveda ni bilo, ker se je menda ustrašil barbertonskega medveda, katerega so naši lovci spravili v kletko za ta večer. Zgledalo je, da je bil sleherni zadovoljen s prireditvijo.

Senator Jones je podlegel bolezni

Seattle, Washington, 21. novembra. Zvezni senator Wesley Jones, republikanec, star 69 let, je včeraj po kratki bolezni umrl. Senator Jones je oni senator, ki je naredil postavu, ki zapoveduje, da morajo biti kršilci prohibicije obsojeni v \$5000 globe in 10 let zapore. Močno se je tekom zadnje kampanje potegoval za zopetno izvolitev, toda je bil poražen, kar je povzročilo bolezen in sedaj smrt.

Jutri je praznik

Jutri, v četrtek, 24. novembra, se praznuje po Ameriki "Zahvalni dan." Ker je to postavljen praznik, bo urad "Ameriške Domovine" ves dan zaprt in tudi časopis ne izide.

Zadušnica

V petek, 25. novembra, se bo v cerkvi sv. Vida brala sv. maša zadušnica za pokojnim John Kraje ob 14. obletnici njegove smrti. Prijatelje in sorodnike ranjkega se prosi, da se gotovo udeležijo.

* Finska republika bo 6. decembra 15 let stara.

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Zakaj smo in ne smemo biti hvaležni

Jutri, 24. novembra, praznuje Amerika svoj letni Zahvalni Dan. Praznovali ga bomo, pa če ste hvaležni ali ne-hvaležni za vse dobroto, za vse gorje, trpljenje, koristi, napredek in drugo, kar ste doživeli tekom leta 1932. In doživeli smo marsikaj.

Poglejmo najprvo, zakaj praznujemo Zahvalni dan v Zedinjenih državah ameriških. Ne smemo namreč, ker smo v Ameriki, misliti samo na sebe, na naš narod slovenski, pač pa pogledjmo malo dalj, pogledjmo po celi Ameriki. Mi nismo bili prvi naseljenci v tej deželi ameriški. Prišli smo par stoletij pozneje kot "stoprocentni" Amerikanci, in hvaležni smo lahko, da naš narod ni ukradel ameriške zemlje prvotnim stanovalcem in prebivalcem Amerike — Indijancem. V tem oziru smo popolnoma čisti in nedolžni. Ampak v Ameriki smo, in jutri je Zahvalni dan, pa se je treba zahvaliti, in če nimamo vzroka zahvale, imamo pa v Ameriki svobodno besedo, da jo uporabimo, kadar nas tišči srce, dušo, ko bi se radi zahvalili, da smo v ameriški zemlji, pa imamo toliko vzrokov, da ne moremo biti hvaležni, kot bi lahko bili.

Bilo je v letu 1620, mrzlega dneva v decembru, enajstega decembra, ko je mala barka "Mayflower" pripeljala 120 moških in žensk iz Anglije v obljubljeno deželo Ameriko. Teh 120 ljudi je prišlo v Ameriko z namenom, da ostanejo tu, pa naj se zgodi kar hoče. In ti "romarji," kot jih imenuje ameriška zgodovina, so ostali tu. 70 jih je umrlo radi lakote in mizerije v prvih šestih mesecih, potem ko so dospeli v Plymouth, Massachusetts. Ostalo jih je borih petdeset.

Ko smo mi, kaj ne, prišli v Ameriko, smo dobili cvetoča mesta, odprte tovarne, zaslužek in življenje, toda naši prvi naseljenci iz leta 1620, so pa dobili divjino, pragozdve, divje zveri, sovražne Indijance. Kako bi se počutili ti, prijatelji, rojak, naročnik, ki čitaš te vrstice, če bi te kar naenkrat zaneslo v najbolj divje kraje — recimo Avstralije — pa bi si moral pomagati naprej, preživeti se v sredini divjih gozdov, zverin in sovražnih divjakov? Precej hrabrosti, vztrajnosti, močne volje in karakterja bi potrebovali.

Pa so vztrajali ti prvi ameriški naseljenci, dasi je smrt kosila med njimi vsak dan. Orali so, potili so se, čistili gozdove, streljali Indijance, in v letu 1621, v zadnjem četrtku meseca novembra, se je onih 50 siromakov pionirjev, sešlo skupaj v namenu, da se zahvalijo Stvarniku, da niso še umrli, in da se zahvalijo, da so tekom prvega leta svojega bivanja v Ameriki toliko pridelali, da so bili sigurni, da tekom prihodnje zime ne bodo od lakote umrli.

Zgodovina teh prvih ameriških naselencev je bila pripoved in zgodba polna najhujšega trpljenja, groze, ubojev in umorov, streljanja in požigov, tako od strani prvih naselencev kot od strani Indijancev. Prvi naseljenci so prišli sem za slepo srečo, in z vztrajnostjo so položili temelj današnji Ameriki.

Današnja depresija v Ameriki je solnce napram bridkosti, trpljenju in mizeriji, kar so morali pretrpeti prvi ameriški naseljenci. Prvi ameriški naseljenci so prišli sem, da ostanejo v Ameriki, v tedaj popolnoma divji deželi, brez ozira, kakšna bo njih usoda. Bili so vsi skupaj pravi siromaki, priprosti ljudje, kot smo bili mi, ko smo prišli sem v to "obljubljeno deželo," katero so na nam odkrili in pripravili romarji iz Mayflowerja.

In videti je, da 300 let potem, ko je bila ustanovljena prva kolonija v Ameriki, smo prišli mi, ki smo se naselili tekom zadnjih 40 let v Ameriki, mi Slovenci, gremo skoro skozi isto trpljenje, kot so ga morali preživeti prvi naseljenci v Ameriki. In ti prvi naseljenci so praznovali Zahvalni dan v prvem letu svojega obstanka v Ameriki. Praznovali so Zahvalni dan, ker so v enem letu ostali pri življenju, ne da bi jih požrle divje zveri, ne da bi jih pobili Indijanci, ne da bi vsi umrli od lakote. Večina jih je umrla od lakote, toda ostalo jih je nekaj manj kot polovica, in ti so ustvarili — Ameriko.

Jutri praznujemo 311. obletnico prvega Zahvalnega dneva v Ameriki. In jutri je Zahvalni dan. Ali ste zahvalni, ker ste v Ameriki, ali se kesate, ker ste prišli sem? Življenje človeka gre vsak dan skozi bridke preskušnje, trpljenje, gorje in krvavi pot, pa naj bo to v letih prosperitete ali depresije. Vprašanje je, ali je človek pripravljen, da prestopi gorje in v skušnjah, ki jih dobi v tej mizeriji, kuje nove načrte za boljše bodočnost? Svet je videl dobre in slabe čase, od tedaj, ko je bil ustvarjen, do danes, ko trpi ves narod po vesoljnem svetu. Vprašanje je, če bomo znali inteligentno, razumno premagati to gorje in biti hvaležni, da smo si ustvarili boljše bodočnost?

Manj sovraštva, manj zopernosti, manj nevoščljivosti, toda toliko več ljubezni do bližnjega, bratskega sporazuma, pomoči eden drugemu, pa bomo povzročili, da ta svet ne bo tako črn in nehvaležen, kot je danes, ko praznujemo Zahvalni dan v letu 1932.

D O P I S I

Euclid, O. — Večina mojih dopisov je le za društva, danes moram pa pritisniti na drugo struno. V sredo večer, danes, priredi klub društev fare sv. Kristine bazar. Dobilo se bo vsake vrste perutnine in gotovo bo skoro vsak, ki poseti to prireditel vesel domov purana, raco ali kokoš, pa tudi petelinov ne bo manjkalo. Za door prize bo puran, raca in kokoš. Na razpolago bo tudi drugih raznovrstnih dobrot. Torej cenjene gospodinjice, le nikar ne imajte nepotrebnih skrbi kaj bo za kosilo na Zahvalni dan. Kar danes zvečer pridite v šolsko dvorano sv. Kristine in tam boste dobile vse potrebno za veliko ceneje kot na tržnici.

Kaj bo pa za moža? Ali naj jih kar pozabimo? Menda ja ne! Za moža bo pa nekaj posebnega, česar še ni bilo v preteklosti. Hej, Jaka, če ne verjameš, pa pridvi pogledat in se boš prepričal. Kar se tiče telesnih dobrih del, bo vse najboljše preskrbljeno, za plesalce pa izvrstna godba. Tako se bo zabavalo danes zvečer.

Sedaj pa, kaj bo v četrtek, to je na Zahvalni dan. Zopet bo nekaj, kar še ni bilo nikdar prej. Naj le nekaj omenim, da sem jaz krstil to veselico kot pristno, starokrajško plesno veselico z izvrstno postrežbo in z vsemi dobrotami tega sveta. To sem na tak način krstil zato, ker bodo sami starokrajški plesi: polka, šuštar polka, štajeriš, sieben šrit, mazurke, pok šoti in pa druge take razne za poskok. Pa tudi brez valčkov ne bo.

Za postrežbo bodo pa na razpolago izvrstni pridelki iz širne zemlje, ki bodo krepčali naše želodce in hladili suha grla.

Torej le vsi na dan! Le pokažimo se, saj ni vredno, da bi človek samo premišljal. V četrtek se bomo počutili kakor angeli v nebesih. Jaz se že ves teden veselim, kako prijetno bo. Torej na svidenje danes večer in jutri pri fari sv. Kristine v Euclidu.

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Cleveland, O. — Gotovo si že ena ali druga članica SZZ misli, kaj da je z mojim javnim poročilom glede oktobrske seje skupnih clevelandskih podružnic SZZ. Ker se radi pomanjkljivosti ni moglo nič posebnega ukreiniti, sem počakala do sestanka pripravljalnega odbora, ki se je vršil 16. novembra, ki je ukrepal glede prireditve, ki bo na pustno nedeljo 26. februarja 1933 v Slovenskem domu na Holmes Ave. Kaj se je ukrenilo se bo najprej poročalo zastopnicam vseh podružnic, da bodo o tem na jasnem. Lahko pa že sedaj javnost zagotavljam, da se kaj takega še ni priredilo na clevelandskem odru. Le zasledujte naše dopise in gotova sem, da ne boste za omenjeno nedeljo le shranili 35 centov za vstopnino, ampak si boste prihranili tudi koše smeha, da ga boste na tej prireditvi raztresli. Le eni se bo priporočalo, da se mora poprej dovolj nasme-

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Oj, Slovenci, Srb, Hrvatje, potecite žurno
tam vas lepša slava čeka.
Hej u to vreme burno
glas vitežki čujmo sada,
Petra Karadjordjeviča, od megdana.

Napred stupaj, mečem lupaj...
Hura na Svabe in Madjare...

Tako se je čulo po celem svetu in čutil se je svet. Ko so se vkrcali dobrovoljci na ladjo za fronto v Bizerti, Afrika, so prepevali, dočim so drugi z jokom zapuščali svoje drage. Slušam pogovore dveh starih gospodov: "Kakšen je to narod! Ves, kam gre, pa prepeva. To so sami junaki in tak narod bo živel." In

jati, ker ta dan se ne bo smela na noben način, čeprav bi jo hotel kak hudo mušnež spraviti v smeh.

Za danes ne bom dosti poročala, pač pa dam priznanje vsem podružnicam v Clevelandu, ker so tako marljivo na delu, da je že mnogo zanimanja tudi od drugih strani, ki zasledujejo naš napredek.

Na oktoberski seji sta se nam pridružili še dve podružnici: št. 32 in 49, tako da sedaj skupno deluje 11 podružnic. Vse zastopnice teh podružnic ste prijazno prošene, da se GOTOVO udeležite prihodnje seje, ki se bo vršila 28. novembra v cerkveni dvorani na Holmes Ave. ob osmih zvečer. Ta sestanek bo jako važen v vseh ozirih.

H. T., poročevalka.

Cleveland (Collinwood), O. — Prosim ako vam je mogoče, da priobčite ta moj dopis v vaš list. Vedno rada čitam dopise iz naše naselbine in vedno se bere o obilnih prireditvah, ki so v resnici vse krasne, najsibodo igre ali operete. Ko človek poseti take prireditve, bi skoraj rekla, da pozabi vse bridkosti in težave tega današnjega življenja in kot se vidi so dvorane nabite ob takih prilikah. Zatorej je moja današnja želja, da tudi jaz nekoliko opišem da Zveza collinwoodskih društev vpripori dne 27. novembra v Slov. Domu na Holmes Ave. velikansko čarovnijo, katero bodo predstavili 15 ameriški čarovniki pod vodstvom Mr. John J. Grdina. Kazale nam se bodo jako zabavne čarovne predstave, kitajska umetnost in čarovnija, umetniki in slike iz cunj, cvetlice ki bodo rasle pred našimi očmi. Videli bomo strahove in duhove in kako se bodo zobje drli. Iz ene male prazne hišice bo prišlo krasno dekle in kaj vse še bo, vam ne morem povedati, ker je preveč. Upam pa, da se te prireditve gotovo udeležite. Ves dobiček gre v prid naše farne cerkve Marije Vnebovzete. Pridite vsi, katerim le kolikaj naše razmere dopuščajo in katerim je kolikaj še pri srcu naša lepa cerkev in verska resnica.

Upam, da ta moj dopis ne bo zastojen pisan ter želim, da bi nas posetilo obilno "število" rojakov. Vstopnina ni previsoka in sicer so vstopnice po 75c, 50c in 35c. Popoldne ob 2. uri bo pa za vse otroke po 10c in 15c. To je zelo nizka svota, zato upam, da bodo vsi starši poslali svoje otroke pogledat to čarovnijo. Za otročje se bo kazalo vse nekaj drugače kot pa za odrasle.

Se enkrat, pridite vsi, da s tem pripomorete do večjega uspeha za našo farno cerkev in h koncu dopisa pa želim vsem veliko sreče in obilo dela v novem letu, vam urednik, pa veliko novih naročnikov. Upam, da ne bo kdo užaljen s tem mojim dopisom ter želim vsem obilo užitka, kateri bodo prišli na to predstavo čarovnijo. Na veselo svidenje v nedeljo, 27. novembra na Holmes Ave.

Zastopnica Collinwoodskih dr.

kako bi ta narod pel, kadar bi šel preko Hrušice, Javornika naprej čez ves Kras proti solnčni Gorici! Gotovo bi še bolj veselo in navdušeno pel, saj zahtevamo samo svoje.

Takrat naj ori pesem!
Top za topom na sve strane,
Jugoslovenci junaško svojo zemljo brane.

Dok za narod in slobodu borit čemo se ko što valja.
Napred stupaj, mečem lupaj.
Hura na sovraže...

Za prvi jugoslovanski dan, ki se vrši 4. decembra, kličem s tovariši dobrovoljci: Pozdravljen jugoslovanski dan, dan jugoslo-

vanske neodvisnosti in jugoslovanske svobode!

A vam vrti tovariši, ki ste prejeli plačilo in ki snivate sladke sanje o Jugoslaviji po vrhovih Kajmakalana, Vaternika, Sokolca, preko Sar planine, do Triglava in onim, koji ste dali svoje življenje na krvavih poljanah Dobrudže, spavajte v miru. Slava vam!

Jugoslavija, koja je zgrajena na tisočih in tisočih truplih dobrovoljcev, bo in mora živeti. A nas, ki smo še živi, naj Bog ohrani še na mnoga leta s zavestjo, da smo storili svojo dolžnost do naroda in domovine.

Želim, da se vsi skupaj snide-mo v Slovenskem narodnem domu, 6417 St. Clair Ave., Cleveland, O. na dan 4. decembra.

Vsi oni, ki žele, da bi sestali z menoj, to lahko učinijo v četrtek večer pri Mr. J. B. Mihaljeviču, 6201 St. Clair Ave., ob osmih zvečer, to je na 24. novembra 1932.

S tovariškimi pozdravi,

Frank Lavrič.

VSEM V POJASNILO

Cleveland (Newburg), O. — Ta dopis naj pazljivo prečitajo vsi oni darovalci, ki so darovali za Mr. Peter Simičiča, bivšega člana dr. Mir št. 10 SDZ. Mr. Simičič je odšel iz Clevelanda 11. oktobra letos. Iz New Yorka se je odpeljal s parnikom Vulcania na Trst. V New Yorku je dobil zanesljive spremljevalce; najbolj se je zanj zanimal en brat iz Lemonta, toda ne vem imena. On ga je tudi srečno pripeljal domov. Iz domovine sem dobil pismo sledeče vsebine:

"Žužemberk 28. oktobra 1932. Cenjeni gospod! Spočram Vam, da je moj oče srečno dospel domov. Le od poti je bil precej utrujen. Ata mi je naročil, naj vam danes pišem samo to, da je srečno prišel domov. Srečni smo vsi, da smo zopet vsi skupaj. Naj vam Bog vse povrne tisočero. Bodite od nas vseh najlepše pozdravljeni, — Simičič Zalka."

Društva in posamezniki, kateri ste darovali za Mr. Peter Simičiča, ste prošeni, da v slučaju, če niso pravilno označili vaši darovi, da to takoj sporočite na Louis Gliha, 9105 Union Ave. Veliko je prišlo pisem s pripombo, da se naj sporoči, ako je bil ček oziroma money order sprejet. Na taka pisma nismo odgovarjali radi stroškov. Tudi ona imena, ki so bila označena na listini od dr. Mir št. 10 ne bodo priročena, ker vsota se šteje k društvu.

Omeniti pa moram, da naše prošnje je najbolj upoštevala Mrs. Poznič iz Collinwooda. Ona je nabrala prostovoljnih prispevkov v znesku \$5.10. To je prvi in največji dar, kar smo jih prejeli od posameznikov. Za ta dar izrekamo Mrs. Poznič iskreno zahvalo.

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S tem je zadeva z darovi končana. Izrekam vsem društvom kakor tudi posameznikom tisočero zahvalo. Vse listine, to je izdatki in dohodki, ima Louis Gliha, društveni predsednik, shranjeno in se vsak lahko prepriča, kako smo z denarjem ravnali. Da bi priobčili vse natančno v listu, bi bilo preobširno.

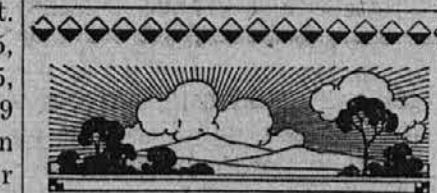
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8. Katero poroko imenujemo "porcelanasto"?
9. Katera država se nahaja najbolj severno v Zedinjenih državah?
10. Naštetje sedem telesnih del usmiljenja?

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Ko so selili našo blagajnico, sem se veliko naučil. Videl sem, kako je priročno, če je pri taki stvari mnogo "bosov," pa nobenega, ki bi prijel. Izmed štiri-najstih, ki so imeli opraviti pri blagajnici, jih je bilo trinajst, ki so delili povelja, eden pa, ki je poprijel zares. Jaz sem bil nevtralen in se nisem hotel zameriti ne temu ne onemu. Povelja so se delala v "ameriško-slovenskem jeziku in tudi milozvočne kletvice so se bahale dvojezično. Videl sem pa, da premičnine ne daje dosti na "befe," ker je blagajnica, ko je bila ravno na tem, ali gre čez prag ali ne, ravnala po svoji lastni previdnosti in pameti in jo udarila na svojo lastno inicijativno čez prag in s tem pokazala svojo popolno neodvisnost od vsake komande. Dal sem ji čisto prav. Kako pa naj se sicer ravna, ko se slišijo obenem in istem času: Naprej porini! Nazaj tišči! Hudič, kaj mi pa stopaš na parklje! Na kontropezo se nasloni! Holt, se bo prevagala! Auč, kaj ne vidiš, da imam prste pod baro!

Z našim stari poslopjem se sedaj tako godi, kot se bere v sv. pismu: se malo, pa me boste videli in še malo, pa me ne boste videli. Pet krepkih rojakov se je zavzelo, da spravijo to poslopje s tega sveta. Včeraj sem jih gledal, ko so podirali, pa nisem sam svojim očem verjel, ko sem videl, da so začeli podirati pri tleh. Jaz sem vedno mislil, da se razen drevja, vsaka stvar začne podirati pri vrhu, tle fantje so pa na vso ihto začeli razdirati stene spodaj. Aha, tale stvar se pa ne bo pravdarsko razšla, sem si mislil in sem se vsedel, pa čakal (seve v primernih razdalji), kako bo, kadar bodo izpodkopali stene. Vso radost in veselje mi je pokvaril Joža Pikš, ki je rekel, da ne bodo podirli vseh sten, ampak najprej samo "frahj," potem bodo pa šele začeli pri strehi. Ker sem videl, da tukaj ne bo nobenega dogodka, sem šel žalosten proč. Edino upanje imam še, če bi kdo padel skozi streho.

Ker je bilo staro poslopje zavarovano proti ognju, sem vprašal agente, koliko bi dobili, če bi hiša pogorela in bi jo ne bilo treba podirati. Agent mi je rekel, da ne more vedeti iz glave natančno, ampak da misli, da ne več kot deset let. Na, pa naj si človek pomaga dandanes, da bi se lažje skozi prerinil.

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Ko je prišel do tega pomirjujočega sklepa, je prišel odločnih korakov ubirati pot. Čim bližje je prihajal Breznikovini, timbolj so se mu tresle roke. "Sakra! Ali je danes mraz! Kar trese me!" Krepko je prišel hupati v roke — zmrljivec, kateremu so znojni biseri rosili čelo! Čimdalje počasneje so postajali njegovi koraki, ko je prišel k Breznikovim in se oziral po oknih. V hiši je bilo vse tiho. Kajti veliki hlapec, ki je sedel v kuhinji pri ognjišču, je delal nekaj, kar ni povzročalo nobenega šuma. Z zamaškom, katerega je venomer pomakal v pepel, je drgnil klinjo svojega noža. Ko je začel za seboj v veži korake, je skril nož takoj v žep. Ne da bi se ozrl, je žvižgal pred se pesemco ter drezal s trsko v pepel. Tedaj se je začel Tonetov glas: "Kje pa ste? Hoj? Ali ni nikogar doma?"

Jaka je stopil v vežo. "Dober večer, Šumar! ... V Zahor me ste šle, k bratranču." Tone se je oddahnil, vendar pa je dejal ježno. "Že zdavnaj bi lahko bile doma, od poldne!" "Morebiti bodo kmalu prišle." "Čakati ne morem." "I, ali se ti tako mudi?" "Nu, moj Bog, Peter Janez leži doma, pa ... me skrbi, kako mu gre."

"Peter?" Jaka je dvignil obrvi ter pogledal Toneta tako nedolžno, kakor da ničesar ne ve. "Da! Lepa nedelja! Napol zaklal je nekdo Petra!" "Res? ... Kdo pa?" "Sodnik bo že našel jutri, kdo."

"I, seveda, ko so pa oni od sodnije tako kšajti!" To je dejal Jaka smehljaje. Nekaj pa ni ugažalo Tonetu na hlapčevem obrazu. "Ti, nikar se ne igrati! Kajti, veš, ti, ti si bil poleg ... na to lahko prisegem!" "Jaz? ... Nu, da, ko se je začelo, sem spocetka malo pomagal braniti. Ko pa sem videl, da mislijo resno, sem bil bolj pameten in sem izginil."

Tone, kateremu je kri planila v glavo, je gledal Jaka bliskajočih se oči. "Tiho bodi! Sicer postanem grob! ... Ti pa brani ti? Si že pravi!" Stopil je proti vratom. "Kaj pa je?" je vprašal dobrodušno Jaka. "Ali naj ne sporočim Julki ničesar?"

Tone se je obotavljal. "Nak! Jutri se vrnem. Sem hotel reči ... Razburjenje mu je stiskalo grlo. "Nu, da ... pa ji povej, da leži Peter Janez pri nas doma, in da, ker je zdravnik menil, da potrebuje koga za pomoč, ... pa ... pa je oče, tako poveš, je oče Malarčina Lizabeta ... Nad tem imenom se je njegov jezik spodtaknil. "Kaj?" "Oče ... Tone je navil glas, kakor da je Jaka gluha, "je najel Malarčino punco, da mu streže. Mene prav nič ne briga ... le zato da bo Julka vedela ... in ... da si ne bo navsezadnje mislila, kaj jaz vem, kaj!" "Ah, nikakor!" se je muzal Jaka. "Ona ne bo mislila ničesar slabega. Julka je tako nedolžna!"

"Nu, da, seveda, ampak ... Govek pač ne ve ... pa povej ji. Zbogom!" In Tone je prišel korakiti, kakor da Peter Janez že umira in kakor bi hotel Tone govoriti z njim še zadnjo besedo prijateljstva.

Jaka je obstal z rokama v žepih med vratmi. In mežikajočih oči je žvižgal medtem, ko je gledal za Šumarjem. Tedaj je začel prekopati plot glas svoje gosposinje. Sedaj bi ga lahko, če ne da bi si pri tem pretegnil gr-

piva, ker sem salamensko ženjen!"

"Nu, da, zbogom! Danes si si zaslužil požirek, dve merici ga izpij na moj račun! Ampak čuj, nikar ne hodi prekasno domov!"

"Nak, nak ... danes pa prav gotovo ne!" Žvižgaje je odšel iz hiše.

Ko je prišel doli na travnike, je lahko še videl v zadnjih odsevih dneva Šumarja, ki je šel po cesti.

Tone je zakrenil dolgih korakov proti vasi. Rdeč v obraz — njegov pogled je blodil po cesti in mejah. Le venomer je moral z roko za vrat, kakor bi se hotel prepričati, dali je še Šumarjev Tone. "Kaj morem jaz zato, da ni bilo Julike doma!" In vendar ta nemir! "Kaj mi je? Marija in Jožef! Bom ja z božjo pomočjo pričakal, da bo zopet vse po starem z Julko! In Peter ... Peter Janez! To je bilo! Skrb, seveda, skrb! Zato je tudi hotel, ko je prišel domov, naravnost k Petru. Sredi hodnika pa je obstal ter se vrnil v kuhinjo. Tu je vprašal dekle: "Ti! Kako pa izgleda tam zadaj? Tako me skrbi! Kako mu gre?"

"Dobro — saj ima svojo oskrbo!" "Seveda, da!" Pri večerji, ko so vsi sedeli za mizo — le Peter Janez je manjkal — niso govorili drugega, nego le o pretepu, o Malarici in Elizabeti — vsledčesar je Tone postajal čedalje bolj nemiren. In le venomer je pogledaval dekle, kakor ne bi mogel pričakati, da bo nekaj storila. Nenadoma je dejal: "Kaj menite, oče ... bi morali vendar kaj dekletu poslati?"

Tone je obložil krožnik tako bogato, da je pastir kar zavistno dejal: "Tudi jaz bi rad, da bi se mi enkrat tako dobro godilo."

Dekla pa, ki je bila odnesla krožnik, ga je prinesla zopet nazaj. "Prav lepo se zahvaljuje ... a noče ničesar!" "Tako?" Tone se je razdraženo smejal. "Mar se živi od usmiljenja, kaj?"

"Vse, kar je prav!" je zagodrnjal stari Šumar. "Zaradi tega pa se ni treba dobru dekletu špotati!"

Tone je vstal. "Zbogom, vsi skup!"

Tedaj je uprl stari pesti ob mizo. "Hudič! Kaj pa je spet? Kam?"

"Kamor spada pravi fant v nedeljo! K drugim v gostilno!" "Sakra! Poba! ... Ali si se zopet z Julko sprli?"

"Sprli? Jaz? Z Julko?" Tone se je smejal. "Kaj vam ne pride na um!" In že je bil zunaj. In ven z dvorišča in doli po cesti, kakor ognjegasec, kadar je zatrobila trobenta.

Ker je bilo v gostilni baš tako živahno in da pride v pravo razpoloženje, je kar zaukal, ko je vstopil v izbo. Vzkliko so ga pozdravili, smeh, petje, kajti Šumarjev Tone je bil v gostilni kaj

redek gost. Vse mize so bile zasedene, vse prežeto vinskih duhov in smrdečega petroleja — tam zadaj v fantovski sobi pa je bilo tako, kakor pravi ljudski rek: kakor v judovski šoli.

Tone je najprej pokušal iz vseh vrčev, ki so mu jih vsi gostje ponujali. Nato je vstopil v fantovsko čumrato. Pa kamor je spadal ob nedeljah pravi fant, vendar je obstal pri vratih, obotavlja se. Kajti tu je imel glavno besedo Breznikov kljub temu, da je bil to prostor, Jaka — in ko so fantje, kakih dvajset jih je bilo, ter so bili natrpani kakor slaniki v sodu, ugledali Šumarjevega Toneta, so vsi nenadoma utihnili — a vsi so se tako tajinstveno smejali. Kri je planila mlademu Šumarju v obraz. "Mar ne smem jaz slišati, kar je vaša modrost baš iztisnila? Da, da, bi že najbrž slišal, kar bi mi ne prijalo!"

"Olga! Le počasi!" je zavpil Jaka, a drugi za njim. "Tako? Kar vsi skup kričite?" Tone se je smejal. "Eden sam, kaj, se ne upa? I, seveda, mnogo špic je treba za metlo! Ste pač vsi skup, ki ste se danes kakor ose spravili na Petra?"

Par fantov, ki so sedeli blizu vrat, je poskočilo ter pričelo vpiti nad Tonetom. En sam njegov pogled je zadostoval, da jih

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Prvi so se smejali, drugi kričali. Najhujšega kričalca je Tone prijel ter ga potisnil na klop. "Tu boš sedel! Saj si šele napol pijan! Le požuri se, da se do dobra opiješ ... kajti sveta nedelja ne bo več dolgo trajala." Nato si je obrisal roko ob jopice ter odšel, ne meneč se za šunder, ki je nastal za njim.

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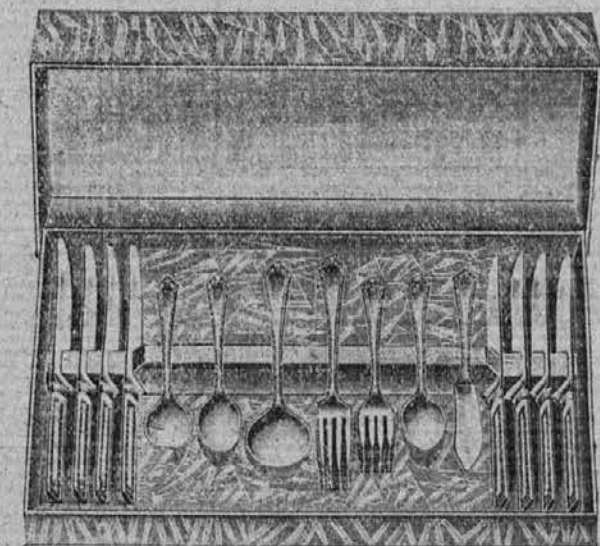
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"Nekoč se je pa v njej kopala vsa kovačija in ker ni imela izpita za dveurno plavanje, je utonila," se je rogala nekdo.

Kovač je hotel planiti na grdivca, a so ga drugi zadržali. Nato je bil spet ožojen, zvil se je v dve gube in tožil je, da mu manjka dirkališče, vežbališče pa kopaljšče.

"Bo vse Novak naredil!" je zaklicalo nekaj mož.

"Živijo Novak!" je vzkliknil kovač in obtoževal svojo usodo, ki je njega, nekdanjega konjiškega podčastnika, priklenila na tako delo, da mora od jutra do noči podkovavati konje in davati obroče na kolesa. Svoj živ dan si kuje lastno verigo svojega suženjstva. Ta stavek so vsi občudovali, a kovač ni povedal, da ga je že nekoč povedal neki socialistični govornik.

Krčmar se je spet razvnel in dejal, ali morajo občinski očetje zares take debele goltati, kot je to, da oni bolj zaslužijo palico ko njih otroci? Če ne bi kazalo, da bi se pritožil pri šolskem nadzorniku ali na vladi?

Tedaj se je oglašil Jelčevnik. Pravil je, da je zadnjič dobil učitelja Novaka, ki da mu je povedal o sporu s krčmarjem. Tudi to, komu da pritiče palica, mu je Novak povedal. Dejal je,

da mu je bilo potem žal, da je krčmarja tako robusto počul, česar krčmar krčkone ni razumel. Neki imenitni pedagog (pedagog je vzgojitelj učencev, torej neki pedagog je zapisal: "Od deseterih udarcev, ki vzgojitelj z njimi kaznuje gojenca, jih zasluži devet vzgojitelj sam." Namreč zato, ker je neveden, ker je nepotrpežljiv, ker je neroden in včasih tudi malomaren.

"Kaj me briga taka čvekarija!" se je zadržal krčmar, "jaz zahtevam, da so mi otroci podložni, da mi nihče ne odjeda gostov, da ostane v vasi vse tako domače, kot je bilo prej."

Na to domačnost so se pili in peli. Bilo je v odmoru med kosnjo in žetvijo, in še deževno je bilo, pa so imeli prosto.

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9.

Medtem ko so možje toliko in tako grdo govorili, je šla neka mati potožiti svojo bol in svoje gorje k neki drugi materi, ki ji je bilo prav tako bridko pri duši ko njej.

Žena je bila zavita v volneno ruto, na glavi pa je imela dlateno ruto. Pred Boštjanovo hišo je žena obstala in globoko zavzdihnila. Deževalo je. Na pragu dvoriščnih vrat se je pojavil Boštjanov Tone. Čofotaje je stopal v luže, z užitek se je dal močiti in v naročju je imel velikega, cepetajočega mačka, ki se je bal vode in katerega je hotel Tone "utrditi." Tone je ženi povedal, da je šla Mina v mesto, da bi najela dva delavca, a mati so doma. V hiši sedijo in kavo pijejo. Žena je stopila na dvorišče. Tone je zrl za njo in si dejal: "To je pa šobrovka! Le kaj bi rada? Saj so mati takrat spodili njeno Ančko, ker se je hotel Lojze poročiti z njo! No prav — naj se le!" Brezskrbno

je čofotal naprej in prigravjal mačku, ki je žalostno mičkal, da je topel dežek zelo zdrav za mačke. To se pravi knajpati se. — Ženica je obstala pred mogočno hišo. Njena bojazen, ki jo je spremljala že vso pot, se je povečala. Sezula si je cokle, jih postavila na prag, si pod kapom umila noge, jih skrivaj in plaho malo obrisala z robom spodnjega krila in stopila v vežo na rdeč, snažen tlak iz opeke; še enkrat je globoko zasopla, se boječe pokrižala in potrkala.

Boštjanovka in vdova zidarja Šobra sta se spogledali: pogled prve je bil plašen, pogled druge pa boječ. Šobrovka je zajecjala, da bi rada spregovorila nekaj besed z Boštjanko. A Boštjanka jo je ko ostru zavrnila: da ne in ne, da ne prenese nobenega razburjenja, da Mine ni doma, da Mina zdaj vse vodi v hiši in naj se oglasi jutri.

"Saj bi le," je tiho dejala bosa ženica pri vratih, "saj je le zato, ker sem prešla razglednico. Vem, kje je vaš sin Lojze."

Tedaj je žena za mizo tako naglo vstala, kakor že leta ne.

"Kje je?"

"V Hamburgu. Z mojim Matijcem sta skupaj."

"S tem — s tem..."

Žena pri vratih je prebledela, ona za mizo pa zardela ko kuhan rak.

"Da, z mojim sinom Matijcem," je odvrnila bosjakinja.

"S tem iz prisilne delavnice!" je ječaje zavpila Boštjanka. "O ti ljubi Bog! V Hamburgu! V tem pregrešnem mestu! Zdaj je pa vsega konec! S tem — s tem..."

Boštjanka si je roke in lakti zavrila v predpasnik, naglila glavno nanje in dolgo ihtela. Ko je slednjič z vprašanjem, kakšen da je naslov, utrujeno dvignila glavo, je bilo mesto, kjer je stala bosa ženica, prazno.

"Šobrovka — Šobrovka!" Planila je v dež.

"Šobrovka!"

A žene, ki jo je klicala, ni bilo več.

Zvečerilo se je, nevihta se je podela, a skozi okno je sipala večerna zarja nepristne, zamolkle cekine skozi okno. Boštjanka je pletla nogavico. Zdaj pa zdaj je zahlipala in si obrisala solzo. Hrepenela je po Mini in — po Lojzetu.

Gospodarnik je prišel v hišo, da bi dobil naročila za prihodnji dan.

"Pusti za zdaj," je dejala Boštjanka. "Mino vprašaj, saj greš na kolodvor s kolesjem pono."

"Prav," je odvrnil gospodarnik in obotavlja se odšel iz sobe. Zunaj je sedel na klop, ki je bila še mokra od dežja. Čez dvorišče so frčale lastovke. Večno lačni ptički so se morali nekaj ur postiti in so si zdaj hlastno iskali živeža. Kokoši so se mastile z glistami, Tone je prišel ves premočen in s krvavečim likom domov. Maček, ki ga je hotel "utrditi" v dežju, ga je prav neusmiljeno opraskal. Fant je sedel k Jožetu, sknil po mokrih hlačah in dejal:

(Dalje prihodnjič)

DNEVNE VESTI

Tudi Morgan pričakuje boljših časov

New York, 21. novembra. Zna ni ameriški financir, J. P. Morgan, se je po daljši odsotnosti v Evropi vrnil v Ameriko. Dočim je poznani bankir vedno zelo molčeč, je danes ob svojem prihodu izjavil, da vsa znamenja kažejo, da se položaj obrača na bolje.

15 tujcemcev aretiranih za deportiranje

Miami, Florida, 22. novembra. Zvezni naselniški inspektorji so aretirali večeraj 15 tujcemcev, ki so bili vtihotapljeni v Florido iz Kube. Aretirani so izjavili, da se plačajo po \$400.00, da se jih je spravilo v Ameriko.

Odlični predsednik univerze resignira

Cambridge, Massachusetts, 22. novembra. Dr. Abbott Lawrence Lowell, predsednik slavne ameriške Harvard univerze, kateri je predsedoval 23 let, je resigniral. Dr. Lowell je bil znan kot najbolj odlični ameriški vzgojitelj. Harvard univerza je najstarejša v Ameriki, in v njo zahajajo danes nad 8,000 dijakov. Zavod je bogato obdarjen in razpolaga s premoženjem nad \$123,000,000. Dr. Lowell je star 76 let in najbrž je to vzrok, da si je zaslužni mož zaželel počitka.

Poskušani napad na ministrstvo Herriota

Nantes, 21. novembra. Ko se je francoski ministerski predsednik Herriot peljal večeraj na slavnost v to mesto, je nedaleč od mesta zletel v zrak železniška proga, po kateri bi se moral Herriot pripeljati. Železniški čuvaji so nesrečo pravočasno opazili in ustavili vlak predsednika francoske vlade. Sedem oseb je bilo aretiranih.

Volivni okrajji

Hudi boji se pričakujejo v mestni zbornici radi razdelitve mesta v nove politične okraje. Novi čarter mesta Clevelanda zahteva, da razdeli mestna zbornica Cleveland v 30 političnih okrajev ali vard, in da pride na vsako vardo nekako 32,000 prebivalcev. Republikanci pa, ki imajo večino v mestni zbornici, želijo prirediti mesto tako, da bodo republikanci skupaj in bi imeli zopet večino. Toda temu nasprotuje župan Miller, ki je izjavil, da bo vetiral enako ordinanco mestne zbornice. Volivni odbor je pa medtem naznanil mestni zbornici, da mora biti mesto razdeljeno v nove politične okraje najkasneje do konca februarja, ker sicer je volivnemu odboru nemogoče razdeliti volivce v nove okraje. Ta zadeva je važna zlasti glede Slovencev v 23. in 32. vardi in ji bomo posvetili dovolj pozornosti.

MALI OGLASI

Delo dobi

zanesljivo Slovence, ki bi šel na farme in ki se razume nekaj na mizarska dela. Zglašaj naj se takoj na 7212 Lockyear Ave.

Zahvala

Ne vem, kako bi začela, da bi se zahvalila vsem prijateljem in znancom, ki so mi priredili tako krasen "surprise party." Posebno lepa hvala Mr. in Mrs. Anton Avčin, ki sta si kaj takega zamislila. Povabil me je na njegovo party za rojstni dan, in seveda sem obljubila, da se udeležim, ne da bi sploh kaj sumila. Ko nas je pa pripeljal Mr. Ošaben v Turkovovo dvorano pa mi vsi zakričijo: "surprise!" Tako sem bila presenečena, da nisem vedela, kaj bi naredila ali rekla. Nihče ne ve, kako to čudno igra pri sreči, toda pozabiti ne morem nikoli teh naših prijateljev. Človek ne ve, koliko jih ima, dokler jih ne vidi. Sedaj vidim, da je prijatelj stokrat več vreden kot pa bogastvo.

Moram se še enkrat vsem iz srca zahvaliti, še tudi tistim, katerih imen ne poznam, saj bi morala napisati celo stran, če bi hotela vse omeniti, toda ostanejo nam pa v večnem spominu. Iskrena hvala tudi trgovcem, ki so pomagali z blagom in pevskemu društvu "Jadran" kot tudi dekletom od Osborne Manufacturing Co. Hvala tudi kuharici Mrs. Jennie Perko in Mrs. Globčnik, kakor tudi Mr. in Mrs. Zelle in Mrs. Jerše, Mrs. Bolle in Frances Kern; potem Mr. in Mrs. Ošaben in Mrs. Glazar. Še enkrat hvala, zlasti tudi Mrs. Poznik za njen govor in za tako lepo darilo od vseh. Ne bova pozabila, ostali nama boste vedno v spominu. Iskrena hvala tudi Jack Snelu za njegove polke in valčke, katere je tako izvrstno igral.

Mr. Anton in Mrs. Anna Vadenal

Zahvala

Nikdar ne bom pozabila 5. novembra, ko sta prišla Mr. in Mrs. Perpar, da naj greva z njima na West Side. Rada sva šla z njima in tako smo se odpeljali v soboto popoldne k Mr. in Mrs. Mlakar. Tam so nas prav lepo pogostili. No, končno se odpravimo proti domu, pa ta presneti Ford kar ni hotel biti poslušen, vedno ga je moral Mr. Perpar popravljati in nagovarjati naprej. Že poprej sta nam naročila naša hči in zet, da se moramo ustaviti pri njih, predno gremo domov. Res se ustavimo na E. 175. cesti. V hiši je bilo vse temno, zato smo mislili, da so šli že spat. Moj mož odpre vrata, tedaj pa mi stopi nasproti hčerka in pravi: "Vse najboljše k vašemu rojstnemu dnevu!"

Bila sem vsa iz sebe in nisem vedela ali sanjam, ali je res. Peljejo me gori in v eni sobi je bilo vse pripravljeno za moj rojstni dan, v drugi pa za 30 letnico najine poroke, oziroma najinega zakonskega jarma. Peljejo me v spalno sobo, pa vidim, da je vse prenovljeno in novo pohištvo notri.

Prav lepo se zahvalim najinim prijateljem, ki so se udeležili in naju tako lepo pogostili. Iz srca sva vam hvala in pripravljeni vam povrniti po svoji moči. Najprej se zahvaliva hčerki in nevesti, ki sta tako lepo oskrbeli in goste povabili in Mrs. Erbežnik, ki je skrbela, da je vse tako lepo pripravila za pogostitev. Hvala Mr. in Mrs. Jelerčič za podarjene cvetlice in mojim otrokom za druge cvetlice. Dve veliki mizi sta bili polno obloženi.

Najbolj naju je pa iznenadilo to, da ko smo prišli domov, pa smo že tam dobili Mr. in Mrs. Mlakar, katera smo pustili doma, pa sta bila prej tam ko mi, to je iz West 130. ceste pa na East 175. cesti, kar ni tako blizu.

Sledočim našim prijateljem izrekava iskreno zahvalo: Mr. in Mrs. Perpar, Mr. in Mrs. Janežič, Mr. in Mrs. Kunstel, Mr. in Mrs. Saly, Mr. in Mrs. Smale, Mr. in Mrs. Hren, Mr. in Mrs. Pušnar, Mrs. Papeš, Mrs. in Miss Laurich, Mrs. in Miss Petrovič, Mr. in Mrs. Smuc, Mr. in Mrs. Simončič, Mr. in Mrs. Jerše in družina, Mr. in Mrs. Kuhel, Mr. in Mrs. Koman, Miss Novak, Miss Baraga, Mr. Magajna, Mr. in Mrs. Jelerčič, Mr. in Mrs. Gubanc, Mr. in Mrs. Erbežnik in hčerka, Mr. in Mrs. Žirovnik, Mr. in Mrs. Pugel, Mr. Logar, Mr. in Mrs. Brus.

Hvala Mr. Frank Petrovič za mleko in smetano ter ga Slovenecem priporočam za točno postrežbo. Zahvalim se najinim otrokom, ki so vse tako lepo preskrbeli: Jovi in Jennie Jakše, Jimmie in Ruth Jakše, Mary in Joe Petrich, Eddie in Frankie.

Ignac in Mary Jakše, Madison, O.

Kupim hišo

za vlogo International Loan Co. in nekaj denarja. Kogar zaniha naj pusti naslov v uradu "Ameriške Domovine." (276)

Naprodaj

je pohištvo za parlor in kabinet za telefon, vse v dobrem stanju. Jako poceni. Vprašajte na 6021 Superior Ave. (281)

Priporočilo

Priporočam se našim slovenskim lovcom za nagačenje (našopanje) razne divjačine. Kupim tudi kože od divjačine. Delo izvrstno in zmerne cene. Se priporočam.

Frank Miklauž

1247 E. 61st St.

(Nov. 11. 23)

Stanovanje

se odda v najem na 70. cesti. Hiše sama za sebe, 5 velikih sob, elektrika, klet, veliko podstrešje, jako priljubeno za družino z otroci. Dobi se po nizki ceni. Poizve se pri Anton Ogrine, 6414 St. Clair Ave. (278)

American Home Junior

SOME INTERESTING STATISTICAL SIDELIGHTS ON THE NEW ST. VITUS' CHURCH

With the dedicatory exercises over, we deem it necessary and convenient to enlighten our readers as to the architectural and other features of the massive structure.

The two towers on either side of the entrance are 110 feet high and arranged for a set of chimneys. Until new chimneys are purchased, the old bells will be used.

A feature found in no other Catholic church in Cleveland has been provided. That is a children's gallery in the east and west transepts. Each gallery has two separate exits to the outside.

All the modern conveniences and improvements feature the construction of the parish house. It is 54 feet wide and 69 feet high. The house is modern in detail, having the latest conveniences in plumbing and a pressure system of hot water heating. The house is also equipped with a modern incinerator.

To the left of the sanctuary is the priests' sacristy and to the right the boys' sacristy, each a room 17 feet by 23 feet. An ambulatory connects the two sacristies at the rear of the altar.

The acoustical properties of the church were developed through the use of echo absorbing plaster, the effects of which are pronounced in producing the desired effects. In other words, the acoustics of the church are such that the speaker can distinctly be heard in any one section.

The basement of the church has been developed for a multiplicity of purposes, a large room for the use in holding of bazars being one of the features. The fuel room and heating plan as well as a large workshop all form a part of this section of the building, the boiler room being of strictly fireproof construction.

Over all, the church is 141 feet long and 75 feet wide over the aisles and 100 feet wide over the transepts.

On the exterior it is faced with a deep buff colored Fallston brick, with a terra cotta trim of a mixture of marble. The roof is of red Spanish tile, harmonizing with the color scheme of the walls and trim.

Leaders in Euclid Male Popularity Contest Tied

Completing their second week of competition, aspirants for the Euclid male popularity contest find themselves in an airtight race and the title is still anybody's.

Frank Keber, coming from nowhere during the past week, is now sharing the lead with Edward Gabrenya, who in the last tabulation was well out in front. Both have polled 600 votes.

Just behind the pair of pace setters is Jack Tercek, who has polled 500 votes to pull up from behind and grab second place. Max Gerl, who has been very much in the thick of the fight since the opening gun is credited with 300 votes.

The contest is being sponsored by the Junior Holy Name Society of St. Christine's Parish.

HOLD SURPRISE PARTY

Miss Molly Pernush of 22490 Arms Ave., Euclid, O., was the honored recipient of a surprise birthday party given in celebration of her 19th birthday last Saturday evening. Seventy-five of her most intimate friends and relatives congregated to make the affair a huge success.

Miss Pernush received many beautiful and practical gifts, for which she duly thanks the donors.

A delightful luncheon with refreshments was served, after which came a most enjoyable evening of dancing. Joe Sodja, ace banjoist, and Frankie Barbic, accordionist, supplied the music.

SUPPER AND DANCE

A combined supper and dance will be given by the Women's Guild and Cooperative Youth League Saturday, Nov. 26. The scene of the doings will be the Slovenian Workingmen's Home on Waterloo Rd. The affair commences at 7:30 p. m.

Jackie Zorc and his trio will supply the music.

BRIDGE CLUB MEETS

Miss Pauline Vidovot entertained the Bi-Weekly Bridge Club in her home last Thursday evening.

Bridge progressed at two tables, with first and second prizes being won by the Misses Vera Knaus and Frances Okorn, respectively, and the consolation prize awarded to Mrs. Ray J. Grdina.

Miss Frances Knaus, 1052 E. 62d St., will be hostess next Thursday evening.

DANCE TONIGHT

The Young Ladies' Sodality of St. Christine's Church is giving a dance tonight at the St. Christine's Auditorium. There will be two door prizes given away, the first prize being a large gobbler and the other lucky one winning a live rabbit.

Red's Rhythm Rioters will furnish the dance melodies.

LOUIS SLAPNIK ILL.

Louis Slapnik, popular son of Mr. and Mrs. James Slapnik, local floral shop operators, was bedridden last Saturday with a heart attack.

He is recuperating at his home, 6201 St. Clair Ave., where his friends are welcome to come and visit him.

ORELS HOLD SOCIAL

The ever active Orels Club announces that it will stage a dance and social Friday, Nov. 25, in its clubrooms. Friends will be admitted if accompanied by an Orel member.

Kallistef and Stupek will produce the musical entertainment for the affair.

INTERLODGE MEETING

The final Interlodge basketball and bowling meeting will be held Tuesday, Nov. 29, at the St. Clair Bathhouse. Any team wishing to enter either loop must be present, as no entries will be accepted after this date.

29c DANCE SATURDAY

The Spartans Lodge, No. 198 SSP, are sponsoring a "29-cent" dance at the Slovenian National Home Saturday evening, Nov. 26. As the name indicates, depression prices will be the vogue for the affair, admission and refreshments being on a cut rate basis.

This 'n' That

By SOPHIE KLEMEN
Comets, No. 54 SDZ

Gridiron fever seems to have overcome the Eastern Star bachelors and ball players, for they are often seen at football games. It may interest you to know, that Frank Marzlikar is the latest addition to the bachelor group. We wonder why Mickey Lah Jr., has not been seen with his bachelor friends for about a month or so, and what is he so blue about? Boys, don't tell me that Stanley Kozelj will be leaving you soon!

Here are two red letter days that you should keep open in December. First is the Balloon Dance held by the Modern Knights Dec. 3, at the Slovenian Societies Home, Recher Ave. Folks, this affair will be something different than anything ever held by any S. D. Z. lodge. Jackie Zorc will do the entertaining and they say prizes will be awarded lucky winners.

Second, as you probably all know, is the Eastern Stars Victory Dance, the date which has been changed from Nov. 26 to Dec. 11. Johnny Gribbons will furnish the dance melodies. The place is the Slovenian Home, Holmes Ave., and the admission is 25 cents. Have you seen the Stars window posters? Believe me, they are something to look at!

Is he still lost? I mean Joe Vranca of the Modern Crusaders? We hope his boy friend's marriage hasn't affected him in any way.

It is up to each member of the S. D. Z. organization to attend the December meeting of their lodge. It is then that election of officers will take place. Vote only for those whom you think willing workers and who will be capable of holding the position of an officers.

Teenie Sajovec, how soon will your basketball team be ready to do some real entertainment? We hope soon, and wish the boys as much good luck as we had wished the Stars baseball team!

Comets are urged to return their tickets from the masquerade dance, held Oct. 15, as soon as possible.

Max Gerl of the Modern Knights has replaced his Brother Andrew as entrant in battle to obtain the title of the most popular boy of Euclid. It is up to all S. D. Z. members to help Max and see to it that he is out in front to win this title.

ASSESSMENTS DUE

Friday is the 25th of the month, the day to pay your assessment. Don't overlook this important detail, by paying your assessments regularly you assist in the progress of your lodge and organization. Keep up with your payments, if at all possible, and you will be taken care of in case of sickness or other misfortunes. A good active member is recognized by his regular payment of lodge dues. Do your duty tonight.

To Copy Cat and Smiles

Your copy was received too late for publication this week. Will appear in next week's issue.

CENTRAL GROUP HOLDING MEETING FRIDAY EVENING

Lodge Leaders Planning Group Activity for Winter

With the winter social and athletic season well upon us, the Central Committee of the English-conducted lodges of the Slovenian Mutual Benefit Association will get back in the harness Friday night when they meet in the S. D. Z. headquarters in the Slovenian National Home, St. Clair Ave.

The S. D. Z. Olympics, and the S. D. Z. Day celebration now successfully past, the Central Committee is looking for more worlds to conquer. Though the coming two months are bristling with individual lodge activities, nothing has been planned by the Central Committee for this winter and they are straining at the leash, raring to go and maintain the feverish pace which has so characterized their work of the past six months.

The meeting will be in the nature of a round table discussion, with the chair soliciting ideas from all present from one sort of an activity which the group might undertake. As such is the case, it is hoped and urged that the officers of all the lodges in the Association be present so that the committee may have the benefit of as many suggestions as possible.

Other important items of discussion to be brought up at the gathering will be those pertaining to the increasing of attendance at each individual lodge meetings. Suggestions for improving the condition of all the lodge meetings will also be entertained.

Modern Knight News

By A BACHELOR

Well, folks, here is what you have all been waiting for. The Moonlight Balloon Dance, at the Slovenian Societies Home, E. 200th St. and Recher Ave., Dec. 3. Dancing will begin at 8 p. m. We assure you a better time than you have ever had before. There will be door prizes too, and the admission will be only 35 cents. The sponsors? The Modern Knights, of course.

The Eastern Stars are going to give a Victory Dance next month in honor of the baseball team winning the Class B title. Try and make an effort to attend this dance. The proceeds will be used to obtain jackets for the boys.

The Modern Knights wish the Eastern Stars the luck to make your Victory Dance as successful as your baseball season was.

A large group of Comet members attended the Eastern Stars Social, but the person resembling Clara Bow was among the missing.

Do you know that no admission or physical examination charges are made by SDZ up to the age of 30 years?

CLAIRWOODITES MAKE BIG HIT ON GUEST NIGHT

It truly was Guest Night at the Slovenian National Home last night when the Clairwoods threw open wide the portals of that building to welcome into their social ranks all of the community's young folks.

And a most auspicious job of welcoming and entertaining did these Clairwoodites turn in. They left nothing undone and the large crowd who took advantage of this opportunity of becoming really acquainted with the members of the organization were treated to a most enjoyable evening.

Dancing, of course, was the evening's principal attraction with Jackie Zorc and his popular Trio on the distributing end of the music. The refreshment stand, too, came in for its share of heavy play what with the current depression prices prevailing.

The party broke up late last night and, unquestionably, the Clairwoods made many new friends with the social.

MARTIN VALETICH OFFICIAL TIMER FOR RAILROADERS

If you haven't heard or seen as much of Martin Valetich, secretary of the Central Committee, in the past two months as usual, you can blame it on football. Football in general and the Collinwood High School Senate championship squad in particular.

A Collinwood High graduate and an athlete of no little repute, himself, Marty has been following the victorious trail of his Alma Mater most conscientiously this past season, not only as an ardent rooter, but in an official capacity. Valetich, we are informed, has been timer for all of Collinwood's games this year.

Saturday when the Railroaders tangle with the Cathedral Latin gridders in a benefit game, staged by the Plain Dealer for the city scholastic championship, Marty will be holding the stop watch on the athletes. We hope that he doesn't become so interested in the contest that he forgets his duties and lets the game run on indefinitely.

The tilt will be played in the Lake Front Stadium.

SDZ MEMBERS LOOK TO COMING SOCIAL EVENTS

Coming events cast their shadows before them. Some of them are ugly, sinister and foreboding. But the young folks of the English-conducted lodges of the Association are confronted with three shadows which bespeak nothing but good times.

The shadows are those cast by the Modern Knights Balloon Dance, the Eastern Stars' Victory Dance and the Modern Crusaders' Fifth Anniversary Celebration.

The Balloon Dance to be held at the Slovenian Societies Home on Recher Ave., Saturday, Dec. 3, promises to be one of the most unusual affairs sponsored by any individual lodges. Plenty novelties and prizes are carded and it stacks up as a large evening for everybody.

The postponed Victory Hop, now slated for Sunday, Dec. 11, looms as a better attraction

EASTERNERS ACQUIRE NEW CAGE MENTOR

John Nagy Directs Play of Star Quintet

And now the Eastern Stars have settled down to the serious business of rounding themselves into a smooth working machine that will establish itself as a real contender for the Interlodge gonfalon.

Though the boys have been practicing for almost a month now, they felt that they weren't going places as rapidly as they should. A practice game with one of the other teams entered in the same loop convinced them that they weren't.

So they decided upon an about face and to this end have secured the services of John Nagy, veteran city court artist, as coach, "Teenie" Sajovec remaining at the managerial helm.

Nagy immediately decided that what the Stars lacked was not material but teamwork, and set out to teach the lads some of the fundamentals of team play, both offensively and defensively. An immediate change was noted and in another practice tilt with a league member, the wearers of the Green and White gave a most creditable account of themselves.

The lads are clicking in fine style and though Coach Nagy is not entirely satisfied, he feels confident that when the season officially opens, his squad will be far from a setup for any of the clubs in the circuit.

Scramblings

By DIMPLES

Well, folks, here I am again, but gosh I don't know what to say since news has been so scarce lately. But here it goes anyway!

Sorry to hear that "Popeye" was defeated in his bout last Thursday. But don't get disappointed, "Popeye." "If at first you don't succeed try, try again," should be your motto. Better luck next time.

Don't forget Dec. 3. The Modern Knights are holding a Balloon Dance at the Slovenian Societies Home, Recher Ave. Prizes will be awarded. Music to be played by Jack Zorc and admission but 25 cents.

Another great day will be Dec. 11. At this time the Eastern Stars are to celebrate by holding a Victory Dance in honor of their baseball champs. Music by Johnny Gribbons and admission is only 25 cents. The Eastern Stars promise all a good time, so let's see you there.

With each passing day. New ideas, entertainments and stunts are being added daily and from all indications it will be one of the red letter days in the Stars' history.

The Crusaders are pointing with considerable pride to their Fifth Anniversary celebration to be held at the Slovenian Workingmen's Home, Waterloo Rd., Jan. 29. Preparations for this event have been going on for the past month and a half and the committee in charge of the all-day party is expecting it to far surpass anything else ever undertaken by the

S. Y. M. C. OCTET AFTER MODERN KNIGHT HONORS

"Twin" Yerse Forms Singing Club in Lodge

From all reports it appears as if the Modern Knight quartet's strangle hold on the singing honors of the English-conducted lodges of the Slovenian Mutual Benefit Association, is going to be seriously threatened. And if we accept the words of the "Twin" Yerse, S. Y. M. C. luminary, at their face value, that strangle hold will not only be threatened, but entirely broken and the S. D. Z. young folks will be recognizing a new group as their vocal leaders.

Upon hearing the Modern Knights perform at the recent S. D. Z. Day celebration, Twin decided that the Slovenian Young Men's Club had as many and more—good singers enrolled in its ranks. So he set out to the task of rounding up his songsters. Results were astounding, for today finds Twin with not only a quartet on his hands, but two of them: An octet, no less.

And what is more, the number of singers is growing with each practice, and the illustrious Twin is faced with the problem of providing adequate training and practice quarters for his singing group, which he wavers will grow into a man-sized glee club by the time the first of the year rolls around.

EASTERN STAR MEMBER TRIES HAND AT POETRY

EDITOR'S NOTE: The following poem is one of many written by Miss Louise Marzlikar, Miss Marzlikar, a new member of the Eastern Stars, and one who would rather read a good book and write poems than anything else. Is the sister of Frank Marzlikar Jr., vice president of this lodge. More of her work will be published in latter issues.

AUTUMN

Lo! before me arises a mist
That floats on before me
In a pageant of yellow and scarlet.
Autumn—a colorful melody.
A crimson leaflet bows and sways
Through the frosty air.
Covering the sleeping grasses
And leaving the trees bare.
A sigh arises through the land.
A sigh of regret and sorrow
But who cares that summer is gone
For a new world dawns tomorrow,
A sad lament from the birds above
As they begin on their southward flight
Swinging across the face of the moon
As they speed on through the night.
Gaily dance the painted leaves
Above their gloomy graves
And flaunt their haunting loneliness
While the wind storms and raves.
But through the silent, dreary night
They whirl down to rest
Where all, sooner or latter, returns
To the Mother Nature's breast.
—Louise Marzlikar.

Have you obtained your new lodge member yet?

So when looking ahead we say to these three shadows, "Welcome!"

CRUSADER HOP WEDNESDAY IS HUGE SUCCESS

Chalk up another one for that up-and-doing Modern Crusaders outfit who are showing Cleveland in general and Collinwood in particular that they are one of the liveliest organizations in that section of the city.

Last Wednesday evening they sponsored the latest of their series of popular monthly depression socials and as was predicted and expected, it surpassed all of the other affairs in size and gaiety. Each social is better than its predecessor and the young folks of the community are now beginning to look forward to each coming affair. In short—Modern Crusaders has become synonymous with "Good Time."

At the last affair, the new Modern Crusaders orchestra was introduced to local, dance lovers and scored a decisive triumph. The snappy band will play a most prominent part in all the future affairs of that group.

HOLY NAME JUNIOR SOCIETY SPONSORS POPULARITY RACE

Popularity contests are far from being new—especially where the female of the species are the contestants. But where you have the men folks competing in such a contest, you have something quite out of the ordinary.

Recently the young ladies of St. Christine's Church in Euclid sponsored a contest to determine the most popular lass in the city. The race was most interesting and the contest proved to be a huge success.

Now, not to be outdone, the young men of the Junior Holy Name Society of that parish are holding a similar contest, but for men only. To the winner will go the title of the most popular male in Euclid, O.

Max Gerl, member of the Modern Knights, is upholding the S. D. Z. banner in the race and his fellow lodge members are rallying behind him. Tabulations compiled at the close of the second week of the campaign show that Max is holding down fourth position in the heated struggle and is but 300 votes behind the leaders. His managers and backers feel confident, however, that he'll be heading the list when the contest closes.

CHATTER BOX

By TWO DETECTIVES

Back again, friends, and with bells on! The clues this week weren't so hot, but we'll see what we have.

"Popeye" Modic knocked out in the second round and what a bout that was! Better luck next time, "Popeye!"

Ah hah! We caught you again. We are referring to the Eastern Stars Squad Car. What was it doing in Euclid Village?

What's wrong with Mr. Lah Jr., lately? He isn't seen with the Eastern Star Bachelors anymore.

STARS MEET

The Eastern Stars will hold their regular monthly meeting at the Slovenian Home, Holmes Ave., Monday evening, Nov. 28. Final plans for the Victory Dance will be discussed.

Attend lodge meeting regularly

"POPEYE" MODIC IS STOPPED BY BATTY BALBUDA

Crusader Warrior Kayoed in Second Round of Bout

And what a fighting heart that boy has!

Off to a very, very bad start in the opening minute of his scheduled three-rounder with one Mr. "Batty" Balbuda, friend Popeye Modic waged a valiant fight in a brilliant effort to overcome the handicap—but to no avail. And losing, he went down to defeat as gallantly as ever did any captain of the high seas go down with his ship.

No sirree, there's nothing even closely resembling yellow coursing through Popeye's veins. It's honest-to-gosh red blood and he-man red, too.

Billed as the final bout of the evening, both boys set out to make it the best fight of the evening, and it wasn't their fault, your or mine that it wasn't the best fight of the evening—if it wasn't.

Both mittmen tore out of their corners with the opening gong, loaded for bear and for fully a half minute the air was filled with devastating punches. It was a wild fracas and so were the punches, endangering referee Billy Burns and all ye ringers. But "Batty" landed first and thus began the tale of Modic's defeat.

A hefty wallop it was and Popeye did a graceful Annette Kellerman to the canvass, while the panting ref tolled out a doleful nine. Popeye was up, and never batting an eye or taking a backward step, tore right back into Mr. Balbuda. But another roundhouse right found parking space on his midsection and Popeye tasted resin for another nine seconds. But up again, and the boys were still mixing merrily as the bell called a halt to the first-round proceedings and the fight fanatics roared their approval.

The second canto opened in much the same manner as did the first—and history repeated itself, "Batty" again landing the first telling blow. It was to the head and once more put the Modern Crusader warrior to the canvass for another nine count. But it takes more than that to keep a good man down, and once again Popeye was up and at 'em, but the repeated trips to the floor had sapped much of strength and though the spirit was willing, the flesh was weak and another blow to the midsection returned him to the canvass from whence he had come. But like ol' man River, Popeye just kept rolling along and he was up again and back to the task at hand. That of trying to land one of his sleep producers.

Then came the tragic ending. The lads were swinging away with much gusto when Popeye-crowded Balbuda just as the latter was bringing one up from the floor. The blow landed somewhere in the vicinity of the midsection and Popeye went down writhing in agony. The toll of ten found him still on the canvass and unable to rise, so Balbuda's hand was raised in token of a knockout victory.

Eddie Simms May Perform on News Card

Heuser Tentative Opponent; Wallace to Meet Fuller

By BILLY TOFANT

Two of Cleveland's outstanding exponents of the pugilistic art will be given an opportunity to obliterate the stigma of previous defeats when they appear on the annual News Christmas Fund boxing show to be staged at the Public Auditorium Dec. 6.

And a third leather tosser, one from the immediate locality, gets a chance to crash into the select circle of the nation's fistic elite—that is, if he can plant one of his somniferous right-hand swats on the chin of his more illustrious opponent.

The person last referred to is Eddie Simms, hard socking Slovenian heavyweight, who is right on the verge of busting through to nation-wide recognition as a mitt tosser. All Eddie needs is one more win over a recognized opponent and he'll be qualified for bouts



BILLY WALLACE

with the division's pace setters. Eddie is tentatively slated to face Adolph Heuser, German light heavyweight star and one of Johnny Buckley's proteges who was recently imported into the country and has been going great guns ever since. They are scheduled over the 10-round route.

The other two aforementioned batters who'll have revenge propelling them forward to greater efforts are Billy Wallace, crooning lightweight, and Paul Pirrone, hefty hitting middleweight.

In a recent lightweight elimination bout, Billy suffered a kayo at the hands of Sammy Fuller, one of the division leaders. Ever since that time he's been gunning for a return go. His wish was realized when Dan Taylor and Ed Bang, News writers who are lining up the card, enticed Fuller in consenting to a return go. This, too, will be for 10 rounds—or less.

Such is also the case with Pirrone. Paulie was sent tumbling down the middleweight ladder by a knockout received from Ben (Hebbie) Jebby, pride of Boston. Incidentally, Jebby has a claim on the American 160-pound title, though Marcel Thiel, France, is generally recognized as the champ. Pirrone is back in condition once more and tugging at the leash, clamoring for another shot at Jebby. Their argument is also slated for 10 heats.

But back to Eddie Simms. Following his one-round knockout of Angus Snyder on the last News Fund card in September, Eddie has been on the shelf, unable to secure matches. Johnny Risko, George Pavlik, Charley Retzlaff and others have refused to meet the Slovenian. In Heuser, providing the bout goes through, Simms meets one of the finest light heavies in the business. Just recently, in a Boston bout, the Teuton handed George Nichols, reigning champ, a thorough shellacking.

CHICAGO VISITORS SEE NOTRE DAME-NAVY TILT AND CURRENT EXHIBIT

Frank Zierle, president of the St. Florian KSKJ Booster Club of South Chicago, and Edward F. Kompare, secretary of that organization as well as president of the Midwest KSKJ Baseball League, spent the week-end in Cleveland. Last Saturday they watched Notre Dame conservatively beat Navy, 12 to 0, at the Cleveland Stadium.

Upon hearing of the Slovenian activity at the current Public Hall International Exposition they spent Monday night viewing the happy-go-lucky life of Cleveland Slovenians, after which they returned home.

Frank is a graduate of Notre Dame University, while Eddie matriculated at Illinois University. The former is at present playing semi-pro football in his home town, while the latter confined his pigskin career to his high school days.

WHITEWASH BRUSH IS APPLIED IN WEEKLY NORWOOD LOOP GAMES

Three of the quints in the Norwood Home bowling circuit scored whitewash victories over their respective enemy teams in league matches last week.

Those two Lausche lads, Harold and Charlie, again turned in sparkling performances as the A. Grdina & Sons outfit thrice tripped the Zakrajsek Undertakers. Harold compiled a 612 on 211, 170 and 231, while Charlie hung up a 620 on 215, 192 and 213 counts. Charlie Lausche starred for the losers with a 611 as they bumped over 2638 pegs. The winners collected 2834.

Smashing out a dynamic 652 series on chapter of 266, 201 and 185, J. Mihelich led the Slapnik Florists to a triple win over the Potokar Five. J. Bokar's 586 was best for the losers. Other star games were G. Turk's 224, "Snag" Tekavec's 203 and 233, Radcliffe's 200, Barth Alich's 200 and 211, Stan Kromar's 226 and Larry Slogar's 226. The winners hit 2997 and the losers 2778.

A 200 opener and a 246 middle game by Lindy (Keystone Kop) Kotnik featured the Demshar Builders' three-game defeat of the Candymen Five. Frank Udovic twinkled for the losers with a 570 set. The Candymen blasted a 2531 total and the Builders banged a 2733.

With Joey Proshek shellacking the maples for a 629 series on 209, 196 and 204 counts, the Norwood Recreationists twice downed the Bukovnik Studios. A Mills walloped the wood for a 615 as the Photographers hammered over 2745 pegs. A 2794 was collected by the Norwoods. T. Strogin's 201, Jadrich's 225, J. Stepic's 202, C. Wohl's 204 and 201 and J. Bokar's 205 were other notable efforts.

S. L. U. MEETS

All members of Lodge No. 50 of the Slovenian Ladies' Union are requested to attend the club's monthly meeting to be held Dec. 1 at the St. Clair Bathhouse. Elections are to be held and each member is urged to come. Following the meeting a Christmas party is to take place and each member attending is requested to bring a 10-cent gift. The meeting starts promptly at 8 p. m.

SINGER CONVALESCING

Mrs. Anthony "Mitzi" Grdina Jr. has been convalescing for the past week in her home, 1004 E. 62d St., after a tonsilectomy operation performed by Dr. Perko at St. Alexis' Hospital last Monday morning.

The operation was of a very delicate and special nature, due to the fact that there was danger of affecting her voice, which has made her so popular as a concert singer.

The title, however, was not at stake in this fracas.

Eddie'll have to be on his toes as the German carries dynamite in either mitt and is a relentless and tireless workman, never letting up for an instant.

SLOVENIAN PAIR UNITED LAST MONDAY AT HALL

3000 Spectators Witness
Koprivec-Spehek
Ceremony

Last Monday night some 3,000 people witnessed the marriage of Miss Alice Koprivec, 21, to Mr. Frank Spehek, 22, at the Public Hall International Exposition, which is slated to be open until Sunday, Nov. 27. At 10 o'clock sharp the procession, led by accordionist Eddie Simms, marched across the elaborate stage toward the east end, where a beautifully decorated artificial garden was set up. Thereupon the Rev. Walter K. Klein pronounced the solemn words which knotted the young Slovenian couple.

The newlyweds were the recipients of a \$150 furniture set donated by the Bing Furniture Co.

Miss Jennie Martincic was the maid of honor and Edward Bradac the best man. The bridesmaids were Antonia Zagar, Mary Golob, Pauline Gosser, Molly Martincic and Louise Hovecar.

After the nuptial ceremony the group proceeded to the Slovenian stand, which is located at the extreme northern part of the hall. There the bride danced with the groom and the well-known pillow dance was on. The entire section joined in on the merry making, which was finally halted at 11, the closing time of each daily exhibit.

Throughout the entire procedure Johnny Novak, popular local boy, was very much in evidence.

Mitzi Grdina III

Besides Eddie Simms, five other accordionists helped to while away the time. They were Val Turk, Jack Zorc, Red Brancelj and the Germ brothers.

Among the dancers on the program are groups from Zaria, Slovenian School, Jugoslav (Slovene) Club and the Turkovich sisters. Miss Mitzi Grdina will not be able to make her appearance due to a recent throat operation.

The Jugoslav (Slovene) Club is representing the Slovenians in Cleveland and is to be complimented for the wonderful work at this annual exposition.

Tickets can be bought at the gate for 50 cents, while they can be purchased in advance for 40 cents. They can be secured at the following places: Kushlan's Confectionery, Kollander's Steamship Agency, American Home, Kalan's Hardware, Burns Variety Store, Cleveland Journal, Mrs. Agnes Zagar at the Slovenian National Home in Newburg and from Miss Irma Alan, 1007 E. 74th St.

HOLD BAZAR

On Wednesday and Thursday evenings, Nov. 23 and 24, a bazar will be held at St. Christine's Church under the auspices of the united societies of that parish.

On Wednesday evening admission will be 25 cents, with Red Brancelj's Rhythm Rioters furnishing the music for the occasion. Three appropriate door prizes—a turkey, a duck and a chicken—will be given away.

Thursday evening's entertainment will likewise include music. The admission, however, will be lowered to 15 cents for the Thanksgiving night affair.

The public and all lodge members are cordially invited to attend.

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DINE AND DANCE

The co-operative supper and dance sponsored by the Women's Guild and the Co-operative Youth League will be held Saturday evening, Nov. 26, at 7:30 o'clock in the Slovenian Workingmen's Home on Waterloo Rd.

All are cordially invited to attend. A good time is promised to all, old and young alike. Music will be furnished by Jackie Zorc and his orchestra.

The admission is very reasonable, the low price of 35 cents, entitled you to supper and dance.

SING YOU, SINGERS

Frank "Twin" Yerse is promoting a new stunt now. When he heard the Modern Knights' quartet at the S. D. Z. Day celebration he immediately set forth to go one better with his S. Y. M. C. members and got together an octet, which is scheduled to sing on an Interlodge program sometime in February.

"Twin" claims his boys are coming along in fine shape, as is evidenced in two of their recent rehearsals. Their first one was staged at his home, while last Sunday they visited Barth "Big Six" Alich's domain.

Their third rehearsal is to take place tomorrow afternoon at Joey Prosek's "hisa."

A peculiar feature about this singing group is that at every gathering the number increases, and by the time February rolls around they will have to hire a hall to accommodate the attending number.

More will be told about the doings of this new singing club in future issues.

NEWS OF EUCLID

By MADAM X

Miss Florence Brice, a very quiet type of girl, loves dancing and basketball. She often plays basketball at Noble School with the Y. W. C. A., of which organization she is a member, but she is seldom seen on a dance floor.

Anton Jagodnik, noted accordion player in the city of Euclid, left some time ago for New York City on a road tour. We hope he comes back full of smiles.

A baby girl was born last Wednesday to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Prentice of Ivan Ave. Mr. Prentice is a lieutenant fireman of this city.

Magical Benefit Show for St. Mary's Church Sunday

Sunday, Nov. 27, the Collinwood contingent of Slovenians will witness what the local Slovenians did at the recent magical show staged by the Cleveland Chapter of the Society of American Magicians at the National Home on St. Clair Ave.

This will be a repertoire of stunts that will find rabbits popping out of high top hats, flowers coming from out of nowhere, rhapsodies in silk, etc.

The show will be held at the Slovenian Home on Holmes Ave. and is to be staged for the benefit of St. Mary's Church in Collinwood.

Mr. John J. Grdina, treasurer of the local chapter, is arranging the program and announces that Mr. Charles Zorman's orchestra is to play at Sunday's performance.

There will be a matinee and evening shows. The afternoon being given for the children.

EXAMINES BOXERS

Dr. Michael F. Oman, Slovenian physician and surgeon, examined the various fighters who appeared on the Orel fight card staged last Thursday evening in the basement of the new church.

ANNOUNCE BIRTH

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Arhar, E. 63d St., are the proud parents of a baby boy born Saturday, Nov. 19, the first addition to the family.

The father is the brother of Joe Archer, former amateur boxer, well known in Cleveland.

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SCHALK, CHAMPA AMONG WINNERS ON OREL CARD

"Beany" Modic is Hit
of Show; Popeye
Kayoad

Despite the fact Eddie Novinc, the principal half of the main go, failed to put in an appearance, the Orel punch party of last Thursday night proved to be the best amateur fistic entertainment presented in this community since the Slovenian Young Men's Club took fighting off the street and introduced it into the Slovenian National Home three years ago.

In the fastest bout of the evening, Danny Schalk employed a snappy left jab to receive the nod over Chuck "Irish" Costello in a torrid affair. The judges disagreed on the verdict, but Referee Billy Skully decided in favor of Schalk. They tangled at 126 pounds.

The final bout of the card saw "Pop-eye" Modic wait a trifle too long before scoring his first roundhouse swing. In fact, he never did really connect with his famous "twister sock" and in the meantime his opponent, "Batty" Balbuda, did a little roundhousing on his own hook to drop Modic twice in the first heat and twice more in the second before hanging the Sprawling Room Only sign on him. It was a wild and woolly affair and the some 500 fanatics just loved it.

Another gory and messy battle was that between Tony Zagar and Al Hejna. A right cross put Zagar off to a flying start and put Hejna off to the first of his oft repeated and bloody trips to the canvas. A belated rally by Mr. Hejna in the final canto saved him from a knockout.

Lou Champa, Pee Dee Golden Gauntlet titlist, and Tommy Komer gave a fine exhibition of plain and fancy infighting in their set-to at 160 pounds. Champa was out in front in all three heats, however.

Beanie Modic, midget grappler, stole the show in a five-minute wrestling bout with the great Invisible Burpo, famous Phantom Pachyderm from Phumonia. It was Beanie's tussle all the way and he was never in any real danger, though at one time the infuriated Burpo did toss him into the ropes and it looked for a while as if Beanie was going to hang himself. He came back nicely, however, to win the verdict of referee and announcer "Vidi" Vidmar and the plaudits of the multitude.

In other bouts, "Sheebatz" Mordus lost to Tuffy Widen, while Russell France dropped George Swanson to the canvas five times to win by several quarts of blood.

A special professional wrestling bout found Oscar Kohl and Julius Wozniak taking turns resting their heads on each other's shoulders to draw in 15 minutes. They could have done it in two.

Here's a tip for the benefit of those who put off getting their Thanksgiving turkey until it is too late and all the shops are closed. If you are in that predicament, don't let it worry you—just hie yourself out to the Slovenian Home, Holmes Ave., tonight, at which time the St. Joseph's Lodge, No. 169 K. S. K. J., is having a "Turkey Night."

The committee has so many turkeys to give away at this time that you are almost certain to win one. Remember—we said "almost."

GET TURKEYS HERE

The guard addition is Alice Kastelic, who last year romped the hardwood for the strong Silver Mask cagers, runners-up in the Interfrat loop.

The Flashes will be playing under the St. Joseph banner this year and will be known as the St. Joseph Flashes.

AMERICAN LEGION LAKE SHORE POST TO STAGE NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY

For the past few years now the Lake Shore Post No. 273 of the American Legion, which has its headquarters at Mervar's Hall, has been ushering out the old year and hailing in the new with a gigantic New Year Eve banquet. Every year the affair is a well attended and a much looked forward to event.

Preparations are being made for this year's affair.

Red Brancelj and his Rhythm Rioters have been engaged to furnish the music for the dancing.

Other entertainment lined up so far includes the two Koprivec sisters, Victoria and Olga, Slovenian songbirds.

Reservations are limited, so get your tickets early.

FLASHES ENTER MUNY "B" SCRAMBLE UNDER ST. JOSEPH'S BANNER

Due to the fact that there will be no Interfrat cage loop for the lassies this coming season, Coaches Ray Grdina and Charley Dehler of the K. S. K. J. Flashes have entered what stacks up as an exceptionally strong offensive quint into the Class B girls' muny division.

Practically every member of the Green and White squad, which compiled an enviable record in the feminine cage circuit during the past three seasons, will be back for the coming campaign.

The vets who are back are Josephine and Polly Laurich, Fran and Louise Malovrh and Agnes Steiss.

Three girls whose spectacular play last season enabled Vic Zaletel's Sokols to win their third successive Interfrat title have been signed up to add speed and versatility to the attack. The trio on whom Dehler and Grdina are banking high hopes are Vera Kushlan, Fran Slapar and Fran Peck.

To this nucleus a pair of classy forwards, a center and a guard have been added for the coming campaign.

Vera Kushlan, one of the principal cogs in Vic Zaletel's three-time champion Sokols quintet, and Helen Miller of last year's national champion Stella Walsh Flyers are the high scoring lassies who will go a long way to giving the Flashes a powerful offense.

One of the best female centers in the district has been secured to take care of the tip-off post. She is "Red" Garrett, a star of former Blepp-Coombs A teams.

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DEMOCRATS DANCE

Thanksgiving Eve, Wednesday, Nov. 23, has been selected as the date for holding the local 23d Ward "Democratic Victory Dance" in celebration of the overwhelming victory in the Nov. 8 elections.

Grdina's Hall, 6019 St. Clair Ave., will be the scene of the festivities. Joey Kallister's four-piece orchestra has been selected to furnish the music.

ON AIR AGAIN

The Slovenian merchants are again sponsoring a radio program over Station WJAY every Sunday afternoon from 3:30 to 4 o'clock. Sunday's performance marks the third appearance of local Slovenian artists in the current series of entertainment, under the supervision of Mr. Charles Zorman.

Mr. John J. Grdina has been retained at the helm of the "mike" as announcer of the programs.

Large Crowd Sees Bishop Bless Church

Parade Precedes Dedication of New St. Vitus Church

With thousands of the parishioners witnessing the ceremonies with pride, unlimited, flowing forth from their hearts and smiles of happiness adorning their ruddy faces, the new St. Vitus' Church was formally dedicated and blessed last Sunday morning. Members of the parish unanimously agreed that the pontifical ceremonies were the most elaborate and pretentious they ever had the opportunity of seeing.

The Rt. Rev. Joseph Schrems, bishop of the Cleveland diocese, officiated at the ecclesiastical rites.

At a few minutes before 10 o'clock Sunday morning representatives of practically all the Slovenian lodges and fraternal organizations paraded down Norwood Rd. to Superior Ave., where they officially welcomed Bishop Schrems and his entourage, who had arrived by automobile. Both the Bled and Dosluzenci bands led the procession back to the scene of the ceremonies. Both sides of the street were lined with people, all eager to get a glimpse of the bishop and receive his blessing. Stores and homes all along

SUNDAY MASSES

Six masses have been arranged for Sunday morning in the new St. Vitus' Church. They are at 5:15, 6:30, 7:45, 9, 10:15 and 11:30 o'clock. Tomorrow's masses will be held in the old church.

the path of the parade were specially decorated with flags, banners and ribbons for the occasion. At Glass Ave. the processional was greeted by 1,500 of the St. Vitus' School children, all waving flags as the bishop passed by.

A whole bevy of mounted policemen and patrolmen, assisted by members of the local Silver Fox Tribe of the Boy Scouts of America kept the vast throng of spectators in order as they surged and jostled their way around the vicinity of the new edifice.

No less than half a dozen photographers snapped the scene as the bishop walked around the building, escorted by a retinue of priests and other dignitaries, and blessed the exterior.

This done, he passed into the interior and did likewise there, the ceremonies inside consuming something like 45 minutes. Meanwhile, outside, the crowd shivered and stamped impatiently.

Finally they were permitted to enter and hear the dedication and mass.

The Rt. Rev. Joseph Rummel, bishop of Omaha, Neb., performed the holy mass rituals, with eight monsignors and numerous other high priests assembled around him.

The Rev. John Plevnik, pastor of St. Joseph's Church, Joliet, Ill., delivered the sermon and then addressed the congregation in Slovenian.

After the Rev. Fr. Plevnik concluded his talk, Bishop Rummel finished the remainder of the mass rites.

The Rev. B. J. Ponikvar, pastor of St. Vitus' Church, whose untiring efforts and diligent labors made possible the construction of the edifice, then officially welcomed the various church notables and dignitaries on behalf of the community and church members.

In conclusion, Bishop Schrems congratulated the Rev. Fr. Ponikvar and the members of his flock on the building of the temple and expressed the desire that it would be used for many years to come by the next generation.

About 1 p. m. the crowd dispersed and hurried home to a belated dinner—happy and contented—their dreams realized.

In the evening parishioners jammed the basement of the new church for the banquet held there.

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