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WEDNESDAY NIGHT

St. Vitus Dramatic Club
Review of 1941-42 Season
By Audience

(Continuation.)

The Mother's Day Program
On May 4 and May 11, 1941 the two one-act plays together with a short program by the Baraga Glee Club were so successful that the audience kept waiting for more. In "Materina Skrb," which was directed by Stanley Frank, we have the simple plot of a girl who runs away, learns her lesson, comes back in despair. She dreams of her childhood days and remembers that God always forgives, awakens and finds reconciliation with her mother.

The vision scene was presented dramatically and beautifully, adding not a little to effective presentation of this touching play.

Emily Arko appeared one of the first times on the stage and was cast as the grandmother, Jean Skander was the mother, while Agnes Kosec and Marie Grdin were cast as sisters of the heroine, Margaret Yartz. Madeline Grdin represented the heroine on her First Communion Day.

As mentioned earlier, Margaret Yartz passed away on the very day she was supposed to have appeared on the stage to carry the lead. In her place, the director hurriedly gave the manuscript to Frances Pernach whose beauty, graces, and mastery of Slovenian is described in the preceding review. This talented and lovely young actress managed to learn the role and to perform it gracefully and convincingly, bringing to full credit the part of Margaret Yartz. The dramatic club, I understand, gave a rising vote of thanks to Pernach for her good natured acceptance of such a difficult task.

This performance was the first of its kind, since it was dedicated to the memory of the deceased, a young actress, as I understand, who was beloved by everyone in the organization. Even during the rehearsals she had come to act her part, although her side ached her very much and she was suffering from an upset stomach. She col-

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LAUSCHE FAST BECOMING POPULAR CANDIDATE FOR MAYOR OF CLEVELAND

By Rudy Lokar

Never in the political history of Cleveland has political pitch reached such a high point so early in an election year. The reason is clear enough to the dyed-in-the-wool politicians, because this year the Democrats, Republicans and Independents have something to look forward to. This year the citizens of Cleveland anxiously await the opening of the election booths on Primary Day in order that they can nominate the best candidate either party has had the opportunity to put before the public, as a candidate for mayor.

In past years, so-called second-raters were pushed upon the voting public. From among these the voters had to choose the best. The best, regardless of the outcome, was still a second-rater. In past years men preferred either other public offices, or just private life, although they were perhaps better fitted for the mayor's post than the occupants.

Slovenian Candidate

Among these was one of our own, Judge Frank J. Lausche, idol of Cleveland Slovenians and the cosmopolitan groups of Cleveland. While he was enjoying the success, heartaches, and heavy duties of presiding over Municipal Court and Common Pleas Court, newspapers, civic organizations and private citizens constantly urged Judge Lausche to become a candidate for mayor.

All these pleadings were to no avail. Judge Lausche was rapidly becoming one of the outstanding jurists of the United States by his honest, humanitarian and militant performance as a Cleveland and Cuyahoga County judge, and close followers predicted that it would be only a short while before he would be elevated to a higher post. His record merited it.

Today, Judge Lausche has come to a fork in the road. He has resigned his position as judge to become a candidate for mayor in Cleveland. At least temporarily, Judge Lausche is straying off the road which could have been his for many years, in order that he may be a candidate for mayor.

WE WANT FRANK J. LAUSCHE
MAYOR OF CLEVELAND!

R. KRAJEC STARS IN TRIPLE PLAY; SAINTS TAKE TWO

Ray Krajec, St. Mary's second baseman was selected as the Sandlotter of the Week by the Cleveland Press for his work in Sunday's game at Forest Hills against Hage's Sports. It happened in the eighth inning, Hage's had two men on when their pitcher hit a liner to right center. Ray leaped, caught the ball, stepped on second to double the Right fielder and threw to Tercek at first to complete a triple play. Although Hage's received five hits while St. Mary's but two, superior defense work aided Rossa in winning this thrilling game. When Tercek reached first on an error in the ninth he advanced to second by stealing and to third on a grounder. He scored the initial and winning run when he slid into home plate on another ground.

ST. MARY A. H. O. A.
Kozal, 3 4 0 3 1
Smerkle, c 4 1 14 1
Erjavec, rf 4 0 1 0
Tercek, 1 4 0 3 0
Fortuna, cf 3 0 0 0
Lasicky, lf 4 0 0 0
Krajec, 2 4 0 4 3
Rakar, ss 3 0 2 3
Rossa, p 3 1 0 4

Totals 33 2 27 8
H. SPORT A. H. O. A.
Frey, 2 3 0 1 2
Crocker, lf 4 2 0 0
Citron, 3 4 0 0 0
Tazel, ss 4 3 3 5
Hagel'ster, cf 4 1 0 0
Emond, rf 1 1 1 0
Thin, c 4 1 14 0
Chaney, p 3 0 1 0
Slicker, 1 1 0 3 0
McCristal, I 2 0 4 4

Totals 30 5 27 12
St. Mary 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1

Run—Tercek.

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Sure You Do!

Don't you want to see our own Judge Frank J. Lausche as the next Mayor of Cleveland? Sure you do! Then are you a registered voter so that you can cast your ballot in favor of Candidate Lausche? You do! Fine, then tell your voting friends to get themselves registered and be ready to do the same.

WE WANT FRANK J. LAUSCHE
MAYOR OF CLEVELAND!

ST. MARY'S NEWS

SODALITY REPORTING

Are you planning to join the CONTEST? You know, the one the Young Ladies Sodality is featuring at its coming event of events, the "GAY NINETIES" Dance, Sunday, Sept. 7th, at the Slovenian Workingmen's Home on Waterloo Rd. Its purpose is to find a genuine 'Barber-shop' quartet, the most novel and the one that can sing the most old-fashioned song. The rules for this colorful contest will be published in next week's issue. Watch this column for more information.

MEETING

Next Sodality meeting will be held Tuesday, Sept. 2, in the Study Club Room at 8 o'clock. All are REQUESTED to attend.

COMMUNION

Communion Sunday, Sept. 7th, at the 8 o'clock Mass.

ILIRJA NOTES

A nice group attended Ilirija's outing held at Lake Aquila last Sunday. The choir sang at 8:00 Mass and reported ready to leave about 10:30. The weather was perfect and park ideal.

POSTLUDE: The Committee with a capital C, being kept busy feeding and preparing and cleaning . . . Wonder if our ankle is the only one that hurts? . . . Mary Tercek in a very stunning red, white and blue sports outfit, the stripes were there but where were the stars? . . . Helen Sever and Jennie Sulz boating until it was too cold to stay out on the lake . . . Agnes Novak and her sister playing baseball and volleyball all afternoon . . . Fr. Celenk must have played at least four games of volleyball and two of baseball! Whee! . . . While Fr. Baraga was satisfied with a game of horseshoes . . . Jo Sincerely and Jo Kosmer elected to do dishes and we all heard it too . . . Tony Pierce winning most of the prizes . . . Jo Novak doing a grand job of going nowhere while she was rowing . . . Bill Planinsek vowed he would not do any strenuous work. It wasn't long before his shirt came off . . . Private Planinsek thoroughly enjoying his leave from the Army and being just Ed . . . Johnny O' 4 winning the balloon busting contest as well as many black and blue marks . . . That gang around Tony and Olga Seday in the middle of the ball field telling corny jokes . . . Eddie Kuznik and his accordion . . . Songs heard from morning till night . . . Singers really hit their stride about 6 o'clock and around the fire under the stars . . . Frank Tomazin and Lou Kozel singing Old Black Joe which sounded strangely like the Volga Boatman . . . Lou Kozel and Eddie Kuznik collaborating on a ditty about Benito Mussolini which even Jaka would have enjoyed . . . Mr. Rakar putting in an appearance later in the evening very happy about his boys winning that double header . . . Chuck Tercek and Lou Jurecik taking acrobatic pictures . . . Just like Orels, boys

. . . Mr. Izanc playing cards a good part of the afternoon . . . Frank Jurecik urging us to "ena za pet" from 2 o'clock on . . . Frances Grill, Cookie Gornik, and Frances Novak working so hard, to feed the hungry . . . Milie Asseg sprouting her annual blisters

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NEWS OF SOLDIERS

Participating in the Army maneuvers near Gillis, La. were members of the 112th Combat Engineers, which included Corporal August J. Jevnikar, 24, E. 214th St., Sergeant Joseph L. Rogel, 23, 15110 Miles Ave., and Private Edward F. Sesek, 26, 19211 Shawnee Ave.

Everyone thought Vidy had a miniature case of beer along but closer observation revealed it was just a small lunch. Says he prefers "vamp" to sandwiches, but his wife, Bertha, made sure he was well taken care of.

Ed Snyder claims his car is better than the scenic railway at the beach; why spend your money on the Cycles!

The weather was perfect and a good time was had by all who attended until Hank and Frank decided they wanted an ice cream while waiting for the bus. To their amazement, they rushed out of the ice cream parlor just in time to find the bus pulling away. Luckily it was the wrong bus so that the audience had a good laugh.

All in all it was a perfect day for the Orels.

You can ask Mr. Anthony Urbas,

of the Orels.

AN ENGINEERING PROBLEM!

Ask anybody who has gone past the old church grounds on Norwood and Glass Ave. and they will tell you of some wonderful changes. For weeks now the hills and dales have been smoothed out and filled in and a grading machine been put into service so that the ground will be perfectly level. Credit for getting that work done goes to our unfiring pastor, Rt. Rev. Msgr. Ponikvar.

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