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## OB TEDNU

Washington prevladuje misel, da vlada med Rooseveltom, Churchillom in Stalinom popoln sporazum na vseh vprašanih; morda si bodo povsem na jasnem glede Evrope.

Δ Javnosti sicer še ni bilo nič rečeno, toda armada in mornarica zagotavljata, da bodo potrebovali več in več vojakov. Ako jih bolnišnice ne bodo radevolje pustile, bo armada in mornarica stariši do 50 leta starosti.

Δ Kakaj je načrt, kako bodo vojniki upravljali Nemčijo, ko jo zasedejo. Najprej bo bil zavezniki koncil, nato iz zastopnikov Zed. Anglije in Rusije. Ta koncil vso upravo Nemčije in vojsko bodo zavezniki artilerije in vojske. Tako bo za svetovanje poveljstva, toda sčasoma bo prešlo vso upravo v svoje roke, pa upravljal, dokler ne bo podpisano premirje. To bo bilo vse od 18 mesecev do enega leta, kakor bo hotel nemški narod sodelovati. Če ne bo Nemčija popolnoma porazena, bo vladala po vojaški oblasti, potem pa postavljen za stražo in letalske straže v sosednjih državah, ki bodo pazile na njeno varnost.

Δ Baltičkih provinc še ni razločeno. Ameriški državni sekretar bo skušal pregovoriti, da bo dal Latviji, Litvi in Estoniji samostojnost, ker so te pokrajine ne bo poljevala za svojo obrambo. Če pa Stalin ne bo dal preloži, zapadni zavezniki ne bodo hoteli zrtvovati prijateljske Rusije radi Baltika.

Δ Pravno je zaloga sladkorja velika, pa ne smemo pozabiti, da bo vlada odvzela in poravnala istega. Sladkor, ki se vedno ni dovolj, bo razdeljen po potrebni meri.

Δ Vojni državni tajnik, ki se je vrnil iz Moskve, pravi, da bo gladko, kot določeno, ki so vozili Hulla v Moskvo, so dospeli na letališče v Washingtonu prejšnjega dne. Zato je moral Hull sedeti v letalu in čakati 45 minut, da bi ga dočel predsednik Roosevelt s spremstvom. Tedaj je Hull stopil iz letala in predsednik ga je uradno pozdravil.

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## Churchill in Stalin v dogovoru?

Bern, Švica. — Diplomatski krogi trdijo, da je premier Churchill v dogovoru s Stalinom. S Churchillom je tudi zunanji minister Eden. Stalin in Churchill sta skupaj zadnja dva dni. Ugibljujejo, če čakata zdaj še na Roosevelta, da se jima pridruži, ali pa bosta opravila sama brez predsednika Roosevelta. Uradnih poročil o tem sestanku pa ni nobenih.

## Amerikanci so imeli velike izgube pri napadu na Tarawa

Washington. — Mornariški tajnik Knox je izjavil, da so bile ameriške izgube pri okupaciji otoka Tarawa na Pacifiku zelo velike. Napram časnikarskim poročevalcem je izjavil, naj ljudje pripravijo na težke izgube.

Stvari se obračajo zdaj proti Japoncem na centralnem Pacifiku in Solomoni in na Kitajskem. Radijo iz Tokia je včeraj poročal, da so ameriški bombniki včeraj napadali v bližini 650 milj samega japonskega otočja.

Ameriške podmornice so zopet potopile Japoncem devet ladij. Tako znašajo dozdaj japonske izgube na ladjevju 505 potopljenih ali poškodovanih.

## LOV NA SRNE V PENNSYLVANII

V sosednji Pennsylvaniji bo odprt lov na srnjake v ponedeljek 29. novembra in bo trajal do vključno 11. decembra. Streljati se bo smelo samo srnjake z dvema izrastkoma ali več.

Ne 13. decembra in potem tri dni pa bodo smeli samo domačini streljati tudi srne v sledečih osmih okrajih: Cameron, Clinton, Lycoming, McKean, Potter, Sullivan, Tioga in Warren. Za tisti lov bo treba dobiti posebno dovoljenje, ki velja \$1.

Za lov na srnjake je potrebno imeti nedomačinom dovoljenje, ki stane \$15.50. Iz Clevelanda odpotuje jutri več slovenskih lovcev proti Pennsylvaniji. Dobro srečo!

## Nov grob

Po 3 dnevni bolezni je sinoči umrl v Charity bolnišnici Peter Moravec, star 51 let. Bil je samski in doma iz Vinice v Beli Krajini, odkoder je prišel sem pred 33 leti. Zadnjih 15 let je stanoval pri družini Gliha, 9105 Union Ave. Tukaj zapušča nečakinja Ano Gačnik, v New Yorku pa sestra Mary Stiglič in Margaret Kastelic ter več drugih sorodnikov. Pogreb bo v torek jutraj ob 8:30 iz pogrebnega zavoda Louis Ferfolia. Naj počiva v miru.

## Izredna seja

Klub društev Slovenskega društvenega doma na Reher Ave. bo imel v sredo 1. decembra ob osmih zvečer izredno sejo. Seja bo jako važna, zato so naproseni društveni zastopniki, direktorji in posamezni člani, da se seje udeležijo.

## Prva obletnica

V nedeljo ob sedmih bo darovana v cerkvi sv. Vida maza za pokojnega John Jakšiča v spomin prve obletnice njegove smrti.

# Ruska armada je okupirala važen Gomel ki so ga Nemci razdejali pred odhodom

## AMERIKANCI NAD RAJHOM

London, 26. nov. — Ameriške zračne trdnjave so danes udarile na severozapadno Nemčijo pri belem dnevu potem, ko so angleški letalci štiri noči zapovrstjo bombardirali Berlin.

Ameriško poveljstvo ne pove, kam da so udarili ameriški avijatičarji, toda ker je radijska postaja v Bremenu nenadoma umolknila, se sodi, da je bil Bremen tarča ameriških letalcev.

To je bilo prvič v enem tednu, da so leteli ameriški težki bombniki v napad nad Nemčijo. Angleški letalci so tudi bombardirali Frankfurt ob Maini, kjer so največje tovarne za truke in kavčukasta kolesa.

Angleško letalsko poveljstvo je izjavilo, da bo nadaljevalo z napadi na Berlin toliko časa, da bo "prenehalo biti to srce nazijske Nemčije."

## Dva guvernerska kandidata že imamo Ohio

Columbus, O. — Podguverner Paul H. Herbert je naznanil, da bo kandidiral za ohijskega guvernerja drugo leto. Herbert je po poklicu odvetnik in je že tri termine ohijski podguverner.

Prvi je naznanil kandidaturu republikanec James Garfield Stewart, sedanjí župan v Cincinnatiju. Pričakuje se, da nadaljuna dva republikanska kandidata, državni pravdnik Thomas J. Herbert in državni blagajnik Don H. Ebright, bosta tudi najbrže kandidirala. Iz demokratskih vrst se ni nobenih kandidatov prijavljenih dozdaj.

## Vrnitev iz bolnišnice

Mrs. Frances Novak iz Carl Ave. se je povrnila iz bolnišnice. Tem potom se želi lepo zahvaliti sorodnikom in prijateljem za cvetlice, darila, karte in prijazne obiske. Zdj se nahaja doma pod zdravniško oskrbo.

## Župan Lausche bo šel v Washington na povabilo

Clevelandski župan Frank J. Lausche je sprejel povabilo senatorja Peperja, demokrata iz Floride, naj pride v torek na sejo pododseka, ki se peča s problemom zdravja in izobrazbe v vojnem času.

## Naciji so ubili 54 oseb radi enega vojaka

Alžir, Afrika. — Zavezniki glavni stan je objavil zdaj prvič v javnosti, kako brutalno so Nemci masakrirali 54 italijanskih mož in fantov v vasi Bellona pri Neaplju in sicer samo zato, ker je eden izmed vaščanov ubil enega nemškega vojaka, drugega pa ranil.

Glavni vlogi pri tej tragediji je igrala 21 letna Marija Cafaro, katere oče se nahaja točasno v Rutland, Vermont, Zed. države. Na njeno dvorišče so prišli namreč nekega dne trije nemški vojaki, ki so splezali čez zid in so dekleta pograbil, hoteli ga s silo odvesti.

Na njeno vpitje je prihitel njen stric s puško v roki, ki je začel streljati. Ubil je enega Nemca, drugega je ranil, a tretji je zbežal. Stric je nato zbežal v gore.

Drugo jutro navsezgodaj je prišla nemška četa v vas, vdrla v vsako hišo ter poglala vse moške prebivalce na sredo vasi. Nemški častnik je dal vaščanom dve minuti časa, da mu povedo, kam se je skrili dekletje sorodnik, ki je ubil nemškega vojaka.

## Sans bo dal \$1,500 na mesec za komuniste!

V zapisniku SANSa beremo, da je izvršni odbor sklenil dati iz svoje blagajne vsak mesec, za dobo šest mesecev, Adamičevu \$1,500! Ta Zdrževalni odbor ima v svojih pravih dve važni točki, 1) da se moralno in gnotno pomaga partizanom v Jugoslaviji, in 2) da se deluje za priznanje partizanske (komunistične) vlade v Jugoslaviji.

## POSETITE BAZAR PRI SV. KRISTINI DANES IN JUTRI

Danes in jutri bo pri sv. Kristini velik cerkveni bazar. Kot nam je natiho zaupala Trtnikova Urška, bodo same dobre stvari za dobitke ali nagrade. Celo prašiči bodo šli na licitanto. To bo klobas in plečet! Pa tudi druge robe bo veliko.

Za žejne in lačne je vse preskrbljeno, da ne bo nikomur dolg čas. Farani in prijatelji tudi od drugod so prijazno vabljeni v šolsko dvorano sv. Kristine nocoj in jutri. Prav dobro se bodo imeli.

## Ameriška mornarica ima zdaj 817 bojnih ladij

Washington. — Mornariški tajnik Knox je včeraj poročal, da je ameriška mornarica v zadnjih 11 mesecih podvojila število svojih bojnih ladij. Na vseh oceanih ima zdaj naša mornarica 817 bojnih ladij, med temi več kot 40 nosilcev letal.

V prihodnjih par tednih bodo ladjedelnice tudi nadomestile 21 izgubljenih ladij to leto, torej bo štela naša bojna mornarica 838 ladij.

## Ponovno štetje je dalo zmago O'Neilu

Youngstown, O. — Ribarije za županski stolček v Youngstownu, O. je zdaj končano, ko je volivni odbor ponovno preštel vse glasove. Neuradno se poroča, da ima Ralph O'Neil, demokrat, 13 glasov večine nad republikanecem, Arthur Williamsom. Prvi je dobil skupno 21,733 glasov, drugi 21,720.

## Nacij so ubili 54 oseb radi enega vojaka

nolom, da je kamenje pokrilo trupla.

Ko je prišla angleška patrola v vas, je dobila vašcanke, ki so razkopavale kamenje v kamnolomu in iskale trupla svojih mož in sinov.

Rutland, Vt. — Gabrijel Cafaro, ki je zaposlen v tem mestu, je bil zelo potr, ko je zvedel o žalostni usodi, ki je zadela njegovo rojstno vas, obenem, seveda, je bil pa srečen, da je njegova hči Marija ušla rokam nacijs. Prav dobro se še spominja kraja, kjer je tisti kamnolom in tudi imen mnogo vaščanov se še spominja, ki so postali žrtev nemške podivjanosti.

## Rusi so tudi razdvojili nemško armado v Ukrajini. Nemška ofenziva proti Kijevu, ki traja že 13 dni, postaja vedno slabejša.

London, 26. nov. — Maršal Stalin je danes naznanil javnosti, da je ruska armada zasedla Gomel v Beli Rusiji ter razdvojila nemške bojne sile v Ukrajini. Gomel je bila zadnja nemška trdnjava na vzhodnem bregu Dnjepra. Rusi so obkolili Gomel in zadnje tri tedne so kolobar okrog tega važnega mesta stiskali, da so ga morali Nemci konno zapustiti.

Stalin je izjavil, da je igrala pri zavzetju Gomela veliko vlogo zlasti ruska zračna sila. Stalin je ukazal, da Moskva praznuje to važno zmago s tem, da izstrelji 224 topov vsak po 20 streliv.

Nemci priznavajo, da so se umaknili iz Gomela, da so pa mesto popolnoma porušili pred evakuacijo.

Iz Gomela vodi pet železniških prog in sicer dve na Poljsko, ena direktno v Brest-Litovsk, druge pa v Litvo. Gomel je zvezan z železnico tudi z Moskvjo, Odeso in Leningradom.

Depše iz Moskve tudi poročajo, da stoji armada generala Vatutina v Ukrajini trdno. Nemci že 13 dni napadajo v smeri proti Kijevu, toda njih ofenziva postaja z vsakim dnem šibkejša.

Nemci so zavzeli Gomel v avgustu 1941. S padcem tega važnega mesta je Rusom zdaj odprta pot proti Baltiku in v nevarnosti je tudi nemška fronta pri Leningradu.

## Ladja je spremenjena v otok kot slepilo

Neapelj. — Zatrjuje se, da se italijanska ladja Conte di Savoia, ki je bila že večkrat poročana kot pogreznjena, še vedno nahaja v Benetkah. Nemci so ladjo tako pretvorili, da izgleda letalcem kot mal otok. Na njenem krovu je naslikana hiša, vrtnice zraven in celo krave, ki se pasejo okrog.

## Malo je zahtevala

Mrs. Leona Gardner, 1501 E. 76. St. je prišla v neko brivnico in z napetim samokresom v roki zahtevala od brivca 25 centov. Na sodniji se bo zagovarjala radi nošnje prepovednega orožja.

## Nesreča rojakinje

Mrs. Anton Vidervol, 1364 E. 43. St. je tako nesrečno padla, da si je zlomila ključno kost.

## Naši vojaki

Nekje iz Sredozemlja se je urednik angleške strani Glasa ogalsil mornar Joseph J. Grdina, sin poznane družine Mr. in Mrs. Jože Grdina, 6113 St. Clair Ave. Jovi piše, da služi rusilcu in da je zdaj blizu rojstne domovine svojih staršev in da se mu dobro godi. Njegov naslov je: Joseph J. Grdina, S s/c, U.S.S.H.C. Jones (D. E. 137), care Fleet Post Office, New York, N. Y.

Njegov brat Tonček služi tudi pri mornarici in se nahaja točasno v Great Lakes, Ill. Iz Fort Hayes pri Columbusu se je oglašil Rudy Lokar, bivši







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# The American Home

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WEDNESDAY NIGHT**ST. VITUS HOLY NAME**  
**Weekly Review****Sodality News**

We're glad to hear that Sodalists Olga Turk is up and around again... We hear she has been laid up with a bad cold the past couple of weeks... Our advice to her would be "stay away from colds"... see how simple!!!

**C. Y. O. Entertainment**

The CYO is again sponsoring an entertainment to raise money for more packages to be sent to those men who have not as yet received their package. To date more than 500 boys have been taken care of... here in the states and overseas, but we still have about 250

more to take care of.

The date set for the entertainment is December 5th, at 8:30 p. m. Admissions will be \$1.00.

So come on folks, let's once more come down and make the pleasure twofold:

First—your own enjoyment in playing the games and knowing that it is for a worthy cause—and second, the pleasure the boys will experience when their packages arrive... How about it???

Publicity Committee  
P. S. Tickets are on sale at Novak's and Makovec's Confectionaries.

**NEWBURGH NEWS****Are You Coming?**

—To the **Annual Church Festival** which will be held at the church hall tonight and tomorrow. Make your ticket returns early! You, no doubt, possess one of the "good numbers" which will entitle you to one of the many prizes. Join us and have an evening of fun, entertainment and surprises! Never a dull moment, we assure you!

**Did You Miss?**

—The hospitality of the Reception Committee in their stunning "pink pinafores"—the presence of the stately air cadets—the familiar faces of servicemen reviving the good old times—the vocals rendered by Paul Yancher—the gaety of the whistle dance—the tantalizing melodies of Vadnal's Orchestra—the record dance of the season sponsored by the **Ufano Amistads** Sat. nite (pleasant memories for these present—Regrets for you who missed it!)

**Did You Know**

—That Eddie Kenik's Band will feature a **farewell dance** at the "Nash" tonight as a salute to Emeric Kordan, an orchestra member, who is leaving to join the armed forces next week. All you music-lovers "step out tonight and dance to your favorite waltzes and polkas!"

—That the **CYO Basketball Team** has plans underway for an evening of dancing entertainment which is scheduled for Jan. 8.

—That the **St. Lawrence Stage and Curtain Guild** will display their dramatic abilities in a star production on Jan. 1 and 2. Tickets are now on sale. There may be a "sell out," so purchase your tickets early.

—That the **Dramatic Club Krka** will enact the successful performance of the past "Crown of Thorns" in the St. Clair Auditorium as a Lenten feature.

**Did You See?**

—Johnny Barle, Cy Lekan, Lefty Hrovat, Stan Zabak, Frank Mikes, Frank Seme, Joe Kuznik, Frankie Godec, Al Lekan and Joey Miklavic during these past few days. They were in town, hale and hearty, to resume a few activities of the past before returning to their respective camps. It was nice seeing you, boys!

**Are You a Sodalist?**

If so—did you do your duty?

**Lausche-Prince Victory Dance**

You can't miss having a good time if you attend the Victory Dance which is being held by the 32nd Ward Democrats tonight at the Slovenian Home on Waterloo Road. There will be refreshments to your taste and music to make you dance, furnished by Srnick's Orchestra. Present at the dance will be our own Mayor Frank J. Lausche and Councilman J. J. Prince.

**Christ the King Lodge to Meet Tomorrow**

Our next meeting will be held Sunday, Dec. 5th, beginning at 2:30 at the Slovene National Home. Some members do not know of the change of halls for meetings, but we've had our meetings there since summer.

Election of officers will be held and that means it is the duty of every member to attend.

After the meeting, refreshments of all kinds, eats, drinks etc., will be served. So come on all members, attend this meeting and you'll attend some more.

Josephine Trunk, Auditor

**ST. MARY'S NEWS**

The Young Ladies Sodality of St. Mary's Parish will have its monthly meeting on Tuesday, November 30, promptly at 8 p. m. in the Study Club Room.

All Sodalists and candidates, please be present as arrangements will be planned for the December Reception. Candidates for membership who have attended meetings and Communions and have received instructions from the Mistress of Candidates at the last meeting will be received on December 8. Those candidates who were unable to attend our last meeting should contact Frances Pirc for information.

Everybody! Bring your junk jewelry for the soldiers' tax stamps and pennies for the Missions, and 25 cents for the booklets that will be donated to Chaplains for distribution among soldiers at Christmas time.

Many important matters need to be discussed, planned and voted upon at this meeting. Sodalists and candidates, make sure you are there!

**By JOE OREGON**

(Continuation.)

Fatur was all aglow with excitement of battle, in his imagination being practically on the scene. His whole heart and soul were in this fight. So much was to be said in so short a time. Private Hovevar was beginning to see things in a different light, and even his monotonous duty as guard was becoming interesting.

One afternoon, while making some repairs on a broken plowing machine, the private suddenly began to inquire about Fatur's family.

"Where do you come from anyway? The captain gave some funny name."

"He must have said San Pietro, because that's the Italian name. But to us Slovenes it's the town of Saint Peter. You

**WEDDING BELLS**

Today at 9:30 a. m. a wedding ceremony at Christ the King Church on Noble and Terrace Roads, will unite William Zupancic to Miss Margaret Mehling. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Zupancic of 14510 Thames Ave., and the bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mehling. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Boyance, 6223 Glass Ave., announce the marriage of their daughter Miss Josephine Marilyn Mihalik to Cadet John R. Paulich Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. John Paulich, 5238 St. Clair Ave. The ceremony will take place at the St. Vitus Church on Sunday, December 5, 1943, at 3:00 p. m. The reception will be held at the home of the groom for immediate families and relatives. Attending the bride will be her sister, Miss Becky P. Mihalik, Maid of Honor, and the groom's sister, Miss Greta M. Paulich, bridesmaid. Cadets Robert Robert Schultheis and James Rybak, who are stationed with the groom at the University of Indiana, will attend the ceremony as Best Man and Usher. The couple will return to Bloomington, Ind., to make their home.

**ARMY NEWS**

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rozman of 866 E. 76 St. report the new address of their son as follows: Pvt. Joseph Rozman, 35059028, Co. G, 3rd Bn., 501st Parachute Inf., Camp Mackall, North Carolina.

Pvt. Frank G. Lavrich sends us his new address, which is as follows: Pvt. Frank G. Lavrich, 35052809, 31st S. S. Co. APO 9069, c/o Postmaster, Seattle, Wash.

On his first furlough was Wallie Turk, son of Joe Turk of 1046 E. 68 St. He returned to Great Lakes, Ill., yesterday.

Answering Uncle Sam's call, Ludwig Speth of 8106 Sowinski Ave., left for the Navy on November 22nd. He is the son of Mrs. Frances Judnich of 1041 E. 74 St. and has been married seven years. Before his departure he wished to be remembered to all his friends. Good luck!

Sailor Raymond Streiner arrived last week on a ten day furlough, staying at the home of his parents at 1042 E. 61 St.

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**Wild Bird and Canary Show**

The Cleveland Canary Breeders Association and Ohio Color Breeders Club are presenting their fascinating display of wild birds and canaries of every fancy, color and color combination, from all parts of the country.

A special feature will be the performance of Miss E. A. Foster's trick birds, with a door prize as an added attraction.

The Slovenian public is invited to attend the show at Hotel Cleveland, The Rose Room, on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, November 26, 27 and 28, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 10 p. m.

**Happy Birthday, Sailor!**

Stanley A. Znidar, son of Mrs. Margaret Kogovsek of 15606 Holmes Ave., who is with the Medical Corps, states that he likes the Navy life. He praises the officers, the modern ship and the good food, which is better than ever. His birthday being on December 1, his mother, brothers, relatives and friends wish him a happy birthday, and at the same time also wish him a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year, as well as to all our boys who are fighting for liberty. His address is: Stanley A. Znidar, H. A. 1/C (H. Div.) U. S. S. Intrepid, c/o Fleet Post Office, New York, N. Y.

**Reminder**

Last minute reminder to the members of the Yugoslav (Slovene) Girls Club to make reservations with Mrs. Jeanette Cahill, FA. 4656 for Mothers' Party.

The Yugoslav (Slovene) Girls Club will entertain their mothers and guest mothers at a St. Nicholas Party on the Eve of St. Nicholas, Dec. 5th, at the International Institute of the Y. W. C. A.

**Promoted**

Mr. L. E. Stockhaus, who has had many years' experience with the Cleveland Trust Company, has been promoted to the rank of Manager of the St. Clair-E. 55th Street Office, to succeed Mr. P. H. McClelland, who has been transferred to the Euclid-Ivanhoe branch. The new Assistant Manager is J. O. Sindelar. He has served this branch for 31 years. Edward Hrovat is now assistant Loan Teller.

An honest confession is good for the soul, but bad for the reputation.

**FAR, FAR AWAY FROM HOME, IN A LAND OF MILK AND HONEY**

see I'm a Krasovec, I come from Kras."

"My father comes from the district of Kras, too," put in Hovevar.

"He does?!" Fatur exclaimed eagerly, "whereabouts, do you remember?"

"I think my father said near Slavina."

"To be sure! To be sure! But that's a river! Slavina River! Saint Peters is on that river! Do you know the village or town near that river?"

"Well, let me see. I don't know it so well. I've never been there and I never paid much attention to it. I think he said Parje, Pare, or something like that."

"Parje, yes, of course, Parje, to be sure! That's right close to Saint Peters. In fact, only a hill separates Parje from St.

Peters. Fellows from Parje used to come to Saint Peters on Sundays or holidays; sometimes we went to a village like Parje. Why, why, Elmer, I'll bet your father and my father even pal-ed around when they were in Europe. Your dad came from the Kras district, didn't he?"

"Yes, Janecz, he came before the first world war. He still has close relatives there. You know, it could be that your father and my father, as young guys, used to run around together. It's a small world, and after all these years!"

"Yeah! Why, many's the time we boys used to come from Saint Peter's, even to Parje, to serenade under some blonde's window. And we'd get chased not only by the old man

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**A TRIP TO THE NEW HOME FOR THE WACs — PATTERSON FIELD**

By MARY ANDOLSEK

Gathered at the Terminal Tower, on Friday morning Nov. 19th at 6:45, were a group of 17 women, representing American and foreign language newspapers. The group, accompanied by Lt. Ann Duffy and Sgt. Julianna Miklos, boarded a train which was to take us to Patterson Field, Fairfield, (near Dayton), Ohio, headquarters of the Air Service Command and one of the most secret and most important fields. This unusual privilege was granted us in connection with the WAC recruiting drive for the army air corps, starting on November 22nd.

Arriving at the field at 12:30 p. m. we were installed in a barrack with some 30 cots, which will soon be occupied by the WACs. There are six new buildings ready for the WACs, only one of which is occupied at the present time.

After a hearty lunch at the mess hall, we were taken to the auditorium where Major Gen. Walter H. Frank, Commanding General of the Air Service Command, stated that the various operations at Patterson Field extend into every war theatre in the world. He mentioned that there are 155 different jobs available for the WACs, who are really doing a superb job, and who must each take the place of a male officer, freeing him from a desk job to some real flying.

Brig. Gen. E. E. Adler, chief of the Personnel and Training Division also addressed us, mentioning that the balance of power to win now rests with woman power. The WACs in the front lines are definitely replacing men and this new recruiting program gives women and girls the privilege of electing to go in the Air Force.

Explaining what the Air Service Command is, Major Louise Kennedy said that the ASC supplies and maintains the Air Force all over the world. Without the ASC the plane could not be kept up in the air. The Air Service Command operates 11 main supply and maintenance depots and some 300 subdepots.

A conducted tour was then planned for us, and assigned to us were WAC Lieutenants, who took us in groups of three. Our guide, Lt. Marian Chastain of Tennessee, started us off in the Supplies Department, where we interviewed Lt. Angela M. Trabbic, who explained that they supply the planes going across with all the necessary equipment, spare parts, etc., and naturally they have confidential and secret information as to just where the planes are at all times. This department sees to it that such necessities as bolts, bullets, fuel, and clothes, arrive even before the plane arrives at its destination.

Our next visit was to Plant Maintenance, headed by Lt. Wilma E. Rushing, who informed us that this department employs 450 civilians for janitor work, as well as two negro squadrons. Upon interviewing Lt. Julia Bumbar, we learned that there are about 15,000 army and civilians employed at Patterson Field. It is a little city by itself. As it is very hard to hold civilian personnel, there are movies every day for the at lunch as well as other amusements.

In the Budget and Estimate department we were informed by Lt. B. T. Etten of the WAC that two billion dollars have been allocated for the field. (Continued on page 3)

**TYWRITES HYLITES—Bowling Party**

Finally the first bowling party was rolled out at Linsz Recreation Alleys. Putting the time of reservation in this column should be eliminated—no one ever paid attention and tries to be late. —Ed Kuhel and Mlinar were ready to go home thinking there was no bowling party or maybe they had a wrong location. About (half hour later) Ann Golob came to swell the crowd to three. Some came later and some came MUCH LATER.

Mary Repar relaxing from nursing studies. —Ann Golob hitting a 140 for the high of the afternoon. —Kuhel in his first game scored the pins for a 173 score then fizzled out in the two games. —Boy, I never saw so many gutter balls thrown at any of the Orel parties. —Frances Zak used any and all of the bowling balls. —Branisel at his first bowling learning the art of bowling. —Mary Ann (who made the reservation for 1:30 p. m.) coming down at a quarter of the hour. —Johnny Lokar an interesting spectator.

The following scores were compiled from the score sheet by Aggie Kosec and are recorded for your perusal.

|                |     |     |
|----------------|-----|-----|
| Mary Repar     | 58  | 63  |
| Frances Zak    | 115 | 79  |
| Agnes O'Kee    | 113 | 111 |
| Ann Golob      | 118 | 118 |
| Mary Ann Sever | 173 | 125 |
| Edward Kuhel   | 73  | 73  |
| Frank Branisel | 124 | 112 |
| Matt Mlinar    |     |     |

December meeting—Dec. 5

**Engagements**

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fritz of 124 E. 124 St. announce the engagement of their daughter Dorothy to James L. B. Nelson of D.L.O. Miss Fritz is chief dietitian of the State Sanatorium in Mississippi. Mr. and Mrs. John Komlin of 73 St. announce the engagement of their niece Miss Jean Boldan to Patrick J. Largey of St. Mary's.

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