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Novi grobovi

Mary Spenko

V Euclid General bolnišnici je umrla včeraj 92 let stara Mary Spenko s 16122 Huntmari Avenue, roj. Ciber v Iški vasi pod Ljubljano, od koder je prišla v ZDA z možem in 4 otroci leta 1906. Ves čas je živela v Collinwoodu. Zapušča otroke Mary Durn, Josephino Zurc, Franka (Waukegan, Ill.), Juliusa (Chicago) in Helen Mervar, 7 vnukov, 14 pravnukov. Pogreb bo v soboto ob desetih dopoldne iz Grodinovega pogrebnega zavoda na Lake Shore Blvd. na Kalvarijo pod vodstvom pogrebne Mary A. Svetek. Pokojna je bila članica W. of W. Namesto cvetlic priporoča družina darove za Slov. dom ostarelih na Neff Rd.

Jennie Zakrajsek

Do daljši bolezni je umrla v St. Alexis bolnišnici 54 let stara Jennie Zakrajsek z 10601 Dove Avenue, roj. Krzic v Clevelandu, žena Andrewa, mati Andrewa n Marion Charvat, 2-krat stara nati, sestra Jerryja Krzic in Mary Kenik. Pokojna je bila članica Gospodinskega kluba pri SDD na Prince Ave. Pogreb bo iz Ferfolia pogreb. zavoda v ponedeljek ob 8.30, v cerkev sv. Lovrenca ob devetih, nato na Kalvarijo. Na mrtvaškem odru bo v soboto in v nedeljo 2-5. pop. in 7.-10. zvečer.

Frances Gorse

V Euclid General bolnišnici je umrla 89 let stara Frances Gorse z 981 Gorse Drive, vdova po l. 1936 umrlem možu Johnu, mati Pauline Ullé, Anne Cēsnik, Julie Strnad, Franka, Edwarda, pok. Johna, pok. Louisa, pok. Emme Perko, pok. Mamie Samsa in pok. Williama, 17-krat stara mati, 22-krat pramati. Pokojna je bila rojena v Višnji gori v Sloveniji, od koder je prišla v ZDA pred 70 leti. Pred 50 leti sta s pokojnim možem vodila trgovino z grocerijo, nato pa je ona imela gostilno Gorse's Tavern na E. 207 St. in Lakeland Blvd. Pogreb bo iz Zeletovega pogreb. zavoda na E. 152 St. jutri, v soboto, ob osmih, v cerkev sv. Kristine ob devetih, nato na pokopališče sv. Pavla.

Martin Kozar

Na svojem domu na 292 Richmond Rd., Richmond Hts., je umrl 72 let stari Martin Kozar, rojen v Velikih Malencah pri Catežu na Dolenjskem, mož Mary, oče Mildred Cesen in pok. Williama, brat Slavka, Vincenta, Franka, Amalije, Marije, Angele, Ane in Olge (vsi v starem kraju). Leta 1934 je vodil St. Clair Cafe na E. 69 St., nato l. 1938 Lindberg Cafe na E. 200 St. in 1940 Glen Park Cafe na E. 185 St. Od l. 1945 do 1960 je bil lastnik Nottingham Winery in do upokojitve La Salle Tavern. Vse to je vodil s svojo ženo in sinom Williamom, ki je umrl letos v februarju. Pokojnik je bil član Društva Slovenec št. 1 ADZ in ustanovni član Euclid Rifle and Hunting Cluba. Pogreb bo iz Zeletovega pogreb. zavoda na E. 152 St. v ponedeljek ob 8.45, v cerkev sv. Felicite ob 9., nato na All Souls pokopališče.

Alvin J. Lang

V sredo zjutraj je nenadoma umrl zaradi srčne kapi Alvin J. Lang z 13112 Thraves Ave., Garfield Heights, Ohio, star 40 let, rojen v Clevelandu, zaposlen pri Hill Acme Co. kot obratovodja, veteran vojne v Koreji. Tukaj zapušča ženo Dolores, roj. Offak, otroke Eyo Mario, Alvina M. in Christopherja, mater Marion in brate Williama, Karla, Wendylna Richarda ter Ernesta. Sestra Eva Marie je umrla. Pogreb bo v soboto ob 10.15 iz Fortunovega pogrebnega zavoda na 5316 Fleet Ave., v cerkev sv. Monike ob enajstih, nato na pokopališče Kalvarija. Truplo bo položeno na mrtvaški oder danes popoldne ob dveh.

Rdeča ofenziva zahteva vedno več žrtev v Vietnamu

SAIGON, J. Viet. — Pretekli teden je padlo v boju v Južnem Vietnamu 312 ameriških vojakov, 357 južnovietnamskih in 4314 rdečih borcev. Amerikanske oborožene sile so imele še 1593 ranjenih, južnovietnamske pa 1390.

Odkar se je sedanja rdeča ofenziva 23. februarja začela, je padlo že 1719 ameriških vojakov in okoli 25.000 rdečih. Ameriške izgube v mrtvih v vietnamski vojni se že preseljevale štjevilno mrtvih v korejski vojni. Vietnamska vojna je sedaj v tem pogledu takoj za obema svetovnimaj vojnama in za državljansko vojno.

Peipinški kongres KP kaže na vezi z vojaki

V sredo se je začel 9. kongres Komunistične partije Kitajske. Vse kaže, da bo v novem vodstvu KP vojska močno zastopana.

HONG KONG. — Po imenih začasnega prezidija na 9. kongresu Komunistične partije Kitajske, ki se je začel v sredo, 2. aprila, v Peipingu, sodijo, da bo novo vodstvo predstavljalo povezavo "levičarjev" z zmernimi ob močni udeležbi vojakov. Za predsednika kongresa je bil imenovan Mao, ki je imel tudi glavni otvoritveni govor. Za njegovega namestnika je izvolilo 1512 zbranih delegatov obrambnega ministra Lina Piao, ki je imel glavni politični govor in poročilo, za tajnika pa predsednika vlade Cu-En-laja.

Med 176 člani začasnega prezidija je tudi Maova žena, znana vodnica "kulturne revolucije", pa tudi vsaj 60 znanih vojaških osebnosti. Med njimi ni Liu-Sao-či in nobeden njegovih pristaev. Kongres se je po govorih Mao-Tsetunga in Lin-Piao razdelil v delovne odbore in razpravlja o novi organizaciji partije in o njenem bodočem programu. Napovedujejo, da bo trajal vsaj dva tedna. Izbral bo nov Centralni komitet Komunistične partije, ta pa nato nov Politbiro, ki bo dejansko vodil Partijo in deželo, če se mu bo posrečilo te vsiliti svojo oblast.

Nekateri v to dvomijo in ugibljejo, da je Maova oblast in moč omejena le na majhen del Kitajske, med tem ko drugod gospodarijo krajevni vojaški poveljniki s svojimi klikami. Morda so prav zato vojaki tako številno zastopani v začasnem prezidiju.

Le nekaj čez 7 minut BERKELEY, Calif. — V tem stoletju je najdaljši popolni sončni mrk dolg le 7.3 minute.

DANES V CHICAGU MIRNO

Sinoči je bilo pozvanih v Chicago 6.000 članov Narodne garde pomagat vzdrževati red in mir v črnem predelu mesta, kjer so preje začeli črni šolarji višjih šol z demonstracijami, izgradi, plenjenjem in uničevanjem. Narodna garda je nastopila malo po sedmih zvečer. Preko noči in danes je v glavnem v mestu povsod mir.

CHICAGO, Ill. — Včeraj so dijaki višjih šol v črnih predelih mesta začeli z demonstracijami in nemiri, ki so prešli v plenjenje in razbijanje. Dijaki so se zjezili, ker jim šolske oblasti niso hotele dati prostega dne v spomin smrti dr. M. L. Kinga, ki je sicer danes. Policija je nastopila naglo in preprečila razširitev nemirov preko obeh črnih področij. Zvečer je nastopila Narodna garda, katere 6.000 mož je bilo pozvanih v aktivno službo največ zaradi previdnosti. Lani je namreč prišlo v Chicago po umoru dr. M. L. Kinga do hudih izgrediv, nemirov in uničevanja, tekem katerih je bilo 11 oseb mrtvih. Skupnemu nastopu policije in Narodne garde se je posrečilo obnoviti red in mir v obeh črnih predelih in tega ohraniti.

Mestni župan Richard J. Daley je ustavil prodajanje strelne orožja, streliva in gasolina v prenosnih posodah. Prepovedana je bila tudi prodaja alkoholnih pijač v vseh predelih, kjer je prišlo do izgrediv. Tekom včerajšnjega dne je bilo ranjenih 26 oseb, med njimi trije policaji in štiri poročevalci. Oblasti so prijelo 230 oseb in jih pridržale.

Na North Side je prišlo do streljanja iz enega izmed poslopij v Cabrini stanovanjskem programu. Policija je končala plenjenje tam v bližini s strelji v zrak.

Gen. Richard T. Dunn, poveljnik Narodne garde, je po ogledu položaja dejal, da imajo njegove čete strelivo, pa izrazil upanje, da ne bo prehodo, ker ni prišlo do nobenega večjega požiganja in obširnejšega streljanja iz zased.

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Zadnje vesti

SAIGON, J. Viet. — Ameriški marini so začeli nov, dvojen obsežen nastop proti rdečim v severnem delu Južnega Vietnama. Rdeči so napadli včeraj dve oporišču južnovietnamskih vojaških sil južno od Tay Ninh, pa bili s težjimi izgubami odbiti.

WASHINGTON, D.C. — Predsednik Nixon je imenoval včeraj štiri nove poslanike: bivšega zveznega senatorja N. Y. K. B. Keatinga za Indijo, W. Leonharta, poklicnega diplomata za Jugoslavijo, R. C. Hilla za Španijo in V. Petersona za Finsko. Dosedanji tamkajšnji poslaniki bodo zapustili zvezno službo.

PRAGA, ČSSR. — A. Dubček je sinoči svaril Čehe in Slovake, naj ne kažejo svojega protisovjetskega razpoloženja, če nočejo, da se bodo sovjetske čete znova pojavile v mestih. Kljub uvedbi novih, ostrejših ukrepov je obljubil, da bo nadaljeval s postopnim uvajanjem liberalnega programa.

OTTAWA, Can. — Predsednik vlade P. E. Trudeau je dejal včeraj, da bo Kanada s koncem tega leta postopno začela umikati del svojih oboroženih sil v okviru NATO iz Evrope, pa bo v NATO ostala, ker je ta za enkrat še potrebna.

Wagner se zopet zanima za župansko mesto v New Yorku

NEW YORK, N.Y. — R. F. Wagner je bil dolga leta župan v New Yorku, pozna ga torej vsa dežela. Ljudje so bili z njegovim režimom zadovoljni, ne pa demokratični politiki, ker jih je Wagner premalo spoštoval. Zadnjič Wagner radi tega ni hotel kandidirati, zato ga je Johnson imenoval za poslanika v Madridu.

Sedaj se je Wagner zopet oglašil v domačem mestu in rekel, da bo v kratkem povedal, ali bo kandidiral ali ne. Njegova izjava je seveda močno prizadelo druge demokratske kandidante. Sedijo kot na trnih in čakajo na Wagnerjevo odločitev. Proti Wagnerju bi namreč težko kdo med demokrati kandidiral in upal na zmago.

Sovjetska flota krenila proti domu

LONDON, Vel. Brit. — Skupina 20 sovjetskih vojnih ladij, med njimi 8 podmornic, največja, ki je kdaj po drugi svetovni vojni zaplula v severni Atlantik, je po večdnevni vajah med Islandijo in Britanskim otočjem krenila proti vzhodu proti domačim vodam.

Tu in v NATO so ugibali, da bo omenjena flota plula na Daljni vzhod okrepit tamkajšnje sovjetske pomorske sile, ko je prišlo v preteklem mesecu do spopadov med Rusi in Kitajci na meji Mandžurije.

Obilo knjižnih polic WASHINGTON, D.C. — Kongresna knjižnica ima skupno okoli 250 milj knjižnih polic.

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"Otroška farma" v zou odprta— Jutri, v soboto, bodo odprli v mestnem živalskem vrtu "otroško farmo", ki se je tekem 11 let obstoja zelo priljubila med otroci. Dnevno je odprta za obisk od 10. dop. do 5. popoldne v delavnikih, od 10. dop. do 7. zvečer ob nedeljah.

Osemdeset let— V nedeljo obhaja dolgoletni naročnik lista John Zaitz, 2011 Richland Avenue, Lakewood, svoj 80. rojstni dan. Je še zdrav in se dobro počuti. Čestitamo in mu želimo še mnogo zadovoljnih let!

Iz bolnice— Mrs. Julia Makuc, 1208 E. 176 St., se je vrnila iz bolnišnice in se zahvaljuje za obiske, darila in pozdrave. Vošči vsem veselo Veliko noč!

Zadušnica— V nedeljo ob petih popoldne bo v cerkvi sv. Vida sv. maša za pok. Josepha Baskovica ob 2. obletnici smrti.

V torek ob osmih bo v cerkvi Marije Vnebovzete sv. maša za pok. Josepha Perovska ob 5. obletnici smrti.

Članski sestanek— Društvo Lilija ima svoj mesečni sestanek v ponedeljek ob osmih zvečer v Slovenskem domu na Holmes Avenue.

Nova pošiljka— Slovenska pisarna v Baragovem domu je prejela novo pošiljko Turnškovega Slovenskega misla in molitvenikov ter Družnisko pratiko za l. 1969.

K molitvi— Clancice Podr. št. 14 SZZ so vabljeni nocoj ob sedmih v Zeletov pogrebni zavod na E. 152 St. k molitvi za pok. Frances Gorse.

Tajni razgovori?

WASHINGTON, D.C. — Obrambni tajnik M. R. Laird je dejal včeraj, da se vrše tajni razgovori med rdečo in zavezniško stranjo v Parizu in da se je pri njih pokazalo že "nekaj uspeha". Pripomnil je, da noče "vzbujati nobenih napačnih nad."

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VATIKAN. — Papež Pavel VI. je v cerkvi sv. Petra govoril na veliko sredo tisočim vernikov o trpljenju in preskušnja Cerkev v zadnjih letih. V svojem govoru je z žalostjo ugotovil, da duhovniki in lajki "križajo" Cerkev z "zapuščanjem in stramoto".

Pri tem je sv. oče nemara mislil na pomožnega škofa Gabriela L. Valdivieso, pomočnika nadškofa-kardinala v Santiagu de Chile, na pomožnega škofa Maria C. Radavero, 41 let starega pomočnika nadškofa-kardinala v Lini v Peruu in na msgr. G. Musanteja, ki je zapustil papežovo neposredno okolico in se oženil.

Papež je posebej opozoril na nepokornost Cerkvi, njenim naukom in izročilom, na pomanjkanje ljubezni, poštovanosti in želje po svetosti. Vse verne je pozval, naj se povežejo z njim v duhovni skupnosti in molitvi. "Gospod nas preskuša," je dejal sv. oče, "Cerkev trpi zaradi pomanjkanja svobode v premnoških državah sveta... trpi zaradi opuščanja zvestobe, izročila, polnega razumevanja in ljubezni vernikov..."

Predsednik Gane odstopil

AKRA, Gana. — Predsednik gen. J. A. Ankrah je odstopil kot predsednik republike, ko je prišlo na dan, da je sprejemal denar od privatnih družba za politične namene.

Narodni osvobodilni svet, ki vodi Gano, odkar je pogal tam z oblasti znanega Kwame Nkrumah, je imenoval na mesto gen. Ankraha na čelo države svojega člana brigadirja A. A. Afrifo.



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Nenadoma se je zagnala in preden ji je Tine mogel zaskočiti pot, je bila že na Mežnarjevih vratih. Slišala je še, kako jo je klical, toda bila je v veži in Tine ni upal za njo. Videl je, da je Jernej v hiši. In sram ga je bilo, da bi se pred ljudmi poniževal.

Saj bo na Prtovč še tudi prišel. Vsaj bajto pogledat, da ne bo preveč razčesana. Tedaj do Skovinčeve kajže ne bo imel daleč. Otroka bo gotovo videl, če drugega ne.

Rotija se je v veži oddihovala in z rokami tiščala srca, tako ji je bilo.

Moj Bog, da ga je morala srečati. Docela je že pozabila nanj. Se v misel ga ni več jemala. Pa ti stopi prednjo, kakor bi z lune padel.

Jernej, Marjčka in Marjeta Tineta niso nič opazili, ker so sedeli v kamri onstran hiše in se nalivali z mlekom.

"Kod si pa šavrata tako dolgo?" jo je sprejela Marjeta in porinila prednjo precejšnjo skodelo mleka in brtevs belega kruha.

"Crnega je zmanjkalo", je pomežiknil Jernej. "Belega pa na Jamniku delijo. Kadar prideš, ga dobiš."

Ko je Rotija nesla žlico v usta, je je polovico zliha, tako se ji je tresla roka.

"Poglej no, da greš res že v leta. Kdo bi si mislil?" se je smejal Jernej. Tudi Rotija se je poskusila nasmehnuti, toda njen smeh je bil bolj jok, tako da se je Jernej precej zresnil.

Koj po zajtrku so krenili vsak na svoje. Rotija je šla z Marjeto in vsako stvar, ki jo je Skovinčeva dekla povedala, je komaj slišala.

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jeta jezna. "Vsako novico ti moram po dvakrat povedati. Jernej se nadeja, da bodo pozimi pri Cotovih štirje. Tako mi je namignil. Kar srečen je."

"Hvala Bogu," je vzdihnila Rotija. Vsaj Marjeta ni vedela, kam meri. Spraševati pa ni hotela. Bolj prav se ji je zdelo, da sta skoraj vso pot molčali.

Za Rotijo je bila ta noč obupna. Noprenehoma se je pripravila s Tineto, ki je plazil za njo. Lepo je bil opravljen, kratki brki so ga delali gosposkega, le žuljave roke so kazale, da pridno dela.

"Rotija, daj si vsaj nekaj dopovedati. Nisem več stari Tine, saj me vendar vidiš."

"Vidim te, vidim. Se predobro. Ko bi takle takrat prišel, ki nisem imela nikogar ob sebi, predte bi se vrgla. Pa si me še šuntal, naj bi šla h konjederki. Fej! Sram te bodi! Nisem candra, čeprav si mi nekoč tudi to ime dal."

"Zdaj bo vse drugače, Rotija. Bajto bom prebelil zunaj in znotraj, tesariti bom spet začel, nekaj rjuh zemlje si kupiva, pa se vzameva. Otroka bom prepisal na svoje ime, da bo imel pred ljudmi očeta, kakor se spodobi."

Rotija je vsa premočena od potu, ko se prebuja. Vsa noč ji mine tako v nekakšnih klamah, ki niso ne spanje, ne bedenje. Vendar ne more mimo Tineta. Ne more pa amen.

Na otroka misli, na Jurčka. Očeta bi imel, pravega očeta. Nazadnje bo otrok nemara le revež.

Nenadoma se Rotija zamisli in srh jo oblije od lic do tresočih se rok.

"Pa ne, da Tineta še vedno ljubim? Da sem ga ljubila vse-skozi, čeprav sem misel nanj pobijala kakor strupeno kačo. Da je bil Jernej samo Tine, dober pošten Tine, o katerem sem vedno sanjala?"

"Moj Bog, kako sem nesrečna," je zajokala, da se je Jurček prebučil in zajokal. Vzela ga je v naročje in pričela zibati. Otrok je pričel momljati, nekajkrat mlasnil in utihnil. Previdno ga je položila poleg sebe in ga ogrnila.

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njegov. V brado je njegov." V temi je videla okroglo prijazno brado z luknjico v sredi. Tine ima tudi tako.

"Rotija", je prosil Tine. Rotiji se je zdelo, da glas trepetava v rožmarinu, ki je zastiral okno. "Ali nisem res ves drug? Po-vej, če ni res."

"Res je, Tine. Ves drug si. Postaven si postal in čeden. Le kje si se vzel?"

"Saj se mi bo zmešalo", je zdihovala Rotija, toda Tine je stal sredi hiše in bil je prav tak, kakršnega si je nekoč želela. Nasmejan, delaven, dober in ljubezljiv, glavat prtovških fantov.

"Ni — tak, ni — tak, ni — tak, je udarjala ura.

"Je — je", je vpilo srce, toda Rotija je vedela, da je prepoznala. Vsako pokoro je treba opraviti do konca.

"Na svojem trpljenju ti bom zgradila srečo, otrok moj", je pritisnila lice k spečemu malčku. "Grad ti bom sezidala, čeprav boš ti takrat, ko boš velik, mislil, da je samo kajža. Med kamne bom dala svojo kri, v temelj svoje srce, da ga boš čul biti do poslednje ure, dokler ne boš prišel za menoj."

Zjutraj je Rotija sežgela zadnjo Tineto sliko, ki jo je še imela.

SAMOTNA BAJTA

Na Prtovču je zadišalo po moštu, ki ga je prešal Skovinc. Ko je prišel tepkovec, so otroci čakali s skodelicami in Skovinc jih ni odganjal. Sladak vonj je prepreždel vso vas in ljudje so bili dobre volje, kakor da so pijani.

Tine je prišel v vas. Teden dni je že, kar ga je Tinetovec vzel za hlapca. Od povsod je bilo slišati o njem samo dobre vesti, tako da se je Tinetovec okorajzil.

"Nemara se je res spremenil", so ugibali kmetje. "Tudi na zunan je ves drug. Kdo bi si mislil, da bo še kaj iz njega. Tak potepin, zdaj se pa loti dela. Se tesariti bo začel", tako se spreniša po vasi.

Rotija je vsa iz sebe. Se na misel ji ni hodilo, da se bo Tine razaj pritepel in da se bo tako zaresno zagnal v delo. Zares je priden. Tinetovec se pohvali z njim.

In še nekaj je, kar Rotijo bega. Tine je začel snažiti bajto. Zunan je bila že prebeljena in kar nekam bolj košato so gledala okna pc vasi. Nekaj pobite opeke je Tine sam nadomestil z novo. Ob nedeljah se je vselej vrnil trezen nazaj. Kakor je bil prej razvpit kvartac, tako je zdaj postal skop.

"Nobene stvari si ne privoščim", se je čutil Tinetovec, kadar so ga sosede povpraševali, kako je zadovoljen s hlapcem.

"Glej jo beštjo, da je tak." Prtovčani niso mogli uganiti, kaj je Tineta spreobrnilo.

"A res gotovo ne", je Tinetovec trdil svojo. "Nekaj mora imeti fant za plotom. Zase menda ne beli hiše. Se prezidavati

misli nekaj, tako mi je pravil. Kakšna ženska mora biti posređi."

"Prav lahko", so ljudje pritrjevali Tinetovcu. "Ženska veliko zmore. Menda mu je žal, da je z Rotijo tako grdo naredil. Dobro ženo bi dobil, ko je imel takrat tako pamet, kakor jo ima danes."

Prtovčani res niso vedeli, kaj Tine namerja. Fantje so ga vzeli v svojo družbo, se radi menili z njim, toda Tine je bil molčeč in tudi vino ga ni ogrelo. Ko je spil svojo mero, je vstal in odšel.

"Pa dobro se imejte."

"Hudimana, kaj vrta?" niso mogli fantje priti na jasno in so preresetavali vsa prtovška dekleta.

"Iz naše vasi ni", so bili vsi edini. "Saj še ob nedeljah z nobeno re gre iz cerkve. Vedno gre sam, če ne najde pripravne družčine."

"Nemara da je v Voklem kaj opazil. Na zunaj je čeden fant in postaven", so mu nekateri celo zavidali.

"To bo. Kadar bo prišla na ogled, bi se Tine rad postavil, zato je pa bajto prebelil."

Fantom se je zdelo, da so pravo zadeli. Zato je bil tako brz pripravljen, ko mu je Tinetovec ponudil službo. Iz Voklega bi ne mogel hoditi na Prtovč belit.

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Tine je zbudil vso vas. Jasko-dobiti s Tineto. Tudi v Zelezvo je jezilo najbolj to, da v nič-nike nista šla nikdar skupaj. mer ni mogla priti na jasno. Za- (Dalje prihodnjič)

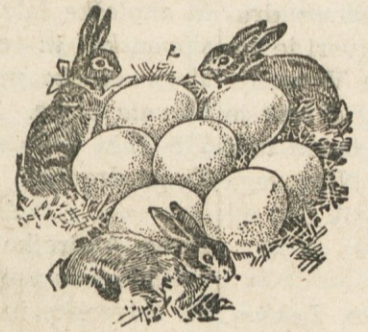
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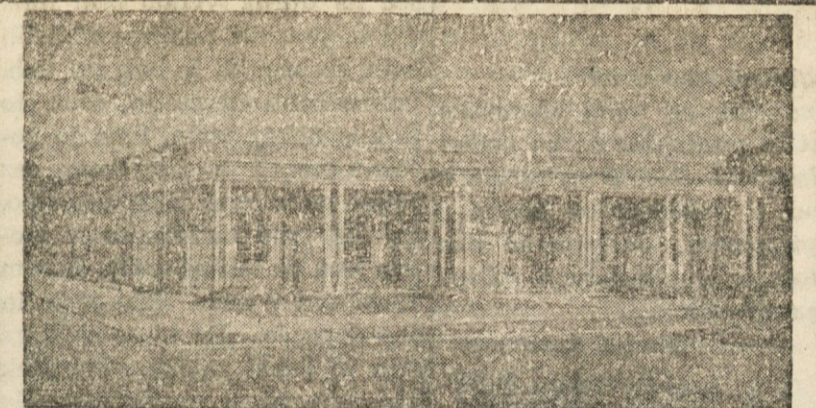
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Zalujoči:
STEPHIE HOČEVAR, soproga
IN OTROCI

EASTER GREETINGS



A QUIET SUNDAY



As holidays go, perhaps Easter is imbued with more of a feeling of peace and tranquility than any other. This year Easter falls on April 6. The simple pleasures of the children's Easter egg hunt will be combined with Christian observance of the resurrection of Christ.

One of the greatest pleasures of Easter is the awareness of the new spring season that it brings to all of us. The quietness of Easter Sunday somehow seems to muffle the normal discordant clatter of everyday life. For a few hours, we can find composure in small tasks and small enjoyments. The tree-lined streets of many communities are a haven of solitude on Easter Sunday. The flowers and the songbirds, which go unnoticed and unheard by the average passerby during a noisy weekday, are suddenly there as reminders that nature and its creatures have no fear of the city.

The origin of the customs of Easter go back to antiquity, as does the symbolism of the Easter egg. Whatever Easter meant to the ancients, the gentle touch of Christianity has added a special meaning for modern man that makes itself felt on one quiet Sunday of each year.

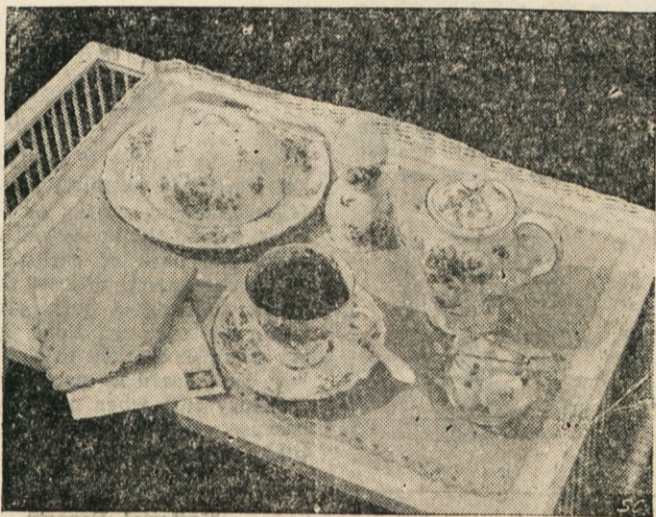


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Feel in the mood for sharing a discovery, even with such an everyday beverage as coffee? If so, it might be fun to pamper and surprise a busy homemaker when she wakes some leisurely Sunday morning.

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For a breakfast surprise, having a continental flair, serve cups of Kava with flaky light Brioche or Croissants. To serve the all-American way, offer a soft-boiled egg with toast and coffee on a cheerful, bright-looking tray. It will be even prettier and more pleasing with a posy in a bud vase.

If the cook of the house cares to be creative at other times,

Cleveland Zoo's Children's Farm Scheduled To Open On April 5

With an oink-oink, here, a baa-baa there, here a moo, there a maa, everywhere a chick-chick, a quack-quack here, a hee-haw there, here a gobble, there a whinny, everywhere a cock-a-doodle, the Cleveland Zoo's Children's Farm will open for the 1969 season on Saturday, April 5th.

This season will mark the beginning of the eleventh year of operation of the Farm at the Zoo.

The Children's Farm has grown explosively more popular year by year since 1959, its first year of operation. In 1959 the Farm's attendance was less than 50,000 visitors; in 1968, its tenth year, the attendance was in excess of 211,000 visitors.

The Farm's popularity is due to the close contact the visitors have with the many domestic animals which live on the Farm. Of special interest to the children are the baby animals such as lambs, goat kids, and calves.

Squeals of delight, bursts of laughter, and smiles of joy are constantly heard and seen when youngsters hold the cuddly animals or pet and feed them in the Pat-A-Pet ring. Bottles of milk and cones of grain are available for the ever-hungry farm animals.

The Children's Farm construction was financed largely by the Rotary Club of Cleveland. With Cleveland being the center of a great urban metropolis, many people would seldom have the opportunity of seeing a farm. With this in mind, Rotary saw a Farm at the Cleveland Zoo as a perfect place to display buildings, equipment, and animals typical of Ohio's rural life.

Initially the Children's Farm contained a Red Barn and Silo, a Corn

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CTS Fun Tour Visits Chardon Maple Fete

The Cleveland Transit System will operate its first Fun Tour of the 1969 season to the Geauga County Maple Festival in Chardon, Ohio, on Saturday, April 12th. E. C. Krueger, CTS General Manager, said.

Tour buses will leave Cleveland's Public Square between 10:30 and 11 a.m. and the last bus will leave Chardon for the return trip at 5:30 p.m.

Tickets are \$2.50 for adults and \$1.50 for children under 13 and are available at the CTS Information Booth on Public Square, or by sending a check or money order to Fun Tours, CTS, 1404 East 9th Street, Cleveland, Ohio 44114. Advance reservations are necessary.

The Maple Festival climaxes the maple syrup season in Geauga County. The sap run is over. Most of the maple syrup has been produced and packed and they're all set to celebrate the annual festival on the village Public Square.

Featured displays at the Festival include demonstrations of syrup making, from the crude iron kettle swung over an open fire to the modern, sanitary, continuous operation evaporators in use today.

Other attractions are the concerts by the 15-piece Rube Band, log sawing and chopping contest, parades, exhibits, displays, square dancing, and stacks and stacks of pancakes just dripping with syrup.

Other Fun Tours to be operated during 1969 include trips to Kingwood Gardens in Mansfield; to Schoenbrunn Village south of New Philadelphia; to Mohican State Park in Loudonville; to Madison "Old Fashioned" Days; to the Ohio State Fair in Columbus; to the Grape Jamboree in Geneva; to the Ohio Swiss Festival in Sugar Creek; an Autumn Trails Tour, and to the Apple Butter Festival in Burton, Ohio.

Goodwill Has Urgent Need For Furniture

Goodwill Industries' handicapped clients are still facing a minor emergency. One of the United Appeal Agency's vital training stations, the furniture repair department, is in need of materials to keep it in operation.

The supply of usable furniture discards is rapidly diminishing. Goodwill urgently needs these items — chairs, tables, sofas, bedroom sets, desks, office furniture — to keep several handicapped persons at work.

The furniture repair department is one of twenty-five work stations which teach, train and provide funds for the agency's handicapped.

Area residents who wish to donate furniture items are urged to call Goodwill's collection department at 431-8300.

Goodwill, a non-profit organization, is devoted to the vocational rehabilitation of physically, mentally and socially handicapped persons.

OHIO BELL PLANS EMERGENCY SERVICE NUMBER

Sometime in the future, residents of most Ohio communities will be able to pick up their telephones and dial 9-1-1, for help in any emergency.

This is based upon a recommendation by the President's Commission on Law Enforcement and Administration of Justice which suggests that a single nationwide three-digit emergency number, similar to 9-9-9 used in England, will trim life-saving seconds from the time needed to respond to a call for help.

As the Commission envisions it, persons needing help from fire, police or other emergency units will dial 911 when they don't remember or can't quickly locate the designated seven-digit telephone number for that emergency unit.

Whenever a caller dials 9-1-1, that call will be received at a central receiving switchboard somewhere in the area. Once this central receiving point has all the necessary information, it will then relay the information to the proper emergency unit.

Before this service becomes a

reality, a number of cooperative agreements will need to be reached between the parties who will provide and operate the system.

Cost of the central receiving switchboard and associated incoming cable trunks will be shared by the various emergency agencies in the area served. These probably will include, in addition to police and fire departments, the county sheriff, ambulance services, poison control center, civil defense disaster units, dog warden, Red Cross, etc. They will also share in the cost of providing operators to man the switchboard on a 24-hour basis.

Telephone companies will play a major role in providing the service. In many areas they already are spending millions of dollars to provide the necessary cable trunks and inter-exchange switching equipment that it takes to make the system feasible. Bell System operating companies already have allocated \$50 million for this purpose, and in order for the system to be universally used nationwide, many times that figure would be required of the independent telephone companies in out-of-pocket cost.

Tonight School Days On Channel 25

Tonight School, a video-taped television program in color produced in 1968 and 1969 by Station WKYC, being shown by Educational Television Station WVIZ at 6:30 p.m. five nights a week began on Monday, March 17, 1969 for four weeks. This "Learn-to-read" course is geared for adults who need the basic fundamentals in learning to read.

The textbook for the course is available free of charge to viewers requesting it. Pictures and charts are used to expand the programmed reading material. Information concerning other Adult Education Classes held throughout the city is also given.

Students at the Adult Education Center and at the Nationality Services Center are interviewed and briefly tell of their educational experiences in the last three lessons.

St. Catherine's Meet

St. Catherine Lodge No. 29, WSA, will hold its regular meeting April 9, at Slovenian National Home, St. Clair Avenue, 7:30 p.m. Collection of dues from 6 to 7:30 p.m.

ST. VITUS HOLY NAME Weekly Review

St. Vitus Class of '29' Plans Reunion

St. Vitus School Class of 1929 is having its 40th year anniversary reunion on Sunday, April 27, 1969 at the 11:45 Mass St. Vitus Church. Dinner will follow in the parish auditorium. For more information call A. J. Vidmar 432-1117 or Angela Kuhel 731-6388.

St. Vitus Mothers Meet

The regular monthly meeting of the St. Vitus Christian Mothers Club will be held April 9th (the second Wednesday of the month) at 7:30 p.m. in St. Vitus Auditorium. Guest Speaker will be Dorothy Fuldheim. The public is invited.

St. Vitus Men's Bowling League

March 27, 1969
A doubleheader was rolled, the second series was the postponed Thanksgiving Day series. In the regular games John Mareneck started with 217-236-644. Not far behind was Tony Drobnik Sr. 241-208-631, another even 600 was rolled by Pete Delic 600. In the team event Grdina had the top series 2753 and Mike's Tavern the high game 959. Other 200 games were rolled by: W. Stargy 200, J. Skorich 203, J. Maestle 210, H. Mack 200, J. Evans 207-202, F. Praznik 202, A. Spech 211, F. Kolenc 215, B. Kovacic 200, J. Tratnik 200-201, C. Salomon 236, S. Martincic 210, A. Vogric 200 and B. Stargy 221.

Mike's Tavern beat Kecip's Lounge twice. Hi Mack paced the Taverners with 200-547.
Mike's Tavern 849-959-920-2718
Kecip's Lounge 914-905-910-2729

Hecker Tavern defeated Mezie Insurance two times. Ray Yartz's 538 led the Hecker's to their win.
Hecker Tavern 878-950-855-2683
Mezie Insurance 830-930-908-2668

C.O.F. No. 1 routed Hofbrau House in two games. Dr. Tony Spech starred for the winners with 211-565.
C.O.F. No. 1 942-829-901-2672
Hofbrau Haus 855-851-844-2550

Grdina Recreation scored the evening's only shutout over Norwood Men's Shop. Tony Drobnik Sr 241-208 sparked Grdinas.
Grdina Recreation 887-933-933-2753
Norwood Men's S. 840-807-789-2433

St. Vitus Lodge No. 25 KSKJ downed Blatz Beer in two games. Stan Martincic's 210-542 won scoring honors for the Kay Jays.
KSKJ No. 25 863-916-840-2619
Blatz Beer 837-804-906-2549

C.O.F. No. 2 crawled within 2 1/2 games of the leaders with a 2 game win over Cimperman Market. Bob Stangy's 221-541 was tops for the Foresters.
C.O.F. No. 2 879-802-011-2592
Cimperman Market 834-892-800-2526

In the makeup games the men were tired in the second series and had only one 600 series, that was Don Miheleic's 216-223-628. Frank Kolenc had the high game 246. Kecip's Lounge had both team highs 960-2804. "200" clubbers were: B. Evans 205, A. Lapinski 210, A. Spech 202, R. Nesky 211, W. Stangy 227, B. Szymanski 203, J. Pargonis 212, J. Bukovitz 203, J. Burekard 211, A. Bobic 205-204, R. Misch 227, Bud Kovacic 235, E. Salomon 219, S. Strojnik 219, P. Delic 202, E.

Grum 202, F. Praznik 204 and Elmer Kuhar 203. We finish the season on Thursday, April 17.

Mike's Tavern took two from C.O.F. No. 1.

Kecip's Lounge won two from KSKJ No. 25.

Norwood Men's Shop bounced back with a two game win over Blatz Beer.

Cimperman Market jolted Grdina Recreation twice.

Mezie Insurance were two game victors over Hofbrau House.

Standings March 27, 1969

Team	W	L
Kecip's Lounge	54	36
C.O.F. No. 2	51 1/2	38 1/2
Mezie Insurance	51	39
Grdina Recreation	51	39
Norwood Men's Shop	48	42
Cimperman Market	46	44
K.S.K.J. No. 25	43	47
C.O.F. No. 1	43	47
Blatz Beer	40 1/2	49 1/2
Mike's Tavern	40	50
Hofbrau House	37	53
Hecker Tavern	34	56

Schedule April 10, 1969

Alleys
1-2 Mike's Tav. vs. Hecker Tav.
3-4 C.O.F. No. 2 vs. Norwood Men
5-6 Hofbrau Haus vs. Kecip's L.
7-8 Cimperman Mkt. vs. Blatz B.
9-10 KSKJ No. 25 vs. C.O.F. No. 1
11-12 Mezie Ins. vs. Grdina Recrea.

Team High Series
Blatz Beer2916
Kecip's Lounge2895
Grdina Wrecks2876
Mezie Insurance2874

Team High Single
Blatz Beer1080
Kecip's Lounge1076
Hecker Tavern1069
Mezie Insurance1033

Individual High Series
R. Nesky684
F. Praznik683
D. Miheleic677
A. Drobnik, Sr.670

Individual High Single
R. Nesky278
B. Collingwood265
A. Drobnik, Sr.266
D. Miheleic266



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CONDENSED NEWS FROM OUR HOME FRONT

- ★ Mrs. Margaret Sadar of 19512 Cherokee Ave., has undergone an eye operation in Huron Rd. Hospital. She is recuperating at home and hopes to be able to read our Ameriska Domovina soon. She wishes to thank all who visited her at the hospital or who sent her get well wishes. Visitors are welcome at home.
- ★ Mrs. Jennie Strnad of E. 61 St., has returned from the hospital and is now staying at the home of her daughter, Jennie Suvak, 4208 Bluestone Rd. She expressed her thanks for visits at the hospital and for flowers.
- ★ Mrs. Jean Kurilich of Fontana, Calif., who was in Cleveland to attend the funeral of her nephew, Major John Petrich, has now returned home and sends best regards to all her friends.
- ★ Mrs. Mary Ferlin of 730 E. 155 St., celebrated her 92nd birthday on March 27th. She is one of our oldest subscribers and still reads the paper every day. Congratulations and wishes for many more happy and healthy birthdays!
- ★ Mr. Anton Koshel of 1154 E. 61 St., celebrated his 88th birthday on March 29th. Congratulations and wishes for many more happy and healthy birthdays!
- ★ Mrs. Mary Perko of 1436 E. 52 St., has returned home from the hospital and wishes to thank all who visited her at the hospital or who sent her flowers or cards. Visitors are welcome at home.
- ★ At Hill Air Force Base, Utah, Air Force Sgt. Martin J. Avsec, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Avsec, 1522 E. 173rd St., has received the Commendation Medal for Meritorious service at Phu Cat Air Base, where he was a propeller repairman.
- ★ San Luis Obispo, Calif. — For 16 months since Everett Underwood left the local hospital, he has received a bill for "Balance due, 0" with a notation, "two months past due." He has phoned and written letters, to no avail. The machine still sends the bills. Now he has sent a personal check made out to the hospital for "no dollars and no sense."
- ★ Bixby, Okla. — It is going to take the men of Bixby a long time to live this one down. The 1968 "Man of the Year" named by the Chamber of Commerce is a woman. Mrs. Opel Brewer was presented the award for her projects since becoming City Librarian five years ago. One of the projects included gathering Bixby's senior citizens to compile a city history.
- ★ Topeka, Kan. — If Iowa doesn't like the official Kansas flower, then Kansas is going to take a dim view of the state bird of Iowa. That's the general import of a resolution introduced in the Kansas House of Representatives recently. The resolution would declare the eastern gold finch a public nuisance to be hunted and killed at will. The resolution notes that the Iowa Legislature recently declared the sunflower a noxious weed.
- ★ Mexico City — An impromptu running of the bulls occurred in Ixtacalco, south of Mexico City, after a truck carrying 11 steers collided with a bus and the bulls escaped. No one was injured, but it took police 2 1/2 hours to capture the panicked bulls in the narrow and crowded streets.
- ★ New Castle, Delaware — A year ago, Cheryl Kirilin put a note in a bottle and threw it into the Indian River Inlet near New Castle. Recently she got a letter from a man who said he found it in a small stream in his village — in Austria. The letter said: "I have found in a small brook which flows through our town a bottle. The cap of the bottle was rusted very much. There was a note in the bottle from the U.S.A. Were you here? Well, I am just wondering about this." Dr. Dean Bumpus, an oceanographer at Woods Hole, Mass., Oceanographic Institute, said he knew of no way the bottle could have ended up in Oetzal, Austria, provided it stayed in the water all the way. He said the bottle could easily have washed up in France or Ireland or Scotland, or perhaps even in Germany, but not in the Alps.
- ★ Troy, Pa. — The rusted floor of an 11-year-old automobile gave way and dropped a one-year-old boy to his death on a highway here recently. Police said Walter G. Bolt, 35, of Troy, was driving south on Rt. 14 near here with his son, Christopher, who was playing on the floor in the back of the car. The floor collapsed, dropping the child to the road and killing him.
- ★ Nashville, Tenn. — Entertainer Pat Boone, a native of Nashville, and a group of local businessmen report they will establish a chain of company-owned and franchised family restaurants. Joseph Dan Gilbert, chairman of the newly formed Favorite Foods of America Inc., says the venture is capitalized at \$1.3 million, and construction of a prototype unit will begin here soon.
- ★ Montgomery, Ala. — Montgomery city, which is called the "Cradle of the Confederacy," once was named New Philadelphia.

For Appetites Heightened By The Cold



Here's the heritage of mince meat up-dated in a modern international dessert. When serving ambrosial Peaches Romanoff, the Borden Kitchen suggests creating the peaches with pungent mince meat, then saucing with reconstituted lemon juice, margarine with a Danish flavor and heavy cream spirited with rum.

Mince Meat-Peach Romanoff
(Makes 6 servings)

In a small saucepan, break 9-oz. package None-Such condensed mince meat into small pieces; add 3/4 cup water. Bring to a boil over medium heat; stir to break lumps. Boil briskly for 1 minute. Cool.

Romanoff Sauce

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| 1/3 cup water | 1 tablespoon Danish |
| 1/2 cup sugar | flavor margarine |
| 1 tablespoon ReaLemon | 1/2 cup white rum |
| reconstituted lemon | 1/2 cup heavy cream |
| juice | 6-8 peach halves (1 lb. 14 oz. can) drained |
| 1 egg yolk | |
| 3 tablespoons sugar | |

In a small saucepan, combine the 1/3 cup water and 1/2 cup sugar; bring to a boil; stir constantly. Cook to 240°F. on a candy thermometer or until a thick syrup forms. Remove from heat; add lemon juice. In a small bowl, with a rotary beater, beat egg yolks and 3 tablespoons sugar until thickened. Quickly stir beaten egg yolks into the hot syrup. Place over low heat; stir constantly for 5 minutes. Stir in margarine and rum; cool. Chill in refrigerator 1 hour or until thoroughly chilled. WHEN READY TO SERVE: place drained peach halves in individual dessert dishes or a large low serving bowl. Spoon prepared mince meat into peach half. Whip cream; fold in the chilled rum mixture. Spoon sauce around peaches.

APRIL: WHAT A MONTH!

NEW YORK (NAPS) — If you get the urge, during April, to sing about showers, look forward to flowers, choose a mate, or go on a holi-date, you will be taking part in a custom that is older than many people realize — and enjoying a month that is special in many ways. Think a kind thought, during April, about Al Jolson: he's the singer who probably did more than any other to make the song, "April Showers," popular. Choosing a mate? If so, you are in the company of Pocahontas and John Rolfe. They married 355 years ago on April 5, 1614.

To some, an April holi-date may seem like a new idea, for 1969 is the second year on record that thousands of American hotels, motels and restaurants are offering special rates and events to persuade people to "get away from it all" more often. But the idea of a "spur of the moment" holiday in April — a special evening out, or a long weekend or two at a hotel or motel — is perhaps grounded in the stars. For centuries, according to astrologers, April has been represented by two signs: Aries, the ram, and Taurus, the bull. People born under the April signs have for centuries been recognized as energetic, impulsive, enthusiastic, positive and enterprising.

Historical achievements bear out this appraisal.

Ponce de Leon approached his fountain of youth — Florida — on April 8, 1513. Paul Revere began his ride April 18, 1775. Mutiny broke out on the Bounty April 23, 1789. Romulus founded Rome April 21, 753 B.C. And talk about people wanting to get away from it all, it was on April 6, 1909, after 23 years of trying, that Robert E. Peary reached the North Pole.

Don't be fooled by dates, Frenchmen would urge you. The whole idea of April Fool's Day is believed to have begun in France on April 1, 1564. That was the date on which a new calendar was put to use. This so confused people that many were called "poisson d'Avril," or "April Fish" — fish being the slang word for fool or dupe in France.

AND DON'T BE FOOLED by the "holi-dates" either, say those who know the ins and outs of staying at hotels and motels. Unlike the case with lengthy vacations far from home or in lands where English isn't spoken, a brief phone call is all you need to reserve a room at a near-by city or resort hotel or motel. A spur-of-the-moment phone call even a few hours before you plan to arrive is usually sufficient. Newspaper ads often tell you the phone number and even the rates. Or you can look up this information in the industry "Red Book" at your hometown hotel or motel.

You can, however, fool around a little in April, with numbers, (the not on your tax form). Most people probably think that April was always the fourth month of the year, and the "30 days hath September" poem tells us that April — seemingly without exception — "hath" 30 days. Hath today, okay. But it was not always thus, Gus. To the ancient Romans, who called the month "Aprilis," it was the second month of the year and it had only 29 days!

If you celebrate during the month of April — on a holidate or by

choosing a mate — you will be in league with all kinds of other people who think that April is a time deserving special commemoration. For this is the month of National Artichoke Week, The Old Time Fiddlers' Convention, Harmony Week (to preserve Barbershop Quartets), the National Cherry Blossom Festival in Washington, National Raisin Week, Secretaries Week — and even National Panic Week (seriously devoted to "putting humor into any situation which seems to create unnecessary panic")!

Not only the avoidance, but also the introduction of panic has a place in April. The "Perils of Pauline," an American classic, entered on the American scene dramatically in April, 1914. And a lady who never seemed to be in peril, the self-assured Eleanor Roosevelt, delighted the nation on April 3, 1933, by announcing that from then on, she would serve beer at the White House.

Storms of applause have greeted people born in April: Leonardo da Vinci, William Shakespeare, Thomas Jefferson, J. P. Morgan, Charles Chaplin, U. S. Grant, Machiavelli, Harry Houdini, Queen Elizabeth II, and Barbara Streisand!

A storm of protest was expressed on April 28, 1902, when a New York City newspaper waged a campaign against high beef prices: 24c a lb. for sirloin!

But storms of the more ordinary kind, in April should cause no regrets. For it isn't raining rain, you know, it's raining violets.

CONSUMER TALK about PERMANENT PRESS

By J. C. Penney's Home Economists

One of the happiest revolutions to come along in years was the one caused by the recent introduction of permanent press. Nary a one of us has balked at switching to no-iron products made possible by this revolutionary new finish.

But to many, a permanent press finish such as Penn-Prest remains a mystery. It need not. Permanent press is a finish applied to flat fabric, usually a blend of cotton or rayon with polyester or nylon added for strength. The finished fabric is then baked for several minutes to give it a permanent "memory."

Heavy garments and those with pleats and creases are cut, sewn and pressed before baking to permanently set design details. Simple, lightweight garments are made from pre-baked fabrics.

It is important in buying a permanent press garment to select one with proper fit because changes such as lengthening the hem will show. It is also most important to launder correctly.

Pre-treat stubborn stains by soaking them in liquid detergent. Turn garments inside out before laundering to prevent discoloration and wear along creases. Wash in lukewarm water, and to avoid wrinkles, always tumble-dry permanent press garments and household items. Remove them from the dryer as soon as they are dry.

SPORTS

INDIANS CLANG COWBELLS FOR BULLPEN CHIEF STAN

Luis Tiant was elected the Indians "Man of the Year" for 1968 or the strength of a 21-9 won-lost record and 1.60 earned-run average.

It was a logical choice. Sam McDowell, who pitched much better than his 15-14 record, as attested to by a 1.81 ERA, received some consideration, too, from the Cleveland baseball writers when they honored Tiant.

So did Sonny Siebert, who registered 11 of his 12 victories prior to July 23 and subsequently suffered an attack of tendinitis in his elbow that curtailed his usefulness to the Tribe's cause.

All were valuable assets as the Indians drove to their highest finish since 1959, climbing five places over the previous season.

But their third-place berth never could have been achieved without the contributions of unheralded Stan Williams, who did everything but launder uniforms for Alvin Dark in 1968.

And everybody — Dark included — figures the 32-year-old righthander will be every bit as valuable in 1969.

Williams is, in many respects, a remarkable pitcher.

Which he is, thank you. Every inch a pitcher. A real pro.

First, of course, was his comeback from baseball's graveyard two yrs.

ago when there wasn't a team in either major league interested enough in him to expend \$12,000 to purchase his services.

Second, is that Stan couldn't care less whether he's a starter or a reliever — just so long as he is a pitcher.

BASEBALL MUST DRAW CLOSER TO FANS! — BURKE

"These are crucial times for baseball. There is growing competition from other leisure-time activities, and to hold our following and build on it, we will have to continue to take a fresh, vital approach to the game — and to the public that supports the game."

This sober warning on baseball's future was sounded by Michael Burke, chairman and president of the New York Yankees, Inc., in the 1968 annual report of the Columbia Broadcasting System, of which the Yankees are a wholly-owned subsidiary.

Burke told CBS stockholders that a large part of baseball's future lies in the clubs drawing closer to the fans and showing as much interest in them as they have shown in baseball.

The Yankee response included the distribution of 400,000 free passes to slum-dwelling youngsters last summer.

The full Yankee team also attended a block party in Harlem and individual players addressed youth groups and school audiences.

Collinwood Slovenian Home Notes

The Collinwood Slovenian Home is presenting America's most distinguished Slovenian vocalist, the incomparable Ed Kenik, in a Mother's Day Concert. The program will feature the MORE important tunes Eddie has recorded and he will be accompanied by the Eddy Buehner Orchestra.

A family-style Dinner will precede the concert and dancing to the music of the Ed Buehner Band, will round out the festivities. The committee headed by Gene March, Hank Pokal and John Jevnikar have indicated that this is to be a Family Affair with a special emphasis on Mom. There will be special activities for the children, while the adults enjoy the concert.

Plan to give your Mom and your children's Mom, a day they'll never forget, by making reservations now. The seating for the Dinner-Concert will be limited to 300 people and all the tickets are almost sold. For tickets, contact our Clubroom at MU 1-9675.

The Slovan Chorus is also presenting its Spring Concert on Sunday, April 13th at the Euclid Home. This talented group will present a varied program, which will be followed by a social. Contact the Clubroom for tickets.

The Class of 1949 of Euclid Central High School is holding its 20th Anniversary Reunion this June at the Charter House. They are looking for a large turnout and class members are urged to attend. For details contact Joe Blatnik at 943-1191 or Joe Luzar at 944-2852.

Ed Skapin and Ray Russ of the Euclid Lounge are sponsoring a Bus Trip on Saturday, April 19th to the Slovenian Ballroom in Hermantown, Pennsylvania. Hank Haller and his Orchestra will accompany them. For complete details, contact Ray or Ed at 261-7070.

On Saturday, May 10th, there will be a dance to benefit the West Park Slovenian Home, and on Sat-

urday, May 24th the same will occur at the Waterloo Home. Music by Tony Mauser will prevail at the West Park and Bobby Timko will entertain at Waterloo.

Tickets are available at all nine Slovenian Home clubrooms. We urge you to attend these fine events and look forward to seeing everyone there.

Holmes Avenue Notes — Ed Pavsek is back on his feet after his recent operation... Ray Russ is confined to his home with an illness... Happy Birthday to: My Dad who is celebrating his 73rd Wednesday; Tom Pluth, '39' Saturday — Our clubroom will feature frog legs today (Friday) along with the usual fare... Our birthday Party last Friday was a tremendous success, and especially so, the music of Joe Luzar and John Kristoff. Next time you see Joe ask him to sing that "Good Old Slovenian Mountain Dew"... Ed Kenik welcomed his "Gypsy" back from Florida this week... Best Wishes for a joyous Easter.

Rudy Menart is leaving soon for California. A farewell party will be held in his behalf. More details later.

Ed Grosel, President

Trash Problem Solved

An automatic LP-gas home incinerator is the answer to the trash and garbage collection problem in rural and other outlying areas, the National LP-Gas Association points out. These compact units are smokeless and odorless and can dispose of all burnable items.

MET OPERA STAR



FERNANDO CORENA appears in the role of Dr. Bartolo in Rossini's "Barber of Seville" at Cleveland Public Auditorium, Saturday afternoon, May 3.

Seven Metropolitan Opera performances, April 28-May 3, make up the repertoire of the 44th annual Spring Opera Festival, under sponsorship of the Northern Ohio Opera Association.

This event is looked upon as "Ohio's most glamorous week of the year" with some 50,000 opera fans in attendance.

Tickets for any of the seven operas may be obtained from the Opera Ticket Office, Broadview Savings & Loan Co., 299 Euclid Ave., Cleveland, O. 44114. They range in price from \$2.50 to \$15.

From the Indian Teepee



The Tribe opens the 1969 campaign on April 8 in Detroit and will meet the Tigers in Tiger Stadium on April 10 before returning home to open against the Boston Red Sox 1:30 p.m., at The Stadium on April 11.

The Indians will meet their Eastern Division foes during the month of April. They are: Detroit, Boston, Baltimore, Washington and New York.

Four high school bands will take part in the Indians' Opening Day ceremonies on April 11. Scheduled for the pre-game ceremonies are the bands of John F. Kennedy, West High, Beachwood and Holy Name.

Television personality Ron Penfound (Captain Penny) will fill in for Shel Fullerton as the public address announcer at the Stadium this season. Shel is recuperating from a stroke.

New multi-color window decals (size 4x4) can be obtained at no charge from the Indians office by sending a self-addressed stamped envelope to: Decals, Cleveland Indians, Cleveland Stadium, Cleveland, Ohio 44114.

Slovenian Pensioners Ask Social Security Raise

At the meeting of the Federation Of Slovenian American Pensioner Clubs of Greater Cleveland, held on March 10, 1969, at the Slovenian Home on Holmes Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio representing 1500 Pensioners, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, Social Security Benefit payments made to our Senior Citizens are largely based on the low wages prevailing prior to 1955, and

Whereas, such Social Security payments are grossly inadequate to meet the inflationary high cost of living, brought about partially by high wages, now prevailing.

Be It Resolved, that Social Security Benefit Payments be increased by 25%, and that after the said increase, benefit payments be automatically increased to keep pace with the rising cost of living.

The Second adopted Resolution reads as follows:

Whereas, the Slovenian Pensioners, as part of the labor force in recent years, have been paying excessive Income Taxes to make up for the revenues lost thru Income Tax "loop-holes", taken advantage of by Corporations, Oil Companies, Tax-free Foundations, etc.

Be It Resolved, that we urge Congressman Charles Vanik, and other members of the Ways and Means Committee, to do all in their power to plug up such loop-holes, and

Be it further RESOLVED, that the Income Tax exemption for our Senior Citizens be increased from \$1200 to \$2400.

Very cordially yours, Krist Stokel, Pres. Wm. J. Kennick, Sec.

Reading Improvement Courses For Adults

A new reading improvement course for adults, "Reading for Health" will be offered in four locations by the Division of Adult Education of the Cleveland Public Schools. Classes will begin the week of April 14.

All who are interested in health and care of the sick, either at home or the job, may enroll in this adult basic education class. There is no fee for this course.

Daytime "Reading for Health" classes will be held at the Adult Education Center. Evening classes will meet at the following branches of the Cleveland Public Library: Collinwood, Harvard-Lee, and West Park.

Specific information concerning these classes may be obtained by phoning 621-6360.

Prevent Wrinkled Clothes

Remove clothes from the dryer when tumbling stops to reduce wrinkles, the National LP-Gas Association advises. Overloading the clothes dryer also tends to increase wrinkling and lengthens drying time.

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TIPS & TRICKS for TEENS

One chain belt will work many ways if you collect a wardrobe of ribbons and long narrow scarves to mix or match with dresses and separates. Just weave the ribbon or scarf through the belt links.

Thin stripes, petite prints or small plaids usually look best — or try braiding several plain colored ribbons together for a multi-colored effect. If you're making a skirt or dress, buy enough material to make a matching long thin tie belt. Weave it through the links for a custom touch.

Before you skate or ski or even spectate, Avon suggests these steps to "winterize" your skin: Even if you don't wear makeup, do apply a moisturizer generously on your face and neck to guard against chapping; use a colorless lip



moisturizer under lipstick to prevent cracking... and take along a suntan preparation if the sun is bright. That's right! Snow will reflect up to 85% of the sun's rays, and that can be double trouble for unprotected skin.

To keep bright shining hardware closings on clothes and accessories from becoming discolored, apply a protective coating of clear nail enamel to the metal. To protect the surrounding fabric or leather from smudges, "frame" the hardware with strips of masking tape before you apply the enamel.

For scent-sational effects: Do select the right perfume



for you by testing it on your skin; wear it at pulse spots (throat, wrists, crooks of elbows, behind the knees and in front and back of earlobes) where the warmth diffuses the scent; do carry a purse size bottle for touch ups. Don't apply perfume directly to clothing; don't flood it — perfume's a luxury only when not used, because you'll lose some of it through evaporation.

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