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Predstavniki dom za ukinitve podpore protisandinističnim upornikom

WASHINGTON, D.C. - Včeraj je spodnji dom Kongresa glasoval z večino 228-195 za ukinitve vse gmotne podpore protisandinističnim gverilcem, ki vodijo oboroženi boj v Nikaragvi. Doslej so ZDA preko CIA podpirale te gverilce z orožjem, denarjem in drugo pomočjo.

Liberalci v demokratski stranki so vodili prizadevanja zoper politiko predsednika Reagana. Trdili so med drugim, da je takšna politika nemoralna za ZDA. Skupina 80 katoliških organizacij se je izjavila proti podpori tem nikaragveškim gverilcem, prav tako je skupina 400 zahodnoevropskih parlamentarcev poslala pismo, v katerem so prosili ZDA, naj nehajo s to politiko.

Razprava v predstavnikiškem domu je bila zelo burna in so bili nekateri kongresniki osebno prizadeti zaradi kritike svojih nasprotnikov. Tako je bil kong. David R. Obey (D. - Wis.), ki je bil proti predsednikovi politiki, užaljen, ker je nek republikanec baje dvomil v Obeyjev patriotizem. Glasovanje o predlogu za ukinitve podpore gverilcem je bilo strogo strankarsko opredeljeno. Republikanci, tudi tisti, ki nimajo radi Reaganove politike, so glasovali za predsednika, demokrati so bili proti. Vsi clevelandski kongresniki so glasovali proti Reaganu, med njimi tudi kong. Dennis Eckart. Vsi so tudi demokrati.

V Panama City, Panama, poteka konferenca zunanjih ministrov 9 latinskoameriških držav. Predmet konference je mir v Srednji Ameriki. Med udeleženci je tudi nikaragveški zunanji minister Miguel d'Escoto, ki je ostro kritiziral ukrep predsednika Reagana, poslati močne enote ameriškega bojnega ladjevja v bližino Nikaragve.

Kritičen do Reagana je bil tudi predsednik Coste Rice Luis Alberto Monge, ki je dejal, da ameriške ladje ne bodo prispevale k miru na tem območju. Zunanji ministri bodo razpravljali med drugimi točkami tudi o sporu med Nikaragvo in Hondurasom. Tisrti državi sta baje na robu vojne.

Reagan napovedal vojno zoper organizirano zločinstvo; nova predsedniška komisija

WASHINGTON, D.C. - Včeraj je predsednik Reagan sprejel v Beli hiši člane nove predsedniške komisije, katere naloga je proučevati organizirano zločinstvo v ZDA in predlagati zakonske in druge ukrepe zoper te kriminalce, ki jih je menda več tisoč in so izredno dobro organizirani. Načelnik nove, 20-članske komisije je 73-letni zvezni sodnik Irving R. Kaufman iz New Yorka, ki je l. 1952 izrekel smrtno kazen za Juliusa in Ethel Rosenburg, obsojena vohunjenja v prid ZSSR.

V krajšem nagovoru je Reagan dejal, da namerava zlomiti hrbtnico organiziranega zločinstva v ZDA enkrat za vselej. Takšne namene so imeli tudi drugi predsedniki, vendar niso imeli posebnega uspeha. Komisija bo imela javna zasliševanja, na katerih bodo pričale osebe, osumljene nezakonitih dejavnosti, prav tako bodo zaslišani policisti, kriminologi, sociologi in drugi strokovnjaki.

Kritiki menijo, da je imenovanje te nove komisije predvolilna taktika Ronalda Reagana, ki da bo najbrž ponovno kandidiral za mesto predsednika ZDA prihodnje leto.

Nova pogodba med ZDA in ZSSR o prodaji žitaric bo veljala 5 let

WASHINGTON, D.C. - Včeraj je tajnik za kmetijstvo v Reaganovi administraciji John Block povedal, da so ZDA dosegle sporazum s Sovjetsko zvezo glede prodaje ameriških žitaric. Pogodba bo veljala 5 let in je po Blockovem mnenju zelo ugodnejša od prejšnje pogodbe, ki poteka 30. septembra letos.

Po tej pogodbi se je ZSSR obvezala, da bo kupila v ZDA vsako leto najmanj 9 milijonov ton žitaric. Sovjeti lahko kupujejo tudi do 12 milijonov ton na leto. Če bi hoteli kupiti več, bi morali zapositi za posebno dovoljenje, kar bi pa bila formalnost, menijo v tajništvu za kmetijstvo. Ker imajo ZDA v zalogi kar 150 milijonov ton žitaric, bi bili v kmetijskem tajništvu zelo veseli, če bi Sovjeti želeli še veliko več kupovati.

Po prejšnji pogodbi, so morali Sovjeti kupovati le 6 milijonov ton žitaric na leto, največ pa 8 milijonov. Lati so Sovjeti kupili v ZDA 14 milijonov ton žitaric, v letošnjem prvem polletju pa 6 milijonov ton.

George Shultz o delnem izraelskem umiku

WASHINGTON, D.C.; BEJRUT, Li - Državni tajnik George Shultz je dejal, da ZDA ne nasprotujejo delnemu umiku izraelskih enot iz okolice Bejruta proti jugu. Shultz je govoril po krajšem sestanku z dvema članoma Beginove vlade, ki sta na obisku v Washingtonu. Izraelca - gre za zunanjega ministra Jitzaka Šamirja in obrambnega ministra Mošeya Arensa - sta pritrdila, da nameravajo Izraelci res zapustiti vse kraje Libanona, ki so jih bili zasedli lani. Predpogoj za to je pa še vedno umik vseh sirijskih in drugih tujih vojaških enot iz libanonskega ozemlja.

Sirijske enote so zapustile Tripoli, drugo največje libanonsko mesto. Takoj je prišlo do streljanje med pripadniki raznih muslimanskih skupin, ki jih je menda vsaj 12. S svojim najbrž začasnim umikom so hoteli Sirijci dokazati, da so njihove enote potrebne za ohranitev reda in miru, menijo analitiki.

V mestu Hebronu na okupiranem Zahodnem bregu je bila v veljavi policijska ura, ki je trajala tri dni. Pretekli tork so neznanci - Palestinci menijo, da so bili izraelski naseljenci - ubili tri Palestince na Islamski univerzi v mestu. Palestinci so organizirali demonstracije in je prišlo do spopadov med demonstranti in izraelskimi policisti in vojaki. Predstavniki Palestincev trdijo, da se Izraelci ne zanimajo za ugotovitev storilcev atentata na univerzi, kar pomeni, da je res šlo za skrajneže med židovskimi naseljenci.

Poljski parlament sprejel nove, stroge ukrepe zoper oporečnike

VARŠAVA, Polj. - Včeraj je poljski parlament odobril nove zakone, namenjene zoper oporečnike. Tako je samo članstvo v prepovedanih organizacijah nezakonito na Poljskem, kar pomeni, da so lahko zakonsko preganjani vsi člani Solidarnosti. Kazen je lahko do treh let v zaporu.

Parlament je odobril tudi nov zakon o cenzuri, po katerem ima vlada pravico odločati o tem, kateri Poljaki smejo dobivati tiskano gradivo iz tujine. Prav tako ima vlada pravico cenzurirati razstave publikacij in fotografij.

Iz Clevelanda in okolice

Piknik Slovenske šole—

To nedeljo priredi Slovenska šola pri Sv. Vidu piknik na Slovenski pristavi. Vsi ste prijazno vabljeni (Članek na 2. str.)

Seja—

Podružnica št. 14 Slovenske ženske zveze ima sejo v torek, 2. avgusta, ob 7. uri zvečer v SDD na Recher Ave. Članice vabljene!

Okreva na domu—

Ga. Rose Bavec sedaj okreva na domu. Zahvaljuje se vsem za molitve, darila, obiske in bodrilne kartice. Obiski na domu so dobrodošli, ga. Bavec pa prosi, da bi jo najprej poklicali na 531-6167, ker mora večkrat k zdravniku. Tiste, ki bodo romale v Lemont, lahko dobijo vso informacijo pri Pavlo Adamič, Ivanka Kete ali Mary Marinko. Še vedno je nekaj sedežev prostih za to romanje.

Skupno sv. obhajilo—

Članice Oltarnega društva fare Marije Vnebovzete bodo imele skupno sv. obhajilo v nedeljo, 7. avgusta, pri sv. maši zjutraj ob osmih. Članice vabljene!

Novi grobovi

Caroline Gabrenja

V sredo, 27. julija, je v Slovenskem domu za ostarele, kjer je bivala zadnja leta, prej pa 45 let na Ivan Ave., po kratki bolezni umrla 103 leta stara Caroline Gabrenja, rojena Zorc na Rakeku, Slovenija, od koder je prišla v ZDA leta 1909, vdova po l. 1970 umrlem možu Johnu, mati Albine DeWolf, Williama ter že pok. Edwarda in Louisa, 9-krat stara mati, 12-krat prastara mati, članica ADZ št. 1, SNPJ št. 126, SZZ št. 14 in PSA št. 3. Med vsemi stanovalci Slovenskega doma za ostarele, je pokojna dosegla najvišjo starost in je ob stoletnici rojstva prejela pozdravno pismo od predsednika ZDA. Pogreb bo iz Želetovega pogrebnega zavoda na E. 152. cesti v ponedeljek, 1. avgusta, dopoldne ob 9.15, v cerkev sv. Kristine ob 10., nato na pokopališču Vernih duš. Na mrtvaškem odru bo v nedeljo, 31. julija, od 4. do 9. zvečer.

Stanley Ulchaker

Pretekli tork je za rakom na svojem domu v Parmi, Ohio umrl 79 let stari Stanley Ulchaker, rojen v Clevelandu, mož Ann, roj. Zaletel, oče Stanleya ml. in Ann Marie McClure, 3-krat stari oče, sin Antona in Antonie, roj. Urankar (oba že pok.), zaposlen pri Osborn Mfg. Co. 43 let, vse do

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Starokrajski festival—

Letošnji Starokrajski festival na E. 185. cesti, ki ga organizirajo tamkajšnji trgovci s Tonyjem Petkovškom na čelu, se bo vršil od srede, 3. avgusta, do nedelje, 7. avgusta, zvečer. Središče festivala bo letos na velikem parkališču pri višji šoli sv. Jožefa na E. 185. cesti in Lake Shore Blvd. Postavljen bo velik šotor, nastopile bodo razne glasbene skupine, med njimi več slovenskih. Pridite!

V negovališču—

Č.g. Julij Slapšak, upokojeni kaplan pri Sv. Vidu, se še vedno nahaja v negovališču St. Augustine Manor, 7818 Detroit Ave., Cleveland, OH 44102, soba št. 505. Zahvaljuje se vsem za obiske in kartice ter si želi nadaljnjih obiskov. V istem negovališču sta tudi naša naročnika Franc Strukelj iz E. 62. ceste in St. Clair Ave. ter ga. Theresa Simončič z Maple Hts., OH. Vsem želimo hitrega in popolnega okrevanja.

Zahvaljuje se—

Dr. Jože Felicijan, 1259 E. 71. ceste, se zahvaljuje vsem za obiske, molitve, darila in bodrilne kartice, ki jih je prejel tekom bolezni. Vesel bo obiskov na njegovem stanovanju.

Lep dar za študente—

Gdč. Ančka Ahačič iz Chicaga je preko g. Gabra darovala \$200 za koroške revne študente kot šopek duhovnega cvetja v spomin na Ludvika Leskovarja. Za velikodušni dar se v svojem in v imenu Mohorjeve družbe prav lepo zahvaljuje g. J. Prosen.

Dodatek—

Mildred Marolt, katere osmrtnica je bila objavljena pretekli tork, je bila tudi članica Podružnice št. 14 SZZ.

Belokranjci vabijo—

V nedeljo, 7. avgusta, priredi Belokranjski klub na Slovenski pristavi. Ob 11.30 dop. bo Rev. Victor Tomc daroval sv. mašo za vse rajne člane kluba, po maši bo na razpolago kosilo z na ražnju pečeno svinjino in jagnjetino. Kosila bodo po naročilu, zato so potrebne rezervacije. Pokličite 481-3308, 486-7613 ali 461-9503. Za ples in zabavo bo igral orkester Tonija Klepca iz Girarda.

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Prerekanje okrog vzgoje otrok

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Daleč nazaj v preteklost sega prerekanje, ali je za dobro vzgojo otrok potrebna in koristna federalna ustanova pri administraciji v Washingtonu ali ne. Prevladalo je dolgo časa mnenje med vzgojitelji in prebivalstvom, da kak Department of Education ni potreben, ker bi napravil več škode kot koristi. Tradicionalna vzgoja mladine sloni popolnoma na lokalnih činiteljih, kot so krajevni šolski svet (local school board), občina in nad obema država. Argument je krožil in še kroži, da so ustanove na licu mesta najbolj poklicane in zmožne odločati in usmerjati vzgojo v nižjem šolstvu po krajevnih potrebah in kriti tudi s tem zvezane stroške.

Takšnje konservativne vzgojne politike se je krepko oprijel sedanji predsednik Reagan, ki je v volilni kampanji ostro napadal za časa Carterjeve vlade ustanovljeni Department of Education in napovedal, da ga bo kot predsednik v celoti odpravil. Svoje stališče je sicer v času svojega vladanja nekoliko omilil, Department za vzgojo še vedno posluje, vendar se hoče Reagan znebiti odgovornosti in z njo zvezanih stroškov za šolsko oblikovanje ameriških otrok, in vztrajno zatrjuje svoj credo, da spada ta posel v področje krajevnih oblasti in da federalna vlada nima pri tem prav nič iskati. Črtal je že celo vrsto federalnih kreditov v ta namen in obljublja še več črtanja in vse to utemeljuje s principom lokalne vzgojne odgovornosti v vsem obsegu, tudi glede dragega vzdrževanja tega šolstva.

Predsednikovo tozadevno stališče je zmotno in na daljši rok nevzdržno. Tudi sklicevanje na ameriško šolsko tradicijo ne drži, življenjske razmere našega časa so bistveno različne od onih, ki jih ponekod še kažejo stare, zapuščene stavbe enorzrednih ljudskih šol. Moderne, federativno urejene države imajo vse po vrsti tudi federalno prosvetno, vzgojno ministrstvo, kateremu pripisujejo prav pomembne naloge za kar moč enotno urejeno izobraževanje otrok. Taka praksa sega daleč nazaj v dobo pedagoških velikanov Pestalozzi-ja in Komenškega, začetnikov modernega šolanja. Moram priznati, da sem se po prihodu v Ameriko zelo čudil, da nimajo osrednjega, samostojnega Departmenta za vzgojo v Washingtonu. Šele kasneje so nekaj podobnega pritisnili k Departmentu za zdravje in dobrotelost (Dept. of Health, »Education« and Welfare). Sedanji Dept. of Education je star komaj pet let, pa mu že grozi nasilna smrt, ker je slučajno na oblasti predsednik, ki hoče pri izdatkih za vzgojo varčevati in skoraj vse ogromne stroške prealiti na krajevne oblasti.

Da pa ne bo obveljala moja ocena, bom o tej stvari navedel misli iz članka v listu *The New York Times*, ki ga je napisal bivši dolgoletni učitelj na višji šoli Patrick W. Guiney Jr. On je po lastni skušnji trdi, da je baš odvisnost od lokalne kontrole privedla našo javno vzgojo na nizko gladino kot jo imamo danes. Šolski odbori so le prevečkrat sestavljeni iz dobronamernih prostovoljnih članov, katerih znanje na polju vzgoje je minimalno ali ga sploh ni. Zato ni minimalnega izobraževalnega standarda, ki bi ga vse šole morale imeti, če pa ga imajo, je mnogokrat absurdno nizek.

Rešitev tega stanja ne more biti v opustitvi Departmenta of Education, ampak njega dograditev do točke, ko bodo njegovi izvežbani profesionalni vzgojitelji izdajali specifične določbe o vzgoji. Določbe naj bi vsebovale okvirna navodila glede učnega načrta, akcij v razredu, pogojev za prestop v višji

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Beseda iz naroda ...

Vabilo Slovenske šole na piknik na Slovenski pristavi

CLEVELAND, O. - Vprašanje slovenskega šolstva je danes svojstveno pereče celo v naši matični domovini. Žal, še veliko bolj pereče pa je naše slovensko šolstvo v tako imenovanem slovenskem zamejstvu, to je na Goriškem in Tržaškem, v Beneški Sloveniji, v Kanalski dolini, na avstrijskem slovenskem Koroškem in v Porabju, slovenskem kraju na Madžarskem. Čisto po svoje pa je končno pereče slovensko šolstvo tudi v našem slovenskem zdomstvu, to je v ZDA in Kanadi, Argentini in po drugih ameriških državah, kakor tudi v Evropi, v Nemčiji, Franciji, Avstriji, v skandinavskih državah, v Avstraliji itd.

Na tujem smo, toda v svobodni državi. Hvala Bogu, nihče nam ne krati ne kulturnih kakor ne naših narodno političnih pravic: učiti svojo mladino našega slovenskega materinega jezika. Popolnoma v naših rokah je, v prvi vrsti naših slovenskih staršev ali varuhov naših otrok, da se že v svoji mladosti ti naši otroci nauče svojega materinega jezika, da ga potem skrbno goje in varujejo, ter da ga nikoli ne zataje.

Eden izmed temeljnih pogojev, če hočemo, da bo naše zdomsko šolstvo dobro in močno, je v tem, da ima solidno moralno kakor tudi materialno podlago. Če tega nima, naša šola gotovo vzgojno kakor tudi učno in izobraževalno zelo trpi, tj. ne daje sadov, ki bi jih mogla odn. morala dajati.

Šolski pikniki spadajo med tiste svojevrstne dejavnike, tj. med tiste redne letne prireditve zdomskih slovenskih Odborov staršev, ki jim zagotavljajo tako moralno kakor tudi nujno potrebna gmotna sredstva za vzdrževanje slovenske šole.

Prihodnjenedeljskega šolskega piknika Slovenske šole pri Sv. Vidu na Slovenski pristavi se bodo gotovo udeležili vsi zavedni clevelandski in

okoljski Slovenci in Slovenke, zlasti pa tisti starši, ki imajo svoje otroke v vidovski šoli, odnosno tisti, ki jih bodo imeli v prihodnjem šolskem letu kakor tudi v nadaljnjih.

Na pikniku bo vse dobro pripravljeno tako za mladino

Zahvala Misijonske Znamkarske Akcije

CLEVELAND, O. - Pretekli petek ste že brali o lepem uspehu piknika Misijonske Znamkarske Akcije, ki je bil v nedeljo, 10. julija, na Slovenski pristavi. V lepem, sončnem dnevu se je zbralo veliko misijonskih prijateljev. Med nami so bili tudi č.g. Wolbang in trije misijonarji: g. Cikanek iz Brazilije, g. Roberts s Filipinov ter g. Pavlin iz Hong Konga, ki je trenutno v Bostonu. Hvala Vam, da ste preživeli dan med nami.

Gostje drugih odsekov, ki so prišli na misijonsko srečanje, so tudi bili na pikniku, med temi največ iz Windsorja, Kanada. Iskrena Vam hvala, da ste se odzvali v tako lepem številu, kot tudi ostalim.

Hvala kuharicam in pomočnicam za vse delo v kuhinji, in gospodinjam, za toliko lepega domačega peciva ter tudi vsem točilcem pri baru. Vsi ste bili skrbni in zato ni nihče trpel ne lakote ne žeje.

Naša zahvala tudi Ameriški Domovini za vse objavljeno v sklopu piknika in dr. Milanu Pavlovčiču, ki je vabil po značnih valovih.

Iskrena hvala vsem, ki ste prišli med nas in dali svoj delež za rast božjega kraljestva.

Naslednja dneva, 11. in 12. julija, je bilo misijonsko srečanje v Šolski dvorani pri Mariji Vnebovzeti. Prav lepa hvala za prostore in kuhinjo izrekamo g. župniku Victorju Tomcu.

Ob tej priliko se iskreno zahvalimo vsem, ki ste se odtrgali od dnevnega dela in nekateri zelo od daleč prišli med nas. Ob tem srečanju smo spoznali

Belokranjski klub vabi na piknik

CLEVELAND, O. - Belokranjski klub prireja piknik na Slovenski pristavi v nedeljo, 7. avgusta 1983. Na dan piknika, dopoldne ob 11.30, bo Rev. Victor Tomc daroval sv. mašo pri kapelici za vse umrle člane našega kluba. Po maši bo na razpolago kosilo z na ražnju pečeno svinjino in jagnjetino. Ker bodo kosila po naročilu, prosimo, da pokličete za rezervacijo na tel. št. 481-3308, 486-7613 ali 461-9503.

Cena je \$5.50 za odrasle, \$3.00 za otroke. Izbrali si boste svinjino ali jagnjetino ali pa »kombinacijo« obeh.

Po okusnem kosilu bo za ples in zabavo igral orkester našega člana Tonija Klepca iz Girarda, Ohio.

Prebitek od piknika je namenjen deloma za Ameriško Domovino, za Slovenski dom za ostarele na Neff Rd. v Clevelandu, in za farno cerkev v Podzemlju v Beli Krajini, rojstnem kraju staršev Rev. Victorja Tomca.

Torej vljudno vabimo vse naše prijatelje in znance od blizu in daleč, pridite na naš piknik na Slovensko pristavo 7. avgusta 1983!

Odbor Belokranjskega kluba

kakor tudi za starševsko prijetno srečanje, ki naj prinese naši šoli novih duhovnih in gmotnih moči za uspešno nadaljnje delo. Kdor pa more, naj po svoji moči kaj prispeva za srečolov; matere in žene pa naj piknik podpro z domačim pecivom. Po pikniku še isti večer se začne na Pristavi šolsko taborenje.

Pokažimo to nedeljo, da smo dobri Slovenci in dobre Slovenke, ki ljubimo svojo mladino in svoj narod, da bo slovenska šola med nami še dolgo krepko rasla in živela!

Na veselo svidenje!

J. S.

delo drugih odsekov, kar nam bo vsem pomagalo pri rasti posameznih odsekov. Bili smo kot ena družina razkrojljena na več strani, vsaka obdana s svojim načinom dela in s svojimi težavami, vsi pa z mislijo, kako pomagati našim misijonarjem, da ne bodo osamljeni orali ledino. Vse povezovanje sta vodila duhovni vodja g. Wolbang in glavna predsednica ga. Anica Tushar iz Minnesote, katera nas je presenetila s knjižico o posameznih odsekih in o delu vseh naših misijonarjev — hvala za skrbno delo!

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Kot vsako leto ob misijonskem pikniku MZA je vsem, ki misijonsko Cerkev res ljubijo jasno, da so take prireditve možne samo ob idealnem sodelovanju številnih rojakov, ki kot čebelice znašajo skupaj, kar rodi na pikniku tako lepo pomoč za vse naše misijonarje in misijonarke. Naj Bog povrne vsakemu in vsem, kar so doprinesli za lep uspeh na tem pikniku. Saj delamo vsi v istem božjem vinogradu za neumrjoče duše in srečni morav-

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Soboto po clevelandskem pikniku sta bila v Ghani posvečena v mašnika dva domača bogoslovca John Boakye-Gyan, ki ga je vzdrževala gdč. Jožefa Staniša iz Geneve, Ohio, in Richard Kyeremeh, podpiran vsa leta od ge. Mary Coffelt v Milwaukeeju, Wis. Dne 9. julija pa je bil v isti škofiji Sunyani posvečen vzdrževanec Neimenovane clevelandске družine Andrew Kwabena Poku. Trije mladi domači duhovniki v isti škofiji. Dva v župniji, iz katere je sedanji škof domačin, James Kwadwo Owusu. K našim čestitkam se pridružujejo naše molitve za stanovitnost in božji blagoslov nad dušnopastirskim delom vseh treh novomašnikov in vseh, ki se na mašništvo še pripravljajo.

V Sloveniji je bilo letos na praznik sv. Petra in Pavla ordiniranih 27 novomašnikov. Če pomislimo, kaj mora vsak iti skozi, da vzdrži sredi neprijaznega okolja, v letih formacije na poti do oltarja, moramo hvaliti božjo Previdnost za milosti, ki jih rosi na kandidante s tako velikodušnostjo v današnjih težkih časih.

Srečanje MZA v Clevelandu se je vršilo po pikniku v ponedeljek in torek, 11. in 12. julija 1983.

G. župnik Victor Tomc je dal na razpolago cerkev in jedilnico (»cafeteria«) v farni šoli. Sv. mašo smo imeli oba dneva ob devetih dopoldne, ob lepi udeležbi. Prvi dan nas je bilo pri koncelebrirani sv. maši za naše misijonarje in vso MZA — gg. Stanko Cikanek in Ralph Roberts, S.S.S. sta somaševala — okrog 50, drugi dan pa manj, ker so nekateri že odšli.

Študijska dneva Srečanja sta bila 6 let po prvem Srečanju v Scarborough, v začetku septembra 1977.

Po sv. maši smo se zbrali v farni katoliški šoli za registracijo. Udeležili so se prvega dneva naslednji: ga. Anica Tushar, predsednica MZA Gilbert in glavna predsednica MZA, Gilbert, Minn.; ga.

Marica Lavriša, predsednica MZA Cleveland; ga. Mari Celestina, tajnica MZA Cleveland, ki je bila na Srečanju z go. Lavrišo zapisničarica; g. Rudi Knez, glavni blagajnik MZA, Cleveland, in blagajnik MZA Cleveland, g. Štefan Marolt.

Iz MZA Cleveland so bili še: podpredsednik odseka g. Frank Kuhel in njegova žena ga. Jelka, ki je v odboru; odbornica Mary Miklavčič, ki ima spretne roke za srečolov in cvetje; g. Janez Prosen in žena ga. Marija, ki sta skrbela, da je bilo v kuhinji vsega dovolj; v kuhinji sta še pomagali ge. Pavla Adamič in Ivanka Tominec; ga. Mary Štrancar, ki z go. Karlo Kucher pridno sortira rabljene znamke in gdč. Ivanka Cerar. G. Bernard Lavriša je z g. Prosenom poskrbel za gostoljubnost za vse in na koncu vse fotografiral.

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je prihitela z avtobusom ga. Helena Klesin, predsednica MZA New York; iz Bridgeporta, Conn. g. Anton Malenšek z družino; od MZA Chicago predsednica ga. Gizella Hozian in tajnica ga. Ana Gaber; iz Minneapolisa gdč. Angelca Perčič; iz Windsorja, Ont., ga. Mimi Martinčič, August in Ana Zupanc, Janez in Marija Grebenc; iz Independence, Ohio, ga. Antonija Stokar.

Poleg duhovnega vodja MZA g. Charles Wolbanga, so bili precej ur na Srečanju oba dneva misijonarji gg. Kalph Roberts, S.S.S., Stanko Pavlin, S.D.B. in Stanko Cikanek.

V blag spomin

OB 3. OBLETNICI SMRTI NAŠEGA MOŽA IN OČETA



Adolph Lunder

ki je zatisnil svoje blage oči 29. julija 1980.

Že tri leta Te zemlja krije, v temnem grobu mirno spiš; srce Tvoje več ne bije, bolečin nič več ne trpiš.

Nam pa žalost srce trga, solze lijejo iz oči, dom je prazen in otožen, ker Te več med nami ni.

Žalujoči ostali:

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Marija in Anna — hčeri.

Cleveland, 29. julija 1983.

Prvi deluje na Filipinih in se vrača tja začetku avgusta. Drugi je deloval v Bostonu med Kitajci in se vrača v Hong Kong 1. avgusta. Tretji deluje v Braziliji in je odletel v Anglijo in Evropo na svoj dopust.

Skupaj je bilo na Srečanju prvi dan 30 udeležencev. Za večerjo se nam je pridružil župnik g. Victor Tomc.

Na Občni zbor zvečer so prišli še: ge. Anica Knez, Anica Nemec, Mary Vrhovnik, Agnes Leskovec, Tončka Urankar, Helena Gorše, gdč. Mary Ann Mlinar in g. Vinko Rožman.

V torek je bilo udeležencev na Srečanju 25. Nekateri so morali oditi nazaj domov. Nanovo pa so se pridružili: inž. Jože Zelle, ge. Mary Kokal in Ana Medved.

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Odvetnik MZA g. Albin Lipold je prišel na Srečanje in podal par spodbudnih misli v ponedeljek ob pol petih popoldne. Zelo je poudaril, kako je srečen, da je osebno soudeležen pri delovanju gibanja MZA, ki vsa leta lepo napreduje.

Blagajnik Knez je podal zanimivo poročilo o razdeljeni pomoči misijonarjem, odkar je MZA po letu 1970 bolj organizirana. Poročilo v celoti objavimo prihodnjič. (Bo še)

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(nadaljevanje s 1. str.)

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Pretekli ponedeljek popoldne je na svojem domu na 1190 E. 168. cesti nenadno umrl 61 let stari George T. Parker, rojen v Erie, Pa., od koder se je l. 1959 z družino preselil v Cleveland, mož Frances, oče Jeffreyja, Cheryl Maggard in Terry, brat Jean Benedict, zaposlen pri National Acme 18 let, dokler ga ni bolezen lani prisilila, da je šel v pokoj. Po graduaciji iz višje šole v Erie-ju l. 1939, se je pokojnik pridružil letalskim silam ZDA in postal pilot. V drugi svetovni vojni je pilotiral transportna letala in bil ponovno odlikovan za hrabrost. Pogreb bo iz Želetovega pogrebnega zavoda na E. 152. cesti danes, v petek, dopoldne ob 11. na pokopališče Lake View.

V blag spomin

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Alojz Mišmaš

ki je umrl 26. julija 1981.

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Willoughby Hills, Ohio
29. julija 1983.

V blag spomin

OB ČETRTI OBLETNICI SMRTI NAŠEGA LJUBLJENEGA MOŽA, OČETA IN STAREGA ATA



Jože Miklavčič

Svoje blage oči je zatisnil dne 28. julija 1979.

Sonce zlato žarno, bi Ti lahko še svetilo, pa si legel vse prekmalu v izkopano Ti gomilo.

Večni Bog Ti daj plačilo, ki si svetu dal slovo. Ljubi mož nikdar pozabljen, spavaj v grobu tam sladko.

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Po mnenju dr. Manusa Krafta, oftalmologa iz severovzhodne čikaške bolnišnice, je hladni laser široko uporaben, saj ga je mogoče uporabljati tudi kot preventivo in v diagnostiki. Pomeni, da bi pomagal zmanjšati število bolnikov, s tem pa tudi odsotnost z dela.

Iznašel ga je švicarski oftalmolog dr. Franz Fanghauser. Napravica stane okoli 130.000 dolarjev. Deluje na principu vgrajenega natrija — aluminijevega kristala, ki ne oddaja toplote kot klasični laser, ki ga uporabljajo v očesni kirurgiji na osnovi argona. Hladni laser deluje namreč z infrardečimi žarki.

Bolnik mora leči na operacijsko mizo, oftalmolog usmeri laserski žarek v obolelo tkivo. V deset do dvanajst milijardinki sekunde žarek uniči bolno tkivo. Hladni laser razstavi celice na atome, ki v trenutku izparijo.

Tako zdravijo katarakto, pokanje žilic v očeh zaradi diabetesa itd. Hladni laser lahko tudi prepreči širjenje slepote oziroma preprečuje organske motnje, ki vodijo v slepoto, tako da pomeni veliko upanje za ogromno število slepih na svetu.

Prerekanje okrog vzgoje otrok

(nadaljevanje z 2. str.)

razred (promotion) in kvalifikacijo za graduacijo. Pri tem bi lokalnim šolskim odborom še vedno ostalo dovolj dela in skrbi z administrativnimi in finančnimi zadevami, a vitalne vzgojslovne zahtevke bi določali poklicni vzgojitelji na federalni ravni. Takšno je mnenje Timesovega dopisnika.

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Old World Festival Set

According to Tony Petkovsek, Entertainment Chairman once again for the "Old World Festival" on E. 185 St., opening day will be Wed., Aug. 3 beginning with an "Old World International Cooking Demonstration". This new feature, conducted by Jean Krizman, who was formerly associated with Stouffer Foods, will offer directions on how to prepare a variety of ethnic recipes with the food being prepared on location at the show in the big top tent on Wednesday and Thursday afternoon from 2 until 5 p.m. Jean Krizman is also Fund Raising Chairman for the Slovene Home for the Aged on Neff Rd. The cooking demonstration is free to the public and seating will be on a first come basis.

At 5 p.m. Eddie Andres will perform on his cordovox until the actual formal opening festivities which will take place at 6:45 p.m. There will be a Grand March into the Big Top Tent on the parking lot of St. Joseph High School at E. 185 and Lake Shore headed by the

Euclid Vets Color Guard, the United Slovenian Society Band, Mayor George Voinovich and Mayor Tony Giunta, the E. 185 St. officers and festival committee, other distinguished guests and special host for the evening TV 8's Dick Goddard.

Mary Fuerst, wife of Judge Norman Fuerst, will sing the National Anthem and Frank Doblekar who owns the Dairy Treat stand will perform and premiere the "Old World Plaza Polka". This will be followed by a colorful show featuring the "Prelo" Serbian folk dancers. There will be two polka and dance bands from 8 until 11 p.m. performing in the tent — The Vadnals and the Jeff Pecon Orchestra. The U.S.S. Band will be playing outdoors at another new featured area known as the Continental Garden Cafe featuring umbrella tables.

Parking will be provided on E. 185 Street before Lake Shore Boulevard since the street will be blocked at the boulevard each evening at 7 p.m. and all day Sunday.

St. Vitus Thanks Festival Visitors

The final curtain has already fallen on the St. Vitus Summer Festival. The many participants would concur that this year's event was an overwhelming success. Despite the scorching and humid weather, approximately 5,000 persons from the Greater Cleveland area attended this event. The attendance figure is but an affirmation that the changes implemented last year and upgraded this year is the correct direction chosen by the St. Vitus Festival Committee.

The Committee expresses its deepest and whole hearted thanks to the many volunteers who contributed many hours of their time and effort. The broad mixture of young, middle-aged, and older persons who assisted in this event displayed a variety and diversity of backgrounds and personalities of the St. Vitus parish.

A special round of applause and thanks to all the entertainment groups who performed during the festival; and to

those in the media field who informed many Greater Clevelanders, plus others, of this event. The Committee is appreciative of all your efforts, knowing your support brought so many persons to the parish grounds.

The Committee is also beholding to you, the public, for attending the event. Your continued support has enabled many a project to be completed within the parish.

The funds raised from this year's festival are being entirely appropriated toward purchasing and installing new windows in St. Vitus School. As a result, many children, and various parish organizations and groups, will enjoy the benefits of energy-efficient and well-constructed windows.

On behalf of the Committee, I wish to again say thank you to everyone. The Committee aspires to provide a better festival in 1984.

Stane J. Kuhar,
Co-Chmn.



SWU Presidents Unite

Slovenian Women's Union national president, Mary Muller, center, with regional presidents of the SWU at the recent Convention in Chisholm, Minnesota. From left, Angela Nico (Illinois-Indiana), Frances

Simonich, (Colorado-Kansas-Missouri), Mary Jasina (Western States), Mrs. Muller, Ann Tercek (Ohio-Michigan), and Victoria Bobence (Minnesota).

Home Needs Volunteers

Volunteers are being sought to bolster the dedicated group which is now doing so much for the residents of the Slovene Home for the Aged.

Many have been donating their time and services since the opening of the Home. Their efficiency and compassion toward the residents has been a contributing factor in the excellent reputation earned by the Home.

As the expansion to a 150-bed facility is completed, there is an urgent need for more volunteers to carry out the services as prescribed by the

Board of Trustees and Administrator.

The duties of volunteers are varied. Feeding those who cannot do it for themselves is a very important service. Transporting residents in wheel-chairs to the dining room, therapy room, for recitation of the rosary and to programs performed in the Home by singing groups and other organizations is a great help. The sewing room needs a few helping hands. Men are urged to contribute some of their spare time visiting the

men in the Home. Playing cards, some personal grooming, or just talking to them would be greatly appreciated.

Anyone, from high school boys and girls to senior citizens, is invited to become SHA volunteers. You and the Home will be richer for the experience.

Stop in at the Home or call Ms. Ruthanne Lindenmuth, Activities Director, who will be glad to give you further details and work out a suitable schedule. The phone number is 486-0268.

Guild Appreciates Donation

Katie Mavrigh of Strabane, Pa. attended Slovenefest II at the SNPJ Recreation Center in Enon Valley, Pa. Visiting the various booths, she came to the Heritage Stitchery and Design booth. She was interested in the bobbin lace that was displayed and stated that she had done it and still had the items needed to produce the lace. She added that she no longer did it, and was concerned that all her supplies would probably be burned or thrown away after she was gone.

We asked if she would donate to the Slovenian National Art Guild, so it could be used for exhibiting. She was happy to agree, but how would it get to Cleveland? Don't worry, we replied, we will come and get it. Two days later, a three hour ride brought me and my son's family to Strabane, and just as Katie had advised, we stopped to get directions to her house at the Slovenian Hall where sure enough everyone

knows her.

We found her in her large garden and ended up with a supply of garlic and rozmarin. Katie is 81 years old, active and alert, and tells of learning bobbin lace at age fifteen from her mother in Yost nad Vrhniko. She came to the United States in 1921, married Tony Mavrigh, a blacksmith, in 1922. She donated to the Guild her 16 wooden bobbins made in Europe, several patterns, pillow, and the wooden stand that was made by her husband.

S.N.A.G. thanks Katie Mavrigh for her generous gift because it is really exceptional to part with such a heritage keepsake, a one in a million gift. Guild member Maria Dimitrijevic is already putting it to use to demonstrate at various shows, and she has made arrangements with Anna Jesenko to take lessons to further her skill. Katie herself never taught bobbin lace, but she has passed along a legacy through the Art Guild that will continue to live on.

Justyn Pretnar

Shrine Slates August Novena

The Shrine and Grotto of Our Lady of Lourdes, 21320 Euclid, O. announces the annual novena to the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin will begin Aug. 6 with recitation of the Rosary each evening at 7:30 p.m. followed by celebration of Mass at 8:00 p.m.

On Aug. 15, the Feast Day of the Assumption of Our Lady,

Masses will be scheduled at 8:00, 9:30, 10:30 and 11:30 a.m., and at 8:00 p.m. Candlelight procession at 4:00, and after the 8:00 p.m. Mass.

St. Ann Dining Room will be open for breakfast from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. and for dinner from 11:30 to 5:00 p.m. All are welcome.

Social Security News

Q. — I understand Social Security figures work credit in terms of quarters of coverage. How does this work?

A. — Social Security measures work credit in unit called "quarters of coverage." In 1983, you earn one quarter of coverage with annual earnings of \$370, up to 4 quarters if annual earnings are \$1,480 or more. These quarters remain on your Social Security record permanently and will be used to determine your eligibility for benefits in the future.

Q. I am a housewife and plan to work for the first time this summer because my two kids will be staying with their grandmother all summer. My question is, how much work do I need to qualify for Social Security benefits?

A. — It depends on the type of benefit and the age at which you apply. Young people who become disabled before age 24 generally need credit for at least 1 1/2 years of work in the 3 years before they became disabled. The number of years of work credit required increases with age — up to 5 years of credit during the last 10 years for people who become disabled at age 31 or older (People disabled at 43 or older need more). People who reach 62 in 1983 need credit for at least 8 years of work under Social Security; the most you would need in the future is credit for 10 years of work to qualify for retirement benefits. Under a special rule, a worker's surviving children and their mother or father may qualify for benefits if the worker had credit for 1 1/2 years of work in the 3 years before death.

Q. — I've just started working but I don't plan to remain at this job very long. What happens to my Social Security coverage if I change jobs?

A. — Since most jobs are covered by Social Security, coverage moves with you from one job to another with no loss in benefits.

Q. — I am not married. Are my parents entitled to any Social Security benefits if I die?

A. — Parents of a deceased worker may be entitled to survivors benefits when they become 62 years old if they were supported by the worker.

Q. — My brother died at age 61 in an accident last year. Since he was a widower and his two children are on their own, no benefits were payable on his record. This doesn't seem fair as he paid Social Security taxes for about 40 years.

A. — Social Security is much like term life insurance or auto or life insurance. It provides basic protection against loss of income due to death, disability, and retirement. If your brother had died or had become disabled while his children were growing up, many thousands of dollars could have been paid to the family. Or if his wife were still living, payments could be made. Social Security

represents a shared risk that has a varying value at different stages in life.

Q. — I'll be 65 later this year and plan to retire. I've never worked under Social Security, but I'll be eligible for widow's benefit on my last husband's Social Security record. I'll also get an annuity based on my job with the local government. Will my public pension reduce my Social Security payment?

A. — It may. It depends on whether you were eligible for your pension before December 1982 or if not, whether you are eligible before July 1983 and you received at least one-half of your support from your spouse.

Q. — My State job is covered by Social Security. At retirement, I'll be eligible for Social Security benefits on my own work record, as well as State pension. I'll also be eligible for a wife's benefit on my husband's Social Security record. How will the public pension offset my situation?

A. — If you qualify for Social Security benefits on your own record and on your husband's, you'll get an amount equal to the larger of the two amounts. Any Social Security benefit you receive based on your husband's work record will not be affected by your public pension because your employment is covered by Social Security.

Q. — I recall hearing that Social Security had already changed its rules to provide for face-to-face interviews earlier in the continuing disability investigation — when persons are first notified, in fact. Is this true? And what's the difference?

A. — Yes. A change effective October 1, 1982 provides that disability beneficiaries be notified of the investigation in a face-to-face interview rather than by mail. However, the new evidentiary hearing will be conducted by the person who will make the reconsideration decision as to whether the beneficiary was still disabled, while the initial interview is conducted by the district office representative who passes the information on to the decision maker.

Q. — I will be eligible for Medicare later this year, and I'm trying to decide whether I will need additional health insurance. What exactly does Medicare cover?

A. — Medicare hospital insurance helps pay for inpatient

hospital care and for inpatient care in a skilled nursing facility after a hospital stay and for home health services. Medicare medical insurance helps pay for doctors' services, outpatient hospital services, outpatient physical therapy and speech pathology services, and a number of other medical services and supplies not covered by hospital insurance. A pamphlet called **Guide to health insurance for people with Medicare** can help you decide if you need other insurance. You can get a copy at any Social Security office.

Q. — I receive SSI payments. Up until recently, I lived alone. Now, a friend has moved in with me, and we're going to split household expenses. Do I have to notify Social Security of this change in my living arrangements?

A. — Yes. You must notify Social Security if you begin living with others and share in the household expenses. You also should let Social Security know if there is any change in the amount you or the others contribute to expenses. These changes might cause an increase or decrease in your SSI payments.

Q. — I have an uncle who is 68. He doesn't have a steady source of income but occasionally earns money doing odd jobs for neighbors. If he applies for SSI, would this money count against him?

A. — Not all income is counted in determining the amount of a person's income for SSI purposes. Irregular or infrequent earned income is not counted if it totals no more than \$10 a month. Your uncle can get more information and apply for SSI payments at any Social Security office.

Q. — When I had a medical emergency a few weeks ago, I asked to be taken to a hospital with which I was familiar, but which was not the nearest facility. Will Medicare help pay for the cost of the ambulance service?

A. — Medicare medical insurance will help pay for the ambulance on the basis of the reasonable charge for transportation to the nearest facility.

Q. I'm thinking about having my Social Security payment deposited directly into my checking account. If I do, will the bank notify me when my benefit is deposited? Or, will I have to wait until I get

my monthly bank statement to find out if the bank got my benefits?

A. Financial institutions are required by law to notify direct depositors that their Social Security payments either have been received and deposited or have not been received. Written or oral notice must be given within 2 business days after the payment is received or after the payment was scheduled to be received but was not. The law also requires financial institutions to provide a readily available telephone line direct

depositors can call to find out if their benefits were deposited.

Q. — After a long illness, my brother passed away last month. I've told Social Security to stop his SSI checks. Should I also notify his bank? His monthly payments were deposited directly into a checking account.

A. — If an SSI beneficiary's payments were being deposited directly into an account in a financial institution, the institution should be notified of his or her death as soon as possible. This will permit the institution to return any payments received after the death.

Missionary Picnic Hailed a Success

This year's annual mission picnic of the Catholic Mission Aid (MZA) was very well attended. Prompted by a sunny, warm day, the attendance was the best yet at the Slovenska Pristava near Geneva.

Festivities began with the holy sacrifice of the Mass celebrated by MZA's spiritual director, the Reverend Charles Wolbang. On this occasion we were pleased to have two foreign missionaries with us, the Rev. Stanko Cikanek from Brazil and the Rev. Ralph Roberts, SSS, from the Philippines.

In addition there were Rev. Dr. Pavel Krajnik, pastor of SS. Cyril and Methodius church in Lorain, Rev. Joseph Lekan, chaplain at St. John's Hospital in Cleveland, and Rev. Stanko Pavlin, who is returning to Hong Kong on Aug. 1st. As usual, too, Rev. Victor Tomc, pastor of St. Mary's in Collinwood, was present.

Rudi Knez, Tone Nemec, Vinko Rožman, Janez Pövirik, Jože Likozar, and Jože Sezun led the singing of the litany. After the litanies, the Triglav Ansamble, a group of youthful musicians, burst into music for most of the remaining day.

This year the annual general

meeting of the society was held in Cleveland. Representatives of member branches from Gilbert, Minn., Milwaukee, Chicago, New York, Bridgeport, and Windsor, attended the picnic and meetings on Monday and Tuesday following the picnic. During the business meeting on Monday, attorney Albin Lipold made some concrete suggestions for changes in the rules and regulations to meet the expanded and flourishing mission society. Likewise, Father Wolbang, founder and spiritual director of MZA, was pleased with the progress of the missionary organization.

A special plea was made to interest younger persons to participate in the missionary effort. A non-profit organization, the MZA caters in particular to Slovenian missionaries throughout the world.

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Kathleen (left) and Jamie Mausser

Mausser Sisters to Wed

Tomorrow (July 30) will begin a busy but happy four months for the Mausser family of Willoughby Hills.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald R. Mausser, 29111 Eddy Road, announce the engagement of two daughters.

On July 30, Jamie Ann Mausser will marry Lou Anthony Gravino, son of Maria Gravino of Chesterland, and the late Giovanni Gravino.

Then in October, Kathleen Marie Mausser will wed Curtis McKinley Cook, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde C. Cook of Willoughby.

Both brides to be are 1977 graduates of Willoughby South High School.

Jamie Ann is employed by Barney's Food and Drug Warehouse in Wickliffe. Her fiancée is a 1973 graduate of Collinwood High School in Cleveland and is a paramedic for the Willoughby Hills Fire Dept.

Kathleen is employed by the Parker Hannifin-Cliff Impact Division in Eastlake. Her fiancée is a 1972 graduate of Miami University in Oxford. He is a self-employed construction contractor (Cook Construction Co.).

Both weddings will take place at Immaculate Conception Church in Willoughby. Congratulations to all!

Don't forget this Sunday's big picnic at Slovenska Pristava, hosted by the St. Vitus Slovenian School.

There will be plenty of delicious food, including roast beef, sausage and sauerkraut, and games and prizes for everyone.

The parents are hard at work preparing for this fulfilled day. Come on out and support a worthy cause.

Spisich-Kaifesh Wedding

Marien Spisich, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Spisich of Wickliffe, Ohio, became the bride of Kevin Kaifesh, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kaifesh of Kirtland, on June 18 at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church in Wickliffe.

Karen Spisich was her sister's maid of honor. Bridesmaids included Nancy Spisich, sister of the bride; Kim Ann Kaifesh, sister of the groom; Francine Blatnik, Nela Takacs and Adrienne Toll. Denise Ambrose, cousin of the groom, was junior bridesmaid, and Amy Spisich, cousin of the bride, was flower girl.

Ken Kaifesh was his

brother's best man. Ushers were Larry and Jim Kaifesh, brothers of the groom; Joe and Donald Ambrose, cousins of the groom, Kris Hassel and David Leininger.

A reception was held at the Slovenian National Home in Cleveland. Among the 550 guests were visitors from as far away as Yugoslavia and Arizona and family members from Washington, D.C., Indiana, West Virginia and Canada.

Guests were treated to a delicious, traditional Slovenian dinner, prepared by Julie Zalar, and the music of the Jeff Pecon Orchestra. They also enjoyed the beautiful four-foot wedding cake (with a fountain) made by Anne Tomsick.

After a honeymoon in Bermuda, the couple settled in their new home in Willowick.

Speedy Recoveries To:

Sutton Girod Jr. of St. Clair Avenue in Cleveland who underwent a serious operation on July 21 at Huron Road Hospital. He is vice president of Zele Funeral Homes and is on the board of directors at the Slovene Home for the Aged.

Emily Jenko in room 716 at Euclid General Hospital; **Bob Lube**, also at Euclid General; and **John Milakovich**, the former councilman who's recuperating at his home on Prosser Avenue.

All their friends and relatives, as well as the American Home, hope they get better very soon.

Carey Pilgrimage

Mary Dolsak, who is recovering from recent cataract surgery of her own, will lead a pilgrimage to Carey, Ohio, on Monday, Aug. 15. The bus will depart and return at Slovenian Workmen's Home on Waterloo Rd.

Call Mary at 481-0870 for further information and reservations.

Travel News

Making their first visit to America, Andre Pavsic and Jožica from Ljubljana are visiting the Edward Pecjak family and Josephine Gerbec for two weeks.

Meanwhile, **Maria Ferkel** of Biwabik, Minn., also is in Cleveland, visiting relatives.

Away from our fair town, **Ann and Sophie Opeka** sent greetings to all on a postcard from Slovenia and Italy; **Sister Albina** sent a beautiful card from the Ave Maria Grotto,

Memo From Madeline

by Madeline Debevec

also known as Little Jerusalem (Cullman, Ala.), on the pilgrimage she's leading through Tennessee, Kentucky and Alabama; and **Dr. John Nielsen** dropped a line from the real Jerusalem where he spent four or five days on what he called "my long neglected tour of the Holy Land."

"Every bit of it is fascinating," Dr. Nielsen wrote.

Attorney **Tony Lavrisha**

and wife **Margie** recently returned from a great vacation in Michigan where they visited Dr. Cy Grum; who teaches internal medicine at the University of Michigan, and Cathy Strancar, a registered nurse in Ann Arbor.

Vicki Svete of Cleveland Heights reports that **Joe Sternad** recently retired after 22 years with the city of Cleveland.

Congratulations, Joe, and good luck in your retirement.

Recent Birth

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Kozjek Jr. of Shawnee Avenue became the proud parents of **Nicholas**, a 5 lb., 10 oz. boy,

born July 15.

First time grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Henderson of Wickliffe and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Kozjek Sr. of Geneva. Congratulations to all!

Steak 'N Bake

The Maple Heights Slovenian Home, 5050 Stanley Ave., will host a clambake and steak dinner from 6-8 p.m. on Saturday, Aug. 20.

After the dinner, prepared by Maple Heights Catering, the Eddie Buehner Orchestra and the Maple Heights Button Box Club will provide the music.

Tickets, priced at \$12.50, can be obtained by calling 662-9731.

In Loving Memory

It is with deep sadness in our hearts that we announce the passing of our dearly beloved brother, brother-in-law, uncle, great uncle, and great-great uncle

Joseph Jaklic

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Our loved one entered into rest suddenly on July 5, 1983. He would have attained age 73 on July 24th. Joe was born in Cleveland, Ohio, and retired from Foote Burt Reynolds Co. in 1975 after almost 50 years. He belonged to Lodge No. 99, Croatian Fraternal Union; Sports Club, Lodge No. 99, C.F.U., and Geo. Washington Lodge, No. 180, American Fraternal Union for many years.

Funeral services were held on July 9, 1983 from the Zele Funeral Home, St. Clair Chapel, with a Mass of the Resurrection at 10:00 a.m. in St. Vitus Church, and Calvary Cemetery. Our heartfelt thanks are extended to Rev. Joseph Boznar, who celebrated the Mass, for leading the rosary at the funeral home, and for his final gravesite prayers at the cemetery.

Deep appreciation is extended to everyone for their beautiful floral pieces, Mass offerings, donations to Slovenian Home for the Aged, and other donations in his memory. From the depth of our hearts we thank all who attended the wake, for the many expressions of sympathy, to those who attended the church services, and accompanied our loved one to his final resting place at Calvary Cemetery. We are deeply grateful to the St. Vitus Mothers Club for the recitation of the rosary. Special thanks to the organist, Mr. Peter Johnson, and to Mrs. Amalia Kosnik, for their beautiful choral renditions, and to the pallbearers.

Many thanks are accorded to Mrs. Mary Frank, and her staff, for the well prepared luncheon at Slovenian Workmen's Home, Waterloo Rd. after the funeral, and our lady friends for their donation of pastry for the luncheon.

Thanks are extended to the Zele Funeral Home and their staff for all of their concern and assistance.

Thank you cards were sent to all who especially remembered us and our dear one. If, by chance, we missed anyone, please accept our apology, and may this public notice serve as a special thanks to you.

*It broke our hearts to lose you,
But you did not go alone,
For part of us went with you,
The day God took you home.*

Sadly missed by:

ROSE LEVSTEK, sister;
FRANK LEVSTEK, nephew;
ROSE MARIE SVETE, niece;
ELIZABETH JAKLICH, sister-in-law;
ANN CLEMENCE, niece; and other relatives.

Cleveland, Ohio, July 29, 1983.

Recent Death

JOHN GARTROZA

John Gartroza, age 67, of 958 East 70 St., died suddenly Wed., July 20 in St. Vincent Charity Hospital.

He was born in Cleveland and lived at his present address for 57 years. He was an independent truck driver for the past 20 years. He was a Staff Sergeant in the Army, serving in the Pacific Theater during WWII.

He was never married. He is survived by his brother Frank and two sisters Jean (Jennie)

Zoha and Ray (Frances) Leone, Wickliffe. He was the uncle of 5 and great uncle of 4.

Friends called at Zele Funeral Home, 6502 St. Clair Ave., where services were Sat., July 23 and St. Vitus Church. Interment at Calvary Cemetery.

\$100 Donation

Dear Mr. Debevec:

Enclosed is a donation of \$100 from the 13th Regular Convention of the Progressive Slovene Women.

Keep up the good work.

Millie Bradac

Belokranjski Club Picnic is August 7

The Belokranjski Club annual picnic will be Sunday, August 7, at the Slovenska Pristava. Rev. Victor Tomc of St. Mary's Church on Holmes Ave. will have a Mass at 11:30 a.m. in memory of all deceased Club members.

After the Mass a dinner of roast pork and/or lamb will be available at \$5.50 for adults and \$3.00 for children. You can select either pork or lamb or a combination of both.

Advance reservations are requested. Call 481-3308, 486-7613 or 461-9503.

A dance and social will

follow the dinner with music by the Toni Klepec orchestra of Girard, Ohio.

Proceeds from the picnic will be donated to the Slovene Home for the Aged on Neff Rd., the American Home, and to the parish church in Podzemlje in the Bela Krajina region of southeastern Slovenia, the area from which Rev. Victor Tomc's parents came.

You are all cordially invited to the Belokranjski Club picnic at the Slovenska Pristava on Sunday, August 7, 1983. Hope to see you there!

Thanks for your generous donations

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Josephine M. Debevec (Neff Rd.), Cleveland — \$10.00

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Martin Malevich, Stoney Creek, Ont., Canada — \$10.00

Marijana Zagar, Barberton, O. — \$1.00

Frank Kovacevic, Cleveland — \$2.00

Vinko Levstik of Hotel Bled, Italy, \$200.00

Mrs. Mary Godec, Beachwood, Cleveland — \$10.00

Mary Debevec, Wickliffe, O. — \$2.00

Mrs. Mary Kovach, (Hillandale), Cleveland — \$2.00

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St. Clair Business Association

The annual Bargain Days will be held this year on Friday and Saturday, Aug. 12 and 13.

They will consist of merchant sidewalk sales as well as special in-house productions. You might want to consider such things as special drawings for your customers and bargain prices on special items. You are invited, even encouraged, to participate.

Reserve these selected days as a time for extra promotion both inside and outside your business establishment.

You will be supported by posters and hand bills prior to Aug. 12. On the Bargain Days there will be strolling musicians, clowns and balloons, and assorted entertainment on the Avenue.

A representative from the Association will be visiting you shortly. If you have any suggestions to help promote these sales days, please feel free to contact either Bob Novak at 391-7332 (business office) or 391-3333 (home) or Tony Lewanski at the Perry

office, 391-9332.

Richard J. Mott
President, St. Clair Bus. Assn.

Agrees with Mlinar

I fully agree with Frank V. Mlinar's letter regarding Mondale's record on abortion.

In the Cleveland area we have two congressmen, both Catholic, one a Slovenian — Edward Feighan and Dennis Eckart. No doubt, many local Catholic voters are not aware that both men have shown by their voting record that they have no objection to the killing of pre-born babies.

The church states that abortion is clearly a violation of God's law and those who aid and encourage such killing are equally guilty. Both of these men support an evil that their church has always condemned.

In my opinion, their record on abortion, regardless of how they vote on other issues, disqualifies them and makes them unfit for public office.

Wencil Frank
Cleveland, O.

Waterloo Pensioners Club

Cleveland, O. — The Waterloo Pensioners held their meeting on a hot and humid Wednesday, July 13, and our attendance was large, as usual.

Our picnic in June was a success and President Lampe thanked all the workers and members who attended. Cecelia Wolf and Alice Bozic have all our bus trips lined up.

We would like to welcome the new members, Frances

Bogolin, Frank and Frances Rokavec, Joe and Frances Debelak, and Robert and Josephine Emser.

Kate Kozel reported we had no sick members.

Happy birthday and happy anniversary was sung for all celebrating their day.

A reminder there will be no meeting Wednesday, Aug. 9.

Helen Vukcevic
Recording Secretary

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