





## Pismo očetu

(Pisal ga je mož, ki ni nikdar poznal svojega rodnega očeta)

J. J. Regerčan

Nekje je živel mož, ki ni poznal svojih roditeljev. Ni vedel, kdo mu je bil oče, kdo mati. Po naravi zelo talentiran. Dovršil je z odliko pravniške študije in nato se je bavil z odvetniškim poklicem v Parizu. Slovel je, da ni še nikoli izgubil kake pravde. Toda njegovega slučajja, da ni mogel predrati, kdo so bili njegovi roditelji, ni bil vesel in kadar koli je bil zatopljen v kaka proučevanja, je med temi vedno stopilo predenj tudi vprašanje: Kdo prav za prav si ti? Čigav si?

Glede njegovega imena je dogljal, da so mu ga dali, ko so ga našli ob nekem potoku pri mostu, ki so ga imenovali Boulois, v mali košari. Kdo ga je kot dete odložil tam in prepustil svetu, pa niso mogli ne drugi in ne on dognati.

Dobri ljudje, ki so ga našli, so ga nesli bližnjemu duhovniku, da ga je krstil in pri krstju so mu dali ime Evgenij. Klicali ga pa niso po tem imenu, ampak le po imenu Boulois.

Ko se je Boulois bližal njegovim šestdesetim letom starosti, se je naveličal velikomestnega življenja v Parizu. Bil je samec. Ko je začel misliti, da bo treba v pokoj in počitek, je kupil pod vnožjem goro, ne daleč od Lionskega zaliva v Južni Franciji primerno hišo, da bi tamkaj v miru preživel svoja stara leta. Tam si je uredil preprost dom in res živel v miru.

Misel, čigav je, kdo so mu bili roditelji, pa mu je budila radovednost še vedno sleherni dan.

Ko se je Boulois bližal njegovemu šestdesetemu božiču, je sklenil, da bo šel na sveti večer na bližnjo goro, da bi opazoval, kako bodo po bližnji in daljni okolici proslavljali po okoliških cerkvah božični večer. Okoličani so imeli navado, da so na slovesen način na sveti večer razsvetlil cerkve in kapele po okolici.

Še pred mrakom je dospel do neke kočice blizu vrha gore, ki je služila po zimi smučarjem, lovčim in raznim športnikom kot počivalnica. Na sredi kočice je bilo ognjišče s par kotlički, kjer so si takji potovalci lahko zakurili, si skuhal čaj ali kavo, ali kaj drugega. Zunaj se je pomeglilo, oblaki so pokrili okolico in snežiti je začelo. Tipičen pravi božični večer. Na gori in blizu okrog ni bilo žive duše — saj na sveti večer je bil vsak rad doma pri svojih — le on Boulois je tu samoval.

Boulois je nekaj časa ogledoval po koči. Našel je tam nekaj knjig. Potem je zaniel ogenj in si skuhal čaj. Ta mu je dobro storil in ga pogrel. Potem se vzravna po dolgi klopi, da bi malo zadremal in se odpočil, ker neka utrujenost od dolge hoje ga je utrudila. Toda zaspati ni mogel, prežgodaj je še bilo. Pogleda na urc in se cele tri ure je bilo do polnoči. Brska in lista en čas po knjigah, potem sede tik ognjišča, naloži na ogenj še par polen in tu začne zopet misliti, odkod in čigav je. Sam seboj začne govoriti:

"O, ko bi vedel, kdo je moj oče? Napisal bi mu najlepše pismo na svetu. Kako srečen bi bil!"

To je nekaj je ponavljal naprej in naprej. Po nižavah okrog gore so se oglašili zvonovi, ki so napovedovali polnočne službe božje po okoliških cerkvah. Stopil je ven preč kočico in čul je, kako lepo in miho so peli zvonovi. Stopi nazaj v kočico, sede blizu ognja, vzame kos papirja iz žepa in svinčnik in nekaj piše, medtem pa je začel razmišljati. In komu drugemu pa naj zapusti, saj sem vendar njegov sin!"

### PISMO VRHENSKEGA TINETA

(Nadaljevanje z 2. strani)

oštariji in sam seboj govoril: "Stari naj kar lepo izdihne, meni pa zapusti grunt in pepere. In komu drugemu pa naj zapusti, saj sem vendar njegov sin!"

Oče je umrl, pokopali so ga. Odprli so njegovo oporoko, a oče

je porazdelil svoje premoženje med hčere in nekaj drugim, "vedno žejnemu" sinu pa le pet goldinarjev. Ko je sin to zvedel se je držal za glavo in vpil: "Pa sem mislil in upal, da bo vse moje! Glejte no, kako se je vse to zgodilo!" In svoje razočaranje je tolažil s tem, da je pri "birtu" tistih pet goldinarjev še tisti dan v naprej zapil.

Vidite taka je "rajtenga brez birta" včasih tudi v volitvah. Prijatelj Frank je povedal dobro primero.

\* MR. JOSEPH ZORC, znani lastnik zemljiške in zavarovalniške pisarne na 1226 Sheridan Rd. v North Chicago in član gospodarskega odbora K. S. K. Jednote v Jolietu, je bil te dni izvoljen predsednikom Zveze zemljiških posejvalcev in prodajalcev pri Lake County Real Estate Brokers Association, za bodoče leto 1961. Naš Jože je vedno agilen, pri dr. sv. Jožefa, št. 53. na drugih raznih poljih in tako tudi pri KSKJ., kjer uživa lep ugled. Čestitke in še mnogo uspeha!

\* NOV GROB. — Pred nedolгим je tu preminul 75 let stari Slovenec Frank Gantar, ki je bival na naslovu 1201 Wadsworth Ave., North Chicago, kjer je bival zadnjih 51 let. Zadnja leta je živel v pokoju, preje pa se je bavil s prevoznim "trucking" in dve hčere ter vdovo J. Gantar. Sorodnikom sožalje, pokojnik pa naj počiva v miru!

Vsem našim rojakom, posebno še čitateljem "Amer. Domovine" tu pri nas in po vsej Ameriki in drugod želim prav srečno, zdravo in uspešno novo leto 1961!

Vrhensk Tine.

### Nafta sili v ospredje arabske politike v Iraku

BAGDAD, Irak. — Iraški diktator Kasem se trenutno pogaja z znano Iraško petrolejsko družbo za podaljšanje sedanje pogodbe za eksploatacijo iraške nafte. Družba je izredno dobičkonosno podjetje. Napravi na leto do pol milijona dolarjev dobička, polovico od tega dobi Kasemov režim. Kasem bi rad dobil še več. Najpreje zahteva, da mora družba dvigniti izkoriščanje nafte, tako da bi njegov režim dobil od tega do 400 milijonov dol. na leto. Dalje želi, da bi dobil nekaj več udeležbe kot ravno 50%. Povrhu hoče še nacionalizirati iraško udeležbo pri tej kompaniji.

Francoski kapital je udeležen pri družbi z 23,25% ali 58 milijoni dol. Ta delež bi rad pobral Kasem potom "nacionalizacije." Sklicuje se namreč na to, da francoski kapital dobavlja naftne produkte Izraelu in da podpira preganjanje alžirskih upornikov. Zato je Kasemova namera po nacionalizaciji francoske

deležbe pri naftni družbi v Iraku zelo popularna.

IRAKIŠKI KUNJAVCI — Organizirani pravo gonjo v korist nacionalizaciji, seveda po naročilu iz Moskve, Hruščev je zopet dobil priliko, da nagaja De Gaulle in njegovim kapitalistom. Zakaj je ne bi izrabil?

Ako se Kasemu posreči njegov načrt, bo njegova udeležba pri dobičku znašala okoli 62½.

Washington, D. C. — Sovjetski diplomati tipajo, ali bi bilo mogoče povabiti za prihodnjo pomlad na obisk v Sovjetsko zvezo izvoljenega podpredsednika Lyndona Johnsona kot uvod v nove boljše odnose med Sovjetijo in Združenimi državami.

Trdijo, da bi bil Johnson pripravljen iti, če bi se za to izjavil predsednik Kennedy.

**Johnson pojde v ZSSR?**

**Poroke v Mehiki bodo postale nevarna zadeva**

MEXICO CITY, Mex. — Dobiti državljanstvo v Mehiki ni lahka stvar, zato je dobrodošel vsak ovinek. Zadnja leta je prišlo zelo v navado, da si tujci ali tujke poiščejo zakonskega druga med mehiškimi državljanji. Kakor hitro se poročijo z njimi, dobijo avtomatično mehiškansko državljanstvo.

Te možnosti se rade poslužujejo Amerikanke. So pa to velikokrat "poroke" samo v dokumentih. Zenin in nevesta se srečata samo pri civilni poroki, cerkveni se sploh izogne. Da se lažje odločita za ta posel, mora zainteresirana stran nekaj placati svojemu uradnemu zakonskemu drugu. Mehikanskemu predsedniku Mateosu so te skandalozne razmere dobro znane. Sklenil, da bo predložil parlamentu poseben zakon, ki naj kvalificira take zakoné kot zločine.

Mehikanec ali Mehikanka, ki bi se poročila na tak način, naj prideta pred sodnijo, kjer jih čaka kazena do \$400 in do pet let zapora.

Tako se lahko zgodi pravi cirkus; na sodniji bo en sodnik poročal, drugi pa postal vsaj enega od obeh novoporočencev kar naravnost v ječo! Cenijo, da živi legalno v Mehiki okoli 125,000 tujcev, med njimi 40,000 iz Amerike. Še več jih živi neprijavljeno.

**Libanonsko letalo je vozilo strelivo**

PARIZ, Fr. — Najeto libanonsko letalo na poti iz Stockholma v Casablancu so francoske oblasti tod prestregle in odkrile na njem štiri tone orožja in streliva za alžirske upornike. Vse skupaj so zaplenile.

Francози trdijo, da so bile v tovoru celo protitankovske rakete.

**Hruščev potegnil za nos svoj parlament**

MOSKVA, ZSSR. — Kako malo v Kremli spoštujejo svoj "parlament," pove nazorno sledeči slučaj: Pred par dnevi je končal delo Vrhovni sovjet. Odboril je proračun in letni gospodarski načrt, kot mu je bilo naročeno in šel domov.

Drugi dan po končanem zasedanju parlamenta je Hruščev sklical sejo ministrskega sveta in mu naročil, naj poveča cilje za industrijsko proizvodnjo za leto 1961. Številke za l. 1960 so namreč pokazale, da ruske tovarne lahko producirajo v l. 1961 več blaga, kot je bilo to predvideno v sedemletki že l. 1958. Več naj proizvajajo metalurgija, naftna polja in celo poljedelstvo. Podrobnejših poročil o seji ministrskega sveta še ni.

**Leta 1970 bo zvezni proračun znašal nad 120 milijonov dolarjev!**

WASHINGTON, D. C. — Sedanjí ravnatelj federalnega proračunskega urada Stans je imel svoj posloven govor o svojem delu v proračunskem uradu in pri tem povedal, da bo imel federalni proračun l. 1970 nad 120 milijonov dol. dohodkov, ako ne bo kake velike krize in ako ne bodo davki znižani.



**V blag spomin**  
PRVE OBLETNICE SMRTI NASEGA LJUBLJENEGA SOPROGA, OCETA IN BRATA

**Joseph Suster**  
ki je nenadoma umrl na dan 31. decembra 1959.

Čas beži v naglem teku! Leto dni so že minuli, kar smo žalostni, v joku, truplo Tvoje v grob zasuli. Le počivaj v božjem miru, kjer ni gorja in ne solza; in trudapolna pot na svetu naj nas pripelje k Tebi — vrh zvezd!

Tvoji žalujoči:  
FRANCES, soproga  
CAROL, RONALD, hčerka in sin  
JOSEPHINE, mati  
bratje in sestre  
Cleveland, 30. decembra 1960.

Francosi trdijo, da so bile v tovoru celo protitankovske rakete.

Njegova cenitev bo najbrže utemeljena, kajti spada med tiste redke strokovnjake, ki res poznajo naš federalni proračun. Letos bodo po njegovem mnenju znašali dohodki okoli 81 milijonov dol. Stans pa ni rekel nobene besede, da Kongres ne bi znal primerno vporabljati povečanih dohodkov.

**Neodvisna od prometnih sredstev**

Dokler se je neka uradnica iz Melbourne (Avstralija) vozila na delo z avtobusom, je potrebovala za pot 42 minut.

Razmišljala je in se odločila: vsako jutro spravi obleko v plastično vrečko in preplava 270 m široko reko. Vse skupaj traja zdaj enajst minut.

**Klub težkih**  
Pariški klub stokilogramskih korenjakov prireja zdaj plesne večere za svoje člane in njihove spremljevalke.

Ker v starem delu Pariza baje niso našli primernih prostorov za "težke" plesne, so si klubski člani zgradili dvorano s posebnimi tleh.



**V blag spomin**  
PRVE OBLETNICE SMRTI DRAGEGA SOPROGA IN SKRBE NEGA OCETA

**Steve Lovrin**  
ki je umrl dne 30. decembra 1959

Minilo že je leto dni odkar zapustil si nas Ti, odšel si tja, kjer sonce sije, kjer ni solza in ni nadlog.

Mirno spavaj v tihem grobu v kraju večnega miru, duša pa naj raj uživa v kraju tam nad zvezdami. Tvoji žalujoči:  
MARY LOVRIN, soproga  
MARY WALTER, jr. in  
CAROLINE ZABKA, hčeri  
Vnuki in vnukinje.  
Cleveland, O., 30. decembra 1960.

Tvoji žalujoči:

FRANCES, soproga  
CAROL, RONALD, hčerka in sin  
JOSEPHINE, mati  
bratje in sestre  
Cleveland, 30. decembra 1960.

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**V blag spomin**  
TRINAJSTE OBLETNICE SMRTI NASEGA LJUBLJENEGA SOPROGA IN BRATA

**Štefan Malavašič**  
ki je umrl na dan 1. januarja 1948

Trinajst Te let že hladna zemlja krije, v gomili tihí pokojno zdaj spiš, sonce zdaj zimsko na grob Ti sije, a v duhu pa večno med nami živiš.

Lahko naj Te zemlja krije, spavaj, dragi naš, sladko, luč nebeška naj Ti sije, mir in pokoj naj Ti bo.

Zalujoči ostali:  
ROSE MALAVAŠIČ, soproga  
ANTON, JOHN, FELIX in MAX, bratje  
Cleveland, Ohio, 30. dec. 1960.

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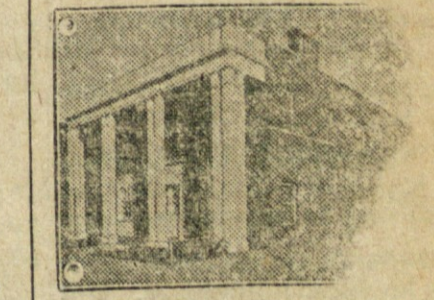
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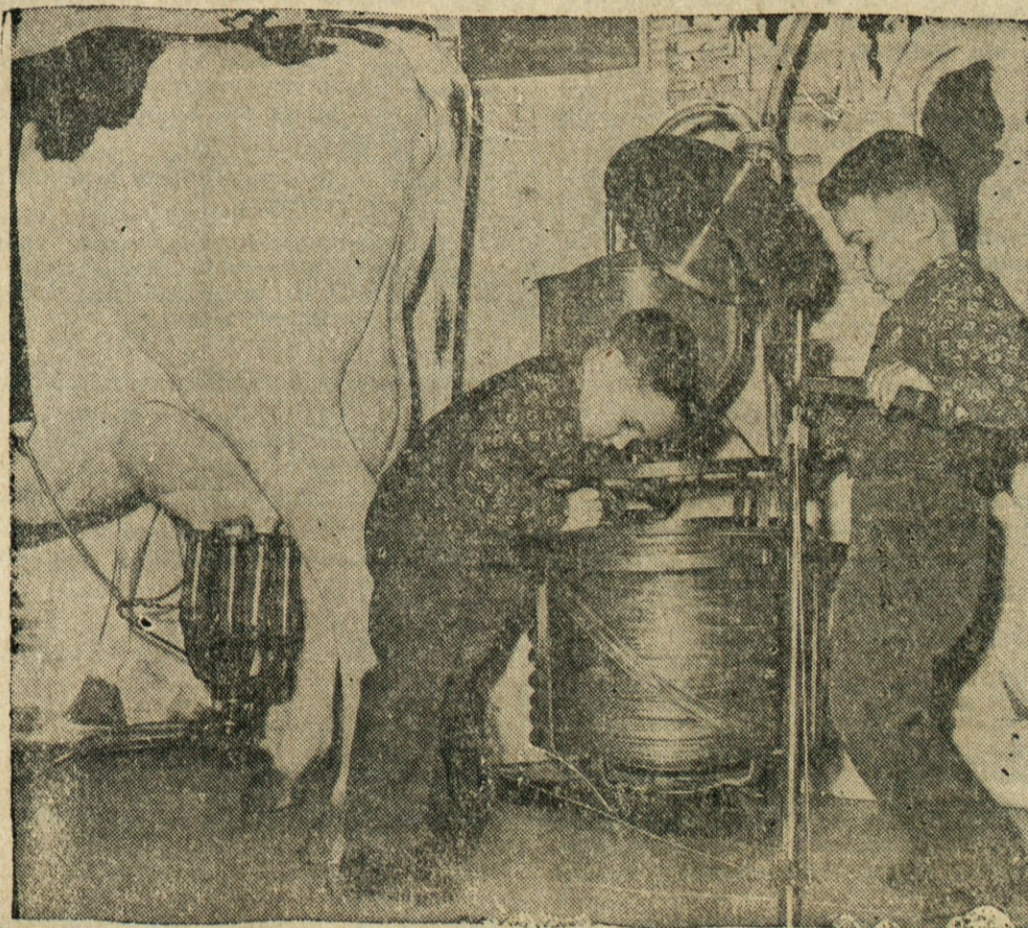
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# AMERIŠKA DOMOVINA

## AMERICAN HOME

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SLOVENIAN MORNING NEWSPAPER



AMONG THOSE PRESENT—At Jack Benny's amusing black-tie party for celebrities at an Automat in New York, Jack is shown serenading one of the guests. Kokomo Jr., a star in his own right, helped Jack entertain friends who turned out to honor the star of the popular CBS-TV show.

### New Year Customs Old and New

Through the ages people have observed the New Year holiday in traditionally different ways. Yet no other holiday reflects so universally man's common hope for a year of happiness and well-being, and his desires for the warm companionship of his fellow man.

This spirit of hope and brotherhood has most often expressed itself in customs of eating, merry-making and visiting with friends. It remained for America to add its own flavor to the world's New Year customs.

Sports-loving Americans assigned their most popular classics to New Year's day and began to cheer for their favorite teams and the new year at the same time. The Rose Bowl college football game, following the famous Pasadena (California) Tournament of Roses, got its start in 1916 and set the pattern for big and little "bowl" games throughout the nation.

The spectacular mummies' parade in Philadelphia is another New Year's day event typically American in expression. The mummies' parade, a distant relative of the Old English mummies' plays, had its beginning as a city-wide festival on January 1, 1876. On recent New Year's days as many as two million spectators from all parts of the East have watched fantastically costumed string bands and masqueraders frolic along Philadelphia's Broad Street.

Unusual as are some American observances, however, a great body of New Year festivities engaged in here are inherited from Europe. In France and Scotland, New Year's day became and remained the most important festival of the year—a time for exchanging gifts, cards and visits among relatives and friends. Scottish children shouting "Hogmanay" flood the street on New Year's eve and demand cakes and fruits from the neighbors.

Twelve grapes are a part of the gay Spanish New Year's eve celebration on the Puerta del Sol, Madrid's "Times Square." As the clock strikes midnight the grapes are held high overhead and eaten for lunch—one for each month of the year. To touch a pig on Saint Sylvester's Eve (December 31) brings good luck, Hungarians believe. In the principal restaurants and cafes of Budapest, a greased pig is turned loose at midnight and amid confusion and merriment, the guests scramble after it.

After the evening meal on New Year's eve in Lithuania, two or three masked people carrying flaming torches enter a house in the village where they eat, drink, dance and sing. When they leave, their host and hostess, also masked, accompany them to the next house. Before the convivial night has ended, the torch-lit procession includes most of the village.

In England a glass of wine and a slice of bun loaf are rewards for visitors who "first-foot" (arrive first) at a home following the birth of the New Year. A "first-foot" brings with him the traditional symbols of warmth and prosperity—coal, bread and salt—and is welcomed because he "lets in" the New Year. Representing the old year, too, he leaves by the back door.

The New Year celebration in America, like so much else in this various land, are a blending of the old and new. In this amalgamation lie our strength and promise as a nation. It is this basic aspect of American life that especially interests the friends and relatives abroad to whom our millions of letters will go during the holiday season.

—A C N S—

### SHORTS on SPORTS

#### Kennedy Will View

Orange Bowl: Acceptance of an invitation by President-Elect Jack Kennedy to attend the 1961 Orange Bowl football game, to be played in Miami, Fla. on Jan. 2, imposed a hard task on Ernie Seiler, Orange Bowl executive vice-president.

Seiler had to come up with 34 choice seats on the 50-yard line for the presidential party. The seats had been allocated to stadium bond-holders, but Seiler found enough Democrats who accepted less desirable tickets.

Secret Service men have surveyed the stadium for the Missouri-Navy game and made plans for Kennedy's entry and departure. He will be high in the South stands, back of the Navy bench.

A.L. Expanders Forgot Paige: Talking with tongue in cheek, Sid Ziff of the Los Angeles Mirror-News, who generally expressed hope in expansion, felt that the American League had not scraped the bottom of the barrel, as some had suggested, in the drafting and selecting of players for the new teams. "After all," Sid said, "they didn't bring back Satchel Paige."

Possibility of 24 Major Clubs in '62: Further expansion of the major league to 24 teams, perhaps with the addition of a third league, is a possibility for 1962, Commissioner Ford Frick believes.

"You know how these baseball fellows are," Frick said. "It takes them a long time to get moving, but when they do, they want to keep moving. The only thing I fear is they'll move too fast."

Griddy to Coach Baseball: Sonny Randle, speedy pass-catching end of the St. Louis football Cardinals, will work for the baseball Cardinals next spring as a running instructor, it was announced by General Manager Bing Devine.

Randle will tutor the Cardinals both at the early spring camp at Homestead, Fla., opening on February 12, and later at the main camp in St. Petersburg.

Bucs Post Only Two Twin-Bills: The Pittsburgh Pirates have cut down their double-header schedule at Forbes Field in 1961, as befitting their status as world's champions. Next season the Bucs will play only two bargain-bills at home, one on Memorial Day. The other twin-bill is slated for Sunday, Aug. 27, and both games will be played with the Cubs.

### Death Notices

Prelc, Matt — Husband of Antonia (nee Celehar), father of Josephine Klein, Mary Krause. Residence at 18620 Chickasaw Ave.

Usenienik (Usenik) — Husband of Louise, father of John F., Olga DeNoewer, Helen and Jean Laughlin. Former residence at 18906 Neff Rd. Late residence at R.D. 1, New Smyrna Beach, Fla.

Zelko, Stephen—Husband of Ivana (nee Penko), father of Stephen, Frank, brother of Frank. Residence at 5902 Prosser Ave.

Zelle, Mary (nee Kristan) — Mother of Frank, Charles, Marie MacMachan, Jane Stark. Residence at 4780 E. 94 St., Garfield Heights, Ohio.

### New Year's Eve Party

The Lake Shore Post No. 273 of the American Legion is holding its Annual gala New Year's Eve Party at their club rooms at 6131 St. Clair Ave. Everybody welcome!

### Malinee Film Series at Library

Cleveland Public Library's free, bimonthly Thursday afternoon matinee film series for 1961 features programs depicting social problems, architecture, brotherhood, American history, experimental films, the universe, conservation, safety, space, and travelogues.

Opening film bill—Thursday afternoon, Jan. 5, at one p.m. in the Library Auditorium, features two films dealing with the problems of alcoholism. One, a 33 minute "Profile of an Alcoholic," graphically portrays early symptoms of alcoholism, their progress and recognition. "New Road Ahead," a 35 minute film, covers the rehabilitation process needed for successful recovery of the average alcoholic.

January 19th, the subject is "Architecture," with a trio of films. One is an interview with Frank Lloyd Wright, the others are "Medieval Architecture," and "Architecture West," (architecture in Oregon and California since 1950).

A Centennial Civil War feature is booked for February 2nd, with "Abraham Lincoln," "Time Out of War," and "True Story of the Civil War."

February 16, "Brotherhood of Man," "The American Girl," (antisemitism) and "All the Way Home," a documentary of tensions created by a Negro family's interest in a home.

March 2 — A cavalcade of American history in the 126 minute film, "Land of Liberty."

March 16—Six experimental and unusual films — "The Train," "Chairy Tale," "Rythmetic," "Moonbird," "Blinkety Blank," and "N.Y., N.Y."

March 30 — Films of the Great Unknown, "Journey into Time," "The Universe," and "Science of the Sea."

April 13 — "Conservation," "Water," and "Beauty of Quetico Park." April 27 — "Rescue Breathing," "Glacier Park," and "Underwater Safety."

May 11 — The missile age is presented in "Race for Space."

The series closes with color travelogue films on "Scotland," "Australia," and "South America," on May 25.

Attractive series brochures describing the matinee programs are available without charge from the Library's Film Bureau, located on the third floor of the Business and Science Building, corner of East 6th St. and Superior Ave.

### 1961 Dog Licenses on Sale Now

John J. Carney, County Auditor announces that dog owners may apply for their 1961 Dog Licenses from Room 121, County Administration Building, Lakeside and Ontario, or at one of the branch offices established for their convenience.

License fees are \$2 for each male, female or spayed female dog. Penalty for failure to register dog by January 20, 1961 is \$1.00; this will be strictly enforced according to law.

Among the branch offices are the following: Small Animal Clinic, 18235 Euclid-Green Shopping Center; Glenville Pet Shop, 10638 St. Clair Ave.; East Cleveland City Hall, 14340 Euclid Ave., and Euclid Veterinary Hospital, 25580 Lakeland Blvd.

Keep fine sandpaper in the kitchen. Rub lightly over dirty oven or wire racks and the brown, burnt-on dirt will disappear. This eliminates one of the messiest of kitchen chores.



### Prayer of St. Francis of Assisi . . . A New Year's Resolution

O Lord, our Christ, may we have Thy mind and Thy spirit; make us instruments of Thy peace. Where there is hatred, let us sow love; Where there is injury, pardon; Where there is discord, union; Where there is doubt, faith; Where there is despair, hope; Where there is darkness, light; Where there is sadness, joy. O Divine Master, grant that we may not so much seek to be consoled, as to console; to be understood, as to understand; to be loved, as to love. For it is in giving that we receive; it is in pardoning that we are pardoned, and it is in dying that we are born to eternal life. Amen.

The above prayer is a most fitting thought for the New Year. It certainly includes any resolution that we may make.



### St. Vitus Men's Bowling League

December 22, 1960  
Three days before Christmas our boys had an ordinary night with about a dozen good scores. Best series was by Frank Debelak 219-601. Ed Salomon had the top game 234. He was followed by: B. Collingwood 232, H. Szymanski 222, H. Marolt 219, L. Tolar 216, A. Kaporc 213, J. Merhar 212, J. Shega 212, J. Macek 212, P. Pototnik 212, V. Vavrek 211. CWV Wildcats scored joint team highs 955 and 2750. Happy New Year to all our bowlers, backers and alley workers.

KSKJ No. 25 edged Mezie Insurance in two games. Joe Baskovce 325 sparked the Kay Jays to victory.  
KSKJ No. 25 891 848 809 2548  
Mezie Insurance 857 799 833 2509  
COF Baraga Court blanked CWV Goldbricks in all three games. Bart Collingwood 232-573 won scoring honors for the Foresters.  
COF Baraga Ct. 845 867 900 2612  
CWV Goldbricks 787 787 783 2357

CWV Wildcats routed Cimperman Market in two games. Larry Polar 216-597 stood out for the Cats.  
CWV Wildcats 896 899 955 2750  
Cimperman Mkt. 853 925 829 2582

Hecker Tavern edged into first place as a result of a two game win over Charles Slapnik Florists. Joe Macek 212-584 topped the bartenders.

Hecker Tavern 844 845 793 2182  
Chas. Slapnik 892 834 935 2571  
Brodnick Brothers, Furniture and Appliances, defeated C. - L. Pizza in two games. Joe Shega 212-563 paced the winners.  
Brodnick Bros. 833 820 920 2573  
C. - L. Pizza 863 930 868 2601

Norwood Men's Shop shut out CWV Launchers in all three games. E. Kovacic 555 and J. Saver 553 led the Haberdashers to victory.  
Nor. Men's Shop 811 867 860 2538  
CWV Launchers 775 774 832 2381

#### Standings December 22, 1960

	W.	L.
Hecker Tavern	29	19
Cimperman Market	28	20
Charles Slapnik Florist	27	21
Mezie Insurance	26	22
CWV Wildcats	26	22
C.O.F. No. 1317	25	23
CWV Goldbricks	24	24
KSKJ No. 25	24	24
Norwood Men's Shop	23.5	24.5
C. - L. Pizza	21	27
Brodnick Bros.	19.5	28.5
CWV Launchers	15	33

Team High Series  
C. O. F. Baraga 1317 — 2962  
C. - L. Pizza — 2933

Cimperman Market — 2844  
CWV Launchers — 2642  
Team High Game  
COF Baraga No. 1317 — 1041  
C. - L. Pizza — 1022  
CWV Launchers — 1020  
Mezie Insurance — 992

Individual High Series  
B. Collingwood — 667  
R. Massera — 660  
F. Prznik — 655  
S. Merhar — 653

Individual High Game  
J. Macek — 267  
A. Germ — 256  
E. Turk — 253  
E. Kuhar — 252

#### Schedule January 5, 1961

Alleys:  
1-2: Cimperman Market vs. COF No. 1317.  
3-4: CWV Wildcats vs. Mezie Insurance.  
5-6: KSKJ No. 25 vs. Brodnick Bros.  
7-8: CWV Goldbricks vs. Hecker Tavern.  
9-10: C. - L. Pizza vs. C. W. V. Launchers.  
11-12: Norwood Men's Shop vs. Charles Slapnik Florist.

### Alien Address Report

Thomas M. Pederson, District Director of the Immigration and Naturalization Service stated that the annual alien address report program usually causes a sharp rise in the number of applications for naturalization.

The law requires all aliens in the United States, with few exceptions, to report their address each January. Throughout the United States, almost 30 percent more applications for naturalization are received during the months of January, February and March than are received during other months. Mr. Pederson attributes this sudden rise to the Alien Address Report Program.

Aliens not required to make this report are diplomats, those accredited to certain international organizations and those who have entered temporarily as agricultural laborers.

Forms for making the reports will be available to aliens at all Post Offices and offices of the Immigration and Naturalization Service during the month of January. Mr. Pederson indicated that aliens desiring information concerning naturalization or similar matters should obtain the forms at an office of the Immigration and Naturalization Service where personnel trained in these fields will be available to answer inquiries.

Ink stains from a ball point pen should not be washed. Water tends to set them. A dry cleaner can usually remove the stain if the garment has not been washed.



IT'S LIKE THIS—Once Baiko VII (right) is helping his American pupil, Annette Hunt, as she prepares for a role in a Kabuki play presented in New York by the Institute for Advanced Study in Theater Arts. Kabuki actors from Japan lent some assistance.

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CONDENSED NEWS FROM OUR HOME FRONT

- ★ Anton Vogel of 1095 E. 64 St., underwent a second operation at St. Vincent Charity Hospital. We wish him a speedy recovery!
- ★ Mrs. Rose Krall of 1177 Norwood Rd., who has recently returned home from the hospital, is unable to get out of bed to receive visitors. We wish her a fast recovery!
- ★ The beautiful Christmas window at American Home Publishing is the art work of the well known sculptor, France Gorse.
- ★ Miss Josie Opara came from Yugoslavia to visit her aunt, Mrs. Amalia Intihar, 1054 E. 176 St. All necessary details for the trip were arranged by Kollander Travel Bureau.
- ★ On Dec. 20th, Frank Kristanc of 6711 Schaefer Ave., celebrated his 70th birthday. Congratulations and wishes for many more happy and healthy birthdays!
- ★ Mr. and Mrs. Joe Baskovic, 6614 Bliss Ave., celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary on Dec. 20th. Congratulations and wishes for a happy and healthy Golden Anniversary!
- ★ Frank Filipovic of 4003 E. 143 St., has returned home from the hospital and wishes to thank all, who visited him or sent him gifts or cards. He is still under the doctor's care.
- ★ Mrs. Ralph Skolar of 1219 E. 169 St., sends greetings from Bunnell, Florida, to all her friends.
- ★ Frances Kovacic of 830 E. 237 St., broke her hand last week and is compelled to stay home. She would appreciate visitors. We wish her a quick recovery!
- ★ During last week's heavy snowfall, Eddie Turk, who has his gasoline station at E. 61st and St. Clair Ave., proved to be an extra good neighbor and with his jeep and snowplow cleaned all the sidewalks between E. 60th and E. 62nd, for which all the merchants along the way were deeply grateful. Thanks, Eddie!
- ★ Mrs. Mary Volejak came from Yugoslavia for permanent residence in America, to her son, Joseph Volejak, 686 E. 159 St. Welcome! All details for the trip were arranged by Bled Travel Service.
- ★ Mrs. Nick Perencevich, owner of Fanny's Confectionery at 1374 E. 40 St., was taken to Cleveland Clinic for a major operation. Wishes for a speedy recovery!
- ★ A visitor from Slovenia is Eddie Pezdri, who came to visit his relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ferrara, 444 E. 152 St. Welcome!
- ★ Back from a visit to Slovenia is Joseph Suhačolnik, owner of Bled Travel Service.
- ★ Frank Stavec of 5086 Stanley Ave., Maple Heights, has returned home from the hospital and wishes to thank all, who visited him or sent him gifts or cards.
- ★ Rockport, Mo. — Residents of this city, population 1,380, were surprised when they got no city tax bills this year — until the mayor announced that the town's whole tax needs for the year had been met by a \$19,209 gift from two prominent citizens, Mr. and Mrs. George Opp.
- ★ Dallas, Texas. — Dick Kanatzar volunteered to apply artificial respiration to a fireman overcome by smoke. When Kanatzar knelt down, the fireman, still woozy from the fumes, promptly bit him on the leg.
- ★ Kingstree, S. C. — Disproving the old adage, lightning the other day struck DeWitt Joyce's brick home here, for the third time in four years.... The latest strike burnt up the unfortunate Joyce's bed.
- ★ New York, N. Y. — Testers for Consumers Union, the non-profit product-rating organization, are financially stumped. After sampling 31 different brands of gin, CU's chemists and taste experts said they couldn't find any real difference among them.
- ★ Unionville, Mich.—Eleven days after a \$20,251 robbery at the local bank where she works, bank teller Nelda Phillips got a cardboard box in the mail containing \$17,000 in cash and six unexplained oranges. With the box came a note from the robber: "My wife won't let me touch it."
- ★ Arnold, England — After carefully raising six red cabbages to enter in a garden show, Ralph Seagrave was thunderstruck when they vanished. Later the cabbages turned up at the show and won a top prize for Christopher Armstrong, who admitted stealing them.
- ★ Charleston, W. Va.—"I brought some stickers and buttons home with me and she got mad and we got into a fight," explained Charles Allen, who appeared in police court in this city, wearing a large Nixon-Lodge button. His wife, wearing a Kennedy-Johnson button, charged him with disorderly conduct and Allen drew six months probation from the judge.
- ★ Hutchinson, Kansas — When Mrs. James F. Cashman stopped her car near here, to shoo a goat off the middle of the highway, the goat jumped into her car. Hours later she finally got rid of the critter to its farmer owner.
- ★ Richmond, Va. — The doorman at a Richmond hotel tips departing motorists. Two shiny dimes on a card thank them for their patronage and get them past the first toll gate on the expressway thru the city.
- ★ Santa Fe, N. M. — Illegal possession of elk meat set a mechanic back \$205 in fines and court costs. Found in his residence were a hind quarter, a neck, four feet, and an elk hide. The mechanic pleaded not guilty, claiming he knew nothing of how the elk came to be at his home. The justice of the peace denied his plea.

### TUB FACTS DO YOU KNOW...

**THAT CLEOPATRA TOOK HER BATHS IN A JADE AND ALABASTER TUB OVERFLOWING WITH FRESH DEW AND SNOW FROM THE DISTANT MOUNTAINS.**

**THAT THE TRAVELLING MAN OF THE 1870'S HAD TO CARRY A CANVAS TUB OF HIS OWN, SINCE FEW HOTELS BEFORE 1900 HAD MORE THAN ONE OR TWO TUBS PER HUNDRED GUESTS.**

**THAT TODAY'S TEENAGERS RATE CLEANLINESS AND NEATNESS AS THE QUALITIES MOST FREQUENTLY SOUGHT IN DATING PARTNERS (AND BODY ODOR AS THEIR PET PEEVE)\***

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### Automatic Anchor Debuts Free Series of Seminars at Boat Show

Cleveland. — An automatic anchor for small boats is one of the many new and varied pleasure boating products that gets its first public showing at the Mid-America Boat Show, Cleveland Public Hall, January 21-29.

Marketed by the National Marine Corporation of Indiana, the "Rice Anchor 'N Control'" allows the small boat operator to raise and lower his anchor from the front seat automatically. The anchor's control handle serves as both brake and clutch when in operation. Five models of the stainless steel unit are available.

National Marine will also feature its push button outboard motor tilting device called Tilt-O-Matic. With the touch of the finger, the operator can raise or lower any size outboard motor to avoid sudden hidden objects or cruise in shallow water normally inaccessible to outboards, according to the firm.

New products and concepts are not limited to the outboard field. One 17 ft. runabout features the famous Volkswagen inboard air-cooled engine as its powerplant.

Other new products to be exhibited include West Bend's 80 H.P. outboard motor, Johnson's V-75A alternator outboard motor, and the Sportsman battery operated trolling motor.

Besides new products, visitors to the Boat Show will be greeted by an "old favorite". Again, the popular 500 seat marine movie theater will be open free of charge.

Exhibits in the five acres of display space include over 400 boats, countless numbers of boating accessories, motors, and water sports equipment.

#### Better Tell

"My dear, I have told you time and time again there is only one woman in the world for me," exclaimed the exasperated husband. "I know," replied his wife, "but you haven't told me who she is."



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land. Luncheons in Room 525 will precede the class meetings, beginning on January 16. All Class meetings will be held in Room 38 or in The Library Auditorium.

A brief outline of "The Color and Splendor of Spain," course meetings:

January 9 — Registration at 1:00 p.m., followed by an "Introduction to the History of Spain," and discussion of "The Cid."

January 16 — Morning Discussion of "The History of Spain," by Harold Livermore. Luncheon, followed by, "The Music of Spain."

January 23 — Morning Discussion, Luncheon, "Music of Spain."

February 6 — Discussion, Luncheon, "A Tourist's View of Spain," and "Music of Spain."

February 13 — Morning Discussion, Luncheon, "Art of Spain."

February 17 — Special meeting and tour of Spanish Art in The Cleveland Museum of Art.

February 20 — Morning Discussion, Luncheon, "Art of Spain."

February 27 — Morning Discussion, Luncheon, "Art of Spain."

March 13 — Morning Discussion, Luncheon, "Art of Spain."

March 27 — Morning Discussion, Luncheon, "Architecture of Southern Spain."

April 10 — Morning Discussion, Luncheon, "Architecture of Northern Spain."

For further details and course brochures, please call the Adult Education Department of Cleveland Public Library, CHerry 1-1020, or visit the Department on the third floor of the Library's Business and Science Building, at the corner of E. 6th St. and Superior Ave.

### Need Extra Heat?

Recent winter chill may have revealed a hard-to-heat area in your home. Usually it's a newly-finished second floor, basement recreation room, added-on bedroom, or converted porch.

Often it's difficult and expensive to extend your present heating system. Or maybe the furnace has no extra capacity to heat the new room.

Yet, with most of winter still to come, you feel that warmth and comfort are needed immediately. If so, The Illuminating Company offers these suggestions for solving the problem easily and quickly:

1. A portable electric heater, with its own thermostat, can be plugged into a suitable wall outlet, without installation or bother. But choose a model with ample heating capacity. Toy-sized heaters are intended only for very small rooms, such as a bathroom.
  2. Allow 2 watts of capacity for each cubic foot of room space. Example: a room 10 feet by 10 with 8-foot ceilings has 800 cubic feet, requires a 1600-watt heater. This is the largest size portable heater available in 120-volt, plug-in models. So larger rooms would require a 240-volt heater.
  3. The 240-volt models need heavier wiring, so you may want to build in a wall or baseboard heater, as long as some work is necessary. Your electrician can do this with a minimum of fuss.
  4. Any Illuminating Company customer may phone the Company to get advice from a residential heating specialist.
  5. If an installation runs \$60 or more, any qualified Illuminating Company customer can arrange to pay the cost of the heater and the wiring in monthly installments on his electric service bill.
- Advantage of electric heaters is that they are easy to install, require no vent, and produce heat right in the room where needed. They can be turned down, or completely off, when the room is not in use. Ther-

mostatic control assures proper heat, regardless of conditions elsewhere in the house.

### Warns Against Display of Improper Boat Numbers

Washington, D. C., December 14, 1960 — Many motorboats are displaying identification numbers of the wrong size, type or color contrast, according to an announcement today by Admiral Alfred C. Richmond, Commandant, U. S. Coast Guard.

Admiral Richmond pointed out that Federal numbering regulations have, since 1918, required that boat identification numbers must be at least three inches high, block character of good proportion, and of a color that contrasts with the background color to which they are affixed so that they can be seen and read easily. The purpose of both the Federal Boating Act of 1958 and the regulations promulgated thereunder is to provide ready identification of the boat. The regulations place the responsibility for meeting these requirements upon the boat owner.

Obtaining proper contrast is the principal problem facing both the State and Coast Guard law enforcement officers.... This problem, to a great extent, has been brought about by owners affixing to their boats numbers of two or more colors having a primary color, such as white, bordered or outlined with another color, such as black. When such a number, of the proper size and shape, is affixed to a dark background, the contrast of the primary color and the dark background will provide the required legibility. However, when affixed to a light background, the primary color, white, will blend in with the background color and the narrow black border in itself fails to provide the required legibility.

In addition, the number must be located on each side of the forward half of the boat as near the stem as practicable, and where it can best be seen. Furthermore, between each part of the number there must be a hyphen or space. For example: "NJ-1234-AA" or "NJ 1234 AA." This separation of prefix and suffix from the numerals improves readability. Only those numbers assigned by the Coast Guard or a State in accordance with the Federal Boating Act of 1958 are to be displayed on the bow of any boat which is being used on the navigable waters of the United States.

In conclusion, the Admiral indicated that some numbers have been advertised as "Coast Guard approved." This is misleading as the Coast Guard does not grant specific approval for products of this type.



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**SOMETHING FISHY**—Why, of course! It's really no wonder that small fry Scott Bradley, 5, and his 3-year-old sister Gail have their hands full of that big fish. They're on the steps of an armory in New York, where the tin fish was displayed during an antiques show. It dates from 1880, and was used to mark a fish market in Spain.