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## V Djakari posvet o vietnamskih beguncih

Zastopniki 24 držav so na dvodnevni konferenci iskali začasno rešitev vprašanja beguncev iz Vietnam.

DJAKARTA, Indonez. — Stevilo beguncev iz Vietnamia in ostalih dveh komunističnih držav Indonezije raste po vseh begunskih taboriščih jugozahodne Azije. Skoro bo doseglo že 300,000 oseb, ki jim je treba pomagati do stalne naselitev in možnosti zaposlitve. Na razpravo o tem vprašanju so se zbrali tudi zastopniki držav, kamor so se begunci zatekli in se sedaj zatekajo, zastopniki Vietnamia in zastopniki držav, ki begunce sprejemajo za stalno naselitev.

Indonezija je ponudila mal otok, ki bi naj služil za sprejemanje beguncev in njihovo pripravo za selitev v države, ki bi jim nudile stalno naselitev. Večina je ponudbo pozdravila kot korak k organiziranemu reševanju tega težavnega in perecega vprašanja.

Zastopniki držav, kamor udarja val beguncev, so svarili pred rastojim odporom prebivalstva proti beguncem; večinoma so to Kitajci, ki bežijo iz Vietnamia. Trdili so tudi, da nihove države enostavno ne zmorejo več beguncev sprejemati in jim ne morejo dati niti začasnega zatočišča več.

Večina zastopnikov, med njimi tudi predstavniki ZN, je bila prepričana, da bežijo kitajski naseljeni iz Vietnamia pod močnim pritiskom vietnamske vlade. Četudi je bil zastopnik te na konferenci, ni nobena zastopnica država postavila tega v javno razpravo. Vsi so se omejili le na vladne pozive Vietnamu, naj stori svoj del za rešitev tega težkega vprašanja. Nihče ni pokazal na krivca, nihče ni Vietnam javno pozval na odgovor.

Tudi zastopnik ZDA Robert B. Oakley v tem pogledu ni bil nobena izjema, podprt pa je z drugimi vred indonezijski predlog za ureditev posebnega središča, ki bi naj skrbelo za stalno naselitev beguncev.

**Kristjani v Indiji protestirajo proti prevcvedi spreobrnjenju**

NEW DELHI, Ind. — Preko 20,000 kristjanov je v sprevodu prišlo pred parlament pretekli petek protestirat proti zakonskemu predlogu, ki bi dejansko prepovedal spreobrnitev od ene vere v drugo.

V sprevodu so bili stari škofje, redovnice, lajki in veliko število žena z otroci. Korakali so 5 milij vročini 110 stopinj Fahrenheita.

V Indiji je kakih 14 milijonov kristjanov, ki so v skrbih zaradi zakonskega predloga, ki prepoveduje spreobrnitev "po prepravljanju ali sili".

## VREME

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## SLOVENSKA ŽENSKA ZVEZA SE ZBIRA NA SVOJO 18. KONVENCIJO

Slovenska ženska zveza, v kateri so povezane slovenske katoliške žene in dekleta, bo imela v dneh 20. do 24. maja 1979 svojo 18. redno konvencijo v Radisson hotelu v Duluthu, Minn.

Konvenciji želimo uspešno delo, naj bi ukrenila veliko dobrega v korist Slovenske ženske zveze, v korist vse slovenske ameriške katoliške skupnosti!

## Zadnje vesti Tito v Sovjetski zvezi

MOSKVA, ZSSR. — Jugoslovanskega predsednika Josipa Broza Tita je na letališču ob njegovem priletu na obisk v Sovjetsko zvezo v sredo sprejel sam Leonid Brežnev. Sinoči so Titu priredili slavnostno večerjo, na kateri je v govoru omenil razlike med obema državama, ki ob medsebojnem spoštovanju ne morejo motiti dobrih odnosov.

BEograd, SFRJ. — Obisk predsednika SFR Jugoslavije odpotoval za štiri dni na uradni obisk v Sovjetsko zvezo.

LONDON, Vel. Brit. — Po sem javnosti ni bilo veliko sporočenih vesteh je bivši predsednik Ugande Idi Amin v Pred odrhodom v Sovjetsko Libiji od preteklega meseca zvezo je Tito pozval neuvrščene v dejanskem hišnem zaporu.

HANOI, Viet. — Pogajanje med Vietnamom in LR Kitajsko o ureditvi medsebojnih sporov so bila prekinjena v hodo kasnejne nadaljevanja v Pekingu. Za enkrat je bil dosežen sporazum o izmenjavi bolnih vojnih ujetnikov med obema stranema. Ujetnike v LR Kitajski in njihova taborišča je obiskal in pregledal Mednarodni Rdeči križ, Vietnam pa dobesedno v svoja ujetniška taborišča. Obljubil je, da bo storil v prihodnjih dneh.

WASHINGTON, D.C. — Sen. J. Glenn je nejevoljen na predsednika Carterja, ker je izjavil, da bi odklonitev SALT II mogel svet tolmačiti za opustitev miroljubne politike ZDA in bi te označil za vojne hujšake. Sen. Glenn smatra, da bi tak očitek letel posebno na one senatorje, ki bi glasovali proti odobritvi SALT II. On pravi, da bi rad glasoval za odobritev, da tega ne

V gorovu pred parlamentom je Tito dejal, da Jugoslavija upa, da bo gradila "nove mostove prijateljstva in sodelovanja" z drugimi državami. "To je prav tako smoter našega prijateljskega obiska v Sovjetsko zvezo," je dodal Tito na večer pred svojim odrhodom na pot.

Četudi ni bilo objavljenih nobenih podrobnosti, je znano iz uradnih virov, da bo Tito postal v Moskvi štiri dni in da se bo razgovarjal z Brežnevim in drugimi sovjetskimi vodniki.

Sedaj pravijo, kot poroča U.S. News & World Report v zadnjem številki, da naj bi se CIA prehitela. Sovjetska zveza naj raket SS-21 še ne bi namestila v Vzhodni Nemčiji, pričakujejo pa, da bo to nemara storila.

more storiti, dokler ni prepričan, da je izvajanje dogovora mogoče učinkovito nadzirati.

Zmago "islamske" revolucije v Iranu so se pojavila islamska revolucionarna sodišča, ki so uradno od svoje ustanovitve v preteklem februarju pa doslej obsođila in izvedla smrtno obsođbo nad preko 200 osebami. Postopek je kratki — drži se določil Korana (islamskega svetega pisma) — sodba je izrečena, proti njej ni priziva, zato je tudi izvedena še isti dan, ko je bila izrečena.

Sestava iranskih revolucionarnih sodišč javnosti ni znana, kot tudi ni znano, kdo je te sodnike imenoval in jih še vedno imenuje ter komu so podrejeni. Izgleda, da bi naj vsaj do neke mere bila ta sodišča odvisna in podrejena odločitvam in ukazom ajatolah Homeinija, vodnika in vladarja za enkrat ajatolah Homeini ter njegov krog.

Zmagovalci so prijeli vse svoje resnične in nerescične nasprotnike ter jih po kratkem postopku obsojajo na smrt in jih streljajo. Baje je skupno v zaporih preko 5,000 "pristašev" bivšega režima ali morda le oseb, ki so se kdaj zamerile mulahom. Te pošljajo pred puške, ker so "sovražniki božjih prijateljev".

Ob poučevanju dosedanjih odsodb, v kolikor so podatki na razpolago, gre prvenstveno za odsodbe članov nekdanjega šahovega režima. Ta je skušal omejiti moč islama v javnosti in posebej v javni upravi in sodstvu. To je sledile poziv:

## Novi grobovi

Frances Lindic

Včeraj zjutraj je po težki bolezni umrla v Beach Manor neveličju 80 let stara Frances Lindic, rojena Kopina v Šmarjeti na Dolenjskem, od koder je prišla v ZDA leta 1921, vdova po možu Martinu, sestra Marije Krnc, Antonije Strasberger, Janez, Lojzeta, Franca in Avgusta (vsi v Sloveniji). Pokojna je bila članica KSKJ št. 150, SZŠ št. 15, Oltarnega društva pri Sv. Lovrencu, Tretjega reda sv. Frančiška in Kluba slovenskih upokojencev v Newburgh-Malone Heights. Pogreb bo jutri, v soboto ob 8.30 iz Fortuna pogrebnega zavoda na 5316 Fleet Ave., v cerkev sv. Lovrenca ob 9., nato na Kalvarijo. Na mrtvinskih oder bo položena danes ob dveh popoldne.

Barbara Babnik

V Floridi, kjer je živila pri svoji hčerkki, je umrla 89 let stara Barbara Babnik, roj. Obat v Braddocku, Penn., preje živela na 1023 E. 72 St., vdova po leta 1970 umrelom možu Josephu, mati Valerie (Mrs. George) Fischer in Josepha Jr., 2-krat starci in 3-krat prastara mati. Pokojna je bila članica The Maccabees 493, Kir. št. 2 Progres Slovenek. Pogreb je danes ob 10. iz Zeletovega pogrebnega zavoda na St. Clair Avenue na Highland Park pokopališču.

## CIA se je prehitela?

WASHINGTON, D.C. — Pretekli mesec je Bela hiša obdelala Sovjetsko zvezo, da je namestila v Vzhodni Nemčiji nove SS-21 rakete, ki da s svojimi atomskimi bombami ogrožajo zahodno Evropo. Napovedala je že tudi morebitni odgovor na ta sovjetski ukrep. Sedaj pravijo, kot poroča U.S. News & World Report v zadnjem številki, da naj bi se CIA prehitela. Sovjetska zveza naj raket SS-21 še ne bi namestila v Vzhodni Nemčiji, pričakujejo pa, da bo to nemara storila.

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**Zupnik Fr. Edward Pevec se poslavljaj  
od faranov Sv. Vida**

CLEVELAND, O. — Ni lahko reči "Zbogom!", lažje je reči "Hvala lepa!" in jaz hočem reči prav to vam vsem za vašo iskreno ljubezen in potrežljivost razumevanja. Prav zares čutim, da sem v teh štirih letih več prejel, kakor sem dal: z vašo pomočjo sem postal boljši človek in boljši duhovnik. Za vse, kar sem storil ali opustil in tako povzročil, da se manj zavedate Jezusove navzočnosti med nami, prosim da mi odpustite. Vedno bom hvaljen Bogu za hivanje med vami. Molimo črugu za drugega med tem, ko bomo nadaljevali Gospodovo delo tukaj pri Sv. Vidu in v Borromeo. Bog, ki je ljubcozen, naj razsvetli vsakega izmed vas, da bo spoznal, kaj ste pomenili meni in boste še vedno pomenili. On naj vas bogato blagoslov!

Father Edward Pevec

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**Emily Cigon nas je  
za vedno zapustila**

CLEVELAND, O. — Dne 4. maja nam je po telefonu sporočila naša sorodnica Kristina Lunder, da je v Gospodu zaspala njena sestra Emily Cigon. Podpisani sem njen bratranec.

Za Božič 1947 sem se za stalno preselil iz Evrope v Cleveland. Bil sem najprvo sprejet pri svoji teti Pavli Zupan, ki je točasno še pri njej živelja njenega hčerkha Emily, ki je bila že poročena s Pavlom Cigonom. Bil sem pri njih nadvse lepo sprejet, za kar jim bom stal za vedno hvaljen.

Emily in njen mož Pavel sta imela v zakonu hčerkho Moulyn in vzdrževala hišo, ki sta jo z možem kupila. Prišel je čas, ko je hčerkha odrasla in se poročila z Davidom Streete, s katerim imata v zakonu štiri otroke.

Mrs. Emily Cigon je bila ugleDNA in priljubljena ženska. Bilo je zanimivo, da je znala vedno govoriti slovensko, kar je bilo njej v velik ponos. Bila je verna katoličanka, kar ji je bilo v oporu in tolazbo, ko je bila dolgo težko bole.

Lep in ganljiv prizor je bil, ko smo gledali Emily Cigon na mrtvaškem odrvu v Corrigan pogrebnu zavodu. Bilo je poleg nje vse lepo urejeno, kot se to spodobi. Dne 7. maja ob desetih dopoldne je bila za Emily Cigon pogrebna sv. maša v Church of St. Mel. Po končani pogrebni maši smo Emily Cigon v lepem pogrebnu zavodu skupno spremili na pokopališče sv. Križa na Zahodni strani Cleveland. Z namimi je bil farni duhovnik, ki je daroval pogrebno sv. mašo za pok. Emily Cigon. Pri odprttem grobu smo skupno molili in smo se na ta način dostojno poslovili od pokojne Emily Cigon.

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Glavna skrb zmernih vodnikov islamskih držav je, da bo Zahodni svet prišel do zaključka, da pomeni islamska vlada objestno in samovoljno odstranjene vseh nasprotnikov in oporečnikov.

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Devetdesetletni starec se je zadovoljno smehljal, na stotine čaplj je priletel z dvorišča k njemu med gromovitim klicanjem, njegovo čelo se je jasnilo kakor majnikov dan, po obličju se mu je razlival izraz resnične radosti...

"Ljubi otroci, žive naj vas bojovi!"

"In nam tebe ohranijo na veki!"

Starosta Gnejovo je stopil med vstajnike, grajski družini je zastala kri po žilah, starejšim vojakom je stopilo živo v spomin, kaj se pred leti pomenili taki klici... Kjer je bil kak tuje, so ga pobili brez milosti...

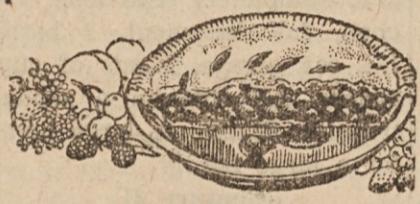
"Gibajte se vendar! — Sicer se tu zadušite!"

Hoteli niso niti verjeti, da bi jim bilo mogoče odnesti življence, dokler niso stali za utrdbami na širnem polju, v zraku, ki je bil prenapolnjen z neprenesljivim dimom...

Sredi dvorišča se je sešel s starostjo Gnejevom oni starec, katerega pogovora z očetom Dobrogostom svedoki smo bili nedavno; kar najsrčneje sta mogla, sta si stisnila desnice...

"Gospod, kdaj te že nisem videl!"

"Iščem te že ves čas, odkar sem zopet prekoracil meje svoje domovine!"

**Favorite Recipes****APRICOT OR PINEAPPLE BARS**

1½ cups flour  
1 t. B. Powder  
¼ t. salt  
1½ cup quick rolled oats  
1 cup brown sugar  
¾ cup margarine  
¾ cup apricot or pineapple preserves.

Sift dry ingredients, stir in oats and sugar. Cut in margarine till crumbly. Put ⅔ of mixture on greased 11 x 7½ x 1½ cookie sheet. Spread preserves. Top with remaining crumbs.

Yield 2½ dozen.  
Cool before cutting.  
Bake 375 degrees—35 min.

Frances Peterlin,  
Cleveland, Ohio

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(Correction)

Ingredients missing from middle layer of Pumpkin Pie Cake recipe last week:

½ cup milk  
1½ tsp. cinnamon  
1 tsp. pumpkin pie spice  
Bake at 350 deg. 55 to 60 minutes.

(If you are submitting a recipe from a friend, please double check with that person that all ingredients and baking time are correct. Last week's recipe was submitted by a friend of Alice Bozic's and according to Alice several items were missing from her original recipe given to her friend. Please find corrections above. Sorry, Alice.

Svojo blago dušo je izdihnil na Binkoštno nedeljo, 20. maja 1956

Kar je črna zemlja dala, vzame črna zemlja spet. Duša je iz ječe vstala, vzpelna se nad zvezdni svet. Daleč grob je Tvoj od nas, pa na Te mislimo vsak čas.

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"Potem — ko bo mirno — ko bomo pokojno sedeli za mizo — ko bodo zopet na svojih mestih naši bogovi..."

"Ali bo to kdaj, gospod moj?"

"Tudi življenje moramo zastaviti za to... A zakaj to, stava?"

"Sivi vojvoda je pokazal na grajsko družino, ki je bila že naši bogovi..."

"Imeli smo jih v rokah! — Oni bi se nami ne bili ravnali takto!"

"Dal sem jim besedo..."

"Prvič, starosta, in zadnjič!"

Niklotovo čelo je zakril zlovestavnim oblikom.

"Tako bi seveda nikdar počitno ne sedli za lastno mizo. Ali ne veruješ, starosta? — Oni

Vojvode Niklotu ni bilo mogoče niti spoznati.

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**Death Notices****JOSEPHINE HOMOVEC**

Josephine Homovec of St. Vitus Parish was found dead in her home Wednesday evening. She was 67 years old.

Her husband, Frank, died in 1953. She is survived by her daughter, Dolores Maloney and her son, Ralend. She

had 5 grandchildren. She was the sister of Rose Skully and Gertrude Sorsek (deceased).

Funeral Mass will be Saturday, St. Vitus Church at 9:30 a.m. Interment will be at All Souls Cemetery.

Friends may call at Grdina Funeral Home, 17010 Lake Shore Blvd., Friday from 2 to

4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

**HELEN M. PINTAR**

Helen M. Pintar (nee Markusic) age 65, died at Euclid General Hospital Wednesday night.

She is survived by her husband, Anthony J., her son, Ronald and two grandchildren. She was the sister of Valentine Markusic, Catherine Springer, Florence Davis, Andrew Markusic (deceased) and Anna Unetic (deceased).

She was a member of C.F.U. Strivers Lodge. She worked at Murray Corporation before her retirement.

Friends may call at Grdina Funeral Home, 17010 Lake Shore Blvd., Saturday from 7 to 9 p.m. and Sunday from 2 to 4 and from 7 to 9 p.m.

Interment will be at All Souls Cemetery. Funeral will be Monday morning.

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**THOMAS POSTOTNIK**

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Cleveland, O., 18. maja 1979.

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## YOUR ETHNIC FORUM

James V. Debevec, Editor

newspaper

AMERISKA DOMOVINA

FRIDAY MORNING, MAY 18, 1979

YOUR VIEWS

• WEEKLY •

OUR NEWS

**IS THE FUTURE OF SLOVENIAN CULTURE IN U.S. IN JEOPARDY**

By Prof. Wm. J. Kennick

Students of the Science of Society claim that in the U.S. we have a pluralistic society wherein the various ethnic groups make contributions to the American Anglo-Saxon culture, but at the same time they are not completely absorbed or assimilated, but that some of these ethnic groups manage to retain some or most of their own cultures.

The question arises whether the Slovenian people in Cleveland, etc. within the next 50 or 100 years will be able to retain any of their own culture or nationality traits, such as their musical ability to play the Polka, which is a contribution to American culture in the use of the accordion by Tony Petkovsek and the United Slovenian Societies, or will they become so assimilated by the American culture as to lose their own identity.

This is, of course, a complicated question, which would require a lot of research (with the aid of U.S. Federal money). A person, or task force, would have to ascertain why the Slovenian language and culture was able to survive for more than 1000 years in Slovenia, in the face of competing cultures in such cities as Celovec (Klagenfurt), Maribor, and in the Primorsko region of Venetia-Julia, involving the cities of Gorica and Trieste.

Professor Bogdan Novak, in his essay in the *Papers in Slovene Studies* (1977), edited by Rudolph Susel, Carole Rogel and Dr. Karl Bonutti (in his article in the *American Home Newspaper*), explain the enormous struggle of the Primorsko Slovenes for identity and preservation of their language and culture when under the domination of Italy.

I am somewhat familiar with the suppression of the Slovenian language and culture by the Italians in the Primorsko Region on account of my travels in that region in 1920. I was in Monfalcone and saw the Italian fortifications where some 300,000 Austrians (including thousands of Slovenians) lost their lives in the area of Gorica) according to Prof. Bogdan Novak. I was also in Trieste when the Slo-

venians were burned down. I also remember going to a Slovenian dance in Opatija, where the Slovenians were afraid to talk Slovenian with me. In 1920 I was also in Postojna, Sv. Peter, Logatec, etc. when these cities were still under Slovenian (or Austrian) jurisdiction.

But the significant fact to remember is that Great Britain made a secret treaty with Italy to give them all of this territory with the above mentioned cities if Italy will join the World War I effort on the side of the British-French Alliance against Austria and Germany. After World War I, in 1924, Italy got all this territory, and then the persecutions began... to convert all the Slovenians into Italians.

According to Prof. Sternholz the same or similar type of persecutions (denial of Slovenian Schools, etc.) took place in Carinthia, where the German-Austrians are attempting to kill the Slovenian language and culture. However, in Klagenfurt, Austria, and adjacent regions, there are many Slovenians who have assimilated with the German element, and they have to a large extent abandoned their interest in Slovenian language and culture.

Similarly, the Anglo-Saxon culture can be traced back to their control of the seas, their industrial revolution, and success as world colonizers, enabling them to accumulate capital through the organization of corporations. In addition thereto the English rank high in literature, philosophy, political institutions and economic enterprise.

In the United States such ethnic groups as the Hungarians, Poles, Italians, Slovenians, etc., although they have high levels of culture, will not be able to retain their cultures unless they can meet the competition of the Jewish and Anglo-Saxon cultures. In this conflict of ideas the Slav, etc., ethnic groups cannot survive to any great extent because the Jewish group controls the news media, and much of the financial world.

In addition thereto, the Jewish group is organized through its Synagogues, culture clubs, etc., to provide intensive studies of Jewish tradition, the Talmud, history, etc., whereas the Slovenians do not study their own language, or history or culture because they do not even have a library of Slovenian books at the Euclid Public Library, which they support by paying \$100,000 per annum. (The Euclid Library has 300,000 books, but only 25 Slovenian books.)

To proceed further with the question as to whether the

Slovenians can maintain their culture, for another 100 years, or will they lose their identity through assimilation, it should be explained what we mean by Culture. Culture is a way of life, and consists of those factors which determine human behavior. People act in certain ways because of their race, language, religion, tradition, customs, and other historic or economic factors, etc. For a better definition consult your book on Sociology.

For example, Slovenians were influenced by their history of serfdom under the feudal system where they were exploited by Germanic landowners. They were further influenced by their race, religion, language, etc., so that today the Slovenians are considered hard workers, honest, frugal, and their love for poetry, wine and song is derived from their literature.

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**Metzenbaum to speak at St. Clair Convention**

U.S. Senator from Ohio, Howard Metzenbaum, has agreed to be the keynote speaker May 19 at the second annual neighborhood convention sponsored by the St. Clair-Superior Coalition.

The convention will be held between one and four o'clock in the afternoon at St. Philip Neri School Auditorium, E. 82nd St., one block north of St. Clair Ave.

Also speaking at the convention will be Congresswoman Mary Rose Oakar from Cleveland and The Plain Dealer real estate editor Marcus Gleisser.

Mayor Dennis Kucinich has also been invited to speak, but has not yet confirmed he will attend.

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**DANIEL J. POSTOTNIK****DAN'S DIARY**

What a beautiful occasion it was once again to observe those earthly cherubs receive Christ into their hearts for the first time this past Sunday, May 6th. It was First Holy Communion Day for some 60 boys and girls at the 9:15 a.m. Mass, celebrated by Pastor Rev. A. Edward Pevec. This was also Eucharistic Day (former 40 hours devotion) for our St. Vitus Parish. Again, it was a beautiful sight to see the first Holy Communicants in the Eucharistic procession at the closing services at 4:30 p.m. Rev. Anthony Rebol was celebrant, assisted by Msgr. Louis B. Baznik and Rev. Joseph Celenik. Some 25 guest priests attended. Homilists were

Rev. Joseph Simcic and Deacon John Kumse.

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Big news at St. Vitus is the appointment of Rev. Joseph Boznar as pastor effective May 14, 1979 to replace Rev. A. Edward Pevec. Since Father Boznar's background has already been published in last Friday's edition, I would like to add that he has been a very capable associate pastor in the last 7 years under Fathers Rudolph Praznik and A. Edward Pevec. Behind the scenes, this devoted priest did an enormous amount of work. A priest's work is so very difficult. It is really a 24 hour a day job, especially in a large parish. Naturally,

Mayor Dennis Kucinich has also been invited to speak, but has not yet confirmed he will attend.

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**Klub Ljubljana News**

By Rudy Lokar

Stan Laurich, tour chairman of our club who did such a terrific job on our 1978 tours via bus to different scenic and historical parts of our Ohio, has set up a very interesting schedule of bus trips for the coming months that will keep our members on the go to places like Akron, Pittsburgh, West Virginia and Nashville, Tenn.

On Tuesday, June 12th, Stan will escort a bus load of us to the Tangiers Restaurant in Akron, where we will dine and take a tour of Stouffer Foods, and a trip to the famous Quaker Square Mall for sight seeing and shopping, if you wish.

The bus trip on Tuesday, August 14th will be taking our fun loving members to Pittsburgh, Pa. This tour will feature a very interesting ride on the Incline and also a cruise on the Monongahela River, a very nice lunch and the happy return trip to Euclid.

It will be to Wheeling, W.

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**WORLD TRAVELS WITH THE PEACE CORPS**

By JOYCE TURK

The quest of a life's dream can lead a person to places one has never dreamed of going. Often one never awakens to the dream, but continues seeking its realization during a lifetime. I am that person and my dream has taken me around the world.

Having resided in Euclid, Ohio, for a comfortable life of education and recreation. I had little desire to travel outside the United States except to Vienna to see the Lipizzan horses. Upon graduation from high school, I entered the Ohio State University to study agriculture for my first love has always been animals. The four years at Ohio State University exposed me to a much larger world than I had lived in 50,000 students were enrolled in the university during the time that I was a student. The year that I graduated from OSU was the year of the campus riots. Kent State became a household issue and Nixon was making his debut on the campuses. Politics wearied me; I barely knew what the word bureaucracy meant. On the agricultural side of the campus only peace prevailed. We were far removed from the strife of those days.

I left Ohio State with my B.S. degree and an application to the Peace Corps that I had picked up somewhere along the way, along with books and notes and dog portraits that I had begun to draw. The years had been wonderful! I anticipated attending graduate school to continue the plush life of the student. It was December, 1970. In January I began to seek employment although my future plans still lay in the academic direction. I dispensed with the Peace Corps application and took a job at Cleveland State University administering and evaluating psychological tests. By August I was in Europe. I spent three months backpacking

"Come in," she whispered.

I followed her up the stairs to an office where two other women sat drinking tea and sorting papers. I introduced myself and mentioned my interest in horses.

"What was the ILPH about?" I inquired.

The women showed great interest in my tales of traveling. They called the Honorary Secretary and Treasurer to come to meet me. She arrived some time later and offered me her hand. It was a cold and limp as a dead fish. The women repeated my stories, my aspirations and interests. The Honorary Secretary and Treasurer, in turn, called the Honorary Director to come and meet me.

Va., on Tuesday, October 16th which will involve a tour of the Imperial Glass Works. In addition there will be a historical tour of the famous city, including a tour of Ogleby Park and again a nice lunch and return home.

All the one-day trips begin about 7 a.m. and return about seven or eight o'clock in the evening. These trips originate at the Slovenian Society Home on Recher Avenue in Euclid.

The big three-day trip will begin on Friday morning, September 21, and will travel to Nashville, Tennessee and the Grand Old Opry . . . a tour thru Opry Land, the beautiful city of Nashville and its many historical points of interest. After a busy, busy Saturday, the tired and happy travelers will catch a good night's sleep and return Sunday evening to Euclid.

Information regarding all the above tours may be had by contacting Stan Laurich at 732-9415 or attend our next Klub Ljubljana meeting this coming Tuesday, May 29... See you there!

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**Memo: From Madeline**


By  
Madeline  
Debevec

A sincere thank you to everyone for your prayers, Masses, flowers, cards and gifts. Your kindness will never be forgotten.

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A Slovenian Night will be held Thursday, May 24 at 7 p.m. at Forest Park Junior High School, 27000 Elinore Ave., Euclid, Ohio.

Program: Mrs. Cecilia Valencie Dolgan will present a slide program entitled, "European Slovenes".

Mayor Tony J. Sustarsic will comment upon "The Impact of The Slovenes in Euclid".

Film: "Yugoslavia"

Mr. John Kausek will speak about "The Slovenes in The United States".

Entertainment by Circle 2 — Mrs. Cecilia Dolgan, Director, The Euclid Button Box Club — Mr. Frank Dremel, Director.

The Euclid National Art Guild will exhibit artistic paintings and a collection of artifacts from Slovenia—Mrs. Fran Bezdek, President.

Sponsors are John E. Habat, Social Studies Dept., and Mrs. Carol Shaw, Librarian, Multi-Media Coordinator.

Parking in the rear of the building.

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The Annual Meeting of The Slovene Home for the Aged of Cleveland, Ohio will be held Friday, May 18 at 7 p.m. at the Slovenian Workmen's Home, 15335 Waterloo Rd., Cleveland, O. All members of the Home are urged to attend this important meeting.

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Dr. John P. Nielsen of New York City has an old Spanish proverb on the top of every piece of stationery. It reads, "The Best Revenge is a Beautiful Life".

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There were 291 students on the Dean's List at the downtown Cuyahoga Community College, Metro Campus during the Winter Quarter. Included among these outstanding students were Nancy M. Anzlovar, majoring as a Registered Nurse, Carol L. Janzevic in Arts and Sciences, Edward C. Kikel and Donald Pavlovich in Electrical and Electronic Engineering, and Lawrence G. Petrick, Fire Technology. Congratulations!

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Marine Private First Class Daniel F. Stepec, son of Cyril and Ursula Stepec of 1811 E. 227 St., Euclid, Ohio has reported for duty with the 2nd Marine Division. Marine Corps Base, Camp Lejeune, N.C.

A 1977 graduate of St. Joseph High School, he joined the Marine Corps in June, 1977.

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Ronald Andolsek, 26340 White Rd., Richmond Hts., Ohio has been named to the Dean's List for the Winter Quarter at Kent State University.

Congratulations!

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The Slovene Home for the Aged Auxiliary will meet on Thursday, May 24 at 7:30 p.m. at the Home on Neff Rd. Everyone welcome to attend.

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Frank and Angie Fujs, owners of Frangies Fashions, 567 East 200 St., Euclid, Ohio were first time backers of a mens and ladies team in the St. Joseph's K.S.K.J. No. 169 Bowling League.

To their delight both teams came in first place.

CONGRATULATIONS,  
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Vicki Sveti and Alice Royce are traveling to Holland, Michigan with a tour this weekend where they will attend the Tulip Festival.

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Kathy Primuth of Cleveland Hts passed her bar exam in Columbus. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Klemencic. Happy parents are Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Primuth.

Proud auntie is Agnes Braden of Mentor, Ohio.

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WISHING A SPEEDY RECOVERY TO:

Mary Papp of Bonita Ave., Cleveland, Ohio underwent her second heart bypass surgery. She is recuperating in St. Vincent Charity Hospital. Mary is a member of Our Lady of Fatima K.S.K.J. Lodge.

Ludwig Brezar of Euclid, Ohio is convalescing in Euclid General Hospital.

Mary Kokal of Cleveland, Ohio underwent surgery at Euclid General Hospital. She is an active member of St. Mary's Parish and of the S.W.U. Dawn Choral Group. Mary volunteers singing at The Slovene Home for the Aged during the Saturday Mass service. The residents of the Home miss her, and wish her a speedy recovery.

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A son, Frank Michael, was born April 27 to Karen and Rob Bechtel of Brighton, Michigan.

Karen is the daughter of Mrs. Frank Matoh, 716 Sycamore Dr., and the late Mr. Matoh. She is the granddaughter of Mary Matoh.

Rob's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bechtel of Chagrin Falls.

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The Ladies of St. Mary's Parish (Holmes Ave., Cleve., O.) will sponsor a Bake Sale for the benefit of the Bishop Baraga Cause on Saturday, May 26 and Sunday, May 27.

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The Slovenian Women's Union of America 18th National Convention will be held May 20-23, 1979 in Duluth, Minnesota. Slovenian Women's Union Headquarters is located in Joliet, Illinois. The Duluth, Minn. Branch No. 33 will host the convention.

Greater Clevelanders attending the convention are:

Branch 14 — Vera Bajec —

Antoinette Zabukovec

Branch 21 Stella Dancull

Branch 25 — Ann Maver —

## THE HOLY LAND TOUR

By JOE GORNICK

We left on an initial tour of religious significance, sponsored by The Kollander World Travel Inc., and escorted by Msgr. Louis Baznik and Tony Petkovsek; destination Holy Land.

Our group left Cleveland Hopkins Airport via T.W.A. 5:30 P.M., March 27. Upon arrival at J.F.K. Airport, in New York, we transferred to Swissair Terminal. Our transatlantic flight took our group of 51 to Zurich, Switzerland. It's 10:40 A.M. local time) six hour time change. After a short stay we boarded a Jumbo Jet, and arrived at Tel-Aviv Ben Gurion Airport, Israel at 7:30 P.M. Total time 30 hours from Cleveland. Israel was established in 1948, and Jerusalem is the capital city.

We were greeted by local hosts, and bused to Hotel St. George in Jerusalem.

Jerusalem, a holy city, place of pilgrimage for Jews, Christians and Moslems.

For over 50 centuries, Jerusalem has stood, crowning the bleak hills of the Judean desert. Bonded by the East by the Kidron Valley, and to the South by the valley of Hinnom. Its name derives from the name of Urusalim or Urusalem. That is foundation of the God (Salem, David took it and called it City of David. In the II millennium it appears in cuneiform documents (El-Amarna Letters, 1400 B.C.) as a Canaanite City. To the Jews it is the holiest of cities. Located here are four orders of the Roman Catholic Church. The Benedictines, Dominicans, Franciscans, and Cistercians. The Jesuits are a society, the others are Congregations. For many centuries under Palestine, this city has been occupied by Israel since 1967.

Important to the economy are tourism, oranges, cotton and diamonds. The price of gasoline, three dollars a gallon. The monetary system, we received 20 pounds for a dollar. All the buildings are of limestone construction, present population of Jerusalem, about 250,000. The city on a

hill, with slopes, imbedded with rock.

After breakfast, on a guided tour of the Holy Land, our first stop is to the Mount of Olives, where the Ascension of our Lord took place. In the center, where the Basilica stood, an Edicule covered the stone on which, according to tradition, Jesus left the imprint of his feet before ascending into Heaven. In 1187, the church was transformed into a Mosque, and today, of the ancient edifice, only the Edicule remains standing.

On the Mount of Olives the Greek Patriarch has a residence (Viri-Galilaci) and the tower of the Russian Sisters' Convent is the highest point in the district.

Bethphage was a small village on the Mt. of Olives, from which was taken the ass (donkey) which served the Master for his triumphal entry into Jerusalem.

Next we visit the Pater Noster Church, built in the 20th Century, and erected over the place where, according to tradition, Christ taught the Pater Noster for the second time to his disciples. Around the cloisters, and in the church, the Our Father is inscribed in 62 languages.

To Be Continued)

### S.Z.Z. Branch 41 news

Our monthly meeting for May has been changed to May 29 at Waterloo Road Hall at 1:30 p.m. Mark your calendar and please attend so we can hear the report of the convention and all about our "Mother of the Year" affair.

Thank you everyone who made it such a wonderful affair and to our help, especially the cooks: Mary Dolak and Albina Mersnik and to all the others who helped so generously.

I will collect dues at the meeting on May 29 so attend and pay your dues also.

I hope all our members had a wonderful "Mothers Day" with their loved ones. Congratulations to Justine Girod and "Thank You" for everything. See all our members at the meeting on May 29.

Valeria Fortuna

### Madeline:

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menshek — Ann Cooke  
Branch 50 — Ann Tercek — Irene Jagodnik  
Branch 55 — Marie Cvetnic  
Branch 73 — Kay Juratovec  
Also attending will be the three National Officers:

Mary Bostian — National President

Sophie Magayne — Regional President

Frances Sietz — Youth Director

Guests attending:

Ann Winter and Dorothy Winter of Branch No. 50.

The group is departing Cleveland, Sat., May 19 aboard North Central Airline flight No. 945 at 10:15 a.m.

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St. Anselm's 7th Annual Wine and Cheese Festival is May 25, 26, 27 and 28 at St. Anselm's Church, Route 303, 3/4 mile south of Rt. 322 in Chesterland, O. Featured will be rides, dancing, Friday Fish Fry, the Vadsals Sunday 8:00 to 12:00.

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The Center for Urban-Metropolitan Development of Cuyahoga Community College announces "Growing Up In Urban America" Multi-Cultural Forum from May 16 thru June 13 at 8:00 p.m. Wednesdays at the Science and Technology Building, Rm 101.

Fee is \$3 for all five forums. \$1.00 for any individual forum. Free to people under 17 and over 65 years.

May 30 — Speaker: Rose Mary Prosen, Nationally recognized poet, Professor of English, CCC, author of "Looking Back: Newburgh". Her topic will be "Growing up Slovenian".

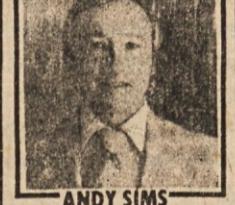
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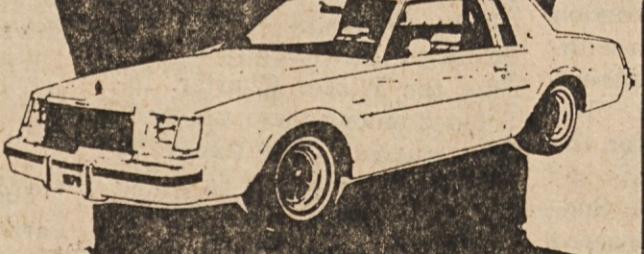
### BIRTHDAY GREETINGS TO:

Ann Marie Zak of Cleveland, Ohio (May 22)

Eddie Fujs of Euclid, Ohio will celebrate his 15th birthday on May 26.



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### TONY PETKOVSEK

## NEWS AND MUSIC NOTES

### DAN'S DIARY

(Continued from page 5)

we loathe to see Father Pevec transferred, but let us all get behind our new Pastor and give him our wholehearted support and cooperation.

Father Boznar certainly deserves it!

Our new pastor will be installed at the 6:30 p.m. Mass on Ascension Day, May 24.

On Sun-

day, June 3rd our parishioners will have the opportunity to say "goodbye" to Father Pevec in the auditorium. Read the church bulletin for more details.

Congratulations from all of us to Father Allan Bruening, Ass't at St. Vitus, who decided to study law in his late forties in his spare time, and recently passed his Ohio Bar exam. It is not that often that we see such initiative and dedication in furthering a second career in later years. I am now fully convinced that life "begins at 40", and anything is possible if the desire and impetus is there. But I forgot to say that it also takes "brains". The very best is wished for you Father Bruening in your future years, both as a priest of God and an Attorney!

Best wishes are also extended to our new Slovenian Counselor, Mr. Anthony Lavrisa. He is the son of the well known Mr. and Mrs. Anton Lavrisa, 1004 Dillewood Rd., Cleveland, O. All of us are very proud of you, Tony, and we know that you will be able to do much good in your chosen career for our Slovenian people.

Catholic Charities Campaign is in full swing now and will last until Sun., May 20. Please be generous in your donations to this worthy cause. Remember there are many people who urgently need your help and who are less fortunate than you. Make a little sacrifice for the aged, ailing and the poor in Christ's name — you will feel better for it. Who knows, someday you may appreciate it, too!

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### WOODSY OWL SAYS



The contest in Canada is sponsored by a number of local cultural groups which promote Slovenian music. The judging is done by a panel of five select individuals in the field of music and a point system considering the stage presence and the musicianship of each group plus the three selections that they do feature.

The band, which appears regularly at Frank Sterle's Slovenian Country House on East 55th Street, is led by trumpet player Eddy Mejac of 15900 Arcade Avenue. The other five members are Stan Teskac on accordion, Paul Jurkovic on baritone and bass guitar, Lou Kuhar on drums, Tony Hocevar on clarinet and sax, and Steve Rezenja on guitar.

Other competing Slovenian bands which generally played the Avsenik style of music were from various areas of Canada with the exception of another Cleveland band, "Sonnet".

Members of the Alpine group are of an average age of 20 and have participated in various Slovenian Home functions including the first concert of the United Slovenian Society Band in January.

### OUR HEROES

It is really difficult to find a true hero in our day and age. Even the term **hero** has almost disappeared from our vocabulary. Many authors earn their fame and fortune by digging up the shadowy sides of our past heroes, while investigative reporters do the same for people of our time.

Yet we need someone to look up to whose footsteps we may follow, and whose ideals become our own. We need heroes.

The Slovenians have heroes — 12,000 of them. Those soldiers and civilians who sacrificed their lives rather than compromise their ideals. In

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May their shining example lead us in the path of righteousness and brotherhood in the one family of God.

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"I will meet with her next week," came his brisk reply.

Due to technical difficulties at the college in Brussels I could not enroll even though I had been accepted. Before I discovered this fact, I had accepted a job from the Honorary Director with the ILPH as a caretaker of horses on a farm in England. I returned to Brussels, found out about the college technicalities, and moved from Brussels to Newchapel Crossing, Surrey, in England.

The lovely autumnal days closed and winter set in first with frost and later with cold, clear days. My living quarters was a small camping trailer on the horse farm. It had no heat, electricity, or toilet. I often awoke in the morning to find the curtains frozen to the windows. After 6 weeks on this farm I obtained a position as an Animal Nurse Auxiliary in the largest small animal veterinary practice in England. I moved

from the country to the East end of London into a room above the veterinary clinic. I often think of those days with pleasure as the job was demanding and I was at last doing work that closely paralleled my reasons for being in Europe. Christmas brought pangs of homesickness, so I bought a roundtrip ticket from London to Cleveland and promised my friends in England that I would return after New Year's.

Imagine my shock as I was refused entry into England two weeks later. According to my employers I had not needed a work permit to be employed. According to the immigration authorities I was to have had one. I returned to the States within 24 hours.

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