













LIFE AND LETTERS of Rt. Rev. FREDERIC BARAGA, First Bishop of Marquette, Mich. By P. CHRYSOSTOMUS VERWYF, O. F. M. of Los Angeles, Cal.

"Not earlier than yesterday did I receive the kind letter of the director of the Leopoldine Society dated June 11, 1863. I thank you for the charitable help of 1,000 florins for my diocese. As I am informed, the income of the Leopoldine Society is not very great and many applications for assistance had to remain unfilled. I return my sincerest thanks to all benefactors of our missions. "I am at present in Cincinnati in order to attend to the printing of an Indian work. As everything is dear here, so also printing. The printing of an Indian book is particularly dear, as the printer does not understand a single word of it and hence asks more than for the printing of an English work. We now have sad times here, a horrible, all-destroying and desolating war. Things look very warlike and desolate in Cincinnati; everywhere are to be seen soldiers, cannons, etc. They are here to protect the city, because a hostile invasion is feared. I wish very much to be through with my work, so as to return to my distant and quiet diocese. There we see nothing of the war, except what we read about it in our daily papers. In my diocese everything continues in its usual, quiet way. Churches and congregations keep on increasing, but unfortunately the number of my priests increases but slowly. We suffer much from the want of priests. Unless a priest have a little of the missionary spirit, he will not like to go so far north; such priests prefer to remain in the more civilized states. But the few that are in my diocese, fifteen in number, are, thanks be to God, good priests, faithful and zealous laborers in the vineyard of the Lord, and each of them has several stations to attend. Five of them are Indian missionaries and preach twice every Sunday in the Indian language, once in the morning and once in the afternoon. Poor Indian missionaries! It requires much patience and heroic self-sacrifice to spend one's life with the poor, simple, and naughty Indians. (This is the first time B. Baraga speaks in a disparaging manner of his Indians, calling them "naughty." No doubt a great change had gradually come over many of his once fervent converts. The influx of whites, the numerous saloons in the mining towns and elsewhere were exercising a baneful influence upon the Indian converts and pagans. Whiskey and money are the two great enemies of the red man.) May God reward them forever! I know the Indians. I have spent twenty-three years with them and I would be with them still, had not Providence called me elsewhere. However, I am not yet entirely free of the Indian and never will be as long as I live. In the Sault I have many Indians, who all come to me to confession, and whenever I go on my visitations I have Indian confessions to hear. "In the northwestern part of these states the Indians have taken a great part in the dis-

turbances, which prevail here. Our Indians, however, were and are always quiet and peaceable. "Since my last report," writes B. Baraga, December 29, 1863, "which I made from Cincinnati, where I was having a new edition of our Indian prayerbook printed, I have traveled over almost all my diocese. Everything goes well, thanks be to God, and the number of Catholics is constantly increasing in our congregations and missions. "My first visit was to Ontonagan, at Lake Superior, where Rev. Martin Fox is untiringly laboring. He is alone without any assistant priest and has four churches to attend, which are far distant from each other. Ontonagan is now renowned on account of its Ursuline convent, which was built last year (1862) and which is in good condition. It is the only convent in this poor diocese. Some years ago I had a convent of the same Order in Sault Ste. Marie, which unfortunately could not support itself, as the place is too poor. The Sisters could not obtain pupils enough and hence the Ven. to remove to Canada, where they received as many pupils as they can accommodate. Canada is almost entirely Catholic—not now anymore—especially in country places and small towns. "The above-named convent in the Ontonagan flourishes visibly under the blessing of God. It contains many Sisters within its walls, has thirty-two boarding scholars and a considerable day school. The Superior of the convent is Ven. Mother Magdalen Stehler, an experienced, prudent, and energetic woman of an undertaking spirit, who has introduced and arranged many useful things. Last summer she undertook a journey to Canada and obtained an increased number of members and other assistance. Next summer she intends going there again to promote thus the good and noble object she has in view. "In the other congregations and stations everything continues in the usual way. The poor missionaries have indeed much to do, for their congregations are large and they are often obliged to travel long distances and that on bad roads, when they are called to the sick. They are always under the necessity of hearing confessions and preaching in three languages, English, German and French. They have an almost continual war to wage against the vice of drunkenness, which causes the greatest disorder and plunges whole families into misery. "Our now Disunited States exhibit a very sad spectacle. It is now already the third year that this most pernicious civil war is raging. The North wants to subdue the South, which, however, does not allow itself to be subjugated, for it is too brave and fights with great enthusiasm for its cause. The whole country is being desolated and ruined. (To be continued)

KONVENČNI PABERKI

Dosedanja prva in edina glavna odbornica K. S. J. spada k društvu št. 157. kjer je bila več let za tajnico. Na konvenciji je pa slučaj nanesel tako, da se je izbralo za prihodnjo podpredsednico tajnico društva št. 156. Je bilo že morda tako usojeno, da se je eno društveno številko preskočilo. Radoveden sem kako bo čez 4 leta? Od društva št. 154 ali št. 158 bo nemogoče voliti glavno uradnico, ker označena društva sta moška. Bomo pa še nekaj števil pridjali da dospemo do največjega ženskega društva št. 162 če bo res treba voliti zopet kako novo podpredsednico. Neko društvo v Milwaukee je povabilo delegate iz severozapada da bi se udeležili piknika dne 29. avgusta ko se vračajo domov s konvencije. Pri tem se je pa ono društvo temeljito uračunalo, ker je mislilo, da bomo kar dva tedna skupaj zborovali; naše konvencio delo je bilo k sreči dovršeno že tekom 6 dni. Eden izmed delegatov je bil tako vnet za naraščaj mladinskega oddelka, da je predlagal, naj bi se v ta oddelek sprejelo že mesec dni starega otroka. Predlog je propadel iz gotovih vzrokov. Tako mlade člane je težko sprejemati v Jednoto, ker še preveč kričijo, pa bi motili sejo. Včasih tudi tako mlad kandidat še krščen ni; judov pa ne sprejemamo v našo organizacijo. Ko sem neko jutro ob 5. uri (še v temi) korakal po Butler St. na svoje delo v K. S. Dom, sem naletel na nekaj strašnega in nepričakovanega. Blizu 56. ceste bi bil kmalu stopil na neko čudno žival, katere sem se zelo prestrašil. Bila vam je velika mršava podgana. Oni dan sem bil tako nervozen, da sem vled strahu celo pozabil na kosilo in večerjo. V petek, dne 20. avgusta smo imeli v farovžu veliko makaronsko večerjo. Oni makaroni ožir. "spagheti" so bili tako dolgi, da bi bil moral človek stopiti na stol in jih z vilicami vleči iz velike skledice. Ker je pa naš častiti gostitelj nad 6 čevljev visok, je to delo on opravljal. Okusno prirejeni makaroni s parmazan sirom so nam izborno teknil. Tedaj sem se spomnil na prizor v Heinzovi tovarni kako so dekleta s škarnjami strigle dolge makarone pod enim strojem. Naslednji dan sem mislil Father Skurju priporočiti, da naj dene ob petkih na mizo poleg vilic, noža in žlice še ene škarje za striženje dolgih špagetov. Oni večer na banketu me je spravljal br. Trempus v pravo zadrego, ko je naznanil nastop žive slike. Tako smo se na banketu pred to sliko vsled nepravilne žive slike vsaj malo nasmejali in pregnali bolj otožno razpoloženje onega večera. Naš clevelandski cvetličar Jim Slapnik je poslal na konvencijo košarico ameriških vrtnic. Te rože so potem romale v Milwaukee, Wis. k največji družini K. S. K. Jednote. Drugi šopek, ki je krasil predsednikovo mizo so si delegatije razdelile; samo za nas moške ni preostalo ničesar. Za fante in može bi bil moral naš Jim poslati cel jerbas kranjskega rožmarina, nagelnov in roženkravta, tako da bi bili vsi v rožicah. Delegat Češark iz Brooklyna si je smodke prižgal z importiranimi Ciril in Metodovimi žveplenkami, stare že nad 20 let. Prazno škatljico sem dobil jaz za spomin. V petek dne 20. avgusta smo čuli naš konvenčni pevski zbor



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Zahvala Elyskim rojakom. V imenu glavnega izvrševalnega odbora Ameriške Jugoslovanske Zveze v Minnesoti, se na tem mestu prav iskreno zahvaljujem vsem rojakom in rojakinjam v Ely, Minn., kateri so glavnemu odboru Zveze in delegatom in delegatinkam druge letne konvencije A. J. Z., dne 29. avgusta t. l. izkazali njih gostoljubnost in prijaznost. Tako gostoljubnost zamorejo izkazati le ljudje, ki imajo slovansko srce. Lepa hvala tudi vsem slovenskim ženam in dekletom za njih požrtvovalno in težko delo, ki so ga imele pri prireditvi, na kosilu in banketu. Bil sem že na mnogih banketih, slovenskih in ameriških, toda bolj okusnih jedil in boljšega reda in potrebe še nikjer nisem opazil. Naše mlade in agilne Američanke so nam tako pridno stregle, in delo jim je šlo tako od rok, kot da bi bile v resnici izkušene kuharice ali natakarice, prve vrste. Za tak lep red in točnost pa se moramo tudi zahvaliti naši rojakinji Mrs. Uršuli Bezek, ki je kosilo, banket in vse delavke nadzorovala kakor tudi vsem članom pripravljalnega odbora. Lepa hvala tamburaškemu zboru za tako izvrstno in ganljivo godbo, katere nam je ginila naša srca in nam oživljala spomin na našo rojstno domovino. Lepa hvala tudi našim mladim artistom, Amelia Church, Fred Church, Vincent Skalar, Chatarin Hutar, Peter Hutar, Josephine Mavetz, Margaret Mavetz, Mrs. Joe. Markovich, Miss Mayme Kobe, Joseph Pishler jr., Angela Pishler, Margareta Agnich, Matt Kobe, Matt Vertin, Adolph Dolinšek, John Skube, Jos. Gerzin jr. in Matt Rom, ki so nastopali na odru in nas razveseljevali s petjem in godbo. (Dalje prihodnjic.)

pod izbornim vodstvom sobr. Dr. Smedeca. Slovenskega Carusota je zastopal sobr. Germ. basiral je pa naš Tone Kaušek iz Nottinghama. Škoda, da onega krasnega petja nismo posneli na gramofonske plošče. Pa tudi ženske so pokazale svojo umetnost v petju. Jako lep je bil duet Mrs. Derčar in Mrs. Shukle, ganljiv je bil solo Mrs. Tomažev in tudi solo gdč. Lokarjevin. Manjkalo nam je samo še našega znanega konvenčnega harmonikarja Matt Jermana. Oni večer bi me bila kmalu zadela velika nepriлика. Po nevednosti in nerodnosti sem se mislil usesti na krasen klubček naše sosesre III. podpredsednice. K sreči me je pa neka delegatinka srečila te nesreče za kar sem ji še danes zelo hvaležen. Najbolj lepega in originalnega sosedu na desni strani na odru je imela tretja podpredsednica sestra Prislund. To je bil oni leseni možiček (brez srajce), ki je držal neko kolo na glavi. Slavni Sivalni klub iz Sheboygana je že mislil poslati temu sosedu primerno uniformo, toda ni znal prave velikosti. Med došlimi brzjavami je bil najbolj zanimiv oni, v katerem je bilo 16 krat po vrsti označeno K. S. K. Jednota, in za nameček pa še trikrat: KSKJednota. Ena izmed delegatink me je nekoč vprašala, kaj pomeni beseda "referat"? Ali je morda to kak novi Jednotin odbornik? Končno sem ji pojasnil zadevo, da je referat vrhovna moč konvencije, torej več kot mi vsi skupaj, dasiravno ni o referatih v naših pravih nič omenjeno. (Dalje prihodnjic.) Zabavo, ki ste nam jo priredili dne 28. avgusta v Ely, nam bo ostala v spominu vse naše žive dni. Vam udani, John Mavern, glav. tajnik Z. J. Z. Duluth, Minn. Nepremagljivi. Atletski klub "Sparta" v Pragi na Češkem, katerega nazivajo "Železni team" igre z nožno žogo je prvak tega športa v Evropi. Označeni klub je dospel nedavno v Ameriko, kjer bo priredil več iger in sicer v New Yorku, Clevelandu, Chicagu, St. Louis itd. Ta nepremagljivi "team" zasluži po pravici tako ime. Tukaj v Ameriki bi se moralo dati jednako ime Trinerjevemu grenkemu vinu. Zadržaj tri dekade je prišlo že več ponarejanj sličnega vina, toda ž njimi se ni doseglo nobenega uspeha ker se naše ljudstvo ne da varati. Nobeno drugo ponarejeno zdravilno vino ne more doseči takih uspehov kot ravno Trinerjevo grenko vino. Isto prežene neprebavo, slab okus, zabasanost, glavobol, nespanje in druge slične želodčne neprilike. Če vas muči jesenski revmatizem ali kaka živčna bolezen, odpravite isto s Trinerjevim Linimentom. Ta zdravila ima na prodaj vaš bližnji lekar; če jih pa tam ne dobite, pa pišite naravnost na: Joseph Triner Company, Chicago, Ill. (Advertis.)

SPORT'S AND SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

Edited by Stanley Zupan.



In this issue I will not be able to continue on the subject of spending your vacation at home...

We left Collinwood (North East Cleveland) at about 12:30 Saturday night or Sunday morn. whatever you call it.

As we were leaving town off Euclid Ave. a policeman who was leaning against a pole...

It was still raining when we reached Akron so in order to make better time the bus stopped at a garage...

After a half hr. of fooling around we were off on our way to Bridgeport. Soon afterward the noise subsided...

Coasting down a hill about a little over a mile long and curves in it like French macaroni...

After dinner the boys arrayed themselves in their uniforms and just as they stepped on the diamond—Swish!

day straight it rained in Bridgeport. The boys were all wet and felt gloomy.

Shades of night fell and we all assembled in the Home where several hours of a frivolous and jovial time was spent in harmony and rhythm...

Next morn. up again and off to the diamond to give it the once over. It was flooded and looked like a branch of the Ohio River.

By one o'clock everyone was out to see the game. Collinwood won the first game.

The second game was also won by the Collinwood team, but as things looked in the beginning, it looked as if Bridgeport would have it all their own way.

We spent a couple more hours in dancing and entertainment. A few more talks and then we were on our way to the bus.

with jolly Bridgeport losing itself down the valley as the bus slowly crept up the serpent-winding hills.

Three-base hit—Engelhart. Sacrifice hits—Barnicle, Gorenc, DeMatte, B. Ehig, J. Gricher, Stolen bases—Collinwood, 3; Bridgeport, 4.

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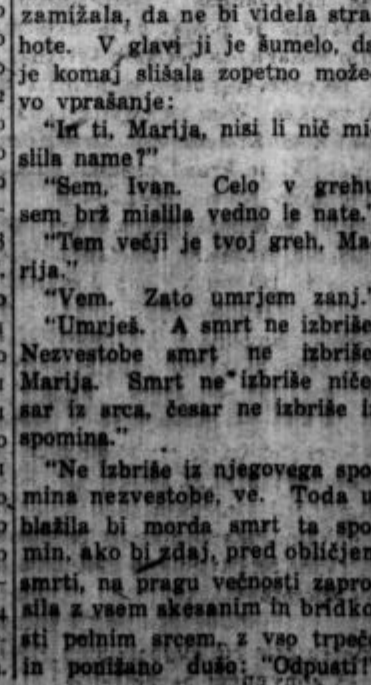
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