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- PREGLED NAJAVAŽNEJSIH DOGODKOV -

Saudski kralj Fahd odstavil naftnega ministra Ahmeda Zakija Jamanija — Znak rastočega vpliva Irana v OPEC-u

BRUSELJ, Bel. — Včeraj je saudski kralj Fahd odstavil 56-letnega naftnega ministra Ahmeda Zakija Jamanija in imenoval na to mesto dosedanjega ministra za načrtovanje Hišama Nazerja. Jmani je bil naftni minister 24 let in glavni arhitekt velikega skoka v ceni nafte v 70-ih letih. Po nekaterih vesteh naj bi bila saudska kraljevska družina v zadnjih letih nezadovoljna z Jamanijevimi stališči, njegova odstavitev pa je vseeno presestila opazovalci OPEC-a. Prva reakcija je, da pomeni odhod Jamanija skorajno povišanje cene nafte, morda do 20 dolarjev na sod od sedanjih 14 ali 15 dolarjev.

Današnji *Wall Street Journal* v izčrpani analizi sklepa, da je odstavitev Jamanija znak v zadnjih dveh letih hitro rastočega vpliva Irana v OPEC organizaciji in sploh na Srednjem vzhodu. Iranci zagovarjajo močno omejitev količine nafte, ki jo OPEC države pošiljajo na svetovni trg. To taktiko podpirajo od začetka države kot so Libija, Alžirija in Nigerija, Saudska Arabija in državice ob Perzijskem zalivu pa so bile proti. Hišam Nazer, novi saudski naftni minister, je pa v svoji prvi izjavi po prevzemu dolžnosti včeraj dejal, da želi Saudska Arabija sestanek OPEC držav z namenom, da bi se članice dogovorile o načrtu, ki bi vodil do višje cene nafte. S tem se je Saudska Arabija približala stališču Irana, menijo analitiki, citirani v *Wall Street Journalu*.

Mnogi opazovalci svetovnega naftnega trga pa še vedno dvomijo, da bo OPEC uspela v kampanji za znatno povišitev v ceni nafte. Cena nafte na odprttem trgu bo nestala v dnevnem ali tedenskem oziru, pravijo, vendar do trajne povišitve ne bo prišlo vsaj za leto ali dve.

Kurt Waldheim zopet zanikal, da je bil udeležen v vojaških operacijah v Jugoslaviji med zadnjo vojno — Tudi ni bil agent ZSSR

DUNAJ, Avstrija — Včeraj je avstrijski predsednik Kurt Waldheim preko tiskovnega predstavnika zopet zanikal, da se je bil udeležil vojaških akcij in represalij oz. množičnih pokolov v Jugoslaviji med drugo svetovno vojno, ko je služil kot častnik v štabu gen. Freidricha von Stahla, nacističnega vojaškega poveljnika v Kozari v Jugoslaviji. Članek v vplivnem časopisu *The Washington Post* je objavil podatke, ki so pričali o Waldheimovi aktivni vlogi in celo, da je gen. Stahl predlagal Waldheima za prejemnika kolajne kralja Zvonimirja za hrabrost. Kolajne je podelil ustaški Pavelićev režim v Hrvatski.

The Washington Post je trdil, da je Waldheim prvič delno priznal svojo vlogo, vendar je to Waldheim včeraj zanikal. Časopis je tudi citiral izjavo nekega Antona Kolendića, ki naj bi bil vodilni jugoslovanski obveščevalni agent na Dunaju v letih 1947 in 1948. Kolendić naj bi povedal, da je izročil Waldheimovo kartoteko sovjetskim agentom in da je stoodstotno prepričan, da so Sovjeti potem prišli v stik z Waldheimom z namenom, da bi postal njihov agent oz. vuhun. Isto so menda poskusili Jugoslovani sami. Včeraj je Waldheim tudi vse to zanikal.

Waldheim je pa igral čudno vlogo v letu 1968, ko je bil avstrijski zunanjji minister. Takrat je poslal brzojavko avstrijskemu veleposlaniku na Češkem, v kateri je odredil, naj veleposlaništvo ne izdaja vizumov češko-slovaškim državljanom, ki so žeeli priti v

Avstrijo. Veleposlanik je to odredbo na lastno odgovornost ignoriral in izdal tudi do 5.000 vizumov na dan Čehoslovakom, ki so hoteli pobegniti v Avstrijo. Tudi o tem je Waldheim rekjal včeraj, da ni bil on odgovoren za brzojavko, ampak je le izpolnil željo avstrijskega notranjega ministrstva.

V vsej debati o nejasni in celo dvomljivi preteklosti Kurta Waldheima je Jugoslavija zavzemala in še vedno zavzema zelo zadržano stališče. Če je agent Kolendić govoril resnico, gre za možnost, da je Waldheim res imel stike z Jugoslavijo in ZSSR, o katerih noče danes ne on in ne Jugoslavija javno nič slišati.

Vatikan odločno nastopil zoper tiste, ki zagovarjajo pro-homoseksualna stališča v Cerkvi in izven nje v širši družbi

VATIKAN — Včeraj je Vatikan poslal vsem škopom Cerkve pismo, ki ga je bil odrbil sam papež Janez Pavel II. V pismu je škopom nakazano, naj ne podpirajo nobenih posameznih članov Cerkve ali organizacij, ki zagovarjajo stališče, da homoseksualnost ni nekaj nenormalnega in celo, da so homoseksualne aktivnosti dovoljene oz. sprejemljive. Med katoličani je v zadnjem času več in več takih, ki taka stališča podpirajo in temu je treba napraviti konec, pravi pismo.

Škofje in cerkvene organizacije naj bi tudi nikakor ne podpirale aktivnosti tistih, ki želijo po zakonu v širši družbi legalizirati homoseksualnost, nadaljuje pismo. Tako odločno stališče zoper homoseksualnost je potrebno, je dejal kardinal Joseph Ratzinger, ker je zadeva dobila širši obseg in pomem tudi v katoliških krogih.

— Kratke vesti —

Washington, D.C. — Sovjetski voditelj Mihail S. Gorbačov bo v kratkem obiskal Kubo, svoje potovanje pa nadaljeval tudi v Mehiko, Argentino in Brazilijo. S tem bo Gorbačov prvi sovjetski voditelj, ki je kdaj obiskal te države. Prihodnji teden pa se bo stava na Dunaju dvakrat srečala državni sekretar George Shultz in sovjetski zunanjji minister Eduard Ševardnadze.

Managua, Nik. — Danes bo začel pričati na sodnem procesu zoper njega Eugene Hasenfus. Tožilec se bo najbrž zanimal predvsem za vlogo ZDA v podpiranju protisandinističnih gverilcev.

Manila, Fil. — Predsednica Corazon Aquino je dejala, da se ne boji opozicije s strani svojega obrambnega ministra in podpredsednika. ZDA so izjavile, da podpirajo Aquinovo.

Washington, D.C. — Včeraj se je obrambni sekretar Caspar Weinberger srečal z romunskim obrambnim ministrom, ki je na uradnem obisku v ZDA. Gen. Vasile Mircea je prvi obrambni minister katere članice Varšavskega pakta, ki je kdaj uradno obiskal ZDA. Gen. Mircea se je srečal tudi z načelnikom ameriških vojaških poveljnikov v Pentagonu. Obrambno tajništvo ni hotelo posredovati nobenih podrobnosti.

Pariz, Fra. — Francoska vlada je izjavila, da so Sirijski sodelovali v prizadevanjih proti terorizmu na francoskem ozemlju. To vlogo je potrdil tudi sirijski predstavnik. Francija je tudi povedala, da ne bo dobavljaла orožja Siriji za nedoločen čas. O kakem francoskem premirju s sredozemskimi teroristi pa ni govora, je rekjal predsednik vlade Jacques Chirac.

Iz Clevelandana in okolice

LILJA ima sejo —

Dramatsko društvo Lilja bo imelo redni sestanek v pondeljek, 3. novembra, ob 8. zvečer v navadnih prostorih.

Kres sprejema nove člane —

Odbor »Kresa« vabi mladino slovenskega rodu, ki ima veselje do slovenske folklore, da pristopi k tej slovenski skupini. Kdor že obiskuje višo šolo (high school) je dobrodošel. Sprejem novih članov in članic bo v nedeljo, 9. novembra, ob 6.30 zv. v dvorani pri Sv. Vidu. Za informacijo, kličite Dano Štefančič na tel. 481-2902.

Novi grobovi

JOHN J. SUSNIK

V pondeljek, 27. oktobra, je na svojem domu v Collinwoodu za pljučnico umrl 80 let stari John J. Susnik, rojen v Duryea, Pa., od koder so ga starši vzeli v Slovenijo, ko je bil star 4 leta, v ZDA se je par vrnil, ko mu je bilo 19 let, mož Mary, roj. Mocilnikar, oče Raymonda (Texas), Kennetha in Dennis, 8-krat stari oče, brat Anne Faflik, v Sloveniji pa Antonia, Pavla, Justine in že pok. Marije. Leta 1936 je odprl svojo prvo trgovino s pohištvo na E. 61 St. in St. Clair Ave., kasneje pa odprl Norwood Furniture na vogalu Norwood Rd. in St. Clair Ave.

Ta trgovina je v družinski lasti še danes. Zelo aktiven v slovenskih organizacijah, g. Susnik je bil gl. predsednik Ameriške Dobrodelenne Zveze od 1950 do 1979, pri Zvezni pa član društva št. 14, skupaj z Antonom Zakom ustanoviteljem Perry Home organizacije, član KSKJ št. 169, Kluba upokojencev na St. Clairju in več drugih organizacij. Ob upokojitvi kot predsednik ADZ 29. aprila 1979 je bil proglašen v Clevelandu »John J. Susnik dan«, prejel je ključ mestu, ADZ pa ga je imenovala za svojega častnega predsednika.

Zadnjih 7 let je bolehal za Parkinsinovo boleznijo. Pogreb bo iz Zak pogrebnega zavoda, 6016 St. Clair Ave., v pondeljek, 3. novembra, v cerkev sv. Vida dop. ob 10. in od tam na pokopališče Vernih duš. Na mrtvaškem odru bo jutri zvečer od 7. do 9. ter v nedeljo pop. od 2. do 4. in zv. od 7. do 9.

Mary A. Slosar

V torek, 28. oktobra, je na svojem domu na Saranac Rd. po kratki bolezni preminula 68 let stara Mary A. Slosar, rojena v Clevelandu v družini Franka in Mary (r. Wolfe) Slosarja (oba že pok.), sestra Frances Laurich, zaposlena pri Hupp Corp. 42 let, do svoje upokojitve, članica ADZ št. 22 (dalje na str. 5)

Nocoj političen sestanek —

Nocoj ob 7. uri ste vabljeni v Baragov dom na informativni politični sestanek, na katerem bosta predavala oz. govorila prof. Vinko Lipovec in Jože Likozar. Vstop prost.

Vsesvetke molitve —

Vsesvetke molitve za pokojne ob spominski kapeli na Slovenski pristavi bodo v nedeljo, 9. nov., ob treh pop. Po molitvah bodo v zakurjeni Hinkovi dvorani na voljo kravice z zeljem. Ob spominski kapeli bodo molili in prižgali svečke za tiste naše pokojne, katerih grobov ni mogoče obiskati na dan mrtvih.

Seja —

Podr. št. 14 SŽZ ima sejo v torek, 4. nov., ob 7h zvečer v SDD na Recher Ave. Članice vabljene.

Kres ima novi odbor —

Plesna skupina KRES je na občnem zboru, ki se je vršil 19. oktobra 1986, izvolila sledeč odbor za novo poslovno leto: Predsednica, Vera Maršič; podpreds., Peter Lekšan; blagajničar, Peter Hauptman; tajnica, Donna Štefančič; zapisnikarica, Tanja Lončar; športni referent, Jože Tavčar; odborniki: Maria Gobetz, Tomaž Zakrajšek, Mark Zakrajšek.

Prodaja peciva —

Materinski klub pri Sv. Vidu bo imela prodajo peciva v soboto, 8. nov., od 1. do 6. zv. ter v nedeljo, 9. nov., od 8. zv. do 1. pop.

Štajerci in Prekmurci vabijo —

Štajerci in Prekmurci vljudo vabijo na martinovanje, ki bo v soboto, 15. novembra, v avditoriju pri Sv. Vidu na Glass Ave. Pričetek ob 7h zvečer. Vstopnice se dobijo pri vseh odbornikih in odbornicah, ali pa lahko poklicete tel. 261-5277 ali 432-2572. Igrali bodo Veseli Slovenci.

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Iz Naše luči



Belokranjci vabijo na svoje vedno veselo martinovanje 8. novembra

CLEVELAND, O. - Belokranjski klub priredi svoj tradicionalni družbeni vinski praznik, martinovanje, v soboto, 8. novembra, ob 6.30 zvečer v veliki dvorani Slovenskega narodnega doma na St. Clairju. Na ta naši vinski praznik vladno vabi naše prijatelje in znance od blizu in daleč, da nam pridete pomagat, ko krstimo novo kapljico.

Ko smo v rojstni Beli krajini morali večkrat težko poprijeti za delo v vinogradih, smo na dan sv. Martina v krogu svojih domačih, prijateljev in znancem, ob dobrem prigrizku, to novo kapljico, ki je imela do tega praznika ime most, krstili v vino. Tukaj, v tujini, pa radi obujamo spomine na te lepe navade in se v veseli družbi skupno poveslimo.

Torej, dragi prijatelji in znanci, pride na naše martinovanje 8. novembra! Večerja bo deljena »family style«, za ples in zabavo bodo pa poskrbeli Dušan Maršičevi Veseli Slovenci. Trije policaji bodo pazili na varnost avtomobilov na parkališču.

Naj omenimo tudi, da pride na naše martinovanje mnogi Belokranjci iz Kanade. Med njimi bo tudi dobro znani predni vinogradnik iz St. Catherines, g. Višček z ženo.

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— Odbor

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CLEVELAND, O. - Jesen nas je že obiskala s hladnimi dnevi, čas je torej za kulturne prreditve v dvoranah. Tako tudi pevski zbor Jadran se pripravlja na svoj koncert, ki bo v soboto, 8. novembra, v Slovenskem delavskem domu, 15335 Waterloo Rd. Kot vedno, bo koncertni nastop združen z večerjo in plesom, za katerega bo igral Tone Klepec orkester. Vstopnice so po \$10 in jih imajo vsi člani zbora.

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Jennie Zakrajšek

Glasbene Matice se je zbor znašel v veliki zadregi, ko je izgubil priljubljenega pevskega voditelja Vladimira Malečkarja. Kje neki dobiti namestnika, je bilo veliko vprašanje. Toda pregovor pravi, če je res ali ne, da ni nihče nenadomestljiv. In to je bilo v tem slučaju res.

Že po smrti Toneta Šublja se je govorilo, da bi dobili nekoga iz Slovenije. No sedaj se jim je ta želja izpolnila. V soboto, 18. oktobra, smo imeli priliko in čast spoznati ter občudovati novo pevovodkinjo Maryo Ashamalla, njeno musicalno tehniko ter znanje kontroliranja glasov.

Zdalo se nam je, da smo bili nekje v Ljubljani, kjer so res mojstri v petju in glasbi. Pevovodkinja Marya Ashamalla je dovršena glasbenica z obširnim glasbenim znanjem, saj tudi sama odlično igra klavir.

Zavedati se moramo, da je v Ameriki pomanjkanje pevcev, posebno moških glasov, toda navzlic temu zmore ona spojiti vse glasove v lepo harmonično celoto.

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Obisk v Krežetovi Mural Art galeriji

EUCLID, O. - V središču clevelandanske slovenske sentklerske naselbine, na južni strani St. Clair Ave., nasproti Slovenskega narodnega doma, se je letos pomlad pojavila nova umetnostna galerija z več razstavnimi prostori, last rojaka Damjana Krežeta. Prostori »Mural Art Gallery« so na 6424 St. Clair Ave., v poslopu sicer, ki ga lastuje dobro znani slovenski rojak Franček Toplak.

Prostori galerije so popolnoma prenovljeni v svrhu razstavljanja in ogledanja slikarskih in drugih umetniških del. Razstavni prostori so res okusno preurejeni in odlično služijo svojemu namenu. Trud, ki ga je vložil g. Kreže v oblikovanje svoje galerije priča o njegovi umetnostni sposobnosti in tudi resnem namenu, da bo njegova zamisel tudi poslovno uspela. Mural Art galerija je v ponos slovenski naselbini, ki je z njo veliko pridobil in to tudi kakovostno. Lastnik poslopa Frančku Toplaku, ki je pobudo podprl, kot g. Krežetu moremo le čestitati!

Damjan Kreže, ki je prišel v Ameriko kot priseljenc leta 1957, sedaj poročen in oče dveh otrok, si je z Mural Art galerijo uresničil svoj življenski cilj. Sam pravi: »Star sem 56 let. Če ne bom sedaj delal to, kar sem si želel vse svoje življenje, mislim, da ne bom nikoli več imel prilike to željo uresničiti.«

Naš umetnik je bolj malo znan širši slovenski skupnosti,

DESNO: William F. Miller (levo), novinar clevelandskoga dnevnika The Plain Dealer, ki pogosto poroča o Slovencih za širšo javnost, v pogovoru z Damjanom Krežetom. Stojita pred Mural Art galerijo.

SPODAJ: Na dan, ko je obiskal in si ogledal Mural Art galerijo novinar Miller — v Plain Dealerju je že izšlo lepo poročilo — je bilo navzočih več rojakov. Od leve so: Franček Toplak, lastnik poslopa, Damjan Kreže, Miller, znani radijski napovedovalec Tony Petkovsek, in pa Vaclav Hyunar, koordinator za etnične zadeve v pisarni župana Georgea V. Voinovicha. Na sliki je v ozadju videti le del lepo obnovljenih razstavnih prostorov z bogato zbirkijo umetnin.

(Slike nam posredoval A.M. Pust)

je pa po svojih delih mnogim rojakom na ogled. Njegove velike stenske slike, poslikane v olju v poznani Frank Sterletovi Slovenian Country House restavraciji, pričajo o njegovi poslovni stroki in ljubezni do domačih pokrajinskih motivov.

Ta Keržetov stil se vidi tudi v njegovih slikah, ki jih razstavlja v svoji galeriji. Vedno preciken s poudarkom na detajlih, včasih kar malo surrealističen, rešuje po svoje pokrajinske prizore, rože, tihožitja, vse to seveda najraje v velikih formatih. Radi tega tudi ime galerije: Mural = stenska slika, lahko pa tudi »freska«.

V galeriji so razstavljena tudi dela drugih lokalnih umetnikov, od teh tudi nekaj slovenskih, med njimi M. Batis, J. Opalek, E. Zulič, F. Krnc, A.B. Pust. Nekatera dela so seveda tudi naprodaj.

V načrtih ima Kreže razstave slovenskih grafikov, samostojne razstave umetnikov iz drugih mest, med njimi naj bi bili tudi umetniki, živeči v slovenskih naselbinah po ZDA in Kanadi, po možnosti tudi iz drugih krajev sveta.

Ogled Mural Art Gallery priporočam vsakemu, ki kdaj pride v našo sentklersko slovensko naselbino. Predolgo je bilo, odkar so tu domovali, ustvarjali in razstavljali slovenski umetniki. Od mojstra Franceta Goršeta (ali je res že četrto stoletja od njegovega odhoda iz Cleveland?) do skoraj med rojaki že pozabljenega slikarja Harvey Gregory Prushecka (že več kot štirideset let) s svojim značilnim stilom, nismo imeli nobenega.

Poslovne ure Mural Art Gallery so od torka do sobote med 10. dop. in 6. zv., telefonska številka je pa 391-3870.



Krežeta pridnost in ustvarjalna dejavnost se kažeta tudi v tem, da je strokovnjak za restavriranje, saj je že v Evropi obnavljal in popravljal cerkevna poslopja in starinsko pohištvo. Tudi v tem oziru je strankam na razpolago v svoji galeriji.

Izgleda torej, da je Damjan v tej že sto let stari slovenski sentklerski naselbini končno dosegel svoj življenjski smoter. S tem pa ne bo zadovoljil le samega sebe, temveč tudi našo naselbino in sâmo mesto Cleveland. Umetniki Krežetovega kova radi odpirajo svoje galerije na Cleveland Hts. ali v kakem drugim, »modnejšem« predmestju. Hvaležni smo mu lahko za zaupanje v sentklersko naselbino in skupnost.

Prijatelji Damjanu Krežetu želimo dosti uspeha in zadovoljstva. Te prisrčne želje veljajo tudi njegovi prijazni družini, ki z njim sodeluje v galeriji. Naj Damjan v svojem ustvarjalnem delu nadaljuje in tako odpira vpogled v njegov svet, v svet pristnega Slovenca, vsej slovenski in tudi širši ameriški javnosti. V Mural Art galeriji pa naj razstavlja še novi, naši javnosti doslej nepoznani rod umetnikov.

August Božidar Pust



Lep koncert Glasbene Matice

(Nadaljevanje s str. 2)

talentom za glasbo. Poleg vseh talentov in zmožnosti pa je še mlada in zelo simpatična. Med navzočimi se je širil glas, da smo z njo veliko pridobili.

Po smrti Toneta Šubla je prevzela vodstvo petja pri Glasbeni Matici njihova pianistica Valentina Fillinger, profesionalna glasbenica, ki je imela podobno metodo petja, le da so morali pevci njej tolmačiti vsebino pesmi, ker ni bila Slovenka. Sedanja pevovodkinja pa zna pevcem tolmačiti sama, kar je še en velik plus.

Pred začetkom koncerta sta nam bila predstavljena dva odlična gosta: senator Frank J. Lausche in tukajšnji jugoslovenski konzul Ivo Vajgl.

Sedaj pa h koncertnem sporedru. Prva skladba »Ave Verum Corpus« — W.A. Mozart, je bila posvečena nedavno umrli podporni članici Glasbene Matice Juliji Mrzlikar. Zapeli so jo z mehkobo in ljubeznijo. Že pri tej točki smo zaznali, da uči nekdo, ki razume, kaj je umestno za take prilike.

Sledili sta dve daljši klasični in zahtevni deli. Prvi je bil odломek iz Verijeve opere »Nabucco«, krasno zapet in vedno hvaležno sprejet. Proti koncu so zapeli še odlomke iz priljubljene igre s petjem, Richard Rogersovo »Sound of Music«. Čudovito so jih izvedli ter prejeli zaslужeno priznanje.

Sledila je Prelovčeva »Jaz bi rad rudečih rož«. Običajno jo poje moški duet ali solist. Tokrat pa smo jo prvič slišali v priredbi za ženski zbor. Ker je ta glasovno bogat, so nas prijetno presenetile. Nagradili smo jih z navdušenim aplavzom. Tudi moški zbor je prav korajno zapel P. Kernjakovo »Pojdem v Škufce«.

Po dolgem času smo vendar spet zaslišali Olgo Klancher in

Jane Poznik v duetu »Moj fantič« in Slakovo romantično »Ne prižigaj luči«. Glasova obeh pevk se krasno ujemata, zato smo ju tudi nagradili z dolgotrajnim aplavzom.

Ugodili so tudi poslušalcem, večina že tukaj rojenih, ker radi poslušajo narodno pesem, ki se sliši vse lepše zapeta po volji pevovodkinje. Vsi smo ob njih resnično uživali.

Navdušeno smo pozdravili naše tri pevske znance — E. Kenika, D. Mihelich, in June Price, ki so zadnje čase bolj skopi s svojimi nastopi. Odlično so zapeli vrsto narodnih in navrgli še eno, nam neznano Avsenikovo, ki so jo zapeli tako živahno, da so razvneli vse navzoče, kot vedno.

Ta trojica ima krasne in sočne glasove, da ne potrebujemo nobenega ojačanja. Nogradili smo jih, pa še kako, z viharnim aplavzom.

Za zaključek sporeda se vedno oglasi pomembna Avsenikova »Ostani prijatelj«. Tedaj se ne pojde samo na odru, pridružijo se še vsi navzoči s ploskanjem v taktu in tako zaori in zaživi vsa dvorana. Vedno je treba to pesem še ponoviti.

Pohvalo zaslужita tudi pianist Reginald Resnik za svojo občuteno klavirsko spremljavo pevcev ter orkester Dona Slogarja.

Pevovodkinja Marya Ashamalla je prejela kar dva šopka, kar pomeni, da smo čestitali njej in zboru in se s tem zahvalili za tako lepo glasbeno doživetje.

Tončka Simčič

ISKRICA

Je res treba neumnost pregnati tako, da se na njeni mesto postavi druga?

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SODNIK FRED J. GUZZO

4. novembra 1986

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Judge, Court of Appeals

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V Scarboroughu je daroval g. Štefan Novak \$400 za vzdrževanje novega domačega bogoslovca in \$600 za cerkev g. Šömena v Zairu. Ga. Catherine Brassar, Scarborough, je prevzela novega bogoslovca. Blagajnik MZA g. Štefan Marolt je sporočil 6. oktobra tele darove:

Ga. Theresa Ritcherson, R.N., Odessa, Florida, \$130 za vzdrževanje domačega bogoslovca. N.N. iz Illinoisa je poslal za vse \$100. Za cerkev g. Šömena N.N. iz Clevelandu ponovnih \$200. Neimenovani istotam za istega misijonarja \$50. Mira Kosem, Willoughby Hills, O., \$10 (za vse). N.N., Cleveland, \$50. Ga. Nežka Tominec, Richmond Hts., O., za domačega bogoslovca vzdrževalnina \$250. Ga. Marija Ribič, Richmond Hts., za bogoslovca \$250.

Ga. Milka Bohinc (za vse) \$10. N.N. \$70 in N.N. \$50 obe iz Clevelandu in za vse. Frank in Jožef Tominc, Cleveland, \$250 za bogoslovsko vzdrževalnino. MZA Cleveland iz članarine za g. Sušnika na Madagaskarju \$50. G. in ga. Frank Mlinar, Riverside, Ill., \$200 za s. Bogdano Kavčič v Burundiju in \$100 za vse naše misijonske garače na terenu.

Ga. Francka Hočevan, Cleveland, za vse \$20. Miha in Kati Sršen, Cleveland, za lačne otroke na Madagaskarju \$100, Gdč. Paula Rihtar, Cleveland, za lačne otroke na Madagaskarju \$300.

Ga. Louise Šuštersich iz Timminsa, Ontario, je poslala \$200 v kanadski valuti za vse naše misijonarje in misjonarke.

Za rajnega Maksa Jerina je

V BLAG SPOMIN

OSME OBLETNICE, ODKAR
JE PREMINULA NAŠA
LJUBLJENA MATI, STARA
MATI IN PRASTARA MATI



MARY KNIFIC

Njeno dobro srce je prenehalo biti 31. oktobra 1978.

Srčno ljubljena nam mama, Šla prezgodaj si od nas, dobra, skrbna si nam bila, vdano molimo za Vas.

Daj, Gospod, ji mir in srečo, daj ji večnost v milosti.

Zalujoči:

Frank J. Knific, sin

Cleveland, O., 31. oktobra 1986.

okraju Kisumu.

Bogoslovec Joachim Owang

je sedaj v III. letniku bogoslovja. Prijeten po značaju, precej zrel in odprt. Bil je v razredu od 79 kandidatov na 40-tem mestu. postal je akolit. Vzdržuje ga družina Albina Gospodariča iz Batawe, Ont.

G. John Tekavec iz Clevelandu vzdržuje Petra Obonyo, ki je trenutno v pastoralni formaciji v župniji Aluor. Preje je deloval v Awasi, ki je ena novih župnij v škofiji.

Ga. Theresa Richerson, R.N., podpira Mosesa Omono, ki začenja 2. letnik teologije v bogoslovju Sv. Tomaža Akvinca. Je dvaindvajseti od 69 bogoslovcev. Miren, dober in zelo zvest bogoslovec. Sedaj je postal lektor.

Ga. Katarina Kolenko iz Toronto podpira Clementa Oluoche, ki je v avgustu vstopil v 2. letnik teologije. Prijeten značaj, dober in odprt in zelo aktiven v razredu med sošolci. Je trideseti med 69 kandidatih po študijah. Sedaj je postal lektor.

Ga. Marija Ribič iz Clevelandu vzdržuje Gabriela Okolla, ki začenja drugi letnik teologije. Zelo vlijuden in miren značaj. Je peti med 69 in skoraj v vseh predmetih nadpovprečen. postal je lektor.

A.M. iz Clevelandu podpira Johna Oginga, ki začenja 2. letnik bogoslovnih študij. Prijazen, odprt značaj s čutom za duhovitost. Je šestnajsti med 69 in postal lektor.

Ga. Nežka Tominec iz Clevelandu vzdržuje obetajočega Georgea Odhiamba, ki začenja drugi letnik teologije. Dober značaj, štiriinštirideseti od 69. Tudi on je postal lektor.

Molimo za vse te bogoslove, da bi jih Sv. Duh vodil zvesto do mašništva. Molitev dobrotnikov in dobrotnic je zelo važna, saj kandidatje živijo v stiku s svojim ljudstvom, ki je v marsičem zelo različno od idealov, ki so se jih kandidatje oklenili.

O nanovo prevzetih kandidatih pa ob kaki drugi prilognosti. Dobrotniki so o njih že od nas informirani direktno v poslanem jim pismu, s poročilom od škofa v Kisumu.

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“Rožni venec miru”

Hrvaški verski tedni “Glas koncila” poroča, da v župniji sv. Petra v Zagrebu že dalj časa vsak četrtek v mesecu molijo Rožni venec miru, ki ga je sestavil inž. Vladimir Paleček.

Skrivnosti tega rožnega venca so sestavljene tako, da se v petih desetkah povzema vsebina vseh 15 skrivnosti običajnega rožnega venca s posebno mislio na mir kot evangeljsko sporočilo in sad Kristusovega odrešenja.

Slovenski škofje so letošnji oktober posebej priporočili molitev za mir. Rožni venec miru je prav primerena molitev za ta namen.

Poslovne igre v Ameriki

V našem listu smo objavili članek o izpopolnjevanju slovenskih gospodarstvenikov v ZDA ter omenili, da se ta program nadaljuje, prihodnje leto menda kar na Clevelandski državni univerzi. Članek v reviji »Teleksu« z gornjim naslovom je prebral neki Gojko Stanič, ki živi v Newhall, Kalif. Poslal je pismo Teleksu s svojimi pripombami. Naj tudi ta trezno napisano pismo posredujemo bralcem. Ur.

Z zanimanjem sem prebral članek »Poslovne igre v Ameriki«. Menim, da članek dokaj stvarno prikazuje razmere na ameriškem trgu in možnosti slovenskega gospodarstva na njem.

Tržišče je veliko, odprto, prav zato pa je tudi izredno zahteveno. Zaprtost domačega trga, izvoz na vzhodnoevropska tržišča in v dežele »tretjega sveta« slovenskega gospodarstva ne navajajo na stroge norme, ki veljajo v razvitem svetu. Izvozniki si lahko polomijo zobe na prav nedolžnih napakah, zamujanje dobavnih rokov, nekorektnost v poslovnih odnosih ipd.

Oznaka »Made in Yugoslavia« žal v Ameriki ne vzbuja posebnega zaupanja. Povprečen Američan ve o Jugoslaviji kaj malo. Največkrat je Jugoslavija »Vzhodna Evropa« ali pa kvečjemu »tretji svet«. To je v prvem primeru nekaj negativnega, v drugem pa nekaj neresnega in zaostalega. Zato ni čudno, da Hugo America razglasa Hugo za »avto iz Evrope«. Za Jugoslavijo izvemo šele, če dvignemo pokrov motorja.

Strategija »korak za korakom« je edina smiselna. Začnimo z malim in v Ameriki iščimo manjša, specializirana tržišča. Tam je konkurenca manj silovita, tveganje je manjše, zato pa so bolj donosna. To se seveda ne sliši tako imenitno kot »izvajati avtomobile v deželo avtomobilizma«, je pa, verjemite mi, dosti bolj varno.

Naravno je iskati tržišča tam, kjer so večje koncentracije Slovencev. Nezaupanje do naše robe bo manjše, lahko računamo celo na simpatije. (Verjetno pa je to poskusila že cela vrsta izvoznikov.)

Poiščimo si panoge, v katerih smo dobri, in to izvajajmo. Elan je lep primer tega in morda naš edini pravi uspeh na ameriškem trgu. Slišim, da so se začeli pojavljati tudi Alpinini smučarski čevlji. Ne vem, ali gre za skupen nastop z Elanom. To bi bilo vsekakor smiselno, ker gre za isto tržišče. Ko spoznaš trg in si pridobiš renome, poskusi prodajati naistem trgu še druge izdelke.

Res si težko predstavljam,

da bi v Ameriki lahko prodali izdelke »visoke tehnologije«. Še Zahodna Evropa nima pravega uspeha. Tehnologija se prehitro spreminja in je težko ponuditi kaj konkurenčnega, če vedno capljaš zadaj. Tudi proizvodi, ki zahtevajo servis, predstavljajo večje tveganje, ker so potrebne večje investicije.

Yugo je lahko dvorezna reklama, vendar ne zaradi prenizke cene, ampak zaradi neprimerne kvalitete. Spoštovana revija »Consumer Reports« je ocenila Yugo za najslabši avto mnogih let, s celim kupon defektov, zastarelo tehnotologijo in previsoko porabo bencina za tako majhen avto. Mislim, da bo Zastava še na prej lahko prodajala Yugo v ZDA, če bo bistveno cenejši od drugih avtomobilov. Konkurenca se bo nedvomno zaostrila. Južnokorejskim avtom se bojo pridružili še uvozi iz Mehike, Brazilije in Tajvana. Pričakujem, da bo v nekaj letih ponudba avtomobilov v Ameriki visoko presegla povpraševanje.

Še o ceni Yuga. Dejanska cena ni 3990 dolarjev, to je le za reklamo. Tej vsoti je treba prišteti še prevoz, »pripravo« avtomobila in v Kaliforniji katalizator za izpušne pline. Vse skupaj je to 4664 dolarjev. Toliko dobi trgovec. Potem pa pride še registracija in državni prodajni davek. S tem pa je izdatek že blizu pet tisoč dolarjev.

O Aviji ne vem povedati kaj dosti. Vino sem videl v Los Angelesu in Minneapolisu. Je eno od mnogih vin srednje kakovosti. Zamašek je zlepjen iz koščkov, kar je navada pri cenenih vinih. Mislim, da nam je bila Slovencem bolj v čast Vinagova serija. Vina so bila dobre kakovosti, le nalepke so rade padale preč. Trivialna napaka, ki pa je lahko usodna. Da so se ta vina lahko pobahala z vrsto kolajn na različnih vinskih sejmih je bilo pa nekaj posebnega.



VOLITE ZANJO!

PATRICIA CLEARY

4. novembra 1986

Prijateljica slovenske skupnosti

Paid by Patricia A. Cleary for Judge Committee, Diane Caputo, Treas.

Rudolf Smersu

Buenos Aires, Ar.

Kdo nam je zapravil Primorsko?

Pisatelj Boris Pahor je objavil roman »V labirintu«, v katerem na jasen način — čeprav v obliki romana — pokaže, kdo je kriv, da je velik del Primorske dobila Italija in da je veliko število Slovencev utonilo v italijanskih komunističnih in socialističnih strankah in izgubilo svojo slovensko narodno zavest.

Spomenka Hribar, ki nič ne taji, da je komunistka, čeprav je bila izključena iz partije, je v reviji 2000 — časniku za mišljenje, umetnost, kulturna in religiozna vprašanja (št. 31/32, letnik 1986) — povzela iz romana glavne Pahorjeve trditve ter jih je osvetlila in komentirala v članku »V labirintu vprašanj«.

Iz njenih številnih citatov iz romana (116 citatov) in pomb k tem citatom je popoloma jasno razvidno — in to priznavajo danes tudi mnogi komunisti —, da je napačna in nesposobna politika slovenske komunistične partije, ki je bila internacionalistična in torej vse prej kot slovenska, preprečila ustanovitev Svobodne tržaške države, ki bi zajela večino slovenskega ozemlja v Italiji in bi lahko postala enakopraven partner z Italijani. Da je ta politika načuvala komunistično usmerjene Slovence zoper zahodne zavezničke in je pognala svoje somišljene v italijanske levičarske stranke in je na ta način zapravila velik del Primorske.

Oglejmo si samo nekaj znanih mest iz Pahorjevega romana in komentarja Spomenke Hribar.

Trst je leta 1945 zasedla partizanska vojska, toda že čez 40 dni ga je morala zapustiti na zahtevo zahodnih vlad, ki so videle v partizanih nositelje revolucionarnih hotenj in je torej zanje pomenila pričujočnost partizanske vojske v Trstu isto, kot če bi bila tukaj Sovjetska zveza. Zaveznički so enačili slovenstvo s komunizmom in niso hoteli pustiti Sovjetske zvezde do Trsta, ker bi bila to odskočna deska za prodor proti zahodu. Toda slovensko partizansko vodstvo — slepo vdano Sovjetski zvezzi — je prav to hotelo in prav za to skrbelo — namreč za revolucijo in prodor sovjetskega vpliva proti zahodu.

Komunisti so odklanjali sočevanje z zavezniškimi oblastmi, niso hoteli od zaveznikov sprejeti ponujanih jim služb, šol, radia in raznih uradov, in tudi niso hoteli sprejeti denarja za zidanje porušenih hiš.

Največjo napako, s katero so si zaveznički popolnoma odobili, pa so komunisti napravili s »čiščenjem« to je s pobijanjem nasprotnikov na debelo. V štiridesetih dnevih partizanskega vladanja v Trstu je izginilo v kraških jamah (fojbe) po nekaterih podatkih 3.000, po drugih pa 4.000 ljudi. Pahor k temu pripominja, da je prav, da so zločinci kaznovani, a »morajo biti za svoja zločinstva sojeni tako, da vsak

pošteno plača za to, kar je hudega storil«. V Trstu se je torej zgodilo to, kar se je zgodilo z vrnjenimi domobranci s Koroske. Posledica tega partizanskega divjanja je bila, da so zaveznički in Italijani vse Slovence enačili s komunisti.

Napake partije so bile vedno večje in porajalo se je vedno večje spoznanje, da je partija ubrala stalinsko pot. Ljudje so se zgražali, ko so zvedeli, da so npr. dr. Jakob Ukmarič, ki naj bi v imenu tržaškega škofa birmal otroke v Tinjanu, nastop preprečili, da so ga v drugem kraju v Buzetu obmetavali s paradižniki in jajci, tako, da tudi tam ni bilo birme; da je v Lanišču nahujskana drhal do smrti pobila duhovnika dr. Miroslava Bulešiča in ranila dr. Jakoba Ukmariča; da je bil v Kobaridu ugrabljen in ubit urednik Demokracije dr. Andrej Slavko Uršič, itd.

Usodna napaka partije je bila tudi v njenem pojmovanju naroda kot naroda. Partija ni smatrala za Slovenca tistega, ki se rodi kot Slovenec, ampak samo tistega, ki prisega na partijsko zastavo. Glavni partijski kriterij slovenstva ni bilo slovenstvo samo —, da si se torej rodil kot Slovenec — ampak pripadnost proletarski komunistični ideologiji.

Pa ne samo to. Veljalo je geslo, da je slovenskemu komunistu bliže italijanski levičar kot narodno zaveden nekomunist, kar se je videlo v odnosu do italijanskih komunistov, s katerimi so sklepali komunisti italijansko-slovensko bratstvo in katerim so slovenski komunisti na stežaj odprli vrata v svoja društva, tiskarne, domove.

Prelom v političnem stanju na Primorskem je prinesla 20. marca 1955 izjava treh zahodnih držav, da bo Svobodno tržaško ozemlje — Cona A — spet prišla pod italijansko suverenost, ker je Jugoslavija dejansko vključila Cono B v Jugoslavijo. Tako je misel na samostojno ozemlje s Trstom vred padla v vodo.

Spor med Jugoslavijo in Sovjetsko zvezo

Veliko sprememb je prinesel v primorske razmere tudi spor Jugoslavije s Sovjetsko zvezo. Komunistična partija Italije se je pridružila ostalim partijam po svetu v obsodbi Jugoslavije. V Trstu se je italijansko-slovensko bratstvo zrušilo. Italijanski del partije in z njim večina slovenskih komunistov — zaslepljenih z internacionalizmom — se je odločil v tem sporu za Moskvo, dočim se je slovenski vodstveni partijski kader odločil za Jugoslavijo.

Med obema skupinama se je sprožil oster spor, pravo sovraštvo. S tem je bilo slovenstvo na Primorskem razbito. Glavnina slovenskih komunistov na Tržaškem je šla z Vidalijem, italijanskim komunističnim voditeljem, ki je bil za Moskvo. Pri volitvah so imeli komunisti dvoje strank: Ko-

minformovsko in titovsko. Kominformovska je bila 88,85% komunističnih glasov, dočim je dobila titovska le 11,15% glasova. Večina slovenskih komunistov je torej volila italijansko komunistično stranko.

Slovenstvo je utrpelo silno škodo, ki je še danes vidna na vseh področjih življenja na Primorskem. Tako silno poudarjena internacionalistična politika je propadla na škodo slovenske manjšine na Primorskem. Da je bil to polom, potrjuje tudi prof. Bogo Grafenauer (v spremni besedi Pahorjeve knjige), ko govorji o političnih razvalinah po Kominformu in ko ugotavlja, da gre za resnično pomemben neuspeh KPJ (jugoslovanske komunistične partije) na Tržaškem.

Vedno smo z veseljem ugotavljali — zlasti med fašistično dobo — kako močna je slovenska narodna zavest na Primorskem. Pospeševanju te zavesti in sploh slovenske narodne identitete je bila naklonjena tudi zavezniška oblast, ki je slovensko narodno vprašanje reševala, ker so komunisti odrekli svojo pomoč, tudi s pomočjo slovenskih političnih emigrantov.

Po vključitvi Cone A v italijansko državo, se je slovensko ljudstvo, ki je živel v tej coni, znašlo v silno težkem položaju. Slovenci so čez noč postali mala narodna manjšina v italijanskem morju. Če kdaj, bi bilo tedaj potrebno povezati vse Slovence v močno narodno

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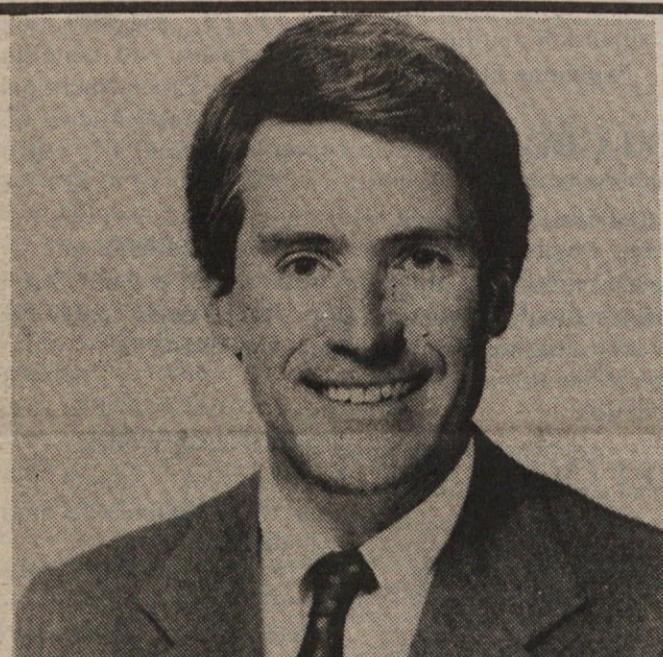
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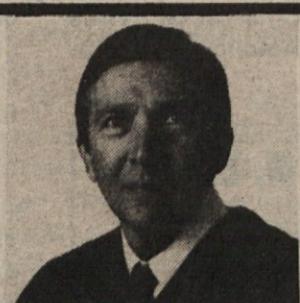
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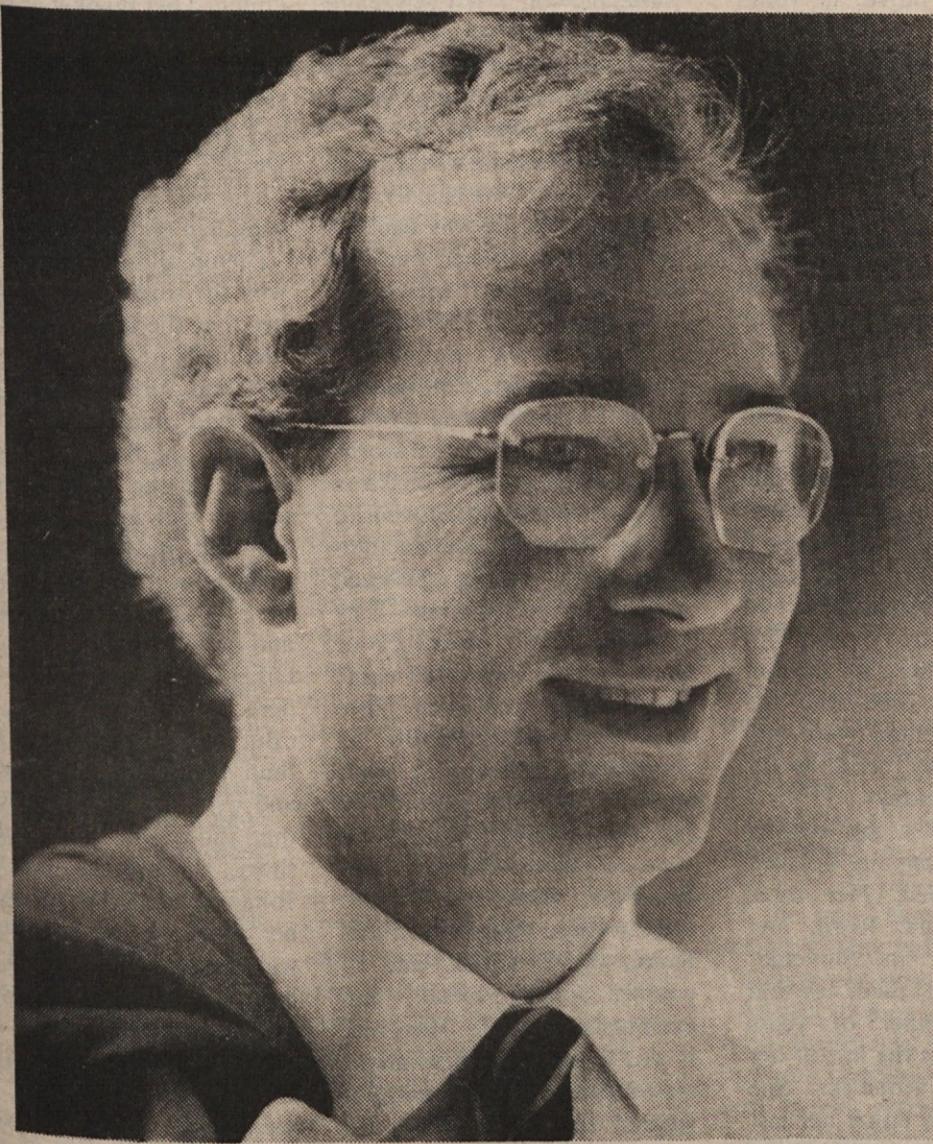
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Ed. Note: Last year Prof. John P. Nielsen of New York City wrote about his family's big reunion in Slovenia. In this issue he further looks into the story of the Rojshek family during their hardships and triumphs in America and in Slovenia.

(Conclusion)

by John P. Nielsen

My mother accepted this all at arms length. It was too late, but she kept her wifely responsibility. She fed him, took care of his bedroom, and his clothes. They were not close again ever, visiting people socially together; but there was no more tension in the house. What with the grandchildren coming along, there was considerable joy in the house when they came to visit. Once in a while I came to visit. (I had in this time gotten married, to a Jewish girl) and we would arrange for a complete family picnic somewhere out in Mentor, Ohio, where my wife and I would rent a cottage for a month or so.

My mother at this time began to sense living on her dividends. Frank and Eddie were doing well, reasonably well, and they had nice families. Johnny was married, no family, but he now had a Ph.D. (whatever that was, she never understood). What impressed her was that I was now a teacher, and she shared this with neighbors, who would tell of their children, here and there one teaching in a school, perhaps in some grammar school. That was it, for my mother, I had made it, I was now a teacher. When I tried to explain to her that I was a professor in a university (which she could not pronounce, so it was always that I worked in a "kollich"), and furthermore that I was department chairman, with 35 members in my department, it was all lost on her. I was now a teacher, and that was good enough for her.

My mother was now in charge at home. Her husband was completely dependent on her — the house was paid for. There was money in the bank (she foolishly even consented to loan someone \$29,000, a distant relative who knew how to get around her. We were all furious with her, and she managed to get the money back, and the individual then got his money at a bank). Since she needed no more to work, she had to use up her energy somehow. She took up gardening, in a rather serious way. Our lot next door became her garden. The skilled work around the house was done by Eddie. He was remarkably handy around the house: papering, painting, fixing the garage, plumbing, etc. The two-car garage was rented, as was the upstairs. Taxes were modest. There was Social Security, and so she was comfortable, most comfortable.

She just loved to work in that garden, and did fairly heavy work at it, spading a little,

watering, fertilizing, etc. Her flower garden was remarkable in what grew there — exotic flowers, the seeds somehow gotten from Europe; her vegetable garden was no less a wonder, lettuce, tomatoes, by the bushel, etc. Who would use all the luscious yield? Well, she was generous to anyone who came along to praise her garden, and so they walked off with a good bundle of lettuce, a half dozen tomatoes, maybe a cucumber or two, and some radishes thrown in for good measure. Now she was never happier. The work kept up her stamina and her health. She ate well, naturally, and the visits she would get fairly regularly pleased her often. She had gotten interested in baseball, and she could watch a good game with a sport fan's intelligence, criticizing the replacement of a pitcher she thought could still make it.

Her husband was all praises for her, and he, too, enjoyed the grandchildren. At age 76, in the fall of 1965 he became seriously ill, bedridden in fact. Mother administered to him, with all the care of a full time professional nurse. After two to three months, he succumbed. It was a proper funeral — all family gathered. In a way it was a triumph for my mother, because it closed out a relationship, stormy though it was, it ended with the calm and solidness of a strong family. The relatives came to the funeral and paid due respect. There was no gossip about their relationship. It was a typical Slovenian marriage, with its ups and downs in America, with the three children, all doing well, all in their own homes, all involved in professions or business. Frank had died on July 27, 1954, making one serious tragedy in the family, as he left four children for Mary, his wife, to take care of alone.

These were now my mother's best years, financially secure, indeed with an income above her day-to-day needs. There were six grandchildren now, all doing well in school, and all destined for college. Edward to be sure was having difficulties at the tavern — business steadily decreasing in the fading Slovenian neighborhood of old St. Clair. To live in a better place he and Elsie bought a house on Sable Avenue, near my mother's house on Shawnee Avenue. Thus what spare time he had he could fix things needed at Shawnee Avenue. He had by this time acquired a house on 63rd Street with tenants and this had to be tended to. A two-car garage had been built on the spare lot next to the Shawnee Avenue house, adding a bit of income to the house, and giving space for storage, which was an affliction of my mother — she saved everything, and she could have used two basements, two attics, two garages, and a barn. (I once wrote an amus-

ing article called "By Possessions Possessed," in which I described that had my mother ever had to move, it would have taken a caravan of trucks to move out all the magpie accumulations.)

To my mother, her garden was her pride, and she enjoyed being stopped in her work by passersby to admire her garden. Her son John from New York came to visit. She particularly enjoyed the visits of Frankie's and Edward's children. Frank had died a good many years ago, and Mary was doing a good job in raising the four children. She worked in a bank full time, and still managed to keep up a household. Also, the makings of a good Slovenian wife and mother. Mary had moved with her children back to Lorain, near her own folks, but the visits to Cleveland were still made frequently, certainly for the various holidays.

My mother was now nearing eighty, older than any Rojshek she remembered. Her three sisters, Johanna, Roza, and the one left in Slovenia, Franska, had died, as did Albin, a number of years earlier. She was the last of her generation of Rojsheks. She settled down to enjoy her last few years. In a way, life could not be sweeter. She became a frequent churchgoer, even to going to weekday masses.

One early morning, on a bitter cold day, she was struck down by a car, but she survived this, a bit slowly, but survive she did, even to getting back to her garden, but at a much slower pace. There came a day, in the winter of 1972-73 when she began to falter. She apparently "knew" something was going to happen. Unknown to us, she revived her will, and began to sort out certain papers, documents she had been keeping over the years, and the precious letters, from as far back as 1909. The huge accumulation of her magpie savings over the years she began to tackle, perhaps with the instinct to try to leave a tidy house.

One night she had heavy breathing problems. The next day she was taken to Euclid General Hospital. Her heart was erratic in its beats. It was diagnosed that she needed a pace maker and one was so ordered. However, she recovered a bit, sufficiently so that she began to instruct her son, Edward, on the managing of the house — what needed repairs, and how to collect rent from a tricky garage tenant.

I came in from New York to see her in the hospital. The pacemaker was due in a day or so. Everything looked in order, and I returned to New York.

The pacemaker finally arrived on a Monday, there was a weekend delay in delivery. The pacemaker insertion was scheduled for Wednesday. On the Tuesday, April 2nd, 1973, she had difficulty breathing.

She knew it was going to be close, getting the pacemaker installed in time. She told Edward, her son, "If I can make it tonight, I'll be all right," having neatly acquired an Americanism, "if I can make it." But she didn't.

That night as she was lying in her bed, breathing heavily, she suddenly felt she was back at that banquet of her wedding day. She began to discern a faint singing of "Slovenska Dekle," now becoming gradually louder. She relaxed in comfort as the song soothed her. She followed the words "Venček na glavi se bliska iz kitice, rožič zelenih, Slovensko Dekle." Now she could actually see the people gathered around her, all singing. They were all there — everyone of them — those who had come to America, and even those she had left behind in Slovenia. Right out in front was her husband, smiling to her and singing. Then there was Frank Marn, and Breskvar, whom she had not seen in these many years, and Krivc, the Bencinas, and of course, Jozhe Plevnik, and even his son, Jozhe. How nice it was to see Phil Mocilnikar, also singing, the harmonious singing filling the room, the corridors of the hospital — indeed she was not sure it was a hospital where she was now.

She sensed that a race was on.

The song was in its middle. Would the song be completed before she succumbed? She clutched her blanket as hard as she could. It helped — it sustained her breathing "Dokler slovenski rod, biva, po zemlji tod bode slovelo. Slovensko Dekle!" The singing stopped. There was silence at first. The song had ended.

Then it all became clear as to why the singing. It was to tell her that she had made it! She had made it! She had made it! She had fulfilled that pledge she had made the wedding night at the banquet, that she would be the good Slovenian mother and wife. That is what she had pledged, and as it turned out it was not easy, but SHE MADE IT! She knew it, and now they all knew it, too. Otherwise why would they be here.

But really she had made more than being the good mother and wife. She satisfied herself that those who had sold her short, her mother, her sister Johanna, and then of course her husband, who before he was stricken, had failed her, had charged her with tricking him into marrying her. Her sister Franska was not above alluding to her "past." But her sweetest sense of revenge was for her mother, and her sister, Johanna; they had made her life hard, harder

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SPECIAL OFFER

The American Home ethnic newspaper is continuing a special promotion seeking new subscribers to the Ameriška Domovina newspaper. It will last until Dec. 31, 1986.

Between now and then, persons wishing to subscribe to the Ameriška Domovina for the first time (or have not been a subscriber for the last five years) can receive the paper at a ridiculously low price — just \$15.00 a year for the twice weekly or \$10.00 a year for the Friday (half English) edition.

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The Rojshek Saga

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than necessary. They all had sold her short — did not think she could make it — but she did, and today, was her day of glory.

She now saw two arms reaching down to her, and she raised her arms to meet them. Whatever God there may be serving all of humanity, He never clutched to His bosom a more worthy soul.

A nurse in the next room heard the telltale "death rattle." She hurried to Pavla's bed to check. She felt her pulse, looked for other vital signs. There were none. She summoned the doctor on duty.

No, dear nurse, that is no death rattle you heard when someone dies in bed. It is the exhilarating sigh of a post orgasm — life is one delicious all-filling experience. Just as it is said of a doe being savagely bitten in the neck by a strong lion, the eyes show no longer fright, but almost a benevolent forgiveness to the lion, after which there is need for a long exhalation, coupled paradoxically with a groan of satisfaction. The gift of life has been received and enjoyed to the full, and at this moment there are no complaints. There is just energy left for that one final sigh.

EPILOGUE

In writing this article what may appear to be a special tribute to my mother, I may be criticized for not being entirely objective. After all there were and are other Rojshek mothers equally worthy of a tribute such as Roza Marn, and Johanna Grum. So, to be fair, I will add that my mother had her faults. She liked to gossip and would, much too frequently, interfere in matters with relatives really of no concern to her. She tended to be "bossy," as the term was used in our household, never hesitating to speak her piece as to how she wanted things done her way, frequently asserting an over-possessiveness with regard to her children. Just as there were Rojsheks that lorded over her as being a bit lower

in class status, she could on her own put down someone she thought she ranked over. She could have been more pleasant to her daughter-in-law, Mary Sesek, but she was resentful that Mary oriented her family, as she had every right to do, toward Lorain, when my mother would have preferred that she oriented her family and her husband, Frank (her son) toward Cleveland and closer to the Seseks.

Yet, among the nine, sons and grandchildren, there were more than 14 college degrees conferred on them of one kind or another. Each of the grandchildren got at least one college degree. The educational institutions involved included some of the most prestigious ones in the country: Yale, Columbia, University of Chicago, University of Michigan, Notre Dame, etc. One granddaughter spent a junior year at Grenoble, France, one at Innsbruck, Austria, and Frank, a grandson, a year at Sophia University in Tokyo, Japan. A gathering of the family has an international flavor, with possibly five or six languages that can be spoken. There is one Ph.D. and one Doctor Juris. Pauline (Plevnik's) name can be found listed in Who's Who in the World (page 701, column 3, 1980-81).

To be sure not as one of the 20,000 entries, but a son is so listed, giving her name as his mother.

Not bad for an immigrant woman of 1911, more or less penniless on arrival except for her fare to Cleveland, with only one address clutched in her fist, that of her sister. A sister, who was to fend her off, so that she had to be dragged through a knothole and really start up from nothing at all and a close call it was. She outlived this sister eventually by twenty years, as she did her harsh mother, who had forced her to seek escape, going alone to the New World, still a teenager. She enjoyed remarkably good health to the very end, living to her 82nd year.

Radio . . .

Theater of the Mind

by Vince Gostilna

Anyone over 30 years of age will fondly remember those golden days of radio drama and comedy shows that were so much a part of our daily lives. However, by the year 1953, television came on the American scene and caused the demise of radio programming as we once knew it.

Radio, sometimes was called the "Theater of the mind" because the imagination of the audience played such a key role in the presentations of drama and comedy.

The listener was required to conjure up the character's appearance, the locale setting, in fact, the greater the imagination, the more enjoyment one could derive from the programming.

I thought an old-time radio quiz would help you recall many of the kilocycle heroes of the past, that is, if your memory bank will oblige with the right answers.

Answer nine or more correctly, of the total of 13 questions, and you certainly qualify as a real expert extraordinary on nostalgic radio trivia.

1. What was the make of antique car that belonged to Jack Benny on his radio show?

2. The theme song of the Lone Ranger?

3. Fibber McGee and Molly lived on what street?

4. On the Shadow program, what was the name of the Police Commissioner?

5. What was the same last name of the girlfriends of the Shadow and Superman?

6. A comedy series featured a rotund water commissioner who was an uncle to Leroy and Marjorie. His name?

7. Billy and Betty Fairfield and Uncle Jim were radio characters on what program?

8. "Champion of the people, defender of truth, guardian of our fundamental rights

to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness" was the opening line of what famous series.

9. Senator Beauregard Claghorn, depicted by Kenny Delmar, was the southern politician on what comedy program?

10. What dramatic show was billed as being broadcast from "The Little Theater off Times Square?"

11. When addressing his masked partner, Tonto, the Indian friend of the Lone Ranger, used what Indian phrase frequently?

12. A Boston "private-eye" who was "Friend to those who have no friends, and enemy to

those who seek no friends," was affectionately referred to by what color?

13. What soap sponsored an hour-long drama program which recreated famous movies?

Hollywood).

Blackie, 13. Lux (Presenters

Kemo Sabo, 12. Boston

Show 10. First Nighter 11.

District Attorney 9. Fred Allen

7. Jack Armstrong 8. Mr.

Louis Lane 6. Great Gildersleeve

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10 Slovenian Day in Maple Hts. Nov. 9th

It will be a lively upbeat afternoon of folk music and song, with a nostalgic photo trip through the homeland when the Friends of the Maple Heights Public Library present their "Slovenian Sunday" program on Nov. 9 at 2 p.m.

The event will be held in the Civic Center of the Library at 5225 Library Lane.

Wearing their colorful native Slovenian costumes, the Hocevar Family Band will set the very rafters ringing with familiar and loved folk music and songs.

This "family that plays together" shares a common background. Senior member Andy Hocevar plays the accordion and heads the group he organized in 1981; his wife, Marge, keeps the rhythm on the banjo, daughter-in-law

Mario and cousin Erik Veselic complete the accordion section; son-in-law Bob Szabo fills in with bass guitar; and son Steve keeps the beat on drums.

The program will also include a travelogue on Slovenia and Yugoslavia photographed and narrated by seasoned traveler Joseph (Red) Klir, Sr., who has made many trips through the country.

Providing an authentic background for the entertainment will be large displays of Slovene arts and crafts that will include a demonstration of bobbin lace making.

Slovene pastries, capturing the true flavor of old Slovenia, will be served by the Friends of the Library.

Admission is free.

Collinwood Home plans for Nov. 28

Friday, Nov. 28 will be a busy day at the Collinwood Slovenian Home, 15810 Holmes Ave.

The big event will be the Fourth Annual Thanksgiving Dinner/Dance beginning with a delicious meal at 7 p.m. cooked by Mary Stanonik.

Music will be provided by the fabulous Johnny Vadnal Orchestra beginning around 8 p.m. The Holmes Hall Buttonaires will supply dinner music.

Dinner/Dance ticket donation is \$10.00. Dance only \$3.00. For tickets call Mary or Frank Podlogar at 851-5761, John Plutt 681-6649, or any member of the Board of Directors.

In the afternoon, the Polkat Social Club will host a Jam Session from 1 p.m. to 6 p.m. Music will be by the talented club members and out-of-

town guests.

Refreshments and sandwiches will be available.

Donation is \$3.00. For tickets see Polkat members or admission at the door.

Plus during the entire day from 10 a.m. until 1 a.m. there will be music and entertainment featuring "Old Timers" Corky Godic Group in the Club Room, downstairs. Further information from John or

Kres Looking for New Members

The Slovenian dance group Kres cordially invites all high school youths of Slovenian background who are interested in the Slovenian folklore and heritage to attend a meeting on Sunday, November 9 at 6:30 p.m. in the St. Vitus school auditorium. If you need more information, please call Donna Štefančič at 481-2902.

Alba Plutt, managers at 681-6649. Old Friends are invited to bring their musical instruments and participate in this Polka Capital Happening.

RECIPES



PUMPKIN WITH STUFFING

Saute:

1/3 c onion
1/2 c celery
in
2 T butter
When softened, add:
1/2 t salt
1/4 t pepper
1 t lime juice
2 peeled, chopped apples
Cover and let cook 45 minutes.

Add:

1/2 c corn bread stuffing
1 12 oz. bag cranberries
(clean)
1/4 c water
1/2 c sugar

Fill steamed pumpkin half with stuffing and bake 15 minutes at 350 degrees.

For Diabetics:

Omit sugar, add sweet n' low or other sugar substitute after pan is removed from fire. Usually half as much sugar substitute in place of the sugar is sufficient.

HALLOWEEN PUMPKIN

To use the pumpkin for pie filling or any pumpkin recipe, cut in pieces, (or through the center horizontally), put flesh side down in a baking pan with enough water to cover the bottom of the pan and steam in the oven at 350-375 degrees for 45 minutes. While still warm, you will find the peel will come off very easily.

For Roasting Seeds:

Remove seeds from inside the pumpkin to a colander, and rinse under running water until all of the soft pumpkin material is cleaned out. Spread the seeds on a baking sheet and salt lightly.

Bake in a 350 degree oven for 15-20 minutes... until thoroughly dry... but do not brown.

QUICHE LORRAINE

1 unbaked 8-inch pie shell
6 slices bacon
1/3 pound Swiss cheese,
sliced very thin
2 eggs
1 1/2 cups milk
salt and pepper to taste
nutmeg, to taste
Bake pie shell at 450 degree for 7 minutes. Crisp-fry, drain and crumble bacon. Arrange cheese in bottom of shell. Top with bacon. Beat eggs, the slowly stir in milk. Add seasonings. Pour over cheese and bacon. Bake at 450 degrees for 20 minutes. (Watch carefully to avoid scorching.) Let stand 2 minutes before cutting.

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Recent Deaths

Businessman, Fraternalist John Susnik Succumbs

John J. Susnik, 80, died Monday, Oct. 27.

He was the husband of Mary (nee Mocilnikar); father of Raymond (Texas), Kenneth and Dennis; brother of Anna Faflik, and the following of Yugoslavia: Anton, Pavla, Justina and Mary (dec.). He was grandfather of eight.

Mr. Susnik was Supreme President of American Mutual Life Association (AMLA) - (SDZ), for 29 years.

Mr. Susnik was owner operator of Norwood Appliance and Furniture on St. Clair Ave. at E. 62nd Street for over 30 years. He was also active in the St. Clair neighborhood, helping to organize the Perry Homeowners Association along with the late Anton Zak.

He was president of SDZ Lodge No. 14 for 24 years, a member of KSKJ Lodge No. 169, and the St. Clair Slovenian Pensioners Club.

Family will receive friends at the Zak Funeral Home, 6016 St. Clair Ave. on Saturday from 7 - 9 p.m. and Sunday 2 - 4 and 7 - 9 p.m. Funeral will be Monday, Nov. 3 at 9:30 a.m. at the Zak Funeral Chapel, then at 10:00 a.m. at St. Vitus Church. Interment at All Souls Cemetery.

ANNE L. STAKICH

Anne L. Stakich (nee Lebar), 72, died at her Mentor, Ohio home on Wednesday evening, Oct. 22 after suffering from cancer.

In Loving Memory

OF THE 13TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE DEATH OF OUR DEAR HUSBAND, FATHER, AND GRANDFATHER



John Habat

Who passed away on Oct. 30, 1973

*His life was earnest, his actions kind,
A generous hand and an active mind,
Anxious to please, loath to offend,
A loving father and a faithful friend.*

Sadly missed by:
Wife, Mary
Sons, John, Herman and Edward
Daughters, Beatrice, and Anna, and remaining relatives

Cleveland, Oct. 31, 1986

She was the wife of James D.; the mother of James L., Jr. (dec.), David, Ronald, and Gregory; the grandmother of four; and the sister of Mary Lebar of Florida, Katherine Colombi of Arizona and the following deceased: Betty Stakich, Ella Hermsdorfer, Hilda Hermsdorfer and Geri Bailey.

She had served as the secretary-treasurer of the family-owned Stakich Furniture Store, 15430 Waterloo Rd., working for more than 25 years with her husband.

The funeral Mass was Saturday, Oct. 25 at St. Mary's Church, 8560 Mentor Ave. Friends called at the Grdina Funeral Home, 17010 Lake Shore Blvd.

JOHN EVATZ

John Evatz, 65, of Euclid, passed away in University Hospitals after a long illness. He was born in Semic, Yugoslavia on Oct. 13, 1921. He came to the U.S. in 1936.

He served in the U.S. Army Air Force during World War II. After returning from the war he operated a butcher shop on Chickasaw Ave. until he joined Saxon Meats/Euclid Provision as a meat cutter. He was employed there for 35 years, retiring in 1980.

For many years Mr. Evatz was a strong supporter of The Slovenian Society Home on Recher avenue where he served on the Board of Directors from 1964 until 1980 and was president of the Board from 1974 - 1980. In 1970 he was honored as Man of the Year as the Recher Hall representative of the Federation of Slovenian Homes banquet. Feb. 28, 1984 was declared John Evatz Day by the city of Euclid. He was also the manager for the Club Room at Recher Hall.

He was a member of Euclid Pensioners, Klub Ljubljana, Euclid Vets, SNPJ No. 158, Charter member of Club 59'ers, retired member of Local No. 427 Meatcutters Union, Fraternal Order of Police Association No. 15 in Euclid, and the Veterans of Foreign Wars No. 5275.

He was the husband of Tillie (nee Batich); father of Mary Ann Gordon (Kirtland), Emma Whitworth (Eastlake), John (Willowick), James, William (Euclid), Robert (Madison), and Felix Vidmar (Parma); grandfather of 16; and great-grandfather of nine. He was brother of Mary Ivec and Angela Hutar, both of Euclid, and the deceased: Cyril Evatz, John Evec, Frances Stariha, and Anna Ivec.

Friends called at Zele Funeral Home, 452 E. 152 St. Church services were at Church of the Epiphany on Wednesday, Oct. 29. Burial in All Souls Cemetery.

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SEPT. 2, 1965

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returned in our love forever more.*

Sadly missed by:
Son — Frank L. and wife Jean
Daughters - Marie Ogrinc and husband Dr. Lawrence Madeleine Znidarsic and Dr. Adolph
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Richmond Hts., Ohio, Oct. 31, 1986

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BY MADELINE D. DEBEVEC

Tony Dolenc has been promoted to Assistant Vice President, Corporate Treasurers Office at National City Bank. He joined National City, the lead bank of National City Corporation - a \$130 billion holding company, in 1978. He is currently attending Case Western Reserve University Weatherhead School of Management in pursuit of a Master's Degree in Finance.

He resides in Rocky River with his wife, Nancy, and two children.

Tony credits most of his success and good fortune to his parents, Paul (Spodnje Bitnje, Yugoslavia), and Antonia (Prevoje, Yugoslavia) who came to this country in 1956 and by example taught him the



Tony Dolenc

Annual Meeting

Slovenian Women's Union Branch 41 will hold their Annual Meeting on Wednesday, November 19 at 1:00 p.m. at the Slovenian Workmens Home on Waterloo Rd. The date has been changed from Tuesday, Nov. 18 to Wed., Nov. 19th.

We will have our Annual Meeting reports, election of officers followed by a Christmas Party. Each member is asked to bring a \$2.00 gift exchange. Please plan to be there. Dues will be collected for the year.

Justine Girod
President

Slovenian Artist

The beautiful paintings of the new Dejak building were done by Edward Merhulik of Trafalgar Ave.

In Memory

Editor:

We enjoy reading the American Home very much and wish to contribute the balance of our enclosed check towards your printing press, in memory of the deceased in our families.

John and Antonette
Celesnik

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Rev. Joseph Cvelbar, Pittsburgh, Pa. donated \$50.00 to the American Home newspaper. Thanks a million Fr. Cvelbar.

Memo From Madeline

Anton Dolenc named VP at National City

merits of what is characteristically Slovenian, "Honest, Hard Work," and a little bit of luck.

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On Sunday, October 12 the entire Oswald family helped Amelia Oswald celebrate her 85th birthday with a luncheon in her honor. Amalia and husband, Louis, still maintain an active life. Their favorite pastime is working in their flower and vegetable gardens.

Amelia is past president of Branch 41 of Slovenian Women's Union. She is well known in Cleveland-Euclid circles. They also were owners and operators of Oswald Grocery Store on Grovewood Avenue for 45 years, retiring in 1971.

Fondest wishes are being sent to Mrs. Oswald from her family, friends and the entire staff of the American Home.

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Kathryn A. Oswald, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter O. Oswald of Cleveland Heights, was married Sept. 27 to John E. Whitlinger III, son of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Whitlinger Jr. of Hilton Head Island, S.C.

The wedding took place in St. Philomena Catholic Church, East Cleveland. The couple is residing in Cleveland.

The bride's father is Cleveland Heights health commissioner, and her mother, Alberta Burke-Oswald, is a well known watercolorist.

Her grandparents are Louis and Amelia Oswald of Euclid.

The bridegroom is a technical representative with Master Builders Inc. His father is retired.

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The Knights of Our Lady of Lourdes Shrine will sponsor a Roast Beef Dinner on Sunday, November 2 from noon to 5:30 p.m. Tickets available at the door, \$5 for adults, \$3.50 for children. Proceeds benefit the Shrine. All welcome.

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Dr. Rudolph (Matt) Susel, Slovenian editor of the Ameriška Domovina attended a foreign policy conference at the State Department in Washington, D.C. on October 15. Present were about 150 invited guests.

On the program were a number of ranking State Department officials, who discussed U.S. foreign policy, focusing in particular on relations with the Soviet Union and the recent summit conference in Iceland.

Among those speaking were Under Secretary of State for Political Affairs Michael H. Armacost and Assistant

Secretary for European and Canadian Affairs Rozanne L. Ridgeway.

Maureen Reagan, daughter of Ronald Reagan, spoke of her activities in behalf of the status of women. She serves as a member of the U.S. delegation to the United Nations.

Dr. Susel also visited the Vietnam Memorial and recommends visitors who visit our nation's capital to see the memorial. There are a number of Slovenian names permanently enshrined there.

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St. Noel Church, 35200 Chardon Rd., Willoughby Hills will hold a Christmas Boutique on Sat., Nov. 8 from 9 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. and Sunday, Nov. 9 from 9:30 to 3 p.m.

Handcrafted gift items as well as many beautiful tree trimmings will be for sale at VERY reasonable prices.

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Lutsch-Dusa

Bernadette H. Dusa married Craig C. Lutsch June 7 at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Catholic Church in Wickliffe. The Rev. Charles Diedrick officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dusa, 936 Bryn Mawr Drive, Wickliffe. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Lutsch, 133 Lakehurst, Eastlake.

A reception at LaMalfa Party Center in Eastlake honored the couple before a wedding trip to Hawaii. They will live in Mentor.

The bride is a 1982 graduate of Lake Catholic High School in Mentor and is a payroll specialist at Parker Hannifin Corp. in Cleveland. Her husband is a 1979 graduate of North High School in Eastlake, a 1985 graduate of Lakeland Community College in Kirtland and attends Cleveland State University. He is a process control/estimator at Risher and Co. in Euclid.

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Nursing Home Executive Frederick E. Krizman lectured last weekend at the Fourth Annual Conference on Ethics and Health Care held in Richmond, Virginia.

Krizman, a leading authority of Nursing Homes Management, is presently Administrator of Shangri-La Health Care Center.

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The American Slovene Club will meet on Monday, Nov. 10 at 7:30 p.m. at Euclid Public Library, E. 22nd St. The club is an affiliate of the Jugoslav Cultural Gardens.

A surprise program is planned.



Kathryn A. (Oswald) and John E. Whitlinger III

Coming Events

Saturday, Nov. 1

"Night in Slovenia" at Lorain Slovenian National Home, 3114 Parl Ave. at E. 31st St. featuring dinner, concert, dancing. Cocktails at 5, buffet dinner 5:30 - 7 p.m. Donation \$12.50. For ticket info call 277-8101 in Lorain, or Tony's Polka Village in Cleveland.

Saturday, Nov. 8

Jadran Singing Society Concert-Dinner-Dance at Waterloo Hall.

Saturday, Nov. 8

St. Vitus Mothers' Club Bake Sale in auditorium from 1 to 6 p.m. and Sunday, Nov. 9 from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Sunday, Nov. 9

Spaghetti Dinner sponsored by Collinwood Slovenian Home for parking lot expenses. Meal served 1-5 p.m. Admission \$6. For tickets call Mary Podlogar 851-5761 or Club Room 681-6649.

Sunday, Nov. 9

West Park Slovenian Home 4th Boosters Dance with Ray Champa's Orchestra.

Sunday, Nov. 9

Fall Program sponsored by Circle No. 2, SNPJ.

Sunday, Nov. 9

Slovenian Sunday at the Maple Heights Library, 2 p.m., 5225 Library Lane. Free admission.

Saturday, Nov. 22

Frank Yankovic and Joey Miskulin play at Gottscheer Hall, 657 Fairview Ave., Ridgewood, Queens, New York from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Advance tickets only \$6. Call (516) 431-7467.

Sunday, Nov. 23

Dinner, Dance (3 to 5 p.m.) at Slovenian Workmen's Home, Waterloo Rd. marking 60 years. Tickets \$12 each, call 481-5378 or 481-0047 or they may be obtained at the bar.

Sunday, Nov. 23

St. Mary Parish (Holmes Ave.) Thanksgiving Festival in old church from 3 - 9 p.m.

Thursday, Nov. 27

Tony Petkovsek's 25th polka show featuring 25 bands at St. Joseph High School on E. 185 and Lake Shore Blvd.

Friday, Nov. 28

4th Annual Thanksgiving Dinner Reunion of the Iron Range at Collinwood Slovenian Home.

Friday, Nov. 28

Dinner-Dance at Slovenian National Home on St. Clair sponsored by Tony's Cleveland Slovenian Radio Club.

Sunday, Nov. 30

Multi-cultural Slovenian show in Euclid staged in cooperation with United Slovenian Society for benefit of the Slovene Home for the Aged.

Friday, Dec. 5

Slovenian American Heritage Foundation sponsors "Reunion with Bishop Pevec" at Borromeo Seminary.

Saturday, Dec. 6

Slovenski Dom No. 6, AMLA 75th Anniversary Dinner Dance at the Slovenian Society Home on Recher Ave. Music by Joe Fedorchak.

Wednesday, Dec. 31

St. Vitus Catholic War Veterans Post 1655 New Years Eve Party at St. Vitus Auditorium. Family style dinner at 8:30 p.m. For tickets contact Dick Mott (days) 431-6062.

Thursday, Jan. 22

National Pro-life march and rally, Washington, D.C. Starts at the Ellipse. For info write or call: Pharmacists for Life, P.O. Box 381, Fremont, OH 43420, or call (419) 332-7379.