



Ribiči na koncu sveta

BESEDILO IN FOTOGRAFIJE: GAL KUŠAR

»V LISHLIA II MORAŠ ORVEZNO POSKUSITI CENTOLLO « ML JE REKEL ZNANEC V BUENOS AIRESU, USHUAJA JE GLAVNO MESTO NAJJUŽNEJŠE PROVINCE OGNJENA ZEMLJA V ARGENTINSKI PATAGONIJI. S 54° JUŽNE ZEMLJEPISNE ŠIRINE IN LE 1.000 KM ODDALJENA OD ANTARKTIKE SE NAHAJA TAKO REKOČ NA KONCU SVETA. OD NENASELJENE ČILSKE PATAGONIJE JO LOČIJO VALOVITE VODE BEAGLOVEGA PRELIVA, KJER ŽIVIJO CENTOLLE – VELIKE RAKOVICE (LITHODES SANTOLLA). V USHUAJI NI RESTAVRACUE, KUER RAKOVIC NE BI IMELI NA JEDILNEM LISTU.



Dogovorjen sem bil, da v petek obiščem ribiča v Ushuaji, v so boto pa grem v Puerto Almanzo, zo km oddaljeno ribiško va

Ribič Jorge Eblin me je že čákal pred Pescaderio del Beagle, ki se nahaja v predmestju Ushuaje. Šivolas, z nekajdnevno brado in pristriženim brki, y petdesethi leht je izglačela klot živ portret Emesta Hemingwaya. Viscala sva se na njegovo barko Tio Elviron in Jorge si je obelete Začirno ribliško obleko Natro sva odplula do boje. kje je s pomočjo vitla dvignil vršo. V nje je mrgolelo velikih rakovici Samce, večje od 12 cm. je prebal v posebno vrečo, manijše samce in vse samice pa je vrgel nazajv monje. Nišo je napolnili z vabo, starimi ribami, in jo spustil zazajv monge. Pir polaganju vrše pomembno poznavanje morskega dna, saj se vrša pri nepažljivem polaganju lahko prevme na glavo, tako da rakovice, ne morejo vanja. Jorge mi je še povedal, da vrše pregleduje na dva dni, če to le dopušča selo muhasto veme. Če je ludvo ober, vršo polča nazaj na isto mesto, če pa je slab, poskusi srećo drugod. Območja, kjer zadržule najber, takovic, se nameć spreminjal oče ze leto, odvisno od razmnoževalnega cikla, hrane, vrste morskega dna, temperature vode in smer te riplacisti morskih tokov. Med pospavljanjem barke mi je Jorge pojasnil, da lahko lovijo centolle le v vrše. Od leta 1975 je lov v stoječe mreže

prepovedan, saj veliko podmerskih rakovic zaradi nastalih poškodb ni preživelo po vmitvi nazaj v morje. Leta 1979 je argentinska vlada prepovedala rikolov v Beaglovem prelivu z nannemom bontvite populada je Leta 1981 so prepoved odpravili, vendar je ribolov na centolle ostal v domeni mali bičev. Med povratkom v mesto z njegovim starim teranim vozilom je Jorge ponosno povedal, da im ad va sinova. Zaposlena sta v podjetjih, kje riz komponent, uvoženih iz Kitajske, sestavljajo klimaske naprave. Pohvali se je, da jim gre dobro, saj ima v družini vsak svoj avtomobil.

saj ima v druzini vsak svoj avkornozii.

Puerto Almanza je dopoldne izgledala kot opuščeno ribško naselje z nekaj vikend hiškami. Na obali sem opazil naplavljeno množco kot palec velikih mrtvih rakcev. Razen ribča, ki je pri branki pripravajli vilse, ni bli ovideti žive duše. Potem pa sta se le priprejlala dva možaka in začela pripravljati gumenjak. Uskazalo se je du Imberto in Pandon nista ribča, terweć školjkarja, ki bosta v zaliva zasidrala betorske kolute za gojenje klapavic. Umberto je razložil, da je mrtve rakce poblia marea roja (redez plima). Gre za vrsto alg, ki se ob ugodnih pogojih tako razmnožilo, da obanvajo morje krvavordeče. Ko se to zgodi, tudi klapavice niso užitne in jih ne smejo prodajati. Nato sta školjkarja odplula.







Na koncu vsal je na makadamski cesti ustavil stra vint Voz-nik je smeje pozdravil in se predstavil kot Gogo, oče Karine, gospe, il je zjutraj poskhele za uspešen avdostop do Puetro Almarze Povsbil je na lusolio na svojo posest ta Providencia Stivestre Posest sastvaja nekaj kot, jih jih od morja loči le cesta, vrt za hišo pa se nadajljev gozdnata pobočje, Karina se je soničla v težalniku ob potobi u nistale mate caj Takoj ga je ponudila tudi meni. Mlajši Gogovi vnuki so se zabavali s pom Gauchom straetji vnuk Rusio i nist Seba pa stava spom Gauchom straetji vnuk Rusio i nist Seba pa stava spom Gauchom straetji vnuk Rusio i nist Seba pa stava spom Gauchom straetji vnuk Rusio i nist Seba pa stavi spom Sauchom straetji vnuk su prosenja stavi spom straetji vnuk su prosenja vnuk su prisaje digaretje in vž-gal motor. Morje je bilo razburkano. Seba je zgrabili oranžno bojo, j oda i v Ohin skupaja z Raulom sa začela vdet v. V. Čidn seje zibal, voda je škropila vsepovosdi Ko se je prika-ala vsta, sta po potegnila v čoli n. Vnije je bilo nekaji prakovic. Na koncu vasi je na makadamski cesti ustavil star avto. Voz zala vrša, sta jo potegnila v čoln. V njej je bilo nekaj rakovic Dvignili smo dve vrši in se vrnili na obalo. Ducat ulovljenih Dowgimi a tro dve vran se vinim na dosno. Daca duopoja raković smo dali v vedro in jih odnesli v hišo. Tam so jih razkosali in vrgli v krop. Stopil sem ob železno peč in si kan as sebi začel suštit premočene kavbojke. Seba je prinesel buteljiko rdečega vina in nam ga natočil. Kuhane rakoviće je Gogo pobral iz lonca in odnesel v bilžnji potok, da so se

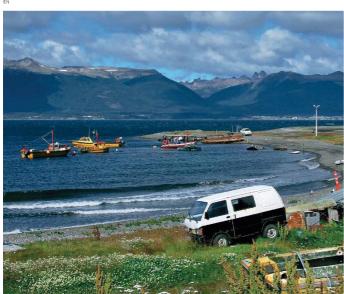
ohladile. Nato je vzel steklenico, jo povaljal čez rakovičino onladile. Nato je vzel steklenico, p povajaji cez rakovično nogo in lzivšči imeos Kuprček meso posodi je naračal. Na koncu je Baulo vzel nakovičje meso, ga sesekljal, začinil s soljo, oporom in limetinim sokom ter ga na kražniku aranžral. Vasik je vzel kos bagete in si ranj naložil rakovičje meso. Užival js od obali Beaglovega prelha, na koncu sveta, nešje med Ušhuajo in Puetro Almanzo pa se je razbesnela huda nevihta z vetrom, dežjem in sodno.

ČOLN SE JE ZIBAL VODA JE ŠKROPILA VSEPOVSOD! KO SE JE PRIKAZALA VRŠA, STA JO POTEGNILA V ČOLN. **V NJEJ** JE BILO NEKAJ RAKOVIC. **DVIGNILI SMO DVE VRŠI IN** SEVRNILI NA OBALO.

















FISHERMEN AT THE END OF THE **WORLD**

'IN USHUAIA YOU HAVE TO TRY CENTOLLA' ADVISED AN ACQUIANTANCE OF MINE IN BUENOS AIRES USHUAIA A FITE CAPTAL OF FIRER DEL FUEGO, THE SOUTHERIMOST PROVINCE OF ARGENTINE PATAGONIA. LYING AT A LATITUDE OF SA DEGREES SOUTH AND JUST 1,000 KM FROM ANTARCTICA, IT IS PRACTICALLY "AT THE END OF PHOMANIARICALIST PRANCHOLDER IT THE LIBERTY THE WORD, IT IS SEPRANTED FROM UNINIHABITED CHILEAN PATAGONIA BY THE WAVES OF THE BEAGLE CHANNEL, WHICH IS HOME TO THE SOUTHERN KING CRAB OR CENTOLLA LITHODES SANTOLLA). THERE IS NOT A RESTAURANT IN USHUAIA WHERE THESE CRABS DO NOT APPEAR ON THE MENU.

I had arranged to visit a fisherman in Ushuaia on the Friday, while on the Saturday I was due to visit Puerto Almanza, a fishing village 70 kilometres away.

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Jarge Eblin was already waiting for me outside the Pescaderia del Beagle, a fish restaurant on the outskirs of Ushuaica Grey-haired, in his fifthe, with a few days beard and a Clark Delay Beagle and the Company of the Company

Puerto Almanza the next moming looked like an abandoned fishing settlement with a few weekend cottages. A mass of dead shrings the size of my thumb lay washed up on the shore. Apart from a fisherman preparing traps outside a hut there was not a living soult to be seen. Two me arried and started eadying an initiatable boat. Imbetto and Pancho turned out not to be fishermen but shellish formers, who were oping to sink concrete rings in the bay in order to farm mussels. Umbetto explained that the dead strings had been killed by the master as jik end field. This is, form of algal bloom, where algae proliferate so rapidly in thinght conditions that the see is coloured blood-red. When this happers the mussels disobs to takes and selling them is prohibited. Then the shellfish farmers set of in their boot.

An old car stopped on the macadam road at the end of the An old car stopped on the microadam road at the end of the village. The driver greeted me with a miller and introduced thin self as Gopp, the father of kiams, the woman who had given me a litt to Pater of humans in the morning. He invited me to lunch at 1a Providencia Silvestre? his property. This consisted of allow that semanted from the set by a road while the part of a lew thus semanted from the set by a road while the growth of a lew that semanted from the set by a stream and splant Kinnia was sundating in a deckhall by a stream and splant maté. She immediately offered some to me. Gopp's younger anadrous were indemne with the food. Gurthon 14st Older anadrous were indemne with the food. Gurthon 14st Older anadrous were indemne with the food. Gurthon 14st Older anadrous were indemne with the food. Gurthon 14st Older anadrous were indemne with the food. Gurthon 14st Older anadrous were indemne with the food. Gurthon 14st Older anadrous were indemne with the food. Gurthon 14st Older and the food of the food of the semanter and the food of the food of the food of the semanter and the food of the fo Katha was surbathing in a deck-hair by a stream and Spain, and She immedially affered some time Gogo's younger grandson swere playing with the dag. Gauchn I ki older grandson Raub and his son Sebd set up a table termis table and we played a few games. After a tasty furch we went for a short walk in the forest and his son Sebd set up a table termis table as four disciplination of the care of the control of th

THE BOAT BOCKED AND WATER SPLASHED EVERYWHERE! WHEN THE TRAP APPEARED, THEY PULLED IT INTO THE BOAT. IN IT WERE SEVERAL CRABS. WE HAULED UP TWO TRAPS AND RETURNED TO SHORE.