

A vibrant meadow of purple and white wildflowers under a blue sky with clouds.

# Shepherd Michal

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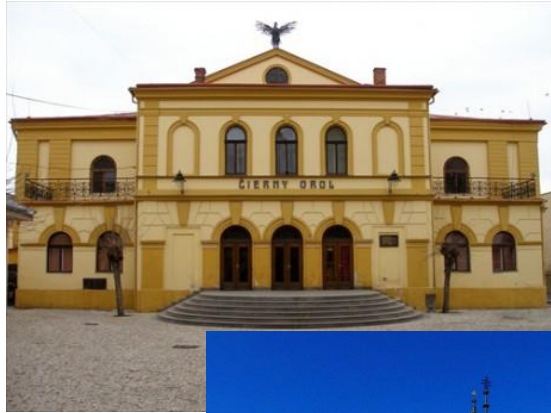
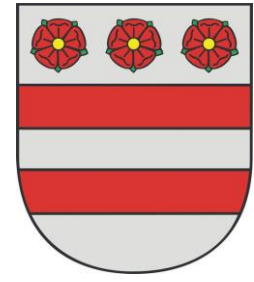
# The legend

The sepherd Michal lived near Prešov. He took care of his sheep as best he could. One day he helped an unknown traveler on his hut. What was his surprise when he came out of the hut in the morning and his sheep stood at the opposite end of the meadow like pillars of salt. Not stabbing when the salt grazed overnight! And what was next? Salt mines are know far and wide.



# Where is Prešov?

Prešov is in East Slovakia. It is the third biggest city of Slovakia.







# Information about Solivar

- Solivar is historically the most important salt deposit.
- Already in the middle ages, salt springs sprunged here.
- Salt has been mined in Solivar near Prešov since the 16th century.
- In 1963, they declared this factory a national cultural monument.



What did he look like  
before?







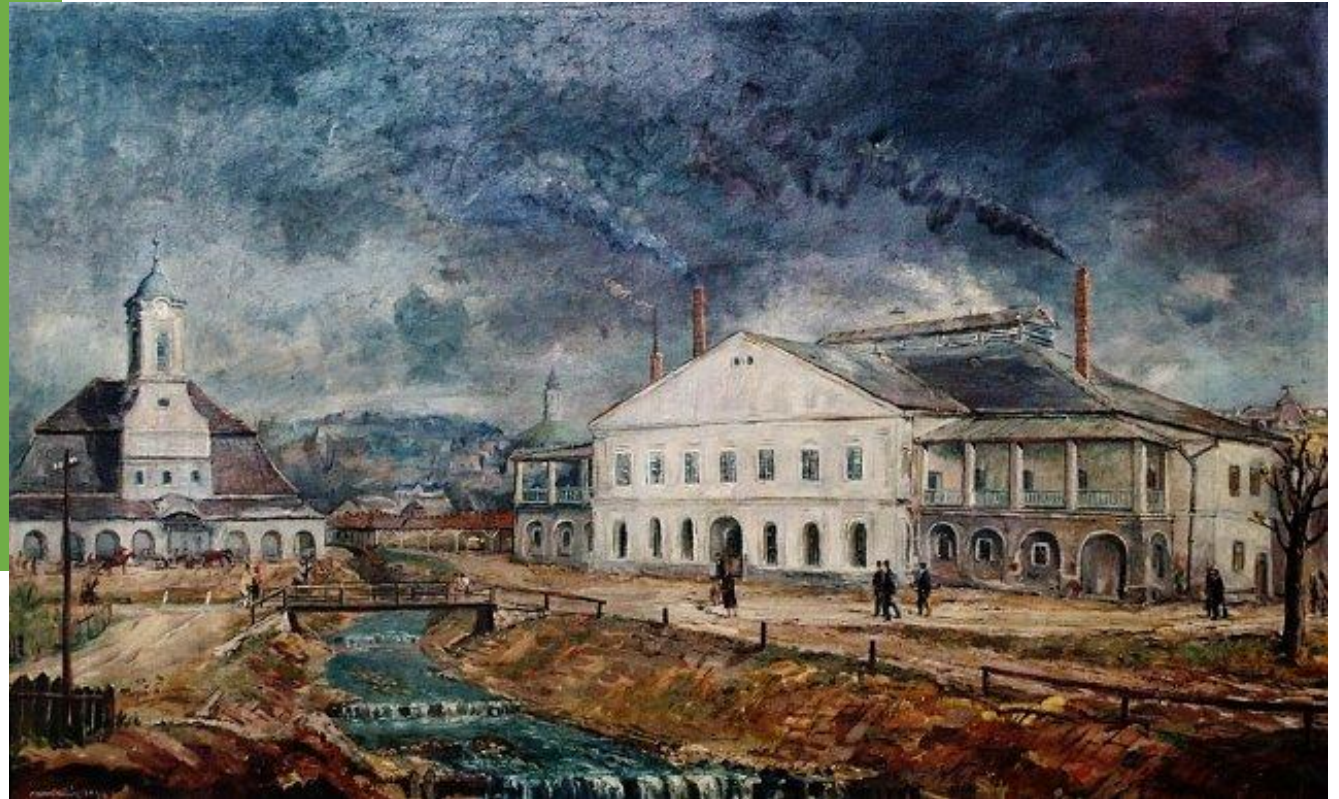
Solivar now





# How the name Solivar arised

- By combining :  
Slovak village Sol'+ near  
Hungrian village Sovar=  
SOLIVAR
- Because it has a historically  
associated with salt mining





Thanks for watching : )

