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Whitey, A Mischievous Piggy



Billy Filled The Big Washtub And Gave Whitey A Good Scrubbing

Little Billy had a very queer idea—he wished to own a pig. He begged his father to buy him one to raise. That is how he happened to own Whitey. Whitey was given his name because he was just a little round fat ball of white. He certainly was a lucky pig! Instead of being shut up in a dirty sty, he was allowed to roam all around the nice clover patch, but he grew into a mischievous little rascal.

One day as Billy came home from school, what should he see but two men leaning over something on the ground which was squealing. The noise sounded like Whitey, so the owner hurried up to see what was the matter. Now, Billy's home was on top of a hill, and the men were just at the foot of it.

"Is this your pig?" they asked, and Billy said it was. Whitey was shaking his head and squealing like anything. "Well," one of the men explained, "as we were coming along the road we saw something rolling down the hill, kicking. We thought we'd stop and see what it was, and when it got down to the foot of the hill we saw it was this little pig with its head stuck in a can. My, how he did holler!"

"Thank you for rescuing him," said Billy politely.

He picked up his pig and went home and there at the front gate stood Mr. Bray, a near neighbor.

"Look ye here, youngster," he said seeing Billy. "Your mother says that little pig is yours. Please see that it doesn't come over into my garden again. It is rooting all over the place."

Billy said he was sorry and promised to keep his pig at home. Then he went around to the back of the house. His father was at the dairy skinning milk.

"Here's some nice buttermilk for your pig," he said. "I'll put it in that big milk can and set it outside for you. Your pig's getting to be a fine, big fellow but you must keep him out of the orchard. If you don't we won't have any cider this winter."

"All right, Dad," said Billy. "I guess I'll have to tie him up."

He got a nice long piece of clothes line and fastened Master Piggie to a maple tree in the meadow. Then the dinner bell rang. While they were all at dinner, they heard a terrible squealing from the meadow. Up jumped Billy and raced to the maple tree. There was Whitey all wound up around the tree, and nearly strangling. His piggy brain couldn't understand that the harder he pulled on the rope the tighter it became. He was beginning to roll up his eyes and go to piggy heaven, when his master came and cut him loose.

"You'd better put a ring on the rope and fasten it to one of your mother's wire clothes lines, then he can run up and down without getting tangled up," advised Dad.

"I'll do that!" agreed Billy. "But this is bath night. I'll have to wash him. Guess I won't bother to finish my dinner."

Billy filled the big wash tub and gave Whitey a good scrubbing though he had to change all his clothes afterwards, the little pig splashed and kicked so, and after all that trouble, Whitey went down to a muddy place in the yard and rolled, until he was dirtier than ever.

That evening Billy made a "running gallery," as he called it, in the clothes yard. The clothes yard was quite near the dairy, and just outside the dairy stood the big, tall can of butter milk.

"Now you can't get into mischief!" said Billy, when he went out to say good night to his pig.

That very night, Billy dreamed that he was on a runaway engine which was whistling awfully. "To-o-o-t, to-o-o-t! Twe-e-et! Que-e-et! Que-e-e-e-et!" — Billy woke up with a start and found his dream was part true. Something was whistling! No, it was a squeal! Whitey of course! Up jumped Billy. He ran to the kitchen and lit the lantern, then he raced out into the yard. But by that time the squeals were lost in a kind of gurgling noise. He peered all around but no Whitey did he see. Then his eye fell on the big milk can, and there he spied two little hind feet sticking out.

He ran and pulled the little feet,

and out came Whitey, almost drowned. Billy was a Junior Boy Scout so he knew what to do for a drowning person. He put his pig on a barrel and rolled him until he came to. Then, my gracious, what a racket. "Quee! Que-e-e-et! Que-e-e-et!" just like a crazy engine whistle. This woke the baby, who began to cry loud and long, and that woke up the rest of the family.

Whitey, it seems, had jumped right plumb straight into the can of butter milk. Billy hadn't thought to move the can away.

Next day, very early, Billy built a rough cage for his pig. But he had to work fast, as he didn't want to be late for school, so he didn't nail the boards quite tight enough. He was half way to school when what did he hear but a little squeal! And there came after him came Whitey!

"I can't stop and take him home," thought Billy. "I'd be late for school, and spoil my report, and I've never been late once. Guess I'll have to take him with me."

So Whitey went to school that day. He was much admired by the other children and they tied him up outside, but he squealed so that teacher said: "I'll excuse you for today, Billy. I'll take that creature away!"

As I said before, Billy's house was in a hill. It was a steep hill, and the schoolhouse was in a valley a good way off. Well, it was hilly all the way home, and Whitey didn't fancy climbing hills. He lay down in the road and wouldn't budge. So Billy had to put him on his back. He was a heavy little pig and Billy reached home all tired out.

"Why don't you sell that pig?" asked Aunt Sara, the cook. "Ah! I'll give you all five dollars for him."

Aunt Sara was Billy's own old nurse, and he knew she was a kind, old body, so he agreed to sell his pig. Well, it was a relief to get rid of Whitey. The next day was Saturday, so there was no school. Billy's mother said: "Aunt Sara's youngest child is being married today. I promised to send over this cake. You take it over, Billy, as soon as you've finished your father's chores."

So Billy was soon on the way to Aunt Sara's home with the cake. Aunt Sara's house was a neat, little cottage with pumpkin vines in front. Billy walked in without knocking, as he knew Aunt Sara so well. There was laughter and sounds of mirth coming from the kitchen. In walked Billy, and there in the kitchen was spread the wedding feast, and there in the middle of the table was a nice steaming roast pig! Even in a dish Billy recognized Whitey. He set his basket down and ran home.

"Oh, Mamma!" he cried. "They're eating Whitey!"

Well, didn't you sell him to Aunt Sara?" replied his mother.

"I never thought he'd make him into eat!" cried Billy. And he rubbed his eyes with his knuckles.

"Never mind, honey," said his mother. "Pigs are meant for food. You ought to be glad he won't bother you any more."

"Whitey! Poor Whitey!" sobbed Billy. "I've waited on him so much I've gotten attached to him. Well, I'll never have another pig!"

FLOWER OMENS

Here is a schedule of superstitions about finding the first flower of the season:

If found on Monday, good luck all the year.

If found on Tuesday, large undertakings will be successful.

If found on Wednesday, a wedding in the family.

If found on Thursday, hard work with little profit.

If found on Friday, unexpected wealth.

If found on Saturday, misfortunes.

If found on Sunday, best luck of all.

PAVLIHA MED UCENIMI

Pavliha pride v veliko mesto, kjer je bila visoka šola. Tukaj se razglasi za velikega mojstra v odgovarjanju na sleherni vprašanje ter napiše to tudi na ogle, ki jih nabije na cerkvena vrata in na vrata visoke šole. Tako ustene razjezi voditelja te šole in z njim vred so pisano gledali tudi vsi učitelji in visokošolci. Sklenjeno zatorej, da pokličejo Pavliha predse ter ga izkušajo s tako težkimi vprašanji, da jim ne bo kos, potem pa — so rekli — mu prilijejo kropa in ga spravijo v sramoto. Na to izpraševanje obljubijo priti vsi učitelji in šolci ter se razgovarjati s Pavlihom o učnih stvarih, voditelj šole sam pa naj izprašuje.

Kakor so sklenili, tako store. Pošlejo po Pavliha in ga povabijo, naj pride drugi dan odgovarjati na vseh vrst vprašanj.

"Povej svojim gospodom," reče Pavliha slu, ki mu bo prinesel vabilo, "povej jim, da pridem in se jim poskušam vse bolj prebrisan, kakor si mislijo."

Drugo jutro se res zbera vsi učitelji in učenjaki in z njimi mnogi šolci. S Pavlihom pa pridejo v visoko šolo njegov krmar, več meščanov in dobrih tovaršev, zakaj tudi po mestu se je razvedelo o tem učenem razgovoru in Pavliho prijetelj so se bali, da bi ga na visoki šoli mogli zapasti.

Ko se prostorna dvorana napolni do zadnjega kotička, povabi voditelj Pavliha, naj stopi pred mizo in odgovarja na njegova vprašanja.

Prvo vprašanje, ki ga je postavil voditelj visoke šole Pavlihu, je bilo, da naj pove in po resnici dokaže, koliko vode je v morju. Če na vprašanje ne odgovori — mu reče voditelj — in ne dokaže, ga obsodijo in kaznujejo kot nevednega in bahavega zaničevalca visoke učenosti.

Pavliha kar nič ne pomišlja in odgovori: "Učeni gospod, nič lažnega ko to. Samo prosim, ukažite, da se ustavijo vse vode, ki od raznih strani teko v morje, pa vam zmerim in dokažem in po pravici povem, koliko je v morju vode."

Učeni gospodje z visoke šole kajpak niso mogli ustaviti vseh voda, pa so zatorej morali Pavlihu spregledati tudi izmerjenje morja. Zato pa mu da voditelj drugo vprašanje rekoč:

"Povej nam, koliko je preteklo dni od Adamovega kasa do danes?"

Pavliha se odzove na kratko: "Sedem." — In ko vidi, kako začudeno ga vsi gledajo, nadaljuje: "Kadar je preteklo prvih sedem, je prišlo sedem novih, za temni septem drugih in tako jih bo po sedem vsevidi do konca sveta."

Tudi temu odgovoru niso mogli prigovarjati, zato vpraša voditelj v tretje:

"Brž nam povej, kje je sredina zemlje?"

"Prav tukaj, kjer stojimo," odgovori Pavliha. "Če ne verjamete, vzemite pripravno vrvi in zmerimo. Če sem se le za las zmotil, nimam prav."

Vsi učeni gospodje so kar tiho, za-

First Delegate!



ANTON PRIMC, JR.

The young man pictured above is Anton Primc, Jr., member and delegate of Hirska Vila lodge, No. 173, SSSU of Cleveland. Delegate Primc enjoys the distinction of being the first candidate to be declared delegate to the 2nd juvenile convention, to be held in Ely, Minn., in August of this year. With the juvenile convention campaign but a few days old, Hirska Vila lodge startled the Nova Doba readers and members with the announcement that the Home Office received and approved thirty new juvenile members which were credited to Anton Primc, Jr.

kaj tudi sami rajši verjamejo, kakor da bi hodili merit.

"Zdaj pa še povej," reče voditelj, "hudo nevoljen, 'kako daleč je od zemlje do nebes?'"

"Ne prav daleč," reče Pavliha. "Če zdo glasno govorim na zemlji, se sliši v nebesa. Gospod, kar pojditte gor, az pa bom tukaj odgovoril in stavim, da me boste lahko slišali. Če pa ne boste slišali, rečite, da nimam prav."

Cepprav je vse navzoče učenjake močno imelo, ker Pavlihu niso mogli do lvega, so vendar morali molčati tudi na ta njegov odgovor. Prav tako tudi na to, kar je odgovoril na vprašanje, kako globoko je morje, ko je dejal takole:

"Merje je globoko, kolikor pade vanj kamen: zakaj kamen, ki ga vržete v morje, pade na dno."

"In kako velika so nebesa," ga še vpraša voditelj, "a kar pove Pavliha: 'Tisot seznajem počez in tisoč seznajem podlož. Če ne verjamete, snemite z neba sonce, mesec in zvezde ter vse natančno zmerite; pa boste videli, če imam prav ali ne.'"

Kaj so hoteli zdaj učeni gospodje in vsi visokošolci z njimi? Nič. Nerodno jim je bilo, da ga niso mogli ugnati v kozli rog, videli pa so tudi da je prezvit, da bi mu mogli do živega. Zato se z njim lepo poslovi in gredo s poboženimi nosovi vsak sebi.

— Zvonček —

ZVESTI ČUVAJ

H kmetu, ki je imel svoje obširno posestvo v roko v hribih, je hodila poročila v obiske lisica in mu izmikala največje kokeši. Gospodarju je začelo početi se štirinajstne grčnice predati in kupil je velikega psa čuvalca. Lisica seveda ni o tem nič vedela in ko se je kmalu nato spet predzno vtihovala v kokešnjak, je zvesti čuvalci dvignili tolikšen vrišč, da sta gospodar in hlapec na mah skočila pokenci in preden se je zvitorepka dobro zavedla nevarnosti, je bila že zapetena.

Vso prestrašeno ujetnico sta potem močaka poti nila v star zaboj in postavila zraven psa čuvalca.

"Zdaj pa le dobro čuvaj do zjutraj!" veli gospodar psu in ga pohvalno potrepi po hrbtu.

Ko se nato gospodar in hlapec zopet odstranita, zaprosi lisica:

"Kukek-bratec! Izpusti me na svobodo! Kaj ti koristi moja poguba? Če me izpustiš, ti hočem prinesiti za plačilo vsak večer po eno kokoš, ki jo ugrabim pri kakem kmetu!"

"Ne jem kosmatih kokoši," odvrne kuža ponosno.

"No, saj lovim tudi druge živali," poskuša lisica dalje, "in ti lahko prineseš vsako noč kos mesa!"

"Ni potreba," se poroga zvesti čuvalci, "kajti zdaj, ko sem pomagal ujeti tebe, mi bo gospodar že sam rad postregel z mesom."

To reki se kuža, slep in gluha za vse lišičje prošnje vleže pred zaboj in ostane tam do jutra.

Zjutraj pa se je lisica zvrnila, zadeta od gospodarjeve puške.

Ivan Albrecht:

JASNO NEBO

Vidiš, očka, koliko zvezd po nebu nasejanih! Nama sveti vsak večer! Kaj deš, ali bi lahko eno kdaj ujel svetlo?

"Lahko, ljubček, a samo kdaj in kje in pa kako, tega nisi oče tvoj ne razume, dragi moj! Le tako se zdi mu to: Če bova svetlo živela, v močni vrvi razporela, bo z neba se zvezda snela zate, sinček, in povsod za naš naš boljši mladi rod!"

APRIL

April, the month of sunshine and showers;
April, the month of budding flowers;
First month of spring of which poets sing,
And happy sunshiny hours.

April, the month of balmy days
April, the month for outdoor plays,
A time of joys for girls and boys
With its happy-go-lucky ways.

AN APRIL SHOWER!



To be colored with paints or crayons. Whenever you come to a word spelled in CAPITAL letters use that color.

Brown-haired Teddy and Yellow-haired Susie May are caught in an April shower! Teddy has his BLUE jacket pulled up with both hands and he is going as fast as he can.

"Oh dear!" cries Susie May. "My lovely YELLOW straw hat will be ruined! It has such pretty RED and PURPLE morning glories on it!"

"The water might freshen them up a bit!" shouts Teddy.

"Look at poor Fritz! He's afraid his new RED collar might get wet too!"

says Susie May. Fritz is White with BLACK ears and tail.

Teddy wears a little RED cap and GRAY (use BLACK lightly) trousers. His shoes are BROWN and his socks are White.

The sky is GRAY-BLUE and the cloud is GRAY with a bit of YELLOW sunshine peeking out.

Susie May has a PINK (use RED lightly) dress on and her socks match her dress and her slippers are BLACK.

The little house has a RED chimney and a BROWN roof. The sides of the house are PINK.

The grass is bright GREEN and the pavement is GRAY.

Both children have PINK cheeks and RED lips.

"Oh, this April weather just cannot be depended upon!" says Susie May. "The sun was shining like anything when we started out!"

"And I think it will be shining away like anything when we get home!" shouts Teddy.

"Yes, and I do believe I see it peeking out this very minute!" says Susie May, glancing up as she runs.

"Bow-wow!" barks Fritz. He doesn't mind any weather and really likes a good run.

The border of this picture can be colored GREEN and the lettering a bright RED.

Lodge 148 Juveniles To Sing April 17th



On Saturday, April 17th, Lodge No. 148, SSSU of Finleyville, Pa., will hold a dance in the Slovene National Home of Hackett, Pa., and as an added feature the lodge will present a program of songs during intermission to be sung by its own juvenile members.

Pictured above are the juvenile singers, everyone of whom is a member of the SSSU branch, No. 148. They will sing Slovene favorites in the Slovene language.

Gustav Strniša:

OTROCI IN PIRHI

"Lani ste sami barvali piruhe. Tudi letos jih dobite vsak pet, a pet za vsakega jih bom obročila sama!" je rekla Jerinova mati Urša in vprašaje pogledala svoje tri otroke.

"Lani sem jih zakopal v mravišče in mravlje so jih krasno pobarvale s svojo kislino. Tudi letos jih bom zakopala," se je oglašil najstarejši. Jurček.

"Midva s sosedovim Tomažem jih bova sama kuhala v čebuli, da bodo epri rjavli," je del Andrejec. Hčerka Anica pa je molčala.

"Ali jih ti ne maraš že zdaj? Ali hočeš same pobarvane piruhe?" jo e vprašala mati.

"Mama, prosim, le kar dajte mi jih!"

"Kam boš pa ti z njimi?"

Anica je boječje odvrnila:

"Tje v Podlog jih nesem tistemu malemu Cirilu, saj ga poznate. Tako vesel in pogumen deček je, a reven kakor cerkevna miška. Nikoli ne vzdihuje in se ne čmeri, vendar je včasih tako lačen, da mu kar slabo priha. Videla sem ga zadnjič, ko je počival v travi. Ko sem ga vprašala, kaj mu je, se je zasmejal:

"Ves, Anica, prazno je v trebuhu, a bo kmalu boljše, saj bomo opoldne jedli slastni koruzni močniki!"

"Pa bi mu nesla rajši pobarvane piruhe."

"Jaz si mislim, da je boljše, če mu jih že zdaj dam. Če je lačen, naj mu pa mati skuha jajčno jed!"

"Si že pridna deklica, le nesí jih!" to je pohvalila mati. In vsak je dobil svoj del ter šel srečen svojo pot.

Jurček je nesel jajca v mravišče in jih zakopal vanj. Bil je preveč razmišljen v svoje delo in ni opazil berčaka Ciro, ki je ležal pod bližnjim grmom in ga zadovoljno opazoval.

Ko je Jurček odšel, se je Ciza zadovoljno namahnil:

"Tanti! Leto na bo nič s tvojimi družili! Fometneje bo, če jih kar jaz obrustam, mesto da bi imele se mravlje z njimi opravka, saj imajo le revice itak preveč dela!"

In keraž Ciza je jajca odkopal. Dve je kar eurovi izpil in se zadovoljno obotil, a tri je spravil v žep in si jih privoščil za večerjo.

Andrejec in sosedov Tomažek sta pekla krompir na njivi za hišo. Vzela ta star lonce, pristavila čebulo in ročica vanj vseh pet jajc, da bi dobili lepo rjavo barvo.

Pa je Tomažku zbežljala krava. Zakričal je Andrejec:

"Pograbi lonce!"

Bilo je že prepozno, kajti krava je dirjala prav mimo njega, potepala je orevanj in stovala na lonce, da so se piruhi zdrobili.

Anica je nesla svoj dar revnemu Cirilu. Njegov oče je bil dober zidar, a ni mogel dobiti dela. Prav tišete dni pa je poslal ponj njegov bliski mlajšer in spet se je naselilo veselje v njihovem domu.

Pod mrak je sedel oče pred hišo. In tedaj je prišla Anica in vprašala za Cirila. Oče ji je povedal, da je na travi za hišo. Odslej je tje in mu izročila svoj velkonočni dar.

"Nista imela sreče!" je odvrnila mati in dala vsakemu pet rdečih ročenih piruhov.

Tedaj so se odprla vrata in vstopila je Cirilček. Prismojnjala je se veselje kakor vedno. Zadovoljenega obraza je pokazal klobuček, ki ga je imel v roki.

"A, a, a!" so vzdiknili vsi trije. Cirilček pa je prijazno rekel:

"Naš oče so dobili spet službo in so prav zadovoljni. Vašo družino lepo pozdravljajo in ji voščijo srečne praznike. Tobi, Anica, so pa poslali te-le piruhe, ker si se me spomnila v stiski."

Anici so oči vesela začarele. Mati se je nasmešnila in Cirilčka pogladila po koderasti glavi. Jurček in Andrejec sta se žalostno namrdnala in molče odšla iz hiše.

"Kakšni so tvoji piruhi?" je vpra-



SARDINE SANDWICHES

Drain the oil from a can of sardines.

Pick over, being careful to remove tails, bones and all objectionable portions.

Mash the fish with a silver fork.

Mix with equal parts of boiled dressing or mayonnaise.

Cut day-old bread into thin slices.

Spread one slice with butter and lay a piece of lettuce on it.

Spread a second slice with the sardine mixture.

Press together and trim off crusts.

Cut into two parts and wrap in paraffin paper unless the sandwich is to be served at once.

Manica:

UPRAVIČEN STRAH

Hišna gospodinja vede nekoč na vrtu n klopico, da se odpočije. To priliko takoj porabi muca, ki ji urno skoči v naročje ter se ji laska, kar najbolje ve in zna. Gospodinja priliznjeno muca prijazno poboža.

V tem priskalja v bližino domačega zajčeka, ki pridno hrusta zeleno travico. Gospodinja hoče pobožati tudi zajčica, a ta preplašeno odskoči.

"Mijav-drnav," se mu posmehuje muca, "sram te bodi, plašljivec dolgočas! Gospodinja ti vendar daje hrano in vraga česar potrebuješ, ti pa bežiš pred njo ha, ha, ha!"

Zajček stopi spet korak bližje, porinje z goščkom in pravi:

"Čuj me, muc dolgorepi! Svoji goščkarci sem jaz prav gotovo vsaj toliko hvalen kot ti. Toda dovolj da te vprašam: ali si že kdaj videl pečenega mačka na ražnju?"

"Bodasto vprašanje," se čudi muca. "Saj vendar veš, da kaj takega nisem videl še nikoli!"

"Tudi jaz še ne, dragi muc. Tem večkrat sem pa že opazil na ražnju pečenega zajca in to je tisto, pred katerim imam upravičen strah!"

Janko Polak:

PESEM

Za prgišče zemlje
v trdi skali ni
all glej, drevesce
drobno raste v nji.

Tudi srce naše
je majhno je tako!
V njem imate prostor
peklo in nebo...

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POMLAD VSEPOVSOD

Pomlad je čas prebujenja, živahnega gibanja, samozavesti, rasti in napredka. V naravi se kaže vse to na ti-soč načinov. Led, ki je pokrival reke in jezera, se lomi in izginja. Pomladno deževje izpira zimsko nesnago in jo odnaša v burnih in kalnih hudournikih. Gozdovi, vrtovi in poljane se pokrivajo s svežim zelenjem in cvetjem. Ptice grade gnezda za mladi rod in prepevajo vesele pomladne himne. Farmerji in vrtnarji pomagajo naravi, da bo obilnejši njen cvet in sad. Vriskajoča mladina prekipava pomladne radosti.

Pomlad v prenešenem pomenu pa vidimo tudi drugod. Ljudske množice se dramijo in zahtevajo svoj prostor na soncu. Te množice hočejo delati, toda zahtevajo tudi pošten delež od produktov svojega dela. Zapostavljeni, prezirani in izkoriščani delavci so se zavedli svoje moči in važnosti in zahtevajo, kar jim gre. Iščejo poti v boljše razmere, kakor iščejo pomladne vode primerne struge; ako je ne najdejo, se grozeče razlijejo po izhojenih potih in zagrajenih vrtovih. Glas ljudskih množic postaja vedno močnejši, vedno odločnejši. In pred temi zahtevami padajo trdnjave, ki so se do nedavnega smatrale za nepremagljive.

Kdo si je mislil še pred nekaj meseci, da se bodo zahtevam delavstva uklonile trdnjave, kakor so jeklar-ske, avtomobilske in druge močne korporacije! Kdo si je mislil pred nekaj leti, da se bo delavstvo prebudilo in se zavedlo, kako velika moč je v lastnih organizacijah! Kdo si je mislil pred nekaj meseci, da se bo končno začel lomiti tudi led okoli odločb vrhovnega sodišča! Toda to se je zgodilo in to se godi ter dokazuje, da je v deželi pomlad, nova pomlad; ki bo rodila cvet in sad večje svobode, večjih pravic in večjega blagostanja za široke ljudske sloje. Pomladne vihere so včasih neprijetne komednost navajenim posameznikom, toda so potrebne za splošni blagor. Sedanjí nemirni časi niso posebno povšeči tistim, ki se komodno zvirajo v bogatem razkošju, katero so jim s fizičnim ali duševnim delom nagrmadili izkoriščani delavski sloji vseh vrst, toda morali se bodo navaditi na izpremembe. Te izpremembe je prinesla in jih prinaša pomlad v misljenju in nazorih ljudskih množic. Pozdravljena, pomlad, ki obetaš večje splošno blagostanje!

Pomladno razpoloženje je zavladovalo tudi v naši J. S. K. Jednoti. Saj je 1937 leto naše mladinske konvencije, ki pomeni pomlad ali pomlajenje organizacije. Naša organizacija more le toliko časa ostati mlada, zdrava in močna, dokler dobiva dotok novih članov. Kakor pri drugih sličnih organizacijah, tako tudi pri naši dobiva odrasli oddelek največ prirastka iz mladinskega oddelka. Brez te rezerve v mladinskem oddelku, bi začelo število odraslega članstva nazadovati, povprečna starost bi se višala in solventnost organizacije bi se manjšala. S prestopanjem zdravih mladih članov iz mladinskega v odrasli oddelek pa organizacija vzdržuje zdravo balanco, oziroma še napreduje po članstvu in v solventnosti.

Logično je torej, da bi morali vsi tisti člani, katerim je v resnici pri srečju zdrav obstoj in napredek Jednote, posvetiti največjo pozornost našemu mladinskemu oddelku. Močan mladinski oddelek pomeni močno Jednoto.

Ko je bil pred leti ustanovljen naš mladinski oddelek, si v splošnem nismo predstavljali, da bo kdaj igral tako važno vlogo pri naši organizaciji. Takrat je bilo še primeroma lahko dobivati člane naravnost v odrasli oddelek, ker so se vedno prihajali naši sorojaki iz starega kraja. Ko pa je bilo nekaj let po zaključku svetovne vojne priseljevanje v Zedinjene države skoro popolnoma ustavljeno, smo se v skrbah začeli vpraševati, kaj bo. Kar je pravega materiala prišlo iz starega kraja v to deželo neposredno po svetovni vojni, smo polagoma pobrali, in potem smo ugibali, kaj nam prinese bodočnost.

Skoro edino svetlo točko smo videli v našem mladinskem oddelku, ki je do takrat veljal za nekaj prive-sek. In prav ta mala svetla točka se je izkazala za zvez-do rešiteljico, kljub trditvam pesimistov, da bo primero-ma malo mladinskih članov prestopilo v odrasli oddelek, ko dosežejo predpisano starost. Ti pesimisti so se izka-zali za prav slabe preroke, kajti izkušnje so pokazale, da je mladinski oddelek najboljši in skoro edini vir dotoka za odrasli oddelek.

Danes menda ni odraslega člana, ki bi se ne zavedal

Iz urada glavne-ga tajnika JSKJ

NOVI MLADINSKI CERTIFIKATI

Pri zadnjem letnem zborovanju je glavni odbor odobril dva nova zavarovalniška načrta za naš mladinski oddelek. Ta dva načrta bosta znana kot načrt "JB" in načrt "JC". Certifikati, ki smo jih do zdaj izdajali, ostanejo v veljavi še za naprej in bodo znani kot certifikati načrta "JA".

Certifikati novega načrta "JB" bodo takozvani \$1000 izpremenljivi certifikati do starosti 18 let in mesečni asesmenti na te certifikate bodo znašali \$1.00. Izdajali jih bomo otrokom v starosti od dneva rojstva do 16. leta. Te vrste certifikati bodo imeli dvojno neizgubljivo vrednost, prvič, podaljšano zavarovalnino s pričetkom ob koncu 3. leta od dneva izstavitve, in drugič, gotovino ob dovršitvi 18. leta. Če bi na primer opisali vašega otroka predno je izpolnil eno leto in bi po preteku štirih let vsled kakega vzroka prenehali plačevati zanj, tedaj bi bil njegov certifikat v veljavi še 10 let in 226 dni, ne da bi vam bilo treba plačati kak nadaljnji asesment, in če bi otrok med tem časom umrl, bi bili upravičeni do smrtnine, ki je za starost ob času otrokove smrti določena v certifikatu. Če bi prenehali plačevati zanj potem, ko je bil že 10 let v mladinskem oddelku, bi certifikat ostal v veljavi še 7 let in vrhu tega bi prešli še 94.00 ob času, ko je otrok dovršil 18. leto. Če bi pa obdržali otroka v tem načrtu do njegovega 18. leta, potem bi Jednota izplačala \$193.00 v gotovini. Vsota smrtnine, ki bi jo Jednota izplačala pod tem načrtom, bi bila odvisna od starosti otroka ob času smrti. Ako bi otrok umrl predno je dovršil eno leto, bi izplačali \$25.00; ako bi umrl pred 2. letom, bi izplačali \$50.00; ako bi umrl pred 3. letom, bi izplačali \$75.00; ako bi umrl pred 4. letom, bi izplačali \$100.00; ako bi umrl pred 5. letom, bi izplačali \$150.00; ako bi umrl pred 6. letom, bi izplačali \$200.00; ako bi umrl pred 7. letom, bi izplačali \$300.00; ako bi umrl pred 8. letom, bi izplačali \$400.00; ako bi umrl pred 9. letom, bi izplačali \$500.00; ako bi umrl pred 10. letom, bi izplačali \$600.00; ako bi umrl pred 11. letom, bi izplačali \$700.00; ako bi umrl pred 12. letom, bi izplačali \$800.00; ako bi umrl pred 13. letom, bi izplačali \$900.00 in ako bi umrl po dovršenem 13. letu, tedaj bi izplačali \$1000.00 smrtnine. Vsak član mladinskega načrta "JB" bi po dovršenem 16. letu lahko prestopil v odrasli oddelek in v tem slučaju bi mu gotovinsko vrednost njegovega certifikata izplačali v gotovini.

Certifikati novega mladinskega načrta "JC" so takozvani 20-let plačilni certifikati (20-year payment life certificates), katere bomo izdajali otrokom v starosti od dneva rojstva pa do 16. leta. Te vrste certifikate bomo izdajali za \$500.00 in za \$1000.00. Certifikati tega načrta bodo imeli iste neizgubljive vrednosti kot certifikati načrta "B" odraslega oddelka, namreč gotovinsko in posojilno vrednost, pravico do podaljšane zavarovalnine (Extended Insurance) in pravico do vplačanega certifi-kata (Paid-up Insurance). Mesečni asesment za \$500.00 zavarovalnine bo znašal 85 centov, za \$1000.00 pa \$1.60.

Pogodbe za gorinavedene certifikate bodo narejene med de-diči, kar zamorejo biti stariši, varuhi ali osebe, ki skrbijo za vzgojo otrok, in med Jednoto. To pomeni, da bi gotovinsko vrednost certifikata načrta "JB" ob dovršitvi 18. leta ne izplačali otroku, ampak dediču imenovanemu v certifikatu, v neomejeno oblast certifikata načrta "JC" bi pa otroci prišli šele ob času, ko dosežejo polnoletnost.

Za stariše ali redilce imajo gornji certifikati dve vrste posebnosti, prvič, zavarovani so za slučaj otrokove smrti, in dru-gič, prihranili si bodo gotovo vsoto denarja, ki bo otrokom tako potreben za nadaljnjo šolanje.

Naročila za gornje certifikate bomo sprejemali takoj in v to svrhu naj se rabijo iste prošnje kot za dosedajne certifikate, katere bomo, kot že rečeno, v bodoče imenovali certifikate načrta "JA". Društveni tajniki so naprošeni, da na vsaki prošnji za sprejem označijo načrt, v katerega je bil otrok vpisan.

Certifikate načrta "JA", ki smo jih izdajali do sedaj in na katere se plačuje po 15 centov mesečno, bomo izdajali tudi v bo-doče. Te vrste certifikate smemo izdajati v vseh državah.

Certifikate načrta "JB" in "JC" ne bomo smeli izdajati v državah Idaho, Maryland, New Mexico, Ohio in West Virginia.

V državah Indiana, New York in Montana bomo smeli izda-jati certifikate načrta "JB" in za \$500.00 načrta "JC", certifi-katov za \$1000.00 načrta "JC" pa ne.

Nadaljne informacije glede navedenih načrtov sledijo.

Z bratskim pozdravom,

Anton Zbašnik,
glavni tajnik.

VSAK PO SVOJE

(Nadaljevanje s 1. strani)

"Tiho, sinček," ga modro po-svარი oče, "nikar ne zaničuj re-večev! Nič se ne ve, kaj bo še iz tebe kdaj!"

Prva res pomladna nedelja v začetku aprila. Sonce se prita-jeno smeje skozi prav tanko o-blačno kopreno, ki je raztegne-na čez nebesni svod. Razposaje-ni aprilski vetrovi se podijo pre-ko parka in golo drevje se vije v radostnem pomladnem pričako-vanju. Pomladna nunka že div-ga tisočere rumene, bele, rožna-te in višnjeve cvetne čaše, kot bi napivala vsemu svetu, in zgod-nje čebele so prve, ki hite od ča-še do čaše in srkajo sladki napo-je. Cvetni popki japonskih črešenj, cidonij in zlatega dežja se drže naprčeno kot bi imeli

velike vrednosti našega mladinskega oddelka. Zato je tudi zadnja redna konvencija odobrila sistem naših mladinskih konvencij, katerih glavni namen je predhodna kampanja za nove mladinske člane. Mladinska konven-cija sama je v glavnem le plačilo za kampanjske uspehe. Potrudimo se, da bo letos vsaj 100 delegatov in delega-tinj na mladinski konvenciji, ker to bo pomenilo tri ti-soč novih članov!

Po komaj zeleneči travi ko-rakajo ali smešno poskakujejo robini in vlečejo iz tal makaro-naste gliste. Razni manjši ptič-ki se preganjajo od drevesa do drevesa in tu in tam se spuščajo na tla. Včasih kateri zagostoli drobno melodijo, kakor delajo muzikanti, ki se pripravljajo na koncert in preskušajo svoje in-strumente.

Na široki planoti vriskajo ma-li dečki in spuščajo v zrak papir-nate zmaje. Druga skupina ne-koliko večjih dečkov igra base-ball.

V dolini se motno svetlikajo kalne vode potoka. Izmed sivo-rjavega golega drevja se zeleno odražajo košate vrbe, ki sicer še nimajo listja, vendar so jim ve-je zelene. Po cesti brze avtomo-bili vseh plemen, barv in staro-sti. Vsem se mudi bogvekam.

Od časa do časa pripeketa po pločniku skupina živahnih de-klic. Glasno se smejejo, lica jim rde kot mak med pšenico in v očeh jim gori zagonetni pomla-dni blesk. V aprilskem vetru se zdijo njih krila kot peruti ptic rajčic, pripravljenih za zlet.

Po mehki stezici doli ob potoku pa se sprehajajo mladi par-čki in si pripovedujejo sladke neumnosti, katerih ne bi zame-njali za pridige in predavanja največjih učenjakov. In to je najboljši dokaz, da je v deželi res pomlad.

Imel sem namen napisati čis-to kaj drugega, toda zmotila me je Pomlad, najlepša med najlepšimi. Kdo se more ustav-ljati njenim čarom? Jaz ne, in če bi se mogel, bi se ne hotel. Ko-lona je zvrhana in lahko konč-am.

Ako se vam bo po prečitaniu gornjega začelo zdehati, spom-nite se na tistega californijskega profesorja, ki trdi, da je zde-hanje jako koristno za zdravlje. Torej, zdravje in pomlad: kaj več bi še hoteli!

A. J. T.

DRUŠTVENE IN DRUGE SLOVENSKE VESTI

(Nadaljevanje s 1. strani)

bo vršil v Slovenski delavski dvorani na Prince Ave. in se bo pričel ob treh popoldne.

Na pomladnem koncertu pev-skega zbora "Save" v Chicagu, ki bo v nedeljo 18. aprila ob treh popoldne v dvorani Pilsen So-kol na 1814 So. Ashland Ave., bo sodeloval tudi operni in kon-certni pevec Anton Šubelj iz New Yorka.

V duhteč dim dobre cigare so zavite želje in voščila urednika za vso srečo mlademu paru. To sta namreč bivša Miss Edith Palcic, hčerka znane Palčiće-ve družine v Gowandi, N. Y., in Frank Drobnic iz Clevelanda. Oba sta člana JSKJ.

RAZNO IZ AMERIKE IN INOZEMSTVA

(Nadaljevanje s 1. strani)

kemu senatorju, da bo predlog gotovo sprejet tudi v senatu.

DEPORTACIJA INOZEMCEV

Delavski department zvezne vlade pripravlja nov predlog, tikajoč se deportacije nezaželje-nih inozemcev. O dotičnem pred-logu bo kongres začel razprav-ljati v bližnji bodočnosti. Ako bo predlog sprejet, bo nudi-l znatne ugodnosti inozemcem do-brega karakterja, četudi so pri-šli nepostavno v to deželo, omo-gočil pa bo deportacijo raznih kriminalcev in raketirjev, kate-re zdaj ščiti postava.

NOVA LETALSKA NESREČA

V snežnih zametih Baly go-rovja v Arizoni je pretekli teden ponesrečil velik nov aeroplan Douglas Aircraft korporacije, ki je bil namenjen iz Californi-je v New York in od tam s par-nikom na Holandsko. Na aéro-planu sta bila dva pilota in šest njunih prijateljev, in vsi so bili ubiti. Ponesrečeni aeroplan so našli letalci in reševalno moš-vo je po silnih naporih prišlo do

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Vse stvari, tikajoče se uradnih zadev, naj se pošiljajo na glavnega tajnika denarne pošiljave pa na glavnega blagajnika. Vse prilože in prizive naj se pošiljajo na predsednika porotnega odbora. Prošnje za sprejem novih članov, prošnje za zvišanje zavarovalnine in bolniška apricavanja naj se pošiljajo na vrhovnega zdravnika.
Dopisil, društvena naznanila, oglaš, naročila članov in izpremembe slo-voev naj se pošiljajo na naslov: Nova Doba, 6233 St. Clair Ave., Cleveland, O.
Jugoslovanska Katoliška Jednota v Ameriki je najboljša jugoslovanska zavarovalnica v Zedinjenih državah in plačuje najliberalnejšo podporo svojim članom. Jednota je zastopana skoro v vsaki večji slovenski naselbini v Ameriki in koder hoče poslati njen član, naj se zgodi pri tajniku lokalnega društva ali pa naj piše na glavni urad. Novo društvo se lahko ustanovi z 8 člani, bodisi plemen, neoziraje se na njih vero, politične pripadnosti ali narodnost. Jednota sprejema tudi otroke v starosti od dneva rojstva do 16. leta in ostanejo lahko v mladinskem oddelku do 18. leta. Prispevka za oba oddelka je prosta.
Premoženje znaša nad \$2,000,000.00. Solventnost Jednote znaša 112.42%

NAGRADE V GOTOVINI

ZA NOVOPRIDOBLENE ČLANE ODRASLEGA MLADINSKEGA ODDELKA DAJE J. S. K. JEDNOTA GRADE V GOTOVINI.

Za vsakega novopridobljenega člana mladinskega delka je predlagatelj deležen 50 centov nagrade.

Za novopridobljene člane odraslega oddelka pa so T lagatelji deležni sledečih nagrad:

za člana, ki se zavaruje za \$ 250.00 smrtnine \$1.25 nagrade
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za člana, ki se zavaruje za \$3,000.00 smrtnine \$8.00 nagrade

Te nagrade so v veljavi za nove člane, pridobljene februarja 1937 naprej. Jednota jih izplača šele potem, ko novi član vplača vsaj tri asesmente.

ponesrečencev. Kaj je bilo vzrok nesreče, ni znano. To je že zve-eta večja letalska nesreča v tej deželi tekom treh mesecev.

Vpriču teh ponavljajočih se letalskih nesreč, se je vredno spomniti, kakšen krik je pred nekaj leti zagnalo kapitalistično časopisje, ko je predsednik Roosevelt odredil, da zračno po-što prevažajo vojaški letalci, in je bilo pri tem poslu nekaj letal-cev ubitih. O sedanjih letalskih nesrečah, za katere so odgovor-ne privatne družbe, pa kapitali-stični listi poročajo kot o čisto navadnih dnevnih dogodkih.

LINDBERGH V JUGO-SLAVIJI

V Zagrebu, Jugoslavija, je dne 6. aprila pristal letalski pol-kovnik Charles A. Lindbergh s soprogo, vračajoč se z večmeseč-nega letalskega potovanja na-zaj v Anglijo. Drugi dan je od-plul proti Nemčiji in potem da-lje v Anglijo.

KRVOPRELITEV V ETIOPIJI

V New York se je pred nekaj dnevi vrnil James L. Rohr-baugh, ameriški misijonar in bivši časnikarski reporter v Ad-dis Ababi, in je povedal, da je bilo po bombnem atentatu na italijanskega poveljnika Grazi-ana v dveh dneh poklanih in po-streljenih okrog 3,000 Etiopcev. Ko je Rohrbaugh dne 15. marca zapustil Etiopijo, so se eksekucije domačinov še vedno vršile, toda v "manjši" meri. Bombni napad na skupino italijanskih dostojanstvenikov v Addis Ababi je bil izvršen 19. februarja; poveljnik Graziani je bil pri tem ranjen na roki in nogi.

ZARADI ZENSKE

Znano je, da se je nedavno biv-ši angleški kralj Edward odpo-vedal prestolu samo zaradi te-ga, ker mu kot kralju ni bilo do-voljeno poročiti Američanko Mrs. Simpson, ki ni kraljevske-ga rodu. Pretekli teden pa je došlo iz Rumunije poročilo, da se je moral odreči vsem kralje-

VRTNA DELA SEZONA

(Nadaljevanje s 1. strani)

nejo marjelice in mačhe ne-ve in izgube 95 procentov s-lepote. Za zgodnje pomlajevanje, posebno če ga ho-čemo imeti takoj in za majhen de-l, pa te ljubke pomladne cvet-nimajo para.

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Nova Doba

AMPLIFYING THE VOICE OF THE ENGLISH SPEAKING MEMBERS

Current Thought Now Is The Time

The second national SSCU juvenile convention for new members is under way. Given its official opening on April 1st, the campaign will continue through June 30th. An unlimited number of exceptionally attractive prizes feature the three-month drive for new members. And of particular interest to the juvenile members is the arrangement which dangles the prizes within easy reach of our boys and girls between the ages of 12 and 18 years, and in the state of Minnesota, between 10 and 18 years.

ONLY THIRTY NEW JUVENILE MEMBERS and the candidate becomes a full fledged delegate.

Adults are given an equal opportunity to work side by side with the juvenile candidates, for every new enrollment which is secured by the senior member within the next three months may be credited to the aspiring boy and girl in the lodge.

And every ADULT prospect accepted into the SSCU counts as TWO juveniles in the contest rating. Thus only ten new adult members together with only ten more new juvenile members are sufficient to assure a candidate the much-longed-for trip by rail to Ely, Minnesota, and return with all expenses defrayed by our SSCU.

The second juvenile convention campaign for new members transcends all previous campaigns launched by our Union in the way of attractive prizes. Truly a great deal is offered in return for a little effort. Never before in the history of our SSCU, or that of any Yugoslav fraternal, has there been such a golden opportunity to see the northwest and its attendant convention fun and thrills.

Certainly the adult members have an eligible boy and girl, if not boys and girls, who are juvenile members and who would appreciate the educational trip offered by our Union. This is not a contest limiting one prize to each lodge, or groups of lodges — on the contrary, each branch may send as many delegates as it has candidates who by June 30th shall have to their credit thirty new juvenile members or their equivalent.

NOW IS THE TIME to get started. By diligent application all the aspiring juvenile candidates in your lodge CAN make the trip as delegates. All of them, between the ages of 12 and 18 years, and 10 and 18 years in Minnesota, will answer the convention roll call when the sessions get under way in Ely, if they are given sufficient assistance during the next three months.

Delegates to the first juvenile convention held in 1935 still talk about the many sights they saw en route, the wonderful time they enjoyed during their stay in Ely and the experience gained at the convention proper.

Not one but several delegates have expressed themselves in the past two years through the pages of Nova Doba that they would try very hard to become delegates to the second national juvenile convention. Why not give them the needed assistance.

Lodge No. 66

Cleveland Bowling

Joliet, Ill. — The juvenile campaign commenced April 1st, and therefore all members of the juvenile department of our lodge, SS. Peter and Paul, No. 66, SSCU, who wish to become delegates are reminded to work towards securing new members. Candidates should report to the secretary. To date only two candidates have so reported, namely Mary Russ, delegate to the juvenile convention two years ago, and Frances Musich. The lodge board wishes to see a number of candidates running for delegates, and it would be nice if our lodge were to send four or five delegates to the juvenile convention.

Members are invited to attend in full numbers our regular meeting which will be held April 18; present will be our members who are to attend the bowling tournament in Cleveland, O. on April 25. It is our duty that we extend to them some encouragement.

Those members who are not present at the meetings are notified that the lodge decided to pass up picnics and dances for this year. The majority of members are of the opinion that it is better and less expensive if each member pays one dollar into the lodge treasury to cover lodge expenses.

This lodge assessment of one dollar applies to all members

The Cleveland SSCU Bowling League completed its current schedule of bowling sessions last Sunday, April 11th. A. Laurich of the Colorado Sunshine, who lead the league, continued his slaughter on pins with a game of 223, while F. Sluga supported him with a nice 206 game, as the Sunshine team dropped two to the National Stars. A. Jelercic of the Happy-Go-Luckies compiled a 592 series including games of 184, 207 and 201 as his team took three from the Indians. Cardinals dropped three to the Arrowheads, notwithstanding J. Glavic's game of 201. Pittsburghers connected for two wins and one defeat from the Pathfinders. B. Rupert and F. Yankovich scintillated for the Pittsburghers.

Success is a series of right thoughts, put into right action.

and can be paid at one time, in two installments or four, whichever is more convenient. The essential factor is that it be paid in one year.

Working conditions are somewhat better; therefore I think that members should begin to meet their obligations; otherwise I shall be forced to suspend them.

Peter Music, Sec'y

From the Second Vice President SSCU

Center, Pa. — We are on the threshold of the most successful membership drive in the annals of our Organization—if all of us, and that means you and me, will put our shoulders behind the wheels and distribute the delightful task equally.

Our second national juvenile convention campaign augurs results that may surprise even the worst pessimist. The whole idea received an auspicious start with Iliriska Vila lodge, No. 173, SSCU of Cleveland reporting a delegate already credited with thirty new enrollments. "That is something" as the saying goes.

Let us all take an interest in the enrollment of new members for our Organization. We can help our juvenile candidates in their efforts to become delegates to the next convention. The problem is not nearly as difficult as we imagine, and let us remember to try again if we do not succeed the first time.

To the juveniles: The rules and regulations governing the contest for delegates have been published in the Nova Doba. One of the most pleasant trips in your whole life awaits you. The Land of the Lakes is an attraction by itself. Little Stan is sure to have a number of nice places to take you, as delegates. In return, don't you think it is well worth your while to exert a little extra effort to sell your SSCU, an Organization that needs only some explanation, and presto! the prospect is a member.

Personally, I would like to see at least fifty, if not more, delegates to the juvenile convention. From the first assembly of this kind we realized some 1600 new members, and I am sure that if we all work hard, we can secure twice that many this year.

Paul J. Oblock
Second Sup. Vice Pres.

English-Speaking Discourse To Follow Lodge No. 225 Regular Meeting

Milwaukee, Wis. — All English-speaking members of lodge Zdrzeni Slovani, No. 225, SSCU are invited to attend the regular monthly meeting which will be held on Sunday, April 18, in the usual quarters. After regular business has been disposed, we will follow with a meeting of the English-speaking members of our lodge. Purpose is to create more interest and stimulate more spirit between them and the lodge. There are about 25 English-speaking members in our lodge and I sincerely hope to see all of them present at the April 18th meeting, which will be the first one conducted in the English language.

Pauline Vogrich, Sec'y

Spiritual Correspondence

At a social gathering a guest approached the host and said: "Excuse my asking, but what's in that bottle in the corner over there? Is it ink?"

"No!" was the reply. "Whiskey! Why do you ask?"

"Oh," said the other, "a man went there and filled his fountain pen before he left."

Well, Why Not?

"Did you hear about the Scotchman who went to have a profile picture?"

"No."

"He had only one side of his suit pressed."

BRIEFS

All the entries together with fees to the third national SSCU open tenpin tournament have not been received from lodges who indicated that they shall be represented in Cleveland on Sunday, April 25th. Those who wish to participate in the tournament are urgently requested to forward at once their entries accompanied by fees to Louis M. Kolar, 6233 St. Clair Ave., Cleveland, O. The third national SSCU tenpin tournament will be held at St. Clair-Eddy Alleys located at 12320 St. Clair Ave.

Cleveland SSCU Bowling League completed its 1936-37 season last Sunday, April 11th when they rolled the final session. On April 17 and 18, Superior and E. 118th St. Alleys will sponsor a house tournament in which many members of the local SSCU league will participate. Dan Zurecovan is the proprietor of the alleys.

Prizes to teams and individuals with high scores in the Cleveland SSCU bowling league will be distributed Sunday, April 18th, at the league's home alleys.

Marge Slogar of Cleveland bowled a 581 series in the women's division in the tournament held at Suchan's Alleys. She is the sister of Larry Slogar who two weeks ago rolled 607 in the A. B. C. tournament held in New York City.

Cleveland Interlodge League will hold its annual basketball banquet on Friday, April 16, in the auditorium annex of the Slovene National Home on St. Clair Ave. KSKJ St. Joes, champions, will be awarded prizes. Players of all teams participating in the league are expected to be present.

First Supreme Trustee Janko N. Rogelj, of Cleveland, will attend the Colorado Federation of SSCU lodges' meeting to take place Sunday, April 25th, at Pueblo. On Saturday before the meeting, lodges Nos. 15 and 42, SSCU will hold a dance at Orel lodge hall on Northern Ave. Proceeds of the dance shall go into the treasury of the new Federation. Trustee Rogelj has been very active with all of the SSCU's Federations in the past, having attended in person many meetings held by the Pennsylvania and Ohio Federations, and previous to the 15th SSCU convention carried on a great deal of correspondence with the Minnesota Federation.

New enrollments in our SSCU during the months of January and February totaled 161 members: 97 in the adult department and 64 in the junior division. In January the total enrollment amounted to 91, and in February, 70.

George Washington lodge No. 180, SSCU of Cleveland will observe its tenth anniversary on Saturday, April 24, with a dance to be held at Twilight Ballroom. This is the day previous to the one on which will be held the third national SSCU open tenpin tournament.

Editor's Note

Continuation of "Blood and Battlefield", World War chronicle translated by Valentine Orehek, has been suspended in this and last week's issues. It will be resumed next week, if space permits.

Cardinal Highlights

Struthers, O. — With robins chirping on boughs, grass turning greener, yours truly has decided to crawl from her cocoon and write an article. What has happened to the other scribes, Albin Petelin, Mary Dolence, the Progar brothers and others? Come on, let's wake up.

I see by the paper that another juvenile convention will be held this year. In 1935 we sent a delegate to the first juvenile convention. Her name is Virginia Mickolic. Let's try still harder and see if we will succeed again.

There are occasions when a work is dedicated to some person or object. This article enters into the spirit and is dedicated to our Second Annual Dance which will be held on April 24, at the Croatian Hall on Lowellville Rd. As an added feature we have secured the services of an all-girl orchestra. Dancing will start at 8 p. m. At this time we invite all neighboring lodges to kindly co-operate with us and attend the dance. We know all who attend will not be disappointed.

So, don't forget the date and time. We're counting on you, you and you. With Spring in the air and everyone blossoming in their new finery, it's bound to be a success. Would you like to know the individual who is almost six feet tall, has black wavy hair, dark eyes and a tan complexion? The young man in question with his everlasting smile is not Robert Taylor, but Mike Galich.

Who is five feet one, has light brown wavy hair, dark brown eyes, light complexion and a nice personality? Sounds good, eh? Well, she's Rose Slabe.

Who is Struthers' high assistant coach that drives a green V-8? He's none other than Mike "Flash" Mestrovich. If the foregoing personalities appeal to you, then you should make it a point to be present at the Cardinal dance on April 24th, for these are just a few members of our merry branch.

Jennie Glavic, Sec'y
No. 229, SSCU

DUST AND EARTH TEMPERATURE

A cool spring following the violent dust storms in the Middle West brought to mind certain theories regarding the effects of dust on earth temperatures. Records show that during years following violent volcanic eruptions, when millions of tons of dust were thrown into the air, the temperature of our globe dropped sharply. It is further known that space is filled with vast clouds of dust and rock particles. Some scientists connect this knowledge with the fact that dust is known to check much of the sun's heat and offer an explanation for the Ice Age during which great glaciers swept down over Europe and America. If this theory is true then dust once made our country a field of ice and it may do it again. But in spite of this, dust is not our enemy. If it were not for its presence in the air there would be no clouds, no beautiful sunsets, and no beneficial rain. Unrestrained heat would pour from the sun out of a black sky in which stars could be seen all day. In fact, without dust we probably would not be here.

And Waving

Traffic cops are cheerful boys—always whistling.

145 Members Roll In Third Annual SSCU Duckpin Tournament In Pittsburgh

Lodges 26 and 221 Share Prizes Spotlight

Good fellowship and an opportunity to meet members from outlying districts rather than duckpin supremacy characterized the third annual national SSCU duckpin tournament held in Pittsburgh last Sunday.

Twenty-nine teams participated, and while each one strived to level best to collect the most number of pins, and the national championship, the spirit of fraternalism and friendship were evident uppermost. St. Stephen's lodge, No. 26 of Pittsburgh successfully defended its title as national champions in the men's division with a score of 2346 for the three-game series. Center Ramblers, No. 221 of Center were not very far behind as they finished in second place with a score of 2287.

The ladies team from Center Ramblers with a score of 1582 came on top of the duckpin tournament, while lodge No. 26 ladies entry came second with 1533.

In the doubles, men's division, Frank Eulert and John Coghe of Pittsburgh lodge, No. 196, collected 982 pins to place first, as Tony Skerl and Joseph Yearm of Center Ramblers garnered 959 for second place. Pittsburgh lodge again shined when Dick Berdick hit the duckpins for 533 in the singles event, followed closely by John Oberch of Ramblers with 517.

In the women's division, doubles event, two sisters from Center combined their efforts to score 733 and the championship in this entry. The two girls are Jennie Mozina and Frances Mozina. Lodge 26 came second in this division when Amelia Flore

and Eleanor Tome accumulated a score of 707. In the singles event Jennie Mozina proved that her scores in other divisions were the result of good bowling when she hit the maples for 383 and first place. However, she was closely pursued by Stephanie Eulert who placed second with 370.

John Oberch of the Ramblers amassed a total of 1553 points to take the all events prize in the men's division.

Jennie Mozina, who took the singles championship, part of the doubles and who also bowled on the Ramblers' ladies team taking first place, decided to make it a grand finish by taking the all events prize with a score of 1168.

Unquestionably, the outstanding championship performer in both the men's and women's division was Jennie Mozina who was awarded four medals and cash prizes.

The tournament committee headed by L. P. Boberg, chairman and committeemen Frank Yearm and Joseph Yearm executed a most tedious job. It was they who kept tab of official scores, compared results to determine the winners, not to mention the thousand and one details incidental to the tournament.

A dinner and dance followed the tournament proper. Held at the Slovene Hall it accommodated a large number of bowlers. Here the winners were announced and prizes distributed accordingly.

Complete scores of all teams entered in the duckpin tournament will be published in next week's issue.

With the Pathfinders Export-Center Series

Gowanda, N. Y. — Pathfinders' regular monthly meeting will be held next Tuesday evening, April 20. Be sure to attend this meeting as there is a good time in store for all those on hand. A surprise party will follow the meeting. What kind? Where? Come to the meeting and find out for yourselves. You won't regret it.

Although it has been rather early to sell tickets for the forthcoming anniversary dance, the time is now getting short; so we ask the members to start in now and try hard to dispose of the tickets. Let's start talking to everyone about this big dance. Talking is really the best way to advertise, so do your share and tell all your friends about the wonderful time that is in store for them. Admission is only a quarter, and in return they have such added features as the amateur show and group singing. Let's make this affair just what it has been advertised—bigger and better. Remember the date, Saturday, May 1st.

Cupid caught up with Edith Palcic and Frank Drobnic, and they were united in matrimony on Saturday morning, April 10, in Gowanda. Pathfinders wish them much happiness.

Two bowling teams, girls and boys, have sent in their entries to the third national SSCU tenpin tournament which will be held in Cleveland on Sunday, April 25. Any member wishing to make this trip should get in touch with athletic supervisor Jennie Anderson or any one of

Center, Pa. — On April 2nd the Export bowlers came to Center with threats to knock us off in a match of maples; the game was very close. Say, that Rebich must have been born with a bowling ball in his hand the way he rolled them down the alley. A few more fellows like Rebich and we would have lost the game. However the Center Ramblers finished on top, so we wish you Export bowlers better luck next time.

The high honors went to Ed Subic with 218 for the Ramblers, and Lefty of Export was high with 204.

CENTER RAMBLERS		
J. Oberch	140	135
J. Oberch	157	162
E. Subic	141	218
J. Shanter	154	100
B. Yearm	157	142
C. Shanter	133	149
J. Peternel	130	
Total	749	667

EXPORT		
Rebich	151	153
Toder	125	130
Dan	112	146
Lefty	147	134
Jim	128	163
Total	663	726

John Oberch

the bowlers, and they will find a way for you to accompany the teams. Pathfinders should have a big turnout for this tournament to help cheer their teams to victory, and to show other lodges that they are behind their teams.

Doris Sternisha

JUVENILE CAMPAIGN DUE TO SMASH RECORDS!

Anton Princ, Jr., Lodge 173, Cleveland, is First Official Delegate!

By Little Stan,
Juvenile Campaign Director

Ely, Minn. — Swinging into the third week of the National Juvenile Campaign drive for new members finds the Home Office of the South Slavonic Union flooded with 75 new applications, with eight candidates already announcing their intentions of becoming a delegate to the second Biennial Juvenile convention.

Almost before the screaming headlines announcing the gigantic campaign were read, the first official delegate to the convention was announced. He was none other than Anton Princ, Jr., of Ilirska Vila lodge 173, Cleveland, Ohio, who sent in THIRTY applications which qualified him as a delegate! Our hats are off to you, Anton Princ—truly a wonderful way to open the big drive.

So early, and young Princ has enrolled enough members to become a delegate! Now, he can help his brother, sister, or his pals. Why if he continues the fast pace, he will be able to help his whole group of pals to attend the convention in the wilds of Minnesota, where men are men, and Little Stan wears long pants! It is only an example of what actually can be done! By the way, in lodge 173 are Editor Terbovec and Trustee Janko N. Rogelj! Wonder if they had a hand in this amazing opening gesture to the great campaign!

Cleveland, O., has a wonderful start! At this rate, the eyes of the SSCU anticipate a flood of at least 600 new members from this metropolis! Can it be done! It can be! How about it Cleveland? And while Little Stan is still on the subject, he stops for a moment to do a little figuring! Let's see now, 600 new members means 20 delegates! Twenty delegates from Cleveland alone! You juvenile members there can't stop now! Why not get together, set 600 as your combined quota, and then go to town! When the quota is filled, and it shouldn't be so hard, you can go ahead. More new members means more delegates who will make this wonderful trip!

Candidates

Juvenile members who have announced their candidacy to become delegates to this convention have submitted their applications to the Home Office as follows:

From lodge 180, Cleveland, O., we have Frances Joan Kolar, whom you all remember is very much interested in music. She is one of our genial commentators to the juvenile section, and Little Stan personally would like to see her here! Get your quota Frances, we're with you!

Perhaps it would be better for Little Stan to take out his Magic Carpet again this week to visit the homes of these candidates, but, on second thought, the Magic carpet just wound up a nice long trip, and Little Stan will have to hold it back for a week at least. Anyway with a skip and hop, we dash to Export, Pa., where we find that Thomas Kuznik is a candidate. Thomas is a brother to Anna Kuznik who reported such a wonderful time at the first ju-

venile convention in 1935. We'd like to see him get his quota.

It is just a step to Cornwall, Pa., where we find that Frank Meze is working hard to become a delegate. Frank, by the way is a brother to Josephine Meze of the same lodge, who was also a delegate to the first convention in 1935.

On the way back we must go back to Cleveland to drop in on the Rudolf family where we find that Lillian Rudolf is a candidate to become a delegate. Lillian is a sister to Joey, who two years ago was one of the live-wires at the convention. Fun, glee, and hilarity guaranteed.

Just a few blocks and we get to Edward Zallar of 1097 East 68th street, who is firmly resolved that he too will be a delegate to the convention. Cleveland looks like it is going to town you might say! and don't forget, we look for at least 20 delegates from Cleveland!

Back in Minnesota, Little Stan finds the campaign fever gripping everyone. We stop first in Chisholm where Louis Ambrozich of lodge No. 30 is announced as candidate. Now Louis was a candidate two years ago, and had loads of fun which included rides in Little Stan's Austin. After Little Stan is thru announcing the first candidates, he will let you all in on a little secret!

At home, that is in Ely, Minn., we see that our own eloquent speaker, Bobby Champa (he proved it on the final day of the convention two years ago) is a candidate for delegateship. He is working hard to become a delegate again this year. By the way, his dog "Spotty" is sporting new and larger spots. Yes, he has grown considerably.

Another Ely candidate is Fred Tomsich, who also is intent upon getting enough new members to qualify! With everybody showing such enthusiasm it appears as if the 3000 new members at the close of the convention is not as large a figure as it may seem!

Rumblings the latter part of last week were to the effect that Amelia Korosec of lodge 120; Justine Korent, the able writer who gives such vivid descriptions and incidents of Ely in her articles, and Little Stan's young brother Al, will all be in the field to become delegates. More and merrier is the race, and the CAMPAIGN IS ONLY THREE WEEKS OLD!

To easier facilitate the enrolling of new members in Ely, Supreme Secretary Anton Zbasnik has arranged with local physicians to examine prospective new members at home only when there are at least five to be enrolled at any one time. Some people dislike sending their children to hospitals for examinations, but now in Ely, THE PHYSICIANS WILL COME TO YOUR HOME! It will make it easier for Ely candidates for delegate to enroll... a good sales idea... USE IT!

While still on the subject, Little Stan must turn to Range towns where very little is being heard in regards to the campaign! That is outside of the

Chisholm's livewire lodges. No indications of who will become a delegate reaches us from Gilbert, Aurora, Eveleth, Biwabik. All good towns, where SSCU has subordinate lodges.

Gilbert and Aurora have always been fairly active, and probably still are. The eyes of the SSCU turn to these cities, and at the same time urges them to prove they are more active than ever by HAVING JUVENILE DELEGATES AT THE CONVENTION FROM THEIR LODGES AND CITIES!

A little harder are the eyes as they turn to Eveleth, which seems too quiet. From month to month, we see the name of Frances Fister, juvenile who always keeps Eveleth on the map with her articles in the juvenile section. WHAT IS EVELETH GOING TO DO ABOUT IT! A large city, with a large Yugoslav population. Ideal conditions which can only culminate in a successful drive, and if the Eveleth hilltop city has a candidate or several candidates in the field, the Eyes of the SSCU will go softer, and light up with praise.

Now, Little Stan supposes, you will ask, "Who are the eyes of the SSCU?" But the answer is ready... The eyes of the SSCU are the eyes of every member enrolled in this wonderful organization. Let's not wait—but let us GO!

Secrecy

It appears that lodges are withholding their candidates and new juvenile applications. There is no need for such secrecy, as the campaign is being conducted on different rules from those of two years ago. As soon as you have enrolled new members, shoot the applications into the Home Office immediately, in order that Little Stan may report your progress. It will also make easier the work at the home office. Announce your candidacy right now, and start in working! Little Stan will be your press agent!

That Secret

Juveniles remember the little Austin two years ago quite vividly. Now Little Stan has the pleasure to announce that the Austin has grown in the two years—yes, it has even changed color!

The years have not extolled anything from the engine however, as it runs as perfect as the Magic Carpet. Now, after two years, the little Austin has grown, the color has changed to green—but there was one part of the car that didn't grow—and that was the driver's seat. Little Stan still has to double up his long legs at the knees, and just kinda' squeeze into the driver's seat. But a rear seat and two extra doors have grown. Now, Little Stan will be able to take more juveniles for a ride immediately upon their arrival here.

Something to go for... ah! but you must see a picture of it—and it won't be long now, as soon as Little Stan gives it a bath!

Meantime, continue the fast pace, and Little Stan will keep up the pace right with you... Until next week then...

Sure They Do

Irate Father—"I can see right through that chorus girl's intrigue."

Lovesick Son—"I know, dad, but they all dress that way nowadays."

Looks Shaky To Us

"I'll have you understand my boy friend is not a loafer. He has a job in a circus."

"Yes, but is it a steady job?" "I'll say. He's a tight-rope walker."

Second Biennial Juvenile Convention

By Louis Champa,
Supreme Treasurer, SSCU

The big drive for new members is on! It began April 1, and will last until June 30th. Those two lines alone explain news of another membership drive, which as it stands, may mean that it is just another drive!

But this big drive is IMPORTANT, not only to the Union, but to every juvenile member enrolled. It affords them all an opportunity to be selected delegate to the Second Biennial Juvenile Convention which will be held at Ely, Minnesota, again from August 6 to 7. If you have read the rules you will see that a quota of 30 members enrolled in your respective lodge entitles you to become a delegate to the convention at which you will experience the most marvelous time in your life. You can't miss it! You must not miss it!

It will mean work... work... and work, until you have gained the quota of 30 members. To make it easier, you can enroll 10 adult members and ten juvenile members, and you will have reached your quota, as each adult member counts as two. When you have gained your quota, perhaps your chums and friends would like to come. Then you can help him or her, and together, you will have the most marvelous time of your lives.

Juveniles who attended the convention in 1935... it doesn't really seem that long... but, they will never forget the wonderful time they had! Session all by themselves in the morning, in the afternoon tours thru-out the evergreen Arrowhead country. In the evening more entertainment! and loads of fun!

Then that trip to the Indian reservation. Remember that Indian dance! Why the beating of the Indian drums as the warriors danced in a frenzy still rings in your ears! Then the Indian maidens looked for white partners to dance, a 108-year-old Indian lady came out and pulled me in to dance with her! That was a scream.

Similar entertainment is planned, and you will certainly enjoy yourselves. It is something to work for. Begin enrolling your new members now! The sooner you have reached your quota, the sooner you can look forward to being here for this wonderful entertainment which is being prepared for you!

Still in the mood for more writing, I would like to tell you something of our SSCU basketball tournament which was held here recently!

Anton Zbasnik, Supreme Secretary is a member of Rangers lodge No. 1, who copped the state SSCU title. I am a member of Gophers No. 2, who won consolation. When the Rangers swept two victories to go into the finals, our Supreme Secretary had the laugh on me! But I told him... Just wait until next year!

The next day the city championship tournament started. Rangers were eliminated in the first game, and GOPHERS swept into the finals. Gophers then went ahead to win the city championship. The tables were turned, and a good laugh and time was had by all! Yes, SSCU!... an organization of champions!

Juveniles can be champions also—when you will have enrolled your quota, you too, will have become a champion in your own right, and will be able to attend the SECOND BIENNIAL JUVENILE CONVENTION! Now, go out and work! You won't be sorry.

Lodge No. 55

Uniontown, Pa. — Members of St. Rochus lodge, No. 55, SS-CU are hereby notified that the regular monthly meeting for April has been postponed from the 18th to the 25th of April. The meeting, which will be held in the usual quarters, has been shifted one week later to accommodate the request made by the SNPJ lodge which desires to hold its pre-convention meeting on April 18th. As the SNPJ lodge could not secure any other quarters for their pre-convention assembly, it was considered only brotherly to comply with their request, and they in turn have promised to return the favor in the future, when the opportunity presents itself.

Members are further requested to attend the lodge meetings more regularly and to meet their assessments on time. Some are punctual with their payments, while others give their lodge the last consideration. Some of our members owe the lodge in back assessments as far back as 1934 and even further, but no mention is made of meeting their just debt. There might be an excuse for such negligence if these members were out of work, but it is evident that they are working, and that they have money available for all other necessities but the lodge. Therefore, the time has come to make a settlement as such conditions no longer will be tolerated. I have sworn to honor the by-laws of our SSCU, and I intend to keep my promise. All members should read the by-laws so that they shall be in better position to honor them. Only in this way will the work of the lodge secretary, the home office and that involved between the members be made easier.

Members are also reminded to answer my letters in matters pertaining to the lodge. Many times I am forced to write three letters before I receive an answer. This is hardly fair to the secretary who must do all this unnecessary work.

I propose to the members of our lodge that they take an interest in the present juvenile campaign and work towards securing new members. Let us help our candidates to become delegates to the juvenile convention.

Ferdinand Markusic, Sec'y

U. S. PATENT OFFICE

It was created by act of Congress in 1836 and though revisions have since been made it remains essentially the same today. Prior to its establishment applications were examined and patents granted by a board composed of the Secretaries of War and State and Attorney General. The first patent granted in America was issued by a Massachusetts court to one Samuel Winslow for a process of making salt. The first issued by the United States was in 1790 to one Samuel Hopkins for making pot and pearl ashes.

Who Benefits From Sale of Life Insurance

The names of approximately 100,000,000 people in the United States, or about 80 per cent of our entire population, are recorded as policyholders or beneficiaries on the life insurance policies in force in America today, according to a recent estimate. 63 million of these men and women actually own one or more policies.

It is indeed gratifying to know that such a high percentage of our population has become forward thinking enough to recognize the value of life insurance to them and to their dependents.

—Acadia News.

Cleveland Papers Cite Work of Louis Jalovec, Slovene Policeman

But for Patrolman Louis Jalovec, stenographer in the Bureau of Investigation of the Cleveland Police Department, one Steve Serdich might be facing the shadow of the electric chair. Accused by another individual as the trigger man, Steve Serdich acquitted himself only because Jalovec trailed down the real killer in his spare time. The Cleveland police have the confession of an accomplice who points the murder at another individual, and further confessed that Steve Serdich was not even present at the scene of the crime.

The Cleveland Press in its editorial, reprinted below, gives out much deserved praise to the Slovene patrolman.

ALMOST TRAGIC

Every once in a while the law sends an innocent man to the gallows or the electric chair.

Sometimes years pass by before the state discovers it has made a tragic mistake.

And sometimes, as in the case of Steve Serdich, it discovers its mistake in time.

There is little doubt that Serdich would have been tried for the murder of a nightwatchman, found guilty, sentenced and died in the electric chair except for one thing—the skepticism of Patrolman Louis Jalovec, a stenographer in the Bureau of Investigation.

Devoting his time off to investigating a case that didn't "look right," Patrolman Jalovec presently discovered that Serdich not only had not participated in the crime but had been indicted on the testimony of the man who had actually done the killing. That Serdich will be re-indicted for participating in a factory payroll robbery does not dim the fine detective work of the patrolman nor lessen the fact that the state might have made another of those mistakes which leads many intelligent people to oppose capital punishment.

We hope the department recognizes Patrolman Jalovec's service with an appropriate promotion.

How Careless

Little Hubby (while shaving): "What in the world can be the matter with my face! It's all covered with green blotches. I must be coming down with some horrible disease."

Little Wifey: "Oh, I'm so sorry, darling! It's my fault. I used your shaving brush to paint the screens and I forgot to clean it."

Feeding the Young Babies

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I feel that a great mistake is made when one gives babies large amounts of water between their feedings. Since the milk is about 87% water, giving plenty of water is entirely unnecessary, except in warm weather when they are perspiring a good deal, and then a few teaspoonfuls at a time. One of the common and frequent causes of baby's nursing poorly is the fact they are being over-loaded with water, they have no appetite and their mouths are sore from the constant sucking on a rubber nipple.

When there is no breast milk, perhaps the best substitute is properly modified clean cow's milk which has been boiled for two minutes. During the first month a baby may have half milk and half water to which is added five per cent sugar. This is gradually increased so that at six months the baby is getting three-quarters milk and one-quarter water, or cereal gruel mixture with five per cent sugar.

There is no serious objection to using other modifications of milk, such as condensed, or powdered milks. However, there are certain cases that do better on condensed or powdered milk rather than on mother's milk. One must remember that many of these milks contain added cane sugars and vitamins must be added as they are killed in the canning process.

During hot summer days, remember that many of the digestive disturbances are due to over-feeding. Should vomiting or diarrhea set in, discontinue the milk for about 24 hours and give only barley water or toast water instead. Always start with milk slowly and well diluted, as indicated by the stools and vomiting. If there is diarrhea and fever, a physician should be called as bowel disorders in infants during hot summer weather may be very serious.

Good Recommendation

Foreman (on excavation job): "Do you think you are fit for really hard labor?"

Applicant: "Well, some of the best judges in the country have thought so."

State Complaint

Landlady: "So Mr. Newboard has bound something fresh to complain about this morning."

Maid: "No, mum, it's the eggs."

Rules Governing the Contest for Delegates to the Second National SSCU Juvenile Convention

1. All juvenile members of the SSCU between the ages of 12 and 18 are eligible as candidates for delegates. In the state of Minnesota, between the ages of 10 and 18.

2. All candidates who have thirty or more new juvenile members or their equivalent credited to them by June 30th shall be declared full pledged delegates.

3. Each new adult member shall be given an equivalent rating of two new juvenile members. This means that a candidate need only ten adults and ten juveniles to become a delegate.

4. Each lodge may have as many delegates as it has candidates each of whom are credited with thirty juveniles or their equivalent.

5. Adult members may assist the candidates to reach their goal.

6. After May 1st a candidate may extend his working territory to include a neighboring lodge, provided that this unit has no candidates entered in the contest during the month of April. The new prospective member enrolled in either lodge is credited to the candidate.

7. Applications of new juvenile members need not be brought before the lodge meeting. The signatures of president and secretary shall suffice during this contest before the application may be forwarded to the Home Office for approval.

8. The juvenile convention campaign for delegates closes June 30th. All applications for membership must reach the Home Office not later than July 5th, if they are to be credited to candidates.

Worth Going After

As an added incentive for our members to secure successful candidates for membership, our Union offers the following cash awards:

\$1.25 for each \$ 250.00 death benefit enrollment
\$2.00 for each \$ 500.00 death benefit enrollment
\$4.00 for each \$1000.00 death benefit enrollment
\$5.00 for each \$1500.00 death benefit enrollment
\$6.00 for each \$2000.00 death benefit enrollment
\$8.00 for each \$3000.00 death benefit enrollment
\$0.50 for each new juvenile member enrolled

These cash awards are payable after three assessments have been paid by the new member.

