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KAJ ZMORE KEMIJA

BOJ PROTI STRUPOM

ODMEVI IZ RODNIH KRAJEV

VSAK PO SVOJE

piknika društva št. 49 JSKJ Kansas City, Kans., se bo v nedeljo 21. junija. piknik: Shady Rest.

farmi sobrata Ignaca se bo v nedeljo 21. junija vršil piknik prišiški društva št. 55 JSKJ, ki ima svoj sedež v Minneapolisu, Minn.

Uniontown, Pa., se bo v nedeljo 21. junija vršil piknik prišiški društva št. 55 JSKJ v Pittsburghu, prišiški v nedeljo 21. junija proslavo osme obletišča, piknik v Etni, Pa.

gleško postajoče društvo 196 JSKJ v Pittsburgu, prišiški v nedeljo 21. junija proslavo osme obletišča, piknik v Etni, Pa.

za JSKJ društva v zapadnem svetovnim bo zborovalo 28. junija v Slovenskem dvorani v White Valley, Pennsylvania.

za slovenskih društev v Daleku, Ill., prišiški v nedeljo 28. junija velik piknik v Grove parku. K omenjevali spada tudi društvo št. 55 JSKJ.

Kemmerer, Wyo., se bo v 1. juliju vršil piknik društva št. 28 JSKJ. Prostor piknika je Peternele Grove.

št. 21 JSKJ v Denveru, Colo., prišiški svoj letnik na dan 4. julija.

špijski piknik prišiški društva št. 221 v Centru, den. 33 in 4. julija. Prostor Center Beach.

Barbertonu, O., se bo na 1. juliju vršil piknik društva št. 44 JSKJ. Prostor Center Beach.

Gowandi, N. Y., se bo v 11. juliju in v nedeljo 19. juliju proslavilo skupni piknik št. 89 in št. 222 JSKJ.

desetletnico ustanovitve 19. julija proslavilo št. 66 JSKJ v Jolietu, v velikim piknikom, ki ga ga v Rivals parku.

z baseball tekmo prišiški 26. julija an- poslojuče društvo št. 55 JSKJ v Struthersu, O.

slovenski Sokol v Clevelandu, prišiški v nedeljo 21. junija piknik na Pintarji. Na pikniku našli tudi Sokoli in Sokolice telovadbo.

društvo "Cvet" v O., prišiški v nedeljo 21. junija piknik pri Bradley Rd.

špijski piknika na dan naznanja društva JSKJ v Girardu, O.

angleški sekcijski današnje Nove Dobe je priobčenka mladega dijaka Franca iz Lafayette, Colo., društva št. 21 JSKJ v Jersey, Colo. Frank je bil v Knežaku na Notranjosti, kjer je obiskoval ljudi, ki je pod italijansko vojno. V Zemlji, in sicer v Moravji, je dospel leta 1931. Col. je obiskoval osnovno šolo, se je s pomočjo učil (Dalje na 2. strani)

V CLEVELANDU, O., bo dne 27. junija otvorjena "Razstava Velikih jezer," ki bo do gotove mere sličila svetovni razstavi. Trajala bo 100 dni. Poleg industrijske, poljedelske in stavninske razstave bo do tudi "ceste sveta," kjer bo do tipične stavbe, gostilne in zabavnički raznih narodnosti, dalje razstava razvoja trans-

REPUBLIKANSKA narodna konvencija, ki se je pretekli petek zavrsila v Clevelandu, Ohio, je postavila za predsedniškega kandidata Alfreda M. Landona, governerja države Kansas, za podpredsedniškega kandidata pa chichaškega novinarja Franka Knox-a.

AMERIŠKIM VOJAKOM, ki so služili v armadi ali morarici tekom svetovne vojne, je bil ta teden izplačan bonus, katerega je Kongres pred par meseci odobril. Bonusa bo delno okrog tri in pol milijona bivših vojakov.

NARODNA KONVENCIJA demokratske stranke se bo pričela v torek 23. junija v Philadelphia, Pa.

PREDSEDNIK Roosevelt je pretekli teden v svojem govoru v mestu Little Rock, Ark., med drugim omenil, da so bili tudi za časa predsednika Jeffersona na važnih mestih učeni možje, ki so mu pripovedovali, da mu nobena točka zvezne ustanove ne dovoljuje kupiti Louisiana teritorij od Francije. Jefferson pa jih ni poslušal, ampak je porabil ugodno priliko, ko mu je francoski cesar Napoleon ponudil na proračun omenjeno ozemlje za 15 milijonov dolarjev, in je kupil. Kongres je dovolil potrebeni denar in niti se ni pritoževal na vrhovno sodišče.

Kakor znano, je Louisiana teritorij obsegal obširno ozemlje zapadno od reke Mississippi, namreč sedanje države Arkansas, Missouri, Iowa, zapadni del Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, skoro ves Kansas in Oklahoma, ter dele Montane, Wyoming in Colorada.

SENATOR La Follette je končno zmagal s svojo zahtovo, da senatni preiskovalni odbor uvede obširno preiskavo glede kršenja osebnih svobod-ščin od raznih terorističnih skupin in ozkočrščnih uradnikov. Kongres je za stroške te preiskave sicer dovolil smešno nizko sveto \$15,000, vendar, če bo neustrašni senator La Follette načeloval temu preiskovalnemu odboru, bo tudi s temi denarnimi sredstvi možno mnogo storiti. Verjetno je tudi, da će bo preiskovalni odbor prinesel na dan mnogo zanimivega materiala, bo Kongres dovolil nadaljnja denarna sredstva. Šikaniranje delavcev, posebno na jugu in teroristični čini "Crne legije" posebno kričijo po nepristranski preiskavi. Sovražniki ameriške svobode niso v inozemstvu, ampak doma.

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To je sedmi članek v seriji razprav o naturalizaciji in državljanstvu in se bavi z naturalizacijo žensk.

Državljanstvo je stvar, ki se tiče inozemke ravno toliko kolikor inozemca moškega spola.

Inozemka je dostopila ravno tako zapostavljeni, kar se tiče dobivanja dela in nadaljevanja v istem, kolikor moški, ki ni državljan. V mnogih državah je izključena od poklicev, v katerih ženske prevladujejo in za katere treba licence. Da navedemo le en primer: inozemka po navadi ne more biti učiteljica v javni šoli. Nekatere države izdajajo licence za izobraževanje bolničarke, masekerke in lepotičarke le ameriškim državljan-kam.

Dokler ne postane ameriška državljanica, je inozemka, ravno tako kot moški inozemec, v nekaterih slučajih podvržena deportaciji. Razvideli smo iz prejšnjega članka, da ob go-to-vih okoliščinah celo inozemci, ki so tukaj živelii dvajset ali več let, morejo postati predmet deportacije.

Zakoni za socialno varnost diskriminirajo napram inozemcem. Ni upravičena do starostne pokojnine. V nekaterih državah more dobivati podporo, ki se daje vdovam in materom, le tedaj, ako so se njeni otroci rodili v Zedinjenih državah, izdeluje že v velikih količinah.

Prav običajno je najti v priseljeniški družini, da je mož ameriški državljan, dočim je žena ostala inozemka. In to mnogokrat povzročuje težkoče vseh vrst. Žena, na primer, ne more biti ameriški pasport za potovanje v inozemstvo, na drugi strani ne utegne dobiti primernega potnega lista od zastopnikov one vlade, katere državljanica je bila poprej, kajti večina inozemskih vlad drži, da državljanstvo žene sledi državljanstvu moža. Ako njen mož umre, predno je postala ameriška državljanica, more imeti težave glede svoje lastnine v Zedinjenih državah, izdeluje že v velikih količinah.

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MESEC VRTNIC

Junij je meseč vrtnic, kajti te dražestne kraljice vrtov so mesece junija v svojem najboljšem. Divje vrtnice ali šipek cveto samo enkrat na letu in sicer v juniju. Isti velja za nekaterje bolj preproste vrste vrtnic. Plemenite vrtnice, ki so bile iz divjih vrst vzgojene tekom stoletij, pa pri pravi negi cveto od junija do jeseni. Glavno je, da se ocvetelim vrtnicam sproti odrezujejo ocvetki, ker sicer ne nastavijo novega cvetnega popaja. Vrtnice ljubijo sonce in v suhem vremenu dovolj zalivanja.

UKINJENA ITALIJANSCINA

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V Braziliji živi velika žaba, ki ima nad očmi ostre rožičke, z velikimi ustmi pa laja in grize kakor pes.

Vlada Zedinjenih držav vodi že dolga leta boj proti raznim narkotičnim strupom, kakor proti opiju, heroinu, kokainu itd. Zadnje čase pa se je v Zedinjenih državah pojavil nov sovražnik ljudskega zdravja v obliki na videz nedolžne rastline, ki se imenuje marijuana ali indijanska konoplja.

Vzemimo na primer umetno svilo ali rajon, ki je finejša, to je tanjša kot naravna svila, ki je naprej gojenica sviloprejka. Res je, da so se kemiki najprej učili od sviloprejke; ona izdeluje svilo iz murvinega listja, s katerim se hrani, ker mi pa je izdelujejo iz lesne maške. Klopčič umetne svile, tehtajoč komaj en funt, vsebuje tako dolgo svilno nit, da bi jo bilo mogoče potegniti preko Amerikanskega kontinenta, od Atlantika do Pacifika.

Kdor pozna navadno konopljivo, bo poznal tudi marijuano po rasti in po njem močnem duhu. Od vzhoda se je ta konoplja polagoma razširila na zapad in na jug do mehiške meje in preko iste. Tam pa se je začela njenja zločinska kariera. Mehikanci so začeli njeni listje pušiti kot tobak in polagoma se je ta nevarna razvadada razširila preko vseh držav naše Unije. Nekatere države so sprejele že postave proti importiranju in prodajnju marijuane in proti gojivitvi iste, toda glavni boj proti njej vodijo federalni uradniki, katerih naloge je zatiranje narkotičnih strupov.

Boj proti tej najnovejši sovražnici ljudskega zdravja je zelo otežkočen posebno vsled tega, ker jo je mogoče gojiti kjer koli. Marsikje raste ta rastlina celo divja. Podjetni "butlegari" jo marsikje pridelujejo na kosi polja, obdano s krovom in drugimi visokorastlimi rastlinami, ki prepoznamo rastlino zakrivajo. Zgodilo se je pa tudi, da so federalni uradniki našli to rastlino posejano s posebnimi pogoji in v gotovih količinah primešajo še nekaterje druge snovi. Za zdaj je umetni gumij je tudi produkt kemije. Podlaga zanj je acetilin, kateremu se seveda pod posebnimi pogoji in v gotovih količinah primešajo še nekaterje druge snovi. Za zdaj je umetni gumij še nekaj dražji od naravnega, vendar je v gotovih ozirih tako poraben, da se v Zedinjenih državah izdeluje že v velikih količinah.

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Kresne misli

Prihodnji teden bo kres, praznik sonca, moči in lepot. Sonce nas pozdravlja zgodaj zjutraj, smeje se nam z največje višine opoldne in ostaja z nami pozno v večerne ure. Oživljena narava je v svoji največji moči in v najbujnejšem razvoju. Celo nevihte kažejo moč poletja z burnimi plohami, jarkimi bliksi in bobnečimi grmenjem. Kresni čas je čas brezmejnega optimizma, čas, ko se nam ne zdi noben podvzetje neizvedljivo. Za malodušnost ni prostora v lepem kresnem času.

To naj bi nas opomnilo, da je kresni čas najpripravniji tudi za delo za napredok J. S. K. Jednote. Naša podvetzja so najbolj uspešna takrat, kadar smo sami že v naprej pričrani o uspehu. Kadar v naprej dvomimo, da bo naše podvzetje ene ali druge vrste uspešno, se ne moremo z dovoljnim navdušenjem prijeti dela, in uspeh je res dvomljiv. Kresni čas pa ni čas malodušnosti in dvoma, ampak čas optimizma in brezpojnjega zaupanja v naše moči.

Letošnje leto nimamo pri naši Jednoti nikake posebne kampanje. Glavni odbor je sodil, da bo naše članstvo skoraj tri četrte leta precej zaposleno s predkonvenčnim delom, to je z razpravami o pravilih in z izbiranjem ter instrukcijami delegatov. Če pomislimo, da je društveno delo skoro popolnoma brezplačno, dasi vzame našim agilnim društvenim delavcem mnogo prostega časa, bomo razumeli, da se od nikogar ne more zahtevati čezmernega žrtvovanja.

Vsekakor pa je glavni odbor pričakoval, da bodo naši agilni člani tudi v tem času, ko so zaposleni s predkonvenčnimi posli, posvetili vsaj nekaj pozornosti pridobivanju novih članov in odrasli in mladinski oddelki. Saj se vsi skušajo zavedamo, da usoda neprestano redči naše vrste in da mora organizacija neprestano dobivati nove člane, če neče nazadovati. In glavni odbor se v svojem pričakovovanju ni zmotil. Poročila iz glavnega urada kažejo vsak mesec razvesljivo število novih članov za oba oddelka. Naše članstvo se zaveda, da sama pravila, pa bila tudi najboljša, ne morejo preprečiti nazadovanja organizacije, če v naše vrste neprestano ne prihajajo novi člani. Agilna društva in člani zaslužijo vsled tega vso čast in priznanje.

Bratje in sestre, storimo v tem oziru še tekom teh par mesecev, ki nas še ločijo od konvencije, kar nam je v razmerah in prilikah mogoče. Lepo bo slišati na konvenciji poročilo, da je bilo običajno predkonvenčno delo obenem tudi izborna kampanja za pridobivanje novih članov.

Na konvencijah so včasih društveni zastopniki po vrsti klicani, da podajo želje in poročila društev, katera reprezentirajo, in pri takih prilikah se mnogi delegati izrazijo, da nimajo ničesar posebnega poročati. Da-lj bodo taka poročila posameznih delegatov tudi v programu bodoče konvencije, ne vemo. Ampak, če bodo, bo prav razvesljivo slišati poročila, ki se bodo glasila: "Drugega posebnega nimam poročati, kot da je naše društvo v tem konvenčnem letu dobilo toliko novih članov!"

Čim več bo takih ali sličnih poročil in čim večja števila bodo navajala, tem bolj bomo uverjeni, da se naše članstvo v polni meri zaveda, da brez neprestanega pridobivanja novih članov tudi najboljša in najpopolnejša pravila ne morejo pričarati napredku organizacije. Saj ne bi bilo članov, tudi ne bi bilo treba pravil. Dobra pravila so potrebna, a nič manj ni potrebno stalno pomlajevanje organizacije z novimi člani.

Bratje in sestre, upoštevajmo vse to in uravnajmo naše predkonvenčno delo po tej smernici!

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VŠAK PO SVOJE

(Nadaljevanje s 1. strani) kajti psov za enkrat še ne pobirajo k, vojakom.

Bivšemu etiopskemu cesarju Selassiju je treba dati kredit, ker je rajši zapustil svojo deželo kot da bi igral tako peto kolo, kakršno igra Viktor Emanuel v Italiji.

V predzadnjem izdaji Nove Dobe je šlo clevelandsko društvo George Washington korporativno v vas k Barbari Mateshi, pomožni tajnici v Ely. Kriv je bil tiskarski škrat, ki je pozrl tisti kos bronaste pregraje, ki bi imel preprečiti take samovoljne ekskurzije. To je izgovor za mesec junij. Prihodnji mesec bomo pa lahko slične eskapade obesili na gobec pasjih dni.

Vsi pikniki pripravljeni, bodite mi pozdravljeni! Ne bom vas videl vseh, a v duhu zrl bom vaš odseg in čul veselih pesmi spev in vaš prešerni smeh. A, če kedaj za kratek čas osebno pride malo v vas, ne štejte mi za greh!

A. J. T.

POMEN DRŽAVLJANSTVA

(Nadaljevanje s 1. strani) oziroma ako se je poročil po tem dnevu.

Politična enakost je druga važna stvar, ki naj jo uvažuje inozemka, ki misli na državljanstvo. Ameriški državljanji, moški kakor ženske, določajo potom svojega volilnega glasu o živiljenjskih problemih, ki prizadavajo njihovo občino, državo ali vso deželo. Inozemka pa mora molčati, ko se določajo vprašanja take vrste.

Ni mogoce razpravljati o vsem predmetu naturalizacije žensk v tako kraskem članku. Oni, ki želijo bolj natančne informacije, jih najdejo v poglavju o naturalizaciji žensk v brošuri "How to Become a Citizen of the United States," izdana od Foreign Language Information Service, 222 Fourth Ave., New York City.—FLIS.

BOJ PROTI STRUPOM

(Nadaljevanje s 1. strani)

Zatiranje tega narkotičnega strupa pa je otežko, kakor že omenjeno, vsled tega, ker je rastlino mogoče pride lovit kjer koli, in pa, ker povprečni ljudje ne pozna njenih nevarnih svojstev. Rastlina se lahko košati na vseh sosednjih vrtovih ali na praznih stavbiščih, pa se povprečni ljudje ne bodo niti zmenili zanjo.

STRUPENI BRŠLIN

Strupeni bršlin (poison ivy) je grmičje, katerega listje povzročajo bolečje opekline nekatereim ljudem, če pride v dotik s kožo. Zanimivo pa je, da nekateri ljudje niso prav nič dozveti za ta strup. Včasih pomaga proti temu zastupljenju, če se koža, ki je prišla v dotik s tem strupenim listjem, dobro umiva z močno milnico. V hujših primerih pa je včasih treba iskatki lekarniške ali zdravniške pomoči. Zastupljena koža sicer ozdravi v nekaj dneh, toda med tem časom povzroča lastniku dosti bolečin. Največkrat pridejo v dotik s strupenim bršlinom piknikarji, ki potuhnjene rastline ne pozna. Značilnost te rastline je, da ima vedno po tri liste skupaj. Listje je navadno svetlo zeleno in se nekoliko leskeče.

IZBOLJŠANA VODA

Odkar se vodi velikih ameriških mest meša klorin, se je znalo število smrtnih primerov zaradi tifusa letno od 25 na 4 osebe za vsakih 100.000 prebivalcev.

DRUŠTVE IN DRUGE SLOVENSKE VESTI

(Nadaljevanje s 1. strani) teljice Rose di Paulo v enem letu naučil angleščine in obenem dovršil vseh osem razredov. Potem je dve leti obiskoval višjo šolo v Trinidetu, Colo., in, ko se je družina preselila v Lafayette, Colo., je nadaljni dve leti obiskoval tamkajšnjo višjo šolo. Letošnjo poplado je dovršil tamkajšnjo višjo šolo z odliko in za nagrado je dobil štiriletno prosto šolnilo na coloradski univerzi v Boulder, Colo., ki je ena izmed desetih najboljših univerz v Zedinjenih državah. Mladi slovenski imigrant, ki je v kratkem času bivanja v tej deželi pokazal take šolske uspehe, dela vsekakor čast inteligenci slovenske mladine.

Vsa Slavčeva družina je včlanjena v J. S. K. Jednoti. Oče nadarjenega dijaka, sorat Victor Slavec Sr., je na 14. konvenciji v Indianapolisu kot delegat zastopal družtvu št. 140 in 201.

V uredništvu Nove Dobe se je pretekli teden oglašil sorat Jacob Brenčič iz Johnstowna, Pa., član društva št. 36 JSKJ, ki se je mudil v Clevelandu ob priliku republikanske konvencije. Mr. Brenčič je premogarski podjetnik in se je interesiral za trgovino tamkajšnjega premoga v Clevelandu.

Pretekli ponedeljek pa je posetil uredništvo sorat Louis Slak iz Falls Creeka, Pa., član društva št. 13 JSKJ. S hčerkjo Sophie Urbanch iz Ridgewaya, Pa., je prisel obiskati svojega bolnega brata Franka Slaka v Cleveland. Miss Frances Slak, ki je bila delegatinja na lanskem mladinski konvenciji JSKJ, je hčerkica sorata Louisa Slaka.

Preteklo soboto je posetil uredništvo sorat Ignatz Podvaski iz Pittsburgha, Pa., član društva št. 26 JSKJ, pa žal, urednika ni našel doma.

V Clevelandu, O., je umrla Josephina Simčič, rojena Čebokli, stara 51 let, članica društva št. 160 JSKJ. Pokojnica je bila rojena pri Kobariču na Primorskem in je bivala v Ameriki 28 let. Zapušča soprog, eno hčer, pet sinov in dve sestri.

V bazenu javnega mestnega kopalnišča na St. Clair Ave. v Clevelandu sta pretekli teden utonili slovenski deklci Helen Blaznik in Alice Pate, star 10 odnosno 11 let. O krividi za nesrečo se bo razpravljalo v mestni zbornici.

Vsled posledic zastupljenja krvi je v Clevelandu umrl Rev. Victor J. Virant, star 29 let, sin znane Virantove rodbine v Lorainu, Ohio.

V avtomobilski nezgodi je bil preteklo nedeljo ubit Clevelandčan Anton Vidmar, star 41 let, rojen v vasi Šmarca pri Kamniku na Gorenjskem.

RAZNO IZ AMERIKE IN INOZEMSTVA

(Nadaljevanje s 1. strani) portacijskih sredstev, lepi vrtovi itd. Razstava bo na ježerskem obrežju blizu mestnega središča. Zavzemala bo 135 akrov površine in bo imela okrog 15 milj cest.

UNIVERZA države Maine se ponaša s pravim "enorogom," o kakršnih smo včasih čitali v pravljicah. Ta enorog je dve leti stari bik, ki načeluje govejci čredi omenjene univerze. Mesto dveh rogov ima bik sredi čela same in močan rog. Za svojo odličnost pa se nima zahvaliti igri narave, ampak znanosti. Dr. W. Franklin Dove, biologist univerze države Maine, je pred dvemi leti na dan statrem teličku izvršil operacijo na ta način, da je dva mala

"popka" na telečji glavici, iz katerih bi se bila morala razviti normalna rogova, izrezal ju in presadil na sredino čela. Obenem je popka tako prirezal, da sta se zrasla skupaj in sta se pozneje razvila v en sam rog.

OB PRILIKI zadnje republikanske konvencije v Clevelandu je novinarka Eleanor Clarage vprašala tudi strežnice v hotelih in restavracijah kako so zadovoljne z delegati. Dobila je odgovor, da so v splošnem nestrpnji in sitni, skopi z napitino in da dostikrat sami ne vedo kaj hočejo. Edino časnikarske poročevalce, ki so prihajali na hrano, so strežnice pohvalile, da so vladuni in O.K. v vseh ozirih.

BIVŠI predsedniški kandidat demokratske stranke v letu 1920, James M. Cox iz Dayton, Ohio, je letoski konvenciji republikanske stranke prisostvoval kot novinar. Mož je namreč lastnik treh časopisov.

NOVA FRANCOSKA vlada si je postavila obširen delovni program. Izvesti hoče pomilovanje političnih jetnikov, vpeljati 40-urni delovni teden, pravico organiziranja za delavce, počitnice s plačo, javna dela za brezposebne, podravljene vojnih industrij, podprtje vojnih industrij, podprtje živiljenjskih dejavnosti za otroke in revizijo delavskih plač s posebnimi ugodnostmi za najnižje plačane delavce.

V NEMČIJI častijo Hitlerja kot malega boga. Kar on reče in kar stori, je vse prav. Neki nacija se je javno izrazil, da veruje, da je Hitler odrešenik in sin samega Boga. Ponekod se vidi v izložbenih oknih Hitlerjeva fotografija, pred katero je prižgana luč. Tako vsaj poroča Richard Helms, poročalec za United Press.

IZ MOSKVE se poroča, da je bil pod osebnim vodstvom Stalina sestavljen načrt nove ustawe, ki bo predložen v potrditev Vseunijskemu kongresu, ki se snide 25. novembra. Načrt nove ustawe določa splošno, enako in tajno volilno pravico za vse državljanje obeh spolov od 18. leta načrnuje, versko svobodo, svobodo govora in svobodo tiska. Vrhnja se po nesreči, v oskrbo zdravnika, in ker ni dokazalo potom zdravnika, da je bila polnoma onemogla v dobi, katero je zahtevala podporo, ker je razume se, da zdravniki ne morejo pravilno poročati o zdravstvenem stanju osebe za dobo, v kateri jo niti ne vidi.

Ely, Minnesota, dne 5. junija 1936.
Za Jugoslovansko Katoliško Jednoto v Ameriki:
PAUL BARTEL, ANTON ZBASNIK,

Jugoslovanska Katoliška Jednota v Ameriki

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CURRENT THOUGHT

Dissension

A chain is just as strong as its weakest link. Let but one break and the entire chain is rendered useless, regardless how strong the remaining links may be. The weak section must be repaired, so that its tensile strength shall meet the force of a pull.

In the world of business, where the success of the firm is dependent upon exact execution of detail work by the various departments, the personnel must be capable of meeting equally stress from outside sources. Let one department "fall down the job" and the firm's weakness will soon become evident to the customers, who will readily point out its one shortcoming.

Harmony within a group is not as readily observed by the general public, as one note of discord. Let the information creep and it generally does, that two persons in a lodge or club have come to the parting of the ways, for reasons of their own, and soon their troubles shall be the concern of not only the remaining members, but to the outsiders as well.

It is the unusual occurrence which arouses the curiosity of the observing public. An argument which may harm two individuals will find ready listeners. A sound and constructive discussion involving the welfare of a group of members often fall to the wayside, simply because it lacks excitement.

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It takes a force of trained engineers to build a bridge. It takes months to plan and construct a sturdy span. But it only a few minutes, and very little thought, to blow up a structure.

Now and then we hear about dissension between members of a lodge. Trivial differences that develop into mountains of strife, simply because the two offending parties refuse to admit their mistakes, but insist on prolonging the ill feeling in petty acts of spite.

On the unintentional oversight becomes a premeditated act purpose. "Oh, we just don't have any use to reach other, his latest insult does not surprise me," is a common and usual feeling between offending persons.

Unfortunately, the "hard" feeling between two individuals seeps into the minds of others within the same group. Soon there are two opposing factions, who, instead of pulling together in a common endeavor, are prone to pull separately, and then will cross each other's path. Then, like the house that is divided, the local branch becomes a hodge-podge of petty workings that bode destruction.

Clip the trouble in the bud before it has a chance to mar the plant of harmony, so that the blooming flowers will be a joy of beauty, not a source of ugliness.

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Uncompromised differences of opinion within a lodge create difficulties for the officers, who are confronted with the task of leading opposing factions, and of persuading them to work with the whole group.

When the fiscal year has elapsed, and stock is taken of the accomplishments made during the past twelve months, the membership as a whole is impressed solely with the progress gained—overlooking the small and petty arguments, which may have been a contributing factor in retarding the lodge's module of activities.

The lodge officers have their hands full executing their duties and the members are solidly behind the branch. Conflicting currents unduly burden the local leaders, who are handicapped by a lack of sufficient co-operation. Small wonder then, in some isolated cases, capable leaders throw their hands in disgust, for their aim is to work for the benefit of the membership—and not to act as judges of private argu-

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Harmony within a lodge is like a chorus of voices that blend as sound as one pleasant chord struck on the piano.

Dissension is like the "barber shop" quartette which has sung too freely, and which emits atrocious discords, much to the disgust and discomfort of others.

F. E. Vranichar, Supreme Trustee, Wins Prize

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Mr. Vranichar is one of the 16 members of the "President's Club" who qualified for their third consecutive yearly Club distinction. He is the only Central Agent in Illinois who won such honors this year.

According to Mr. Vranichar the Companies represented by him have saved his policyholders in Joliet more than \$5,000,000 on their insurance premiums during the past three years and the increase of business for his Agency indicates that conditions locally are considerably improved. He is looking forward to a very bright future for Joliet.

Pittsburgher Picnic

Pittsburgh, Pa.—Sunday, June 21, marks another milestone in the existence of Pittsburgher Lodge, for on that day Pittsburghers will celebrate their eighth anniversary, by holding a picnic at an Etna picnic grove. A good time is planned for all. Admission is only 25 cents. The members of the lodge will furnish continuous transportation from 2 till 6 p.m. Cars will leave the Slovene Auditorium, 57th and Butler Streets. We cordially invite all SSCU members and their friends to help us celebrate our eighth birthday. Refreshments to your liking will be served and a member of our sister lodge, Electrons, will provide some of the music. We hope to see some of our friends from Center, Cheswick, Claridge and other neighboring lodges. A competent committee has been selected, and I will vouch for it that you will be well taken care of.

At our regular June meeting our genial Bro. J. J. Furar was nominated as our candidate for delegate to the 15th regular convention. Bro. Furar has pledged himself that, if elected, he will do all in his power to further the best interests, not only of Pittsburgher but of the whole SSCU, and when Johnny makes a pledge it means something. We all know him as "good-time" Johnny, but let me tell you that when there is serious business at hand you can depend upon Johnny "Fire" to be among the most zealous.

It is not my purpose to bore you with a lengthy write-up, so I shall again extend to all SSCUers and their friends a most hearty welcome to our eighth anniversary picnic and expect to meet you there.

L. P. Boberg, Pres.,
No. 196, SSCU.

Lodge No. 25

Eveleth, Minn.—Members of Lodge No. 25, SSCU, are requested to be present at our next regular monthly meeting which will be held Sunday, June 28. The meeting, which will get under way at 8:45 a.m., at the usual quarters, will include the election of delegates for the coming convention at Cleveland during September. Suggestions for the delegates also will be taken under advisement at this meeting. A complete report of the last session of the Minnesota Federation of SSCU Lodges will be given.

Members are kindly requested to meet the monthly assessments by the 25th of each month.

Frank Urbina Jr., Sec'y.

Lodge No. 42

Pueblo, Colo.—All members of Lodge No. 42, SSCU, are reminded to attend the lodge meeting which will be held Sunday, June 21. Meeting will begin at 9 a.m., but collection of assessments will begin a half hour earlier. Included in the important lodge business will be the election of a delegate to the 15th regular convention.

Any member who fails to attend without a good reason for doing so shall pay 50 cents into the lodge treasury.

Frank Rupar, Sec'y.

BRIEFS

Cleveland George Washington Lodge, No. 180, SSCU,

Center Ramblers

Center, Pa.—The date set for the next Western Pennsylvania SSCU Federation meeting is fast approaching. It will be held at the Slovene Hall, White Valley, Pa., Sunday, June 28, and is scheduled to begin promptly at 1 a.m. Any local branch which has not as yet elected representatives to this meeting should do so at the June meeting. This probably being the last federation meeting before the 15th regular convention, the by-laws will be an important subject of discussion. The delegates should realize the importance of this meeting and come prepared to take part in all topics of discussion.

An item of importance taking place at the June or July meetings of the lodges is the election of delegates to the 15th regular quadrennial convention which will be held in Cleveland during the month of September. Since the English-speaking element will no doubt play an important roll at this convention, it is therefore necessary that the members select a delegate who will take an active interest in the affairs of the organization, so as to make as much or more progress as has been made in the past.

On Saturday, July 4, a joint picnic will be held at Center Beach, located on Route 80. This picnic will be sponsored by the Center Ramblers Lodge, No. 221, in conjunction with the senior SSCU lodge, No. 33, of Center, Pa. All nearby lodges are requested to reserve July 4 for the joint picnic at Center Beach. Plans for this picnic are not as yet complete and further details will be published in the Nova Doba at a later date.

I wish to take this opportunity to thank the Center Ramblers for the lovely flowers which they sent me while I was in the hospital.

Anne M. Erzen.

another on a curve on State Route 85, in Lake County. Mrs. Vidmar suffered a broken left arm, while the two children and the five occupants of the second car suffered bruises.

Two Slovene girls, Alice Pate, 10, and Helen Blaznik, 11, both of Cleveland, drowned in the St. Clair Bathhouse swimming pool last Friday, June 12. The two victims were members of a party of 50 to go swimming in the popular recreation center. Vera Kushlan, supervisor, Fred Bozic, an assistant, and the fire rescue squads worked valiantly over the motionless bodies, but to no avail.

Police motorcycle accident caused the death of John Gorcic, 53, widower, of Cleveland, father of seven children, when the deceased was hurled about ten feet after walking into the path of Patrolman Bare's motorcycle last Friday. Funeral services were held Tuesday, June 9. Mrs. Jean Margo, oldest married daughter, who is a member of George Washington Lodge, No. 180, SSCU, as well as Frances, the 20-year-old daughter, could not understand how the accident occurred, since their father always was so cautious about crossing streets.

Anton Vidmar, 38, of Cleveland, O., was killed last Sunday when the automobile in which he was returning from a holiday excursion with his wife and two children collided with

FRANK SLAVEC



Coming Events

"The farmer takes his wife, The farmer takes his wife, Heigh-ho the Merry-o, The farmer takes his wife!"

Gowanda, N. Y.—And not only his wife, dear readers, but also his sons, daughters, neighbors, friends. Takes them where? To the Pathfinders' annual Field Day picnic!

Elaborate plans are well under way to make July 11 and 12 "big days." Patrons have many surprises in store for them, so why not plan to attend our annual frolic at Mentley's Grove?

For instance, there's dancing both days. "Looch" and his trusty accordion will furnish music, ranging from polkas to the "Stein Song." For Sunday the Silver Leaf Orchestra has been engaged. These young men have earned quite an enviable reputation as rhythm "go-getters" around Buffalo. Their music library is complete with fox-trots, rhumbas, polkas, or what-have-you?

Then there are games 'n' games where young and old can display their athletic prowess. Races for the kiddies, such as egg rolling, relays and dash, are bound to be exciting, to say nothing of the hilarious peals of laughter a fat man's race evokes.

And an amateur show! Everybody is welcome to compete. Prizes of \$10 and \$5 are offered. Be on hand to cheer along your favorites, be it singer, imitator, dancer or musician. The scheduled amateur show is the feature of the picnic. Out-of-town entries may send their names to Harry Smith, who has charge of presenting the show. And Harry is a very competent man for the job. You're bound to be delighted.

"For it's always fair weather when good fellows get together." We're expecting a

representative group of visiting enthusiasts, and we're all prepared to greet you royally so that you'll always remember Gowanda and make you wish you could stay two years instead of two days. Ask President Louie. He's working hard, and everybody knows how hard Louie does work, to assure visitors a grand 'n' glorious time.

To the visiting young ladies, may I add that Gowanda fellows are making rapid headway in training their hair to stay in place. And Gowanda's tailor shops are swamped with orders for new suits.

So you can see how eager we are to assure you pleasant memories. Come one, come all!

Mrs. Jenny Anderson.

Lodge No. 114

Ely, Minn.—Members of Slovene Lodge, No. 114, SSCU, are requested to attend the regular monthly meeting to be held Sunday, June 21, at the Yugoslav National Home. The meeting, which will start at 7 p.m., will include election of delegates to the 15th quadrennial convention and other important lodge items. Members who have not attended any of the previous meetings are urgently requested to attend the Sunday assembly. Entertainment committee will serve refreshments after meeting is adjourned.

Peter Skradski Sr., Sec'y.

He Shaved

By LITTLE STAN

Ely, Minn.—Another nice day as we roam around, visiting various places of interest—in search of anything and everything! We amble along down the street, and we come upon a fellow who is seated on a door step—weeping and lamenting—we stop and ask him just what is wrong. He looks up, wipes the tears off his tear stained face, and to our surprise it is Little Stan without his mustache!

Yes, it is he—the mustache did not bloom as was first anticipated—or was it something else that made him shave? But no, it couldn't be! An authoritative source has it, that Little Stan was on a picnic recently—promenading around—displaying the fuzzy little growth. Somebody, a young lady, told him to go home—or near the lake and wash his face! Was he mortified! Then to top it off, mosquitos thought that the funny fuzz on Little Stan's face was a keen place to hibernate. Result, Little Stan went home, spread some of the best whipped cream in the country on the mustachio, and fell asleep on the lawn! When he awoke, he unconsciously placed his hand over his upper lip, and to his surprise it was as smooth as a whistle! Rubbing the sleep out of his eyes, he gazed around, and almost at his feet was a young kitten, smacking her chops.

Opening his eyes wider he saw a yard full of cats and dogs, who were meowing (not Machek, our delegate) and dogs barking and whining, waiting for more cream! Again Little Stan rubbed the lower lip and the side burns. Into the house he went for more cream! Back to sleep, and when he awoke, he found all the dogs and cats gone—his face was so clean that the grass reflected in it like a mirror! Soon a lovely princess came by on a beautiful chariot. Seeing Little Stan, she alighted, came to him, looked at his face. In it she saw her own reflection, and was so touched that she placed her arms closely around Little Stan. What a feeling!

"Wake up! Come on eat!" Little Stan's brother Al is shaking him, and with a start Little Stan gets up. Yeah! Tsk, tsk! It was just a wild dream! His face is rough and unshaven, and immediately after he really shaved—perhaps in hopes of having a real princess come along! What a life!

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How many know that under this system—if you have your money in an insured bank and it should suspend for any reason—the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation will at once pay you the sum you have in the bank up to the limit of \$5,000?

And now, to get a little serious. Juveniles! Tsk, tsk! You certainly disappointed some 20,000 readers of the Nova Doba! Little Stan feels like scolding, but he won't! Instead, he will ask what the heck is the matter? Spring fever? Aren't you juveniles any more? Or what the heck is it? In love? Whatever it is, you should take off, let's see, about 15 minutes, and tell the world just what is happening around your fair cities, countries, villages, and places!

No, Little Stan doesn't just want to keep that guilty feeling that you didn't write; but what do you say, we'll all get together for the next issue of the Nova Doba and fill up two whole pages with contributions. Little Stan will make you a proposition: For every article submitted by a juvenile, Little Stan will send the juvenile a little souvenir! Don't forget! We'll make a grand slam all at once, and just fill up the section!

What are you going to write

At the Home Office



Lodge secretaries and treasurers especially will be interested to learn the identity of the individuals pictured above, for once a month, and sometimes oftener, they have occasion to correspond with the SSCU home office, at Ely, Minn.

Pictured above, from left to right, are: Anne Tomsich, Mary Kolec, Joseph Pishler and Katherine Peshel, assistants in the home office; then follow in order, Louis Champa, supreme treasurer; Barbara Matesha, the new assistant supreme secretary; Anton Zbašnik, supreme secretary, and Joseph Mantel, supreme trustee.

Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation

A novel idea in insurance and a new method in banking have formed a combination which brings good news to depositors, especially small merchants and other persons of limited means who have so long been without the protection to which they are entitled.

I wonder how many know that it is now possible to insure bank accounts, thus giving the depositor peace of mind during working hours and enabling him to sleep soundly at night?

The story of the introduction of banking insurance goes back to the crisis of early 1933 when banks were toppling like tenpins, and to the time when action had to be taken to save the nation from a complete financial breakdown, and the banks were closed and kept closed until they could be reopened on a safe and sound basis. The government at that time took steps to meet the emergency and to prevent the recurrence of such a calamity.

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about, you ask? Anything. What's doing in your town? Did any of you graduate? Anything exciting happen? Describe where you like to go, what you like to do, and just anything that pops in your mind. Let's get going! And by the way, place your name and address on your article, so that Little Stan can send you that "souvenir"! Who's with me?

Little Stan received a sweet letter from Sophie Batis of Herminie, Pa., who recently told Little Stan what a keen time she had at Ely, and that her mother and dad were always after her to write. But you know how it was! She is going to write for the next issue, aren't you, Sophie?

News is flying thick and fast. Conventions, politics, picnics, weddings, and Little Stan is rushed. So until next week, he will say—so long—and don't forget, gals and boys!

Stan Pechaver,
No. 2 SSCU.

Matt Anzelc, Sec'y.

With the Electrons

And Stan Progar

Springdale, Pa.—Once again this writer registers another narrow escape. This time man's worst enemy, summer pneumonia, threatened to do away with all his summer days, but after a week in bed, everything is okey-dokey. Now a determined but a very weak boy continues on with his life's struggles and the Electrons' problems.

May 30 has come and gone, but all who attended the Electrons' party still thrill to the memory of the happy hours spent at the happy birthday party. A fine turnout made the party a huge success, both socially and financially and the Electrons wish to thank all those that made this possible. Thanks a million, friends.

As usual, the Center Ramblers and the Pittsburghers had a swell turnout. By the looks of things, they all seemed to enjoy it. Sorry this scribbler was in no mood to join in your fun and frolic, but there will always be another place and time. By the way, Electrons, June 21, is picnic day for the Pittsburghers. Reserve that date.

Members of two SNPJ lodges were seen making merry at the party. The Strabane Pioneers and the Imperial Lucky Stars both had a swell representation. Thanks a lot, SNPJers. We appreciate your patronage, especially the Pioneers.

Our coming member, Nick Tremper, was awarded one of the birthday cakes. Good old Nick. Playing the part of a perfect gentleman, he turned the cake over to his feminine partner. Evidently he's no cake eater. The other cake was taken back to Strabane. The proud owner was none other than the writer's cousin, Mrs. Mitzi Progar.

The \$15 cash prize proved that there still is a kind heart and an unselfish person among us humans. After winning the prize, Mrs. Bole spent \$10 treating everybody present. A very noble gesture, Mrs. Bole. We speak with sincerity, as we say your generosity deserves many, many thanks from everyone. Thanks a million.

Stan Progar and Joe Sherky are becoming great hands in the art of bartending. Did you notice the professional smiles as they exchanged malted beverages for refreshment tickets? All they lack is the one qualification—a German goiter. Early in the evening Stan had to be taken home because of illness. He was replaced by his big brother Joe. Keep it up, Joe. It's a wonderful occupation.

Meet the newest addition to the Electrons, Julius Kun. A healthy, husky and handsome lad from down Cheswick way. Sorry, gals, but he is a marked man. Julius makes up two-thirds of the Stan-Jay and Speedo Inc. Speedo, by the way, is better known as Joseph Sherky, alias Big Tim O'Riley.

The clock is wending its weary hands around the dial, and its tick keeps reminding this writer to go sleep—go sleep—go sleep—so as the eyes begin to revolt, I must drop everything and go to sleep. Adios!

Stan Progar,
No. 228, SSCU.

Missed a Souse

Hobo No. 1: And to think we didn't go to that free concert last night.

Hobo No. 2: Why?

Hobo No. 1: This here paper says the music was intoxicating.

Frank Tichar, Sec'y.

Let Them See for Themselves

And Stan Progar

East Palestine, O.—In the SSCU we have one of the finest organizations of its kind in the United States. We, the members, know this. But do those in the vast fields of prospective members know it? We must show these people what is ours in order to create in them the desire to become one of our great clan.

In our observations, particularly among the smaller units of the SSCU, we find their social affairs are more or less of a private nature. Only members and a few of their close friends are in attendance. Why not invite the many in the eligible class which have never seen the inner workings of the SSCU? Let them see for themselves what the organization is, and what it stands for. It is good for an institution, on occasion, to hold an "open house" for those, whom it may wish to cater to in the future. Aren't we proud of it and eager to have others share our pride? We are.

Joe Golicic,
No. 41, SSCU.

Pathfinders Win Again

Gowanda, N. Y.—Pathfinders baseball team made it four straight Sunday, June 7, when they easily defeated the Boston nine, 24 to 4. They are now tied for first place in the league with the Versailles Indians.

Heavy hitting was the main factor in the Pathfinders' victory, with 17 hits, including a home run, two triples and six doubles. Fine pitching by Stitzel and Tingue held the Boston to only nine hits.

On Wednesday, June 3, our team defeated the Newton Indians in a return game, by a score of 16 to 14. The heavy hitting offset 13 of the Pathfinders' errors; 12 men batted in the fourth inning for a total of eight runs to put the team way out in front.

All plans for the SSCU Field Day, to be held on July 11 and 12, have been completed, and according to present indications, it is to be one of the best ever. Many new features have been added and a record crowd is expected, especially from neighboring lodges. All SSCU members and friends of the Union are invited, and I'm sure that if they come, they won't regret it. An amateur contest will be the main feature of the day.

Stan had to be taken home because of illness. He was replaced by his big brother Joe. Keep it up, Joe. It's a wonderful occupation.

Meet the newest addition to the Electrons, Julius Kun. A healthy, husky and handsome lad from down Cheswick way. Sorry, gals, but he is a marked man. Julius makes up two-thirds of the Stan-Jay and Speedo Inc. Speedo, by the way, is better known as Joseph Sherky, alias Big Tim O'Riley.

The clock is wending its weary hands around the dial, and its tick keeps reminding this writer to go sleep—go sleep—go sleep—so as the eyes begin to revolt, I must drop everything and go to sleep. Adios!

Stan Progar,
No. 228, SSCU.

Missed a Souse

Hobo No. 1: And to think we didn't go to that free concert last night.

Hobo No. 2: Why?

Hobo No. 1: This here paper says the music was intoxicating.

Frank Tichar, Sec'y.

Blood and Battle Field

A World War Chronicle

BY IVAN MATIĆIĆ

From the Slovens by VALENTINE OREHEK

(Continued from last issue)
we take aim with trembling hands. We are sure that all is over now and that nothing short of a miracle can save us. And the unexpected happens: the Italians lift themselves out of their trenches and with hands aloft give themselves up in surrender. We stare at them and wonder if it is not all an illusion. Then we suspect a trap, but no, they are sincere. Now we are faced by a dilemma indeed. We do not know what to do with them. They seem anxious to be taken captive so we point in the direction of St. Martin.

And the black cannons like dread monsters of another age rear out of the slimy boze, belch their flame and settle in the mud.

Endless hours we spend in the glaring heat of July, our backs baked by the sun, an unquenchable thirst parching our throats, turning us into gasping wreches. The sun attains its zenith and to us it never seems to move again.

From Opatje Selo the 10th Marching Battalion is coming to our aid. As we understand, it has been sent from Ljubljana and is gathering in a pass behind St. Martin's in the face of

it enters the line and is disrupted as we have been before it. A company and half is captured and the remainder dispersed or killed.

All this night we dig to consolidate our worse than hopeless defenses. We are threatened from all sides, and even from the sea the muffled thunder of distant guns is borne upon our ears. The night magnificently indifferent to the suffering of man wears away resplendent in gleaming flares that burst along the distant line like trailing points of flame.

Another day, hot, bloody, long as eternity. We sit nervously in the trenches, silently expectant, bored with the enforced idleness. Suddenly a grenade tears somewhere near. You jump with eyes saucer-wide. You reach another spot and sometimes the place you have vacated lifts puff-like with a roar. Many among us by this constant shifting for safer places often end by losing ourselves among the troops holding down the right and left wings.

There is an uninterrupted line of blazing Italian cannon from Zdravscina to Mount St. Martin. It is like the bark of rabid wolves and we feel that they must soon reach and devour us.

Night hastened by the all-obliviating smoke falls early. Here and there fires have broken out, and now they lick at the reeking heaps of the dead who have ripened in the insufferable midday heat. Nearby a slaughtered Magyar lies rotting two days gone. I am first attracted to him by the glitter of diamond rings that adorn his fingers. His haversack is studded with gold plate which I am told he had attempted to sell shortly before a bullet laid him low. All the while he has been stretched there no one has shown the slightest interest in the small fortune that lies with him. And why should he? Of what practical value are gold and gems at a time like this? The future is uncertain, so no one maintains my desultory interest while and then slips my mind.

My attention is recalled in a startling manner. The man has moved...ever so slightly. I do not credit my eyes and look again. Yes, he has moved second and a third time. Curiosity prompts me to investigate and then learn the cause. The man is alive with maggots. And what maggots! Stencher, wriggly white things, as long as your thumb and so closely clustered that their swarming presents a rippling surface wherever the flesh is uncovered to view. It is their united action that has caused the garments of the man to lift and fall as if in breathing.

My stomach revolts within me. This night like the former is bright and glowing. With dawn the cannons begin that will last all day begins and our teeth chatter sympathetic to the vibration of shattering forces. Follows the same monotonous weary song, the heat, the storming, the steel whipping man to lift and fall as if in breathing.

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When it has grown sufficiently for the purpose, twenty-two of us dark ones have survived out of a hundred and twenty, abandon the dismal furrows and meet behind the slope of St. Martin. We feel that others may still be alive and that they are scattered through the lines. Since our lieutenant has suffered serious injuries Corporal Cvetko a sturdy, kind-hearted mountaineer, assumes command over us.

Furtively regarding one another we note the harsh inroads that our difficult existence has made upon us. Our eyes are sunken, our faces haggard and bleached and not a trace of color remains in them. We are a set of trembling men suddenly grown old.

New arrivals join us: "How's it at the First?"

"From what I've heard, it's been wiped out clean as a whistle. The sergeant of the Third is dead and the second is shot up something awful. Our chief lost both his legs. The poor devil lay unconscious beside me, so I pulled some tent cloth over him and directed the sanitaries to him. Yeah, he's a poor guy."

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DOPISI

Ely, Minn.

bomo še nadalje razmotrivali o izboljšanju pravil naše Jednote. Seja se bo pričela ob dveh popoldne. Vsi člani so prošeni, da se udeležijo težne seje. Bratski pozdrav! — Za društvo št. 50 JSKJ: Valentine Orehek, tajnik.

Kitzville, Minn.

Vsi člani društva sv. Janeza Krstnika, št. 112 JSKJ, so vabljeni, da se gotovo udeležijo prihodnje seje, ki se bo vršila v nedeljo 21. junija. Seja se bo vršila na domu sestre Anne Musich in se bo pričela ob 9. uri dopoldne. Med drugimi važnimi zadevami pride na omenjeni seji na vrsto volitev delegata za 15. redno konvencijo, ki se bo vršila meseca septembra v Clevelandu, Ohio. Po seji bo piknik in ples na farmi Ignacea Musiča. Na to zabavo so vabljeni tudi člani naših društev v Chisholmu, Hibbingu in drugod po žezevnem okrožju. Bratski pozdrav in na svodenje!

— Za društvo št. 112 JSKJ:

Frank Tichar, tajnik.

Gilbert, Minn.

Članstvo društva sv. Jožefa, št. 20 JSKJ, vabim, da se polnoštevilno udeleži prihodnje seje, ki se bo vršila v nedeljo 21. junija in se bo pričela ob 9:30 dopoldne. Na omenjeni seji bomo volili delegata za 15. redno konvencijo in tudi nekaj drugih zadev moramo rešiti. Upam, da ta poziv ne bo ostal glas vpijočega v puščavi, kakor je bilo običajno dosedaj. Bratski pozdrav! — Za društvo št. 20 JSKJ:

Joseph Novak, tajnik.

Joliet, Ill.

Članstvo društva sv. Petra in Pavla, št. 66 JSKJ, vabim, da se polnoštevilno udeleži prihodnje seje, ki se bo vršila v nedeljo 21. junija. Seja se bo vršila v navadnih prostorih stare šole in se bo pričela ob eni uri dopoldne. Prihodnja seja bo zelo važna. Znano je, da se bo letos meseca septembra vršila v Clevelandu, Ohio, 15. redna konvencija JSKJ. Naše društvo je upravičeno do dveh delegatov, katera bomo izvolili na seji 21. junija. Dolžnost vsakega člana in članice je torej, da pridě na to važno sejo in odda svoj glas za kandidata, ki je po njegovem mnenju najboljši za ta posel. Od dobrih delegatov je v največji meri odvisen naš predok naše Jednote.

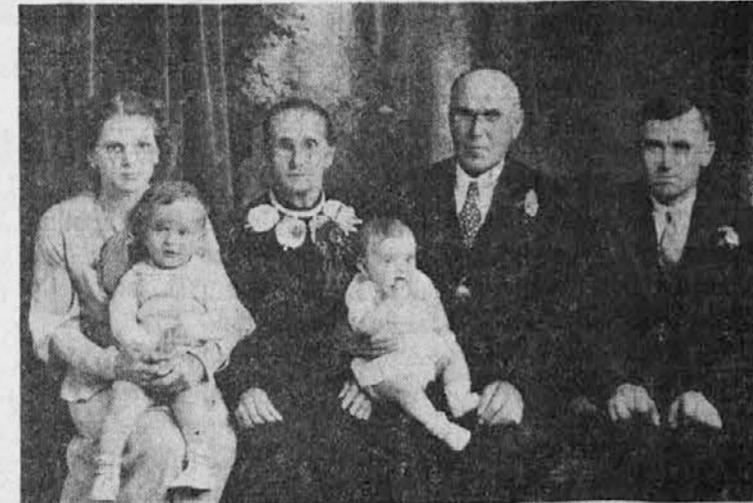
Članstvo bi tudi želel opozoriti na točko 489 jednotinih pravil, namreč, da bi jo malo bolj upoštevali, vsaj tisti, kateri je količaj mogoče. Ta mesec se bodo zaključili polletni računi in želeti je, da bi bili tudi vsi računi članov napravljeni v redu, ko bodo nadzorniki pregledali društvene knjige.

Letos bo preteklo 30 let, od kar je bilo naše društvo ustavljeno, in članstvo je odločilo, da se ta jubilej proslavi z velikim piknikom, ki se bo vršil 19. julija v Rivals parku. Odbor se trudi s pripravami, da se ta obletnica na kar najbolj slovesen način proslavi; v tovrstno pa potrebuje pomoći in sodelovanja vsega članstva. Vsi bi morali delati kakor eden za drugim in napredok našega društva.

Na odborovi seji je bilo sklenjeno, da vsak član in članica našega društva vzame štiri tikete in iste razprodaja. Vsak ticket bo vreden 25 centov v zamenjeno za okrepčila na pikniku.

K sklepnu še enkrat pozivam člane in članice, da se polnoštevilno udeležijo prihodnje seje, da se pogovorimo vse potrebno glede piknika, da izvolimo delegata in jima damo navodilo, da se kar mogoče polnoštevilno udeležijo prihodnje mesecne seje v nedeljo 21. junija. Seja se bo vršila v J. N. Domu in se

ZLATA POROKA IN ŠTIRI GENERACIJE



Gornja slika predstavlja štiri generacije rodbine zlatoporočencev Johna in Margarete Shega v Elyu, Minnesota, ki sta oba člana društva št. 200 JSKJ. Podrobni podatki o zlati poroki so navedeni v dopisu z Elyja na drugem mestu.

Na sliki sede ob leve proti desni: Mrs. Julia White, hčerka Johna Shega Jr. ali vnukinja zlatoporočencev; Thomas White, pravnuk (v naročju matere); Mrs. Margaret Shega, "zlatá" nevesta; Mr. John Shega Sr. s pravnukinjo Mary v naročju; John Shega Jr., sin zlatoporočencev.

White Valley, Pa.

Marsikaterega sem že slišal reči, češ, kaj bo ta Zveza oziroma Federacija društev! Ne pomni nič, samo pregovarjat in zabavat se hodijo na te seje! Toda moti se, kdor tako trdi. Zveza JSKJ društev v zapadni Pensylvaniji je pomagala že mnogim članom pri asesmentih; mnogi bi danes ne bili več člani, da jim ni Zveza pomagala. Zveza se je tudi dobro izkazala pri kampanjah za nove člane. Nikakor tudi ni res, da bi društveni zastopniki hodili na seje samo pregovarjati in zabavati se. Res se debatira o tem in onem, toda vedno le v korist JSKJ. Brez debat se nadavno ne more priti do pravih zaključkov. Kadar pa so seje končane, pa se zborovalci sededa radi kaj pogovorijo s prijatelji in znanci. Tega jim ne more nihče zameriti ali cíti, kajti nekaj razvedrila včasih potrebujemo vsi.

Zdaj, ko smo takoreč tik pred konvencijo, so seje naše Zveze jako važne, ker se razmotrica o izboljšanju pravil. Zaradi tega je dolžnost vseh društev, ki spadajo k Zvezzi, da gotovo pošlejo svoje zastopnike na seje, ki se bo vršila 28. junija v Slovenski dvorani v White Valley, Pa. Tista društva pa, ki ne spadajo k Zvezzi, so vabljeni, da pošlejo vsaj opazovalec, morda s kakšnimi dobrimi priporočili za izboljšanje pravil. Odbor za pravila bo vzel v poštev vse, kar bo dobrega. Moja želja je, da bi kateri član prinesel kak dober predlog v korist tistim bivšim članom, ki so bili črtani vsled depresije, namreč pod kakšnimi pogoji bi jih bilo mogoče spet sprejeti v organizacijo. Dalje za mlade člane iz mlađinskega oddelka, ki so dopolnili 18. leto, pa so pustili društvo, ker niso dobili nikake rezerve. Pri drugih jednotah dobiti, pa se rajši tam vpišejo; pri naši JSKJ ne dobe nič, da se dopolnijo 18. leto. To sta dve točki, glede katerih naj bi se sestavili dobri predlogi, ki bi jih mogla prihodnja konvencija sprejeti, da bi dobili nazaj v Jednote vsaj tiste bivše člane mlađinskega oddelka, ki so z 18. letom pustili.

K sklepnu vabim zastopnike vseh društev, ki spadajo k Zvezzi JSKJ društev v zapadni Pensylvaniji, da se gotovo udeležijo seje, ki se bo vršila ob 28. juniju in se bo pričela ob 10. uri dopoldne. Upam, da se omenjene seje udeležijo tudi glavni odborniki iz Clevelandu. Na svodenje! — Za publicijski odbor Zveze JSKJ društva:

Jurij Prevc.

Ely, Minn.

Člane društva Slovenec, št. 114 JSKJ, pozivam tem potom, da se kar mogoče polnoštevilno udeležijo prihodnje mesecne seje v nedeljo 21. junija. Seja se bo vršila v J. N. Domu in se

ukrepnih seji minnesotske federacije, ki se je vršila 31. maja v Hibbingu.

Pri tej priliki tudi opozarjam člane našega društva, da naj skrbe, da bodo imeli plačane svoje asesmente do 25. dne v mesecu. — Za društvo št. 25 JSKJ:

Frank Urbina Jr., tajnik.

Pueblo, Colo.

Vse člane in članice društva Marija Pomagaj, št. 42 JSKJ, pozivam, da se udeležijo društvene seje, ki se bo vršila v nedeljo 21. junija. Na omenjeni seji bomo volili delegata za 15. redno konvencijo JSKJ, obenem bomo razpravljali o pravilih. Treba bi bilo nekaj ukreniti, da se pomore tistim stariim članom, ki si so izposodili denar na svoje certifikate in ga ne morejo vrniti. Kaj bo z njimi, ko vso svojo rezervo porabijo? Pomagali so Jednoto graditi, zato je naša dolžnost, da jih na kak način obdržimo v organizaciji. O tem v sličem bomo na prihodnji seji razpravljali, torej pride vse! Sestrski pozdrav! — Za društvo št. 88 JSKJ:

Katherine Penica, tajnica.

Chicago, Ill.

Na seji društva Zvon, št. 70 JSKJ, ki se je vršila 16. maja, je bilo sklenjeno, da se pismenim potom povabi vse člane in članice na prihodnjo sejo, ki se bo vršila v nedeljo 21. junija.

Frank Rupar, tajnik.

Cleveland, O.

Članom društva sv. Janeza Krstnika, št. 37 JSKJ, naznam, da je bilo na seji 17. maja sklenjeno, da se bodo vršili v nedeljo 21. junija. Za seji bo volitev delegata za prihodnjo konvencijo in razpravljalo se bo tudi o izboljšanju pravil. Dalje se bo razpravljalo o naši tridesetletnici in se bo volil pripravljalni odbor za isto. Tudi o vrtni veselici se bo razpravljalo. Zato je želeti, da bi bilo članstvo kar mogoče polnoštevilno navzoče. Čim več nas bo, tem bolj v zadovoljstvu večine bomo vse ukrenili.

Pozabiti tudi ne smemo na nove člane. Prva polovica leta pozneje, bodo odložene za prihodnji mesec. Dosedaj je bilo v resnici sitno, ker nekateri člani so prinašali listine med sejo. Dostikrat smo že sklenili o bolniških podporah, ko so bile prinesene nove listine in je bilo treba posebej sklepati o takih zapoznilih bolniških nakaznicah. Nadalje priporočam bolniškim obiskovalcem, da pridejo poročati o stanju bolnikov pred sejo ali na sejo, ne pa ented po seji. Društveni tajnik čita na seji imena bolniških obiskovalcev in društveni zapisnikar zapiše imena tistih obiskovalcev, o katerih ni poročila. Taki bolniški obiskovalci zapadejo kazni enega dolarja, akonimajo važnega vzroka, da niso poročali. Bratski pozdrav!

Na svodenje v soboto 20. junija in bratski pozdrav! — Za društvo Zvon, št. 70 JSKJ:

John Zvezich, predsednik.

Pittsburgh, Pa.

Tem potom pozivam člane in članice društva sv. Štefana, št. 26 JSKJ, da se kar mogoče polnoštevilno udeležijo prihodnje seje, ki se bo vršila v nedeljo 21. junija. Seja se bo vršila v navadnih prostorih Slovenskega doma in se bo pričela ob dveh popoldne. Na omenjeni seji bomo volili dva delegata za 15. redno konvencijo JSKJ.

Joseph Rudolf, tajnik.

Kemmerer, Wyo.

Članom društva Marija Danica, št. 28 JSKJ, naznam, da je bilo na izredni seji dne 7. junija sklenjeno, da društvo prirede piknik na 4. julija. Piknik se prične že dopoldne na tem mestu opozoriti nekatere člane in članice, da bi boj točno plačevali svoje asesmente; ako se to ne zgodi, se bom moral ravnati po pravilih, to je, poslužiti se suspendacije.

V takem slučaju naj se potem nihče ne jezi name. Članstvo naj upošteva, da asesment mora biti poslan vsak mesec pravčasno na glavnega blagajnika.

Bratski pozdrav! — Za društvo št. 154 JSKJ:

Joseph Batis, tajnik.

so zaostali z asesmenti meseca maja, prosim, da poravnajo ta mesec. Pa na svodenje na seji v soboto 20. junija! — Za društvo Zvon, št. 70 JSKJ:

Andrew Bavez, tajnik.

Chisholm, Minn.

Člane društva sv. Jožefa, št. 30 JSKJ, vladljuno vabim, da se udeležijo prihodnje seje, ki se bo vršila v nedeljo 21. junija in se bo pričela ob dveh popoldne. Na omenjeni seji bo volitev delegatov za 15. redno konvencijo JSKJ. Dolžnost članov je, da se zanimajo in da izvolijo najboljše člane izmed sebe za delegate, take člane, ki bodo delali za korist članstva, za boljša pravila in splošni napredok Jednote. Bratski pozdrav!

— Za društvo št. 30 JSKJ:

Joseph Bozitz, tajnik.

Gilbert, Minn.

Tem potom pozivam člane društva sv. Ane, št. 133 JSKJ, da se polnoštevilno udeležijo seje, katera se bo vršila v nedeljo 21. junija. Seja se bo vršila v običajnih prostorih v soboto 20. junija in se bo pričela ob pol osmi (7:30) ure. Na omenjeni seji bo volitev delegatov za 15. redno konvencijo. Sestrski pozdrav! — Za društvo št. 133 JSKJ:

Angela Verbic, tajnica.

Hermine, Pa.

Vsi člani in članice društva Veseli slavček, št. 154 JSKJ, so vabljeni, da se gotovo udeležijo prihodnje seje, ki se bo vršila v nedeljo 21. junija in se bo pričela ob 7:30 zvečer. Na omenjeni seji bo volitev delegatov za 15. redno konvencijo. Sestrski pozdrav! — Za društvo št. 154 JSKJ:

Ely, Minn.

Članice društva Marije Čist. Spočetja, št. 120 JSKJ, so pršene, da se polnoštevilno udeležijo seje, ki se se bo vršila v nedeljo 21. junija in se bo pričela ob pol dveh (1:30) popoldne. Na omenjeni seji bomo volili dva delegata za 15. redno konvencijo JSKJ. Asesment bom začel pobirati eno uro pred začetkom seje, to je že ob eni uri popoldne. Kdo ne bi mogel plačati na seji, lahko plača 25 centov v društveno blagajno. Obžalujem, da moram na tem mestu opozoriti nekatere člane in članice, da bi boj točno plačevali svoje asesmente; ako se to ne zgodi, se bom moral ravnati po pravilih, to je, poslužiti se suspendacije.

Nadalje ne jezi name. Članstvo naj upošteva, da asesment mora biti poslan vsak mesec pravčasno na glavnega blagajnika. Bratski pozdrav! — Za društvo št. 120 JSKJ:

Rose Svetich, tajnica.

Herminie, Pa.

Tem potom pozivam člane in članice društva Veseli slavček, št. 154 JSKJ, da se polnoštevilno udeležijo prihodnje seje, ki se bo vršila v nedeljo 21. junija. Na omenjeni seji bo volitev delegatov za 15. redne konvencije, obenem imamo pa za rešitev nekatere druge zadeve. Morda se odločimo za kakšno zabavo ali piknik, ki bi nekoličko pomagal društveni blagajni, katera je vedno prazna. Kakor bo večina na seji sklenila, tako bo.

Zaradi tega bi bilo želeti, da bi se seje udeležilo vseh 45 članov. Omenim naj še, da član, ki se ne udeleži prihodnje seje, plača 25 centov v društveno blagajno. Izvzeti so le bolniki.

Dne 28. junija se vrši zbor.

(Dalje na 6. strani)

