



# Federacije

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Priprave v metropoli za proslavo SNPJ

Cleveland, O. — Dan proslave 35-letnice SNPJ, ki je priredi clevelandška federacija, se kaj hitro približuje. Vstopnice so že precej časa v razprodaji. Člane in članice, ki želijo pomagati pri razprodaji istih, želim opozoriti, da jih lahko dobijo pri tajnikih svojih društev ali pa pri federalnih zastopnikih.

Program bo precej obširen in zanimiv. Pričakuje se velika udeležba, ne samo od strani rojakov iz metropole, ampak tudi od naših članov iz bližnjih naselbin. Za dobro in točno postrežbo bo seveda treba precejšnje število delavec za baro in drugih pozicijah. Za kuhanjo pa, kakor sem sišal, bodo skrbeli članice od našega ženskega društva Svobode st. 748. Dobar golek je torej zagotovljen. Vsi tisti člani od raznih društev, ki sta obljubili svojo pomoč na ta dan, bodo gotovo na svojem mestu.

Ob tej priliki želim povabiti vse naše člane in članice v Clevelandu, vse naše prijatelje in znance, ne samo iz našega mesta, ampak tudi iz sosednjih naselbin, da nas gotovo običajo v nedeljo, 15. oktobra, v Slovenskem delavskem domu na Waterloo Rd. Program se začne ob 3. uri popoldne, nakar se bo seriral večerja. Po večerji bo ples v obeh dvoranah. Naši gostje iz zunanjih naselbin si bodo ob tej priliki lahko ogledali nove izboljšane prostore Slov. del. doma, na katerega smo Collinwoodčani tako ponosni.

Kot govornik pride ob tej priliki v Cleveland brat Frank Zaitz, predsednik gl. nadzornega odsuka. Brat Zaitz je že mnogo let član gl. odbora in mu je precej dobro znana notranja in zunanja zgodovina SNPJ. Razen tega pa je on tudi dober govornik in gotov sem, da bo njegov govor zanimiv in podcen.

"And now we have an important announcement for you." Tako se glasilo naznani po radiu. Tudi jaz imam danes za vse rojake v Clevelandu in v vsej državi Ohio, kakor tudi za naše rojake po sosednjih državah, kako važno sporočilo. En teden pred našo proslavo, to je v nedeljo, 8. oktobra, ob eni uri popoldne (Eastern Standard Time) se bo poslužila clevelandška federacija radiopostaje WGAR za oglašanje te proslave in kar je še bolj važno, za oglašanje Slovenske narodne podporne jednote in pomena, ki ga ima ta organizacija za naš narod v Ameriki. Govoril bo podpisani in sicer ob času Slovenian Hour. Postaja WGAR ima 1450 kilometrov, je precej močna in jo je slišati tudi v sosednjih državah.

Matt Petrovich, predsednik federacije.

**Proslava SNPJ na antracitu**

Wilkes Barre, Pa. — Zadnja seja federacije SNPJ v vzhodni Pennsylvaniji, ki se je vrila 24. septembra v Nantickou, je napravila veliko koristnega dela za proslavo 35-letnice naše jednotne, ki se vrila 28. oktobra v Luzernu. Zastopniki so zaključili, da se povabi gl. predsednika Vincenta Cainkarja kot glavnega govornika. S sabo bo prinesel tudi vse potrebno za predvajanje filmov iz stare domovine in od takoj.

Za aranžiranje te proslave so bili izvoljeni odborniki, ki so pridno na delu, da pripravijo vse potrebno za postrežbo posetnikom. Odbor je na delu že približno šest mesecov.

Vsi se moramo zavedati, kot člani velike podporne organizacije SNPJ, da je ena najboljših, kar jih imamo v tej deželi. Podpora nam nudi v vseh slučajih in ničče ni izvzet, vse smo enakopravni in za vsakega veljavljajo pravila; vsakdo lahko pride do svojih pravic, ki mu pripadajo po pravilih.

Kakor poročano na seji, se za to proslavo članstvo izredno zadržimo. Ob tej priliki bomo izdali tudi programme knjižice z oglasi. Zato priporočam članom, naj gredo na delo in pridno nabirajo oglase, kajti to ni v korist posameznika, marvec vse skupine brez izjeme. Brez dela ni uspeha, zato vse na delo, da bo večji

stu za M. Peklaja (456) \$1.55 in za Franka Žakela (170) \$6.55. Sklenjeno, da tajnik poziva, kdaj bi se mogla vrátič zabava in da najstane dvorano, če je mogoče, za 31. dec. ali pozneje, datum veselice pa objavi v Prosveti.

Nato William Pongratz želi, da poroča zastopnik konference Prosvetne matico. Poroča Mak Kotnik in zastopniki ga z zanimanjem poslušajo. Apelira na zastopnike, naj delujejo pri svojih društvih za pristop v Prosvetno matico, na zbornico pa, da federacija da oglaša v Družinski koledar, kar je z večnim sprejeti.

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Mary Sustarsic, zapisnikarica.

### Društvene vesti

Renton, Wash. — Opozorjam članstvo društva 377 SNPJ, da se v polnem številu udeležite prihodnje seje 8. oktobra. Na dnevnem redu bo razprava o plesni veselici, katero namerava društvo prirediti na starega leta zvezcer. Kakor druga leta, se bo tudi letos računalna vstopnina tuji tistim članom, ko se ne bodo udeležili veselice. Ker pa je bilo radi tega prejnjega leta veliko godrjanja, bi želel, da se članstvo udeleži seje in izradi svoje menije.

Naše društvo šteje 88 članov, toda na zadnjo sejo jih je prislo le šest, tako da je moral tajnik tisti skratno člena, da smo lahko sejo odprli. Ni lepo, da se članstvo tako malo zanimala za društvene seje.

A. A. Strnad, tajnik.

Cleveland. — Poleg veselih in kritičnih novic moramo poročati tudi žalostno vest. V četrtek, 28. septembra, je nagloma premulin naš član Joseph Jaklič, stanovan na 877 East 137 st. Zadela ga je srčna kap. V Ameriko je prišel pred 27 leti iz Medvoda na Gorenjskem. Tukaj zapušča žaluočo soprog Frances, rojeno Papeš, in dva sina, Josepha in Franca, v starci domovini pa brata Franca in sestro Katarino.

Društvo V boj 53 SNPJ je pokojnemu bratu oskrbelo pogrebce, ki so ga spremili na pokopališče Calvary dne 2. oktobra pod vodstvom pogrebnega zavoda Augusta Svetka. Naj v miru počiva v ameriški gradi, njegovim, ki jih je zapustil, pa naše sožalje v imenu vseh članov društva.

Mi pa pojdimo na agitacijo in pridobimo v društvo vse one, ki še niso člani organizacije. Mi smo tukaj, da pomagamo živim za časa bolezni, po smrti pa njih sorodnikom.

Društvena seja bo 8. oktobra, kot navadno.

Frank Barbic.

Chicago. — Članice društva 86 SNPJ priredijo veselico dne 9. decembra. Prosima vse čakačke društva in klube, naj ne prirejajo zabav tisti dan, marvec naj ta datum rezervirajo za našo veselicu. Naše društvo je še zmrzalo upoštevalo vaša naznanila.

Vseh članov je dolžnost, da redno posečemo društvene seje. Le tisti člani so aktivni, ki redno posečajo mesečne seje. Na njih dostikrat razpravljamo o jednotnih problemih in principih, toda vedno se žrtvujejo le eni in isti člani, da se more kaj ukreniti v prid društvu in jednosti. Zatorej ste vabiljeni vse člani in posebno še članice na prihodnjo sejo, ki bo 15. oktobra ob 10. dop. Udeležite se vse.

John Morsi, tajnik.

Edison, Kans. — Društvo 225 SNPJ je na zadnji seji sklenilo, da mora vsak član plačati 25 centov v društveno blagajno mesečno, zato v novembra. Člani, zavarovani samo za smrtnino, plačajo 25c za oba mesece.

Annie Jelovchan, tajnica.

Evelst. Minn. — Naznanjam članstvu društva 130 SNPJ, da se bodo sedaj v zimskem času vršile društvene seje vsako drugo nedeljo v mesecu ob 2. popoldne, namesto v pondeljek zvezč po drugi nedelji. Tako je člansko sklenilo na zadnji seji. Priznana seja bo torej 8. oktobra

predložene in odobrene so bile prošnje za asement, in sicer za Jennie in Anton Streljaj (48) v vso \$3.39. Izplačani sta bili tudi dve prošnji v avg

ob 2. popoldne. Pridite vse na to sejo. Slišate booste poročilo za stopnic, ki so se udeležile seje minnesotske federacije, in še več drugih važnih stvari bo na dnevnem redu, za 31. dec. ali pozneje, datum veselice pa objavi v Prosveti.

Johana Zadnikar, tajnica.

Sharon, Pa. — Članstvu društva 31 SNPJ naznamjam, da se naše seje od sedaj naprej vrše vsako drugo nedeljo v mesecu. Prihodnja seja bo 8. oktobra ob 2. popoldne v navadnih prostorih. Pridite vse.

Joe Paulenich, tajnik.

### Glasovi iz naselbin

Uspeh proslave in trgovine Midway, Pa. — Zahvaljujem se vsemu članstvu društva 89 SNPJ za kooperacijo in udeležbo dne 16. septembra na proslavi 35-letnice jednote in 25-letnice naše dvorane. S tem v zvezi se je vrilla vinska trgovina, mlađinski krožek št. 22 pa je upravljen skoraj do konca.

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# Društvene prireditve

*Slovenski se pripravljajo na slavnost SNPJ*

**Hrvaška.** — Kakor je razstavitev za slavnost 35-letnice države, ki se vrši 22. oktobra v South Side Turn. Kako je v dili, se mladina pridno udeleži, da bo nastopila z jazitom programom. Nas veseli in smo ponosni, da nati malčki enkrat lahko udeležili, kar so naši pionirji udeležili pred 35 leti.

Natih čast staršem, ki se toljijo, da pošiljajo mladino slike v Soštarščevi. S tem pomagajo, da nas slovenski pesem ne izgubi v Ameriki. Lansko leto je hr. Jakob Zupan iz starega kraja prinesel trboveljske slike na sliki. Vsi smo si že zdeli slišali njih žvgolenje. smo pa Milaučani i svoje Slavčke, ki bodo pristopili na tej proslavi njene jubileje in pozdravili slike v sestre.

Naj navezen program, katerega je sestavil pripravljalni odbor po svoji najboljši moči. 1) otvoritev, 2) ameriška himna, 3) solospes Louise Klemencičeve, ki poje v Hammondu po radiju in je doma iz Žabje vasi pri Občini, 4) pozdrav zastopnikov raznih društev, 5) nastop pevskega zborja Preradovića, ki je eno najboljših pevskih društev v okolici, 6) nastop Serenadorev Charlesa Brasicha pod vodstvom Johna Stefanica, 7) govor gl. predsednika Vincenta Cinkarja, 8) predvajanje slik iz Jugoslavije, katere bo tolmačil br. Cinkar. Potem bo pesem in prosta zabava. Igrala bo najboljša godba te okolice.

Tukaj je torej program. Uspeh priredbe pa zavisi od članstva. Potrebno je, da gremo na delo s prodajanjem vstopnic. Pripravljalni odbor ne more vsega sam urediti in je potrebna vaša kooperacija. Vabimo tudi sosednja društva iz South Chicaga, Indiana Harborja in Hammonda, da nas obišejo na proslavi prej omenjeni dan.

Program se prične točno ob treh popoldne. Potem bo odmor. Ob 6. pa se bodo pričele predvajati slike. Vsega tega ste lahko deležni za 35c, ker je malenkost na vstopnino. Odbor bo skrbel, da boste dobro postreženi z vsem. Na veselo svodenje 15. oktobra v Hrvatski dvorani, 2300 Washington.

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## Glasovi iz naselbin

Na vinski trgovati društva Slavije bo luštno...

Chicago, III. — Še veliko nas je, ki se dobro spominjam, kako luštno je bilo v vinskih goricah,

ko je grozje dozorevalo. Vrskanje in petje se je razgledalo od grica do grica, od holma do holma. V vinogradih je bilo živo kot nikdar prej in ne poznej.

Fantje in dekleta — tudi samosravnjenikov ni manjkalo — so bili zaposleni od zore do mraka. Ni ga letnega časa, ki bi bil toliko pomemben za vse vinorodne kraje kot je ravno VINSKA TRGATEV, t. j., ko se vráti obiranje in stiskanje grozdja. Zgodaj spomladi, ko okopavajo in obrezujejo trte, je vse nekan molčeče, v srcu je upanje in obenem strah, ali bo v jeseni kaj ali nič. Celo leto negujejo trte in so prikažejo izza listja težko obloženi grozdi in ko prično jagode dozorevati, se lice vino-rejcev razjasni in težko pričakujejo dneva, ko bo pričel dozoreli sad spravljalni v vinograde.

Ze nekaj tednov pred obiranjem grozdja je zaposlen v vinhramu: pripravlja posodo, nabija jase, čisti stiskalnik itd. Zvezcer in ob prazničnih običajih svoje znanec v prijatelje, sorodnike in druge ter jih vabi na trgovate. Hišne gospodinje so izredno zaposlene s pripravami, da delavci v vinogradu ne bodo lačni, gospodar pa skrbi, da ne bodo žejni, ker je za ta slučaj vedno pripravljen sod 'boljšega', katerega je spravil 'tja v kot'.

In ko pride 'dan', ni to delaven dan, ampak 'prazničen dan'.

In ko se sonce skrije za holm, nastane mrak, tedaj je ob zidani vse v veselju. Petje in vinskihanje, harmonika in smeš.

In košček vsega tega bo pre-

nesezen iz stare domovine drugo

soboto tega meseca v dvorano

SNPJ, kjer bo društvo Slavija

št. 1 SNPJ praznovalo vinsko tr-

gatev. Tudi na tej trgovati ne bo

manjkalo ničesar: hišna gospo-

dinja je sedaj zaposlena s pri-

pravami za lačne in na razpolago

bodo razne dobre, kakršne so

običajno na vinskih trgovatih v

starem kraju; hišni gospodar je

zadružništvu in podpiraču vstop-

nina. Ob zaključku, 31. oktobra,

bo oddana najboljša nagrada.

Vabi —

Zadružni izobraževalni odsek.

Proslava 35-letnice SNPJ v Clevelandu

Cleveland, Ohio. — Ze večkrat

v zadnjem času je bilo omenjeno

v raznih dopisih iz metropole,

da se clevelandška društva pod

avspicijo federacije pripravljajo

za proslavo 35-letnice naše

SNPJ, in to na 15. oktobra v

SDD na Waterloo Rd. Poleg

drugi važni poročil se nasi

dopisniki spomnijo, da seznanijo

naše članstvo s to pomembno

prireditvijo. Samo naš France,

kateri ima vedno največ poroča-

ti, pa se mi zdi, da ne ve, da se

bo vršila ta prireditv. Ali pa se

mu vidi drugo potrebnejše spo-

ročati javnosti. Kmet ne verjet, čeprav je že neštetokrat slišal,

da ima vsaka glava svojo pamet,

dokler se ni sam prepričal. Na-

mreč nekega jesenskega dne, ko je

peljal zeljnate glave iz zeljnega,

se mu je na vrhu klance pri-

petila neareča. Zvrnil se mu je

voz. Kmet ves začuden gleda za

zeljnatimi glavami, ko se vale

vsaka po svoji poti v dolino. "No,

sedaj pa verjamem, da ima vsaka

glava svojo pamet," je vzkliknil.

V koliko je ta proslava po-

membra? Če pomislimo na pre-

rokovanja ob rojstvu SNPJ, ko

se nasprotniki sporočili javnosti,

da se je rodilo mrtvo dete, ima-

mo danes kljub temu priliko ob-

hajati 35-letnico, in sicer ne mr-

tevga deteta, temveč najmočnej-

še in najsolidnejše slovenske

hratske organizacije. Preprican

sem, da se članstvo v obširnem

Clevelandu zaveda te pomembne

proslave ter se bo tudi ude-

ležijo te prireditve. Predvsem si

zapomnite, da se prireditve vrši

v Slovenskem delavskem domu

na Waterloo Rd. 15. oktobra s

pestrim programom, pričetek po-

poldne ob 3. uri in ples zvečer v

vseh dvoranah. Program bo pri-

občen prihodnji teden, kot tudi

zadružništvu za brezplačen prostor.

Kar je tudi pomagalo društvo.

Torej lepa hvala vsem.

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## Let's Make the Campaign Go Over the Top!

Last week we said that our Jubilee Membership Campaign, from this week and to the end of the year, would be in its "boom period" and that we are due for better results.

The summer lull is definitely over and our activities have moved indoors. The present season extending over the next three months traditionally is our most productive period. But will that fact alone make our campaign go over the top? Not without our united efforts to push the drive right to the goal line. No appreciable success can be accomplished without expending a certain amount of energy. The fact that it should be a "boom period" will not make it one without effort on our part.

To a very large extent it is up to us of the English Speaking Lodges to reach our goal. For it is the English Speaking Lodges that have the biggest opportunity to increase their ranks! We have the vitality and energy to do so; we are in position to contact new prospects and to bring them into our lodges; we have the necessary background furnished by the excellent record of our Society on which we can firmly stand—in short: we have everything in our favor when we go out campaigning for new members. Will we make full use of our opportunities to fulfil our duty, our promise and pledge?

We must not forget our promise at the time of initiation to faithfully uphold our Society's principles and always work for its welfare. And as members of various lodge athletic groups we pledged ourselves to strive to build up its membership. We must remember that our Society is quite generous in supporting our athletic activities, and that in return we said we would bring in many new members.

Our Society is calling upon us NOW!

Let's prove ourselves worthy of our pledges!

Let's make our campaign go over the top!

## Detroit Wolverines Open Season

By Holding Old-Fashioned Party;

Plan Thanksgiving Dance Nov. 18

**DETROIT.**—After a prolonged vacation from the pages of the Prosvesna, we are back again to let you know of the activities of the Wolverine Lodge, No. 677, SNPJ.

First of all, we take great pleasure in announcing that due to popular demand, the Wolverines will open up the fall and winter season's activities by holding one of their good old-fashioned parties Saturday, October 7. This party will be held at the Slovene Workers' Home, 437 S. Livernois, and, as usual, the admission will be \$1 for men and 35¢ for the ladies. Liquid refreshments and lunch will be served with this admission, so here is a chance to spend an enjoyable evening at a very reasonable price.

And as for music, we sincerely believe that everyone will be satisfied with the orchestra that we have obtained—it's the same orchestra that has entertained us so well for the past four or five years at the Omnia Cafe on Sunday afternoons. This orchestra consists of an accordion, violin, bass, violin and a banjo and specializes in old-fashioned waltzes and polkas. It's music of this type which seems to keep a party from having one dull moment.

Lefty Kovac and A. Kiarich have promised to show us the motion pictures of the last Wolverine Field Day, as well as some pictures taken at the SNPJ Day at La Salle. Inasmuch as this is the last Wolverine

affair until our Thanksgiving Dance, we urge everyone to attend this Wolverine Party of Oct. 7.

And for their Thanksgiving Dance on November 18, the Wolverines have engaged that popular orchestra from Cleveland, Frankie Yankovic and his band. Frankie has had engagements throughout Ohio and Western Pennsylvania, but we believe this will be the first time he and his band will have appeared in Michigan.

Those of you who have enjoyed hearing Frankie broadcast from Cleveland will undoubtedly get much more pleasure out of seeing and hearing him in person. So let's keep this date open, and more about this affair later.

**Stuff 'n' Stuff:** A very busy summer for members of the Wolverine Lodge—what with trips to Cleveland and Barberon, the Wolverine Field Day, the cruise to Cedar Point, weekends spent at the lakes, the SNPJ Day at La Salle, vacations spent in such different localities as California, Bermuda, Kansas, Pennsylvania, Canada, and not to forget that Mrs. M. Kiarich Sr.—one of our favorite people—spent two months on a trip to Europe.

And now the bowling season is upon us—much to our delight. The Wolverine Girls have got off to a good start, winning five out of their first six games. The Boys' teams haven't done so well—the Blues winning three out of six; the Growlers, also, three out of six; the Bernicks, a team consisting of SIX Bernick brothers, winning two out of six; and the Caboose bringing up the rear by losing all six games. But all the boys expect to show up much better as we move on into the bowling season.

Happenings since we wrote our last article—Frank Sternisha and Edna Krashewski were married, as were Fred Bernick and Frances Slaga. Leo Bernick and Bertha Martinac have become engaged, and Frank Kern could have had a date. Congratulations to all.

EMIL DOMINI,

Lodge 580.

We notice that the Jolly Allis Lodge

## 'Spirits' Planning Anniversary Dance

By Whoosit

**ST. LOUIS, MO.**—We want to remind you all that the SNPJ Spirits are holding their anniversary dance on Saturday, Nov. 18. We ask everyone to keep this date in mind, because all who have attended our previous affairs will surely want to attend this one.

The music will be furnished by the "New Yorkers." Everyone remembers this orchestra, for they have been very popular among the Slovanes and Croatians in this vicinity.

With the splendid cooperation of the members, we know that this will be the best affair yet given.

Every member is requested to attend our next regular meeting which will be on Oct. 13. This will be an important meeting at which time also the dance tickets will be distributed. So set aside all other plans and attend this meeting.

We here that three members of the Spirits "Rod and Reel Club" have tried their skill in some lake near Freeburg, Ill. These members being John Jurges, John Spiller, and Frank Kokal. As yet these fellows haven't been heard from. But just to remind them, we don't swallow fish tails (salus).

We wonder how the Girl's Bowling team is getting along. All you girls who would like to join the team get in touch with your secretary.

What has happened to Bro. Tony Petrovich and Bro. John Cekap whose faces we haven't seen for some time? Let's hear from you fellows.

There's some talk going around about a wiener roast. Let's hear more about this at our meeting.

Our President, Bro. Jake Kacin, has been suffering from broken ribs caused by an accident.

## Women's Club Plan Mask Dance

Saturday, Oct. 28

**MIDWAY, PA.**—On Saturday, October 28, the Slovene Ladies' Club of this vicinity is holding a "Fun for All" Masquerade Dance in the SNPJ Hall in Midway. Many prizes will be awarded, which will be announced at a later date in this paper. Begin to plan now on how you should mask in order to win one of our good prizes. There will be loads and loads of laughs for everyone, but regardless of whether you mask or not, come anyhow and witness the great time we are going to have.

The SNPJ Lodge 89 of Midway wishes to express their sincere appreciation to each and everyone who participated at their last Harvest Dance. Although the weather was sweltering, we know that everybody had a good time and went home with a happy heart, as that is what really counts in the end. Everybody was well pleased with the good music by the Bergant Sisters.

Here's hoping that sometime in the future we can all re-assemble in the same place for the same purpose—Thanks, too, to all the members of the Juvenile Circle and to their director for the interesting program, and may they, too, again plan on an entertainment for the future.

(Mrs.) JOSEPH JANESHEK,  
Lodge 89.

There's at least a moral victory for the consumer in the reduced admission price for the Natl. Automobile Show.

For only 40¢ now you can expose yourself to the best salesmen in the country.

## Badgerland News

**MILWAUKEE, WIS.**—Oct. 7th will be here this Saturday, and the Badgers are ready to welcome you to our 13th anniversary dance at the lower S. S. Turn Hall.

Anton Martinsek will be there in person with his Swing Band. Tony says it's real hot stuff, so let's all be there from far and near and have a real get-together like old times.

has a would-be dictator in the "Old Man of the Mountain." He claims the Wolverine-Jolly Allis trophy just because it wasn't played for this year—no suggestion for arbitration or any such other democratic method. But in the spirit of fair play for which we are so well known, we make a suggestion that we bowl for the trophy at Waukegan this spring. What say?

T. STEFFLER, Lodge 677.

## Jolly Allis Lodge to Observe 10th Anni. Saturday, Oct. 21st

**WEST ALLIS, WIS.**—The big event is only two weeks away—the Tenth Anniversary Banquet and Dance of Jolly Allis Lodge, SNPJ 686, to be held Sat., Oct. 21, at St. Rita's hall.

The menu is prepared and consists of: half breaded spring chicken, bread dressing, giblet gravy, mashed potatoes, buttered peas, cranberries, tomato and lettuce salad, prune whip with whipped cream, bread and butter, potica and wine.

Boy, is my mouth watering! With a menu such as that, prepared by an all male cooking staff led by one of our most widely known Slovene chefs, Joe Turk, and with Bill Ehler and his Dixieland Band furnishing the music—tell me where else can you duplicate at the price of only one dollar??

The above does not consist of all the attractions for we have also arranged to have Bro. Donald J. Lotrich as the main speaker, and our own Slovene Chief of Police Thomas J. Kostello, will also speak.

A word about the music. Bill Ehler and his band have just finished a successful season at the Lake Geneva's resort and come to us recommended as one of the finest musical organizations ever to play in this territory.

Tickets sales are doing all right with Pauline Antach being the champ so far with fourteen combination tickets sold. Maybe someone can beat that record. Those desirous of attending only the dance can get tickets for thirty-five cents.

All Jolly Allis members and lodge secretaries in the Midwest have tickets. Make your plans to attend now and let our secretary know a week in advance if you plan to attend the banquet so that we will be prepared to have enough for everyone.

All lodges and members are cordially invited to attend. Let's hear from you. Make this your opportunity to pay us a visit for besides our celebration you can also attend the Federation Thirtieth Anniversary Jubilee of the SNPJ on the following day.

Our date is October 21 and the place is St. Rita's Auditorium, So. 60th and W. Lincoln Ave., West Allis.

All members again please take notice that the meeting date is changed from the second Wednesday to the second Friday of each month.

THE OLD MAN OF THE MOUNTAIN, Lodge 686.

## Veronians' 10th Anniv. in Nov.

**VERONA, PA.**—No matter what the job is it has to be done; mine being the new reporter for the Veronians.

Our monthly meeting of September showed a larger attendance. Let's keep it going up.

The Bowling Committee was nominated and are now busy making plans for a successful year. Who will be the champion this year?

The committee for Veronians' 10th Anniversary Dance are also busy making preparations for an unforgettable evening of fun for those who attend. By the way, this dance will be held sometime in Nov. Particulars will be given at a later date.

Success to the newly elected Recording Secretary, Sis. Veronica Yuvovich. JOSEPHINE BURSIC, Lodge 680.

Other coming events are: The 8th annual dance given by the Fun-o-Leers club Oct. 14, Lower S. S. Turn Hall; on Oct. 21 the 10th anniversary of Jolly Allis at St. Rita's Ballroom, West Allis; on Oct. 22 the SNPJ Federation celebrates with program the SNPJ's 35th anniversary at S. S. Turn Hall.

This 'n' That

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jereb are leaving Milwaukee to go into the tavern business at Lincoln, Ill. Miss Mary Poklar is recuperating at the County Hospital from an appendectomy. Wishing you a speedy recovery.

Albert Loncharich, who was in an auto accident and received minor injuries, is now recuperating at home.

LEO SCHWEIGER, Lodge 584.

## All-American Lodge Plan Annual Dance

**BROOKLYN, N. Y.**—With the close of the summer season, lodges and societies all over are making preparations for social events to be held before the year 1939 comes to a close.

Being no exception to the rule, the members of the All-American Lodge 580, SNPJ, are in the midst of great preparations for their 12th Annual Entertainment to be held Saturday, October 21.

A cordial invitation is extended to all the neighboring societies and lodges—a great opportunity in renewing old acquaintances and in making new friends.

There is no need to worry about a crowded dance floor or in having your toes stepped on while maneuvering around. The affair is being held at the Gottscheer's Club House, 657 Fairview Ave. (near Linden Street), Ridgewood, New York, where there is sufficient room to accommodate all those who come.

Here comes the surprise! No admission is being charged for an enjoyable evening. However the small sum of 35¢ is being taxed for hat checking. This charge is made to guarantee the safety of your clothing and in not hindering your comfort by worrying over your hat and coat placed on tables and chairs.

There will be a great variety in music so that each one may have an opportunity of dancing to the music he or she likes. This includes those of the conservative type as well as the jitterbugs. There will be plenty of swing for those to do the latest steps. Jack Cain and his Radio Boys who will furnish the music have planned to satisfy all. Anything you want, waltz, polka, big apple, and fox trot are just a few.

Don't forget the time and place—Gottscchein's Club House, 8:30 p. m., Saturday, October 21.

**Directions:** Take the Myrtle Avenue Elevated Line to Forest Avenue Station. You can also take the 14th Street Subway and change at the Myrtle Avenue Station for the Elevated Line.

**PAULINE A. BAZYK, Lodge 580.**

## Lodge J. Jrs. Hold

## 11th Anniversary

**Dance Sat., Oct. 14**

**MORGAN, PA.**—Hello, everybody! I'm joining your midst with some news of the Jolly Juniors, SNPJ Lodge 669.

After a gay summer of swimming, attending picnics, outings and playing mushball, we have all been quite busy preparing and arranging to get our bowling league started.

On Wednesday, September 27, a large number of the Jolly Juniors met at the Dutch Hall's Bowling Alleys for the first practice of the season. Most of last season's bowlers were present, with a number of new faces, which we were glad to see and certainly welcomed. Any and all members interested in bowling, don't hesitate to come, and join the fun, each Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Though bowling takes up a great deal of our time, we haven't neglected to begin on our schedule of social affairs. Elaborate plans and preparations are being made for our first big dance of the season. This occasion will be held to celebrate our 11th Anniversary, on Saturday, October 14, at the Sycamore Hall. For your pleasure and entertainment, Nelson Nash and his orchestra will start playing their melodious tunes at 8 o'clock and continue until 12. Plenty of refreshments will be on hand, especially those delicious kranjske klobase, being made by our capable committee, under the personal supervision of our popular assistant secretary, John Barufaldi.

Since we can't see you all personally, to give you special invitations to this affair, please accept this invitation right from the heart of every Jolly Jr. An entertainment committee has been selected to assure each and everyone of you who attend, a perfect evening. So come on, all you neighboring lodges, far and near, join us on Saturday, October 14, and help us celebrate this great occasion, our 11th anniversary.

Till I see you at the dance.

**A MEMBER, Lodge 669.**

## SPIRIT OF 1620

Which reminds us of an incident at the Central Park Zoo on a September Sunday.

Standing directly in front of the sign that warns of a \$25 penalty for feeding the animals, a woman handed sweet chocolate to three brown bears in turn, making sure each time that no keepers were near.

There's unregimented Americanism for you.

## La Salle Mohawks Launch Vigorous Drive Determined to Double Lodge Membership; Will Form Federation

**LA SALLE, ILL.**—All members of the Mohawk Lodge, SNPJ 573, are requested to be present at our next meeting Thursday, Oct. 5 (tonight).

All members are to bring a guest along, as this meeting is a get-acquainted meeting, and the committee in charge has many things in store for all the members and their friends. A social time will follow the meeting, with refreshments and the like on hand.

The sole purpose of our get-acquainted meeting is to get new members to join the Mohawk Lodge, and we feel that, by sponsoring these social meetings, we will really accomplish a great deal towards reaching our goal of doubling our membership by the end of the year.

Our membership committee has started a house to house campaign in this district, and with the fine results obtained so far, we can justly feel proud to say that we have secured over fifteen new members that will be initiated at this meeting. The results obtained thus far have been done only through the very fine assistance that we have received from the few loyal members that have the Mohawk Lodge at heart. What these few loyal members have accomplished can easily be done by the other members, if they would only devote a little time and effort.

This membership committee has only started, and as they have only been out campaigning in the evenings, we still have the biggest part of our district to cover.

# Little Fort Announces 1940 SNPJ Pin Turney; Prepare for 'Night in Slovenia'; Observe Co-op Week

**Waukegan in 1940**  
WAUKEGAN, ILL.—The Little Fort Girls' Bowling Team, in a surprise announcement this morning (Oct. 3), stated that for the 1940 Turney—Tournament—to be held in Waukegan—they will not enter as a team. Instead they decided that each of the five girls will gather together and thirty girls and each would lead their teams to be picked on an average basis.

The means, therefore, that the Little Fort Girls' Bowling Team, champion for so many years of the SNPJ Turney, and of course, of Waukegan and North Chicago, will this year in the SNPJ girls a chance to go to Waukegan with the trophy. That shows the true sportsmanship of the Little Fort Girls' Team; a preview which will be in store for the SNPJ Turney which will be run truer and more sportsman-like than any tournament to date.

The SNPJ Tournament Committee, composed of six members from each of the three SNPJ lodges here in Waukegan, met in serious discussion in their first complete attendance at their Recreation—Waukegan's newest bowling alleys—has been selected as the place. The date has been selected: Saturday and Sunday of May 4th and 5th. Members of the committee agreed that before much is done, it would be better to contact the Cleveland lodges and Chicago lodges and the Athletic Board for information and suggestions in order to improve the SNPJ Turney.

**"Slovenia Night"**  
With an unequalled enthusiasm, the "Night in Slovenia" committee of the Little Fort, SNPJ 568, met on Monday. With unanimous consent the committee agreed to request Vincent Pink, grand master-of-ceremonies in the first "A Night in Slovenia" production, to act in that capacity this year. For it was he who made the "everybody-get-togethering" idea such a success. The committee also unanimously agreed to request everyone to wear a typical Slovene costume for the evening of Tuesday, October 28.

**Co-op News**  
To begin the celebration of Co-op Month, the Waukegan-North Chicago Co-operative Association and Co-operative Trading Company jointly sponsor a grand affair on Tuesday, October 7, in the Slovene Hall.

On the program will be Todd Wheeler, chairman of the Chicago Co-operative Union, who will speak on the meaning of Co-op Month.

He will be followed by the Slovene Choral Society which will give many fine renditions of Slovene songs. Walter Petek of Co-operative Trading Co. will sing a couple of songs. Then the Co-operative Orchestra, one of Waukegan's favorite bands, will play. An excellent orchestra has been selected to play for the dance which will be held after the program. Admission will be nominal. Everybody is invited to attend.

**"Glad"**  
We are "Glad" that: the Juvenile Club has proved so popular with the young folks of the SNPJ Movement.

Adult Education Dramatics are being attended regularly in large number by the members of the Little Fort Lodge and the Slovene Choral Society. Rehearsals on Monday and Wednesday . . .

North Chicago Co-operative Credit Union has entered a few more names on its membership rolls. . . . next SNPJ Bowling Committee Waukegan will meet on Thursday,

which this year falls on Saturday, Dec. 9, will be discussed.

**Strugglers Win Class A Title**

Our own Strugglers (Drenik Erin Brews) last week-end fortunately won the local Muny Class A Title by defeating the Factory Furniture team for the second consecutive time by a score of 5-4. The Factory Furniture boys were the southside district champs. This championship is indeed a credit to the boys and makes it two years in a row that the members brought home a title. Last year the team bagged the City-Wide Class A Title.

Getting back to the game I'd like to say for 'n'th and 'n'th time that again Fischer Eddie Zaletel deserves credit for pitching this victory. The opponents were able to only receive three hits off his delivery, while he fanned ten. The highlight and thrill of the game was delivered by capable leftfielder Eddie Azman who poled the longest home run ever credited to a Cleveland softball player. The ball traveled a good four or five hundred feet as it decidedly cleared the centerfield arc lights. This blow ultimately proved to be the margin of victory. Centerfielder Tony Vadal, who is the leader and bass player of the popular Vadal Quartet, led the team's attack by gathering two

We are also glad at this meeting to have a new member join our lodge. Sophie Tomic, we're mighty pleased to have you join our Lodge. The monthly Drags Dry Cleaning offer was won by Bro. Joe Miklavcic. All members are urged to attend our next meeting on Wednesday, Oct. 4 final planes for our Annual Dance.

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## Young American News and Views

DETROIT.—Important Notice! To all members: Our Secretary has changed her address and now resides at 18199 Russell ave. Also, her scheduled evenings at the Slovene Nat'l Home are on the 25th and last day of the month to collect dues, her hours will be changed to 7 to 9.

**Bowling News**

The Young American keglers are doing fairly well in the Slovene-Croatian league. The Y. A. Pirates broke all records for the league shooting games of 986, 892, 1060, totaling 2938. Tony Horner shooting 633 with a huge 276 game included: Bob Travnik, 619. The following Sunday V. H. Hontak hit 647 for individual high three games.

The girls' division of the league the Y. A.'s are giving a good account of themselves and with a little more encouragement and a little more instruction, they would do better, especially the beginners.

Lest we forget, Oct. 21—huge Young American Celebration Dance, with the well talented Bergant Sisters of Lisbon, Ohio, to furnish the music. THE MUZZLERS, Lodge 564.

There have likewise been scores of reviews on it, surveying it from every possible angle in the long range of its being read for enjoyment's sake to its value as a social document. This column will not purport to pass judgment upon any of these analyses.

What has been noticeable because of its omission, however, in all of the reviews that have come to attention, has been Steinbeck's very skillful delineation of fascism. Think for a moment of the scene in which the dispossessed fruit pickers have at last come upon decent treatment by the workers in the organized government camps—where for the first time the Joads were treated civilly and with a respect as human beings. There are the groups, however, who cannot bear to see this improved state for the workers, who want to see this better influence stamped out. With their hired deputies they most ruthlessly investigate trouble at an orderly, well-conducted dance—so that the deputies have an excuse to come in and "re-establish order!"

Is this not precisely the methods employed by the leaders of the dictatorships abroad? First they send in a few people to the country that is to be the next victim. It is their duty to stir up discontent, cause riots, and a general confusion. Then when the time is ripe, the "Fatherland" steps in to "protect" its own people. This "protection" has no limits, no boundaries. It was by the handles of this most respectable word—"protect"—that the dictators have succeeded in stepping into and over whatever lesser state they have demanded thus far.

This method is worthy of careful study—lest we some day succumb to it in its totality! If you reread any part of "Grapes of Wrath" follow up this careful analysis of the ways of fascism. It is the method that has been employed time and again against labor's struggle for its rights. Bring it out in the open and looking at it critically is already a step in beginning to cope with the menace—the modern methods of control and force under the guise of respectability. What an insult to the minds of men—what irony in the modern usage of once-honorable words. "Protect!"

**SIGNS OF THE TIMES?**

Colt's Patent Firearms Co. has announced that it will go into the synthetic jewelry business on a large scale. Sounds like a case of beating bullets into baubles.

Don't cross the street until the way is clear. It is better to be a patient pedestrian than a pedestrian patient.

**Batagelles:**—In the downtown city bowling league you can see a few of our girls doing their stuff on Friday nights. Leading the ladies in high averages, is Steffie Matzel who has fast developed into a championship bowler.—Odds Hodkin, E. & E. of B., who said anything about sleeping all night? Surely your trustworthy ears have failed you! Or was it your eyes? Anyhow, we haven't taken to kidnapping. (Hi, Anne Raunikar!)—Margaret Snay of Bridgeport, O., is finding life in the Windy City a "fokin' thing."—This dept. offers a friendly warning to Tony Hrast of Chi. It's far better not to coax Nelle into baking cherry pies. Don't say we didn't warn you. (Ouch, coffee pots and tea kettles, but that gal has a good aim!) And speakin' of aims, Jennie Kuhel has the gosh awful tendency to procrastination. Yah, yah, yah!! Pistols at sunrise, you say? Why not the pen-any-time?—Wonder if Bertha and Ed Hudale find their new bowling balls improve their game??—Wonder if someone couldn't persuade Mary Apchak to do her version of the dance to the song, "Wizard of Oz"? A "fokin' thing"!!

**Junior All Star Circle News:**  
Celebration, Singing, Sports, Etc.

**MILWAUKEE, WIS.**—It seems that the members of Circle No. 4 enjoy our weekly singing practice more and more. Last week, two boys brought their accordions and played many songs. We also sang some school songs and, of course, the ever-popular Beer Barrel Polka. (Incidentally, this song was chosen as Milwaukee's anthem and will be played and sung at all large city affairs.)

A new song was brought up and it

proved to be very popular especially when sung with accordion accompaniment. It's a medley of Slovene tunes.

And we seem to be getting quite a large audience at each practice. Most of the Naprej members as well as some of our parents are there to watch and give us encouragement.

The play for the 35th anniversary

celebration of the SNPJ sponsored by the Federation is progressing nicely but in athletics also. October 5th is

the date of our next regular meeting.

Let us have a nice turnout to initiate the new and to take part in the business end of the meeting as well as the pleasure end which follows the adjournment.

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in our activities, bowling among the

elders, and basketball and volleyball

among the juveniles. Our juvenile

basketball team will meet this Friday

for their first practice at the YMCA

at 7 p.m. We have secured the gym

from 7 to 8 for basketball and from

8 to 8:30 for swimming. We have to

pay a small fee every month but the

enjoyment is worth the charge.

All the boys who wish to play bas-

## Juvenile Circles

Circle 13 Holds Important Meeting Oct. 6; Plans Halloween Party.

CLEVELAND, O.—The regular monthly meeting of Juvenile Circle No. 13 will be held on Friday, Oct. 6, in the Old Building of the Slovene National Home on St. Clair Ave., Room 3. I want to see a large attendance at this meeting for there will be sure to make you feel like a new person. Featured with the Trio is "Teeney," that tiny singer who verifies the old saying: "All good things come in small packages."

We're expecting to see some Midway Sisters here for they've promised

many times, and the same with the Hermannville Ramblers. We would also like to see at least one Strabane Pioneer.

And of course, it is taken

for granted that the Keytonians will also be discussed.

And say, where are all you mem-

bers between the ages of 12 and 17?

Why don't you come around and see

what goes on at the meetings!

Well, if you come to the next meeting

and give some of your ideas as, for

instance, how to make this Circle a

better one.

Till I see you at the next meeting,

I remain respectfully yours,

ALICE POPOTNIK,

President, Circle 13.

THE MUZZLERS, Lodge 564.

Waukegan-North Chicago Form New Circle, Elect Officers

WAUKEGAN, ILL.—Here in Waukegan and North Chicago we organized a Juvenile Circle under the sponsorship of SNPJ lodges 14, 119, and 568.

At the organizational meeting, which was held in the Slovene National Home, we elected the following officers: Richard Peklay, president; Richard Pierce, vice-president; Anna Mosek, financial secretary; Rosemary Stritar, recording secretary; Elsie Spacapan, treasurer. Trustees: Dona Simcic, Frank Stritar and Robert Ludviger. Publicity Committee: Virginia Nagode and Robert Ludviger. Our manager is ex-treasurer of Lodge Little Fort, No. 568 SNPJ and popular writer for Prosvesa, Anthony Kerzich.

Breaths there a man who to himself hath said, "To the meeting I won't go?" For 'tis to him this babbler blathers forth before the world. Ah, art thou then so exhausted by excess of pleasure that to thee yon Buckeyes mean but naught? Faith, and 'tis a merry dance thou art leading this boastful scribbler!

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Hast been for naught these several years of reams and reams of writing?

How canst thou still remain a recalcitrant in the face of this scribe's pleading?

Hie thyself now to the Slovene National Home. Let's have

at our next meeting one hundred per cent attendance. What do you say, members?

At each meeting we are going to have a social and lots of fun. So members, my advice to you is to attend our Circle meetings if you want fun and education.

For Publicity Committee:

ROBERT LUDVIGER,

Lodge 14.

LIBRARY, PA.—A few minutes ago I turned the dial of my radio and heard news flashes from Germany, Russia, France, Poland and England. For weeks and months "the world" has been choosing between war and peace. We know now that "the world" has chosen war. Fortunately, United States is still on the peaceful side. For how long? Time itself will only tell. Let us hope it will be forever!

Well, enough about war, but really one just can't help to mention it since war is a thing that includes everybody, everywhere and at any time. So, may I ask you then to cast those thoughts aside and for the present time let us think about some entertainment.

At each meeting we are going to have their Anniversary Dance on Thanksgiving Night, November 30, as always. By that date the remodeling of the Slovene Hall should be well initiated. If it isn't Lyn Malverin and his orchestra which will help us along very nicely. Lyn's band is well known for playing for fraternities and sororities of many well known colleges. The complete analysis will be given in later issues by one who is more capable and has more authority.

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Bowling will soon be in full swing. Understand that there will be a League within the Lodges of the Western Penn SNPJ Federation. This should call for action, acquaintances, spirit and what not. The J. Z. Jrs. boys were nosed out by a couple of pins last year and are determined to make up for it and the mushball season that they have completed uneventfully.

A little mushball talk: With members pulling for the boys just a little bit more and with a year's experience, next year should promise not only competition but also teamwork and new members. Already there are rumors that there will be a few new members added to our roster. Undoubtedly they are people who are not only interested in the insurance policy but in athletics also. October 5th is

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# S.N.P.J. Sports

## Cleveland SNPJ Bowling Groups Ready to Go; Plan Sectional Tourney

(Continued from last week.)

**CLEVELAND, OHIO.**—The New Slovene Workers' Home Bowling Alleys have been designated and approved as the place where this March event will be held. This we believe is the ideal place for our members to bowl as it will give the out-of-towners the pleasure of seeing what our people were able to accomplish.

Bro. John (Lindy) Lokar was kind enough to set this date (March 16), also the 17th, aside for our group. We will also hold a dance on the evening of the Tournament. We hope the lodges in our territory will help and participate, and we can assure them they'll have a grand time.

Entry blanks will be mailed after the first of the year. Cooperation towards this tournament will start the ball rolling. Any comments concerning this event will be appreciated and are to be sent to the writer at 1033 Terminal Tower.

In so far as any money is concerned (from the Supreme Board or Athletic Board to be donated for this event) it is not in line with what we are trying to do. This request will not be asked for, as the athletic fund or the SNPJ is running beyond its quota.

We believe we can hold our own and by doing this we can accomplish more on our own. Any help we can receive from members will be greatly appreciated. We sincerely hope this meets with the approval of the rest of the Athletic Board, of which I am a member, and believe Bros. Bolka, Groser, Kumer, and Rak, the other four members of this Board, will readily see what we are trying to do. They can rest assured that we are living up to the rules. As we are not asking for any donations from the SNPJ, we are fully in line with our tournament plans.

The Cleveland SNPJ Lodges will put forth all their energy and enter this tournament wholeheartedly. Bro. Lokar and the writer are going to get together and see that this is put on in the best style. If any lodges outside of this territory mentioned wish to come, their presence will be appreciated. Possibly, many may want to come down to see these alleys; we will be at their service and will show them all the hospitality we can.

Don't forget the dates: March 16 and 17 at the New Slovene Workers' Home Alleys located on Waterloo Road.

The SNPJ Athletic Group of Cleveland is going to stage a Campaign for New Members, and we assure the Supreme Board members of the SNPJ that we will make it a success. There are quite a few of us that are able to do much good for our Society, and this Campaign will start immediately. We need new blood in our organizations, and by doing this we can be sure that the younger generation will follow in our footsteps.

**GEORGE CURDA,** Chairman, Cleveland SNPJ Athletics.

## Fourth Season for Pioneer Bowling League

**CHICAGO.**—The Pioneer SNPJ Bowling League has started out on its fourth season in great style. Eight men's teams and four girls' teams are bowling regularly each Wednesday night at the Ace Arcade Alleys. About half the bowlers are veterans of one or more seasons and the others are new to the league. All are making good progress in getting their averages high up on the record sheet.

The eight men's teams are being sponsored by the following: Dr. J. J. Zavertnik, SNPJ Printery, Dr. O. M. Walter, Dr. J. F. Nachman, Reliable Liquors, Donald J. Lotrich, Louis Zefran, John Hujan. We know that everyone appreciates the support of these sponsors and that each team will do all it can to keep its sponsor's name leading the league.

Based on the first two nights' bowling, Gus Kramer is leading the league with a high game of 218 and a high series of 559. Emil Hrast has the second high game of 209 and Joe Kosnik is second in the high series competition with 543. These early records will undoubtedly be broken many times before the season is over.

The bowlers will attend the Pioneer Annual Fall Dance this Saturday, Oct. 7, at the SNPJ Hall in full force. All other Pioneers and members of neighboring lodges and their friends are invited to do likewise.

**JOHN ALIC,** Secretary, Pioneer Bowling League.

## Bowling Alley Pin Setters Organize

**ST. PAUL, MINN.**—The Bowling Alley Pin Setters' union is the latest addition to the Labor movement in St. Paul, according to Ray F. Wentz who organized the group with William F. Wright, of the AFL. A federal charter was granted the new organization.

Eleven alleys have already been signed with the union, and all union bowling leagues are asked to co-op-

erate in expanding the Pin Setters' organization.

"It has been rumored that some bowling alleys in town have promised their pin setters union wages without the necessity of joining the union," Mr. Wentz said. "We ask our friends in the Labor movement to co-operate with us in maintaining union conditions through union membership in the Pin Setters' union. Wherever you bowl see to it that the pin setters are members of the union."

## Strugglers

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bits. That boy certainly is a wonderful bass player; yep, both bass fiddle and baseball combined. The seven Struggler hits were divided among the following: Lefty Miklavcic, Azman, Ed Miklavcic, Karda, Dolsak, and Vadnal.

At a banquet to be held later in conjunction with the Cleveland Amateur Baseball Ass'n, backer John Drenik, who indeed is Cleveland's best sport and business man, will be presented with two trophies, one representing the district title and the other the city title. I'm certain and positive that he'll be thankful to all the boys for bringing home the bacon. Thanks again to you John Drenik for his splendid support.

### Bowling

The Strugglers who have three entries in the Slovene Home Recreation, Junior B League got off to a good start last week. The high single game and individual high was carried off by the Strugglers No. 1. League night falls on Tuesday, and kegeling begins promptly at 7 o'clock. Why not drop in some night and watch the boys perform?

Undoubtedly some of you readers wonder why the Strugglers' man team is not represented in the local SNPJ Sunday League. I faithfully promised Bro. Curda that if I could round up enough men to compose a team we'd be only too glad to join. I've contacted all the available bowlers in the lodge and I can't locate anybody that cares to bowl on Sunday afternoon. For this reason, and this reason alone, I'd like to have it known definitely that that's simply why we're not in the league. One team from the Strugglers is at the present bowling in the SNPJ WOMEN'S LEAGUE, which also rolls on Sunday afternoon at the St. Clair-Eddy Alleys.

### Detroit Attitude?

One of the local writers stated in his last article that the Detroit Y. A. have a "sour taste" against Cleveland (he meant the Strugglers) in regards to their last baseball visit here. As far as I know the only way that they could have been neglected was that we unfortunately forgot to put up a warm meal for the visitors. If this particular scribe is so interested in the local activities why didn't he inquire as to what arrangement was being made for the visitors. It's peculiar but not a soul in the city inquired as to what program was being offered to the Young Americans. At our last Cleveland SNPJ Athletic meeting we made a motion that will prevent a recurrence of this mistake. You know we all live and learn.

I would like to add at this time that I personally rode with the Detroiters to and from the picnic that we attended at the new SNPJ farm, and ALL the boys present were mighty thankful for what we did offer them. Not even one, I say not one appeared to have any "sour taste" or "grudge" against anybody in the local organization.

### Bits About 'Em

Our own Treasurer Billy Koss who works for the Fisher Bros. recently was promoted to manager of one of their branch stores. He's located at the new store directly across from the Slovene Nat'l. Home on E. 64th and St. Clair. Don't forget to attend Bro. Louis Sajovic's wedding this Saturday at the Slovene—Home on Holmes Ave. He's a faithful Loyalite member.

**EDWARD SEITZ,** President, Lodge 614.

## Hearst's Magazine Good Housekeeping Stands Indicted

Thousands of Americans have put their faith in Good Housekeeping Magazine—in the Good Housekeeping "Seals of Approval" so widely used by advertisers.

There's a guarantee in the magazine to the effect that all products advertised in it have been carefully tested and approved by competent technicians. And with the various "Seals of Approval" go various other comforting promises.

Today Good Housekeeping faces the Federal Trade Commission's charge that its Seals and Guarantees are "misleading and deceptive" and that many of its advertisements are "grossly exaggerated and false."

The advertising business is still buzzing with the news. What, ask the various trade journals, will happen when the magazine's expensive legal staff tries to answer these charges in court? How will the sensational case affect advertising business, advertising practice?

Some interesting answers to these

questions are suggested in the September issue of Consumers Union Reports—a monthly publication of Consumers Union of U. S., Inc., a consumers technical organization of 55,000 members.

Itself anathema to the advertising business, Consumers Union has long charged the advertisers' darling, Good Housekeeping, with substantially the sins listed in the Federal complaint. A non-profit organization, it has long contended editorially that the immensely profitable consumer services of popular magazines were not rendering unbiased service to their readers.

Of the profitability of Good Housekeeping's service there can be no doubt. Says Consumers Union:

"Fourth in circulation among the women's magazines, Good Housekeeping now ranks first in the amount of advertising it carries. Reportedly, Good Housekeeping contributed more than \$2,500,000 profit to Hearst Magazines, Inc., last year. The magazine claims that the operation of its Institute and Bureau has cost it more than \$1,000,000 in the past five years. But if the cost had been twice that, few doubt that Good Housekeeping would have been glad to pay it."

"For no one doubts that the Institute and the Bureau have made Good Housekeeping the profitable property that it is."

The article then notes:

"Consumers pondered the paradox that the magazine which carried the most advertising in its field was the one which made the most—promotionally—of censoring advertising."

In addition, it is pointed out that many advertisements accepted by Good Housekeeping have been described as false by the advertisers themselves in stipulations and agreements with the Federal Trade Commission. Listerine, Welch's grape juice, and Fleischmann's yeast are cited as examples. In view of this and other astonishing facts the consumer publication predicts that Good Housekeeping's position in the forthcoming hearings will be, at best, extremely embarrassing.

—From the Sept. 1939 Consumers Union Reports.

## America Is Rich

America is marvelously rich.

She can lend vast sums to other nations and never miss the money when they fail to repay the loans.

Perhaps there was never such a wealthy country in the world before as the Land of the Almighty Dollar.

Yet in that amazingly opulent part of the earth there are over 9,000,000 unemployed!

How do you account for that?

Looks as if capitalism is a grotesquely lopsided system, don't you think, brother?

In spite of President Roosevelt's "New Deal" legislation, he can't get the social system decently balanced in the great country he rules.

Labor-saving machinery has capitalism beaten badly there.

It is estimated that in the past nine years mechanical inventions and improvements coming into the domain of production in America have eliminated two million jobs at least, though the hours of labor have been reduced to forty and forty-four.

Under any equitable system of the distribution of wealth, that couldn't happen.

The living standards of the masses would rise, and their working hours decrease, to a scientific correspondence with the increased productivity resulting from the labor-saving devices.

But where in the world can capitalism manage that equalization?—From the Australian Worker.

### CLOSER TO HOME

Western Union announces that it will no longer deliver money orders in Poland.

And, judging from reports from the Pacific coast strike front, Western Union isn't delivering much of anything in San Francisco.

Meeting adjourned at 3:30 p. m.

# Official Proceedings

## S.N.P.J. EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

### Meeting of September 7, 1939

The meeting was called to order by the President at 1 p. m. In attendance were Officers Vincent Cainkar, F. A. Vider, John Vogrich, Lawrence Gradske, Philip Godina and Ivan Molek.

The minutes of the August 28 meeting were approved.

President Cainkar reports about the information he received in relation to the Spanish orphans. It was decided to send the amount required for foster parents, and also, to forward the rest of the money now in his hands for Spanish victims, and thus to liquidate the fund.

Lodge 89 and 231 have organized a Juvenile Circle and ask for financial help; \$25 is approved.

The newly organized Kansas Fraternal Congress asks that we become a member and contribute \$15 initiation fee. Approved.

Secretary Vider submits the following: Letter from Lodge 14 requesting an ad in their program book for their 35th anniversary celebration of the Society to be held Nov. 5, 1939. A full-page ad for \$12 is approved.

Letter from President Petrovich of the Cleveland Federation announcing that their Federation will celebrate the 35th anniversary of the Society on October 15 and asking for Bro. Zaitz as speaker. Request approved. Federation further asks for \$20 or \$30 donation for radio program which would advertise the affair. The Committee approved an appropriation of a sum not exceeding \$30, provided that they inform us who would be speaker on the radio and when the program would be on the air.

Letter from secretary of Lodge 886 asking for Bro. Lotrich as speaker at their 10th anniversary celebration and banquet to be held October 21. Request approved.

Letter from Anthony F. Svet, secretary of singing society "Slovan" of New York is read, in which he asks that we place an ad in their souvenir book published in connection with the 25th anniversary of "Slovan." One-page ad is approved.

Letter from Joseph Nemach, Lodge 14, is submitted. Compensation was disapproved by Supreme medical examiner who recommended some benefit from the Special benefit fund. \$25 is approved.

Frank Cemazar of Lodge 47 submits an application for total compensation claim which was approved by the Supreme medical examiner. Payment of the claim is approved.

Application for disability of John Gersinech of Lodge 110 for broken back is submitted and approved.

Operation report of Frank Oneje of Lodge 117 is submitted. The Supreme medical examiner recommends some compensation for this member. \$15 is approved.

Disability claim of Frank Babeli of Lodge 315 for total loss of left leg is recommended for payment by the Supreme medical examiner. Committee decides to approve payment of the claim.

Operation report of Louis Marelich of Lodge 743 is submitted. As by-laws do not provide for any regular compensation in such cases, \$25 is approved to be paid from the Special benefit fund.

Assistant Secretary submits the following: A letter regarding unpaid sick benefit of Tomo Budjan, deceased member of Lodge 210, was read. It was decided to grant his son the remaining sick benefit, who was taking care of the sick member.

Meeting adjourned at 3:30 p. m.

### Meeting of September 13, 1939

The meeting is called to order by the President at 1 p. m. In attendance are all Committee members.

The minutes of the September 13 meeting were approved.

Pres. Cainkar reads a letter from the secretary of Lodge 198 asking for a speaker, SNPJ films and projector. It was decided that their request for films be granted, and that Bro. Cainkar advise them about the speaker and what to do in regards to projector and other particulars for showing the films.

Meeting adjourned at 3:30 p. m.

### Meeting of September 20, 1939

The meeting is called to order by the President at 1 p. m. In attendance are all Committee members.

The minutes of the September 13 meeting were approved.

Pres. Cainkar reads a letter from the secretary of Lodge 198 asking for a speaker, SNPJ films and projector. It was decided that their request for films be granted, and that Bro. Cainkar advise them about the speaker and what to do in regards to projector and other particulars for showing the films.

Meeting adjourned at 3:30 p. m.

Secretary Vider submits the following: Letter from Bro. Zaitz advising that he is unable to attend the Federation affair at Luzerne and Forest City, Pa., October 28 and 29, as he is engaged by the JSZ on the same day in Chicago.

Letter from Bro. Petrovich in relation to radio speech in conjunction with commemoration of Society's 35th anniversary held by the Cleveland Federation is read and placed on file.

Lodge 271 asks for an additional speaker from the younger generation for their affair who would speak in English. As the Society approves only one speaker for any such occasion and since one speaker was granted them already, the Executive committee disapproves the request.

Bro. Tomicic asks that our projector be loaned with the SNPJ films. His request for films was approved; as to projector, he is to be advised that they must borrow it there.

Secretary Vider submits the following: Letter from Lodge 115, requesting that Bros. Vider, Cainkar, and Lotrich be speakers at their celebration of the 35th anniversary of the Society and 30th anniversary celebration of their lodge to be held October 21 and 22; also, that the SNPJ films be shown at their banquet. It is decided to advise them that showing of films at the banquet is not advisable and to suggest to them that they should select some future date for films exclusively. General opinion is that one speaker is sufficient for radio and banquet, the second speaker they may invite themselves because the Society approves only one for such occasions. Supreme Secretary shall try to get satisfactory arrangements with the lodge as to who will be the speaker.

Letter from Bro. Vidmar, president of the Federation of Southern Wisconsin, is read. The Federation asks for a speaker at their celebration of the 35th anniversary of the Society to be held Sunday, October 22. Bro. Cainkar is delegated as speaker. They also ask for an ad for their anniversary booklet. One page ad is approved.

Letter from Anthony F. Svet, secretary of singing society "Slovan" of New York is read, in which he asks that we place an ad in their souvenir book published in connection with the 25th anniversary of "Slovan." One-page ad is approved.