

DRUŠTVENE IN DRUGE SLOVENSKE VESTI

Plano veselico in vinsko tr-
garijo priredi društvo št. 198 JS-
KJ v Central City, Pa., v sobo-
to 25. novembra. Prireditel
so vsi tri tamkajšnja
slovenska društva, med njimi
tudi društvo št. 13 JSKJ.

Škopsko plesno veselico v ko-
sturnem društvu doma v Pipe-
rstown, Pa., priredi v soboto 25.
novembra vsa tri tamkajšnja
slovenska društva, med njimi
tudi društvo št. 13 JSKJ.

Pelinidesletnico ustanov-
ljeno bo proslavilo društvo št.
66 JSKJ v Jolietu, Ill., v
nedeljo 26. novembra z veliko
vešico, katere se bo vršila v
S. Domu na 253 Irving Ave-
nu, in se bo pričela ob treh po-
lnoh. Program veselice bo vse-
boval govore, petje in godbo, ša-
lo in gro in prosto zabavo. Jed-
nino bo na prireditvi zastopal 4.
tarni porotnik Valentin Ore-
n iz Brooklyna.

Domačo zabavo priredi društ-
vo št. 66 JSKJ v Jolietu, Ill., v
nedeljo 26. novembra. Zabava se
vršila popoldne in zvečer na
212 N. Center St.

Slovenska Narodna Citalnica
Clevelandu, O., ki ima svoje
kolektorje v S. N. Domu na St.
Clair Ave., priredi večerno za-
bavo v soboto 25. novembra. Za-
bava se bo vršila v dvorani št. 1.
Clevelanda, O., kjer je mino-
stina prosta.

Simfonijski koncert z lepim pro-
gramom priredi v nedeljo 26. no-
vembra pevski zbor "Sava" v
Clevelandu, Ill. Koncert se bo vr-
šil na 2657 So. Lawndale Ave-
nu, in se bo pričel ob treh po-
lnoh. Sodelovala bo tudi slo-
venska koncertna pevka Mrs.
Kleminic iz Garya, Ind.

Plano veselico priredi društ-
vo št. 37 JSKJ v Clevelandu,
v soboto 9. decembra. Vr-
šila se bo v S. N. Domu na St.
Clair Ave.

San Francisco, Cal., je
ponesrečilo Margareta
Kleminic, stara 76 let, članica tam-
kajšnjega društva št. 141 JS-
KJ. Pri prehodu železniške pro-
go je povozil Ivec; njen
konj je umrl pred desetimi le-
ti. Pokojnica je bila rojena v Je-
trini, občina Stari trg v Je-
trini.

Na Floride, in sicer iz
Miami Beacha, pošiljata ured-
ništvo zdravne Frank E. Vra-
nec, drugi glavni nadzornik
v Clevelandu, Ohio. Njegova so-
pogovnica je hčerka Mr. Jo-
sefa Plevnika, predsednika
posojilnice St. Clair
Cleveland, Ohio.

Veliki zapuščini se
priredijo v Clevelandu, Ohio.
V nedeljo 27. novembra, ki sta o-
rganizirala, ki sta očiglavila
vredno vdovo Elizabeto Slavik,
iz Hrvačice, ki živi na far-
mi E. Palestine, Ohio. Mo-
žna je na oboje govorila hrvaško,
(Dalje na 2. strani)

RAZNO IZ AMERIKE IN INOZEMSTVA

PIERCE BUTLER UMRL
V Washingtonu je po par-
mesečnem bolehanju umrl
Pierce Butler, eden izmed de-
voterstov sodnikov vrhovnega so-
dišča, star 73 let. Pokojnik je
bil rojen v Minnesoti in je po-
stal član najvišjega sodišča le-
ta 1922. Za to mesto ga je ime-
noval takratni predsednik Hard-
ing. Mož je bil kompetenten ju-
rist, toda odločen konservativec.
Tekom prvega Rooseveltovega
termina je bila cela vrsta ne-
dealskih postav od vrhovnega
sodišča proglašena za neustavne
in je takrat kot tudi pozneje
zdel pokojni Butler glasoval s
konservativci. Od izrazitih kon-
servativcev je zdel član vrhov-
nega sodišča samo še sodnik
James C. McReynolds.

VRHOVNO SODIŠČE
Vrhovno sodišče Zedinjenih
držav je na svoj način najzav-
nejši del zvezne vlade. Devet
sodnikov tega sodišča, ki so im-
enovani za vse življenje, lahko
proglasi za neustavno vsako po-
stavo, ki jo sprejme zvezni kon-
gres, in tako prepreči postav-
e, ki jih zahtevajo izpremenjene
razmere. To se je posebno jasno
pokazalo tekom prvega termi-
na Rooseveltove administracije,
ko so imeli v vrhovnem sodišču
večino sodniki konservativnih
nazorov. Postava za postavu je
romala v koš, in to je, po mne-
nju mnogih, preprečilo, da se
dežela ni mogla hitreje izkupati
iz depresije.

SE JE OBRNILO
Predsednik Roosevelt, ki je
izprevidel, da zaradi naspro-
tnosti vrhovnega sodišča ne mo-
re uveljaviti skoraj nobene re-
forme, ki jo je po njegovem
mnenju in po mnenju kongresa
zahteval duh časa, je priporočil
kongresu, da bi sprejel zakon
za zvišanje števila sodnikov vr-
hovnega sodišča. Na ta način bi
bilo mogoče dodati sodišču ne-
kaj liberalnejših sodnikov. Boj
je bil hud in Roosevelt je s svo-
jo zahtevo propadel. Javne de-
bate pa so vseeno omehčale ne-
katere bolj zmerne člane vrhov-
nega sodišča, da so začeli upo-
števat ljudsko voljo in so gla-
sovali za nekatere liberalne re-
forme. Potem pa je par sodni-
kov stopilo v pokoj, par pa jih
je umrlo. Tako je imel Roosevelt
priliko imenovati že štiri nove
člane vrhovnega sodišča, in smrt
sodnika Butlerja mu bo dala
priliko, da imenuje še petega.
Večina članov vrhovnega so-
dišča bo torej v bodoče modernej-
ših in liberalnejših nazorov.

ZA OBRAMBO DEŽELE
Zedinjene države so se šele
zadnje čase začele resno oboro-
ževati. Vse od zaključka zadnje
svetovne vojne naprej je ta re-
publika priporočala svetovnim
velesilam dogovorno zmanjša-
nje oboroževanja. Vsi taki apeli
pa niso nič izdali in dogodki zad-
njih časov so dokazali, da je v
današnjih časih varna pred na-
padom le tista država, ki je moč-
no oborožena in pripravljena
vsak napad odbiti. Zato se hoče
tudi ta republika vojaško pri-
praviti tako, da bo varna pred
vsakim napadom od zunaj. Za-
tekoče fiskalno leto se bo pora-
bilo nad 1800 milijonov dolarjev
za povečanje in izboljšanje ame-
riške oborožene sile. To je
ogromna vsota, toda malenkost-
na v primeri z ogromnimi stro-
(Dalje na 2. strani)

FRIJAVA INOZEMCEV

Postavodaja države Pennsyl-
vanije je nedavno sprejela za-
kon, ki določa letno prijavo v
državi bivačih inoizemcev, z
nekaterimi izjemami. Zakon
stopi v veljavo s 1. januarjem
1940. Razun v slučaju, da bi fe-
deralna sodišča proglasila po-
stavo o registraciji inoizemcev
za proti-ustavno, se bodo morali
vsi inoizemci, stanujoči v državi
Pennsylvaniji, prijaviti ali re-
gistrirati in nositi s seboj iden-
tifikacijo, izdano od državnega
departamenta za delo in industri-
jo, in to začeti od 1. januarja
1940. Več organizacij v mestu
Philadelphia sodno izpodbija
ustavnost te postavu in enkrat ta
meseč se bo vršila razprava v tej
pravi pred federalnim so-
diščem v Scrantonu.

Alien Registration Act, kakor
se ta postava imenuje, predpisu-
je letno registracijo inoizemcev,
ki živijo v državi Pennsylvanija
in ki so 18 let stari ali več. Raz-
ne vrste inoizemcev pa so izzete
iz registracije. Očetje in matere,
sinovi in hčere onih, ki so slu-
žili v ameriški vojski tekom ka-
ke vojne, so izzeti od registra-
cije. Tudi inoizemci, ki imajo
"prvi papir" so izzeti, ali brž-
kone, le, ako "prvi papir" ni več
kot tri leta star, kajti postava
določa, da deklarant (inoizemec
s prvim papirjem) mora postati
državljan v dobi treh let po-
tem, ko je izjavil namen postati
ameriški državljan. Zdi se, da
tudi inoizemci, ki stanujejo ne-
prestanu v Združenih državah
od 31. decembra 1908 in ki niso
bili nikdar kaznovani, so izzeti
od dolžnosti registracije.

Department of Labor and In-
dustry države Pennsylvanije je
pooblaščen za upravo in izvršit-
vijo registracijske postavu. Dne
1. januarja ali poprej morajo
se vsi inoizemci, ki so stari več
kot 18 let in ki ne spadajo med
zgoraj omenjene izjeme, regis-
trirati s tem departamentom. Za
registracijo služijo posebne tis-
kovine. Zahtevane informacije
so: ime, starost, naslov, poklic,
ime delodajalca, osebni opis,
ime moža oziroma žene, imena in
starosti vseh otrok pod 18. le-
tom, ki stanujejo z registriran-
cem, nadalje "druge informacije
in podatke, ki jih oblast ute-
gne zahtevati." Registracija se
ima vršiti vsako leto v mesecu
decembru, ali vsak inoizemec, ki
se preseli v Pennsylvanijo, se
mora registrirati v roku 30 dni,
odkar se je nastanil v tej državi.
Pristojbina za registracijo zna-
ša \$1.00. Spričevalo identitete
(alien identification card) se iz-
da vsakemu registrancu, ki ga
mora nositi s seboj ves čas in
pokazati vsakemu redarju ali
agentu departamenta, ki bi ga
zahteval. Kdor ne bi ugodil tej
zahtevi, zapade zaporu ali globi.
Določena je kazen tudi za one, ki
bi se ne registrirali; kdor bi bil
spoznan krivim, zapade globi od
ne več kot \$100 ali zaporu od
ne več kot 60 dni. Zakon tudi do-
loča, da inoizemec ne more dobiti
licence za avtomobil, ako ni bil v
tekočem letu registriran, in tudi
ne sme dobiti voznice licence.

Ni še znano, koliko tujerodcev
v Pennsylvaniji bo podvrženo te-
mu zakonu. V zadnjem ljud-
skem štetju l. 1930 je živel v
Pennsylvaniji 1,233,051 inoizem-
cev—priseljencev iz Italije,
Poljske, Čehoslovake, Rusije,
Nemčije in drugih dežel—, ki so
predstavljali približno 60 od-
stotkov vsega tujerodnega pre-
bivalstva. Seveda mnogo izmed
njih je od tedaj postalo natura-
liziranih, na drugi strani se je
množilo inoizemcev od tedaj pri-
selilo v Pennsylvanijo. — FLIS

ZANIMIVE ZBIRKE

Znano je, da mnogi ljudje
zbirajo poštne znamke različnih
dežel. Nekateri teh zbiralcev
imajo v svoji posesti znamke, ki
zaradi svoje redkosti predstavl-
jajo veliko vrednost. Med zbi-
ralci poštne znamke najdemo
preproste in prominentne ljudi.
Celo predsednik Zedinjenih drž-
av, Roosevelt, je navdušen zbi-
ravec znamk. Tekom zadnjih let
je poštna uprava Zedinjenih drž-
av izdala nenavadno veliko
število vrst izrednih znamk. V
zvezi s tem se poroča, da so zbi-
ralci znamk pokupili za stotiso-
če dolarjev vrednosti teh novih
znamk za svoje zbirke, kar po-
meni, da so bili ti stotisočaki
čisti dobiček poštne uprave, ker
znamke niso bile porabljene za
plačevanje poštne pristojbine.

V zadnjem desetletju se je ze-
lo razvil letalski promet in v
vseh civiliziranih deželah mnogi
ljudje potujejo z letali. Prtlja-
go takih potnikov opremijo le-
talske družbe s posebnimi znam-
kami in danes je v raznih delih
sveta že nad deset tisoč zbiral-
cev takih letalskih znamk. Ne-
katere teh znamk imajo že danes
visoko ceno. Na primer znamke,
ki so bile prilepljene na prtljago
potnikov na zračni ladji Hin-
denburg, katero je leta 1937 uni-
čil požar v Lakehurstu, N. J. Tu-
di znamke državnih letalskih služ-
be v Čehoslovake so zelo po-
skočile v vrednosti odkar je bi-
la Čehoslovake republika raz-
trgana.

Prav posebne vrste zbirke ima
Robert Vincent v New Yorku.
Mož že vrsto let zbira stare gra-
mofonske rekorde, tako plošče
kot valjce. Glasove teh rekor-
dov, med katerimi so mnogi v ze-
lo slabem stanju, reproducira
na nove plošče iz trpežnega ma-
teriala. Tako ima na tistih plo-
ščah originalne glasove takih
znamenitih osebnosti, kot so bi-
li na primer: Gladstone, angle-
ški premijer za časa kraljice
Victorije; P. T. Barnum, slove-
či cirkuški "kralj"; Theodore
Roosevelt, Thomas A. Edison,
William J. Bryan, Rudolph Va-
lentino, Sarah Bernhardt, Leo
Tolstoj, cesar Franc Jožef, Co-
nan Doyle, general Nelson A.
Miles itd. Poleg teh glasov iz
preteklosti ima na ploščah tudi
govore sodobnikov, kot Frank-
lina Roosevelta, generala Persh-
inga, sedanjih članov kabineta
in drugih. Vincent zbira te re-
kordirane glasove za zabavo, to-
da ni dvoma, da predstavlja
njegova zbirka veliko zanimivost
in vrednost.

NENAVADNA VOJNA
Sedanja vojna v Evropi zani-
ma ves civilizirani svet in seveda
zanima tudi nas, ki je sledimo
po radijskih in časniških poro-
čilih. Vse države na tem plane-
tu so tako povezane med seboj,
da se vsaka večja katastrofa v
katerem koli delu sveta vsaj in-
direktno čuti po vsem svetu. Za-
to ga menda danes ni normalne-
ga, prilično inteligentnega člo-
veka, ki bi se ne zanimal za vojno
in Evropi.

Toda sedanja vojna je jako
čudna in se ne da primerjati z
nobeno prejšnjimi vojni, ki se jih
spominjamo ali ki nam jih bele-
ži zgodovina. Milijonske arma-
de, najmoderneje opremljene,
si stojijo nasproti skoraj brez
vsake akcije. Milijoni vojakov
na nemški strani in milijoni vo-
jakov na francoski oziroma an-
gleški strani se gledajo tako re-
koč brez boja. Edina omembe-
vredna aktivnost je bila dosedaj
(Dalje na 2. strani)

IZ DOMOVINE BANAN

Današnja domovina banan so
vse tropske dežele; nekateri so-
dijo, da je bila prvotna domovi-
na banan v Indiji, toda to je ne-
mogoče dokazati, ker ljudje so
začeli kultivirati banane zelo
zgodaj.

V Evropi je to tropsko sadje
imalo znano, toda v Zedinjenih
državah spada tako rekoč med
dnevna živila, kljub temu, da je
importirano iz inozemstva. V
prav južnem delu Californije
sicer pridelujejo nekoliko ban-
nan, toda bolj za kuriozitetu kot
za trg.

Velika večina banan, ki se po-
rabijo v Zedinjenih državah, je
importirana iz Centralne Ame-
rike, posebno iz republik Guate-
mala, Honduras, Costa Rica, Pa-
nama in Colombia. V teh drža-
vah ima ogromne plantaže ban-
nan United Fruit Company. Se-
veda pridelujejo velike količine
banan tudi druge družbe in po-
samezni plantažniki, toda ome-
njena ameriška kompanija je
glede produkcije banan na prv-
em mestu.

Pred nekaj leti se je pridelalo
mnogo banan tudi na Cubi, na
Jamaici in v Mehiki, zadnje čase
pa je mnogo tamkajšnjih plan-
taž uničila neka rastlinska bo-
lezen, ki jo imenujejo "sigatoka."
Ta bolezen je sicer napadla
plantaže banan povsod, toda
United Fruit Co. se je prva za-
čela uspešno boriti proti "sigatoki"
s škropljenjem in prašen-
jem s kemikalijami, ki bolezen
uničujejo in preprečujejo.
Družba je imela na razpolago
eksperte in kapital in je tako
mogla ohraniti in razširiti svo-
je plantaže. Manjši posestniki
plantaž se zaradi pomanjkanja
znanja in potrebnih financ niso
mogli tako uspešno boriti proti
sigatoki. Danes so njihove plan-
taže propadle ali dajejo manjši
pridelek ali pa so dane v najem
prej omenjeni družbi.

Banane uspevajo v krajih,
kjer je dovolj vročine in obilo
dežja. Ti pogoji so prav v Cen-
tralni Ameriki posebno ugodni,
ker vročine na manjka, dežuje
pa tudi zelo pogosto. Rastline
rasto zelo hitro. Iz malih kore-
ninskih odrezkov, ki se posadijo
v razorano zemljo, zrastejo v
par mesecih prava, 20 do 40 čv-
ljev visoka drevesa z ogromnimi
listi. Izmed listov poženejo ve-
liki grozdni cveti, ki se razvi-
jejo v ogromne grozde banan,
kakršne vidimo lahko vsak dan
v grocerijskih in sadnih trgov-
nah. Ti grozdi se morajo seveda
poraziti in odposlati na trge, ko
so že zeleni; dozoriijo potem v
skladiščih.

Prave banane se v botaničnem
jeziku imenujejo "musa sapientum"
in je posamezne eksem-
plarje najti v rastlinjakih vseh
večjih mest v Ameriki in Evropi.
Nekatere teh v rastlinjakih go-
jenih banan nastavijo tudi sad-
je, ki pa navadno ne dozori.

V Zedinjenih državah se letno
použije okrog 50 milijonov gro-
zdov banan. To pomeni veliko in-
dustrijo za Centralno Ameriko.
Zaposlenje domačega prebival-
stva pri gojitvi banan obenem z
davki na pridelek pomeni velike
dohodke za male republike Cen-
tralne Amerike. Dobro sosedstvo
med Zedinjenimi državami in
med republikami Centralne
Amerike ne odločajo toliko lepe
besede diplomatov kot banane.

V domovini banan uspevajo
tudi drevesa kakava (cacao), iz
sadeža katerih se izdeluje čoko-
lada. V nekaterih krajih, kjer je
rastlinska bolezen uničila bana-
(Dalje na 2. strani)

ODMEVI IZ RODNIH KRAJEV

ZASČITA OBVEZNIKOV
V Jugoslaviji je bilo zaradi
resnega mednarodnega položaja
poklicanih pod orožje stotisoče
rezervistov, kar seveda povzro-
ča za prizadete in njihove dru-
žine marsikako neprimerno. Vsled
tega so oblasti izdale razne od-
redbe, ki vsaj nekoliko ščitijo
vpoklicane vojne obveznike. Ta-
ko na primer vpoklicanemu voj-
nemu obvezniku in njegovi dru-
žini ne more biti odpovedano
stanovanje in hišni lastnik ne
more zahtevati najemnine še tri
mesece po odpustu prizadetega
iz vojaške službe. Zaostala na-
jemnina se pozneje odplačuje v
obrokih. Tudi eksekucije ali pri-
silne prodaje za plačilo denar-
nih terjatev morajo čakati.

USPEHI PEVCA
Nedavno se je vrnil v Ljub-
ljano tenorist Slavko Lukman,
ki se je dalje časa mudil v Nem-
čiji in Holandiji, kjer je prire-
dil celo vrsto koncertov. Poseb-
no ne more pozabiti lepega spre-
jema pri slovenskih izseljencih
v Holandiji in navdušenja nad
slovensko pesmijo. Pel je v Am-
sterdamu, Rotterdamu, Harle-
nu, Haagu in drugod. Po lepo
uspeli turneji v tujini namera-
va prirediti vrsto koncertov v
domovini.

REJCI MALIH ŽIVALI
V Ljubljani se je nedavno vr-
šilo glavno zborovanje "Zveze
rejccev malih živali," ki pred-
stavlja 39 krajevnih društev in
okrog 2400 članov. Začetek tega
pokreta sega v leto 1913, ko je
bilo v Ptuj ustanovljeno dru-
štvo za rejo čistokrvne peruti-
ne, kuncev in malih živali. Po-
mnogih poskusih, uspehih in ne-
uspehih se je ta za malega člo-
veka važna gospodarska panoga
lepo razvila. Zveza izdaja zdaj
svoje lastno, dobro urejevano
glasilo "Rejec malih živali" in
oskrbuje svoje člane s primerni-
mi čistokrvnimi živalmi. Dose-
daj je bilo razdeljenih 270 koz,
80 ovac, 267 kuncev, 192 kokoši,
58 parov golobov, 69 morskih
prašičkov, 32 karnarčkov in 4560
valilnih jajc. Reja malih živali
je za male slovenske kmete, obrt-
nike in delavce znatnega pome-
na.

POKLICNI TAT
V Krškem so orožniki aretirali
Miho Hudoklina, starega
znanca ječ, ki je bil nedavno po-
begnil iz novomeških zaporov.
Mož je doma iz Sv. Križa pri
Kostanjevici, star 57 let in je
vsega skupaj presedel okrog 45
let v raznih zaporih. Razne ter-
mine je presedel v zaporih v
Gradiški, v Ljubljani, v Novem
mestu, v Mariboru in v Gradcu.
Vsakokrat, ko je doslužil svojo
kazno, ali pa, ko je pobegnil iz
ječe, se je spet lotil tatvine, ki
ga je prej ali slej spet pripeljala
v ječo.

POPULARNA ČRNOGORKA
Na Cetinju je nedavno v sta-
rosti 82 let umrla Andja Petro-
vičeva, ki je spadala med naj-
uglednejše in najpriljubljenejše
žene Črne gore. Bila je hčer-
ka slavnega črnogorskega voj-
vode Marka Miljanova in sopro-
ga uglednega črnogorskega pr-
vaka pokojnega Filipa Petrovi-
ča-Njeguša. Že v svoji mladosti
se je Andja udejstvovala v bor-
bah s Turki. S puško v roki je
spremljala svojega očeta vojvo-
do Miljanova po vseh bojiščih.
Glas o njeni hrabrosti se je raz-
(Dalje na 5. str.)

VSAK PO SVOJE

Naša Jednota ima največ čla-
nov v državah Pennsylvanija,
Minnesota in Ohio. Za člane, pa
naj bivajo kjer koli, veljajo ena-
ka pravila. Ta mesec pa se bodo
vsaj začasno ločila naša pota.
Člani, bivajoči v državah Penn-
sylvanija in Ohio, bodo obhajali
Zahvalni dan jutri, to je 23. no-
vembra, člani, bivajoči v Minne-
soti, pa en teden pozneje, to je
30. novembra. Na videz v tem
ni dosti razlike, v resnici pa je.
V državah Ohio in Pennsylvanija
bomo jedli en teden mlajše pu-
rane prve izbire, medtem ko se
bodo morali prebivalci Minneso-
te zadovoljiti s purani, ki bodo
nam ostali. To ni bratsko, pa se
ne da pomagati. Tako svet pelja.

V Nemčiji, kjer je mogoče ku-
povati vse važne jestvine le pro-
ti izkaznicam, je treba take iz-
kaznice predložiti tudi za nakup
mesnih ostankov za pse. Toda
oblasti ne izdajo take izkaznice
za nobenega psa, ki ni vsaj 16
palcev visok. Manjši kužki mo-
rajo čakati na ostanke obedov
svojih gospodarjev, če jih je kaj.
Tako govori pasja postava. Na
svetu je že tako, da kdor je
majhen, vedno takratko vleče,
pa magari če je pes.

V Philadelphiji je nedavno
neki patriotični Američan v svo-
ji oporoki določil večjo vsoto
denarja, da se za isto nabavi
sohe generalov La Fayetteja,
Montgomeryja, Pula skija in
Steubena, ki so se borili za ame-
riško neodvisnost. Dotične sohe
naj bi se postavile v parku pred
dvorano, v kateri je bila prokla-
mirana ameriška neodvisnost.
Sohe so bile v soglasju določbe
v oporoki nabavljene, toda mest-
ne oblasti niso dovolile, da bi se
postavile na označeno mesto.
Upraviteljem zapuščine so tako
ostali na rokah štirje generali,
s katerimi niso vedeli kaj početi.
Po dolgem iskanju so končno
dobili zanje prostor v zavetišču
za osirotele otroke. Ubogi gene-
rali, kam so prišli!

Angleški zvezdoslovci izdaja-
jo revijo Journal of Astrology,
ki se, kakor že ime pove, bavi z
zvezdami. Nedavno pa je bilo iz-
dajanje revije suspendirano za-
radi "negotove bodočnosti." An-
gleži torej niti zvezdam več ne
zaupajo.

Farmer Joshua Dalton v New
Brunswicku je v poznih večer-
nih urah zaslišal sumljivo ša-
renje na porču in se je hotel pre-
pričati, kdo kadi nočni mir. Pri
slabi lunini svetlobi je opazil ne-
jasne obrise neke živali, katere
glava je bila skrita v posodi za
odpadke. Mislil, da ima opravi-
titi s potepuškim psom, ga je
brez kakšnih bratskih pozdrav-
ov enostavno s palico sunil v
rebra in nepovabljeni gost je
zbežal. Ko pa je mož drugi dan
opazil sledove medvedovih stop-
nin na porču, so se mu v zapo-
nelem strahu naježili lasje.

Preko mesta Readinga v
Pennsylvaniji je nedavno letela
čapla, kateri se je tekom pole-
ta izmuznila iz kljuna sveže
ulovljena postrv. Riba je padla
na električni vod 66,000 voltov,
od tam pa ravno prav pečena
pred noge Georga Stoffleta, ki
si jo je z odličnim spoštovanjem
privoščil za kosilo. Ta kolona ne
jamči za stoprocentno resnič-
nost te storije, toda čita in sli-
ši se tako prijetno, da je vredna
častnega mesta v zbirki ribišk
pripovedk.
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O razpošiljanju in prejemanju Nove Dobe

Nova Doba je last in uradno glasilo J. S. K. Jednote ter je do enega iztisa tedensko upravičen vsak član (članica) odraslega oddelka. Kjer je v družini več odraslih članov JSKJ, se lahko nekateri prostovoljno odrečejo prejemanju svojega glasila toda sili se k temu ne sme nikogar. Vsa namreč plačuje določen prispevek v stroškovni sklad, iz katerega se plačujejo vsi upravni stroški Jednote, in to vključuje tudi izdatke za glasilo.

Pri našem glasilu je urednik obenem tudi upravnik istega. Točka 172 naših pravil določa: "Urednik-upravnik mora voditi adresar vseh članov odraslega oddelka, katerih naslovi so mu bili sporočeni, in paziti mora, da vsak član glasila redno prejema, pod pogojem, da dobi urednik-upravnik iz glavnega urada, od društvenih tajnikov ali od prizadetih članov samih pravočasno nove ali izpremenjene naslove."

Naslove novih članov odraslega oddelka dobiva urednik-upravnik iz glavnega urada. V skladu tega ni treba, da bi društveni tajniki pošiljali upravi Nove Dobe imena in naslove novih članov odraslega oddelka.

Mnogi člani tekoma leta menjajo svoje naslove in take izpremembe naj se sporočijo direktno upravi Nove Dobe. Najbolj priporočljivo je, da to storijo za svoje člane društveni tajniki. Toda zgodi se, da društveni tajniki takih izprememb iz enega ali drugega vzroka ne sporočijo upravi Nove Dobe, in v takih primerih mora v smislu pravil urednik-upravnik upoštevati izpremembe, ki jih pošiljajo prizadeti člani sami. Včasih tudi poštna uprava s posebnimi karticami sporoča upravi Nove Dobe izpremenjenih naslovov prejemnikov Nove Dobe; toda največkrat vsebujejo take kartice obvestila, da prejemnika ni več na označenem naslovu in da naj se list ustavi. Od vsake take kartice mora upravnik plačati dva centa pristojbine in, če bi upravnik pretega takega poštnega obvestila ne upošteval, bi prihajale tedne za tednom nadaljne kartice in s tem nadaljni stroški.

Včasih se zgodi, da pismonoša v skladu z brezbriznostjo ne odda lista naslovniku, da si živi na označenem naslovu, in prinese list nazaj na pošto, kar pomeni, da poštni urad pošlje list na naslovnika, ki ni več tam. Na tako opozorilo mora upravnik ustaviti list na označenem naslovu in potem pride upravičen pritožba. Taki primeri se sicer ne dogajajo pogosto, vendar jih je nekaj vsako leto. Ako član, ki biva stalno na istem naslovu, brez znane vzroka lista enkrat ali dvakrat ne prejme, naj najprej vpraša po vzroku pismonoše svojega okrožja. Ako to ne pomaga, naj se o vzroku nerodnosti informira naravnost pri poštarju in obenem naj, bodisi sam ali potem društvenega tajnika, zadevo sporoči upravi Nove Dobe.

Vsi člani in članice naj pomnijo, da urednik-upravnik ne črta iz naslovnika nobenega naslova na svojo roko, ne da bi bil k temu pozvan od društvenega tajnika, od prizadetega člana ali bivšega člana ali od poštnega urada.

Pri vsaki izpremembi naslova, poslani upravi Nove Dobe, naj bi društveni tajniki upoštevali, da je treba poslati popoln stari in popoln novi naslov. Kadar take izpremembe pošilja posamezni člani sami, naj poleg naslova označijo tudi številke društev, h katerim spadajo. Pomniti je treba, da je v naslovniku dostikrat po več članov z enakimi ali sličnimi imeni, da upravnik članov ne pozna in da pač ne more držati v glavi skoro 14.000 naslovov.

Včasih se slišijo pritožbe, da se pošilja Nova Doba na naslove bivših članov, ki so morda že pred meseci umrli, bili črtani ali so odstopili. To je v marsikaterem slučaju resnica, toda črta za to ni na uredniku-upravniku. Ako bi društveni tajniki vsak mesec sprosti pošiljali uredniku-upravniku naslove vseh bivših članov, ki so umrli, bili črtani ali so odstopili, ne bi moglo priti niti do ene take nerodnosti. Sicer je večina tajnikov v tem oziru točna, toda sili niso. Pomniti je treba, da je v takih primerih treba poslati upravi Nove Dobe popolne naslove bivših članov, katerim se naj list ustavi. Člani mnogih društev dobivajo list na različne poštno urade, naslovnik Nove Dobe pa je razdeljen po državah in v vsaki državi po poštah, in sicer po abecednem redu poštinskih uradov. Ako ni poslani naslov popoln, ga je med približno 14.000 naslovi v obsegu in po posameznih poštah urejenim naslovnikom težko najti.

Urednik-upravnik dobi vsak mesec iz glavnega urada za priobčitev "spremembe v članstvu," kjer so med drugim tudi navedena imena bivših članov, ki so umrli, bili črtani ali so odstopili. Pri teh imenih so navedene številke društev in certifikatne številke. Toda glavni urad nima in zato ne more narediti naslovov dotičnih bivših članov, urednik-upravnik pa nima certifikatnih števil. Iz tega sledi, da mu to poročilo pri uredniku naslovnika nič ne pomaga. Kot že omenjeno, je marsikje pri istem društvu po več članov z enakimi ali sličnimi imeni in člani marsikaterega društva dobivajo glasilo morda na deset ali več različnih pošt. Kako naj jih torej urednik-upravnik najde v obsegu naslovnikov?

Edini način, da se ne bo list pošiljal takim, ki iz enega ali drugega vzroka niso več člani, je ta, da društveni tajniki vsak mesec sprosti pošiljajo upravi Nove Dobe POPOLNE na-

slove tistih bivših članov, katerim naj se list ustavi. To je bilo že večkrat priporočeno v Novi Dobi, toda mnogi tajniki take priporočila menda prezejo ali pa jih pozabijo.

Vsakemu društvu tajnika bo urednik-upravnik drage volje postal odtis naslovnika Nove Dobe za njegovo društvo, če vpraša zanj. Iz istega se tajnik lahko prepriča, če so člani njegovega društva pravilno vpisani, kakor naj na dotični odtis za beleži morebitne potrebne izpremembe in ga vrne upravišču. Tudi to je že bilo večkrat priporočeno v Novi Dobi od strani upravišču, in nekateri tajniki se le ugodnosti poslužujejo; žal, da le nekateri. Pa vendar ne bi bilo tako težko vprašati za lak odtis naslovnika, in dopisnica stane samo en cent.

Pred leti je bil urednik-upravnik poskusil s pošiljanjem takih odtisov naslovnika vsem društvom po enkrat na leto. To je bilo velikansko izredno delo za urednika-upravnika, uspeh pa silno majhen. Komaj kakih deset odstotkov tajnikov se je potrudilo toliko, da so točno vrnilo popravljene odtise naslovnika upravišču. Nekateri so take popravljene odtise naslovnika vrnilo šele po šestih mesecih ali še pozneje, ko je bilo potem sprejem, poslanih od pošte ali posameznih članov, marsikje že dosti izpremenjenega v rabljenem naslovniku. Velika večina tajnikov pa tistih listin ni sploh nikdar vrnila. Po par skrajno neuspešnih poskusih je urednik-upravnik to prakso opustil. Redno uredniško in upravniško delo se itak z vsakim letom množi, oseba za opravljanje istega pa ostaja le ena, in ni čudno, če nima več veselja si pripravljati kup izrednega in neuspešnega dela.

Toda, kakor že omenjeno, vsak tajnik, ki bo vprašal za odtis naslovnika za svoje društvo v serho pregleda in popravi, ga bo dobil.

Upravišču pri približno 14.000 naslovih ni majhno delo. Z istim je zvezano tudi knjigovodstvo in mnogo korespondence. K temu seveda pride še vse uredniško delo za slovenski del lista. Ena sama oseba se more s tem sijajno otepati lenarenja. Kljub temu se urednik-upravnik trudi, da po najboljši možnosti zadovolji članstvo, tako glede čitka kot prejetja lista. Drage volje tudi priznava, da je od tisočih članov in od mnogih društev tajnikov deležen iskrenega in bratskega sodelovanja. Kar želi, je, da bi bil tega deležen od vseh.

VSAK PO SVOJE

(Nadaljevanje s 1. strani)

Preko doline, imenovane Fox Valley, v New Yorku, je nedavno divjal hud vihar, ki je poškodoval poslopja vseh tamkajšnjih prebivalcev, z izjemo hiše W. F. Fahlbuscha. Značilno je, da je v vsej dolini ostala ne poškodovana samo Fahlbuscheva hiša, ki je bila edina zavarovana proti poškodbam po viharju. To bi kazalo, da včasih celo vihar rešuje zavarovane predmete.

V vseh civiliziranih deželah plačujemo davke, direktne ali indirektno. Plačujemo jih radi ali neradi, večinoma neradi. Pa smo nedavno z zanimanjem čitali v listih, da žive v Afriki neka divja plemena, ki ne plačujejo nikakih davkov. Ko je prijatelj Čahej čital dotično poročilo, je zmaljal z glavo in izjavil: "Če tista plemena ne plačujejo nikakih davkov, kakšen vzrok imajo, da so divja?"

Prijatelj Rogelj mi je s svojega nedavnega poseta v Pennsylvaniji prinesel šop pozdravov in butarico cigar. Pozdrave sem z odličnim spoštovanjem vzel na znanje, cigare pa sem položil v skatlo k tovarišcem clevelandskega pokolenja. Tam počivajo tako rekoč na razpoloženju in čakajo mojega razpoloženja. Pred dnevi sem namreč dobil v poset prvega izmed obljubljenih 20 milijonov preladov sezone. Ostalih 19.999, 999 je na razpoloženju za druge. Cigare in prehlad se ne vzamejo skupaj. Vsaj pri meni ne. Kadar ima prehlad ali nahod besedo, so cigare na razpoloženju. Cigare se pri tem prihranijo, kar je z ekonomskega stališča hvalevredno, kajti večina cigar je treba kupiti, prehlad pa dobim zaastonj.

Zastonj sem te dni dobil tudi dve "Veliki pratiki" za prestopno leto 1940. Eno mi je podaril sobrat Jože Grdina, stanujoč na 6121 St. Clair Avenue v Clevelandu, ki jih ima toliko, da jih prodaja, in sicer po 25 centov komad. Za tako galerijo svetnikov in sejmov to ni pretirana cena. Drugo pratiko pa mi je podaril sobrat August Kollander, katerega pisarna je v S. N. Domu na 6419 St. Clair Avenue v Clevelandu. Tudi on jih ima veliko zalogo, toda jih ne prodaja, ampak jih daje brezplačno tistim, ki po njegovem posredovanju pošiljajo denar v Slovenijo. Pošiljanje denarja v rodno Slovenijo je hvalevredna navada, posebno s stališča pre-

števila ameriških turistov, ki so posekali Mehiko in druge republike južno od Rio Grande, prav posebno pa se je to število povečalo, odkar se je pričela vojna v Evropi. Turisti iz Zedinjenih držav zdaj sploh ne morejo potovati v Anglijo, Francijo in nekatere druge evropske države, poleg tega pa jih tudi ne mika poset Italije in drugih nevtralnih držav zaradi splošne negotove situacije v Evropi. V Mehiko in druge južne republike pa je možno potovati brez nevarnosti z vlaki, z avtomobili in z letali. Kdor se hoče izogniti zimi, ima prav tako lepe prilike v republikah južno od Rio Grande kot bi jo imel v Italiji. Poleg tega v omenjenih republikah tudi ne manjka naravnih lepot in zgodovinskih znamenitosti poleg tipične južne gostoljubnosti. Tako se razpleta vedno boljše prijateljsko sosedstvo med ameriški republikami.

POŽARNA KATASTROFA

V južnoameriški republiki Venezueli je pretekli teden zgorel del mesta Lagunillas in je v katastrofi izgubilo življenje okrog tisoč oseb. Moderno mesto je zgrajeno ob jezeru Macarai-bol, izpod katerega črpa jo olje. Del starega mesta je bil zgrajen na kolih nad vodo jezera, ki je večina vedno pokrita z oljnimi odpadki. To olje na vodi je pričelo goreti in požar je uničil vse "mesto na kolih," obenem s številnimi prebivalci, ki jim je bila vsaka rešitev onemogočena.

BALKANSKI BLOK

V Evropi se te čase mnogo razpravlja o ustanovitvi balkanskega bloka, ki naj bi ga tvorile Turčija, Grška, Jugoslavija, Rumunija, Bolgarija in Madžarska. Baje se tudi Italija zelo trudi za ustanovitev takega bloka balkanskih držav, ki naj bi odvrčal nemški in ruski vpliv od Balkana. Italija bi želela biti nekaka voditeljica tega bloka. Nekateri poznavalci razmer so sicer, da bi mogoče formirati tak balkanski blok le, če Rusija ne bo nasprotovala. Bolgarija in Rumunija se ne upata zameriti močnemu Rusiji in istotako želijo tudi druge balkanske države ostati z Rusijo v kolikor mogoče prijateljskem razmerju.

STRAHOVLADA NA ČESKEM

Dijaške demonstracije v Pragi so pretekli teden nemške oblasti porabile za izgovor, da so za Prago in okolice proglasile preki sod in nastanile v mestu okrog 10 tisoč vojakov. Dvanajst oseb je bilo po prekomerni ustrele, med njimi deset dijakov. Aretiranih je bilo okrog dva tisoč oseb. Nemška vlada je ukazala zapreti češko univerzo v Pragi in je naznanila, da bo univerza ostala zaprta tri leta. (Če bodo Nemci še toliko časa gospodarili v Pragi! Op. ured.) Krvoprelitje v Pragi je odjeknilo po vsem svetu. Bivši predsednik Českoslovaške, Edvard Beneš, ki še mudi v Franciji, je izjavil, da bo nemška strahovlada na českoslovaški Čehe bolj kot so bili kdaj prej. Na poslopju českoslovaškega poslanstva v Washingtonu vihra zastava na poldrogu.

Po poročilih iz Londona je bilo v praških demonstracijah ubitih 30 Čehov. Nemško vojsko pa je po prekomerni ustrelelo 18 oseb.

POTOPI PARNIKOV

Pretekli teden je bil nedaleč od angleške obale potopljen belgijski parnik Simon Bolivar in je pri tem izgubilo življenje okrog 140 oseb; rešenih je bilo okrog 260 oseb. Sodi se, da je parnik zadel na odtrgano nemško mino. V istem okrožju so bili dalje potopljeni italijanski parnik Grazia, britiški parnik Blackhill, švedski parnik B. O. Borjesson in jugoslovanski parnik "Carica Milica." Blizu Rotterdamu se je potopil litvinski

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ZA NOVOPRIDOBLENE ČLANE ODRASLEGA IN Mladinskega oddelka Daje J.S.K. JEDNOTA NAGRAD V GOTOVINI.

Za novopridobljene člane odraslega oddelka so predlagane sledeče nagrade:

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Za novopridobljene člane mladinskega oddelka pa so predlagane sledeče nagrade:

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Vse te nagrade so izplačljive šele potem, ko so bili za člane plačani trije mesečni asesmenti.

tovorni parnik Kaunas. Vse omenjene parnike so potopile mine. Ameriška nevtralnostna postava, ki prepoveduje plovbo ameriških parnikov v nevarne, z minami posejane evropske vode, se že izkazuje za pametno in praktično.

NENAVADNA VOJNA

(Nadaljevanje s 1. strani)

na morju in v zraku. Vojaški strategiji in diplomati se vprašujejo: zakaj Nemčija ne prične z obljubljenim veliko ofenzivo, zakaj čaka, da se Francozi in Angličani bolj in bolj oborožijo? Pravega vzroka za to menda nihče ne ve. Seveda ga ne vemo tudi mi, ki nismo niti najmanj strokovnjaki.

Ugibanja so seveda vsestranska. Koliko imajo podlage, je pa kajpak drugo vprašanje. Vsekakor se zdi, da so za enkrat se najbolj utemeljena mnenja diplomatov v Washingtonu, da se Hitler boji začeti resno vojno s Francijo in Anglijo, ker ne zaupa Rusiji. Znano je, da je Hitler mogel pridobiti Rusijo za "prijateljsko nevtralnost" pred napadom na Poljsko le s tem, da je Rusiji obljubil tisti del Poljske, ki je po veliki večini naseljen z Belorusi in Ukrajinci. To da vsi znaki kažejo, da je Rusija v tem primeru vzela nekoliko več kot je bilo všeč Hitlerju; okupirala je namreč kraje, kjer so oljni vrelci nekdanje Poljske, obenem pa je zaprla Nemcem pot do Rumunije, kjer je tudi olje, ki ga Nemčija tako silno potrebuje. Hitro nato si je Rusija potom pogodb z Estonijo, Letsko in Litvo odprla pot na Baltično morje, kar ni bilo niti v interesu Nemčije niti Anglije. Istočasno se je začel širiti ruski vpliv na Balkan. Tam je začel

IZ DOMOVINE BANAN

(Nadaljevanje s 1. strani)

ne, so se pričeli baviti z njimi, jo kakava.

V nekaterih republikah centralne Amerike, posebno na temali in Costa Rici, se goji tudi s pridelovanjem kave, vina, drevesa gojijo zaradi njegovega obiranja sudežev in kavi obliki. Zadnje čase so čeli med kavina drevesa banane, ker kava najbolje raste, če so rastline nekoliko sence. Na mnogih kavinovih tajah prinašajo zdaj banane, liko ali več dohodka kot kava sama.

Naša republika je namreč edina kava, kakršna raste, ve, ki so glavni eksportni predmeti Centralne Amerike. Prijateljstvo se razvija medsebojnimi gospodarskimi in kulturnimi odnosih. Zato imajo države v malih republikah na Balkan. Tam je začel

New Era

ENGLISH SECTION OF
Official Organ
of the
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Nova Doba

AMPLIFYING THE VOICE OF THE ENGLISH SPEAKING MEMBERS



WHOM SHALL WE ELECT?

Suspicious eyes are cast around the lodge rooms during the November meetings, for the electorate starts picking its candidates for election at the December annual meetings.

Apprehensive eyes meet the suspicious glances, for reason at all, and the candidates-to-be and those up for re-election prepare for the annual election of lodge officers.

Those members who have held lodge offices appreciate the value of an unbiased group—one that judges leaders by their work within the unit and not by its outside connections. Although personal whims never enter into lodge elections, sometimes a certain result is a disgusted lodge officer who declines a nomination for re-election. While such a situation does present itself very often, it might tend to discourage promising leader from further activity and worse, hamper the efforts of others with less abilities.

While lodge officers are pleasant jobs, we must also keep in mind the time and effort expended by the officers outside of the meeting hall. A president conducting a meeting; a secretary reading the financial report, acted by the treasurer; the trustees confirming the minutes—such lodge proceedings appeal to members who see themselves executing the various duties behind the table, if they were elected to these positions.

People who lack experience as lodge officers fail to realize the large amount of work required before and after each meeting. They fail to vision the running of a lodge as a necessary contacting this person and that person a week before the lodge dance, for example. And many members are aware of the many hours a secretary spends each month recording assessments received from members, filling out reports for the home office, and checking over her books to strike a balance?

A boxer requires much exercise to keep his body in fine condition. At a boxing match we admire the physique, developed muscles, alertness to the movements of his opponent, and how we do like to place ourselves in the shoes of the two fighting specimens. How many of us are willing to sacrifice our time of leisure for gymnasium work, where hours of training are required; where perspiration flows freely and fat literally dissolve.

Like all walks of life that require hours of continuous study and application of oneself, the lodge demands also their quota of concentration; not a pleasant night when one meets many friends and a pleasant sociable evening thrown in for good measure, but at home, usually alone, when others may be watching a movie, while the lodge officer prepares, and fills out reports.

Whom shall we elect? The conscientious type who respond when the need is the greatest.

Colorado Federation

Boncarbo, Colo. — SSCU lodge in the State of Colorado, belonging to the Colorado Federation, are hereby instructed to address all matters pertaining to the secretary of the federation to John Lipec, P. O. Box 23, Boncarbo, Colo.

It is to take this opportunity to urge all other SSCU lodges, who do not belong to the Colorado Federation, to join us. Some units sent observers to the meeting held in Pueblo, Colo. I hope that in the future we shall send regular representatives. Annual dues for each lodge run \$3.00 a year. At the next meeting of lodges, which will be held during the month of December, the largest number of members attend, and it is hoped that members considering the federation at the annual meeting.

Each lodge is entitled to two representatives; if a lodge already has a representative serving as an officer of the federation, then it is entitled to only one more representative. The only exception is the lodge from which emanated the first or federation president; he, however, does not make motions nor does he participate in voting. Each lodge is entitled to two transportation fares, if the lodge has two elected members representing them at the federation meeting. It is understood that the dues of such lodges are paid up.

time in the Spring in Walsenburg, Colo. In 1940 the regular convention of the SSCU will take place, and once the convention delegates have been elected, our federation will hold another meeting.

On this occasion I also request both SSCU lodges in Walsenburg to talk things over together necessary for our meeting in Walsenburg. After making the necessary arrangements, let the results be forwarded to the federation secretary so that he may report them in the Nova Doba. If these two lodges may require my assistance, let them include this request in their report, and I shall be at their disposal.

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John Lipec, Sec'y

Lodge 1

Ely, Minn.—All the members of lodge 1 SSCU, Ely, Minn. are requested to attend the annual session which is to be held Sunday, Dec. 10, 1939. Election of officers will be in order and other business will be transacted.

If you feel the present officers are qualified to continue in office, give them your support; however, if you feel a change should be made, you can suggest the same at this meeting.

Your present officers have made an impressive record in enrolling new members, as most of you already know, especially those who have read our official organ, the "Nova Doba." During the last membership campaign 33 adults and 75 juveniles were enrolled, thus qualifying 4 delegates to the athletic conference and 4 to the juvenile convention. Our lodge now has over 400 adult and 205 juvenile members. If all members would be active, the membership would increase still further.

I must state at this time that many members fail to pay the assessments when due, thereby creating much unnecessary work for the secretary. Assessments are due the first of each month and can be paid up to the first of the following month, but many members fail to remember this. The lodge does not allow the secretary to use any of the lodge monies to pay for delinquent members. The whole burden therefore falls upon the secretary, and I want the members to know I have not much money available; so don't blame me if you find you have been suspended. In the past I have paid for several members who I thought would eventually pay but they never came to pay up, therefore, I am out a considerable amount of money. While I don't mind paying for a member who finds he is short some month, I find I have been taken advantage of more and more, and many members are continually behind one or two months, and I am compelled to use about \$200.00 of my own money each and every month to make up for this negligence on the part of the members, who in most instances could pay but were of the opinion that I would take care of them. Conditions have improved to such an extent that I feel current assessments could in most instances be paid regularly; therefore I appeal to you to be more prompt and have some consideration for your secretary, as I have bills which must be paid also.

Do not fail to attend the regular annual session to be held Sunday, December 10, 1939 at 9:30 a. m. at the Yugoslav National Home. Refreshments will be served after the meeting.

Frank Tomsich, Jr., Sec'y

Safety Note

The traffic toll, just a few days ago, showed ninety-three persons in Cleveland had lost their lives on our city streets. The majority of the victims this year have been pedestrians, persons who risked their life to save a second and lost. Remember, accidents can be prevented. Cross at the crosswalk.

— Public Relations Bureau, Cleveland Police Dept.

Judge Duff — Have you a lawyer, Sambo?

Sambo — Naw, suh, Jedge. We done decided to tell de troof.

BRIEFS

The thirty-fifth anniversary of lodge 50, SSCU, Brooklyn, N. Y., will be fittingly observed on Sunday, November 26, at the Slovene National Home on 253 Irving Ave.

A dance will be held by lodge 198, SSCU, of Central City, Pa., on Saturday, November 25, at the Polish Hall.

In Joliet, Ill., lodge 66, SSCU will sponsor a smoker on Sunday, November 26, at 1312 N. Center St.

The annual Cleveland Community Fund campaign for 1939 will be held between November 20 and 30. Over 15,000 volunteer workers will work to reach the goal of nearly four million dollars.

All SSCU lodges interested in entering basketball teams in leagues sponsored by the Community Center Division of the Cleveland Board of Education are requested to get in touch with J. G. Sintic, director of organized athletics for the Bureau of Physical Welfare, 1380 East 6th St., Cleveland, O. Players will be divided into five classes, depending on age and experience. No player is eligible to play while on the eligibility list of any college, high school, or junior high school, except those playing on intramural teams.

Community Fund

Cleveland, O. — A production report that lists the manufacture of 224 separate articles—everything from flannel dusters and butler's aprons to fur hangers and taffeta pillows—for a grand total of 45,037 manufactured pieces last year, sounds like a thriving little industry.

Would you believe it was done by cripples, approximately 50 persons all physically unfitted for industrial employment? Anyway, that is the record of accomplishment by Sunbeam Shops operated by the Community Fund's Association for the Crippled and Disabled, at 2233 East 55th Street.

Household articles of all sorts—dish cloths, towels, napkins, cushions—more than 30,000 everyday home necessities. Also some 8,000 dresses, uniforms, smocks and aprons. Part of the \$26,051 resulting from sales of these articles last year was used for medical and therapy treatments for those under the agency's care.

SHORT STORY



Lodge 21

Denver, Colo. — Members of lodge "Sv. Jozefa," 21, SSCU are notified herewith that our next meeting has been postponed for two days. Instead of December 14, it shall be held on Saturday evening, December 16. The change was made for the convenience of our members so that all could attend with the exception of those reported ill. The December meeting will be the annual meeting, and the most important one of the entire twelve meetings of the year.

At the December meeting it is necessary to elect a board for the coming year and to enact the necessary rules for the coming year. The progress of the lodge depends a good deal upon a good board. While it is true that the administrative board cannot do much without the assistance of the constituents, it is also true that a board in which the members have confidence will accomplish greater results. The road is not strewn with roses for lodge officers, for such individuals are confronted with many difficulties. By exercising the necessary amount of patience, all such difficulties are overcome. The majority of members appreciate the work of their officers and respect them for abiding by the by-laws and the lodge decisions.

Our lodge progressed nicely during the past year. We gained members in both departments and the treasury improved with the proceeds of a picnic. To all, who in any way helped towards this success, is extended an expression of thanks.

The annual meeting will start at 7 p. m.

Frank Okoren, Sec'y

Lodge 84

Trinidad, Colo. — Members of lodge "Sv. Andreja," 84, SSCU are again reminded to be more prompt with payment of their assessments. It is especially important that they pay the current assessment and all those that may be in arrears now, towards the end of the year. No one likes to see his name called off at the annual meeting as one who owes his lodge. It is better for the lodge officers if they could present the books indicating no debts on the part of the members. Today our members have no excuses for non-payment. When we visit the bar, we are all wealthy and in such a hurry to pay as though we were afraid we would miss something. If we were equally as eager to pay our assessments to the lodge, which is for our protection, as we are to pay at the bar, then we would need no such reminders in the Nova Doba.

Our next meeting will be held on Sunday, December 10, in the usual quarters, and will commence at 9 a. m. We will elect the lodge board at this meeting, and many other important matters will come up for discussion. Therefore, it is imperative that all members attend this important meeting. Something in the way of refreshments will be provided for the juvenile and adult members after the meeting.

Jacob Prunk, Sec'y

Mrs. Peck — Henry, why is it, do you suppose, that it is said there are no marriages in heaven?

Henry — Why, er, it would not be heaven, would it, if there were marriages?

SSCU Bandwagon

By Little Stan



Little Stan

Ely, Minn. — Pages of Nova Doba, nationally known as fraternal's greatest newspaper, rustle with rhythm as each week a band of carefree writers fill columns with choice news stories that make readers wish a real Magic Carpet existed to transport them to all reported events.

One day everybody would like to be bowling in Cleveland, Barberton, or Pittsburgh. In Sheboygan, Milwaukee, Lorain, Chicago, Joliet, and Waukegan, too! Next day everyone would like to attend a dance at one of these places and a score of others. But time, dough, and other things prevent such enjoyable trips. These incidents are all re-enacted in columns of the paper, and the longing to have had the opportunity to "be there"—so to speak, turns out to be an obsession. But we can only say, "Perhaps—someday."

Nevertheless, the purpose of having such a wonderful paper is there. For without it, none would know of the activities of our brother and sister lodges, scattered throughout the nation. But with an active group of journalists in every lodge, the news is brought to every member of the Union. Seeing each other's names in print does everything to insure the meaning of fraternal. Even if none of us ever see each other in person, we read about and know about each other to such an extent that we are good friends even before we meet! It's catchy, that spirit! That's one of the things that makes life worth living!

S'funny how Little Stan would get in this mood. But sitting before the typewriter this balmy November evening, he was pouring over the articles in the paper and he thought: "By gosh, what would many of us do if suddenly we found out that the paper didn't come in—especially after waiting for it all week!" And the realization dawned that the Nova Doba, is truly the greatest fraternal paper in the nation. For when you see a picture of the Collinwood Boosters softball team—showing friends you met on a trip to Cleveland; or look at bowling scores of your brother and sister lodge members throughout the country; or read about those wonderful days at the Second Athletic Conference and Juvenile Convention; drink in the happy times enjoyed at various lodge events—everything combines to impress the value of the official organ of the SSCU.

It's a balmy November weather in the Home Office City of our SSCU. Nov. 17—evening—stars shine brightly, a moon is high overhead—the men haven't donned their winter flannels, and honest! There isn't a tiny speck of snow on the ground. It seems like a late Indian Summer—and here Thanksgiving is a mere week or so away! The entire week has been like that. Beautiful sunshine, the air a little brisk and cool, but not freezing! In fact, statistics show that this is the most unusual weather for this part of the country in 68 long years. It makes us feel better to know that there'll be that much less winter!

For those Gophers, working

with machine-like precision are preparing for the big dance in the Yugoslav National Home Saturday, Dec. 2. A popular orchestra will be obtained, and you can bet that the halls of the building will once again be filled with laughter and shufflin' feet as young couples will swing along with the SSCU Bandwagon of fun! Place that date on your calendar! Saturday, Dec. 2 in the National Home!

Sacred Heart Lodge, father of Gophers, No. 2 will conduct its annual meeting Sunday, Dec. 10 at 7 p. m. in the National Home. Big business will be election of officers. Refreshments will be served and everyone—including Gophers—are asked to attend.

Chairman Champa, and Secretary Perushek have promised to pitch in for the first keg of nails! Plan on having a lot of fun in addition to helping transact a little business! It's in the evening, you know!

Turkey parties will be on tap these next ten days. A lot of people will have an opportunity to win a nice big Thanksgiving dinner just by yelling the right word at the right time! Nice way to get around the law, what, editor? Like a feller told Little Stan, "I'm a lucky guy all right! . . . They could fix it so I'd be the only guy playing, and yet I couldn't win!" And you know that's just the feller who is first to get a winner! Just when you think your luck is down on you.

And you know, it'll only be a couple of weeks and Christmas will be here. This scene is usually depicted with falling of soft flaky snowflakes, Christmas Carols, and everybody feeling holy-like! You can even see a big halo around Little Stan's head—especially when he gets into his Magic Carpet and takes off for the North Pole to help Brother Santa Claus make deliveries. You remember, don't you? — Santa Claus is a member of everybody's lodge and family! Heh Heh!

That Matt Vertin, popular restaurateur, who prepared such delicious meals for delegates to the Athletic Conference convention, is a darned good sport. His bowling team, entered in Ely's major leagues, has won only one game out of four three-game matches. Latest to tack defeat on his boys were the strong Zup's pin five, but they were taxed to the limit. But right after the match Genial Matt says: "Come on boys, we'll have to have a little refreshments after this match," and no sooner said than done. Joe Jenko, Mudge Mayerle, Frank Glavan, Little Stan sat around that same table the delegates ate at, and consumed one large steak apiece—all as big as those Lou Kolar used to have! Tender and delicious! T-Bone! Muh! Frankie Debeltz was supposed to have one, too, but he got disgusted with his last score and beat it before Matt spoke those silvery words! Alex Debeltz and Bravy Bolka were working night shift. But there'll come another day. So delicious was the meal that the boys vowed they'd start from the bottom to cop the league championship—if possible! Heh Heh! Doc Zgonc sat with us fellers and enjoyed it as much as we did . . . nice stuff!

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Rambling Along

By Big Stan

Strabane, Pa.—YOU THERE! You and your friends. I mean you all that haven't attended a lodge meeting since your initiation. Why don't you wake up and realize the terrible mistake you are making. Don't you know that you are just as important to your lodge meeting as the treasury itself? You are the lodge or a part of it so why not get some life into yourself? Attend your lodge meeting and fill it full of life. Make it active and strong so that it will be the talk of the town. Then and only then can you realize the fun that you can have by being a live wire in your lodge. Don't kid yourself for you can have the greatest time of your life by just being a lodge member and taking part in lodge activities. Try it.

Important Era

About this time of the year, the most important era of your lodge's life has arrived. It is about time for election of officers and the planning of the winter's social season. Attend your meetings and get acquainted with the boys and girls that make your lodge what it is. If you're not one of the live wires, make it your business to be the "one" that will make your lodge roll on to bigger and better heights. Plan your dances and your socials and your winter sports program with the others and at the same time, study your brother and sister members to see that the most capable are elected into office the next month. Above all, make it your most important business to attend the November and December meetings.

As for the Sentinels, November 26, the fourth Sunday of the month is the day for all to be present. The past few months the meetings were attended poorly so let's all get together and make November and December the most important meetings in our existence and get acquainted with all the members that belong to the lodge 236. Remember that the election meeting is next month and that this month's meeting falls on November 26, the fourth Sunday of the month at two p. m. Can we count on you?

A Reunion

Sunday, November 12, 1939, your correspondent returned home after a busy afternoon only to find that good old Ralph Kovacic of Export, one of the very lively delegates to the past conferences, had called. Realizing that a happy reunion was so close but still so far away, a big ball of red exploded before our very eyes and murder was in the making. Of course, if I had stayed at home, that wouldn't have happened but the minute I leave, it's a hundred to one a friend comes calling. Just then the red vision cleared and the light dawned. If I know Ralph, he'll be back. And so, when the family asked me to join them in a social call, I refused, I decided to stay home and wait for Ralph and clear up some work behind schedule. Believe it or not, just as the comma was placed after the traditional ending, on the first letter Ralph had announced his arrival at the door. Need it be said that work was suspended? You bet your sweet life it was. For with Ralph's appearance, August 4, 5, 6, again came into being and before the handshake was completed, we were again in Ely. Boy it was sure good to see him again. And after fifteen minutes of questions back and forth, Ralph calmly told me that he had some friends outside. Just like men isn't it. We talked and talked about Ely, the trip and the many friends,

not to forget the one and only Matt Vertin, and here all the while, we kept three very charming maidens waiting. Then without much lost time, Ralph introduced another from Export in the person of Miss Slabe, a charming girl and very companionable person. With her were two pretties of Strabane, Mildred Glazer and Frances Novak. But as it always happens, just when we were having the time of our life, Ralph was reminded that his mother was waiting and the time came to part and head for home. And so with good-byes lingering on, a meeting was planned to take place this coming December in Pittsburgh. I believe the date is the 26th but the publicity staff of St. Steven's lodge will set you right in this matter. But regardless of the date, let's make it a date to meet in Pittsburgh at St. Steven's lodge dance and again revive the good old trip we had in Ely. What say you delegates and friends, Pittsburgh is the town and the good time get-together. An SSCU doing will be held at the 57th St. hall. Let's be there. In the meantime, don't forget the huge importance of attending the local lodge meetings of your branch. Be there and see why your lodge does not have the title of being the most active in your town. If it is your fault, by you not attending and giving your share of help, then pitch in and make your lodge go to town. But above all, remember the importance of attending the December meeting for this is the election month in your SSCU. If you can't be loyal twelve months, the least you can do is to be loyal for just the one month. Won't you try it just once.

My Creed of the SSCU

I believe in belonging to a good organization.

I believe the South Slavonic Catholic Union is one of the very best — that I took a wise step when I joined it.

It will ease my mind, knowing that through joining this worthy organization my future is secure.

I believe she will mother me in my needy hours. When the hours are the darkest, she shall come forward with open arms. She shall receive me and my loved ones like an angel with a lighted candle, and brighten my darkest hours.

I believe in her policy, in her honest methods of getting what she is after. That she will never be down and out.

I believe in her faith, for she stood up for forty-one years in all kinds of weather.

I believe that you and I did our part in a little way. But I also believe that we should not stop, but forever fight forward for her consummation, her great power of accomplishment.

I believe she shall go upward, dominate, conquer, until she shall reach and master her greatest ambition, her crowning achievement of the biggest membership.

This that she may become even better and that she shall lead all other organizations.

Florence Dorothy Startz
No. 129, SSCU

Young Language Prof.—Very good, Miss Quiggle, but why did you use the intimate form of the verb in translating that sentence?

Cood — Well—I thought after last night—

Urma — Mabel is getting a man's wages.

Helen — Yes, I know she was married.

Traffic Safety

Safety messages are a whole lot like medicine; hard to swallow but good for you. Many people are prone to scoff at any program designed to prevent accidents by education. Some of them openly jeered at posters and slogans intended to make people more careful and thus avert tragedy. If you are one of these persons let me ask you this question. Did you ever have to pick up a broken and mangled body of some little tot who a moment before had been a happy laughing boy or girl? And all the while you're fighting back the tears that keep welling up and you'd like to smash your fist into the blundering fool's face whose carelessness has robbed some mother of her most cherished possession. Or did you ever have to knock on some door in the dead of night and with the words sticking in your throat tell some frightened wife that her husband wouldn't ever be coming home again, and stand there and see the stark horror come into her face as the realization dawns on her that she and her babies are left alone in the world?

Eventually this becomes the duty of every policeman and a none too pleasant duty either. If you have already had this unpleasant experience you can't honestly laugh at any attempt to make the streets and highways safer. Only a fool would laugh at the automobile record for the United States which might better be called a National Plague—38,000 dead and over a million injured every year. Can you conceive of a situation more sickly or one requiring more immediate treatment? As the doctors of medicine would rally to exterminate a pestilence, so must we rally to the call of safety; to eliminate this shameful record which mocks our very claim to civilization.

Progressive police departments throughout the country are beginning to realize that their obligation to the public is just as important in the saving of lives in the community as the arresting of criminals and that this can best be done through an educational program. Police departments which have inaugurated a safety educational bureau have achieved very gratifying results and their reward has been two-fold. Not only have they succeeded in reducing the death toll, they have won the gratitude of their community which has resulted in a much more favorable attitude towards the police department.

Get into the safety movement. The public wants safety and they are willing to cooperate with you to get it. No one understands the problems any better than a policeman. No one can handle the problem as well as a policeman. You'll be doing yourself and the community a favor by calling your Police Department for a Safety Program at your next club meeting.

—Patrolman James Nation,
No. 274, Public Relations Bureau,
Cleveland Police Dept.

LITTLE STAN'S ARTICLE

(Continued from page 3)

That grand and beautiful western country. Little Stan plans a trip out that way next spring or early summer. So many fine young delegates have come from that way, and it would be a pleasure to meet up with them on their own soil. Let's hear from the west more often. Hop on the SSCU Bandwagon of fun and swing! Go truckin' with Little Stan . . . And before this feller gets doing that jumping jive all over the pages—he'll do a little jive towards the mail box—You'll

IMPRESSIONS OF A DELEGATE

By Anne Prosen

(Continuation)

This was a very fine state of affairs for most hotel managers do not like the idea of guests bringing food in from the outside, for the simple fact that they served fine meals. But who was interested in fine meals. We wanted an informal snack and didn't want to pay a fortune for it. As we passed the fire escape one of the delegates attracted our attention. I don't remember who it was dear diary but I am very grateful that he happened to come out and put his shoes to dry on the fire-escape. This gave us a bully idea. Frances and I wore sport clothes so we could take the risk.

We attracted the delegate's attention even though he was absorbed in the act of finding a nice place to dry his shoes, so they would be presentable for the evening. At once he understood what we were telling him and lowered the fire escape so we could ascend. Frances and I climbed up the escape with their prey while I skidded around the corner of the building and through the front door of the hotel. My object was to keep the manager busy so he wouldn't get one of those unusual moods of wandering around the hotel to see that all was well.

Judging that Frances had reached her room safely I slowly went up stairs. How funny Frances must have looked running up the fire-escape instead of down but that was none of my concern or anyone else's. Just so she got up there safely. Wonder what the firemen would have thought to see the young lady on the fire escape; surely they would have called the department to see if she would need any help.

I found Frances in her room doubling in two with laughter. It was so funny. I'll say it was. Trying to smuggle those delicious things into our rooms. The first part was over but what to do with the stuff. Again this required tact so we sat down to think. The bottle landed in sink in cold water. Why didn't we think of bringing some ice. We could have sent for some ice-water downstairs and use the floating ice if there was any to put around the bottle but the maid might see the other food and that would be horrid. Beside who could know that we would get any ice on the water. So we had to just sit in cold water. The lunch, meat and bread we lodged elsewhere in a place where we were positive no one could find it.

So much for the party preparations. The party which was foremost in our minds and for which we must prepare at once was sooner than the midnight snack. So off to our own rooms we went to dress. And what a time we had. The set hour was almost near at hand so we had a lot of hurrying to do to be ready on time. Finally the moment came. Since it was time to go to the dance I looked for my handsome escort and we set off. I intended to do a lot of dancing at this Community building. But that dear diary is a long story. In the first place I was tired and in the second place—well you just wait and see why.

The evening was very lovely outdoors so we were in a pretty good mood when we reached the site of the dance, even though most of us were just about too tired to move. We had done a lot of walking all day so we were just as exhausted as could be. In the first place there was the juvenile convention, then the Indian reservation, then that run-about for refreshments for the midnight snack.

We expected a fine attendance at the dance and we got it all right. Why? For the simple fact that our fine news-reporter, Little Stan built up an enormous interest among the Elyites and the advertising staff had placards posted all around the town. That's right west side, east side all around the town so everyone could see the ad often and remember the date. This dance was in honor of the athletic delegation and did we feel important to think that the Ely Chamber of Commerce allowed us to hold our dance in its finest building. We were very grateful, and I sincerely

Lodge 198

Central City, Pa. — Lodge "Veseli Slovenci," 198, SSCU will hold a dance and a grape festival on Saturday, November 25. The dance and festival will begin at 7:30 p. m. Admission will be 25 cents for each person. Members of our lodge must pay one admission, whether or not they attend the dance. Jos. Koracina from Yukon, Pa., will provide the music. Those who appreciate good music will have no reason for complaint at our dance. All members of neighboring lodges are cordially invited; we shall strive to return the favor on similar occasions. All members of our SSCU, from far and near, are invited to attend, including editor-manager of Nova Doba and the first supreme trustee from Cleveland.

Vincent Maljevac, Sec'y

want to read this in this issue! Heh Heh . . . Good thing he saved that sentence until the last!

Eye now . . .

ly hope Little Stan who is a member of the Chamber of Commerce tells Mr. Olson and the other members how much we enjoyed being entertained in the civic building. We won't forget it and hope you won't.

COMMUNITY DANCE

Upon arriving at the Community Center we found quite a crowd assembled already. We were a little late but not too late to join in the fun. Bill Rupar and his radio orchestra started the dancers swaying. And how one could sway to his music. It seemed to weave a magic spell and invite you to dance even though you weren't in the mood. And can Bill arrange fine selections. He plays the latest tunes the way they are the most attractive.

Everyone seemed to be very happy tonight. Those who had danced or were too tired to dance merely sat around in groups getting acquainted. And did I get acquainted with some fine people. Who should I meet but my pen pal. And am I grateful to the Nova Doba for such a fine friend. Yes I attributed my acquaintanceship to the editors of the Nova Doba who published my address about two years ago, at which time Catherine Ucher has written to me and has done so since. We have been the best of friends through our correspondence; now my dream came true and I had the chance of meeting Catherine in person. I wouldn't attempt to describe her physically but socially I can say she is one of the finest persons I have met in a long time. Her manner is so outstanding. She shows that she is well bred. Catherine, like other SSCU members, possesses a fine spirit of the Slovene nationality. She too is active in her organization in Gilbert, Minnesota. I spent a very lovely evening discussing affairs with Catherine. So much interest did I give her that I sacrificed my time with my other friends. I got Catherine to meet some of the fine personages behind our Nova Doba. I think Catherine will never forget Mr. Terbovec, Mr. Kolar, Mr. Rogelj and some of the other fine supreme board members. Catherine left a fine impression on me. I am proud that I am her friend. I also met Catherine's mother who also left me quite content that I had met her. I hope the day will come soon when I get to see them both. I salute the SSCU, who through its organ has brought me in contact not only with Catherine and her mother who are fine characters in this organization of ours, but for those hundreds of others whom I have met at various affairs.

The evening waned so I had to get dancing with some of my friends. Though I wanted to I couldn't sit and talk all evening with Catherine as a newspaper woman I had to get around and see the others.

The members of the supreme board were present in a large number. Every-

one of them scattered a little sunshine among the delegates wherever they went. Of course the delegates were present. What kind of a dance would it be if they weren't. The younger delegates were there, too though some could barely hold their eyes open much longer. And how sweetly these girls can dress. . . such an array of color one can see through the hall under the indirect lighting. I pictured fairyland . . . girls in all arrays of the rainbow—red, orange, yellow, blue, indigo and violet. The colors blended so nicely especially the two-toned artistically flowered dresses and pastel materials. All the girls looked as though they too had stepped from fairyland. Their curls were so neatly arranged, . . . flowing locks, upswept, waves, . . . most any style. The girls seemed to have a nice touch of red in their cheeks, no it wasn't rouge from the dime store in every case, some of the younger girls had rosy cheeks when asked to dance by a fine looking lad. It looked so nice to see the juvenile boys getting into the spirit of things and asking his favorite girl to dance with him. It took a lot of courage and rhythm but they gathered enough courage even though some of the younger lads didn't have the rhythm. Everything seemed to run so smoothly like the machinery of a clock. Oh that clock, how time flies here, it is almost quitting time and we were just getting accustomed to it. Well, I guess this fairyland of color and music can not go on forever and neither can seriousness for here comes the man of the hour Little Stan in person. No he didn't make his first debut tonight just now. He's been here a long time already. He certainly can get his height under control to carry himself around the hall to spread comedy among the bystanders. Speaking of bystanders, what is he up to now. Well as a newspaper woman I should tell you, but my face is too red to spill the beans. All I can say is that my little dope about the episode can be only in an indirect manner. Little Stan made his way up to the microphone. Well now that I started here goes: Little Stan ambulated to the instrument used in rendering vocal transitions of a vocalist or musician. With an inclination of high respect for the heedful bystanders he exhibited a finely woven article of clothing richly embroidered in lace. It was a pair of women's long loose drawers so dominant in the year 1830. Evidently Stan had ransacked the attic of his grandmother to discover such a fine piece of apparel. Nevertheless, it stirred quite a commotion in the crowd when he withdrew it from his pockets thinking it was his handkerchief. No harm done, how could he help it if he had accidentally put his mother's handkerchief. I mean riding pants in his pocket. We better check up on his grandmother and tell her to keep her riding pants under cover. As I said before time flies, and before we knew

it the orchestra was playing the home waltz. There were to be no more of those fine foxtrots, waltzes, swing, jazz, it meant the time had come to depart from the artistic realms of fairyland and depart for home carrying with us memories of a truly lovely evening.

No doubt the hotel delegates were in a hurry to get home. It meant grub at the end of the trail and who doesn't hurry at the mention of eats and drinks.

We arrived at the hotel in a happy frame of mind, but dear diary our minds were soon changed. More about this next time so until then keep a lookout for the sudden change of our happy minds.

Dear Diary: Here I am again trying to continue my story. Gee, time is scarce out here I seldom get time to write to you any more. I want to tell you this week more about the affairs of Saturday afternoon. But first to renew slightly: Emil Zebre of Kemmerer, Wyo., and I went to the Home Office to type our minutes of the Second National Athletic Conference. We had pretty much to do before dinner time so we set to work in Mr. Zbasnik's office. At first we were going to type at the hotel. In fact some kind gentleman from Ely offered us a typewriter on which to do our work. Here's thanks to that kind gentleman and his wife, unfortunately I don't remember his name but I do know that we appreciated his kindness. Mr. Terbovec also offered us a typewriter and we were grateful to him too. The best offer, so we thought, came from the Home Office — an invitation to type our notes in the Home Office. Yes that's right the supreme board told us to use the office of Mr. Zbasnik for our work. And set to work we did. But wait a minute I have to see some one about something. I'm putting the wagon before the horse. I almost forgot about the pictures we took.

"Pictures here" such was Mr. Zbasnik's words, so the crowd gathered at one o'clock to take pictures in front of the Home Office. Photographers were ready, people, almost ready. Since the people were not all ready Little Stan asked me to accompany him and the other boys to the railroad station to see our friend Cecilia Seme off toward home. If I remember correctly, there were five of us in the farewell party.

As Cecilia stood on the top step of the train Little Stan snapped her picture. Then when time permitted she took pictures of our group waving farewell to her. And so on back and forth we kept snapping pictures. The time started to fly and the first thing we knew it was time for the train to leave. How well we remember that Saturday afternoon when the conductor called all aboard and the train carried Cecilia away from our midst. It did us no good to stand on the platform and cry for the absent so we did the next best thing and started back toward the Home Office. Luckily we did, for the photographers were ready and so were the people. In fact they were waiting for us. Did they stare when we pulled up in Stan's car. Out we scampered and dispersed among the crowd. We kept the people awaiting so we had to hide ourselves. How naughty. Aw but dear diary we did a good deed by seeing Cecilia off.

Some fun posing for photographers. I want a picture by all means and I got it too. Is it a honey. That certainly is going among my souvenirs. One of the pictures we took was of all the persons who attended the convention, delegates, officers, and visitors. Another picture that was taken was for the members of Lodge 1 in Ely, Minn. The third picture was of the newspaper staff. How honored we felt that Little Stan should pick us out as the reporters of the paper. Just to refresh your memory a little of the picture that was published recently. There was Emil Zebre, Kemmerer, Wyo. the recording secretary of the adult convention better known as the Cowboy from Brooklyn; Louis Kolar, Cleveland, O., editor of the English Section and chapman to the Ohio, Illinois, Wisconsin delegation; Stan Progar, Strabane, Pa., the rambling chatter man, lately christened Big Stan. And the man of men that's right folks, our own editor-manager of Nova Doba, Mr. A. J. Terbovec, the ace editor.

In the front row we have Mr. Janko Rogelj, Cleveland, Ohio, supreme trustee and vice-president of Ilirska Vila (I got it in again, sure Ilirska Vila is a very popular name in the SSCU) and ahem we'll skip over the next person since you may all remember that it is Anne Prosen of Cleveland. O. Our next three persons are juvenile writers; they are doing great work in the juvenile section and it may not be long now before they will join us on the adult page. Elsie Desmond, Cleveland; Justine Korent, Ely and Irene Pavlich, Soudan, Minnesota and last but not least in our roll of writers is the man playing the leading role, Little Stan of that little town of six thousand people way up north in Minnesota, that's it, Ely, Minn.

That was all the pictures for the day so the crowd dispersed and the photographers went on their way. But poor little Emil and me had work to do. So we bid farewell to our friends and went inside the Home Office to type our minutes. Minutes, and more minutes that is what we were occupied with. It took many minutes to do our minutes. Emil got me behind the typewriter at first but my hands just couldn't adapt themselves to work so he took the burden. Between the two of us and the water fountain we got our work done. You know how it is on a nice sunny afternoon to do minutes so we gazed all around inside and outside between thoughts. Hardly any people were in the office now that it was late Sunday afternoon. Like most offices they too had to have a half day holiday. But not my cowboy friend and I, for we had work to do. Clank, clank at the typewriter. At last we were done. What a relief. Quickly we put our things away

and set off for the hotel. It was supper time so we hurried along. Supper is a mighty important thing so we didn't want to miss it. And we needed it to help us along through the adventures of the evening's after STREETS DANCERS.

Shortly after supper the department of public utility washed the street directly in front of the Forest Hotel. Cars were cleared out of the street. A car had to be called to remove one from which the owner could not be found. The street had to be absolutely empty so out went the cars even to one that was minus a driver. The street was blocked and a little while later ready for the band. In their march playing an attractive air for minutes a few minutes the street was overgrown with people. But somehow or other the people were not in the mood for dancing. It took two little children to cause some action. Several of the delegates joined in the dancing though there were quite a number who just sat and watched at the scene. I can vouch for a persons who did little dancing. I guessed it, there were quite a number who sat in my room above the street and watched from a balcony seat the proceedings.

The band is to be commended for the fine musical renditions. Their music was both inviting and entertaining. Children to the leader and a fine band. All went well until the time came to bingo at the theatre then most of the Elyites seemed to head in that direction. This seemed to be the sign for the crowd to break up and go home. So we did likewise but rather should say we left the window and turned to letter writing. We must not forget our loved ones back home. Pencils and pens flew over the paper and we were busy for quite while. Most of our letters ran something like this. Of course this is fictitious but a resemblance to any original letter is purely coincidental. (Ha ha!)

Dear Ma and Pa:

I am having a swell time here and so much to do all the time and so people here are just too nice for me. I am dead tired. By the way my mother is running low. It's tough when your run low at a time like this. I want to see the payroll. I mean family again.

Love your tired money consumer

I mean Stan

From the sample above you can see that we were very tired. Only the thing was punctuated poorly if at all.

And thus ended another memorable day dear diary. Another day which goes down in our memories as the note of the convention since this is the eventful day on which occurred the great record breaking Second National Athletic Conference. Dear diary, I never forget those who made my day what it was. I really felt too, that day, for I had bestowed upon that honor that of recording secretary. It certainly was an eventful for me being chosen for that position at my age. I wish to thank responsible for such a pleasant memory.

Dear diary here it is almost the end of our great convention. It seems most like a dream. Just a few more all we will have is the memory.

Sunday morning usually means back home but here I got up earlier than ever. It seemed that once I peeped over the hillside I couldn't anymore. So I got up, dressed and to the lobby of the hotel. Here were several folders and magazines. I had seen them before so I decided much that I could do. I decided to walk. My walk started outside the hotel. From there I went to the city in every possible angle. Very interesting to window shop. I tried my best to see so many stores. No doubt I spent some time in the dress shops. The styles were much up to date. A drug store captured my attention long. I was standing in front of the window looking at the souvenirs. Several sons who passed stared at me. I looked queer to see someone shopping so early in the morning. What was there to do up in the room. A little later the morning wore out. So back to the hotel I read the morning papers. Of course I first thing I looked for was the newspaper. Why should I concentrate on articles, after all I was here for recreation. This funny stuff was so far from what I expected. I was here for several hours for it seemed time went by everyone who would bring a little to the conference of Sunday papers already on the shelves. After services Mary Ann Prosen, Helena, Montana, and Mary Prosen, Montana invited me to go for a walk with them. Again. My plenty tired but I didn't mind for I thought the walk would be long. Before we knew it we were at Sweet Shoppe drinking Coca Cola. I chanced that the waitress asked names, when she heard my name took notice and shortly replied a Prosen family living here.

This pleased me much for I heard of any other Prosen. Very quiet where they lived. Very quiet where about five or six blocks from the third house from the corner. Not seem very far so we decided to go down to the Prosen's. There we went past the hotel. On the way but the blocks seemed long and they were not as short as looked from far. It seemed cramped for hours before we reached the sixth block. To check up on the attendant we inquired of a resident told us that we had about a block to go. So on we went to the park to the home of the (To be continued)

DOPISI

Brooklyn, N. Y. — Naše društvo Sv. Petra, št. 50 JSKJ, bo v nedeljo 26. novembra obhajalo svojo 35-letnico z veliko veselico, ki bo vsebovala tudi petje in balivo igro. Iz raznih poročil je sklepali, da bo udeležba velika. Program prireditve je naveden nižje.

Nase društvo je bilo ustanovljeno 1. junija 1904 na 147 Loring St. v Brooklynu ter je nekaj mesecev na označenem naslovu tudi zborovalo. Društvo je ustanovil pokojni F. G. Tassotti, ustanovni člani pa so bili: Josip Pleše, Ivan Briški, Peter Bilal, Martin Curl, Andrej Staker, Marj, Jurij Koenig, Anton Marjan, Jurij Koenig, Anton Marjan, Ivan Fugina, Anton Gorkič, Anton Piskur in Josip Tassotti. Društvo je bilo ustanovljeno s 17 člani. Za predsednika je bil izvoljen Josip Pleše, za prvega tajnika Josip Pleše, za drugega Josip Pleše, ki je predstavljal tri leta. Omenjeni se je odpovedal predsedništvu leta 1909.

Prvi tajnik, ki je bil izbran ob ustanovitvi društva, F. G. Tassotti, je izvrševal tajniške posle leta. Nato je prevzel in vodil društvo do konca leta 1931 sekretar Josip Pleše, ki je predstavljal Jakob Slabič. Na decembski seji istega leta je bil izvoljen za tajnika Valentine Orehek, ki še sedaj ta položaj izvršuje.

Od ustanovnih članov imamo danes še enega pri društvu, in sicer sobrata Antona Stucina. Pri sprejemu v Jednoto je društvo dobilo številko 50. Leta 1907 si je nabavilo krasno zastavo, ki je bila blagoslovljena v romski cerkvi sv. Jožefa na 42. ulici 87. cesti v New Yorku. Zastavo je blagoslovil Rev. Alojz Blaznik ob asistenci Rev. Zagarja in Mngr. Lamela. Kučasti zastavi je bila Mrs. Agnes Tassotti, ki je za zastavo darovala tri krasne trakove. Zastavo je izdelal akademični slikar, Lawrence Ivan N. Gosar. Stala je \$200. Prvo stran predstavljala slovensko trobojnico z na-

pisom in s sliko patrona, druga stran je svetlo modra s širokim rdečim robom. Načrt zastave je sestavil pokojni tajnik F. G. Tassotti.

Društvo šteje zdaj 88 članov in članic v obeh oddelkih.

Proslava naše 35-letnice se bo vršila, kakor že omenjeno, v Slovenskem narodnem domu v Brooklynu v nedeljo 26. novembra. Začetek točno ob 3. uri popoldne.

Program bo sledeči: 1. Otvoritveni pozdrav (predsednik Joseph Skrabec). 2. Jugoslovanska narodna himna (svira slovenski tamburaški zbor pod vodstvom Mr. Johna Gerjeviča). 3. Nagovor Mr. G. F. Tassottija, predsednika Slovenskega Narodnega Doma. 4. Viktor Parma: "Mladi vojaki"; G. Donizetti: Sekstet iz opere "Lucia di Lamermoor"; (poje slovensko dramsko društvo "Domovina" pod vodstvom Mr. Johna Končana. 5. Pozdravni govor zastopnika J. S. K. Jednote, Valentina Orehka. 6. a) Rimski Korzakov: Flight of the Bumble Bee; b) Rochmoninoff: Bells of Moscow (igra na piano Miss Elizabeth Meitzen). 7. Nagovor g. D. M. Stanojeviča, generalnega konzula Jugoslavije. 8. a) Anton Schwab: "Izgubljeni cvet"; b) Gustav Ipavec: "Oblaček"; (poje slovensko pevsko društvo "Slovan" pod vodstvom Mr. J. Koprivščaka). 9. a) Marko Bajuk: "Triglavska koračnica"; b) Rudi Crnkovič: "Venček hrvatskih narodnih pesmi"; (svira slovenski tamburaški zbor pod vodstvom Mr. J. Gerjeviča). 10. Nagovor Rev. P. Petrica, OFM. 11. Nagovor dr. Vladimira Rybára, svetnika jugoslovanskega poslanstva v Washingtonu, D. C.

Društvo del programa: "Rdeči nosovi," burka in enem dejanju; poslovenil Fr. Rihar. Nastopajo osebe: Kovtr, krojač (John Zagar); Jurček, njegov vavinec (John Holešek); Zaletel, kočijaž (Matt Corel); Škorec, pisar (Joe Zagar); Rebula, davkar (Adolph Vesel.) Režiser Jack Pishkur.

Tretji del programa: Ples in prosta zabava. Za ples svira Jerry's Starlight orkester. Ob 8. uri zvečer se prične ples v glavni dvorani.

Za društvo Sv. Petra, št. 50 JSKJ: Valentine Orehek, tajnik.

S. pola. — Prejel sem dopisnico iz mojega rodnega kraja, s katero me obveščajo, da so prejeli 12. oktobra, kar sem jim bil poslal nedavno, tuda pisma in poslanega denarja pred par meseci niso prejeli. Dopisnica je potovala iz Slovenije v Duluth, Minnesota, 20 dni.

Tu v Minnesoti smo imeli že nekaj miznih dni, zdaj pa je spet prilično lepo in sočno vreme.

V bolnišnici St. Mary v Duluthu sem se večkrat pogovarjal z 82-letnim starčkom, ki mi je pripovedoval, da je skoro vse svoje življenje delal v gozdovih. Delo da ni bilo pretežno, toda starost ga je privedla v bolnišnico. Večkrat sem mu prinesel vrsto tobaka, na kakršnega je bil navajen. Nedavno, ko sem se spet razgovarjal z njim, me je nenadoma vprašal, če je že ura devet. Odgovoril sem mu, da je šele štiri popoldne. Kmalu nato sem se poslovil od njega in od sosedu Antona Ruparja, ki je ležal v isti sobi. Omenjeni Anton Rupar je pred mnogimi leti delal v premogovniku v Winterquaters, Utah, in osebno pozna našega urednika, s katerim se je pozneje srečal še v drugih krajih države Utah. Par dni pozneje, ko sem spet prišel v bolnišnico, mi je rojak Rupar povedal, da je prej omenjeni starček za vedno zatisnil oči ob deveti uri zvečer istega dne, ko me je vpraševal za deveto uro.

Matija Pogorelec.

Denver, Colo. — Člane društva Sv. Jožefa, št. 21 JSKJ, opozarjam, da bo naša prihodnja seja za dva dni prestavljena. Mesto, da bi se vršila 14. decembra, se bo vršila v soboto 16. decembra zvečer. To izpremembo smo napravili zato, da se bodo prihodnje seje lahko udeležili vsi člani in članice, razen tistih, ki so na bolniški listi. Seja 16. decembra bo namreč glavna ali letna seja. To pa pomeni, da je najvažnejša med vsemi sejami leta.

Na seji meseca decembra je treba voliti odbor za prihodnje leto in sprejeti razne določbe za

poslovanje v bodočem letu. Od dobrega odbora je v veliki meri odvisen napredek društva. Res je, da sam odbor, brez pomoči ostalih članov, ne more dosti storiti, toda dober odbor, katerega gre ostalo članstvo vsaj nekoliko na roke, zamore doseči velike uspehe. Pota društvenih uradnikov niso z rožami postlani, marsikak očetek je treba preslišati in v marsikako zamero je mogoče priti, oboje največkrat po nedolžnem, toda s potrpljenjem se vse premaga. Večina članstva zna ceniti delo svojih uradnikov in jih spoštuje, ker se pošteno drže pravil in društvenih sklepov.

V tekočem letu beleži naše društvo lep napredek. Napredovali smo v članstvu obeh oddelkov in tudi blagajna si je precej opomogla s prirejenimi piknikom. Vsem, ki so na en ali drugi način pripomogli k temu napredku, naj bo izražena zahvala.

Pred zaključkom naj članstvo našega društva še enkrat opozorim, da se bo naša letna seja vršila v soboto 16. decembra in da se bo pričela ob 7. uri zvečer. Za po seji pa bo pripravljenih nekoliko okrepčil. Na svidenje! — Za društvo št. 21 JSKJ: Frank Okoren, tajnik.

Boncarbo, Colo. — Društva JSKJ v državi Colorado, ki spadajo h coloradski federaciji, obveščam, da je moj sedanjí naslov: "John Lipeč, P. O. Box 26, Boncarbo, Colo." V vseh zadevah, ki se tičejo tajništva naše federacije, naj se obračajo na navedeni naslov.

Pri tej prilici tudi pozivam druga društva JSKJ v državi Colorado, ki še ne spadajo k naši federaciji, da se nam pridružijo. Nekatera so imela na našem zadnjem zborovanju v Pu-eblo svojo opazovalce, za bodoče pa upam, da bodo poslala svoje redne zastopnike. Letna članarina za posamezna društva, ki se plačuje v blagajno federacije, znaša \$3.00. Na letne seje društev, ki se vršijo v mesecu decembru, pride največ članov in takrat je najbolj priporočljivo rešiti take zadeve.

Torej, društva JSKJ, ki še spadajo v federacijo, kakor tudi društva JSKJ, ki poslujejo v

tem okrožju, pa še ne spadajo v coloradsko federacijo, so prošena, da na decembskih sejah določijo, da bodo v letu 1940 spadala v federacijo in naj izvolijo svoje zastopnike za prihodnje zborovanje. Imena zastopnikov naj se pošljejo tajniku federacije, da jih vključi. Pošljejo naj se najkasneje do 31. januarja 1940. Prihodnje zborovanje naše federacije se bo vršilo enkrat spomladi v Walsenburg, Colo. V letu 1940 se bo vršila redna konvencija JSKJ, in, ko bodo izvoljeni delegati za konvencijo, bo imela naša federacija še eno zborovanje.

Pri tej prilici tudi prosim obe društvi JSKJ v Walsenburgu, da se medsebojno dogovorita glede vsega, kar bo treba zaradi našega zborovanja v Walsenburgu. Ko se glede zadev sporazumeta, naj sporočita o ukrepih tajniku federacije, da more potem on poročati v Novi Dobi. Ako bi morda omenjeni dve društvi pri tem potrebovali mojo pomoč, naj mi samo sporočita, pa bom na razpolago.

Z ozirom na zastopstvo naj omenim, da je vsako društvo upravičeno do dveh zastopnikov; ako je od katerega društva že en uradnik federacije, je društvo upravičeno samo še do enega nadaljnjega zastopnika. Izjemo tvori le društvo, od katerega je naš prvi ali federacijski predsednik, toda on ne stavi predlogov niti ne glasuje. Vsako društvo je upravičeno do dveh vozovnin, ako je po dveh zastopnikih reprezentirano na federacijskem zborovanju. Razumem se, da mora biti članarina takih društev plačana. Pozdrav vsem! — Za federacijo društev JSKJ v državi Colorado: John Lipeč, tajnik.

Ely, Minn. — Člani društva Sv. Cirila in Metoda, št. 1 JSKJ, so tem potom pozvani, da se udeležijo letne seje, ki se bo vršila v nedeljo 10. decembra. Na dnevnem redu bodo volitve društvenih uradnikov in druge važne zadeve. Kdor misli, da sedanjí uradniki zaslužijo zaupanje društva še za v bodoče, naj voli zanje še za prihodnji termin; kdor pa misli, da so potrebne izpremembe, naj jih priporoča na seji.

V tekočem letu je naše društvo pokazalo mnogo aktivnosti. Tekom kampanje smo vpisali 33 novih članov v odrasli oddelk in 75 novih članov v mladinski oddelk. Na ta način smo kvalificirali štiri delegate za atletsko konferenco in štiri delegate za mladinsko konvencijo. Naše društvo ima zdaj nad 400 članov v odraslem oddelku in 205 članov v mladinskem oddelku. Če bodo vsi člani aktivni, bo društvo napredovalo tudi v bodoče.

Pri tej prilici naj omenim, da so nekateri člani netočni s plačevanjem svojih asesmentov, kar povzroča tajniku mnogo nepotrebnega dela. Asesmenti morajo biti plačani najkasneje prvega dne v mesecu za prejšnji mesec, toda nekateri člani tega ne storijo. Iz društvene blagajne ni dovoljeno zakladati za asesmente, tajnik sam pa tudi ne more. Torej, če bo kateri suspendiran zaradi neplačanih asesmentov, naj ne zvrča krivde na tajnika. V preteklosti sem založil za marsikatero člana, ker sem upal, da bo pozneje poravnal, toda marsikateri se pozneje ni nič zmenil za to in jaz sem na ta način izgubil znatne vsote denarja. Saj ne rečem, da bi ne založil za člana, ki je morda en mesec "prekratek," toda nekateri člani to izrabljajo in stalno zaostajajo za asesmenti za en mesec ali dva. Tako sem skoraj vsak mesec primoran založiti do \$200 mojega lastnega denarja, da založim za tiste, ki bi v največ slučajih lahko plačali, pa se komodno zanašajo, da bom že jaz založil zanje. Delavske razmere so se toliko izboljšale, da po mojem mnenju zamore tekoče asesmente skoro

vsak plačevati, če se le hoče poristati. Tajnik torej prosi vse tiste, katerih se tiče, naj bodo v bodoče bolj točni, ker tudi tajnik mora plačevati svoje račune.

Končno: vsi na sejo v nedeljo 10. decembra! Vršila se bo v Jugoslovanskem narodnem domu in se bo pričela ob pol desetih (9.30) dopoldne. Za po seji bomo imeli nekaj okrepčil. — Za društvo št. 1 JSKJ: Frank Tomsich, Jr., tajnik.

Trinidad, Colo. — Člane društva Sv. Andreja, št. 84 JSKJ, ponovno opozarjam, da naj bi bili bolj točni s plačevanjem svojih asesmentov. Posebno važno je, da plačajo tekoče asesmente in vse, kar dolgujejo za nazaj, zdaj proti koncu leta. Nihče ne vidi rad, če se njegovo ime na letni seji čita med tistimi, ki dolgujejo društvu. Za društvene uradnike pa je tudi najlepše, če morejo predložiti knjige, ki ne izkazujejo nikakih dolgov od strani članov. Danes naši člani nimajo izgovorov, da ne morejo plačati. Ko se snide-mo v salunu, smo vsi bogati in se tako hitimo plačevati kot bi se bali, da kaj zamudimo. Ako bi bili tako hitri in točni s plačevanjem naših asesmentov pri društvu, kar je za našo protekcijo, kakor smo navdušeni s plačevanjem pri bari, bi ne bilo treba teh in takih opominov v Novi Dobi.

Prihodnja seja našega društva se bo vršila v nedeljo 10. decembra v navadnih prostorih in se bo pričela ob 9. uri dopoldne. Na tej seji bomo volili društveni odbor za prihodnje leto in za rešiti bomo imeli še več drugih važnih zadev. Vsled tega je želeli, da se te seje udeležijo vsi člani in članice. Za po seji bo pripravljenih nekaj okrepčil za odrasle in mladinske člane. Torej, na svidenje v nedeljo 10. decembra! — Za društvo št. 84 JSKJ: Jakob Prunk, tajnik.

Central City, Pa. — Društvo Veseli Slovenci, št. 198 JSKJ, priredi plesno veselico in vinski trgatav v soboto 25. novembra. Veselica se bo pričela ob pol osmih (7:30) zvečer. Vstopnina bo 25 centov za osebo. Člani našega društva morajo plačati to vstopnino, če se veselice udeležijo ali ne. Godbo za ples bo preskrbel orkester Jos. Koračiča iz Yukona, Pa. Tisti, ki poznajo to godbo, vedo, da plesalci ne bodo imeli vzroka za pritožbo. Na našo prireditev vabimo članstvo sosednih bratskih društev; ob sličnih prilikah jim bomo skušali poset povrniti. Sploh so na našo veselico vabljeni vsi člani in članice JSKJ, ter vsi ostali rojaki in rojakinje od blizu in daleč. Vabimo tudi našega urednika in našega prvega glavnega nadzornika iz Clevelanda. Na svidenje v soboto 25. novembra! — Za društvo Veseli Slovenci, št. 198 JSKJ: Vincent Maljevac, tajnik.

San Francisco, Cal. — Na večer 20. oktobra se je tu smrtno ponesrečila rojakinja Margareta Peshel, članica društva Golden Gate, št. 141 JSKJ. Pokojnica se je vračala iz cerkve proti domu preko tračnic Southern Pacific železnice. Pri premikanju tovornih vagonov je bila ženska povožena. Našli so jo šele drugo jutro mrtvo pod nekim tovornim vagonom. Odrezani sta ji bili obe nogi in ena roka.

Pokojna Margareta Peshel je bila vdova; njen soprog je umrl že pred desetimi leti. Zapušča samo eno hčer, omoženo lvee. Rojena je bila 12. decembra 1863 v Jelenji vasi, občina Stari trg v Beli Krajini. Pokopana je bila po cerkvenih obredih na pokopališču Holy Cross dne 23. oktobra.

Naj bo pokojnici ohranjen blag spomin, žalujočim ostalim pa naj bo v imenu društva izraženo iskreno sožalje. — Za društvo Golden Gate, št. 141 JSKJ: Louis Lesar, tajnik.

Pipetown, Pa. — V soboto 25. novembra se bo vršila plesna veselica v korist Društvenega doma v Pipetownu, katero prirede skupno tri tukajšnja društva. Člani prizadetih društev so vlijudno vabljeni, da se prireditve udeležijo. Ob enem so vabljeni na poset naše veselice člani in članice drugih društev, ter vsi posamezni rojaki in rojakinje od blizu in daleč. Za pomoč in naklonjenost se bomo ob priliki skušali izkazati hvaležne. Na veselici bo igral dober orkester. Začetek ob 8. uri zvečer! Na svidenje! — Za društvo št. 13 JSKJ: Joseph Dablock, tajnik.

Export, Pa. — Kakor vsako leto, je tudi letos naše društvo "Studene pod skalo," št. 138 JSKJ, sklenilo, da priredi božičnico za svoje mlade člane. Naše društvo se je v tekočem letu precej pomnožilo, posebno v mladinskem oddelku, zato bomo skušali prirediti tako zabavo, da bo ugajala mladini in starejšim. Člani mladinskega oddelka naj se prepričajo, da se mi starejši zanimamo zanje, nam starejšim pa tudi ne bo škodovalo malo zabave. Ime godca, ki nam bo igral, bo pozneje objavljeno. Različnih okrepčil ne bo manjkalo. Miklavž se bo pa potrudil, da zadovolji otroke. Vstopnina k prireditvi bo 15 centov za osebo; člani mladinskega oddelka bodo vstopnine prosti.

Ta naša božičnica se bo vršila v Poljski dvorani v Exportu v soboto 23. decembra. Vsi rojaki in rojakinje v tem okrožju so prijazno vabljeni na poset iste. Naj si že zdaj zabeležijo datum 23. decembra! Na svidenje! — Za društvo št. 138 JSKJ: Anton Kovačič, predsednik.

ODMEV! IZ RODNIH KRAJEV
(Nadaljevanje s 1. strani)

širil po vsej deželi. Po osvoboditvi se je posvetila dobrotelnemu in kulturnemu delu.

VROČE MAŠČEVANJE

V vasi Šalji v banjaluškem okrožju se je Camila Buljubasiceva skregala s svojim možem Ademom. Mož se je bil nasrkal žganja in je po prepiru kmalu zaspal. Žena, ki je kuhala marmelado, je porabila to priliko in je izlila velik lonec vrele marmelade možu na glavo. Adema so smrtno opečenega odpeljali v bolnišnico, hudo ženo pa so odpremili v zapor.

KONEC BOGATAŠA

Blizu Novega Grada v Slavoniji so našli mrtvega nekdanjega slavonskega milijonarja Josipa Tomasinija, ki je že pred dolgimi leti izgubil vse svoje veliko premoženje ter se je potikal od vasi do vasi kot berač. Pred kakimi 40 leti je Tomasini prispel iz severne Italije v Slavonijo, kjer si je v nekaj letih pridobil veliko premoženje. Z razkošnim življenjem je polagoma izgubil vse, nakar se je preživljal kot sezonski delavec v krajih, kjer je nekoč veljal za največjega bogataša, pozneje pa je beračil. Okrog 80 let starega reveža je končno zadela kap.

PRAZNOVERJE

V vasi Stanetincu v Medmurgju je prišlo zaradi praznovanja skoraj do linčanja neke stare beračice. Nekemu kmetu je zbolela krava in baš takrat se je v vasi pojavila neka stara, tuja beračica. Kmet in njegovi praznovni sosedje so se takoj nanjo spomnili, češ da je ona "zaccoprata" kravo. Po vsem okolišju so iskali starko in ko so jo naposled našli, so ji zapretili, da jo ubijejo, če takoj ne ozdravi krave. Starko so prignali v hlev, jo z batinami "podžigali" k uspešnem ozdravljenju krave. Šele neki razsodnejši možje so jo rešili smrti.

SEDANJI ODBOR DRUŠTVA SV. PETRA, ŠT. 50 JSKJ V BROOKLYNU, N. Y., KI BO DNE 26. NOVEMBRA 1939 OBHAJALO 35-LETNICO USTANOVITVE



Sprednja vrsta od leve proti desni: Jakob Slabič, podpredsednik; Joseph Skrabec, predsednik in maršal; Valentine Orehek, tajnik in četrti glavni poročnik JSKJ.
Druga vrsta od leve na desno: Ignac Nakrst, zastavonoša društvene zastave; Carl Grabar, nadzornik; Frances S. Orček, sekretarica; John Wessel, nadzornik in zastavonoša ameriške zastave; G. F. Tassotti, blagajnik.

RADIOVOJ REHAR:

SEMISIRIS

ROMAN

"Nihče ni nikoli tako star, da mu življenje ne bi moglo, ničesar več nuditi. Tudi na koncu moje poti stoji še cilj, velik, silen cilj: maščevanje, uničenje Semisov."

"Zakaj jih tako strašno sovražiš? Kaj so ti storili?"

"Vse, kar more kdo komu storiti slabega. Toda zastoj ti govorim. Izvedeti moraš prej zgodbo mojega življenja. Čuj!"

Po vrsti, kakor onega dne v votlini Osenčja Asarhadanu, je pričela Arikidnina pripovedovati Nefteti svoje življenje. Favoritka jo je poslušala, kakor poslušal otrok pripovedovalko čudežnih pravljič. Njena duša je preživljala vsa razočaranja in trpljenja. Jokala se je z njo in trpela. Ko je Arikidnina končala, se je je Nefteta krčevito oklenila.

"Praprababica, ubožica!" je vzkliknila. "Kako si mogla pretpeti vse to? Kje si zbrala toliko moči?"

"Sama ne vem. Morda je izvirala vsa moja nadčloveška moč iz same gole želje po maščevanju."

"Sedaj te razumem, edina moja, ki mi jo je življenje še ohranilo!"

"Semisi so uničili vse, kar je zraslo iz moje krvi. Poslednja si ti, hčerka moja najdražja! In tudi tebi so namenili le videz sreče, rahli, bežni videz, da te po njem udarijo tem huje. Preden si prvič prišla k meni v podzemlje, sem kovala načrte, kako bi ti utrla lepšo pot, kako bi dosegla, da bi Semisiris vsaj na tebi popravil, kar je zagrešil na meni; in še tedaj, ko si mi sredi gluhe noči tožila o boli svojega srca, sem upala. Zato sem ustregla tvoji želji in odstranila azteško princeso. Pozneje sem pa vsako uro bolj spoznavala, da je moje početje nesmiselno. Za nas v Semisirisu ni sreče. Prekleti smo. Tudi Asarhadan je bil preklet že tisti hip, ko je prvič stopil na ta tla. Semisi so ga zajeli v svoj začarani krog, omamili ga z ljubeznijo in sedaj je izgubljen. Toda ne samo on, ne samo ti in ne samo jaz — izgubljeni so tudi oni."

"Kaj misliš s temi besedami?"

"Dejala sem ti že, da sama ne vem točno. Vse je samo slutnja, a slutnje me niso nikoli varale. Zgodilo se bo nekaj; nekaj velikega, strašnega..."

"Bojim se," je vzkliknila Nefteta in se še tesneje oklenila starke.

"A jaz se veselim."

"Strašna si. Groza me je."

Favoritka je razklenila roke in se strahoma odmaknila od starke.

"Moje življenje je samo še uničevanje. Kakor smrt sem, ki preži na vse, da vse uniči. Zato mi ječa ne more zaustaviti poti. Zmagovito gre dalje moje sovraštvo, bliža se izpolnitvi maščevanja. Ne bom ga priklicala z besedami in ne z dejanji, samo želja bo zadostovala, ker vedi, hčerka moja, da so v življenju neke nedoumljive zakonitosti, ki sodijo in kaznujejo vsak zločin tudi brez človeške roke."

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Savadagak je spravil princeso in Isto v votlino, v katero je znosil preproge in blazine ter postavil k vhodu dva stražarja. Nato se je napotil k Buramaku in Upi, ki se ni hotela ganiti od njega. Tekoč so se naglo vračale življenjske moči. Mrzlca je popolnoma izginila in rana se je pričela počasi celiti. Vendar je moral še vedno nepremično ležati na svojem ležišču.

"Kako je?" je vprašal tekač pribočnika, ko je sedel na tla poleg njegovega ležišča.

"Vse je v najlepšem redu," je odgovoril Savadagak. "Upam, da smo na varnem in nas nihče ne bo izsledil. Če pa nas, nas obvesti o vsakem približanju štraža, ki sem jo postavil na robu goščave nad bregom."

"Srečo imamo."

"Dosljej."

"Če je začetek dober, je navadno tudi konec."

"Naj te usliši veliki Inti!"

"Nad nami bedi moč čarovnice."

"Njej se moramo zahvaliti za vse."

"Najprej tudi za mojo rešitev."

"Brez njenih zdravil bi bil že med sencami prednikov."

"Hvala ji, hvala tebi in Upi."

"Zakaj tudi meni?" je vzkliknila deklica.

"Storila si več kakor bi katerakoli druga ženska. Še mati me ne bi mogla tako negovati. Izprijala si, da je velika tvoja ljubezen do mene."

"Storila sem le svojo dolžnost."

"Zato skrbi sedaj zase. Pojdi k princesi in sestri in se odpočij! Lahko ostanem še sam; ne boj se zame."

Dokler ne boš spet kakor si bil, se ne ganem od tebe."

"Potem vsaj leži in se naspi!"

"Zares," je dejal Savadagak. "Leži k počitku, potrebna si ga!"

"Boš ti pri njem?"

"Bom."

Upa se je sklonila k Buramaku, pobožala ga po lasih in poljubila, nato pa legla v kotu na blazini in od dolgega bedenja popolnoma izčrpana kmalu trdno zaspala.

Savadagak je sedel poleg ranjenca in premišljeval. Njegove misli so bile težke, kajti tudi on je bil izmučen od naporov nočnega potovanja.

"Leži še ti," je dejal Buramak, ki je opazil tovariševo utrujenost. "Če bom česa potreboval, te pokličem."

Pribočnik ni ugovarjal. Legel je in zadremal. Tako je bilo na galeji ubežnikov vse tiho in mirno, samo umazana in močno narasla voda je šumela čez slap, listje palm in listovcev nad strugo pa je šumelo v dežju, ki ves dan ni ponehal. Na krovu je, zavrt v oede, sedel en sam vojščak in stražil. Malo pred polnočnim je zamenjal tovariš, ki se je bil že odpočil v podkrovju, kakor se je izmenjala tudi straža na robu goščave.

Le Evalasta in Ista nista spali. Sedeli sta v varni votlini ob svitu plamenice in se pogovarjali kakor da bi bili tovarišici in ne bi bilo med njima nobenega razločka.

(Dalje prihodnjik)

Frans Milčinski:

Revmatizem

Najprej je imel revmatizem prijatelj Tomo in ga je negoval, odkar pomnim. Nikdar mu ni bilo dovolj zakurjeno, vedno je tarnal: "Marko, ako poznaš Boga, kuri peč!" Marko je naš uradni sluga. Kar nas je bilo drugih na seji, smo vsi pojemale od puhtečih vročine — on pa se je opravičeval: "Gospoda, vi ne veste, kaj je revmatizem!" Nismo mogli, da vzdržimo, in smo se žurili, da končamo sejo in pridemo na sveži zrak. Če se je pa stvar krotovičila in se seja nikakor ni dala pogmati k zaželenemu koncu in se je bližala opoldanske ura, tedaj je prijatelj Toma rado prijel, bolelost mu je šinila preko lica in vsem se je smilil. Nas je moral zapustiti sredi seje. Revmatizem je vražja reč! Pa smo po njegovem odhodu na stečaj odprli okna in pridno sejali še dve, tri ure.

Potem se je zgodilo, da sem nenadoma jaz začutil nogo. Boleti me je pričela v stopalu, nekako pod palcem, in me je bolela včasih bolj, včasih manj. Zlasti sem opazil, da mi hvoja ne do dobro. Švepal sem, ko sem prihajal s sprehoda, komaj da sem prilezel preko stopnic in žena je rekla: "Kaj je to?"

"Mislim, da je revmatizem," sem dejal. "Prijatelj Tomo ga ima že od davnaj. Njemu pomagajo vroče kopeli; pravi, da tako vroče, da jih noga baš še strpi."

Žena je ukazala in so mi pripravili za nogo kopel. Sodim, da je bila dovolj vroča, kajti izpuštili so se mi mehurji, koder je koža prišla v stik z vodo. Drugače pa mi je storila dobro, šel sem v posteljo in mi je žena nogo zavila v gorko.

Tomo pije veliko črnega vina, pa ne vem, ali zaradi revmatizma ali kar tako. Poiskal sem ga v dalmatinski kleti, da čujem njegovo mnenje.

Zdelo se mi je hladno v kleti in vlažno in sem izrazil svoje pomisleke in mu razložil svoje stanje.

Vprašal me je, kateri mesec pišemo; rekel sem, da april, pa je dejal, ali mislim, da bodo meni in bi lahko nastale zmede v uradu, če bi nenadoma njegov revmatizem prenehal. Zato, je dejal, je bolje, da ostane, kakor je.

Storil sem tako. Vino mi sicer ne diši in ga nisem vajen. Ali človek ne sme biti mehkužen, zdravil se ne kaže braniti, tudi če so grenka. Pa sva bila in vmes mi je prijatelj Tomo razkladal in se mu je junaški glas razlegel po kleti. "Boš že še izkusil, po čem je spak. Mene poglej! Dvajset let že pasem svoj revmatizem, dvajset let, vse sem že poizkusil, da se ga iznebidim. Preganjal sem ga z lepo in z grdo, z mokroto in s suhoto, od zunaj in od znotraj. Glorija božja! Sem ga pregnal iz stopala, preselil se mi je v koleno; pregnal sem ga iz kolena, se mi je preselel, kaj vem kam. Boš že sam doživel in čutil in užival, kako se ti bo lepo šetal po tvojega rojstva kosteh. Bog te požvižgal!" Trčila sva in izpila in je zopet nalil in me pozval, naj bom mož.

Naročil sem še eno mero, pa se je prijatelj Tomo razvnel in je razodel meni in vsej prostorni kleti, kakšen je on mučenik, kadar se mu revmatizem naseli v desno roko. Glorija božja! Rad bi pisal v pisarni, toliko je dela, nak, pa ne more! Najrajši ga zgrabi tačas, kadar je največ dela. Pa ga drži in ga ne izpusti in lahko traja ta reč šest tednov ali še dalj!

Zamižal je, lice mu je izražalo globoko bolelost, naslonil je glavo v roko in mi pustil časa, da premislim silo njegove tuge. Potem je zopet dal duška pobožni želji, da bi me požvižgal Bog, in je izpil in nalil.

Ne vem, do katere ure sva sedela skupaj v poučnem razgovoru.

Drugo jutro me je bolela glava, v želodcu mi je godlo, kakor

da je konservatorij notri, hudo mi je bilo in sem stokal.

Žena me je vprašala, ob korej sem prišel domov.

Odgovoril sem, da se mi zdi, da se mi je revmatizem iz stopal preselil v glavo.

Rekla je, da dehti moj revmatizem po vinu.

Te besede so me dirnile jako neprijetno.

Vstal sem in se napravil, da grem po svojih poslih. Komaj sem dobro stopil, že so se mi pojavile stare bolečine v stopalu. To mi je bilo v veliko zadoščanje. Mislim, stopalo ni še nikomur bolelo od vina. Iz tega je posneti, kako ničen je bil žaljivi sum moje žene.

Molče sem šel, molče sem prišel, molče prenašal svojo bol, zraven jemal kopeli in se lečil s črnim dalmatincem.

Peti dan je rekla žena: "Moj dragi, pa bi vendar stopil k zdravniku, da te pregleda in svetuje." Pričenjal sem se ji smiljati, saj je vendarle plemenita duša.

"Ne," sem dejal, "k zdravniku ne grem. Zdravniki ne znajo drugega, nego da režejo. Revmatizem ni, kar bi se dalo rezati."

Žena je zmajala z glavo, skoro so se ji orosile oči. "Pokaži mi nogo, kje te boli!" in si je ogledala stopalo. Zopet je zmajala glavo in je šla in vzela moj črvelj in segla vanj.

"Nak!" je vzkliknila. "Res si revež in še sam ne veš, kolikšen. Mu moli iz podplata žrebčel, pol palca je dolg in ga bode v meso, pa misli, da ima revmatizem! O, o, o!"

Res je bilo tako. Potolkli so žrebčel in ga spili in je bilo vse dobro.

Sploh štejem za jako koristno, ako je ženstvo kos prvi pomoči v najobčutljivejših boleznih.

Opozoril sem prijatelja Toma, naj bi še njemu gospa z večjo roko pretipala črvelj in tako zatrla vir bolezni.

Pogledal me je po strani, menda mu ni bilo prav, da je zdaj konec mojemu lečenju v kleti, in je izjavil, da so on pa tudi vsi predstojniki njegovi tovariši že preveč vajeni njegovega revmatizma; pogrešali bi ga in bi lahko nastale zmede v uradu, če bi nenadoma njegov revmatizem prenehal. Zato, je dejal, je bolje, da ostane, kakor je.

ODMEVI IZ RODNIH KRAJEV

ZLOBEN VAMPIR

V Novih Banovcih blizu Stare Pazove je nekaj dni divjal bajeslovni vampir, ki se je s posebno strastjo in vmeno znašal nad hišo, v kateri je stanoval s svojo družino protestantovski župnik Renc. "Vampir" je sicer metal tudi na druge hiše kameenje in pesek, največ tega pa je čez dan in ponoči padlo na hišo, v kateri je prebival pastor. Že po prvih napadih so popokale vse šipe in med kamenjem so se vsipali na hišo in na dvorišče razni odpadki hrane, vmes pa tudi jajca. Ko so pozneje pregledali, kar je namerjal "vampir," so našli na jajčnih lupinah napise, ki so vsebovali vsakovrstne psovke na ime duhovnika in njegove žene. Vsa vas je bila v velikem razburjenju, orožniki pa so z veliko vmeno raziskovali ves okoliš, da bi vampirja razkrinkali. Pred nekaj dnevi se je pastor Renc podal na službeno potovanje in v njegovi odsotnosti je "vampir" še z večjo silo deloval. Bil je v tej svoji strastni vmeni tako zavzet, da se je naposled sam razkrinkal in so orožniki v njem spoznali pastora ženo. Na verandni svojega bivališča je imela celo zalogo kamenja, krompirja, repe, raznih odpadkov in jajc, s katerimi je obmetavala hišo in okoliš. Ko so jo zalotili, je izpovedala, da se je poslužila vampirske bajke in igre zaradi tega, da bi svojega moža pripravila, da bi vložil

prošnjo za premestitev. V Novih Banovcih pastorjeva žena ni hotela več živeti in da bi se te nepriljubljene vasi rešila, se je "povampirila." Ker je v svoji nenavadni akciji za premestitev povzročila poleg velikega razburjenja tudi precej škode, so jo zaprli.

HUDE ČEBELE

Nenavaden dogodek se je primeril pri vasi Krstatici v Dalmaciji. Stefan Prodan, ki je sleherni dan prevažal pošto iz Zagvozda v Slivno, je bil nedavno napaden od velikega roja čebel. Toliko jih je bilo, da so se kar zgostile okrog celotne vprege. Prodan se je brž pokrtil z odejo čez glavo in se tako odel belbelnih pikov po glavi, vendar so ga čebele močno opikale po rokah in nogah. Prodan se je komaj rešil z begom v vas. Oba njegova konja pa sta bila tako opikana od razburjenih čebel, da sta takoj poginila. Čebele so bile prepepljene iz drugih krajev na pašo in so podivjale.

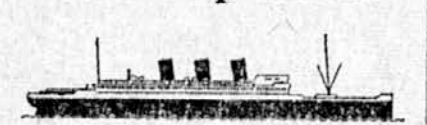
POSTEN SELJAK

Veliko poštenost med bosanskimi seljaki lepo označuje naslednji dogodek. Kmet Pero Militić je na sejmu v Bosanskem Šamcu našel denarnico, v kateri je bilo 14 din in živinski potni list. Ker Pero ni pismen, je nesel najdeno denarnico domov v Tišino ter tam svojega soseda naprosil, da mu je iz živinskega potnega lista ugotovil lastnika. Izkazalo se je, da je denarnico izgubil kmet Ivo Ročić iz Slatine blizu Gradačca, ki je oddaljena od Tišine nad 20 km. Poštenjak Pero se je takoj napotil v Slatino, poiskal tam kmeta Ročića ter mu izročil najdeno denarnico. Poštenega najditelja je Ročić lepo pogostil.

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Vsa muslimanska društva v Banjaluki so soglasno sklenila uvesti energičen pokret proti hazardnim igram. Svoj sklep bodo začela izvajati med enomesečnim ramazanskim postom, med katerim si muslimani po stari navadi najrajši kratijo čas z raznimi igrami. Med ramazanskim postom prireajo tudi vsakovrstne tombole, letos pa bodo vse take prireditve opustili in odborniki vseh muslimanskih društev bodo v svojih področjih ljudi odvajali od igranja raznih hazardnih iger med katerimi se je najbolj udomačila igra, ki ima lepo ime "božji blagoslov," a je hazardna igra najnevarnejše vrste. Za vodstvo pokreta proti hazardnim igram je bil izvoljen posebni odbor, ki se je že obrnil na oblastva s prošnjo, naj zavrnejo vsako vlogo za prireditev kake tombole. Med ramazanskim postom ne bo v Banjaluki nobene tombole, voditelji pokre-

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