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S. K. Jednoti je lepo število,
toda 25,000 bi se slišalo še
lepše!

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Dne 30. maja bo velik praznik za društvo št. 57 JSJK v Exportu, Pa., in št. 99 JSJK v Runu, Pa. Prvo bo obhajalo 25-letnico, drugo pa 20-letnico svojega obstanka.

Slovenski Dom v Pittsburghu, Pa., bo na večer 29. maja pravil dvajsetletnico svojega obstanka. Pri tozadnji veselici bodo sodelovala vsa tamkajšna slovenska podpora in kulturna društva.

Slovensko pevsko in izobraževalno društvo "Bled" v Conegahu, Pa., priredi v nedeljo junija koncert in piknik na farmi v Morrellville, koncerta bo ob dveh poldne. Poleg izbornega pevskega društva "Bled" nastopita tudi en hrvatski in en srbski zbor.

Slovenska narodna noša je omenjana z favorito zmage veliki mednarodni tekmi, ki je vršila na večer 21. maja Public Auditorij v Clevelandu. V kostumnem plesu, katerega je aranžirala Progresivna liga v interesu mednarodnih plesov, je nastopilo 12 narodnostnih skupin v narodnih nošah. Pobedile so bile tri nagrade za najlepše ženske kostume in za moške. Prvo nagrado za ženskimi tekmovalkami je dosegla Miss Danica Oblak, obeta v lepo slovensko narodno ponosno avbo. Ko so njeni postavili zmagovalec na, je bila Slovenka med njimi res kot prava majska kraljica. Sicer pa: kaj se more vrbko slovensko deklarirati lepi slovenski narodni noš? Edino lepa slovenska pe-

mestnem gledališču v Calumet, Mich., se bo na večer 2. junija zopet glasila lepa slovenska pesem. Nastopil bo naši pevec g. Svetozar Barškar g. Božidar Jakac je te odpotoval iz Clevelandu v glavno mesto Washington, kjer se bo morda tam nekaj.

Uredništvo Nove Dobe se pretečeni teden oglasil sobrat Zakelj iz Red Lodge, potrjuje na obisk v svoji kraj Zire and Skofjo Loka. Delavske razmere v prevarških naselbinah Montane po njegovem pripovedovanju so prej slabe kot dobre.

Pravila Mladinskega oddelka S. K. Jednote, ki so stopila v dne 1. februarjem 1930, so posredovana v današnji izdaji Dobe, in sicer v sloven-hrvatskem in angleškem jeziku. Priporočljivo je, da ta pravila prečitajo in dajajo po steklo lista shranijo. Tudi pa želi pravila Mladinskega oddelka v brošuri, dobi jo pri predstavniku svojega društva.

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Premiunila je v Clevelandu Frances Prah, članica društva (Dalje na 2. strani).

KRATEK TEDENSKI PREGLED

IMENA AMERIŠKIH ULIC

Povest "Main Street" nadarjenega ameriškega romanopisca Sinclair Lewis-a, opisuje kulturni značaj malega ameriškega mesta in "Main Street" je postal tipičen za označbo ameriškega malomestništva. Povsed v Ameriki, v mestih in vasih, najdemo "glavno ulico" (Main Street), ki je navadno ne le središče trgovine in poslov, marveč tudi središče socialnega življenja. "Main Street" začenja navadno pri železniški postaji in nadaljuje skozi mesto ali vas. Tam je najti tipično ameriško prodajalnično tobako, ki je le podružnica velike tobačne družbe (chain cigar store), tam je "five and ten" prodajalna, podružna restavracija (zoper "chain") in vse druge današnje standardizirane pričazni ameriškega življenja. Tam seveda bo bržkone tudi Public Library, Post Office in sedež lokalnih organizacij, zlasti Trgovske zbornice, (Chamber of Commerce.)

Tako je Main St. tipična ameriška ulica, pa vendarle ni res, da ima po številu prvenstvo izmed vseh ameriških ulic. Kadar je razvidno iz seznama uličnih imen v glavnih mestih Združenih držav, izdanega od poštne uprave, ima Washington St., odločno prvenstvo. Sedmorica najbolj popularnih uličnih imen v Združenih državah so po redu: Washington, katero ime je najti 1025-krat, Park (881), Maple (868), Main (836), Oak (760), Walnut (743) in Lincoln (734). Imena, ki se največ rabijo v imenovanju ameriških ulic, so ona nekdajnih predsednikov. — Washington in Lincoln smo omenili že zgoraj. Ime Jeffersona, ki je spisal Izjavno neodvisnost in je bil tretji predsednik, nosi 588 ulic, navedenih v seznamu. Za Jeffersonom je najbolj popularen Jackson, 7. predsednik, in 546 ulic se imenuje po njem. Madison, četrtni predsednik, ima 532 ulic imenovanih po njem, in Harrison, 23. predsednik, 465 ulic.

Franklin, tiskar, državnik in iznajitelj, je dal svoje ime 673 ulicam, in general Grant, vojskovedja Civilne vojne, ima 467 ulic na svoji račun. Imena bitk niso nič kaj popularna kot ulična imena. Buena Vista, kjer se general Taylor porazil Mehikance leta 1847, je proslavljenje v 51 ulicah, in Saratoga, county v državi New York, kjer se je vršilo dvoje bitk za časa ameriške revolucije, je dala ime le 35 ulicam.

Imena pesnikov in pisateljev ne le v Združenih državah, temveč tudi iz drugih dežel, so prijeljubna za imenovanje ulic. Ime, ki se največ ponavlja, je ono Scotta, velikega škotskega romanopisca, ime, ki ga najdemo v dvesto uličnih naslovin v Združenih državah. Najbolj popularno za njim je ime Irving.

Irving je bil prvi ameriški pisatelj, po katerem se imenuje 175 ulic. Izmed glasbenikov se zdi, da je Wagner najbolj popularen; 31 ulic nosi njegovo ime.

Imena dreves in sadja se pojavljajo kaj pogosto v naslovinah ameriških ulic. Javor (maple) je dal svoje ime 734 ulicam, hrast (oak) 760 ulicam, oreh (walnut) 743, smreka (pine) 708 in kostanj (chestnut) 639 ulicam. Na črešnje (cherry) nas spominja 448 ulic, na oljke (olive) 220, na oranže (orange) 203 in na slive (plum) 148 ulic. Mnogo ameriških ulic nosi ime inozemskih dežel. Tako imamo

REŠENA UGANKA

Sfinga je izraz, ki ga rabimo za nekaj, kar nam je sicer vidno, toda neumljivo. Človeka, ki ga poznamo, a ga klub temu ne razumemo, imenujemo sfingo. Od moške strani se posebno z ozirom na ženske pogost rabi ta označba — opravičeno ali ne, to je seveda drugo vprašanje.

Vsekakor je sfinga (sphinx) označba za nekaj vidnega in poznega, toda neumljivega, že več tisočletij. V kraju imenovanem Gizeh v Egiptu, na robu Libijske puščave, gledajoča proti vzhodu, se nahaja originalna sfinga. To je velikanski kameniti kip, ki predstavlja prežega leva s človeško glavo. Glava in vrat tega čudovitega spomenika davno preteklosti sta v srovnaju opija na leto, izdelki, ki se iz istega pridobe, bi zadostovala za vse zdravniške potrebe te dežele. Toda lani se je vtihotapilo približno 200 ton tega strupa. Po mnenju dr. Sirovicha, je podvrženo strasti rabljenja narkotičnih sredstev približno dva milijona oseb v Združenih državah.

Vzroki za rabo omamnih ali narkotičnih sredstev so v glavnem: bolečine, nespečnost, razna vnetja in neprilike v prebavilih, v premogih slučajih pa tudi strahopetnost in pomankanje iniciative. Velik odstotek članov te zadnje skupine se je do leta 1920 posluževal alkohola za korajoč in razvedriло. Po nastopu prohibicije, posebno v prvih letih, ko je bilo dobro opojno pijačo navadno zelo težko dobiti, so se ti ljudje podali narkotičnim stripom, ki so neprimerno bolj smrtonosni kot alkohol.

Narkotična strupa kokain in heroin se nosijata kot to baki, morfin se vbrizga v kri, opij pa se zavživa ali puši. Človek, ki vzame heroin, se na primer za pol ure ali za eno uro čuti močnega, veselega in korajžnega. Da-l si se je odzvala ali ne, tega seveda ne vemo. Večkrat je bil ta nemavadi spomenik davno preteklosti skoro zasut s puščavskim peskom. Stari egipčani so imenovali ta kip "Hou", kar pomeni boga, ki daje svoje zapovedi z grmečim glasom. Sfinga jim je predstavljala tudi Harmakhisa, boga za korajoč in razvedriło. Po nastopu prohibicije, posebno v prvih letih, ko je bilo dobro opojno pijačo navadno zelo težko dobiti, so se ti ljudje podali narkotičnim stripom, ki so neprimerno bolj smrtonosni kot alkohol.

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Nekatere ljudi hudo boli, če

se jih v javnosti ne omenja, ka-

da so omenjeni njih kolegi ali

vrstniki. Včasi nastane huda

zamaera in jeza vsled tega.

Če imajo amendmenti k zvezni

ustavi kakšna človeška čuvstva,

kako neki se počutijo ostali

amendmenti proti osemnajste-

mu!

Jaz bi dejal, da najbrž takoj,

kot tiste device, katerim je

zmanjkalno olja v lesčerbah in jih

o prilik kissing parties če le

mogoče vsak pozabi in prezre.

Cetvorica znancev se nas je

slučajno sesla v znani slovenski

restavraciji na St. Clair Ave.,

kjer smo, čakajoči na naročene

delikatese, reševali narod in te-

koče probleme. Na vrsto je pri-

šla tudi higijena in vprašanje,

če je res, da se zamorejo gotove

bolezni prenesti z osebe na ose-

bo s poljubovanjem.

Jaz sem neutralno skomizgnal

ramami, tovariš na desni je

vprašajoče razširil oči, bledi,

nasprotsi sedeči mladenič pa je

važno prikimal:

"Res je, res, še preveč res!"

Sinoč mi je zaupala moja rdeča

laska, da ima srčne neprilike.

Da bi jo potolažil, sem jo za slo-

vo poljubil, in sedaj imam po-

dobne neprilike jaz: srce mi še

danes divja in kalop!"

V clevelandskem mestnem av-

ditoriju je pretečeni teden raz-

azkovalo 12 narodnosti lepote

svojih narodnih kostumov. Do-

ločenih je bilo šest nagrad, in si-

(Dalje na 2. strani).

NEVARNA POSLEDICA PROHIBICIJE

V desetih letih, odkar imamo v Združenih državah prohibicijo, se je število žrtv narkotičnih stripov vzdignilo za 300 procentov. Tako trdi dr. William I. Sirovich, odliven zdravnik v New Yorku in član zvezne kongresa. Ena tona surovenega opija na leto, izdelki, ki se iz istega pridobe, bi zadostovala za vse zdravniške potrebe te dežele.

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Beda med rudarji v trboveljskih revirjih je prikelna do vrhuncu. Ako ne pride kmalu do povoljnega aranžmana med rudnikom in državno železnico, preti vsem krajem trboveljskega revirja prava socijalna in gospodarska katastrofa. Že v času, ko se je v revirjih še delalo normalno, preteči večinoma: bolečine, nespečnost, razna vnetja in neprilike v prebavilih, v premogih slučajih pa tudi strahopetnost in pomankanje iniciative. Velik odstotek članov te zadnje skupine se je do leta 1920 posluževal alkohola za korajoč in razvedriilo. Po nastopu prohibicije, posebno v prvih letih, ko je bilo dobro opojno pijačo navadno zelo težko dobiti, so se ti ljudje podali narkotičnim stripom, ki so neprimerno bolj smrtonosni

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Nenavadna aktivnost.

V državah vzhoda in srednjega zapada opaziti je bilo letošnjo pomlad nenavadno aktivnost v naravi. Običajnim hladnim dnem zgodne pomladi je nenadoma sledila prava poletna vročina. V prvi tretjini maja si je narava nadela obliko, kakršno si v teh krajih navadno ogre šele sredi junija. Zanimivo in zabavno je bilo opazovati, kako so planile v cvetje hiacinte, primule, vijolice in črešnje in kako hitro za petami so jim sledile šmarnice, tulipani, orlice, peoni, jablane, španski bezeg, glog in jazmin. Sadna in lepotična drevesa naših vrtov in parkov so ozelenela z veliko naglico. Nekoliko so se ustavljal konzervativni hrasti in aristokratične platane in katalpe; pa tudi to ni trajalo dolgo. Oglasili so se nebeški bobnarji, zagremele so baterije v oblakih, temu je sledila ploha topelga dežja, nakar so južni vetrovi pregnali oblake in rosno zemljo je začelo bombardirati solnce z vročimi poljubi. Temu se niso mogli ustavljati niti konservativni hrasti niti aristokratične platane in katalpe; pomlad je zmagala na celi črti!

Nenavadno gorko vreme je pospešilo pomladno rast za mesec dni ali več. Ako pojde po "začrtani poti" naprej, se obeta dobra in zgodna letina. Razvoj rastlin bo močnejši kot v navadnih letih, razni sedeži se bodo razvili do večje popolnosti, kar pomeni boljše pogoje za rast bodočnosti. Vse to je pripisati neobičajni pomladni gorkoti in dovolj vlažnosti. Gorkota, svetloba in vlažnost so glavni pogoji za razvoj rastlinstva.

Vreme letošnje pomladi je bodočno kampanji pri kakšni organizaciji, recimo pri J. S. K. Jednoti. Nekaj aktivnosti je vedno: toliko je novopristopnih članov na mesec, toliko je črtanih, toliko suspendiranih, toliko nazaj sprejetih, toliko umrlih. Vsaki mesec, vsako leto izkazuje organizacija nekoliko čistega prirastka in napredka; včasi več, včasi manj. Ta normalni napredek je seveda zaželjiv in dobrošel.

Toda, bratje in sestre, ali ne bi bilo lepo in priporočljivo, da se učimo od letošnje pomladi in storimo za napredek J. S. K. Jednote v enem mesecu toliko kot smo vajeni storti v dveh? Ali ne bi bilo dobro, da vsaki pri svojem društvu vprizorimo nekoliko lokalne kampanje? Ako more celo narava včasi nekoliko pospešiti svoj korak, zakaj bi ga mi ne mogli? Zakaj ne bi naši dobri organizaciji skušali dati s pomnoženo aktivnostjo boljših pogojev za nadaljnjo rast in razvoj? Prilike so tukaj, treba je le, da jim damo pomnoženo gorkoto naših srč, da jih zalijemo z ljubezni do J. S. K. Jednote.

Pri tem ne pozabimo, da bo ta naša aktivnost posredno koristila tudi nam kot posameznim članom Jednote, kajti čim močnejša in čim bolj pomljena bo naša organizacija, tem manjša bo nevarnost izrednih asesmentov. Poleg tega pomnimo, da so določene denarne nagrade za pridobivanje novih članov in ustanavljanje novih društev. In vrhu vsega tega je glavni odbor razpisal še posebne nagrade za društva, ki v tem letu pridobjijo gotovo število novih članov. To pomeni, da letošnje leto je kampanjsko leto, ki bi moralno biti leto posebne aktivnosti za J. S. K. Jednote. Vzemimo si za vzgled letošnjo pomlad!

NJENO OKO ME JE POLJUBILO

Njeno oko me je poljubilo
mimogrede:

nebo nad nama se je zjasnilo,
cvetje duhteče iz mraza prikliko,
rože lepe...

Ljubica moja več me ne mara,
včasi samo
še me s pogledom sladkim očara,
v srcu zbudi se vera-prevara
s staro močjo...

Strahoma, dete, duša mi čaka
tiste noči:
lahno in plaho kdo to koraka
z lučjo ugaslo k meni iz mraka?
"Dragi, prižgi!..."

Joj, kaj to niso usteča njena,
njene oči?
Usteča njena, prej vsa medena,
njene oči, prej polne plamena:
"Dragi, prižgi!..."

(Oton Župančič.)

IZ URADA GLAVNEGA TAJNIKA

Opomin tajnikom(icam) kraljevnih društev J. S. K. J.

Večkrat se pripeti, da se izgubi kaka prošnja za sprejem ali pa bolniška nakaznica. Društveni člani in tajniki čakajo nekaj časa, potem se pa prično pritoževati. Prideli smo, da nekatere tajniki še niso zavrgli vseh kuvert, ki so nosile naslov pokojnega drja. Graheka, bivšega vrhovnega zdravnika. Pripriti se včasih, da kak tajnik ali tajnica rabi zavitek (kuverto) z naslovom imenovanega pokojnika, in rezultat tega je, da sedanjem vrhovnemu zdravniku listin ne prejme. Glavnemu uradu sicer ni znano, kdo prejema pošto pokojnega drja. Graheka, znano pa nam je, da se vse izgubi, kar je slučajno poslanega na dotični naslov. Društvene tajnike(ice) opozarjam, da zavrejo vse zavitke (kuverte) z naslovom pokojnega dr. Graheka.

Ob enem prosim, da se položi na stran stara pravila mladinskega oddelka. Vsem društvo smo razposlali nova pravila tega oddelka, zato naj se pazi, da se ne bo dajalo roditeljem otrok starih pravil.

Na vsa društva tudi razpošljemo po par iztisov mimeografičnih dostavkov in popravkov k pravilom, kar naj društva hranno v svojih arhivih. Dodatkov k pravilom nismo dali tiskati, da se izognemo nepotrebni stroškom. Glavni urad pa je pripravljen v vsakem slučaju preskrbeti dodatke in popravke, kjer jih člani zahtevajo.

Dano v glavnem uradu, dne 19. maja 1930.

Joseph Pishler, glavni tajnik.

NEVARNE POSLEDICE PROHIBICE

(Nadaljevanje s prve strani)

nov dnevno, kar bi bilo dovolj, da usmrtili 500 normalnih oseb.

Narkotični strapi so zelo dragi. Ena unča morfin ali podobnega strupa stane okoli 150 dolarjev, torej več kot sedemkrat toliko kot unča zlata. Pošprečna žrte v narkotičnega strupa ga porabia za pet do sedem dolarjev dnevno, bolj "utrjenje" žrte pa seveda mnogo več.

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NEW ERA SUPPLEMENT

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Current Thought.

CO-OPERATION BETWEEN MEMBERS

The first bowling tournament held under the auspices of the South Slavonic Catholic Union took place last Sunday, May 25, in Chicago, Ill., and inaugurated a movement for greater inter-lodge contests of the S. S. C. U.

A step was made in the right direction to further promote athletic activities, which will ultimately make our Union the leader among the fraternal organizations of this country. The splendid co-operation of the members from the older lodges with that of the younger lodges is enough proof that harmony, so essential to any activity, is not lacking. And with such splendid harmony, the younger lodges are going to surprise the organizers themselves with the progress and advancement attained by their group. To know that someone is backing up the movements of the younger members makes them feel more confident and gives them more courage to accomplish greater things.

Our S. S. C. U. can pride itself on the fact that the Supreme Executive Board consists of members that really understand the American spirit of doing things. And it is surprising to note the attitude that most of our older members assume in the promotion of athletic activities. One could reasonably expect opposition from them in the many athletic ideas advanced, but rather they assume, what could be termed as an agreeable surprise, an attitude that is admiring indeed. They even have gone so far as to inculcate a spirit of sports among the younger members, realizing that youth will be attracted to their organization if they will but do something for them.

English-Conducted Lodges Appreciate S. S. C. U.'s Effort

And the younger members of the S. S. C. U. do appreciate the efforts of the older members to make our Union an ideal one—one that we can point with pride and pleasure—one that we can push out our chests when saying: "I am a member of the S. C. U., and proud of it."

And in securing candidates for membership to our Union we can also point out the many advantages offered by the S. C. U. Athletic contests are a great source of admiration of all the younger element of today, and youth will flock to an organization that can interest them in sports. But our Union does not only induce sport activities, but also provides financial assistance to the lodges. Which goes to prove that the S. S. C. U. accomplishes things and not merely does a lot of talking. Action is certainly present and plenty of it will be seen in the future.

Come on, English-conducted lodges, let us set our goal high and work hard to attain it.

Movie Hero

Also a Good Bowler

In Cleveland, O., the George Washington Lodge, No. 180, S. C. U., can pride itself on the fact that one of its members was a movie hero. He is none other than Frank Drobnić, manager and captain of the bowling team.

While serving in the United States army, "Sam," as he is nicknamed, took part in the production of "Wings" and "The Big Parade." In the war the U. S. army stationed in San Antonio, Tex., took the major part enacting the many battles that occurred during the World War. In one particular scene, "Sam" tells of an airplane crashed to the ground and killed the pilot, and another an accident on purpose, enacted in mid-air, also adds to his many thrilling tales.

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Bits About Them

Or What Happened in Chicago

J. J. Bogolin Jr., secretary of J. S. K. J. Sports Club, was kept busy placing the teams on their respective alleys.

J. L. Jevitz Jr. was on hand whooping it up for the J. S. K. J.'s No. 66, and was all smiles when Bluth counted for one of those impossible railroads.

Illini Stars aggregation was composed of an all-sheik bowling team, the boys wearing collegiate clothes with bright suspenders.

Joseph Jar of the George Washingtons dazzled the crowd with his inside-outside curve; and, by the way, Joe is manager and pitcher of the George Washington indoor team.

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OUR DANCE

On Saturday, May 24, the S. S. C. U. National Stars Lodge No. 213 of Conemaugh, Pa., held its second dance. A large crowd attended and the dance turned out to be a big success. Music was furnished by Louis Kopler, the accordionist, also a member.

The biggest and most important feature of the evening was the arrival of the unexpected guests from Pittsburgh, Pa., Lodge No. 196. Words cannot express the deep appreciation felt by their presence at this dance. Mr. Frank Sumic, the publicity agent, seemed to take a deep interest in the line of business, but we must not forget that girls are a weakening to the opposite sex, so I presume this explains the reason for his good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Maticev were also getting acquainted with our members of the lodge, and I hope that they were as glad to meet us as we were in meeting them, for it was a pleasure indeed. We had the honor of meeting Mr. John Dieshor, captain of the Carnegie Tech football team. He, of course, was well taken care of, meeting the fair sex and being escorted with Miss Rose Galob.

Mr. Frank Krise, vice-president; Thomas Antlager, treasurer; George Sholamunec, member of the board of trustees, and John Antlager, former president, were the sheiks and the crowd couldn't help but be with them throughout the evening. I am sure that all of these members have secured a number of friends during their visit, as sociability plays a large part with us, and you all possess that.

I want to thank you one and all for your most welcome visit and for reciprocating so soon, and wish to say that we will always be more than glad to have you with us as often as possible.

Ella Pristow, Sec., National Stars, S. S. C. U.

Hit the line hard when you are right.

actually sing.

Jezeb brothers of the Illini Stars were high bowlers of their team.

"Sam" Drobnić was the envy of many a girl with his water wave marcell matching beautifully with his brown suit.

Larry Petrovic rolled 200 to lead the Comrades' quintet.

John "Yohan" Petrovic has all the makings of a "big shot" manager and promoter. His natural ability accounts for the fine showing of the Comrades Lodge athletic teams under his capable management.

J. Sustarsich Jr. came to the dance in the evening accompanied by his "thrill."

J. Sustarsich Sr. was kept busy all day making sure that everyone was having a good time.

J. Zvezich did his share in handing out "Slovenian Giggle Water." (Credit for naming grape juice as "Slovenian Giggle Water" goes to F. J. Sumic of Pittsburgh, Pa.)

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Zivetz Sr. were on hand, journeying all the way from Joliet together with Frank Pirc, secretary of Lodge No. 66.

Paul Bartel, supreme vice-president, wore a continuous smile and also doing plenty of heavy talking in connection with our S. S. C. U.

BRIEFS

A typical Slovenian wedding will be enacted by members of the Jugoslav Slovene Club of Cleveland, O., during the Spring Festival to be held in Edgewater Park either on June 15 or 22, depending upon favorable weather.

Matt Vesel of Chisholm, Minn., will take the leading role in the annual senior play presented by the Chisholm High School. Dan Rukavina will also take a part. Mike Bukovich is business manager.

Louis Marn acted as toastmaster Saturday, May 24, at the annual Chisholm High School banquet held in the school gymnasium of Chisholm, Minn. Presentation of special honors, letters, etc., featured the evening.

Twenty-five members of the Cleveland S. S. C. U. lodges made the trip to Chicago Saturday, May 24; included in this group were the bowlers that took part in the first S. S. C. U. bowling tournament ever held. The boys returned safely to Cleveland Monday morning.

Alloys baseball team of Lorain, O., Lodge No. 6, S. S. C. U., postponed the contest with the Napredak Sports until next Sunday, June 1, when the Napredak Sports will travel to Lorain.

THANK YOU

In behalf of the S. S. C. U. boys that made the trip to Chicago Sunday, May 25, I wish to thank Mr. William B. Laurich and other members of the S. S. C. U. lodges in Chicago for the grand time shown us during our stay, for the dance and reception given by the Chicago J. S. K. J. Sport Club in our honor—in fact for all the extensive preparations made and executed that made our stay in Chicago such a pleasant one. It was greatly appreciated, and it is sincerely hoped that Cleveland may be given an opportunity to return the favor.

There was only one thing that the boys were sorry about, and that was the necessity of an early departure in order to catch the train back to Cleveland.

I also want to thank the Comrades Lodge of Waukegan, S. S. Peter and Paul Lodge of Joliet, Lodges Zvon, Jugoslavan and Illini Stars of Chicago, George Washington and Collinwood Booster lodges of Cleveland for participating in the first S. S. C. U. bowling tournament and contributing their share to its success.

Louis M. Kolar.

Buying Dakota Farms
Somewhere between five million and six million acres of North Dakota farm land have been bought by farmers in the last five years. If sales continue at that rate for another three years North Dakota's tenant land problem will virtually disappear. About 70 percent of the purchased land was formerly rented.

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Simms Scores Knockout

Skully Receives Popular Decision

Coming from behind, Frank Simms, noted Slovenian heavyweight of Cleveland, O., knocked out his opponent, Ted Sandwina, in the eighth round of the scheduled ten-round go last Tuesday, May 20. During the first seven rounds Sandwina had the best of the argument and everything appeared easy sailing for the remaining three rounds.

But Frankie's right had to be considered, and, incidentally, Sandwina cleverly avoided meeting that dangerous right; during the entire fight Simms brought his right repeatedly to the opponent's head with no appreciable damage in evidence. But in the eighth round the Slovenian fighter decided to follow a different course; so instead of backing up to avoid meeting his opponent's blows, Frankie stepped in and took a couple of punches, and in return crashed a right to the ear. For a moment Ted was off his guard, but long enough to permit Frankie to crash his powerful right three times to the jaw.

Down went Sandwina for a count of nine, only to get up again and receive more hard blows. So hard was the impact of Frankie's punches that the referee didn't even bother to count the victim out, but immediately put up the Slovenian fighter's hand as token of victory. Sandwina was out for over a minute in the ring, his seconds working frantically to revive him.

In the four-round go between Billy Skully, also a Slovene, and who was the winner of the Golden Gloves middleweight tournament this year, and Jimmy Taylor, Billy was given the popular decision. However, the referee gave the decision to Jimmy Taylor. Skully made his first appearance as a professional.

The bout was held in the Public Hall of the Cleveland Auditorium, for the benefit of the Cleveland Amateur Baseball Association, whose purpose is to promote amateur baseball in Cleveland, O.

TAKES FIRST PRIZE IN COSTUME BALL

Miss Danny Oblak of Cleveland, O., took first prize in the National Costume Ball held in the Public Auditorium last Wednesday, May 20. Twelve nations were represented, with about three thousand people in attendance.

The entire affair was held under the auspices of the Progressive League for the benefit of the Nationality Garden to be laid out in Rockefeller Park. Each nationality will be given a tract of land in this park and the opportunity to develop it into something that will symbolize each nation's characteristics.

Slovenes are included in the Jugoslav group, including the Serbs and Croats. An active committee is working on the problem at the present time so as to assure the Jugoslavs of Cleveland of a symbolic garden.

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SPORTING BITS

MAY 25 WILL BE REMEMBERED

Chicago Comes First, Waukegan Second, Joliet Third and Cleveland Fourth

What a trip! What a happy day! What a good time! Sunday, May 25, will linger long in the memories of the Cleveland S. S. C. U. boys that journeyed to Chicago, Ill., for the program outlined by the S. S. C. U. lodges of Chicago, under the leadership of Bro. William B. Laurich, supreme trustee, was chockfull of entertainment. Mr. Spolar, Mr. Sustarsich Sr. and Mr. Laurich met the fellows at the depot, greeted the visitors and drove them to the school hall in machines.

Here breakfast was ready, and how the boys could eat! After riding all night (with little or no sleep), the boys developed a healthy appetite. At 9 a. m. Comrades' bowling team from Waukegan, Ill., arrived, led by Mr. Paul Bartel, supreme vice-president, and Mr. John Petrovic, manager. As arranged beforehand, Comrades bowled in the morning at Mr. Louis Kerin's alleys. At 11 a. m. the baseball game between the Cleveland team and the Chicago-Joliet team was played. Mr. John L. Jevitz Jr. was a little late in arriving with his players, and necessarily participated only in the last three innings. After the game, dinner was served at the school hall, with Mr. Spolar making a delightful speech.

At 2:30 in the afternoon the first S. S. C. U. bowling tournament commenced at Steinbrecher alleys. Eight teams bowled in the afternoon, J. S. K. J.'s No. 66 of Joliet, Illini Stars, Zvon and Jugoslav of Chicago, George Washingtons and Collinwood Boosters of Cleveland. Zvon and George Washingtons had two teams apiece entered.

Zvon's team No. 1 took first place in the tournament, with Comrades taking second, J. S. K. J.'s No. 66 third and George Washingtons fourth. Prizes were distributed accordingly, \$10 to the first team, \$8 to the second, \$7 to the third and \$5 to the fourth. After the tournament the bowlers went back to the school hall and again partook heavily of the food.

In the evening the dance given in honor of the Cleveland visitors took place. A number of S. S. C. U. members from Chicago, Waukegan, Joliet and neighboring suburbs gathered at the dance.

Due to the fact that the bowling tournament was held so late in the season, the bowlers naturally rolled low scores. All of them were out of practice and Sunday's results are no indication of the ability of the bowlers. Hence the scores will not be published.

Details of the tournament, together with a number of other incidents that took place Sunday, will appear in the next week's issue.

Win Double-Header Palucius Hits Homer; Korenin, Bartel Star

Waukegan, Ill.—Comrades Lodge baseball team won a pair of games on Sunday, May 18, by the scores of 10 to 3 and 13 to 1.

In the initial game the Comrades easily defeated the North Chicago Aces, by a score of 10 to 3. Captain "Lavy" Palucius featured the game with a home run to deep center; and, by the way, Palucius has two home runs to his credit this season. Keep it up, captain, and don't forget the cigars.

In the nightcap, the Comrades trounced the Grayslake combine by a lopsided score of 13 to 1. Al Korenin's and Johnny Bartel's brilliant fielding were the feature of the games.

On May 30 (Decoration Day), the Comrades will meet the strong Dunnebache's nine at Sommers, Wis., and on June 1 our baseball team will cross bats with the strong Collegiates aggregation of this city.

The Comrades boast and have the strongest baseball team of the S. S. C. U. If you don't believe it, then give us a trial, as we crave competition.

The S. S. C. U. Comrades Lodge is well represented in this city. Last season the basketball team won the championship; the indoor team has been doing wonders; the "crack" bowling team swept all opposition into oblivion (there's Joliet, for instance), and last, but not the least, the Comrades have one of the strongest baseball teams in this city.

It is a wonder why the Comrades Lodge is considered as the most popular of the S. S. C. U.? "BENNY SEND ME." John Petrovic, No. 193, S. S. C. U.

Slovenes Stand Out

Appear Both on Baseball and Track Fields

A seven-team range baseball league has been organized between neighboring cities of Chisholm, Minn., and includes such towns as Buhl, Hibbing, Eveleth, etc. Chisholm is represented by the Chisholm Fliers and are scheduled to open a game on Memorial Day, May 30. Each team has posted a guaranty of \$25, which will be returned at the end of the season.

The following have been mentioned as probable players on the Chisholm team: Stukel, catcher; Samson and "Lefty" Dolinar, pitchers; John Hudak, third; Arvid Lahti, short; and Emil Lahti, first base.

FUTURE LEADERS

Misunderstanding between the first and second generations is nothing more than the friction in the melting pot of old and new. Parents born across the sea adhere to the stanch conservative ideals of their forefathers, suspicious of progressiveness tinted with all sorts of isms. Children born here, more susceptible to surrounding conditions, quickly grasp all the glitter of present-day progress and soon are sold heart and soul to things which may do more harm than good. It is the battle of transition between the ideals of yesteryear and the ideas of today. This can only be adjusted by a little more liberal policy on the part of the elders and a more sedate and sober policy on the part of our youth.

Children can be made to understand and appreciate the backgrounds and cultural heritage of their people. It is largely a matter of proper environment at home, of the right kind of reading, and contacts within the group.

One of the mediums through which to attract the second generation to the foreign language organizations is the field of athletics. Sport is on the lips and in the minds of all our young people from one end of the country to the other. Boys and girls, being in the same environment and susceptible to the same conditions as the rest of American youth, naturally strive with might and main to shine by athletic prowess.

By means of sport we have been able to attract thousands upon thousands to our societies. Through baseball, basketball, soccer, bowling, and other such activities, many have joined the ranks of foreign language organizations who otherwise would not have done so.

Having them once in our midst, we are enabled to show them the true spirit of fraternalism and the work for which our organizations are intended. In due time the drafted youth, as it may be called, supplies leaders for our lodges, societies, or groups.

Restriction of immigration has awakened the organizations to the fact that right here in their immediate territory a great fertile field of young people has sprung up which has to be worked upon and which can and will produce results far beyond the comprehension of the most liberal-minded optimist.

Native-born people look with somewhat of suspicion upon foreign language organizations. This may be due to old prejudices, or the fact that they do not know of the splendid work which the societies are doing not only among their members but also among the people as a whole. English-speaking fraternal organizations are showing more and more a spirit of good-fellowship and brotherhood toward our organizations of foreign lineage. This is as it should be, for we all strive to create through fraternalism better and happier American communities.

Editor's note. This article appeared in the F. L. I. S. Fraternity magazine and was written by Mr. J. J. Olejniczak.

Many's the Time

Remember the old joke about the woman at the party who won the prize for making the homeliest face, and she wasn't even playing?

Well, a Cleveland motorist won first prize in an endurance driving contest last week, and he wasn't even entered; he was hunting a place to park!

Sometimes the difficulties surmounted by a lodge overshadow the achievements.

AT A LUNCH COUNTER

Twelve o'clock—the lunch bell rang and I rushed upstairs to the lunch counter. "Get in line, there, every one of you!" someone shouted. Then I moved slowly down the line, getting closer to the foods that smelled so delicious even at a distance.

Now I saw the menu. My mouth watered. Here were the foods. The potatoes were mashed and looked so white through the reddish brown sauce that was oozing through. Then there were the green peas swimming in the butter. They certainly look good. Now I could see some steaming meat loaf, covered with a nice brown crust and lying peacefully in some sauce of a sand color. My mouth watered for many of these things.

I walked another short distance and saw on the other side of the post some delicious looking salads. Oh, look at that fruit salad! I could see the green lettuce leaf forming a luscious background for the apples, pineapple, bananas, marshmallows and peaches covered with snow-white whipped cream and brown nuts cut into squares.

There I also saw a peanut salad. Oh, those brown, shelled, crisp looking peanuts! I could see them above many other colorful, delicate, neat looking salads. And that cherry pie that I love so well; the crisp browned crust and round, red cherries lying between the thick, red juice.

So many things caught my eye that it was hard to decide what I could get for my 11 cents I held in the all too slim purse.

Vida A. Kumse.

COST LESS TO LIVE IN 1930

This year it will cost less to live than for many years, although the new tariff will make an imperceptible, though considerable difference to the individual pocketbook and may change the result somewhat.

The cost of food takes about 38 per cent of the average family's outlay. In 1929 it cost more to live because of higher retail prices for meat, milk, eggs and potatoes, although bread, butter, sugar and coffee declined.

If crop conditions are favorable, food prices will be lower this year and the cost of living will show a moderate reduction during 1930. So report the statisticians of the Alexander Hamilton Institute.

Clothing, which represents

17 per cent of the family budget, has shown a steady downward trend since 1923. Raw cotton is 22.8 per cent lower than a year ago, wool 8.4 per cent lower, silk 7.4 per cent lower and rayon 23.3 per cent lower.

Rents have been steadily declining and now are nearly 10 per cent below the peak of 1924. About 13 per cent of the family income goes for rent. Price cuts are likely to be made in house furnishings during 1930 because of a curtailment in demand.

On the whole, Mr. and Mrs.

John W. Public are likely to get more for their money in 1930.—Capper's.

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CHANGE OF ADDRESS

All changes of address on the mailing list should be made to the New Era office, 6117 St. Clair Ave., Cleveland, O. Some of the members are under the wrong impression that this information should go to Mr. Joseph Fishler, supreme secretary of the S. S. C. U., at Ely, Minn., and, of course, Mr. Fishler has been compelled to re-mail these corrections to this office.

Mail Articles Early

A number of articles contributed by S. S. C. U. members arrive at the New Era office on Tuesday of each week and contain news that should appear in the following edition. The New Era paper is printed on Wednesday, and all articles that arrive in this office later than Monday appear in the next week's issue.

Final corrections are made on Tuesday and the "dummy" is given final inspection as it will appear in print. "Dummy" is the term used by printers in referring to the last proof that the editor can make corrections on before the paper is printed. And, of course, no additional articles can be included on the "dummy."

Do not postpone writing articles in the hope that it will be written at the last minute and reach the New Era office just in time to appear in the following edition, because nine times out of ten something will occur that will delay things, thus postponing the appearance of the article. Matters will be helped along greatly if the contributors will submit their articles a number of days before the paper is printed.

Of course, when an athletic contest is held on a Sunday, then the best thing to do is to make comments on the game and mail the article the same evening. Then the article will arrive in the New Era office the following Monday, provided, of course, the city is not too distant. In which case the article appears in the following edition.

Our Next Meeting Night

Conemaugh, Pa.—A special reminder to all our brothers and sisters of the S. S. C. U. Lodge No. 213 of Conemaugh that our next meeting will be held Thursday evening, June 5.

At this meeting we are anxious to have EACH AND EVERY MEMBER PRESENT, as there will be a number of different suggestions brought up and we want to bring to order the suggestions brought up at our last meeting. Bear in mind that this will be a very important meeting, and the main reason for announcing this is to enable you to plan ahead of time to meet our brothers and sisters on June 5.

Another important factor that will be brought up at our next meeting will be the selection of members for the Standing Committee. In order to do so you are requested to be present and select the members that you think will be fit to assume the responsibility required by this work.

I presume that all of the members read the article in the last issue written by our recording secretary, which brought out the motto of our lodge: "Every member bring along another member." If we follow this motto we will be able to increase our membership.

Our chief aim is to bring in new members. Trusting that ONE AND ALL will be present at this meeting.

Ella Pristow, Sec.,

No. 213, S. S. C. U.

TOURING TO THE PACIFIC COAST

(By Joseph Mantel)

(Continued from last issue)

Wine has been stored in that cellar since 1914. A large hose was connected to one of the wine barrels and running outside into a steel tank on a railroad car, which when filled contains 5,000 gallons of wine.

I asked the man why they filled this rusty steel tank with good old wine. He told us that the inside of the tank was lined with glass and is shipped that way to New York. What kept me guessing was the fact that the people in New York were permitted to have the wine, while we were not even allowed to taste it in spite of the two million gallons on hand.

In another building we were shown a 1,000-gallon copper still, which when filled runs 12 to 16 hours; it is under government control and operation. This company employs about 700 people in season.

There are 25 varieties of grapes grown in this section. The grape growers are very systematic in their work, having everything arranged in such a way as to eliminate all excess work. A steel tank is used that picks up all the rubbish and with a special attachment within it burns up the rubbish. A horse pulls this tank, that is arranged to automatically increase the speed of the machinery in proportion to the speed of the horse.

While driving along we noticed the Portland Cement Co. of California, which is situated alongside of a hill of rocks. This hill appeared very small to us, but we were told that the raw material taken from this site in the manufacture of cement will supply the needs for the next 300 years. There is something peculiar about this hill. On one side men dig for lime rock and on the other side men are seen digging for cement.

A few miles east of this section we saw the largest hog ranch in the world. Hogs are raised here, and are kept separated according to age. All of the hogs are fenced in their respective pens. A steam shovel resting on steel tracks shovels the food into the different pens to be consumed by the hogs.

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Eight lodges, representing six fraternal organizations, are going to sponsor teams. S. S. C. U. is represented by the Collinwood Boosters and the George Washingtons. Koren is manager of the Boosters, while Jarc is manager of the George Washingtons.

Mrs. Henpeck (sarcastically): I suppose you've been to see a sick friend—holding his hand all evening!"

Mr. Henpeck (sadly): If I'd been holding his hand, I'd have made some money.

mountains through here, we decided to drive up the Arrowhead Mountain, which is only 5,800 feet high. On passing the city of San Bernardino we could see a large natural arrow half-way up the mountain.

People in the locality do not know how it originated. The Indians do not claim to making this path. The drive on this winding road is fine, but coming down makes it a rather dangerous task.

Half-way up the mountain we reached the clouds and soon got over them. Soon we reached a large timber grove in the Arrowhead woods, with about six inches of snow covering the ground.

As we drove for some distance we came to a small place called Twin Peaks. This is a small Mormon English village, having a number of cottages surrounding an artificial lake. Rainbow trout fishing is fine in this lake.

Having heard so much of the

I. L. L. Rules Drafted

League Opens June 1

At the last meeting of the Inter-Lodge League of Cleveland, O., a number of important issues were discussed in connection with indoor baseball. Eight teams will be represented in the indoor league, and, of course, a number of rules had to be drafted and passed upon, effective at once.

Each team deposited \$15 guaranty, to be returned at the end of the playing season. This money was also to be used for umpire's fee in case a team failed to appear for a scheduled game. C. A. B. A. umpires will be used in all of the games, but scorekeepers will be chosen from the membership of individual lodges.

The type of ball used was not decided definitely at the present time, but will be voted on at the end of the first round composed of seven weeks of playing. In the meantime the managers of teams can decide upon which ball shall be used and bring the result of their investigation before the Inter-Lodge League board.

A list of players was submitted by the manager of each team, and were read aloud at the meeting for the approval of the entire body. To this list any number of players could be added, provided that one player does not appear on more than one list. Transfer of players was prohibited once the player participated on one team, even though he played but one inning. At the end of the first round no additional players could be added to the roster.

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A cattle ranch is situated next to the hog ranch. The same means of raising the cattle are used as in the case of the hogs. Only Mexicans are employed in this industry, having a village of their own. Cheap labor accounts for the employ of this race.

Now we just arrived at the Coverdale Hatchery and Breeding Farm. A sign reads "Always open to the public," and we thought that we might take advantage of this by paying it a visit. Mr. W. W. Coverdale is the owner, who gave us plenty of information.

Quoting Mr. Coverdale: "After careful and consistent culling we have a flock of 5,000 breeders producing eggs for a mammoth all-electric incubator having a capacity of 52,000 chicks. By hatching the eggs in this manner it is not necessary to pick the shells for any chick to help it out. This is what weakens chicks and does not give them the right start in life."

We also saw Lady Fontana, the \$5,000 chicken, that laid 352 eggs one year. She was insured for \$5,000 against life or accidental injury. When this chicken was 5 years old she was caught in a trap and died. The eggs of this chicken sold for 25 cents apiece, and the neighbors that bought these eggs verify the statement that 900 chickens produced 719 eggs per day.

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Phunology

Author: May I have some further details about this magnificent estate you offer for sale?

Agent: Do you wish to buy it?

Author: No, but I think I can use your glowing description of it in my new novel.

Should such child later on desire to join the adult membership of the Union, he (she) shall be admitted only as a new applicant for adult membership of the South Slavonic Catholic Union.

b. No admission fee shall be charged for the Juvenile Department. The total regular assessment for Plan I certificate shall be 15 cents per month. The mortuary fund shall be credited with 14 cents per month per each member, and the expense fund with 1 cent per member each month, provided that the Supreme Office is authorized to issue other forms of Juvenile certificates when deemed advisable and for the best interests of the Juvenile Department and of the Union.

c. The certificate of the applicant to the Juvenile Department shall be in force as soon as the application shall have been approved by the Supreme Secretary and all current assessments paid.

d. Death benefit shall be paid only for sixty days or more and when a properly executed death certificate has been submitted to the Supreme Secretary.

e. The amount of the death benefit payable under Plan I certificate shall be according to the age of the insured at the time of death, as set forth in the following table:

Age Next Birthday	Amount of Insurance at the Birth	Attained Age
1	\$ 25.00	
2	34.00	
3	40.00	
4	48.00	
5	58.00	
6	68.00	
7	140.00	
8	200.00	
9	240.00	
10	300.00	
11	380.00	
12	450.00	
13	450.00	
14	450.00	
15	450.00	
		450.00

9. A yearly valuation shall be made of all certificates of the Juvenile Department. The valuation shall be made by an actuary and shall be based on the Standard Industrial Mortality Table with an assumed interest of 4% per year. Should such valuation show a deficiency in the reserve, the Supreme Secretary shall have the authority to levy an extra assessment of assessments until the required reserve is restored. Should the valuation, however, show that there is a surplus above the reserve in the sum sufficient to pay one or more assessments of all members of the Juvenile Department, the Supreme

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POVEST IZZA TURŠKIH BOJEV

(Nadalevanje)

Bil je vitez iz rodu Vladimirovičev in živel častno v ponosni Bosni. Vsa dežela se je klanjala neskajen slavi njegovega imena, a on nikomur—razen Bogu. Sorodnik kraljev, prvak kraljestva, je vzdržil smeli pogled do Katarine, hčerke duka sv. Sabe. Katarina, čnooka izdajalka! Bilo ji je voliti med njim in med Tomom Stipanom . . . Sijaj krone jo je omamil, izneverila se je dani prisegi, poročila se s kraljem . . . Težek udarec za vroče čutečega mladeniča. Zapustil je svoje bele dvore. V popotnem plašču, z romarsko palico je odšel . . . Romal je v sveto deželo, v Rim, pohajal visoke šole, vednost ga je tolažila za izgubljeno ljubezen. Izkušen mož se je vračal v domovino. Čas in njega doživljava so mu ublažili srčno rano, mirno je prihajal na dvor, hladno gledal Katarini v krasni obraz.

Vendar ni pozabil. Bila je vzrok njegovega samotnega življenga.

V prvi bolesti prevarjene duše se je bil zaklel, da ne pogleda nikoli več ženske. Bil je mož, in je držal prisego. Pa bil je tudi zadnji moški potomek stare rodovine. Dolžnost, čast moža je, da živi v svojih potomcih—da ne pusti izumreti starega imena.

Imel je sestro edinico. Tačas, ko je blodil on po svetu, se je razčevala v divno krasotico. Snubil so jo prihajali plemiči treh dežela. Dvori so odmevali veselega bučanja vitežkih iger.

Vso ljubezen svoje globoke duše je izil Radivoj na zlatolaso glavo sestre Jelene. Pri kralju je izposoval, da bo smel nositi njen mož ime Vladimirovičev, da bo živilo staro ime po njej, po njenih potomcih. Skrbno je izbiral sestri ženina. Najboljšega viteza dežele ji je bil namenil. Pa ženska srca hodijo svojo pot. Od prvih glav dežele oboževana Jelena se je zagledala v viteza neznanega rodu—Iva Klobuškega. Prikupljiva zunanjost, medena beseda sta mu nadomeščali v očeh Jeleninih bogastvo in slavo. Zato ga je Radivoj iztiral. Ne ker je bil reven—saj je bil Radivoj tako bogat—ali on ni hotel dati sestre v svojega imena možu tako neznanega rodu . . . Jelena je povešala krasno glavo, venela. Veselle življene na dvoru Vladimirovičev je umolknilo. Jelena se je plazila kakor senca in se ogibala rodnega brata.

Moški razum se je moral vdati nerazboritemu ženskemu čustvu. Radivoj je uvedel Klobuškega kot svaka v bele dvore in poročil sestro. In spet je cvela sestra v sreči ko žarna roža, spet je odmeval dvor Vladimirovičev šum veselja, vitezi treh dežela so se klanjali lepotici Jeleni.

Vihralo je po deželi. Kralj Tomo je jel preganjati vedno bolj predzrane bogumilce. Velikaši, skriveni privrženci te po Bosni zelo razširjene sekete, so jih ščitili. Radivoj, odličen v znanju in imenu, je bil pečatnik, sodnik Bosne. Katarina ga je prosila in dolžnost mu je veljevala, da varuje kralja. Skrivene spletke kraljevih, prestola lakomnih sorodnikov so mu delale mnogo skrbi. Ali razvedril se je vselej pri sestri. S krepkim fantičem, s prenežno dekllico mu je hitela nasproti. Sestra je tudi poročena že vedno ljubila brata, morda bolj kakor prej. Saj je vedela, kako težko mu je bilo privoliti v njej zakon s Klobuškim. Hvaležnost se že družila s prijeno sestrsko ljubezni.

Tudi otroci so zelo ljubili lepega strica. Deklica se mu je ovijala okrog vrata, fantič je segal po meču. In Radivoj se je veselil krepkega, malega Vladimiroviča, ki je kazal, da bo junak, vreden podedovati množino gradov, ki so bila že stoljetja last Vladimirovičev. In veselil se je sestrinega sladkega smeha, ki je zvenel kakor glas sreče . . .

Ali Ivo—njegov svak—je bil neubran glas v pesmi Radivojeve sreče. Ivo je črtil Radivoja. Zavidal mu je ljubezen sestrino in otrok. Ljubosumnost se je zajedla vedno globlje v srce strastneža in je izlegla gnusno izdajstvo. Tačas se je bližalo solnce bosanskega kraljestva zatonu. Že dolgo je prežal lakomni Turki na bogato deželo. V meniški obleki je prehodil sultan Mohamed II. Bosno. Bil je spoznan, prignan pred kralja. Plemstvo je zahtevalo smrt Mohamedovo. Kralj Tomo si je pa želel pridobiti mogočnega prijatelja. Počastil je sultana in ga spremil varno do meje. Postal mu je pobratim.

S takim ravnanjem nezadovoljno plemstvo je podpihalo ogrski kralj Matjaž. Radivoj je bil po deželnih opravkih v Rimu. Tačas so zastrupili kraljevi sorodniki kralja. Kraljica je menila, da je umrl naravne smrti. Ko se je vrnil Radivoj, je našel kraljico-vdovo pogreznjeno v žalost. Pa kmalu se je izpremenila žalost v jezo. Izdajska usta so ji razodela tajnost kraljeve smrti. Žena je gorela od želje maščevati moža.

Miril jo je Vladimirovič, brzal žensko, za vsako zlo iznajdljivo domišljijo. Pa zaman. Našla je podlo dušo, ki ji je pomagala, svetovala. Ta nevrednež je bil Ivo Klobuški. Skriven bogumil, je bil tudi on v zaroči. Vendar je razkril kraljici vse. Iz črta do plemenitašev, ki so ga prezirali in mu zavidili, da jim je prevezel najlepšo in bogatejšo Bosanko. Svetoval je Katarini, naj se obrne do Mohameda. Kralj Tomo si je šel do njega in ga pozval, da kaznuje tiste, ki so mu umorili pobratima. Tomo Stipan, "ker ni hotel pogubiti njega." Kraljica je skrivala pred Radivojem nakane maščevanja. Pa kmalu je bilo znano celo Bosni, kar je zasnovalo nepremišljeno, užajeno žensko srce.

Mehmed je prišel z veliko silo, popalil, porobil deželo in ji naložil davek. Dvori kraljice in Vladimirovičev pa so ostali nedotaknjeni. Bahato je hodil Ivo po njih, Katarina pa si ni upala narodu pred oči. V preprosti obleki, zakrakte licu je bežala iz Bosne. Poprej je še pozvala k sebi Radivoja in ga prosila na kolenih odpuščanja. Odpustil ji je bil prevaro mladosti, izdajo, nesrečo dežele—črne sence, ki je padla na njegovo ime, jii ni mogel odpustiti. Sedaj živi v Rimu—ostro-spokorno je njeno življeno . . . In dostikrat se mu prikaže v tih urah, na kolenih, obupajoča, proseča . . . Pa odpuščanja ni v njegovem srcu . . .

Zgala ga je sramota. Sklical je plemstvo dežele, može čistega imena, in tirali so svaka pred sod. Strgali so mu vitežko veržico, vzeli orožje, zlomili grb, zažgali listino plemstva. Brez imena in orožja je moral iz dežele. Zapretil je, da se vrne. In vrnil se je. Grozen je bil tisti dan—

LONČAR (Spisal Podgoričan)

(Dalje.)

Kmalu je bil iz vasi. Ko se je po tistih samotnih, dolgočasnih klancih blížal Krki, postal je silno zamišljen, nekam žalosten, da je obupoval nad svojim stanom. Ej, včasih je bil še vesel in dobre volje, zlasti še takrat, ko je bil neoženjen. Toda časi se preminjajo. Ves svet se norčeje iz bednega lončarja, oškoduje ga, kjer ga more, in še doma ima malo veselih uric. "Glini kupi drag, muči se od zore do mraka, žgi prav posodo, ne preveč, ne premalo, potem jo pa ponujaj po svetu, da dobis kak belič! Pa glej, da ne voziš prenaglo, da ne potareš posode, in dobro vloži na voz, pa daj tri lonce za jeden novčič in še jedno skledo po vrhu! Res je čudno, da še kak lončar more živeti. Vre, če bi ne imel jaz tako uboge duše, pa bi se potrudil malo bolj za nebesa. Seve, trpeti že moram dovolj, drugega pa ne znam nič. Ej, lončarski stan je siromašen stan!"

Od same žalosti si je začel peti: Da b' skoraj prišla grenka smrt, In hramček moj bi bil zaprt. V tem se približa Krki; najprvo se prikaže velika cerkev sv. Kozma in Damijana. Dostikrat je že slišal Andrejec doma in drugod o tej božjepotni cerkvi. Pa je zmodroval:

"Lej, Andrejec, celo padar, kakoršen je bil sv. Kozma, postal je svetnik! Bere se tudi, da je bil sv. Vincenc zdar: samo lončarja še ni svetnika!"

V gostilni onkraj mosta se ustavi, zakaj treba je bilo jesti. IV.

Od Krke naprej je bila za lončarja nova pot, in za našo povez je novo poglavje.

V gorejšnjem kraju nad Krko ni bil stopil Andrejec do današnjega dne še nikdar. Vsa zemlja nad Krko mu je bila neznan svet, zato se ne smemo čuditi, da je Andrejec z nekim neznanim nemirom poslavljjal od znane Krke. Bal se je, da bi nazaj ne znal. Do Krke je še šlo, toda naprej, po neznanih krajinah, med neznanimi ljudmi!

"Sveti angel Rafael, spremljaj in vodi me!" vzidhne iskreno in požene konjička.

Dejali so mu na Krki, da pride prezgodaj na semenj, da ima še jeden dan časa, toda Andrejec ni hotel ostati tam, ampak je dejal:

"Bom pa višnjansko mesto bolj ogledal."

Pa je šel.

Cesta od Krke v Višnjo goro se vleče sedaj po senčnatih gozdih, sedaj po svetlih poljanah. Take so bile tudi misli lončarjeve: sedaj mračne in otožne, sedaj pa vesele, da bi bil skoraj živžgal. Komaj nekolikokrat so se potočila kolesa v neznan svet, že se mu je storilo milo, da mora tako daleč po svetu, da proda kako lončenino, da kupi kruha sebi in svojim. Zavidal je ljudem, kateri je videl na rodotinem krškem polju, ki so spravljali bogato žetev. Zajek je bil ne rodil njegova rodna zemlja tako bogato, kakor ta, da bi se lahko brez skrbri in sile pečal s poljedelstvom ter bi tičal doma, ne pa tiral vozička iz kraja v kraj? Neznanata nevolja ga obide. Zamišljen je slonel na vozu in niti ni poganjil liščka, ki si je tu utrgal sočne detelje, tam mlade koruze ali kaj drugega zelenega. Andrejecu se ni zdelo greh, ako lišček kaj tujega utrga.

Tako se je lončar počasi pomikal proti višnjanskemu mestu. Ko se je vse trkljalo po Mrzlem polju, ustrasil se je Andrejec, ko je v daljavi zaledal belo zidovje staroslavenga stiškega samostana.

"I, kaj je to že Višnja gor?" vpraša se Andrejec.

Golorok kmetič ga pouči:

"Oj, vi oče lončena roba, to

je Stična, tam je pri 'Kloštri.'"

"I, kje je pa potem Višnja gor?"

"Pa bolj na levo."

"I, boter neznani, kako bom pa jaz v Višnjo goro prišel, če je bolj na levo, lišček, kakor vidim, me pa pelja v Stično?"

"O — he — ve — ha — lišček!"

Ej, lisa, lisasta, ustavi se!"

"Ej, šmenta, ko prijeta na veliko cesto, zavijte 'bistahor!'

"Zakaj pa greste todi v Višnjo goro? Vidite vi, oče, lončenija roba, zdi se mi tako, kakor bi šli z levico okoli—v desni žep."

Andrejec ga srdit pogleda.

"Zakaj se norčujete iz menе? Mislite, da sem kar takov vas jeden? Veste, boter, pišite mi od desne strani levo uho, pa sva bot! Hej, lisa, lisasta!"

Lišček potegne in kmetič zaostane, pa še nekaj časa gleda na lončarjem. Misli pa si:

"Ako bi bil vedel, da te je tako malo za jedno besedo, vprašal bi te bil, koliko stane 'bais.'"

Na križotih na veliki cesti zavije Andrejec na levo, kakor mu je bil kmetič svetoval. Dasi je bila cesta gladkejša in tudi ravna, vlekel je lišček vender teži in kolesa so začela piskati in cviliti.

"Lej ga, skoraj bi bil pozabil namazati. Pa kako civili in stoka."

Pa skoči z voza in ustavi. Toda posodice z mazilom ni bilo nikaj.

Prestraši se, da obstane, prima se z obema rokama za glavo in v žliklino obupno.

"Jej, kaj bo pa sedaj? — Lisa, ve-ha! Kam neki je prešlo moje mazilo? Ali sem je pustil doma, ali sem je izgubil, ali mi je kdo ukradel, da si bo kola mazal? Naj bi mu nobeno kolo ne teklo po mojem mazilu!"

Skloni se h kolesu in ogleda drugo za drugim. Zmaje z glavo, zakaj v slabem stanju je bilo; nikjer ni bilo videti kapljice mazila, in pesta so bila vsa razgreta.

"Kaj bo? Kaj bo? Kolesa se mi bodo vnela, predno pride dem do kake hiše, kjer se dobri mazilo. Oh, da bi vsaj srečal kakega smolarja!"

Ta želja se mu ni mogla izpolniti, ker o žetvi in košnji ne gre noben smolar s smolnicami okoli, hiš je pa malo ob cesti; kjer je potkal, ni bilo nikogar,

vse bilo na polju in v senožetih.

Če se je le kje mimo kakega polnega korita peljal, poškropil je razgreta pesta, da bi

se mu ne vnela. Naj je lišček vlekel se tako težko, menil se

ni dosti zanj, le v kolesu se je plašno oziral, kjer je čim dalje bolj civilno in škrpalo. Po pravici se je bal, da se sedaj, sedaj sedaj poklopil z pesti.

Blizu Višnje gore je že bil in je premisleval, bo-li mogel z nenamazanimi koli dospeti do svojega namena. Tu zavije cesta in manjši gozd. Ko začuti Andrejec prijetno senco in gozdni hlad, ko zagleda gozdna zelišča, zasveti se mu hipoma nekaj v glavi, da se tleskne z dlanjo po čelu in vžiklike vesel:

"O, jaz tepec: zakaj pa je polž na svetu, kakor da se ž njim namažejo kola! Da le dobim kakega velikega črnega, takoj bo gladko tekel moj voz."

Andrejec ustavi, ozre se naprej in nazaj, ne prihaja-lis kaj voz. Videl ni nobenega, pač pa je prihajaš nasproti človek z razpetim solnčnikom rjava vesel:

"Ali se boji spaka dežja, ali pa prosi zanj, ker hodi z razpetim dežnikom," pravi polglasno

in se spusti med drevje in grmovje, kjer je z biečnikom preverčal in brskal po listju, govoreč:

"Crni, crni kolomaz, Tukaj vidim twojo gaz, Brž pokaži mi roge, Da pograbim te za nje!"

(Dalje prihodnjič.)

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