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## ZAPISNIK 16. REDNE KONVENCIJE J. S. K. JEDNOTE

se v Waukeganu, Ill., od 9. do 16. septembra, 1940

Prva seja

Glavni predsednik Paul Bartel je otvoril prvo sejo zborovanja ob 9. uri dopoldne dne 9. septembra. Pozdravil je navzoče odbornike, porotnike ter delegat in delegatin ter jih izval k složnemu in bratskemu zborovanju v korist vsega člana. Poučil je, da je lepo in pravilno, če se delegacija pri tej spomni vseh naših bolnih sobratov in sester, ki jih bo priklenila na posteljo. Ta skupščina jim želi skorajšnjega zborovanja ter jih zagotovila bratsko pomoč. Nato omenja bivševne odbornike, ki so preminili v času od zadnje redne konvencije, do sedaj, ki so: John Germ, Rudolph Perdan, John Moverin in Joseph Plautz.

Delegat od društva št. 94, v Waukeganu, Ill., naznani, da je poročilo, da je sestra Mary Rode umrla v jutru 9. septembra. Zbornica vzame poročilo na znanje s sožaljem.

Sledi čitanje imen delegatov in delegatin ter glavnih in potrošnih odbornikov oziroma odbornice. Navzoči so vsi glavni ter odborniki, z izjemo četrtega glavnega podpredsednika P. Lunke. Z ozirom na delegata Stanleya Finka, ki zastopa št. 54 in 105, pojasni glavni tajnik, da njegovo ime ni vedeneno s seznamku delegatov, ker je poročilo o njegovi izvolitvi prepozno za vzklikitev v seznamek, da pa je delegat v 204 zastopa namestnik delegata John Penko.

Delegacijo tvorijo sledči glavni odborniki, porotni odborniki in delegatini.

### GLAVNI ODBOR:

Paul Bartel, glavni predsednik; Joseph Mantel, prvi podpredsednik; Paul J. Oblock, drugi podpredsednik; Frank Okon, tretji podpredsednik; Anton Zbasnik, glavni tajnik; Frank Smrzel, pomožni tajnik; Louis Champa, glavni blagajnik; F. J. Arch, vrhovni zdravnik; Anton J. Terbovec, urednik; John Kumse, predsednik nadzornega odbora; Janko Rogelj, prvi nadzornik; Frank E. Vranichar, drugi nadzornik; Matt Anzeli, tretji nadzornik; Andrew Milayec, četrti nadzornik.

### GLAVNI POROTNI ODBOR:

Anton Okolish, predsednik; John Schutte, prvi porotnik; Mike, drugi porotnik; Rose Svetich, tretja porotnica; Martin Orehek, četrti porotnik.

### IMENIK DELEGATOV IN DELEGATINJ:

Joseph Kovach (1), Louis Zgomec (1), Joe L. Champa (2), Perushek (2), Joseph Bregac (3), Joseph Jere (6), Vida (6), Matt Strauss (9), Peter Mihelich (9), John Urek (9), Frank J. Kress (12), Ivan Culig (15), Michael Thomas (15), Urban Jelovsek (18), Valentin Marcina (18), John Ocepek (18), Anton Žgajnar (20), Steve Mauser (21), Frank Omahan (21), Filip Fister (25), John Laurich (25), Joseph Sneed (26), John Jurgle (26), John Godisha (29), Tony (29), Louis Ambrozich (30), Anton Hren (30), Martin (31), Anton Erzen (33), Louis Jereb (35), Joseph Turk (36), Michael Rovansek (36), Joseph Rudolf (37), Frank Laurich (37), George Smajver (39), Ivka Segota (39), Frank Supancic (39), Anton Kosoglov (40), John Erjavec (42), Jennie Smith (42), Frank Smrzel (44), John Opeka (44), Frank Dezelan (44), Jacob Sterger (45), Math Petek (49), Frank Masle (53), Andrew Herblan (53), Joseph Prah (55), August Stipetic (57), Anton Erznoznik (58), John Pezdire, Sr. (61), John Adamich (61), John Zivetz (66), Jos. Pastorkovich (68), Anton Krapenc (68), Joseph Oblak (70), Anton Drenik (71), Anton Baraga (71), Louis Skull (78), John Podržaj (82), Jacob Prunk (84), Mismash (85), Katherine Penica (88), Louis F. Kompare (88), Anton Stanovnik (94), Joseph Matjaš (99), Anna Walter (99), John Malerich (105), Frank Prevec (108), Frank Tichar (108), Joseph Milkovich (114), Peter Skradski (114), Jurij Prevec (116), Frances Pengal (120), Mary Jerich (120), John Tanko (120), Joseph Korencic (132), Jennie Koritnik (133), Anna Erk (137), Anton Kovacic (138), Al. Naprudnik (144), Martin (149), Mary G. Balint (162), John Jakopich (168), Mike (173), Agnes M. Kardell (180), Frank Falcher (184), Joseph Krall (186), Mary Predovich (190), Jos. A. Mertel (200), John Zaverl (200), Elizabeth Knafelc (221), Mary Bican (222), Louis Vogrich (225), Mary Zurga (230), John Demshar (47-145), Martin L. Stepan (5-164), Joseph Dablock (13-165), Barbara Kramar (14-141-151), John Zvezich, Sr. (22-211), Frank (27-28), Mary Gorjup (32-72), Frank Weeder (41-127-128), John Lovshin (47-179), Ignac Zajec (50-90), Peter Blatnick (52-86), Joseph P. Grahek (64-139-178-234), John Bečaj (69-169-187), Frank Ferlich (75-146), Albert Polajnar (76-167), Horvat (77-183), Joseph Fayfar, Jr. (81-158), Christine (83-134), Frank Kodelja (87-152), Charles Sternisha (89-100), Anton Oberstar (92-220), Frank L. Tomsic (101-216), John (106-226), Frances Kaplenk (107-128-197), Frank Matos (109-117), John Kure (110-153), Charles Jakopich (111-120), John Lipek (118-147), John Penko (122-125-204), Frank A. (123-192), Matt Vogrich (124-194), John Rahne (126-154), Mary Zgomec (129-156), Ignatz Benkše (130-170), Anton Golob (131-142), Anton F. Tauzely (136-163-227), Stanley (140-199), Frank Pernišek (148-175), Paul Ilov (150-160), Luka Cesnik (166-231), George Tomasevich (171-172), Frank Kramar (174-209), Frank Udovich (176-235), Magdaline (182-196), Frank Hocevar (185-218), Stanley Pogacnik (186-229), Anton Dugar (198-207), Fannie Jenko (201-202), Anton Klemencic (203-228), Louis Polaski (205-223-232-236).

soglasju z določbo pravil nato glavni predsednik imenuje v odboru sledče delegati: Joseph A. Mertel iz Minnesota,

Anton Kosoglov iz Pensylvanije, Antona Barago iz Ohio, Alberta Polajnarja iz Oregonia in Steve Mauserja iz Colorada. Ko so delegati oddali poverilnice poverilnemu odboru, je naznani glavni predsednik, da bo s tem prva seja zaključena, druga seja pa se bo pričela, ko bo poverilni odbor pregledal poverilnice ter bo mogel konvenciji podati svoje poročilo o pravomočnosti delegatov.

PAUL BARTEL, ANTON J. TERBOVEC,  
glavni predsednik; zapisnikar.

### Druga seja

Druga seja zborovanja je bila po glavnemu predsedniku otvorjena 9. septembra ob eni uri popoldne. Kot prva točka poslovnega reda pride na vrsto poročilo poverilnega odbora. Tajnik poverilnega odbora, brat Kosoglov, poroča, da je par delegat pozabilo svoje poverilnice doma, toda duplikati poverilnic, ki jih ima glavni tajnik, dokazujejo, da so bili tudi tisti pravilno izvoljeni ter so pravomočni delegati. Sploh so vsi navzoči delegati in delegatinje pravomočni.

Na dnevnih redih volitev konvenčnega predsednika. Stavljen je bil predlog, da bi se suspendiral tisti del točke 15 naših pravil, ki upravičuje glavne odbornike kandidirati v vsak konvenčni odbor ali urad, toda predlog je bil odklonjen. Nato sta bila nominirana in sta sprejela nominacijo za konvenčnega predsednika glavni nadzornik Frank E. Vranichar in delegat Frank J. Kress. Pri volitvi z listki so bili za Franka E. Vranicharja oddani 103 glasovi, za Franka J. Kressa pa 62 glasov. Za konvenčnega predsednika je bil izvoljen Frank E. Vranichar.

Za mesto dveh konvenčnih podpredsednikov so bili nominirani delegati: Mihael Rovanšek, Frank J. Kress, Ignac Zajec in Anton Klemenčič. Ker je delegat Kress umaknil svojo kandidaturo, gredo na glasovanje ostali trije kandidati. Rezultat glasovanja je bil sleden: Mihael Rovanšek je dobil 103 glasove, Anton Klemenčič 69, Ignac Zajec pa 55 glasov. Za prvega konvenčnega podpredsednika je bil torej izvoljen brat Mihael Rovanšek od št. 36 v Conemaughu, Pa., za drugega konvenčnega podpredsednika pa Anton Klemenčič od društva št. 203 v Cheswicku, Pa. Konvenčni predsednik in oba konvenčna podpredsednika nato zavzemajo svoja mesta na odru in vodstvo konvencije.

Konvenčni predsednik nato imenuje brata Antonia Terpina, člena društva št. 94 za vratarja in konvencija imenovanje odobri. V zvezi s tem se vname precej obširna debata, kdo sme prisostvovati konvenciji. Končno je bilo sklenjeno, da imajo poslušalci vseh vrst prost vstop na galerijo, v dvoranu pa smejo biti le glavni in porotni odborniki, redni delegati in delegatinje, častni delegati in delegatinje in časniški poročevalci. Častni delegati pa naj sedijo ločeno od rednih delegatov, da ne bo kakih zmešanj pri glasovanjih.

Za konvenčnega tajnika je bil nato nominiran in soglasno izvoljen pomožni glavni tajnik Frank Tomsich, Jr.

Za zapisnikarje so nominirani Anton J. Terbovec, Anton Krapenc in Frank J. Kress. Brat Kress nominacije ne sprejme, nakar sta bila proglašena za konvenčna zapisnikarja Anton J. Terbovec in Anton Krapenc.

Stavljen je bil predlog, da se zadnji stavek točke 15 naših pravil suspendira v svrhu, da bi smel konvenčni predsednik imenoval člane raznih konvenčnih odborov, katere bi potem seveda imela zbornica pravico odobriti ali odkloniti. Za tozadnevi predlog je bilo oddanih 54 glasov, proti pa 67, torej ni bil sprejet.

Nato je bilo po kratki debati sklenjeno, da se voli 4 konvenčne odbore, in sicer odbor za pravila, odbor za resolucije, odbor za prošnje in pritožbe in odbor za plače in dnevnice; vsak teh odborov naj ima 12 članov.

Sledijo nominacije za odbor za pravila. Ko je bilo nominirano že 29 delegatov za odbor 12 članov, se je razvila debata glede spremenitve prejšnjega sklepa, češ da bodo na ta način nominacije in volitve raznih odborov vzele zelo mnogo časa, ter je bil stavlen predlog, da se prejšnji sklep poroči, ter se dovoli konvenčnemu predsedniku nominirati člane za te odbore, nakar jih konvencija odobri ali odkloni. Za ta predlog je bilo oddanih 99 glasov, proti pa 13, torej je bil sprejet. Konvenčni predsednik imenuje člane konvenčnih odborov.

Po 15-minutnem odmoru so bili v odbor za pravila po konvenčnem predsedniku imenovani in so sprejeli nominacije sledči delegati: Joseph Kovach, od društva št. 1, Ely, Minn.; John Jurgle, od društva št. 26, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Frank Deželan, društvo št. 45, Indianapolis, Ind.; John Adamich, društvo št. 66, Joliet, Ill.; Mary Gorjup, društvo št. 72, Renton, Wash.; Anna Walter, društvo št. 103, Cleveland, O.; Frank Kramar, društvo št. 174, Farrell, Pa.; Joseph Oblak, društvo št. 70, Chicago, Ill.; John Lipek, društvo št. 118, Boncarbo, Colo.; Louis Ambrozich, društvo št. 30, Chisholm, Minn.; Frank Prevec, društvo št. 108, Youngstown, O.; John Jakopich, društvo št. 168, Helper, Utah.

V odbor za prošnje in pritožbe so bili nominirani in so nominacije sprejeli sledči delegati: John J. Zivetz, društvo št. 66, Joliet, Ill.; Frank Masle, društvo št. 53, Little Falls, N. Y.; Tony Orel, društvo št. 29, Imperial, Pa.; John Tanko, društvo št. 132, Euclid, O.; Joseph A. Mertel, društvo št. 200, Ely, Minn.; Pauline Vogrich, društvo št. 225, Milwaukee, Wis.; Jacob Prunk, društvo št. 84, Trinidad, Colo.; Joseph Rudolf, društvo št. 37, Cleveland, O.; Louis Perushek, društvo št. 2, Ely, Minn.; Math Vogrich, društvo št. 124, La Salle, Ill.; Anton Zgajnar, društvo št. 25, Gilbert, Minn.; Anton Stanovnik, društvo št. 94, Waukegan, Ill.

V odbor za resolucije so bili nominirani in so nominacije sprejeli sledči delegati: Joseph Milkovich, društvo št. 114, Ely, Minn.; Anton Kosoglov, društvo št. 40, Claridge, Pa.; dr. Louis F. Kompare, društvo št. 94, Waukegan, Ill.; Frank J. Kress, društvo št. 12, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Anton Baraga, društvo št. 71, Cleveland, O.; Steve Mauser, društvo št. 21, Denver, Colo.; Jennie Smith, društvo št. 43, East Helena, Mont.; Luka Cesnik, društvo št. 166, Indianapolis, Ind.; Anton F. Tauzelly, društvo št. 136, Krayn, Pa.; Anton Zaverl, društvo št. 200, Ely, Minn.; Matt Strauss, društvo št. 9, Calumet, Mich.; Frank Krusich, društvo št. 28, Kemmerer, Wyo.

V odbor za plače in dnevnice so bili nominirani in so nominacije sprejeli sledči delegati: Filip Fister, društvo št. 25, Eveleth, Minn.; John Zvezich, društvo št. 211, Chicago, Ill.; Stanley Jakovich, društvo št. 140, Morley, Colo.; Louis Polaski, društvo št. 205, Canonsburg, Pa.; Ignac Zajc, društvo št. 50, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Kajeton Erznoznik, društvo št. 58, Bear Creek, Mont.; Joseph Fayfar, Jr.; društvo št. 81, Aurora, Ill.; Mike Poklar, društvo št. 173, Cleveland, Ohio; Anton Kovačič, društvo št. 138, Export, Pa.; Valentine Marcina, društvo št. 18, Rock Springs, Wyo.; Joseph Krall, društvo št. 186, Cleveland, O.; Louis Zgomec, društvo št. 1, Ely, Minn.

Konvencija potrdi vse imenovane odbore.

Glede časa zborovanja je bilo več različnih priporočil in predlogov in končno je bilo sprejet, da se zboruje dnevno od 9. do 12. ure dopoldne ter od 1.30 do 5.30 popoldne, s 15-minutnim odmorom dopoldne in popoldne.

Nato je bilo sklenjeno, da se imena predlagateljev in podpiscev predlogov ne priobčujejo v zapisniku.

Sledijo poročila glavnih odbornikov. Prečitana so poročila sledčih glavnih odbornikov: Glavnega predsednika, štirih glavnih podpredsednikov in glavnega tajnika. Vsa poročila so bila sprejeti. Zaradi pozne ure se sklene, da se poročila ostalih glavnih odbornikov prečita na naslednji seji. Priobčijo pa se skupno in po vrstnem redu.

Konvenčni tajnik nato prečita sledči brzjavne in pismene pozdrave ter voščila konvenciji: Od glavnega tajnika KSKJ v Jolietu, Ill.; od federacije društva JSKJ v zapadni Pensylvaniji; od Glasa Naroda v New Yorku; od društva Sloga, št. 166 JSKJ v Indianapolisu, Ind.; od Jugoslovenske podporne zveze "Sloga" v Milwaukee, Wis.; od Slovenske ženske Zveze, po predsednici iz Sheboygana, Wis.; od Slovenske svobodomiselne podporne zveze v Chicagu, Ill.; od društva št. 225 JSKJ v Milwaukee, Wis.; od društva št. 43, v East Heli, Mont.; od društva št. 118 JSKJ v Boncarbo, Colo. Konvencija vzame pozdrave in voščila v aplavzom na znanje.

FRANK E. VRANICHAR, FRANK TOMSICH, JR.  
konvenčni predsednik; konvenčni tajnik;

ANTON J. TERBOVEC,  
zapisnikar.

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### Tretja seja

Konvenčni predsednik Frank E. Vranichar otvoril sejo ob 9. uri zjutraj.

Cita se imena glavnih uradnikov in delegatov. Navzoči so vsi.

Sledi čitanje zapisnikov prve in druge seje, katera se so soglasno sprejmeta, kot sta čitana.

Sledi poročilo glavnih in porotnih odbornikov. Vsa poročila so soglasno sprejeta kot so čitana.

Nato poroča direktor mladinskih kampanj Stanley Pechauer. Njegovo poročilo konvencija z odobravanjem vzame na znanje.

Sledi poročilo jednotinega pravnega svetovalca, katerega vzame konvencija na znanje.

Predsednik nadzornega odbora John Kumse poroča, da je nadzorni odbor pregledal tajnikove račune in da jih je našel v naj

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## ZAPISNIK 16. REDNE KONVENCIJE J. S. K. JEDNOTE

(Nadaljevanje s 1 strani)

Minnesoti, Illinoisu in Wisconsinu. Bil sem celo v državi Missouri. Povsed sem opazoval pri naših bratih in sestrach tisto bratsko in medsebojno ljubezen, katera nas je pripeljala do tako kolosalnega napredka.

Ves napredek, o katerem bomo slišali iz poročila glavnega tajnika in ostalih glavnih odbornikov, moramo pripisovati v prvi vrsti našemu dobremu in lojalnemu članstvu. Resnica je, da smo glavni odborniki vršili naše dolžnosti, gledali za ugled ter pravčit naše organizacije, vendar pa bi nam ne bilo mogoče veležiti takega napredka brez vaše velikodušne pomoči. Naša Jednota danes veleži najvišjo stopnjo članstva v njeni zgodovini, tako tudi najvišjo stopnjo v njeni finančni. Priznam, da so poseti raznih glavnih odbornikov po raznih naselbinah veliko pripomogli, ker so navduševali članstvo k bratskemu delu. Priznam tudi, da so naše agilne federacije tudi doprinesle svoj delž k našemu napredku. Mladinske konvencije in atletične konferenčne so spodbudile naše članstvo po naselbinah naše nove domovine za ponovno delo, ker pri vsaki taki konvencijski ali konferenci smo veležili sijajni napredok, ko smo pridobili novih in dobrih delavcev za našo organizacijo.

Ponosen in vesel sem, bratje in sestre, danes, ko vam podajam to poročilo. Žalosti me pa tudi, ko se spominjam na vse ogromne neprilike, skozi katere sem moral iti v dobi mojega poslovanja. "Zivljeno naše je boj," pravi pregovor, vendar pa nam ni potreba takoj velikega boja v bratski organizaciji. Moje mnenje je, da bi se v tem oziru dalo veliko izboljšati v naši organizaciji, ako bi se v naših pravilih dalo tudi glavnemu predsedniku poleg odgovornosti in skrbji tudi nekoliko veljave. Glavni predsednik take organizacije, kot je naša, katera stalno napreduje, — čez 25,000 članov v okoli tri milijone dolarjev premoženja, — naj bi bil glavni predsednik vodja organizacije v pravem pomenu besede. Radi tega sem priporočil federaciji za Illinois in Wisconsin, da naj na tej konvencijski priporoča, da je glavni predsednik načelnik vseh odborov (ex officio), ki mu od časa do časa dajejo svoja poročila.

Ako je glavni predsednik informiran samo po našem uradnem glasilu, kot je to vsak posamezni član ali članica, kako se more od njega pričakovati, da bi dajal pojasnila članstvu.

Zelo me veseli, da se sedanja konvencija vrši v moji naselini. Sedaj bom imel priliko, da vam dam razna pojasnila ter vam morem povrniti vse, kar ste za me storili po vaših naselinih, ko sem vas tekom mojega uradovanja obiskal.

Ob zaključku je moja bratska dolžnost, da se iskreno zahvalim vsem, kateri ste pripomogli naši organizaciji do tako krasnega uspeha. Delo je bilo ogromno, toda storili smo. Storili ste le svojo dolžnost do svojega bližnjega. Hvala vsem.

Vzemite te moje besede resno k srcu, bratje in sestre, a z njimi vred po sprejmite bratske pozdrave. Želeč največjega uspeha tej konvenciji, sem vaš za JSKJ.

Paul Bartel, glavni predsednik JSKJ.

### POROČILO PRVEGA GLAVNEGA PODPREDSEDNika JSKJ

Cenjeni bratje in sestre:

Moje poročilo bo kratko. Kot prvi glavni podpredsednik in član glavnega odbora sem vršil svojo dolžnost po svoji najboljši zmožnosti in po svojem prepričanju. Odgovarjal sem točno na vse dopise, ki sem jih do časa prejel iz glavnega urada in parkrat sem zastopal tudi glavnega predsednika, ko se ni mogel udeležiti seje. Skušal sem po svoji najboljši zmožnosti pomagati k napredku Jednote in ponosen sem na dejstvo, da organizacija, katero sem tudi jaz pomagal ustanoviti in katere prvega glavnega odbora sem bil tudi jaz član, danes šteje nad 25,000 članov in članic.

Do sedanjega stopnje se je zamogla naša Jednota dvigniti le s pomočjo dobre volje našega aktivnega članstva in pod zmognim vodstvom glavnih odbornikov. Od leta 1928 sem bil štiri leta v glavnem poročnem odboru in osem let v glavnem odboru. Tekom tega časa sem imel priliko opazovati aktivnost posameznih članov omenjenih odborov in njih prispevanje k rasti in napredku naše Jednote. Reči moram, da se je vsak izmed njih potrudil storiti kolikor je le mogel za korist organizacije. Zato na tem mestu toplo priporočam, da jim konvencija izrazí svoje priznanje.

Za svojo osebo se želim cenjeni delegaciji in potom nje celokupnemu članstvu zahvaliti za zaupanje, katerega se mi je izkazalo tekom zadnjih 12 let. Rad bi ostal še nadalje med glavnimi odborniki ter po svoji moći pomagal k nadaljnemu razvoju naše Jednote, toda čutim, da je prišel čas, ko ne bom mogel biti več aktivn in treba je vsled tega moje mesto izpolnit z mlajšo močjo. Tega Vam ne bo težko storiti, ker sem prepričan, da bo na konvenciji dovolj mladih moči, ki bodo z veseljem prevzeli naloge in delovali za še večji napredok JSKJ. — Z bratskim pozdravom,

Joseph Mantel, prvi glavni podpredsednik JSKJ.

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Officers to make their reports. As to the duties of a Supreme Officer, I tried in all my power to fulfill all the duties of a Supreme Officer at all times.

In the year of 1937 one must look at the Second Juvenile Convention, which was held in Ely, Minn., in which our Union made great advancement in our membership. It was very interesting to note the active part the juvenile members took in the membership drive. We must look for the younger generation to march on with our Union. Without them our Union may be lost. They were active in our last campaign.

In 1938 our grand SSCU held its fortieth anniversary and was celebrated with a bang! It showed our membership and its friends what our SSCU had in the past forty years and what they had to offer the members. It showed great advancement in the last forty years and what great help it was to its members. It also showed that it will continue to help its members in every possible way.

The year 1939 came along and the year showed great progress through the great help from its members from the juvenile and the adult departments. A tremendous gain was made in membership also bringing the delegates to the Home Office in Ely to see their home and make further plans for the future. The athletic delegation went to work on further plans for our sports. We must all try to help carry out their plans for we must continue on with our sports.

The year 1940 showed great gains in the membership. We must thank all of those who tried to help make this year's campaign a success and to bring all of these delegates to our convention here in Waukegan to meet with one another and make better friends with each other. May we all work and make further plans for our grand SSCU and may the delegates to our 16th regular convention make our by-laws to better our organization. I hope all the work done on the convention floor will go to benefit the entire membership and our Union. May we all work together.

As to the duties of my office, I always tried to fulfill them to the best of my ability. I always tried to help the membership and I had their full support at all times. I always tried to answer all my various referendums and correspondence in my honest way and I want to thank all of the Supreme Officers for their full support in the past four years. I thank you all.

Fraternally yours,

Paul J. Oblock, Second Supreme Vice-President

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### POROČILO TRETIJEGA PODPREDSEDNika

Delegatom in delegatinjam 16. redne konvencije:

V smislu pravil naša Jednota je dolžnost, da podajam konvenciji tudi moje poročilo, katerega bi lahko raztegnil, da bi bilo precej dolgo. Tega ne bom storil, ker ste o mojem delu, oziroma o aktivnosti naše Jednote čitali v Novi Dobi. Ko sem bil izvoljen v urad tretjega podpredsednika na konvenciji v Clevelandu, takrat sem objubil, da bom skušal oživeti delovanje za našo organizacijo v državi Colorado. V zadnjih treh letih in pol, ko so se vršile kampanje pri naši Jednoti, sem vedno navduševal naša društva in posamezne člane, da so vsi postali aktivni in da smo doprinali obilne sadove. Sodeloval sem vedno pri naši federaciji v Coloradu, da je federacija sodelovala z glavnim odborom potom nasvetov, kateri so bili v korist organizacije in članstva. Naš skupno delo je pokazalo dosti napredka, da nismo zaostajali za drugimi državami. Zato naj bo na tem mestu izražena moja iskrena zahvala vsem društvom, uradnikom društev in posameznim članom in članicam, ki so na ta ali oni način napravili kaj dobrega za JSKJ v državi Colorado. Z našim delom in uspehi smo spravili državo Colorado in sploh naš Zapad zopet na zemljevid naše Jednote.

Ob 40-letnici naše organizacije sem po nalogi glavnega odbora zastopal Jednote pri raznih društvenih prireditvah. Tako sem po sklepovi glavnega odbora zastopal Jednote pri slavnostni otvoritvi Slovenskega narodnega doma v Pueblo, Colo., kjer sem imel slavnostni govor. Po glavnem odboru sem bil poslan tudi v Ludlow, Colo., kjer se je ustanovilo novo društvo, da sem zapisel novo članstvo ter obrazložil vrline in dobrote naše organizacije. Spremljal sem na konvencijo mladinske delegate ob prilikih mladinskih konvencij. Po svojih danih možnostih sem napravil vse, kar mi je bilo naročeno po glavnem uradu ali zakujučkih glavnega odbora. Vestno in točno sem odgovarjal na vso korespondenco iz glavnega urada in od posameznih glavnih odbornikov, katerim se zahvaljujem za njih naklonjenost.

Z napredkom naše organizacije smo zadovoljni tudi na Zapadu. Saj naša društva na Zapadu so tudi oživelia ter hočejo to oživljevanje obdržati v bodoče. S pridnim delom in malim žrtvovanjem smo dosegli še velike uspehe, ako ostanemo še nadalje tolerantni in prijazni naprem vsakemu, katerega hočemo pridobiti v našo Jednote. To bomo morali dopovedati tudi naši mladi in, da bo razumela nas ter potem sama šla med ameriško mladino ter isto pridobila za JSKJ. Zato na tej konvenciji sem nismo prezreli prošnje in zahteve naše mladine, ampak ji moramo prizeti roko, da bomo v bodoče delali skupaj roka v roku za dobrobit in napredek naše organizacije. V naši mladini je bodočnost Jednote, bodimo jih zvesti svetovalci in pomočniki, kje koli bo naša pomoč potrebna.

Sedanji konvenciji želim veliko plodonosnega napredka in dobrih zaključkov.

Z bratskim pozdravom,

Frank Okoren, tretji glavni podpredsednik JSKJ.

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### REPORT OF FOURTH SUPREME VICE-PRESIDENT

Dear President, Officers of the Supreme and Judiciary Boards, Delegates and Guests of the Convention of SSCU:

It has been my pleasure to serve our South Slavonic Catholic Union in the capacity of Fourth Supreme Vice-President and as such I greet you all.

May the decisions rendered at the convention be sound and constructive that will enhance the ideals and principles underlying our organization and contribute further for the members' best interests.

During my term of office I have strived to execute to the best of ability its functions, whenever referendums were forwarded to me, I have given them a thorough studying before I rendered my decisions.

Knowingly, at this time I wish to congratulate all of our branch lodges who have participated in our campaigns for their wonderful work they have achieved in the progressive respects of our campaigns. Through their cooperative spirit our organization has prospered wonderfully.

Joseph Mantel, prvi glavni podpredsednik JSKJ.

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### REPORT OF SECOND SUPREME VICE-PRESIDENT

My Fellow Supreme Board Members and Convention Delegates:

As in the past conventions, it is a custom for the Supreme

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so pričakovali pozdravnih kartic od njega, se bodo morali zadovoljiti z zapisnikom.

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Konvenčni zapisnikar je uradno tako zaposlen, da zamudi skoro vse razvedrilne prireditve in večino drugih svetlih točk, ki lajšajo delo ostali slavnii delegaci. Skoro edine dosedaj ulovljene svetle točke tekom njevega zapisnikarjenja so bile:

Cvetnični vrt pri hiši dr. Furhana; sprejem častne delegacije; govor častnega delegata Spolarja; ter stava plačana častna mu delegatu Tomsichu iz Minnesota od strani častnega delegata Ambrozicha tudi iz Minnesote, katerega je pri premagal v tekmi predkonvenčne kampanje; izgubljena stava je bila plačana v tekoči obliki. Nepozaben ostane zapisnikarju tudi častni delegat Victor Dremely iz Pensylvanije, ki je ustavil pravega policijskega uradnika na motorjem kolesu ter mu dal lekcijo in tiket.

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Pisano in v kovertu diano v soboci hotela Karcher v idiličnem mestu Waukeganu na obali michiganske jezerja v konvenčnem odmoru, ki velja za vse, razen za konvenčnega zapisnikarja oziroma avtorja te kolone.

A. J. T.

### Konvenčni odmevi

**Sestnajsta redna konvencija J. S. K. Jednote je pričela zborati v Slovenskem narodnem domu v Waukeganu, Ill., v pondeljek 9. septembra. Večina rednih delegatov in glavnih odbornikov je došpela v konvenčno mesto že dan prej, to je v nedeljo 8. septembra, in zvezre istega dne se je vršila zanje sprejemna prireditve z lepim programom.**

**Castna delegacija je došpela v konvenčno mesto v četrtek 12. septembra, ter je bila posvečena vsa osma seja popoldne 12. septembra. Na tej seji so bili častni delegat in delegati izročeni certifikati častnega delegatstva, obenem z vstopnicami za večerni banket, in glavnemu tajniku se jim je oficiellno zahvalil za dobro delo, ki so ga tekom predkonvenčne kampanje opravili za Jednote. Castni delegat in delegati je lep sprejem ugajal ter bodo odnesli najlepše vtise s te konvencije.**

**Konstituiranje redne konvencije, sestava raznih konvenčnih odborov ter poročila glavnih in poročnih odbornikov so zveljavila po konvenčni seji.**

**Združljeno vprašanje je konvencija temeljito pretresla, saj je porabila za isto skoro polni due seji, torej en konvenčni dan. Pri razpravah sta bila navzoča tudi jednotin aktuar in glavni blagajnik SSPZ kot tajnik združevalnega odbora omenjene organizacije. Podana so bila vsa zahtevana in možna pojavnila in debate so bile neomejene.**

**Ko je prišlo združljeno vprašanje na glasovanje, je konvencija sprejela slednje začnevale vrste zahteve:** Naša Jednota je v principu za idejo poštenega združenja; od strani SSPZ predložena provizorična združljena pogodba je bila soglasno odklonjena kot nesprejemljiva; konvencija JSKJ je izjavila, da je naša Jednota v bodočnosti pripravljena stopiti v združljena pogodanja s katero koli jugoslovanske bratsko organizacijo, ako je slednja pripravljena upoštevati našo načelo izjavo in naša pravila; dokler se kakšna organizacija ne prijavi za taka pogodanja ali pa dokler se ne začnejo razprave o pravilih za prihodnjo konvencijo, se v našem glasilu ne razpravlja več o združenju; ne voli se nikakega združevalnega operacije,

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# Nova Doba

AMPLIFYING THE VOICE OF THE ENGLISH SPEAKING MEMBERS

## ENVIRONMENT AND CHARACTER

Environment is of supreme importance in the making of character. Faulty personalities which appear impossible to be remade, or reformed are seen to be entirely changed when put under the right influences. Philosophic investigations have proved that the leopard's spots can be changed, or even quite wiped out and the character made.

What better environment could be had than that which the lodges have to offer. Members belonging to the SSCU have an insight in some of the problems of life and are taking precautions against any possible misfortune. Otherwise, these people would not be a part of our organization. Who knows what fate has in store for us? Sickness and possible death may come to any one of us at any time.

### Mutual Feeling

Fraternal feeling of love for the fellow-members is evidenced by all of our lodges. Spirit of harmony is prevalent and a sense of mutual feeling is ever present. In case of misfortune of one of its fold others come to the rescue. That is one of the chief reasons why our SSCU is gaining such nation-wide prominence. That of brotherly love.

But coming back to environment as being beneficial in the molding of character we must admit that by rubbing elbows with foresighted people influences the young mind to do likewise. It is a case of right thinking against wrong thinking. By thinking right one acts right a matter of course. That is one of the reasons why some of our youth do not tend to develop towards criminal tendencies. Even had such tendencies been inborn, the influences of right surrounding would have arrested them.

### Problem of Society

This points to the duty of society. According to investigators of behavior training and proper environment a great deal to do with checking human deterioration. Begin with youth of the land, train it in the way it should go and there need be no criminal class, they say. By observing the type of youth that frequents the saloons, and places that offer similar diversification mind, one notices that a certain class of people may be seen to spend most of their spare time in that environment. Although, such hobbies are not to be condemned taken sparingly, it should not predominate any one individual. By having the same people interested in the activities of a lodge one will notice the sudden change in their character. It should be emphasized at this point that the main purpose of our organization is to guide youth in the right channels of thinking.

## Onward Betsy Ross!

Cleveland, O. — At the time this writing, our delegate, Krall, and our honorary delegate Andy Zadell, are winding up their good time in Wauwatosa and getting ready to come home. Thanks for the cards, Andy and Andy.

November 23rd is the date you ought to encircle in red your calendar right now. First Betsy Ross dance of season will be held on that date.

All other SSCU lodges other friends are asked to that date in mind. As in years, we're coming across a darn good time for everyone. With the dissolution of the Triumverate, three of the SSU lodges have enriched their treasury. The lodges sharing in validation of the Triumverate are the George Washington Boosters and Betsy

The street car party was such a financial and social success and it attracted so much attention, that Betsy Ross has been asked to hold another. October 26th is the day. And it will be a Hallowe'en Masquerade Party. If you're one of the many that were sorry you didn't attend the last one, be sure to remember this date. We assure you a bigger and even better time. And we're making sure the same motorman and conductor escort us on this trip. Complete details concerning the party will be published at a later date.

Thanks to Yankie's suggestion, our next meeting will be such that many members will attend. We're dipping into the B. R. money bag and taking out enough to cover for plenty of refreshments. Yankie, himself, will donate the music for the evening. Friends of B. R. are invited to attend the social after the meeting. The day of this meeting is October 14th. All members are asked to save the day for Betsy Ross.

Our biographical sketch for this week:

He's tall, dark and handsome and tips the scales at an even 200. He likes to wear suspenders and he recently lost a pair to a souvenir hunter. He bought a bike which he never uses. But which he generously lends to almost everyone else in the neighborhood. He drives a big car and in everyday life, he's a pretty important person as manager of the meat department of the Collinwood Co-op. Store. He makes a grand master of ceremonies and right now his interests lie in the Blonde line. So—OK, Joe Nowak, take your bow.

Dorothy Rossa

## Lodge 70

Chicago, Ill. — Members of lodge "Jugoslavanski zvon," 70, SSCU are hereby notified that the regular monthly meeting will be held on Saturday, September 21. In addition to the reports of delegates from the convention recently concluded will be many other important items, such as discussions on the bowling league about to be organized in our lodge. Hence I anticipate a full attendance, particularly those who have an interest in bowling.

John Gottlieb, Pres.  
No. 70, SSCU

## Center Ramblers

Center, Pa. — The Center Ramblers are holding their annual Hallowe'en Masquerade dance on October 26. An orchestra has been engaged and an efficient committee is working on other entertaining details. Further notices will appear in later editions of the Nova Doba.

We would like to see a larger percentage of our members present at the next meeting, second Sunday of October at 2 p.m. Since daylight saving time is ended in September, our next meeting will be held at 2:00 o'clock standard time.

Dora Peterrel  
Sec'y, Lodge 221, SSCU

## Lodge 120

Ely, Minn. — All members of M. C. S. Lodge No. 120, SSCU are notified that our regular meeting will be held Sunday, Sept. 22 at 7 p.m. at the Community Center. Our meeting was not held before because the lodge president and secretary are at the Convention.

Rose Svetich,  
Sec'y, No. 120, SSCU

I guess the Betsy Ross girls know how to do it. The Three R's are members of the Frances Susel Cadet drill team which won first prize at Euclid Beach park last Saturday. Now the girls are all sporting medals on their lapels.

We're wondering if J. P. Morgan has a new heart interest these days. No M. C.'s mother didn't say anything when she came home late the other night, J. P.

Our pretty blonde secretary Helen, still has all the boys wishing she wasn't married.

The lodge now has three unique members, "One-Below," "Two-Below," and "Three-Below." "Two-Below" is an expert hair-brusher. But stay away away with that whisk broom, Red.

Thanks to Mike Perme, Rudy Ujicic of Barberton, and Red Zaman the Three R's had a grand trip to Strabane, Pa., on Labor Day.

The team thanks John Laurich for his wonderful job of scorekeeping and to all the rest of the lodge members who were out to root for the boys.

Saturday, Sept. 21, Struthers Lodge 232 will come to Cleveland to play for the state SSCU championship at Glenview Park at E. 110 St. Three blocks north of St. Clair Ave. at 3 p.m.

There will be a banquet in the evening where the trophies and pins will be distributed to the various players. The banquet will be held at Four Points Tavern, 660 E. 152d St. Anyone wishing to secure tickets may do so by getting in touch with Joe Struna, 19515 Mohawk Ave. or yours truly. Will close now.

## BRIEFS

*Representatives to the Ohio Federation of SSCU lodges will assemble on Sunday, November 3, when the next federation meeting is scheduled to take place in the Slovene National Home on St. Clair Ave., in Cleveland, Ohio.*

*Sunday, November 16th, is the date of the next dance to be sponsored by lodge 71, SSCU, Cleveland, O.*

*Ohio state SSCU softball championship lodge title will be decided on Saturday, September 21st, when two district champions will play the final game of the season. Cardinals, 229, SSCU, Struthers, O., winners of the Barberton-Struthers section, will tangle with the Cleveland SSCU Softball League champions, Collinwood Boosters, 188, SSCU, Cleveland, O. An impressive banquet fitting the occasion will follow the game.*

## Coll. Boosters Bits

Cleveland, O. — Another successful baseball season has just passed. The Cleveland SSCU Softball League Championship was won by the Collinwood Boosters Lodge, 188, by defeating the Napredel Lodge 132 in a best out of three series by taking two straight 1-0 and 5-0.

The other lodges namely Betsy Ross, St. Johns, and Ilirska Vila deserve a big hand for their fine sportsmanship throughout the 1940 baseball season.

The following members contributed largely to the successful baseball season: Albert (Puffy) Bohinc who was a standout pitcher in the league. Ludi Laurich for his fine fielding and hitting throughout the year. The other members who are also in for their share of glory are John (Minnie) Nachtigal, Frank (Buff) Berzin, Lou Starmann, Jimmy Rusic, Loichy Ivanic, August Fortuna, Frank Fortuna, Edward Marinic, Frank (Novy) Novezel, Joe (Chubby) Champa, Marty Yerick, Henry (Baker) Bokal and John Urbancich.

Rudolph (Farmer) Agnich deserves a big hand for the way he handled the team even though he was handicapped at times. The two coaches Joe Struna and Steve Branchick have done a wonderful job on the coaching lines.

The two mascots who will probably replace some of the members in a few years time are Vincent Fortuna and Tony Straizir.

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John Urbancich

## About This And That

Cleveland, O. — So 500 of our grand SSCUers attended our 16th quadrennial convention in Waukegan, Ill. According to postcards and letters, they all seem to be having a grand time over there. Convention chairman was Mr. Frank E. Vranichar, a friend whom I met at the convention last year. Congrats for the post, Mr. Vranichar.

Yours truly is forever thankful for the nice card sent from Waukegan by the supreme officers and the delegates. A card was addressed to me with the following message: Best regards from the SSCU Convention; signed: Dr. F. J. Arch, P. Bartel, T. Drenik, A. M. Kardell, J. Korenic, P. Krall, J. Kumse, B. Mateska, A. Milavec, Jr., P. Oblock, A. Okolish, J. Opeka, Little Stan Pechaver, J. Gogelj, M. Smrdel, R. Svetich, A. Terbovec, F. Tomsich, Jr., F. Vranichar, convention chairman, and A. Zbasnik. Thanks a million to all for the card as a remembrance never to be forgotten.

And so now we'll have our pages filled with news of the convention. There will be Little Stan reporting with other reporters as Misses Florence D. Startz and Agnes Godec and our Slovene editor, Mr. Anton Terbovec also writing. Yes, now we'll hear some grand news.

Last week Betsy Ross stood out on the limelight again. Nice article written by Dot Rossa. Let's continue having them, Dot and Rose.

So just to remind you about our ball game and banquet again this Saturday. The game in the afternoon at 3:00 p.m. at Glenview and banquet in the evening beginning at 8 p.m. Don't forget.

Elsie M. Desmond

## SSCU Softball News

Cleveland, O. — The Cleveland baseball winners, Collinwood Boosters will play Cardinals, No. 229 of Struthers, Ohio this Saturday afternoon at 3:00 p.m. at Glenview to determine the champs of Ohio.

The Cleveland SSCU Softball League officials are asking that the Cardinals be here on time to play the game so as soon as the game is finished, Cleveland can turn hosts to you and prepare a banquet for you.

Joe Struna, chairman of the banquet announced that the banquet will be held at Pole Cafe at 8:00 p.m. So please be there on time, as the banquet can begin. After the banquet a social will follow. We are asking all SSCUers who can attend the banquet to do so. If you can't possibly attend the banquet, try to be with the group for the social.

Let's hope that many SSCUers can also be present at the game Saturday afternoon to begin at 3:00 p.m. and be played at Glenview with the Collinwood Boosters vs Cardinals.

And the banquet in the evening with the social to follow will close the 1940 baseball season; a grand season not to be forgotten by all the ball players and their friends. So you are all cordially invited to attend the banquet. Reservations can be made with Joe Struna of 19515 Mohawk Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio.

Elsie M. Desmond

## Convention Elects Supreme and Judiciary Officers

The 16th regular quadrennial convention elected the following officers for the next four years:

Janko N. Rogelj, Cleveland, O., supreme president; Frank Okoren, Denver, Colo., first supreme vice-president; Paul J. Oblock, Center, Pa., second supreme vice-president; Joseph Kovach, Ely, Minn., third supreme vice-president; Anton Krapenc, Chicago, Ill., fourth supreme vice-president; Joseph Sneler, Pittsburgh, Pa., fifth supreme vice-president; Mary Predovich, Butte, Mont., sixth supreme vice-president; Anton Zbasnik, Ely, Minn., supreme secretary; Frank Tomsich, Ely, Minn., assistant supreme secretary; Louis Champa, Ely, Minn., supreme treasurer; Dr. F. J. Arch, Pittsburgh, Pa., supreme medical examiner; Anton J. Terbovec, Cleveland, O., editor-manager; John Kumse, Lorain, O., chairman sup. board of trustees; Frank Vranichar, Joliet, Ill., first supreme trustee; Matt Anzelc, Aurora, Ill., second supreme trustee; Andrew Milavec, Meadowlands, Pa., third supreme trustee; F. J. Kress, Pittsburgh, Pa., fourth supreme trustee; Anton Okolish, Barberton, O., chair. sup. bd. of judiciaries; Frank Mike, Strabane, Pa., first supreme judiciary; Rose Svetich, Ely, Minn., second supreme judiciary; Steve Mausar, Denver, Colo., third supreme judiciary; Ignac Zajc, Brooklyn, N. Y., fourth supreme judiciary.

By a vote of 125 to 38 the convention is in favor to change the name of the organization. The supreme board will select the name.

OCTOBER 2nd ISSUE TO BE OMITTED

Every year, one issue of the Nova Doba is omitted in suspended.

## Pueblo, Colo. Lodge 42 Baseball Team



Pueblo, Colo. — Ending a very successful baseball season with many a well-earned victory tucked away, perhaps is the main reason for the satisfied bearing of the above members of the St. Mary's Lodge, 42, SSCU baseball club. The above picture was taken after a 11 inning thriller, with the boys of St. Mary's on top of a 4 to 3 score. The team commands an enviable record for the season with 15 victories against 3 defeats.

Seated: left to right are: Joe J. Mishmash Jr., stellar third baseman; Jake "Dickey" Plute, hard hitting catcher; John Pauchek, manager and pinch hitter; John "Gabby" Prince; utility catcher; and F. "Vandy" Kochevar, southpaw chucker. Kochevar has played professional baseball. Standing left to right: J. "Rabbits" Mehle, speedy outfielder; Fonsil "the little giant" Kochevar, outfielder and former high school basketball star, who stands 6 ft. 5 in.; John Stancer, second baseman and leading batsman; Nick Zakrasek, shortstop and team captain.

Members of the team, who do not appear in the above picture include; infielders, Joe Gordon Mencin, Bobbie Gacnik; and pitchers Ed "shorty" Kaklich, Max Tekavec and John "speedy" Muhic.

Nick Zakrasek,  
No. 42, SSCU

## Program for Ohio SSCU Title Game

Time and Place: Saturday, September 21, 3 p.m. at Glenview Diamond, three blocks north of St. Clair Ave., on E. 110th St., Cleveland, O.

Contestants: Coll. Boosters, 188, SSCU, champions of the Cleveland SSCU Softball League for 1940; and Cardinals, 229, SSCU, Struthers, O., champions of the Struthers-Barberton section.

Entertainment: Banquet at 8 p.m. at Four Points Tavern, 660 E. 152d St.

Prizes: Beautiful trophies for individual players of both teams, and two larger trophies for the league championship team and runners-up.

Who May Attend! Every member of the SSCU, his friends and acquaintances.

Banquet Reservations: Contact Joseph Struna, general chairman, 19515 Mohawk Ave., or your lodge secretary. Cost shall be only fifty cents a plate.

## Back to College

## ZAPISNIK 16. REDNE KONVENCIJE J. S. K. JEDNOTE

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Cleveland, O. — By the time this week's issue of the ever popular paper — the Nova Doba — reaches you I will be back at school again. Yes, your Ilirska Vila reporter will join the thousands who are pondering over intellectual problems at grammar schools, high schools and colleges. I will resume my studies in the Liberal Arts Department of Kent State University — "America's fastest growing College" about the eighteenth of September. No doubt I am very anxious to get back to my books and to work in the laboratories after a long but enjoyable summer vacation. But there is more than desire necessary to permit one to go to college. There are big financial problems to be taken care of. This burden falls upon my parents; may they live to the day to see me obtain my degree. Thanks mother and dad for giving me such an opportunity.

Parting is such sweet sorrow. But I had to say goodbye to my friends before leaving. I will miss all my SSCU friends especially those belonging to Ilirska Vila with whom I had so much fun this summer. It seems that it is just impossible to have a dull time when the Ilirska Vila members are around. The first big get together was our lodge picnic June 16 last. Since then we've had many nice times together. Our weekly baseball games proved most interesting. I also met several relatives, members of the SSCU in other states, of the Ilirska Vila members. I had a wonderful time with them too and hope they can return to Cleveland again next summer.

I think it most fitting to thank all my friends for their fine showers of compliments about my recent articles in the Nova Doba. My aim is to please everyone and give them the latest news the way they like it best. I assure you I was very glad to act as the Ilirska Vila reporter, this summer, as I have done for the past several years.

However, the time has come when I have to put my pen and paper aside and discontinue writing till another vacation comes around. It is very hard at times to find enough time to put up an article for the paper. College requires plenty of study. Even though I will not be able to help fill the paper I will enjoy each issue — thanks to the editors who will send me a paper as they did last year. — I will eagerly follow up the happenings of the Union and read what my friends are doing. I think my sisters will do their part to fill up that little gap I'm leaving in the paper. Go to it, Florence, you have what it takes. I think my younger sister Bernice will do her tiny part to keep Ilirska Vila on the children's page too. To all the fellow scribes of the Nova Doba the best of news. I'll be reading your articles.

Since I will live at the Dormitory for the next nine months I think I should give all my pen pals and friends my address for the current school year. I hope they will all write to me as in the past. I'd love to hear what my SSCU friends are doing. Please note my new address:

14 Engleman Hall, Kent State University, Kent, Ohio.

In conclusion I'd like to thank all my friends for such a grand summer vacation and send my best wishes to all the members of a grand Union — the SSCU.

Anne Prosen  
Ilirska Vila Reporter

Also I wish to commend the whole Supreme Board for their ability in construing the programs for the success of the campaigns. It has been a pleasure for me to be a member of the Board and having it function in unison as it did for the four years.

I hope that for the future the same cooperative spirit be achieved for the betterment of our organization's progress.

In conclusion, I wish to extend my best wishes to the entire delegation gathered here for the 16th convention, for a most successful assembly of our SSCU. May the work to be accomplished by this body transcend all efforts attempted by our splendid organization.

Respectfully Yours,

John P. Lunka, Fourth Supreme Vice-President

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## SPLOŠNO POROČILO GLAVNEGA TAJNIKA 16. REDNI KONVENCIJI JSKJ

Cenjeni bratje in sestre:

Iz mojega finančnega poročila je razvidno, da je Jednota tekom zadnjih štirih let v odraslem oddelku napredovala za \$582,966.34, mladinskem oddelku pa za \$39,403.50. Čisti napredek v obeh oddelkih znaša \$622,369.84.

Premoženje odraslega oddelka je dne 30. junija 1936 znašalo \$1,954,418.96, mladinskega pa \$138,194.46, skupaj \$2,092,613.42. Dne 30. junija 1940 je premoženje odraslega oddelka znašalo \$2,537,385.30, premoženje mladinskega oddelka pa \$177,597.96, skupaj \$2,714,983.26.

Od 1. julija 1936 do 30. junija 1940 je bilo v odrasli oddelki sprejetih 3960 članov, v mladinskem pa 6768, skupaj 10,728. Dne 30. junija 1936 je Jednota v odraslem oddelku štela 13,400 članov, v mladinskem oddelku pa 6,975, skupaj 20,375 članov. Z dnem 30. junija 1940 šteje Jednota v odraslem oddelku 15,513 članov, v mladinskem oddelku pa 9,630, skupaj 25,143 članov.

Čisti napredek v članstvu od zadnje konvencije do danes znaša 4,768 članov in članic v obeh oddelkih, kar pomeni, da se je članstvo Jednote zadnjih štirih let pomnožilo za 19%. To je brezvonomo najboljši napredek v zgodovini naše Jednote.

Na podaljšani zavarovalnini (extended insurance) se nahaja 285 članov in članic.

V odraslem oddelku je v načrtu "A" zavarovanih 6659 članov; v načrtu "AA" 4779; v načrtu "B" 1313; v načrtu "C" 316; v načrtu "D" 1558; v načrtu "E" 604 in v načrtu "F" 284.

V mladinskem oddelku je v načrtu "JA" zavarovanih 9476 otrok; v načrtu "JB" 35 in v načrtu "JC" 119.

Zavarovalnina v odraslem oddelku je dne 30. junija 1936 znašala \$9,931,998.00, v mladinskem pa \$3,138,750.00, skupaj \$13,070,748.00. Zavarovalnina v odraslem oddelku z dnem 30. junija 1940 znaša \$11,037,463.00, v mladinskem pa \$4,377,700.00, skupaj \$15,415,163.00. Čisti napredek v skupni zavarovalnini znaša \$2,344,415.00.

Z dnem 31. decembra 1939 je solventnost smrtninskega skladu Jednote znašala 130.43%.

Povprečne realizirane obresti od naših investicij za zadnja štiri leta znašajo 4.107%.

Število članov, ki nam dolgujejo na posojilih na certifikate znaša 2021, posojena vsota pa \$186,203.79.

Jednota je z dnem 30. junija 1940 štela 186 društev, ki se nahajajo v sledečih državah:

Država:	Število društev:	mlad. članov:	odraslih članov:	Skupaj
California	2	16	71	87
Colorado	14	879	1,183	2,062
Idaho	1	2	16	18
Illinois	13	870	1,118	1,988
Indiana	4	205	349	554
Kansas	3	77	170	247
Maryland	2	20	63	83
Michigan	6	121	392	513
Minnesota	28	1,859	3,423	5,282
Missouri	1	38	55	93
Montana	7	818	586	1,404
Nebraska	1	47	98	145
New Mexico	1	38	21	59
New York	5	126	435	561
Ohio	18	1,037	2,258	3,295
Oregon	1	12	59	71
Pennsylvania	56	2,652	3,883	6,535
Utah	3	120	141	261
Washington	7	152	442	594
West Virginia	5	59	133	192
Wisconsin	2	163	193	356
Wyoming	6	319	424	743
<b>Skupaj</b>	<b>186</b>	<b>9,630</b>	<b>15,513</b>	<b>25,143</b>

V odraslem oddelku je v vseh skladih zavarovanih 11,365 članov, samo za smrtnino 1,627, samo za smrtnino ter bolniško in odškodnino podporo 891, samo za smrtnino in onemoglostno podporo 1,630.

Tekom zadnjih štirih let je v odraslem oddelku umrlo 624 članov, v mladinskem pa 43, skupaj 667.

Članov starih nad 65 let je Jednota z dnem 31. decembra 1939 imela 696, starih nad 70 let pa 264.

Tekom zadnjih štirih let se je javilo bolnim 7,556 članov.

Bolniške podpore se je tekomp zadnjih štirih let izplačalo \$358,049.50, za operacije in odškodnine pa \$74,009.98, skupaj \$432,059.48.

Na onemoglostni podpori se točasno nahaja 103 članov in članic.

Certifikate je tekomp štirih let vnovčilo 85 članov in članic.

V zadnjih štirih letih smo imeli 8,087 suspendacij in 4,130 ponovnih sprejemov.

V teku zadnjih štirih let smo imeli štiri uspešne članske kampanje, dve mladinski konvencijski in eno atletično konferenco. Kampanja, ki se je vršila pred drugo mladinsko konvencijo leta 1937 nam je doprinesla 2,422 članov v mladinski oddelk in 486 članov v odrasli oddelk; kampanja, ki se je vršila povodom 40-letnice naše Jednote v letu 1938, nam je doprinesla 283 članov v mladinski oddelk in 258 v odrasli oddelk; kampanja, ki se je vršila pred tretjo mladinsko konvencijo in drugo atletično konferenco leta 1939, nam je doprinesla 1,711 članov v mladinski oddelk in 723 v odrasli oddelk, in predkonvenčna kampanja, ki

se je vršila letos, nam je doprinesla 1,373 članov v mladinski oddelk in 866 v odrasli oddelk. V vseh štirih kampanjah je pristopilo 8,122 članov v obo oddelka.

Finančni odsek je tekomp zadnjih štirih let investiral \$754,142.03, in sicer po priliki letnih in polletnih sej glavnega odbora ter potom dopisovanja. Pri investiranju smo imeli pred očmi najprej varnost glavnice in šele potem mero obresti. Povprečne obresti od kupljenej investicij znašajo okrog 3.40%, kar je z ozirom na lestvico, na kateri so bazirani naši asesmenti, vsekakor preniklo. Investiranje jednotnega premoženja je vsa v sedanjih časih zelo težka in delikatna naloga Vašega finančnega odseka, kajti klub poizvedbam in natančnih informacij, katere odsek prejme, se je včasih težko odločiti, ker se ne ve, kaj prinese bodočnost. Ker sem ravno pri finančnem odseku naj mi bo dovoljeno pripomiti, da smatram sedano plačo finančnih odbornikov v primeru z njih delom in odgovornostjo preniklo in priporočam cenjeni delegaci, da se v bodoče temu odseku določi večje odškodnino.

Od zadnje konvencije pa do danes je glavni odbor rešil 82 važnih zadev potom referendumu. Tega referendumu so se udeležili tudi glavni podpredsedniki, katerih plača znaša letno 20 dolarjev.

Poleg glavnega tajnika in glavnega pomočnega tajnika je v glavnem uradu nastavljenih 5 pomočnikov, katerih mesečna plača znaša skupaj \$475.00. Prva pomočnica in glavna knjigovodkinja ima \$135.00 na mesec in je uslužbena v glavnem uradu že 14 let; druga pomočnica ima \$105.00 na mesec in je uslužbena v glavnem uradu 10 let; tretji pomočnik ima \$95.00 na mesec in je uslužben v glavnem uradu 9 let; četrta pomočnica ima \$80.00 na mesec in je uslužbena v glavnem uradu 4 leta, peta pomočnica ima \$60.00 na mesec in je uslužbena v glavnem uradu eno leto. Danes je v glavnem uradu skoraj trikrat toliko dela kot ga je bilo leta 1931, pa imamo samo dve pomočnici več kot smo jih imeli tedaj. Nobena druga organizacija ne plačuje svojim pomočnikom v glavnem uradu tako nizkih plač, kot naša, dasiravno se moji pomočniki po zmožnosti in marljivosti lahko merijo s pomočniki vsake druge slične organizacije. Zraven tega so poleg angleškega jezika večji tudi slovenščine. Vsled tega priporočam cenjeni delegaci, da v tem oziru nekaj ukrene, da bo glavnemu odboru omogočeno pomočnike v glavnem uradu na njih dobro in marljivo delo bolj primerno in bolj pošteno odškodovati. Naša Jednota je danes moderna zavarovalnica, šteje nad 25,000 članov in ima nad dva in tri četrtine milijona dolarjev premoženja. Delo v glavnem uradu je danes bolj komplikirano kot je bilo pred leti, in za to delo potrebuje glavni tajnik zmožnih ter izkušenih moči.

Kar se tiče mojega lastnega dela, ne bom o njem podrobnejje razpravljaj, ker bi vzel celo knjigo, ako bi hotel istega natančno opisati. Brezvonomo je znano vsakemu od Vas, da je glavni tajnik obenem glavni poslovodja Jednote in da mora iti vsaka stvar skozi njegove roke. Pozornost moram dati investiciji, kolektirjanju obresti, izplačilom smrtnin, bolniških podpor in odškodnin; voditi korespondenco z glavnimi in porotnimi odborniki, s krajevnimi uradniki, z akutuarjem, z državnimi zavarovalninskimi oddelki in s posameznimi člani. Tekom zadnjih štirih let sem naredil tudi več potovanj, bodisi radi bondov, ki so bili kupljeni še od prejšnjih administracij, ali radi drugih važnih opravil. Razume se, da v moji odnosnosti mojega dela ni nihče rešil in da sem ga moral potom čezurnega dela sam opraviti, ko sem se vrnil. Veliko dela so mi povzročile tudi kampanje, ki smo jih imeli od zadnje konvencije pa do danes, a sem to delo rad opravljaj, ker so bile te kampanje nad vse uspešne in za Jednote koristne. Sicer nas te kampanje stanejo precej denarja, toda za svojo osebo sem prepričan, da je to edina pot, po kateri je mogoče članstvo pomnožiti.

V Novi Dobi ste imeli priložnost čitati sprememb in dodatke za pravila, katere sem sklenil priporočiti tej konvenciji. Nekaj teh sprememb moramo narediti, da zadostimo postavljanim raznih držav in določbam državnih zavarovalninskikh oddelkov, nekaj pa, da se poenostavim in izboljšam način splošnega poslovanja. Pomniti je treba pri tem, da teh sprememb nisem naredil v enem dnevu, ampak sem delal na njih vsa štiri leta od zadnje konvencije. Vsaka predlagana sprememba in vsak dodatek je natančno premislen, in za vsakega bom lahko navedel opravičen vzrok. Naj nihče ne misli, da je bilo to delo prijetno ali da ga hočem komu vasiljevati. Sprememb priporočam za to, ker sem prepričan, da so potrebne in za Jednote koristne. Nekaterim posameznikom ne ugajava, ker imajo radi svoje osebne interese pred očmi, toda Vi, ki ste zastopniki in zastopnice CELE Jednote, Vi ste dolžni storiti to, kar bo za CELO Jednote dobro in koristno.

Najvažnejša sprememba, katero sem vključil v moja priporočila, se tiče bolniškega oddelka. Predložena lestvica za plačevanje bolniške podpore je bila pred leti sestavljena od bivše Jugoslavenske bratske federacije in je danes v rabi pri treh večjih jugoslovenskih podpornih organizacijah. Lestvica ta konvencija lahko nekoliko modifira, toda ne preveč, in ako jo boste odkrili, bo s tem naš bolniški oddelk veliko bolj utrjen, kot je sedaj. Ako boste po sklenili, da je stari sistem plačevanja bolniških podpor, do katere naj bi bil član tekom njegove članstva v bolniškem oddelku upravičen. V tem slučaju bo treba

## ZAPISNIK 16. REDNE KONVENCIJE J. S. K. JEDNOTE

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Adjustment of errors made by bank for interest collection	362.50
Transfer to Juvenile Department—interest adjustment.	218.13
	\$ 639,600.80
Sick and Indemnity Fund:	
Sick Claims, operations, etc.	\$ 432,945.23
Transferred to Expense Fund.	8,655.88
Fees remitted to Lodges 30 and 150	40.00
Assessments returned to members	87.70
\$ 441,728.81	
Disability Fund:	
Disability Benefits	\$ 33,862.28
Transferred to Sick & Indemnity, Expense and Athletic Funds	6,078.90
Assessments returned to members	19.50
Athletic Fund:	
Authorized payments to lodges	\$ 5,260.00
Salary of Athletic Commissioner	480.00
Entertainment expenses	2,430.26
Contributions to SSCU Federations and Lodges	800.00
Fees of Athletic Conference	2,015.93
Transferred to Expense Fund	1,000.00
Govednik	50.00
Assessments returned to members	4.12
Expense Fund:	
Salaries:	
Members of Supreme Bd. not including Supr. Med. Exam.	\$ 37,364.50
Members of the Finance Committee	1,527.00
Supreme Medical Examiner	5,615.75
Assistant Editor of "Nova Doba"	3,120.00
Office Employees	22,516.90
Pechaver	360.00
Pechaver	100.00
	\$ 70,604.15
Traveling Expenses of Members of Supreme Board:	
Road fare	\$ 5,502.76
Diems	11,938.50
	\$ 17,441.26
Rents:	
Office Building	\$ 4,200.00
Office Boxes	38.50
Safe Deposit Boxes	550.55
	\$ 4,789.05
Actuary:	
Taylor	\$ 4,818.45
	\$ 4,818.45
Legal Services:	
William B. Laurich, Salary	\$ 100.00
Joseph E. Kuhar, Salary	350.00
James J. Carey, Legal opinions	92.20
John Gushlan, legal services	289.00
John McEnerney, Jr., legal services Re: Livingston Parish Bds.	300.00
John Berger & Feibleman	50.00
John C. Arko, Lodge 150 vs 230	378.00
John N. Genzberger, legal ser. Re: Louis Baltazer No. 105	107.50
Fees Rs: Louis Baltazer, Lodge No. 105	32.00
Assessments Re: Anton Petrich No. 44 and Anton Grinch No. 105	277.74
Diems and fares for witnesses Re: Lodge 150 vs 230	54.15
	\$ 2,030.59
Awards:	
Various lodges for new members and to subordinate secretaries for conversions of certificates	\$ 8,484.25
	\$ 8,484.25
Fees:	
Assurance by Insurance Departments of Minnesota and Ohio	\$ 1,866.53
Assurances to various State Insurance Departments	1,445.00
Annual and State Fraternal Congress dues	750.00
Friedsburg, Notarial fees	2.50
John L. Mantel, Notarial fees	74.50
Assessment fees for new members	2,553.75
Assessment fees for members. Re: Sick and Indemnity benefits	104.00
	\$ 6,796.28
Water, Light and Heat:	
Ely, light and water	\$ 127.68
Standard Oil Company, fuel oil	316.80
Gas and Oil Company, fuel oil	18.04
	\$ 462.52
Taxes and Unemployment Compensation Contributions:	
Treasury Department, Excise Taxes	\$ 393.92
Social Security Tax	637.55
Minnesota Unemployment Compensation Division	1,055.96
Unemployment Compensation Commission	337.01
Pennsylvania Unemployment Compensation Fund	136.68
	\$ 2,561.12
Postage, Express, Telegraphs and Telephones:	
John Zbasnik, Supreme Secretary	\$ 3,964.43
John Terbovec, Editor-Manager	1,103.19
Arch. M. D., Supreme Medical Examiner	280.31
John Champa, Supreme Treasurer	194.56
Northern National Bank of Duluth	81.90
Members of the Supreme Board	280.22
	\$ 5,904.61
General Office Maintenance and Expense:	
Photograph Sales Agency	\$ 212.59
Graphs Adding Machine Company	95.60
Calculating Machine Company	72.00
John Mantel, insurance premium	195.25
Lubbock Service Agency, insurance premium	65.00
Hardware and Furniture Company, supplies	5.39
Company of America, supplies	10.78
Mary Jerich, Laundry	12.00
Terbovec, miscellaneous expenses	27.16
Miscellaneous expenses and repairs	21.15
	\$ 716.92
Furniture and Fixtures:	
Photograph Company, machines and filing cabinets	\$ 2,531.34
John Williams Company, filing cabinet	81.87
John Eaton, check writers	85.00
John Bronze Corporation, bronze plates	51.40
John Lund Company, desk and chair	155.25
Statue Corporation, photostat machine	306.77
John A. J., furniture and fixtures	321.99
Wood Elliott Fisher Company, typewriters	451.75
	\$ 3,985.37
By-Laws:	
John N. Rogelj	\$ 300.00
American Home Publishing Company	1,140.03
	\$ 1,440.03
Advertising, Stationery and Supplies:	
Photograph Sales Agency	\$ 214.27
John Supply Company	6.75
American Family Almanac	25.00
American Home Publishing Company	2,743.98
Jugoslav Printing and Publishing Company	774.25
Slovenec	20.00
Company	14.36
Ribbon and Carbon Company	192.57
Williams Company	802.04
Graphs Adding Machine Company	26.80
Foundation	25.00
John Louis, Certificate of Deposit	1.48

Chandler and Fisher Company	98.88
Collinwood Slovenian Home	25.00
Christie Lithograph and Printing Company	230.51
Cyko Art Studio	12.50
Deaton-Kennedy Company, calendars and shipping chgs.	4,322.93
Duluth Herald	9.00
Dutchman, J. A., advertisement	12.50
Ely Lodge No. 1580, Loyal Order of Moose	20.00
Ely Miner	93.45
Ely Theatre	12.50
Ely Shopper	22.00
Eveleth Clarion	20.30
Fisher W. A., Company	4,131.77
Fraternal Age	4.00
Fraternal Compend Digest	38.00
Fraternal Monitor	132.58
Fraternal Field	86.40
Grdina, Joze, Sec'y SSCU Convention Committee, ad.	10.00
Grdina, Joseph, portfolios	20.80
Ivanusich, Mary, ad in "Zarja" program	5.00
Jugoslav Cultural Gardens, Cleveland, Ohio	25.00
Kunstelj, J. "Prosveta"	18.00
Lodge No. 50, Brooklyn, N. Y., ad in program	10.00
Lodge No. 66, Joliet, Illinois, ad in program	15.00
Lodge No. 87, St. Louis, Missouri, ad in program	10.00
Lodge No. 225, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, ad in program	20.00
Lorain Slovenian Club Company	25.00
Lyon, J. B., Company	3.00
Mason Publishing Company	1.00
Mason, Jr., W. H.	1.50
Minnesota Conservationist	10.00
Moody's Investors Service	101.53
Narodni Adresar	100.00
Northern National Bank, Duluth, Minnesota, photostats	1.60
Panama Carbon Company	47.58
Pechaver, Stanley	25.00
Photostat Corporation	26.64
Range Facts	8.25
Remington Rand Company	61.85
Shepel, Mary, ad in program	8.00
Skinner-Kennedy Stationery Co. Calendars and shipping	1,359.69
Slovene National Home, Pueblo, Colo., advertisement	65.00
Slovenian Home, Euclid, Ohio	35.00
Slovene Home, Rock Springs, Wyoming	15.00
Slovenic Publishing Company	491.00
Slovenic National Home, Waukegan, Illinois	40.00
Slovenski Delavski Dom, Cleveland, Ohio	30.00
Slovenski Delavski Dom, Johnstown, Pa.	45.00
Slovenski Dom, Pittsburgh, Pa.	40.00
Standard Statistics Company	102.52
Supreme Officers, stationery and supplies	148.65
Svetlitch, Rose, Secretary of Lodge No. 120, advertisement	15.00
Terbovec, A. J., stationery and supplies	1,080.16
Tomsich, Jr. Frank, ad in program	5.00
Underwood Elliott Fisher Company	129.50
Vranichar, F. E., photograph for calendars	50
Waukegan News-Sun	24.00
Waukegan Post	24.75
Wright, Kenneth M., Studios	41.57
Miscellaneous	72.98
	\$ 18,436.89
Premiums on Fidelity Bonds:	
William W. Flanagan and Company	\$ 4,618.72
	\$ 4,618.72
Donations:	
American Red Cross	\$ 25.00
Cankarjeva Ustanova	10.00
Demshar, John, Lodge No. 4	100.00
Jugoslavski Kulturni Vrt	25.00
Kentucky Counties Bondholders Committee	10.00
Parker, O. W., Christmas Seals	20.00
Slapnik, Ignatz	15.00
"Zarja" Singing Society	5.00
	\$ 210.00
Nova Doba, Official Organ:	
American Home Publishing Company	\$ 6,187.00
American-Jugoslav Printing and Publishing Company	30,129.34
	\$ 36,316.34
Other Expenses in Office of "Nova Doba":	
A. J. Terbovec, expenses of moving	\$ 66.50
A. J. Terbovec, overhauling typewriter	20.00
A. J. Terbovec, premium on insurance	31.50
	\$ 118.00
Convention Expenses:	
Convention Committees	\$ 740.00
Per diems of Officers and Delegates	15,384.00
Fare of Officers and Delegates	4,684.84
Rent of Auditorium and halls	362.00
Cleveland Convention Committee	100.00
	\$ 21,270.84
Awards for Articles in the "Nova Doba":	
Paid to various contributors	\$ 58.00
	\$ 58.00
Other Expenses:	
Collection & Exchange charges on interest coupons and checks	\$ 488.29
Protest charges	8.24
G. J. Poreta, per diems and fare	26.55
Duluth police for safeguarding Officers	80.00
Birth Certificates	7.00
Death Certificates	2.12
Workmen's Compensation Insurance Premiums	132.40
Assessments returned to members	53.95
Transfer to Mortuary Fund for first year death claim	500.00
Kayton Ernoznik, per diems and fare	18.50
W. A. Fisher Company, Lodge Supplies	1.76
Michigan State Board of Tax Administration, Use Tax	3.45
Wreaths for deceased members	46.30
Joseph Dablock, Lodge No. 13	8.00
Lodge No. 35, Half of loss in bank	33.34
Laubscher and Smith, Installation of new accounting system	1,333.32
Louis Loushin, his share of death benefit	2.55
Anthony Motz, expenses Re: Lodge No. 231	4.35
Rent of hall for conference Re: merger	3.00
Foreign Language Information Service	45.00
Ely Hardware and Furniture Company	21.95
Miscellaneous	1.95
	\$ 2,822.02
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	\$ 1,347,236.01
Gain	556,946.54
TOTAL	\$ 1,904,182.55
SUMMARIZED STATEMENT OF DISBURSEMENTS	
Mortuary Fund	\$ 639,600.80
Sick and Indemnity Fund	441,728.31
Disability Fund	39,980.68
Athletic Fund	12,040.31
Expense Fund	213,885.41
Balance June 30, 1940	2,482,512.76
Total	\$ 3,829,748.77
CONDITION OF FUNDS	
Mortuary:	
Receipts	\$ 1,153,398.57
Disbursements	639,600.80
	\$ 513,797.77
Gain	1,867,542.65
Balance June 30, 1936	\$ 2,381,340.42
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PUBLIC UTILITIES			
West Penn Power Co., Pittsburgh, Pa.	5	30,000.00	29,818.35
		\$2,122,473.30	\$2,235,297.92
TRUST FUNDS DUE BENEFICIARIES OF DECEASED MEMBERS			
Names of deceased members	Lodge No.	Amount due	
Frank Zupancic	71	\$ 53.85	
Joseph Palcher	200	209.13	
Katherine Pogorelc	30	183.01	
Anna Novosel	122	119.50	
John Hutar	2	104.57	
Mary Ulchar	158	355.25	
Joseph Volk	126	350.00	
Peter Novak	199	99.00	
Mary Miklauic	29	50.00	
Jernej Jaklovich	61	111.98	
Mary Gorichan	122	800.00	
Frank Gorichan	122	966.50	
Anton Svigel	43	25.00	
Josephine Pustolesmsek	162	100.00	
John Simcic	179	100.00	
Mary Kapler	36	250.00	
Mary Lisac	122	230.84	
John Britz	36	250.00	
Frank Pengal	200	371.42	
Louis Rudman	71	282.13	
John Marolt	2	175.67	
Lucija Kalan	134	150.00	
Mary Klinar	6	200.00	
Barbara Plantan	5	77.78	
John Sposta	3	50.00	
Joseph Sluga	106	47.43	
John Turk	128	444.47	
Karl Petrcovich	227	225.00	
Frank Sebenik	85	100.00	
Blaz Gorse	54	425.00	
Andrew Shariko	88	100.00	
Angela Zupancich	1	100.00	
Josephine Bradach	111	390.42	
Jozefa Bolka	120	500.00	
Lucy Merhar	123	112.22	
Fannie Starika	90	221.03	
Mary Milavec	199	410.03	
Mirko Mihel	32	292.49	
John Podpecan	104	189.75	
John Krize	9	654.03	
Frank Debar	70	151.36	
Anton Starc	12	14.14	
Anton Zupevc	18	111.59	
Mike Jankovitz	13	508.01	
Mary Ramoush	18	68.55	
Ivana Guzelj	116	135.20	
Matt Simec	5	54.02	
John Jannik	31	570.19	
Frank Umek	36	125.18	
Joseph Slikch	18	318.32	
George Krcelic	135	994.70	
Anton Pust	6	28.46	
Elizabeth Oblak	53	100.00	
Joseph Redek	29	86.40	
Bartol Lazar	76	100.00	
Louis Papes	15	142.35	
Katrina Krall	129	532.40	
Mary Semerl	16	823.87	
John Premro	75	200.00	
Frank Gruden	1	34.05	
John Skoda	45	100.00	
Frank Stanich	43	624.75	
Tony Shine	78	276.42	
Elizabeth Makara	11	100.00	
Anton Bolka	114	642.86	
Paul Tomisch	144	371.78	
Ursula Prijatelj	2	33.65	
Mary Tekavetz	1	70.00	
Lina Schober	13	170.68	
John Polugnak	125	320.57	
John Pintar	99	450.00	
Mike Raspet	36	350.00	
Nick Evanoff	1	497.79	
John Gross	58	50.69	
Katherine Lambert	45	600.00	
John Princ	36	176.17	
Anton Bojc	15	49.81	
John Polugnak	125	114.28	
Margaret Shustarich	120	133.33	
John C. Mertel	26	60.56	
Anton Jaklic	61	200.00	
Martin Marold	25	50.00	
Martin Gerdanc	158	127.71	
John Erchul	30	500.00	
Frank Jerich	1	125.00	
Margaret Shustarich	120	200.00	
John Bartol	26	333.33	
Matija Ostanek	6	118.92	
Lawrence Oblock	168	50.00	
John B. Butala	9	708.71	
Michael Omahne	36	450.00	
Margaret Siskar	26	200.00	
Matt Stefin	162	60.00	
Jakob Tomazic	114	94.37	
Caroline Jeray	81	35.00	
Frank Medvesek	143	114.30	
Frank Bevc	23	242.95	
Leonard Lenassi	75	500.00	
Carolina Merhar	15	145.33	
Frank Ahacevic	2	300.00	
Louis Sedmak	132	125.85	
John Bartol	30	150.00	
Matija Ostanek	6	188.66	
Lawrence Oblock	168	83.90	
John B. Butala	9	108.71	
Michael Ursic	6	450.00	
		\$ 26,921.20	
DEATH BENEFIT CLAIMS IN COURSE OF ADJUSTMENT			
DEATH CLAIMS INCURRED BEFORE JUNE 30—REPORTED JULY			
John Martinic	3	\$ 500.00	
Jerry Stenfel	45	1,000.00	
John Urh	49	1,000.00	
Michael Krize	61	1,000.00	
Michael Ursic	6	1,000.00	
		\$ 4,500.00	
FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE ADULT DEPARTMENT			
of the			
SOUTH SLAVONIC CATHOLIC UNION OF AMERICA			
June 30, 1940			
ASSETS			
Cash:			
Cash on hand		\$ 200.00	
Cash in transit to Northern National Bank, Duluth		2,872.04	
Checking account, Northern National Bank, Duluth		82,184.70	\$ 85,266.74
Investments:			
Bonds		\$ 2,235,297.92	\$ 2,235,297.92
Loans on Certificates		\$ 186,203.79	\$ 186,203.79
Other Assets:			
Due and accrued interest on bonds		\$ 56,046.22	
Accrued interest on certificate loans		3,502.40	

Due from lodges	27,848.01	\$ 87,396.63
Inventory	\$ 10,500.00	\$ 10,500.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 2,604,655.08</b>	

## LIABILITIES

Unpaid Claims:	
Trust Funds due Beneficiaries of deceased members	\$ 26,921.20
Trust Funds due Beneficiaries (Sick Benefits)	39.20
Death Benefit Claims in course of adjustment	3,000.00
Death Claims incurred before June 30, reported July	4,500.00
Sick and Indemnity Claims	5,867.00
Disability Claims	331.67

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