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## DRUSTVENE IN DRUGE SLOVENSKE VESTI

**RAZNO IZ AMERIKE IN IZOZEMSTVA**

Novi naslov gl. predsednika J. S. K. Jednote je sledič: Bartel 339 North Lewis Ave., Waukegan, Ill. Naš glavni predsednik se je namreč preselil v svojo novozgrajeno hišo, zato naj se člani, ki imajo njihovo poslovanje, v sosedstvu, ki je priobčen na drugem novega naslova.

V Indianapolisu, Ind., se bo v nedeljo 28. februarja vršila skupina seja članstva treh tamkajšnjih društev J. S. K. Jednote. Seja se bo v sili solski dvoranu in bo pričela ob eni uri popoldne. Več o tem najdejo člani v dopisu, ki je priobčen na drugem mestu.

Redna seja Zveze JSKJ država v zapadni Pensylvaniji se vršila v nedeljo 28. februarja ob deseti uri popoldne v Slovenskem domu na 57. cesti v Pittsburghu, Pa.

V Conemaughu, Pa., se bo v nedeljo 28. februarja vršila seznanitev Zveze JSKJ za okrožje Johnstowna. Seja se bo vršila v dvorcu št. 36 JSKJ in se ob dveh popoldne.

ZAPOSLENJE premogarjev je vsako leto manjše, in sicer največ radi strojev, ki odpravljajo ročno delo delavcev. Glejmo neke statistike v U. M. W. A. glasilu se je tekom enega leta nakladanje premoga s stroji zvišalo v Alabami za 120.6%, v Montani za 57.5%, v Illinoisu za 24.9%, v Kentuckyju za 21.8% itd. Vzeto povprečno za vse države skupaj se je nakladanje premoga s stroji zvišalo skoraj 24 procentov.

BENJAMIN N. CARDOZO, dosedaj načelnik najvišjega sodišča države New York, je bil od predsednika Hooverja imenovan članom najvišjega zveznega sodišča v Washingtonu, kjer je bilo eno mesto izpravljeno vsled odstopa bivšega sodnika W. Holmesa. Cardozo je star 61 let, po rodu žid, po pripadnosti pa demokrat in je neoznenjen. Sodnikom višjega sodišča v New Yorku je bil imenovan po republikanskem govorju, kot je bil zdaj sodnikom najvišjega zveznega sodišča imenovan po republikanskem predsedniku. Sodnik Cardozo je učen jurist, toda pri tem liberalnega mišljenja, ki veruje, da privatno bogastvo ni nedotakljivo, kadar se gre za splošno dobro.

V ZVEZNEM SENATU je bila odklonjena takozvana La Follette-Costigan predloga za federalno pomoč brezposelnim.

Za predlog je glasovalo 15 republikancev, 19 demokratov in en zastopnik farmersko-delavske stranke, proti pa 27 republikancev in 21 demokratov.

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## OPRAVILA SEZONE

V drugi polovici februarja je v kraju z zmernim podnebjem pravi čas za čiščenje in obvezovanje drevev, grmovja in vinske trte. Posebno za vinsko trto je priporočljivo, da se obreže dovolj zgodaj; ako se obrezuje v pozni pomladi, se močno solzi, kar trto oslabi. Gledate obrezovanja vinske trte ni mogoče dajati točnih navodil, ki bi veljali za vse slučaje. Nekateri trte je treba obrezati bolj na dolgo, druge bolj na kratko. To je odvisno od trtnih vrst in od debelosti posameznih mladičev, pa tudi od okolišnice, če hočemo imeti vinsko trto le bolj za okras in senco ali za pridelavo grozdja. Kdor ne ve, kako je treba trto pravilno obrezati, je boljše, da se tega posla ne loti, ampak dobi rojak, ki se na to delo razume. Med ameriškimi Slovenec jih je mnogo, ki so prišli iz vinorodnih krajev in vedo, kako ravnat s trto.

Obrezovanje drevev je bolj enostavno, vendar zahteva tudi nekaj znanja. Odstranijo naj se vse suhe in polomljene veje, pa tudi veje, ki se tesno križajo z drugimi. Drevesna krona ne sme biti pregosta, posebno pri sadnih drevesih, če računamo na pridelek lepega sadja. Pri mlajših drevesih dosežemo s pravilnim obrezovanjem lepo obliko. Obrezovanje in čiščenje dreves naj se po možnosti vrši v lepem in suhem vremenu. Velike rane, ki so nastale na drevesih vsled odzaganja debelejših vej, naj se gladko obrežejo z ostrom nožem, nakar naj se zamažejo s cepilno smolo, katero se dobri v trgovinah s semenjem. Manjše rane se brez tega zarastejo, posebno če smo za obrezovanje rabili oster nož ali škarje.

Lepotične grmeče obrezujemo največ zato, da jim damo lepo obliko. Vrtnice obrežemo šele, ko smo jim odvzeli zimsko kritje in ko je nevarnost zmrzovanja minila.

Kadar je vreme suho in zemlja ne preveč vlažna, lahko že sadimo ali presajamo drevesca in grmeče. Pri presajjanju odstranimo vse poškodovane korenine; debelejši korenine prizemimo vsaj za eno tretjino, mladike pa več. Ako gnojimo, glejmo, da ne pride gnojilo direktno na korenine, ampak naj bo zemlja sprost.

Na prisojno gredo na vrtu, kjer voda ne zastaja, že zdaj lahko posejemo salato, zelje, kolerabo, korenček in petržil. Seme bo vkljilo in rastline bodo ozenjene, ko bo vreme dovolj gorko. Posebno salato včasi lahko precej zgodaj pridelamo na ta način. Tudi seme sladkega graha (sweet peas) lahko že zdaj posadimo, če hočemo imeti zgodnjne cvetje na prostem. Ta rastlina ljubi gnojno zemljo.

Nekateri kletarji v tem času že tudi pretocijo grozni sok. Ni pa to še neobhodno potrebno, dokler ne nastopi gorko vreme. Pred nastopom gorkega vremena pa je vsekakor priporočljivo pretočiti grozni sok na čisto. Važno je, da so sodi polni in dobro zabit. Čim več praznega prostora je v sodu, tem preje se pojavi glivice kislince, ki povzročijo, da se tekočina skisa.

PLAČANA VOŽNJA

Blizu mesta Centralia v Illinoisu je mala rdeča kokoška prirfrčala naravnost v drveči avtomobil R. Mansurja. V državni "izletu" se ni nič poškodovala v avtomobilu je plačala za vožnjo z jajcem, katero je izlegla na blazini.

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## NAŠI PRAVI AMERIČANI

V Združenih državah imamo kakih 16 milijonov ljudi, rojenih v inozemstvu. Za one, ki so bili tu takoj mnogo let, je vsak novodošlec "foreigner." Kasneje bo on sam gledal na poznejše novodošlece kot "tujece." Kajti pravzaprav smo vsi tujki v Ameriki priseljeni teh zadnjih par sto let — razen seveda Indijancev, kajti to je bila njihova dežela.

Tekom zadnjih let se je napisalo mnogo knjig o Indijancih. Postopanje z njimi je bilo podvrženo ostriom kritikam. Na srečo je vlada v zadnjih letih uveljavila nekaj različnih sistemov, tako da bo naše ravnanje s temi pravimi Amerikanci nekoliko manj sramotno.

Težko je reči, koliko je bilo Indijancev v ozemlju sedanjih Združenih držav, ko je beloživec prvič prišel. Nekateri ceničajo, da jih je bilo približno 800,000. Leta 1789 jih je bilo le 80,850. Beloživec civilizacija je imela na Indijanca strašne posledice in zdele se je, da bo izvirno pleme popolnoma izumrlo. L. 1824 se je začela nova politika glede postopanja z Indijanci in mesto sovražnikov postali so "varovanci" naroda. Tega leta je bil ustavovljen federalni Indian Bureau.

Svrha nove politike je bila "civiliziranje" Indijancev, ali ob istem času so bili odstranjeni in rezervaciji, oddaljene okraje odkazane njim v večno bivanje. V stoletju od kar je bil ustavovljen indijanski urad, so se poskusili razni, dostikrat eduni, sistemi vzgoje in gospodarske narave, ali bilo je bore malo uspeha v prilagojenju Indijanca k ameriškemu življenu.

Sirom Združenih držav je dandanes kakih 350,000 Indijancev, ki so večinoma naseljeni na 200 rezervacijah v 26 državah. Vse te rezervacije skupaj bi obsegale ozemlje New Englanda in New Yorka. 193 plemen, govorečih 58 jezikov, je raztresenih širom deležu, večinoma pa po jugo-zapadu. Nasproti k splošni domnevni izumiranju Indijancev se ta pleme pomnožujejo v razmerju 2000 duš na leto.

Kakor vsi prvotni poskusi "amerikanizacije" je bilo ravnanje z Indijanci pogrešno. Hotelo se je izvršiti asimilacija brez ozira na njihove sposobnosti, naravne nagibe in tradicije. Ker je bil Indijanec sin velikih planot, se je mislilo, da je najbolje posvetiti ga poljedelstvu. Ali sedaj vemo po tolikih letih plemenskega soživljajevja v rezervacijah, da se ni Indijancev nič naučil naših idej privatne lastnine. On je komunist po naravi in rad daje onim svojega plemena, ki potrebujejo, in rad odjemlje onim, ki imajo preveč.

Poslali so ga v šolo in mu dostikrat vtepli v glavo stvari, ki so zanj nepotrebne. Bilo je mnogo pritožb o tem, kako je mladi Indijanec trpel v šoli.

Sedaj je opaziti spremembu. Našlo se je, da Indijanec ima mnogo večjo naravno sposobnost do mehanike, kot do poljedelstva. Pripravljiva je bila za privatno bogastvo nič, ampak naj bo zemlja sprost.

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## KITAJSKI ORJAK

Prava Kitajska, obstoječa iz 18 provic, meri nekaj nad 1,500,000 kvadratnih milij in šteje okrog 400 milijonov prebivalcev. Površina kontinentalnih Združenih držav meri 2,973,774 kvadratnih milij ter ima okrog 130 milijonov prebivalcev. Iz tega je razvidno, da je ljudstvo v pravu Kitajski zelo gusto naseljeno. Prava Kitajska ima približno trikrat toliko prebivalcev kot Združenje države, dasi ima približno polovico manj površine.

S pokrajinami Mandžurijo, Siankingom, Mongolijo in Tibetom, ki nominelno pripadajo ali so pripadale Kitajski, meri velika Kitajska okoli 4,270,000 kvadratnih milij. Omenjene pokrajine pa so le redko naseljene, ker se prebivalstvo vseh ceni le na 40 ali 50 milijonov.

Kitajska, kateri je več stoletij vladala mandžurska dinastija, se je leta 1912 preosnovala v republiko. Glavno mesto republike je Nanking, kjer je sedež osrednje vlade. Predsednik republike se voli na pet let. Parlament sestoji iz senata, ki šteje 264 članov, in iz poslanske zbornice, ki šteje 596 članov. Vsled periodičnih homatij in bojev ima osrednja vlada le malo moći.

Armeda šteje 1,300,000 mož, toda je podrejena in lojalna lokalnim komandantom in se kot tek na more meriti z discipliniranimi armadami, kot je, na primer, japonska. Mornarica je majhna: 6 križark, 17 topničark, 8 torpedov in 3 rušilci. Komunikacije so slabe. Velika dežela ima primeroma zelo malo železnice in še manj dobrih cest.

Podnebje je zelo različno. Severni kraji imajo hude zime in vroča poletja, osrednji pa zimerno podnebje, južni kraji pa poltropično ali tropično klimo. Dežela je po ogromni večini poljedelska. Glavni pridelek je riž; prideluje se pa tudi mnogo pšenice, proso, koruze, graha in fičla, v bolj južnih krajih pa tudi tobak, bombaž, sladkorni, indigo in čaj. Živilnoračna razvita, ker je svet predrag; več se goji svinj in ovac. Industrije je malo in pokriva večinoma le domače potrebe. Sloveč pa so steklarne in tovarne porcelana. Zelo je razvita industrija svile: polnih 27% svetovnega pridelka.

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Kitajski - japonska vojna v Sremu. Vojna med Kitajci in Japonci je našla odmev tudi v jugoslovenskem Sremu. Nedavno se je zbrala v hiši kmeta Spajšča skupina vaških otrok, ki so zaigrali vojno med Kitajsko in Japonsko. Oborožili so se s palicami, kamenjem, a 12 letni Miloš Spajšč s flobertovko. Napravili so naskok, in metalni bombe, mali Miloš pa je streljal s flobertovko in zadel v trebuh Bora Janoševiča. Žrtev vaške vojne so prepeljali v bolnič, kjer je zdravnik izvršil operacijo in rešil življene mlademu "Kitajcu."

Kravo maščevane razzähljene dekleta. Neko nedeljo je se zbrala manjša družba obojega spola v hiši gostoljubnega domaćina v slavonski vasi Pitočićih. Neki mladenič je pri teki priliki vtaknil deklica Jelki Kolarjevi v lase gosje pera, kar se v Slavoniji smatra za veliko žalitev, ker je to sramotno znamenje, da je taka deklica v drugem stanu. To je deklico tako užalilo, da je nerodnega šaljivca s kuhinjskim nožem zabodila v trebuh. Ranjenec je bil v kritičnem stanju prepeljan v banovinsko bolnič.

NOV SADJE

Novo sadje citronove vrste so vrtnarji vzgojili s križanjem jeruzalemke tangerine in domačega grapefruita. To novo sadje so nazvali tangelos. Drugo novo sadje so vzgojili iz križanja med tangerino in oranžo.

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## ODMEVI IZ RODNIH KRAJEV

Iz Jugoslavije se poroča, da je tam zavladal hud mrz. Danava je zamrznila in je vsa plovba po reki ustavljenata. Hud mrz imajo tudi v Angliji, Franciji in severni Italiji. V Benetkah je morje zamrznilo in gondole stoejo zamrznjene v kanalih.

Stari očnici so trdili, da se stanovanje najlaže očisti ščurkov, stenic, miši in podgan, če se bajto zažge. Prakticirali seveda takega čiščenja niso. Naši bratje Eskimi na daljnem severu so v deloma sličnih ozirih bolj radikalni. Kadar se v koci nabere preveč smeti in raznovrstne nesnage, družina enostavno staro kočo zapusti in gospodar zgraditi novo na drugem kraju. To je tem lažje, ker je primitivna koča zgrajena v dobrini ur, loti so pa zastonj.

Na Svirkovem vrhu pri Metliki se je konci januarja zgodila strašna družinska tragedija. V verski blaznosti je posestnik Jožef Vriščar umoril svojo ženo s tem, da ji je izruval jezik. Vsled silnega kravljana je nešrečna žena kmalu izdihnila. Ko so Vriščarja priveli v zapore srezkega sodišča v Metliki, je priznal svoje dejanje in je izjavil, da je vse izvršil v sanjah, da pa se dejanja docela zaveda. Po svojem duševnem stanju je bil docela apatičen, tudi ko so mu povedali, da je žena mrtva. Vso metliško ok

## ŠESTMESEČNI RAČUN J. S. K. JEDNOTE

Od 30. junija 1931 do 31. decembra 1931

Posmrtninski sklad načrt A.....	\$585,188.30
Posmrtninski sklad načrt B.....	12,973.74
Rezervni sklad.....	734,358.14
Bolniški in poškodninski sklad.....	22,527.13
Sklad onemoglih.....	12,197.52
Stroškovni sklad.....	19,239.35-\$1,386,484.18

## DOHODKI

Asesment v posmrtniski sklad načrt A.....	\$ 78,743.10
Asesment v posmrtniski sklad načrt B.....	2,999.14
Asesment v bolniški in poškodninski sklad.....	80,887.60
Asesment v sklad onemoglih.....	4,226.80
Asesment v stroškovni sklad.....	22,622.11
Asesment v rezervni sklad.....	3,798.09
Obresti od obveznic, kreditirano rezervnemu skladu načrt A.....	31,055.09
Obresti od obveznic, kreditirano rezervnemu skladu načrt B.....	286.16
Obresti od bančnih vlog, kreditirano rezervnemu skladu načrt A.....	372.69
Obresti od bančnih vlog, kreditirano neizplačanim smernitnam.....	647.25
Tiskovine in znaki.....	73.90
Prenos iz mladinskega oddelka (stroškovni sklad).....	400.00
Naročina in oglasi v Novi Dobi.....	343.50
Prenos rezervnega kredita iz mladinskega oddelka.....	1,332.84
Društvo št. 35 z vrnjen čekom.....	213.41
Vrnjeno za pomotoma nakazan oglas in tiskovine.....	74.00
Vrnjena podpora v sklad onemoglih.....	12.48
Povečana knjižna vrednost kupljenih obveznic.....	1,927.00
Preneseno iz sportnega sklada v sklad onemoglih.....	76.95
	230,092.11
	\$1,616,576.29

## IZDATKI

Posmrtnine.....	\$ 72,618.05
Bolniška podpora, operacije in odškodnine.....	72,017.00
Podpora iz sklada onemoglih.....	6,431.86
Premije od kupljenih obveznic.....	2,522.32
Narasle obresti na kupljenih obveznicah.....	881.32
Upravni stroški.....	21,856.94
	176,327.49

Gotovina dne 31. decembra 1931

\$1,440,248.80

## DEFINIRANI PREGLED IZDATKOV IZ STROŠKOVNEGA SKLADA

Plaća gl. predsednik za drugo polovico leta 1931.....	\$ 300.00
Plaća gl. podpredsednico za leto 1931.....	20.00
Plaća gl. tajnika za drugo polovico leta 1931.....	1,250.00
Plaća gl. blagajnika za drugo polovico leta 1931.....	360.00
Plaća vrhovnega zdravnika za drugo polovico leta 1931.....	747.75
Plaća predsednika nadzornega odbora za drugo polovico leta 1931.....	90.00
Plaća prvega nadzornika za leto 1931.....	60.00
Plaća drugega nadzornika za leto 1931.....	60.00
Plaća tretjega nadzornika za leto 1931.....	60.00
Plaća četrtega nadzornika za leto 1931.....	60.00
Plaća predsednika porotnega odbora za leto 1931.....	75.00
Plaća prvega porotnika za leto 1931.....	35.00
Plaća drugega porotnika za leto 1931.....	35.00
Plaća urednika-upravnika za drugo polovico leta 1931.....	1,200.00
Plaća pomočnega urednika za drugo polovico leta 1931.....	390.00
Plaća sportnega komisarja za drugo polovico leta 1931.....	120.00
Plaća pomočnici v glavnem uradu za drugo polovico leta 1931.....	1,620.00
Plaća finančne odslike.....	150.00
Plaća zapisnikarja za polletno sejo glavnega odbora.....	25.00
Dnevnice in vozni stroški glavnih odbornikov v polletni seji.....	653.45
Dnevnice in vozni stroški glavnih odbornikov v izredni seji.....	773.61
Plaća v vozni stroški R. Perdona za delo v glavnem uradu.....	735.66
Vozni stroški A. Zbasnika iz Pittsburgha v Ely.....	53.33
Plaća zapisnikarja izredne seje glavnega odbora.....	10.00
Nadurno delo pomočnic v glavnem uradu.....	170.00
Dnevnice in vozni stroški vrhovnega zdravnika (Greensburg, Pa.).....	12.38
Provizije krajenvih organizatorjem.....	787.50
Zdravniške preiskave novih kandidatov.....	426.50
Tiskanje in razpošiljanje Nove Dobe.....	6,385.20
Rent glavnega urada.....	299.71
Kurjava, razsvetljava in voda.....	50.00
Nagrade sportnim klubom.....	225.86
Poštnina, ekspres, telefoni in brzobjavi v glavnem uradu.....	309.47
Dnevnice in vozni stroški glavnih odbornikov v izredni seji.....	190.64
Poštnina, ekspres, telefoni in brzobjavi v uradu Nove Dobe.....	44.20
Poštnina, ekspres, telefoni in brzobjavi glavnih uradnikov.....	34.87
Oglas, tiskovine in druge uradne potrebsčine v glavnem uradu.....	818.47
Nadurno delo pomočnic v uradne potrebsčine Nove Dobe.....	64.00
Koledarji za leto 1932, vstevšči poštnino in razpošiljanje.....	1,445.62
Notarska poverila.....	17.75
Članarina National Fraternal Congress.....	95.00
Nagrade dopisnikom Nove Dobe.....	63.00
Rent varnostnih shramb.....	75.00
Zavarovalnina proti ognju.....	19.80
Pisalni stroj.....	77.50
Zdravniške preiskave dvomljivih sličajev.....	7.00
Dnevnice in vozni stroški gl. blagajnika in tajnika v Duluth, Minn.....	34.50
Legalni stroški za poslovnicovo v Wisconsinu.....	200.00
Za poravnavo vrnjenih čekov društva št. 35, 22 in 193.....	522.17
Cvetlice pokojnemu sobratu Pishlerju.....	50.00
V političko obrambo glavnih nadzornikov.....	5.00
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Preostanek dne 30. junija 1931.....	81,870.53
Sestmesečni dohodki.....	
Sestmesečni izdatki.....	\$ 75,140.37

Preostanek dne 31. decembra 1931.....	591,918.46
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Posmrtninski sklad načrt B.....	\$667,058.83
Preostanek dne 30. junija 1931.....	\$ 12,973.74
Sestmesečni dohodki.....	3,417.71

Sestmesečni izdatki.....	\$ 16,391.45
Preostanek dne 31. decembra 1931.....	\$ 16,391.45

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Preostanek dne 30. junija 1931.....	\$734,358.14
Sestmesečni dohodki.....	35,873.12
Sestmesečni izdatki.....	\$ 769,349.94

Preostanek dne 31. decembra 1931.....	\$770,231.26
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Preostanek dne 30. junija 1931.....	\$ 22,527.13
Sestmesečni dohodki.....	80,887.60
Sestmesečni izdatki.....	\$ 72,017.00

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Sklad onemoglih.....	\$ 12,197.52
Preostanek dne 30. junija 1931.....	4,316.23
Sestmesečni dohodki.....	

Sestmesečni izdatki.....	\$ 6,431.86
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## Pot skozi depresijo

Depresija je kakor vojna, ki širi samo škodo na vse strani. Vojna sicer včasi prineše navidezno ali začasno dobiček zmagovalcem, zakar pa itak pozneje navadno dobro plačajo; v depresiji pa ni zmagovalcev, ampak sami premaganci. Prizadeti so vsi, od farmerja in pripristega delavca, do profesionista, trgovca, umetnika in finančnika. Razlika je le v tem, da so nekateri lažje, drugi pa težje prizadeti.

Kdor hoče vsaj površno zasledovati razvoj razmer tekom depresije, lahko vidi, da zadevajo tudi solidne ustanove težki udarci. Preneselo jih najbolje tiste, ki so bile na njeni najbolj pripravljene in ki se znajo in morejo najhitreje prilagoditi izpremenjenim razmeram.

Samo ob sebi je umevno, da udarci depresije niso prizanesli tudi našim podpornim organizacijam. Vse so bile prizadete, in sicer najbolj izrazito z ozirom na število članstva. Kot je bilo pričakovati, so tozadovne izgube pri večini naših organizacij skoro na isti stopinji, namreč proporčno po številu članstva. Naša J. S. K. Jednota je štela konci leta 1930 v obeh oddelkih 21,116 članov, konci leta 1931 pa le 20,239 članov. Nazadovala je v odraslem oddelku za 312, v mladinskem oddelku pa za 565 članov. Vsega skupaj pa nazadovala za 877 članov. To je velika številka, ali pa ne, kakor se vzame.

Tekom vsakega normalnega leta nekaj članov umirje, nekaj jih odstopi, nekaj je črtanih. Vse do preteklega leta pa je pristopalo toliko novih članov, da je njih število pokrito izgube ter je še precej ostalo za prirastek. Izgube na članstvu so bile tekom preteklega leta vsekakor nekoliko višje, kot v normalnih letih, ker jih je bilo večje število črtanih, vsled neplačanja asesmenta, kot običajno. V normalnih časih bi bil letni prirastek najbrže pokril izgube, lani pa to ni bilo izvedljivo. Vsak lahko ve, kako slabe prilike za pridobivanje novih članov so bile lani.

Ako prav pomislimo, moramo biti zadovoljni, da nismo bolj nazadovali. Koliko tisoč članov je v veliko težavo plačevalo svoje mesečne prispevke! Mnogim so pomagala društva iz svojih blagajn, toda veliko članov je bilo, ki so se sramovali vprašati za pomoč in so rajši pustili društvo. Bolezen in smrt glavnega tajnika in smrt izurjene prve pomognice v glavnem uradu, vse to je kvarno vplivalo na točnost poslovanja ter je bilo povod marsikakemu zastolu, ne sporazumu in mlačnosti pri krajevnih društvih. Kdor vse te premisli, mora priznati, da je J. S. K. Jednota lani šla skozi težje preizkušnje, kot druge slične organizacije. Zato smo morali biti prav za prav veseli, da naše izgube niso bile večje.

Največ priznanja za to moramo dati našim krajevnim društvm, ki so storila vse, kar je bilo mogoče, da so obdržala člane, ki sami vsled brezposelnosti niso mogli zmogovati asesmentov. Naša društva so bila postavljena na težko preizkušnjo in prestala so jo sijajno. Pokazala so, da bratstvo pri njih ni prazna beseda, ampak ideja in zavest, ki premaga vse zaprake.

Finančno je J. S. K. Jednota v preteklem letu napredovala, dasi ne toliko kot leto preje. Vsi skladi, izjemno skladna dvadolarške bolniške podpore, so primeroma na dobrem stališču. Priponiti je treba, da je stroškovni sklad v preteklem letu prav tako napredoval kot v prejšnjih letih, dasi so prispevki za ta sklad isti kot so bili in dasi je bilo vsled bolezni in smrti bivšega glavnega tajnika precej izrednih stroškov. To kaže, da je glavni odbor pošteno in previdno gospodaril s članskim denarjem.

Glavni odborniki, zbrani na letni seji v januarju tega leta, so se zavedali resnosti položaja in težkoč, v katerih se nahajajo mnoga društva, ki iz svojih blagajn zlagajo asesmente za potrebne brezposelne člane, zato je sklenil, da se iz sklada onemoglih in iz športnega sklada vzame \$7,000, kateri znesek se proporcionalno nakaže društvom, da bodo mogla še nadalje plačevati asesmente za potrebne člane. Tem bodo društva, ako bodo ravnala previdno, mogla izhajati vsaj do konvencije. Konvencija kot najvišja oblast pa bo mogla zavzeti bolj dalekosežno akcijo, ako jo bo smatrala za potrebno in umestno. Glavni odbor je tudi za meseca februar in marec suspendiral asesment za mladinski oddelki, ker se dotedeni sklad nahaja v dobrem stanju in ker ima glavni odbor pravico to storiti. Tudi to bo nekaj pomagalo, kajti v teh časih in razmerah šteje vsak cent.

Iz navedenega je razvidno, da je glavni odbor storil vse, kar mu je bilo v danih razmerah mogoče, zato bodo nedvomno tudi krajevna društva storila vse, kar jim bo mogoče, da ohranijo vse dobre stare člane v vrstah naše organizacije in da bodo skušala zvišati število članstva s pridobivanjem novih članov, če ne v odrasli, pa vsaj v mladinski oddelki.

Z zmerjanjem, sumnjenjem in natolocenjem ne bomo nikogar pridobili za naše ideje, pač pa moremo to doseči z lepo besedo in stvarnimi argumenti.

## VSAK PO SVOJE

(Nadaljevanje iz 1. strani)

Zapuščina T. F. Ryana v New Yorku, ki je umrl leta 1928 in katerega premoženje se je takrat cenilo na 500 milijonov dolarjev, se je vsled znižane cene vrednostnih papirjev zmanjšala na boril 150 milijonov dolarjev. Bogatini so pa res revezni. Nihče izmed nas ni v zadnjih treh ali štirih letih izgubil 350 milijonov dolarjev.

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Ko bodo starinoslovec čez tisoč let brskali po zemlji in bodo na kakšnem kraju našli velik kup avtomobilskih telesnih ostankov, bodo prišli do zaključka, da sta se na tistem kraju križala cesta in železniška proga.

Bivšega kitajskega cesarja Pu-Yi, ki je pred dvajsetimi leti izgubil prestol, pred dobrim letom pa še ženo, so baje dobri Japonci oženili z Mandžurijo, domovino njegovih pradedov, ki se po novem imenuje Ankuo, s tem, da so ga imenovali za dosmrtnega predsednika republike Ankuo. Ključne od hišnih vrat in od blagajne bo seveda imela v oskrbi dobra tašča Japonska!

A.J.T.

## DRUSTVENE IN DRUGE SLOVENSKE VESTI

(Nadaljevanje s 1. strani)

izdaja smeha, je že zadonela druga. Odmore med posameznimi dejanji je prijetno izpolnilo petje pevcev in pevki društva "Jadran" in samostojne "Zarje". Vsestransko prijetna prireditev bo nedvomno vsem posetnikom ostala v lepem spominu.

**Deportacija** preti 25-letni Mrs. Anni Brodnik in 26-letni Miss Justini Zakrajšek v Clevelandu, ker sta baje pred nekaj leti prišli v to deželo potom za druge osebe izdanih potnih listov. Mrs. Brodnik se je poročila šele pred dobrim mesecem. Njen mož Anton Brodnik je naturaliziran državljan. Tako so pred nekaterimi dnevi poročali tukajšnji listi "Press," "News" in "Plain Dealer."

**V ureništvu** Nove Dobe se je oglasila Mrs. Rose Ziherle iz South Chicaga, ki se je v spremstvu svojega sina začetkom tega tedna mudila na obisku svojih prijateljev v Clevelandu.

## LISTNICA UREDNIŠTVA

Vsi dopisi, ki niso nujne vsebine in ki so došli v ureništvo še v torki (23. februarja), so odloženi za prihodnjo izdajo. V torki popoldne se že gradivo vklada v forme in ni več časa za urejevanje in stavljene dopisov. Cenjeni dopisniki naj izvijijo vpoštevati, da zaradi praznika ni bila dostavljena pošta od sobote dopoldne do torka popoldne, torej je marsikaj zastalo.

**M. M., Walsenburg, Colo.**—

Galapagos otoče (Galapagos Islands) pripada republiki Ecuador ter se nahaja v južnem Pacifičnem oceanu, kakšnih 550 milj zapadno od celine, to je obrežja kontinentalne južnoameriške republike Ecuador. V otoško skupino Galapagos spada kakšnih 12 večjih in manjših otokov, ki imajo skupno površino 2,868 kvadratnih milj in štejejo skupno okoli 400 prebivalcev. Del otokov leži severno od ekvatorja ali ravnikova, večina pa južno. Floreana je eden manjših otokov in se nahaja na južni strani ekvatorja.

**Velika krisa** se posebno po-

znamenja pri slovenskem kmetu.

Nedavno je bilo pripeljanih na

trg v Ptuj nekaj nad 30 vozov z

ljudi, ki so ga pa zelo malo pro-

dali. Kmet pripeljov ne more

prodati in tako se mu kupijo

rubežni, kar pričuje sodna de-

čka. Dražbeni oklici se lepijo

## RAZNO IZ AMERIKE IN INOZEMSTVA

(Nadaljevanje s 1. strani)

Vsako leto bo samo eno zasedanje kongresa, ki se bo začelo in končalo, kadar bo kongres sam dolobil. Novo postavo mora v obliki amendmenta potrditi tri četrtine državnih legislatur, predno stopi v veljavno.

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## Current Thought.

### FEDERAL GOVERNMENT AID

"Excellent business incentives." That is how the Wall Street operators looked upon the gain in stocks made recently after a steady, though irregular, downward trend. U. S. Steel, looked upon as a standard barometer for all stocks, made a few strides upward.

The new tentative credit plan passed through both houses of Congress was a major factor in determining the leap in securities. President Hoover's proposal to make idle dollars work instead of being hoarded brought a sigh of relief to many bankers. One of the first steps will be to broaden the rediscount privilege in the federal reserve system.

Bankers tied up with frozen assets will be able to rediscount some at the federal reserve, and in turn receive cash. Up until the present time banks rediscounted only commercial paper and agricultural loans at the federal reserve system. "However, the bill provides for extension of loans by federal reserve banks to groups of five or more banks on their promissory notes and for substitution of government bonds for commercial paper as the basis of currency issues by the federal reserve banks. This, it is estimated, will free \$750,000,000 of impounded gold." So reports the United Press.

Thus the billion dollars in excess or idle gold, now held by the reserve system and the treasury, could be set aside to back such currency loaned by the federal reserve system.

By following the old procedure the small banks, as well as some of the larger institutions, would be compelled to close their doors because practically all of the ready cash was loaned out on mortgages. Many banking institutions carry a high percentage of saving deposits in their vaults, instead of investing the money. Fear that such investments could not be turned into ready cash, should the bank need it, has caused some of the bankers' hoard.

Directly, the little man receives assistance. And people with average means are in sore need of such federal aid. By alleviating the pressing condition of the banks, the federal government extends a helping hand to the individuals by arranging with the banking institution whereby the public can borrow money indirectly.

One of the first goals set by our Slovenes is to own their homes. As soon as enough money is saved to put a down payment on a home, the Slovenes borrow the rest from the banks in the form of mortgages. And how industrious they are to pay off their just debt is realized when one sees so few foreclosures on Slovenes.

For the time being, this characteristic trait of the Slovenes to buy homes has been curtailed. One of the reasons is lack of ready cash, due to unemployment crisis. The other reason is banks' failure to readily issue mortgages on real estate property. As a rule, our Slovenes are very thrifty. But they need the bank's aid to complete their plans for home ownership. Building homes is only one of the many admirable characteristics of our people. Building their own organization whereby individuals contribute to its continuity is another good quality Joe is ambitious, folks.

On the eve of Abraham Lincoln's birthday our non-stop victorious bowling team took two out of three games from the third place Fitzgerald Furniture Co. team of the Thomas A. Edison League, by piling up a grand total of 2824 to the victims' 2773. Bro. Nick Kobe was the stellar performer with a 600 series, while anchorman Horwath came right along with a nice 592 count.

The bouquet of flowers which we have been holding in the local Thos. A. Edison bowling league pierced us with a thorn as the result of Friday evening match of Feb. 19, with the Jahnke Transfer Co. outfit. Even though we came in the short end of the fracas, what of it! Bro. Jack Kubinski took us to his home in the beautiful subdivision of Waverly for a real treat following the bowling series. We're thinking well of you Jack.

Bro. Geo. Hazer's name again found its way back on the roll of honor with his 645 series. SS. PETER AND PAUL

### NEWS OF JOLIET

Joliet, Ill.—At its annual meeting Monday, Feb. 8, the Slovene Americanization Club of Will County elected the following SS. Peter and Paul Lodge members as officers: Bro. Joseph Zalar, president; Bro. Jacob Segal, vice president, and Bros. John Libershar and Anton Skur, trustees. This club aids those Slovenes who are seeking American citizenship rights. A special effort is made to explain the operation of various branches of U. S. government, and particularly the interpretation of newly enacted laws.

An overflow crowd of Slovene music enthusiasts heard the first concert given by our St. Joseph's School Band of 87 pieces at Slovenia Hall Sunday, Feb. 7. Many people were turned away, and those who were successful in gaining admittance were very much pleased with the performance.

Louis Joliet Committee, SS. Peter and Paul's social and sports auxiliary, recently adopted a new scheme of showing appreciation and recognition toward business firms owned and operated by members and such as have members of our lodge in their employ. For instance, while rolling in the Edison league the major team carries the name of JSKJ; all other exhibition or match games will be rolled under names of firms represented in our lodge.

Bro. and Mrs. Louis Zelezniak are the proud parents of a son born to them Sunday, Feb. 7. Congratulations. Mrs. Zelezniak was formerly Miss Mary Ursich.

Bro. Joseph Kozlevcar was absent from our column, as he was attending school in Chicago for a few weeks, taking up a course on mimeograph display work and advertising.

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Kcbs ..... 160 192 213 Kubinski ..... 202 212 187

Hazer ..... 204 214 222 Horwath ..... 179 166 188

Total ..... 923 932 991 JAHNERKE TRANSFER CO.

Jahnke ..... 179 155 162 Lindberg ..... 188 212 202

Hamilton ..... 190 181 235 Rub ..... 219 180 222

Fauly ..... 184 170 188

Total ..... 690 898 1009 John L. Jevitz Jr.

RAPID IMPROVEMENT

"Every time I kiss you it makes me a better man," he said.

"Well," she replied, "you don't need to try to get into heaven in one night."

Boss (engaging boy): Is there anything you can do better than anyone else?

Boy: Yes, sir; read my own writing.

for Aurora.

### Gilbert SSCU Notes

### Export Majestic Report

Export, Pa.—Readers of the English section of Nova Doba will see regular write-ups from Export Majestics, No. 218, SSCU, because two publicity agents have been appointed in the persons of Wm. Korach and Sam Grubis.

It's about time for the Exporters to do something of benefit for our Union and our local lodge. Seeking new members to join, the duty of all members, is the logical thing any member can and should do as the first step. Our Union rewards you for the trouble.

Now get busy and bring along some new members. By the way, Brother Blazem, did you fill that order you promised? Don't forget that in addition to knowing that you have something for your lodge there is that added satisfaction in receiving compensation from headquarters.

B. J. Marcelio, Sec'y.

### RAPID IMPROVEMENT

"Every time I kiss you it makes me a better man," he said.

"Well," she replied, "you don't need to try to get into heaven in one night."

Boss (engaging boy): Is there anything you can do better than anyone else?

Boy: Yes, sir; read my own writing.

for Aurora.

Frank Spanko Jr.,  
No. 192, SSCU.

### ATHLETIC BOARD OF S. S. C. U.

Chairman: F. J. Kress, 204 — 57th St., Pittsburgh, Pa.  
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Joseph Kopler, R. D. 2, Johnstown, Pa.  
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Anton Vessel, 819 W. Birch, Chisholm, Minn.

Louis M. Kolar, Athletic Commissioner and Editor of English Section, 6117 St. Clair Ave., Cleveland, Ohio.

### BRIEFS

Supreme President Paul Bartel has a new mailing address which is 339 North Lewis Ave., Waukegan, Ill. All members should keep this in mind when corresponding with Brother Bartel.

Charles "Lindy" Kotnik returned home from Hollywood and other points in California, after a visit of several months. "Lindy" is best remembered for his stellar performance in bowling with the George Washingtons, No. 180, SSCU, Cleveland, O. His mark of 800 for a three-game series has never been equalled in the Inter-Lodge League.

An important meeting of the three SSCU lodges in Indianapolis, Ind., will be held Sunday, Feb. 28, in the New School Hall. Meeting will commence at 1:00 p. m.

Federation of SSCU lodges in Pennsylvania will hold their next regular meeting Sunday, Feb. 28, at 10:00 a. m., in the Slovene Home, 57th St., Pittsburgh, Pa.

Plans to form a union of SSCU lodges in Johnstown, Pa., and vicinity will be discussed at a meeting to be held Sunday, Feb. 28, at 2:00 p. m. in the hall of St. Aloysius Lodge, No. 36, Conemaugh, Pa.

Cleveland Journal published financial report of its unemployment benefit show held Jan. 17, 1932, at the Slovene National Home, Cleveland, O., showing a net profit of \$729.01. The entire proceeds have been turned over to the Community Welfare Club and the Unemployed Relief Committee, both Slovene charitable organizations, helping out needy Slovenes.

An unfortunate series of incidents compel Mrs. Anna Brodnik and Miss Justine Zakrajsek of Cleveland, O., to return to Yugoslavia, on orders from the Federal Government. Both have resided in the states for a few years. Mrs. Brodnik has been married but a few months to Mr. Anton Brodnik, naturalized citizen.

### NO MAIL DELIVERIES

Monday, Feb. 22, was a legal holiday, observing the 200th anniversary of George Washington's birthday, the first president of the United States. No mail deliveries were made on this day. For this reason a number of contributing articles did not reach the Nova Doba office until Tuesday morning, Feb. 23, just one day late to be published in this week's edition.

All articles will appear in the following week's edition of Nova Doba.

### INDIAN SHORTS

#### Indians Plan Dramatic Production

Chicago, Ill.—Listen, everybody! Here's your opportunity to demonstrate your talents. If you can act, haul scenery, direct, etc., come out. If you can't come out anyway. Leo Moore (chairman), Christine Hrvat and Felix Kozlowski of the play committee can use you. The play will have been selected by the time this is published and a tentative cast will have been named.

A play that the members will be proud of cannot be produced in a day, but the time spent in arranging and rehearsing should be full of interest.

Are you a member of the Indian Lodge? Sure, I've always paid my dues promptly. But the fact that socials, hikes, etc., are well financed does not insure their success. They must be well supported. If the members don't help, who should?

If you, as a member, aren't very enthusiastic about a project, don't stay away. If there is something more interesting and worthwhile, come to the meetings and let all of us in on it. Suggestions are always welcome. Support your affairs. Start by coming to the next social.

Speaking of socials, the socials for the next month are under the supervision of the following committee: Edmund Kubik (chairman), William Hellwig and Walter Kozlowski.

Two basketball games were played last week. The Indians took both, the first by the walk-away score of 76 to 12, and the second by 36 to 24. The first game was one of the American tournament games. Our opponents were the Pancratius Tigers. The second was a return game with the Rangers. The Indians had defeated them before at the home gym and proved that they can play in other gyms just as well.

Edmund Kubik, Rec. Sec'y, No. 220, SSCU.

### SS. Peter and Paul League

Joliet, Ill.—The games won and lost up to date are as follows:

Team	Wen	Lost
Eagle Furnitures	25	17
Hickory St. Market	23	19
Slapnick Memorials	22	20
Hazer Clothiers	14	28

The Eagle Furnitures increased their lead to two games by taking the series from the Hazer Clothiers. Hickory St. Markets took possession of second place by taking two games out of three from the Slapnick Memorials.

Individual honors for the evening went to Kubik of the Slapnick Memorials, who rolled a total of 588 on games of 227, 183 and 178. Others rolling over 200 are: Bluth, 201, 204; Mix, 216, Horvath, 202; Papesh, 212; F. Ramutta, 212; E. Ramutta, 202.

John P. Lunka, League Sec'y, No. 66, SSCU.

### BETSY ROSS, NOTICE

Cleveland, O.—Betsy Ross Lodge, No. 186, SSCU, extends a cordial invitation to all to attend the card party to be held at 18003 Neff Rd. Friday evening, Feb. 26, at 7:30 o'clock. The admission is only 25 cents and refreshments will be served free. A door prize is also promised.

Victor Jazbec, No. 186, SSCU.

### SUGGESTIONS FOR NEW POLICIES

Chicago, Ill.—In compliance with the invitation which was published in the last issue of Nova Doba that the members should express their views in our official organ and submit constructive suggestions for the betterment of our fraternal union, I wish to emphasize that now is the proper time to submit our recommendations and not wait until the fourteenth regular convention is over.

Some members of the Illini Stars are of the opinion that the name of our fraternal union should be changed. I believe that our name should be shortened because it would have greater value as an advertising medium to attract new members. Therefore I suggest the name of Jugoslav Fraternal Union, translated in Slovene Jugoslovanska Bratska Jednota.

The great thorn in our society is the problem of sick benefit. This problem has been greatly aggravated by the Jugoslav fraternal societies themselves, when in the past, competing for new members, each offered greater sick benefits for smaller dues, disregarding entirely the laws of actuary science in the making of rates and benefit scales. All Jugoslav fraternal societies today are faced with large deficits or special assessments in their sick benefit funds. All of them are now advocating retrenchment policies. We, indeed, are fortunate, that our convention is held in the month of July, and if our delegates then properly solve this problem, we will have an advantage over other fraternal societies.

Our members must understand some of the fundamentals of actuary science. The members, as a whole, cannot draw more sick benefit than they paid in, as a whole, in dues. The older a member becomes the greater is his risk. If a society desires to keep an annual level rates, which is not increased from year to year, the member must pay into the sick benefit fund more in his younger years than is his risk, so that he creates a reserve, which reserve is used in his later years to offset his increasing risk. It is unwise for our society to accept adults into membership in the sick benefit fund regardless of their age at the same monthly rate. If we want a solvent sick benefit fund, then its benefits and monthly dues must be based upon the laws of actuary science, just like our life insurance fund is, and all members must be assessed according to their risks as shown by their ages when they were admitted into our society as members.

Some may say that this radical proposal will force all old members from the society because their monthly dues would be too high. On the other hand, the record will show that the old members created no reserve in the sick benefit fund and that they had the advantage of low rates for a number of years. Of course, these low rates were thrust upon the Jugoslav people because of the unwise competition for members among the leading Jugoslav fraternal societies. Therefore, I am of the opinion that some concessions should be made to old members. First, draft a plan based according to risks by ages as calculated by competent actuaries for members joining our society after Sept. 1, 1932. Increase these rates about 10 to 15 per cent, especially to members joining under age of 35. Secondly, draft a plan for those who were members before Sept. 1, 1932, based according to risks by ages as calculated by competent actuaries, also increasing the rates of those under age of 35 by from 5 to 15 per cent, and reducing the rates of those who are over 40 years of age by whatever additional surplus that is created by method one and two through the increasing of rates of those under 35 years of age.

I believe that our supreme officers should employ some competent actuary who should submit his report, in accordance with these suggestions and with his own recommendations, which report should be published at least ten weeks before the convention in our organ, Nova Doba, and let us endeavor to solve the problem of health insurance once and for all times upon a scientific basis and by effecting a satisfactory compromise between the older and young members.

Life and health insurance (sick benefit) should be made optional with the member. In these trying days of small incomes to the average worker, our society should not be paternal and be the sole judge as to what types of insurance every member should carry. Some people can only afford to carry life insurance, therefore, by such paternal restrictions our society bars persons from becoming members, who, if within our ranks, might accomplish much for the good of our society by their agitation and active work.

**Roster of Lodges**

In this issue of Nova Doba appears the roster of all SSCU lodges, along with the names of respective officers, their addresses and the time and place of the regular monthly meeting. Various lodge medical examiners are also listed.

**Roster appears but four times a year. For this reason members should file away this copy of Nova Doba for future reference.**

**Secretaries of various lodges are requested to check the names, addresses, medical examiners and the place and time of the regular monthly meeting of their respective units, and if any discrepancies are found, to report them to the Nova Doba office. Roster has been compiled from the individual lodge reports submitted to the supreme secretary and forwarded to the Cleveland office.**

**In the roster individual members have a ready reference to all lodges belonging to our Union, and if any correspondence with brother and sister members is desired the names and addresses are at their "finger tips."**

**ABRAHAM LINCOLN**

The deeds of great men never die but live forever. We can never forget the great work that was done by Abraham Lincoln. It is hard to realize that so great a man would remain so unselfish and so thoughtful to his countrymen, after the struggle and hardship he went through in his boyhood.

Abraham Lincoln was born on Feb. 12, 1809. Many stories have been told of his honesty and simplicity. It was because of his sincere simplicity that he was loved and honored by all. With his stepmother's aid he learned to read and write. He carried farm produce by water to New Orleans, kept a general store, served as a volunteer in the Black Hawk Indian War. In 1834-40 he served in the Illinois Legislature, practiced law, 1846 found him elected to the house of representatives, in 1858 he debated against slavery with Stephen A. Douglas.

Lincoln became our president in 1861 at the age of 52, and was re-elected in 1864. He was shot, and died on April 15, 1864, shortly after he had seen his dream come true, the freedom of the slaves.

It is well for the youth to remember this great man, and to those who are seeking models of literature could not do better than to imitate Lincoln's masterpiece Gettysburg address. His simple but most perfect speech delivered on Nov. 19, 1863, on the Gettysburg battlefield moved and touched many people. The following is reprint in part:

"We have come to dedicate a portion of that field as a final resting place for those who here gave their lives that that nation might live. It is altogether fitting and proper that we shall do this."

"But in a larger sense, we cannot dedicate—we cannot consecrate—we cannot hallow—this ground. The brave men, living and dead, who struggled here, have consecrated it far above our poor power to add or detract . . . It is for us, the living, rather, to be dedicated here to the unfinished work which they who fought here have thus far so nobly advanced. It is rather for us to be here dedicated to the great task remaining before us . . . and that government of the people, for the people, shall not perish from the earth."

**QUEEN**  
It is said that Queen Mary of England gives to charity annually from her own purse more than \$30,000.

**Rangers' Dance Successful**

Ely, Minn.—Who said there was a depression? At least there wasn't any sign of it at the Rangers' dance, SSCU No. 1, held Saturday night, Feb. 6, at the Slovene National Home. The hall proved to be inadequate for the large crowd it attracted. The only sign of depression was when, with depressive looks, we informed innumerable couples that accommodating them was impossible. We hated to see all this extra business walking away. We know they missed out on more than we did. That sort of evens it up.

Even though the hall was packed down to wiggling room, when it came time to close up we were threatened with death and torture in very strong language by the revelers. The only reason we can find for keeping the dance going two hours over the allotted time is the Rangers' brand-new novelty orchestra. It was the orchestra's maiden venture and it weathered it with fame and approval. It must have been good music when, with the overcrowded hall making it a job to dance, the crowd didn't thin out a bit until the last minute. "Peppy Lou" Kotzian and "Pups" Rozman, the harmony twins, compressed musical airs very artistically to the joy and approval of the dancing daughters and sons. "Beans" Dargotina strummed his banjo as he never did before, we think. Jackie Gerzin, the rhythm king, had an enjoyable evening jumping around in his trap set. All we can say to the orchestra is, "Give yourself a pat on your back."

Another feature that won over the crowd was the "flashy" decoration of the hall, which was decked with lights and streamers of various colors, orange and green, the colors of the Rangers, dominating. The stage where the orchestra reigned supreme was made to look like a king's canopy, but much more regal and beautiful. When the orchestra struck up a waltz the lights were turned low, and a floodlight shed its moonlike beams of various colors upon the swaying forms of the waltzers. With this splendid music and atmosphere, it was possible for everyone to be an expert waltzer. With such inventive personalities as can be found on the entertainment committee anything can become a reality.

After the dancers had exhausted themselves to quite an extent, a light lunch was served. It required skill and his brother to carry a tray of cups full of hot coffee through the jocose, jostling crowd. Somehow or other, it was done without any noticeable catastrophe, unless some serge or crepe de chine became soiled.

Confetti, paper caps, horns, bells and what will you have were speedily distributed to the crowd. The "cleanup" committee was opposed to having confetti.

Having put the crowd into spirits with the novelties and lunch the orchestra played some feet tickling melodies, which again brought the crowd to the floor en masse.

At the close of the dance we were complimented by visitors from the neighboring cities. They said that they never saw such decorations or heard such good music at a dance before. We owe our success to the splendid co-operation and willingness of all the members.

Josephine Osaben, Angela Skala, Joseph Popesh, Michael Saver, Frank Struckel and Joseph Spreitzer Jr., chairman of the Publicity Committee.

**REPARTAY**  
The old gentleman did not try to help his wife into their new car as he used to in the horse and buggy days. "You're not so gallant as when I was a gal," she told him.

"No," he replied, "and you are not so buoyant as when I was a boy."

**Inter-Lodge Bowling**

Cleveland, O.—With three men belting less than 500, the George Washingtons managed to win two games from the Colliwood Boosters, dropping the last tussle by 17 pins. The G. W.'s hit games of 885, 878 and 852 to the Boosters' 824, 811 and 869. Kramer's 633 series, compiled on 208, 224 and 201, was the Washingtons' bright spot. J. Laurich's 551 was the Boosters' best offering, including a 235, which aided greatly in their only win. "Lindy" Kotnik, who returned from the West Coast, collected a 491 series, running into a flock of splits.

The Betsy Ross, although out 2752 to 2708, were able to squeeze two wins from the strong S. Y. M. C., hitting 944, 924 and a weak 841 to the Young Men's 927, 887 and 938. Skufca paced the Flagmakers with a 592. Baraga's 571 series included a neat 231. Preble's 635 total on installments of 210, 210 and 215 was in vain for the losers.

**"B" League**

The George Washingtons took three games on the chin in their encounter with the Holy Name Juniors. Jaklic's 481 was the G. W.'s best offering.

Losing the first game by a slim margin of 12 sticks, 800 to 788, the Betsy Ross opened up and laced the powerful Clairwoods in the two remaining sets, punishing the lumber for 804 and 890, against 686 and 876. G. Kovitch set the pace for the B. R.'s with 175, 179 and 207 for a 561 series.

**"B" Results of Feb. 7**

Bowling a double-header, the Betsy Ross in their series against the Rover-Utopians came through with two victories, with G. Kovitch setting the pace, totaling 509. The Flagmakers hit games of 794, 768 and 736. In the postponed series with the Svetek Struglers the Rossmen were hotter, getting a 2452 total on 828, 811 and 813, but the league leaders proved too tough. G. Kovitch again proved to be the big contributor for the Flagmakers, hitting a 568 series, which included a nifty 221 game.

The George Washingtons again surprised the rest of the league, this time taking over the Spartans. Winning the first game in easy fashion, 744 to 650, the Washingtons saw defeat in the last frame of the second game, getting the short end of a 725 to 723 score, and reversing the tables in the third encounter; the Tree Choppers came through on a 756 to the Spartans' 754. Sammy Richter was the heavy contributor for the G. W.'s, blasting a 520 series.

Frank Drobnič, No. 180, SSCU

**MOTHER OF PEARL**

Mother of pearl is the inner iridescent layers of the shells of many bivalve mollusks, especially that of the pearl oyster. It is similar in nature to the pearl itself and the beautiful luster is due to the interference of light. Mother of pearl is used in decorations for inlays, for handles of knives, and for cheap jewelry.

**OIL WELLS IN AMERICA**

According to the American Petroleum Institute, there are 300,000 oil wells in the United States at the present time. In addition to millions of cubic feet of natural gas these wells produce 2,500,000 barrels of oil a day. Nineteen different states have oil wells within their borders.

**As Usual**

A Scottish minister was on his usual rounds when he encountered one of his old friends.

"And how is the world treating you, Jock?" asked the minister.  
"Very seldom!" replied Jock sadly.

**REPARTAY**

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**TO THE RESCUE**

East Palestine, O.—The present depression has tossed many men into the sea of poverty. There they struggle and call for help. Men, who are willing to work if only work were given them. Included in this group are many Slovenes who belong to our SSCU.

Some of these members through a period of 15, 20 or 25 years have paid their monthly assessments to find the time has come when they are not able to do so because of present conditions. Members who were the builders of the organization, bringing it to its present fine standing, unable to pay their dues.

Are they now to be dismissed? Not if our SSCU can prevent it. The appropriation of \$7,000 recently to aid these needy members is one method of prevention already adopted. And this was a fine step to take. It was a brilliant display of fraternal spirit. It is just such acts which make it worthwhile to belong to our SSCU.

Joe Golicic, No. 41, SSCU.

**Fifth Anniversary**

Cleveland, O.—George Washingtons, let me ask you a question. Do you know how long your lodge has been organized, or the facts surrounding its origin? Here are a few facts.

On March 7, 1927, the George Washington Lodge, No. 180, SSCU, held its first official meeting in which officers and members were initiated. The

edge was organized as a result of the efforts of "live wire" members of St. John the Baptist Lodge, No. 37, SSCU, and also Lodge Jutranja Zvezda, No. 137, SSCU, both of Cleveland. They had in mind the splendid thought that our South Slavonic Catholic Union must live on. And proud are we, members of the G. W. Lodge, to say that we have the same thought in mind. We thank our organizers for bringing to light the value of fraternalism. We shall endeavor to carry on this same spirit and to instill it into others who do not know what it is all about.

Our G. W. Lodge is a monument to the efforts of our organizers, and it shall live on. Monday, March 7, marks its fifth anniversary. After sailing bravely through the past five years a feeling prevails that the coming years shall be met face to face without wavering.

The next monthly meeting shall take place on March 7 in Room No. 2 of the Slovene National Home. Every member is urged to attend this meeting. Important business shall be discussed. Those members who have tickets for the Feb. 13 dance will settle with the secretary as soon as possible. Those who have not paid their dues for the month of February must meet such obligations on Feb. 25 at my residence, 6525 Schaefer Ave., off Addison Rd., between the hours of 6:30 and 8:30 p. m. Please be prompt.

Charles F. Kikel, Sec'y.

WESTERN STARS, NO. 202, ROCK SPRINGS, WYO.

PRESIDENT: J. L. Jenko, 745 Connecticut Ave.; secretary: Miss Jennie Putz, 904 7th St.; treasurer: Valentine Subje, 726 Pilot Butte Ave.; organizer: Mrs. Fannie Jenko, 745 Connecticut Ave.; Medical Exam.: Dr. E. S. Lauger, Elks B. St.—Meet every third Tuesday of the month at 7:30 p. m. at the Slovenian Hall at 7:30 p. m.

COLORADO SUNSHINE, NO. 201, DENVER, COLO.

PRESIDENT: Margaret J. Erbavec, 631 E. 49th Ave.; secretary: Mary A. Modic, 4650 12th St.; treasurer: Frank C. Gilpin; Medical Exam.: Dr. Zarit, 4701 12th St.; Medical Exam.: Dr. Nevins, 5240 Butler St.—Meet every second Friday of each month at the Forestier's Hall.

PITTSBURGHER, NO. 196, PITTSBURGH, PENNA.

PRESIDENT: F. J. Kress, 204—57th St.; secretary and organizer: John J. Furar, 5321 Carnegie Ave.; treasurer: Louis Kompare, Jr., 5632 Donson St.; Medical Exam.: Dr. Nevins, 5240 Butler St.—Meet every second Thursday of each month at the Holy Trinity School Hall.

NORTH STAR, NO. 197, DULUTH, MINN.

PRESIDENT: Ferenc Kovitch, 310½ West 4th St.; secretary: Anthony Sustnick, Jr., 702 West Second St.; treasurer: Anthony Sustnick, Sr., 702 West First St.; organizer: John Ribanich, 112 West 1st St.; Medical Exam.: Dr. Rudie, 410 Fidelity Bldg.—Meet every third Sunday of the month at the Forestier's Hall.

JEFFERSON COLLEGIANS, NO. 205, CANONSBURG, PA.

PRESIDENT: Louis Polaski, 506 Highland Ave.; secretary: Helen Polaski, 529 Highland Ave.; treasurer: Anthony Lombardi, Jr.; Medical Exam.: Dr. Paul F. Eackstein, 329 Hawthorne St.—Meet every first Sunday of the month at Falcon's Hall at 11 a. m.

ILLINI STARS, NO. 211, CHICAGO, ILL.

PRESIDENT: Richard J. Zavitsak, 2552 So. Central Park Ave.; secretary: Charles Jezek, 2620 So. Karlo Ave.; treasurer: John M. Zvezich, 4049-51 W. 31st St.; organizer: All members; Medical Exam.: Dr. John J. Zavitsak, 3724 W. 26th St.—Meet every third Tuesday of the month at Berger's Hall, 2653 So. Lauderdale Ave.

NATIONAL STAR, NO. 213, CONEMAUGH, PENNA.

PRESIDENT: Cyril Rovaneck, R. D. 2, Johnstown, Pa.; secretary: James Koplen, 1225 12th St.; treasurer: Frank J. Owsler, Walsenburg, Colo.; organizer: Annie Owsler, Walsenburg, Colo.; Medical Exam.: Dr. J. F. Baes, Walsenburg, Colo.—Meet at George Oskerk's home, 635 West 8th St., every third Sunday of the month, at 10 a. m.

EXPORT MAJESTICS, NO. 218, EXPORT, PA.

PRESIDENT: Theodore Kuklich, Export, Pa.; secretary: Bert J. Marecik, Box 425, Export; treasurer: Dan Korn, Export, Pa.; organizer: Joseph Koplen, Conemaugh, Pa.; Medical Exam.: Dr. W. Dixon, Export, Pa.—Meet every 3rd Thursday of each month at 7:30 p. m. at Marcelo home.

INDIAN, NO. 229, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS.

PRESIDENT: Albert Spach, 1613-15 Blue Island Ave.; secretary: Leo Wm. Moore, 1531 18th St.; treasurer: Otto Spach, 1919-21 Blue Island Ave.; organizer: Andrew Spach, 1919-21 Blue Island Ave.; Medical Exam.: Dr. Wm. Jakopich, 1808 Blue Island Ave.—Meet every second Thursday of each month at 1615 Blue Island Ave.

CENTER RAMBLERS, NO. 221, CENTER, PENNA.

PRESIDENT: Frank Kalik, R. D. 1, Turtl Creek, Pa.; secretary: John D. Turtl Creek, Pa.; treasurer: Toine Molnar, Turtl Creek, Pa.; organizer: Martin Vencina, Jr., Gothenburg, Pa.; Medical Exam.: Dr. L. C. Creighan, Unity, Pa.—Meet every first Sunday of the month at 1:00 p. m. at Center Slovene Hall.

PATHFINDERS, NO. 222, GOWANDA, NEW YORK.

PRESIDENT: Anthony Sternak, Gowanda, N. Y.; secretary: Edith Palic, Gowanda, N. Y.; treasurer: Ernest Palic, Gowanda, N. Y.; organizer: Martin Vencina, Jr., Gowanda, N. Y.; Medical Exam.: Dr. Paul Levi, Gowanda, N. Y.—Meet at 7:30 p. m. every third Tuesday of the month at Slovene Hall, Palmer St., Gowanda, N. Y.

SESTMESEČNI RAČUN J. S. K. J.

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Od 30. junija 1931 do 31. decembra 1931

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Rado Murnik:

## NAVIHANI

ČAČKIČIKAR PA KRIŽKRAZ

(Konec)\*

Nato se prikaže golorok korenjak v irhastih hlačah, z velikanskim rdečo mavelo in širokokrajinom slaminikom, na katerem mu je prišlo bel robec nad tilnikom, in žene otvorjenega osla proti njemu.

"I kaj pa vidva počenjata ljeti?" se začudi mož.

"Vode, vode!" prosi hričavi Križkraž in kaže z rokama v usta.

"Samu an mejh je še imam, buodi ga Buk zahvaljen, pa jo jaku rad dan, vajste, zetu, de me ne bo špot dama denes al juter, keder bo kaj prideg al govorjenja od vsmiljenja Samaritan. Ti uboga kruota, lačni si in trudni, de kumaj gledaš! Nu — daj!"

"Tisočerca hvala Allahu, Mohamedu in tebi!" se je zahvaljal Križkraž in dal pit tudi tovarišu.

"I kaj bi Mohamed, uboga kruota, ki še ministrirat naj znali!"

Prejkone nista razumeja nobene besedice Urbanove govorice, dasi sta bila jezikoslovena. Vendar sta mu brala misli z izrazitega obritega obraza in jih posnemala po krennjah. Včasi pa je dodal sahorobar tudi po katero arabsko drobitinico.

"Izgubila sva se," je nadaljeval Križkraž. "Skoro sva umrla od žeje, moj prijatelj Čačkičikar tukaj in jaz, Križkraž. Ti si naju otel smrti. Varuj te Allah, in trava naj raste na pragu vsakemu tvojemu sovražnikov! Kdo si pa ti?"

"Pretietu, ne buodi!" se je odrezal rešitelj in si brisal pot z obraza. "Ti kruota turska ti, ka najsi vidlu mujih lunc in žlie in rajtuv in rešet, z an besajdo: najsi vidlu muje suhe ruobe ljeti ne osli? Ja — pa ranku raja kruota njabi vajdu, de sem ribnšku sajme! De pa mi lončarji najsmo, kar buodi, vre ves svajt vaj! Hvala Bogu, jest sem Ribnčen Urban, po cajlem svajti znan!"

"Na bakšiš, R' ibn džan!" mu je ponujal Čačkičikar mošnjico cekinev. "Na, dobri mož iz dežele Frankov, koder hodijo po zimi ijdje po vodi, na R' ibn džan!"

"Še preej dobru se ti je zngavilu. Pa čistu me vender najsi se dev. Vajsta kaj, Buk me vari, de bi vzvez zvestuo! Zekaj, zetu, de ne! Lejta, kajpej, naj trajba! Dama v Ribnici, ne srajdi svajta, bi sposadje po cajli dolini kazali s prstam ze menu. Lejte ga, lejte hinave, bi vpili! Preketa šema, voduo je predajev in Afriki, ne suhe ruobe! Dobru imie nam je zepravu Ribnčenam vsm. sevajde. — Če čta pa kupit od mjane kašnu rešetatu al kar buodi, nu pa dajta, pa zebaratajmo!"

Čačkičikar in Križkraž sta si izbrala vsak svoj muhalnik, Urban pa je z olajšano vestjo spravil mošnjiček in dejal:

"Sembrana gospoda odira nas — zekaj je pa najbi še mi odriči včasi nekulku se likof? Sam zludi vaj, gospoda je pa nezadnje liečudna — Povajta nu, kam sta pa tejla?"

"V oazo k slavnemu El Ulemu!" je odgovarjal Čačkičikar.

"I nu — pejmo pa ka vkep! Morde vama dobru daju strim. Tu je sem nemejnjen kajakej. Al ne vajsta, s prijaznosti sem prevez za tovoar najkaj mehuv cička. Ravnu ne male kavke dan zjutraj sva se zmajnila zan."

Vodil jih je torej proti El Ulemoni zelenici, in srečno so dospeli tjačaj v večnozeleno oazo sredi teoretičnosive puščave.

Preslavni El Ulema se je zviral v hladni senci palmovega gaja na mehkih blazinah, z mozeljasto, napol plešasto glavo praprap pod pipi velikanskemu sodu, ki so se svetile na njem zlate črke: Veritas.

"O — dober večer, preljubi moj Urban!" je pozdravljal izmed vseh treh najprivo slovenskega rešetarja.

"Buk daj sriečo, gaspud!"

"No, to je prav, da si vendar enkrat spet 'pričuval' z oslom k meni. Že mi je pošel skoro ves ciček. Saj veš, da izganjam z njim hudiča. Iznebil sem se jih že osem. Samo še deveta hudo, izmed vseh najbolj kosmatu, ta se me drži pa kaj trdovratno. Kai pa tvoj lončeni bajs? In kako se imaš sploh kaj?"

"E — bo žie, bo žie! Buk Slavejna ne zepesti: če naj lač, je pa žejin!"

"Kaj pa vidva?" se je obrnil manj prijazno k jezikoslovemu. Ko je zagledal debela slovarja pod njih padzuhama.

Ponižana sta stopila predenj in se mu klanjala do tal.

"El Ulema, solnce učenosti!" ga je ogovoril živahnejši Križkraž. "Bodi nama pozdravljen stotisočkar! Midva, ki nisva vredna, da se dotakne tvoga desna copata najnih hlač, Čačkičikar tukaj in pa jaz, obadvu sva te prišla vprašat, kaj je prav, čira ali čara, ali a! Ti sam si napisal tale rokopis — prosiva torek, pojev nam . . ."

Vtem je drgnil Urban svojega vročega osla s slamo, Čačkičikar pa je smrčal cd razburjenosti in škilil na sod. In hudo so se mu cedile sline.

"Urban!" je zaklical El Ulema. "Slabo mi prihaja . . . Odprti mi, odprti!"

Ribnčan je urno odprli pipi, El Ulema pa usta in je požiral res virtuzno. Ko se ga je naluckal dosita, je mignil Urbanu in mu zašepetal nekaj na uho. Potem je dejal glasno:

"Drugi narodi zidajo železnice, seriale, tešeo ladje, nabirajo cekinov kjerisbodi, mi pa smo idealni, idealni, idealni — berači! Brigamo se za same malenkosti. In ker smo berači, tudi nimamo nobene prave domače umetnosti. Zakaj vsakemu dobremu umetniku se mudi, da jo potegne kam med tuje bogatine. Čira ali čara! He — Urban!"

In Ribnčan je potipal svojega osla z debelim palcem in ga počgečkal za ušesom.

"I-a! I-a! I-a!" je zarigal osel na vse svoje oslovsko grlo.

Vsa zavzeta sta se spogledovala jezikoslovca.

"Le poslušajta merodajni glas prirode!" jima je svetoval El Ulema.

"Gba imava prav!" je veselo vzklknil Čačkičikar.

Objela sta se, se rokovala, si kadila in lezla drug drugemu v sreč.

Ko je naslednje jutro izhajalo solnce, sta se napotila z' Urbnom proti Bimbamu. Toda še medpotoma je rekel Križkraž čačkičikarju:

"Ves, kaj? Pa je le čira prav, ker je osel najprivo zarigal i!"

"Kaj šel! Čara je prav, zakaj a je poudarjal glasneje!"

In začela sta se prepričati odkonca . . . Čisto zastonj jima je bil rigal osel vrlega Ribnčana Urbana!

## JAPONSKA ZELENJAVA

Pojedelci v naših južnih državah so v velikih možinah začeli pridelovati japonsko zelenjavu "udo," ki je okusna kot salata, ali pripravljena kot špargeljni.

Iz Japonske je prišel k nam tudi jedilni bambus, katerega mladi poganjki, kuhanji v slani vodi in servirani s smetano, so prava delikatesa.

Importirano zelje "petsai" se od nadavnega zelja odlikuje z boljšim okusom in pa s tem, da pri kuhanju ne oddaja neprizetnega zeljnega duha.

## OGROMNA KITAJSKA

Kitajska je ogromna dežela, ki je poleg tega zelo gosto naseljena. Na Kitajskem živi štirikrat toliko ljudi kot v Združenih državah.

## DOPISI

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dveh popoldin v Mahnetovi dvorani. Na tem shodu bodo govorili glavni uradniki Ameriške Jugoslovanske Zveze v Minnesoti, kakor tudi nekaj drugih dobrih govornikov.

Namen omenjenega shoda je pojasniti našemu narodu, kolike korist bi bilo zanj, če bi združeno nastopal v javnem življenju. Ako bi bili Jugoslavci v St. Louis okraju v Minnesoti združeni, bi lahko predstavljali odločujočo silo. V tem okraju je okoli 20,000 jugoslovenskih volilcev, toda naši politikarji nas ne vpoštevajo, ker ne znamo naštopati skupno. Poznajo nas pred volitvami, potem smo jim pa deveta brig. Skrajni čas je, da se prebudimo in da pokazemo drugorodcem našo narodno zavest. Kdor se ne zaveda, da je naše združenje potrebno, ne hoči z duhom časa, ampak nazaj. Torej, rojaki in rojakinje, vsi na shod v nedeljo 28. februarja!

Peter Krhin.

## Canonsburg, Pa.

Tukajšnji dramski klub "Soča" bo v nedeljo 6. marca vpravil, oziroma ponovil zanimivo igro "Prisega o polnoči," ki je bila tukaj vprizorjena 10. januarja. V igri nastopa okrog 30 oseb. Ponovno bo igra vprizorjena na splošno željo občinstva. Vstopnina bo v soglasju z današnjimi razmerami samo 25 centov za osebo. Igra bo vprizorjena v dvorani društva Postonjska jama in se prične ob treh popoldne. V odmorih bo nastopil tukajšnji pevski zbor "Ilirija" pod vodstvom Mr. R. Pleterška iz Bridgeville, Pa. Zbor "Ilirija" je v tej okolici po svojih izbornih nastopih že dobro znan, zadnje čase pa ga je imela priliko spoznati tudi širša javnost, ker je nastopal na radio-oddajni postaji v Washingtonu, Pa.

Peter Klobučar,

## Pittsburgh, Pa.

Zastopnikom Zveze JSKJ državščin v zapadni Pensylvaniji naznanjam, da se bo prihodnja redna seja vršila v nedeljo 28. februarja v Slovenskem Domu v Pittsburghu. Zastopniki društva so poščeni, naj bodo na mestu kolikor mogoče pravčasno, kajti seja se bo pričela točno ob deseti uri dopoldne. S sejo nameravamo nadaljevati brez odmora, nameč brez kosiča ob 12. uri. To se pravi, da bomo zborovali kar naprej, dokler ne bo dnevn red izčrpán. Potem bomo pa imeli skupno kosilo. Vzrok za to bo objavljena na seji, in mislim, da nobenemu udeležencu ne bo žal.

Društva v naši bližini so prošena poslati zastopnike na našo sejo, četudi še niso dozdati pri Zvezi, ker s tem si zagotovijo oproščenje od asesmenta za leto 1932.

Društva v okolici Johnstowna in Conemaugh pa naj v nedeljo 28. februarja ne pozabijo na ustavnino sejo Zveze JSKJ društva za njihovo okrožje. Radi oddaljenosti se zastopniki tamkajšnjih društva niso mogli udeleževati sej, že ustavnovljene Zveze, zato se je doalo pobudo za ustavnitev Zveze JSKJ društva za okolico Johnstowna in Conemaugh, ki bi delovala v isti smernici kot Zveza JSKJ društva za okolico Pittsburgha.

Kot je bilo že poročano, je imela Zveza JSKJ društva za pittsburško okrožje na večer 30. januarja veselico s tremi igrami, kar vse je prav dobro izpadlo. Občinstvo je bilo zavoljeno in zvezina blagajna si je opomogla. Saj blagajna je namenjena v podporo in korist društva. To se lahko razvidi iz zahval, priobčenih v Novi Dobi. Naj bo na tem mestu izrečena javna zahvala igralcem, ki so igre vprizorili, in občinstvu, ki je prireditev posestilo. Brez obojestranske naklonjenosti ne bi bili mogli doseči tolikega uspeha.

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