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URADNO GLASILO AMERISKE BRATSKE ZVEZE — OFFICIAL ORGAN OF THE AMERICAN FRATERNAL UNION

Ameriška bratska zveza je naša,
Amerika je naša, obramba Amerike je
naša in tudi pri osveti za Pearl Harbor
bomo imeli mi naš del!

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DRUŠTVENE IN DRUGE SLOVENSKE VESTI

Glavni tajnik ABZ, brat Anton Zbašnik, je nedavno kupil na poštrem uradu v Elyu, Minn., 44,795 vojnih vrat v arce v alnih znakom, ki so bile razposlane kot dividenda mladiščkim članom Ameriške bratske zveze. Mladiščki člani so dobili vsak po pet znakov, za skupno vsoto 50 centov. Glavni tajnik je plačal za kupljene vojno-vrarec v Alne znake \$4,479.50. Ta nakup znakov od strani Ameriške bratske zveze je bil večji, kot vse prejšnji tozadnevi nakupi na današnjem poštrem uradu skupaj. Načrti mladiščki oddelek imata št. 190 v Butte, Montana, kjer je tajnica naša glavna podpredsednica, sestra Mary Predovich. Omenjenemu društvu je bilo poslanih 3,500 znakov.

Skupna veselica slovenskih društev v korist fondu Jugoslovenskega pomožnega odbora, slovenska sekcija, se bo vršila v soboto 2. maja v Slovenskem delavskem domu na Waterloo Rd. v Clevelandu, Ohio.

Plesno veselico priredi Slovenski dom v Gowandi, N. Y., v soboto 2. maja.

Veliko skupno veselico katere dobiček bo oddan Ameriški rdečemu križu, priredijo slovenska, hrvatska in srbska ustanova v Cle Elumu, Roslyn, Ronald, Wash., v soboto 2. maja. Prostor veselice: Masonic Hall, Roslyn, Wash.

Pennsylvanska federacija prireditev Ameriške bratske zveze bo zborovala v nedeljo 3. maja v Slovenskem domu v Clarendon, Pa.

Kliridesetletnico ustanovitve proslavilo društvo št. 29 A. Z. v Imperialu, Pa., z veselicami, katero priredi v soboto 16. maja.

Prireditev letne veselice našega društva št. 148 ABZ v Chisholmu, Minn., bo tamkajšnje društvo št. 30 ABZ proslavilo 40-letnico ustanovitve z leta 1902, ki ga priredi v nedeljo 24. maja.

Federacija društev Ameriške bratske zveze v državi Colorado bo zborovala v nedeljo 24. maja v Canon City, Colo.

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SPLOŠNI TEDENSKI PREGLED

PACIFICNO BOJIŠČE

Japonci še vedno beležijo uspehe na Burmi, kjer polagoma potiskajo nazaj britiske in kitajske čete. Na otoku Timor se vršijo manjši boji med Japonci ter holandskimi in avstralskimi branitelji. Tudi ameriško-filipinske čete na filipinskih otokih Cebu in Panay se še vedno ustavlajo Japoncem. Trdnjava Corregidor v zalivu Manile Japonci dnevno napadajo, toda ameriško-filipinski branbovi kreplje odgovarjajo. Avstralije, kjer general MacArthur organizira ameriško-avstralsko bojno silo, Japonci po vsej priliki za enkrat še ne misijo napasti. Le tu in tam pošlejo nekaj letal nad avstralsko ozemlje in MacArthurjevi letali jih poseže vračajo.

POTA LETALCEV

Japonci še zdaj ugibajo, od kod so prišli in kam so odleteli ameriški letalci, ki so predzadnjo soboto z bombami obsipali Tokio in še tri druga važna japonska mesta. Za eno teh ameriških letal pa je bilo pretekli teden ugotovljeno, da je bilo prisiljeno pristati na ruskem ozemlju v Sibiriji. Ker Rusija in Japonska oficielno še nista v vojni med seboj, so ruske oblasti internirale ameriško letalo in posadko istega. Tako vsaj se poroča iz Moskve. Vsekakor smo lahko prepričani, da so Rusi sprejeli ameriške letalce kot prijatelje, in, četudi bodo "internirani", se jim ne bo slablo godilo. Japonce pa nedvomno skrbi, če ni za tem "prisilen" pristankom ameriškega letala na ruskem ozemlju kaj skritega.

OSTAVKA V PROTEST

Neokupirana Francija ima v Washingtonu še vedno svoje poslanstvo, in ameriška vlada je skušala vsaj za silo izhajati s francosko vladno v Vichy, kateri je do nedavna načeloval maršal Petain. Na Hitlerjev pritisk pa je moral Petain vso pravo vladno oblast izročiti izdajalcu Lavalu, ki se je takoj ob nastopu izjavil za popolno sodelovanje z Nemčijo. Lavala sovražijo vsi iskreni Francozi, in pet uradnikov francoskega poslanstva v Washingtonu je pretekli teden podalo ostavko. Izjavili so, da ne bodo služili vladni francoski Kvizlinga Lavala, in so se ponudili v službo zastopstvu "svobodne Francije". Sodi se, da bodo mnogi francoski diplomati v drugih ameriških republikah sledili temu vzgledu.

REGISTRACIJA

Dne 27. aprila so se v smislu zakona v Zedinjenih državah registrirali vsi moški med 45. in 65. letom. Vsak registranc je dobil kartico, katero je dolžan vedno s seboj nositi. Enkrat pozneje bodo registrancem poslane vprašalne pole, na katerih bo treba odgovoriti na različna vprašanja, med drugimi tudi na vprašanje, za kakšno delo je registriranec posebno sposoben.

ZNAČILEN GOVOR

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NA DOMAČI FRONTI

Učinki vojne segajo vedno globlje v naše vsakdanje življene. Teden za tednom imamo več sprememb. Posledice nekaterih izmed teh so že vidljive po naših cestah in doma v hiši. Druge se niso še dotaknile mnogih izmed nas, toda jih že vidišmo prihajati. Vidimo jih prihajati v odredbah War Production Boarda, ki prihranjujo za vojne svrhe čim dalje več predmetov.

V velikih avtomobilskih srednjih srednjega zapada, kjer se tanki izgotavljajo mesto avtozavoda, bo nova sila mož v strojek kmalu stavljena na razpolago za vojne svrhe. Ti so možne in stroji, ki so se ukvarjali z izdelovanjem tovornih avtov (trucks). WPB je izdal naredbo, ki zaključi produkcijo tovornih avtov čim bodo sedanje kvote izpolnjene.

Odredbe WPB dovoljujejo skromno količino preobnavljanja za poslopja v okrajih vojne produkcije, in to zaradi velike potrebe stanovanj. WPB je predpovedal nadaljnje izdelovanje obročnih krp (blowout patches) in je omejil proizvodnjo obročnih "reliners". Vzrok je seveda isti važni razlog, ki je povzročil razcijenjanje gumija, treba je imeti gumij za rabo, kjer bo v najboljšo korist. In to je za kolesje tankov, ne pa za kolesa naših zabavnih vozov. Istočasno pa moramo imeti prometna sredstva, in WPB in druge vojne agencije ameriške vlade se neprestano prizadevajo najti kako rešitev, kak odgovor na vprašanja pojemačih obročev na avtih vojnih delavcev. Ena posledica je bila razvoj ogromnega busa, ki bo v stanu prevažati skoraj trikrat toliko potnikov kot običajni mestni bus in skoraj dvakrat toliko kot največji tramvajski voz. Lahek, napravljen iz lesnih plasti (plywood) in drugih nadomestil. Pred nedavnim je razvoj stvari na Daljnem Vzhodu do vedenja do zmanjšane količine čajja v posameznih omotih in sedaj je bilo vsem prejemateljem in pakovateljem čaja ukazano prijaviti popolno poročilo o količini čaja, ki ga imajo na rokah.

Stiriindvajset distilerij pošljala pitni alkohol tovarnam in industrijalnega alkohola, ki se radi za izdelovanja brezdimnega smodnika za naše topove. Office of Price Administration pa priporoča, da si nabavite svoj premog sedaj. Morda prihodnjo zimo ne bomo v stanu vporabljati prometnih sredstev za prevažanje iz rudnikov. In ravno v teh zadnjih dnevih smo imeli še druge znake sprememb, znake naravnosti prihajajoče iz bojišča na Daljnem Vzhodu.

Vse, kar se dogaja v tej vojni za svobodo, se dotika vsakogar prej ali sicer. Ker Japonci tvorijo grožnjo za Indijo, ker japonske vojne ladje prezijo ob indijskih prekomorskih progah, bodo ljudje v Združenih državah imeli večje težave dobivati nekatere vrste preprog in ne bodo mogli kupiti običajne količine gramofonskih plošč.

Mi importiramo skoraj vso svojo zalogo jute. Juta je olupljena škorja nekega drevesa, iz katere se napravlja snov zvana burlap. Burlap se v tej deželi rabi za vreče in omote, za zavesne in tapeciranje pohištva, kar tudi za prevleko nekaterih vrst preprog.

Kar se tiče gramofonskih plošč, jih bo manj, le 30 odstotkov, v primeru s produkcijo leta 1941, in to radi pomanjkanja še

NAROČITE SI PREMOG

Vlada v Washingtonu opozarja prebivalstvo, da naj si naroči potrebne zaloge premoga za zimo že sedaj. Na prvi pogled se tak poziv čudno sliši, saj je zima komaj minila, toda poziv ima dobro gospodarsko podlogo.

Premoga je v Zedinjenih državah dovolj in zdi se, da tudi premogarjev ne bo manjkalo. Delavci, ki so vajeni le dela v premogovih rovih, ne bodo prisiljeni.

Vašo vlogo pa igra transportacija. Premoga je treba odvajati od premogovnikov do kupcev oziroma konzumentov. Ti so dostikrat po več sto milij oddaljeni. V normalnih časih to lahko opravijo železnice, parniki in truki, za vojni čas pa to ni tako dobro, posebno, če bi moral transportacija premoga biti izvedena v primeroma kratkem razdobju.

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Dandanes so vsa transportna sredstva zaposlena s prevažanjem vojnega materiala in vojaštva. In vsi znaki kažejo, da bo postajalo to zaposlenje z vsakim dнем večje. Vojški transporti in transporti vojnega materiala bodo imeli prednost pred vsem drugim. Nakopani premog bodo moral čakati in morda bodo premogovniki morali še zmanjšati obratovanje, ker ne bo na razpolago dovolj železniških voz za odvajanje premoga.

Iz navedenih vzrokov je torej za vsakega hišnega gospodarja, ki rabi premog za kurjavo, zelo priporočljivo, da sledi priporočilu vlade in si premog za prihodnjo zimo naroči že zdaj. Železnične bodo dovažale premog v mesta vse poletje, kadar koli bodo imeli vozove na razpolago, in trgovci s premogom v mestih ga bodo polagoma dostavljali srednji odjemalcem. Premog se ne pokvari, četudi leži na kupu leta in leta, pa naj bo v skladu z vrednostjo, na primer: sladki grah (sweet pea), mak (poppy), kapucinarji (nasturtium), resedica (mignonette), slak (morning glory), kalifornijski mak (eschscholtzia), sončnica (sunflower), vrtne tobak (nicotiana) in portulaca.

Druge enoletne cvetlice, ki jih je mogoče z malim trudem gojiti skoraj na vsakem vrtu, katere pa je najbolj priporočljivo posejati na stalna mesta. Med te spadajo: sladki grah (sweet pea), mak (poppy), kapucinarji (nasturtium), resedica (mignonette), slak (morning glory), kalifornijski mak (eschscholtzia), sončnica (sunflower), vrtne tobak (nicotiana) in portulaca.

Vse cvetlice ljubijo sončno lego, toda nekateri priljivo dobro uspevajo tudi na delno zasenčenih prostorih, na primer: nasturtium, nicotiana, mignonette, balsam, calendula, marigold, nigella, petunia, phlox, salvia, sanvitalia, scabiosa, verbena in zinnia. Seveda je še tisoč drugih enoletnih cvetlic, toda navedene so najmanj izbirne glede lege in najmanj razvajene glede negovanja, zato so priporočljive za domačega poročila lahko sami prepricali.

Nemška zasedbena oblast je misila, da bo treba samo pravno načelni odbor, voditelj, predsednik odbora za javno zdravstvo, direktorja starostne podo, predsednika civilnoobrambnega odbora, predsednika učiteljskega udruženja, nadzornika javne knjižnice, mestnega uradnika za identifikacijo in registracijo vojnih obveznikov.

Nemška oblast je objavila v — slovenskem in nemškem jeziku naslednji proglašenje:

"BEKANNTMACHUNG"

Komunistični elementi so v noči od 27. do 28. julija izvršili nekaj sabotažnih dejanj, ali vsaj skušali izvršiti. Pri tem sta bila dva sabotažnika od policije ustreljeni. Da se bo moral pač sestra Predovich vzeti vajeti organizacije v roke.

In, če bo tako uspešna, kakor se je izkazala kot društvena tajnica, ne bo vzroka za pritožbo.

Ali ni dobro in pametno, da imamo vsaj eno žensko v glavnem odboru!

Transportacijski eksperti so izračunali, da povprečni funt meseca potuje okrog tisoč milj, predno doseže mizo konzumenta. Na tak dolgem potovanju se mora logično prividati marsičesa, zato se včasih ne zmeni niti za nož niti za zobe.

V učenih knjigah je pisano, da človek je toliko časa mlad, dokler živi od sedanosti, ko pa začne živeti od spominov na preteklost, je star, brez oziroma leta.

Ali tudi zadnje čase čitamo toliko spominov na preteklost?

Ali res postajamo tako stari, da ne najdemo več zanimanja vrednega gradiva v sedanjosti? In to v teh tako silno razgibanih časih!

V Portlandu, Oregon, se je neki oženjeni mož prijavil za službo v vojni mornarici in njegova žena je na predpisani formi dala v to sprotno potovanje. Posebej pa je še pripisala:

"Razume se, da mora biti moj

mož vedno dobro hranjen in pri-

merno obleinčen, da ne bo delal

pretrdo, da ne bo dobival preveč

rakite in da mu ne bo dovoljeno

pajdašenje s sumljivimi ženskami."

Velike reči se pričakujejo

od vodstva ameriške vojne mor-</

Iz urada glavnega tajnika A. B. Z.

From the Office of Supreme Secretary

PREMEMBE V CLANSTVU MESECA MARCA 1942

CHANGES IN MEMBERSHIP DURING THE MONTH OF MARCH 1942

Odrasli Oddelek.—Adult Dept.

Novi člani načrta "D" — New Members

Plan "D"

Dr. št. 9: Josephine Frankovich.
Dr. št. 15: Maryann Zupancic.
Dr. št. 20: Mary Ann Burger, Harriet A. Ravnhrib.
Dr. št. 21: Magdeline N. Domenico.
Dr. št. 26: William Reseta.
Dr. št. 29: Vincent Vldmar.
Dr. št. 30: Mary Laurich.
Dr. št. 35: Mary Berovsk.
Dr. št. 36: Sally Klayder.
Dr. št. 45: Dallas E. Barnes.
Dr. št. 49: Joseph M. Anzicek, John Zagar.

Dr. št. 54: May Gruden.
Dr. št. 68: Stefania Plavetich.
Dr. št. 71: Anton Praznik.
Dr. št. 85: Angel Perushek.
Dr. št. 94: Dorothy Bartell.

Dr. št. 117: Anthony Rotar, Jr.
Dr. št. 120: Joe E. Buckner.
Dr. št. 141: Val Leksan.

Dr. št. 145: Alice Cebron.

Dr. št. 147: William Yankovich.
Dr. št. 150: Margaret Farac, Anne Palcich, Helen Petranovich, Goldie Stilinac.

Dr. št. 155: Frances Mihelcic.
Dr. št. 163: Joe Zalar.

Dr. št. 175: Margaret Markovitch.
Dr. št. 186: Joseph F. Lasicky.
Dr. št. 200: Pauline R. Jerich.

Dr. št. 207: Olga Camloh, Rachael Lovelsky.
Dr. št. 218: Frances Draghi.

Dr. št. 229: Joe Udovich, Tom Zlatich.
Dr. št. 230: Mary J. Turk.

Novi člani načrta "E" — New Members

Plan "E"

Dr. št. 1: Rudolph G. Harvat, Mary Raun-Byberg.

Dr. št. 11: Ann M. Bosanek.

Dr. št. 23: Olga J. Flajnik.

Dr. št. 30: Everest E. Riccioni.

Dr. št. 40: Martin Kuzunkowski, Cecelia I. Prady.

Dr. št. 54: Jennie R. Kern.

Dr. št. 66: Donald C. Tezak.

Dr. št. 76: Albin J. Koblar.

Dr. št. 125: John J. Petricig.

Dr. št. 132: Mary Ann Skul.

Dr. št. 185: Edward W. Oshaben.

Novi člani načrta "F" — New Members

Plan "F"

Dr. št. 25: Frank W. Oven.

Dr. št. 28: Helen A. Gore.

Dr. št. 40: Dorothy C. Radez.

Dr. št. 50: Bertha Soyer.

Dr. št. 147: Catherine Yekovich.

Dr. št. 150: Carol M. Matetic.

Dr. št. 199: Florence DiCianno.

Zopet sprejeti — Reinstated

Dr. št. 9: Anna Spehar 44810.

Dr. št. 16: Francis J. Berchey 45387.

Dr. št. 18: Pete Siskich 28992.

Dr. št. 22: John Peloza 15247, Mary Pozek 3866.

Dr. št. 31: Magdalena Perun 34787, Katherine Coxon 43979.

Dr. št. 54: Frank Spanish 42240.

Dr. št. 71: John Sorz 28586, Anton Marinsek 36316, John Velavkina 33940, Laurence Zupon 34585, John Rozman 41916, Mary Marolt 30139, Rok Obranovic 38790.

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Dr. št. 132: Helen Debek 32647, Josephine Vene 43677, John Vene 43513.

Dr. št. 145: Vincent Rustia 33364.

Dr. št. 151: Anton E. Pless 42291.

Dr. št. 154: John Gorenz 38894.

Dr. št. 198: Warren Palicicchio 37583.

Dr. št. 218: Pete Cherelli 33105, Ursula Bartolomucci 25908, Eva Kochmar 37744, Theodore Kukich 34672.

Dr. št. 225: Dorothy Black 44023.

Dr. št. 227: Agnes Lango 37589, John Lango 37588.

Dr. št. 229: Dennis Klus 41550.

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Dr. št. 13: John Mozgor 18189.

Dr. št. 21: Frank Grande, Jr. 44451, John Perko 33293.

Dr. št. 31: Jeka Rudolovic 28743, Dragan Radulovic 28741.

Dr. št. 36: Vigilius Coppolo 43649, Betty Dolgos 43326, Daniel Sturey 43652.

Dr. št. 37: Frank Kos 39392.

Dr. št. 35: Vince Kauzlarich, Jr. 32467.

Dr. št. 45: Frank Luzzo 39167.

Dr. št. 50: Elizabeth Burke 44663.

Dr. št. 71: Matt Hribar 36532, Justin 36466, Ann Opalk 19614, Frank Spilar 40051.

Dr. št. 78: Hugo E. Bryan 43008.

Dr. št. 84: Joe Fatur 41137, Clara Humphries 39770.

Dr. št. 85: Fred Turk 32071.

Dr. št. 86: Joseph Koos 40024.

Dr. št. 94: William E. Jensen 45375.

Dr. št. 99: Rudolf Kalafsky 42412.

Dr. št. 105: Leo P. Perry 43672.

Dr. št. 116: Angelo L. Patalone, M. D. 44316.

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Dr. št. 122: Jos. Milnarich 18577.

Dr. št. 131: Glendon O. Allen 43398.

Dr. št. 132: Joe Globokar 35697, Mary Globokar 35073, James L. Globokar 42335, Domenico Giameo 43098, Anna Giameo 43115.

Dr. št. 133: Alice Zdravje 38894.

Dr. št. 138: Jessie Denastasio 45418.

Dr. št. 144: Katherine G. Dolence 41181, Angelina Marn 41180, Tony Meyer 29534, Mary Stimac 41190.

Dr. št. 145: Andy Curaney 36754.

Dr. št. 173: Vicki Smuk 44946.

Dr. št. 185: Cecilia Ivack 44637.

Dr. št. 200: Annie Struel 32280.

Dr. št. 221: Kathryn Sobe 36648.

Dr. št. 229: William T. Kinkela 44112, Mike Galich 37406.

Prestopili — Transferred

Od dr. št. 55 k dr. št. 71: Elle Stachick 40699.

Od dr. št. 66 k dr. št. 92: Bernice M. Panian 44772.

Od dr. št. 211: k dr. št. 168: Julia Santo 44410.

Od dr. št. 2 k dr. št. 170: Frances Plekut 31003.

Od dr. št. 20 k dr. št. 180: Ann Zgone 36978.

Od dr. št. 105 k dr. št. 190: Rose Shigina 37978.

Umrl — Died

Dr. št. 9: Stane Flink 780.

Dr. št. 15: Matt Starcevich 45229.

Dr. št. 21: Mary Drobnich 8801.

Dr. št. 25: Josefa Dolenc 8908, Frank Petrovici 38513, Matt Miroslavich 36932.

Dr. št. 39: Frank Budiselic 35354.

Dr. št. 42: Edward Arko 36390.

Dr. št. 64: Anton Stamic 18142.

Dr. št. 101: George Oswerk 38707.

Dr. št. 140: Tony Milosich 27029.

Dr. št. 179: Matt Turkovich 13420.

Dr. št. 207: Frank Camloh 30488.

Dr. št. 229: Alex Penich 33562.

ANTON ZBASNIK,

glavni tajnik—Supreme Secretary.

Jugoslovanski pomožni odbor v Ameriki

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DOPISI

nedeljo 10. maja in se bo pridelalo ob 2. uri popoldne. Na omenjeni seji bo društveni predsednik pripel častne značke tistim trem našim članom, ki so pri organizaciji že 40 let ali več. Dotični člani bodo še posebej povabljeni na sejo.

Ako bo zmagal Draža Mihajlovič, bo on tisti, ki bo delal meje bodoči Jugoslaviji: mi pa bi želeli, da pridejo v bodočo Jugoslavijo Primorska, Koroska, Štajerska in Prekmurje; ne bi se vršilo 24. maja v Canon City, Colo. Naše društvo je velenjeno v omenjeni federaciji in tajnik federacije nas vabi, da se zborovanja udeležimo po vsem zastopniku. Ako že ne posljemo zastopnika na zborovanje, bi bilo pa primerno, da posljemo vsaj kaka dobra prisporila.

Torej, pridite na sejo 10. maja vsi, katerim je le mogoče. Po seji bomo imeli nekoliko dobre zabave, kot je bilo sklenjeno na zadnji seji. Bratski pozdrav! — Za društvo št. 168 ABZ:

John Yakopich, tajnik.

Cleveland, O. — V pomoč generalu Draži Mihajloviču. — O tem izrednem možu, junaku, katerem se čita kakor kje v pravljici, ste gotovo že slišali? Saj ga domala že ves svet ima in se mu čudi v njegovi herojski borbi z Nemci in Italijani, katerne klesti kot menda drugi. Dosti se čita o njem, vrlinah in brezprimerjivih junaštvu, ter njegovih četnov, ki delajo kar bojne čudeže; ampak, da bi se pa kje tu in tu se je ustavnila za pomoč generalu Mihajloviču in njegovih četnikov, je dal ta ali oni rojak malapevki za te junake, tega pa je že niste čitali.

Lej, gotovo čitate, kako se draža za te in one; na primer, Združene države, za katero dolžni in moramo dačati to je naša sveta dolžnost, ker komu pa bodoemo potegli, če ne sami sebi tukaj, to se brezpogojno moram zbiramo za naše tam v Ameriški Jugoslaviji, da se jim nujte, ko bo enkrat minila ta no, in potem se nabira Ruse. Vse to je dobro; naši v Jugoslaviji so za Združene državami prvi, potem priča na Rusi? Jaz sem v tem malo drugačnega mnenja, za našimi dragimi tam je mojem skromnem mnenju A. Z. A. MIHAJLOVIČ IN JEGOVI ČETNIKI. Ti so po mojem mnenju prej ko Rusi, sem zato, da se da prav tako tudi za Ruse; toda Mihajlovič je prvi.

Nekako takega mnenja so tudi člani društva Sv. Janeza Krstnika, št. 37 ABZ, ki so na seji dne 19. aprila soglasili, da se vodobrili, da dajo svoje blagajne \$25.00 kot dar Mihajloviču in njegovim drugim. Društvo Sv. Janeza Krstnika, št. 37, se je tako ponudilo, da je res narodno, da zavedno in požrtvovalno da razume junaško borbo in legendarnih junakov. Tako da dela! Ne samo pohvale in obiskovanje, ampak daj, prispevki tej osvobodilni borbi Jugoslavije. Le na ta način bomo podpirali take borce in to v prvi red za dolžnostmi, ki nam pridejo drugi.

Zato rojaki in rojakinje, bratstvo in sestre ABZ, ako imate resno spoštovanja do teh junakov, vodobravljajo do Draže Mihajloviča, da vam je kaj za osvobodilni Jugoslavije in pa za pravljico meje: podpirate Dražo Mihajloviča in njegove četnike, da daste kačko akcije v tački, ki organizira kačko akcije v tam, ter vodi to, kar je pričakovano, da moremo prispevati,

Društveni upravni odbor je prišel do zaključka, da ne bi bilo umestno hoditi po hišah in vabiti člane na sejo. Zgodi se lahko, da bi bilo polovico članov istočasno na delu ali kako dru-

gače odsotnih, in pot bi bila zaastonj. Naše glasilo Novo Dobo dobivalo vsi člani in članice, zato je najbolj primerno, da se jih povabi na sejo potom glasila. Tako se ne bo mogel nobeden izgovarjati, da ni bil povabljen. Torej, to je uradno vabilo: Pričnite na sejo, ki se bo vršila v J. N. Domu v nedeljo 10. maja, in se bo pričela ob 7. uri zvečer, vsi člani in članice našega društva.

Izjemo bomo napravili samo za naše pionirje, to je za tiste člane, ki so že 40 ali več let pri naši organizaciji in ki bodo na omenjeni seji dobili častne značke. Dotične člane bomo povabili osebno ali pisorno. Za vse druge pa naj velja vabilo potom poleg Srbov in Hrvatov tudi Slovencov in teh je, kakor čujem, veliko; zato pomagamo s tem naravnost našim očetom, bratom in drugim sorodnikom. Začne posnemajte društvo Sv. Janeza Krstnika, št. 37, pa prispevajte svoj delež za to hvalne vredno akcijo. Začnite s tako akcijo. Ce so razne akcije dovoljene, ni dvoma, da bi ne bila tudi akcija za Dražo Mihajloviča in njegove četnike. Ce se lahko nabira za Ruse, zakaj se ne bi tudi za Jugoslavene?

Jože Grdina,
zapisnikar dr. Sv. Janeza Krstnika, št. 37 ABZ.

Chicago, III. — Iz urada tajnika poslovnice št. 8, JPOSS. — Vsem odbornikom in zastopnikom se vladivo naznanja sledijo: v nedeljo 3. maja, ob poldeseti uri zjutraj se bo vršila odborova seja poslovnice št. 8, JPOSS, in sicer pri predsedniku Antonu Krapencu, 1636 W. 21st Place. Te seje se naj udeležijo vsi odborniki in publicistički odsek in prosim, da so točni, da bo seja končana dopoldne. Drugi dan, to je v ponedeljek 4. maja, ob polosmi uri zvečer, se bo vršila seja vseh odbornikov, publicistskega odseka in zastopnikov društev, klubov itd., v S. N. P. J. dvoran, 2659 So. Lawndale Ave. Na tej seji naj vsaki poroča o prodanih vstopnicah, nabranih oglasih, in "well wishers" itd. Prosim, da se udeležite seje vsi in da ste točni, kajti veliko delo našega. Torej, bratje in sestre, ne pozabite priti na sejo v nedeljo 10. maja zvečer. To bo bolj važna in slovesna seja kot so navadne mesečne seje.

Pri tej priliki naj tudi opozorim člane, da je v teklu kampanji za povečanje našega mladinskega oddelka. Starši, ki še nimajo vpisanih svojih otrok v mladinskem oddelku Ameriške bratske zveze, naj jih vpišete!

John Gottlieb, tajnik, 1845 W. Cermak Rd.

Barberton, O. — Seja federalne društva ABZ v državi Ohio se je vršila v nedeljo 19. aprila v dvorani društva Domovina v Barbertonu, Ohio. Seja je otvoril predsednik Joseph Ujčič ob 12.10 popoldne. Vsled zaposlenosti okolice zaradi kegljaške tekme se niso čitala imena odbornikov in zastopnikov, niti se ni čital zapisnik prejšnje seje. Govorili so Anton Baraga, Anton Bokal in Anton Rudman od društva št. 71 iz Cleveland, in John Tanco, tajnik društva št. 132 v Euclidu. Brat John Tanco je pripraočal večjo aktivnost v kampanji za pridobivanje članov v mladinski oddelku. Načelo v kampanji je, da se tudi naše društvo nekoliko izkaže v kampanji. Dosedaj ni bilo med zadnjimi, zato upam, da tudi v bodoče ne bo.

Ob priliki bom omenil naše mlade fante oziroma člane našega društva, ki so bili poklicani v vojno silo Zedinjenih držav, oziroma, ki bodo vpoklicani v kratkem času. Za danes pa naj je zato zadostuje. Bratski pozdrav! — Za društvo št. 2 ABZ:

Louis Perushek, tajnik.

Roundup, Mont. — Dolgo se že nisem oglasila in Novi Dobi in tudi sedaj imam poročati le slabu novico. Dne 4. aprila je bil namreč ubit pri delu v premogovniku načlan William Theodore Schmauch. Na glavo mu je pada 500 funtov težka skala in mu prebila lobanje, da je izdihnil čez par minut. Pokojnik je bil rojen 14. oktobra 1912 v Roundup, Mont., in je bil ob času smrtne nesreče zaposlen pri Republic Coal Mine Co. v Kleinu, Mont.

Pokojni sobrat je bil po katoliških obredih pokopan na pokopališču New Miner Cemetery of U. M. W., Klein, Mont., dne 7. aprila. Pogrebni so bili slednji: Stanley Cebull, Albeen Cebull, John Cebull, John Miclich, Peo Piccolo in Earl Schemmel. Društvo št. 88 ABZ se je od pokojnega sobrata poslovilo z lepim vencem in člani so ga v lepem številu spremili na njegovih zadnjih poti. Pokojnik je bil v tej okolici dobro poznan in priljubljen, zato je bila udeležba pri pogrebu zelo velika in gomila je bila zasuta z venci in šopki,

s katerimi so se prijatelji poslovili od pokojnika.

Za pokojnikom žalujejo: Ruth Schmauch, soprga; William Nick Schmauch, devet tednov star sinček; Mr. in Mrs. Nick Schmauch, starši; Kathryn Schmauch, sestra. Vsi omenjeni se želijo tem potom lepo zahvaliti društvu št. 88 ABZ za poklonjeni venec v zadnji pozdrav, za spremstvo na pokopališče in za vse druge izraze pomoči in naklonjenosti ob prijateljih in pogreba pokojnega Williama T. Schmaucha.

V imenu društva pa naj bo tem potom izraženo iskreno sožalje žalujočim ostalim.

V Novi Dobi opažam, da se kampanja pridobivanja novih članov v mladinski oddelki prične dobro razvija, kar je dobro in pohvale vredno. Tukaj, se mi zdi, ni več dosti prilik za dobovo novih članov, ker sem že skoro vse, kar je bilo mogoče pobrati, pobrala že v prejšnjih kampanjah. Vendar bom poskusila, morda bo le kaj uspeha. Tekom dolge in ostre zime se nisem nič kaj dobro počutila, torej tudi nisem bila kaj posebno sposobna za agitacijo. Upam, da zdaj na pomlad bo v vseh oziroma bolje in morda dosežem tudi nekaj uspehov v kampanji.

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Vojni časi prinesejo vselej izredne razmere, ne samo za tiste, ki so po vojni direktno prizadeti, ampak tudi za tiste, ki so prizadeti indirektno. To velja posebno za sedanjvo vojno, ki je v pravem pomenu besede svetoynega obsega. Mi starejši, ki smo preživeli čas zadnje svetovne vojne, se še spominjam, kako zelo je ista posegla v gospodarske in družabne razmere dežele. Sedanja vojna, ki je neprimerno večjega obsega, zahteva in bo zahtevala še mnogo večje izpreamembe. Danes je naša dežela direktno ogrožena od sovražnikov, medtem ko je bila tekmo zadnje svetovne vojne ogrožena le indirektno.

Z ozirom na gori omenjeno dejstvo moramo biti prizadeti tako rekoč na vse, in skušati se moramo prividiti vsaki izpreamembi, ki pride. Davki so že znatno zvišani in bodo še. O tem ne more biti nikakega dvoma, pač bi bila vojna jutri končana. Zelo verjetno pa je, da bo vojna trajala še dolgo, in z njo silni izdatki. Imamo že razne regulacije z ozirom na delo in produkcijo in na potreboščine, ki jih moramo kupovati. Tudi tem regulacijam bodo nedvomno sledile še mnoge druge. Osebne svobodščine so že nekoliko omejene in mi lahko pričakujemo, da bodo še bolj. Nič čudnega ne bo, če bodo vsem dela zmožnim osebam direktno predpisani posli, katere morajo vršiti za obrambo in blagostanje dežele.

Vse take in slične regulacije izhajajo iz potrebe, ne iz šikaniranja. To si möramo zapomniti. Naša vlada, ki je izvoljena od ljudstva samega in istemu odgovorna, ne želi prebivalstvu nakladati vecjih davkov, kot so potrebni, niti mu ne želi povzročati nepotrebnih neprijetnosti. Toda ta vlada je na drugi strani tudi odgovorna ljudstvu za obrambo dežele. Ako bi bila dežela premagana in zasužnjena, bi ne bile prizadete samo osebe, ki so na vladu, ampak ves narod. Jasne dokaze za to vidimo v Evropi in drugod.

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VSAK PO SVOJE

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Najboljše in najlepše stvari nimajo za nas prave vrednosti, če jih je v obilici. Brez vode, na primer, ne bi mogli živeti, vendar je ne smatramo za kak posben blagodar, ker nam je posod na razpolago. Gorak, sončen dan pozimi občudujemo in hvalimo, poleti pa ga vzamemo kot nekaj samoumevnega. In kakšne fantastične vsote smo bili tekom prohibicije pripravljeni plačati za čašo rakije sumljive pokolenja, dandanes pa dostikrat (ne vselej) odklanjamo, če nas hoče prijatelj tritati s prvovrstnim brandyjem. Pa kako brezobzirno smo včasih ravnali z našimi avtomobili, češ, če ta izdihne, bo pa drugi. Zdaj pa jih božimo in občudujemo in marsikateri avtomobilist bi se rajšči ločil od žene kot od svojega vozila. Pa je tudi logično, kajti novih potniških avtomobilov nobena ameriška tovarna več ne izdeluje in jih ne bo za dogleden čas, sveža letina žensk pa vsak dan dorašča, in tudi sedanja obilna rezerva ni še za v smeri, bi rekli.

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Vsekakor se zdi, da polagoma le pričenjam nekoliko bolj cenni povprečne ugodnosti, ki jih imamo. Oni dan sem srečal prijatelji, ki je navadno vedno imel polno pritožb na jeziku in ni bil zdrav, dokler jih ni iztrsel. In veste, kaj mi je odgovoril, ko sem ga vprašal, kako se ima? "Prav za prav mi njič hudega," je dejal. "Zdrav sem, delam vsak dan, stanovanje imam udobno, denarja vedno za potrebo, prijateljev tudi nekaj, vreme je prijetno, res, ne vem, se kaj bi se pritoževal. Samo Hitler, Mussolini in Hirohito me je zmotljiv. Prepricani pa bodimo, da je vsak ukrep vlade namenjen koristim dežele in naroda. In skušajmo se po najboljši možnosti prilagoditi novim razmeram. Ne glejmo nazaj, kajti, kar je minilo, je minilo. Mi živimo danes. To je važno in tisto, kar pride in na kar se z današnjim delom pripravljamo.

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Clevelandsk župan Frank J. Lausche je proglašil teden med 27. aprilom in 2. majem za teden čiščenja — Clean-up Week.

Ubit pri delu v premogovniku je bil v Kleinu, Mont., William T. Schmauch, star 29 let, član društva št. 88 ABZ. Pokojnik, ki je bil rojen v Roundupu, Montana, zapušča soprogo, 9 tednov starega sinčka, starše in sestro.

The Home Front se imenuje nekaj miniaturnemu časopisu podobnega, kar je začel priobčevati vsako soboto na četrtni originalne strani clevelandski dnevnik "The Cleveland Press". Ideja za tem podvetjem je, da starši, bratje, sestre, prijatelji ali prijateljice pošljajo dotedne izrezke bivšim Clevelandčanom, ki zdaj služijo Strici Sama v stoterih taboriščih Amerike in drugod po svetu. "The Home Front" vsebuje v zgoščeni obliki razne zanimive ali važne lokalne novice, za katere ni dovolj prostora v pismih, katere vojaki dobivajo od svojih dragih, ki pa bi jih, oddaljeni od doma, z zanimanjem čitali. Ta miniaturni časopis za vojake ni priloga, ampak del vsake sobotne izdaje dnevnika "Cleveland Press", ki ima v Clevelandu izmed vseh angleških listov največjo cirkulacijo in je tudi najbolj čitan med clevelandskimi Slovenci. Starši, bratje in sestre, prijatelji in prijateljice clevelandskih fantov, ki služijo v vojnih silah Strici Sama, naj bi jim redno v pismih pošljali ta miniaturni "časopis". Vojaki bodo hvaležni za lokalne novice.

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SPLOŠNI TEDENSKI PREGLED

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Nemčev kot vse zaveznike armado skupaj. Mi vemo, da oni razbijajo več nemških tankov in sestrelje več letal kot vse zavezniki skupaj. Rusija je resnična bojna fronta. Ruska armada ima najboljše generala te vojne". Dalje je dejal, da lahko višes svet, da je ruski sistem producirjal najhrabrejšo armado na svetu in dal primer najvišega patriotizma v analih zgodovine.

BUTLEGARJI Z OBROČI

V raznih krajih dežele se je pojavilo butleganje s popravljenimi avtomobilskimi obroči. V največ primerih so taki obroči popolnoma ničvredni, samo nekoliko namazani z gumijem. Kdo tak obroč kupi in se mu pri prvi priliki razpoči, se nima nikam pritožiti, kakor se nima mogel nikam pritožiti tisti, ki je tekmo prohibicije plačal visoko ceno za dobro žganje, dobil pa je vodo ali brozgo.

GASOLIN V ODMERKIH

V sedemnajstih vzhodnih državah bodo avtomobilisti po 15. maju za



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War Against Inflation

While our fighting men are being sent to battle against axis enemies in the front lines and other young men are training in camps all over the country prior to joining their comrades, the people on the Home Front are beginning a battle against the most dreaded of economic diseases—inflation.

The President of the United States has already gathered governmental agencies together in a gigantic effort to beat this monster economically by enacting various anti-inflation laws. Before this editorial goes to press, the President will have addressed the nation advising the citizens of this country as to what they can do to prevent such a situation.

Inflation comes with rising prices and scarcity of economic goods. Where once you could, for instance, buy a suit of clothing for \$22.50, inflation would hike the price to double or triple that amount. It is the old economic law of supply and demand.

With our Nation engaged almost wholly in producing war materials, salaries of war workers have sky-rocketed to new highs. They have plenty of money to buy anything they need plus as many luxuries they could not previously afford.

On the other hand, these added luxuries are not being manufactured anymore. Like numberless other items, some once termed as luxuries, are now considered a necessity. They have faced the ax in favor of production for war needs.

With priorities closing up these other manufacturing plants, the supply of luxuries has dwindled to a low point. Only already manufactured goods are for sale. No new goods are being manufactured to replace them. Because the demand increases and the supply decreases, prices go sky-rocketing. Because people have the money, they will pay more for these goods. It will take more money to buy them—and this is where inflation takes firm root. If allowed to go unheaded, inflation could make your dollar worth so little that a bushel basket full of bills would not be enough to buy you a steak for supper. A virtual panic could result.

How can inflation be beaten? By decreasing the demand of luxuries; by doing without many things even if you have the money to buy them; by not stocking up on supplies of sugar and other important commodities; refusing to hoard supplies of various commodities; plain words by just sacrificing and putting your surplus money into government investments. Don't worry about it not coming handy in the future. Your safest investment today is in your government's War Bonds, and our Fraternal insurance policy!

Should inflation hit us square in the face, your money would be worthless. By cooperating with the government in sacrificing and helping to combat this financial plague you will have plenty and your dollar will be worth more when the war is over.

Our government already has adopted drastic steps with which to combat inflation. Price ceilings have been established, and various rationing programs have been inaugurated.

Instead of trying to buy things which will be difficult to get—things which are even now difficult to buy—rather invest your money in War Bonds and Stamps. This is a big step forward in winning our war on the home front against inflation.

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The eighth National Tenpin Tournament is over and proved to be an excellent example of fraternal promotion. Lodge 44 and Barberton proved fine and worthy hosts, and the participants proved to be excellent in giving cooperation and spirit to make this event a success. Standing in the midst of all the excitement and friendly spirit, one could not help but foresee what a brilliant success our 1942 campaign for new juvenile members would be if a like spirit was exhibited in enrolling new members into our American Fraternal Union. Now that the tournament is over, it is hoped that the spirit and color which prevailed during those three days at Barberton will reflect in our Juvenile Campaign drive and sweep it toward a successful conclusion.

Remember, you can invest your surplus money in a good sound insurance policy for your child and help beat inflation. This is not silly prattle. It is good, sound, fraternal fact!

JPO No. 8, SS, Slates Important Meet

Chicago, Ill.—Officers and members of the publicity committee, and all representatives of lodges and clubs will be held at the SNPJ Hall, 2659 So. Lawndale avenue. Everyone is expected to report on the sales of tickets and advertisements at this session. — S. P.

Everyone is urged to be on time so the meeting can convene promptly at 7:30 p. m., as a heavy slate of important business awaits us. For JPO No. 8, SS:

Remember Pearl Harbor! Buy U. S. Defense Savings Bonds!

John Gottlieb, secretary.

Congrats In Order — It's Sergeant Drenik Now



Pine Camp, N. Y.—April 23rd is a "red-letter" day in the life of our soldier-columnist and excellent member of Lodge 71, AFU—none other than Sergeant Anthony Drenik of Pine Camp, N. Y.

Yep, it's Sergeant Drenik now, and his latest promotion in the service of Uncle Sam's Armed Forces came on April 23rd. He was advanced to this new position from a Corporal's ranking.

"April 23rd may be just another day in the lives of most people," he said in a letter, "but not for me. Something has always happened to me on that date. April 23, 1935, I left Europe for America—leaving my mother, my friends, in a good little town called 'Cernica.' April 23, 1941, I left Cleveland to join the Armed Forces of Uncle Sam. And, April 23, 1942, I was advanced by promotion to the position of Sergeant!"

Drenik was born in Lloydell, Pa., but lived in Europe many years during childhood.

Sergeant Drenik has certainly enjoyed a colorful and happy life—both in civilian life and now in the Army. Though coming to America in 1935, his command of American language and writing is very good. He promises to send in an article very soon. And we aren't kidding when we say to you, Sergeant Drenik, that our many Slovene and English readers are itching for your next one.

Meanwhile Sergeant Drenik has been reading the Nova Doba regularly. The story about the tournament in Barberton caught his fancy, and he "certainly wished he were with us" but he just couldn't make it.

He says: "Well, maybe next year!"

Sergeant Drenik declares he's still "on this side of the fence." But a general hint of the morale of our men is indicated when he states many may be angry if they have to wait too long for action. He promises a European stamp when he gets there.

In closing a most enjoyable letter, Sgt. Drenik asks to have his personal greetings extended to all of his friends in Cleveland and down Euclid way. Regards to all the rest from him too!

That whistle called him to dinner just now—but he'll be back with a nice long article soon! Congratulations on your promotion from all your friends here in Cleveland and Euclid and I'm sure we can add, from all your AFU friends in the United States! — S. P.

Junior Red Cross Members Make Recreation Equipment

Washington.—Sets of games for the use of soldiers and sailors in Red Cross clubs located in the British Isles, Northern Ireland and Australia are being constructed by members of the American Junior Red Cross. A tentative quota of 2,500 games has been set for the present.

Following the meeting and program, a short entertainment

A MESSAGE FROM THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY



THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY
WASHINGTON

May 1, 1942

TO THE CITIZENS OF AMERICA:
This month a new campaign for the sale of War Bonds and Savings Stamps is under way throughout the Nation. It is the War Bond Quota Campaign.

It is urgently necessary that you double the rate at which you are now buying War Bonds and Stamps. This will mean the sale direct to individual Americans of War Bonds and Stamps to the amount of not less than one billion dollars every month.

One billion dollars a month is the National quota. It is equal to one-tenth the combined incomes of all Americans.

This money is needed to buy the tools of war for your fighting forces. It will not pay for all of them. Our war expenditure now stands at approximately \$10,000,000,000 a month, and is still growing daily. But a billion dollars a month direct from the people will make all-out production possible. Without it we cannot do our best; without it we cannot put forth our full effort.

It is desperately needed for another reason. We can't fight a war and at the same time live and spend as usual. There are not enough goods to go around—the things we buy with money. If we go on spending at the 1941 scale, we'll be robbing the fighting man to add to our own comfort or pleasure. We'll be driving up the cost of living for all of us. We'll be imposing dire hardships on our neighbors.

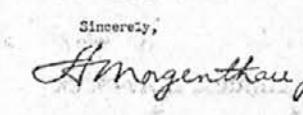
What is asked of you is ten per cent of your earnings—a tithe for Liberty. It is not a tax; it is not even a contribution; it is a loan at interest, for your use and protection later.

Your Government asks you to cut down your expenditures, to SAVE—your boys on the firing line and in the training camps, through your Government, ask you to save so that they may have what they need to WIN YOUR WAR; ask you—America asks you to save; to SAVE TO WIN THE WAR; to buy War Bonds and Stamps up to not less than ten per cent of your income.

Is Liberty worth it? Is Democracy worth it? Is America worth it?

I think I know your answer.

Sincerely,



The above letter was sent to this newspaper by Secretary Mogenthau in Washington. We publish it in the interest of the War Bond Quota Campaign and earnestly recommend that all our readers do their share in the tremendous job ahead of financing the War effort.

Lodge No. 2 Honors Pioneers May 10

Arrange Impressive Ritual

Ely, Minn.—In completing arrangements to honor the 40-year pioneers, members of Lodge No. 2, AFU, of Ely, Minn., at their last meeting extended a personal invitation to all members to attend the next meeting, Sunday, May 10, which is the day set aside for this occasion. Members gave the executive committee full power to make the best possible arrangements.

The lodge preparations committee came to the conclusion that it would hardly be possible to go from house to house inviting members to attend this meeting. It could be that some of our members may be working at the time of the personal visit, and the call at the home would be for naught. All of our members get the Nova Doba. That is why our best solution is to extend a personal invitation to our members through the columns of Nova Doba. In this manner, no one could say that he or she wasn't invited. Therefore, this is an official invitation: Please attend the next meeting which will be held in the Jugoslav National Home, Sunday, May 10th at 7:00 p. m. This invitation is for all our members.

Biggest part of our program is to honor our pioneers—that is those who have been members of our society for 40 years or more. They will be awarded gold honorary emblems at this meeting. These honored members will be personally invited to attend. All other members are invited through the Nova Doba.

Those pioneers who will receive awards at the May 10th meeting are: Nikolaj Arko, Matt Ballas Sr., Frank Benko Sr., Frank Champa, Frank Kozar, Peter Kerze Sr., Martin Jakopec, Frank Pechek Sr., Frank Terlep, John Zobetz Sr., and Anton Golobich. These honorary emblems will be presented by our supreme treasurer, Bro. Louis Champa Sr., who is also a member of our Lodge.

In the near future, I shall give a report showing those of our young men and members of our Lodge who have been called to duty with Uncle Sam's armed forces. This report will include those who will be called in the near future, and who have most recently been inducted. For today, we'll let this be enough. Fraternal regards. For Lodge No. 2, AFU:

Louis Perushek, secretary

IDLE CHATTER

High Honors Paid to 40-Year Vet

By Mary Balint, Secretary Lodge 162, AFU.

Enumclaw, Wash.—I'm sure the large number of members of 162, who were assembled at the Krain Ballroom on the 20th of April, will long remember the solemnity of the evening when 40 year honors were conferred on Bro. Jerry Krashovetz.

Following the roll call of officers and the reading of minutes, Bro. Jerry was escorted to his place of honor at the head of the table. A chair elaborately decorated with apple blossoms and bright ribbons was waiting to receive the honor guest. An American flag was displayed on each side of the chair.

As the chairman rapped for order a hush fell over the crowd and the history-making ceremonies were under way. The text of the address by President Frank Richter and which had been arranged by the AFU Supreme President was as follows:

My dear brother:

Our good American Fraternal Union truly appreciates your being its faithful member for more than 40 years, during which time you have loyally participated in our fraternal work.

You have proven to be one of those solid and unfailing pillars of our charitable efforts, who have long supported our fraternal institution as good, dependable lodge members, always ready to help and defend your organization.

As a visible testimonial and token of the recognition, respect and esteem we shall always hold for you, for the many years of your loyal membership and work, a special Veteran's Emblem, has been devised, which may be worn only by those who have been members of our Union 40 years or more.

To me has been assigned the pleasant duty of presenting to you veteran member this beautiful, handsomely mounted Veteran's Emblem of the American Fraternal Union. With it go our warmest wishes for many more years of health, happiness and prosperity in the knowledge that the work you have done is really appreciated by your American Fraternal Union. You richly merit this Emblem and we are proud of you. It gives me great pleasure to present it to you on behalf of the Union. We know that your loyalty will assure it being one of your most prized possessions. May you proudly wear it for many years and let its presence on your coat lapel fill our hearts with true fraternal love for our fellow men, with purity of thought, and with fidelity to our great Country, the three virtues symbolized by the Red, White and Blue. Let it always remind you of the cause and ideals for which you worked, and for which the Union you helped to build and preserve stands. Continue being a good and loyal member in the future, so that you will be an example and inspiration to all the members of our Union. They will then look upon you with respect and endeavor to carry on the valuable work as you have.

I salute you in the name of all the members of our Union!

Following this address the Veteran's emblem was pinned on the lapel of the honorary member. Further congratulatory addresses were made by lodge Treasurer Mrs. Mary Mehelich, Rec. Sec'y Mrs. Josephine Richter and your scribe.

It was a very touching scene as the members gathered around and extended warm handclasps. As the honored guest rose to address the members, the deep emotions he was experiencing was evidenced by his trembling voice and the occasional tear that would sneak down his cheek.

"When the AFU was just a baby," Bro. Jerry said, "I was a member of a Croatian fraternal organization. There were several other Slovanes among the membership, so on my suggestion we agreed to organize a Slovenian lodge. My good friend and I debated whether we should affiliate with KSKJ, or the AFU, in those days known as JSKJ. My argument won out so thus was born St. Joseph's Lodge No. 21, AFU in Denver, Colo." "I guess I always was quite a fraternalist at heart," Bro. Krashovetz further stated, "For when a movement to organize lodge 162 was started I was in the thick of it and so became a co-organizer of the lodge which is tonight conferring these honors on me."

Working for our AFU has been a source of great pleasure to me down through the years. I'm very happy that I'm still here to receive this beautiful emblem and I hope our sons and daughters will continue to carry on the work we elders laid out for them. I thank you all, from the bottom of my heart for this tribute."

Brother Krashovetz was presented with a beautiful basket of flowers and a large beautifully inscribed cake. The cake was a gift from the three lady officers, namely, Mrs. Mehelich, Mrs. Richter and yours truly.

All members received corsages forget-me-nots and lilacs which were made by Mrs. Mehelich. After the meeting the celebration was carried way into the night. Thanks to all the members for turning out in such a large number. Thanks to the committee for lunch and other arrangements. Also thanks to Mrs. Matilda Petchnick for decorating the chair and to Mrs. Mary Potocnik for the refreshments.

Other important decisions were made as the meeting progressed. One was to buy a \$25 Bond. Another was to create a special fund to be used exclusively for the Slovene boys in service of our Uncle Sam. To start the fund a hat was passed which netted a tidy sum.

On the sick list we have Edward Siskar and Josephine Podpecan. Lodge 162 extends wishes for speedy recovery.

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Meeting of Ohio Federation of AFU Lodges

Barberton, O.—Meeting of the Ohio Federation of AFU lodges was opened officially by President Joseph Ujeicic at 12:10 p. m., in the Domovina Hall in Barberton, O., Sunday, April 19.

Because of the busy situation surrounding the 8th Annual

tenpin tournament, reading of

roll call was waived. Likewise,

the reading of minutes and im-

mediate business. Commentaries

were given by Bro. Anton Baraga,

Bro. Anton Bokal, and Bro.

Anton Rudman of Lodge 71,

AFU, Cleveland, O., and by Bro.

John Tanko, secretary of Lodge

132, Euclid, O. Bro. Tanko urged more activity in the present campaign for new Juvenile members.

Members voted to hold the next meeting in Lorain, O., on a date to be arranged by the acting secretary. The meeting adjourned at 12:35 p. m.

Stanley Pechaver,

Acting Secretary.

40th anniversary of Lodge 29, Imperial, Pa., will be celebrated with a dance Saturday, May 16.

40th Anniversary of Lodge 30, AFU, Chisholm, Minn., will be commemorated with a banquet Sunday, May 24th.

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HIGH HONORS PAID TO 40-YEAR VET

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Word has been passed on to your scribe that Mary Chacata, sister of our athletic director, is salutatorian of the '42 graduating class. Congratulations, Mary!

Good-looking Frank Potocnik, a former vice-president of 162, and who is now employed at a defense project in Bremerton, spent the week-end at his home. Enjoyed the visit we had Frank, and if you ever make that trip to Jugoslavia, all I can say is — U-m-m! We'll never get you back in one piece!

Bro. Rudolph Kuhar took quite a loss very recently. A tree blown over the power line in a wind storm electrocuted four of his prize cows and a horse.

A farewell party given for Cousin Mary and daughter Floyde Marie at the home of Mrs. Potocnik provided more merriment than we've had in a long while. Maybe sometime soon I'll give you scoop on it. But we'll just leave that three-cornered affair out of it.

On April 25, our President, Frank Richtar will celebrate his birthday. Many happy returns, Frank!

The National Fraternal Congress of America has designated the week of May 4th to 9th as National Fraternal Week. Mr. T. J. Ivers, Pres. of the Wash. State Congress, has been appointed Chairman of Fraternal Week in this state. Several celebrations are being planned and the cities selected are: Bellingham, Monday, May 4; Seattle, May 5; Tacoma, May 6; Yakima, May 7; Walla Walla, May 8 and Spokane, May 9.

A fine program has been arranged for the evening of May 5th, in the AOUW Hall, 1409 Ninth Ave. All fraternalists and their friends are invited and your attendance at this affair is urged.

When buying U. S. Defense Stamps why not keep in mind Postmistress Mary Potocnik of Cumberland. A member of lodge 162, I'm sure she'll appreciate very much every bit of patronage we give her. Her many favors to lodge 162 certainly warrant return favors on our part. So to Mrs. Potocnik we go when we're buying a share in our country. Let's go there often!

Yes, sir! And now let's all go out and enroll those two members into our Juvenile department.

To all the mothers across the country, we extend wishes for one of the nicest Mother's Day they've ever had. I hope every one of you that has given a son for the protection of our country will be rewarded on this day of days by a special message from your loved one.

And to you, my dear mother, happy, happy Mother's Day!
'Bye.

Jugoslav Airmen



A JUGOSLAV MECHANIC provides a free ferry service for the pilot of a sea plane, ready for its daily patrol stint in the Mediterranean. Units of the Jugoslav air force based in the Middle East are now cooperating with the R.A.F. in patrolling the vast reaches of the Mediterranean, on a constant look-out for Axis subs and supply ships, and for Axis troop movements in Greece and Crete. Pilots and gunners of the Jugoslav air force escaped with their planes from German invaders in the spring of 1941, while, weeks later, ground crews stole away by ship to join them in the Middle East. Today, like the guerrilla armies of Gen. Mihailovich in Serbia, the new Jugoslav air force is carrying the war to the enemy.

Roundup News

Roundup, Mont. — It's been quite some time since I have contributed an article to Nova Doba, and this time I have some bad news. It concerns our member, William Theodore Schmauch, who was killed April 4th when he was struck by 500 pounds of falling rock while working in a coal mine here. He lived only a few minutes after the accident. Deceased was born in Roundup, Montana, Oct. 14, 1912, and at the time of his death he was employed with the Republic Coal Mine Co., at Klein, Mont.

Burial rites for Bro. Schmauch were conducted under Catholic ritual and interment was in the new Miner Cemetery of U. M. W., Klein, Mont., April 7, 1942. Pall-bearers were: Stanley Cebull, Albin Cebull, John Cebull, John Miclich, Peo Piccolo, and Earl Schemmel. Lodge 88, AFU members, participated in burial rites, a large number turning out to pay last respects to their brother member. The Lodge also purchased floral offering for the deceased. Deceased was well known in this vicinity where he was well liked by all. That is why such a large attendance was present at the funeral.

Survivors who mourned the passing of their beloved were: his wife, Ruth Schmauch, William Nick Schmauch, nine-week old son; Mr. and Mrs. Nick Schmauch, parents; and Kathryn Schmauch, a sister. All named survivors thank Lodge 88 for their participation in burial rites and for all their fine fraternal respects and able assistance given in this time of need.

In the name of our lodge, we extend heartfelt sympathies to the survivors in their bereavement.

I noticed in Nova Doba that the campaign for new juvenile members is progressing satisfactorily. This is well worthwhile. Here in Roundup, it seems to me that there isn't much opportunity to enroll new juvenile members as I have already enrolled as many as I possibly could during past campaigns. However, I will continue to work, and perhaps there will be some results. During this past long and hard winter, I didn't feel very well, and therefore I wasn't quite fit to do any active agitating. I hope that now, during the spring and summer, everything will be better and perhaps I can also show something in this campaign.

I will also try to collect funds for Jugoslav Relief Committee that is doing such fine work in collecting donations which will be used to help our suffering countrymen in Slovenia as soon as the opportunity affords. It makes me happy to see so many of our people who have soft heartfelt sympathetic thoughts of our suffering neighbors in Jugoslavia, and who are responding with donations for their eventual relief.

During peace time, living conditions in Jugoslavia were meager and simple. This war has taken even this little bit away from them. Our people have been chased out and their homes and property have been possessed by our enemies. Though I came to this country from Europe when I was very young, I shall never forget how simply we lived at that time. What kind of living conditions prevail now! Every bit of help we can give to alleviate this condition when the opportunity comes, will be very much appreciated and welcomed.

Many young Slovene and Croatian men in this vicinity have joined the armed forces of the United States. Soon only old people and children will remain at home. That America will win the war as they have past wars

Juveniles to Get 44,795 Stamps

Ely, Minn. — By week's-end juvenile members of our AFU will have received through their lodge secretaries five War stamps apiece which will represent their dividends for the year 1942.

In a single transaction, Wednesday, April 22, the local post office disposed of more war stamps — previously known as Defense Savings Stamps — than the total of all previous sales.

Postmaster S. P. Schaefer handed over 44,795 War stamps of 10-cent denomination in exchange for \$4,479.50 from Bro. Anton Zbasnik, supreme secretary of our AFU. The stamps had been ordered by the post office especially for the AFU for this occasion.

9,000 JUVENILES ENROLLED IN SOME 150 LODGES THROUGHOUT UNITED STATES WILL EACH RECEIVE FIVE 10-CENT WAR STAMPS.

Lodge No. 190, Butte, Mont., will get the most — 3,500 in all — more than any other lodge.

Combined Ely lodges — seven in all — will get 5,000 stamps.

— Ely Miner.

The Minute Man



Each year on April 19, New England people celebrate Patriot's Day. Pilgrimages are made to Concord, Mass., to view the statue of The Minute Man, the symbol adopted by the Treasury Department to illustrate United States War Savings Bonds and Stamps.

"The Minute Man," was erected at Concord Bridge on April 19, 1875, on the 100th anniversary of the Battle of Concord, when New England farmers, citizens and militia men with their flintlocks gathered on the banks of the Concord river and opposed the British in the war that led finally to the independence of the American colonies.

A hundred years after this historic battle the people of the United States invited famous sculptors to compete for the honor of placing a memorial upon this great shrine of the American Republic.

The honor was won by Daniel Chester French, a boy of Concord in his early twenties, who was hardly known outside his own village. He called his statue, "The Minute Man."

It shows a young man in a long waistcoat, wearing a tricorn hat, shirt sleeves rolled up, throat bare, carrying his musket in his right hand, his left resting on a plow behind him, ready to start over toward the bridge which the British were approaching.

President Grant and his cabinet were present at the unveiling, but Dan French was not there. He had gone to Florence, Italy, to continue his studies.

Nearly fifty years later, Daniel Chester French was chosen to create the famous statue of Abraham Lincoln in the Lincoln Memorial, Washington, D. C.

is our foregone conclusion. It is our hope that the war is ended soon — and when that time comes we hope there will never be another war again. Best wishes to all members of American Fraternal Union. For Lodge 88, AFU.

Katherine Penica, secretary

League Comes to End

Musketeers Win

Omaha, Neb. — Lodge 11, AFU, bowling league wound up its initial active season, Sunday, April 19, ringing down the curtain in colorful style. Because all players were new to the game, no records were shattered, but there were thrills galore.

Topping of this brilliant season, the League held a meeting the following Wednesday where prizes were awarded. Musketeers won top place in the league with their record of 36 games won, and 24 lost. Snapping at their heels were the Cornhuskers, only three games behind with 33 won and 27 lost. The Skippers were in third place with 26 won and 24 lost; while the Ramblers held fourth position with 25 won and 35 lost.

From the League's office of facts and figures as compiled by Ann Weiss, secretary, we have a complete report of the standings, etc., as gained by teams and individual players throughout the season.

From the office of AFU's Athletic Commissioner, congratulatory plaudits to Lodge 11, its league and its fine bowlers are in order. You have done remarkably well!

Here are the records:

Teams	Games Won	Lost
Musketeers	60	36
Cornhuskers	60	33
Skippers	60	26
Ramblers	60	25

High Single Game—Individual

Victor, Mary	209
Matulevick, P.	185
High 3 Game Series—Individual	
Victor, Mary	498
Weiss, Ann	447
Weiss, Ernie	445

Team High Single Game

Teams	Games	Ave.
Ramblers	501	
Skippers	479	
Team High 3 Game Series		
Skippers	1298	
Cornhuskers	1235	

Individual Averages

MEN	Games	Ave.
Virant, Floyd	60	123.7
Weiss, Ernie	51	119
Matulevick, Phil.	57	116.4
Broderick, Chas.	57	113.6
Sutej, John	57	112.3
Sutej, Jim	54	96.8
Cernic, John	15	113.6
Jershin, Frank	15	139.9
Weiss, Joseph	3	157.3

WOMEN

WOMEN	Games	Ave.
Victor, Mary	60	146
Weiss, Ann	60	124.2
Raschke, Millie	54	112.2
Kocsis, Mary	60	106
Urek, Frances	60	104.8
Urek, Josephine	30	90.4
Matulevick, Ann	18	101
Belski, Louise	3	70
Dragan, Frances	3	139.6</td

Fighting 71st Johnnies

Cleveland, O. — Another successful bowling tournament came to a close in the wee hours of the morning of April 20th when we were immensely happy to hit the bed and did we hit it!

Beside being so tired, we didn't mind it a bit because of the wonderful time we had in Barberton with all the people we met and talked with.

Twas Saturday afternoon when Tony Baraga arrived with wife and Frank Koncilia to us on to the tourney. Our "luny" girls included Mamie Koral, Frances Kapel, Florence Smrk, Betty Plevnik and y. t. really was a nice ride down. Next time we go we're going to use an automatic thumb device of some kind for Betty man.

Barberton finally and our at the bowling alleys. We greeted by Mr. Okolish, Opeka, Little Stan and the from Struthers. Our next business was rooms not with the idea that we could get much sleep but just the rest. A pretty Miss from town overheard our conversation and very nicely came up and said, "you can stay home." After asking her we found out it was Miss Rogel and thus she us and took in all six of us really feel very indebted Rogel family for their hospitality.

After being taken to our we felt we could indulge big meal and we certainly back to the bowling alleys then to the dance where Malavasic's orchestra was. And there saw all the grand entrance of Sophie, and Joe from Gowanda, and "Lady" with them, the two witty males (???) bridge, Pa., Jim Stepnickick Yakovich who certain- up with the women and dancing. Guess we'll visit biggest little town again. A few of the Betsy Ross wearing red, white and sashes. The Ross girls in later.. Steve Milli- having a wonderful time as planned because the next day has to report to Uncle Sam. of the Cardinals leaving the army. Soon only the will be operating the lodge, we'll organize a girls for baseball this summer our lodge.. The entrance of two sailors, namely "Razz" men and Rudy Samsa a comfort to some of the - handsome in uniforms all!.. Arriving with them Ernie Mramor, Pete James Johnnie Semich.. They all a good time, they claim, they couldn't get up to Sunday morn as they pulled up too much more space. we can really say it was a big crowd.

After our few hours sleep Sunday morn, we missed the regular meeting, but got to bowling alleys on time. We to wait because of a slow- but then met more people everybody whom we talked looked as if they needed started to bowl and never did we do as "lousy" as did this time also that our just started to bowl this winter so we are purely It was sportsmanship and taught us to practice and participate in the game.

Our breakfast, lunch and sup- was with Frances Kapel at a very good restaurant late

AFU'ers Wed

East Helena, Mont. — News was received to the effect that Miss Jennie Louise Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Smith of East Helena, Mont., was wed to John Predovich, a member of Lodge 105, AFU, Butte, Mont., who is employed with the Great Northern Railroad Co. Father of the bride is Louis Smith, active secretary of Lodge 43, at East Helena. The bride was a delegate to the second Juvenile Convention in 1937. John Predovich, the bridegroom, is the son of Mrs. Mary Predovich and the late Mark Predovich. His mother was honorary delegate to the 16th Convention in Waukegan, and also a delegate to the Athletic Conference in 1939. This indicates that members of both families are active workers for our AFU. A wedding party was held after the ceremony at Smith's Hall, East Helena, Mont., with 150 guests present. The newlyweds will make their home at 412 Jackson St., Butte, Mont. In behalf of the entire AFU, best wishes are extended the newlyweds.



"Every wasted penny adds to Hitler's bank book"

NEVER walk away from the refrigerator without closing the door. Leaving the door ajar wastes either ice, electricity, or gas—and does the food no good! Even if you'll need to open it again soon—shut the door!



Those pennies you'll save will bring your family and your country added security if invested in U. S. SAVINGS STAMPS AND BONDS!

Johns Snap Streak

Cleveland, O. — It was at the expense of the Napredek Cavaliers that the St. John Saints were enabled to end their seven game losing streak. The Saints took the Cavaliers for two games. Thus the two game win kept the Saints in fifth place, just one game behind the Ivies No. 2 crew and two games ahead of the Cavaliers, who are in sixth place.

The mainstay for the Saints' return to the win column was Jimmy Ruzic, who hit the maples for a 547 count. For the Cavaliers Frank Smrk's 503 total enabled them to gain their lone victory.

Boosters Drub Bums

The Collinwood Boosters continued to stay within striking distance of first place by handing the Napredek Bums a three game reverse. With twelve games remaining to be played the Boosters still have a possible chance of overcoming the first place Betsy Ross crew, who is in the lead with a six game margin. The Boosters belted the maples for a 2554 total in subduing the Bums.

Doing the biggest part of the white washing job for the Boosters were Tony Laurich with 562 and Joe Struna with 531. Frank Orazem with 479 was high for the Bums.

Ivies No. 1 Take Two

The Ilirska Vila No. 1 crew again proved to their kins the Ilirska Vila No. 2 team that they are superior by taking two games. Although the Ivies No. 1 team won two games they lose ground to the Boosters, who made a clean sweep of their series. The Ivies now trail the Boosters by three games.

The big noise makers for the Ivies No. 1 crew were, Mike Poklar with a 594 count and Tony Prime with a 555 count. Frank Benigar's 525 series prevented the Ivies No. 2 crew from being shut out.

Betsy Ross Continues to Win

The Betsy Ross Flagmakers continued their winning form by white-washing the cellar occupants, the St. John Johnnies. The triple victory brought the Flagmakers' winning streak to six straight games. The Betsy Ross crew must only win six more games to assure themselves of at least a tie for first place.

The Krall brothers were the plainstays of Betsy Ross' white-washing task, Mike led with a 525 series and Blackie followed with a 524 total.

Two Hundred Circle

The select two hundred circle was entered by the following: Tony Laurich, 210, 214; Mike Poklar, 213; Frank Benigar, 211; Tony Prime, 202 and Mike Krall, 200.

Leaves for Army

This week Laddie Debevec, star bowler of the Ilirska Vila No. 2 team, has been called to arms. Laddie has been the mainstay of the Ivies No. 2 crew and his departure from the line-up will be a big blow to them. On behalf of all AFU bowlers and myself I wish to extend to you, Laddie the best of luck in your new endeavor. I know that your absence will be missed by all of us.

AFU Standings, April 24, 1942

Team	W	L
1 Betsy Ross	63	30
2 Collinwood Boosters	57	36
3 Ilirska Vila No. 1	54	39
4 Ilirska Vila No. 2	43	47
5 St. John Saints	44	49
6 Napredek Cavaliers	42	51
7 Napredek Bums	36	54
8 St. John Johnnies	30	63

Team High 3 Games

1 Betsy Ross	2634
2 Collinwood Boosters	2590
3 Ilirska Vila No. 2	2587

Team High 1 Game

1 St. John Johnnies	968
2 Betsy Ross	963
3 Collinwood Boosters	917

**May 24 is the Date
Col. Federation of
AFU Lodges to Meet**

Bon Carbo, Colo. — Coming meeting of the Colorado Federation of AFU lodges will be held Sunday, May 24th at the Community Hall, Canon City, Colo. The meeting will begin promptly at 9 a. m. Representatives are requested to arrive on time so that the meeting can begin promptly as scheduled.

It was previously announced erroneously that the meeting would be held May 4. This was corrected in a later edition and for the sake of some representatives who did not see this correction, let this article further stress the correct date so that you will all know that this meeting will be definitely held May 24th.

The Federation President has called upon Lodge 168, AFU of Helper, Utah, to be present at this meeting if it is at all possible. I hope the lodge will be represented. Another lodge that I hope will be represented is No. 111, Leadville, Colo. This lodge is quite near Canon City where the meeting will take place. I hope that the lodge will send its representatives. Other lodges who are not yet members of the Federation are invited to join. Particularly Lodge 78 of Salida, Colo. The fee for enrolling with the Federation is \$3.00 which is paid by every lodge that is a part of the Colorado Federation.

Those secretaries who have not yet sent in names of their lodge representatives are requested to do so as soon as possible. Will be seeing you May 24 in Canon City: — For Colorado Federation of AFU Lodges—

John Lipek, secretary

Inevitably Yours

A vicar had been beaten badly on the golf links by a parishioner thirty years his senior, and he was rather disgruntled. "Cheer up," his opponent said. "Remember you win at the finish. You'll probably be burying me some day."

"Even then," said the Vicar, "It will be your hole." — Fraternal Monitor.

Napredek Lodge 132, AFU of Euclid, O., will sponsor a picnic at Stusek's Farm June 21st.

There are no "rookie" dollars. Send yours to the front! Buy U. S. Defense Savings Bonds and Stamps!

Remember Pearl Harbor! Buy U. S. Defense Savings Bonds!

Individual High 3 Games

1 L. Debevec	636
2 S. Zagore	623
3 M. Poklar	621

Individual High 1 Game

1 J. Krince	264
2 L. Debevec	257
3 T. Prime	255

Individual Averages

1 Rozance	174
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2 M. Poklar	174
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3 Martich	169
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4 Zagore	168
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5 L. Debevec	167
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6 Prime	165
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7 Ruzic	164
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8 L. Laurich	163
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9 Kozar	163
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10 F. Smrkni	163
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11 St. John Johnnies vs Ilirska Vila No. 1

Alleys 1-2

12 St. John Johnnies vs Ilirska Vila No. 1

Alleys 3-4

13 Betsy Ross vs Ilirska Vila No. 2

Alleys 5-6

14 Napredek Cavaliers vs Collinwood Boosters

Alleys 7-8

15 St. John Johnnies vs Napredek Bums

16 Joseph L. Kozar, Secretary

17 Cleveland AFU Bowling League

Tourney Shorts

Priorities have played a big part when time came to obtain medals for those teams, doubles, and singles who copped first place events. Ordered several weeks ago, the medals didn't arrive early this week. It will take several days to engrave them before they are shipped to the winners. So you boys from Claridge, Cleveland, and Barberston who copped medals, and you women who have pins coming, just be patient and you'll have them very soon. Your initials will also be engraved on same.

Our ad in last week's column regarding the forgotten bowling ball was answered Thursday by J. P. Morgan of Betsy Ross. J. P. was in such a hurry helping the Indianapolis people catch their train that he plumb forgot all about it. We saved him another trip to Barberton by bringing it back with us. Nothing new on the overcoat at this writing.

Priorities also played a part in obtaining appropriate souvenirs for the tourney. So Johnny Opeka and the committee went to work, had the local printer fix up some pretty ribbons. They were able to purchase some nice souvenir bowling pins, and with the help of an ordinary common pin, it made a nice souvenir. The Klancer sisters, Molly and Mary proved to be excellent salesladies and they really got rid of them nicely. After all, everyone wanted a souvenir. The printer had to work fast. You see, he was scheduled to go in the Army on Tuesday.

At least four of the Johnnies were tickled pink to be taken care of in accommodations by our good friend Mr. Strazishar. They were high in their praise of the excellent hospitality received from him. And remembering that they wanted to extend further appreciation through these columns, we'll extend another thank you to Bro. Strazishar from the boys! They thought you were perfect!

With the tournament already ten days and more passed, we have yet to hear one adverse comment. Everyone declared they had a wonderful time. One of the biggest reasons was that all activities were centered within two buildings and the passageways, to and fro, were very convenient.

Noticed several youngsters who were really pitching in. Forgot to inquire as to their names, but we refer to the fellow who was in the secretary's room, who always adjusted the "mike" for us. And the young lady who was with him was always ready to do her part.

From other columnists you'll hear more thrilling news of this affair. But now that it is over, we can go much further by actively participating in our Juvenile Campaign of 1942. Let's enroll our youngsters today so that in the future, when these big events are resumed, they too can enjoy themselves as we do today. Fraternalism is a big thing. Most of you saw that true at the tournament in Barberton. Let's continue it that way by increasing the ranks of our membership. Keep in mind, too that we have a contest on now, and perhaps your activity will enable your lodge to win that \$100 first prize, and also place a few additional dollars in your own pocket! — Little Stan.

P. S. We'd like to thank Bill Sitter and Enakopravost for their printing our entry blanks without charge.

Colorado Federation of AFU lodges will meet Sunday, May 24th in Canon City, Colo.

Western Penna., Federation of AFU lodges will meet in Claridge, Pa., Sunday, May 3rd in the Slovene National Home.

BRIEFS**Pvt. Eddie Zalar Is Drill Instructor**

Jefferson Barracks, Mo. — This army camp located just outside of St. Louis, Missouri, on the banks of the mighty Mississippi river is operated by the U. S. Army Air corps giving basic training to future war pilots.

Thousands of soldiers come and go. But one soldier who appears to be stationed there for the duration is none other than Private Edward J. Zalar who will be remembered as the accordion-playing delegate at the 1937 Juvenile Convention in Ely, Minn. Better known to many Clevelander as Eddie Zay, talented young orchestra leader, Private Zalar enlisted in the air corps March 2nd and left Cleveland March 6. A member of Lodge 37, Eddie is stationed there as drill instructor.

In a letter to Little Stan Tuesday, Private Zalar wished his copy of Nova Doba would reach him every week. This will be done at once. Many of his friends, including, especially his juveniles' convention pals, may want to write to him. Do so. His address is:

Private Edward J. Zalar
Hdq. Flt. 567 Tech. Sch. Sqd.
Jefefson Barracks, Missouri.

Happy landings, Eddie!

Meet May 10 to Buy War Bonds

Central City, Pa. — At the last meeting of Lodge 198, AFU, it was decided to place an announcement in Nova Doba, calling all members' attention to be present at the next meeting scheduled in regular quarters Sunday, May 10 at 2 p. m.

Decision by members at the last meeting was to levy a special lodge assessment of 25 cents which must be paid by every adult member. With this money, our lodge will purchase War Bonds. It is vital that we give something to help defray the cost of defending our country. All money we invest in War Bonds is considered a loan to the government and we will get interest in addition to our original money in return. Then, too, if we buy War Bonds, we are saving money for our lodge.

