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DRUŠTVE IN DRUGE SLOVENSKE VESTI

Redna seja Federacije JSKJ društva v državi Ohio se bo vršila v soboto 7. aprila v Slovenskem domu na Holmes Ave. v Clevelandu, O. Seja se pridne točno ob sedmih zvečer. Vsi zastopniki društva so vabjeni, da se te seje gotovo udeležijo.

V preslavo tridesetletnice društva št. 43 JSKJ v East Hemon, Mont., se bo v soboto 14. aprila vršila plesna veselica v tamkajšnji I. O. O. F. dvorani.

V Slovenski dvorani naselbine White Valley, Pa., se bo v soboto 14. aprila vršila veselica društva št. 116 JSKJ, s sedežem v Delmontu, Pa.

Desetletnico ustanovitve bo preslavilo društvo št. 142 JSKJ v Anacondi, Mont., na večer 19. aprila s primerno zabavo.

Prihodnjo soboto, to je 7. aprila, bo v naselbini Strabane, Pa., vprizorjena šaloigra "Nevesta in kobil" in sicer pod avspicijo društva št. 149 JSKJ. Po igri bo pes in prosta zabava. Prostor prireditve: dvorana društva Postonjska jama.

Pomladanski koncert samostojne "Zarje," največjega slovenskega pevskega zbora v Zedinjenih državah, se bo vršil v auditoriju Slovenskega Narodnega Doma na St. Clair Ave. v Clevelandu, O., v nedeljo 15. aprila. Koncert se prične o polu treh (2:30) popoldne.

Veliko veselico s šaljivo poslo in drugo zabavo priredi v soboto 10. aprila novoustanovljeno žensko "Gospodinjsko in dramsko društvo" v Pittsburghu, Pa.

Slovenska društva v Enumclawu, Wash., priredijo v sredo 18. aprila zvečer skupno veselico v Spanish Castle dvorani med mestoma Seattle in Tacoma, Wash. Cisti dobiček veselice je namenjen fondu za izgradbo nove društvene dvorane.

Dramsko društvo "Soča" iz Canonsburga, Pa., bo vprizorilo v nedeljo 29. aprila igro "Prizega o polnoči" v Slovenskem domu v Pittsburghu, Pa.

Angleško poslujujoča društva JSKJ v Clevelandu, O., priredijo večer 11. aprila "Acquaintance Night" v Slovenskem Dežavskem Domu na Waterloo Rd. Na programu bodo dobri govorniki in seveda raznovrstna zahvala. Clani slovensko poslujujočih društev v Clevelandu so vabjeni, da v obilem številu pojedijo to prireditve naše mladine in jo s tem vzpodbudijo za agilnejše delo za našo organizacijo.

Glasilo KSKJ, ki je, kot že samo ime pove, uradno glasilo hradske K. S. K. Jednote s sedežem v Jolietu, Ill., ki obhaja te dni 40-letnico svoje ustanovitve, je za to priliko izšlo na 16 straneh.

Glavni tajnik Slovenske Društvene Zveze v Clevelandu, O., Mr. Primož Kogoj, je pretekel teden resigniral. Njegovo mesto je zavzel Mr. John Goršek, včetveč glavni predsednik, omenjenega organizacije. (Dalje na 4. strani)

RAZNO IZ AMERIKE IN INOZEMSTVA

OBE ZBORNICI zveznega kongresa sta preglašovali veto predsednika Roosevelta v zadevi odškodninskih plačil vojnim veteranim. Predsednik je določno predlogo vetriral, nakar sta jo obe zbornici ponovno sprejeli z več kot dvetretjinsko večino ter je predloga postala zakon brez predsednikovega podpisa. Vladni izdatki se bodo s tem zvišali za 228 milijonov dolarjev na leto. Preglašanje veta je prvi večji poraz, ki ga je Roosevelt doživel do sedaj od kongresa.

POSLANSKA zbornica zveznega kongresa je z veliko večino sprejela predlogo, ki poverja predsedniku za tri leta oblast, da po svoji razsodnosti značja ali zvišanje carine na blago, uvoženo iz inozemstva. To znižanje ali zvišanje carine znaša lahko do 50 procentov sedanje carine. Ako tudi senat potrdi to predlogo, bo lahko predsednik brez vnaprejanja kongresa sklepal carinske pogodbe z državami inozemstva na način, kot bo smatral za ameriški izvoz najboljše.

TRIJE RAZSODNIKI za reševanje spornih zadev med organiziranimi delavci in delodajalcji avtomobilske industrije so bili imenovani 27. marca. Neutralni predsednik odbora, ki bo zastopal vlogo oziroma javnost, je dr. Leo Wolman, profesor Columbia univerze; delavec bo zastopal Richard L. Byrd, uslužbenec pri General Motors v Pontiacu, Mich.; delodajalec pa bo zastopal Nicholas Kelly iz New Yorka, odvetnik za Chrysler Motor Co.

PREDSEDNIK ROOSEVELT se je pretekli teden podal na desetdpnevne počitnice v Florida. Od tam je z Astorjevo privatno jahto Nourmanhal odplov proti Bahamskemu otočju na ribolov.

V KONGRESU je bila sprejeta resolucija za imenovanje odbora petih članov za preiskavo naziske in druge inozemske propagande v Zedinjenih državah. Omenjeni odbor se bo bavil tudi z obdolžitvami dr. W. Wirtha iz Indiane, da predsednik Roosevelt kontrolira takozvani "možganski trust."

V NEW YORKU je pretekli teden umrl Otto H. Kahn, svetovno znani finančnik. Ko je bil preteklega junija pozvan pred senatni preiskovalni odbor, ni, kot nekateri drugi, zagovarjal diskreditiranega finančnega sistema dežele, ampak se je izrazil, da je treba ta sistem mnogo izpremeniti ter da je čas zrel oziroma že prezrel za to. Priporočal je, da vlada kontrolira ves finančni in kreditni sistem dežele in da naj bogatasi plačujejo več davkov.

PRI OBCINSKIH volitvah v mestu Kansas City, Mo., ki so se vršile pretekli teden, so bile štiri osebe ubite in več ranjenih. Zmagala je stranka, ki je bila doslej na krmilu in ki jo imenujejo "Little Tammany."

ODPRAVA PROHIBICIJE že kaže dobre posledice. Zvezna blagajna je že dosedaj dobila nad 30 milijonov dolarjev od legaliziranih opojnih pijač, znatne vsote pa so doobile tudi (Dalje na 4. strani)

PROBLEMI PRISELJENCA

Vsek inozemec, ki je bil zakonito pripuščen v Združene države za stalno bivanje, sme zaprositi za povratno dovoljenje (Permit to Re-enter), ako hoče oditi v inozemstvo na obisk. "Permit" mu daje pravico do povratka v Združene države kot izvenkovnemu priseljencu.

Ko se zaprosi za "permit," se je treba ravnati po sledenih pravilih: Prošnjo je treba vložiti vsaj tri deset dni pred odhodom in treba zapriseči k isti pred priseljeniškim uradnikom v najbližji priseljeniški postaji. Ker je mogoča zamuda ob uradnem pregledanju zapiska o prejšnjem prihodu v Združene države, se priporoča, da se vloži prošnja šest ali celo sedem tednov pred nameravanim odhodom.

Inozemec mora osebno vložiti prošnjo na priseljeniški postaji. Oni pa, ki so prišli s konzularno priseljeniško vizo, namreč vsi, ki so bili zakonito pripuščeni od 1. julija 1924 naprej, niso primorani podati se osebno na priseljeniško postajo. Ravno tako so izvzeti oni, ki so legalizirali svoje bivanje na podlagi zakona od leta 1929 in so dobili takozvani "Certificate of Registry." Tudi onim, ki so dobili kak permit po 1. januarju 1932, ni treba iti osebno na priseljeniško postajo. Vsi ti morejo poslati svoje prošnje po pošti direktno na "Commissioner of Immigration and Naturalization, Washington, D. C."

Ako inozemec, ki je prisel pred dnem 1. julija 1924, stane v kraju, ki je predaleč od priseljeniške postaje, oziroma ne more iti tja osebno iz drugih razlogov, sme poslati svoje prošnjo po pošti na dotično priseljeniško postajo. V takem slučaju pa treba priložiti zaprskano izjavo (affidavit), ki naj navede razloge, zakaj mu ni mogoče osebno priti.

Ako vsa priseljenčeva družina namerava odpotovati na obisk v inozemstvo, je predpisana prošnja za vsakega posameznika (brez razlike starosti), kajti permit se izdaje za vsako posamezno osebo. Družinski poglavari pa sme vložiti prošnje za ženo in otroke. Te prošnje morajo biti zaprskano podpisane pred notarjem od one osebe, za katero naj velja permit. Z vsako prošnjo je treba priložiti slednje:

1. Dve fotografiji prosilca (polno lice brez klobuka in v meri dveh in pol inč na vsaki strani), podpisani od prosilca pred notarjem.

2. Money order za tri dollarje, plačljiv na ime Commissioner of Immigration and Naturalization, Washington, D. C.

Kar se tiče tiskovine za prošnjo, je najbolj važno, da se načrtano navede kdaj, v kako pristnosti, s kakim parnikom in pod kakim imenom je inozemec prišel v Združene države. Ako ta informacija ni pravilna, priseljenški in naturalizacijski urad ne more potrditi zakonitega prihoda prosilca. Ako se permit ne dovoli, se prosilcu povrne prislovnost.

Permiti se ne pošiljajo prosilev po pošti, marveč mora iti prosilec ponj osebno na priseljeniško postajo, označeno v to svrhu. Jako važno je, da prosilec v prošnji sam navede, na katero priseljeniško postajo se naj permit pošlje.

Povratni permit se izda za le-

PETINDVAJSETLETNICA AVTOBOMILA

Prvi začetki avtomobila gre do sicer znatno dalje nazaj kot petindvajset let. Posamezne avtomobile je bilo videti v Evropi že pred 37 leti. Tudi prvi ameriški avtomobili so bili izdelani že pred več kot tridesetimi leti. V splošno porabo pa so začeli prihajati avtomobili v tej deželi še pred dobrimi 25 leti. V državi California je bil na primer pred 28 leti registriran en sam avtomobil.

General Motors korporacija je bila organizirana pred petindvajsetimi leti. Leta 1911 in sicer 27. februarja je bil v postavljeni prvi električni "starter" v Cadillac avtomobil. Avtomobili prvotnih izdelkov so bili sicer močni, toda tako neokretni, da se jim danes čudimo, če jih na kakšni razstavi primerjam z izdelki današnjega časa. Razvoj pa se je vrnil s čudovito naglico in z isto naglico se je širila prorač avtomobila. Le tako je mogoče, da je danes v Zedinjenih državah registriranih okrog 24 milijonov avtomobilov, tako da pride po en avtomobil na vsakih 5 prebivalcev. Avtomobil, ki je pred malo več kot dörhom desetletjem spadal med luksuzne predmete, je danes takoreč vsakdanja potreba.

Razume se, da je razvoj avtomobila zahteval tudi razvoj cestnega omrežja. Avtomobil na slabih blatuščih je vreden le malo ali nič. Tako je prišlo, da ima danes ta dežela ne samo največ avtomobilov, ampak tudi preko 50 procentov sedanje.

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Razvoj avtomobilskega prometa ima seveda tudi svoje slabe strani, tudi udobnosti, katerih je prinesel, ne bi danes več mogli pogrešati. Če bi se zgodilo, da bi se vsi avtomobili ustavili za en teden, bila bi vsa dežela napol paralizirana.

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USODA UBEŽNIKOV

Lansko leto na Spominski dan je enajst jetnikov pobegnilo iz državne jetnišnice v Lansingu, Kans. Med temi je bilo šest najbolj državnih zločincev, ki jih je zapad kdaj poznal. V manj kot enim letu je vseh enajst zopet dosegla roka pravice. Trije ubežniki so bili ustreljeni. Eden je bil s strehom oslepljen za vedno. Sedem je bilo ujetih živih in ponovno zaprtih. Od teh eden je ponovno ušel, najbrž ne za dolgo.

Nekatere je doletela usoda le par dni ali tednov po pobegu; le eden izmed ubežnikov se je izogibal zasledovalcem osem mesecev.

PO NAKLJUČU

Profesor L. Bert v Franciji je iznašel strupeni plin, ki je bolj smrtonosen kot voda, vendar pa zanesljiv. Profesor je doletel z nekaj cevi in sproti zmrzovala. Revček se je menda pri tem malo predolg pomudil, da je mož iznašel ta plin, ki je skušal izdelati neko novo dišavno sredstvo.

ZIMSKE ZGODE

Pretekla zima je bila nenačadna huda skoro po vseh Zedinjenih državah in v Kanadi. Tako je sicer znatno dalje nazaj kot petindvajset let. Posamezne avtomobile je bilo videti v Evropi že pred 37 leti. Tudi prvi ameriški avtomobili so bili izdelani že pred več kot tridesetimi leti. V splošno porabo pa so začeli prihajati avtomobili v tej deželi še pred dobrimi 25 leti. V državi California je bil na primer pred 28 leti registriran en sam avtomobil.

Najhujše so bile seveda prizadete države srednjega zapadnega severa.

Nekaj jutri, ko je topomer kazal 30 pod ničlo, je farmer Charles Orr v McKinleyu, Maine, po zajtrku nesel kokosim na dvorišče nekaj gorcev, da se malo ogrejejo. Toda ko so na farmerjev klic prišeli prihajati z kokosnjaka kokosi, mož skoraj svojim očem ni mogel verjeti, da je bil najbrž prepoden. Sodi se, da je na delu dobro organizirala vlnomska topla, ki se je specializirala na vloome v občinske blagajne.

V Radečah pri Zidanem mostu je neznan vložilec vdrl v občinsko pisarno in izpolnil občinsko blagajno. Odnesel je okrog 25.000 dinarjev iz navrtev blagajne. V naglici pa je pustil v blagajni še nad 11.000 dinarjev, iz česar se da sklepati, da je bil najbrž prepoden. Sodi se, da je na delu dobro organizirala vlnomska topla, ki se je specializirala na vloome v občinske blagajne.

Posestnik Rudolf Janič v Žalcu ima v svojem gospodarskem poslopu poleg hiš veliko, približno tri metre globoko betonsko jamo, ki je v jeseni napolnili s tropinami, da bi pomlad izdelali kis. Polovico tropin je bil že spravljen v jame in ko so nekaj dni potem hoteli delavci z delom nadaljevati, je štiri omamli ogljikov dvokis, ki se je razvil v jami. Dva je poklicani zdravnik po dolgem trdu zopet spravil k zavesti, dve pa ni bilo mogoče več prebuditi.

Letos 1. marca je preteklo 50 let, odkar je izšla prva številka uglednega kmetijsko-strokovnega glasila "Kmetovalec," ki ga izdaja Kmetijska družba. Južne leto je zveč obezbejila skupaj s 56 stranami.

Jugoslavija skuša ustvariti dobre sosedske odnose z Albanijo in beleži pri tem zadnje čase že lepe uspehe. Med delegati Jugoslavije in Bolgarije se bodo v kratkem pričeli pogajanja o vseh bolgarsko-jugoslavskih perečih političnih in gospodarskih vprašanjih. Ne oben stran se dela na izboljšanje medsebojnih odnoshajev.

Starosta aktivnih uradnikov ne samo v Jugoslaviji, marveč v vsej Evropi je gotovo vojaški referent mestnega načelstva v Sremski Mitrovici, Gjoka Živanović. Mož služuje aktivno že 68 let. Rodil se je leta 1851 v Golubincu v Sremu in so ga starši dali v kadetnico v Gradecu. Komaj je to vojaško šolo dovršil, je že sodeloval v vojni med Avstrijo in Prusijo. Po vojni je stopil v civilno službo in je služboval najprej v Rumi, potem v Petrovaradinu od leta 1884 pa službuje v Mitrovici. Kot vnet pristaš gasilstva je pred petdesetimi leti ustanovil tudi gasilsko društvo v Mitrovici. Republika Estonija je odlikovala starega Živanovića kot enega najstarejših gasilcev v Evropi, a tudi od Jugoslavije je dobil že več odlikovanje za svoje vzorno službovanje.

Važen sklep je sprejela Narodna skupščina glede beograjske občine. Sprejet je bil predlog, da se mestna občina Zemun ki je spadal dosedaj samo v politično - upravnem

IZ URADA GLAVNEGA TAJNIKA

PREJEMKI IN IZDATKI ZA MESEC FEBRUAR 1934

INCOME AND DISBURSEMENTS FOR FEBRUARY, 1934

Odrasli Oddelek—Adult Dept.

Dr. št. Dohodki Izdatki Disburse-

No. Income ments

Skupaj-Total \$13,948.12 \$24,024.20

PREJEMKI IN IZDATKI ZA MESEC FEBRUAR 1934

INCOME AND DISBURSEMENTS FOR FEBRUARY, 1934

Mladinski Oddelek—Juvenile

Department

Dr. št. Dohodki Izdatki Disburse-

No. Income ments

Skupaj-Total \$13,948.12 \$24,024.20

1 \$713.54 \$370.67

2 606.32 313.25

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Brez pretiravanja

Najboljše lastnosti postanejo škodljive, če zaidejo v pretiravanje. Pretirana pridnost nas prehitro oslabi duševno in telesno. Pretirana varčnost se rada spremeni v skopost in grabežljivost. Pretirana radodarnost pogosto vodi v ubožnico. Prav je, da imamo sami o sebi dobro mnenje in da se zavedamo svojih zmožnosti, toda pretiravanje v tem oziru vodi k domišljavosti in ošabnosti. Iz počitka, ki je potreben, nastane v pretirovanju lenoba. Ljubezen do naroda in domovine je lepa reč, toda pretiravanje jo spremeni v šovinizem. Jed, pijača in razvedri so nam potrebeni, pretiravanje pri tem pa vodi v nezmernost, ki je škodljiva.

Oglaševanje je potrebno, toda pretiravanje glede doberi oglaševanih predmetov odbija misleč občinstvo. Eden glavnih namenov Nove Dobe je propaganda za J. S. K. Jednoto, toda če bi bil list od začetka do konca napolnjen s samo direktno reklamo za organizacijo, imel bi malo čitateljev.

Glavni odbor JSKJ je razpisal kampanjo za pridobivanje novih članov in je za uspešne agitatorje določil lepe nagrade in gotovini. Naša reklama ni kričča, vendar dovolj jasna in glasna, da lahko doseže razumne in misleče rojake. Našim agitatorjem pri hvali JSKJ ni treba pretiravati. Ako povедo prospektivnim članom, da je naša Jednota finančno na dobrem stališču in da ima dobro upravo, ne bo v tem nikakoga pretiravanja, kajti to dokazuje jednotina solventnost, njeni redki izredni asesmenti in večkratno suspendiranje asesmentov v mladinskem oddelku. Ako naši agitatorji povedejo prospektivnim članom, da je naša Jednota strogo nepristranska in nestrankarska ter v resnicu le bratska podpora na organizacijo, v kateri se ne sme protetirati ali žaliti nikogar zaradi verskega ali političnega prepirčanja, ne bodo niti najmanj pretiravali; resničnost takih trditev se lahko dokaže iz naših pravil in iz našega glasila. Glede točnosti izplačil in splošnega poslovanja se tudi lahko dokaže, da je naša Jednota med svojimi vrstnicami vedno v prvih vrstah. Dajte je iz naših pravil lahko dokazati, da se naša Jednota glede različnosti zavarovalnih uspešno meri z drugimi podpornimi organizacijami in zavarovalnimi družbami.

Tekom najtemnejših dni depresije je naša Jednota potom načrt "AA" omogočila tisočerim starim članom posojila iz njihove rezerve, da so lahko plačali asesmente in ostali člani organizacije. To je bil čin, na katerega je naša organizacija lahko vedno ponosna.

Našim aktivnim članom, ki so se odzvali klicu kampanje, ni treba pri nabiranju novih članov nič pretiravati glede dobrih svojstev naše Jednote. Samo resnico naj povede in dobro raztolmačijo, pa bodo gotovo uspešni.

PRIDOBIVAJTE NOVE ČLANE!

Vsek član JSKJ, ki pridobi svojemu krajevnemu društvu novega člana odraslega ali mladinskega oddelka, ne pomaga samo Jednoti k rasti, ampak tudi finančno koristi sebi in društvu, h kateremu spada.

Za vsakega novopriderabljenega člana mladinskega oddelka je predlagatelj deležen 50 centov nagrade.

Za novopriderabljeni člani odraslega oddelka pa so predlagatelji deležni sledečih nagrad:

Za člana, ki se zavaruje za \$ 250.00 smrtnine, \$1.00 nagrade; za člana, ki se zavaruje za \$ 500.00 smrtnine, \$1.50 nagrade; za člana, ki se zavaruje za \$1,000.00 smrtnine, \$3.00 nagrade; za člana, ki se zavaruje za \$1,500.00 smrtnine, \$3.50 nagrade; za člana, ki se zavaruje za \$2,000.00 smrtnine, \$4.00 nagrade;

Vsakega člana J. S. K. Jednote se smatra za organizatorja in vsak član, ki je pridobil kakuge novega člana Jednoti, bo delen nagrada ali nagrad v smislu, kot je gori navedeno.

Nagrade se bodo izplačevali po preteklu treh mesecev, to je, ko je novopriderabljeni član plačal že vsaj tri asesmente Jednoti. Nagrada se bodo nakazovala na društvene blagajnike, z naročilom, da jih oddajo tistim članom, ki so jih zaslužili.

Poleg navedenih nagrad za posamezne bodo deležna še posebnih nagrad društva, ki bodo tekem kampanje pridobila pet ali več novih članov. Za pet novih članov odraslega ali mladinskega oddelka bodo dobila društva \$2.50 posebne nagrade, za 6 novih članov \$3.00, za 10 novih članov \$5.00, za 50 novih članov \$25.00 itd.

Vsek član, ki organizira novo društvo s predpisanim številom novih članov, je deležen poleg že gori navedenih nagrad še posebne nagrade v znesku \$10.00 za ustanovitev društva.

Jednota povrne društviom tudi stroške zdravniške preiskave za nove člane in sicer do vsote \$1.00 za člane odraslega oddelka in do vsote 50 centov za člane mladinskega oddelka.

VSAK PO SVOJE

(Nadaljevanje s prve strani) po morju plava in zmanj išče suhega prostora, kjer bi smela izkrcati brezdomovinca Insulla. Pravijo, da se z zlatom obloženemu osudu odpro vsaka vrata, toda to pravilo ne velja, če stric Sam vratarja grdo pogleda.

Amerika ni preveč rahločutna in malenkostna, toda tisoč milijonska polomija gre tudi njej na živce.

Torej, fantje, le pametni in skromni bodimo, da se kateri ne bo izpozval tako daleč, da bi zafrečkal tisoč milijonov dollarjev ljudskega premoženja!

Ledeniki Mount Rainier na rodnega parka v državi Washington se baje skrijoza za 44 čevljev vsako leto, in nekiznanstvenik prerokuje, da se bodo popolnoma stopili v 5000 letih. Ej, ali je še daleč tista pomlad!

V našem glavnem mestu Washingtonu so razne preiskave spravile na dan mnogo smradu. Ta smrad je menda privabil v posvečene prostore kapitola tudi pravega živrega dihurja, ki si je nameraval tam preskrbeti jerperge, kar pa mu je pazljivi policist z dobro namerjenim strelnom preprečil. Afera je povzročila toliko parfumiranih govorjev, da je bil imenovan kongresni odbor z nalogo, da zadevo preišče. Člani odbora so si z robovi zatisnili nosove in zadevo temeljito preiskali, nakar so izdali sledče jedrnatno poročilo: "Dihur je izginil, toda njegov spomin je postal!"

Pisatelj Louis Adamič je v torem 3. aprila zvečer predaval v Slovenskem Narodnem Domu v Clevelandu, O.

V pondeljek 9. aprila bo predaval v Slovenskem Narodnem Domu v Lorainu, Ohio.

Profesor Hooton, ki se bavi s preiskavami telesnih oblik raznih vrtenčarjev, trdi, da dolg gobec kaže na pomanjkanje možgan. Mi nismo znani stveniki, pa se nam je včasi že tudi tako zdelo.

Velika noč nam je prinesla pestri pirhov, toda ne zaželenega zelenja in cvetja. Upajmo, da se naš junak Zeleni Jurij bolje izkaže!

A. J. T.

ZIMSKE ZGODBE

(Nadaljevanje iz 1. strani)

kmalu popolnoma pokrili. Sveda je bila s tem njegova karijera zaključena.

Nekega dne, ko je temperatura v New Yorku padla na 14 stopinj pod ničlo, so inženirji opazili, da se je George Washington most vzdignil za tri čevlje nad normalo. To se je zgodilo vsled tega, ker so se železne vrvi, ki nosijo most, zaradi mraza skrčile. Nevarnosti ni bilo nikake, ker se je pri gradnji mostu to upoštevalo ter je bilo predvideno, da se most lahko za 12 čevlje vzdigne ali zniža v izpreminjajoči se temperaturi.

V Haymarket Relief bolnišnici v Bostonu je nekega mrzlega dne dr. Samuel Levy imel opravka s približno 200 osebljenci. Ko jih je drgnil s snegom in ledom, je sam tako ozebel v prste, da je moral sam pozvati zdravnika na pomoč.

V Searsportu, Maine, sta dva ribiča opazila jato morskih tonov, ki so sedele na neki čeri, katera se je raztezala v morje. Ribičema se je čudno zdelo, zakaj tonovke tako mirno sede, a ko sta prišla bližje, sta videla, da so vse ptice zakovane v palce debelo ledeno skorjo. Na mrzlo skalo so jim nedvomno najprej primrznile noge, nakar jih je pokril led, ki se je delal iz kapljic pršče morske vode.

MNOGO OČI

Morski ježek, ki živi ob otočju Tortuga v Zapadni Indiji, ima malo lupinasto telesce porašeno s čevlj dolgimi bodicami, in na teh bodicah so oči. Nasteli so do 200 teh očes. Morski ježek se torej ne zmeni dosti, če izgubi kakega pol ducata očes.

DRUŠTVENE IN DRUGE SLOVENSKE VESTI

(Nadaljevanje s prve strani) Slovenski dom v Rock Springsu, Wyo., priredi pomladovsko veselico na večer 14. aprila. Na programu bo petje, šaljiva pošta, ples in druga zabava.

Clevelandski dnevnik "The Cleveland Press" je v izdaji z dne 2. aprila priobčil uročni članek z naslovom: "Welcome, Mr. Adamic." V tem simpatičnem članku čitalci sledijo:

"Mesto ima v prvi polovici tega tedna za gostja Louisa Adamiča, avtorja knjige "The Native's Return," ki se v tem času najbolje prodaja.

"Predavanja Mr. Adamiča, kakor njegova najnovješja knjiga, se bodo nanašala na povratak dečka imigranta v staro domovino, ki je mislil, da je izgubil vse vezi z njo. To je predmet, ki je posebno zanimiv v takem kozmopolitanskem mestu kot je to.

"Clevelandu je Mr. Adamič dobrodošel ne samo kot mlad mož velike očarljivosti (charm) in brillance, ne samo kot avtor knjige "The Native's Return," ampak tudi kot pogumen in odkrit liberalec, ki je napisal knjigo "Dynamite," važno združljivo nasilje v delavskem gibanju."

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Umrla je v Chisholmu, Minn. Antonija Lavrich, starca 46 let, članica ženskega društva "Danica," št. 150 JSKJ. Rojena je bila v Retjah pri Loškem Potoku. Zapišuča soproga, tri sinove in dve hčeri.

V Shenandoah, Pa., je bil ubit v premogovniku John Mesec, star 47 let, član društva št. 99 JSKJ v Moon Runu, Pa. Pojognik, ki je bil rojen na Starih Vrhnikih, je bil samec. V starem kraju zapušča očeta, v Clevelandu, O., pa brata.

V Barbertonu, O., je nagle smrtri umrl Joseph Hiti, član društva št. 195 JSKJ, star 38 let. V Ameriki je prišel pred 22 leti iz Velikih Blok na Notranjskem. Sedem let je bil vojak v ameriški armadi. Trajčno preminuli pokojnik zapušča v Barbertonu, žalujčo soproga in hčerkjo ter eno sestro, v starem kraju pa očeta, enega brata, eno sestro in več drugih sorodnikov. Delegati 13. in 14. konvencije JSKJ se nedvomno spominjajo veselega, šaljivega in originalnega delegata Hitiha. Ohranjen naj mu bo prijetljivi spomin.

A. J. T.

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POTA KORUZE

Domovina koruze je, kot znameno Amerike, in je bila mnogim južnim indijanskim rodovom glavna hrana davno pred prihodom Špancev v Novi Svet. Španci so jo zanesli v Evropo, od tam so Arabci zanesli v Meko in od tam je prišla na Kitajsko pot.

Einstein je sedaj na fakulteti univerze v Princetonu. Kongresman Kennedy iz New Jerseya se je na Kongresu vložil predlog, da se Einsteinu podeli ameriško državljanstvo s posebnim zakonom.

NA RUMUNSKEM so pred

dnevi odkrili zaroto, ki je imela namen strmoglavit kralja Karola in ustanoviti republiko.

MOČAN POTRES so v noči

29. marca čutili v Bukareštu,

glavnem mestu Romunije.

SAMUEL I N S U L L, ki je

pred 18 meseci pobegnil v Evropo in se je ves izogibal dolgi roki ameriške justice, je končno le prišel v zanjko. Parnik Maiotis, s katerim je Insull zapustil Grčijo, da si pojšči novo bivališče, je pribistal v Istanbulu (Carigradu) na Turškem. Turška sodnija je odločila, da se mora Insulla na obtožbo ameriške vlade aretrirati in izročiti ameriškim oblastim. Istotako se je izrazil kabinet predsednika turške republike. Iz tega izhaja, da bo Insull najbrž v kratkem priveden nazaj v Združenih državah, da se pred tukajšnjimi oblastmi zagovarja zaradi svojih finančnih akcij in transakcij, ki so upropastile več kot tisoč milijonov dolarjev narodnega premoženja.

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PROBLEMI PRISE-LJENCA

(Nadaljevanje s 1. strani)

to dni, toda veljavnost se more iz dobrega razloga podaljšati in sicer vsakikrat ne za več kot šest mesecev. Ako hoče izkoristiti svoje zaprositi za podaljšanje permita, naj se poda na ameriški konzulat, da tam podpiše

RAZNO IZ AMERIKE IN INOZEMSTVA

(Nadaljevanje iz 1. strani) državne in mestne blagajne. Dalje se je znatno znižala umrljivost zaradi alkoholizma. Državni zdravstveni odbor v New Yorku poroča, da je bila letos v januarju in februarju umrljivost zaradi alkoholizma najnižja v dvanajstih letih. V decembra lanskega leta je umrljivost zaradi alkoholizma v New Yorku 65 oseb, v januarju letos pa le 27 in februarju 19. To kaže, da ljudje manj pijejo ali pa pijejo boljšo pijačo.

V CLEVELANDU, O., se ta teden vrši narodna konvencija komunistične stranke. Predsednik je ANTON BARTEL, 225 N. Lewis Ave., Waukegan, Ill. Drugi podpredsednik: MATT ANZEL, Box 12, Aurora, Minn. Tajnik: ANTON ZBĀNIK, Ely, Minn. Pomočni tajnik: LOUIS K. KOMPAREK, Ely, Minn. Blagajnik: LOUIS CHAMPA, Ely, Minn. Vrhovni zdravnik: DR. F. J. ARCH, 618 Chestnut St., Pittsburgh, Pa. Urednik-upravnik glasila: ANTON J. TERBOVEC, 6117 St. Clair Ave., Cleveland, O.

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EVERY MEMBER GET A NEW MEMBER ISSUE

Arrowheads Enroll 14 New Members and Support Challenge

Ely, Minn.—Mindful of the challenge issued to see which English-conducted lodge would enroll more new members during our present membership campaign, members of Arrowhead Lodge are putting their shoulders behind the task of enrolling new members.

It is with great pleasure that I take this opportunity to introduce the new members enrolled in the Arrowhead Lodge from Feb. 15 to March 31, inclusive.

Heading the list, we present one other than Miss Pauline Kovach. A very ardent booster and supporter of Arrowhead activities in the past, I am positive that she will be more loyal now that she has joined the fold.

Introducing Mr. Frank Serbin, Ely's leading drayman. Frank's repertoire does not include a bus, otherwise he would be in a position to provide transportation for the Arrowhead Lodge athletic teams.

Next we introduce a very prominent citizen of Ely and one who is well known in the political world. At present he is a candidate for county commissioner in the Fourth District. The gentleman involved is Mr. John Zgomec. It would be an honor to the Arrowhead Lodge to have one of its members a county commissioner.

Next we introduce Ely's leading mortician, Mr. Anthony Samson. (I hope I'm not your victim, Tony.) Mr. Samson is connected with the Ely Hardware & Furniture Co., a leading institution under the capable leadership of Mr. Louis Champa, our Supreme Treasurer.

Another loyal supporter of Arrowhead Lodge to join the fold recently is Miss Johanna Markun. Thanks for casting your lot with the Arrowheads, Johanna, you shall never regret it.

Mr. Frank Majerle is another booster that will assist in making the Arrowhead Lodge the largest and best English-conducted lodge in the SSCU. We introduce Mr. Earl Eliven publisher and editor of the *Ely Advertiser*. His capabilities in the advertising world shall solve many problems for the Arrowheads. His uncanny wit shall serve to make our meetings more interesting. We are mighty glad to have you with us, Earl.

Mr. John Buccowich, prominent merchant, shall be a valuable asset to the Arrowheads with his ever pleasant disposition. (By the way, John is going to join the Benedictines in the near future. It is a good thing that he has insured himself for disability benefit. Congratulations, John.)

Mrs. Elliot is worthy of honorable mention. Not only did she consent to join one of the Slovener fraternal organizations, moreover, she enrolled her five children, making it six members for the Arrowheads and the SSCU in one family.

To date members of the Arrowhead Lodge have enrolled 14 new members. Of this number nine are adults and five juveniles. These new members have increased our total membership to 97. I am positive that by the time the next bulletin shall be published we will

introduce. Let's go, Pathfinders!

William J. Kress.

Every Member Get a New Member

Pittsburgh, Pa.—IF YOU WANT our South Slavonic Catholic Union to be more than just an organization to pay death claims, and if you want our Union to do greater, bigger and better things for the members, you can help us make our membership campaign a success by taking an active part in it.

This call comes at an opportune time. The pendulum of depression has begun to swing back toward more prosperous time and all over the land the bright rays of optimism are penetrating every nook and corner of our country. The new deal points to a rapid renewal of prosperity and happiness.

This membership campaign began March 1, 1934, and continues indefinitely. We want it to be the most far-reaching, the most successful, and the most satisfactory membership campaign ever attempted by our Union.

As a special inducement to the members CASH PREMIUMS will be paid for every enrollment during the campaign. Below is the list of premiums:

\$1.00 for each new member insured for \$250 death benefit;

\$1.50 for each new member insured for \$500 death benefit;

\$3.00 for each new member insured for \$1,000 death benefit;

\$3.50 for each new member insured for \$1,500 death benefit;

\$4.00 for each new member insured for \$2,000 death benefit;

50 cents for each new member enrolled in the juvenile department.

In addition, our Union is offering collective prizes to lodges for the total number of new members enrolled.

For every new member enrolled the lodge will receive

an award of FIFTY CENTS, provided five or more members are secured during the campaign.

Put your shoulder to the wheel. Get back in harness. See your friends and acquaintances, have them sign an application, and then go with them to the meeting. Be a real brother, or sister, to them all.

ACT NOW! DON'T DELAY!

William J. Kress.

Louis J. Kompare, Pres., No. 184, SSCU.

Pittsburgher on Parade

Pittsburgh, Pa.—Our spring dance, Saturday evening, April 21, in the Slovene Auditorium, promises to be a most spectacular affair, viewing the magnitude of the general preparations put into it. There isn't a thing that is being overlooked by the committee or by the total membership. The publicity is well taken care of; the entertainment will prove to be the best; the decorations, which lend a real springtime atmosphere, will be gorgeous. The anticipation of the crowd that will present itself is even beyond the fondest hopes of us Pittsburghers. Crowds in every section in the immediate vicinity of Pittsburgh—even though outsiders of the Union, most of them—are all looking with great hope to this springtime festival.

The Pittsburgher wishes to enlist you, dear reader, to fit into the scheme of its publicity program by kindly passing on the news.

Facts to be remembered:

Date: Saturday evening, April 21.

Place: Slovene Auditorium.

Feature: Moonlight Serenade.

Price: Only 35 cents.

John J. Furar.

To the Members of the SSCU and of Slovenec Lodge, No. 114

In the drive for membership in the SSCU, all members are urged to co-operate and assist in reaching our goal of a bigger and better Union. Each one of you can secure a new member in either the adult or juvenile departments and receive the awards of 50 cents to \$4 for each new member enrolled, according to the amount of death benefit written.

These awards are large and enticing for a little effort on your part to earn some spare money. The secretaries, under the present membership drive, do not receive the awards, except if they enroll new members themselves, but these awards are paid to the members who enroll new members.

Get a new prospect, or several of them, immediately interested in our SSCU, and have them get an application blank from your secretary this month or the next!

J. J. Boldin, Sec'y.

No. 114, SSCU, Ely, Minn.

Carnival Dance Postponed

Walsenburg, Colo.—Young American Boosters, No. 216, SSCU, have postponed their dance from April 14 to April 21.

Bigger and better plans arranged for the Carnival Dance are the reason for postponement. Night Club Syncopators will furnish the music.

All neighboring lodges are cordially invited to help make this dance one of the biggest and best carnival dances of the season.

Don't forget, the dance will be held at Walsenburg Pavilion on April 21, beginning at 9 p.m.

Mary Dolene, Sec'y.

BRIEFS

Pathfinders

Gowanda, N. Y.—Pathfinders, countrymen and friends, lend me your ears, for this is nobody else than little "Mishie" Strauss speaking. Ahem! A glass of water, please, or would it be more appropriate to say beer, wine or a highball?

Is everyone coming to the Pathfinders' Anniversary Dance, April 28? If not, something must be wrong, because it seems that every place I go I hear people mention it. I recall one instance especially: A group of boys and girls, standing on the corner (their usual parking place), were talking. One of them said: "How many of you are going to the Pathfinders' Anniversary Dance Saturday, April 28?" Of course, everyone said: "Yes."

The girls were talking about their new gowns, and the boys about their new suits and the creases in their long trousers. One girl asked: "Which one of you boys is going to take me to the Pathfinders' dance?" At this point all the boys asked the girls if they had that night open for the big dance; and, of course, all the girls said, "Yes."

Then the group started to break up.

This is only one incident that brings out the anxiety of Gowanda boys and girls for the coming big Pathfinders' dance.

Why not all come to our big dance? Let's make it the biggest and most successful social of the year.

Frances "Mishie" Strauss, No. 222, SSCU.

Invest Your Money in a Safe and Sound Institution—Our SSCU

Lorain, O.—The membership drive is now on and it's up to you as a member of SSCU to boost our Union. Roll up your sleeves, boys and girls, and explain our fine Union to your friends. You know, it has been in existence for 35 years, has been paying death benefits, sick, accident and disability benefits and is still in existence and progressing more rapidly every day.

The credit for this progress goes to the officers whom you have chosen not only in your local lodge but also the supreme office. Do you want to keep up this fine record?

Of course, you do. Then go out and get new members who will continue the good progress of our Union, increase its number, its friends, and give to all the full benefits of money put in as a saving. A saving—yes, because you can take out any of three policies at a low rate.

A whole life certificate wherein you pay each month until death, then receive either \$250, \$500, \$1,000, \$1,500 or \$2,000, whatever be the amount of the certificate, a 20-year payment life, wherein you pay only 20 years and receive your insurance at death, or the 20-year endowment, for which you pay 20 years and either receive your money at that time or else leave it in the Union's hands, drawing interest until death.

The last is recommended for the young folks; so tell your pal or friend he may never know when an illness, opera-

Pathfinders Enroll 17 New Members During March

Gowanda, N. Y.—The SSCU membership campaign is now in full swing, but its success depends upon your efforts. It needs your co-operation. Since our editor emphasized the slogan, "Every Member Get a New Member," have you done your share? You must have at least one friend that is not yet a member. Now is the time to show your loyalty by just giving up a little of your spare time to this membership campaign.

A GOOD EGG

Gowanda, N. Y.—Before joining the Pathfinder Lodge, No. 222, I could only picture it as an egg with a hard shell. I worked around that egg for a long while, until at last I had it chipped. After it was broken in thoroughly I wasn't a bit surprised to find it a good egg.

I have had the pleasure of meeting a few of Pathfinder members before. After joining I discovered that the yolk of the Pathfinder egg consists of its officers: Tony Sternisha, Olga Sternisha, Helena Straus, Louie Andolsek and "Just Ernie," all of whom were doing their share to make the lodge a success with the co-operation of all members.

Of all the lodges of which I was a member I can truthfully say that I like Pathfinders, No. 222, SSCU, the best.

Doris E. Tingue.

"I PASS"

Anna said she likes to play cards, and even claimed she was above my class; But when Charlie said: "Ann, it's your bid," She simply said: "I pass."

Passing seemed to be the game, As far as Ann was concerned; She didn't try to play Pedro, But yearned only to "Pass."

It takes a mite of thinking just to bid, But it takes a lot more brass To think and waste five whole minutes, And then say, "I pass."

Ann went home at midnight; Her eyes shone just like glass; And when Walter said: "Hello, Ann," She simply said: "I pass."

Doris E. Tingue,

No. 222, SSCU.

Getting Even

"It's scandalous to charge us \$10 for towing the car only three or four miles," protested the motorist's wife.

"Never mind, dear," replied hubby, "he's earning it; I've got my brakes on."

tion or accident may be fatal and he must be prepared. He must have a fund set aside to take care of this.

Why not let it be the SSCU fund? Your father and mother, uncle, have intrusted their money to this Union, they have received benefits; so can your friends. Tell them about it.

Out, all of you, and see if you can't get at least one new member for your coming meeting. Your effort will be rewarded by a good prize for each new member.

Vida A. Kumse,

No. 6, SSCU.

BLONDS

Chemist prof: What is the most outstanding contribution that chemistry has given the world?

Milly: Blonds.

EVERY MEMBER GET A NEW MEMBER

Are You Doing Your Part in the SSCU National Campaign for New Members?

WHAT OUR MEMBERS LOCATED IN VARIOUS SECTIONS OF THE COUNTRY THINK OF OUR UNION'S DRIVE FOR NEW MEMBERS

Minnesota, New York, Colorado, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Illinois—all are represented in this issue by writers who express the national feeling and reaction toward the mammoth campaign for new members conducted by our South Slavonic Catholic Union.

Their motto is: EVERY MEMBER GET A NEW MEMBER. They appeal to the members to take it upon themselves to secure at least one new member. And if each and every member will take it upon himself and herself to secure at least one new member, new enrollments will reach a mark unprecedented in the history of any Slovene fraternal benefit organization.

Publicity such as is given through this medium should and will arouse creative efforts on the part of the members.

THIS APPEAL IS MADE TO YOU, AS AN INDIVIDUAL.

Success of the present venture will depend entirely upon your individual effort. The number of new members credited to your lodge also depends upon you as a member of your local branch.

What is your answer to this appeal?

Appeals to Western Lodges to Respond in Membership Drive

Denver, Colo.—Again we are with you, and this time with great news.

You have all heard about the great drive for new members being conducted by all SSCU lodges. I must say that we had a very late start, but we sure are going to pick up and, believe me, Colorado Sunshine, No. 201, will not be at the bottom when this campaign closes.

For one reason, all members in this or any other lodge cannot, or should not, miss those great awards the Union is giving for new members, not only for adults, but also for juvenile enrollment.

Awards like that you cannot get anywhere or anytime, and now is the time for all of you SSCU members to get your members, for this great offer will not be a permanent one; don't delay—act at once.

And not only that, tell your new members they can get any kind of insurance in this Union to suit their needs, and this they will get at the most reasonable cost. And they also can get something that they cannot get in any insurance, that is the sick benefit—something that everyone should have. And you get it when you most need it.

The same for operation or any injury you may receive, so all of you members that have any new prospects just tell them what I have mentioned, and you will find no difficulty in getting a new member.

If you feel that you cannot give the information required, don't hesitate to ask your local secretary or someone that is better acquainted with this line of business, and he will be glad to help you.

I have seen in a previous issue of our Nova Doba where the Lodge No. 1 of Ely, Minn., was leading for new members and several lodges from Pennsylvania, Illinois, West Virginia, followed by one lodge from the West.

That lodge is good old No. 78 of Salida, Colo. Now, that for a change and help to plan doesn't look so good for us for the coming dance that is to be held a week later.

Louis Polaski Jr., Pres., No. 205, SSCU

No Fool

One of the psychology students at an asylum noticed one of the inmates wheeling a wheelbarrow upside down.

"That's not the way to push that thing," the visitor said. "You've got it upside down."

"Oh, have I?" answered the lunatic. "Well, I used to push it the other way and they put bricks in it."

So invite your friends to your

ACTION!

Never in the history of our Union has such a responsive spirit manifested itself among the English-speaking members in a national campaign for new members.

Publicity is essential in any campaign. And more so in this, our national drive for new members.

However, the will to do a thing is insufficient. Action—going out and selling our splendid SSCU to the outsider is necessary.

Gophers Respond to Gigantic Membership Campaign

Ely, Minn.—It is a beautiful, sunny day here in Ely, but the roosters aren't crowing, as it is just a little too nippy. Little Stan is in a nice, warm place, though, and will do all the crowing himself! "Aintcha glad?" Well, you will be, because Little Stan will let you in on something big! All SSCU lodges are making that big drive for new members. The Gopher Lodge, although it is a subsidiary to Sacred Heart, No. 2, will carry on with the older members and the other lodges in getting as many new members as possible! Here are some ways that we are going to go about it!

We are sponsoring a "G" dance at the Washington Auditorium on Saturday, April 27. Naturally, many people who do not belong to any lodge will be present and, naturally, here's where Little Stan and the fellow Gophers start the action. The conversation will probably run as follows: Just a minute, please! Little Stan sees a beautiful gal! I think I'll ask her for a dance! Later, Little Stan is dancing, and the conversation follows:

Stan: "My, but you're pretty!"

Gal: "Think so?"

Stan: "You bet, you're just the type we need in our Gopher Lodge! Besides, you would have loads of fun at our monthly meetings!"

Gal: "But is that all I have at your meetings, just fun?"

Stan: "No, you also have the best insurance that money can buy, bar none. You also have your sick benefit and disability insurance all in one and, best of all, you have your say so on anything and everything done by your lodge and the Union! You also make many new friends in all parts of the country through our paper, the Nova Doba. That is more than you can get with any other insurance, isn't it?"

Gal: "That does sound keen, Stan (gee, she called me Stan!), I'll ask dad about it and I'll let you know tomorrow."

The music ends and a new member will have joined the Gophers. Now, isn't that a good way to get new members? But that is just one way! You, no doubt, have many friends who are not members. That's just where you can enroll more members. Besides, with all those prizes that are offered, we can make a trip to the world's fair this coming summer! In Ely there is tremendous competition, as the Arrowheads and Rangers, and about five or six other SSCU lodges are in the middle of their annual drive. Competition is keen, and soon you'll probably hear of most of the Ely population enrolled in the SSCU.

Albert Godec, No. 224, SSCU

Stuffed Blue Coats

"Have you seen the mounted police of Chicago?"

"Gosh, do the gangsters stay 'em as well as shoot 'em?"

Every member get a new member.

A PROPOSITION

East Palestine, O.—There is a proposition proffered to every member of the SSCU. Each member of the organization is asked to get a new member. If this proposition is carried out, the man or woman so doing, performs a three-way service. He or she makes what may be called a "triple play." The member helps him or herself financially, the lodge is one unit stronger, and the man or woman, that is the new-comer, joins an institution that immediately becomes his or her beneficiary.

In some localities, the field of eligibles is limited owing to circumstances, but in many cases eligible candidates for the SSCU are numerous. There must be a method of attack. Each member must arm his or herself with a definite plan of action with which an attempt shall be made to acquire new members. This is a mighty sales campaign to be conducted by the SSCU, and its success depends on a concerted and definite action.

A good idea is to ask oneself the questions: Why did I join the SSCU? And, why do I continue to remain a member? Certainly no man or woman belongs to the organization against his or her wishes. No sir, there are reasons—definite reasons. Perhaps these same reasons can be successfully applied in the effort to procure a new member.

Joe Golicic, No. 41, SSCU.

Come On, Everybody!

Conemaugh, Pa.—Come and join this grand campaign! Just think of this when you do: If every member got a new member, how much larger our SSCU would be! This is the best time to convince your neighbors and

friends that in joining the SSCU he or she will benefit greatly by it, and that you, too, will benefit by it! Just a glance at the cash awards that are given

to each one who brings a new member and you can see how easily you can turn your spare time into money. And you will also be doing something for your lodge. But this might be the best way to tell it:

Come on, all of you fellows and gals,

Go right out and get all of your pals;

And you mustn't forget to remember:

When every member gets a new member,

For that grand old S. S. C. U.

It means dollars for your lodge

and you!

Frances Turk, Sec'y, No. 213, SSCU.

FEDERAL PENITENTIARIES

There are three, located at Atlanta, Ga.; Ft. Leavenworth, Kas., and McNeil's Island, Wash.

dances, socials, picnics and

what have you, and you will

find the SSCU membership will

have increased to a new high,

and our future will be very

brighter!

Can you beat it? Pa is after

me to help him saw some wood,

so Little Stan will have to go

now, but gaze around, as I'll

probably be back in another

part of this paper. Meanwhile

let's all remember our new slogan: "Every Member Get a

New Member!"

Stanley Pechaver, No. 2, SSCU.

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MANY ADVANTAGES

Our SSCU has much to offer. Death benefits, sick benefits, accident and indemnity benefits, and operation benefits—all are within easy reach of the average pocket-book.

Advantages to members by carrying insurance with our organization are many. Our members reap benefits while still living, as is evidenced by the compensation received in case of sickness—in case of an operation—in case of an accident.

Our members may take out the following certificates: Twenty-year endowment, twenty-year payment life and ordinary life. Each carries a reserve and loan value.

Bricks Make a Building and Members Our SSCU

Salida, Colo.—Hey, there, what's all the excitement about? Everyone seems to be very active wherever you go.

Why, stranger, don't you know that our big membership campaign is on now? Our South Slavonic Catholic Union is conducting a national drive for new members.

Our Union offers insurance to all members of the family. Every member of the family has a reason to take a big interest in the campaign.

Lodges, let us all adopt the slogan: "Every Member Get a New Member." Our SSCU is equal and in some cases better than some of the insurance companies.

Every member in the SSCU should get behind this membership drive and push it to a successful goal.

A bricklayer slowly lays a brick upon a brick, and when he is finished a beautiful building is the result. The same is true with our organization. With every member in the Union giving a helping hand, by securing one member, and the result will be a bigger SSCU. The sooner we enroll more new members the sooner will our Union develop into a larger organization.

When a bricklayer completes his work he can say: "I laid the bricks in that strong and beautiful building."

In years to come we, too, can pride on the growth of our SSCU by saying: "I helped build the South Slavonic Catholic Union."

Who knows, but that you and I may enroll one, two, five or even ten members each, if we but try.

Moreover, our Union offers cash awards to individuals for enrolling new members for various death benefits, and a bonus to each lodge for group enrollments of 50 cents for each new member, provided five or more are enrolled. Don't you think this a splendid proposition.

Bear in mind that when you secure one or more members you are helping to build our SSCU into a larger and more beautiful structure. So, let's get started and do our share.

Until then, keep smiling with Colorado Sunshine Lodge, and keep boasting with Mt. Shavano Lodge for a bigger and better SSCU.

Albert Godec, No. 224, SSCU.

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OUR SSCU OFFERS MANY OPPORTUNITIES TO THOSE SEEKING INSURANCE PROTECTION AT NOMINAL COST

By Louis J. Kompare, Assistant Supreme Secretary, SSCU

Not surprising, moreover if it is pleasing and convincing to note the momentum gained by the English-speaking members since the inception of the national SSCU campaign for new members.

you an accident or death.

4. In every man's heart there is a desire to do his full duty—your chance is now.

5. Creed or religion plays no part; you are eligible as long as you are of the white race.

6. You have tried the rest, now join the best.

7. Protect yourself and your family in one of the best fraternal orders in America, the name of which is the South Slavonic Catholic Union of America.

It is surprising to note that the English as well as the Slovane-conducted lodges situated in small towns of five to six thousand population are increasing their membership more rapidly than those located in larger centers with larger fields to concentrate their drives. Are you big city fellows from Pittsburgh, Cleveland and Chicago going to let us small country boys outnumber you? At present the Pathfinders in Gowanda and the Arrowheads in Ely are neck and neck in a heated race for the largest enrollment of new members. Let us all join in the "Every Member Get a New Member" campaign, and present our fathers with a ray of sunshine in their waning years.

Our Aim—A Larger and Stronger Union

Ely, Minn.—We have before us at this time the slogan: "Every member get a new member. To all of us these six words should mean a great deal. If each member would see to it that he got a friend to join the Union, our membership would increase rapidly.

Increased membership would mean a greater degree of co-operation. Additional co-operation would provide a stronger foundation for the Union to stand on. With a mighty groundwork, the work of our organization would be made smoother, for obstacles encountered could be more easily eliminated.

When difficulties can be overcome more moderately, the way will be paved for a successful working career for the Union. Hand in hand with this will come prosperity and happiness, and this should be the goal of all SSCU members.

Since we have an aim before us, let's all get into the campaign with our greatest zeal. What's more, Ranger girls we're in for some competition. A proposition was made at a regular meeting to the effect that the group, i.e., the boys or girls, getting the largest number of additional members would be guests at a party given by the losers. Here's something we can look forward to. We've got just as good a chance as have the gentlemen. Let's begin right now and make this campaign a successful one.

Lots of luck to all!

Anna Nosan, No. 1, SSCU.

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Membership Campaign

SSCU Triumvirate Starts Membership Drive With Acquaintance Night

Comments on Acquaintance Night

Cleveland, O.—Judging from previous editions of the Era, I notice that many of lodges of the Union have already started the campaign new members.

For the past two years very little interest has been shown in enrolling members due to the depression. Now that this depression is gradually dying away, many of the individuals are campaigning strenuously to effect results in the membership drive of our Union.

Many individual members and branches are very enthusiastic in procuring members in both departments. Cash awards are a stimulating factor.

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The purpose for joining forces was to bridge the gap between our SSCU members, so that they may get better acquaintances with each other.

One other big feature of the Triumvirate is the new membership campaign. The Triumvirate's resolution is to double the membership of the Cleveland English-conducted lodges.

The Triumvirate will not work for the individual success of any one person, but it has resolved to work for the benefit of the South Slavonic Catholic Union and the success of our lodges represented in the Triumvirate.

The success of the Triumvirate is and will be a greater success for our splendid South Slavonic Catholic Union.

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Every member get a new member.

Anna Jaklich, Sec'y., No. 180, SSCU.

Campaign Call

Cleveland, O.—The time is here for good resolves, to think beautiful and healthful thoughts. Smile, and the next fellow you meet will smile with you, and you have almost unconsciously started the South Slavonic Catholic Union's membership drive with a cheer.

"Let's all co-operate to participate at the Triumvirate dance which is being held April 11, at 7:30. Don't be late." —Alice Struna.

"For bigger and better entertainment attend our Triumvirate dance." —Mrs. Mary Lavrich.

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Triumvirate of SSCU

Cleveland, O.—Final arrangements are nearing completion for the Acquaintance Night, sponsored by the Triumvirate of Cleveland English-conducted lodges. It is to be held on Wednesday, April 11, at the Slovene Workingmen's Home on Waterloo Rd.

Acquaintance Night is the first affair held jointly by the three SSCU English-conducted lodges of Cleveland. The results thus far have been very progressively attained.

The means of holding this affair jointly is to influence the members in inducing their friends to join our Union in conjunction with the national SSCU campaign.

Many special features will be had on this evening. Vaudeville entertainment, prominent speakers and dancing are scheduled on the program.

Bro. Garbas, doctor of dentistry, a member of the George Washington Lodge, No. 180, SSCU, will act as master of ceremonies.

The Cleveland SSCU Triumvirate extends a cordial invitation to all SSCU members of local and neighboring lodges to attend Acquaintance Night.

John P. Lunka,
Committee Chairman.

Memories!

Ely, Minn.—Turn back the hours. Time turns back. We come across an old issue of the Nova Doba. One of the headlines tells us that Lil and Stan are on the air, then that fatal day when our Lil went to "Chi."

Two years passed by, and again we see the columns of the Nova Doba bearing the name of Lil and Ann, the Phantasm Reporters! Lil is a Gopher still, and Ann? Well, they tell me that if she ever comes to Ely, the Gophers will make her a Gopher! What will she do?

Well, heh, heh, there are many things one can do in Ely! Who says so? Why, Little Stan says so! We also promise to let everyone in on the fun when we Gophers go on our first annual spree on April 28, the day of days! Our "G" banquet takes place then, and after that we all go to the Washington Auditorium, where we will

dance to the tunes of Matty Miltich and his Revellers. Little Stan, in speaking for the Gophers, invites all who can possibly attend, to attend on that day. Don't forget that big day, Saturday, April 28!

Little Stan giggled when he read Stan Progar's poem about that Stan name. When I read it, I asked Mary, my sister, to open the door so that I could throw my chest out, and upon further consideration, I asked my dad to throw out his chest for giving me that handle. Tsk! Heh!

The Gophers will map out their campaign for enrolling new members immediately, and one of the catch lines in our big campaign will be to explain the Gopher, from which we derive our name. The Gopher is a sweet, cute, little animal with small, shifty, smiling eyes.

It lives in a home burrowed underneath the earth's surface, and when we get a member to join we'll say, "Won't you come into our parlor?" Not as the spider said to the fly, but as Gopher to Pre-Gopher! Then the initiation is to be a full fledged Gopher! Meanwhile all Gopher members and close friends, keep Thursday, April

Betsy Ross History

Cleveland, O.—Betsy Ross Lodge, No. 186, SSCU, was organized in September, 1927.

The organizers were Brothers Louis Tolar, Frank Kacar and Frank Zorich.

Our first meeting was called to order by Bro. Frank Kacar. Bro. Charles F. Kikel gave a short history of the South Slavonic Catholic Union and other points of interest that were for the benefit of a lodge.

The first Betsy Ross Lodge officers were: George Kovitch, president; Robert Riddle, secretary, and Louis Florjancic, treasurer.

We had 10 charter members and at the present time we have 40 members in good standing.

The activities of the lodge were numerous, having taken part in sports, and it is our hope to again return to the sports field.

The lodge is quite popular socially, in the sponsoring of dances and many outdoor activities, especially this joint vaudeville and dance that the SSCU Triumvirate of English-conducted lodges in Cleveland, of which our lodge is a member, is sponsoring on April 11.

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The name given this vaudeville and dance program is Acquaintance Night. Why, it's the talk of the town.

According to reports, tickets are selling so fast that both halls have been rented; when you talk about space, you can bet your Sunday boots there's going to be a crowd. So, folks, come one, come all. More the merrier.

We will have many friends attending this gala affair—friends who are not members, plus strangers. To get acquainted is the idea of the Triumvirate and to interest them in joining our ranks.

George Kovitch, Pres.,
No. 186, SSCU.

Center Ramblers

Center, Pa.—The SSCU Membership Campaign is on! Every member should take an active part in this campaign and get as many new members as possible. The slogan, "Every Member Get a New Member," is a fine one, and I hope that more of the lodges will adopt it.

With working conditions in all parts of the country much better than they were a year or two ago, it should not be such a hard task to get new members for an organization such as our South Slavonic Catholic Union, with its substantial plans of insurance. Generous prizes are being offered for every new member you get.

Of course, we all want this campaign to be a success, and in order to make it a successful one, we must act now.

For a bigger and better SSCU.

Ann M. Erzen,
No. 221, SSCU.

SOUND

Sound travels at different speeds through different mediums. Its speed is also affected by temperature. For instance, sound travels through hot air (100%) at 1,266 feet per second, while in zero weather it travels at 1,088 feet per second.

Every member get a new member.

12, open for our Gopher meeting!

Stanley Pechaver,
No. 2, SSCU.

Triumvirate Acquaintance Night

Cleveland, O.—The SSCU Triumvirate Acquaintance Night will open the new membership campaign drive with a bang.

People whom we have never met will attend, presenting to each SSCU member the opportunity of being a solicitor.

Three lodges, working hand in hand, are assuring members and friends of a grand and glorious evening. Think, a vaudeville program and dance for 10 cents.

It is not our idea to stick together for just this one time, but it is our hope that we keep working together as one—and to work for the benefit of each lodge and for the betterment of the South Slavonic Catholic Union.

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Editorial

Cleveland, O.—"In union there is strength." "United we stand, divided we fall."

These words were spoken by two prominent statesmen years ago, but still hold true today.

This is the first time that the three English-conducted lodges of our SSCU in Cleveland have ever launched such an affair as the Triumvirate Dance. From all aspects it is foretold that it will be a success. We hope that by holding this affair we may promote a closer policy of fraternalism between the members of the lodges and also induce others to become staunch supporters of our SSCU.

The South Slavonic Catholic Union is more than merely an association that seeks to protect your family in the event of your death. It is an actual living force and it brings many joys and pleasures to those who take part in the meetings and affairs held by the lodges.

There is nothing more inspiring than having a good attendance at the socials and meetings so that others will be encouraged in building their confidence and understanding in our Union. Every man and woman is ambitious to be as good and as great as the man with whom they are associated.

So if the lodges stand for truth, for hope and for righteousness, the members of the lodges also stand for the same. Since the lodges and members are part of the SSCU it should make everyone not a member eager to join our Union.

Therefore, the Collinwood Boosters will participate with the best of their ability in building up their local lodge as well as our SSCU.

Mary Lavrich, Sec'y.

PRODIGAL RETURNS

Cleveland, O.—As you read the New Era today, you will notice that the "Kuharca" of the George Washington Lodge, Sister Anna Jaklich, has again turned to writing a few lines.

She is not giving Bro. Ernest Palcic any pointers on cooking now, for she has a more important announcement to make.

Ernest, please don't be disappointed, this time Ann wrote on the Acquaintance Night which is being sponsored by the SSCU Triumvirate of English-conducted lodges in Cleveland.

On the eve of the Acquaintance Night we are also starting our campaign for new members. (Wish us success.) Ernest, the "Kuharca" in extending her invitation did not forget you. She is inviting you, your friends and all our SSCU members.

Marie Arko, Treas.,
No. 180, SSCU.

TRAINED FLEAS

Rado Murnik:

NA BLEDU

(Nadaljevanje)

Soboto popoldne pred Velikim Šmarnom smo izrojili zopet v blejsko okolico.

Kakor navadno na naših skupnih izletih, je tudi danes doktor Jurinac spremjal največ Nado. Fefrl se je držala Balenoviča ko zvest, stanoviten klop. Laskala, milila in sladkala se mu je na vse pretege, ne samo iz čiste ljubezni do njegovega bogastva, ampak tudi zato, ker je imel vedno najslastnejše bonbončke s sabo. Revež je vdano prenašal njeni ljubeznivosti; le včasi je skrivaj zamrmljal: "Humbug! Poderoso caballero . . ."

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"Domačin ne zna prav ceniti svojine," je odvrnil doktor Zalokar. "Še dandanes je mnogo omikanih Slovencev, ki niso videli ne Postojnske jame ne gorenskega raja. Sicer je pa tudi šele Anglež iztaknil lepoto tirolskih gora. Pred približno petdesetimi leti se ni zmenil živ krst janje. — Solnčni izhod bi moral videti z gore, zaspenci, kadar vabi zora vedno nove barve iz mrača in ko žari nad vijoličastimi, rožnatimi, višnjevimi in medložitimi orjaki razbeljeni Triglav, vse te pralepote kralj v kraljevem škratu! To je nebesko lepo, kaj takega ne pozabite vse žive dni!"

Prijetno utrujeni smo sedli blizu kupa zloženih drv v tanko gesto planinsko travo pod stoljetne smreke, ki so jim segale z mahom otkane veje malone do tal.

"Ne spravljajte si zakladov na zemlji, kjer jih konča rja in mči!" je dejal gospod Oven, ko smo jeli malicati. Pridno je segal po salaham in prekajenem jeziku.

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Leto 1926 je bilo usodno za starodavno mestece Peč. Tistaleta je namreč v Kugovi našlo veliko jezero, ki se je postem razilo na Peč ter povzročilo veliko škodo. Voda je prihramela tako hitro, da se ljudstvo ni moglo pravcočasno rešiti. Bilo je 36 človeških žrtev in voda je ali popolnoma odnesla, ali pa deloma porušila večje število hiš in drugih poslopij. Zaradi to pa je tudi te dni sprejeti nedopis straže mestece, ko so pridrveli domov s hribov pastrirji, goneč pred seboj svoje črede koza in ovac in kričeč, da je v hribih pred njihovimi očmi nastalo veliko jezero, ki vedenje raste in raste in bo še tisto noč poplavilo Peč.

Ljudstvo v Peči tisto noč ni zatisnilo oči. Toda zgodilo se vendar nič, tako da naposled že skoraj nihče več ni hotel verjeti pastirskemu pripovedovanju. Pastirji pa so trdili, da je bil prejšnji dan v planinah zelo lep. Vrhovi planin so bili vsnegu in v dolini med gorami se, čistu jasno videla struga rečice Bistrice. Okoli 11. ure pa se je zaslišalo zamolko bobnjenje. Misili so, da se je nekje hrib utrgal, toda niso videle nikjer niti podobnega. Bobnjenje pa ni prenehalo, temveč je postajalo vse močnejše in je trajalo kake pol ure, potem pa je prenehalo. Ko so tedaj nastaneje pogledali tjakaj, od koder je prihajalo bobnjenje, se jim je zabilo zamolko bobnjenje. Misili so, da se je nekje hrib utrgal, toda niso videle nikjer niti podobnega. Bobnjenje pa ni prenehalo, temveč je postajalo vse močnejše in je trajalo kake pol ure, potem pa je prenehalo. Ko so tedaj nastaneje pogledali tjakaj, od koder je prihajalo bobnjenje, se jim je zabilo zamolko bobnjenje. Misili so, da se je nekje hrib utrgal, toda niso videle nikjer niti podobnega. Bobnjenje pa ni prenehalo, temveč je postajalo vse močnejše in je trajalo kake pol ure, potem pa je prenehalo. Ko so tedaj nastaneje pogledali tjakaj, od koder je prihajalo bobnjenje, se jim je zabilo zamolko bobnjenje. Misili so, da se je nekje hrib utrgal, toda niso videle nikjer niti podobnega. Bobnjenje pa ni prenehalo, temveč je postajalo vse močnejše in je trajalo kake pol ure, potem pa je prenehalo. Ko so tedaj nastaneje pogledali tjakaj, od koder je prihajalo bobnjenje, se jim je zabilo zamolko bobnjenje. Misili so, da se je nekje hrib utrgal, toda niso videle nikjer niti podobnega. Bobnjenje pa ni prenehalo, temveč je postajalo vse močnejše in je trajalo kake pol ure, potem pa je prenehalo. Ko so tedaj nastaneje pogledali tjakaj, od koder je prihajalo bobnjenje, se jim je zabilo zamolko bobnjenje. Misili so, da se je nekje hrib utrgal, toda niso videle nikjer niti podobnega. Bobnjenje pa ni prenehalo, temveč je postajalo vse močnejše in je trajalo kake pol ure, potem pa je prenehalo. Ko so tedaj nastaneje pogledali tjakaj, od koder je prihajalo bobnjenje, se jim je zabilo zamolko bobnjenje. Misili so, da se je nekje hrib utrgal, toda niso videle nikjer niti podobnega. Bobnjenje pa ni prenehalo, temveč je postajalo vse močnejše in je trajalo kake pol ure, potem pa je prenehalo. Ko so tedaj nastaneje pogledali tjakaj, od koder je prihajalo bobnjenje, se jim je zabilo zamolko bobnjenje. Misili so, da se je nekje hrib utrgal, toda niso videle nikjer niti podobnega. Bobnjenje pa ni prenehalo, temveč je postajalo vse močnejše in je trajalo kake pol ure, potem pa je prenehalo. Ko so tedaj nastaneje pogledali tjakaj, od koder je prihajalo bobnjenje, se jim je zabilo zamolko bobnjenje. Misili so, da se je nekje hrib utrgal, toda niso videle nikjer niti podobnega. Bobnjenje pa ni prenehalo, temveč je postajalo vse močnejše in je trajalo kake pol ure, potem pa je prenehalo. Ko so tedaj nastaneje pogledali tjakaj, od koder je prihajalo bobnjenje, se jim je zabilo zamolko bobnjenje. Misili so, da se je nekje hrib utrgal, toda niso videle nikjer niti podobnega. Bobnjenje pa ni prenehalo, temveč je postajalo vse močnejše in je trajalo kake pol ure, potem pa je prenehalo. Ko so tedaj nastaneje pogledali tjakaj, od koder je prihajalo bobnjenje, se jim je zabilo zamolko bobnjenje. Misili so, da se je nekje hrib utrgal, toda niso videle nikjer niti podobnega. Bobnjenje pa ni prenehalo, temveč je postajalo vse močnejše in je trajalo kake pol ure, potem pa je prenehalo. Ko so tedaj nastaneje pogledali tjakaj, od koder je prihajalo bobnjenje, se jim je zabilo zamolko bobnjenje. Misili so, da se je nekje hrib utrgal, toda niso videle nikjer niti podobnega. Bobnjenje pa ni prenehalo, temveč je postajalo vse močnejše in je trajalo kake pol ure, potem pa je prenehalo. Ko so tedaj nastaneje pogledali tjakaj, od koder je prihajalo bobnjenje, se jim je zabilo zamolko bobnjenje. Misili so, da se je nekje hrib utrgal, toda niso videle nikjer niti podobnega. Bobnjenje pa ni prenehalo, temveč je postajalo vse močnejše in je trajalo kake pol ure, potem pa je prenehalo. Ko so tedaj nastaneje pogledali tjakaj, od koder je prihajalo bobnjenje, se jim je zabilo zamolko bobnjenje. Misili so, da se je nekje hrib utrgal, toda niso videle nikjer niti podobnega. Bobnjenje pa ni prenehalo, temveč je postajalo vse močnejše in je trajalo kake pol ure, potem pa je prenehalo. Ko so tedaj nastaneje pogledali tjakaj, od koder je prihajalo bobnjenje, se jim je zabilo zamolko bobnjenje. Misili so, da se je nekje hrib utrgal, toda niso videle nikjer niti podobnega. Bobnjenje pa ni prenehalo, temveč je postajalo vse močnejše in je trajalo kake pol ure, potem pa je prenehalo. Ko so tedaj nastaneje pogledali tjakaj, od koder je prihajalo bobnjenje, se jim je